

# Cotton Farmers Face Acute Labor Shortage

A critical shortage of labor is facing Motley county cotton farmers. The condition is spread throughout the entire cotton-producing area, except the southern part of the state in which most of the crop has already been harvested. Through the western section of the state cotton farmers,

ginners and businessmen are worried about the problem that has no immediate solution. It is estimated by the United States Department of Agriculture that Texas will produce 4,500,000 bales this season, the largest crop since 1937 when yield was 5,000,000 bales. The great bulk of the cotton crop, however, is

in Western Texas this year and many believe that an all-time record may be set in the high plains and trans Pecos areas. A mass-meeting of farmers, ginners and farm leaders held in the District Court room Tuesday evening showed the extent of the problem. The room was filled to near capacity but

little progress resulted. Possibilities of labor from Mexico were explained. It is declared that a bond from \$2 to \$15 per picker is required in most cases. Some large cotton producers are going south in an attempt to obtain pickers but reports from the Plains area indicate that farmers are finding difficulty in

securing labor anywhere. Farmers in Bailey county, according to the Star-Telegram, are worried about the problem of harvesting an estimated 70,000-bale crop. Hockley and Lubbock counties are estimating 200,000 bales or more each. Bailey county ginners believe

they will lose 15,000 bales which will be forced to gin elsewhere because of a shortage of gin facilities. Almost every county in West Texas reports an acute need of pullers. Some counties are estimating a need for thousands of pullers.

A special committee of the Matador Lions club Tuesday considered facilities of entertainment for Latin-American laborers, including Spanish-speaking motion pictures, meeting places and church worship. Dry weather during the past week has caused rapid opening of the crop.

## TRAIL DUST



**By DOUGLAS MEADOR**

Crawling slowly over the gypsum-capped hills, the plane's shadow followed a compass course that bridged sandy rivers and rugged canyons. Far below, the mesquites were like small plants in a vast garden with toy towns on the borders. Scars of old roads were visible on scattered rocky ridges but the eraser of time had rubbed out the deep ruts cut by iron-wheel freight wagons. The years had left no more trace than the moving shadow. The raw, untamed land which had challenged the pioneer, the cowboy and the freighter, was docile. Progress was chewing at ragged fringes of the rough terrain but from the eagle's path it remained unchanged. Presently the journey was ended. A few minutes of flight had sewed the edges of distance together; less time than the pioneer freighter would have needed to harness his teams for the two-day trip.

It requires sustained energy to continue to hate a man whose heart is a sanctuary for friendship.

And in modern architecture is the early West Texas cotton picker shack design, except with more windows so that the public may observe the once-private process of living.

Purple tendons of shadow were curved across the heavens like ribboned aisles where stardust would cushion the hesitant sandals of autumn. The moon arched in cool and silver splendor rose out of the twilight and waited in silence for a bewitching moment until the new season was in his arms. Summer looked backward once with dewdrops glistening in her eyes, breathing the painful warmth of memories, then fell sobbing on a couch of low and distant clouds. Each season must suffer perily.

A word of praise is frequently like a hors d'oeuvre placed beside the substantial but sometimes uninteresting plate of duty.

Rudeness is usually our thoughts allowed to parade without the proper attire of consideration.

Not that I ever intend to spend a winter in Moscow but I have repeatedly wondered what kind of a system Joe Stalin uses to heat the Kremlin. That stone igloo could hardly be comfortable unless it is piped directly to the boiler rooms of purgatory.

It is a common practice with politicians when they make a promise to cross their fingers and follow with a double cross of their friends.

Perhaps this thought is not new since my ideas have a tendency to rebound and strike me in the face with absurd angles, but here it is: Why not have an aviation department in each state on the same order as highway departments to pave and improve airports from a tax on gasoline used in all types of planes? The small planes would serve as feeders to the commercial airlines and the improved landing fields would increase safety in the air. If the tax was administered properly the country would soon be dotted with paved landing strips.

**VISITING PARENTS**  
Pfc John Ketchersid of Chateaufort, Ill., arrived home early Sunday morning and is visiting here with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ketchersid. Their daughter, Chareen of Lubbock, and the family accompanied her back to Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns and children, Karen and Clinton Lee visited in Wellington, over the week end.

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## Pioneer Editor Was Jailed

### Press Freedom Once Schackled In Matador

A FREE American press is a powerful factor in democracy and the press in these United States is freer today than ever before. It is true that a democracy muddles, but our muddling is aired every day. During National Newspaper Week, with its slogan, "Freedom Goes Where the Newspaper Goes," October 1-8, it is fitting the occasion that the Tribune publish a classic story from the yellowed pages of history when press freedom was less free in Matador.

Authority is Ed E. Denny, 77½ years old, of Childress, who was a Matador resident in 1891. Mr. Denny Monday visited the Tribune, accompanied by pioneer friend G. E. Hamilton. Here is the story.

Freedom of the press was

shackled and sent to jail near the turn of the century when District Judge William McGill of Seymour, resented an article written sent into type and printed by Lee Smith and published on the front page of his "Matador Maverick." It was during the crucial growing-pains-days of the cattle country when sheriff Joe Beckham had been removed from office by Motley county officials and another sheriff installed. Joe Beckham did not accept his removal. The county faced the uncomfortable position of having two sheriffs, both armed and belonging to different factions of public opinion. Editor Smith was anti-Beckham and also anti-McGill. On the eve of arrival of Judge McGill, who was to decide which sheriff was to remain, the editor tossed a lighted match with his editorial into the powder keg of a tense situation. He accused McGill of being a monarch to whom subjects must bend the knee. He made ordered the sheriff on the characters of the judge and partially impeached sheriff. After sending his small, hand-set newspaper to its readers, he awaited results.

