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RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Changed by the years, the rails remain buried at the station where once I waited for a train to pass. My mother was on my side that winter evening when her soft cheeks were wet with tears. We had discussed the departure the following day and our throats were thick with dry. I remember her eyes shining the right-of-way into the sunset and the fading ribbon of smoke tied into the grey clouds. The rails are the same, the trains still plunge towards the west, like thundering wheels on a highway into the past.

Most of our mistakes can be traced to their parentage to action initiated after too much deliberation.

Frequently our lives drift like ships lost at sea in a hopeless fog, and when the sun shines again, we find ourselves reaching strange, fantastic shores.

Poverty is not a condition but a disease from which some people of wealth never recover. It is not unusual to meet a man of man of wealth who has been afflicted with the fear of poverty needs so long that their possessions have perished. Although they may possess great riches, they have lost the ability and the inclination of spending, which renders their possessions as dead weight on books which are never cashed.

About the time I find a fear that is producing a concealing shadow, the sun goes behind a cloud or it is night and the next day I must find a new one to live from being content.

Many clouds were licking the horizon sunset with long tongues. Evening we rode to the open prairie, unpainted horse where the tenant farmer lived. My horse dismounted and knocked over the door. A yellow hound barked and nosed his pants while he waited. A thin, unshaven man opened the door and there was conversation.

After a time he returned with his grimy hat. We went to the cow pulling dry blades of stalks of bright fodder. My friend nodded his head, took a pellet from his pocket and looked out the hills, then he led the portesting cow thru the wire gate to the barn. Her calf was bawling and a man was standing in the doorway with a calico pressed to her eyes.

Measure often goes to the doors where opportunity is hidden in vain, to enter with the keys.

Wiping his clabbered dreams breathing the stench of his mess lies, the squint-eyed man rolls cigarettes and holds them in his mouth until the stain seeps thru. The man threads of a wasted life in his hair; ambition has no trace on the crude fabric of his soul. His interests are the likes of others, like vultures feeding in high branches and winging a road where many a man has died.

Generations are waiting in the sacred soil of farms their curtain calls on the life of life. They remain beneath the winter snows, darkest nights, the spell of a moonlight; they have no of storms and the screaming wind. Their loves, heart and dreams sleep with the earth to be mixed in the strange destiny which will when they walk from the clay of clay. The rains of for centuries will be returned.

Only only kings have ever seen the splendor of a certain city that the steering of a responsive auto can provide.

Veterans To Hold Meeting Saturday

All veterans of foreign wars from this county are invited to attend a meeting at the courthouse, Saturday, February 2, at 3:00, for the purpose of organizing a V. F. W. Post for Motley County.

The movement has been started by a group of interested veterans who are especially anxious that a post be organized here, and it was especially stressed that all communities in the county be represented.

All who attend the meeting Saturday and assist in the organization of the post, will be classified as charter members, it was pointed out.

Complete information concerning the organizing of a V. F. W. Post here has been obtained, and will be outlined by reliable veterans in charge.

All veterans having served overseas, or in hostile waters during time of war, are eligible for membership, and from the number of servicemen in the armed forces from Motley County, it is estimated that between 400 and 500 men are eligible to compose a V. F. W. post here.

Cotton Crop Insurance Again Offered Farmers

Cotton crop insurance, which proved successful in Motley County in 1945, is again offered as protection to cotton producers in 1946. Elbert P. Reeves, Administrative officer of the Production and Marketing Administration announced this week. This program was given a thorough trial in the county last year, and in every instance proved to be a real asset to the insured producers, Mr. Reeves declared.

A few changes have been made, but the 1946 insurance contract is substantially the same as the one covered by the 1945 regulations.

Premium rates have been established on a county flat premium rate basis; that is, the same premium rate to all farms alike in the county. However, last year, and in every instance the coverage will vary according to the final factored average yield, based on actual production records covering five good years in the county, 1938-1942, Mr. Reeves said.

Other benefits of the program

TRACTOR REPAIR SERVICE OFFERED BY BRASELTON

Announcement of a new tractor repair service on Ford and Farmall tractors is made this week by Braselton Implement and Tractor Company of Roaring Springs.

Only genuine parts will be used, and a skilled mechanic will do the work for his customers, Mr. Braselton declared.

Mr. Braselton has just recently received his discharge from the armed forces, and has reassumed management of his business, which was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Shirley during his absence.

Court House Lawn Cleared Of Debris

Last vestige of Motley county's former court house has disappeared.

Final work of clearing away the debris of crumbling walls left by the fire which destroyed the structure on the morning of September 7, 1944, has been completed by Sterling Price, who secured the contract for the job.

A number of trees were cut out in the process of clearing the lawn, and these have been cut in lengths and stacked in piles to be removed from the grounds.

Bonds have been voted for the erection of a new building. The horizon awaits a new outline.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

E. M. TIMMONS SEEKS OFFICE AS COMMISSIONER

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of E. M. Timmons of Northfield, for the office of county commissioner of precinct 3, subject to the action of the Democratic primary on July 27.

Mr. Timmons needs no introduction to the voters of his precinct, having been a resident of the Northfield community for the past forty years.

In making his announcement he stated, "I feel that I am capable and qualified to fill the office of county commissioner and in event the voters of this precinct elect me, I pledge my time and energy to fulfilling the duties of office. I will appreciate the vote and support of everyone during my campaign, and promise that I will serve you in such a manner as to warrant your confidence."

DR. CAUTHEN TO BE SPEAKER ON BAPTIST HOUR



Dr. Baker James Cauthen, Secretary of Baptist Missions in the Orient, brings to the broadcast of the Baptist Hour next Sunday morning, February 3rd a combination of experiences which will make his message most interesting and profitable, as announced by the Radio Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention, S. F. Lowe, Director, Atlanta, Georgia.

Born and educated in Texas, he resigned the professorship of missions in the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary after five years service and, with his family, went to China as a foreign missionary. After serving in occupied China until Pearl Harbor, he went to Kweilin in Free China where he served as Civilian Chaplain of the Fourteenth

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HOWARD TRAWEEK IS CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY

Howard Trawek, local attorney and former County Attorney before entering the armed forces, has authorized the Tribune to announce his candidacy for a return to that office, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 27.

His statement to the voters of this county, regarding his qualifications for the office, is as follows:

"In again asking for the office that was held by me at the time I volunteered for service in the United States Navy in March, 1942, I feel that no introduction to the voters of Motley County is needed. Motley county has been my home during my entire life. I attended public schools in Matador, and it was my privilege to hold the office of County Attorney for three years before going into service. In the past I have always found the people of this county glad to give their full cooperation and support to one

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Ex-Servicemen And Those In Service Aid Paper Fund

Recent contributions received and acknowledged with appreciation, for the paper fund to send the Tribune to boys in uniform, are Sgt. Joe Barton, \$2.00, who has recently returned home from overseas, and Knox Jameson, \$3.00, also formerly in the armed forces. Pvt. Joe B. King, formerly of Roaring Springs, now with the following address: Div. Finance Office, 13th Airborne Div. Ft. Bragg, N. C., has sent his check for \$2. with his request for the paper.

The editors are still continuing the policy of sending the Tribune to boys in the armed forces, and only the address is necessary. If your son, brother or friend is still in uniform and would like to receive the home-town paper, send or bring in his address.

RECENT OPERATION

Charles Ray Cox has returned home from Lubbock, where he recently underwent an operation.

BOBBY ECHOLS IS INJURED IN LEFT EYE

Bobby Echols, who escaped injury while in combat as a Marine sergeant, received severe injury to his left eye about two weeks ago when a volley of bird shot fired by hunters from Amarillo, picked him as a target, while flushing a covey of quail.

One shot passed thru his left eye-ball and is lodged in his head, until an operation for its removal is deemed advisable. Another shot was removed from the top of his head and one from his right leg, neither of which was considered serious.

He was conveyed to Lubbock Memorial Hospital, where he has been receiving treatment for the injured eye, and was dismissed Monday, although he will return for further treatment until his eye is healed. Although his sight is impaired, attending physicians expressed the belief that he would not lose it entirely.

Hilarity Reigns At Cage Games

Hilarity reigned at the Matador gymnasium Monday evening, as the high school girls and boys basketball teams battled players representing the Parents-Teachers Association and Matador Lions Club respectively.

Although many of the "Outside" players were out of practice, there was not a dull moment from the starting whistle, as the players held their own against their more youthful and experienced opponents.

Adding to the general excitement and fun, was the appearance on the court of a strange and unknown player, joining the girls string in the guise of a female, who was revealed later as Bobbie Jay Browning.

Final scores were: 25-29 in favor of the P. T. A. and 24-30 in favor of the Lions. Proceeds of the entertainment went to the Matador school athletic fund.

Line-up for the Parents-Teachers included: Mrs. Ger

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CHESTON FRANKS TO SELL PROPERTY AT AUCTION TUES.

C. L. (Cheston) Franks of Tulla, formerly of Flomot, is offering his Motley County farm located 31 miles northeast of Flomot for sale at a public auction to be held there Tuesday, February 5.

Included in the sale will be several buildings to be moved, a large list of farm machinery and livestock, in addition to a number of miscellaneous articles and household goods. An advertisement of the sale appears elsewhere in this issue of the Tribune.

Free lunch will be served at noon, Mr. Franks said. He also announced that others having a few items which they would like to offer for sale, might bring them and include them in the auction.

