

County Schools Hold Commencement Exercises



BILLY JOE CLARK
Valedictorian
(Flomot)



IMA NELL GUNN
Salutatorian
(Flomot)



JOLENE BLOODWORTH
Valedictorian
(Matador)



BETTY PRICE
Salutatorian
(Matador)



MARY KATHERYN MARTIN
Valedictorian
(Roaring Springs)



THELMA DEAN DILLARD
Salutatorian
(Roaring Springs)

Highest honors for seniors graduating from three Matley High Schools, as shown above are: Billy Joe Clark, Flomot, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Clark, who had an average of 97; Miss Ima Nell Gunn, Flomot, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Harley Gunn, with an average of 95.25; Miss Jolene Bloodworth, Matador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth, whose average was 95.43; Miss Betty Price, Matador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Price, had an average of

94.10; Miss Mary Kathryn Martin, Roaring Springs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, had an average of 88.41; and Miss Thelma Dillard, Roaring Springs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dillard, had an average of 87.88.

Flomot's third highest ranking student was Miss Joy Tanner, with an average of 95. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Tanner. Miss Betty Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sanders, with an average of 87.81

was third highest student for Roaring Springs. Third highest student of the Matador class was Miss Frances Schweitzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, whose average was 88.76. Miss Mary Jaunice

Wilkinson, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Wilkinson, ranked fourth with 88.26, and Miss Dorothy Woodruff daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, was fifth, with 87.23.

FORTY-EIGHT ARE GRADUATED FROM 3 HIGH SCHOOLS

When commencement exercises come to a close tonight for Roaring Springs and Matador high schools, forty-eight seniors in the county will have graduated. The number includes fourteen who received diplomas at Flomot last Thursday evening, fourteen at Roaring Springs and twenty at Matador.

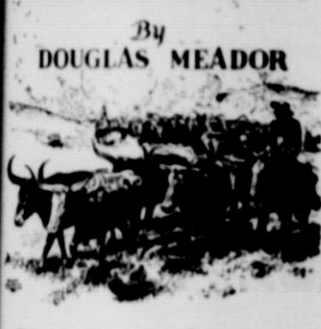
Roaring Springs Commencement will be at 9:15 tonight in the high school auditorium. Miss Esther Peck will play the processional and recessional, and the following program will be given: Invocation, John Green; Salutatory, Thelma Dillard, whose subject will be "Class Declaration of Independence"; "Commencement Day" by Lois Hodgins, Thelma Dillard, Betty Sanders and Lorraine Hodgins; "Class Calendar", Betty Sanders, class president; "Class Flower", Genell Brooks, vice-president; "The Glow Worm", Kathryn Martin; Presentation of Gift, Bessie Clifton, class secretary; Acceptance of Gift, Supt. Henry Teague; Valedictory, "Class Creed", Kathryn Martin; Presentation of Awards, Prin. J. P. Cooper; Presentation of Diplomas, Supt. Henry Teague; "Hail and Farewell", Senior Class; Benediction, Mr. Charles Brooks.

Other class members are: Grady Glenn, business mgr., Gustia Mitchell, Selbia Collett, Billie Jo Thomas, Van Phelps, June Byars and Melvin Holcomb. Miss Bessie Medlen is class sponsor.

Matador Commencement
Commencement for the Matador seniors will be held this evening in the school auditorium here, beginning at 8:15, with the following program: Processional, Roberta Jameson; Invocation, Rev. H. G. Verner; "Our Graduation", class reading; "The Bridge Builder", Dorothy Woodruff; Presentation of Class Gift, Wilma Faye Clifton; "The Rustle of Spring," piano solo by Jolene Bloodworth; Salutatory address, Betty Price; "In the

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TRAIL DUST



Except for my own pusillanimity, the empty house would have provided shelter until the storm passed. It stood out in bold silhouette during flashes of incredible lightning which speared light through paneless windows in the upper story. Instantly the house would drop back into the sea of night and there was less trepidation in the open hills than in the thoughts of its eerie protection. Large drops of rain quickly drove the warmth out of my shirt, then fine hail whipped by blasts of wind, beat my face and arms. Water pressed up over the tops of my shoes and my trousers stuck to my legs; each step required more effort, like trying to swim while hampered by clothing. The earth trembled after each wide blade of lightning. I was looking toward the house when the bolt struck and I felt the panic of ominous terror when flames quickly stuck their tongues through the windows. The rain was a red curtain laced by white flashes for a few moments, then the fire retreated into the darkness from which it had sprung. The rain was like a million buckets being emptied on the earth but its panic was passing. After a time I found the road bracketed along the sides of familiar hills and ragged pieces of stars and sky moved like floating islands in a sea of tossing clouds.

Failure often owes its success to a dominating desire for comfort.

At the venture of love it is possible to become so engrossed with bidding that the item's value may have little relation to the price for which it sells.

My generation served as a metamorphic period between two colorful eras; pioneer and modern. It was the depot between trains. During the period of my boyhood the prairie still held white, splintering buffalo horns, yet I saw my first live buffalo in a city zoo. A few weeks ago I learned that the vanished beasts of the prairie were the only animals that turned their heads into a blizzard or storm.

It is logical that the best place to correct a mistake is before it is made but the experience which would be lost should not be ignored.

When a lover holds two torches he is more apt to blind himself and step off a precipice. With more than two he may deliberately jump off.

Conversations are like boiling soap kettles in which statements quickly dissolve when they strike the caustic lye of truth.

Modern refrigeration is a splendid contribution to more satisfactory living but it fails in some qualities to compare with the cool spring house where my mother used to keep thick, white crocks of sweet cream.

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Polio Danger Is Spur To Cleanup

One-Day Campaign Scheduled May 29

DARK SHADOW of death from infantile paralysis (polio) which has struck in many Texas cities, spurred Matador civic leaders and officials to action early this week, and Wednesday May 29, has been designated as clean-up day.

Combined campaign of the Matador Lions club and city officials embrace plans for the most extensive clean-up drive in the city's history. Mayor G. T. Edwards, meeting with Lion directors Monday morning, pledged full support in ridding the city of insanitary and unsightly conditions. Two Lion committeemen, Earl Laughlin and Chas. Parks, were appointed to meet with the city officials later in

the day and map the drive. Plans were made similar to previous drives with each downtown city block assigned to two "lieutenants". The clean-up will start at 6 a. m. Wednesday morning with the sounding of the fire alarm and continue until ten o'clock or until the work is completed in the downtown section. Stores and other business places will probably remain closed until after the cleanup is over.

Members of the Lions club will be responsible for the effectiveness of the drive. All Lion members will be drafted for work, however, those who wish to hire someone to take their places, may have that privilege. Heavy fines will be assessed members who fail to respond.

The "lieutenants" are as follows: Block south of courthouse square, P. Y. Springer and Howard Edmondson. Block east of Main street and south of highway, Dr. J. S. Stanley and D. E. Pitts. Block west of Main and south of highway, Freeman Thacker and C. M. Glenn. Block

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Work Ends On Largest Motley Tank

Motley County's largest tank was completed Tuesday on the Joe Bloodworth farm, three and one-half miles northeast of White Flat.

A 325-foot long dam will back water for one-half mile, and the sweepage will come from 2,000 acres, according to Ed Jameson, contractor for the project. Depth of the crater has been measured at 43 feet.

More than 25,000 cubic feet of dirt was used in the construction of the dam, and workers laboring in three 8-hour shifts for two weeks to finish the tank.

Just when the tank will be filled is problematical. However, Bloodworth estimates that a quick two-inch rain would be sufficient for the purpose.

The tank was built through the AAA program, with Marvin Allen, local AAA administrative officer, acting as government supervisor. Actual cost of the undertaking, excluding labor, was approximately \$3,000. Government funds covered about two-thirds of this cost, Allen said.

SHERIFF RECOVERS

Sheriff H. H. Courtney was able to be up and attending to his duties Tuesday, after having been treated at Traweek Hospital for several days for summer flu and sinus infection.

IN QUANAH HOSPITAL

Mrs. J. K. Mellroy of Roaring Springs, was conveyed to Quannah Hospital at Quannah, Monday by the McDonald Funeral Home ambulance.

MEMORIAL SPEAKER FAMOUS FOR HIS GREAT ELOQUENCE



Acknowledged one of the most distinguished speakers of the South, Lt. Governor John Lee Smith, who will make the principal Memorial Day address here May 30, is known as "Texas's Silver-Tongued Orator." He was given the title by Governor Pat M. Neff.

Native West-Texan he was born in Wise county, May 16, 1894. Lt. Governor Smith is a veteran of World War I. He saw service as a private soldier in England and France and after the war attended the University of Poitiers, France, later teaching history there for a short time.

His addresses are considered masterpieces of eloquence. He has contributed much of his time and talent to church, Legion and fraternal work.

Well-known in Matador long before he was elected Lieutenant Governor by a majority of 141,000 votes in 1942, John Lee Smith has been here many times. He was the principal speaker at the Armistice Day program sponsored by the Fleming Post American Legion two years ago which included the "Honor roll" of Motley County servicemen and women dedication and an address at the Matador Baptist church.

Legion Auxillary Will Sell Poppies

Continuing a custom of many years standing, the American Legion Auxillary of Fleming Post will sell poppies in the county communities on Memorial Day, it was announced this week.

Mrs. D. P. Keith will be in charge of the sale and will be assisted by Mrs. Clarence Kifer and Mrs. Ethel Payne in distributing them. 500 poppies will be divided between Matador Roaring Springs and Flomot.

No price will be asked for the poppies, but contributions will be solicited for the welfare and rehabilitation funds of the Legion and Auxillary. All money received will be used for the benefit of disabled veterans and families of veterans. The only paid workers in the poppy program are the disabled veterans who make the flowers.

TO FORT WORTH

J. W. Drace and Melvin McAdams of Lubbock, spent the week end in Fort Worth, attending a meeting of inspectors for the Southwest Cattle Raisers' Association, for whom they are employed. Mrs. Drace and Mrs. McAdams visited relatives here.

Memorial Ceremonies To Begin With Parade

A parade, beginning at 10 o'clock, will open the Memorial Day ceremonies on May 30, which will be sponsored jointly by Fleming Post American Legion, and the V. F. W. with all ex-servicemen of the county and Boy Scout troops participating. It was announced this week.

Tentative plans for the ceremonies were outlined at a meeting of American Legion last Tuesday evening, committees

Committees Are Appointed For Memorial Day

Appointment of committees to supervise Motley County's Memorial Day Observance in Matador was completed this week.

VFW and American Legion posts of the county will be in charge of the ceremonies.

Raby Webb, Curtis King, M. S. Patton and L. B. Robertson were named as escorts to meet Lt. Governor John Lee Smith, principal speaker for the occasion.

Included on the program committee are Roy Reeves, Miss Roberta Jameson, J. R. Whitworth, D. C. Bradley and Tom Hamilton, with Howard Traweek in charge of general arrangements.

In charge of parade arrangements will be Furman Vinson and V. H. Gilbreath. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Priest and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff were named as committeemen to contact Gold Star parents of the county.

Also appointed was a committee to supervise the decorating of Matador. O. V. Johnson, L. R. Robertson, Dick Groves, and John Stotts were named.

On a similar committee to clean soldiers' graves are William L. Marshall, Robert Birchfield and S. J. Braselton of Roaring Springs; Norman Raby Webb, Howard Edmondson, Jim D. Knight, Charles Meador and K. Jameson, all of Matador; Boyd Perkins, Levi Wilkinson and Bennie Keltz, Whiteflat; Truett Pritchett, Leon Cloyd and Joe Speer, Flomot; and A. B. Simpson of Northfield.

The American Legion Auxillary, headed by Mrs. M. S. Patton, will be in charge of decorations at the Methodist Church, where Lt. Governor Smith will speak. Howard Traweek will be master of ceremonies and D. C. Bradley, Post Commander, will speak at the church services.

BREAKS ARM

Maureen Plumlee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Plumlee had the misfortune of breaking her left arm at the wrist, Monday afternoon. The accident occurred when she fell while playing at her home in north Matador. She was treated at Traweek Hospital.

Bank To Observe Two Holidays

First State Bank will observe two holidays within the next week, according to an announcement by bank officials this week.

The bank will remain closed May 30, Memorial Day, and will also observe Monday, June 3, which is Jefferson Davis' birthday.

Several of the banking personnel plan to attend the Panhandle Bankers Association at Amarillo on June 3.

EXPERT SAYS MESQUITES ARE MASTERS

Toughened through ages of struggle for survival in Texas climate, soil and drought, the prairie mesquite is still master of a situation which is menacing the grazing industry in much of the state. Charley Fisher of the Spur Experiment Station, featured speaker Tuesday at the Lions regular luncheon meeting in the Methodist church basement, told his intent listeners that no practical method of mesquite eradication has been devised. He is one of the outstanding mesquite experts in the state.

