

RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Often hides beneath the smiling exterior of a heart the fires of a volcano beneath a snow-capped mountain peak. The words we speak frequently little cloaks to the strange bodies of our thoughts; a song is not always a voice of happiness.

During the breathless silence of night when all life seems to be drained out of the world of an exhausted river, the soul is in humbleness. It is in this in which God's mercy and grace touches the darkness of a gentle hand preparing a way for a weary head. Beyond cold, high stars is endless trackless paths of mystery, worlds and the worn road to the sun. A fragment of wisdom is to know that but for the time will this pampered star, in an instant, become scattered far in the shores of sea of space.

Very often I find myself engaged in a task requiring much time and effort than execution of the original duty from which I had sought postponement.

A movement is being considered to revise divorce laws which is about as logical as dropping a pebble in a running pool. Public opinion is the backbone of laws and the means by which they are enforced. Laws without respect have the same influence as people without respect. Education, not legislation, will embrace the answer to the divorce problem. Society still in a fluid state and will achieve its own ends through the slow mills of time.

Soured and embittered by life's vicissitudes, my old cowboy bachelor friend, who has never recovered from a blighted romance climaxed when the range cook married the girl who wore his ring, has a slightly warped opinion. He believes all women are vicious and capable of a strange power enabling them to lead their prey to the bar against their wills. He is convinced that people are not truly happy, especially if they are married, and positively if they are unmarried.

WRITES HELD FOR MRS. J. T. SPEARS

After an illness that continued to keep her bedfast just two months and twelve days following the death of her husband, Mrs. J. T. Spears passed away at Friday at Littlefield, Texas, where she had been a patient in Payne-Shottwell hospital. Funeral services were conducted here Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Baptist Church by the pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts. Special music was a solo by Charlie Signor of Plainview, who sang, "God's Tomorrow." Pallbearers were: J. M. Jameson, J. E. Jameson, Jr., Virgil Cooper, Edgar Lee, Clovis Murphy, Lee Nelson, J. R. Whitworth and Barney Martin. Honorary pallbearers were: Frank Montgomery, C. T. Jinkins, C. E. Barton, Sr., Henry Pipkin, E. L. Smallwood, John Lee and C. E. Barton, Jr. Interment was made in East Mound cemetery by the side of Mr. Spears, who was buried on March 4.

Kadora Elizabeth Pearce was born at Washita, Arkansas, April 16, 1878, and died May 14, 1948 at Littlefield, Texas, at the age of 72 years and 28 days. She was married to Jefferson Taylor Spears, November 21, 1895 at Cauthron, Arkansas, and to this union were born nine children, eight of whom survive. One daughter, Ethel, passed away in 1917, at the age of 17 years. Mrs. Spears was converted and joined the Baptist Church at the age of 16 years, at Cauthron.

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High Honor Students Of Three Schools



Walter Speer
Valetictorian
(Flomot)



Nita Martin
Salutatorian
(Flomot)



Gwendolyn Wilkinson
Valetictorian
(Matador)



Leo Bennett Archer
Salutatorian
(Matador)



Palma Lancaster
Valetictorian
(Roaring Springs)



Lois Phelps
Salutatorian
(Roaring Springs)

Matador Graduates Advised To Follow Four Steps To Attain Success In Life

"To be a success in life, one must observe four rules: To like people, be honest, be morally clean and to honor God." Don H. Morriss, president of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, advised the 1948 senior class of Matador High school in Baccalaureate services Sunday night at the school auditorium. "The reason one must like people is, because that's the way God wanted it, and then too, by liking people, they will not be selfish with themselves," he said. "Be honest in everything you do, and when you say something to someone, they will know that it is your word of honor."

Flomot Seniors To Graduate Tonight

Commencement program for members of the Flomot seniors, which will be held tonight (May 20) at 8 o'clock in the First Methodist Church is as follows: Processional (and Recessional); Wanda Pearl Fisher; Invocation, Rev. J. E. Lee; Salutatory, Nita Martin; Class History, Walter Gunn; Class Prophecy, Frank Fisher; Class Will, Ava Nell Monk; Valetictorian, Walter Speer sung by girls; address by Mr. A. F. Edwards of Hardin College, Wichita Falls; Presentation of diplomas and awards. Supt. R. L. Tate; special song, Janella Jones; farewell song by girls; benediction, Rev. R. H. Knight. The class roll includes: Walter Speer, president; Nita Martin, vice-president; Ave Nell Monk, secretary and treasurer; Ben Turner, recreation chairman; Riley Turner, Barney Joe Martin, Walter Gunn, Frank Fisher, Garland Cavitt, Rex Tiffin, John Gilbert, Mark Clay, Doyle Calvert and Dale Meece.

Diplomas Go To Forty-Seven Graduates in Three Schools

Completing their high school education in three Motley county schools, forty-seven young people are receiving diplomas in commencement exercises this week and next. Diplomas were awarded 22 students graduating from Matador High school, in a commencement program held Tuesday night in the school auditorium. Exercises for 13 Flomot seniors will be held tonight at the First Methodist Church, Flomot, and next Friday night, May 28, 12 will receive diplomas from Roaring Springs High school.

The following program was given for Commencement for Matador seniors, Tuesday night: Processional, Mrs. L. D. Wilkerson; Invocation, R. E. Campbell, Sr.; song by class; Salutatory address, "Leo Archer; Presentation of class gift, Billy Dan Thomas, vice-president of the class; song by sextet composed of Annette McWilliams, Clara Marshall, Norma Chloe Casey, Nellie Florence, Barbara Ketchersid and Dorothy Stanfield, with Gwendolyn Wilkinson as accompanist; Valetictorian address, Gwendolyn Wilkinson; solo, Barbara Ketchersid; Presentation of awards, Vance Gilbreath; Presentation of diplomas, L. C. Harp, president of the school board, and benediction, Rev. Vernon Chambliss.

Others, in addition to the above, who received their diplomas were: Ruby Bostick, Don Bradley, Annie Bee Chambliss, Clarence Cox, Tom Rufus Edmondson, William Curtis Grammond, Loren Bonner, W. F. McCahen, Jr., Bonner Nelson, Oleta Simpson, Norman Spray, Bobby Ray Thompson, John Warren and James White.

Three class members, Herbert Garth, Albert Marshall and Walter Wayne Spray, received their diplomas at mid-term and another on the class roll, Bobby Jay Browning, moved to New Mexico during the term. The class roll also included three girls who married during the

Polio At Crisis Stage In Texas

"Number of cases of polio reported in Texas to date this year is more than has ever been reported during this period in any previous year." This is the startling message received in letters to county Judge Wm. R. Cammack and Mayor Douglas Meador and signed by Governor Beauford H. Jester.

Effective sanitation measures are urged in every community. Judge Cammack yesterday said he would seek the aid of all county organizations in an effort to provide every precaution that might prevent the loss of a single life from the dreaded disease.

Judge Cammack and Mayor Meador will go to Floydada Friday to investigate results of DDT spraying which is being used by hundred of Texas cities and communities as a means of combating dangers from flies and mosquitoes. Suggestions from the State Health Department included good personal hygiene, avoid

Final Rites Arranged for Two Motley County Heroes

City Negro School Finishes '48 Term

Matador Negro school under the direction of W. S. Mitchell as principal and Mrs. J. L. Norris as assistant, completed the 1948 school term with a closing program Thursday evening, May 13.

A comedy, "Whar's My Pants" was presented by the primary department. The play was enjoyed by a large crowd.

A picnic was held on the school campus Friday, May 14, with Roaring Springs and Floydada as visiting schools. The program included two softball games with the Matador junior team vs Roaring Springs and Matador senior team vs Floydada. Matador won over Roaring Springs and lost to Floydada. Basket lunch was served the students by ladies of the community.

Travis McDonald Is First Arrival

First bodies of Motley county's heroes to fall on fields of battle will be returned to their native soil for burial during the coming week.

Final rites for Pfc. Travis McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude McDonald will be held at the Northfield church Saturday afternoon, May 22, at 2:30 o'clock and interment made in the Northfield cemetery.

