

# Matador Tribune

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## TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Time is a silent dripping faucet. The patient tongue may catch enough to quench the thirst, but unmolested the regular drops vanish forever in the sands of the past.

It is opportunity that would only ask for an appointment. It would come to my door, and prevent my opening it to some aggressive and enterprising salesman.

When a truly beautiful woman comes through convinced of her charm she arrives at the immediate danger of losing it.

In most instances the lasting foundation of a self-made man is evenly mixed with ample quantities of perspiration.

Despite the unrecorded eons which the sun has followed its golden trail across the skies, each night forever destroys all traces of the ancient course. Each day is an individual destiny between two curtains of darkness.

## Cleanup Committees Will Begin Monday

Two committees, composed of Lions Club members will start canvass Monday morning of Matador business firms and individuals to check volunteer support of the regular garbage and trash cleanup plan started by the city last month.

Business firms will be asked to make monthly payments according to the amount of daily service they require.

Homes will be asked to pay \$5 per month for the trash cleanup which will be at least two alley calls during the period. (Trash must be placed in containers and in the alley, limbs, or any heavy junk will be hauled off without extra charge.)

The city paid for the truck in cash by draining both the general and water system funds. It is paying hard-working John Lee \$200 per month for his excellent services. Entire satisfaction has been reported since the service was started and it is believed the small charges will be accepted by the public. Charges for the service will be added to water bills.

## FREDDIE STANLEY SHOT IN FREAK ACCIDENT SUNDAY

Freddie Stanley, 12-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stanley is up and about, although carrying a pellet of gunshot in the lining of his stomach following a freak accident early Sunday morning.

The accident occurred at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Conover of Moore, Texas, where the youth, his mother, and younger brother, James Lewis were visiting.

The gunshot lodged in the boy's stomach, after glancing from a rock which the shot hit when fired from a 410-gauge gun by Mr. Conover, who was shooting at a chicken.

A brother, Fred Conover, accompanied Mrs. Stanley and sons home Sunday night.

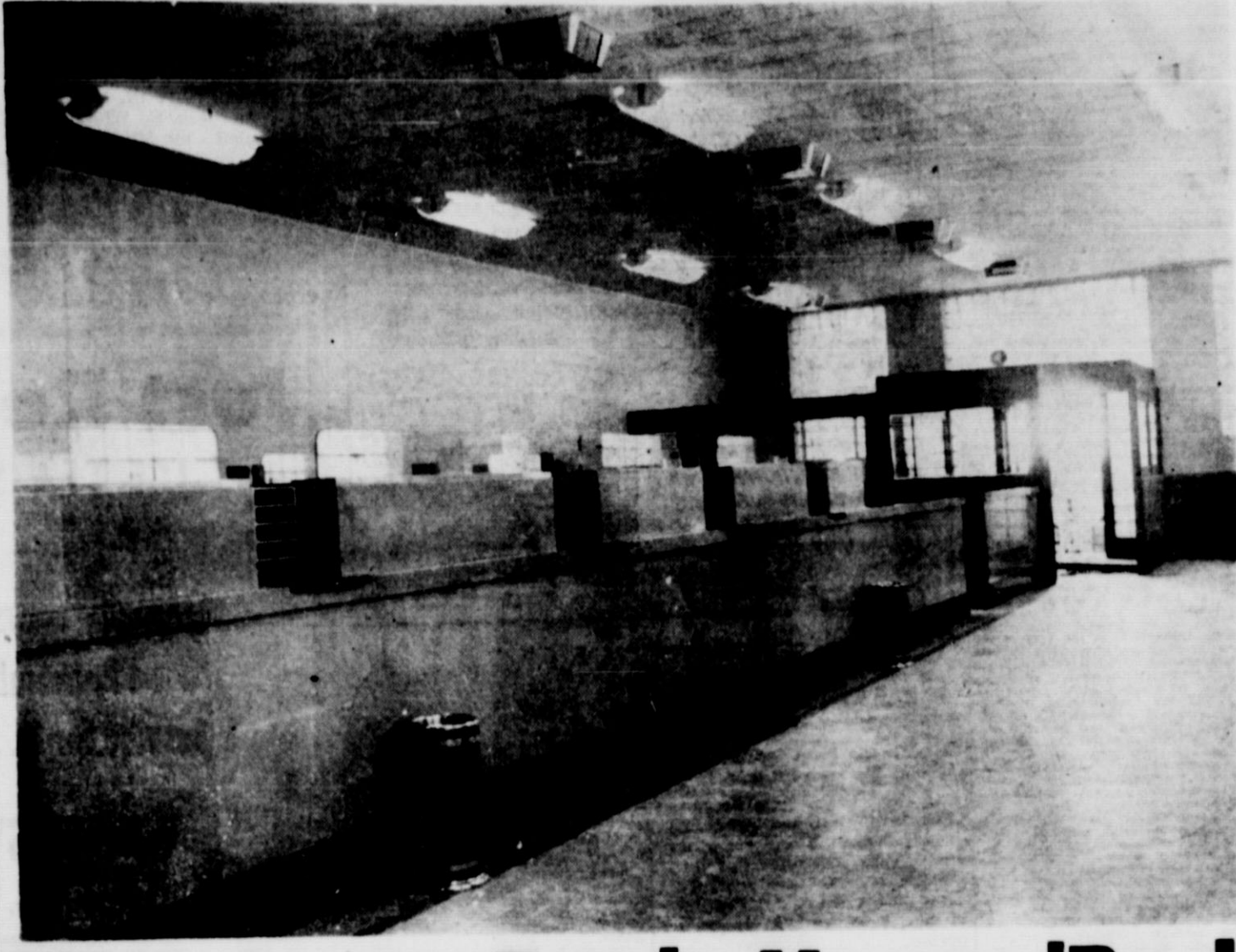
## Interest In Bangs Tests Is Lagging

Interest in having cows tested for Bangs disease is lagging, according to County Agent Rufus Emmons. Since announcement was made in the Tribune recently that a veterinary would come here for the purpose of making the tests, only 34 applications have been received. Mr. Emmons says the number is only about half enough to justify the veterinary's trip to the county. If more interest is not shown this week, the project will be dropped, he declared.

## Local Residents Attend Funeral Rites For Mother

Mrs. J. S. Stanley and daughters, Ruth Marie and Kay, and a sister, Mrs. Maud Mitchell, accompanied by other relatives from Wichita Falls, attended funeral services Tuesday at McFalls, Oklahoma, for their mother, Mrs. W. T. Stacy, 77, who died Sunday morning after a prolonged illness.

Besides Mesdames Stanley and Mitchell, two other daughters and two sons survive. They are Miss Lennie Stacy of Wichita Falls, Mrs. Mamie Lawson of Houston, Buster Stacy of Haywood, Oklahoma and Wayman Stacy of Wichita Falls.



## First State Bank Moves Back To Modern Remodeled Home

MODERN AS TOMORROW, the First State bank in Matador opened for regular business Saturday in new surroundings, in one of the most striking modernized buildings in West Texas. The two-story brick building, home of the institution since February 15, 1921, has undergone a complete change of the lower story and also experienced radical changes in the second-story office quarters.

Customers entered the flower-decked bank Saturday morning amazed at the change created in about two months time. They entered a recessed storm door,

outer lobby, paneled with plate glass and marble wainscoting. Entering the spacious main lobby with its soft walls of pastel green and marble wainscoting, they faced five teller and bookkeeper windows of the new low clear-view design. All windows on the south wall of the bank have been redesigned of artistic glass brick. The ceiling which has been lowered 24 feet, is of a new soft tone acoustical composition, resembling stone.