Local Cagers Take Goals From Ralls

The Matador Matadors cagers took the goals from Ralls in a conference game played there Tuesday night, returning home with a score of 17-14. High scorers for the locals were Clyde Lancaster, Wayne Timmons and Tom Rufus Edmondson, and for Ralls, Creed, Norris, Bartin and Weems.

The "B" teamsters won their game also with a final score of 22-8. High scorers for Matador were: R. C. Giesecke, Courtney, Garth, White and Price, and for Ralls: Aycock, Lynch and Hill.

The Matador girls and boys teams will participate in the Roaring Springs tournament which will be held Friday and Saturday, Feb. 1-2.

Cal Farley Will Be Father-Son Banquet Speaker

CAL FARLEY, Amarillo merchant and radio entertainer, president of Boy's Ranch and Maverick Club, will be principal speaker at the ninth annual Father-Son banquet to be held here Thursday evening, February 7, according to information released this week.

Mr. Farley is a father of a daughter, even though he works with more than 800 underprivileged boys. Example of his outstanding work along this line is the Maverick Club which he assisted in organizing for the youth of Amarillo and which has been largely responsible in keeping down juvenile delinquency problems in that city.

The past summer a soft-ball league, composed of 14 teams over the city of Amarillo, was sponsored by Mr. Farley and other business men there.

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A former semi-pro baseball player, champion AEE wrestler of World War I, and a sore-spot to all Lion Club members (he is past-president of Rotary International and delegate-at-large on Father-Son program of that organization), he also holds the West Texas record of consistent radio programs, even though he has never said anything over the air worth repeating, according to his friends, who declare, "He sells tires in his spare time, but admits his merchandise is inferior to any other in Amarillo."

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Proceeds over expenses will be used to purchase a motion-picture projector machine for the schools.

Matador Parent-Teacher Association sponsors the girls' banquet, while the boys' affair, held in connection with national Boy Scout week, Feb. 8-14, is sponsored by Matador Lions Club.

SCOUTS OPERATE GULF STATION

The local Boy Scout Troop had a successful day Saturday, operating the Gulf Station on its opening day under temporary management of M. O. (Mack) Marshall.

Profits of the day's work, all of which was donated to the troop, amounted to \$12.87, according to Scoutmaster Tom Hamilton.

In behalf of the scouts, Mr. Hamilton expressed appreciation to all patrons who visited the station Saturday, and to Mr. Marshall for relinquishing his profits to the organization.

Mr. Marshall will continue to manage the station until his son, Alton, is discharged from the armed forces, and will assume the duties of the business.

Lions To Meet Next Tuesday

Matador Lions Club will meet next Tuesday, February 5, in the Methodist Church basement for first regular monthly meeting. No meeting was held this week, which had five Tuesdays.

All club members are urged to be present as an attendance contest will be started, with Vernon Doss and Earl Laughlin as captains, and they will choose sides at the meeting.

Paducah To Play Here Next Tuesday

Paducah boys basketball team will play in the next conference game to be played on the local court, Tuesday, February 5, according to the schedule for the month. A good game is in the offing, and all fans are invited to attend.

The Matador's "A" or Varsity team has won 8 out of the last 9 games played, having defeated Petersburg, Paducah, Quitaque, Spur, Samnorwood, Turkey, McAdoo and Ralls. Only defeat was by Patton Springs. Basketball schedule for February is as follows: Feb. 1-2, Roaring Springs Tournament. Feb. 1, Floydada, conference, there. Feb. 5, Paducah, conference, here. Feb. 12, Crosbyton, there. Feb. 15-16, District tournament, here. Feb. 22-23, Possibility of

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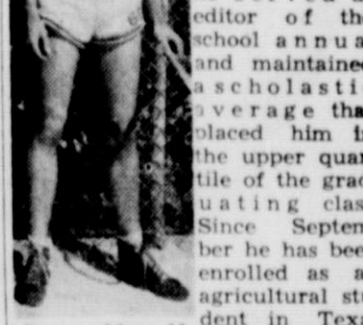
Pryse Metcalfe Is Athlete-Scholar

Pryse Metcalfe, frequent visitor here the past several years in the home of his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Woodruff and family, and well-known in the younger circles, has received recognition as an outstanding athlete, editor and scholar, in an article which appeared in January issue of "Interscholastic League," statewide publication for schools.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Metcalfe, of Franklin, Texas, Pryse is also a nephew of C. M. Glenn, Miss Amy Glenn and Miss Sue Glenn, all of Matador.

Following is the article, and the accompanying engraving is furnished thru the courtesy of the "Interscholastic League."

"Second place award in Boys' Tennis Singles in 1945 was won by Pryse Metcalfe of Franklin, Texas. He had previously been regional champion in tennis two years, and a two-year letter-man in football. In addition he served as editor of the school annual and maintained a scholastic average that placed him in the upper quartile of the graduating class. Since September he has been enrolled as an agricultural student in Texas Franklin H. S. where he is try-out for the tennis squad. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Metcalfe, Franklin, Texas."



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Trail Dust Used By Texas Weeklies

Trail Dust, written by Douglas Meador, editor of Matador and Morton Tribunes, was used in 153 Texas weekly newspapers last week. The column is being distributed as a free feature by the Western News Service of Amarillo.

Pat Flynn of the WNS, visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Meador, and accompanied Mr. Meador on his return to Morton Sunday evening, to spend several days in that area.

Mrs. W. M. Teal of Dallas, visited here from Sunday until Tuesday with her brothers, T. E. and W. R. Cammack, while attending to business interests.

SERVICEMEN RETURN ON DISCHARGE BADGE



Discharges placed on the office of County Seay, include the following:

Thomas Bourland, Ft. Bliss, Tex., Dec. 26. He was overseas three years, three months and three days. Having served in campaigns on Luzon, Southern Philippines, Pacific Medal, Asiatic-Pacific theatre with four ribbons, the Philippine Ribbon, one bronze conduct medal, vic, one service stripe, overseas bars.

Mr. H. Roller having served in campaigns on Luzon, received his discharge on January 4 at Fort Bliss, Tex. He was overseas 3 years, 5 months and 18 days. He received the Asiatic-Pacific theatre ribbon, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon, the good conduct medal, the Victory medal.

Mr. J. P. M. Smith received his discharge on January 12 at Randolph Field, Tex. He served in the service 6 months and 7 days.

Buena V. Shirley, T-5 received his discharge on Dec. 19, at Fort Bliss, Tex., having served in Central Europe for 11 mo. and 24 days. He has received the American Defence ribbon, the European African Middle Eastern ribbon, Good conduct medal, the world war II victory medal. He was in service 3 yrs. 6 mo. 12 days.

S. J. Braselton Jr., AMM 2-c received his discharge at Memphis, Tenn. on Jan. 10. He served in the service 1 year, 9 mo., 20 days.

Four Matador veterans who arrived home the past week were Frank J. Pohl, Y 2/c, S/Sgt. Glenn Woodruff, Algie Durbin, and Billy Bishop, AOM 2/c.

Pohl received his discharge at San Pedro, California, Jan. 25, returning from the Pacific area. He has the Philippine Liberation ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon and Victory Medal World War II. He was in service 1 year, 8 months, 22 days.

Billy Bishop's discharge was issued at Shoemaker, Calif. January 11, after 3 years, 10 mo. 17 days in service. He has the Victory Medal, American area, Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with 1 star and Philippine Liberation ribbon with 1 star.

Glenn Woodruff received his discharge from the Separation center, Camp Shelby, Miss., January 20, after 2 years, 8 mo. 8 days in service, with 5 months overseas service in Central Europe. He has the American Theatre medal, EAME, good conduct and World War II victory medals.

Pvt. Leonard O. Henson was discharged at Salina, Kansas, January 25, after 6 months 21 days training. He received the American Victory medal.

A. B. Stephens, Coxswain, received his discharge at San Pedro, Calif., January 24. He was in service 1 year, 9 months, 19 days, and has the American area, Asiatic-Pacific Area, Philippine Liberation and Victory medals.

Pfc. Farris W. Martin was discharged at Ft. Bliss, January 14, after serving overseas 1



"But since the war is over I didn't think you'd need your uniform anymore—so I sent it to the Victory Clothing Collection."

In the Armed Service

Buckley Field, Colo. Jan. 11, 1946

Dear Sir:

Just a few lines to let you know I'm still in the service, but have been moving around quite a bit lately. I wrote once before to stop my paper because I'm so unsettled, and now I expect to be discharged in a short time. I surely did enjoy the Tribune, as I could keep up with the other boys from in and around Matador, and I hope to see out that way before long to be each and every one.

Sincerely,
Cpl. Charles C. Matthews

S-Sgt. William K. Patton, who has been stationed at Love Field, Dallas, has been transferred to 85th AAF BU (Hg. 1st

year, 4 months, 18 days. He was in service 2 years, 11 months, 17 days, and in the campaign at Luzon. He has the American Theatre Ribbon, Asiatic-Pacific theatre and Philippine Liberation ribbons and Good Conduct and Victory medals.

Calvin Roy Lynch, Cook 3-c, was discharged at Norman, Oklahoma, January 14, after being in service 2 years, 7 mo. 7 days. Medals include Victory American Area Campaign, and Asiatic-Pacific area campaigns.

Pfc. Clint J. Hicks was discharged from service at Camp Fannin, on January 22. He was in campaigns of the Ardennes, Rhineland and in Central Europe and has the American Theatre campaign medal, EAME medal with 3 bronze stars, Good Conduct and World War II Victory medals. He was overseas 1 year, 3 months 3 days and in service 2 years 10 months and 27 days.