The remains will arrive at Childress at 5 o'clock Friday morning, according to a communication to John O. McMinn, Funeral Director of that place, from government officials at Fort Worth.

The body of Pvt. Turner B. Bryan, son of Mrs. Belle Mathis now of California, will arrive next week-end for final rites to be held on Memorial Day, Sunday, May 30, at Matador Methodist Church, with interment in the Matador East Mound cemetery.

Thus the first of the county's youth to die for the cause of liberty in World War II, will be returned to their people and native soil. Both were born in this county, Travis McDonald at Northfield and Turner Bryan at Whiteflat. Both were killed in action in France, in 1944.

Military salutes by ex-service men will be a part of the solemn services for both rites. Plans are being made to close business houses during the ceremonies Saturday, in tribute to the heroes.

Several groups of Matador businessmen will go to Northfield Saturday to attend the McDonald rites, and many are expected to attend the services here May 30 for Bryan.

Rites Held For Mrs. R. L. Jameson This Afternoon

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Matador Methodist church for Mrs. R. L. (Bob) Jameson of Whiteflat who passed away at her home Tuesday, May 18, after suffering a stroke that afternoon. She was 67 years and 24 days old.

Mintie Rose Barmore was born April 24, 1881 in Erath County, Texas and moved with her parents to Foard county in 1899. She was converted and joined the Methodist church in 1899. Rev. and Mrs. Jameson were married on July 17, 1898 and moved to Motley county with their family in 1906, and have made this their home since then with the exception of three years.

Born to this union were eleven children all whom survive they are: Mrs. H. C. Smith of Pampa, Les Jameson of Goree, Mrs. Bill Merriman and Miss Ruth Jameson of Amarillo, Malcolm Jameson and Mrs. Preston Spray of Whiteflat, Bob, Frank, Edd and Olin Jameson of Matador and Mrs. Homer Kingery of Roaring Springs.

Besides her husband, Rev. Bob Jameson, retired pioneer Methodist minister and their children she is also survived by one brother, Nolon Barmore of Hawley, Texas and four sisters, Mrs. Oma Parker of Bellingham, Washington; Mrs. John and Alfred May of Coleman and Mrs. Lloyd Fuller of Crews, Texas. Also 21 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Baccalaureate To Be Held Sunday At Roaring Springs

Baccalaureate address for Roaring Springs seniors will be delivered by Morris Howard, Dean of Men, Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Sunday morning, May 23 at 11:15 o'clock, at the First Baptist Church, it was announced this week.

Invocation will be by Evangelist Clifford Reel, also of Abilene and the Choral Club will sing "Peace Be Still". Introduction of speaker will be by Henry Teague, school superintendent, after which the Choral Club will sing, "Savior Lead Me". Benediction will be by John Green, Professional and Recessional will be by Mrs. Homer Kingery. Commencement exercises for the class will be held next Friday night, May 28, at 8:15, in the High School gymnasium, further mention of which will be made in next week's Tribune.

Mrs. Dowell Garrison of Lovington, New Mexico, former Whiteflat resident, visited Monday thru Wednesday of last week with relatives here and at Whiteflat.

Flomot, VFW Take Glory In Softball

Fire has broken out in the ashes of old feuds. The softball season opened Monday with a double-header under the high lights on Burleson field. It was one of those things with bosom friends parting without the formality of handshakes until the summer is over.

In the first bright stanza the VFW chalked up a victory of 9-11 over Roaring Springs. Fire engine red suits of Matador Volunteer Fire Department bit the dust by the margin of one point when they met the gloves, bats and speed of Flomot in the second game. Score 11-10.

The fans had a glorious evening. Proceeds of the game were slightly over \$24.

Another game is scheduled to-night when the 'fresh-as-a-daisy' Matador Lions meet Flomot in what is expected to be a pattern-maker game. Second contest to-night is between the red-suited firemen and Roaring Springs. Admission is 5c. Contributions are appreciated.

Pioneer Mother Is Claimed By Death

Mrs. A. M. Bourland, pioneer resident of Motley county for 47 years, was claimed by death last Friday, at Lubbock, Texas, where she had been receiving treatment at South Plains Hospital. Although she had been in failing health for a number of years, her last illness had confined her to her bed for about two weeks.

Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church here Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, with the body lying in state from 2:00 o'clock until time for the service.

Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor, was assisted by Rev. Oscar Bruce, Methodist pastor, in conducting the service. Pallbearers were: J. R. Whitworth, Vernon Doss, Elbert Reeves, Clayton Bridge, Richard Seay and Alvin Stearns. Interment was in East Mound cemetery, under direction of McDonald Funeral Home.

Born In Mississippi
Mary Dora Armstrong was born March 27, 1867 at Smithville, Mississippi, and passed away May 14, 1948, at Lubbock, Texas, at the age of 81 years, 1 month, 17 days.

She was married at Smithville, December 2, 1886, to Arlando M. Bourland and a week later they

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"Howdy Folks, Sure Glad To See You . . ."

Norma Chloe Casey 'Steals Show' At Lions Club Meet

Norma Chloe Casey, Matador high school graduate "stole the show" at the regular meeting of the Lions Club held Tuesday in the Methodist church basement. Miss Casey returned for several encores at the insistence of applauding Lions and visitors. One veteran member of the club declared that Miss Casey provided the best entertainment he had

Contractor Waiting To Start Work

Paving of Matador streets is on the verge of starting. Equipment of Phillips Paving Company arrived here Monday from San Angelo and is awaiting completion of engineering work to start actual construction.

Old concrete curbing on south Main street has been removed and dumped into the wash opposite Mission station. The concrete horse trough on the north side of the courthouse square (long in disuse) has also been removed and dumped into the gully.

Sand and gravel is being placed along south Main to be used as required. R. P. Phillips, manager of the firm said he was ready to start just as soon as the city engineer completed his work. He said only four or five men (skilled operators) comprise his crew and that he will employ local labor as much as possible throughout the job.

Heavy galvanized street sewer pipe needed on the drainage of the project (purchased by the city) will be shipped from Houston today, according to telephone communication received early in the week.

Weather Station Is Lauded By Official

R. L. Mayne, representative of the United States Weather Bureau, Ft. Worth regional office, here this week, lauded the local weather station maintained by city water superintendent Herman Stanfield.

"It is kept better than any station in this area," Mr. Mayne declared, "and the equipment shows excellent care. Mr. Stanfield's records are also perfectly kept."

It was the weather bureau representative's first visit to Matador. He said two visits are made annually from his office.

Jimmy Joe Latimer of Lubbock visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Latimer and with Mrs. Latimer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren. Mrs. Latimer and baby son, James Warren accompanied Mr. Latimer back to Lubbock Sunday after visiting here the past week with their parents

MATADOR SENIORS MAKE CLASS WILL

By Leo Archer

The Senior class of 1948, of sound mind and body, and bequeath to the students of Matador High School the following items that we found useful and helpful in our high school career. May they be used as they should be. F. leaves his quiet ways and his ability to study amid confusion to Joe Pitts and Roy Harp. May you boys profit from this generous gift. Roy leaves his ability to get along with the girls to Norman Bonner. He wills his ears to Speedy Neighbors, he leaves his ability to Bookkeeping to Dean Harp and last of all he leaves his Harp to the High School safe keeping. May all of the boys and the school have much fun and like Ann as much as Heavy did. Bobby Thompson leaves his ability to Shirley Pope to Giesecke. May Sapp have more luck than Bobby.

John Warren must give up his silent ways, so he leaves them to Sue Lancaster and Geraldine Waybourn, may these girls be as quiet in Bookkeeping and English as John was.

Norman Spray leaves his ability to write and his stubborn ways to Billy Jo Whitaker. Now maybe someone can talk some sense into Norman.

Loren Jones leaves his strength and size to Speedy Neighbors and Wayland Moore. May these boys grow and become great football players.

Don Bradley leaves to Don Wason his love for Patti Pipkin. Quick Wason this is your chance Don leaves his ability to disturb English class to Bodie Keith, may Bodie have as much fun as Don did.

Fud leaves his good looks to Roy Taylor—now Roy you can get married before you're 72. Norman Casey wills to Marcia Gilbert her ability in Scholastic events and her singing. Take good care of these things Marcia because Norma worked hard for them.