All floor covering is of cushion type rubber squares, with inlaid design along the borders. Offices and teller windows have been reversed to the old building, to face the lobby along the building's south wall. Immediately to the right of the outer lobby, entered a customer waiting room and two exquisite solid walnut desks. At the right is the private office of vice-president and cashier Elmer Stearns, also finished with solid walnut furniture. Lighting throughout the lower floor of the building is the latest design in fluorescent lamps.

Old stairway leading from the street was changed from near the center of the building to the extreme west wall, with windows once in the old post office and later the AAA office brick-ed up with the old stairway to match the remainder of the building. Hallway, which provided rear exit for Matador

Drug store, was abolished. The old vaults were entirely removed to the back of the building. If you ever worried about your money being behind strong

Above picture shows the lobby looking towards the entrance. To the front left is vice-president and cashier Elmer Stearns' office. Note reflection of glass brick windows on plate glass separating tellers' windows. Picture fails to convey beauty and spaciousness of the bank.

walls, you can now rest assured it is protected with thick, steel reinforced concrete, as is the customer's vault (safety deposit boxes and valuables) which opens to the rear of the lobby beyond a small office. At the extreme rear of the building is a stairway entered from a small hall, leading into the fireproof basement where valuable records are kept. Under-the-side-walk basement was retained as a storage room.

Bookkeeping department is directly back of teller cages with a large bookkeeping auxiliary room to the rear of the main banking room entrance. Leading off the auxiliary room is the directors' room furnished in solid oak. Men's wash room is reached through directors' room. Ladies' wash room is reached from the auxiliary bookkeeping room as is the supply room. Im-

mediately to the left of the west rear entrance is the cloak room. Elaborate evaporated air cooling system keeps the entire building cool in summer and the same duct system is used to force warm air into all parts of the bank during cold weather.

The First State bank is the outgrowth of a small private bank opened here in 1901 by John and Will Jones. The present bank was chartered in 1907. John Burleson was the first executive officer, later followed by his brother "Doc" Burleson who was later followed by Fred Bourland. Elmer Stearns has been the bank's executive officer since 1920. It is interesting to note that since the day is was opened, the First State bank has been a home-owned and home-operated institution.

## BAPTIST REVIVAL STARTS NEXT WEEK

Beginning Friday, August 27, a revival meeting will be in progress at the Baptist Church, with Rev. J. Ralph Grant, pastor of First Baptist Church, Lubbock, doing the preaching.

In charge of the singing will be J. G. Leverett, also of the First Baptist Church, Lubbock, who led the singing here in the spring revival. Mr. Leverett also conducted a successful booster band for the juniors.

Cottage prayer services in the homes are planned for Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings of next week, with mid-week prayer service on Wednesday night at the church, in preparation for the revival.

## Scout Field Man Is Seeking Home

Matador will have another family as permanent residents if they can find a desirable home. Boy Scouts of America South Plains council with headquarters in Lubbock, will establish a field man in Matador if he can rent a two-bedroom home. His family consists of his wife and two children. In event he can establish headquarters here he will serve Crosby, Floyd Dickens and Motley counties.

In event of a desirable house being vacant, the owner will confer a favor by communicating with Scoutmaster Forrest Campbell.

## RAM TO MEET MONDAY

Royal Arch Chapter of the Masonic lodge will meet in regular meeting Monday evening, August 23. It was announced this week. The Past Master degree will be performed, and Henry Pipkin will serve supper to Companions attending.

## Prospects Good For Crop Equal To '26

### ROARING SPRINGS FACULTY COMPLETE

Roaring Springs school faculty was completed Monday night with the election of Miss Dorothy Nelson as homemaker teacher and Mrs. Algie Groves to a place in grade school, according to Superintendent Leo Purvis. The 1948-1949 term will start Monday, August 30. Miss Nelson and Mrs. Groves are from Matador.

Buses will operate on about the same routes as last year. Mr. Purvis declared. One driver is yet to be engaged.

Opening exercises will be in the high school auditorium at 9 a. m. Patrons are urged and invited to attend. After the general assembly high school students will register and meet classes on short schedule, ending by 12 o'clock noon.

### Matador Firms To Close For Reunion

Following an established custom, Matador business firms will close one day, Thursday, August 26, in observance of the Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers annual reunion which opens the two-day meet at Roaring Springs on that date.

Announcement of the closing was held at the Lions luncheon Tuesday. However, stores will remain open Thursday morning until 9:30 a. m. The parade, starting the reunion, will be held at 10 a. m. and thus give employers and employees time to reach the grounds from Matador.

It is assumed cafes, filling stations and perhaps other places of business will remain open to serve the traveling public.

### Giesecke Couldn't See New York City For The Buildings

C. W. Giesecke, Jr., Matador Lions Club delegate to New York City Lions International convention last month, had a lot of time on his hands. Registered at Hotel New Yorker, he awoke at 6:30 each morning but he had no cows to milk or chickens to feed. However, after once got into gear, he saw a lot of the world's largest city, in addition to attending all but one of the convention sessions.

Lion Giesecke made a report of his trip at the regular club meeting Tuesday in the Methodist church basement. His wife sat beside him during the address and it was evident a certain amount of restraint cushioned his words. He said he did not attend a night club.

He said Madison Square Garden, where the convention was held, was large enough for a West Texas farm, and that tall buildings presented the illusion that the streets were not wide enough to provide passage for an automobile. Atop the 100-odd-story Empire State building he was told it swayed about three feet from effect of the wind. It was his opinion it would have swayed more in a West Texas sand storm.

It was not hot in New York with the exception of one or two nights. He said he "threw away" his pajamas (Giesecke is a dry goods merchant) and slept in his shorts, when he wasn't standing under a shower. He liked the subways and did not think the passengers uncouth. He enjoyed the charted bus trip from Lubbock through the eastern states as much as his stay in New York.

In addition to Mrs. Giesecke, other Tuesday visitors included their daughter, Ann, Ed Lee, Charlie Scaff, Dayton Wright, Weldon Bailey, Bobby Allen and R. C. Roberts of Childress.

Boss Lion Elbert Reeves, leaning on a cane after his recent appendix operation, attended the meeting, but did not serve as chairman, leaving the duty to vice-president Bert Ezell.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST TO HOLD REVIVAL

Announcement is made that a revival meeting will begin Friday evening, August 20 with Minister Jack Fikes of Edcouch, Texas doing the preaching.

The church has just recently installed an air conditioner and it will be comfortable for all. The public is cordially invited to attend.

### Growers Warned Of Lint Pest Dangers

"BEST COTTON CROP since 1926" may be in Motley county fields according to Ennis Moss, Roaring Springs ginner and J. Rufus Emmons, County Agent. The optimistic crop outlook is subject to several "ifs" but present prospects could hardly be more favorable. Rainfall has been ideal in most sections of the county and large stalks in a vast number of fields are well-fruited.

Greatest danger rests in insect infestation, the two authorities declared. "Fields should be inspected every day for any signs of insects," Emmons declared. Some showing of weevil and boll worms has been found in the Roaring Springs area and dusting is in progress. Dusting is also underway on the Lem Brock farm in the Flomot community in effort to stem a showing of flea hoppers.

"Not only is the cotton prospect the best we have had since 1926," Mr. Moss declared, "but it is probable that the price will hold up sufficiently through this season to make production profitable."

Emmons declared that early feed in the county, now in the process of harvesting, is yielding 1,200 to 1,500 per acre. The present market is \$1.80 per 100 pounds in Roaring Springs, however, markets in Seymour and Vernon were (Tuesday) quoted at \$1.82. Federal loan value is \$2.28 per 100 pounds.

