

## RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



written deep on the walls  
any and on the little tablets  
man hearts that we have  
for hurting only those  
we us.

the blossoms of wild plums,  
lilac and the timid, yellow  
cup transport the spring  
cross a river of twilight to  
port eternity of night. Past  
sequites and low hills, past  
the convoy of lost clouds,  
shined silver moon follows  
surse, like the memory of  
mother; tranquil splendor  
ed in the sky.

ns have piled their debris  
e morning we felt the  
h of hand-clasp in parting.  
y of curly, red hair, spiked  
ilver, fell across his brow.  
was a mist in his eye, his  
aded and the door closed.  
covers the small mounds  
empty post holes for his  
fenced dreams. The cool  
of his ambition is lost for-  
nd the music of his voice  
gled in fragile threads of  
memories.

ciative memory training  
be effective in cases less  
than mine, but I can never  
ber the word or object  
which I am to associate the  
I have forgotten. Besides  
remember where I left  
ok that was guaranteed to  
of my habit of forgetful-

o shoe rationing effecting  
more than the women rel-  
the old rancher's test of  
a man would not be too  
e. He always looked at the  
of the applicant's shoes and  
ey were well worn, the  
of a job were enhanced.  
ntended that too many men  
too much time off of their

ther advantage enjoyed by  
tribes was the abundance  
filalo steaks, cut thick and  
available without borrow-  
neighbor's red stamps.

ing custard pie is like lis-  
to most political speeches.  
ing of satisfaction remains  
the experience is completed.

haps the eternal dews on the  
nt plains of Valhalla are  
of the flocks of the star-  
point horse I used to ride  
ool. Many years have blown  
the sails of time since that  
day I watched the horse-  
drive him into the herd of  
ed culls that plodded the  
in listless animation. It  
be of no avail, still I har-  
fancy that the freshness of  
nd precious dreams would  
e if I could ride the paint  
The hazard of disappoint-  
would be less if I wore fad-  
e overalls and rode bare-  
in a summer twilight with  
bered gold clouds overhead  
attered rain drops pelting  
feet I would want to twine  
ngers in the pony's silken  
mane and watch the frog-  
lightning dart through the  
and gold mountains of

em grows to a state of  
dor when its roots are deep  
the rich soil of perpetual dig-

dawn has the exact features  
ose which have preceded it  
a fresh challenge to the  
which would cut from the  
of achievement, a new and  
ctive pattern.

n is the alchemy in which  
world creates its small nug-  
of progress. Man suffers to  
ve new horizons and perishes  
his life has attained the de-  
of comfort which leaves his  
free.

warmth is in the soil and lilacs  
mother planted are blooming  
Each spring they return  
the same sweetness that al-  
seems vested with her  
Perhaps their fragrance  
first known in the gardens  
paradise.

## Featured Speaker Here April 13th



GUEST speaker for the seventh annual Mothers-Daughters banquet to be held here Friday night, April 13th, will be Mrs. J. L. Adams, above, of Crosbyton, who is president of the 14th District Parent-Teachers Association. Mrs. Adams is recognized as a leader in parent-teacher work in West Texas. In 1941 she was awarded a life membership in the Parent-Teacher Texas Congress by the Crosbyton unit in appreciation for her work.

Mrs. Adams will have as her subject, "Hands," at the banquet, according to Mrs. Tom Tilson, president of the Matador unit. Ticket sales have been in progress for the past week and final plans for the meeting are about completed.

## Clothes To Admit Lions To Meeting

Wearing apparel besides that which they are wearing will admit Matador Lions Club members to the Ladies night meeting to be held at the Methodist church basement, Tuesday night, April 17.

Each Lions member must bring five pounds of used clothing to the meeting or fail to gain entrance. His lady guest will be admitted free. The plan, adopted at the regular meeting of the club held in the Methodist church basement, Tuesday, is in cooperation with the United National Used Clothing Collection, of which Lion W. F. Jacobs is county chairman. Tail Twister H. H. Courtney intimated that any Lion attempting to gain entrance to the meeting without bringing five pounds of used clothing, might leave without the shirt he is wearing.

### Interesting Pantex Program

Following the splendid luncheon served by the Methodist ladies, the program was turned over to program sponsor J. S. Stanley who introduced R. J. Wheeler of the Amarillo Pantex Ordnance Plant public directions department. Mr. Wheeler provided an interesting program, with "cut-away" staples of 105mm shell and demolition bomb which the plant produces. He said the plant is now building 500 more houses for employees and that 200 men are badly needed on the reservation which covers 25 sections of land. He praised the work being done by women at Pantex and said they were doing all types of work excepting foremen's positions.

Visitors included two men in uniform, S/Sgt. Boyd Perkins, recently returned from overseas, and Claude Jackson, S 1/c just returned from Pacific action. F. F. Calhoun, Mr. O'Neil and Donald Reeves. Both servicemen expressed appreciation at being home and attending the meeting.

### RECENT VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Groves of Anson, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves and children of Wellington, were recent visitors here during the leave-visit of their son and brother, Noble Groves, Sk 1/c, from Davisville, R. I.

## Solomon Accepts Floydada Position

Henry Solomon, former owner and operator of the Modern Cleaners, has accepted a temporary position as postal clerk in the Floydada postoffice, it was learned here this week. Mrs. Solomon is assisting in the tailor shop here during the absence of Mrs. Raymond Steffey, who is with her husband at Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon have purchased a farm near Amarillo, but will continue to make Matador their home for the present. Their young son, Danny, is a pupil in the Matador grade school, and they plan to remain here at least until school is out for the summer.

## Electricity Now Serves Farm Homes

The promise by REA, of an energized highline by April 1, extending from Hall County into Motley County, has been met, despite material and labor shortages which delayed the project. This information was given by Elbert Reeves, Administrative Officer of the local AAA office, who revealed that the wire from the county line to the Willie Meyers place was energized early last week and that several homes have been wired and have electricity available.

While poles are up and the wire strung from Motley County line to Whiteflat, no wire has been strung across the river as yet. However, it was believed that this would be done by the middle of the week and that the current will then be turned on over the entire line, by the end of the week.

Mr. Reeves also stated that securing insulated wire for the extensions from the highline to the houses that have had utility extensions approved, will be difficult to obtain, since wire is scarce. Motley County has no available wire in the copper wire quota.

The public school system of Texas began under the administration of Gov. E. M. Pease in 1854.

## Cantata Inspiring To War-Wearry Throng

Pageant of inspiring beauty brought new hope to the hearts of war-weary throng that filled the Methodist church to capacity Sunday night in the presentation of an Easter cantata which included voices of both Baptist and Methodist choirs, and directed by Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Highest praise goes to Mrs. Hamilton in her direction and other work in production of the cantata. Unusual local talent was demonstrated in the presentation of songs, readings and musical accompaniment that would have been a credit to professional religious artists. While only two complete rehearsals were held before Sunday night, the entire cantata advanced with an even tempo that is usually achieved only after numerous rehearsals.

## Clothing Collection Goal Set

Motley county has a tentative goal of 15,000 pounds of used clothing as its share in the United National Clothing Collection, it was announced by county chairman W. F. Jacobs at the regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club, Tuesday. Mr. Jacobs said response was gaining momentum in collection of clothing to be shipped to needy men, women and children in war-ravaged countries. The national goal has been set at 150 million pounds. It is estimated that 125 million people in Europe alone, of which 30 million are children, are destitute.

Mr. Jacobs expressed his gratification at the general response which the appeal has received in the county and expressed confidence that the people of Motley county would exceed the quota when full momentum of the drive has been attained. All churches and schools are cooperating as well as civic organizations in the area.

The Motley county courthouse and the Fleming Post American Legion hall have been designated as official receiving depots where residents are asked to bring their used clothing, including overcoats, topcoats, children's and infants wear, suits, dresses, skirts, jackets, pants, work clothing, gloves, underwear, sleeping garments, robes, sweaters, shawls, all kinds of knit goods, blankets and bed clothes.