Approximately 50 Motley county ranchers, farmers and stock-raisers were guests of club members for the address. Illustrating his talk with a mesquite "grub" from a tree which had been poisoned, Mr. Fisher said

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VFW To Sell Poppies Sat.

Poppy Day will be observed by Matador's VFW post Saturday when its members conduct the customary pre-Memorial Day sale of crepe replicas of the little flower which blossomed in the battle fields and trenches of Belgium and France during World Wars I and II.

A record sale of the flowers has been predicted by Legion and VFW authorities, with estimates of 25,000,000 sales carried through the first peacetime Poppy Day observance in four years.

Fabrication of the paper flowers is a year-round process in government hospitals which house 100,000 veterans. Many of the ex-soldiers have made the patriotic emblems for 28 years; others are turning out the

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RAIL OFFICIALS SURVEYING AREA

Charles Sommers, of St. Louis President of the Quannah, Acme and Pacific railway, W. L. Richardson of Quannah, vice-president in charge of traffic, Howard Hamilton of Lawton, Oklahoma, traffic representative and J. W. Sampley, of Quannah, railroad auditor, were in Roaring Springs Wednesday on an area survey.

Mr. Somers said the prospects look very promising for further development in this section and that he believes a population and industry trend is moving westward.

Elevator Installs King-Size Scales

"King-Size" 100-ton capacity scales have just been completed at the H & M elevator located in Roaring Springs, according to E. E. Moss, partner in the firm. He said all work on the scales installation is now complete and the elevator plant will be ready to receive within a few days.

Only grain elevator in Motley county, the Roaring Springs plant is one of the most modern in the entire area. Mechanics are engaged in finishing the elevator equipment installations, Mr. Moss declared.

VFW POST CLOSES CHARTER; NAMES STATE DELEGATES

Official closing of the charter of the Motley County Memorial Post, VFW, occurred Tuesday night in the county courthouse at Matador.

There were 70 paid-up members present, all of whom will be counted as charter members. The charter requirement, calling for 50 active members within 90 days of the original muster, was obtained in April at the fourth meeting of the organization, post officials declared. March 1 was the date of the first muster.

Included in the official business of the veterans' unit was the election of eight delegates and alternates to attend the state convention meeting to be held in Fort Worth June 19-21. Truett Pritchett, junior vice commander, will head the five-man delegation and act as commander.

Those elected as delegates and alternates are Norman Harp, Raldo James, Frank Pohl, Robert Birchfield, Roy Smith, Vance Gilbreath, McElton Skages and William L. Marshall. Also discussed was a public entertainment program which will feature the giving away of a jeep. No definite dates were set for the event.

Summer School And Home-Making Class To Be Conducted

Summer school classes will be held at the high school, beginning Monday, May 27, at 9 o'clock, for the benefit of those students who may wish to keep up class work, it was announced this week.

Miss Irene Fuessell will be in charge of the school and tuition will be \$10. for the first half unit and \$5. for each succeeding half unit.

Sewing Class
All ladies of the community interested in a home-making sewing course, or other phases of home-making, are invited to meet with Miss Fuessell at 2:30 Monday afternoon, at the high school.

The land is the Nation's No. 1 economic problem. When our soils are gone, we too must go unless we find some way to feed on raw rock or its equivalent. Remember always erosion is our common enemy.

Floydada Boosters To Visit Matador

A program will be given at 9 a. m. Monday in Matador by the Floydada "Wainwright-Day-Boosters" in behalf of the general's visit to Floydada on July 4.

The group will leave Matador at 9:15. A similar program in Roaring Springs will be given on May 30.

Music will be furnished by Hop Halsey and his Drugstore Cowboys, and speeches will be given.

Smith Infant Is Buried Sunday

Funeral services were held in the First Baptist Church at Whiteflat, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock, for Robert Wayne Smith, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith of Amarillo, former Whiteflat residents. The baby was born May 18, at 5 p. m. and died May 19, at 11 a. m. in a hospital at Amarillo.

Survivors include the parents, grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Elmore of Kermit, and Mrs. E. D. Smith of Whiteflat, and a great-grandfather, E. C. Spray of Whiteflat, besides a number of uncles, aunts and other near relatives.

Rev. R. L. Jameson and Rev. F. D. Hankins both of Whiteflat conducted the services, and interment was made in Whiteflat cemetery under direction of Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home of Amarillo.

Car Damaged In Accident Here

A convertible Ford automobile was damaged to the estimated extent of \$150, and two youths miraculously escaped injury here late Thursday when the vehicle went out of control and turned over on the north road bordering the townsite. Deputy Sheriff John Stotts, investigating the accident, said the car was driven by Charles Edward Spencer, 17, of Carlsbad, N. M., and that he was accompanied by June Garnett, 7, of Matador. The automobile was owned by F. A. Garnett of Matador. Neither of the occupants was injured.

Almost 90% of the world's nickel is produced in Canada. Vanadium is a rare metallic element used in steel. Korea is known as the "Hermit Kingdom".



Our Best Wishes To The Grads Of Roaring Springs - Matador - Flomot

We want to congratulate the boy and girl graduates of 1946! You have youth and trained minds. You will be called upon to use both to build for yourself a better future for America, for the future of America, after all, is largely in the hands of youth—the men and women of tomorrow. Our best wishes are with you, and Godspeed!

- H. C. DUNCAN
- H. BLEVINS
- COWBOY BOOT SHOP
- MATADOR BUTANE CO.
- SHORTY'S CAFE
- JAMESON MACHINE SHOP
- PHILLIPS "66" STATION
- MARVIN'S CAFE
- LEON ICE COMPANY
- MATADOR PARTS CO.
- J. FARRIS FISH
- W. R. Cammack, Co. Judge
- LEE'S BOOT SHOP
- MARVIN ALLEN
- ALLIE PATTON COX
- CITY BARBER SHOP
- CLEMENTS & SHERIDAN
- BOB'S OIL WELL
- REV. H. G. VERNER
- MUSE'S BLACKSMITH SHOP
- HAROLD G. FLORA
- MATADOR HOME LAUNDRY
- VOGUE BEAUTY SHOP
- SELLER'S RADIO SHOP
- L. C. HARRIS Grocery & Station
- CHARM BEAUTY SHOP
- DeLUXE BEAUTY SHOP
- ALDRICH BLACKSMITH SHOP
- JOHN STOTTS
- Matador Natl. Farm Loan Ass'n.
- TRAWEEK HOSPITAL
- DOUG MEADOR
- STANLEY CLINIC
- WEST TEXAS GIN
- ROGUE THEATRE
- ELBERT REEVES

127th Anniversary Observed By IOOF

More than 100 persons, including lodge members from Floydada and Silverton, attended the 127th anniversary observance of Oddfellowship given last Monday by the Matador IOOF at the IOOF building.

Principal speaker was Judge Tom Dean of Floydada. He was introduced by Pat Sheridan, who acted as toastmaster and who rendered the welcoming address.

Judge Dean reviewed the history of the founding of the organization. Also speaking was Fred Reeves of Floydada, district representative of the lodge, who gave the response to welcoming message. Judge J. E. Daniels of Silverton gave a brief talk in behalf of his lodge.

Entertainment was furnished by Miss Aileen Bloodworth, Miss Ruth Simpson, Roy Simpson, and the Hart Quartet from Floydada.

Had you ever thought that it is man's plow that has made the waters of our rivers thick with mud, leaving behind acres of barren sub-soil.

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Our dealers join us in making this frank report to THE FARMERS OF AMERICA

INTERNATIONAL Harvester is getting back into production with all possible speed. Extra shifts are being employed wherever conditions permit, to try to overcome the production losses of the recent strike. Everything is being done to get parts and machines to you.

While we and our dealers would like to tell you that this means an immediate end to the shortage of service parts and machines, it is more accurate to say that it means the beginning of the end of it. If illness or bad weather delays you seriously in the Spring, you know how much it throws you off your schedule. The strike has thrown our schedules off balance, too. There are many "chores" we must do before new machines reach you.

Material shortages

The preliminary chores of getting our plants back into shape for full production are finished. But disturbances in other industries and resulting material shortages may affect our plans. Light gauge steel sheets, brass and copper, fractional horse power motors, and many other items are all very short. The coal situation may also prove serious—we hope not.

Refilling the well

Both our dealers and our branches have run dry on parts and new machines. So the biggest chore is to get their working stocks back to normal. It will take time to fill the pipeline to dealers—just as it takes time for you to refill a well or cistern after it has run dry.

Stock and display rooms of our dealers represent not one, but ten thousand reservoirs which must be filled. The most heroic pro-

duction efforts will mean that your local dealer can expect only a small number of parts and machines at a time. Since we must play fair with all our customers, there will be a sprinkle of parts and machines all over the country—not a downpour in any one section.

You will be glad to know that all repair parts production schedules are far beyond normal.

No hoarding

You may be sure that every machine will be shipped to dealers as soon as completed. We do not and will not hold machines off the market.

At the start of the strike we had on hand at all our factories and branches just 837 tractors of all kinds—less than two days' production—and 405 of these were not completed. Many of those on hand had one or more important parts missing—principally radiator cores. Most of the rest represented the normal daily "float" between the end of the assembly line and the shipping platform. Naturally no tractors were made during the strike.

What dealers may have for you

We can report to you that our current production on TRAC-

TORS is good and we are shipping at a normal rate. Even so, there will not be enough to go around. The situation on FLOWS

and DISK HARROWS is reasonably good. On COMBINES, MOWERS, HAY RAKES, ONE-MAN HAY BALEERS, CORN PICKERS and many other items, our schedules have been seriously disrupted. We must in fairness say that many of our customers are likely to be disappointed on delivery of these machines. On MILKING MACHINES, STATIONARY ENGINES, and some other small units we are hopeful of making practically normal delivery.

We know you will understand the reasons why your dealer cannot fill your orders overnight. He would like to give you the kind of delivery on machines you would like to get, but his situation is a difficult one and not of his own making. He is doing the best he can.

No cutting corners on quality

There is one thing you can be absolutely certain about: We will NOT cut corners on quality in order to increase production in this emergency. For years we have said: "QUALITY IS THE FOUNDATION OF OUR BUSINESS." Today we say it—and mean it—as much as ever.

We know you need new machines—and need them badly. But we believe it will pay you to wait just a little while longer if you cannot get all you want immediately. By waiting you can be sure your new equipment will have the quality so rightly associated with INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER for so many years.

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER

POPULAR YOUNG COUPLE COMPLIMENTED AT MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER THURSDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Schweitzer, popular young couple who married recently, were complimented at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening, May 16, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett.

Assisting hostesses were Mesdames Ethel Payne, Pat Sheridan, J. W. Ford, George Birchfield and W. F. Jacobs, who alternated in registering the guests and presiding at the punch bowl.

Several bowl arrangements of pansies and other flowers decorated the rooms, and a bowl of red roses centered the lace-covered dining table.

Piano selections by Mrs. G. E. Hamilton and Miss Frances Schweitzer, entertained the guests.

Registering in the guest book were the following: Mesdames Carl Tardy, C. D. Pipkin, W. Y. Higgins, Joe Bloodworth, H. C. Gilbert, Green Bostick, Bernice Knight, Bert Ezzell, Howe Hines Raby Webb, Robert Darsey, Joe Gaines, Gertrude Nelson, L. C. Harp, Ethel Emmons, L. R. Bishop, Elmer Stearns, Warren Clements, Jeff Daffern, A. B. McCaghren, J. R. Whitworth, Henry Ford, M. J. Reilly, C. C. Renfro, George Springer, G. E. Hamilton, D. I. W. Birnie, W. N. Pipkin, L. J. Barkley, Edith Sanders, Ben Meador, Curtis King; Misses June Pope, Viola



Mr. and Mrs. Bert Schweitzer

Jameson and Frances Schweitzer; and Mrs. Breeb Hurst and Miss Pearl Renfro of Roswell, N. M.

Those unable to attend but who sent gifts, included the following: Mesdames Olive Russell, Nita B. Pitts, Roy Reeves, Ben Keltz, Jud Neighbors, Henry Pope, Tom King, Vernon Doss, Elzie Stone, Audie Poteet, Lem

Miller, C. W. Giesecke, H. H. Courtney, Geraldine Skaggs, L. H. Dirickson, D. C. Bradley, Edna Waybourn, Pauline Cooper, Jewel Reeves, R. A. Seay, B. F. Tunnell, Freeman Thacker, Gene Perkins, Frank Pohl, Homer Sheats, F. M. Jinkins, Bill McCaghren, Homer Jinkins, Ober Johnson, Emmitt Jinkins, W. T. Patton Sr., R. E. Campbell Sr., J. L. Woodruff, Marvin Vaughn, W. W. Carpenter, H. G. Verner, Edmee Rae Johnson, C. E. Parks, W. P. Close, R. M. Stanley, Eldred Seigler, M. L. Patton, Lottie Stotts, Kenneth Jefers.