Judge McGill had arrived and in the silence of the tense court room, he said, "Mr. Sheriff call court." Two sheriffs started to the window of the court room to answer his command. He stopped the appointed sheriff, told him to disarm immediately, and before the court ordered his arrest for carrying firearms. The sheriff impeached by county officials called court. The judge then instructed the sheriff to bring "the body of editor Lee Smith" to his presence. Mr. Denny was a deputy and Beckham instructed him to bring the editor out of his print shop.

The judge waived the newspaper before the editor and asked him if he had written and published the article. Editor Smith admitted he had. The judge roared, "I am going to have you locked in jail for contempt of court." The editor declared he was not criticizing the court but the judge, and within his rights. "I am the court," the judge returned as he ordered the publisher lodged in jail. Sometime during the following day he had Smith again brought to the court room and after lecturing him, turned him loose.

The grand jury indicted Beckham for misappropriation of funds and Judge McGill dismissed him from office, appointing another man instead of the one selected by county officials.

**LIONS TO AGAIN SPONSOR CHEST**

The Matador Lions club will again sponsor a Community Chest for 1950. The announcement was made following a regular directors meeting held Monday morning at 6:30 in the Methodist church basement.

It was announced that boys and girls' clubs will not be a part of the new chest budget. Since much opposition resulted from year's campaign in boys and girls work said the interest in the project did not warrant the amount of funds required for financing each summer. No chairman has been named for the drive this season but a committee has been appointed to nominate a leader.

**NEW EMPLOYEE**  
Calvin Nimmo, formerly of Cee Vee, is a new employee in the A.C.A. office, and with his wife, the former Virginia Moore will move here to make their home.

## "NATION MUST LOOK TO GOD", DECLARES PADUCAH PASTOR

"Grave unrest and apprehensions have settled on this nation because of strikes, expansion of atomic power and a chain of circumstances", Rev. J. R. Smallwood, pastor of the Paducah Methodist church, Tuesday told the Matador Lions club meeting in the basement of the Methodist church. Rev. Smallwood's address was the principal feature of the program.

"Perhaps at no time in history", the pastor declared, "has this nation and the God-fearing world, faced a greater crisis. The hope of America is in God. We must follow Him and if we fail, we are lost!"

**Badges To Scouts**  
Seven members of the Matador Scout troop No. 60 received badges from Scoutmaster Forrest Campbell. Five of the Scouts received Tenderfoot badges. They were: Hubert Fulkerson, Rouse Kirby, Stanley Neighbors, Frank Traweck and Richard Hamilton.

Two veteran Scouts, Charles Keith and Roy Taylor, received 1st Class badges. Taylor received five merit badges. Both boys are working on the coveted "God and Country" church award.

Other visitors besides the seven Scouts included Dewey McDonald, Rev. J. R. Smallwood, F. Z. Martin and "Sonny" Russell.

## ESKRIDGE RITES HELD SATURDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Funeral services for R. H. Eskridge, 72, were held here Saturday morning at 2 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, by the pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts, and interment was made in Matador East Mound cemetery under direction of McDonald Funeral Home. Pallbearers were: J. R. Whitworth, R. E. Campbell, Sr., Bill McCaughey, John Stotts, Howard Traweck and Charlie Meador.

Mr. Eskridge had been in failing health for over four years, and was bed-fast the past nine weeks of his life. He passed away about 1:30 o'clock Friday morning. At his bedside were his wife, a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charlie Eskridge of Lubbock, and Claude Edwards, who had waited on him during his last illness.

**Former Justice of Peace**

A former Justice of the Peace in Dickens county for many years, Rufus Harrison Eskridge was born in Saline county, Arkansas, August 18, 1877 and died at his home in Matador, Texas, on September 30, 1949, at the age of 72 years, 1 month and 12 days.

He was married in Grant County, Arkansas to Miss Emma Owens, on August 20, 1899 and to this union were born three daughters and two sons, all of whom survive.

Mr. and Mrs. Eskridge moved with their family to Texas in 1916, first to Fisher county where they resided until 1942 when they moved to Matador.

Mr. Eskridge was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of fifteen.

He is survived by his wife; five children, being Mrs. L. J. Felts and Mrs. M. Dobbs of Paducah; Mrs. F. G. Roberts, Hobbs, New Mexico; Charlie Eskridge, Lubbock; and Raymond Eskridge, Grady, N. M., all of whom were present for the funeral services with the exception of Mrs. Felts, who is recovering from a recent operation. Twelve grandchildren and 2 great grandchildren also one sister, Mrs. W. B. Hendrix of Malvern, Ark., also survive.

## 2,457 Miles In Wheel Chair

### Bill Lebow Back In Clovis After Long Trip To Gotham

First day of Clovis' second annual Cattle Festival, which began Monday in the New Mexico border city, was known as "Bill Lebow Day" in honor of the polio victim who last week completed a 2,457 mile trip in his wheel chair from Clovis to New York.

Credited by the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis with having boosted contributions to the supplementary polio drive by at least \$500,000, Lebow was given widespread publicity in the East when he finished his journey at National Foundation headquarters September 20.

## FIREMEN PLAN BENEFIT DANCE

A benefit dance will be held at the Roaring Springs Pioneer Pavilion Thursday night, October 13th, with the proceeds going to the Matador Volunteer Fire Department. Good music and good order is assured by the firemen.

The proceeds will go to the fire department's general fund but will probably be used to replace the dilapidated recreation facilities in the fire hall.

