

Texas Stymied From Paralyzing Cold Wave

Damage Slight Here as Mercury Falls to 9

SLEET WAS FALLING here at 3 a. m. this morning as shivering Texas rounded out a week of the most severe cold wave, from the Panhandle to The Valley, in ten years. Official mercury stood at 9 degrees above zero here about dawn Tuesday. Amarillo dropped to 3. Although business slowed up here during the week, Matador, Roaring Springs and other towns in the immediate area served by butane gas suffered less than most of the Panhandle. Over 350 cities served by natural gas companies, including Lubbock, were forced to close schools and restrict business to essential commodities and services because of the great strain on gas mains. Many neighboring towns were virtually closed according to reports. Local butane gas companies were swamped with orders but no acute fuel shortage has been experienced.

Highway travel over both roads here has been reduced to scattering vehicles. No serious accidents in the county have been reported. Cattlemen declare that livestock is suffering but little and that the loss will result mostly in shrinkage. Several homes in west Matador are without water because of frozen water main too close to the surface of the ground. Many instances of frozen water lines, hydrants and automobile radiators have been reported.

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TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Dressing in winter's boudoir, the night turned quickly and descended the stairway with powdery snow in her hair. Orchestras of the winds had reached a sonorous cadanza that melted rapidly in the warm milk of silence. Ice popped suddenly on the elms like the tapping of a conductor's baton and night, cold and beautiful, waited away in the strong arms of a blizzard.

Greater a man's importance the fewer keys he finds it necessary to carry. Most of us keep keys to locks for the protection of riches we hope to attain.

Prisoners of love wear their silent chains through the streets at night and shape unspoken prayers with lips that conceal their secrets. Haunted and driven by the stinging whips of society they look upon the sunlight of a new day as the doom-laden look through windows in barred walls. Jealousy and fear eat beneath the scabs in their hearts as the long train of time bars past their wretched stations. Closeted in solitude they watch the miserable cloak of the past with words and incidents that do not match, until the entire pattern is lost. Music and laughter is stolen from their pockets as they struggle beneath the burdens of despair; the fragile mirror of beauty has been broken in hurrying between temples of disaster. Dreams, ambitions and duty are pawned for a few grains of love's opiate; a few precious words, the comfort of nearness. Sick at soul they feel their lives transparent with thoughts running like nude children for the shelter of leafy bushes. The ecstasy of peace beyond the ability to pay.

Truth, frequently neglected in arguments, has a tendency of convincing the skeptical by its very presence.

Except that a man be tolerant in friends will be few, unless life be of crystal sincerity and tempered with a willingness to admit the error of his opinions.

With the new look in women's dresses the winds of spring promise no more than a suddenly interesting season.

Without attempting to impress the world, the man walked under a loadstar of perpetual cheerfulness. He was small and an with the glitter of candles behind his brown eyes. Although a clothing was not expensive, it was well-chosen and there was cleanliness about him that seemed to radiate from within the depths of his heart. To meet him was like leaving the foul air of a crowded, heated room and outdoors and breathe the perfume of mesquite smoke settling in snow. Early in life he had experienced an unfortunate marriage and returned one night to an empty home and a note left on the bedroom table. His face seemed to grow leaner and there was a strange note in his voice when he spoke to friends, but he sought no sympathy nor asked for favors. He spent more time working in the small insurance agency and adjusted his life to the designs of fate. It was inevitable that he meet the school teacher. Searching in the dark of the love he had lost, he touched her hand. Their romance was like a redolent flow. The splendor of companion-ship ripened into a deep mutual interest in the world. They were idiom together alone, although they lived in a private kingdom of understanding. Gossip, when could find no more interesting subject, speculated on the possibility of their marriage. One day an acquaintance waited at the school for the teacher. At the school the guardians said she

Mothers, Daughters To Hear Columnist

Tenth annual Mother-Daughter banquet will be held here Friday evening, February 13, according to plans now underway by officials of Matador Parent-Teacher Association, sponsors for the occasion.

Speaker for the event will be Mrs. C. A. Wimberly, English instructor at Wayland College.

Girls Cage Team Drops Close Games

Fate played against Matador high school girls in two basketball games over the week-end which provided the fans with a "whodidit" thrill but left the scoring in favor of the opposition. The team lost to Ralls Friday night in an overtime period by a score of 19-18 and again lost to Flomot Saturday afternoon in a score of 14-12. Both games were hard-fought with never more than three points difference in the scoring.

Despite the loss of the two games, the team next season promises to be one of the best in Matador high school history. Only one of the approximately 20 girls trying for a place on the team will graduate this year.

Girls on the squad are: Annette McWilliams, Shirley Pope, Ann Harp, Joyce Reynolds, Rosemary Bloodworth, Sarah Springer, Pauline Blevins, Wanda Graham, Melba Kimbell, Geraldine Waybourn, Carlene Lynn, Doris Ann Doss, Wanda Plyer, Norma Dele Edwards, Sibyl Jackson, Dorothy Beardin, June Neighbors, Patti Pipkin and Dorothy Traweek.

Next home game scheduled for the Matador girls' team is with Spur, February 6.

Saturday Last Day To Pay Poll Taxes

The Tribune wishes to remind subscribers that Saturday, January 31, is the last day in which to pay poll taxes and participate in 1948 elections. One of the greatest privileges paid for with the life blood of thousands of heroes on fields of battle throughout our nation's history, is often lost because of failure to pay the \$1.75 tax.

A radio news broadcast this week announced that "overs", voters who are exempted from paying poll taxes because of age, are required by law to secure exemptions each year (at no cost) in order to be qualified to vote.

NAVY RECRUITER HERE

A U. S. Navy recruiter will be at the post office in Matador each Friday from 8 a. m. until 11 a. m., it was announced last week by S. L. Irwin, CMO. He said a number of Navy service schools are open for high school graduates (selection of school may be made prior to enlistment).

He said over 30 petty officer rating groups are still open in which ex-navy men who held rating in these groups, may re-enlist.

