

# Cotton Gins Continue Day-and-Night Grind

WHITE FLOOD of cotton has cut through the dikes of commerce and is inundating every community in a 20-county Panhandle area. Compress facilities and transportation are crushed under the impact of the greatest crop in history.

Three Matador gins grinding day and night, are unable to move the cotton to market and have established temporary cotton yards near their plants. A fire hazard without parallel exists in almost every community in the cotton area. Continued dry weather, cotton lint on dry weeds, trees and grass and the vast amount of cotton stored throughout Matador demands extreme caution on the part of every individual.

Fire Chief Raby Webb and Mayor Douglas Meador issue an urgent appeal to youngsters (and others) with regard to the exploding of fireworks during the holiday season. Vendors of fireworks are asked to caution their customers. A carelessly-tossed firecracker could destroy half of the town. Matador has no ordinance

against the sale and use of fireworks. Matador city council in meeting Tuesday night considered passing an ordinance but decided to rest the problem on the honor of the citizenship and ask for the cooperation of everyone. Experience has proved that fireworks ordinances have frequently done more harm than good.

A private (unofficial) survey by the Tribune at 4 p. m. yesterday showed that 24,086 bales have already been ginned by the county's seven plants from the crop of 1949. (The survey did not include the private Joe Bloodworth gin at Whiteflat.) Many estimates are that more than 30,000 bales of cotton are

already gathered from the 1949 crop (with five or six thousand bales stacked in fields awaiting trucks and ginning facilities).

Fire of an undisclosed origin destroyed 26 bales and damaged 26 more near noon yesterday at the Roaring Springs compress plant. Driven by a high wind the fire might have gotten out of control except for the quick work of about 50 men employed in the vicinity. With the use of the compress' effective mobile fire-fighting apparatus the volunteers halted the spread of the flames. It is estimated that more than 10,000 bales of cotton are located in the vicinity of the fire.

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## TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



A little ignorance, when spread thin enough, permits an astute man to escape the exacting requirements for admission to the guild of easy-going humanity.

Temperance casts a great shadow across the strange fields of human behavior and it has stilled the desires of humanity from the all-consuming sun of gratification with divine purpose. The glutton and drunkard walk together beyond its reach; they are not alone, all life is wetted with restraint. Temperance was designed to control the tongue in criticism of the intemperate.

Frequently a great man stands in the crumbling debris of failure to reach the first of a few firm, easy steps to success. Experience is a sharp spear with which he fearlessly pierces the strong hide of impossibility.

The day, with its throat slit by a golden lance, was motionless as life ebbed away. A covey of quail swayed and tumbled into the clump of shinners; a phantom wind walked across the grey sage and left it swaying. The hunter rose and brushed the sand from his unused gun when stars began to burn through the thin, purple shadows of twilight. Filled with the wholesome thoughts that his heart had found in the pleasant afternoon of solitude, he breathed deeply of the crisp air of approaching night, and began walking back to the little valley where he had left his automobile. He detected hunting but he enjoyed the opportunity the sport provided for being alone with his thoughts.

Sometimes when I am within the sound of stirring music and the mighty panorama of my nation's glory parades in review, my eyes fill with mist. I feel humble and unworthy of the blessing that liberty has delivered at my feet. I am like an imposter who happens to enter a room when a rich legacy is being settled on anyone present; a heritage made sacred with blood and sacrifice.

Oil transports roar through the streets rattling their sabers like pompous generals parading before battle. Throbbing with power they strike at distance and advance quickly before time can organize a plan for defense. They are the corpuses of commerce flowing through the veins of transportation.

When a man is being groomed for destruction by whiskey he usually decides his system requires one or more drinks each day. Later he reaches a conclusion that an economy of time will result if he keeps ahead of the schedule.

If I had my druthers I would prefer less dignity and more common sense displayed by our high brass politicians.

## W. M. U. Party To Be Held Monday

Annual W. M. U. Christmas party will be held in the basement of the Baptist church, Monday evening. It was announced at a meeting Wednesday night following the foreign missions program. The party will begin at 7:30 and gifts will be distributed from a tree. It was agreed that prices of gifts should not exceed one dollar.

## Chest Drive Far Short Of Budget Goal

Fate of Matador Community Chest hangs in a balance. President Jake Edwards, Tuesday said that a complete report is still not available but that contributions indicate a lag in interest. He declared approximately \$1,500 had been received in cash and pledges, which is only 50% of the budget goal of \$3,000.

One woman worker told a Tribune reporter she had not been refused a contribution but that many business firms had given less than expected. Edwards said some workers had been told by heads of firms that they preferred to make contributions personally. A large percentage admitted the number of solicitors had been greatly reduced last year (first year of Community Chest in Matador). Others said they had contributed to as many causes as previous years.

Almost without exception civic leaders who in previous years had worked on collections were enthusiastic in praise of the Chest. The Chest budget provides for elimination of separate drives for seven agencies, including the emergency fund which is set large enough to care for most emergencies, such as fires, sickness, etc. Edwards said reports of other workers may change the present appearance of the campaign. He also felt that the present extremely busy season may have been a factor in delaying response to the drive that had been anticipated. He said it was too early to make a definite statement as to the success of the drive.

## Public Reminded Of Bazaar To Be Held By W.S.C.S.

The public is reminded of the gift bazaar and food sale which will be conducted by the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service, Saturday, December 10. The bazaar will be held at the Commercial Grocery, and many nice articles suitable for gifts will be offered for sale.

## Roses Blooming In December

## Mild Weather Twists Schedule Of Seasons

Until late yesterday (December 7th) flowers were blooming in many Matador yards, and the community had fresh watermelon on Christmas Day. He said, however, the weather changed over the weekend, to be very cold with rain and snow.

## CANDY TRUCK BURNS ON DELIVERY ROUTE

Fire of undetermined origin almost destroyed a Curtis candy truck, Vernon Brogdon of Matador, was making delivery of merchandise at Jackson's Grocery at Glenn, east of Roaring Springs. A short in the wiring is believed to have caused the truck to catch fire, since the front part was flaming first, damaging 75% of the candy before that in the rear of the truck could be removed. Brogdon estimated damage to the truck would be between two and three hundred dollars. Both truck and merchandise were covered by insurance he said.



HE HELPED SHAPE THE DESTINY of Matador. Ed E. Denny, 78, above, was editor of the Matador Meverick weekly newspaper for a short time near the turn of the century. He was a deputy sheriff when District Judge William McGill ordered the arrest of "Maverick" editor Lee Smith because of innuendoes published in the paper which cast aspersions on the judge's character. Smith spent a night in jail here for his "offense." Mr. Denny was in Matador during the "sheriff's war" in which elected sheriff Joe Beckham refused to surrender his office after being "impeached" by the Commissioners' Court. It was during this period (not related by Mr. Denny in his interview with a Tribune reporter) that Texas Rangers were ordered here because of the tense situation. Above picture of the venerable pioneer was made in the Tribune office. His home is in Childress.—Photo by Douglas Meador.

## YOUTH REVIVAL TO BE CONDUCTED AT ROARING SPRINGS

A Youth Revival will be conducted at the Baptist church at Roaring Springs, starting Wednesday, December 14 and continuing through Sunday, December 20. He will be allowed to play with his toys during the meeting but must surrender them when the luncheon is over. The toys will then be given to underprivileged children of the community for Christmas.

## Lions Will Bring Toys To Meeting

Each Lion will bring his own toys to the next meeting of the Matador Lions club, Tuesday, December 20. He will be allowed to play with his toys during the meeting but must surrender them when the luncheon is over. The toys will then be given to underprivileged children of the community for Christmas.