S/Sgt. Roy L. George was discharged at Ft. Bliss, on December 28th, with a total of 3 years, 11 months, 5 days in service. He has the American Theatre, Victory ribbon and Good Conduct medal.

Manila Dec. 30, '45

Dear Ben:

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Ben don't send the paper to my address any more. I expect to be home in the near future. Thanks a million for the paper and hoping to see you soon.

Sgt. G. A. Clements (Scotty)

Vancouver, Brks. Jan. 5, 1946

Dear Sir:

For several years now I have been receiving my papers regularly and I want you to know how very much I have enjoyed them. They have helped me to pass many a lonely hour, and I've enjoyed reading the news

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about all of my friends. I want all my friends to know that I have married and have a very lovely wife and a little daughter 8 months old. I'm expecting to be discharged any day now, so you may discontinue the paper. I'm hoping to be back in Matador soon. Thanking you again for your kindness I remain,
Truly yours,
Sgt. Delmon S. Martin
Tokyo 6 Jan. 1946

Dear Ben:
How is everything in Matador, good old U. S. A. Texas by now? Hope everything is Okay, and I'm sure the place is coming alive more now that the boys are all coming in.

Oh, yes, what I wouldn't give to be one of the boys in Matador instead of in Tokyo. You know somehow or other I don't like Japan. I've been from Tokyo down to Sasebo and back and it's all just alike, "Filthy". Me I'm ready to give the whole thing back to the Japs.

I was over Nagasaki and Hiroshima last Sunday, the 30th of December, they're pretty well beat up. I wish I had had an aerial camera so I could have taken a picture for you, but unfortunately, my little 120 was too small to do any good. I suppose there are lots of the fellows over here now, aren't there? All the news is in the paper I'll bet on that, but I haven't received one in about 5 months. That was no fault of yours, so don't think I am complaining. No, far from complaining, I have really appreciated receiving the paper, and I know that goes for everyone of the other fellows who have been getting it.

Nevertheless Ben, since I will more than likely be back before the paper could get to my new address, it will be better if you discontinue sending it to me until I can get in a place where my address will be a little more permanent. Maybe it won't be quite so far away either. Thanks again for sending all the ones you have, and until I can get back and thank you personally, I remain,
Sincerely,
Lawrence T. Spray, AMM 2-c

Allan Tomlinson, TM 1-c, accompanied by his wife, the former Hattie Tee Groves, left recently for Bremerton, Washington, where he is based at present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Aldrich of Matador spent the week end with friends in Frederic, Texas.

Mrs. J. T. Pearsons and Mrs. Orlin Starks of Quitaque were Matador visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hamp McCary

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VETERAN'S TALK
By Bryan C. Handley Service Officer
As you have no doubt read in the papers, the government has liberalized the "G. I. Bill" considerably. It does not appear to be too much from what has been printed, but the details have not been published yet.

If the loan section has been liberalized as much as it appears, the time and effort required to procure a loan has been cut to less than half of what it was. Where before it took eight and ten forms, it should only take three and four now. It took twelve steps to complete the procedure before and now it should only take about four.

Do not expect any major changes under the loan section for some time yet, because it will take a while to release the literature giving the full details of the new system.

The added benefits under the Education section can be put into almost immediate operation, because they do not require new form and very little change in policy. The only thing that may require a little time to put into operation under this section will be the provision granting benefits through correspondence schools.

The most important provision under the new amendments is the cancellation of the clause that required that any benefits received under the Educational section or from the readjustment allowances would be deducted from any future bonus.

SEWING CLUB MEETS
The Stitch and Chatter Club met Friday afternoon from four to six with Miss Amy Glenn. A salad plate with cake and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames G. S. Craven, T. E. Cammack, W. R. Cammack, J. L. Woodruff, Mae McKenzie, Margaret Newman, Miss Mary Keith, and two visitors, Miss Mary Dorothy Williams, and Mrs. Harry Carter.

The club will meet with Mrs. W. R. Cammack Friday afternoon, February 1st from four to six.

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Matadors Win Two Conference Games
In a conference game here Tuesday night, the Matador cage defeated the Petersburg team with a final score of 43-21. High players for the game were Tom Rufus Edmondson and Bob Rushing.

The girls played a close game with the Petersburg girls. The final score was 16-25 in Petersburg's favor. Scorers for the game were Wilkinson, 4 points, Murphy 5 points, Hays with 5 points, and Annette McWilliams 2 points. Other players in the game were Schweitzer, Simpson, E. McWilliams, Price, Black, Shelton, and Moore.

Much praise has been given to referees Raby Webb and Odell Washington. They have been very considerate in that no partiality has been shown to any one team.

Matador 31, Paducah 23
The Matador cage teams defeated Paducah on their court January 19. The A team's score was 31 to 23 with Wayne Timmons as outstanding offensive player with 12 points and Tom Rufus Edmondson outstanding defensive player. The B game was 27-12, another victory for the Matador team. The Gieseko brothers were outstanding players in this game.

APPLE POLISHERS
Portland, Ore.—The gate-watch at the Swan Island navy receiving center has a new navy lard.
It's a big raw meat bone, preferably with some choice red meat still in evidence.
Five big jungle-veteran K-9 corps dogs back from the Pacific make short work of the bones—as they did several Jap snipers.

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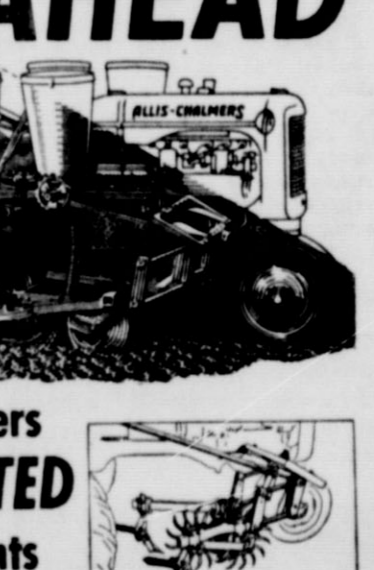
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RECITAL GIVEN AT FLOMOT BY PUPILS OF MRS. NORRID

Music pupils of Mrs. C. W. Norrid were presented in a recital, assisted by the Flomot Choral Club, at Flomot, Tuesday evening, January 29, at 8 o'clock.

The program was as follows: Songs, Choral Club; Readings, Aubry Cromer; Piano selection, Gayle Chandler; "April Showers," Elzeta Moseley; "Whip-poor-will," Zelma Lee Washington and Barbara Calvert; "Barcoral," Miss Bernice Griffin; "Dutch Dance," Jerry Cowart; "Bugle Call," Edith Washington; "Black Hawk Waltz," Francis Jones; "Beautiful Dreamer," Misses Griffin and Bourland; "Jolly Sailor," Raymond Speer; "Stars of the Sea," Jean Pigz; "Spring Song," Misses Griffin and Bourland; "Spinning Song," Edith Washington.

Duet, Evelyn Pope and Jane Warren; "Happy Trumpeter," Zella Washington; "Ben Hur's Chariot Race," Wanda Fisher; violin solo, Miss Jane Warren;

"Silver Star," Beutonne Cromer; "Happy Farmer," Miss Edna Ruth Bourland; "Wig-wam," Barbara Joe Calvert; reading, Miss Bernice Griffin; "Robins Departure," Jane Jones; "Robins Return," Evelyn Pope; "Beautiful Ohio," Wanda Pearl Fisher and Iva Mae Johnson; "Rustic Dance," Joan Turner; "When I Grow Too Old to Dream," Doris Washington; "Minute Waltz," Jane Warren; reading, Miss Bernice Griffin.

Attending the recital from Matador were Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren, accompanying their daughter Jane, who appeared on the program.

NEW ARRIVALS

An 8 pound son was born on January 17 to Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Davis of Matador. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meadows of Roaring Springs are the parents of an 8 pound daughter born at the Stanley Clinic on January 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Melton Ray Ballard of Quitaque are the parents of a son born at Traweck Hospital on January 4th. The young son has been named Franklin Lee Ballard.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. J. Dee Cates Honored Here



SHOWER IS GIVEN HERE SATURDAY FOR POPULAR FORMER H. S. FACULTY MEMBER

Mrs. J. Dee Cates of Childress, the former Zona Beth Faulkner before her recent marriage, and popular head of the home-making department of Matador High School for several years, was complimented at a shower given here Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. L. C. Harp. Assisting Mrs. Harp as hostesses were, Mesdames Freeman Thacker, Joe Bloodworth, Elmer Stearns, B. F. Tunnell, Sr., G. E. Hamilton and R. E. Campbell Sr.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Thacker, in a lovely white leather bride's book, cover of which formed a frame for the bridal photograph of the couple.

Miss Jolene Bloodworth entertained the guests during the reception hours, with a variety of classical piano selections.

Hot spiced tea, dainty cake squares and cherry-picks were served at the dining table which was laid with an exquisite cloth of Mexican linen and lace, centered with a bowl of white carnations and white tapers in crystal holders. Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Sr., poured.

Attending the shower from Childress were Mrs. Cates' mother, Mrs. George Faulkner, her sister, Mrs. Edward Crews, and Mrs. Madge Warren.