He would not walk again, if the disease which had struck her life did not demand it entirely. The small man spent his days at her bedside. When she could be moved to his home they were married. He worked harder and his business prospered. The story of their happiness became a classic.

Appreciates Tribune

William A. Johnson SSML 3/c United States Navy, in a recent letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson, asks that the Tribune be extended to the gratification of his subscription which he has been receiving.

Starting before the incident of Pearl Harbor, the Tribune has sent without cost or obligation to servicemen requesting it from Motley county. Near the close of the war the Tribune was mailing over 700 gratis copies weekly. The practice has not been changed. At present approximately 20 men in uniform are receiving the home paper.

Nothing is more interesting in life than its constant refusal to follow the pattern of our plans.

Each day we look upon new problems, joys and sorrows like a stranger opening a door through mistake.

New Chevrolet Here Saturday

Official display here of the new 1948 Chevrolet will be held Saturday in the show room of Campbell Chevrolet Co., it was announced Tuesday by R. E. Campbell, manager of the firm.

The new car is little changed in appearance from the 1947 model although several improvements are announced. Campbell declared prospects of securing more new cars in the immediate future were not encouraging.

Ten Teams In Cage Tourney

Ten teams have entered the Roaring Springs grade school invitation basketball tournament scheduled for February 5, 6, and 7th.

Teams accepting invitations are Patton Springs, Flomot, McAdoo, Girard, Matador, Dickens, Spur, Paducah, Floydada and Roaring Springs.

Qualifications require that all members of each team be in grade school and not over 15 years of age.

School officials declare that interest in basketball is greater than at any time in history of the sport.

In scheduling grade school teams it is believed that basketball fans will receive entertainment of a class even exceeding the matches of more advanced teams.

Frigid Weather Postpones Game

Frigid weather and road conditions making highway travel hazardous, have affected basketball schedules throughout West Texas.

Game scheduled here between Matador Matadors and Crosbyton Chiefs, has been postponed until Monday night, February 2, according to an announcement made yesterday by Superintendent Bert Ezell.

Guy Finds "Old Glory" Most Impressive Sight In Europe

Old Glory is beautiful in America. It is a thousand times more impressive waving from a great flag pole in the heart of Germany. It was the thing that impressed Chas. A. Guy, editor of the Lubbock Avalanche, more than anything else in Europe during the 36 days he spent on the continent, he declared here Thursday night at the high school auditorium in an address sponsored by El Progreso Club.

Standing with other hardened, "sentiment-sealed" reporters, Guy said he felt the mist in his eyes as the massive flag played in the German breeze, the American flag, soaked in blood, but clean and free, light of peace of the world.

Guy said he was interested in the man in the street of Germany where more than 63,000,000 human beings struggle for food and warmth amid the ruins and destruction of war in an area smaller than Texas. Germany has almost 100 people to one in Texas.

The people of Germany are hungry, he declared. They hope for nothing more than the privilege of working for the Americans. The pay is not important. It is the food that they seek. It is possible to pick the Germans employed by Americans on the street from their physical appearance. The others are starving.

The editor declared he was formerly an isolationist but he is now convinced the theory is

impractical and that America is the only nation able to prop up the economy of Europe. "Firm currency is the key to the problem," he declared, "and we should adopt the Marshall Plan or some plan that will aid the people of Europe. I don't care what we call it. It is not charity, it is defense and security. Germany is a buffer state to Russia and we need it."

He said the Germans want the Americans to remain because they know the day they leave the Russians will move in. He said the Russians are believed to be working the Germans in slave labor. He would not estimate the length of time we should remain in Europe but thought 50 years not too long if necessary.

He visited the 12 square-mile free state of Trieste (carved out of Italy) and feels that it is the focal point of friction in Europe and may be the starting place of World War III.

Guy made a plea to the church members among his listeners whose churches may have missionaries in Europe, declaring: "Ask your Congressman to vote for a plan that will help Europe help itself. Religion will never impress people who are cold and hungry." "I am not pleading the cause of the German," Guy declared, "but there is nothing left to do. The Germans deserve everything they are getting. They asked for it, yet for the future security of the world, we must go to their aid."

He told of the hunger for education in Europe. At the University of Munich he saw students hungry for food, studying in fireless, unlighted rooms, wrapped in whatever rags they could obtain. Students must work six months on the reconstructions of the war-ravaged buildings of the college before they can enter.

Guy said he never became accustomed to the servants assigned him. He could not feel at ease when the maid entered his quarters during the time he was taking his bath, shaving or other wise not prepared. For days he struggled with his shaving problem until one maid commanded (See GUY FINDS back page)

Father-Son Program Is Completed

Awaiting verification of assignments program for the 11th annual Father-Son banquet, sponsored by the Matador Lions Club, to be held Thursday evening, February 12 in the Baptist church here, is now completed.

Program chairman Howard Traweek met with his committee composed of Elbert, Reeves, Forrest Campbell and Douglas Meador, Monday afternoon and completed details.

Streamlined to expedite movement of the large crowd expected to attend, the church auditorium part of the program has been limited to 45 minutes. Movement downstairs to the banquet will start promptly at 7:30. The meeting of fathers and sons will start at 6:45.

Polio Fund Continues To Climb

Motley county's contribution to the National Infantile Paralysis fund continues to climb despite unfavorable weather that has handicapped solicitations.

U. L. Willie, one-man committee, told a Tribune reporter yesterday that he had collected over \$900 in Matador and that Flomot had reported \$483.50 for a total of almost \$1,400. He said that no report had been received from Roaring Springs.

Mr. Willie declared that some contributions which have been received are from residents in other communities and that when the drive is completed credit will be given to the community in which the contributor resides.

Alec Templeton To Appear In Lubbock

Alec Templeton, the incomparable, is coming to Lubbock. Internationally famous star of concert, radio, motion pictures, theatre and recordings will appear with the Lubbock Symphony Orchestra for two appearances, February 12 and 13.

The great artist was born in Cardiff, South Wales and began his musical career at four. His musical position was assured before he had reached the age of 20. He made extensive tours of England, Germany, Holland and France and made his first appearance in the United States by way of radio in the early "thirties".