A pre-sale of tickets will be conducted and the volunteer fire fighting group hope for a good "vote of good will sale" here among both dancers and non-dancers. Admission price is \$1.20 (tax included) per person. Dancing will start at 9 p. m.

## Childress Is Host For Pilot's Meet

Childress airport (formerly Childrens Army Air Field) was host Sunday morning as approximately 100 private plane-owners, their families and friends dropped out of the crisp Texas sky for breakfast.

The small planes were dwarfed on the great landing field built during the war to accommodate the largest bombers. An excellent musical program followed the breakfast.

Flying from Buzz Field airport were Roaring Springs mayor (or at the controls) Pioneer Air host Sunday morning as approximately 100 private plane-owners, their families and friends dropped out of the crisp Texas sky for breakfast.

## Rogue Theatre To Show Mexican Pics

L. H. Dirickson, manager of Rogue Theatre, made a trip to San Antonio Sunday, to buy Mexican pictures for the Mexican trade during cotton harvest. The films were bought from Azteca Film Inc. and are to be shown each Sunday night.

Mrs. Dirickson accompanied her husband to Eden where she visited with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Lem Guthrie and a sister, Mrs. J. T. Jackson and family. They returned home Tuesday.

## GROUP ATTENDS DISTRICT MEET

Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Brotherhood, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, W. N. Pipkin, Henry Pipkin, Rev. W. B. Vaughn and W. F. Jacobs, drove to Vernon September 29, where they attended and "Advance For Christ" District meeting.

## PTA To Hold First Meet

First meeting this season of the Matador Parent-Teacher association will be held in the high school auditorium Wednesday, October 12, at 3:15 p. m.

Announcement was made late yesterday by President Mrs. John Hamilton. She declared important business of the meeting agenda included election of new officers. An invitation to attend the meeting is extended all members of the association, all parents and teachers in the area and patrons of the schools.

## CUPID GETS WING CLIPPED IN NEW LAW ON MARRIAGE

Dan Cupid must have been without sufficient funds to employ adequate lobbyists during the session of the 51st Legislature, for the new marriage law which that august body met yesterday in Austin is not going to help Dan's business. Even getting married has become complicated in Texas. The new law requires blood tests for syphilis for both the bride-to-be and the husband-to-be.

Each party must have a certificate on these tests from a physician before a marriage license can be issued. County and District Clerk Pat Sheridan said yesterday he turned away a couple who had failed to provide the certificate.

The Amarillo Times in an article yesterday declared only two laboratories in Amarillo, others in Lubbock and Wichita Falls, had been approved by the State Health Department to conduct premarital blood tests.

The marriage license must be solemnized within 15 days after it is issued or it will become invalid.

Previously, only the prospective bridegroom was required to have a physician's examination and no blood test was required.

## BUREAU TO LAUNCH MEMBERSHIP WEEK

Plans are developing for Motley County Farm Bureau's participation in State-Wide Membership Enrollment Week, October 20-27. Ben Edwards, president, said today. Approximately 30 workers will volunteer their services during Enrollment Week to contact friends and neighbors inviting them to join Farm Bureau.

Membership Week will be officially launched by State Farm Bureau president J. Walter Hammond on October 20 at 8:30 p. m. when he addresses Texas farmers over the Lone Star Chain Network. Other agricultural leaders of prominence will also be heard on the program.

On October 21, the Farm Bureau leadership expects to have 10,000 workers throughout the state soliciting Farm Bureau memberships. Mr. Edwards said. The state goal is 70,000. Motley county's goal is 500.

"Other groups have prospered through organization," Mr. Edwards said. "The past few years farmers have seen what organization can do for them, even when membership has been low. Texas farmers are learning from experience that it is good business to be organized. Who knows what 1950 will hold for the farmers?" he declared, "but they know Farm Bureau will be on guard to protect their interests."

## New Owner Opens Spring Theatre

D. W. Cooper of Hillsboro has purchased the Spring theatre at Roaring Springs and current shows are being offered nightly. Mr. Cooper purchased the theatre from P. E. Koneman on October 1. Mr. Koneman opened the theatre in Roaring Springs about two years ago.

Of interest to Latin Americans aiding in the cotton harvest in the county is the Sunday night show which is entirely in Spanish, featuring Spanish celebrities.

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## 500 FARMERS ATTEND ANNUAL SPUR FIELD DAY

SPUR, Sept. 30—Farmers and ranchers attending the experimental station field day here Friday had hopes that a satisfactory method of mesquite control is in the near future.

More than 500 farmers, ranchers and agricultural workers were on hand for the annual field day at the Spur substation of the Texas experiment stations.

Visitors learned that two new chemicals, one a formulation of 2:4-D and another the new

2:4:5-T have produced good results for effective control of mesquite on experiments at the station.

R. E. Dickson, C. E. Fisher, Paul T. Marion and Dale W. Young, personnel of the station who have been working on the mesquite problem, say that the two formulas have given up to 95 per cent top kill on test plots and that the cost is from \$2.50 to \$3.50 per acre.

Both of the new formulations have indicated a much more effective and less costly method of mesquite control than any method used by West Texas ranchmen in the past.

Along with 85 per cent top growth kill, Fisher said that ex-

periments showed from 20 to 30 per cent root kill. The chemicals were applied to 5-acre test plots by airplane which is contended to be the best practical method of application.

Dr. R. D. Lewis, head of the Texas experiment stations, College Station, told visitors of some of the newer developments in mesquite control and praised work accomplished on the problem at the Spur station.

Visitors saw test plots treated with different formulations of the tree killer and witnessed an airplane spraying demonstration.