No More Storage  
The large wheat crop just harvested has absorbed all grain storage in the county, according to Mr. Moss. Farmers desiring to place milo in federal loan must provide their own storage, he declared.

### Shelter For Pickers Is Considered

With prospects of the largest cotton crop since '26" Matador business men are considering the construction of a camp or shelter for Latin American cotton pickers, in effort to avert a serious shortage of harvesting help.

Plans for the camp were discussed at the Matador Lions directors meeting in the Methodist church basement Monday morning and again at the regular Tuesday meeting. A committee will be named to meet with gin managers, city officials and the county commissioners court, in effort to finance the structure.

It was pointed out that higher type of cotton picker is now harvesting the bulk of the crop in West Texas and that a higher type of accommodation is required. It was declared that other towns in the South Plains area are building the camps.

Suggested plans included comfortable shelter, water and sewer facilities and other features which the harvest hands will find in the cotton-producing area.

### GRAVE-SIDE RITES HELD FOR INFANT

Graveside services were held in East Mound cemetery at 5 o'clock Monday evening, for Linda Lawrence, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lawrence, who died at 1:00 a. m., only ten hours after her birth, Sunday, August 15, at Stanley Clinic.

Rev. Marvin Brotherton, Methodist pastor, conducted the services.

Survivors are the parents and one sister, La Reece, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Young and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Lawrence. The mother is the former Billie Ruth Young.

### Church Of Christ Revival To Begin Next Week At Flomot

It was announced this week that the Church of Christ revival at Flomot will begin on Wednesday, August 25 with Minister Herbert Gipson holding the revival and Jake Lacy leading the singing.

The public has a cordial invitation to attend this meeting.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

### WRETFORD RADIO NOW ON THE AIR

Wretford's Radio Station is now on the air, operating at 860 kilocycles. Programs will be heard each day from sun up to sun down, according to Manager "Marshall" Wretford. Program time in August is from 6:15 a. m. to 7:30 p. m.

KPAN has a power of 250 watts, and has a tower 270 feet high. More than eight miles of upper wire were lowered in the tower.

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### Fort Worth Woman Wins \$19,000 in Radio Contest

A soft drink almost cost Mrs. Herbert Skelton, 3237 W. 5th St. Fort Worth, \$19,000 last Sunday. The dark, attractive bride of two weeks identified "Sun Dance" as the mystery melody on the "Stop the Music" program over station WBAP-570 to win that amount in bonds, a television set, a car, horse trailer, diamond bracelet, mink coat, Caribbean cruise, and other prizes.

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### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Section 1 of Article VIII of the Constitution of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes for certain purposes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations; providing for submission to the qualified electors and for the necessary proclamation by the Governor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article VIII of the Constitution be amended so as to be read as follows: "Section 1. From and after January 1, 1951, no State ad valorem tax shall be levied upon any property within the State for general revenue purposes. From and after January 1, 1951, the several counties of the State are authorized to levy ad valorem taxes upon all property within their respective boundaries for county purposes, except the first Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) value of residential homesteads, not to exceed thirty cents (\$30) each, One Hundred Dollars (\$100) valuation, in addition to all other ad valorem taxes authorized by the Constitution of this State, provided the revenue derived therefrom shall be used for the construction and maintenance of Parks or Market Roads or for Flood Control, except as herein otherwise provided.

Provided that in those counties or political subdivisions or areas of the State in which tax donations have heretofore been granted, the State ad valorem tax shall continue to levy the full amount of the State ad valorem tax for the duration of such donation, or until all such tax donations heretofore authorized by the law granting such donation or donations shall have been fully discharged, whichever shall first occur; provided that if such donation to any such county or political subdivision is for less than the full amount of State ad valorem taxes levied, the portion of such taxes remaining over and above such donation shall be retained by said county or subdivision."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the date fixed by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "FOR the Constitutional Amendment of Section 1 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas to provide that no ad valorem tax shall be levied for State general revenue purposes after January 1, 1951, and authorizing the several counties to levy additional ad valorem taxes, providing for a Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000) residential homestead exemption, and providing for tax levies in counties having tax donations. Each voter shall scratch out one of said slits on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed Amendment. In counties or other subdivisions using voting machines, the above provision for voting for and against this Constitutional Amendment shall be placed on said machine in such a manner that each voter shall vote on the machine which he desires.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of this State.



A CONSOLIDATED B-26 like that shown above, recently flew 36 consecutive hours on a flight of 8000 miles, dropping a practice load of dummy bombs approximately midway in the flight. Men who enlist as Aviation Cadets may qualify as pilots for six-engine planes like this after their year of USAF training. Interested? Then be sure to see the Aviation Cadet interviewing team. It will be in Lubbock from 20 to 21 August. The Recruiting Office at the Courthouse, Matador, has full information and can arrange an interview for you.



WHAT BENEFITS THE FARMER WILL BENEFIT EVERYONE in the firm belief of Senator Sterling J. Parrish of Lubbock, shown above (right) when he recently visited his farm in Crosby County. Senator Parrish, who is asking to be re-elected for a second term solely on the basis of his qualifications and outstanding first-term record, was born on a farm near the one he now owns, where as a youth and the eldest of seven children, he fought against poverty, hardships and adversity.

During his first term in the legislature, Senator Parrish was outspoken for the rights of people in all walks of life, often expressed his opposition to pressure groups, and strongly advocated that the welfare of the rural people must be promoted if our country as a whole is to prosper.

Senator Parrish stated that efforts are being made to have a bill introduced at the next session of the legislature that would help the gasoline tax refund from the farmers. He said he will fight to retain the refund and pointed out that it was his late father, Senator Pink Parrish, who was instrumental in providing this benefit.

The Lubbock legislator was author of the bill during the last legislature that would have taken the tax off farmer's tractor gasoline at the time of purchase. The measure passed the Senate but was defeated in the House. If re-elected, he said he will introduce the same bill next year.

Senator Parrish also helped pass the bill in the Senate last year that would divert 30 million dollars from the general revenue fund for the purpose of building hundreds of miles of blacktop roads. He also was a strong supporter of the measure that provided for a constitutional amendment to be submitted to the voters of Texas this November which, if approved by popular vote, will provide several million dollars for constructing and maintaining all-weather farm roads without additional taxes.

The Lubbock legislator is widely recognized as the leading lawmaker who opposes those who seek to remove the underground water of Texas. He said this week that he will not support any water legislation except such as may be approved by the farmers of this area acting through the organization known as the High Plains Water Conservation and the Association.

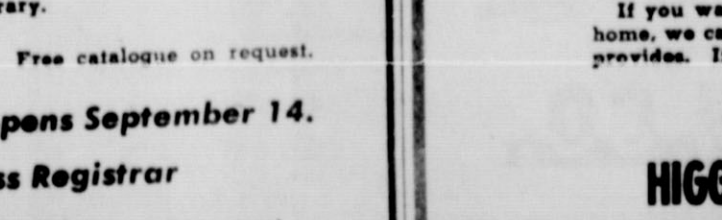
Senator Parrish believes that public offices should be free and independent of the influence of groups, cliques and clans, and that he should have no pets or private obligations to serve. If re-elected in a second term, he said he will continue to be accountable only to the people in the 20th Senatorial District.

Mrs. J. S. Dooley and daughter Ernestine Taylor of Dumas, returned home Tuesday morning after visiting here for the past week in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves. Mr. Dooley and son Ned Taylor came Monday and accompanied them back to Dumas.

Mrs. T. E. Dooley and daughters Barbara and Mrs. John Graham and daughter Brenda June of Canyon are visiting this week in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves.