The following brought or sent gifts: Mesdames M. J. Reilly, J. L. Woodruff, Ben Meador, L. J. Barkley, Alvin Stearns, John Russell, J. Farris Fish, J. R. Whitworth, Leonora Luckett, V. J. Skaggs, J. G. Ketchersid, Frank J. Pohl, Albert Traweck, Tom Newman, Mae W. McKenzie, Margaret Newman, Rhendard McCary, L. R. Bishop; Misses Amy Glenn, Thressia Godfrey, Jolene Bloodworth, Chareen Ketchersid;

Mesdames Marvin Vaughn, Maurice Reilly, Vernon Doss, Aileen Richardson, A. A. Tipton, Jack Crider, H. H. Courtney, Edith Sanders, J. R. Moore, R. A. Day, W. N. Pipkin, Henry

Baptist W. M. S. Program Stresses New World Assets

A program on the topic for the month, "Our Assets for Building a New World", with Mrs. Vernon Doss as leader, was given by members of the Henrietta Shuck Circle at regular monthly meeting of the Baptist W. M. S. Monday night.

Parts on the program were as follows: "A New World to Build," Mrs. Ben Meador; "A Peace to Preserve," Mrs. Roy Reeves; "A Democracy to Live," Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr.; "A Prosperity to Share," Mrs. Burrell Tipton; "A Power to Use Aright," Mrs. Dick Groves; "A Gospel to Proclaim," Mrs. Elbert Reeves; and "Unchanging Foundations," Mrs. Howe Hines. A duet by Mrs. Cecil Shelton and Mrs. Freeman Thacker, concluded the program, with Mrs. H. G. Verner giving the benediction.

Others present were: Mesdames R. E. Campbell, Sr., L. Rattan, J. W. Johnson, Ed Cammack, A. A. Tipton, W. M. Fuller and J. L. Woodruff.

A business session was conducted by Mrs. Woodruff, general W. M. S. president, and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Sr., acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. C. Warren.

FORMER RESIDENTS MARRY RECENTLY

Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Dorothy Norris and William Felts, in a double ring ceremony performed Monday, January 14, Paducah, Texas, in the home of Rev. Parrott, who officiated.

The bride was attired in a beige suit, with which she used brown accessories.

Those attending the wedding were the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Felts, his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Felts and sisters, Miss Donaleen and Retha Jo, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bobbs, and the bride's small daughter, Jaynell.

Mr. and Mrs. Felts and Jaynell are now making their home on the J-A ranch, where he is employed.

The couple are former residents of Matador.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB TO MEET MONDAY

Matador Home Demonstration Club will meet Monday, February 4, at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., it was announced this week.

Year Books are ready to be distributed and all members are urged to attend.

A program on kitchen arrangement will be given.

FORMER RESIDENTS ENJOY PAPER

A letter received from Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Gwinn, former residents of Roaring Springs, stated, "We do enjoy the paper so much. Oregon is a pretty state... wish you could make us a visit sometime. Our new home is almost complete now, and you know we are glad of that."

Methodist Society Has General Meet

The Women's Society of the Methodist Church met in the church Tuesday night for general meeting. Mrs. W. F. Jacobs was leader of the program on "Stewardship of Peace," with Mrs. Vance Gilbreath as reader, in the devotional.

Chairmen of the various committees gave an outline of their duties, as applied to the topic for the evening, as they took their place by the Christian flag. These were: Mrs. A. J. Daffner, chairman of Spiritual Life; Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, of Missionary Education; Mrs. Homer Sheats, Student Work; Mrs. W. Y. Higgins, of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities; Miss Ethel Jameson, of Childrens work and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, of Youth Work.

Special music for the program was a piano selection by Miss Roberta Jameson and a duet by Jolene Bloodworth and Frances Schweitzer.

Others present were: Mesdames A. W. Ford, T. E. Williams, R. P. Moore, C. D. Pipkin and Randall Whitworth.

El Progresso Club Hears Interesting Program On China

El Progresso Club members listened to an interesting program on China, led by Mrs. J. Farris Fish, in the home of Mrs. Frank Pohl, Thursday, January 24.

Roll Call was "China's War Effort." Mrs. L. C. Harp told of Chinese customs, and Miss Thressia Godfrey spoke on the subject, "Chinese Arts and Crafts." Mrs. Leonora Luckett gave some very interesting facts concerning customs in China, which had been related to her by a brother who while serving in the Navy, had spent a lot of time there.

Business included a report by Mrs. J. L. Woodruff that the library would soon have several new books, and naming of Mrs. Fish, Mrs. Albert Traweck Jr., and Mrs. Willis Cooper as the Year Book committee for the year. Mrs. Jake Edwards and Mrs. Harold Campbell were accepted as new members.

The following were present: Miss Thressia Godfrey and Mesdames L. C. Harp, Leonora Luckett, Mae McKenzie, U. L. Willie, A. B. Simpson, A. C. Traweck Jr., J. R. Whitworth, J. L. Woodruff, Willis Cooper, Marvin Vaughn, J. Farris Fish, and the hostess, Mrs. Pohl.

IMPROVING

Miss Estelle Morris, who underwent major surgery at the North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo, Texas, is now convalescing in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morris of Whiteflat.

Ford, H. H. Schweitzer, Charlie Keith, L. B. Archer, Geo. Birchfield, Eddie Russell, Cecil Shelton, Pat Sheridan, Earl Laughlin, Geo. Springer, R. E. Campbell, Jr., W. F. Jacobs, Marvin Patton, D. E. Pitts;

Mrs. Bob Martin and Elwanda, Miss Mary Keith, Mrs. Gertrude Nelson and Dorothy, Miss Frances Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jernigan and Barbara Helen, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Eubank, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Groves, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tunnell, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Russell and Marilyn.

MRS. BEN H. CLEMENTS IS NEW BANK EMPLOYEE

Mrs. Ben Houston Clements assumed duties at First State Bank last week, having accepted a position as secretary, vacant by the resignation of Mrs. B. F. Tunnell Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Tunnell, with their son, B. F. III, left Matador last week for Fresno, California where they will make their future home.

TECH STUDENTS HOME

Texas Tech students of the book, who visited here during the between-semester vacation the past week, included Dan Reeves, Bob Harp, Joe B. Meador, Reatha Rayne, Robert Ruth Evelyn Keith, Mary Muse, Dorothy Nelson, L. Martin, Elwanda Martin and Billye Jo Archer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our profound appreciation for the many acts of kindness, and words of sympathy extended us by the people of our beloved husband's brother, and for the lovely offerings tendered in his memory by you. May God's richest blessing rest on each of you.

Mrs. Bert Edmondson of San Pedro, the Guthrie Family, Mrs. F. M. Jenkins and family, Mrs. C. D. Pipkin and family, Mrs. Orwin Roy and family, Jim Edmondson and family, T. B. Edmondson and family.

Prospects are good that ada will allow shipments of cattle to the U. S. for slaughter. Since 1943, all of the domestic marketable livestock had been going to England. Canada's wheat crop in 1945 was three-fourths its 1944 crop.

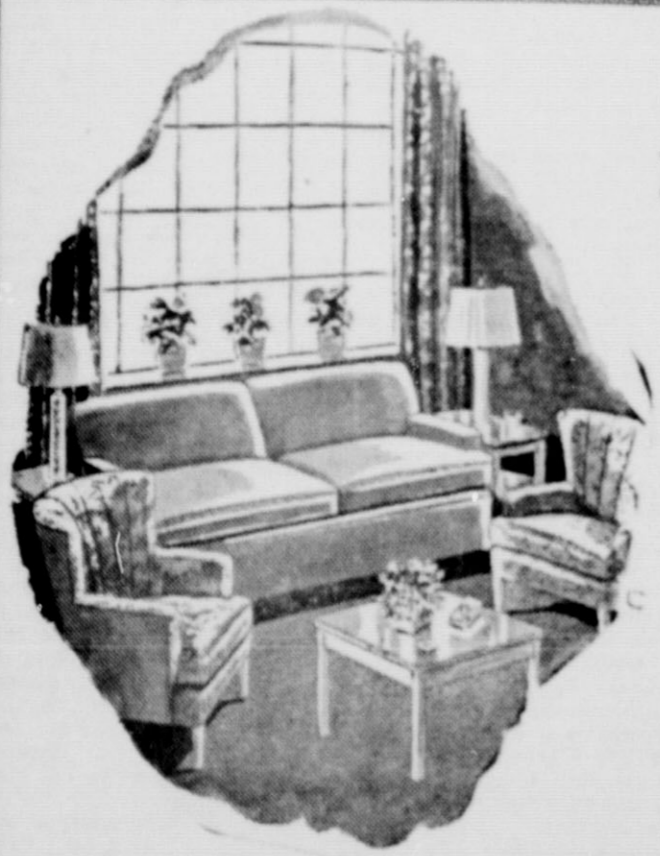


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- AND MANY OTHER ITEMS

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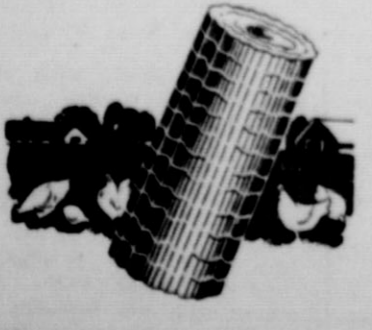
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Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green had their guests over the weekend and Mrs. Quannah Maxey and family of Post, Mr. and Mrs. Kirksey of Lorenzo, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sinclair of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Foris and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Foris and family of Afton, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wilson of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. John Green and family and Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Green and family of Roaring Springs.

Mrs. A. Nance of Paducah visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon over the week-end.