## DEATH CLAIMS FLOMOT PIONEER

Death Saturday claimed the life of Bron Martin, Flomot pioneer, about an hour after he suffered an attack caused from a clot on his heart. At his home in the Flomot community. After suffering the attack, Mr. Martin went to the home of a grandson, Raymond Gunn, who brought him to Stanley Clinic at Matador, where he died a few minutes after arriving.

## Dennis Bryant Will Lead Scout Troop

Dennis Bryant, grade school teacher, will assume leadership of the Matador Scout Troop 60, it was announced Tuesday by Boss Lion Bert Ezzell, at the regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club. Lion Bryant will assume the place vacated by the resignation of former Scoutmaster Forrest Campbell, who served 3 years. Ezzell said Lion Glenn Woodruff had accepted the place of assistant Scoutmaster. Mr. and Mrs. Dub Drace of Lubbock spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

## Nath Pipkin To Preach Here At Methodist Church

Nath Pipkin, theological student at McMurry College, Abilene, will preach here Sunday at the morning worship hour, 11:00 o'clock at the Methodist church, according to an announcement made by the pastor, Rev. Marvin Brotherton. The youthful preacher has been a Matador visitor previously, and has preached here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bush Pipkin of McAdoo and a nephew of local residents, Henry and Sam Pipkin and Mrs. J. S. Poet.

## SUNDAY VISITORS

Visiting here Sunday with their mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves and their sister, Mrs. Velma Fuller, were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Howell of Amarillo, Mrs. Arvil Kingery of Plainview, Mrs. Elbert Seigler of Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Groves and baby son of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson of Sweetwater.

## DIST. COMMANDER OF LEGION WILL ADDRESS MEETING

Charlie Gibson of Amarillo, Commander of the 18th District American Legion, will make an address here Thursday evening, December 15th, at the Fleming-Post American Legion annual Christmas party and Christmas tree. Legion and Auxiliary members will bring gifts to the party already wrapped for veterans in the Amarillo veterans hospital. The gifts will be placed in a large box and shipped to hospital patients the following day. Only restriction on gifts is that no face lotions or other gifts containing alcohol be presented. Commander Gibson will speak after the covered dish supper.

Fleming-Post Commander M. S. Patton urges all members and Auxiliary members to make plans to attend the Christmas tree party with the assurance of a good time and an interesting talk by the District Commander. Mrs. L. J. Barkley visited in Lubbock last week with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner.

## Three Awards On Decorations

Three attractive awards, including a cup and two plaques, will be presented by the Matador Lions club for the best decorated Matador home during the Christmas holidays. Lion C. W. Giesecke, jr., announced Tuesday that the awards had been received. Impartial judges will select the three winning homes. Despite the rush of the busiest season Matador has ever known, decoration of streets and places of business is progressing rapidly. Main street is festooned with

## LODGE TO HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY

Matador IOOF and Rebekah lodge will hold their annual Christmas party, Monday night December 12. The party will also honor W. J. Whitworth on his birthday. He is the lodge's oldest member. Covered dish supper will be served after the program, starting at 7:30 p. m.

## CAGE TOURNEY IS UNDER WAY

Annual high school basketball tournament sponsored by the Matador Lions club is under way. Unusual crowds attended the opening evening of play Tuesday. No games were scheduled for yesterday. Resumption of matches today will continue through the finals Saturday. Results of games Tuesday

## RECENT VISITORS

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton were her brother, Gus Knight of Bluefield, W. Va., a sister, Mrs. C. L. Edgar of Cleburne, Texas, the latter's daughter, Mrs. John Ezell and her son, Charles, of Alvarado, Texas. COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

## Santa Coming Here To Get Toy Orders

SANTA CLAUS is coming to town. He will arrive here for a brief visit sometime Saturday afternoon (Christmas Eve) December 24, by special plane. He will also visit Roaring Springs the same afternoon. "I am behind on my schedule," Mr. Claus told a Tribune reporter by long distance telephone from the North Pole. "and I plan to make a hurried dash down to Roaring Springs and Matador to pick up orders for toys for the girls and boys. I am going to give away some candy and favors but I can't stay long since I have a mighty big night's work ahead of me on Christmas Eve."

"I have hired that flying Ford tractor agent, S. J. Braselton of Roaring Springs to fly me down there and back," Mr. Claus explained. Asked about his health, Santa said, "I'm feeling fine altho I have put on a little weight." He said Mrs. Claus was busy supervising the toy factories. "It will be a lot of help to me if the girls and boys will write letters and mail them at schools or at any store in Matador or Roaring Springs, so they will be printed, where I can read them in the Tribune," Santa declared. He said he had sent samples of his toys and gifts to stores in Matador and Roaring Springs and that they were the finest his toy factories had ever produced. He urged little boys and girls and their parents to see them.

## MARKETING QUOTA REFERENDUM DATE SET FOR DEC. 15

Five polling places have been announced for the December 15 Marketing Quota referendum, according to W. C. Davidson, administrative officer for the Motley County PMA. Landlords, share-croppers, tenants and others participating in the 1948 (not 1949) cotton crop are eligible to vote. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. Voting places in the various communities are as follows: Northfield school house, Whiteflat Dixon's store, Flomot school house, Matador PMA office in the courthouse and Roaring Springs city hall. A two-thirds majority throughout the nation must favor the marketing quota before it is approved. Davidson said that if the allotments are approved the support price will be 90% of parity, with penalties imposed for over-planting. If the referendum fails to pass the support price will be set at 50% of parity. Every eligible voter is urged to take part in the referendum.

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GENE BARLEY  
JUNE COLEMAN

## Don't Forget The Smoking Rule In The Gym

### Basketball News

The Matador basketball girls went to Quitaque last night. There were three games starting at 6:30 with the girls. The final score was 40 to 34 with Matador leading. At the half the Matadors were leading the Matadors by four points. The Matador girls came back to play ball and soon ran the score higher. The high point girl for the Matador team was Bonnie Hughes and Merrel of Quitaque made most of their points.

The boys played Tuesday night which was a close, good game. The Matador boys had two work outs and one game before this game with Quitaque. The final score was 38 to 30 with Quitaque leading only 8 points. Peck Thompson of the Matadors was high point man with Lewis of Quitaque leading the score for the rivals. The boys also played Floydada Monday night. This was the boys first game. They played Lubbock "Boys Club" Wednesday night. They are really ready and willing for the Lions Tournament, which is to start Tuesday night. The finals will be played off Saturday night, and

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the trophies will be awarded the winners.

### M. H. S.— MATADOR HAS ALL-DISTRICT PLAYER IN FOOTBALL

The football players are very proud to have one District player picked from the Matador team of 1949. Coach Nabors went to Floydada last week where the District players were picked. Sappo Giesecke was picked from Matador as our all-district player.

Everyone is proud of Sappo for this year's work and also three years before. Last year, he was also picked as our all-district player. He is very good in sports and is a very good sport along with it. Sappo graduates this year.