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### Whiteflat News

(By Lola Faye Lynch)

Miss Ethel Evelyn Stanley of San Jon, New Mexico visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Taylor. O. J. Townsend and family visited at Durant, Oklahoma last week.

S/Sgt. Bill Tilson visited last week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson. He is stationed at Brookfield, San Antonio. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams and daughter Ouida Jane and Annette of Lovington, N. M. visited here over the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Malcolm Morris and sons Gene and Albert are visiting her mother Mrs. J. J. Dunn at Menard.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Wilkinson were Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Humphries of Box Elder, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wallace and son Orval of Crosbyton and Mrs. Ines Cherry of Yuba City, Calif. Mrs. E. P. Humphries has returned home from Crosbyton where she has been visiting her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wallace.

Arthur Lynch and daughter Lola Faye made a business trip Monday to Childress. The Worker's meeting for this district of the Baptist Church was held here this week.

The Baptist revival, with Rev. T. R. Bedford doing the preaching, and Rev. G. A. Rowell leading the singing, is progressing nicely, with much interest being manifested. The services are being sent out over a loud-speaker system, to the entire community and street services were conducted Saturday afternoon, in Matador.

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### Farmers Advised To Protect Grain Against Weevils

"With the shortage of grain storage space, there probably will be a lot of grain sorghum stored on farms in Texas this year", J. R. Emmons, County Agent, points out. "The wise man will start early to protect his grains against weevils."

The first thing is to be sure that storage bins are weather and fumigant tight, Emmons says. If the grain is not in storage yet, clean the bins and spray thoroughly with a five percent DDT spray.

Emmons recommends two mixtures for the fumigation process. The first is three parts of ethylene dichloride and one part carbon tetrachloride. One thousand bushels of grain will use six gallons of the fumigant. Sprinkle with ordinary sprinkling cans over the top of the grain.

The second mixture recommended is one part carbon disulfide (highlife) and four parts carbon tetrachloride. Again, six gallons of the mixture will fumigate 1,000 bushels of grain. Pour it in shallow pans and place around the bin—it will evaporate and the fumes soak through the grain.

"Weevil control is important", Emmons concludes, "not only from a grain-saving standpoint, but to protect your stored wheat and your sorghums if it is under government loan. August is a good month to get started on this important job."

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### DIRE NEED FOR "DOCTORS OF THE FIELDS" IS VOICED IN APPEAL FROM A&M COLLEGE

COLLEGE STATION, Aug. 16 (Special)—"Wanted: Young Texans to help fight cotton root rot, spinach white rust, southern peanut blight." That's the sign that might well be hung outside the door of the new department of plant physiology and pathology at the Texas A&M College school of agriculture.

"Texas agriculture badly needs more highly-trained plant scientists," according to C. N. Sheppard, dean of the A&M agricultural school. "At present, we can't begin to supply enough such men for Texas agriculture. Nor can we import them from other states, for the rest of the states are just as short of trained men as we are.

"Agriculture, no less than industry, needs professionally trained scientists," according to Dean Sheppard. "Few fields offer more in the way of a satisfactory career to boys who excel in high school science, botany, chemistry and physics."

To improve its program for training such men, the A&M College is establishing a department of plant physiology and pathology in the agriculture school September 1, with Dr. A. A. Dunlap as head. Previously, instruction in these fields was given in the department of biology. Assisting Dr. Dunlap in giving instruction will be Dr. V. A. Greulich and Dr. E. M. Hildebrand.

Plant pathologists are "doctors of the field." They deal with diseases of plants, which cause millions of dollars of losses annually to farmers.

Plant physiologists study and seek to improve normal plants, and often work hand-in-hand with geneticists in developing new or harder species.

For a long time employment of such specialists was limited to agricultural colleges and

their auxiliary services. But with farming and food processing becoming big business, such specialists are also in demand by large-scale growers and canners.

So great is the shortage of pathologists and physiologists that the colleges cannot supply enough graduates for their own needs, let alone for commercial operators.

As a general rule, these agricultural specialists take four-year courses leading to bachelor of science degrees; then work part-time as graduate fellows until they receive master's or doctor's degrees. At present the shortage is so great that many jobs normally requiring doctor's degrees are filled by men holding only master's degrees, according to Dr. Dunlap.

Texans are preferred for work in Texas, according to Dr. Dunlap, because it takes several years for specialists from outside the state to learn the special growing conditions of the various parts of Texas.

"The fight against plant diseases is an endless one," Dr. Dunlap says. "The case of cotton root rot is an example. The seriousness of the problem was recognized back in the last century, and the first bulletin put out by the Texas Experiment Station concerned root rot. Recently we have had some success, growing hubam clover before planting cotton. But we are still trying to find out why the hubam helps the following cotton crop. That's a job for a micro-biologist, another agricultural scientist.

"We have developed new rust-resisting wheats, only to have new types of rust appear. Tomato plants are subject to a serious and devastating disease, which caused great losses last year. Spinach white rust and South-

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in the State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether district officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, and to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis. The Commissioners Courts shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that where a county's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasury when collected and provided that such officer or other person shall be compensated on a fee basis.

Section 62. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the State at an election to be held on the date provided by law for the General Election in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR THE Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment of Section 61, Article XVI of the Texas Constitution providing that all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, constables, deputy constables and other law enforcement officers shall be compensated on a salary basis."

Section 63. The Governor shall issue the proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of the State.

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QUEEN ELIZABETH BREAK-FASTED AT 5 A.M., USUALLY ON BROWN BREAD, BUTTER, A RABBIT PIE, 2 CHICKENS, BEEF AND FRUIT!

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### FARM NEWS

#### Price Support On Grain Offered By Government

Current grain crop prospects indicate a combined production of corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, and grain sorghums of 6,444 million bushels this year. This is an increase of 1,470 million bushels over the 1937-41 prewar period.

The handling of such a huge grain production this year has already resulted in serious problems of storage. It is estimated that at least 950 million bushels of additional farm grain storage capacity will be needed this year.

The Government is offering a price support of \$2.28 per hundred on grain stored on the farm. It is expected that the market price will be between \$1.50 and \$1.60 per hundred in the next 30 days. Under the Purchase Agreement Plan the Government agrees to purchase grain April 30, 1949, at the support price. This plan is offered to producers who are unable to meet loan storage specifications, or do not choose to obtain the regular CCC loan.

Producers who are interested in receiving the support price are urged to contact their local ACA office for more information.

Mrs. Warren Carter and children, Vicky and Randy of Dallas, Mrs. Errol Foote and children Pat and Betty Sue and Kenneth Thomas of Lubbock visited last week in the home of their sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines.

Alvin Garrison of Kermit accompanied by Miss Paty Garrison of Garrison, Texas and Stanley and Jerry Wright of Kermit arrived here Sunday to visit in the home of his mother Mrs. Bertha Garrison.

Mrs. J. H. Sample and sister, Mrs. Berta Campbell left Saturday on a vacation trip to Wyoming.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding a new Section to be known as Section 2a, so as to provide for succession to the office of Governor in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, or fails to qualify, before taking his oath of office as Governor, and providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation and publication of the same.