A tour was made to see other work being carried on at the station which included experimen-

tal work in water and soil conservation on cropland, summer grazing studies on native grassland, mesquite control and water conservation, cattle on botomland pastures, cleared and brush pastures, syrup pan terraces, cotton varieties, alfalfa production and sorghum varieties.

## 1949 Award Winner Emmons Known As 'Terracing Man'

Credited with being responsible for the building of 2,000 miles of terraces, J. R. Emmons, Motley county agricultural agent, who this week received the Distinguished Service award for 1949 from the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association, was known in Rusk county as "the Terracing Man." Information regarding his record as released by A&M was not received in time for last week's Tribune. The complete release follows:

COLLEGE STATION, Sept. 29 (Sp.)—J. R. Emmons, county agricultural agent in Motley county since August 1, 1939, has been selected by the Texas County Agricultural Agents Association as one of the seven winners of the Distinguished Service Awards for 1949. The award will be presented to Emmons at the National County Agricultural Agents Association meeting which is to be held October 3-5 in Denver, Colorado.

Emmons is a native Texan, a graduate of Clarendon High school and holds both BS and MS degrees from Texas A&M College. His major in college was agronomy. His first Extension Service appointment came in July, 1935 when he was named assistant county agent for Rusk county. He served in that position until August 1, 1939, when he was transferred to Motley county.

He was responsible for the terracing program in Rusk county and reports show that some 2,000 miles of terraces were built as a result of the program.

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Forrest Campbell, Notary Public, Motley Co., Texas My commission expires June 1, 1951.

Gordon Russell visited friends at Hardin-Simmons, Abilene, Sunday.

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### OLIVE McDORMAN AND BILL WOODIN ARE UNITED IN RITES AT ROARING SPRINGS

Marriage vows were exchanged Wednesday, September 28 at 3 p. m. by Miss Olive McDorman of Roaring Springs and Bill Woodin, son of Mrs. Victor Tvie of National City, Calif., in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McDorman. The rites were read by Rev. Roy Clayton, pastor of the First Baptist church of Roaring Springs. The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length dress of slate blue, with brown accessories. Her corsage was white gardenias. For something old, she wore a watch owned by her brother-in-law, Jack McMillian, and which had belonged to his mother. Something borrowed was a pearl necklace belonging to her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Kingery of Plainview

and for luck she wore a penny in her shoe. Something new and blue was her wedding ensemble. Mrs. H. P. Cargile, matron of honor, wore a dress of dark rose fashioned identical to that of the bride's. Her accessories were brown and her corsage, white gardenias. Jack McMillian attended the bridegroom as best man. Mrs. McMillian, sister of the bride, played the traditional wedding marches. The bride's mother was attired in black, with a corsage of white gardenias.

A reception was held in the home immediately following the ceremony. The refreshment table was centered with a 3 tiered wedding cake. Mrs. Velma Near, of National City, Calif., sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. McMillian served the cake after the bride and groom cut the first piece.

Mrs. Cargile poured the punch. Seasonal garden flowers were used throughout the house. In addition to the wedding party, and the parents of the bride, others present were J. M. Kingery, Plainview; Mrs. Pat Irwin and children of Roswell, New Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barton, Mrs. Frank Ragland, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Smallwood, Mrs. Joe McNelly, Mrs. Alton Rose, Mrs. Roy Clayton and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Irwin, all of

Roaring Springs and Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes of Spur. The couple left Thursday morning for National City, Calif., to make their home, where Mr. Woodin is employed by the city.

#### Honored At Shower

Miss McDorman was honored with a pre-nuptial linen shower Monday, September 26, at the home of Mrs. W. H. Rigsby, of Roaring Springs. Mrs. W. J. Hamm, Jr. and Mrs. Jack McMillian assisted Mrs. Rigsby in receiving the guests and conducting them through the gift room.

Mrs. Lewis Hodgkin and Mrs. H. P. Cargile served refreshments of iced cake squares and punch, from a lace covered table. Tall yellow tapers and yellow garden flowers were used on a reflector for table decorations.

Seasonal garden flowers were used throughout the house. Miss Zella Mae Goolsby registered the guests in a white bride's book. Approximately eighty friends called or sent gifts.

#### New W.M.U. Circle Organized Tuesday

A new circle for the Baptist W. M. U. was organized Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Clarence Kifer, who was elected chairman by those attending. Mrs. Forrest Campbell, W. M. U. president, was in charge of the meeting. Other officers will be elected at a later time, it was announced.

The new circle will be called the Business and Professional Women's circle, and will meet twice a month, the first Tuesday night in the month and in the general meeting with other W.



HERE WITH CIRCUS FRIDAY—Dolly Jacobs with "Modoc" one of the trained elephants who will appear in Matador, (Tomorrow) Friday, October 7th, with the Stevens Bros. Circus, with two performances scheduled at 3 and 8 p. m. on the grounds north of the Spears Gin, under auspices of Matador Volunteer Fire Department.

M. U. circles. A cordial invitation is extended to all women who are interested to join the circle, and especially those who are employed during the day, and who are not already attending the other circles.

Those present at the initial meeting of the organization were: Miss Rachel Patton and Mesdames Velma Fulfer, R. M. Stanley, Ben Meador, Forrest Campbell and Clarence Kifer. Refreshments of hot chocolate and gingerbread were served.

Burleson Circle. Burleson Circle of the W. M. U. met Monday at the church for an all day meeting, to quilt quilts for the orphan homes. One quilt was completed and

another cover partially quilted. After a covered lunch, Mrs. Elbert Reeves taught the opening chapters of a new mission study book, "Japan's New Day." Others present were: Mesdames R. E. Campbell, sr., T. E. Cammack, A. A. Tipton, Velma Fulfer, J. A. Groves, Clifford Potts and A. A. Groves and Miss Maggie Bryan.