The program will include classics, impressions and improvisations. Minneapolis Tribune music critic, in review, said of him: "When Alec Templeton plays, the highbrow and the lowbrow listen side by side, and what is more, they love it. Though comedy is present, so also is true musicianship. In short, Alec Templeton, pianist, composer, and one-man opera company, completely wins his audience."

All seats are reserved. Program begins at 8 p. m. Tickets may be procured by enclosing check to Lubbock Symphony, Box 894 (with stamped self-addressed envelope) or at Adair music store, Lubbock. Admission including tax: \$2.80, \$2.40 and \$1.80.

Former Residents Visit Parents Here

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson of Sweetwater, former Matador residents, spent the week-end here visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Burrell Tipton and daughter Martha, also former residents, who visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Tipton and other relatives.



J. C. "Kid" Kennedy

"KID" KENNEDY, 85, IS HONORED AT SURPRISE DINNER

The cold and dreary winter evening had set in when J. C. "Kid" Kennedy left town Friday. It was almost six o'clock and "Kid" Kennedy was thinking about going to bed. He had eaten his supper early at his daughter (Mrs. Frank Stafford) Rosa's Cafe and he had noticed the long table covered with linen. He had asked about the table and been informed that it was being prepared for a basketball team. He trudged his way home. Well, tomorrow would be his birthday. He had informed friends about town that he expected them to close up their stores and places of business as is the custom in honoring other great men on their birthdays. Thus were "Kid" Kennedy's thoughts on the eve of his 85th birthday.

A few minutes before six his son-in-law Marvin Bloodworth went to his quarters and told him that some friends from East Texas had dropped in and wanted him to come back to town. "Kid" was slightly skeptical, found his broad-brimmed black hat, filled his pipe and went to the car reluctantly. It was his bed time.

At the cafe he found eleven of his "domino-playing" friends seated at the long table, now swaying under the weight of a bountiful meal. At the end of the table was a birthday cake with a large "85" in red frosting above the "Happy Birthday" salutation. The waiting group was singing "Happy Birthday".

There was a mist behind "Kid" Kennedy's kindly eyes. However he quickly became master of the situation. He said, "Basketball team. That bunch couldn't even watch a basketball game". Live-wit of the honored guest kept the group in an uproar of laughter. See "KID" KENNEDY back page

Application Accepted

Matador high school officials this week have received the following letter from the Southern Association of Secondary Schools and Colleges: "It is a pleasure to inform you that both the Texas Executive Committee and the Regional Reviewing Committee passed favorably upon your application for renewal of membership... congratulations and best wishes for a successful year."

The society is the highest academic society in the south. Although one of the smallest high schools in the state affiliated with the association, Matador high school was accepted without reservation. Membership certificate is now on display at the high school.

Whiteflat Families Move To New Home

An exodus to New Mexico was begun recently by three Whiteflat families where they have bought property near Lovington, New Mexico.

Those making the change in residence are: Mr. and Mrs. Jay Browning and children, Bobby Jay, Royella, Larry, Mac, and Beth; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams and daughter, Ouida Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lancaster.

OPENS NEW STATION

Announcement is made this week of the opening of a new service station which is owned and operated by R. D. Clements and Leroy Roberts.

The partners have named their business the R.C. Station, and announce that they will sell Phillips gas and oil and Lee tires and tubes.

The station is located east of the Lud Harris grocery, on Highway 70.

HOSPITAL PATIENT

Leonard Crowell of Flomot, has been a patient in Traweck Hospital this week.

Mercury Stays Low

Slight moderation here yesterday caused the snow (about 1-2 inch) to thaw off much of the streets and highways, however, sleet and snow that started falling about 10 o'clock last night has replaced that which sunshine melted yesterday. City water superintendent Herman Stanfield has supplied the following official thermometer readings since January 22. H59, L30; Friday H61, L19; Saturday H35, L18; Sunday H24, L17; Monday H26, L19; Tuesday H24, L9; and Wednesday H19, L10. Readings are made at 8 a. m. each morning for the preceding 24 hours.

It is estimated that the total amount of moisture resulting from rain, sleet and snow during the past week is less than 25 inch. Heavier snow and rains have been reported in the eastern section of the state.

No immediate relief is promised by weather forecasters, although rising temperatures are seen for near the week-end. Farmers believe the extreme cold weather may destroy crop pests in the ground and aid prospects for a better crop. However, they generally look for more moisture than has resulted from the storm. No damage has been reported in power and communication lines in the area below the Cap Rock.

Malcolm Morris Is Candidate For Commissioner

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of M. D. (Malcolm) Morris for the office of Motley county commissioner precinct 2, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 24, 1948.

Mr. Morris made the following statement regarding his candidacy: "I have been solicited by a number of friends to seek the office of commissioner of Precinct No. 2. I have been a resident of Motley county all my life and have never before sought public office.

"I have had six years experience in building and maintaining roads in precinct 2. I feel that I am qualified for the office in every respect. If I am elected I will be fair and impartial to all and will devote my time and abilities to my official duties.

"Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated."

Church and Social Activities

Telephones 123 and 156

Miss Charlene Giesecke Becomes Bride Of Wayne Bagley In Home Ceremony Here

In a ceremony performed Sunday, January 25, at 2:30 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents, Miss Sylvia Charlene Giesecke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke of Matador, and Mr. Wayne Bagley, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Bagley of Canyon, Texas, were united in marriage.



Mrs. Wayne Bagley

Matador Methodist Church, in the presence of relatives and a few close friends of the couple. A window framed the bridal party, with wrought iron candelabra on either side, and a floor basket of white gladioli and greenery decorating the scene.

Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, organist.

played "Because" while Miss Jean Covington of Dougherty and Miss Betty Boteler of Floyd, college classmates of the bride, lighted the candles. Miss Joyce Bagley, sister of the bridegroom sang "I Love You Truly". The traditional wedding marches were played, and during the ceremony, Mrs. Hamilton played, "With This Ring".