Clarence Cox leaves his ability to throw erasers to Billy Dean Smallwood and Garland Rattan,

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may these boys raise as many knots on peoples heads and have as much fun as Clarence did.

Ruby Bostick leaves her willing ways and her ability to get what she wants to Joy Martin. Joy could profit from this, especially from the willing ways.

James White leaves his ability to copy and not get caught to Speedy Neighbors and Sleepy Spray. Now boys you wont have to get up in front of the study hall any more. James leaves his ability to get by without demerits to H. A. Stephens, no more bustings for H. A. now.

Bonner leaves his ability in the athletic events to Sleepy Spray, now Sleepy you can be a hero. Bonner also leaves Annette to the one person who's temper is as high as hers, good luck to Billy Ray, may his temper equal Annette's.

Annette gives to Frances Casey her high temper and love for Bonner. Annette wants Frances to look out for Bonner if anything happens to her but why give anyone that temper.

Dorothy Stanfield leaves her freckles to Ann Harp, maybe the freckles will help Ann hold Heavy.

Nellie Jean Florence leaves her quiet ways to Joyce Reynolds, maybe Joyce can keep her mouth shut now.

Barbara Ketchersid leaves her love for the class and drawing ability to Doris Ann Doss, may Doris do as good a job on the annual someday as Barbara did this year.

To Cecil Carman, William Curtis leaves his ears and nose. We hope Cecil doesn't catch as many erasers on those ears as Gopher's did.

Annie Bee Chambliss leaves her quiet disposition to June Spray, who can tell June may quieten down.

Leo Archer leaves his ability to skip class and get out of trouble to Rosemary Bloodworth we hope that Rosemary can get out of as many classes as Leo did and still make good grades.

Oleta Simpson leaves her ability to make every one laugh to Dorothy Traweck, we hope that she and Billy Joe will use this in the proper way and make their's a happy home.

Gwendolyn leaves her ability to study and make good grades to Joe Pitts and Dean Stotts, these boys sure need it.

Clara Marshall leaves her giggle and good times to Speedy Neighbors, he really doesn't need them but maybe he can find something to do with them anyway.

Lewis Blevins leaves his love for horses, and saddles, especially those made by Carl Darr to Norman Seigler. We hope Norman will never tear up his Schweitzer.

Beulah Edwards leaves to Mary Helen Stephens her undy-

ing faith in the fact that someday there will be no more school. And last but not least the class as a whole leaves to the school its love for the teachers. They also leave behind several years of hard work and lots of fun. And to the Eighth grade the class leaves all the tricks that we have learned in these past years.

Attend Funeral For Mrs. A. M. Bourland

The grandchildren attending the funeral of Mrs. A. M. Bourland were: J. C. Bourland and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bourland and children, Hale Center; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bourland and children, Cotton Center; Mrs. C. C. Sublett, Jr., Irving, Texas; Mrs. Vernon Thomas and baby, Oklahoma City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bourland, Amarillo; Fred C. Bourland, Austin; Mr. and Mrs. James McCarty and Mike, Carlsbad, N. M.; Don Paul Keith, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Latimer and Bohland Keith, Matador; Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kimbell and Miss Lou Marshall, Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Dude Mize, Duncan, Okla.

Relatives attending the funeral from out-of-town included: Mr. and Mrs. Finis Bourland, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. John Bourland, Adrian; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Simpson, Northfield; Mrs. Elbert Preston, Shallowater; Mrs. Bellmont Watson, Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Green, Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bourland, Mrs. John I. Green, Mrs. Leroy Johnson and Mrs. Jim Johnson of Lubbock.

Friends attending the funeral from out-of-town included: Mrs. Luther Turner, Flomot; Comadre Thomas, Shallowater; Albert McCarty, Mrs. Jim Williams, Mrs. Winnie Overstreet, Mr. Boggs of Lubbock; Phillip Reeder and Billy Brown, Quitaque and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bird of Spur.

Crosbyton Boosters Advertising Rodeo

A motor caravan carrying approximately fifty Crosbyton people visited Matador for a short time Tuesday, advertising the First Annual Crosbyton Rodeo which will be held on May 28, 29 and 30. An invitation was extended to the people of this city to attend.

Crosbyton has just completed a new \$25,000 rodeo plant, said to be one of the best in West Texas. Evening performances are scheduled for Friday and Saturday, May 28 and 29, and a matinee Sunday afternoon starting at 2:30 p. m. The show is approved by the Rodeo Cowboys Association, and large cash prizes are being offered.

In addition to the regular rodeo events, many special attractions have been arranged for each performance. These will include trick riding and roping, dancing horses, trained animals and a rodeo clown. Dances will be staged Friday and Saturday nights following the rodeo.

A group of entertainers accompanying the boosters presented a short program during the thirty minute stop here.

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Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mrs. Emmett Davis and Vina Merle of Clovis, New Mexico, visited in the home of Mrs. John Smith over the week-end.

James Sanford of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller and Mrs. I. L. Sanford.

Mrs. Orville Dook and children of Portales, N. M. visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cooper over the week-end.

Mrs. Dook and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper drove to Temple Monday where Mrs. Cooper will go through the Clinic.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Shirley and Mrs. S. J. Braselton and children visited in Hale Center Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vester Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hardin of Ingleswood, California are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hardin this week.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Estes left Sunday for Memphis, Tenn., where they will attend the Baptist convention that is in progress this week.

Mrs. J. C. Smiley and J. C. are visiting in Brownwood this week.

Mrs. Ed Smith underwent major surgery at the Memorial Hospital in Quanah Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King left Friday for Paris, Tenn., to visit his mother and family.

Rev. and Mrs. O. D. McDonald made a business trip to Lubbock Friday.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Many Cash Prizes In Plainview Rodeo

PLAINVIEW, May 17 (Spl.)—The Plainview Rodeo Association has a first rate program lined up for its three-day show May 27, 28 and 29.

J. Q. Long, president, said that in addition to the regular arena performances there will be numerous thrilling specialty acts. Trick roping, horseback acrobatics and other acts will be presented by eight professionals.

Bareback bronc riding, calf roping, saddle bronc riding, bull dogging, ladies' barrel races all are included on each program. Prize money totals \$400 for each contest except the barrel race which provides for winners to take \$200.

There will be four programs, three of them at night. On Thursday, opening day, there will be a show at 3 o'clock fol-

lowing the big parade at 1 p. m. Shows on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights will get started at 8 o'clock.

A showing of 1946 and 1947 Palomino and quarter horse foals at 10 a. m. Friday and a calf scramble at each show are sidights counted on to provide wide interest, Long said. The calf scrambles will offer five calves each performance to FFA and 4-H Club "catch as can" contestants.

Miss Dorothy Nelson of Lubbock spent the week-end visiting her mother Mrs. Roy Smith and attended Baccalaureate services Sunday night for her brother, Bonner.

Mr. and Mrs. Euman Lyle of Turkey visited here Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren, and also attended Baccalaureate services Sunday night.

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Modern Cleaners

TOPSY TURVY CAREERS PREDICTED FOR SENIORS AS CLASS PROPHECY IS READ

By Norman Spray
MATADOR, TEXAS, May 18, 1948—Twenty years ago today, the 1948 Senior Class of Matador High school graduated and set sail on the sea of life with the agreement to meet together for a reunion each ten years to "catch up" with each other. It has been my pleasure to talk and visit with all my old classmates, and I am glad to publish this very informal account of what has happened to the 1948 seniors in my paper, the Matador Tribune.

First, I may as well catch you up with myself. For ten years after graduating from MHS I wandered from one New York magazine to another, plugging editors with my stories, articles, and novels, during which time I netted approximately \$100 per year off my writings. Discouraged and convinced all editors are direct descendants of old Satan, himself, and sure that they cannot recognize true literary merit when they see it, I returned to Matador for the first class reunion.

It was while here that I learned that Douglas Meador, former owner of the Tribune, was not satisfied with the street cleaning his annual \$600 mayor's salary was purchasing and was trying to sell his paper in order to take over the honor job of street cleaner himself. I decided that if no one else would print my stuff I'd publish it myself, so after some difficulty, I borrowed the money and bought the Tribune.