Miss La Voe Mitchell of Amarillo is visiting in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. S. C. Chippis this week.

Students home from College this week end for between neighbors were: Joe Jimmy Keahey of Lubbock, Miss Charleen Giesecke and Lewis Hodgins of Canyon.

Hoyle Moss and Fred G. Simpson left Monday for Lubbock where they will enroll in Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Jodts of Cambridge, Ill., visited in the home of Mrs. J. F. Ferguson and family this week.

Mrs. Harold Crites is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sinard and family and Miss Audrey Thompson of Elk City, Okla., visited the Harmon's this past week.

Mrs. Ezra Bowen was called to Portales, New Mexico, last week due to illness of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Walter Clifton. Mr. Bowen and boys went over the week-end and accompanied her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duvall, Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. K. Jones went to Lubbock Tuesday to see Mrs. Studie Duvall as she is in the hospital there.

Sam Hunter arrived home Friday from overseas with his discharge.

(Delayed From Last Week)

Capt. and Mrs. H. C. Smith and M. S. Tucker made a business trip to Amarillo this past week.

Miss Wanda Cobb of Crowell is visiting in the home of Supt. and Mrs. Henry Teague.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman and son of Grand Prairie returned home after spending several days visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Freeman.

Mrs. John Smith is visiting in Paducah this week, in the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Johnnie Mae Wright.

Cleveland Maze, son of Mrs. Ethel Maze is home with his discharge.

Mrs. Rudolph Carpenter and daughter and Mrs. Edna Patton visited in Roaring Springs Tuesday.

C. W. Giesecke went to Dallas Sunday to market.

Mrs. A. Nance of Paducah and Mrs. Howard Dillon of Quannah was in Roaring Springs this past week at the bedside of their father, L. W. Harmon, who is critically ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Bruce Freeman, James Derel and Ramona left this past week for Snipe, Texas, where they will make their home. Mr. Freeman is employed there.

We are happy to have some new families to move to this community: Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hartness and family from Friona, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cook and family from Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Craft from Floydada.

J. T. Swim Jr., made a business trip to Wichita Falls this week.

Pvt. Bill D. Emery is visiting relatives in Roaring Springs this week and at the end of his furlough, will report to a camp in California.

The Womens Society of Christian Service met and had an all day quilting at Mrs. John Smith's Thursday and they will meet with her again Thursday for an all day quilting. Those present were: Mrs. John Belaska, Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. S. D. Hunter, Mrs. M. E. Keahey, Mrs. E. W. Basham, Mrs. Fred Simpson, Mrs. J. T. Swim, Mrs. J. R. Meason, Mrs. A. Freeman, and Mrs. C. W. Sargent.

Methodist Leader Praises Scouts

"A most useful builder of boyhood and an aid to the church" is what Bishop Charles C. Selecman of Dallas, Texas, calls Scouting in a statement made in recognition of national Boy Scout Week, February 8-14.

Bishop Selecman, now president of the Council of Bishops of the Methodist Church, has long been interested in youth. For 15 years prior to his election in 1938 as Bishop, he headed Southern Methodist University. During World War I he served with American troops abroad under the Y. M. C. A.

Bishop Selecman's Boy Scout message follows:

"For more than a quarter of a century it has been my pleasure to observe the work of the Boy Scouts of America. As a result of this observation I am convinced that it is one of the most useful builders of boyhood in body, mind, and spirit that has come to the aid of the home and the church.

"Because of this conviction, I have urged the pastors in my Area to offer every inducement to Scouting and to acquaint themselves with the work of the organization. In many cases our pastors have become actively engaged in some phase of Scout work.

"It is my personal opinion that the home, the church, and the school should welcome the cooperation of the Boy Scouts of America and should offer every aid and encouragement possible."

SOCIAL SECURITY CARDS NOT FOR IDENTIFICATION

Merchants in almost every city, according to the Lubbock Social Security Board office, are accepting social security cards for identification purposes. The manager of the local office cited one instance where an employee of the Board had left her identification papers at home and when she asked a saleslady in a department store to accept a personal check for payment of a purchase, she was asked to show her social security card as a means of identification.

"Under no conditions should merchants, banks or individuals accept social security cards as identification for cashing checks. They are used only for use of the Board in keeping track of the individual's social security account and are not reliable as identification cards," said John Palmer, Manager of the Lubbock Office.

Clinton Gilbert, CMM of the U. S. Navy, is visiting here in the home of his brother, Clyde Gilbert and family.

Miss Jean Warren, of Turkey spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren here.

Will Rogers Honored By Plaque In Alaska

BARROW, Alaska. On the roof of Alaska with a low sky and tight fog poking icy fingers in their eyes, three men placed a plaque this week "in memory of brother Will Rogers."

The three were the only resident members of the "top of the world" Masonic chapter, F. D. McCormick of Wichita, Kas., M. W. Boddy of Los Angeles and S. F. Massman of Port Sanilec, Mich.

The famous humorist died in a plane crash at the isolated spot near Point Barrow Aug. 15 1935, and his body was brought out by eskimos. The trio which placed the tablet made the trip to the site in a "weasel", the small tractor-type machine developed during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, S 2-c, arrived home Friday evening, January 25, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson. His leave being up today, he has reported back to San Diego, Calif., for general sea duty.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson's other son in the service, William A. Johnson, SSM (L) 3-c, who has made the third trip with the "Magic Carpet" run did not receive his expected leave. He is being transferred to Seattle, Washington, where his ship, the Bon Homme Richard CV-31 will be decommissioned and he will

Mrs. G. E. Hamilton visited in Cleburne last week with relatives.

Miss Chloye Fulfer of Lubbock spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Fulfer.

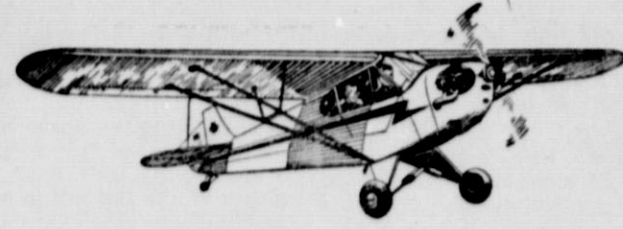
Mr. and Mrs. Cheston Franks and children of Tulia, former Flomot residents, were business visitors here Wednesday.

probably be transferred to another ship.

CORRECTION

The Tribune wishes to correct two errors appearing in names of political candidates which appeared in last week's issue.

The initials L. C. instead of J. C. should have been used in announcing L. C. Davis' candidacy for the office of county commissioner of precinct 4, and L. M. Standefer should have been L. N. Standefer, in his announcement for re-election to the office of county commissioner for precinct 2.



LEARN TO FLY

DAILY FLIGHT INSTRUCTIONS AT BUZZ FIELD BETWEEN 9 A. M. AND 5 P. M.

INSTRUCTIONS	\$9.00 DUAL
FOR ONE HOUR	\$7.00 SOLO
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AT MY PLACE 3 1/2 MILES NORTHWEST OF FLOMOT (Moley County), OR 14 MILES SOUTHEAST OF QUITAQUE, OR 23 MILES NORTHWEST OF MATADOR.

TUESDAY, February 5, 1946

I AM QUITTING THE FARM AND WILL SELL THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY AT PUBLIC AUCTION BEGINNING AT 10:30 A. M.

-BUILDINGS- TO BE MOVED

- 1-FIVE-ROOM FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, 32 x 36'
- 3-TWO-ROOM HOUSES, boxed and stripped, one with built-in cabinet and sink
- 2-ONE-ROOM HOUSES, 10 x 12'
- 1-ONE-ROOM HOUSE, 9 x 10'
- 1-CAR SHED, 14 x 18', with sheet iron roof
- 1-SHEET IRON SHOP SHED, 8 x 12'
- 1-BARN, size 8 x 10' with sheet iron roof and boxed walls
- 1-Boxed and stripped CHICKEN HOUSE 32 x 10' with sheet iron roof
- 1-SHEET IRON CHICKEN HOUSE, 10 x 15'
- 1-CHICKEN HOUSE, 5 x 6'
- 1-BARN, 24 x 40' with 14 x 14' Grain Bin and 10 ft. drive under shed. Built all of 2 x 4" and 2 x 6" materials, including floor of 2 x 6" with 2 x 10 or 12" sills. Sheet iron roof and walls.