Boss Lion D. E. Pitts appointed a committee for classification and packing garments at the Tuesday meeting. Contributions to the collections should be made immediately. The drive closes April 30.

## Small Interest In Tuesday Election

Small interest was indicated in city alderman election here Tuesday when only 30 voters went to the polls to unanimously reelect Pat Sheridan, E. B. Jinkins and J. R. Berryman to city offices. Each candidate received 30 votes. The three aldermen were reelected for two years each. The election was held at the city hall fire station.

## Mrs. C. W. Eubank Is Accident Victim

Mrs. C. W. Eubank of Dallas, mother of the late Representative Paul Eubank, has been conveyed to her home at 5410 Reiger, from the hospital where she has been a patient the past month, it was learned recently by friends here.

Mrs. Eubank broke both legs and sustained injuries in the pelvis bone, in a fall from a street car about a month ago, informants reported.

Friends of Mrs. Eubank and her son will regret to learn of this misfortune.

## James Meador Is Slightly Wounded

Pfc. James J. Meador has been given the Purple Heart award for injuries received recently while in action in Germany, he has notified his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meador, which reached them before official notification from the war department.

Pfc. Meador wrote from a hospital base in England to advise his parents that he had been slightly wounded in the knee and was doing O. K.

## County Far Ahead Of Red Cross Goal

Motley county Red Cross chapter War Fund drive far exceeded the \$3,200 goal according to Randall Whitworth, treasurer, at the Matador Lions Club directors' breakfast held at the Magnolia cafe Monday morning. Mr. Whitworth said that total receipts of the drive were \$4,031.

Record of Texas in the campaign set a pace for the nation, according to a press dispatch released from St. Louis Red Cross headquarters. Of the 251 Texas chapters, 224 have equalled or exceeded their goals.

## OPA Meeting To Be Held April 9

Retailers of apparel, dry goods and house furnishings will meet at the Motley County War Price and Rationing Board office here April 9, at 8:15 p. m. to discuss with local board members and representatives from Lubbock district OPA, the new retail price regulation covering their items, according to an announcement received this week.

Discussion will center around the pricing chart which each merchant is required to file before April 20. The chart showing cost and selling prices of goods offered for sale on March 19th (base date), is declared to simplify the job of calculating ceiling prices. C. W. Giesecke is chairman of the price panel.

"It is urgent that every retailer concerned with this new regulation be present at the meeting," Mr. Giesecke declared, "for this will be the best opportunity to get any question concerning the new regulation settled."

## To Elect School Trustees Saturday

Motley county will elect new school trustees in various communities, Saturday, April 7. Election will be held in each of the independent, rural high school and common school districts. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

Matador Independent School district will name two trustees, election to be held at the city hall, according to announcement made yesterday. Candidates for the two vacancies are W. I. Rushing, R. E. Campbell Sr. and Dr. J. G. Ketchersid.

## Former Resident Killed In Action

Pfc. Clarence W. Caldwell, son of Victor M. Caldwell, Matador, was killed in action in the Pacific regions, according to an item appearing in Saturday's Lubbock Avalanche. No details of the casualty have been furnished the Tribune.

## Cold Snap Nips Panhandle Fruit

## Pfc. Turner Is Victim Of Wounds

Pfc. Harold J. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner of Flomot, died February 20, of wounds received two days earlier at Luzon in the battle of the Philippines, his parents have been advised by the War Department. Word of his being wounded was received by Mr. and Mrs. Turner about two weeks ago.

Pfc. Turner was born August 3, 1923 at Flomot, where he grew to young manhood. He graduated from Flomot High School in 1940. He had been in the army about two years, receiving training at Camp Roberts, California. He had been overseas since September 1, 1944.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a younger brother, Ray B. Turner, of Flomot, a sister, Mrs. Erma George, and two brothers in the armed forces, being Pvt. Richard Turner of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, and Pfc. Gordon Turner, in the European theater of combat.

## MEMORIAL RITES TO BE HELD FOR T. E. LONG, JR.

Memorial services have been announced for Sunday, April 15, at 3:30 p. m., honoring Ensign T. E. Long Jr., who lost his life in the Pacific combat area, February 19, 1944.

Rites will be held at the First Baptist church of Roaring Springs of which Ensign Long was a member, as were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long Sr., until their recent move to Matador.

Memorial address will be given by Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador.

## Sgt. Boyd Perkins Home From Europe

S/Sgt. Boyd Perkins arrived back in Motley county this week after 19 months overseas where he was attached to an anti-aircraft group in England, France and Germany. He had advanced with General Patton's army to a position near the Ruhr river when notified of his furlough. He said he left Germany about 30 days ago.

Sgt. Perkins had only the highest admiration for General Patton and said the sentiment was general among his men. He said none doubted the General's military ability. Sgt. Perkins said he would be here about 40 days.

## James H. Jameson Wounded In Action

Pvt. James H. Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jameson of Hale Center, former Whiteflat residents, is reported as "doing fine" in a hospital in Belgium after being seriously wounded in action in Germany Feb. 28. The letter telling of his condition was received March 6.

Pvt. Jameson has been awarded the Purple Heart for having been wounded in action.

## Turkey Takes Banner At Scout Honor Court

The Turkey Scout Troop carried off honors in the banner contest at District Court of Honor meeting which was held Thursday night, March 29, in the basement of the Matador Methodist Church. The greatest number of points per scout enrolled in a troop, determined the winner.

Large delegations of scouts, scouters and boosters were present from Turkey, Quitique and Flomot and several Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class and Merit Badges were awarded to visiting scouts as well as local members.

Announcement of awards and badges to Matador scouts, as made by scoutmaster, J. Tom Hamilton, is as follows:

## Mercury Drops To 25 Degrees Here

THE FLOWERING and fruited orchards in the Texas Panhandle were black and wilted Wednesday morning after the welcome sunshine brushed away the chill of a sudden blizzard that dropped the mercury as low as 10 degrees on the north plains.

Lubbock registered an official 19 degrees at 7:30 Wednesday morning. Canyon reported the lowest reading of 10 degrees while Amarillo registered 15, Clovis, New Mexico had 11 degrees and Midland 30. A report from Snyder to the Lubbock Avalanche - Journal declared that orchard owners were worried as the brief freeze dropped the mercury to 25 degrees there, where fruit crop prospects were the best in 15 years. Snow fell in Amarillo and Canyon Tuesday.

The April blizzard hit suddenly following one of the mildest winters in the memory of Motley county pioneers and found spring in full progress with peach, apricot, and pear trees fully fruited. Wild plum prospects were exceptionally good but it is believed most of the crop has been destroyed because of the low areas where they are usually found, suffering more from the freeze.

Light showers which fell late Tuesday afternoon are believed to have been of benefit in preventing a total loss of fruit in this immediate area. A high wind which continued through Tuesday night also lightened the effect of the sub-freezing weather but full extent of damage will not be known for several days. Some damage also resulted in young gardens but principal loss was confined to the fruit crop prospects.

## Former POW Visits Parents At Slaton

Message that T/5 Joseph Hough Jr., Slaton, route 2, who was among prisoners of war liberated by the Americans in Manila, was en route home from San Francisco by airplane was received by Lubbock county Red Cross chapter Friday.

Hough has been a patient in Letterman hospital at San Francisco and is receiving a 10-day delay enroute before reporting to McKinney for further treatment.

Hough enlisted in the Army in 1941 and went overseas after six weeks' training. He was captured March 7, 1942, and it was not until his liberation that his parents learned where he was. His name was listed in press reports and the family later received a wire from him through the office of Adj. Gen. J. A. Ullo. The father sent a 25-word cable to him, the first cable to a liberated prisoner of war in the Philippines handled through the Lubbock Red Cross office.

J. W., as he is known to many friends here, was graduated from Matador High School prior to his entry in the armed forces. His parents formerly made their home at Whiteflat before moving to Slaton.