Mesdames A. J. Daffern, Cecil Shelton, G. E. Turrentine, Eddie Russell, R. A. Day, T. E. Long, Billy Bishop, C. T. Jinkins, James Renfro, R. P. Moore, J. C. Clary, C. H. Meadows, Marvin Bloodworth, J. R. Moore, Faris Fish, Morgan Rodgers, Albert Traweck, V. F. Leonard, A. P. Hodges, Marion Boggus, Ray Sims, Maurice Reilly, H. V. Jackson and Curtis Graham. Misses Maggie Bryan, Charlene Giesecke, Ruby Burton, Thelma Lee-Bearden, Dorothy Woodruff, Clotelle Wille, Alene Bloodworth, Helen Hill, Evelyn Shelton, and Messrs. A. A. Harp, J. M. Jackson, and Pete Knight.

A sailor tossed a message in a bottle from a ship near Honolulu and it was found on the west coast of Africa seven years and one day later.

Spain has famous mercury mines. Zinc is a metallic ore usually found with lead.

FARM NEWS
BY MARVIN ALLEN
Motley County ACA
Administrative Officer

AGRICULTURE

Our Fountain of Life:

When Ponce de Leon landed in Florida seeking the Fountain of Youth, he little dreamed that he had reached a new country destined to become great as a Fountain of Life, producer of food; Fountain of Comfort source of clothing, from products of the soil; Fountain of Scientific Mechanized Farming, the harvest of which give vast employment in industries, offices and distribution services. Fountain of Family Income and Better Living for Everybody. We are dependent on the soil for the necessities of life and agriculture is the basis of our national economy, since it supplies the raw products for so many of our great industries, which furnish employment and income to millions.

Food Products on the Farm:

Agriculture then is our Fountain of Food for every rural and city family in our land, the ever recurring source of products of the soil, grains, fruits, vegetables, as well as poultry and livestock. Renewing itself year after year, it is America's richest heritage, and brightest hope of future prosperity without which industry could not prosper, since man must eat to live and work. The farm is our only replenishable natural resource on which it is possible to establish a permanent source of income.

For the past few weeks we have been answering the question as to why public assistance is offered for carrying out soil conservation practices. The above is just another "why or what" in answer to that question and more will appear in this column from week to week. Through the AAA, producers and ranchers have the privilege to use financial assistance in carrying out the provisions of any approved practice under the 1946 Agricultural Conservation Program. Please bear in mind, "The privilege to use" but not forced; for there is nothing compulsory and no one is required to request AAA assistance if it is not his desire to do so. Next week this column will carry a story on "Soil Conservation, Feeding the Nation".

To All Milk and Cream Producers:

The 31st of this month is the last day for submitting milk and cream sales evidence of sales

made during January, February and March. Bring or mail your cream tickets to the AAA office. Your subsidy check will be mailed to you soon thereafter.

Specifications of AAA Practices:

Drilling or Digging Wells:

Drilling or digging of water wells is an approved practice under the AAA program and is one the ranchers and farm operators are taking advantage of. Several have been completed to date and interest is increasing in this practice as requests for

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prior approval for same are definitely on the increase. Specifications of this practice are as follows: "Wells will be approved only for better distribution of watering places for livestock on non-crop open pasture and range land. Wells must be cased to prevent caving, except in the use of artesian wells, the producer is required to erect or install a windmill or power pump, together with adequate pumping equipment and water

tanks. A dry hole will not qualify. Well must be at least one-fourth mile from farm or ranch headquarters.

Since Motley County is in such dire need of more and better watering places for livestock this is a practice worthy of serious consideration by all operators. If you need a well consult the AAA office and let us explain the details. For payment rate see Practice 9, page 6 of your 1946 Texas Handbook.

Congratulations

As you say farewell to your high school days we want to step forward and let you know how very proud we are of the manner in which you have conducted yourselves during those days. We feel confident that a bright future is in store for each of you, basing our optimism on what you have done in the past. May you have every success.

WE HOPE TO BE REMEMBERED AS YOUR FRIENDS...

ROARING SPRINGS Red Ball Gin

E. E. MOSS

JAMES MOSS

We Are Now Ready For Your WHEAT

Modern, New Elevator Plant

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ROARING SPRINGS

Best Regards

TO THE GRADUATES OF 1946

We have been told that "Gold is where you find it." In the same way, good fortune waits upon him and her who seek it intelligently and perseveringly. Then too, there are other kinds of good fortune, which have nothing to do with dollars and cents. So, here's wishing the best of everything to every member of the

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ROARING SPRINGS SENIORS

OUR BEST WISHES

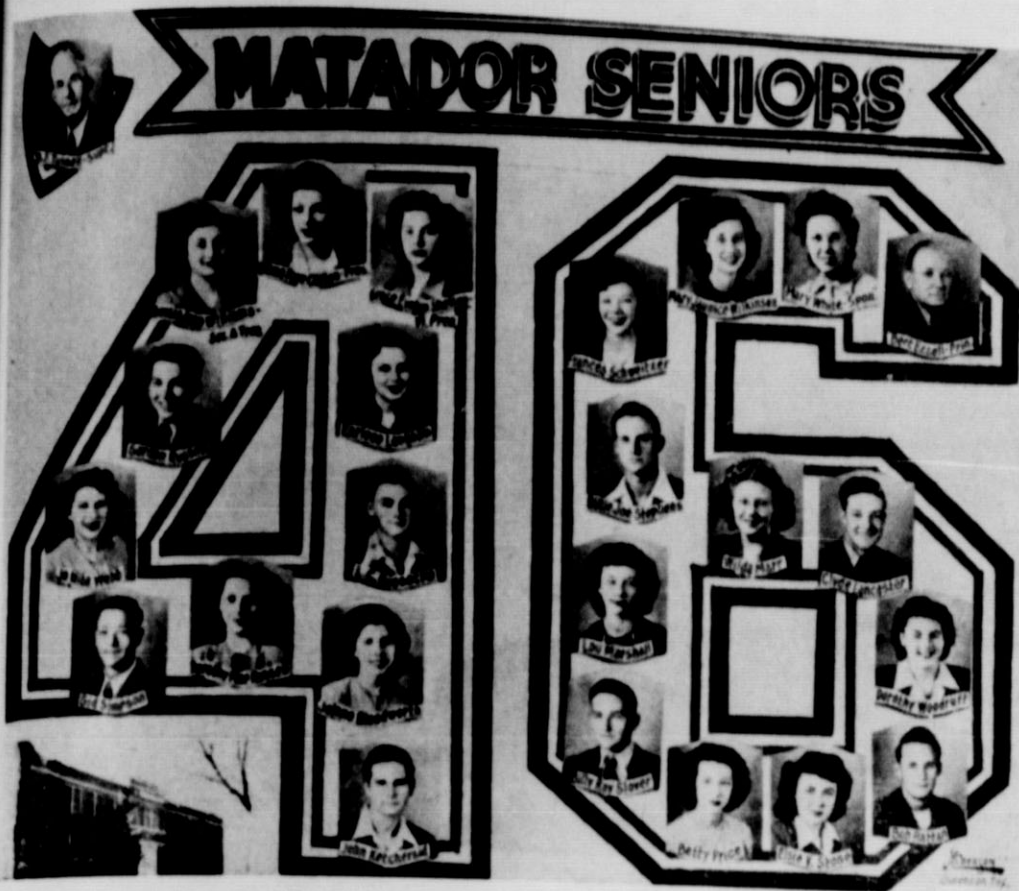
Whether you are leaving your school days behind or expect to continue with your studies, we want you to take this thought with you: You have our unbounded admiration and our best wishes for success in all your undertakings.

GOOD LUCK, GRADUATES

CAMPBELL VARIETY KING DRUG STORE ROARING SPRINGS GIN

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ISSUED THURSDAY...
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Members of Matador graduating seniors are: Wilma Faye Clifton, president; Grace Evelyn Shelton, vice-president; Bessie Jean Williams, secretary-treasurer; Gordon Russell, Earlene Laughlin, Jo Nita Webb, Gid Simpson, Dorothy Mae Russell, L. C. Giesecke, Jolene Bloodworth, John Ketchersid, Mary Jaunice Wilkinson, Frances Schweitzer, Billie Joe Stephens, Wilda Marr, Clyde Lancaster, Lou Marshall, Billy Ray Slover, Betty Price, Elsie V. Stone, Bob Rattan and Dorothy Woodruff. Mrs. Mary White is sponsor, B. F. Tunnell, superintendent, and Bert Ezzell, principal.

Matador Classes Told Values Of College

Service to mankind, the greatest aim of life, can be best rendered by those who have the foundation of a college education, Rev. Raymond Van Zandt, pastor of the Spur First Methodist Church, told members of Matador High School's 1946 graduating class last Sunday night at Baccalaureate services held at Methodist Church.

"I hope it will be possible for every one of you to go on to college," he said. "The day is at hand when a boy and girl without a college education will have to sit on the back row throughout life, the world is kind to young men and women who can do great things."

Rev. Van Zandt, speaking on "The Voyage of Life," likened living to the undertaking of an ocean voyage.

The beauties of nature, the beauties of music, and the great books of the world were named by Rev. Van Zandt, as markers on the "chart" of life's voyage. "Make friends with the great books of the world," he advised. "Any book you read weaves in your heart a design to be better and to climb higher."

Rev. Van Zandt also advised the graduates to live with music even to the extent of learning to play an instrument if possible. Getting close to the beauties of nature will bring one closer to the glories of God's handiwork, he said.

As for the "pilot" of life's

voyage, Rev. Van Zandt declared, "Man doesn't hold within his hand the moral resources to live as he should."

For that reason, he said, mankind should allow God to be its pilot.

Present at the ceremonies were Principal Bert Ezzell and Superintendent B. F. Tunnell. Mr. T. E. Wood, Church of Christ minister, led the invocation, and Rev. G. E. Turrentine, Methodist Church pastor, introduced the speaker and pronounced the benediction.

Miss Roberta Jameson played the processional and recessional, and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton directed the all-city interdenominational choir.

Miss Jane Lehrmen of Hatch, New Mexico, was a visitor in the home of Mrs. Melvin Dirickson last week, having accompanied her sister-in-law and father, of Las Cruces, N. M., on their trip here.

Mrs. Brech Hurst and son, Duffy, and Miss Pearl Renfro of Roswell, N. Mex., arrived last week for a visit with the parents of the two ladies, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Renfro and other relatives.

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Roaring Springs Lions Hosts To Three Students

Three Roaring Springs High School students and two Lions from Matador were guests of the Roaring Springs Lions Club on Wednesday, May 16.

Miss Bessie Clifton, Miss Billie Jo Thomas, and Arthur Harmon, the high school students, gave readings.

Lions Henry Pipkin and C. W. Giesecke of Matador were the other guests. Lion Pipkin spoke on the district and state Lions Club meeting to be held in June at Big Spring.

PARTY IS GIVEN SENIORS BY WMU

The senior class of Matador High School were honored guests at a party given Thursday night, May 16, at 8:15 by the W. M. U. in the church basement.

Mrs. Vernon Doss, W. M. U. educational director was in charge of arrangements and games were directed by Mesdames Dick Groves, Willis Cooper and Bill McCaghren.

Following a lively session of games and stunts, the guests were served refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives and grape punch.

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U. S. COAST GUARD HAS MOBILE RECRUITING UNIT

The nation-wide campaign to enlist 12,000 men in the United States Coast Guard is steadily moving toward that goal, "but many men are needed before it will be reached," according to Commander W. J. Conley, 8th Naval District Coast Guard Procurement Officer.

Young men between the ages of 17 and 25 with no previous military experience and discharges between 17 and 30, inclusive, who join now will be eligible for technical training at Coast Guard schools.

Enlistees may train to be radiomen, radarmen, aviation machinist's mates, parachute riggers, pharmacist's mates, and many others. As apprentice seamen at the start, enlistees will earn \$50 cash plus the basic living expenses of food, quarters, and uniforms, equivalent of a civilian income of \$40 a week.

"To the young man who can pass a normal physical examination, has a grammar school education and his parent's consent if under 21 years, the Coast Guard is offering the chance of a lifetime," said Commander Conley. He will be eligible for all educational and security benefits under the GI Bill of Rights.

A Coast Guard Mobile Recruiting Unit in charge of chief boatswain's mate George S. Lewis, a Texas man, is on duty at 372 Post Office Bldg., Dallas Texas. All interested men are urged to write or visit the Dallas office and learn the many advantages of enlisting in the

B. F. TUNNELLS ARE HOSTS TO SENIORS

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tunnell were hosts to members of the Matador seniors and faculty, at a sunrise breakfast Wednesday

morning, May 8. The affair has been given annually for several years, as a courtesy to the graduates.