The first old classmate I saw this morning was Leo Archer, now a professional wrestler. Leo struggled manfully through five years of college then, taking his the army as a chemical engineer.

Clown of the reunion was Heavy Thomas. Ever since '48 Heavy has persisted in getting an "Apache" hair cut each fall. It was this uncontrollable mania that caused him to lose his first wife, Ann Harp, just as Hack was about to take him in as partner of the now multi-million dollar Matador Hardware. The shock of losing his ever-faithful Ann was so great he has married 11 times since, drinks a quart of 100 proof early every morning, and has even gone so far as to indulge in to apache hair cuts per year. He was wearing a brand new one this morning. Heavy lives off of the oil discovered on the land which his old principal's advice, entered by Eb.

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Lewis Blevins and Norma Chloe's history go hand in hand. Both left MHS with the intention of going on the radio as hillbilly singers and each went his own way about it. Finally they both wound up on the Grand Ole Opry, huge successes. All the mountain folks as well as classmates were more than surprised when they pitched in together and started singing as a man and wife team.

Though still poor, Don Bradley is the pride of the class. He is a great physicanist and has devoted his life to finding out what makes a clock tick. If he finishes this great work before a lifetime has expired, industrious Don intends to explore into such phenomenal problems as what causes some people to be born with handicaps such as fish lips and even what makes his own brilliant mind tick. He has also expressed a desire to study flickish traits in women ever since his old steady, Patti Pipkin ditched him for an old buddy, Gopher Graham, while Gopher was at the height of his success.

Loren Jones finally teamed up with Dorothy Stanfield after securing his position as president of the Matador First State Bank. Although Dorothy takes frequent strolls to the bakery "for bread" without Loren's knowledge, they live a comparatively happy life together. Loren's love for bookkeeping has finally paid off. The bank is in better shape than ever before and it is said a stranger couldn't wiggle a loan out of Loren at the point of a gun. It was only after much of my talk and persuasion that he allowed me money for the paper.

Hard riding, hard headed and Spur punching, Picky Cox finally got so bored with no excitement or adventure that he sat out to follow the professional rodeos in 1951. He and his wife, the former Ruby Bostick, have been enjoying a very comfortable living ever since. Pick has had practically every bone in his body broken and it is a fact that Ruby makes more money trick-riding than he does broncbusting.

W. F. McCaghen had his ups and downs since finishing college as he has been involved in 22 major scientific explosions while trying to split an atom by catching it in a mouse trap. When such an explosion occurs, he goes up and then, according to the law of gravity which Dub has not yet had time to revise, he comes down. At the age of 30, however, he finally managed to screw up courage to ask Wanda Graham to be his wife and she now consoles him through his bitter disappointments as well as furnish the do-re-me to keep him supplied with the ever-essential mouse traps.

For the longest Albert and Clara were the happiest couple we knew. But that was before Clara wanted children. Albert, who had never gotten "round to it," quitting his old soda jerking job at the Stanley Pharmacy, considered it unwise because of his limited income. Clara finally won out, however, and now instead of jerking sodas, Albert is buying sodas for jerks—12 of them in all.

John Warren finally grew tired of being called "Silent" John and became radio announcer at CLINT, Texas and plays approximately one record per 30 minutes while he yells into the microphone at his listeners the other 27 minutes trying to sell products for his advertisers.

Also singing over CLINT is Barbara Ketchersid. Barbara has sung twice in the Metropolitan Opera House but invariably returns her beautiful, rare and toneful voice (as the critics have praised it) back to CLINT so that she will be heard by the West Texas people she loves so well. Neither Barbara or John are married and it is known that Barbara changes the records for John's program. Dark rumors about what happens during the three minutes per half hour the records are playing, are spreading rapidly.

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great happiness in serving as wife to the billion dollar business tycoon, James White. James married Annie in search of a faithful woman after his first sweetheart, Joy Martin, skipped with some \$15,000,000 of James' money.

Much to everyone's surprise who had predicted a brilliant future for Bobby Thompson, he has settled down to farming and is enjoying good profits as a "tiller of the soil". Most astounding thing is that after an unsuccessful affair with Shirley Pope, Bobby has forgotten all about women. All in all, he is a quiet, citizen and a true asset to his community except the Saturday nights he has together with Heavy, which are reported as being rather wild.

Gopher Graham's is one of the most spectacular story of any of the old class mates. For a year after leaving high school, he attended an aeronautical college in California until his weaknesses and the monotony of the thing got the better of him and he started betting on the races. Gopher had more successful luck than probably anyone before or since in the history of racing. It was the beginning of a brilliant professional gambling career and Gopher's rise to power. At one time, though no one—not even Gopher—knows exactly how much money he had for sure, it was thought and believed he was the richest individual in the U. S. During those care-free days of recklessness, Gopher was a genuine ladies man, having broken 500 hearts in 10 years. But as usual, the gambler's errors finally caught up with him and he lost his complete fortune quicker than he had made it.

After the last cent was gone, he went back to his old flame, Nellie Florence, who bought, and is very efficiently and successfully operating the Black River Village at Carlsbad, New Mexico. They were married and Gopher is now having a race track constructed on the premises with the excuse to Nellie that it will bring her many customers.

Contrary to what many of their classmates had prophesied upon hearing classroom quarrels of Annette and Bonner, they have been very happy under the sacred seal of marriage. It is easy, they say, for Annette is talking, yelling and griping all the time, not giving Bonner a word. Therefore if Bonner does not oppose her, no argument can result.

Bonner is now playing profes-

sional football at the age of 38, and swears each year he is going to quit but he can't bring himself to it for fear it would break Red Amone's heart. Red is now a professional coach for whom Dutch plays.

For twelve long years, it seemed as if the class was not going to produce an actress, but Molly Simpson finally broke through as a singer and dancer, being the

POLITICAL Announcements

The Tribune is authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to action of the Democratic primary, July 24, 1948.

For State Senator, 30th Senatorial District:
 Kilmer B. Corbin
 Dudley K. Brummett
 Ralph Brock

For State Representative, 121st District:
 A. J. Rogers (Veteran)
 Clarence L. Darter

For County Judge and Ex. Office County Superintendent:
 C. W. Giesecke

District and County Clerk:
 Pat Sheridan (re-election)

For County Treasurer:
 Mrs. Velma Fulfer

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
 Ben Keltz
 George Birchfield
 T. F. (Tom) Berryman

For County Commissioner, Precinct 2:
 J. E. Monk
 Ben Edwards
 M. D. (Malcolm) Morris
 G. D. (George) Pope

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3:
 Marvin Leary (re-election)
 J. D. Spray

For County Commissioner, Precinct 4:
 J. N. Fletcher (re-election)
 Loyd Stafford

Sheriff, Tax Assessor
 And Collector:
 John Stotts (re-election)

hit of all musicals she has starred in. There was, however, no delay in the class being made famous by an actor, Tom Rufus "Fud" Edmondson. Having been elected most handsome boy in school for three straight years, Fud was over-come by the false illusion that he was handsome. Having talked to a lady agent upon reaching Hollywood, Fud was soon starred in a picture of romantic elegance. Fud was a sensation so their next step was to teach him to sing. Bobby-soxers now vibrate before falling when Fud croons.

In spite of all this, Fud, being of a sincere nature, has not paid any girl over-due attentions. The Hollywood "flitters" are too haughty for him, but it is reported from a reliable source that he is absolutely infatuated with his old classmate, Miss Simpson who is more beautiful than she ever was. A marriage is expected soon.

To say the least, the last twenty years have been rather tipsy turvy for the 1948 senior graduating class.

Delegates attend State Federation (Delayed)
 Mrs. A. J. Daffern, president of El Progreso Study Club, Matador, accompanied by Mrs. Harry Willett, drove to Austin last Monday where they attend-

ed State Federation of Texas Women's Clubs. Mrs. U. L. Willett and them attended a gathering of state officers held Monday. Returning by San Marcos, Mrs. Daffern and Mrs. Willett visited the latter's mother, Norma, who were guests at a dinner given by former resident Norma, Mrs. Pitts and his wife, which was also attended by Fred G. Simpson, Mrs. Daffern's nephew, who is attending Texas University.