Miss Zona Beth Faulkner of Childress, former teacher in the Matador schools, visited here Friday and Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Tittle, who spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Mrs. Robert Catching of Lorenzo, spent Easter holidays here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Verner.

Cub Scouts receiving the Wolf Badge award: Charles Keith with Gold Arrow; Ronald Hobbs with Gold Arrow; Dean Stotts with Gold Arrow; Cecil Wayne Shelton, with Gold Arrow; and John Gatewood, with Gold Arrow; Neal Pipkin, Pat Reeves, Jerry Warren, Bourland Keith and Gayland Odum.

Scouts: Nevada Cook, Tenderfoot Badge; Wayne Timmons and Joaquin Hays, Second Class Badge; Billy Ray Neighbors and Don Wason, Star Badge; Bob Harp, Billy Ray Neighbors and Don Wason, Merit Badge.

Next District Court of Honor meeting will be held with Flomot Troop, on Thursday night, April 28, Mr. Hamilton said.



**ERRATUM**

The Tribune desires to correct an error appearing in last week's issue regarding the forthcoming school trustee election scheduled for April 7. Candidate for county trustee at large should have been Elbert Reeves and M. S. Patton is candidate for Precinct one.

Also part of school trustee elections notice was inadvertently omitted which announced that one county trustee is to be elected for Commissioners Precinct one. The notice has been corrected in this issue.

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**CARD OF THANKS**

To our friends and neighbors, you were so kind, helpful and sympathetic during the illness and death of our loved one, we wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation. May God's rich blessings rest upon you, is our prayer.  
 Mrs. T. B. Peck and family.

**RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, who visited in Bullard and Tyler last week, was accompanied home Friday by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Russell Surles and Mr. Surles, of Tyler who remained for a visit in the Whitworth home, until Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Ed Burlison of Amarillo, was a recent visitor here with her daughter, Mrs. Lyman Campbell.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TRIBUNE.

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS TEACHER**

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist Sunday School entertained their teacher, Mrs. H. S. Watson with a birthday dinner in the home of Mrs. L. Rattan, Saturday, March 24th.

Many nice gifts were received by the honoree, and preceding the enjoyable dinner, thanks were given by Rev. A. C. Hardin, evangelist.

Guests present were: Rev. Hardin, Mr. Bee Nichols, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Verner, Messdames W. M. Clifton, Gene Perkins, T. E. Long, R. H. Eskridge, Joe Campbell, A. A. Tipton, L. E. Boshers, Charlie Morris, M. L. Patton, Mose Damron; Mrs. Bill McCaghen and daughter, Sue, the honoree, Mrs. Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Rattan.

**LOCAL ITEMS**

Miss Laverne Smallwood, of Liberal, Kansas, visited relatives and friends in Matador last week.

Mrs. L. R. Bishop, accompanied by Mrs. Violet Cudd of Floydada, visited in Plainview Wednesday of last week.

Judge G. E. Hamilton made a business trip to Quanah, Monday. Mrs. Hamilton accompanied him to Childress, where she visited her sister for the day.

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

Mrs. Beatrice Hickman is visiting in Ft. Sumner, New Mexico with her father-in-law, J. I. Hickman, who, accompanied by his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hickman, were week-end visitors here in the E. L. Smallwood home.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson over the week-end, were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Whiteface.

Let's all buy a bunch of bonds, to buy a bunch of bombs, to bomb a bunch of bums. Think that over then say it fast—then buy a bond.

**NOTICE**

**STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING**

Annual meeting of the Farmers Cooperative Association will be held in Matador, Saturday, April 7, 1945, at the District Court room Motley county courthouse.

A special feature of this meeting will be motion pictures showing mechanical cottonpickers in operation. You are invited and urged to attend.

**FARMERS COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION**

H. C. Duncan, Mgr.

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**MUST SELL** by March 31, fully equipped blacksmith shop in Paducah, as a whole or by parts contact Mrs. June Watts.

**FOR SALE**—Gasoline motor for Maytag machine. Rev. H. G. Verner, Matador. p1t

**IN THE SERVICE**

Cpl. William Keith Patton has returned to Dallas, after a fifteen day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton. His address is: Hq. 1st. AAC. S. Wg Love Field, Dallas, Texas.

Pvt. Ollie J. Lawrence, who has been in training at Camp Wolters, Texas, is visiting here on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lawrence. He is enroute to Fort George G. Meade, Md.

**Easter Cantata . . .**

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Shelton, and trio by Messdames Laughlin, Spray and Jacobs) "Worship of the Risen Christ" choir with soprano solo by Mrs. Laughlin).

The service will come to a close with "The Easter Benediction" by the choir.

Directing the cantata is Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, with Miss Roberta Jameson, accompanist, and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, reader. Other members of the choir are: Messdames Margaret Newman, Annie Tudor, C. W. Norrid, J. L. Woodruff, Claude Wilson; Misses Amy Glenn, Thressia Godfrey, Rachel Patton and Rosa Jo McDuff and Messrs. J. R. Whitworth, Vernon Doss, Roy Reeves and M. E. Berg. The Hymn Choir is composed of Misses Dorothy Woodruff, June Black, Mildred Roberts, Ernestine McWilliams, Mary Murphy, Anne Harp, Mary Helen Stephens, Dorothy Traweeck, Jolene Bloodworth and Rosemary Bloodworth.

**MOVE TO MULESHOE**

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn of Lockney, former Matador residents, have moved to Muleshoe, Texas, where Rev. Vaughn is filling a vacancy as pastor in the Methodist church made by the recent death of the former pastor, Rev. T. C. Willett. Rev. Vaughn was pastor of the Methodist church here for several years.

**KATE SMITH asked to write this message on Saving Used Fats!**

"The help of every woman is needed in saving used fats for hundreds of battlefront and home-front essentials. But some of us don't know all the ways we can do it. Here are a few points I've found helpful."—Kate Smith



**MANY WOMEN SAY: "But I never have fats left over."**

Certainly it's good economy to re-use your fats. . . but there's always some left over even after that. . . and that little is more important than you can imagine. Only one tablespoonful of used fat will help make 5 machine-gun bullets. So there just can't ever be too little to save! Come on, everybody, scrape your broiling pan, your roaster, skillet. Save meat trimmings and scraps of fat left on plates.



**OTHERS TELL ME: "But my fats are often too dark to turn."**

It doesn't make a mite of difference how dark or blackened . . . or what smelly things like onion or fish you've cooked in your fat. Every drop of it will help make parachutes, synthetic rubber, scraps for the fighting and war fronts. Don't feel ashamed to hand it in to your butcher. If you save every bit of fat you possibly can, you're doing a job to be proud of!



**THEN YOU HEAR: "But what sort of container will I use?"**

Any kind of tin can will do. The next time you open a can of fruit or juice or soup or vegetables, save it. But please don't use glass. . . it almost always breaks and makes the fat difficult to salvage. When the can is full, take it to your butcher. For every pound, you'll get 2 red points. If you have any difficulty disposing of your fats, call your Home Demonstration or County Agent.