Matador IOOF Lodge. Meets every Friday night. J. B. Simpson, Noble Grand Secretary, Ralph Nichols. All visitors and brothers welcome.

Henrietta Shuck Circle. Seventeen were present at regular Mission Study meeting of Henrietta Shuck Circle, held Tuesday night in the home of Mrs. Fred Clower.

A new vice-chairman, Mrs. Bill McCaghren, and an acting secretary, Mrs. R. E. Campbell, jr., were elected, and Mrs. Campbell brought a lesson from the book, "Japan's New Day."

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and lemonade were served to the following: Mesdames Robert Young, Harold Campbell, Loyd Fulkerson, Don Adkins, Clifford Potts, Dick Groves, Lee Burns, J. Farris Fish, Cecil Shelton, Bill McCaghren, C. M. Barton, jr., Don Cameron and R. E. Campbell, jr. and three visitors, Mrs. B. H. Hobbs, Mrs. Elbert Reeves and Mrs. Marshall of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moss made a trip to Lubbock Friday.

STANLEY CLINIC. Charles Michael was the name given to the 7 pound, 8 ounce boy born to Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Henley of Afton, Sunday, October 2 in the clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. James of Spur are proud parents of a 7 pound, 4 ounce boy named, Bonnie Lynn, born in the clinic, Monday, October 3.

Mrs. V. A. Watkins underwent major surgery in the clinic, Friday, September 30.

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### STATE MISSIONS THEME OF PRAYER PROGRAM BY WMU

An inspirational program on State Missions, led by Mrs. Dick Groves, was presented at mid-week prayer services Wednesday night of last week at the Baptist church by the W.M.U.

Central figure of the program was a map of Texas, with a light shining through a star which represented the phases of state mission work. As each speaker finished, she removed a black cover from a star point, revealing the light. Participants on the program were Mesdames H. S. Watson, R. E. Campbell, Sr., Elbert Reeves, Clifford Potts and J. E. Edwards.

At the conclusion of the program, annual Mary Hill Davis offering for state missions, was gathered, and the contributions placed within the open door of a miniature church building on a table before the pulpit.

Following the benediction, those present were invited to the basement, where refreshments of sherbet punch, and cookies were served.

### Birthday Dinner For Three Held Sunday

Mrs. Clint Hicks was hostess at a birthday dinner, Sunday, October 2, the occasion being the birthday of her husband, Clint Hicks, her father, Joe Woodruff, and her sister, Mrs. Leroy Hamilton.

The main attraction of the dinner was the cake, which was decorated with pink rose buds with green leaves and worded, "Happy Birthday Clint, Dad and Sis."

Those present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Woodruff, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hamilton and Joe and Miss Othelia Woodruff of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Moore, Jere and Danny and Rufus Hicks of Roaring Springs, Misses Joy Lynn Gibbs and Joanne Keener of Paducah; Nevada Cook and John Warren, Matador, Bert Hicks, Turkey and the hostess and family.

### "42" Tournament Is Well Attended

A "42" tournament, sponsored by the V. F. W. Auxiliary, held last Thursday night, September 22, in the Legion hut, was well attended with ten tables of games in progress.

Proceeds of the evening's entertainment amounted to \$107.71 including auctioning of eleven cakes, according to Mrs. Ward Raitan, president of the organization. Games were in charge of Mrs. Melvin Meason, assisted by Mrs. Ben Houston Clements. Other Auxiliary members assisted in serving coffee and doughnuts to the guests, at the conclusion of the tournament.

### Sunday School Class Has Social Thursday

Members of the Winsome Sunday School class of the Baptist church were guests of Mrs. Stafford Forbis last Thursday night, for a waffles roast held on the lawn, at her ranch home southeast of Matador.

Games were enjoyed, and "Sunshine" names were drawn. Those present were: Mesdames Bill McCaghren, Herman Ellithorp, Robert Darsey, Lee Burns, Loyd Fulkerson, Harold Campbell, R. E. Campbell, Jr., Robert Young, Clifford Potts, Loyd Latimer, Donald Cameron, Miss Clotelle Willie, Mrs. J. Farris Fish, class teacher, and the hostess.

### CARD OF THANKS

To our friends: We should like to tell you how deeply we appreciate your understanding sympathy, your tender thoughtfulness, and your many expressions of service that have lightened the burden of our grief during the illness and death of our loved one. When the Will of God shall thus come to you, may your many kindnesses return to you a hundredfold.  
Mrs. R. H. Eskridge and Family.

Henry Ford and Elmer Stearns made a trip to Dallas Saturday where they attended the S.M.U.-Missouri football game.

### Hamburger Supper Given For Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Tanner of Flomot entertained Friday night, September 30, with a hamburger supper. A number of games were played by the guests. The menu consisted of hamburgers, potato chips, iced tea and coffee.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Green and children, Tim and Patsy, Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Russell and daughters, Marilyn and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Martin and daughter, Frances, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Martin and daughters, Sharon and Carol, Tom Ross and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Tanner and sons Douglas, Billy and Gary.

### TO CANADIAN

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson accompanied their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCaghren and Sue, to Canadian, Saturday, Sept. 26, where they visited over-night with Mr. and Mrs. Mose Damron, teachers in the school system there. Mrs. Damron is also a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Watson.

### MATADOR TRIBUNE

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### Representative Of Social Security Due Here Wednesday

If you should lose your social security account number card, you can get a duplicate by filing application with the Social Security Administration. The office serving this area is at 1311 Texas Avenue, Lubbock.