The delicious menu consisted of fruit juice, sausage, scrambled eggs, French-fried potatoes, hot rolls, stewed apples and coffee.

Guests present were: Dorothy Woodruff, Betty J. Price, Frances Schweitzer, Evelyn Shelton, Wilma Faye Clifton, Wilda Farr, Elsie V. Stone, Lou Marshall, Mary Jaunice Wilkinson, L. C. Giesecke, Gordon Russell, Billy Slover, John Ketchersid, Dorothy Mae Russell, Bob Rattan, Jolene Bloodworth, Bert Ezzell, Mrs. Mae McKenzie, Miss Ireen Fuessel, Mrs. Don Bradley and Mrs. Mary E. White.

GOOD LUCK GRADUATES!



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of
1946



On this most important occasion which marks the end of your high school days and the beginning of another wonderful era of living, we want to express to each of you, personally, our wishes for your continued success, and added achievements. Graduation marks not the end, but the beginning, the beginning of greater opportunities for service, and increased appreciation of this wonderful way of life in this America of ours. Again we say congratulations and best wishes.



THACKER SUPPLY CO.

Roaring Springs, Texas

WE OFFER Our Best Wishes



TO
Matador - Flomot
Roaring Springs
GRADUATES

Whether you are leaving your school days behind or expect to continue with your studies, we want you to take this thought with you. You have our unbounded admiration and our best wishes for success in all of your undertakings.



Modern Cleaners

OBER JOHNSON, Manager

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, sightliness, sanitation, and lack of odors add much to the general health, sanitation, and the sense of well being of a population; and

Whereas, this is the best time of year to make a concerted effort to decrease the growth of germs, parasites, and common carriers of disease; and

Whereas, it is a custom for the nation, states and cities to set apart a time to pay essential attention to clean-up, paint-up and fix-up;

I, G. T. Edwards, Mayor of the City of Matador, therefore have proclaimed Wednesday, May 29, as "Clean-up, Paint-up, and Fix-up Day" for the city of Matador, Texas, and solicit the assistance of every person in the city to make every possible effort to clean-up, paint-up, and fix-up the unsightly and insanitary places in and about his home and throughout the city generally.

G. T. Edwards,
Mayor of the City of Matador

Roaring Springs 4-H Organization Elects Officers

Officers were elected, and the cow-sow-hen program was discussed on May 16 at a meeting of the Roaring Springs 4-H Club.

Ted Kingery was elected president, Bobby Hardin, vice-president, Norton Dye, secretary and Corby Lee Marshall, reporter.

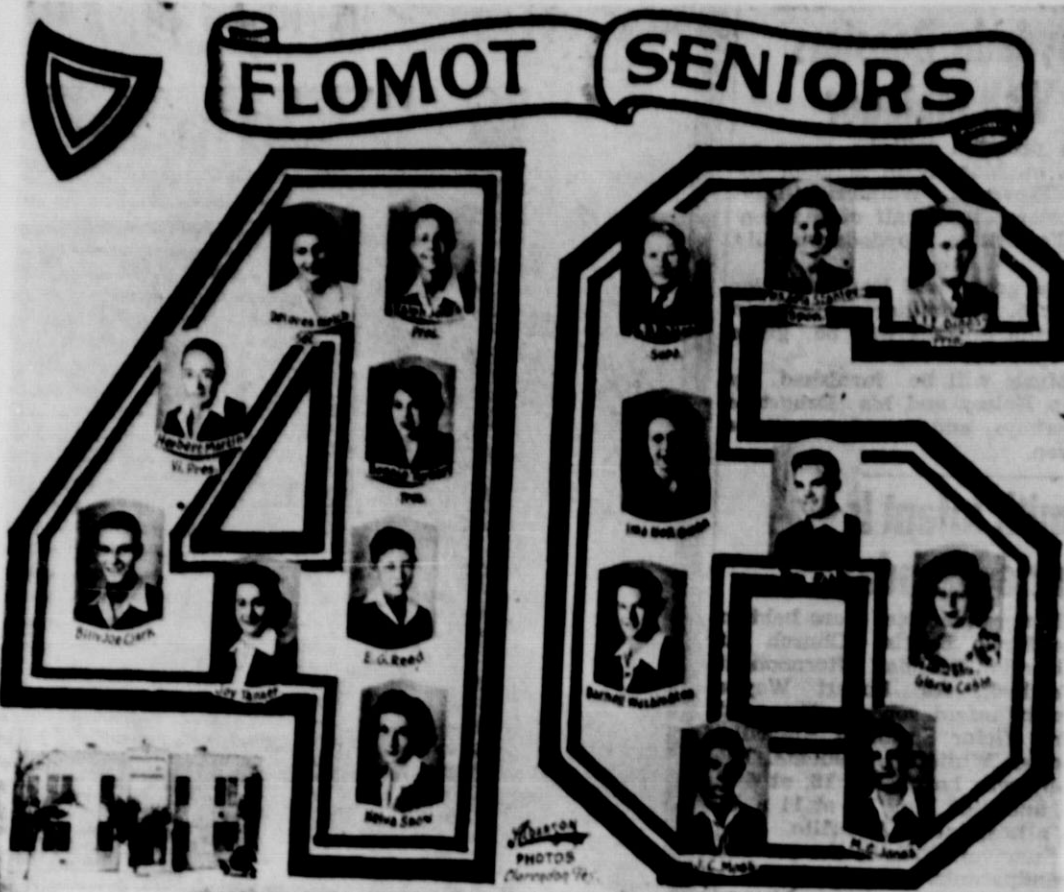
Under the cow-sow-hen program, eight boys will receive registered sows and one boy will receive a registered boar.

The awards will be based upon essays written by the contestants.

Also to be awarded will be equipment for raising poultry and livestock, as well as some calves. Arrival of the calves will be determined by the growth of the sudan grass.

J. A. Sealfield, district agent, met with the group and advised with them concerning the choosing of the livestock.

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1946 graduates of Flomot High School are: Ralph Jones, President, Herbert Martin, Vice-President, Delores Welch, Secretary, Bonnie Turner, Treasurer, Billie Joe Clark, Joy Tanner, E. C. Reed, Nelva Snow, Ima Nell Gunn, Tom Fish, Barnell Washington, J. C. Moss, M. C. Jones, and Gloria Cagle. Mrs. Gela Stanley is class sponsor; S. D. Rattan is superintendent, and J. R. Biggs is principal.

Subscriptions For Tribune Received

New subscriptions for the Tribune to be sent to local boys in uniform, have been paid for recently by the following contributors: Mrs. Ray Webb, \$1.; Mrs. Ethel Payne, \$2.; and Cooper Ozborn, \$5.; which are gratefully acknowledged.

New addresses and changes in address have been made for several, among those being Lt. Ida Belle Armstrong, M-2769, who was recently transferred from Ft. Sam Houston, to: P. T. Dept. William Beaumont General Hospital, El Paso, Texas; Pfc. Charles E. Price, Hq. Co. 796 M. P. Bn. A. P. O. 58 % Postmaster, New York, Pvt. G. L. Webb, 38774810, 1186th Labor Supervision Co., A. P. O. 809 % Postmaster, N. Y.; Pvt. Ray B. Tanner, 18249839, Co. C 2 Regt. 6th Bn. 3 pl. Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland; and Pvt. Charles Payne, 38779527, Co. A. 116 Bn. 78 Regt. Camp Robinson, Arkansas.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. A. A. Tipton has returned home from Grandfalls, where she spent the past three weeks in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson. She was accompanied here Sunday night by Mr. and Mrs. Fulkerson and children, Gerald and Nola Lee, who left Monday afternoon to return to their home.

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MUSIC AND SPEECH RECITALS EMBRACE VARIED PROGRAMS

A wide variety of subjects were covered by readings and musical numbers in two recitals held Friday by speech pupils of Mrs. J. R. Whitworth and music pupils of Mrs. Homer Kingery.

Younger children were presented in an afternoon performance, in the following program:

1. The Egg, Grant Coper;
2. Chocolate Horse, James Lewis Stanley;
3. The Bunny Gate, Hal Dean Hines;
4. Oh Susanna, LaReece Lawrence;
5. Rabbit, Bundy Hal Campbell;
6. My Daddy's Sweetheart, Jan Barton;
7. Fifth Nocturne, Frank Traweck;
8. The Bumble Bee, Kay Stanley;
9. Bunny, Larry Hoyle;
10. No Suh, Not Me!, James Melvin Graham;
11. Edelweiss Glide, Nancy Vaughn;
12. The Pup, Arvin Ellithorp;
13. Too Young to Know, Frances McMahan;
14. Vacation Time, Lucretia Edwards;
15. The Satisfied Banana, Ruth Marie Stanley;
16. Piano Solo, James Melvin Graham;
17. My Pet, Hubert Fulkerson;
18. Golden Star Waltz, Maureen Plumlee;
19. Mud Pies, Rose Carolyn, Sue McCaghren, Joanne Darsey, Charlotte Muse and Barbara Waybourn;
20. A Sad Cut-Out, Carolyn Sanders;
21. Hoola-Hoola March, Betty Montgomery;
22. Motheritis, Mickey Steen;
23. Mammy's Advice, Maureen Plumlee;
24. Waltz, Mildred Ross;
25. Where It Hurts, Lucretia Edwards;
26. Despair, Neal Pipkin.

Older pupils who were presented Friday evening, included: Barbara Ray Young, Frances Traweck, Barbara Spray, Betty Ruth Smalley, Jean Hines, Wanda Graham, Jody Graham, Mary Helen Stephens, Frances Casey,

Dorothy Traweck, Barbara Ketchersid, Roma Jo Fulkerson, Chareen Ketchersid, Doris Ann Doss, Patti Pipkin, Billy Frank Skaggs and Palmo Lancaster.

WANT ADS

For Sale: 4 x 8 trailer, has 3-ft sideboards, springs, shock absorbers and fenders. Good tires and new tubes. Priced to sell. Meadows Dry Goods Store, Roaring Springs.

LOST: Pair ladies glasses and brown case. Name is in case. Mrs. Gertrude Nelson. (1tp.)

For Sale: 2 bldgs. 12' x 16". Will have to be moved from present location which is Matador. Levi Wilkinson. (cind.)

For Sale: 1 frame building 24 x 24'. Good location, reasonable price. Levi Wilkinson. (c-ind.)

Notice: Anyone needing Raleigh products, see Clyde Bedwell, 2 blocks north of Methodist church. (c-ind.)

For Sale: Sweet sudan seed. L. A. Washington, Flomot. (4tp. 5-30)

For Floor Sanding, see or call Earl Baker at Wilson & Son Lumber Co., phone No. 3, Floydada, Tex. (c6m. 11-21)

Lawn Mowers: I have a new lawn mower grinder, and am prepared to make most any old lawn mower operate like new. Shop at Campbell's Chevrolet. Ed Williams. (c-ind.)

For Sale: 140 cotton seed. Monroe B. Karcher, Thalia, Tex. (p3t 5-30)

AT MOTHER'S BEDSIDE

Children of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell, with their families, who have been at the bedside of Mrs. Russell, injured in an accident last week, are: Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw and son Jackie, and Mr. and Mrs. James Russell Neblett of College Station; Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Russell of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Jaems Neblett of Denton, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock.

VISITING SISTERS

Mrs. Ellen Couch and daughter, Mrs. Rachel Reece of Port Arthur, are visiting here with two of Mrs. Couch's sisters, Mrs. M. L. Paton and Mrs. Bertha Jackson. It is the first time in 30 years that the sisters have been together.

Other visitors in the Patton home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Craven and children of Clovis, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patton of Hale Center, and M. A. Rachel Alene Craven remained here for a two-weeks visit with their grandparents and other relatives.

There are 200 to 250 islands in the Fiji Islands group.

The chief cereal food of western man is wheat.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC AUCTION SALE OF BARTON SCHOOL BUILDING

Notice is hereby given that the Barton one-story brick school house will be offered for sale at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash. Said building contains two large class-rooms and two library rooms, located about fourteen miles North of Matador, on the Matador-Turkey old road. Said sale will begin at 2:00 o'clock p. m. on Monday, June 24th, 1946. The buyer would be permitted to remove the building from its present site, or it might remain on its present site for twelve months after the date of purchase.

The trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids that may be offered.

Trustees: Ben Edwards, Curtis Graham, Ed Whitaker

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our deepest gratitude to our friends and neighbors for your acts of kindness, words of comfort and lovely floral offerings tendered us in our bereavement. May God's blessings rest on each of you. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Smith



Congratulations TO THE GRADS

We regard it a privilege to congratulate the graduates of 1946. If you will but carry on in the same spirit which you have evidenced during your high school days there can be no question as to your success that your splendid record deserves, and hope to see you often in the days ahead.