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REPORT OF CONDITION OF

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ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts (including \$296.41 overdrafts)	\$1,124.00
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	200.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	17.50
Corporate stocks (including \$2250.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	23.50
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	486.00
Bank premises owned \$1,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	1.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
Other assets	2.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,833.00</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individual, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,528.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	143.50
Deposits of United States Government (including postal saving)	37.50
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,709.00</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated)</b>	<b>\$1,709.00</b>
Obligation shown below	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital	\$ 37.50
Surplus	\$ 37.50
Undivided profits	\$ 486.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 961.00</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,833.00</b>
*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$37.50	
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$180.00
(e) TOTAL	\$180.00
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	\$160.00
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law but not secured by pledge of assets	20.00
(e) TOTAL	\$180.00

I, Elmer Stearns, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the foregoing statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELMER STEARNS  
 Correct-Attest: C. D. Bird  
 Harry H. Campbell  
 Ralph Stapleton

State of Texas, County of Motley  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me  
 27th day of March, 1945  
 Lila Meador  
 Notary Public



## RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



written deep on the walls  
and on the little tablets  
of hearts that we have  
for hurting only those  
we us.

blossoms of wild plums,  
lilac and the timid, yellow  
transport the spring  
cross a river of twilight to  
eternity of night. Past  
equities and low hills, past  
convoy of lost clouds,  
lashed silver moon follows  
like the memory of  
other: tranquil splendor  
in the sky.

have piled their debris  
morning we felt the  
of hand-clasp in parting.  
of curly, red hair, spiked  
silver, fell across his brow.  
was a mist in his eye, his  
aded and the door closed.  
covers the small mounds  
empty post holes for his  
fenced dreams. The cool  
of his ambition is lost for-  
and the music of his voice  
ed in fragile threads of  
memories.

relative memory training  
effective in cases less  
than mine, but I can never  
ber the word or object  
which I am to associate the  
I have forgotten. Besides  
remember where I left  
k that was guaranteed to  
e of my habit of forgetful-

shoe rationing effecting  
more than the women rel-  
the old rancher's test of  
a man would not be too  
He always looked at the  
of the applicant's shoes and  
y were well worn, the  
of a job were enhanced.  
tentated that too many men  
too much time off of their

her advantage enjoyed by  
tribes was the abundance  
fillo steaks, cut thick and  
available without borrow-  
neighbor's red stamps.

og custard pie is like lis-  
to most political speeches.  
g of satisfaction remains  
the experience is completed.

aps the eternal dews on the  
t plains of Valhalla are  
the flocks of the star-  
point horse I used to ride  
ool. Many years have blown  
the sails of time since that  
day I watched the horse-  
drive him into the herd of  
d culs that plodded the  
in listless animation. It  
be of no avail, still I har-  
fancy that the freshness of  
d precious dreams would  
if I could ride the paint  
The hazard of disappoint-  
would be less if I wore fad-  
e overalls and rode bare-  
a summer twilight with  
red gold clouds overhead  
attered rain drops pelting  
et I would want to twine  
ngers in the pony's silken  
mane and watch the fro-  
lightning dart through the  
and gold mountains of

em grows to a state of  
er when its roots are deep  
rich soil of perpetual dig-

awn has the exact features  
e which have preceded it  
a fresh challenge to the  
which would cut from the  
of achievement, a new and  
five pattern.

is the alchemy in which  
eld creates its small nug-  
g progress. Man suffers to  
ve new horizons and perishes  
his life has attained the de-  
of comfort which leaves his

nth is in the soil and lilacs  
other planted are blooming  
Each spring they return  
the same sweetness that al-  
seems vested with her  
Perhaps their fragrance  
nt known in the gardens  
bed.

## Featured Speaker Here April 13th



GUEST speaker for the seventh annual Mothers-Daughters banquet to be held here Friday night, April 13th, will be Mrs. J. L. Adams, above, of Crosbyton, who is president of the 14th District Parent-Teachers Association. Mrs. Adams is recognized as a leader in parent-teacher work in West Texas. In 1941 she was awarded a life membership in the Parent-Teacher Texas Congress by the Crosbyton unit in appreciation for her work.

Mrs. Adams will have as her subject, "Hands", at the banquet, according to Mrs. Tom Tilson, president of the Matador unit. Ticket sales have been in progress for the past week and final plans for the meeting are about completed.

## Clothes To Admit Lions To Meeting

Wearing apparel besides that which they are wearing will admit Matador Lions Club members to the Ladies night meeting to be held at the Methodist church basement, Tuesday night, April 17. Each Lions member must bring five pounds of used clothing to the meeting or fail to gain entrance. His lady guest will be admitted free. The plan, adopted at the regular meeting of the club held in the Methodist church basement, Tuesday, is in cooperation with the United National Used Clothing Collection, of which Lion W. F. Jacobs is county chairman. Tail Twister H. H. Courtney intimated that any Lion attempting to gain entrance to the meeting without bringing five pounds of used clothing, might leave without the shirt he is wearing.

### Interesting Pantex Program

Following the splendid luncheon served by the Methodist ladies, the program was turned over to program sponsor J. S. Stanley who introduced R. J. Wheeler of the Amarillo Pantex Ordnance Plant public directions department. Mr. Wheeler provided an interesting program, with "cut-away" staples of 105mm shell and demolition bomb which the plant produces. He said the plant is now building 500 more houses for employees and that 200 men are badly needed on the reservation which covers 25 sections of land. He praised the work being done by women at Pantex and said they were doing all types of work excepting foremen's positions.

Visitors included two men in uniform, S/Sgt. Boyd Perkins, recently returned from overseas, and Claude Jackson, S. I. e. just returned from Pacific action. F. F. Calhoun, Mr. O'Neil and Donald Reeves. Both servicemen expressed appreciation at being home and attending the meeting.

### RECENT VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Groves of Anson, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves and children of Wellington, were recent visitors here during the leave-visit of their son and brother, Noble Groves, Sk 1/4 from Davisville, R. I.

## Solomon Accepts Floydada Position

Henry Solomon, former owner and operator of the Modern Cleaners, has accepted a temporary position as postal clerk in the Floydada postoffice, it was learned here this week. Mrs. Solomon is assisting in the tailor shop here during the absence of Mrs. Raymond Steffy, who is with her husband at Quamah.

Mr. and Mrs. Solomon have purchased a farm near Amarillo, but will continue to make Matador their home for the present. Their young son, Danny, is a pupil in the Matador grade school, and they plan to remain here at least until school is out for the summer.

## Electricity Now Serves Farm Homes

The promise by REA, of an energized highline by April 1, extending from Hall County into Motley County, has been met, despite material and labor shortages which delayed the project. This information was given by Elbert Reeves, Administrative Officer of the local AAA office, who revealed that the wire from the county line to the Willie Meyers place was energized early last week and that several homes have been wired and have electricity available.

While poles are up and the wire strung from Motley County line to Whiteflat, no wire has been strung across the river as yet. However, it was believed that this would be done by the middle of the week and that the current will then be turned on over the entire line, by the end of the week.

Mr. Reeves also stated that securing insulated wire for the extensions from the highline to the houses that have had utility extensions approved, will be difficult to obtain, since wire is scarce. Motley County has no available wire in the copper wire quota.

The public school system of Texas began under the administration of Gov. E. M. Pease in 1854.

## Cantata Inspiring To War-Weary Throng

Pageant of inspiring beauty brought new hope to the hearts of war-weary throng that filled the Methodist church to capacity Sunday night in the presentation of an Easter cantata which included voices of both Baptist and Methodist choirs, and directed by Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Highest praise goes to Mrs. Hamilton in her direction and other work in production of the cantata. Unusual local talent was demonstrated in the presentation of songs, readings and musical accompaniment that would have been a credit to professional religious artists. While only two complete rehearsals were held before Sunday night, the entire cantata advanced with an even tempo that is usually achieved only after numerous rehearsals.

## Clothing Collection Goal Set

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Mr. Jacobs expressed his gratification at the general response which the appeal has received in the county and expressed confidence that the people of Motley county would exceed the quota when full momentum of the drive has been attained. All churches and schools are cooperating as well as civic organizations in the area.

The Motley county courthouse and the Fleming Post American Legion hall have been designated as official receiving depots where residents are asked to bring their used clothing, including overcoats, topcoats, children's and infants wear, suits, dresses, skirts, jackets, pants, work clothing, gloves, underwear, sleeping garments, robes, sweaters, shawls, all kinds of knit goods, blankets and bed clothes.

Boss Lion D. E. Pitts appointed a committee for classification and packing garments at the Tuesday meeting. Contributions to the collections should be made immediately. The drive closes April 30.

## Small Interest In Tuesday Election

Small interest was indicated in city alderman election here Tuesday when only 30 voters went to the polls to unanimously reelect Pat Sheridan, E. B. Jinkins and J. R. Berryman to city offices. Each candidate received 30 votes. The three aldermen were reelected for two years each. The election was held at the city hall fire station.