A representative of the Lubbock social security office will be in Matador at the First State Bank at 2:00 p. m. on October 12, 1949. If you have lost your card, don't wait until you change jobs to get another card, because it takes time to get a duplicate. Instead, see the representative when he visits Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Alexander and small daughter of Paducah, formerly of Matador, visited here Sunday, Sept. 27 as guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Meador and other friends.

### FORMER RESIDENT BREAKS LEG IN FALL WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Neta D. Pitts, former resident of Matador, is in an Amarillo Hospital, after having fallen Wednesday, September 28 and breaking her leg. Visiting with her Sunday were her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts, sr., and grandson and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Pitts, jr. and children.

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EDITOR PAULINE BLEVINS  
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## Two Members Of Annual Staff Attend Clinic Conducted In Austin Last Week

The third School Annual clinic was held in Austin on September 25, 26, 27. This clinic is sponsored by the Steek Co. All the classes were held in the beautiful Driskill Hotel.

More than five hundred sponsors and staff members attended the clinic this year, the most that has ever attended. M.H.S. sent two of their members, Joy Martin, Editor-in-Chief, and Wanda Graham, Business manager.

Arriving in Austin early Sunday afternoon on September 25, they registered for the Annual Clinic on the mezzanine floor of the Driskill Hotel. After registration, they joined other students for a thrilling and exciting motor boat riding on Lake Austin and a tour through the Capitol of Texas.

Monday morning, W. L. Thompson, vice-president of the Steek company called the entire group to order in the Crystal Ballroom. E. W. Jackson, president

of the Steek company gave the Welcome. Keith M. Manroe, was in charge of the Annual Clinic, he sent us to our first class after going over the clinic in general.

The editors and sponsors, meet in the Crystal Ballroom. Business managers meet in the Maximilian room. Photographers in the Colonial room, Art Editors on the Mezzanine Floor.

The Clinic gave us new ideas to help us make our 1950 a better annual. Some of the classes we had were: Staff organization, duties of the business manager, yearbook photography, copy trimming and mounting, themes, yearbook sales, demonstration of art medium, layout and theme art, sales subscriptions and finances, advertising sales and copy, art workshop, yearbook night photography, copy trimming and mounting, sponsors roundtable, 1949 yearbooks available for inspection, cover display. After classes the entire

group walked to the Capitol, had a group picture and went thru the Capitol. They took us thru the Steek company plant, explaining how the annuals were made. We all went back to the Driskill Hotel, where we had a dance in the Crystal ballroom. All the lights were out but four small spot lights shining on the big crystal ball in the center of the room. It turned around and reflected the lights over the room. The lights were red, green, yellow and blue. They had cold cokes at all times for everyone. Students from different schools that had any kind of musical talent, were put in the spot light.

Tuesday morning, September 27, we began our classes again. Writing yearbook copy, hand lettering with your theme, yearbook photography, copy preparation, explanation of the contract and ordering supplies, planning your photography and making print selection. All classes were over, but several students stayed to have a roundtable discussion.

Judge Tom L. Beauchamp invited the two of us out to the Capitol. He showed us the entire Capitol, then the University of Texas. Judge Beauchamp, is one of the four Judges in the Court of Criminal Appeals. He is a relative of A. D. Beauchamp of Matador. He is really a great man.

We arrived home late Wednesday night, September 28, we were very happy because of such a wonderful trip but, tired.

**SMART WINDOW**  
Gary: "Why did the window go to the doctor?"  
Coach: "I don't know. Why?"  
Gary: "Because it had a pane."

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### Teen Age News:

I wonder who the guy was that Joyce was with Tuesday nite. "Albert you better watch your woman."

Billy Paul seemed to have enjoyed the show at Roaring Springs Tuesday nite. I wonder why? Ask Royella about all this and also the preview Saturday nite.

I hear that Joy and Wanda sure enjoyed their trip to Austin. "Especially all the good looking boys they met. NOW girls, we just want to know about the trip."

Melba and RAT were sure running about Friday nite. Also with them were Doris and Bobby N. and Gene Tolason and Wanda More fun!

Eddie J. was in town Thursday. I just can't tell why tho. Ask Wanda about all of this. Also the preview too, it was good tho.

Sappo was sure stepping about the other nite. Now Sappo, let's watch it.

Cecil and Betty Ruth were sure painting the streets Saturday nite. Also were James and Minnie Lou. NOW FISH!"

Grady and Doris were together Thursday nite. You remember his "IDEAL GIRL" in last week's paper don't you? It was just Doris. Cute kids.

Joy! I believe we are going to need to look into this thing Thursday nite. Leo sure stayed a while of a long time out at the Martin "HOME". Swell pair.

Boy! If that Nevada wasn't stepping around Sunday. I don't blame you tho. She is cute. Tell us her name.

Roma Jo and Tommy Hall seemed to have had a good time Sunday nite. More fun.

I just wonder why Jennie was so cute Saturday nite. Maybe it

was because of Floydada. Guess we will all have to be visiting Floydada. Don't you?  
—M. H. S.—

### Bulletin Notices

SENIORS are reminded that you are to have your pictures made Friday. Now look cute!

We have a new student in M. H. S. His name is Billy Holt. We are glad to have him in our school, but from the way things happened in the study hall Friday, we had better watch Doris.

Starting this week we will have some Grade school news. From what I hear, there's some pretty interesting things happening over there!  
—M. H. S.—

### My Ideal Girl

(By Watson Townsend)  
Hair—Margie  
Smile—Bonnie  
Eyes—Bonnie  
Mouth—Joyce  
Walk—Wanda  
Feet—Melba  
Hands—Margie  
Laugh—Daisy  
Figure—Wanda  
Personality—Wanda  
Character—Pauline  
General Appearance—Joy  
—M. H. S.—

### NEVADA COOK INJURED IN GAME LAST FRIDAY

We are very sorry that Nevada Cook got his leg hurt in the game last Friday night.