Section 1. The Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Texas, be and the same is hereby amended, by adding another Section to follow Section 2, and be designated Section 2a, to read as follows:

Section 2a. If, at the time the Legislature shall convene the election returns for the office of Governor and Lieutenant Governor, the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, has died, then the person having the highest number of votes for the office of Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until after the next general election. It is further provided that in the event the person with the highest number of votes for the office of Governor, as declared by the Speaker, shall become disabled, or fail to qualify, then the Lieutenant Governor shall act as Governor until a person has qualified for the office of Governor, or until after the next general election. Any succession to the Governorship not otherwise provided for in this Constitution, may be provided for by law; provided, however, that any person succeeding to the office of Governor shall be qualified as otherwise provided in this Constitution, and shall, during the entire term to which he may succeed, be under all the restrictions and inhibitions imposed in this Constitution on the Governor.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified voters of the State at a General Election to be held throughout the State on the date provided by law in the month of November, A. D. 1948, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment providing for gubernatorial succession, in the event the Governor-elect dies, or becomes disabled, before qualifying and for such succession in other contingencies."

Each voter at such election shall mark out one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and Laws of the State.

### FLOYDADA COUPLE MARRIED HERE IN METHODIST CHURCH

Miss Norma Jean Carpenter and M. G. Boteler of Floydada were united in marriage Saturday, August 14 at 5 o'clock in the Methodist church here with Rev. Marvin Brotherton, Methodist pastor reading the ceremony in the presence of a few friends.

After a wedding trip the couple will be at home in Floydada until this fall when they will attend West Texas State College at Canyon.

### RETURN FROM EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Travis McGuire of Oklahoma returned home Friday after visiting in El Paso in the home of her brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Carter Murphy and also in Old Mexico.

### COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

### VISITED IN AMARILLO

Mrs. N. J. Smalley and children Betty Ruth and Kenneth visited last week in the home of Mrs. D. C. Lowe. They were accompanied by Mrs. George Edwards who visited in Canyon with her son and family Mr. and Mrs. Jake Edwards and also in Amarillo with another son Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edwards.

### ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pipkin and family and Miss Shirley Edwards left Sunday morning for Colorado Springs, Colorado where they will spend their vacation.

### RETURN FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Cox and son Charles Ray, who were accompanied by Charles Burd turned home Friday night from Burbank, California and other points of interest where they have been vacationing for the past two weeks.

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Ladies Sunday School Class Give Husbands Ice Cream Supper The ladies of the Winsome Baptist Sunday school class met Friday evening, August 6 at 8 o'clock in the church basement and entertained their husbands with a party and ice cream supper. Several games were played during the evening and while the ladies conducted a business meeting their husbands played shuffleboard. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fulkerson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghren, Mr. and Mrs. James Ed Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Latimer, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Welling, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barton, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Algie Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines, Mr. and Mrs. K. W. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allen, and Mrs. Lee Burns. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts, Jr. returned home Sunday after vacationing in Tres Ritos, New Mexico for the last week.

ern blight of peanuts are serious problems to growers. "In this new department, A & M will be able to train plant scientists for Texas," Dr. Dunlap says. "Provided, of course, that we get a sufficient number of qualified students for the program."

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**Two Church Groups  
are Well-Attended  
Monthly Meeting**

Two organizations of the Baptist church, the W. M. U. and the Brotherhood were well-attended at their regular monthly meetings held Tuesday night, with both groups joining in a wendish supper.

Mrs. Howe Hines was leader of a Mission program on South American countries, with other parts given by Mesdames Dick and Loyd Fulkerson, Lee Forrester Campbell and Mrs. Forrester Campbell was

electd W. M. U. president for the coming year, with Mrs. Clifford Potts as Young People's leader and Mrs. C. Warren elected as secretary. Circle Chairmen will be named at a later date.

Others present were: Mesdames J. L. Woodruff, D. P. Keith, Bill McCaghren, Bill Dunning, Ed Cammack, Ben Keltz, R. E. Campbell, Sr., H. S. Watson and A. A. Tipton, and Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson of Lockney.

New officers named by the Brotherhood for the coming year are: Dick Groves, president; Ober Johnson, first vice-president; Jake Edwards, second vice-

president; Bill McCaghren, third vice-president and Harold Allen, secretary.

With T. E. Long as leader of a program on "The Layman and His Bible", the men also heard R. E. Campbell, Sr., Farris Fish and Dick Groves in discussions. Others present were: Forrest Campbell, Loyd Fulkerson, Bill McCaghren and D. P. Keith.

**ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED**

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Truman of Los Angeles, Calif. are announcing the arrival of a baby boy, Alan Curtis, on August 8. The mother will be remembered by friends here, as the former Mable Turner.

**FORMER RESIDENT  
ANNOUNCES ARRIVAL**

Word was received here recently by friends from Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunlap of Norman, Oklahoma announcing the arrival of a daughter, Bettye Jane born on June 30.

Mr. Dunlap is a former resident of Matador having attended Matador high school a number of years ago.

**STANLEY CLINIC**

Mrs. Harlan Cage of Dougherty underwent major surgery at

the Clinic, Saturday, Aug. 14.

W. C. Tooke was an appendectomy patient on August 14, and Mrs. Drue Byrd of Afton underwent tonsilectomy Monday.

Miss Blanche Davis of Teepee Flat was a patient for major surgery also on the 16th.

**VISIT FROM MISSISSIPPI**

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Clements of Coffeyville, Miss., visited over the week-end in the home of his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clements.



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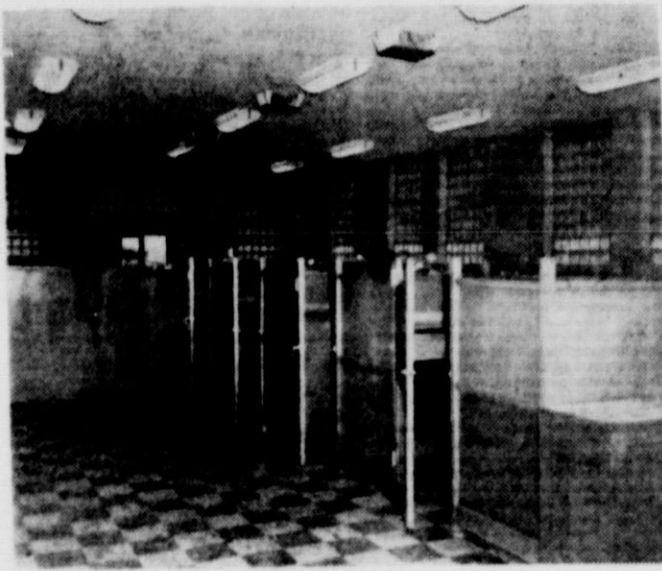
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### Cadet Program To Be Outlined At Lubbock Meeting

The United States Air Force Aviation Cadet program, designed to provide the nation with pilots to man the new high-speed fighters, bombers and other aircraft in an expanding air arm, will be described by USAF officers at a meeting to be held at Lubbock on August 20-21, in room 203, Postoffice building.

Qualifications for pilot training are high, the Air Force officers admitted, because a high

level of intelligence and physical fitness is required to operate the intricate mechanism of modern aircraft.

Eligibility requirements for Aviation Cadets are: 20 to 26 years of age, unmarried, two or more years of college or the equivalent, good health and sound physique, and excellent character. The Air Force team also is offering an opportunity for young men to apply for the Officer Candidate School for non-flying administrative jobs.

A cadet who successfully completes the 12-month training course in flying modern aircraft will be commissioned a 2nd Lieutenant in the Air Force Reserve, with the aeronautical rating of pilot. He will then be as-

signed to flying duty for three years.

Basic training is given at Randolph Air Force Base, and Goodfellow Air Force Base, both in Texas. Advanced training is given in single-engine planes at Williams Field, Arizona, or in multi-engine planes at Barksdale Field, La. The entire course lasts approximately 12 months.