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of navy blue crepe with gray accessories, and a white orchid corsage. She carried a white Bible, topped with a bouquet of white carnations. For something old she wore ear screws which were a gift from her father to her mother. Something new was her wedding dress, something blue was a blue ribbon, and a strand of pearls belonging to Miss Edna Farmer of Wheeler, was something borrowed.

Miss Erjuana Lambert of Kamey, Texas, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of aqua crepe and a corsage of white carnations. Gene Lowman of Canyon, attended the groom as best man.

Reception Is Held
Following the ceremony, a reception was held, with Miss Lambert serving the three tiered cake, topped with a miniature bridal couple, and Misses Covington and Boteler presiding at the punch bowl. The table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white carnations, with white candles in crystal holders at each end.

In addition to the bridal party and members of the family, other guests present were Miss Bessie L. Medlen of Roaring Springs, an aunt of the groom; Leroy Wooten, Miss Juanita Bell and the groom's brother, Robert Bagley, all of Canyon, the bride's brother, L. C. Giesecke, Texas Tech student, Lubbock, and Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador.

Mrs. Bagley is a graduate of Roaring Springs High School, and received her degree last Saturday from West Texas State College, Canyon, where she majored in business administration and was an outstanding figure in campus activities. She is a member of Alpha Chi, and was listed in "Who's Who" among students in American Universities and Colleges for 1946-47 and also 1947-48. She was a member of the woman's chorus and of the International Relations Club.

Following his graduation from Lefors High School in 1943, Mr. Bagley spent two years in the U. S. Navy, and since his discharge from service has been attending West Texas State College, where he is a member of Tri Tau fraternity and of International Relations Club.

Returning to Canyon Sunday evening, the couple are at home there at 1000 Fifth street.

The name Illinois is a combination of Indian and French words meaning "band of men". The state of Iowa derives its name from the Iowa Indians who lived there.

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Recapitulation
Balance in each fund and its indebtedness.

	Oct. 1, 1947	Jan. 1, 1948
Jury Fund, 1st Class	790.06	5,108.69
Permanent Improvement Fund, 2nd Class	3,956.23	8,894.00
General County Fund, 3rd Class	O. D. 3,441.39	4,286.76
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 1 Class	1,379.77	4,285.03
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 2 Class	593.31	1,371.74
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 3 Class	2,998.73	4,642.76
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 4 Class	O. D. 542.83	1,004.74
Sinking Fund, No. 1 Class	1,425.04	1,754.85
Sinking Fund, No. 2 Class	1,336.69	1,996.31
Sinking Fund, No. 3 Class	788.41	2,767.22
Sinking Fund, No. 4 Class	1,963.08	6,910.09
Sinking Fund, No. 5 Class	6,356.76	5,855.29
Sinking Fund, No. 6 Class	1,361.61	1,361.61
Sinking Fund, No. 7 Class	2,675.44	3,584.84
Sinking Fund, No. 8 Class	515.08	6,451.48
Sinking Fund, No. 9 Class	2,316.48	5,284.68
Sinking Fund, No. 10 Class	335,953.42	335,966.37

LACY-BERRYMAN NUPITAL VOWS READ IN CHURCH CEREMONY AT TURKEY



Mr. and Mrs. Wade Berryman

Before a group of some 600 relatives and friends Miss Nan Lacy of Turkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoy Lacy of Turkey, became the bride of Wade H. (Mutt) Berryman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Berryman of Matador, Sunday, January 18, at 4 o'clock, in the Church of Christ at Turkey, with minister Olen Holland of Abilene, uncle of the bride, reading the single ring ceremony.

Baskets of white lilies and fern were placed on either side of the arch which read, "Oh Promise Me" and flanked by candelabra. The candles were lighted by Billy Wason of Matador and Jim Majors.

Misses Freda Smith and Alpha Joyce Mullin sang, "Indian Love Call" and Mrs. Howard Castleberry sang, "Always". The traditional wedding march was hummed by Jack Lacy, Earl Cantwell, Ollis Young, Raldo Meacham, Clark Johnson, and Jake Morrison.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a winter white suit with brown accessories. She carried a white prayer book topped with a single orchid and long white streamers. For something old she wore a wedding band belonging to her grandmother, Lacy, something new and blue

was her handkerchief, and something borrowed was her prayer book.

Miss LaVerne Lacy, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Misses Willie Grace Mullin and Peggy Russell were bridesmaids. Miss Lacy wore a gray dress with black accessories and white carnation corsage. The bridesmaids were dressed in attractive spring suits with pink carnation corsages.

John Briscoe served the bridegroom as best man and Billy Wason and David Campbell were ushers.

The bride's mother chose for her daughter's wedding, a black dress and a white carnation corsage. Mrs. Berryman, mother of the bridegroom also wore a black dress and a white carnation corsage for the wedding.

The bride who was a popular member of Turkey's younger set attended Turkey schools from which she was a graduate with the 1946 class. For the past two years she has been employed in the Lacy grocery in Turkey.

The bridegroom was reared in this community and graduated from Matador High School with the class of 1941. He was a very popular member of the Matador Matadors football squad. Mr. Berryman served in the Army for approximately three years, much of which were spent overseas.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony for a wedding trip and on their return they will be at home in Matador where Mr. Berryman is a contractor.

Re-Enters Navy

Eugene F. Johnson F 1/c, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Johnson of Matador, has re-enlisted for four years in the United States Navy and left January 26 for an unannounced destination in overseas duty.

Two sisters, Mrs. B. J. Hightower of Lubbock and Miss Evelyn Johnson of Guthrie, were here for his departure. Mrs. Hightower, accompanied by her husband, will remain for a visit in the home of her parents.



Mrs. Jack Wood

BRIDAL SHOWER GIVEN RECENTLY FOR MRS. WOOD

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Jack Wood, the former Bette Jene Fox was given in the home of Mrs. Elmer Wolfe of Matador, Friday, January 16, from 7:30 to 10 p. m. Hostesses for the occasion were: Mesdames Dop Chambliss and Ernest Lee, and Mrs. Wolfe.