He won't be able to play for another game yet, but we are looking forward to seeing him in the play in the near future. Good Luck Cookie!

### EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1949, the eighth grade class elected its class officers. Those elected and their positions are: Pres. DeWayne Martin; Vice-pres., James Graham; Sec. Treas., Warren Tilson; Sgt. at Arms, Richard Baker and Reporter, Ruth Stanley. Also elected were five room mothers. They are: Mrs. Bob Martin, Mrs. Hub Swearingen, Mrs. Bill Pipkin, Mrs. Frank Montgomery and Mrs. J. S. Stanley.

The first class meeting will be held, Friday, Sept. 30, from 11:15 a. m. to 11:50 a. m.

In charge of the program will be James Graham, assisted by Bette Montgomery and Lois Blevins. Other programs will be presented on successive Friday's. A new program committee will be appointed each week to serve with the chairman, James Graham.  
—M. H. S.—

### THE JOKE COLUMN

English class was in session. "Can any of you tell me," asked Miss Coleman, "Why we call English our mother tongue?"

"That's easy," snapped Dean from his seat in the second row. "It's because father doesn't get much chance to use it."  
—M. H. S.—

### INLAND ITEMS

Daisy doesn't feel so gay. Since her folks got R. E. A. Daisy complains that electricity Gives a porch too much publicity.

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Weight—165  
Eyes—Blue  
Hair—Brown  
Favorite Teacher—(Ha) not a one  
Favorite Food—Chicken  
Favorite movie—Red River  
Favorite color—Blue  
Pastime—Nothing  
Pet Like—Sleeping  
Pet Dislike—Plane Geometry  
When joined M.H.S. in '47.  
—M. H. S.—

### OBEDIENT

Mr. Ezzell: "Why are you so late for school every morning?"  
Grady: "Every time I come to the corner, I see the sign, 'School Go Slow!'"

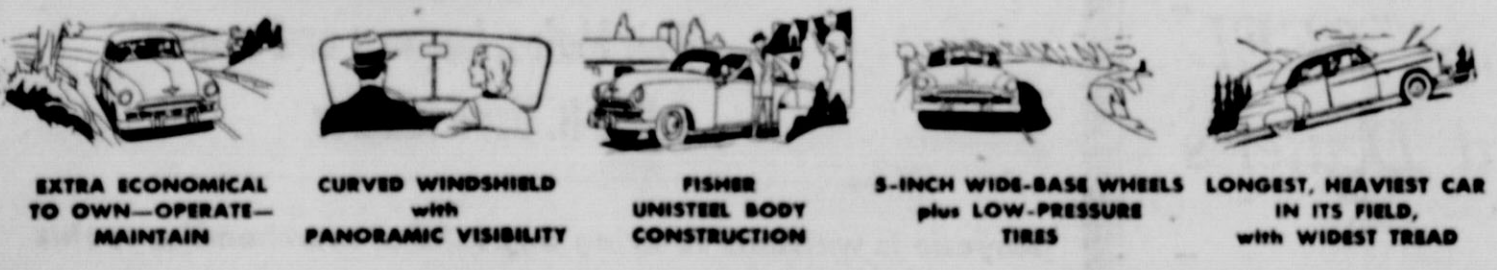
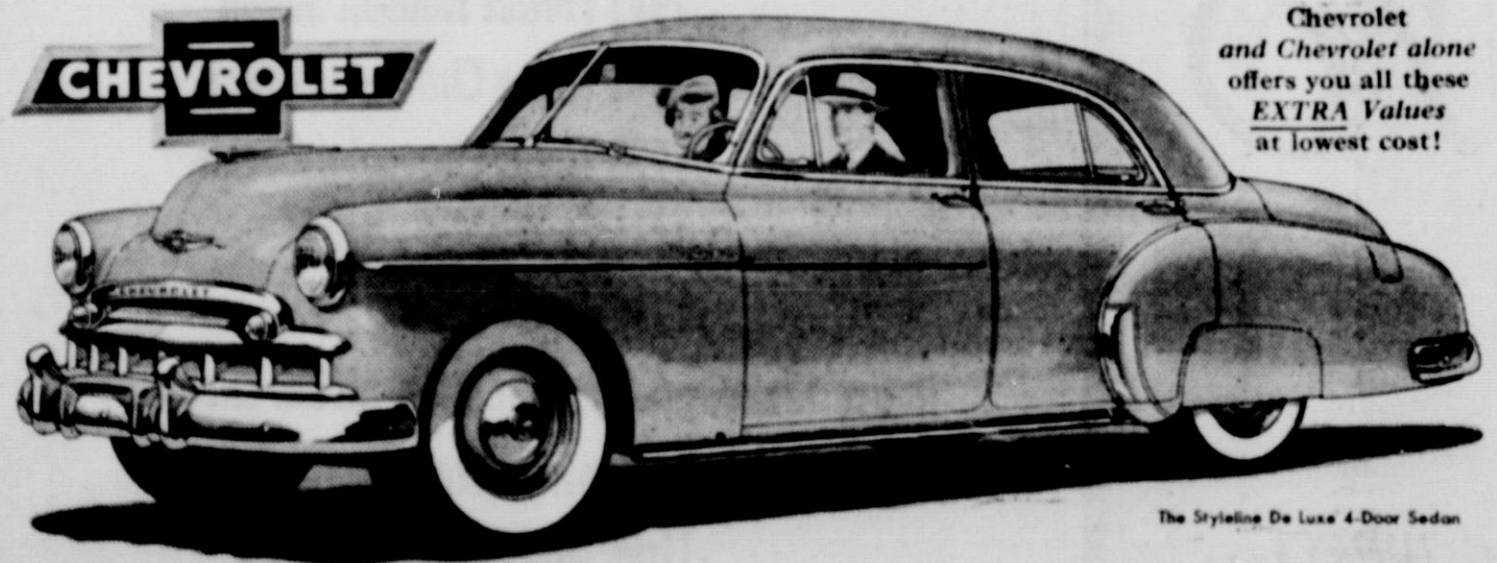
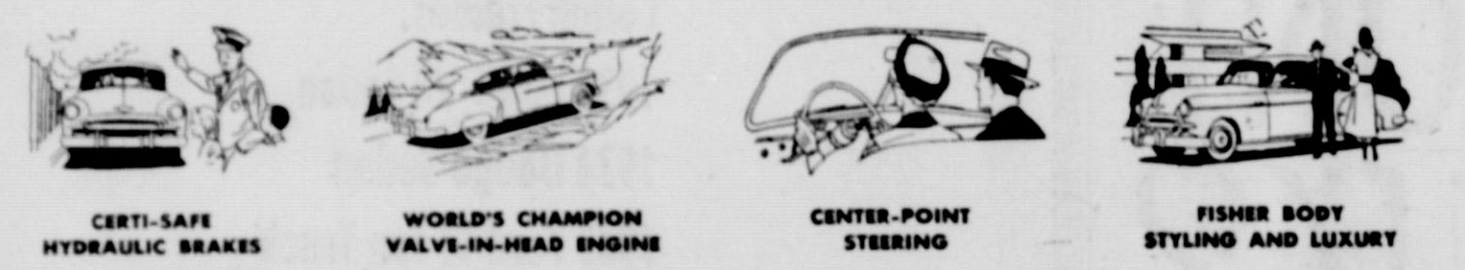
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### LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. W. R. Cammack and Mrs. A. B. Groves visited in Lubbock from Monday until Wednesday last week with their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Tomlinson.