### MONK FAMILY MEETS AT TULIA LAKE FOR TWO-DAY REUNION

A two day family reunion was held at the Tulia Lake, August 14 and 15 for the Monk family. The following families were present: Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Monk and daughter Winifred of Melrose, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Monk and family,

### Gold Band Ring Passes From Finger Of President J. A. Hill After 30 Years As Head Of West Texas State College



When the late R. B. Cousins signed a gold ring on the finger of J. A. Hill, by Dr. Hill to Dr. James P. Cornette, who as of Sept. 1. The ring, explaining institution. Citizens of the

retired as the first president his successor, Dr. J. A. Hill. James P. Cornette, who as of Dr. Hill, is symbolic of Panhandle paid tribute to Dr.

of West Texas State, he placed This ring was passed on July sumes the duties of President "solid merit inherent in the Hill in this meeting.

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(This Advertisement Paid for by Motley County Friends of Kilmer B. Corbin)

in the Want-Ads

FOR SALE: An Electrolux gas refrigerator and gas stove. Telephone 158M.

FOR SALE or TRADE: 8-room stucco house on 5 acres. On payment 1/2 mile west of Matador. R. A. Seay.

WANTED: 25 watches weekly from Motley county for repairs. Three experienced watchmakers at your service. Killingsworth Jewelry, Paducah.

BLIND MYSTIC Reader. Four questions \$1. J. W. Hendrick, Box 143, Phone 931, Roaring Springs, Texas.

FOR SALE: Nice 4-room and bath stucco in Matador. R. A. Seay. Real Estate and Loans.

For Sale: Electric motors for sewing machines. Also repairs for most makes of machines. See A. B. Fulkerson.

FOR SALE: 665 6/10 acre farm; house and 10 1/2 acres adjoining city limits, miscellaneous household items. Call 44 or contact Ray Patton or Stafford Forbis.

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SIX ROOMS: House for sale. To be moved or will sell with lot. McDonald Funeral Home.

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Accompanying them was Mrs. Harp's daughter Ann, Rosemary Bloodworth. Also Mrs. Clement's son, R. D.

Fred Bourland left Wednesday morning on a business trip to Hot Springs, New Mexico.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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### FLOMOT NEWS

By Mrs. B. A. Tanner

Miss Evelyn Pope visited several days last week in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Standen, Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Bynum and Mr. and Mrs. Ikey Gilbert were vacationing this week in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gresham and daughter Sonia Gayle of Lamesa were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Pope.

Superintendent Allison made business trip over the week-end to Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin and children of Lockney were Sunday visitors in the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Graves.

Mrs. Bernice Gates and son Weldon and Miss Geneva Tanner left Sunday on a two week vacation trip to Houston, Carson and Strawn.

Mrs. Tom Spears visited Thursday in Lubbock.

Austin Tanner transacted business Thursday in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots Gunn visited Saturday in Floydada in the home of her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Irby, Wilburn Martin, who is attending WTST, Canyon visited over the week-end in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Wade Martin.

Charles Tanner and Jeff and Bert Ray Spear are visiting in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Pearl Martin visited Saturday in the home of her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Irby.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morris visited in Matador Friday.

### News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groves and children made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darsey and family visited last week at Muleshoe, with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Darsey, former Matador residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wagley and small son of Pampa, spent the week-end here visiting his mother, Mrs. H. M. Wagley, and in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. P. Neighbors and family.

Marvin Patton left Saturday to join his family at Ruidoso, N. M., for the remainder of the season. A cousin, Mrs. R. E. Donovan and daughter Rose Carolyn, accompanied him and visited several days, with plans to return home the latter part of this week.

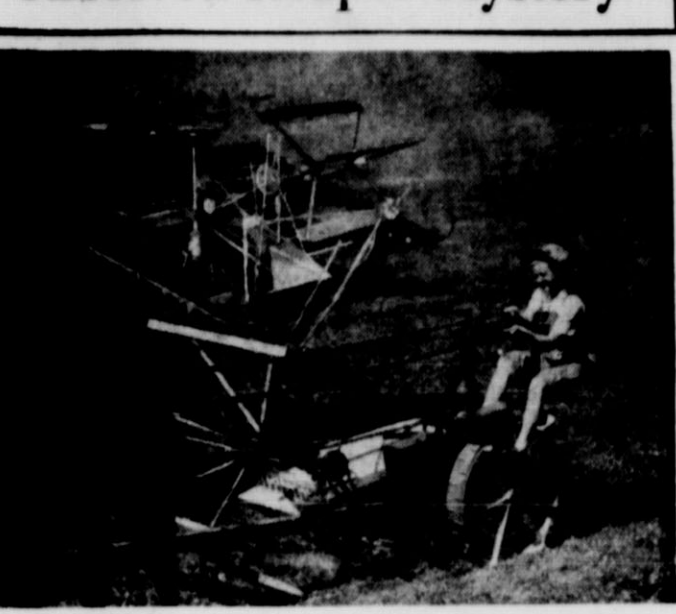
Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Stearns drove to Brownwood Monday, to accompany the latter's sister, Mrs. J. D. Craven and daughters home, after a two week's visit here.

Mrs. J. C. Baggett, Jr. and daughter Karen Lou of Dallas are here visiting in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. V. Muse.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moss visited last week in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Moss of Whiteface.

Miss Dorothy Nelson is visiting in Midland in the home of her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Felix Stonehocker.

### Unsolved Reaper Mystery



This 74-year-old Triumph reaper was found recently in a New York state barn in its original shipping crate. It had never been used. Efforts to learn why it was left unpacked for almost three-quarters of a century have so far uncovered no clues. This reaper shown above in comparison with a present day combine was exhibited at the Ford Tractor and Dearborn implement press demonstration held at Deer Lake Hills Farm, Clarkston, Michigan, by Dearborn Motors Corp., Detroit.

### Pied Pinions

BY MRS. J. M.

Recent newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Higginbotham, (she is the former Julene Bloodworth) have a nice and unusual memento of their wedding service. A wire recording was made during the progress of the ceremony, and at the reception which followed at the home of the bride's parents, the couple had the unique experience of hearing themselves pledge their troth.

We are told of a husband in this hamlet who irons his shirts himself; by his own choice, that is. We don't know what motivates his actions, but we have our own suspicions regarding the reasons our spouse began sending his shirts to the laundry a number of years ago.

The goatees have got me. Our back yard is so covered with the obnoxious weed that I almost have a legal excuse for not keeping Mr. M.'s socks washed out and on the line. Those nasty little burrs stick so tenaciously to one's shoe sole, that a few just will get tracked into the house in spite. And there's not quite another pain like the one that stabs you when you step on one of them in your bare feet.

The lowly mop has at last come into its own! We purchased one made of nylon the other day, and yes, it is almost too pretty to use for the purpose for which it was intended.

Last time Corrine Drace visited her folks, the Ed Russells, who live next door, she and her nephew, Jackie Bradshaw, cut out all the weeds in their yard so nice, that it sure does show up the weeds in ours adjoining. So after one glimpse at the contrast, I am now forced to keep the blinds pulled on that side of the house, so as not to be reminded.

I guess we're just trashy people. We have wastebaskets in every room in the house, that are always filled to the brim and running over; but over at our sister-in-law's house at Paducah, they just have one, and it never has anything in it.

There is not a flat surface in our house that isn't piled as high as gravity permits, with just stuff. We're always intending to put things away, if we ever get around to it.

Sure was lucky at a demonstration party the other day. Won a little gift for having the dirtiest elbow! A lotion was demonstrated and everyone present rubbed a little on her elbow. After massaging the spot for several minutes, the dirt began to peel off, and I had the most. Was so hacked that before I knew what I was doing, I had purchased a generous supply of the lotion.