-FARM MACHINERY-

- 1-1939 G. M. C. ONE-HALF TON PICKUP
- 1-FOUR-ROW POWER LIFT GO-DEVIL TO FIT "M" FARMALL TRACTOR
- 2-TWO-ROW SLIDE GO-DEVILS
- 1-THREE-ROW STALK CUTTER
- 1-ONE-ROW STALK CUTTER
- 1-ONE-ROW INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER BINDER
- 1-OLD MODEL PEANUT THRASHER
- 1-WETMORE FEED CRUSHER, Large Size, Good one
- 2-BROAD-TIRED WAGONS
- 2-TWO-ROW JOHN DEERE CULTIVATORS
- 1-ONE-ROW CULTIVATOR
- 1-P & O PLANTER AND LISTER
- 2-FIVE-ROW COTTON SCRATCHERS
- 1-TWO-WHEEL TRAILER
- 1-8-FOOT HOEME PLOW with 2 foot extension (Nearly new)

-LIVESTOCK-

- 1-HEREFORD BULL, 5 YEARS OLD OUT OF L. A. STEARNS' REGISTERED HERD
- 1-ROAN DURHAM COW AND CALF
- 1-MIXED RED DURHAM and JERSEY COW and CALF
- 1-MIXED BLACK JERSEY and HOLSTEIN COW and CALF
- 2-JERSEY COWS AND CALVES
- 1-MIXED 2-YEAR-OLD SPRINGING HEIFER
- 4-BULL CALVES (400 to 600 pounds) Good Flesh
- 1-SADDLE HORSE, 5 years old, and SADDLE
- 2-GRAY MULES, 1300 pounds, A Good Team

-FURNITURE-

- 1-DINING TABLE AND 5 CHAIRS
- 4-OTHER ODD CHAIRS
- 1-OLD DRESSER
- 2-IRON BED STEADS
- 1-FIVE GIANT-BURNER KEROSENE COOK STOVE with built-in oven in good condition.
- 1-BUFFET; 1-BUILT-IN BREAKFAST TABLE
- 1-BABY BED SPRINGS AND MATTRESS

-MISCELLANEOUS-

- 4 OR 5 HOG TROUGHS
- 3 OR 4 FEED TROUGHS
- 200 TO 300 CEDAR POSTS (6 ft. to 12 ft.)
- 1-STEAM BOILER (Will care for 4 to 6 washers)
- 1-PAIR SPRING COTTON SCALES
- 3-PAIR COW HOBBLES
- 1-SIX-VOLT WINCHARGER AND TOWER
- 1-SIX-VOLT ZENITH RADIO AND BATTERY (good condition)
- 2-ROLLS 6 FOOT HOG WIRE (150 ft)
- 1-PUMP JACK AND GASOLINE ENGINE COMPLETE (Good condition)
- SOME 26 OR 30 INCH REGULAR HOG WIRE
- SOME BARBED WIRE
- 3 OR 4 ROLLS SMOOTH ELECTRIC WIRE (100 lbs. ea.)
- 2-ELECTRIC FENCE CHARGERS, GOOD CONDITION
- 1-HOG FEEDER
- 3-GREASE GUNS
- 1-COTTON SPRAY (6-row)
- 3 OR 4 WATER BARRELS
- 6 OR 8 WEED HOES
- 1-COTTON SEED CLEANER OR GRADER

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THIS FARM FOR SALE . . . CAN GIVE POSSESSION NOW!

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FARM NEWS

By ELBERT REEVES

Reconstructed Farms for 1946

A farm constituting different farm land in 1946 from 1945 must be reconstituted according to existing regulations. In event a farm is to be divided or another farm purchased and two or more farms are to be combined as one, the operator should report to the County office the transaction involving the farm or farms in order that a new work sheet bearing a new farm serial number can be prepared. After a new serial number has been prepared listing cropland and pasture land, a soil-building allowance will be computed for the farm as it will be constituted in 1946. The above procedure is necessary before prior approvals can be granted for carrying out any soil-building practices under the 1946 program.

There are many farms in the county that are being sold and also being divided and a part of the farm sold. Operators should keep in mind that information concerning any of the above mentioned transactions should be reported to the county office as soon as possible.

Execution of 1946 Farm Plan Sheets

In the near future all 1946 farm operators will be asked to report their 1945 cotton and wheat production as well as their 1946 intentions in regard to acreage of crops and number of livestock on the farm. These farm plan sheets should be executed by all operators in view of the fact that basic information concerning the 1945 production of wheat and cotton must be permanently recorded for crop insurance purposes, and for reference if or when marketing quotas should be put into effect again.

Administration of the Terracing Program for 1946

The following policy shall be observed in administering the terracing program in 1946: Fields terraced and paid for under previous agricultural conservation programs will not qualify for terracing payment in 1946, where terraces were constructed in previous years, but not paid for under previous agricultural conservation programs, and are unsatisfactory and the system is to be revised with new lines run and the old terrace ridges plowed down to the plane of adjacent land, payment may be made for the new terraces constructed; terraces started in 1945 but for which all earthwork was not completed by December 31, 1945, which are completed in 1946 to meet the 1946 specifications, will qualify for payment provided prior approval is issued prior to the beginning of any construction work on the terraces in 1946.

County Office Closed on Monday

The local AAA office will be closed on Monday of each week. Producers should arrange to transact their business on any day other than Monday. The county committee authorized the office to close on Monday rather than on Saturday because of convenience to producers who come to town on Saturday to transact other business.

New Ruling on Contour Farming

The county committee in their meeting of January 5th voted to apply an additional specification as a requirement for payment to be earned in carrying out practice No. 17, contour farming. The county committee ruled that in event guide lines have not been run since 1942, new guide lines must be established in 1946, if the land is not terraced, not to exceed twice the terraced interval to be eligible for payment. Contour farming on slopes exceeding 3%, unless in combination with terracing, will not qualify.

The tree-devouring locust, a heavy-bodied creature which has large and transparent wings with pink veins, will not appear again until 1962.



A WIDE-EYED Dutch child hugs her woolen sweater contributed in the American spring clothing drive. Millions of others have had nothing new for years. Give clothing to the Victory Clothing Collection.

EL MATADOR

"IT'LL BE NEWS WHEN . . ."

Ernestine gets taller. Bernice Pitts starts talking. Mr. Ezzell is not in a good humor.

Virginia isn't smiling. Yvonna isn't cute. Dorothy Morris quits talking. Mry Janice and Betty aren't seen together. Frances isn't flirting with Charles.

Earlene, Diz, Evelyn and Dot quit talking and giggling. Jolene starts throwing erasers and chalk.

Billy Ray starts talking. Bob Rattan finds a steady. Bessie Jean learns to keep house. —M. H. S.—

KAMPUS KLATTER

These freshmen are beginning to get around. Margaret and Kim, Sarah and Bobby, and Patti and Joe were seen at the basketball game Friday night. That regular foesome added another couple Friday night. Betty and Bob Rattan were with Mary J. and Billy Joe, Mary and Hal, at the basketball game Friday. This same six were with Bob Rushing and Bernice Dees buzzing around Saturday night.

Lee Roy and Ernestine double dated with June and Tootie Monday and Tuesday night. My! What will happen next?

Gordon and Jolene seemed to enjoy the game at Flomot Thursday night. Didn't know that these two had a case up.

Jeril Gray seems to be robbing the cradle these days. He was with Betty Fox the other nite.

Calling Mickey Roberts! Who's been calling M.R.? For one, Bonner Nelson is. But Colonel (lady killer) Garth seems to intervene. Which will she hear?

Dorothy W. and Evelyn seemed to get along okay with their Paducah friends Friday nite. How about that, girls, you know how it is!

So . . . till more MHS kids decide to end this indecision and go together, I am.

Yours faithfully,
Miss El Matador.

—M. H. S.—

SCHOOL DAZE

Some sleep on the ocean. Some sleep on the sea. But an English Class seat is good enough for me.

—M. H. S.—

Theysitlikethisponaseat

And now and then they kiss.

And then he says some darn fool thing.

And then they sit . . . this

Like . . . —M. H. S.—

You sit and sing a little song:

You have a little chat,
You make a little candy fudge;
And then you take your hat.

You hold her hand and say goodnight.

As sweetly as you can
Now ain't that a hellava ev'ning
For a great big healthy man?

—M. H. S.—

Slippery ice, very thin
Pretty girl, tumbled in,
Saw a fellow on the brink
Gave a shriek then she sank.

Boy on hand heard her shout
Jumped right in, pulled her out
Now he's her's—very nice,
But she had to break the ice.

—M. H. S.—

"Daddy, can I have a nickle for an ice cream cone?"

"Shut up and drink your beer."

—M. H. S.—

WHAT IF—M. H. S.—

Billye Ruth were old instead of Young?

James were green instead of White?

Dorothy Ann were stified instead of Stanfield?

Sarah were a jumper instead of a Springer?

Virginia were less instead of Moore?



THIS Yugoslav girl murmurs "America" as a relief worker slips a sweater over her shoulders and her sister awaits her turn for clothing given by the American people. Round-up everything you can spare for the Victory Clothing Collection for overseas relief Jan. 7-31.

Ann were a violin instead of a Harp?

Jolene and Rosemary were blood cheap instead of Bloodworth?

Elsie were a rock insted of a Stone?

Billy Ray were a foe instead of a Neighbor?

Don were a cripley instead of a Bradley?

Dorothy were a woodsmooth instead of Woodruff?

Bob were a mousetan instead of a Rattan?

Bernice were a cave instead of a Pitts?

James were an expense instead of a Price?

Bonner were a tckson instead of a Nelson?

Wayne were a shower instead of a Spray?

Gene were a rocker instead of a Morris?

Ruby were a pole instead of a Bostick?

Gid were a smartson instead of a Simpson?

Dorothy Ann were a traday instead of a Traweek?

—M. H. S.—

CLASS FAVORITES

The favorites were elected by the classes at M. H. S. Favorites for the Senior Class were Evelyn Shelton, and L. C. Giesecke. For the Junior class, Jerry Hays and Wayne (Mule) Timmons. For the Sophomores, Annette McWilliams and Fud Edmondson were chosen and the Fish favorites were Patti Pipkin and Joe Spray.

—M. H. S.—

HAVE YOU MET?

Carolyn Rattan readily admits her favorite sport is "being silly and laughing a lot," and she is most active in this sport. She spends a lot of time in doing just that. Although her average is above 70 seems to imply she spends at least a part of her time studying.

She has black hair. A little one, 4' 1" in height. About 13 or 14 years old. Classified as a "Fish" in the M. H. S. She is really a slick chick so needs you better "start a meetin'".