## Mrs. C. W. Eubank Is Accident Victim

Mrs. C. W. Eubank of Dallas, mother of the late Representative Paul Eubank, has been conveyed to her home at 5410 Reizer, from the hospital where she has been a patient the past month, it was learned recently by friends here. Mrs. Eubank broke both legs and sustained injuries in the pelvis bone, in a fall from a street car about a month ago, informants reported.

Friends of Mrs. Eubank and her son will regret to learn of this misfortune.

## James Meador Is Slightly Wounded

Pfc. James J. Meador has been given the Purple Heart award for injuries received recently while in action in Germany, it has notified his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meador, which reached them before official notification from the war department.

Pfc. Meador wrote from a hospital base in England to advise his parents that he had been slightly wounded in the knee and was doing O. K.

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## County Far Ahead Of Red Cross Goal

Motley county Red Cross chapter War Fund drive far exceeded the \$3,200 goal according to Randall Whitworth, treasurer, at the Matador Lions Club directors' breakfast held at the Magnolia cafe Monday morning. Mr. Whitworth said that total receipts of the drive were \$4,031.

Record of Texas in the campaign set a pace for the nation, according to a press dispatch released from St. Louis Red Cross headquarters. Of the 251 Texas chapters, 224 have equalled or exceeded their goals.

## OPA Meeting To Be Held April 9

Retailers of apparel, dry goods and house furnishings will meet at the Motley County War Price and Rationing Board office here April 9, at 8:15 p. m. to discuss with local board members and representatives from Lubbock district OPA, the new retail price regulation covering their items, according to an announcement received this week.

Discussion will center around the pricing chart which each merchant is required to file before April 20. The chart showing cost and selling prices of goods offered for sale on March 19th (base date), is declared to simplify the job of calculating ceiling prices. C. W. Giesecke is chairman of the price panel.

"It is urgent that every retailer concerned with this new regulation be present at the meeting," Mr. Giesecke declared, "for this will be the best opportunity to get any question concerning the new regulation settled."

## To Elect School Trustees Saturday

Motley county will elect new school trustees in various communities, Saturday, April 7. Election will be held in each of the independent, rural high school and common school districts. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Matador Independent School district will name two trustees, election to be held at the city hall, according to announcement made yesterday. Candidates for the two vacancies are W. I. Rushing, R. E. Campbell Sr. and Dr. J. G. Ketchersid.

## Former Resident Killed In Action

Pfc. Clarence W. Caldwell, son of Victor M. Caldwell, Matador, was killed in action in the Pacific regions, according to an item appearing in Saturday's Lubbock Avalanche. No details of the casualty have been furnished the Tribune.

## Cold Snap Nips Panhandle Fruit

## Pfc. Turner Is Victim Of Wounds

Pfc. Harold J. Turner, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner of Flomot, died February 20, of wounds received two days earlier at Luzon in the battle of the Philippines, his parents have been advised by the War Department. Word of his being wounded was received by Mr. and Mrs. Turner about two weeks ago.

Pfc. Turner was born August 3, 1923 at Flomot, where he grew to young manhood. He graduated from Flomot High School in 1940. He had been in the army about two years, receiving training at Camp Roberts, California. He had been overseas since September 1, 1944.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by a younger brother, Ray B. Turner, of Flomot, a sister, Mrs. Erma George, and two brothers in the armed forces, being Pvt. Richard Turner of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, and Pfc. Gordon Turner, in the European theater of combat.

## MEMORIAL RITES TO BE HELD FOR T. E. LONG, JR.

Memorial services have been announced for Sunday, April 15, at 3:30 p. m., honoring Ensign T. E. Long Jr., who lost his life in the Pacific combat area, February 19, 1944.

Rites will be held at the First Baptist church of Roaring Springs of which Ensign Long was a member, as were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long Sr., until their recent move to Matador. Memorial address will be given by Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador.

## Sgt. Boyd Perkins Home From Europe

S/Sgt. Boyd Perkins arrived back in Motley county this week after 19 months overseas where he was attached to an anti-aircraft group in England, France and Germany. He had advanced with General Patton's army to a position near the Ruhr river when notified of his furlough. He said he left Germany about 30 days ago.

Sgt. Perkins had only the highest admiration for General Patton and said the sentiment was general among his men. He said none doubted the General's military ability. Sgt. Perkins said he would be here about 40 days.

## James H. Jameson Wounded In Action

Pvt. James H. Jameson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jameson of Hale Center, former Whiteflat resident, is reported as "doing fine" in a hospital in Belgium after being seriously wounded in action in Germany Feb. 28. The letter telling of his condition was received March 6.

Pvt. Jameson has been awarded the Purple Heart for having been wounded in action.

## Turkey Takes Banner At Scout Honor Court

The Turkey Scout Troop carried off honors in the banner contest at District Court of Honor meeting which was held Thursday night, March 29, in the basement of the Matador Methodist Church. The greatest number of points per scout enrolled in a troop, determined the winner.

Large delegations of scouts, scouters and boosters were present from Turkey, Quitque and Flomot and several Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class and Merit Badges were awarded to visiting scouts as well as local members.

Announcement of awards and badges to Matador scouts, as made by scoutmaster, J. Tom Hamilton, is as follows:

## Mercury Drops To 25 Degrees Here

THE FLOWERING and fruited orchards in the Texas Panhandle were black and wilted Wednesday morning after the welcome sunshine brushed away the chill of a sudden blizzard that dropped the mercury as low as 10 degrees on the north plains.

Lubbock registered an official 19 degrees at 7:30 Wednesday morning. Canyon reported the lowest reading of 10 degrees while Amarillo registered 15, Clovis, New Mexico had 11 degrees and Midland 30. A report from Snyder to the Lubbock Avalanche - Journal declared that orchard owners were worried as the brief freeze dropped the mercury to 25 degrees there, where fruit crop prospects were the best in 15 years. Snow fell in Amarillo and Canyon Tuesday.

The April blizzard hit suddenly following one of the mildest winters in the memory of Motley county pioneers and found spring in full progress with peach, apricot, and pear trees fully fruited. Wild plum prospects were exceptionally good but it is believed most of the crop has been destroyed because of the low areas where they are usually found, suffering more from the freeze.

Light showers which fell late Tuesday afternoon are believed to have been of benefit in preventing a total loss of fruit in this immediate area. A high wind which continued through Tuesday night also lightened the effect of the sub-freezing weather but full extent of damage will not be known for several days. Some damage also resulted in young gardens but principal loss was confined to the fruit crop prospects.

## Former POW Visits Parents At Slaton

Message that T/5 Joseph Hough Jr., Slaton, route 2, who was among prisoners of war liberated by the Americans in Manila, was en route home from San Francisco by airplane was received by Lubbock county Red Cross chapter Friday.

Hough has been a patient in Letterman hospital at San Francisco and is receiving a 10-day delay enroute before reporting to McKinney for further treatment.

Hough enlisted in the Army in 1941 and went overseas after six weeks' training. He was captured March 7, 1942, and it was not until his liberation that his parents learned where he was. His name was listed in press reports and the family later received a wire from him through the office of Adj. Gen. J. A. Ullo. The father sent a 25-word cable to him, the first cable to a liberated prisoner of war in the Philippines handled through the Lubbock Red Cross office.

J. W., as he is known to many friends here, was graduated from Matador High School prior to his entry in the armed forces. His parents formerly made their home at Whiteflat before moving to Slaton.

Miss Zona Beth Faulkner of Childress, former teacher in the Matador schools, visited here Friday and Saturday. She was accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Tittle, who spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Mrs. Robert Catching of Lorenzo, spent Easter holidays here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Verner.

Cub Scouts receiving the Wolf Badge award: Charles Keith with Gold Arrow; Ronald Hobbs with Gold Arrow; Dean Stotts with Gold Arrow; Cecil Wayne Shelton, with Gold Arrow; and John Gatewood, with Gold Arrow; Neal Pipkin, Pat Reeves, Jerry Warren, Bourland Keith and Gayland Odum.