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"Drive A Safe Car And Save A Life," Garrison Advises

"To save your life," said Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, "you couldn't think of a more logical traffic safety rule than this: Drive a safe car."

W. J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol, requests every motorist in the community to "check your car... check accidents." This is the slogan of the May traffic safety program the Texas Highway Patrol is carrying on as part of a year-round safety educational program. The continuing program is part of a nation-wide traffic safety promotion of the National Safety Council.

"When you 'check your car' to 'check accidents,'" Captain E. L. Posey of the Lubbock District Office of the Texas Highway Patrol said, "Make sure that the following parts either are in safe operating condition or that needed repairs or replacements are made at once: headlights, tail and stop lights, brakes, steering assembly, muffler and exhaust

system, glass, windshield wipers, rear-view mirror, tires and horn. The Texas Highway Patrol suggests these questions to check your car's safety score:

1. Are you a one-eyed driver? Is the light cut down by dirty lenses? Do your headlights shoot up in the air to blind oncoming motorists?
2. Are your tail lights clean and bright, and stop lights in good working order?
3. Is your braking power good enough to stop your car in an emergency—for instance, if a child should run into your path? At 20 m.p.h. you should be able to stop in thirty feet. Brakes should be balanced so they take hold evenly on all wheels without "grabbing".
4. How is your steering and wheel alignment? Too much play in the wheel is a danger sign, and running against curbs or driving on rutty roads can get wheels out of alignment before you know it.
5. What about your muffler and exhaust system? Even if the muffler is not getting noisy—a sure sign of wear—the system should be checked frequently to be sure no carbon monoxide gas is leaking into the car.
6. Are your windshield and windows clean and clear? They're made to see through, you know. So keep them clear of dirt, discoloration and ornamental stickers.
7. And your windshield wipers? It can't always be fair weather. Don't risk having to "drive blind" should a storm



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8. How about your tires? Are they properly inflated, well mated, with good treads, and without cuts, blisters and exposed fabric? If they're old, and you feel you must use them a little longer, respect their age and hold down your speed.

9. Is your rear-view mirror clean and clear? Don't let dirt, cracks or discoloration blind the "eyes in the back of your head."

10. And your horn? Keep it in good working order, so you'll have it when you need it.

MANY OUT-OF-TOWN RELATIVES, FRIENDS AT SPEARS FUNERAL

Many relatives and friends were here Sunday from out-of-town to attend funeral services for Mrs. J. T. Spears, among them being the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitaker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Toach Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Robertson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Petty and Bill Robertson of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goertz and son, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Buck and son, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hutson, Mrs. M. L. Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Logan, Louise and Robert Phillips, W. C. Cannon, Carl McAdams and Charley Signor of Littlefield.

Mrs. Maggie Logan and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Massey, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Cowan, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Dean, Doyle Dean, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Rhoten and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Grant, J. J. Davis, A. B. Enloe and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore of Amherst; G. T. Merriweather and Charlie Signor of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. George Long, Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Thompson and Miss Louella Cox of Lockney; Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Swearingen of Dickens;

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gregory and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swearingen and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swearingen and daughter of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smallwood and daughter of Afton; Miss Mallie Lee of Crosbyton; Durwood Howell of Memphis, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wilson and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wilson and family of Tulsa, Oklahoma; Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Wilson and family of Tuskegee, Okla.; and the following from Flomott: Mr. and Mrs. Barney Martin, Mrs. Pearl Martin, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison George, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Ross, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Speer, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Martin, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lee and Mrs. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Griffin of Lubbock and daughter, Mrs. J. D. Bray and boys of Wolforth spent the day Sunday with Mrs. Griffin's father, John Lee.

Dorothy Rattan Hostess To Party

A party for the eighth grade and some of their friends was given by Dorothy Rattan in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan, Friday, May 14. Mrs. Rattan was assisted by Mrs. Glenn Bird.

After games were played by the group refreshments of lemonade and cookies were served to the following: Rita Wilkinson, Daisy Mae Bird, Joyce Edwards, Barbara Ann Spray, Barbara Young, Betty Webb, Betty Smalley, Marlene Bailey, Kenneth Dunning, Jerry Edwards, Bill Ward, Dewayne Martin, Cecil Wayne Shelton, Gary Laughlin, Ronald Hobbs, James Ketchersid, Pat Reeves and Dorothy Rattan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves, Mrs. Pearl Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Rattan and Mrs. Bird.

AARON-TIMMONS RITES ANNOUNCED

Miss Grace Aaron daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Aaron of Wellington became the bride of Reece Timmons son of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons on May 12, in a ceremony performed at the Methodist parsonage in Wellington, with Rev. Nowell Bryant officiating.

Mrs. Ruth Hightower, sister of the bride and Ruth Timmons were the only attendants. Also present at the wedding were Bymun Hightower and Opal Boyce.

Mrs. Timmons is a graduate of Quail High school and attended West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon and taught school in Amarillo.

Mr. Timmons attended school at both Northfield and Matador. He served in the Navy for three years.

The young couple will make their home at Northfield.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends in Matador and vicinity we take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation and gratitude for the words of comfort, acts of kindness and sympathy which were so much consolation to us in the passing of our loved one. When the Will of God shall thus come to you, may your many kindnesses return to you a hundredfold, is our sincere prayer. Children of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Spears.

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Northfield News

A party and supper was given for a group of young people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCoy, Tuesday night. The boys that attended were dressed as girls and the girls as boys. Those enjoying the evening were: Margie and Marie Timmons, Dana Jo, June and Mike Hughes, Jo Allen Thomas, Billie Paul Simpson, Mozell Featherston, Eddie Leary, Gene Bethany, J. W. and Tommy Fulgham and Denzell and Faynell McCoy.

Mrs. Delmont Hays and sons who spent the school year in Matador have returned home for the summer months.

Mesdames Marvin Leary, Guy Seigler, Frank Cox, Tom Moore and Calvin Nimmo spent Tuesday in Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Brown and family have returned to their home at Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have taught school here for the past 2 years. Mrs. Maxine McKeen and children of Oklahoma City, Okla. are here visiting her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons.

The Northfield Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Elliott, Friday, May 14. The program, Color in the Kitchen was given by Home Demonstration agent, Mrs. Mary K. Rattan.

Those present were: Mesdames Newell Timmons, Tom Moore, Clem Timmons, Homer McCoy, Nolen Thomas, Walter Timmons, R. C. Elliott, Sr., Pete Timmons, Marvin Leary, Reece Timmons, Allen Thomas, Guy Seigler, Tommy Moore and Maxine McKeen.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Homer McCoy.

ON VACATION

Postmaster E. F. Springer, with Mrs. Springer and their daughter Sara Frances, left Friday for a vacation which will include a visit to New Orleans, La. and tentative plans to go to Washington, D. C. before returning home.

WEEK-END VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Dooley of Dumas and Mrs. Dooley's daughters Ernestine Taylor also of Dumas and Ayrene Taylor of Alexander, La., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Tomlinson and baby of Lubbock visited with Mrs. Dooley's and Mrs. Tomlinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson also visited with his mother, Mrs. W. R. Cammack.

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A. M. Bourland and Family

VISITING IN DALHART

Mrs. H. Williams is visiting in Dalhart in the home of her daughter, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bishop. Mrs. Bishop drove down Saturday to accompany her mother to her home.

STANLEY CLINIC

Tonsillectomies at the Clinic recently included: Clayton Perry son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Perry of Afton, Patricia Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Cooper of Whiteflat, Delilah Joan and Alta Mae Green, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Art Green of Flomott and Alpha Joyce and Earl Dean Mullins, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mullins of Turkey.

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ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

M/Sgt. and Mrs. J. E. Brouhart are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Diana Gertrude Colton, California on April 20. The mother will be remembered here as the former Betty Green.