### M. H. S.— My Ideal Boy

(By Joyce Reynolds)  
Hair—Albert  
Eyes—Albert  
Nose—Albert  
Smile—Albert  
Complexion—Albert  
Teeth—Albert  
Mouth—Albert  
Hands—Albert  
Feet—Albert  
Walk—Albert  
Wit—Albert  
Phys—Albert  
Character—Albert  
Gen. App—Albert  
—M. H. S.—

### The Chatter Box

Well Dog! Could it have been? Yes it was! Who? Georgia M. that you were with Wednesday night, and you both seemed to have had a good time. A real cute couple. It seems as if that Bonnie and Burp are just not inseparable, or are they? Any way, we think they are a real good match. Joyce and Albert always enjoy Monday night, and last Monday seemed to be an exception. Betty R. seems to have a different one every time, if you know what I mean. Boy, we wish that everyone could have seen the expressions

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Beautiful—Jeanie  
Cute—Jimmie  
Datable—Melba  
Figure—Wanda  
Graceful—Margie  
Hair—Doris  
Intelligence—Frances  
Joyful—Marlene  
Kind—Sibyl  
Likeable—Joyce  
Mischievous—Barbara S.  
Nice—Jo  
Original—Daisy  
Possessive—Nell  
Rowdy—Georgia  
Quiet—Betty R.  
Talented—Dorothy  
Wit—Jress  
Eyes—Joy

### Boy

Bashful—Billy Paul  
Cute—Gary  
Eyes—Jerry W.  
Fun—Jerry E.  
Genuine—Dog  
Handsome—Cookie  
Intelligent—Garland  
Joyful—Sappo  
Kind—Gene  
Mischievous—Speedy  
Nice—Jody  
Physique—Watson  
Quiet—Billy Paul  
Rowdy—Grady  
Sweet—Albert  
Talented—Gene  
Orderly—Dean  
Likeable—Cecil Wayne  
—M. H. S.—

We are very proud to see Gary out of the hospital. He has been in the Stanley Clinic since November 21. He was taken to the hospital when he cut his arm on the front door glass. We hope he will be back in school soon.

### M. H. S.— DEFINITIONS

DINER—the chew-chew-car.  
RAISIN—a worried GRAPE  
TELEVISION—radio with eye-strain.  
—M. H. S.—  
Mr. Gilbreath: "Do you know why I spanked you?"  
Speedy: "Sure—you'er bigger'n me."  
—M. H. S.—  
Garland: "Sappo, did you ever speak in public?"  
Sappo: "Yeah, lots of times."  
Garland: "Well, what did you find to say?"  
Sappo: "Not Guilty".

### GUARDIANSHIP OF IMAGENE ARCHER ET. AL., MINORS. No. 1203.

In The County Court of Motley County, Texas.

Notice is hereby given of a hearing before the County Court of Motley County, Texas, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1949 at 10:00 A. M. in the County court room of the Courthouse of Motley County, in Matador, Texas, on the application of Mrs. Lizzie Archer, guardian of the estate of Leo Bennett Archer, Jr., a minor, for permission to execute an oil and gas lease covering the reversionary interest belonging to said minor to one-third (1/3) undivided interest in and to one-half (1/2) of the following described lands:

The Southwest Quarter of Survey No. 84, John Gibson, Original Grantee, Motley County, Texas, containing 168 acres.

The Southeast Quarter of Survey No. 85, John Gibson, Original Grantee, Motley County, Texas, containing 167 acres.

A certain 236.8 acres of land being the East part of the North one-half of Survey No. 85, John Gibson, Original Grantee, Motley County, Texas.

Mrs. Lizzie Archer  
Guardian of the Estate of Leo Bennett Archer, Jr., a Minor.

### COURTSHIP AND MARRIAGE

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If she talks too long—INTER-  
RUPTER.  
If she gets too excited—CON-  
TROLLER.  
If her way of thinking is not yours—CONVERTER.  
If she is willing to come half way—METER.  
If she wants to go further—CONDUCTOR.  
If she wants to go still further—DISPATCHER.  
If she wants to be an angel—TRANSFORMER.  
If you think she is picking your pockets—DETECTOR.  
If she proves your fears are wrong—COMPENSATOR.  
If she goes up in the air—CONDENSOR.  
If she likes chocolates—FEED-  
ER.  
If she is a poor cook—DIS-  
CHARGER.  
If her dress is unhooked—  
CONNECTOR.

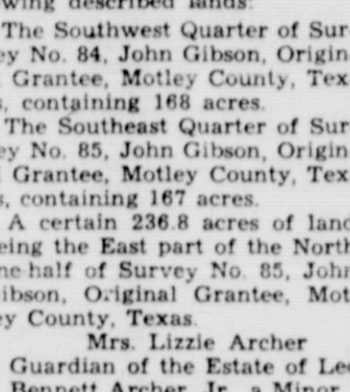
### Carla Green Has Birthday Party

Carla Green celebrated her fourth birthday with a party, Thursday, December 1, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Green.

After a number of games were played, refreshments of birthday cake and fruit punch were served to: Robert Brandon, W. C. and Nancy Kitchens, Sharon Middlebrooks, Sheryl Skags, Carol Jean Colvin, Wreathal and Treva Hicks, Mrs. L. D. McCarty, Mrs. McElton Skags, Mrs. R. L. Brandon and Mrs. Pete Williams.

Mrs. Claude Harp spent the week-end at Littlefield with her young grandson, Hayden McCary, while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rhenard McCary attended the S.M.U.-Notre Dame football game in Dallas.

### V. F. W. Motley County Memorial Post No. 6286, meets 1st Tuesday, 8 p. m. at the American Legion Hut, Matador, Texas. All eligible ex-service men are invited to attend.



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## EARLY DAY SURVEYOR HAD TO DODGE RIFLE BULLETS AND SETTLE SQUABBLES

PLAINVIEW, Dec. 3 (Sp.)—Settling neighbors' squabbles with a transit, running lines by a raven's nest that wasn't there and dodging rifle bullets are some of the highlights of the 47 years W. J. Williams of Plainview has worked as a surveyor.

Jeff, as he is known to many friends, is 68. He was first elected Hale County surveyor in 1902.

He spent 10 years as surveyor of Potter County, from 1906 to 1916, and during that period acquired the Amarillo News, which he published for 6 years.

Among his editors were Bascom N. Timmons, now Washington correspondent of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, and the late Hilton Greer of Dallas. T. W. Stanberry, still on the Amarillo News staff, was his advertising man.

Williams returned to Plainview in 1916, served four years as deputy surveyor and became surveyor again in 1920.

**Cleared Title Mystery**  
His adventure with the raven's nest cleared up a 30-year title mystery. Records on the plot of land he was called upon to survey called for a corner at a raven's nest in a shinnery tree.

Williams could find neither the nest nor the tree, but he established the corner by running lines from known markers, some three or four miles away.

In Swisher county he straightened out a snarl that was threatening to lead to trouble, because survey lines went wrong in 1875 when a surveying crew chased a wild mustang colt.

When the colt had been caught the surveyors went back, but were unable to find the pin. Deciding they had no time to start the line again, they set up about where they thought they were when the colt appeared.

The late W. B. Hutchinson, Swisher county surveyor, ran his lines according to the Land Office official map several years later, and after the county was well settled discovered that many farmers were living a

mile and a half from "home." They were on land called for in deeds, but the designations were incorrect.

**Marked By Pile Of Rocks**  
Williams, called in to help out, located a pile of rocks in Hale county that controlled the southwest corner of Swisher. He then established the three other corners and made a correct survey. But some people who had lived on land several years and had improved it were unwilling to move.

With the late J. E. Swepton of Tulia, Williams went to Austin and talked the situation over with a committee of legislators. As a result a special law, the only one of its kind in Texas, was passed to make titles to the land valid.

Near Pecos, where once almost worthless land suddenly yielded a crop of oil wells, there were points where the surveys failed to join, leaving narrow strips to which land owners had no titles.

The state called for Williams to make a survey. He and his sons could read the signs on the ranch gates, "hunters and surveyors keep out," but they had a job to do.

The cloth crosses they placed on the ground for markers in making aerial photographs mysteriously would disappear and other annoyances cropped up constantly. Things got serious one day when rifle bullets began popping against rocks near the surveyors.

"We figured they were only trying to scare us off, and kept right on surveying," Williams said. He was right, or somebody was a poor shot.

It was Williams and W. D. Twitchell, now of San Angelo, who made the survey of the XIT lands in 1912 that recovered for the State of Texas approximately 55,000 acres of land that inadvertently had been included in the XIT because of mistakes in the original survey.