Scouts: Nevada Cook, Tenderfoot Badge; Wayne Timmons and Joaquin Hays, Second Class Badge; Billy Ray Neighbors and Don Wason, Star Badge; Bob Harp, Billy Ray Neighbors and Don Wason, Merit Badge.

Next District Court of Honor meeting will be held with Flomot Troop, on Thursday night, April 26, Mr. Hamilton said.



**ERRATUM**

The Tribune desires to correct an error appearing in last week's issue regarding the forthcoming school trustee election scheduled for April 7. Candidate for county trustee at large should have been Elbert Reeves and M. S. Patton is candidate for Precinct one.

Also part of school trustee elections notice was inadvertently omitted which announced that one county trustee is to be elected for Commissioners Precinct one. The notice has been corrected in this issue.

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To our friends and neighbors, you were so kind, helpful and sympathetic during the illness and death of our loved one, we wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation. May God's rich blessings rest upon you, is our prayer.  
 Mrs. T. B. Peck and family.

**RETURNS HOME**

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, who visited in Bullard and Tyler last week, was accompanied home Friday by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Russell Surles and Mr. Surles, of Tyler who remained for a visit in the Whitworth home, until Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Ed Burselon of Amarillo, was a recent visitor here with her daughter, Mrs. Lyman Campbell.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE TRIBUNE

**BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORS TEACHER**

The T. E. L. class of the Baptist Sunday School entertained their teacher, Mrs. H. S. Watson with a birthday dinner in the home of Mrs. L. Rattan, Saturday, March 24th.

Many nice gifts were received by the honoree, and preceding the enjoyable dinner, thanks were given by Rev. A. C. Hardin, evangelist.

Guests present were: Rev. Hardin, Mr. Bee Nichols, Rev. and Mrs. H. G. Verner, Mesdames W. M. Clifton, Gene Perkins, T. E. Long, R. H. Eskridge, Joe Campbell, A. A. Tipton, L. E. Boshers, Charlie Morris, M. L. Patton, Mose Damron; Mrs. Bill McCaghen and daughter, Sue, the honoree, Mrs. Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Rattan.

**WANT ADS**

**PIANOS**—Spinets, Small and Medium Uprights, New Mirror Pianos, also benches available. **MARY E. SPENCE MUSIC STORE**, 1026 B. West 6th, Amarillo; 710 Broadway, Plainview.

**FOR SALE** Almost new, perfect condition hammer feed mill. See P. L. Marshall. p2t

**SEED** peanuts, hand picked, Tennessee Red, \$5.00 per bushel. Leonard Crowell, Flomot. u.f.n.

**MUST SELL** by March 31, fully equipped blacksmith shop in Paducah, as a whole or by parts contact Mrs. June Watts.

**FOR SALE**—Gasoline motor for Maytag machine. Rev. H. G. Verner, Matador. p1t

**IN THE SERVICE**

**Cpl. William Keith Patton** has returned to Dallas, after a fifteen day furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton. His address is: Hq. 1st. AACS. Wg Love Field, Dallas, Texas.

**Pvt. Ollie J. Lawrence**, who has been in training at Camp Wolters, Texas, is visiting here on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lawrence. He is en route to Fort George G. Meade, Md.

**LOCAL ITEMS**

Miss Laverne Smallwood, of Liberal, Kansas, visited relatives and friends in Matador last week.

Mrs. L. R. Bishop, accompanied by Mrs. Violet Cudd of Floydada, visited in Plainview Wednesday of last week.

Judge G. E. Hamilton made a business trip to Quanah, Monday.

Mrs. Hamilton accompanied him to Childress, where she visited her sister for the day.

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

Mrs. Beatrice Hickman is visiting in Ft. Sumner, New Mexico with her father-in-law, J. I. Hickman, who, accompanied by his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hickman, were week-end visitors here in the E. L. Smallwood home.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson over the week-end, were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thompson and brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Whiteface.

Let's all buy a bunch of bonds, to buy a bunch of bombs, to bomb a bunch of bums. Think that over—then say it fast—then buy a bond.

**NOTICE**

**STOCKHOLDERS ANNUAL MEETING**  
 Annual meeting of the Farmers Cooperative Association will be held in Matador, Saturday, April 7, 1945, at the District Court room Motley county courthouse.

A special feature of this meeting will be motion pictures showing mechanical cottonpickers in operation. You are invited and urged to attend.

**FARMERS COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION**  
 H. C. Duncan, Mgr.

**Easter Cantata . . .**

(CONTINUED FROM PAGE ONE)  
 Shelton, and trio by Mesdames Laughlin, Spray and Jacobs. "Worship of the Risen Christ" choir with soprano solo by Mrs. Laughlin.

The service will come to a close with "The Easter Benediction" by the choir.

Directing the cantata is Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, with Miss Roberta Jameson, accompanist, and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, reader. Other members of the choir are: Mesdames Margaret Newman, Annie Tudor, C. W. Norrid, J. L. Woodruff, Claude Wilson; Misses Any Glenn, Thressia Godfrey, Rachel Patton and Rosa Jo McDuff and Messrs. J. R. Whitworth, Vernon Doss, Roy Reeves and M. E. Berg. The Hymn Choir is composed of Misses Dorothy Woodruff, June Black, Mildred Roberts, Ernestine McWilliams, Mary Murphy, Anne Harp, Mary Helen Stephens, Dorothy Trawick, Jolene Bloodworth and Rosemary Bloodworth.

**MOVE TO MULESHOE**

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn of Lockney, former Matador residents, have moved to Muleshoe, Texas, where Rev. Vaughn is filling a vacancy as pastor in the Methodist church made by the recent death of the former pastor, Rev. T. C. Willett. Rev. Vaughn was pastor of the Methodist church here for several years.

**KATE SMITH asked to write this message on Saving Used Fats!**

"The help of every woman is needed in saving used fats for hundreds of battlefield and home-front essentials. But some of us don't know all the ways we can do it. Here are a few points I've found helpful."—Kate Smith



**MANY WOMEN SAY:** "But I never have fats left over." Certainly it's good economy to re-use your fats...but there's always some left over even after that...and that little is more important than you can imagine. Only one tablespoonful of used fat will help make 5 machine-gun bullets. So there just can't ever be too little to save! Come on, everybody, scrape your broiling pan, your roaster, skillet. Save meat trimmings and scraps of fat left on plates.



**OTHERS TELL ME:** "But my fats are often too dark to turn." It doesn't make a mite of difference how dark or blackened...or what smelly things like onion or fish you've cooked in your fat. Every drop of it will help make parachutes, synthetic rubber, soaps for the fighting and war fronts. Don't feel ashamed to hand it in to your butcher. If you save every bit of fat you possibly can, you're doing a job to be proud of!



**THEN YOU HEAR:** "But what sort of container will I use?" Any kind of tin can will do. The next time you open a can of fruit or juice or soup or vegetables, save it. But please don't use glass...it almost always breaks and makes the fat difficult to salvage. When the can is full, take it to your butcher. For every pound, you'll get 2 red points. If you have any difficulty disposing of your fats, call your Home Demonstration or County Agent.

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STATE NO. 219 REPORT OF CONDITION OF RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 1

**FIRST STATE BANK**

Of Matador, Texas, At The Close Of Business March 20th, 1945, a State Bank Institution Organized and Operating Under The Banking Laws Of This State And A Member Of The Federal Reserve System. Published in Accordance with A Call Made By The State Banking Authorities And By The Federal Reserve Bank Of This District.