Mrs. Wolfe received the guests and Miss Oleta Holt presided at the bride's book.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and centered with a decorated cake of pink rose buds and green leaves and the names of the young bride and bridegroom. Hot coffee and cake were

served by Mesdames Lee and Chambliss.

Those attending and sending gifts were: Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Chock Carman, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gafford, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fox, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ezzell, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Bearden, Mr. and Mrs. Givens Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stanfield, and Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Bowen.

Mesdames Bert Aldrich, E. B. Chambliss, Homer Duncan, Pete Pool, Floyd Webb, Homer Dolison, J. C. Cross, Elvin Markham, E. F. Springer, Mae McKenzie, George Birchfield, A. A. Harp, R. A. Day, Marlin Pounds, Mark Hall, Bruce Martin, Creed Jameson, Jess McBride, Raymond Steffey, Frank Stafford, I. N. Plumlee, Hazel Dirickson, W. Rattan, A. C. Traweck Jr., Geo. Springer, H. H. Schweitzer, W. F. Jacobs, Eddie Russell, James Ed Russell, Pat Sheridan, R. L. Brandon, Bob Jameson, Ted Elliott, Ted Steen, and Maggie Fox.

Messrs Elmer Wolfe, Bill and John Wood, Henry Pipkin, Bobby and Eugene Johnson, and Dop Chambliss.

Misses Minnie Lou Holt, Earlene Carman, Joy Bowen, Ella Mae Mitchell, Wanda Fox, Ida Mae Lee, Betty Jean Holt, Dollie Wood, Sarah Springer, Ethel Jameson, Dorothy Bearden, Dorothy Stanfield, Norma Chole Casey, Mildred Plumlee, Mary Keith, Delmer Plyler and Annie B. Chambliss.

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QUARTERLY REPORT OF GERTRUDE SMITH, COUNTY TREASURER OF MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM OCTOBER 1, 1947 TO JANUARY 1, 1948, INCLUSIVE:

Jury Fund, 1st Class

Balance last Quarter	\$ 790.06
To Amount received during Quarter	\$4,947.01
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "A"	628.38
Amount to Balance	5,108.69
BALANCE	\$5,737.07 \$5,737.07

Permanent Improvement Fund, 2nd Class

Balance last Quarter	3,956.23
To Amount received during Quarter	10,085.40
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "B"	7,147.63
Amount to Balance	8,894.00
BALANCE	\$16,041.63 \$16,041.63

General County Fund, 3rd Class

Balance last Quarter	O. D. \$3,441.39
To Amount received during Quarter	15,748.84
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "C"	8,020.69
Amount to Balance	4,286.76
BALANCE	\$12,307.45 \$12,307.45

Road & Bridge Fund, No. 1 Class

Balance last Quarter	1,379.77
To Amount received during Quarter	4,199.45
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "D"	1,294.19
Amount to Balance	4,285.03
BALANCE	\$5,579.22 \$5,579.22

Road & Bridge Fund, No. 2 Class

Balance last Quarter	593.31
To Amount received during Quarter	4,510.15
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "E"	3,731.72
Amount to Balance	1,371.74
BALANCE	\$5,103.46 \$5,103.46

Road & Bridge Fund, No. 3 Class

Balance last Quarter	2,998.73
To Amount received during Quarter	2,804.12
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "F"	1,160.09
Amount to Balance	4,642.76
BALANCE	\$5,802.85 \$5,802.85

Road & Bridge Fund, No. 4 Class

Balance last Quarter	O. D. \$542.83
To Amount received during Quarter	3,767.10
By Amount paid out during Quarter, Ex. "G"	2,219.53
Amount to Balance	1,004.74
BALANCE	\$3,224.27 \$3,224.27

Sinking Fund, No. 1 Class

	Oct. 1, 1947	Jan. 1, 1948
No. 1	1,425.04	1,754.85
No. 2	1,336.69	1,996.31
No. 3	788.41	2,767.22
No. 4	1,963.08	6,910.09
No. 5	6,356.76	5,855.29
No. 6	1,361.61	1,361.61
No. 7	2,675.44	3,584.84
No. 8	515.08	6,451.48
No. 9	2,316.48	5,284.68
BALANCE	\$33,953.42	\$35,966.37

Recapitulation
Balance in each fund and its indebtedness.

	Oct. 1, 1947	Jan. 1, 1948
Jury Fund, 1st Class	790.06	5,108.69
Permanent Improvement Fund, 2nd Class	3,956.23	8,894.00
General County Fund, 3rd Class	O. D. 3,441.39	4,286.76
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 1 Class	1,379.77	4,285.03
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 2 Class	593.31	1,371.74
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 3 Class	2,998.73	4,642.76
Road and Bridge Fund, No. 4 Class	O. D. 542.83	1,004.74
Sinking Fund, No. 1 Class	1,425.04	1,754.85
Sinking Fund, No. 2 Class	1,336.69	1,996.31
Sinking Fund, No. 3 Class	788.41	2,767.22
Sinking Fund, No. 4 Class	1,963.08	6,910.09
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Sinking Fund, No. 7 Class	2,675.44	3,584.84
Sinking Fund, No. 8 Class	515.08	6,451.48
Sinking Fund, No. 9 Class	2,316.48	5,284.68
Sinking Fund, No. 10 Class	335,953.42	335,966.37

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GREEN-LAWRENCE RITES READ ON CHRISTMAS DAY

Miss Joan Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Green of Roaring Springs, became the bride of Jewel Lawrence, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Lawrence of Matador, Christmas day, in the First Baptist church of Floydada with Rev. Clifford Potts of Matador reading the ceremony.

The bride wore an aqua crepe dress with brown accessories. She was attended by her sister, Miss Mary Helen Green, who

wore a rose ballerina dress with black accessories. Truman Groves served the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Lawrence is a graduate of the 1947 graduating class of Roaring Springs High School and attended Texas Tech Lubbock.

Mr. Lawrence is a graduate of the 1942 graduating class of Matador High School. He served in the Army for 22 months. The couple will make their home in Matador.

Visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Cox over the week-end was their son, Charles Ray, who is a Tech student.

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Pied Pinions

BY MRS. J. M.