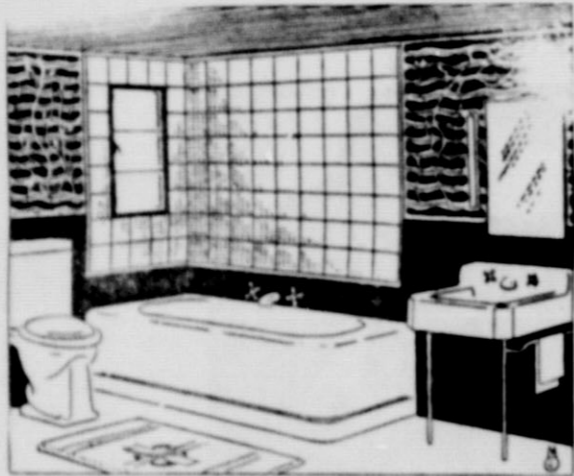
Bob Rushing and Wayne Tommons have returned home for the summer after attending school at Las Vegas, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bird make a business trip to Lubbock Saturday.

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MATADOR, TEXAS

Program Thursday Features Textiles

Program given Thursday in high school auditorium by Progress Study Club, featuring an outstanding program of textiles, presented by Mrs. Rattan, county Home Demonstration Agent, and Mrs. Latimer, high school Home teacher. Included in the program were films explaining the process of fabric weaving, and an exhibit of various materials and literature pertaining to the development of several new fabrics that have been introduced during the past several years, such as aralac, nylon and business session was conducted for club members presenting the program, in which arrangements for the flower show to be held on May 27, were discussed. Approximately thirty-five members and guests were present.

FLOMOT NEWS

By Mrs. B. A. Tanner

FloMot seniors had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Martin Sunday. After the class and their guests left for Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Pope shop in Plainview and Floydada Saturday.

Mrs. Lem Brock shopped in Floydada Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Cromer and Mrs. C. E. Gresham of Childress visited Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Clements and Mrs. Barney Martin Sunday.

Misses Ina Nell Gunn and Della Dell Gilbert WTST col were home over the week-end.

Barley Gunn transacted business in Quitaque Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Morris of Plainview visited his parents, and Mrs. A. S. Morris Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Turner and Miss Turner of Plainview spent day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Turner visited in the home of his mother,

Mrs. Ben Turner of Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. Harrison George and daughter Sue were in Lubbock Tuesday transacting business.

Johnnie Speer of Wayland College spent the week-end at home.

Mrs. Howard Standerfer attended the Motley County Home Demonstration council in Matador Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Standerfer spent the week-end in Haskell visiting their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Graves, Sr. were shopping in Plainview Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Davidson of Happy spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raldo Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis of Newlin former FloMot residents were here visiting old friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gresham and family of Newlin visited in the H. V. Cromer home Sunday.

FARM NEWS

Cotton farmers of Motley county who have government loans on their 1947 crop cotton are being reminded that all 1947 crop loan cotton still under loan on August 1, 1948, will be pooled by Commodity Credit Corporation for the producers' accounts. This includes American-

Egyptian as well as upland cotton.

Delmont Hays, chairman of the Motley County Agricultural Conservation Committee, said that 1947 crop cotton under CCC loan that is not redeemed by August 1, 1948, will be placed in pools in an orderly manner by CCC. After July 31, 1948, producers will not be entitled to order the sale of the cotton. The loans mature on that date.

He explained that when all the cotton in the pools has been sold the net proceeds, if any, after deduction of all advances, interest and accrued costs, will be distributed among the producers whose cotton was placed in the pools. Distribution will be made on the basis of the amount of the loans on the cotton placed in the pools. No payment will be made to producers at the time their cotton is placed in the pool.

Mr. Hays reminded cotton farmers that they may either sell their "equity" in the loan cotton or redeem the cotton from the loan and then sell on the open market. Producers should give serious thought to marketing the loan cotton before it goes into the pools. At present prices, farmers should be able to sell most of this cotton at a profit over the loan and charges against the cotton.

Miss Amy Glenn is visiting relatives in Mineral Wells.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Take Your Choice, Neighbor!

The missus—who writes our Woman's Column in the *Clarion* under the name of "Nancy Gale"—gets letters about recipes, advice on etiquette, home management, etc.

One letter she got last week was about a recipe she published for Welsh Rarebit—made with tart cheese, Worcestershire, and a cup of sparkling tangy beer. "Turned out great," says her correspondent. "But you didn't mention what beverage to serve with it. Should I serve beer? Cider? Iced tea?"

The missus' answer was simply:

"Any beverage your guests prefer. You don't have to serve cider—any more than you have to serve beer... but it's often courteous to let guests have a choice."

From where I sit, that simple answer applies to more items than Welsh Rarebit. In a world where everyone has different tastes and ideas—we should recognize those differences—and never deny the right of choice to anyone!

Joe Marsh

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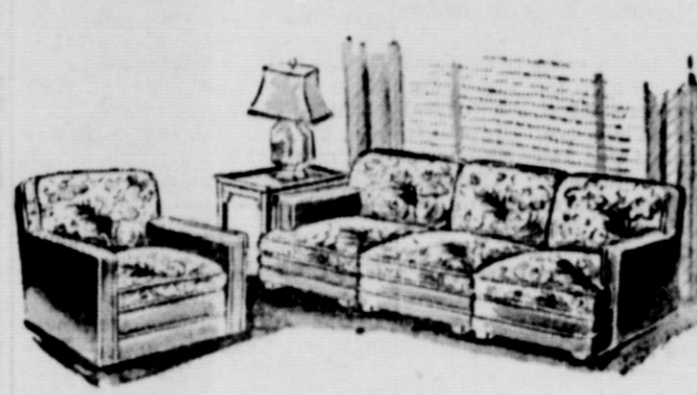
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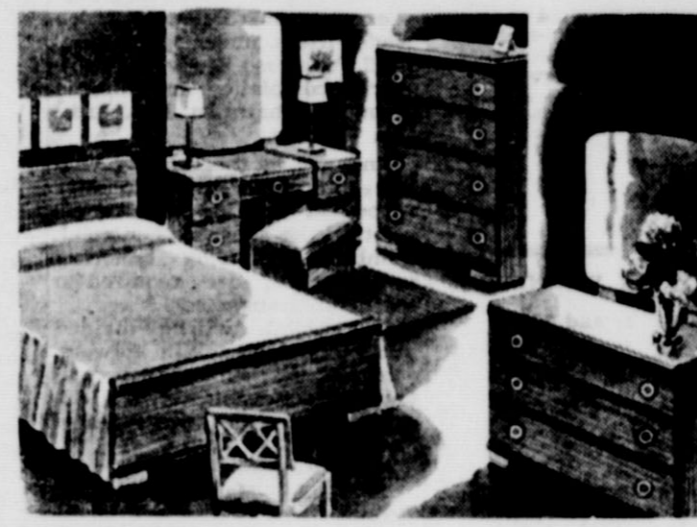


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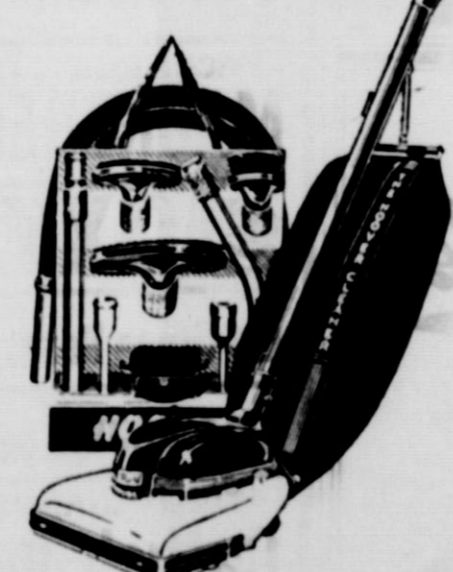
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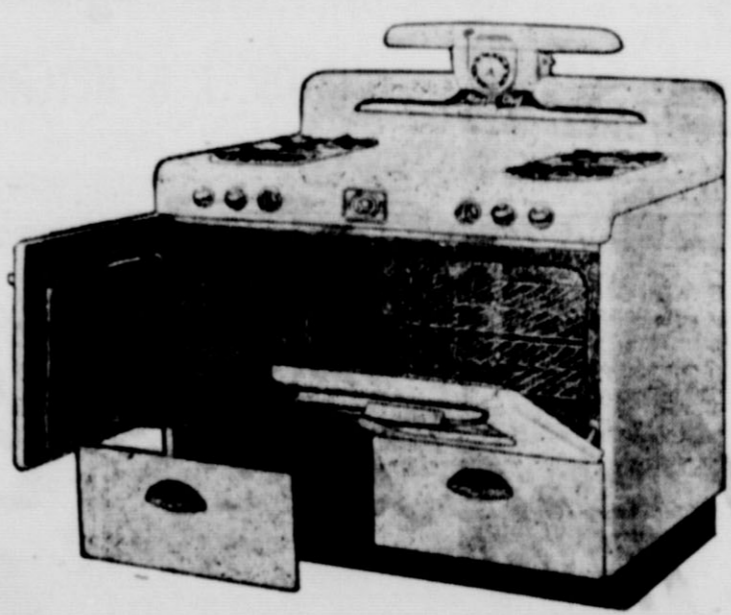
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ROARING SPRINGS