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts (including \$296.41 overdrafts)	\$1,134,000.00
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	200,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	10,000.00
Corporate stocks (including \$2250.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	1,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	486,000.00
Bank premises owned \$1,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	1,001.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1,000.00
Other assets	1,000.00
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,833,001.00</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individual, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,528,400.00
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	143,000.00
Deposits of United States Government (including postal saving)	161,601.00
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,709,001.00</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated)</b>	<b>\$1,709,001.00</b>
Obligation shown below	
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital *	\$ 37,500.00
Surplus	37,500.00
Undivided profits	49,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 124,000.00</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,833,001.00</b>
*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with total par value of \$37,500.00	
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	\$180,000.00
(e) TOTAL	\$180,000.00
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	
(d) Deposits preferred under provisions of law secured by pledge of assets	\$100,000.00
(e) TOTAL	\$100,000.00

I, Elmer Stearns, Cashier, of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ELMER STEARNS  
 Correct-Attest: C. D. Bird  
 Harry H. Campbell  
 Ralph Stapleton

State of Texas, County of Motley  
 Sworn to and subscribed before me  
 27th day of March, 1945  
 Lila Meador  
 Notary Public

(Notary's seal)



## Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. M. E. Keahey and Miss Rena Keahey spent the week-end visiting relatives in Wichita Falls.

L. B. Boling underwent an appendectomy in the Veteran's Hospital at Amarillo, Monday and reported rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Parsons of Albuquerque, N. M., were visitors here Saturday.

Mrs. Cecil Swim of Amarillo. visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nichols had as Easter visitors in their home, their sons, Claudius Nichols of Acme, Jack Nichols of White Deer, and daughter, Mrs. Rita Groves and children of Canyon, Mrs. Birdie Nell Green and daughter, of Dickens and Mrs. Madge Renfro and son, of Dickens.

Mrs. W. A. Conway returned Saturday from Dallas, where she visited her sisters the past few weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. Berry Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Force spent Sunday visiting near Turkey.

S/Sgt. Francis Turner, who has been in the Philippines and South Pacific the past 20 months, is

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## In the Armed Service

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE FIGHTER STATION, England—Warrant Officer (Jr) Deward T. Amonett, of Flomot, Texas, has been serving in the European Theater of Operations for 13 months, the past year as assistant technical supply officer with a service squadron supporting the P-51 Mustang 364th Fighter Group. He entered the Army Air station at Lubbock Army Air field until May, 1943, when he was assigned to his present unit at Ardmore, Okla. In 1942, he attended the Signal Supply school at Kelly Field, Tex., for two months. A graduate of Flomot High school and a student at Texas Tech for three years, he was appointed a warrant officer on April 28, 1943. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Amonett, live at Flomot.

Dear Ben:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am well and doing fine as can be expected. I have neglected writing you since arriving overseas a few months ago, but will try to make up for it in the future.

I am spending a week with my cousin James. I have been here five days and don't go back to my base for two more days. We have certainly been having a swell time together. We are stationed seventy five miles apart, and this is the second time we have gotten to be together in the past two months. We were planning on spending a week together on the Isle of Capri, in April, but my flying is to interfere with that, so we will have to put it off until sometime later on.

Due to you, and the swell people of Texas and Motley County, I have been receiving the Tribune regularly, and enjoy reading every line of it. I only hope the other boys that are in different theaters, have as much luck as I, in receiving the paper, and also all my other mail. There have been very few days since I have been over here that I have missed receiving at least one letter. Now a word from James.

I must confirm Arthur's statement that we are really having a good time. You can't imagine how nice it is to visit someone you know, especially a relative, over here. The many thanks that he has expressed in regards to the Tribune apply to me also. The paper is really welcome.

Your friends,  
(S/Sgt. Arthur J. Harmon, and  
Pvt. James Harmon A. P. O. #  
Postmaster, New York N. Y.

Changes of address were furnished last week for Cpl. Milford Cooper and Cpl. Lindell Cooper, both receiving their mail at an A. P. O. in care of the postmaster, New York.

Pvt. Emmitt G. Lawrence, overseas and receiving his mail at an A. P. O. in care of the Post Master in New York, has a slight change in address.

Mrs. Myrtle A. Campbell has received a V-mail letter from her son, Pfc. Joe E. Campbell, giving further details of his recent injuries received on the battlefield in Germany. Writing from a hospital base in Belgium, Pfc. Campbell advised his mother that

visiting his wife and daughter in Roaring Springs. Mrs. Turner is the former Willie McBride.

Wanda Miller, student at N. T. S. T. C. Denton, spent the Easter holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller.

Jimmy Keahey of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent Sunday visiting his mother, Mrs. Maggie Keahey.

Charlene Giesecke, student at West Texas State College, Canyon, spent the Easter holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke.

he was wounded in the left foot when he stepped on a bomb which had exploded.

A/C Harold D. Jameson has been transferred from Douglas, Arizona, to Amarillo, where his address is: A/C Student Det. Sqd. M., Class 325-5-B. Amarillo Army Air Field.

F/O Albert K. Schweitzer, has been transferred from Laughlin Field, Del Rio, to Randolph Field, Texas, at the following address: Unit Post Office No. 1, Bks. A. (C. I. S.) Address of Enns. William H. Schweitzer, operating from a base in the Pacific, was also changed the past week.

Easter Greetings from the Marlans, were received by V-Mail from Lt. H. W. Amick last week. Art work on the greeting was a caricature of an Easter bunny astride bomb eggs inscribed with "Greetings to Honorable Japs" and "Easter Eggs for Tojo".

Address of Pvt. Edmond P. Sheridan Jr., who was recently sent to Santa Fe, N. M., upon his return from the Pacific, is: Ward C-7, Gruns General Hospital.

Cpl. Thomas A. Marshall is now stationed at McCook, Nebr., at the following address: 989th Eng. Sq. 559th Ser. Gp. McCook AAF.

Sgt. T. D. Rochelle has a recent change in address, receiving his mail at an A. P. O. in care of the Postmaster, New York.

Frank J. Pohl, Y3c, has the following change in address: Gen. Del. U. S. N. A. B. P. D. Group 369, San Bruno, California.

Truett S. Rattan, C. Sp., has returned to the states after several months duty in the South Pacific, according to a message received this week by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan. A new address was received for their other son, Pfc. Raymond A. A. Rattan, whose mail goes in care of the postmaster, New York.

Pfc. Tom Tilson Jr., of Camp Wolters, accompanied by his wife and small daughter, Judy Lynn, of Dallas, were Easter visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson.

Samuel R. McGowen of Flomot, was recently promoted to the rank of staff sergeant, according to information received this week.

Claud Jackson Jr., S 1/C arrived home Thursday from the west coast for a 26 day visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Jackson. He has been on duty in the Pacific for the past several months.

Pvt. John C. Adams, who has been in training at Wendover Field, Utah, was discharged from service, February 14, according to recent information received.

A new address has been furnished for T/5 W. H. Plemons, at an overseas A.P.O. number in care of the postmaster, New York.

New addresses have been furnished for Cpl. Luther B. Green and Pfc. James C. Green Jr. with A.P.O. numbers in care of the postmaster, New York.

## Home Clean-Up Program Advised

A good old fashioned spring house cleaning in every city and community in Texas would do a great deal toward furthering good health in this state, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, who said in Austin today, "From a practical standpoint the old adage that 'Cleanliness is next to Godliness' is still well worth emphasizing."

A general clean-up program of state-wide proportions with the objectives of bettering health conditions for our citizenship should include surface cleaning, drainage, the graveling of streets and alleys, the cleaning of all parks and playgrounds and the clearing of weeds and rubbish off of vacant lots.

"The destruction of mesquite breeding places and fire hazards, the proper disposal of garbage and trash and the general cleaning up of all premises will be," said Dr. Cox, "of inestimable value in helping to keep down summer health hazards. Good community housekeeping and ordinary sanitary measures require the prompt removal of all waste matter in and around yards and homes in order to abate the danger of disease."

"Such a clean-up program will also eliminate fire hazards, which in itself may help to avoid property damage or deaths by fire."

The latest craze isn't always found in the asylum.

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to relieve the pressure of large intestines on nerves and organs of the digestive tract. Adlerika assists old food wastes and gas through a comfortable bowel movement so that bowels return to normal size and the discomforts of pressure stop. Before you know it, you are asleep. Morning finds you feeling clean—refreshed and ready for a good day's work or fun. Caution, use only as directed. Get Adlerika from your druggist today.