ROARING SPRINGS GROCERY

PREAMBLE TO THE CONSTITUTION

For God and country we associate ourselves together for the following purposes: To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America; to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism; to preserve the memories and incidents of our association in the great wars; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and good-will on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

We invite the attendance and cooperation of the entire county in the observance of Memorial Day services, May 30.

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OF ROARING SPRINGS MATADOR FLOMOT

There is no day in High School that is so important and so long anticipated as your day of Graduation.

So, on this occasion, may we extend our most sincere and hearty Congratulations and Best Wishes to each of you for the fulfillment of your greatest dreams.



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MATADOR — PHONE 3



Greetings to the GRADUATES of '46

Your work in school does honor to yourselves and is a credit to your instructors. Such a record should earn for itself the rich rewards of success in any field to which you aspire. That you may win such rewards—each and every one of you—is the ardent wish of our organization.



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MATADOR, TEXAS



I'm Reddy Kilowatt, your electric servant. I live in all electric outlets. (I'm going to call them "Reddy Boxes" from now on—because you'll always find me in the nearest box, Reddy to serve you electrically.)

So I suggest, Mr. and Mrs. Homebuilder, that you put plenty of "Reddy Boxes" in that new home you're planning to build—or in that house you're planning to remodel. Then I can be at your elbow (your nearest Reddy Box), Reddy for work or play whenever you want me.

Before going too far with plans, talk to your electrical contractor about adequate wiring for plenty of "Reddy Boxes."

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MEET A JUNIOR

Name Bob Rushing
Age 16
Height 6'
Color of hair brown
Color of eyes blue
Favorite food Ice cream
Favorite color red
Favorite song Sweet and Lovely
Favorite movie star Betty Grable

Likes everybody
Dislikes school
Pasttime getting out of work
Ambition president
When joined '47 class '36
—M. H. S.—

MY IDEAL BOY

Compiled by Wanda Slover

Hair Charles H. Sanders
Eyes R. C.
Nose H. A.
Mouth Fud
Teeth Gordon
Smile Fud
Hands Walter Wayne
Feet Walter Wayne
Complexion Walter Wayne
Physique Fud
I. Q. Mule
Manners Charles Ray
Will Charles Ray
Clothes Gordon
Personality Charles Ray
Character Charles Ray
General Appearance Clyde
Height Clyde
—M. H. S.—

KAMPUS KLATTER

Lee Roy-Margaret, and Bonner-Billy Frank seemed to have a swell time after church last Sunday night!

There is another one of those triangles forming, it appears, Dorothy M. Pip, and Billy

Ruth. We're hoping the best woman wins!

We hear the days d-r-a-g for Bugs! Could Arthur Harmon have anything to do with that? Mildred Spray likes White-flat, we hear! Wonder why?

Ask Delma. She has some good-looking brothers! Colonel enjoyed himself, from all reports, last Saturday evening. Billy Taylor couldn't have anything to do with that, could she? How about that, Colonel?

Isabelle seems to prefer big rings! And we're wondering who gets those long letters she writes everybody in study hall! Outstanding couple of the week: Earlene Laughlin and Le-Roy Roberts.

—M. H. S.—

Sandy and his father were walking to church on a Sabbath morning. "Sandy, haven't you your best boots on?"

"Yes, father."

"An awful waste of good leather."

"The old ones are too worn out to wear, father."

"Then take longer steps, my boy, take longer steps. It'll save shoe leather."

—M. H. S.—

"Where did this man kiss you?" the lawyer asked, in a breach of promise suit.

"On my mouth, sir."

"No, no. You don't understand me. I mean where were you?"

She blushed prettily. "In his arms, sir."

—M. H. S.—

"Mother, there isn't any harm in walking in the park with a young man after dark, is there?"

"No, not if you keep on walk-

ing. When I was young, I often went walking in the park at night."

"And did you keep on walking?"

"Hush, girlie, it's time for you to go to bed."

—M. H. S.—

LADIES, SKIP THIS!

Ladies, skip this paragraph! It is really unfit for publication. It got into the manuscript by some mistake, and I asked the printer to destroy it, or set it wrong side up.

head.

If she had to stand on her

head.

We know she'd get at it some-

how.

Now, if it were a half a jiffy

of a slow

If you give her the least kind

of a

You can bet that she'll find out

to know.

It's something she ought not

to know.

If there's anything worries a

—M. H. S.—

Vacation is here at last! Welcome words! But we don't want to leave dear old MHS don't we?

At least, we'll miss her. I'm going on a vacation, the whole summer long. I'm going to catch up on my sleep, eating, swimming, etc. This is the last time I will be in the paper until books take up next fall. So, until then, take care of yourselves, dear readers, and I hope to see you in the funny-papers next fall.

Love, Miss El Matador

Copper was one of the first metals used by man.

Tin is scarce in the United States.

Seniors Complete New Tennis Courts

Two concrete tennis courts, a gift of the graduating class of Matador High School, were completed last week at the school.

Supervision of the courts call for public use, with a daily schedule running from morning until 10 p. m. Adults will have exclusive run of the setup from 6 p. m. to 10 p. m. on Mondays and Thursdays, and other players will be asked to leave the courts at that time.

Everyone is welcome to use the courts," says Bert Ezzell, principal of the school. "I will be glad to reserve the courts for anyone wishing to use them for any length of night use if they will call me beforehand."

Rules governing the use of the new courts provide for a 25-cent fee for night matches which will cover lighting expense.

The courts were begun shortly after Christmas and were finished by student labor. Financing of the project was through proceeds gained by a senior play production.

Celotex board is a by-product of sugar cane.

Tea was first grown in China.

Snails are eaten as a delicacy in France.

Canada is the world's greatest wheat-exporting country.

The national drink of Japan is sake, distilled from rice.

Cayenne pepper comes from the West Indies.

Our Best Wishes



To The Classes Of 1946

We extend our sincere congratulations to the graduates of Flomot, Roaring Springs and Matador high schools. You have honored your schools and your communities and we consider it a privilege to add our best wishes to the many you are receiving on every hand.

Please regard us as an old friend of the family, always at your service and interested in your progress.

First State Bank

MATADOR, TEXAS

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

CITY CLEAN-UP

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west of Main and north of highway, L. C. Harp and C. W. Giesecke. Bank Block, Jack Barton and Kenneth Jeffers. Jail block, H. H. Courtney and H. C. Duncan. West Texas Gin block, Joe M. Gaines. Bishop block, L. R. Bishop and Joe Campbell. Lumber yard block east of city hall, Henry Ford and Lloyd Fulker. Methodist church block, Rev. G. E. Turrentine and Ed Jameson. The "lieutenants" of each block may "draft" as many helpers as they need or as many as may be available. Those who complete their blocks first are asked to aid those who may have more difficult areas. State highway and city trucks will be used to haul rubbish and weeds away.

Candidates Assigned

Two candidates in the political race for county judge, Elbert Reeves and Judge W. R. Cammack, have been assigned the courthouse square as their individual task in the clean up drive.

Cleanup of the residential section of the city will be left to the responsibility of property owners, Mayor Edwards declared. The city's truck will remove rubbish placed in alleys, provided it is placed in barrels, boxes sacks or other containers. Mayor Edwards emphasized the danger of allowing insanitary conditions to continue, which may result in illness or the loss of life.

Weed-Killer Studied

A weed-killing preparation sold by L. R. Bishop, is being considered as a means to rid the city of weeds over the entire townsite. The chemical is not poison, but is declared to feed weeds until they "grow themselves to death" within 10 days to three weeks. The liquid sells for \$3.50 per quart which will make 60 gallons of the lethal food. Cockle burs, treated last week were dead Monday. It is not harmful to grass, but is claimed to destroy rag weeds, "goat-heads", Russian thistle, dandelions, blue weeds and all "broad-leaf" plants.

COUNTY SCHOOLS

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Garden of Tomorrow" quartet; Valedictory address, Jolene Bloodworth; song by class; Presentation of Awards, Principal Bert Ezzell; Awarding of Diplomas, L. C. Harp, President of Board of Trustees; Benediction, Minister T. E. Woods; Recessional, Roberta Jameson.

Other members of the class are: L. C. Giesecke, John Ketchersid, Clyde Lancaster, Earlene Laughlin, Wilda Marr, Lou

Marshall, Bob Rattan, Dorothy Mae Russell, Gordon Russell, Frances Schweitzer, Evelyn Shelton, Gid Simpson, Billy Slover, Elsie V. Stone, Jo Nita Webb, Mary Jaunice Wilkinson and Bessie Jean Williams. Evelyn Fulfer and Charles Payne, members of the class at the beginning of the year, are now in the armed forces. Mrs. Mary White is class sponsor.

Flomot Commencement

Flomot commencement which was held Thursday, May 16, in the high school auditorium, included the following program: Processional, Mrs. George D. Pepper, Hymn, "Give of Your Best," quartet; Invocation, Rev. J. E. Lee, Salutatory, Ima Nell Gunn; History, Bonnie Turner; Prophecy, Gloria Cagle; Will, Joe Clark; address, John Stapleton; Presentation of diplomas and awards, Supt. S. D. Rattan; Benediction, Rev. E. N. Goode; recessional, Mrs. Pepper.

Other members of the class are: Ralph Jones, president; Herbert Martin, vice-president; Delores Welch, Secretary; Nelva Snow, E. G. Reed, Barnell Washington, J. C. Moss and M. C. Jones. Tom Fish, a member of the class is now in the U. S. Navy. Mrs. Gela Stanley is sponsor and J. E. Biggs is principal.

EXPERT SAYS...

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that some effective methods of destruction had been used but since the eradication is not permanent. He said "grubbing" would kill mesquite providing the small "potato-eyes" like buttons are removed in the process. These "eyes" or "buttons" may be from six to 24 inches under the surface, depending on the soil. One button left will produce another mesquite.

He advised ranchers not to spend money on mechanical devices, or chemical methods at present, because of the cost, which in most cases is as great as the value of the land. "The problem," he declared, "is not merely to kill mesquite off pasture lands, but to keep it off."

He said that oil may be used effectively in some areas but that the cost is about \$9 per acre on land with 300 trees to the acre. He said that thousands of dollars have been wasted in effort to control mesquites and that in many cases the mesquite are now thicker than ever. Mr. Fisher believes that sometime in the near future inexpensive control may be effected through use of a chemical spray from airplanes. Farmers and ranchers kept him here until almost four p. m. seeking information about the serious ranching problem.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

CLUB WOMEN NOW TAKING ORDERS FOR PINEAPPLE

The women of the Motley County Home Demonstration Council Marketing Committee have again announced their plans for securing pineapple by the truck load for canning.

Mrs. W. N. Pipkin, Chairman of the marketing committee stated that orders will be taken by the committee chairmen, beginning this week, with June 1 as closing date for taking orders. The pineapple will be sold by the dozen and will average in weight about 5 pounds each. They are the Sugar loaf variety and will be priced \$5.00 per dozen.

The following community chairmen have been appointed and will take orders for their respective communities: Mrs. Elmo Kingery, Darden Canyon and Tee Pee Flat; Mrs. Leonard Crowell, Flomot; Mrs. R. M. Stanley, at City Drug Store, for Matador; Mrs. Ike Reed, Folley; Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, Roaring Springs; and Mrs. R. L. Smith at Smith Grocery, Whiteflat.

VFW TO SELL

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poppies for the first time.

Funds from the local sale will go to government hospitals in the Matador area for the continuation of the therapeutic program which provides a livelihood for veterans of both World wars.

Proceeds from a full page VFW ad in this issue of the Tribune will go to the local organization.

A routine discussion on Memorial Day plans was held, including the sponsoring of a parade in which all servicemen of Motley County, whether VFW members or not, will be asked to march.

Although the charter has been closed, VFW officials pointed out that the membership rolls were still open to qualified candidates. The group meets at the courthouse at 8 p. m. on the first and third Tuesdays.

BRADLEY RESTING AT ROTAN HOSPITAL

D. C. Bradley, general manager of the local West Texas Utilities office, has been in the Callan Hospital at Rotan since Saturday for a general check-up. He will probably return to Matador next week, according to Mrs. Bradley.

TO DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs, Harry Willett and C. W. Giesecke, local merchants, were in Dallas the first part of the week, shopping for merchandise for their respective stores.



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SATURDAY MAY 25



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LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Bert Estes and other relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Barkley Jr., of Roswell, N. M., spent the week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barkley.

Dr. P. E. Fish and daughters Francine and Suzanne, and Homer Fish and son Ennis, all of Electra, spent Sunday here with the Messrs. Fish's mother, Mrs. I. F. Fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Campbell of Abilene, spent the week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Damron of South Plains, were visitors here over the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson, and other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Norris Fulfer of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Fulfer of Odessa, and Miss Chloey Fulfer of Lubbock, spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. W. M. Fulfer.

Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock Mrs. J. D. Spray of Northfield and Mrs. Carl Cooper of Plain-

College Station Anticipates Need Of Many Combines

Two thousand combines from out side the state will be needed in harvesting the Texas grain crops this year, if weather conditions continue favorable. This figure was obtained in a poll of county agricultural agents made by J. B. Kidd, farm labor field assistant who is in charge of the A & M. College Extension Service.

The wheat and small grain acreage is 12 per cent larger than the record acreage of 1945 according to recent state crop reports, and the crop conditions in early April were better than average.

After considering these factors Kidd wrote the custom combine operators in Texas and other grain producing states notifying them of the indicated combine needs in Texas. His office at Plainview will keep custom combine operators informed on crop conditions as well as combine, truck and labor needs and inform them of the exact place and time they will be needed in order to make most efficient use of manpower and equipment.

In asking the combine operators to start their harvest operations in Texas this year, Kidd advised them to bring trucks with their combines. He said, however, that trucks not attached to combines were not solicited at the present time. Warning operators of the shortage of implement parts, he advised them to bring along with them spare parts for their equipment.

During the last two years the view, are here at the bedside of their mothers, Mesdames J. E. Russell, W. W. Bain, and Julia Cornett, patients at Traweek hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Woolery, Mrs. G. N. Wilson and Joe B. Meador all of Lubbock, spent the week end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador.

New Glues Boon To Housewives

Glue that will hold together virtually anything but a shattered romance will be available to housewives, partly because the demands of the United States Navy for wooden vessels during the war forced the development of special adhesives.

During the war the Navy's demand for wooden vessels was unprecedented. To fasten their heavy timbers a super-glue was needed. Not only did it have to be strong and absolutely waterproof, it had to be set without high temperature.

"An order like that is a researcher's nightmare, but the job was done by one of the most remarkable glues of all time, a cold-setting resin which you can buy under various trade names, among them, Cascophen," according to an article in the April issue of Science Illustrated, new science magazine.

"Many sea-going keels and frames were 'welded' with the glue brush." Because of wartime demands, literally thousands of new adhesives have been developed in laboratories during the last few years, each tailor-made for a specific purpose.

Workshop Is Haven For Handicapped Children Of State

COMMERCE, Tex. A sheltered workshop, where handicapped young people of Texas can learn crafts and trades that will make them self-sustaining, has been established in Dallas, according to an announcement by Dr. Sam H. Whitley of Commerce, President of the Texas Society for Crippled Children. The workshop was financed thru the sale of Easter Seals which the Society annually conducts.

"Rehabilitation of the crippled is one of the main objectives of the Texas Society for Crippled Children," Dr. Whitley pointed out. "It is vital that they be equipped for trades that will make them self-sustaining citizens. In New York, Chicago

Plainview Extension farm labor office has aided in the orderly flow of men and equipment to the grain producing counties. Last year, for example, 2,338 combine placements were made during the harvest. In the same period county agricultural agents made 11,905 labor placements, and 5,923 workers were referred to other counties and states as the harvest moved northward. While some combines arrived late in areas of need, the crop was cut in record time and very little grain was stored on the ground.

and other cities where sheltered workshops have been in operation a number of years, the products turned out by the handicapped are in great demand and command prices equal to any comparable merchandise. We have a great opportunity in Texas for the development of this work."

In the sheltered workshop, children and young people will weave, make wood carvings, costume jewelry and other handicrafts to which the director, Mrs. Clyde W. Myers, finds them adopted. All profits, beyond cost of Materials used in the manufacture of the items, will go to the handicapped makers. In addition, spastic children of pre-school age will

be given training in muscular re-education and speech correction.

The director, Mrs. Myers, was the first occupational therapist in France during the first world war. Her introductory work was largely responsible for the establishment of handicraft rooms in veterans' hospitals. She later did organizational therapy work for Hull House in Chicago, worked with mental patients in the government hospital in Panama and inaugurated pottery making classes for a leper colony in the Caribbean. State headquarters of the Texas Society for Crippled Children are now located at the workshop, 3707 Worth St., Dallas, Texas.

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TONSILECTOMIES

R. C. Boyles of Turkey underwent tonsilectomy at Stanley Clinic, on May 13, and on May 17, Walterina, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Banks of Turkey also was a tonsilectomy patient.

POLITICAL Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1946.

For State Representative, 121st District:
Sheffy Mahan
Hubert A. Lee, re-election

For District Judge, 110th Judicial District:
Alton B. Chapman (reelection)
Edwin H. Boedeker

For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:
John Stapleton
Richard Stovall, re-election

For District and County Clerk:
Pat Sheridan

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
W. R. Cammack, re-election
Elbert Reeves
S. D. Rattan

Sheriff Tax Assessor & Collector:
H. Blevins
John Stotts

For County Attorney:
Howard Traweck

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Gertrude Nelson

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
Doug Meador, re-election

For County Commissioner, Precinct 2:
L. N. (Lem) Standefer, re-election

For Commissioner, Precinct Number Three:
Marvin H. Leary
E. M. Timmons

For County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
Fred G. Simpson
J. N. Fletcher, re-election
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Masonic Chapter To Meet May 27-28

Announcement is made that the R. A. M. Chapter of Masonic lodge will meet Monday and Tuesday evenings, May 27-28 at 7 o'clock, for the purpose of work in R. A. and Council degrees. All companions are urged to attend.

Chef Henry F. Pipkin will serve supper on both evenings.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gray are parents of a son, named Calvin K. who was born May 17, at 7 o'clock p. m., at Stanley Clinic. He weighed 9 pounds, 8 ounces.

A son, Billy Wayne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Fudge Jr., of Lubbock, at Stanley Clinic here, on May 8.

Ruby Darlene is the name given a daughter born on May 10, at Stanley Clinic, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cagle of Quitaque.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jones of Turkey are parents of a son, named Bobby D. born May 10 at Stanley Clinic.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Tiffin of Quitaque, on May 13 at Stanley Clinic, a son, named Murray Francis.

The following births have been recorded in the office of County Agent R. A. Seay, since the first of April:

To Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kell of Flomot, on April 1, at Traweck Hospital, a son, given the name Lee Frank.

A daughter, Sandra Gayle, born to Mr. and Mrs. Glea Mosley of Flomot, on April 8, at Traweck Hospital.

A son, Alfred Derril on April 11, to Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Fuston of Turkey, at Traweck Hospital.

To Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stone of Quitaque, a son, Bobby Wayne, born May 1, at Traweck Hospital.

CITIZENS TO JOIN WORK ON BURNED SCHOOL TODAY

Citizens of Roaring Springs today will attempt to clean 30,000 charred bricks, remnants of a \$45,000 fire which destroyed the Roaring Springs grade school on May 23. Children of the school have already cleaned 15,000 bricks, according to John Meason, school board secretary.

City officials of the community have declared today as Work Day for the citizens. Execution of the plan will be by volunteer workers, or through the hiring of workers by checks sent to the school.

"It looks almost impossible to build right now, but we are going to attempt it if we can get the bricks cleaned," Meason says.

Firemen of Matador, Spur and Roaring Springs battled the blaze, but nothing of value was saved. Destroyed was the school's cafeteria and personal effects of the students.

The blaze is believed to have begun under the staircase in the southeast corner of the building. As yet, the cause has been undetermined.

Currently, classes are being held in downtown Roaring Springs in vacant buildings. Cooking utensils have been donated by Roaring Springs citizens, and texts by the Matador school system.

Miss Frances Bostick returned home Monday night after having spent the past week end in Amarillo visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crane.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Aldrich of Matador, Delwin Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Tomerlin of Paducah, visited the Dr. Pate ranch last Sunday.

REACHES STATES

Ensign Houston Schweitzer has reached the states from the Pacific area, after spending the past 15 months at Pearl Harbor and Guam. He is based at San Pedro, California, but does not expect to be released for another month, he has advised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer.

Russia is the largest country in the world.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mrs. H. W. Keahy, Walter Warren and Joe, met Mrs. Billy Keahy, Susan and Elizabeth of Plainfield N. J., in Amarillo, Sunday and accompanied them here for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fletcher visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fletcher of Lubbock Sunday. Their daughter, Doris accompanied them here for a two weeks visit.

Lewis Hodgins of Canyon was home over the week end.

Mrs. Harold Crites is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason this week.

Mr. John W. Smith of Shepard Field visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith over the week end. He was accompanied back to the field by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Hunter and Barbara Ann of Afton and Mrs. W. A. Campbell of Floydada visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon visited in Paducah Monday.

Mrs. Claude M. Morrison left Saturday for Portland, Oregon, Claude having left Wednesday to report back to the Navy at Corpus Christi.

Hoyle Gene Moss of Lubbock visited here over the week end.

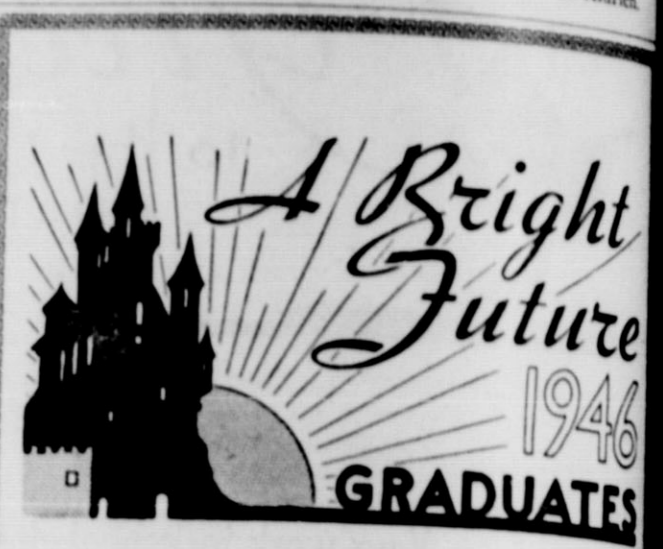
Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss, Jr., left this past week for Inverness, Mass. Dr. Moss will report for active duty in the U. S. Army.

Capt. and Mrs. R. E. Work of Dallas are visiting in the home

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of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell, this week. Mrs. Fred Simpson is at the bed side of her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Cooper of Goodland, Kansas, who underwent an operation this past week. Mrs. Elsworth Jones was last Monday visiting as guest of Mrs. A. B. Aldrich.



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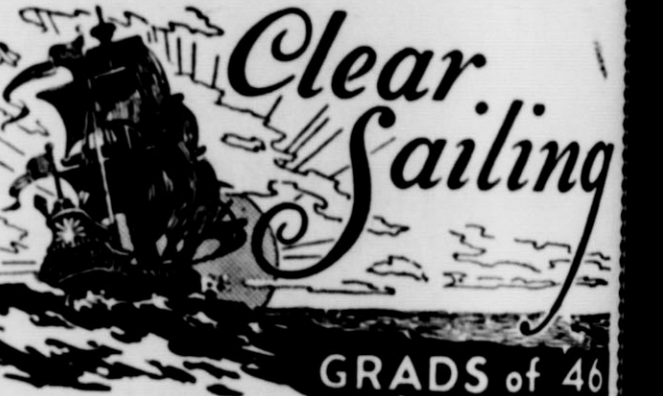


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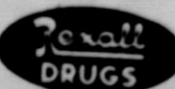



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Motorists Urged To Help Reduce Mounting Highway Death Toll

Highway Accidents Threaten More Lives Than War

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer today made a strong plea to motorists, urging them to strictly observe the highway signs and markings to help reduce a mounting highway accident toll which threatens to take more lives than war.

"There are many physical hazards on our highway system and thousands of miles of our roads are obsolete and unable to adequately and safely accommodate the growing traffic volume," he said. "These deficiencies can only be remedied by redesigning and reconstructing which entails expenditure of large sums of money."

"Unfortunately, the funds are not available, and will not be available for many years, to make our highways as safe as they can be made from an engineering standpoint," he pointed out.

"Many collisions also may be attributed to mechanical defects

in the vehicle, but despite these defects and the physical hazards of the road, a cautious driver can usually avoid trouble regardless of the condition of the vehicle or the highway."

"Head-on collisions and side-swiping accidents on our highways would be virtually eliminated by observance of our center stripe system," he said.

This system of marking prohibits a motorist from passing another when the auxiliary dash line is on his side. The continuous stripe should not be crossed except when one vehicle is passing another.

Greer asked drivers to keep a sharp eye for the yellow caution series signs which are designed and placed to warn of approaching curves, cross roads, narrow bridges, and other danger spots.

"These are simple rules," he said, "but hospitals and cemeteries are daily claiming too many people who have violated them or forgotten them."

Calling attention to the fact that any good traffic system will save lives if correctly followed, he said that the Texas system, developed from years of study by competent traffic engineers, is likewise of no value unless it is observed.