Williams was born on St. Valentine's Day, 1881, six miles east of Cleburne. Although he had only 12 months schooling, he pursued the self-education system so diligently that he acquired a first grade state certificate, taught school five years in Hale and Swisher counties and at numerous teachers' normals.

### Kimble Optometric Clinic

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### Holiday Time For Pie



Photo by Jella Podgors

Serving pie for dessert is one of America's favorite habits—so much so that we say "As typically American as apple pie." Pies are especially traditional for holidays—Cherry Pie for Washington's Birthday and Pumpkin Pie for Thanksgiving.

Of course we must always have a Mince Pie for Christmas. The one pictured here—Mince-meat Cream Pie—is a new version of mince, with a layer of packaged vanilla pudding added to the top. There are other pies that gayly exploit the color-scheme of a special holiday, like the Christmas Delight Pies described below. Here the cherries are molded in red cherry-flavored gelatin, then a layer of lime-flavored gelatin is added, for a bright and colorful Christmas dessert.

Bring on the pies—it's holiday time!

**Mince-meat Cream Pie**  
1 recipe prepared vanilla pudding  
1 tablespoon fat or 1/4 teaspoon salt extract  
Three-fourths cup mince-meat  
1 baked 8-inch pie shell

Prepare pudding as directed on package. Cool slightly (about five minutes), stirring occasionally. Add fat and mix well. Spread mince-meat in bottom of pie shell. Cover with pudding. Chill.

**Christmas Delight Pies**  
1 No. 1 can red and white cherries  
1 cup shortening and water  
1 package cherry-flavored gelatin  
1 cup hot water  
2 baked 8-inch pie shells  
1 package lime-flavored gelatin  
2 cups hot water  
2 cups cream, whipped and sweetened  
1 cup shredded coconut

Drain cherries well; reserve juice. Add enough water to juice to make 1 cup. Dissolve cherry gelatin in 1 cup hot water. Add cherry juice and water. Chill until slightly thickened. Then fold in cherries. Place 1 1/2 cups gelatin mixture in each pie shell. Chill until firm.

Dissolve lime gelatin in 2 cups hot water. Chill until slightly thickened. Spread a thin layer of whipped cream over firm gelatin layers. Cover with slightly thickened lime gelatin. Chill until firm. Top pies with remaining whipped cream and sprinkle with coconut.

### VISIT RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson of Sweetwater, are visiting here this week with friends and relatives while Mr. Wilson assists with inventory at Burton-Lingo Company. Joining them here Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Wilson's mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves, were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Groves and baby son, Ronald, of Lubbock.

### RETURNS HOME

Ed Whitaker, who recently returned to Dallas for a medical check-up, was accompanied home last week by his daughter and grandson, Mrs. James Russell Nebbett and Michael, of Denton, Texas, who visited here over the week-end.

### CHURCH CALENDAR

**Landmark Missionary Baptist Church**  
Eld. Berry Watson, Pastor  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Preaching Services 11 a. m.  
Sunday Night Services 7:30 p. m.

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord, Psalm 122-1." A cordial welcome is extended to everyone.

**Baptist Church**  
Clifford Potts, Pastor  
Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11 a. m. Morning Service  
6:30 p. m. Training Union  
7:00 p. m. Evening Service

Monday: 3:30 p. m. Burleson Circle meets  
4 p. m. Each alternate Monday, Junior and Intermediate G. A.'s meet

Tuesday: 8:00 p. m. Henrietta Shuck circle meets  
Wednesday: 7:00 p. m. Prayer Service.

**Methodist Church**  
Marvin Brotherton, Pastor  
Sunday:  
Sunday School 9:45  
Morning Worship 11:00  
Evening Worship 7:00  
M. Y. F. Worship 8:15  
Recreation to follow the Worship for both Intermediates and Seniors.

Wednesday:  
7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting and Bible Study  
8:15 p. m. Choir Practice.  
A warm welcome awaits you at the Methodist church. If any one living here does not have a Church home in Matador you are invited to worship with us and feel at home. "I was glad when they said unto me Let Us Go Into the House of the Lord" Ps 122-1.

**Church of Christ**  
Minister John C. Stepp  
Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
10:45 a. m. Church Service  
7 p. m. Evening Service  
Wednesday: 2 p. m. Ladies Bible Class.

**Assembly of God**  
Rev. G. E. Bowen, Pastor  
Sunday:  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School  
11 a. m. Morning Worship  
7 p. m. Evening Worship  
Tuesday: 3:15 p. m. WMC meets  
Thursday: 7 p. m. Prayer Meeting.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

### Turkey Child Dies Of Stomach Ailment

Wanda Jean, three and a half year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hanna of Turkey, died in a Matador hospital at 1:20 a. m. Sunday, Nov. 27 after a very brief illness from a stomach ailment.

Burial was in Dreamland cemetery at Turkey, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. R. F. Pepper, pastor of the Bridlebit Baptist church, conducting the graveside rites. Burial was under the direction of McDonald Funeral Home.

Wanda Jean was born April 29, 1946 at Waco. Her parents returned to Turkey only a few weeks ago. Besides her parents she is survived by a younger sister Carol Ann, her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Jack) Hanna of Waco and Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Hulien of Lawton, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hanna were up from Waco to spend Thanksgiving and took the baby with them Friday to see his mother at Hereford. The child played, laughed and talked all the way to Hereford but became ill Friday night. Not thinking it serious a doctor was not consulted until Saturday morning when the baby's condition showed no improvement.

The grandparents started back to Turkey with the child who became desperately ill and limp when they reached Quitaque. They rushed her with all speed to Stanley hospital at Matador where she died at 1:20 Sunday morning.—Turkey Enterprise.

### Stanley Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Emerb of Dougherty, are the proud parents of a son, Larry Don, weight nine pounds, 12 ounces, who was born Saturday, Dec. 3.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Markham of Matador, Sunday, December 4. He weighed nine pounds and was given the name, John Larry.

Mrs. Malcolm Turner of Flomot underwent major surgery Thursday, December 1, in the Clinic.

Bob Turner son of Mr. and Mrs. Houston Turner of Quitaque underwent tonsillectomy Monday, December 5, in the Clinic.

### TO DECATUR

Mrs. Paul Patton, accompanied by Mrs. Bernice Knight, visited in Decatur from Monday until Wednesday and also visited in Fort Worth while gone.

### VISITORS HERE

Visitors here with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stanley and Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanley, are their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Joy, recently of Beloit, Wisconsin, who are seeking a new location in this section of the country.

### Dear Santa

I have been a real good boy. I want a pool table, an electric train, some chinese checkers and a new football. Be sure to remember all other little boys and girls. Hope I will be seeing you soon.

Love,  
Roy George Hobbs.

### WESTERN ATTIRE NOT TYPICAL OF CHRISTMAS BALL

Western attire is not typical of costumes worn at the original Cowboys' Christmas Ball at Anson, Texas, according to Leonora Barrett, historian of organization.

At the original folk dance men wore high white collars and civilian suits, and women's dress at the historical and literary folk dancing was characterized by full long skirts, polonaise, basks, ruffles, laces, hoops, overskirts, etc. It is established however, that men and boys "ape" the Texas cowboy—even the earlier rodeo style of cowboy in wearing checked blouses, red bandannas, and boots (not necessary).

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sary), adding color to the occasion.

The Cowboys' Christmas Ball is commemorative of social life in a West Texas village and surrounding country in 1885. The annual affair will again be held this year at Pioneer Hall in Anson, December 21-24 inclusive.

In the re-enactment of the historical and literary folk dance all participants on Wednesday night, December 21, and Friday night, December 23, are to be dressed in the fashion of the 1880's and 1890's. Sets as of the traditional ball, will have their callers with them on the floor.