A radio station in Wichita Falls is conducting a "Meet the Bus" program, broadcasting from the bus station, in which passengers are interviewed.

We were listening to the program the other day when passengers, stranded because of current weather conditions, were asked to relate their most embarrassing moment and also their happiest. Most of them could not remember, off-hand, their most embarrassing experience, but for their happiest moment the women claimed their wedding day. One male however, when asked the question, hesitated a second then replied, "Oh, when the old lady said yes, I guess."

We wonder whether his "old lady" was with him, or perhaps listening in on the program and it was our private opinion that he was probably afraid not to admit that occasion as his happiest.

Although we have frequently heard even young marrieds refer to their mates in this manner, we had an agreement in the very beginning, Mr. M. and I, never to refer to each other as the "old lady" or "old man". The expressions seem so something-or-other.

James Garth, Byron Knight, Stanley Dan Level, J. D. Payne and Miss Bobbie Robertson, West Texas State college students were home between semesters visiting their parents.

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 Representative, 121st District:
A. J. Rogers
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 Fuller

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

For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
Ben Keltz
George Birchfield

For County Commissioner, Precinct 2:
J. E. Monk
Ben Edwards
M. D. (Malcolm) Morriss

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

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

Girls To Play Flomot In Three Game Series

The Matador Matador Girls will tangle with Flomot next week in a three game series for the county championship.

Both teams will be invited to the district play-offs regardless of the winner of these cage challenges, but never-the-less the district executives requested that a county champion be determined.

The Matador girls lost a close game to Flomot Saturday, January 24, at the Flomot tournament by a score of 14-12.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

MRS. TIMMONS IS HOSTESS TO H. D. C.

Northfield Home Demonstration club met Friday, January 23, in the home of Mrs. Clem Timmons.

Mrs. Mary K. Rattan, Home Demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on how to make mens billfolds. The remainder of the afternoon was spent quilting.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Marvin Leary, Boone Simpson, Thomas Casey, Nolan Thomas, Allen Thomas, Bill Bethany, Rayworth Hoover, Tom Moore, R. C. Elliott, Newell Timmons, Mrs. Rattan and the hostess.

The next club meeting will be

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell of Vernon are visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Estes this week.

Mrs. T. B. Peck and Gladys visited in Durango, Colorado over the week-end. Mrs. Peck remained for a longer visit in the home of her daughter and husband, Rev. and Mrs. Jack Griffith.

In the home of Mrs. Newell Timmons on Friday, February 13, everyone is invited to attend.

Former residents, Mrs. A. L. Fryar of Ft. Worth visited in Matador Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffith accompanied by Mrs. V. J. Griffith visited in Chillicothe where they attended a shower for one of Mrs. Griffith's nieces.

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3 Unions Block Labor Peace—Refuse Wage Boost Already Accepted by 19 Other Railroad Unions!

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America, representing 125,000 railroad employees, have refused to accept the offer of the Railroads of a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour.

This is the same increase awarded 1,000,000 non-operating employees by an arbitration board in September, 1947.

This is the same increase accepted by 175,000 conductors, trainmen and switchmen by agreement on November 14, 1947.

Agreements have been made with 1,175,000 employees, represented by nineteen unions. But these three unions, representing only 125,000 men, are trying to get more. They are demanding also many new working rules not embraced in the settlement with the conductors and trainmen.

Incidentally, the Switchmen's Union of North America represents only about 7% of all railroad switchmen, the other 93% being represented by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and covered by the settlement with that union.

Strike Threat

The leaders of these three unions spread a strike ballot while negotiations were still in progress. This is not a secret vote but is taken by union leaders and votes are signed by the employees in the presence of union representatives.

When direct negotiations failed, the leaders of these three unions refused to join the railroads in asking the National Mediation Board to attempt to settle the dispute, but the Board took jurisdiction at the request of the carriers and has been earnestly attempting since November 24, 1947, to bring about a settlement. The Board on January 15, 1948, announced its inability to reach a mediation settlement. The leaders of the unions rejected the request of the Mediation Board to arbitrate. The railroads accepted.

What Now?

The Unions having refused to arbitrate, the Railway Labor Act provides for the appointment of a fact-finding board by the President.

The railroads feel it is due shippers, passengers, employees, stockholders, and the general public to know that through-out these negotiations and in mediation, they have not only exerted every effort to reach a fair and reasonable settlement, but they have also met every requirement of the Railway Labor Act respecting the negotiation, mediation, and arbitration of labor disputes.

It seems unthinkable that these three unions, representing less than 10 per cent of railroad

employees, and those among the highest paid, can successfully maintain the threat of a paralyzing strike against the interest of the entire country—and against 90 per cent of this fellow employees.

The threat of a strike could justify granting more favorable conditions to 125,000 employees than have already been put in effect for 1,175,000, nor will it alter the opposite of the railroads to unwarranted wage increases or to changes in working rules which are not justified.

A glance at the box shows what employees represented by the Engineers and Firemen make. They are among the highest paid in the ranks of labor in the United States, if not the highest.

Compare these wages with what you make!

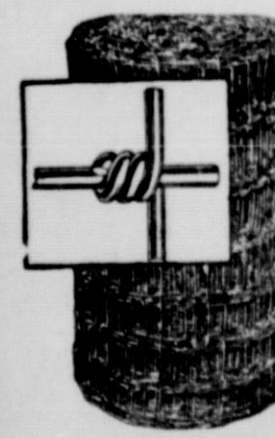
Type of Employee	1947 Average Annual Earnings		
	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings	1947 Average Annual Earnings
ENGINEERS			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	\$3,966	\$6,126	\$6,787
Road Passenger	3,632	5,399	6,025
Road Freight (Through)	3,147	4,684	5,169
Yard	2,749	4,081	4,539
FIREMEN			
Road Freight (Local and Way)	2,738	4,683	5,268
Road Passenger	2,732	4,544	5,165
Road Freight (Through)	2,909	3,460	3,891
Yard	1,962	3,136	3,553

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300. Full year 1947 estimated on basis of actual figures for first eight months.