—M. H. S.—

WHOZET?

Tall and blonde
Has lots of school spirit
Oodles of fun
Makes good grades
Always seen blushing
S-O-O-O cute!

—M. H. S.—

Sports writer for 1945-6

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Noble standby for girls

Darling physique

Enjoys jazz records

Rates among the gals

Sings like Dick Haynes.

—M. H. S.—

MY IDEAL BOY

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Hair: Hal C. Eyes: Thomas S.

Fixing Up the Farm

by BURTON WILLIAMS

Roof Protection

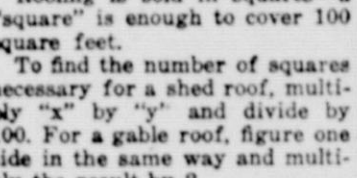
FARM buildings are war equipment — keep them fit and fighting!

It is estimated that from 25 to 30 per cent of the nation's food supply is lost each year because of inadequate storage facilities. Roof protection is especially important in conserving farm products and equipment.

It pays to keep an eye on your roofs. Here are a few things to watch for: Check exposed nails on roll roofings to see that they haven't worked loose; keep metal flashings and valleys in good condition by frequent painting; keep drain gutters free from dirt, leaves and other refuse.

When re-roofing, be sure to use a durable roofing that will give good service with low upkeep cost — a fireproof material is preferable. Asbestos cement shingles are excellent, because they are fireproof, weatherproof and practically free from upkeep expense.

Here's a simple method for measuring roof areas to determine the amount of asbestos shingles or other roofing needed.



Roofing is sold in squares—a "square" is enough to cover 100 square feet.

To find the number of squares necessary for a shed roof, multiply "x" by "y" and divide by 100. For a gable roof, figure one side in the same way and multiply the result by 2.

A gambrel roof is figured by adding "n" to "x" and multiplying the sum by "h". Double this total, then divide the result by 100 to get the number of squares needed for the entire roof.

For a hip roof, add "a" to "b" and multiply the sum by "c". Then multiply "d" by "e" and add the two answers. Divide by 100.

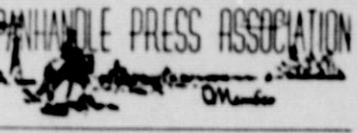
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STANLEY CLINIC

Tonsilectomies performed at the Stanley Clinic were Murril Latimer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Latimer, on January 12th and Billy Dean Harmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Harmon of Roaring Springs on January 12th. Betty Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hines, on January 11th. Buzz Folly of Quitaque on January 11, Beryl Monk son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Monk of Flomot on January 11th.

Mrs. J. H. Martin underwent major surgery at Stanley Clinic on January 14th.

A successful war experiment may result in canned ham and eggs soon appearing on the market.

NOTICE TO ALL VETERANS

THERE WILL BE A MEETING AT 9:00 p.m. SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2, AT THE COURT ROOM BE THERE TO FORM A MOTLEY COUNTY V. F. W.

CHURCH CALENDAR

Church of Christ

T. E. Wood, Minister
Lord's Day Services
10:00 a. m. Bible Classes
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship
6:00 p. m. Young People's Meeting
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship
Wednesday night Devotional 7:00 p. m.

Methodist Church

Rev. G. E. Turrentine, Pastor
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship, 11:00 a. m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.
Women's Society, Tuesday, 4:00 p. m.
Bible Study and Prayer, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:40 p. m.
Official Board Meeting, Friday each month, 7:00 p. m.
Board of Education, Wednesday, 7:40 p. m.

Baptist Church

Rev. H. G. Verner, Pastor
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m.
Church Service, 11:00 a. m.
Training Union, 6:15 p. m.
Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
W. M. U. Monday, 3:00 p. m.
Henrietta Shuck Circle, Friday evenings.
R. A.'s, Friday, 4:00 p. m.
G. A.'s, Saturday, 5:00 p. m.

DON'T SCRATCH

Durham's Paracide Ointment guaranteed to relieve itching accompanying Eczemas, Rash, Piles, Scalds and other minor skin irritations—or purchase price reduced. Large 2-ounce jar only 50¢ at MATADOR DRUG STORE.

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Response has been good following our announcement that we were going to install a modern FROZEN FOOD LOCKER PLANT. But we want as many persons as possible to sign up for these lockers before installation begins. Remember, there are 180 lockers available. We will also do slaughtering, cut up and wrap meat to be placed in these lockers.



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REFRIGERATED FOOD LOCKERS

Modern refrigerated individual food lockers keep your produce and meat free from deterioration—keep the natural flavor sealed in. Come in today and let us explain the pleasure and economy to be derived from renting a food locker.

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QUALIFICATION FOR VOTING IN 1946 ELECTIONS ARE OUTLINED

Since this is election year and there is some confusion in the minds of many citizens concerning some phases of the payment or exemption from payment of poll taxes, it is of prime importance to keep in mind that poll tax payments and exemption certificates must be obtained before February 1.

Individuals over 60 years of age by January 1 of the current year do not need to get any special exemption certificate. They need only to convince the election judges when they go to the polls that they were 60 years of age before January 1.

Individuals in the age range 21-60 must have a poll tax receipt and must have resided in the county six months prior to elections in order to be eligible to vote.

Individuals who have become 21 since the first of January or who will become 21 during the year must obtain an exemption certificate at the county tax collector's office in order to be eligible to vote. They cannot vote before they are actually 21, but they must secure the exemption certificates before February 1.

All servicemen and women who are otherwise qualified to vote are entitled to vote without a poll tax receipt for eighteen months after their discharge from the armed services.

They should check carefully the date on their discharge papers. Such persons who wish to vote in all elections in 1946, and who were discharged before May 7, 1945, should get a poll tax receipt before February 1.

Physically handicapped individuals who are exempt by reason of the loss of a hand, a foot, or both eyes are subject to pay at least \$1.00 of the poll tax assessment, according to a recent ruling of the Attorney General. Those who wish to be sure of their eligibility to vote should pay this assessment to the County Tax Collector before February 1.

In addition to the above qualifications one must be a property tax-payer and have his property on the tax roll in order to be eligible to vote in any bond election in a city, county or state.

Your government is what you as an active citizen make it. In order to be an active citizen one must pay his poll tax or otherwise qualify himself to vote—and then vote! Our government policies and officials are determined not by those who are qualified to vote, but by those who do vote. Exercise your rights of citizenship by expressing yourself at the voting polls.

VOLUNTEERS ARE ACCEPTED FOR MARINE CORPS

The Marine Corps is accepting applications from men 17 to 25 inclusive, for enlistment in the United States Marines. These men must be in good physical condition, be able to pass the Marine Corps Classification test, and have no dependents. If you have these qualifications, why don't you write the Marine Recruiting Office today for more details.

Before the war, the Marine Corps was proud of the distinction that all Marines were volunteers. The Marines are now back to the peace time standards, as they are not accepting men from the Selective Service Board until the month of March. Men 18 to 25, if you want to choose your branch of the service, do so now, today!

If you are interested and would like to join the Marines write or call at the Marine Recruiting Office, Post Office Building, Lubbock, Texas.

MEN IN ERC MAY RETAIN GRADE IN REGULAR ARMY

The West Texas US Army Recruiting Service with enlistment stations in Amarillo, Abilene, Lubbock, Big Spring and San Angelo, Texas, today received a War Department communication by telegraph which is of vital concern to men who have been released from the Army, and who are now on inactive status in the Enlisted Reserve Corps, particularly those who have been discharged more than twenty (20) days, thus being ineligible for retention of the grade held upon discharge if the desire to re-enlist in the Regular Army.

According to the telegram received, all members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps on inactive status who request enlistment in the Regular Army on or before 31 January 1946, may be administratively discharged from the Enlisted Reserve Corps and enlist in the Regular Army in the grade held in the Reserve Corps.

The telegram further stated that "members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps on an inactive status, who request enlistment in the Regular Army on or after February, 1946, will be administratively discharged from the Enlisted Reserve Corps and enlist in the Regular Army in the grade of private, except that such individuals may be enlisted in the Regular Army in such higher grades as may be authorized by War Department instructions in effect at the time of enlistment in the Regular Army for persons who are not members of the Enlisted Reserve Corps."

Summed up, this means that men now in the Enlisted Reserve Corps who wish to avail themselves of family allotments and the twenty year retirement benefits have until the 31 January 1946 to re-enlist and also retain their rank held at time of discharge. Those men who have been in the enlisted reserve on an inactive status for less than 90 days and who receive a discharge from the Enlisted Reserve Corps and re-enlist in the Regular Army within the 90-day period are also eligible to receive the reenlistment allowance of \$50 a year for each previous year of service on their last AUS or RA enlistment prior

MEMORIAL SERVICE ANNOUNCED BY ACC

Don H. Morris, president of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, has announced that the school will hold a memorial service for its 37 ex-students who lost their lives while in the uniform of their country during World War II. Time of the service is set for 7:30 p. m., February 5, and will be held in Sewell Auditorium on the ACC Campus.