The folk dances used at the original Ball were the square, schottische, heel-and-toe polka, old waltz, and the Virginia Reel. Several other folk dances, adopted by the Texas cowboys, have been incorporated.

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**Roaring Springs NEWS**

By Mrs. L. E. Cooper)

Mr and Mrs. Marie Massey and daughters of Hereford spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Smiley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jones of Hereford, Calif. is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Casperson and children of Fort Worth, visited here recently with his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Miller and Madames Lem Miller and Margaret Keahy made a business trip to Lubbock, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perry of Hereford visited here with Mesdames Donovan and Vada Gibson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bridges and children of Compton, Calif., returned home Friday after a two week visit here with his father, Mr. Bridges and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cargile and daughters of Sudan spent the week-end here and at Dobbs City with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wallis and daughters, Shirley and Sue of Hereford were shopping and visiting here Saturday.

J. P. Moss and Dr. Clyde Tucker, of Floydada, were here Thursday on business.

Mr. Omer Watson, Son Watson and little Miss Oma Sue of Hereford made a business trip to Hereford, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Saunders and Nancy left Monday for a visit in Stamford with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kingery and sons and Mrs. J. H. Williams of Hereford, New Mexico, Sunday. Mrs. Williams remaining for a longer visit with her parents who live there.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thacker and children and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hunter spent the week-end in Hereford, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Messer returned to their home in Hugo, Okla. Tuesday after a visit here with his sister, Mrs. Myrtle Messer.

Mr. and Mrs. Posey of Childress spent the week-end here with their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Posey and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Posey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vaughn spent the week-end with friends in Brownfield.

**NEW RESIDENTS**

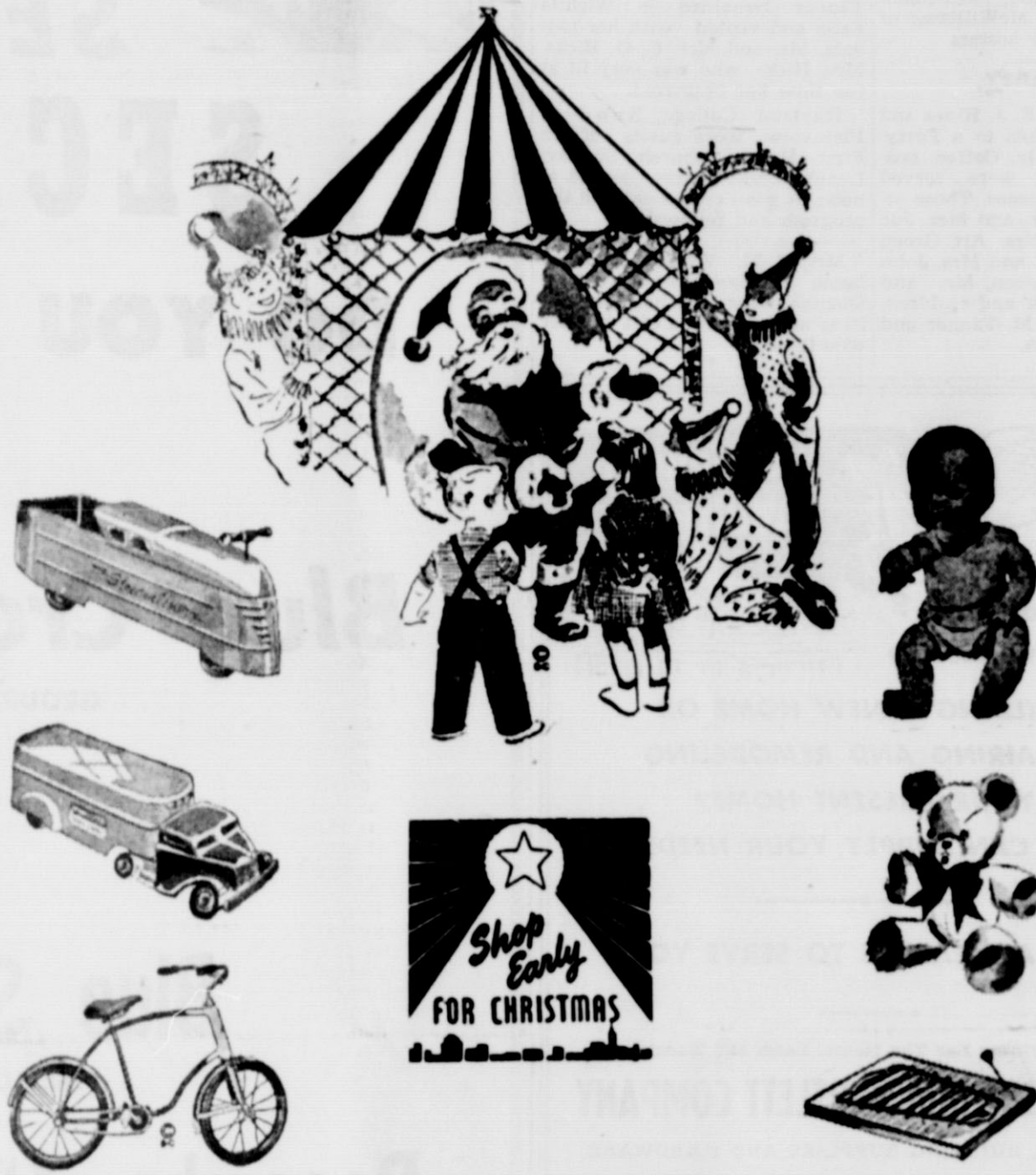
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Lee Harrell have moved here from Lubbock and Mr. Harrell is employed at Kider's Service Station.

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# Area Cotton Crop Brings In \$225 Million

By H. I. KIEFER

**From Lubbock Avalanche**  
Cotton ginnings on the South Plains passed the 1,000,000-bale mark Saturday for the first time in any year in history.

Authoritative estimates were that 500,000 to 600,000 bales still awaited harvest, comprising the largest cotton crop ever grown within a comparable area upon earth.

The crop represents a cash value conservatively placed at a minimum of \$225,000,000.

The closest this area ever came to the million-mark before was in 1937, when 959,000 bales were ginned. The next largest year was 1947, with 944,000 bales.

The 22 cotton producing counties of the region, with a total area of about 20,000 square miles will harvest about 10 per cent of the staple grown in the U. S. and 25 to 30 per cent of that grown in Texas.

The U. S. Cotton classing office at 1702 Avenue H supplied the official records which established that the 1,000,000-bale ginning mark had been reached and passed. More than 99 per cent of the staple grown in the area is classed as to length, color and quality as fast as a sample from every bale ginned can be rushed to that office.

The office, incidentally, is the largest of its kind in the world, now employing approximately 150 people.

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L. O. Buchanan, head of the office with the title of chairman of the board of cotton examiners reported that 865,695 bales had been classed at the close of business Saturday.

He estimated that approximately 95,000 samples were in the office waiting to be classed, with samples from about 50,000 additional bales en route from gins and/or compresses.

The figures add up to approximately 1,010,000 bales ginned. The estimates were extremely conservative so that actual ginnings doubtless were several thousand bales larger than this total.

According to Buchanan's computations, the millionth bale probably was ginned Saturday morning.

However, with 287 South Plains gins turning out a bale of cotton each at the rate of one every six to 12 minutes—most of them operating on a round-the-clock schedule—it would be impossible to designate any particular bale as No. 1,000,000.

In the aggregate, the gins of the area are turning out about 28,000 bales and the classing office is handling about 23,000 samples a day. Both of these are record-breaking figures, not alone for this area, but for the nation and the world.

The South Plains and Caprock counties which have contributed to the amazing record this year are, alphabetically, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Castro, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Floyd, Gaines, Garza, Hale Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Motley, Parmer, Swisher, Terry and Yoakum.