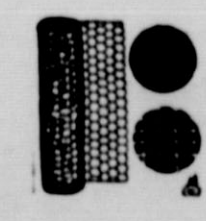
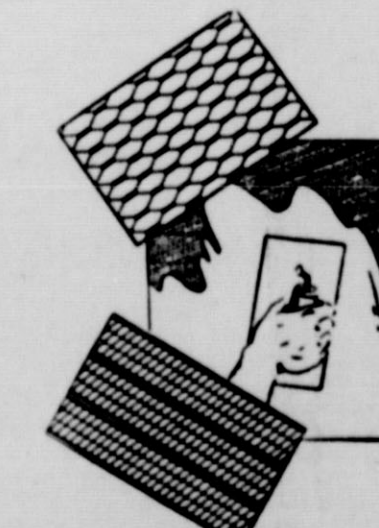
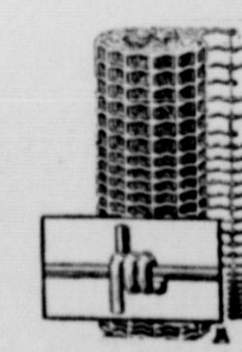


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YOUTH REPLACING ACCIDENT VICTIM

PLAINVIEW, Texas—A 20-year old student of Wayland college is now leading the huge college choir that has attracted state-wide attention by several recent concert tours.

Bryant Tolbert, a sophomore music major from Ft. Worth, has moved from the tenor section of the choir to the leader's podium, where he is conducting the 85 voice group in the absence of Dallas Alford, who headed the music department of Wayland college. Alford was killed in a three-car traffic accident two weeks ago.

Roberts and son, Johnny returned home Saturday night from Oklahoma City where they have been receiving treatment at the Balyeat Clinic.

Home between semesters from Hardin-Simmons at Abilene is Gordon Russell who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bourland of Canyon are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland between WTSC semesters.

COUNTY'S RURAL PROPERTY SHOWS HUGE VALUATION

Farm property in Motley county is now worth more than \$19,215,000, and rural homes here and throughout the state are in the best condition in history, according to a report just released by the Tile Council of America.

More than 75 per cent of farm dwellings in Texas and the South are in excellent condition or need only such minor repairs as painting or general maintenance, the report revealed. Only 61.1 per cent were in good repair in 1940. The report was based on Bureau of the Census surveys.

"The rise in farm incomes and property values since 1940 has been accompanied by a great increase in the number of rural homes equipped with such modern conveniences as electric lights, tiled baths and showers and running water," said F. B. Ortman, chairman of the Council's residential construction committee.

Electricity, for instance, has gone into hundreds of thousands of the nation's rural dwellings since 1940, Ortman noted. More than 59 per cent of all farm homes now have electric lights, in contrast to 31.3 per cent in 1940.

More than 32 per cent of rural dwellings in the United States today have running water, and 20.1 per cent have private baths, according to the Tile Council report. In 1940, 17.7 per cent had running water and only 10.6 per cent private baths.

Visiting his wife over the weekend from Lubbock, was Maurice Cain a Texas Tech student.

Mrs. J. R. Moore accompanied her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Guy, to their home at Lubbock, Friday, and is visiting with them and also with her other daughter, Mrs. Sam Dunn and family.

Upward Trend In Mortality Shown

It is estimated that during 1947 there were 195,000 live births and 61,000 deaths in Texas. The number of births in 1947 far exceeds the former record of 180,000 in 1946. The excess of births over deaths last year gave Texas a natural increase in population of 134,000 people, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

It has been apparent for some time that reductions in the mortality due to preventable causes could not any longer offset the staggering increase in the number of deaths due to cancer and the various heart diseases. For this reason, it was not difficult to predict that 1947 would see the general death rate begin an upward trend.

Practically all of the increase in the mortality during the first nine months of 1947 may be attributed to the steadily mounting toll of death levied against

the population by heart disease, cancer, and apoplexy.

Considerable satisfaction should come to those engaged in public health work in knowing that during the first three quarters of 1947 the lowest death rates ever recorded in Texas were reached for the following diseases: typhoid fever, diarrhea and dysentery, scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles, poliomyelitis, tuberculosis, malaria, syphilis, pellagra, and typhus fever.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

T. E. Long Teaches Burluson Circle

The Burluson Circle met in the home of Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, Monday afternoon at 3:30 for Bible study, with T. E. Long teaching the lesson on "Stewardship".

Refreshments were served to Mesdames R. E. Campbell Sr., Myrtle Campbell, Velma Fulfer, Harry Carter, L. Rattan, Hunter Watson, T. E. Long, Clarence Kifer, Mr. Long, and Mrs. Woodruff.

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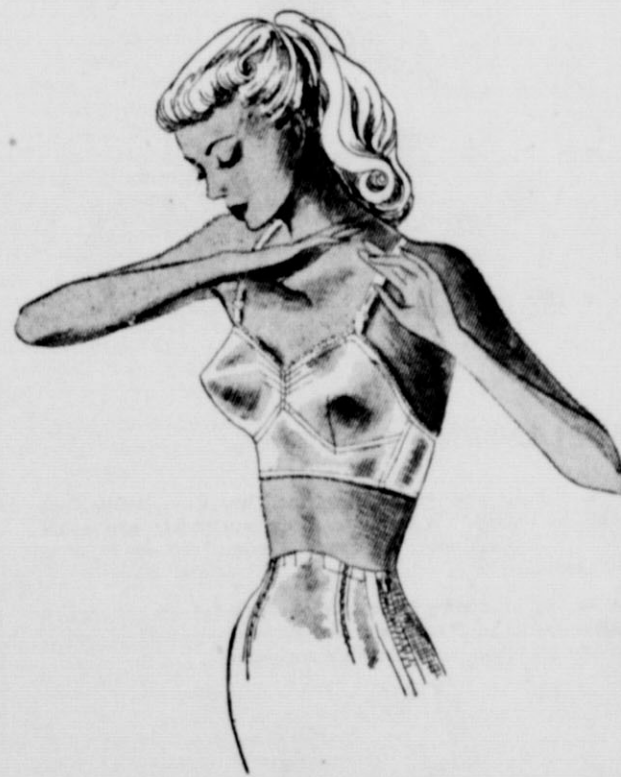
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Five Minutes 'Til

Author Unknown but from MHS

In the typing room things had been bustling and ears were filled with the loud rata-tat-tat of the thirty-year-old typewriters, but now—now the little clock on Mrs. McKenzie's desk registered, five minutes 'til 12:00 o'clock noon, and the hum was rapidly dying.