Our young bachelor friend, George Conner, agrees that marriage is an institution. "But," he adds, "I'm not ready for an institution - yet."

TO COLORADO SPRINGS  
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Jr. and family left Saturday evening on a vacation trip to Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Miss Elwanda Martin visited at Pear Valley, Texas over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Priest. She was accompanied by Miss Barbara Ketchersid who visited in the home of her aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Moore of Melvin, Texas.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

amending Section 13 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, by adding thereto a provision that the husband and wife from time to time may in writing partition between themselves in severalty or into undivided interests all or any part of their community property, without prejudice to the rights of existing creditors; the portion or interest of each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse, further providing that such Constitutional Amendment if adopted shall be self-operative and self-executing; providing for the submission of the Amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof.

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

Section 1. That Section 13 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 13. All property, both real and personal, of the wife, owned or claimed by her before marriage, and that acquired afterward by gift, devise or descent, shall be the separate property of the wife, and she shall be deemed more clearly defining the rights of the wife, in relation as well to her separate property as that held in common with her husband, provided that husband and wife, without prejudice to pre-existing creditors, may from time to time by written instrument as if the wife were a feme sole partition between themselves in severalty or into equal undivided interests all or any part of their existing community property, or real estate between themselves the community interest of one spouse in any property for the community interest of the other spouse in either community property, whereupon the portion or interest set aside to each spouse shall be and constitute a part of the separate property of such spouse.

This Amendment is self-operative, but laws may be passed prescribing requirements as to the form and manner of execution of such instruments, and providing for their recording, and for such other reasonable requirements not inconsistent herewith as the Legislature may from time to time consider proper with relation to the subject of this Amendment. Should the Legislature pass an Act dealing with the subject of this Amendment, and shall take effect just as though the Constitutional Amendment was in effect when the Act was passed.

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas at an election to be held throughout the State on the second day of November, 1948, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS PROVIDING THAT HUSBAND AND WIFE FROM TIME TO TIME MAY IN WRITING PARTITION BETWEEN THEMSELVES IN SEVERALTY OR INTO UNDIVIDED INTERESTS COMMUNITY PROPERTY EXISTING AT THE TIME OF PARTITION SO AS TO CONVERT SAME INTO SEPARATE PROPERTY OF EACH SPOUSE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE RIGHTS OF PRE-EXISTING CREDITORS.

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF TEXAS PROVIDING THAT HUSBAND AND WIFE FROM TIME TO TIME MAY IN WRITING PARTITION BETWEEN THEMSELVES IN SEVERALTY OR INTO UNDIVIDED INTERESTS COMMUNITY PROPERTY EXISTING AT THE TIME OF PARTITION SO AS TO CONVERT SAME INTO SEPARATE PROPERTY OF EACH SPOUSE WITHOUT PREJUDICE TO THE RIGHTS OF PRE-EXISTING CREDITORS.

Section 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

### LOCAL STUDENT AMONG AUGUST GRADUATING CLASS AT T. S. C. W.

DENTON, Texas, August 18—Miss Barbara Ann Springer, daughter of Mrs. Geo. Springer of Matador, is among the 132 candidates for bachelors degrees to be conferred August 26 at Texas State College for Women.

A foods and nutrition student, with a minor in chemistry, Miss Springer was a member of the Aquatics Club, the Math Club, the Outing Club, and the Folk Dance Club. She is especially interested in charcoal and oil painting, leather work, and athletics.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley and son Don left Saturday on a vacation trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope have returned home after spending last week at Tres Ritos, N. M.

Mrs. J. A. Smalley of Floydada visited over the week-end in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Smalley.

### BOND SALES HIGH IN COUNTY FOR 90-DAY CAMPAIGN

Total sales of U. S. Savings Bonds in Motley County during the Security Loan Campaign were \$37,612.50 according to Howard Traweck, County Savings Bonds chairman. He received sales figures last week from state savings bonds headquarters in Dallas.

The county's quota was \$27,500.00. The Security Loan Campaign was launched on April 15 and continued through June 30, with sales through July 15 being credited to county quotas. Of the county's total sales, Series E Bonds accounted for \$37,612.50.

Final sales for the state as a whole were: Series E, \$41,404,000; Series F and G, \$24,462,000 total all series, \$65,866,000. Total sales for the nation were \$2,798,183,000.

### VISIT WITH PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Schweitzer of Baytown who visited here from Saturday until Tuesday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, were joined here Monday by her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dodge of Big Spring, as over-night guests in the Schweitzer home. They left Tuesday morning for Tres Ritos, New Mexico where they spent several days.

### SUPERDIME TO COTTON



Full importance of the ten cents per bale contributed by the farmer to the cotton research and promotion program of the National Cotton Council is illustrated as Superdime secures the farmer safety through the efforts of cotton's competition. An intensive campaign is now under way to enlist the participation of all cotton farmers, ginners, compressmen, merchants, spinners, and cottonseed crushers in the nationwide fight to build cotton markets and increase cotton production. The producer's dime is collected for the Cotton Council by the

### Home Project Work Ended With Party

The high school Home Economic girls who have been doing home project work this summer met Monday evening, August 16 for their final meeting in the

Home Ec. department to turn in their summer reports, and afterwards to the Springs for a supper and swimming party.

Under the direction and guidance of their teacher, Mrs. Loyd Latimer, the girls have remodelled the curtains in the Home Ec. department for their school project, this summer.

Although the class has been small, the class has done excellent work Mrs. Latimer, declared.

Those attending the supper and swimming party were: Jo Ann Florence, Dolly Smallwood, June Neighbors, Pauline Blevins, Sue Lancaster, Vernon Brogdon, Joy Martin, James White and Mr. and Mrs. Latimer.

### HERE FROM LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Webb and daughters Judy and Pat of Los Angeles, California arrived here Tuesday morning for a visit with her mother Mrs. Mae Plumlee and her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Webb. They were accompanied by Miss Nell Webb who has been visiting for the past month in Los Angeles and San Diego with relatives.

### A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to Section 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, so as to provide for a Board for apportioning the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment, providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor, and making an appropriation.

SECTION 1. That Section 25 of Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as hereafter to read as follows:

Section 25. The Legislature shall, at its first regular session after the publication of each United States decennial census, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, agreeable to the provisions of Sections 23, 24, and 26 of this article. In the event the Legislature shall fail to do so, the Governor shall, at any such first regular session following the publication of a United States decennial census, call for a special session of the Legislature, and shall be composed of five (5) members, as follows: The Lieutenant Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Attorney General, the Comptroller of Public Accounts and a majority of whom shall constitute a quorum. The Board shall, within sixty (60) days after its organization, apportion the state into senatorial and representative districts, as the failure of action of such Legislature may make necessary. Such apportionment shall be in writing and signed by three (3) or more of the members of the Board, duly acknowledged as the act and deed of such Board, and when so executed and filed with the Secretary of State shall have force and effect of law. Such apportionment shall become effective at the next succeeding statewide election. The Supreme Court of Texas shall have jurisdiction to compel such Commission to perform its duties in accordance with the provisions of this section by writ of mandamus or other extraordinary writs conformable to the usage of law. The Legislature shall provide necessary funds for the salaries and expenses of the members of the Board, and the Lieutenant Governor and the Secretary of State, and shall be entitled to receive per diem and travel expenses during the absence of the Board in the same manner and amount as they would receive while attending a special session of the Legislature. This amendment shall become effective January 1, 1951.