The ginning of the millionth bale marked a significant milestone in the dramatic history of cotton in this region.

The fact that this area would produce the staple abundantly was recognized by the earliest pioneers. Most of them were from cotton growing regions.

Just who planted the first cotton is questionable. Among the first was the late Rollie Burns. Back in the 1880's, while managing a large ranch, he planted a few acres in cotton just to see what would happen. Without irrigation and with little attention to cultivation, he estimated the production at about three-quar-

ters of a bale per acre. But there was no place to gin it, so it was not picked.

The first South Plains cotton to be ginned, around 1900 was hauled in a wagon to a plant near Big Springs. Sometime after that, the first gin in this area was built.

In 1912 approximately 10,000 bales were ginned—the first year for which records of ginnings on the South Plains were obtainable. Most of this cotton was grown in Lubbock, Dickens and Crosby counties.

Under almost any conditions, the indications are most favorable that this area will continue to be the most productive single spot in the cotton picture of the state, nation and world.

**Past Records Given**  
Records of area cotton production by years since that time follow—and this is the first time the tabulations have been compiled and published.

Year	Bales
1913	18,000
1914	40,000
1915	30,000
1916	50,000
1917	10,000
1918	10,000
1919	80,000
1920	75,000
1921	70,000
1922	100,000
1923	160,000
1924	290,000
1925	220,000
1926	460,000
1927	250,000
1928	260,000
1929	330,000
1930	270,000
1931	515,000
1932	540,000
1933	437,000
1934	78,000
1935	310,000
1936	361,000
1937	959,000
1938	379,000
1939	355,000
1940	401,000
1941	484,000
1942	580,000
1943	473,000
1944	525,000
1945	84,000
1946	206,000
1947	944,000
1948	614,000

The wide fluctuations in the ginnings from year to year usually have been in close proportion to moisture. Years of low production are indicative of drought. Those of large production were years of abundant moisture.

**Increase Has Been Steady**  
The increase in cotton acreage has been steady, reaching an all time high of about 3,000,000 planted and approximately 2,750,000 to reach maturity this year.

The cotton producing area of the region also has been extended steadily. Dickens, Lubbock, Crosby and Hale were among

## American Men Too Romantic



Helen Eastis, novelist and magazine writer, who disputes the notion that American husbands are too romantic. In fact, she claims they're too romantic. Writing in the December issue of Cosmopolitan magazine, Miss Eastis explains that husbands overwork themselves to free their wives from household drudgery. The result, she says, is that the wives become underworked and overfed and the husbands begin to appear unromantic alongside their wives' soap opera idols. As a solution, the author recommends that husbands and wives become better friends by sharing and enjoying mutual work and recreation.

the first to produce the staple in quantity.

Other counties fell into line from year to year including Castro, Deaf Smith, Parmer and Swisher as the most recent. Their ginnings were not large enough to be reported separately as recently as last year. In cotton bales, their production was lumped together with that of "other counties." Their cotton acreage this year aggregated about 75,000 and their indicated production around 50,000 bales.

**Comparisons Are Made**  
The steady growth of the importance of this region in the state and national cotton picture can be given dramatic emphasis by a few comparisons.

In 1912, this area produced about one-fifth of one per cent of the Texas ginnings, which totaled 4,880,000 bales, and about one-thirtieth of the national total (13,703,000 bales).

In 1919, the South Plains produced about 4 per cent of the Texas crop, and less than 1 per cent of the nation.

In 1929, or 20 years ago, this

area grew about 8 per cent of the Texas and 1 1/2 per cent of the U. S. crop.

In 1939, about 12 per cent of the Texas and about 3 per cent of the national crop was produced above the Caprock.

The ratio this year will be 25 to 30 per cent of the Texas and 10 per cent, or more, of the nation's ginnings.

**Basis For Huge Industry**  
The production has become the basis for a huge industry. 287 cotton gins worth, conservatively, around \$30,000,000; 11 compresses, seven oil mills, and hundreds of warehouses and other storage facilities.

At peak, these facilities employ more than 10,000 persons—not including the approximately 90,000 who help with the harvest. Of the harvest workers, approximately 70,000 are itinerants and the remainder are residents of the area.

Cotton on the South Plains has made many other contributions to the industry. For example, strains have been developed in and for this area which are resistant to the prevailing winds. Ginning techniques have been developed or improved for handling the cotton of this region and now are in general use.

**Controls To Have Effect**

The study of production figures of this and past years inevitably provokes the question: What will happen in 1950 and during subsequent years if federal acreage controls are restored? And it now seems a virtual certainty they will be restored by a vote of the farmers on next December 15.

Controls unquestionably will reduce the South Plains cotton acreage very substantially. Under the figures announced

Friday, this area would be allowed 1,824,439 acres for cotton next year—as compared with more than 3,000,000 acres this year.

But the acreage also will be reduced in approximately the same proportion in all other areas of the cotton belt.

The assumption is that, under controls, the best of the cotton land will be continued in that crop. With fewer acres, they all most certainly will be tended more carefully. Most farmers will give more attention than ever before to the selection of the highest quality seed.

The prospects are that, with normal weather, this area may produce more cotton, in proportion.

## Motorist Might As Well Have Walked

HASTINGS, Neb., Dec. 3.—C. H. Dreher might as well have stayed at home.

He was cruising around in his new car when he noticed he was about out of gas. Optimistically, he thought he could coax the car to a service station.

He couldn't. It conked out about 10 feet short.

When he tried to start the car again, Dreher found his battery

was dead. Still determined, Dreher summoned some men to push his car up the incline.

One of them yelled, "Wait a minute, you've got a flat tire."

## VISITORS HERE SUNDAY

Mrs. W. E. Bailey of Amarillo visited here Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. Gerald Waybourn and family. She accompanied her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Dean, and they also visited in the E. F. Springer home and with Mrs. H. Williams at Tra-week Hospital.

## PREACHES FUNERAL

Rev. Marvin Brotherton, Sunday preached funeral services for a former friend, Tom Hutchens, at Elliott, Texas.

## Letterheads & Envelopes, Tribune

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**ALBERT MORROW IS GUEST SPEAKER  
MEETING OF GARDEN CLUB LAST WEEK**

Albert Morrow of Mor...  
...for District One...  
...Federation of Garden...  
...was guest speaker at a...  
...meeting of Matador Gar...  
...Club held last Thursday af...  
...in the district court...  
...at the courthouse.

Morrow's informative and...  
...talk embraced three...  
...She outlined the his...  
...of the garden club move...  
...and explained the...  
...of the clubs gain...  
...with the na...  
...and district units.

The garden club constitutes...  
...that lighten the...  
...Mrs. Morrow stated as...  
...the countless...  
...which are sponsored by...  
...State Federation, including...  
...in veterans' hospitals...  
...rehabilitation through...  
...therapy is practiced...  
...are gardens for crippled...  
...and also gardens for...  
...school for the blind at Aus...  
...rests the body and...  
...the spirit", she pointed

Morrow also made the...  
...movement that the Matador...  
...Club now has a District...  
...on the board of District...  
...Texas Federation of Gar...  
...Clubs. She is Mrs. U. L...  
...who has been appointed...  
...Book Chairman for this...

A business meeting at which...  
...presided, Mrs. Freeman...  
...Miss Amy...  
...was appointed reporter...  
...books from other clubs...  
...examined and admired...  
...an open discussion of the...  
...of the Matador club...  
...conducted. Upon motion, it...  
...to close the member...  
...of the club, which stands at...  
...and to stress prompt...  
...of absentee fines.