The men, whose memory will be honored, are as follows: Elbert Alvis, Joe W. Boyd, J. W. Burns, Raymond Burroughs, Ray DeBuske, Dan Finch, Ted Hale, Edwin W. Hampton, Harold Hau, Freeman Holly, W. Robert Hornbaker, Albert Hunte, C. W. Johnson, R. B. Kendrick, Robert King, Emmett Lee, Dan Lovelace, John Middleton, Glen E. Moore, John D. Moore, Bruce Munday, Wyatt Oliverson, Homer Osborn, Austin Parrish, Earl Proctor, David Pursch, Reginald Reynolds, Henry Robertson, David Rose, Chas. Scarborough, Gene Allen Scraggs, Paul Sherrard, Jr., Will Smith, Hulen Stromquist, Chas. Yates, Gen Young and Nick Young.

The program will consist of songs by the ACC A Cappella Chorus, prayers by James Cox, president emeritus of ACC, and Paul C. Witt, head of the science department of ACC; reading by Major Landon Hill, former student in ACC, and addresses by Chaplain Jack Fogarty, returned veteran now enrolled in ACC; and president Don H. Morris.

Straus Now Head Of Reclamation

WASHINGTON—Michael W. Straus took over as commissioner of the bureau of reclamation succeeding Harry W. Bashore, who resigned after thirty-nine years of service.

Straus, a native of Chicago, resigned as assistant secretary of interior to accept the new position. He took the oath of office from Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes.

BROWNFIELD'S Board of Education is reviewing applications for the coaching job now open for that school.

For further information and necessary forms, all veterans interested are urged to contact the nearest United States Army Recruiting Station.

Recruiting stations are also located in Dalhart, Pampa, Borger, Wellington, Childress, Plainview, Lamesa, Odessa, Sweetwater, and Ballinger, Texas.

HILARITY ...

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trude Nelson, Mrs. Lucretia Campbell, Mrs. Winifred Darsey, Mrs. Maggie Lee Courtney, Mrs. Mary Webb, Mrs. Wilna Hobbs, Ruby Burton, Thelma (Short) Bearden, June Pope, Viola Jameson, Mrs. Geraldine Skaggs, Mary Ellen (Dude) Barton, Mrs. Lucille Dodson, Mrs. Mary White, and Misses Slover and Taylor, and Mrs. Bill McCahren. High scorers for the evening were Short Bearden, Dude Barton and Ruby Burton, for the P.T. A. and Jerry Hays, Ernestine McWilliams, Annette McWilliams and Bobby Jay McWilliams for the school team.

Only three Lions Club members, Rufus Emmons, O. V. Johnson, and C. W. Giesecke played, and the other Lions being represented by proxy in the following line-up: Jake Edwards, George Ray Colvin of Turkey, Earnest McWilliams, Bobby Harp, Raymond Rattan, Varner McWilliams, McElton Skaggs, LeRoy Nelson, E. A. Day and Tommie Dodson. Jake Edwards and George Colvin, and Bobby Harp were high scorers for the Lions, and Tom Rufus Edmondson, Wayne Timmons, C. Lancaster and L. C. Giesecke, for the Matadors.

Special Releases Reveal Discharges

A special release from Separation Center, Camp Beale, California, to the Tribune advises that Pfc Alfred A. Irwin, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Lee, was honorably discharged from the armed forces there, on January 15.

Entering the army in March 1941, Pfc Irwin was assigned to the Army Ground Forces and was sent overseas in August 1945 with the 1688th Engr. Combat Battalion. He has been awarded the Good conduct medal and Asiatic-Pacific theater ribbon. During his 58 months of service, he earned 55 discharge points.

Before returning to Texas, Pfc Irwin plans to visit with relatives at Vancouver, Washington, and Visalia, Calif.

A special release from U. S. Naval Separation Center advises that Algie Lee Durbin, ARM 3-c received his discharge at Memphis, Tenn., after 31 months in service with 9 months of sea duty in the Pacific area. He has the Distinguished Flying Cross, 3 air medals and the Presidential Unit Citation. He was in two major engagements and received two battle stars.

Pork and flour substitutes will be retained thru June. They had been scheduled to expire in March.

Cotton Crop ...

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age yield, or 50% if less production is desired.

Applications may be executed at the ACA office or filed with an authorized agent. The application must be executed by April 25th, or before seeding, whichever is earlier.

Benefits of crop insurance are provided the producer without administrative costs, which are paid by the government. Neither does the producer have to pay his premium at the time he applies for insurance. The premium matures about the last of August, with an option of 2 months grace period, before interest is added. If the premium is not paid within the 2 calendar months after maturity interest is charged at the rate of 4% of 1% per month or fraction of a month until paid.

An application covers every farm in the county which the insured has an interest in at the time of seeding. Insurance attaches when cotton is seeded. In event no cotton is seeded no premium is earned.

A producer who sells his crop after seeding may transfer his interest in the crop; however, the original insurer is responsible for payment of the premium.

The right to an indemnity under an insurance contract may be assigned by the original insured as collateral security for a loan.

House Is Author Of Third Book

Boyce House, who has scored two hits with "I Give You Texas" and "Tall Talk from Texas" has come through with a third book of Lone Star humor, "Texas—Proud and Loud," that in some respects is superior to its predecessors. All three are from the press of the Naylor Company, San Antonio.

"Texas may be proud and loud but Texas has more to be proud about than any other state," House declares. "Just suppose a Californian had half as much to talk about!"

"Texas is the land where exaggerations are the truth!"

RESIDENTS ILL

Mrs. J. H. Sample is confined to her bed this week, having suffered a slight attack at her home Tuesday night. Mrs. J. R. Whitworth also suffered an attack of illness Tuesday night, while attending the meeting of the Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service at the church. She was reported improved late Wednesday.

Tribune Ads Pay

Howard Traweck ...

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in the performance of the duties of this office, and if you should see fit to elect me to this office in the Democratic primary next summer this same cooperation and support is again solicited. In return for your cooperation and support you are entitled to, and will receive, the best and most efficient service that it is within one's ability to render to you, fair and impartial alike to one and all.

"Regarding my qualifications for this office, I graduated from Texas Technological College in 1935 with a B. A. Degree in Government and received a Bachelor of Laws Degree from the University of Texas in 1938. I have been a member of the Texas Bar since 1938, and, except for the time in military service, have been actively engaged in the practice of law since that time.

Your support in the coming elections will be greatly appreciated."

See Howard Traweck Back Page

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Dr. Cauthen ...

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Army Air Force and did evangelistic preaching among the Chinese.

He will return to the Orient in the Spring of this year where as Secretary, he will lead the Baptist forces in Christianizing China, Japan and the Islands of the Pacific.

The Baptist Hour broadcast is over an independent Southern network covering the area from Maryland to the states of the far Southwest and is presented in cooperation with the Southern Religious Radio Conference.

The program can be heard in Texas over radio stations KGNC, Amarillo; KPRC, Houston; WFAA, Dallas; and WOAI, San Antonio at 7:30 a. m. CST, and over KWBU, Corpus Christi, at 5:30 p. m. CST.

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WANT ADS

For Sale: 2 electric motors, one 1-horse power with relay starter, and one 1-horse power. Both for \$100.00. Call Matador Engineering Co.

Phone 190. (elt: 1-31)
For Sale: 1941 1-ton International pickup. Motor in A-1 condition, good tires. See Ralph Cooper, Roaring Springs.

(t: 1-31)
For Sale: Superflex refrigerator, good condition. Mrs. M. D. Freeman, Roaring Springs.

(c: 2-14)
For Lease: 160 acres, 75 acres in cultivation; two-room house barn, windmill. Will lease for 1 year or longer \$300.00 per month. Farm located 7 miles north and west of Dumont. R. J. Carpenter, Dumont.

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For Sale: Two radios, one table model and one cabinet model with record player. Bennie Cox, Matador.

(c: 1-24)
Wanted: Sewing to do in my home. Mrs. Babe Plumlee.

(p: 1-31)
NOTICE: Anyone needing Raleigh products, see W. H. Rogers, in north part of Matador.

For Sale: Boy's bicycle. Good tires. See Jean Hines.

For Sale: Nice two-room house. Rooms 14 x 14. House will have to be moved from present location. Levi Wilkinson, Matador, Texas. (c: indf.)

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

For District Judge
110th Judicial District:
Alton B. Chapman (re-election)
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-Office County Superintendent:
W. R. Cammack, re-election

Sheriff Tax Assessor & Collector
H. Blevins
John Stotts

For County Attorney:
Howard Traweck

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
L. C. Davis

TAKE CARE OF THE SOIL... AND IT WILL TAKE CARE OF YOU!

CONGRESS HAS AUTHORIZED FORMULATION OF THE 1946 AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM PROVIDED IT DOES NOT COST MORE THAN \$300,000,000... MOTLEY COUNTY'S SHARE OF THE FUNDS IS \$84,373.15.

To Obtain Conservation Practice Assistance

- If you are a landlord, tenant, or sharecropper, you are eligible for conservation assistance if you:
1. Apply to the county ACA committee before you begin the conservation practice for the amount of assistance you will need for carrying out the practice.
 2. Carry out the conservation practice in accordance with the printed specifications in the 1946 Handbook of Conservation Practices for Texas.
 3. Inform the county ACA committee or county office within the time fixed by the county committee of the completed practice.

How Much Conservation Assistance Is Available

The amount of assistance to be made available will be determined by the Motley County ACA committee on the basis of your conservation needs and the funds available to the county for this purpose.

When Are Conservation Funds Available

The entire allocation of funds to Motley County is available now. The County ACA Committee urges farmers to apply for conservation assistance immediately.

LET'S MAKE MOTLEY COUNTY MORE PROSPEROUS. SEE THE COUNTY ACA COMMITTEE FOR YOUR CONSERVATION NEEDS.

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