SECTION 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held throughout the state on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1948, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon:

For the amendment to Section 25, Article III of the Constitution of Texas providing for a Board for apportionment of the state into senatorial districts and representative districts in the event the Legislature fails to make such apportionment, providing for the issuance of the necessary proclamation by the Governor, and making an appropriation.

Each voter at such election shall mark one of such clauses on the ballot, leaving the clause expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

SECTION 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election, and shall have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this state.

SECTION 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of this state not otherwise so appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

### VISIT IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rattan and son Garland, Mrs. Sally Jackson of Afton, W. W. Rattan of Fort Worth and J. R. Baker of Lipan visited Sunday at Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rattan.

Persons non grata is a Latin phrase meaning a person not acceptable.

### Appendicitis Now Often Fatal As Result Of Neglect

Sixty Texans died as the result of appendicitis during the first five months of 1948, according to figures released by the Texas State Department of Health.

"This figure does not appear large when compared to the deaths from cancer, tuberculosis and heart disease," Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer said, "but with the knowledge that these sixty Texans died needlessly, the figure is tragically high."

More than anything else, Dr. Cox said he would attribute fatality in appendicitis to the complacent attitude of the people concerning the disease. It is not put in its "proper perspective". Too often, the Health Officer said, people have the vain hope that the prolonged pain in their stomach will "wear off". He cautioned that the stomach ache which lasts more than three or four hours should be considered a serious matter.

Appendicitis killed 60,000 people in the United States and Canada last year, Dr. Cox said. He warned that young adults are especially susceptible to attacks, and that appendicitis is a leading cause of death among children and adolescents.

"Operative techniques have been improved to the extent that an unruptured appendix can be removed with great safety," Dr. Cox said. "It is therefore apparent that the negligence in appendicitis rests with the patient who fails to seek prompt medical attention."

He said it was imperative that the patient lie quiet until the doctor comes as moving about disturbs the inflamed parts. He strongly urged against taking laxatives in cases of suspected appendicitis.

### TO WASHINGTON D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rattan left Saturday on a vacation trip to Washington, D. C. and other points of interest.

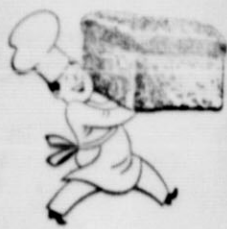
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### POLITICAL Announcements

The Tribune is authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the action of the Democratic Voters in their Primary Election on Saturday, August 28, 1948.

For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District:  
Kilmer B. Corbin  
Sterling J. Parrish

For County Commissioner, Precinct 2:  
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### Roaring Springs NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Casstevens and children, Sandra and Bobby of Fort Worth, left Tuesday to return home after visiting Mr. Casstevens' sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goodwin left recently for a trip that will

include a visit to points in South Dakota before continuing to Canada where they will tour.

Mrs. Elwanda Soucci of Warren, Ohio, is visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Godfrey.

Mrs. K. Jones is visiting in Lubbock, where she is attending a series of pre-nuptial affairs in honor of the forthcoming marriage of her grandson, K. C. Barrier, to Miss Carolyn Baldwin of Lamesa.

Mrs. M. E. Keahey and Miss Freda Keahey of Wichita Falls, were here over the week-end to attend the Home-Coming services held Sunday at the Methodist Church.

Enjoying a fishing trip "on the Concho" at San Angelo, this week were: Mike Hoyle, Poke Cooper, Hollis Godfrey, Glenn Dobkins, Homer Hughes, and Tom Yeates.

The public is cordially invited to attend revival services now in progress at the Roaring Springs Methodist Church. Rev. O. D. McDonald is pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss returned home recently from an enjoyable trip to the west coast, spending most of their 10-day visit in the vicinity of Los Angeles.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones were Mr. and Mrs. George Phillips. Mr. Phillips and Mr. Jones were army buddies while stationed at Camp Grant, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller were in Dallas this week, where they attended graduation of their daughter, Wanda, from the Parkland Hospital School of Nursing, last Friday.

#### Mrs. Bess Patton Returns From Coast

Mrs. Bess Patton returned home recently from the west coast, where she has been visiting her two daughters, Mrs. Sam Wiell of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Loye Sparks of Taft, Calif.

Mrs. Patton had the unique experience of winning a carton (12 cans) of Campbell's pork and beans, as a contestant on the "Double or Nothing" radio program, in July. Several local residents heard and enjoyed the broadcast. "Wouldn't you know I'd win pork and beans", Mrs. Patton said, "I don't even like

them." Master of Ceremonies, Lou Crosby suggested that she change them for soup or something, but Mrs. Patton kept the beans.

With her daughter, Mrs. Wiell, Mrs. Patton also attended "Breakfast in Hollywood" the popular Tom Breneman program, and was presented with a dozen roses for participation on that broadcast with Mrs. Wiell winning a radio in a contest on the same program.

#### Boy Scouts To Hold 2-Day Encampment

All boys in the community, over age of 12 years, are invited to attend a 2-day camp with members of local Scout Troop 60 as hosts, Monday and Tuesday, August 23-24.

The encampment will be held at the Mammy Haynes camp site near Silverton, and all the equipment necessary for the boys to furnish will be a bedroll and food for 3 meals. "We plan to travel light, and everyone is assured of a good time", Assistant Scoutmaster Billy Ray Neighbors declared.

The campers will leave from the local Scout hut at 2:30 p. m. Monday, and those who plan to make the trip are requested to contact Scoutmaster Forrest Campbell, in order that sufficient transportation arrangements might be made.

All Scouts are especially urged to attend, and to encourage other boys eligible, to make the trip.

#### Salute To Matador Scheduled For Air

Matador will be on the air over Amarillo station Tuesday, August 24, at 12:30 p. m. Wave length of the station is 1440.

The "Salute to Matador" program was recorded on a tape recording machine before the First State bank yesterday afternoon and included "man on the street" interviews with C. W. Giesecke, Howard Traweck, Sam Pipkin, Douglas Meador and others.

Don't forget the date, Tuesday August 24, the hour 12:30 p. m. and station KFPA, 1440 on the dial.

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2. Sterling Parrish is not only for farm-to-market roads he has worked consistently to get more of them. He will continue to fight for more and more farm-to-market roads.

3. Sterling Parrish introduced the legislative Re-Districting Bill aimed at giving West Texas the representation at Austin which it deserves.

4. Sterling Parrish knows the Austin Scene and the people who run the various State Departments and bureaus. He has interested those people in West Texas. Through his efforts the State Highway Commission held a meeting recently in Lubbock, the first meeting ever held by that Commission in West Texas, and he personally showed them the needs of West Texas for more farm-to-market roads.

5. Sterling Parrish has a 100% record in the matter of Veterans affairs. He has supported and will continue to support any state effort designed to benefit the veterans of Texas.

6. Sterling J. Parrish can not only say he is for Texas Tech. He can show results. In 1943, before Sterling Parrish was in the Senate, Tech's appropriation totaled \$1,435,348.00. In 1947, after Sterling Parrish was elected to the Senate, Tech's appropriations totaled \$3,216,996.00. Every supporter of Texas Tech should show their appreciation of Senator Parrish's efforts by casting their votes for his re-election. As a second term Senator, he will be in a position to do even more for Texas Tech and West Texas.

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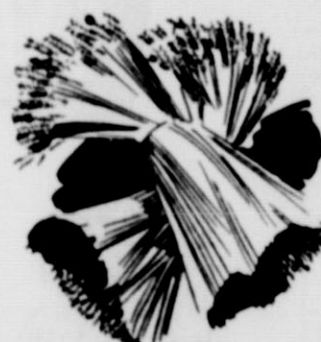
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