Other members present were...  
...Bill Pipkin, Harry...  
...W. Clements, Joe...  
...L. R. Bishop, T. J...  
...Alvin Stearns, Bess...  
...R. E. Campbell, Jr., R. E...  
...Douglas Meador, U. L...  
...Miss Clotele Willie and...  
...Amy Glenn. Visitors pres...  
...besides Mrs. Morrow were...  
...Ralph Horton of Carlsbad...  
...and Mrs. A. T. Cocan...  
...of Lubbock.

**At Dinner**

In a courtesy for Mrs. Morrow...  
...U. L. Willie entertained at...  
...Thursday evening, with...  
...aid for twelve. Centering...  
...perfectly appointed table...  
...an arrangement of roses...  
...a large pink satin bow on a...  
...letter. The bow had adorned...  
...of mums which was...  
...to Mrs. Willie at her...  
...installation ceremonies of

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Mrs. Naomi Pierce Brontor...  
...recent Roaring Springs bride...  
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...Mrs. Leo Purvis of Roaring...  
...Springs. F. H. A. girls assisted...  
...with hostess duties.

Many lovely and useful gifts...  
...were received and punch and...  
...cookies were served to the...  
...following guests: Mesdames W. E...  
...Brown, Helen Cargile, Marion...  
...Bailey, Eugene Watson, Frances...  
...Rose, Lem Miller, Betty Jo Wat...  
...son, Mrs. Carol Pierce and Mrs...  
...Brontor, of Afton, Miss Bess...  
...Medlin and Mrs. Purvis. Many...  
...sent gifts who were unable to...  
...attend.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Martin...  
...and Mrs. Mashery of Seagraves...  
...and Mr. and Mrs. Press Thorp...  
...of Amarillo visited in the home...  
...of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ellithorp...  
...Sunday.

**"Notice To Creditors"**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF POTTER  
To the Creditors of  
Kenneth Jeffers,  
d/b/a Matador Drug Store,  
Matador, Texas

You are hereby notified that...  
...Kenneth Jeffers, of the county...  
...of Motley, on the 12th day of...  
...November, 1949, executed a...  
...deed of assignment, conveying to...  
...the undersigned all of his prop...  
...erty for the benefit of said trust...  
...and has duly qualified as requir...  
...ed by law. All creditors consent...  
...ing to said assignment must, w...  
...ithin four months after this...  
...notice, make known to the as...  
...signee their consent in writing...  
...and within six months from the...  
...time of the first publication of...  
...this notice file their claims, as...  
...prescribed by law, with the...  
...undersigned, who resides at...  
...Post Office Box 1820, Amarillo...  
...Texas, which is also his post...  
...office address.

Witness my hand this 16th day...  
...of November, 1949.

/s/ Scott B. Ormsby  
SCOTT B. ORMSBY, Assignee  
P. O. Box 1820  
Amarillo, Texas

To Publish Dec. 1, 8, 15, 1949

**PALMA LANCASTER  
BECOMES BRIDE OF  
C. SMILEY**

Palma Lou Lancaster and...  
...C. Smiley, both of Roaring...  
...Springs, were united in mar...  
...riage at Spur on November 26...  
...at Allen of that place.

They were attended by Miss...  
...Phyllis and Robert Duran...  
...Mrs. Smiley is the daughter of...  
...Zessie Lee Lancaster, and...  
...Smiley is the son of Mr. and...  
...J. C. Smiley, sr. The bride...  
...wed Ahlene Christian Col...  
...Abilene, following her...  
...education from Roaring...  
...Springs High school.

After a short trip to Amarillo...  
...to other places of interest on...  
...high plains, they are now at...  
...home to their friends in Roaring...  
...Springs.

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MADE THURSDAYS AT MASONIC...  
...HALL, MATADOR, TEXAS, BY THE...  
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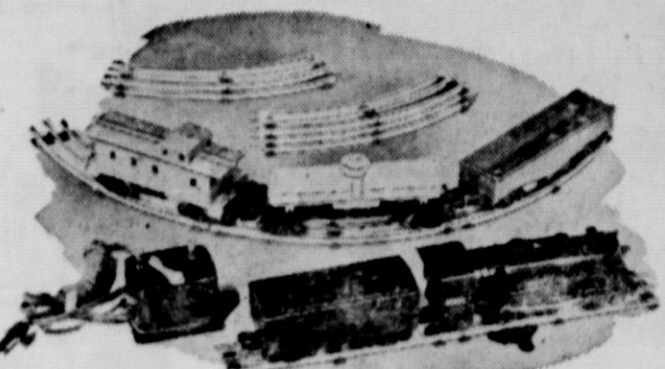
THE SKEWED REFLECTION UP...  
...ON THE CHARACTER OF ANY PER...  
...SON IS FIRST APPEARING IN THESE...  
...COLUMNS WILL BE SLAYED AND...  
...CORRECTED UPON BEING...  
...BRING TO THE ATTENTION OF

**MEMBER BY**

THESE IS GLORY ENOUGH FOR  
NOT MAN TO LIVE AND DIE A  
"TERAN."

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THURSDAY and FRIDAY  
DECEMBER 8 and 9  
William Powell, Shelley Winters  
-in-  
"Take One False Step"  
SATURDAY ONLY  
DECEMBER 10  
Robert Mitchum, Barbara Hale  
-in-  
"West of the Pecos"  
Mystery Mountain, Chapter 2  
SUNDAY and MONDAY  
DECEMBER 11 and 12  
"Allegheny Uprising"  
co-starring  
John Wayne, Claire Trevor  
with George Sanders  
TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY  
DECEMBER 13 and 14  
"Trade Winds"  
-with-  
Fredric March, Joan Bennett,  
Ralph Bellamy, Ann Sothern  
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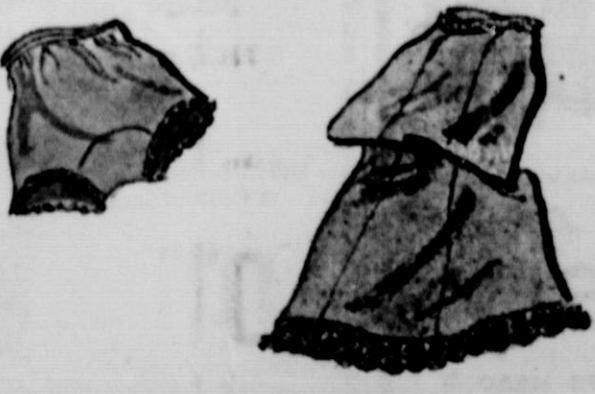


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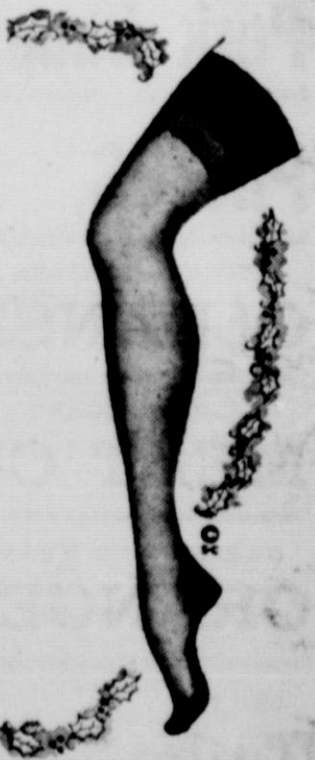
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## Big Silver Dollars, Pride Of Old West, Still Are In Demand

DENVER, Dec. 3.—The average purse-hugger wouldn't know it, but there still is a demand for the old-fashioned silver dollar.

In this day of folding money, folks still are asking for the favorite mazuma of the Colorado mining barons.

The big cartwheel, which once could buy more than a stack of the present-day green stuff, seldom is seen now in ordinary day-to-day exchange.