Mrs. Henry Ford visited in Slaton over the week-end as guest of Mrs. Virgie Hunter. She was accompanied to Lubbock by Miss Rinky Holcomb, who visited Miss Elwanda Martin, Texas Tech student.

Mrs. George Springer spent the week-end in Abilene with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Morrison.

Mrs. L. D. McCarty has returned home from Dallas where she has been visiting for the past four weeks. She was accompanied home by her small grand daughter, Carol Jean Colvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sheridan, jr. of Idalou, visited here Sunday with his parents, the senior

### Sheridans.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Barton and grandson, Kenny Barton, visited in Wellington Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Groves. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell and Mrs. George Birchfield.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Bradley left the first of the week for a vacation trip through the Ozark Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acker and children of Stamford, former Matador residents, visited here over the week-end with relatives and friends.

Mesdames W. P. Bethany, Tom Moore, L. C. Pace and A. J. Matlock of Northfield, were Matador visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. G. N. Wilson and Mrs. C. E. Woolery of Lubbock, visited here Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson of Silverton, and their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day.

### HOSPITAL PATIENTS

Mrs. Gerald Waybourn has been a pneumonia patient in Traweek Hospital the past week. Her youngest daughter, Barbara had just been dismissed from the hospital, when she was admitted for treatment.

Mrs. Una Simpson was also a patient at Traweek Hospital the past week, receiving treatment for strep throat. Another case of the same ailment was Aletha Beth Hines, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines, who was brought to the hospital in a serious condition, Saturday.

Mrs. Welton Bailey received treatment at the hospital Sunday, for ptomaine poisoning, believed to have resulted from pineapple juice.

### ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED BY FORMER RESIDENT

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. (Buddy) Moore of Lubbock, Texas, are announcing the arrival of a daughter, born Sunday, September 25 at 4:28 a. m. at St. Mary's Hospital. The young lady has been given the name Deborah Jan. She weighed 7 pounds, 15 1/2

ounces. Mrs. Moore will be remembered here as the former Lou Marshall. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Marshall of Lubbock, former Matador residents, and paternal grandparents are Mrs. T. O. Moore of Lubbock and T. O. Moore of Dirian, Arabia.

### ANNOUNCE ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Groves of Lubbock, are announcing the arrival of a son, Ronald Allison, who was born September 3, at West Texas Hospital, Lubbock. He weighed 6 pounds, 12 ounces. Mrs. Groves is the former Hazel Blount of Paducah. The father is well known here, having been reared here. He is the son of Mrs. J. A. Groves of Matador.

### in the Want-Ads

**FOR SALE:** Sow and 7 pigs also 4 burner oil stove and 2 wheel trailer with 6 ply tires. A. L. Curry 1 mile east of Matador

**FOR RENT:** Furnished house. Call 99. Mrs. L. J. Barkley. Matador, Texas.

**FOR SALE:** 28-acre land, 3-room stucco house, sleeping porch, 3 1/2 acres young orchard sub-irrigated, 3 acres sowed in alfalfa, 7 acres bermuda grass, half knee high, probably fifty thousand yards best sand and gravel in the state. J. F. McNelly, 2 1/2 miles south of Roaring Springs. 5tc

**FOR SALE:** 47 Fleetline Chevrolet, good tires, radio, heater and sun visor. Matador Implement company. 1fn.

**FOR SALE:** 6 registered Hampshire male pigs. See W. J. Hicks, 10 miles southeast of Matador. 2tc

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

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