Fred G. Simpson of Texas Tech, spent the week end with his father, F. G. Simpson of Roaring Springs. Mrs. Simpson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Cooper and family in Kansas.

ERADICATION OF JOHNSON GRASS IS DISCUSSED

(Delayed)

Green menace of Johnson grass which squeezes crops from the soil with its tough roots, was the subject of a meeting of Motley county farmers held in Roaring Springs Monday night when Charles Fisher of the Spur experiment station and Agricultural agent were principal speakers.

Chemical use of sodium chlorate is an effective method of killing the land-poisoning grass, but it is too expensive to be practical in large areas, it was disclosed. The cost is approximately \$50 per acre. Land treated with the chemical will not produce for six to 14 months depending on rainfall. If applied during the growing season.

Use of sodium chlorate was advised for small areas or "patches" of Johnson grass in fields threatened with its spread. It was declared the chemical might be applied after the present crop is "laid-by," destroying the Johnson grass and allowing sufficient time for the land to return to production condition by next spring.

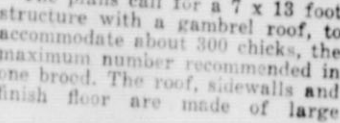
Druggist Harold Jones, manager of City Drug Store, Roaring Springs, who attended the meeting, declared he would order a supply and stock the chemical. The price is from 11- to 12¢ per pound, and three pounds are required per square rod. Orders may be placed thru county agent J. Rufus Emmons.

Fixing Up the Farm by BURTON WILLIAMS

Rat-Proof Brooder Plans

A RAT-PROOF portable brooder house that can be constructed economically with materials that resist weather and war and afford a high degree of fire protection has won the approval of many poultry raisers. The design may be of interest to the thousands of farmers who are planning new quarters for their chicks.

The plans call for a 7 x 13 foot structure with a gambrel roof, to accommodate about 300 chicks, the maximum number recommended in one brood. The roof, sidewalls and finish floor are made of large



sheets of one quarter inch asbestos cement board. This rock-like material cannot burn and will not wear out, rot, rust or corrode. Rats cannot gnaw it. Lumber is used in making the sills, framing and subfloor.

This type of brooder insures a dry, warm, well-ventilated shelter that can be kept sanitary. Asbestos board has a smooth, hard surface which repels water and is easy to hose down. The structure can be moved readily to new ground.

Free copies of the plans may be had by writing to the Asbestos Farm Service Bureau, 231 North LaSalle St., Chicago 1, Ill.

Isolation Of All Mumps Patients Is Stressed By Cox

Since several cases of mumps have been treated in Matador during recent weeks, the following advice from the office of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, is timely: "With a total of 5,906 cases of mumps having been reported in Texas in the first seventeen weeks of this year, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement stressing the fact that the contagion factor exists before symptoms appear, and urging strict isolation of all patients, in order to control the spread of this disease.

Mumps is transmitted by direct contact with an infected person and with articles freshly soiled by the secretions or discharges from the mouth or nose of persons having the disease. It takes from 12 to 26 days for mumps to manifest itself after the infection takes place. The disease can be easily transmitted, but one attack usually establishes immunity although second attacks sometimes occur.

The most easily recognizable characteristic symptom of mumps is a painful swelling of the salivary glands. Sometimes there is an involvement of other portions of the body causing disturbances in the digestive, nervous, circulatory, and genitourinary systems. The disease is usually accompanied by a temperature rise which more often than not is mild.

"The patient suffering with this disease should be isolated from other members of the family immediately upon the suspicion that mumps exists,

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and the family physician should be called promptly," Dr. Cox advises. "In the meantime, complete rest in bed is indicated. The doctor's orders should be followed strictly. Violating his instructions can lead to serious injury, which may permanently affect the individual's health."



V. F. W., Motley County Memorial Post No. 6286, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m. at the court room, Matador, Texas. All eligible ex-service men are invited to attend.

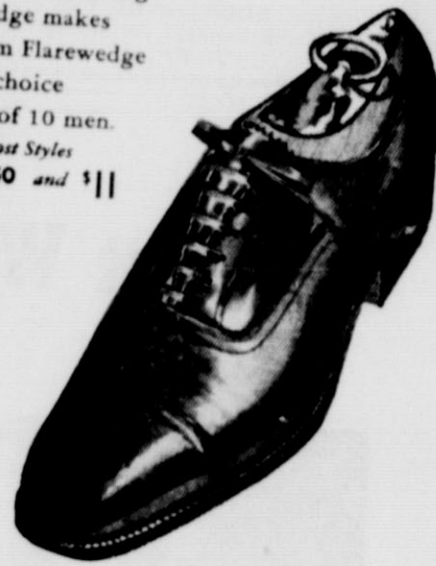
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Mrs. G. E. Hamilton Presents Pupils In Spring Recital

(Delayed)

Voice and violin pupils of Mrs. G. E. Hamilton were presented in a spring recital on Thursday evening, April 25, at 8 o'clock, in the Methodist Church. Vari-colored crepe streamers in front of an Easter scene formed the background for the stage, and baskets and vases of cut flowers were used for the foreground. The girls on the program wore formal dresses.

For the benediction, Mrs. A. J. Daffern read Kipling's "L'Envoi" while a group of girls hummed "Rock of Ages". Mrs. Daffern stood behind a lighted white cross, while reading.

Those on the program were: Betty Montgomery, Ruth Marie Stanley, Nancy Vaughn, Neal Pipkin, Mildred Ross, Charles Robert and David Keith, Ann Harp, Patti Pipkin, Billie Frank Skaggs, Doris Ann Doss, Shirley Estes, Sue Lancaster and Dorothy Rattan.

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W. S. C. S. COMPLETES BIBLE STUDY SERIES
(Delayed)

The Woman's Society of Christian Service completed a series of Bible lessons in regular meeting Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church. Mrs. G. E. Turrentine has been teaching the series.

Others present were Mesdames Harry Willett, R. P. Moore, W. R. Cammack, W. Y. Higgins and H. H. Schweitzer.

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FORMER RESIDENT MARRIES RECENTLY

Word was received here last week advising of the marriage of Lena Vaughn, formerly of Matador and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Barnett of Roaring Springs, to a Mr. John Stocco, son of Mrs. Madeline Stocco of 835 West street, Rock Springs, Wyoming.

The ceremony was performed Saturday afternoon, May 4, at 5 o'clock, in the home of the bride's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Barnett of 817 Seventh street, Rock Springs. The Rev. Herbert L. Koch, pastor of the First Baptist Church of that place, officiated.

The bride wore a suit of steel blue with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. Mrs. Barnett, her attendant, wore a pastel colored spring suit with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations. E. A. Barnett was best man.

Following the ceremony, a wedding supper was served at the Log Inn to members of the bridal party and a few close friends and relatives.

The bride has resided in Rock Springs the past year, where she has been employed. Mr. Stocco was discharged from the army air forces, having been in the army three years and served in the ETO. He is employed by the American Laundry at Rock Springs. The couple will make their home at 617 17th street.

Mrs. Mae McKenzie Is Hostess To Club

Mrs. Mae McKenzie was hostess to El Progreso Study Club on May 9, with Mrs. G. E. Hamilton presiding in the absence of Mrs. A. J. Daffern, and Mrs. Frank J. Pohl acting secretary in the absence of Mrs. L. Willie.

A program on "Women" was led by Mrs. Roy Reeves and included a talk by Mrs. J. L. Woodruff on the subject, "Woman's place in the present-day world." Howard Traweck, local attorney, and ex-service man, was guest speaker and talked on the subject, "At the front with our Army."

Mrs. Joe Bloodworth, Mrs. Freeman Thacker and Miss Amy Glenn were given associate memberships and Mrs. Dick Groves was voted into the club as a new member.

Present were: Mesdames Leonora Luckett, Willis Cooper, Farris Fish, Clay Gilbert, M. J. Reilly, Roy Reeves, A. B. Simpson, Harry Willett, the presiding officers, those on the program, and Miss Mary K. Cook. Visitors present were Misses Sue K. Glenn and Dorothy Williams and Mr. Traweck.

GIVE PICNIC SUPPER

(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin and Mrs. Gertrude Nelson entertained with a picnic supper at the Roaring Springs swimming pool, Saturday night, May 11. Those attending the picnic were: Dorothy Nelson, Elwanda Martin, and Patsy Priest, of Texas Tech; Georgia Bourland and Jimmy McCarty of Lamesa; Quinn Martin, Bud Barton and M. C. Jones of Flomot; Thomas Bourland of West Texas State College, Canyon; Reece Timmons and Heavy Timmons of Northfield. Those from Matador were: Sonny, Dorothy Mae and Marilyn Russell, Raldo and Peggy James, Skeet Jameson, June Pope, and Man Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crider of Grandfalls are visiting relatives here this week while attending to business matters.

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J. R. Garrett Has Birthday Dinner

J. R. Garrett of Stephenville, formerly of Matador, was honored on Sunday, May 5, with a dinner on the occasion of his 73rd birthday, according to a special communication from Mrs. W. C. Bramlett, correspondent for the Stephenville Empire-Tribune.

All of Mr. Garrett's children were present for the occasion, and included: Mr. and Mrs. Bennie F. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Ben O. Lewis and son Jerry of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Allen J. Garrett and son Allen Burton and daughter, Barbara Ann, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sustaire of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Redding of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Parks and daughters Allie V. and Jannice of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett recently purchased a home near Stephenville, and Mrs. Bramlett writes

COOK'S COUNCIL

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'Ride-em Cowboy' Pie

If you are a collector of favorite foods of famous people, here's Will Rogers' Pie. One of the beloved humorist's pet dishes, this pie is as Western in its savor as his own dry wit.

Your standard recipe makes the pastry; it's the filling that is special. This filling combines sliced apples, with golden muscat raisins—the puffed seeded kind notable for their fragrance, their pellucid honey coloring, their sun-sweet flavor.

Try this recipe on your men-folk tonight, and Will Rogers' favorite will become their number-one pie, too.

Will Rogers' Pie

Line a 9-inch pie pan with—
1 recipe standard pastry.
Fill shell with alternate layers of—
5-6 medium apples (Jonathan, Winesap, Staymen or Golden Delicious)
1/2 cup puffed seeded muscats
1/4 cup granulated sugar
1/2 cup light corn syrup
2 tablespoons flour.

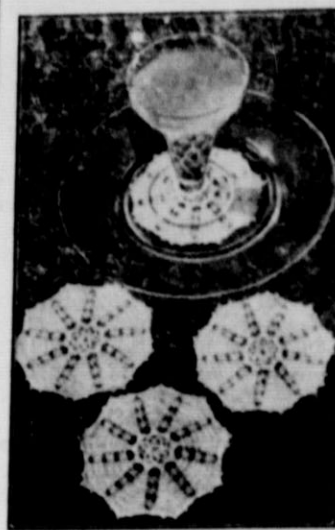
Dot with—
1 tablespoon butter or margarine.

Sprinkle over top—
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon.

Cover with small strips (lattice style) of rolled dough or with figures cut out of dough depicting cowboy life. Bake in a hot oven (425° F.) 15 minutes. Remove from oven.

Sprinkle on top—
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Continue baking 30-40 minutes longer or until apples are tender. Serves 6-8.

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PASTOR TO CONVENTION

Rev. H. G. Verner, pastor of the local Baptist Church left last Sunday to attend the Southern Baptist Convention in Miami, Florida, which convened Tuesday evening, May 14. The Convention is scheduled to continue through regular Sunday church services in Miami on May 19, with all business sessions concluded on Saturday, May 18.

Rev. Verner's place in the pulpit was filled Sunday evening by G. W. Fulfer, who recently resigned a position at Odessa, to study for the ministry. Other services of the church will be in charge of the Brotherhood.

Dr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn and son Bobby, were visitors here Sunday with Mrs. Dunn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore.

concerning them: "They are highly esteemed here and are real neighbors. They have a great interest in the welfare of their church and community. If you have some more folks at Matador like these, wanting to move, send them over this way. We will be glad to have them."

FOREST SERVICE DISTRIBUTES BOOK ON TEXAS TREES

An opportunity to learn more about the trees of the state was given nature lovers today thru a 140 page booklet, "Forest Trees of Texas," prepared by the Texas Forest Service, A. & M. College and published by the Texas Forestry Association.

N. D. Canterbury, association president, said that the book is designed mainly for school use, but that it would appeal to many tree-loving citizens as well. "Right now we are seeking to place it in the hands of our young people through school teachers, boy and girl scout leaders and from farm club group leaders," he stated.

He urged that requests from these groups be sent to the Texas Forestry Association, so that sponsors could be found. Canterbury suggested that local industries, merchants, banks, utility companies, civic organizations and others make the booklet available for their local schools and scout groups. He cited an instance of the First National Bank of Bryan sponsoring 140 of the tree books for students in a class in the Bryan High School who were studying forestry.