Bankers believe the biggest group of present-day silver dollar users are people who frequent gambling places and slot machine players. The heavy dollar is too bulky now to serve the financial needs of the housewife or average consumer, especially with the drastic cheapening of money during the past decade.

**Not Grocery Money**

Even in western states like Colorado, where 15 years ago cashiers always returned silver dollars in change for folding money unless specifically requested not to, the silver dollar is dropping out of the money as far as the grocery-buyer is concerned.

They still are not as rare in the west, however, as in the east, where a silver dollar seldom is seen outside a bank vault.

Despite the silver dollar's disappearance from the bulk of trade, it still is popular with some people. Moses Smith, director of the U. S. mint in Denver, said the hard dollars are being distributed to federal reserve banks at a rate of about 4,000,000 a year.

The treasury has a stockpile in its mints of something like \$13,000,000,000 in silver dollars, despite the fact that minting of that coin was stopped in 1935. The last big batch was turned out in 1921.

**Mining Kings Liked Them**

The silver dollar reached the height of its popularity as a medium of exchange in the 1880s and '90s during the heyday of such fabulous mining kings as Colorado's "Haw" Tabor and Meyer Guggenheim.

Tabor always carried a pocketful of the big clanking coins which he liked to throw onto the stage of the Leadville opera house when a trim figure drew his admiration. Some of the silver barons used the dollars for flooring as an obvious motif.

A part of the present demand for silver dollars, the Denver mint believes, may be attributable to the growing demand for coin in this country.

U. S. mints in the past decade have produced 50 per cent of all

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the coinage turned out in the United States in the past 150 years.

Until dollar parking meters and peanut machines come along, however, gambling probably will provide the chief demand for the old-fashioned cartwheel.

### Flomot News

(By Bettye Tanner)

(delayed)

#### STANLEY PARTY

Mrs. V. D. Tiffin was hostess recently to a Stanley party. Games with Stanley products as prizes, were played. Party favors, also Stanley products, were given to each attending. Coffee and cookies were served to Mesdames H. C. Hobbs, Maud Moseley, Harmon Moseley, L. B. Turner, G. D. Tiffin, Edna Tiffin, O. V. Simpson, the demonstrator, Glenn McWilliams of Silverton and the hostess.

#### FORTY-TWO PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hines and children were hosts to a Forty-two party recently. Coffee, peanuts and candy were served throughout the games. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Titus, Mr. and Mrs. Art Green and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Morris and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Monk and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tanner and sons and the hosts.

The O. V. Simpson family moved recently to Roswell, New Mexico where they will reside at 901 North Richardson St.

Mrs. Rosie Fonsville and John Tanner visited in the home of relatives until Sunday morning when they returned to their home at Desdemonia, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hicks of Wichita Falls, were here for the Pearl Tanner funeral. They are parents of Mrs. A. M. Tanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fisher of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Fisher over a recent week-end.

Mrs. Frank Watson and son of Hereford were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Bourland, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tanner attended funeral services at Olney for Mrs. Tanner's great-grandfather, Joseph Thompson. Mrs. Tanner remained in Wichita Falls and visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hicks. Mrs. Hicks, who was very ill at the time has improved.

Wayland College Band of Plainview were guests of the First Baptist church Sunday. Lunch baskets were served at noon. A good crowd enjoyed the program and fellowship.

Mrs. H. M. Wagley returned home Sunday afternoon from Quanah, where she has been visiting at the bedside of a brother who is ill.



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Unmarried children between the ages of 19 and 25 may be included as SPONSORED DEPENDENTS.

(Mothers, fathers, brothers and sisters of members are not eligible to be included as dependents or sponsored dependents.)

**WHEN YOU MAY APPLY.** Application for these services may be made between December 1 and 15th, effective January 1, 1950.

### ANNUAL RATES

BLUE CROSS		BLUE SHIELD
\$13.20	Individual	\$ 9.00
27.60	Member and One Dependent	24.00
31.20	Member and All Dependents	24.00
7.20	Each Sponsored Dependent	9.00
18.00	Married Woman Not Enrolling Her Husband	9.00

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**Mrs. Jim Ratcliff Honored At Shower**

Naming Mrs. Jim Ratcliff, the former Ethel Jameson, as honoree, a gift shower was given from 7 until 9 o'clock Monday evening in the home of Mrs. L. R. Bishop.

Assisting as hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Clarence Kifer, Ted Steen, C. T. Jenkins, E. B. Jenkins, A. J. Daffern, W. B. Vaughn, H. H. Schweitzer and Herman Ellithorp.

Hot punch and dainty cake squares were served, with the hostesses alternating in presiding at the punch bowl. The table was laid with a crocheted cloth and centered with white reindeer mounted on a white crystallized star which held a red candle. Red tapers in crystal holders flanked the arrangement.

Guests were received and registered in the bride's book by Mrs. Kifer, assisted by Mrs. E. B. Jenkins.

One hundred and thirty-four names of those attending and others who sent gifts, were registered.

**DEATH CLAIMS . . .**

(Continued From Page 1)

He moved with his parents to Flomot on June 5, 1891, according to information which he furnished the Tribune for the Golden Anniversary edition in 1941. "I was only ten years of age when my parents first camped on the banks of the Quitaque river about four miles northeast of the present Flomot community, when we moved from McLennan county," Mr. Martin had recounted to the Tribune. "Directly north of here the Quitaque was nothing but a creek. My brother, H. M. and myself used to jump the creek."

He was married to Miss Pearl Merrill in 1901, to which union nine children were born, two of whom died in infancy.

**BROTHERHOOD TO MEET**

Baptist Brotherhood will meet Tuesday night, December 13 at 7:30 in the church basement, it was announced this week. All men of the church are urged to be present for the meeting.

**HERE FROM COAST**

Mr. and Mrs. George Leach of San Diego, Calif., are visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wolfe, having arrived Saturday. Mrs. Leach is the former Gaye Wolfe.

**CARD OF THANKS**

To our friends Your kindness and sympathy is more deeply appreciated than any word of thanks can ever express. Our sincerest wish for you is, that in your dark hour of need, there may be those who will be as tender, kind, and faithful to you as you have been to us.—The family of the late Bron Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Vaughn and children of Odessa, former Matador residents, spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends.

Don Cameron made a trip to Amarillo Friday to accompany his wife and children, Donda and Gary, who will remain there to visit relatives until Christmas when Mr. Cameron will join them and accompany them home.

**ATTENTION VETERANS:** We are now in a position to build FHA and GI houses. We can

make loans up to 100% to Veterans and 90% to 95% to non-veterans. Burton-Lingo Company, Matador. cfn

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

**SEAT COVERS:** Most all models cars, \$12.95 to \$21.95. Coupes, \$11.95. Free installation. Campbell Chevrolet Co.

**FOR SALE:** One Model "G" John Deere (1945 Model) with four-row equipment, one 1948 Ford tractor and equipment, one IHC broadcast binder. See Turner Hunter, Roaring Springs. 3tp.

**FOR SALE:** '48 Ford semi-truck, two speed axle, Freuhauf trailer, excellent condition. Contact James Garth, Matador. cfn.

**FOR SALE:** 160 acre farm, 10 miles north of Matador. W. R. Smelser, Box 445, Phone 143M, Matador.

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**FOR SALE:** One Roper gas range, living room suite, one blue wool rug, coffee table, breakfast set, Norge electric refrigerator, bath room heater Mrs. L. J. Barkley, Phone 99.

**FOR RENT:** 200 acres good land including six-room house. Renter must purchase my farming equipment. See or write Archie Mitchell, Star Route, Whiteflat, Texas.

**"MACHA" Cottonseed, storm-proof, improved and second improved. Field inspection invited. J. T. Graham, Sudan, Texas, farm 7-miles south of Bula. cfn**

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