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## RESIGNS POSITION

Miss Willie Mae Greer, who has been employed as bookkeeper at the First State Bank the past two months has resigned her position. With tentative plans to go to California, Miss Greer is at present visiting her parents at Texline, Texas.

**Roy Burleson INSURANCE BANK BUILDING Matador, Texas**

## VICTIMS of a world aflame! Look to You!



## "WHAT CAN YOU SPARE THAT THEY CAN WEAR?"

Unless Americans respond to the United National Clothing Collection with serviceable used shoes, as well as clothing and bedding, hundreds of thousands of our allies will have to walk the road of victory in bare feet.

Many in the war-ravaged areas abroad are virtually shoeless. Pleas for serviceable shoes come from every section. "If the folks at home," writes an army officer, "really want to do a good deed, I'd suggest an old-shoe drive. I have yet to see a civilian with a good sturdy pair of shoes on his feet."

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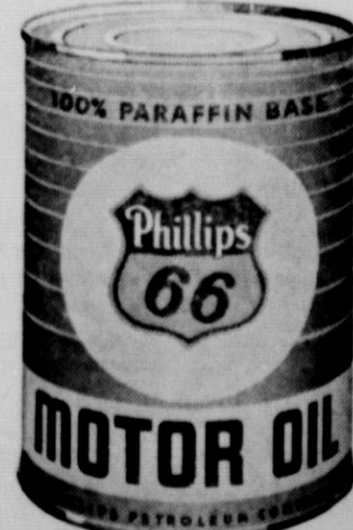
A lot of troubled car-owners would probably like to echo Junior's words. They're the patriotic motorists who want to take the best possible care of their cars... who want to be sure to get a fine quality motor oil. They say, "We know we should use a quality oil. But how can we tell which oil is fine quality?"

If you also wonder how to pick a quality lubricant... Phillips comes to the rescue. Gives you one easy way to make certain of getting quality motor oil.

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## EL MATADOR

MATADOR HIGH SCHOOL  
Glody Springer, Editor

### MEET A SENIOR

Name: Charles Payne  
Age: 17  
Height: 5' 10"; Weight: 150 lbs.  
Color of Hair: brown; eyes: green  
Favorite color: lavender  
Favorite song: "Crash on the Highway" by Roy Acuff  
Favorite food: spinach  
Favorite Movie Actress: Judy Canova  
Likes: conceited people  
Dislikes: beautiful girls  
Hobby: courtin'  
Ambition: None  
Ideal Girl: June Pope

### MY IDEAL GIRL

(Compiled by Clyde Lancaster)  
Hair: Yvonna; Nose: Earlene;  
Teeth: Chareen; Smile: Ernestine;  
Mouth: Frances Schweitzer; Personality: Leona; Character: June Black; Complexion: Jerry; General Appearance: Evelyn; Hands: Lou; Eyes: Dorothy Morris.

Sunny Sunday was enjoyed by several groups of boys and girls. The following went to Ernestine's for a picnic: Kenneth Ring, Betty Lou Kenny, June Black, Ber-

nice Dees, Earlene Pack, Colonel Garth, Lee Roy Roberts, Charles Ray Cox, R. D., Bob Rushing, James White, Buddy Harris, Bonner Nelson, Thomas Sanders and James Truett.

Another group enjoyed the spring weather by going to the springs. Included were: Mickey and James Murrell and Jerry, Dorothy and Herbert, Donald R. and Alene Bloodworth, Bobbie Lou and Math, Porky, Don Paul, June Barton, and Ruth Keith. And Jerry and Murrell were seen together after church Sunday night too!

Jewel can't make up his mind between Yvonna and Mary M. Billy Jo and Mary J., Hal and Betty, Lewis and Francis S. had a good time Wednesday night. Loys and W. O. have been going to church together. Gee! This must be serious! Who is the cute boy, Dorothy Morris? Buddy and Bernice have broken up! What third person caused this? And speaking of Triangles: Albert, Pup, and Billie Frank form the latest. No casualties are yet reported! Visitors in M. H. S. were Jeanne Battey of Floydada, Isabel Kimbell, former student of M. H. S., Norma Weatherall of Paducah, Della Faye Owen of Plainview and Miss Faulkner, former Home Economics teacher.

### Whiteflat News

By Mrs. Welton Bailey

Mrs. Clyde McReynolds and children of Rush Springs, Okla., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holt.

Mrs. R. H. Lowry of Austin, spent a few days with her brother, C. E. Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kimbell, who recently moved to Wichita Falls, spent the week-end with friends and relatives here.

Miss Annette McWilliams, join-

ed by a friend at Rails, accompanied her uncle, J. D. Allen, to Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they went through the caverns on Sunday. On their return home they visited in Slaton with T/3 J. W. Hough, recently liberated prisoner of the Japs.

Miss Corrine Wilkinson and Mrs. G. M. Acker made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Edwards and son Harold, who recently moved to Silverton, were visiting in Whiteflat Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Morris, Gene and Albert, spent Sunday in Crosbyton, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Odell Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spray of Northfield were visiting Mrs. J. M. Spray here Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Z. Martin returned Sunday from Ropesville, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Robert Mayfield.

Miss Willena Wilkinson, who is employed at Lubbock, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilkinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ashcraft spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Acker. Mrs. Ashcraft is the former Dorothy Acker.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Baughman made a business trip to McAdoo Monday.

Birdie Martin entertained a number of friends in her home Monday afternoon, in honor of her birthday. Refreshments were served to the following guests: Minnie Lou Holt, Marlene Bailey, Grace Morris, Rita Carolyn, Carlene Lynn, Dan and Warren Earl Tilton, Joe Boy Spray, Orval Gray and Sam Hines.

### Local Items

R. L. Johnson accompanied Mrs. Johnson to Lubbock Monday, where she received treatment at Lubbock General Hospital.

W. M. Calvert returned to Spade, Saturday, after a few days visit here in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Dirickson and family.

Miss Helen Stanfield of Lubbock, spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stanfield.

MS/Sgt. and Mrs. LeRoy Nelson, Mrs. Earl Vaughn and Miss Glenda Nelson, all of Lubbock, spent Easter here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nelson.

Miss Mary Jane Turrentine, teacher in the Phillips school near Berger, spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. G. E. Turrentine.

Mrs. J. W. Drace of Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Powell of Turkey were visitors here Thursday night in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. Warren, and family. Miss Jean Warren accompanied them here to visit her parents while the Powell's attended Scout Court of Honor.

Celestite, used in the manufacture of Signal lights and tracer bullets, is mined in Nolan and Brown Counties.

## Motorists Advised Not To Change Coupon Numbers

Do not change the old license number on your gasoline ration coupons if you already have endorsed them with the old one, D. E. Pitts, ration board chairman advises.

Let the endorsement stand on current stamps, Pitts said, but place the new 1945 license number on any new stamps received or current ones which might not have been endorsed.

Motorists should correct their mileage ration record, he said, by crossing out the old license number with one line and writing the new number above it. The same should be done on the gasoline ration cover.

Marrying a woman for her beauty is like buying a home for its paint.

### TO LOUISIANA

Mrs. Norma Findley left Tuesday night for Leesville, La., to join her husband, T/3 Robert C. Findley, who is stationed at Camp Polk. She plans to remain there indefinitely, or until he is transferred to another location.

On the basis of traffic deaths in relation to the population, Dallas took first place in Texas for its safety record and 4th place in the Nation.

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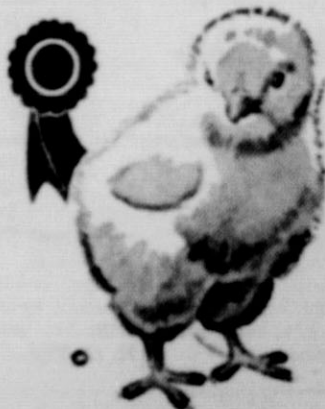
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