Only Four Matador Seniors Began School Careers Here

(by W. F. McCaghen, Jr.)
 We the Senior Class of 1948 entered Matador Grade School September 1, 1937. Our teacher was Mrs. B. F. Tunnell.
 Those entering the first grade were as follows: Leo Archer, Russell Bradley, Robert Daniels, William Curtis Graham, Burlan Harris, Loren Jones, W. F. McCaghen, Bobby Ray McMahon, Billy Ray Neighbors, Charles Herbert Sanders, Bruce Seigler, Frank Smith, Bobby Ray Smith, J. W. Lybarger, Bill Vaughn, Clyde Williams, Billy VanDyke, J. D. Chapman, Donzell Baldwin, Marianna Clowers, Frances D. Dake, Patsy June Frye, Mildred Gregory, Doris Johnston, Sybil Mae Lea, Edna Marie Neal, Leatrice Russell, Betty Joyce Reid, Betty Ruth Redd, Mary Ann Sain, Billie Frank Skaggs, Bonita Jones, Florence Jones, Mary Lou Jackson, Janie Knowles, Annie Bee Chambliss, Billy Ruth Young, Sammie Hawley and Esta Ray Hawley.
 The next year we were intro-

duced to the higher learning of the second grade by Miss Verlin Reeves. The following new members joined our class: Curtis Allen, Bobby Chett, James Jackson, James Cooper, Allen Thomas, Bryan Martin, George Milford, John Hicks, Don R. Graham, Bobby Ray Thompson, Sue Canon, Winona Cartwright, Margie Patton, Evelyn Johnson, Doris Keeling, Patricia Ann Graham, Retha Mae Hughes, Wanda Faye Minor and Peggy Peck.
 The following year found us in the third grade under the instruction of Miss Amy Glenn. The following new members joined our class: Bobby Chett, Jimmy Levond Guest, Billy Jim McKelvey, Nelson Martin, Billy Smallwood, Billy Jo Whitaker, Glenn Martin, Jimmy Frizzel, Charles Barton, Kenneth Kenyon, Stella Mae Donnell, Laverne Pollock, Paula Turner and Gladys Harmon.
 The next year we entered the

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fourth grade and were introduced to a new system of instruction under which we had four teachers. Our home room teacher was Mrs. Mae McKenzie. This was the year that many of us were introduced to the red letters which so frequently appear on our report cards. The following new members entered our class: Joe Charles Bond, Kenneth Kell, Margaret Ruth Cliett, Edna Lee Dunn, Dorothy Ann Stanfield, Charlotte Reynolds, Lydia Washington, Doris Dewbre and Audrey Faye Duncan.
 It was rumored that why we went from the fourth to the sixth grade was because the school officials added on another grade, but we knew that the promotion came because of our superior intelligence.
 Our home room teacher in the sixth grade was Miss Thressia Godfrey under whose instruction we were introduced to the subject of art. The following new members entered our class: Bobby Jay Browning, Frank Berry, Harold Sain, Floyd Steadman, Allen Castleberry, Norman Spray, Betty June Meador, Oleta Simpson, Helen VanDyke, Barbara Ketchersid, Joyce Bilderback, Dessa Mae Edwards and Romana West.
 Our home room teacher in the seventh grade was Mrs. Bertha C. Jones. The following new members joined our class: J. C. Huff, Eugene Johnson, James Cooper, Clayton Cunningham, A. P. Sutton, Ruby Bostick, Essie Mae Huff, Joyce Marie Jackson, Ruth Swim, Nellie Jean Florence, Ella Mae Freeman, Julia Marie Sams and Rodena Hicks.
 Our home room teacher in the eighth grade was Mrs. Mary Meason. The following students


from the eighth grade entered the freshman class: Leo Archer, Bobby Jay Browning, Lewis Blevins, Nanette Berry, Ruby Bostick, Annie Bee Chambliss, Travis Duncan, Audrey Faye Jean Florence, William Curtis Graham, Joyce Jackson, Mary Lou Jackson, Evelyn Johnson, Loren Jones, Barbara Ketchersid, W. F. McCaghen, Charles H. Sanders, Billie Frank Skaggs, Norman Spray, Dorothy Ann Stanfield, A. P. Sutton, and Billie Ruth Young. Those students joining our class that year were: Lewis Blevins, Ray Blevins, Jimmie Shelton, Travis Clifton, Nanette Berry, Louis Dean Bice, Mary Lou Jackson, Beulah Edwards, Nelda Spencer, Margaret R. Wiley and Charlene McDonald.
 Our freshman sponsor was Melton Berg and class officers were as follows: Secretary, Norman Spray; President, Bobby Jay Browning; Reporter, Oleta Simpson; Vice-President, Leo Archer and Sgt. of Arms, James White. Those joining the class that year were: Norma C. Casey, James Cooper, Nell Davis, Jeril Gray, Annette McWilliams, Bill Standridge, Mary S. Seal, Dan Tilson, James White and Gwendolyn Wilkinson.
 Our Sophomore sponsor was Mrs. D. C. Bradley. Class officers were elected as follows: President, Leo Archer; Vice-President, William Curtis Graham; Secretary-Treasurer, Oleta Simpson; Reporter, Annette McWilliams and Sgt.-at-Arms, Tom Rufus Edmondson. The new students joining our class were: R. D. Clements, Tom Rufus Edmondson, Don Bradley, Jackie House, Isabell Kimbell, Gene Morris, Bonner Nelson, Bernice Pitts, Delma Piyar and Thelma Trulock.
 Our Junior sponsor was Mrs. Marvin Allen. Class officers were elected as follows: President, James White; Vice-President, Bonner Nelson; Secretary-Treasurer, Isabell Kimbell; Reporter, Dorothy Stanfield; Sgt.-at-Arms, Clarence Cox. Only three joined our class that year, they were: Billy Dan Thomas, Clarence Cox and John Warren. Our senior sponsor is Vance Gilbreath. Class officers for the year are as follows: President, Leo Archer; Vice-President, Billy Dan Thomas; Secretary-Treasurer, Gwendolyn Wilkinson; Reporter, Norman Spray and Sgt.-at-Arms, Lewis Blevins.

The class colors are Maroon and white; class flower, white carnation; class motto, "conduct and courage leads to honor"; and the Class Project is the new stage equipment and payment on the buildings purchased from the government at Childress Army Air Field. The following students joined our senior class, they are: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Marshall, Herbert Garth, Trinia Mae Taylor and Wayne Spray. Those receiving all eleven years of their schooling here are Leo Archer, W. F. McCaghen, William Curtis Graham and Annie Bee Chambliss. Loren Jones attended school here every year except one, that one being the sixth grade.
 That concludes the history of the Senior Class of 1948.