More than 8,000 tree booklets have already been purchased by

public spirited citizens for use by schools and scout groups. Funds derived from the sale of the books will be used for educational projects of the Forestry Association, in cooperation with the Texas Forest Service. Canterbury said.

"Forest Trees of Texas" was prepared by the Texas Forest Service of A. & M. College and authorities had given the Texas Forestry Association permission to reprint the bulletin as an educational project to stimulate greater appreciation of the trees in the state.

A total of 145 trees common to Texas are described in the book with their use and location also given. Most of the trees are illustrated with drawings of leaves and twigs. Special illustrations describe the value of forests and how to study and identify trees. The book is printed on paper made from Texas trees. Canterbury said.

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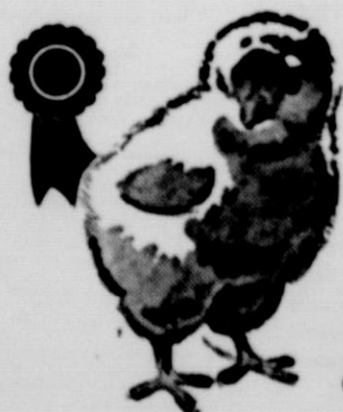
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To most Americans, World War II ended on VJ-Day. But for nearly 100,000 men confined to government hospitals—and for countless thousands of other disabled veterans whose minds and bodies bear the cruel scars of conflict—World War II will never be over. After 27 years of pain-racked experience and suffering, thousands of disabled AEF veterans of 1917-18 know this as the heart-breaking truth.

In the present difficult period of readjustment, the nationwide rehabilitation service of the Veterans of Foreign Wars is doing those things for veterans which the government is unable to do in their behalf—those things they cannot do for themselves.

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The increasing importance of veterans' affairs particularly commends the V. F. W. sale of Buddy Poppies this year. In supporting the V. F. W. National Home at Eaton Rapids, Michigan, this poppy sale gives the orphaned children of veterans an opportunity in life equal to that enjoyed by the average American child. These are both splendid purposes which recommend to all the wearing of a Buddy Poppy this year.

—Harry Truman

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Eight 'Ever Faithful' Seniors Named In 1946 Class History Of Matador Hi

It was 12 years ago that the class of '46 at Matador High School enrolled. Since that time, the little group of wide-eyed youngsters have gone thru the rudiments of a general education to assume the responsibilities of American citizenship. Fifteen of the original group

remained with their classmates for graduation from grade school, but this core was whittled to eight before high school diplomas were arranged for.

Those who form the ever-faithful corps are Lou Marshall, Jo Nita Webb, Jolene Bloodworth, Betty Price, Gordon Rus-

sell, Dorothy Woodruff, Evelyn Shelton and Frances Schweitzer.

Others have come and gone, leaving impressions and partaking in incidents which will never be forgotten by the class. No one will forget the seven boys who cut short their high school education when Uncle Sam called. They were Baldo Sam, Lewis Bostick, J. P. Smith, Elwyn Fulfer, Charles Payne and Curtis Martin.

Also to be remembered are those who steered the class thru the demands of education. Miss Minnie Nixon led the group thru the first grade, and Mrs. Harbour sent it cavorting along the second grade. Miss Amy Glenn skipped grade number three, and Mrs. Melvin Meason soothed the young and confused minds when they began the fourth grade—it was at this point that the students found themselves thrust into a system where they were instructed by five different teachers. Miss Godfrey had little "un-confusing" to do as navigator of the fifth grade.

Two picnics on the Martin ranch were the high points of the sixth grade. Mrs. Harold Jones was departing wisdom to the charges at that time.

By all odds, the seventh grade was the roughest. For example, the class history records, "Slave Driver Thomas had us write a 2,500-word theme and complete a 96-page workbook during one six weeks. We resented this a lot, nevertheless, we liked Thomas loads."

Class officers of the sophomore class were Jolene Bloodworth, president; La Juana Springs sponsored by "Prof" Doss, another on the Bloodworth ranch sponsored by Thomas, and the third held during a math class of Doss, softening the taste of the bitter seventh grade doses.

And then came graduation from grade school. All-day suckers were given each graduate by Doss, who (as the history records) "was always doing something sweet for us."

Election fever claimed the youngsters upon their jump to high school. Gordon Russell took over the freshman class chair when President Marjorie Ann Thacker left the school. John Farris Fish became vice-president; Earlyne Loughlin the secretary; James Simpson the treasurer; and Bessie Jean Green the reporter.

Others elected to honored positions were Marjorie Ann Thacker and John Farris Fish as the most popular boy and girl; Jolene Bloodworth and Gordon Russell as the most beautiful girl and the most handsome boy; Mary Franklin and Tom Rufus Edmondson as the laziest boy and girl; Betty Price and John Ketchersid as the most ambitious boy and girl; Bessie Jean Green and John Farris Fish as the best all around athletes; Joy Harris and Gid Simpson as the best natured boy and girl; and Stella Allen and Curtis Martin as the most polite boy and girl. Lewis Bostick and Frances Schweitzer were class favorites.

The senior class has been kept functioning by President Wilma Faye Smith Clifton,

Payne, vice president; Wilma Faye Smith, secretary-treasurer and Gid Simpson, sergeant-at-arms. Wilma Faye Smith and Lewis Bostick were class favorites.

Also recorded in the class' historical archives are the popular sayings of the junior year. One had to be hep to "Well, of all the unadulterated gall and brazen audacity," "the attitudes that stink," and "pull your necks in before you get them lopped off."

Jolene Bloodworth was president; Wilma Faye Smith, vice-president; Bessie Jean Green, secretary-treasurer; Betty Price reporter; Lewis Bostick, sergeant at arms; and Jo McDuff, sponsor. Jean Green and Gordon Russell were class favorites.

Insomuch as this year's activities went, it was another picnic. "Brother Goose," the senior play, was more than a success, as was the night club-style banquet given the class by the juniors.

Nonetheless, a certain tinge of sadness has crept into the over-all picture. The class history says "Graduation is something we've all looked forward to, but now that we're going, we feel a little sad. Yet, we can't stay here forever, so—fare well, dear M. H. S."

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Vice President Evelyn Shelton, Secretary-Treasurer Bessie Jean Green Williams; Reporter Lou Marshall; Sergeant-at-arms Elwyn Fulfer; and sponsor Mary E. White.

TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE is a sophomore banking major. Mrs. A. B. Simpson, son of Mrs. field, was recently pledged organization at Texas Technological College. He is a man journalism major.

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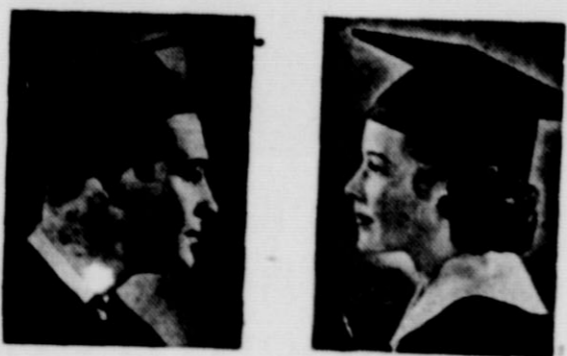
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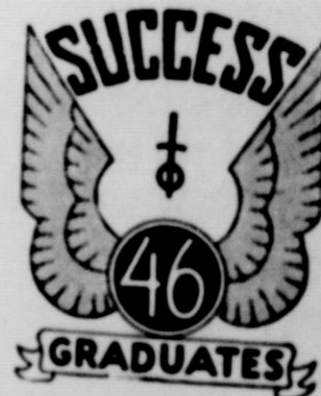
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Discharges placed on record since April 17, in the office of County Clerk, R. A. Seay are as follows:

S-Sgt. Walton C. Moore of Whiteflat, discharged March 2, at Fort Bliss, after 3 years, 7 days in service. Foreign service included 1 year, 8 months, 9 days and citations and medals include the American Theatre, Asiatic-Pacific, Good Conduct and Victory.

Cpl. Louis L. Nichols of Roaring Springs, discharged from U. S. Marine Corps on May 9, at Norman, Oklahoma. He enlisted November 26, 1943 and foreign service included action in the Asiatic-Pacific area, at

Two Jima and in the Volcano Islands.

T-5 E. D. Lawrence of Matador was discharged at Camp Beale, Calif., on April 7. He was in service 2 years, 3 months 7 days. He has the Victory medal, Asiatic-Pacific campaign medal, and Good Conduct medal.

Pfc. Raymond E. Kingery of Roaring Springs, was discharged May 3 at El Paso, after 5 years, 7 months, 8 days in the armed forces. He was in foreign service 1 year and 1 day. Medals include the American Theatre Service medal, Victory, American Defence, Purple Heart, Combat Infantryman, and the EAME medal with 2 bronze stars.

T-4 Douglas H. Palmer of Flomot was discharged at Ft. Bliss on February 12. He was in service 3 years, 20 days, and

was given the American Theatre ribbon, good conduct and victory medals.

Pfc. Elmer L. Gilbert of Roaring Springs, was discharged May 3 at Ft. Sam Houston, after 2 years, 4 months, 10 days in service. He has the American Theatre, Good Conduct and Victory ribbon.

T-5 Herman Ellithorp, who returned home last week from foreign soil, received his discharge on May 11 at Ft. Bliss. He was in service 2 years, 3 days, and overseas 1 year and 16 days. He has the American Theatre, EAME ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific Theatre, Good Conduct and victory ribbons.

James Wesley Graves, FFC, was discharged from the U. S. Navy, at San Pedro, Calif., on May 6. He enlisted March 25, 1944, and received Asiatic-Pa-

JUNE 3 DEADLINE SET FOR FILING OF CANDIDATES

County and precinct candidates will have two deadlines to make known their intentions. June 3 is the last day to file ballot-position requests with the county chairman, and May 30 will be the publication date of the last Tribune issue prior to the official deadline.

Other political events scheduled for this year have been given similar deadlines, they are:

June 22, last day for candidates to pay ballot fees.

June 27, July 2, Period in which candidates and campaign managers must file first statement of expenses for the first primary.

July 15-19, Period in which second expense statements of the first primary must be filed.

July 27, First primary elec-

SENIORS MAKE TRIP TO CISCO

The Matador seniors spent an enjoyable day at Cisco, on Friday, May 10. They left at 4 a. m. in the Barton school bus, with Mrs. Ed Whitaker driving, and accompanied by the class sponsor, Mrs. Mary White.

The following seniors made the trip: Dorothy Woodruff, Evelyn Shelton, Betty Price, Mary Juanice Wilkinson, Dorothy Mae Russell, Wilda Marr, Earlene Laughlin, L. C. Giesecke, Billy Ray Slover, Gid Simpson, Gordon Russell, Clyde Lancaster, Bob Rattan, John Ketchersid and Billy Joe Stephens.

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tion day.

July 30, Last day to file first campaign expense account of second primary.

August 3, Election of delegates to state and district conventions.

August 6, Last day to file final statement of campaign expenses of first primary.

August 12, First day to file second campaign expense statement of second primary.

August 16, Final day to file second campaign expense statement of second primary.

August 24, Second primary election day.

September 3, State convention meets.


November 5, General election.

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AT KHIVA CEREMONIES

Among local residents who attended Khiva ceremonies at Amarillo over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harp, Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Willie, Harry Campbell, Harold Campbell and Bob Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Speer and Flomot.

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Best Wishes to 1946 Graduates


As you step across the threshold of the classroom toward the wider opportunities just outside the door, remember that the good wishes of this community are with you. Each of our employes join in extending to you the most hearty congratulations.



Your **TEXACO** Dealer

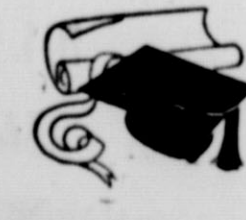
MISSION GAS & OIL COMPANY
BILL RUSHING, Manager Phone 13

Good Luck 1946 GRADS



Yours in the **KING ROW** now

Your high school days are over, so now roll up your sleeves and tackle the bigger problems that may loom ahead. We are confident that if you will but persevere in same spirit that marked your days in high school nothing can stop you. And always remember that we over here are your friends, always anxious to serve you and still more anxious to please.




White Auto Store
Matador, Texas

SUCCESS to the GRADUATES OF 1946

There is one thing we know as our boys and girls leave school to enter upon life's larger duties, and it is this: You can all be depended upon to do your part in building this community in the days to come. Accept our very best wishes as well as our sincere congratulations.

City Bakery
ROY SMITH, Manager
Matador, Texas




Motley County SENIORS

May We Congratulate You!

Seniors of '46, we know you will not stop now that you have your diploma, but will continue your quest for knowledge.

You Have Our Best Wishes For a Successful Future!



Burton-Lingo Co.
Matador, Texas