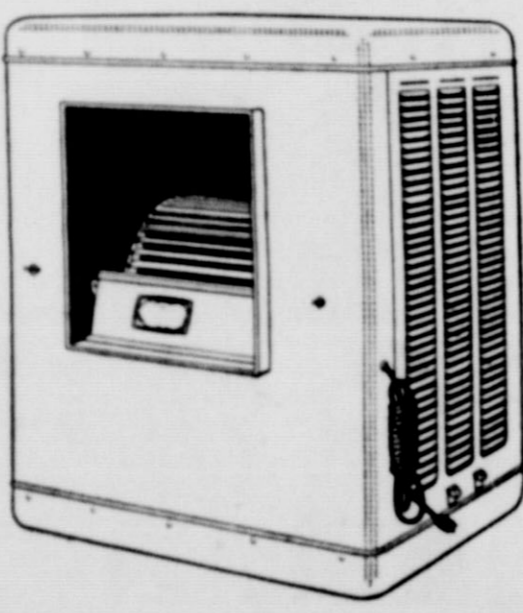
That all your memories of us will not be unpleasant ones. Our hearts remain here. Though far we may travel These treasured moments will linger. Through years and through trouble Our teachers, our classmates and all of you here Remain in our memory very dear.
 Farewell to our schoolmates Whose friendship we value Farewell to the campus Where we've spent many happy hours, Wherever we travel, wherever we go Still we'll remember our grand old school That we will always love.

Attends Training School
 Mrs. Albert Rattan, Home Demonstration agent left Wednesday to attend training school at Vernon and Crowell. Miss Louise Mason, Food Preparation Specialist at A & M college is conducting the schools. The training school at Vernon will be on canning and the one at Crowell will be on cake baking.
 Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bird and daughter, Barbara returned home last week after a visit with Mrs. Bird's mother at Greenville.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jameson and daughter, Jo Ann of Paducah visited in Matador Saturday with relatives.

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Parting Memories
 By Barbara Ketchersid
 As our school days are ending Our class wishes to say That we hope we've left something In thought, word or deed That will be remembered As honorable, beneficial or inspirational To those whom we precede. The way may have been hard Thru the study and trails of our some eleven or twelve years And often we've thought our teachers were hard But now we realize That their efforts were only for the betterment of ourselves. We sincerely hope (though mischievous we've been)

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Our best Wishes to the CLASSES OF '48

Whether you are leaving your school days behind or expect to continue with your studies we want you to take this thought with you: You have our unbounded admiration and best wishes for success in all of your undertakings.

GOOD LUCK, GRADUATES

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Arkansas, and had lived a consecrated life. Mr. and Mrs. Spears made their home at Hartshorne, Oklahoma until coming to Matador in 1926. They celebrated their golden wedding anniversary two years ago.

The surviving children are four sons and four daughters: William F. Spears, Seminole, Okla.; W. E. of Lockney; George of Amherst; Tom of Flomot; Mrs. J. L. Smallwood of Leveland; Mrs. G. G. Wilson, Littlefield; Mrs. C. M. Thompson of Matador and Mrs. C. C. Swearingen of Dickens.

Also surviving are two sisters:

Mrs. Florence Roberts of Fort Worth and Mrs. Will Newman of Hon, Arkansas; three brothers, Henry Pearce of Burlington, Texas; Dixon Pearce of Wilburton, Okla.; and Lawrence Pearce of Caney, Oklahoma, and twelve grandchildren.

Attend Funeral

All of the immediate surviving relatives were present for the funeral with the exception of two brothers, and included in addition to the above mentioned the following: Mrs. Wm. F. Spears and children, Norma Jean, Joy and Cecil of Seminole Okla.; J. L. Smallwood of Leveland; Mrs. V. E. Spears and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spears, Jr., and Mrs. Chlotie Visage, of Lockney; Mrs. George Spears of Amherst; G. G. Wilson and family, Don and Doretta of Littlefield; Mrs. Tom Spears of Flomot; C. C. Swearingen and children, Crystal, Grady and Betty of Dickens; C. M. Thompson and sons, Carl and David of Matador; Mr. Will Newman and son Arthur of Hon, Arkansas and Mrs. Dixon Pearce of Wilburton, Oklahoma.

Pioneer Mother . . .

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came to Texas, locating in Kaufman county. A year later they moved to Santa Anna, in Coleman county, and after spending three years there, they moved to Floyd county, in November, 1891. They lived there for six years and in September, 1897, moved to Motley county and homesteaded three miles east of Roaring Springs. Later they moved to their homestead east of Matador, where they lived until September, 1944, when they moved to Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Bourland celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary in 1936.

Mrs. Bourland was converted and joined the First Baptist Church in 1898 and was baptized by Bro. Winn. She was an active member until ill health overcame her.

To this union were born seven children, all of whom are living, and were present at the funeral services. They are: Edwin L. Bourland of Choctaw, Oklahoma; Fred C. of Matador; Clyde of Alvin, Texas; Carol M. of Orlando, Florida; Mrs. Scott Bolton of Quitaque; Mrs. P. L. Marshall of Lubbock and Mrs. D. P. Keith of Matador.

Besides her husband, A. M. Bourland and the seven children other survivors include one brother, J. C. Armstrong of Port Arthur, Texas, 21 grandchildren and 23 great-grandchildren, most of whom were also present at the funeral.

DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT AT R. S.

The birthday party and dance sponsored by the Motley-Dickens counties Old Settlers' Association and given in honor of C. C. Haile, president of the organization and U. L. Willie was declared a huge success by all that attended last Thursday night. The organization took in over \$200 and cleared approximately \$160.

The Tribune was asked to announce that there will be another dance tomorrow night (Friday night) at the Roaring Springs Pioneer park pavilion at the same time, 8:30 p. m.

Too Many Pictures For Tribune Space

It's a case of too little and too late with the Tribune this week. Previous purchases of engravings of all high school graduates in the county ran into a "blind alley" on the eve of going to press. We didn't have enough room.

In addition, yesterday the Tribune received another shipment of local news engravings that must wait until a later issue.

Next week the Tribune will publish all 1948 graduates pictures (reprinting a part of the pictures used on the page congratulatory advertisement).

Operating "short-handed" and constantly a few jumps ahead of the newspaper supply, we regret that it was not possible to publish the issue as originally planned. Expense of cuts for the issue was in excess of \$100. Printing of the pictures is made possible through the cooperating merchants and businessmen in their advertising.

Interesting Course For Bible School

Methodist Vacation Bible school will begin on Monday, May 24 and continue until Friday, June 4. The school will be conducted in the afternoons from 4 to 6 o'clock Monday through Friday.

Three departments will be taught, they are: Kindergarden, group will be instructed under the direction of Mrs. W. F. Jacobs, Primary group by Mrs. Oscar Bruce and the Juniors by Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

The Vacation Bible school will include Worship, recreation, study and music. An organized rhythm orchestra will be formed and films and slides will be shown in study and Worship.

Miss June Pope of Lubbock visited over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope.

in the Want-Ads

FOR SALE: Singer Sewing Machine, same as new; Thor mangle iron, used about a month. Mrs. Glen Kenney, Rt. 1, McAdoo, Texas. p21

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MRS. STEARNS NOW IN WEST TEXAS HOSPITAL

Mrs. Elmer Stearns is resting and receiving further treatment in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, after arriving there Sunday, from Baltimore, Md., where she had been a patient in Johns Hopkins Hospital.

With Mrs. Stearns as special nurse is Mrs. J. W. Ford, and also at her bedside is her daughter, Mrs. Burnham Shaw. Mr. Stearns, who has resumed his duties at First State Bank, is commuting between Lubbock and Matador.

LODGE TO MEET

Matador Chapter No. 283 will hold regular meeting Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Masonic hall, it was announced this week. Henry F. Pipkin will serve supper to all Companions.

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MONDAY
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Flower Show Plans For Next Thursday Near Completion

Arrangements for the flower show to be held next Thursday afternoon at Matador ranch headquarters, under sponsorship of El Progreso Study Club are nearing completion, according to committee chairman, Mrs. Freeman Thacker.

Anyone in the county who cares to do so, is invited to enter a bouquet or flower arrangement in the show, and all club members, including honorary and associate, are required to enter an arrangement.

The exhibit will be divided into three classes: Wild flowers, domestic (or home-grown), and unusual arrangements which may combine the two types of flowers.

Miss Alla Mae Chambliss of Paducah visited over the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Chambliss and also attended Baccalaureate services Sunday night.



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PEAS 12c

SUMAR, No. 2
HOMINY 11c

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U. S. Grade A, Snively, No. 2
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Grapefruit Juice, No. 2, White Swan 11c

Grapefruit, White Swan
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