One boy covered his machine and crept silently to a vacant desk toward the front of the room and took the place, un-

noticed. Another readied his cover for a fast slip-over and by now the girls were also quitting, and covering their machines. The clock ticked on to two minutes 'til when...

"Children!" Mrs. McKenzie shouted, suddenly realizing what was going on. "I will not have this stopping and waiting for the bell. You must type until the bell rings, and furthermore!" she threatened, "you are not to run out of this room." She executed her speech so perfectly that one could easily guess she had had something like 40 years of practice.

But the look of expectancy still stayed on the beaming faces and little heed was being paid to what she had said, excepting the crack of one hungry slave who said, very kindly, "You'd better move over, Mae, because we'll be coming out of that door any time now."

Of course it had been uttered just a little below her hearing

but she sensed it anyway, and gave ground of about half a step.

The little clock ticked on, and now it was thirty seconds 'til. Only thirty seconds, yet it could mean the difference between living and starving.

Suddenly students sprang into a half crouch position, their muscles quivering and their nerves tense because they had seen the bell-ringer leave the Physics room and head for the office.

And suddenly it happened! the ringing of the bell set them off on the grand rush and it seemed as if all Hel had broken loose, but the terrible noise, resembling a cannonading, that went through the building lasted very little over ten seconds, because by then, the staunch rooms of good ole MHS were left empty—completely evacuated, and students were tearing across the campus using the last of their energy to make the different dinner spots. Any unfortunate soul left in the school house could have heard a pen drop anywhere in the building.

NOTE—The foregoing was written as an English assignment by a student of one of the English classes and students of that class enjoyed it so much that Miss Coleman, instructor of English, dared this editor to publish it. It is only one student's exaggerated observation and is printed here purely for its humor. It is trusted that all readers will take it as such and not seriously.—Mr. El Matador.

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Honor Students

Honor students for Matador High School for the last six weeks term of the first half of the school year have been named and are as follows:

Distinguished list: Seniors—Gwendolyn Wilkinson, (964); W. F. McCaghren.

Juniors: Rosemary Bloodworth (95); Pattie Pipkin, Ann Harp.

Sophomores: Dorothy Bearden (944); Freshmen: Bourland Keith (954); R. L. Holt.

Honor Roll: Seniors—Norman Spray, Don Bradley, Bonner Nelson, Billy Dan Thomas, Herbert Garth, James White, Barbara Ketchersid, Nellie Jean Florence, Loren Jones Annette McWilliams, Dorothy Ann Stanfield.

Juniors: Frances Casey, Truman Groves, June Spray, Sarah Springer, Dorothy Traweek. Sophomores: Pauline Blevins, Jimmie Davis, Shirley Estes, Oleta Holt, Garland Rattan, Mary Helen Stephens.

Mrs. Ralph Jones Is Complimented With Miscellaneous Shower On January 13

Mesdames Ferman Norton, Dowell Garrison, Bob Martin, Kim Wilkinson, Peg Spray, and Jim Lancaster, were hostesses at a shower honoring Mrs. Ralph Jones, the former Mary Murphy, Tuesday, January 13, from 2 to 4:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Ralph Stapleton.

Mrs. W. A. Rattan presided at the bride's book which was made by Mrs. Wilkinson. The bride's book was made of pink satin, on the front was a picture of a bride dressed in a bridal gown and veil with a necklace of gold sequins. The picture was in a frame of pleated pink satin and edged with pleated white net.

The table was laid with a lace cloth and forming the center piece was an arrangement of winter flowers on a reflector with lighted candles on either side.

Hot coffee and angle food cake were served by Mrs. Lelaan Bynum to those who called.

Those registering in the bride's book were: Mesdames Clovis Murphy, Casey Jones, Roy Mitchell, L. A. Carlisle, L. A. Bynum, Cliff Stephens, Albert Rattan, Bob Jameson, Earl Stephens, Gerald Waybourn, Frank Edwards, Bill Dunning, Marvin Dixon, Lem Brock, Lem Standerfer, Bill McCaghren, H. S. Watson, Ralph Stapleton, Curtis Ewell Martin, W. L. McWilliams, H. S. Gilbert, R. L. Anderson, H. M. Murphy, Weldon Bailey, Ben Keltz, W. H. Webb, J. L. Speer, H. L. Standerfer, Ed Whitaker, Ben Edwards, J. W. Pritchett, Alfred Barton, James Moss, Alfred Watson, Paul Patton, Robert Darsey, and Varner McWilliams.

Misses Sue Lancaster, Mary Helen Stephens, Geraldine Waybourn, Trula Gilbert, and Bernice Garrison.

Many gifts were sent by friends who were unable to attend.

WEEK-END GUESTS

John Farris Fish, who is attending S. M. U. Dallas, spent between semesters holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Farris Fish. Accompanying him here as his house-guests were Benton Moores of Longview, Frank Reed of Dallas and Miss Barbara Jo Fox of Raymondville, all S.M.U. students.

Freshmen: Doris Ann Doss, Roy Taylor.

Week-End Visitors

Bob Rattan who is attending Highland University at Las Vegas, New Mexico and his guests who also attended Highland University, Harold and Harvey Murphy, Pete Hatch, Wayne (Mule) Timmons, and Billy Joe Stephens were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. Rattan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rattan.

Mr. Stephens also visited at Roaring Springs with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon.

Mr. Timmons visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons of Northfield.

Olsen And Johnson To Be In Person At Fat Stock Show

FORT WORTH, Jan. 7.—Olsen and Johnson, appearing in person in their riotous show "Hellzapoppin'" will play their only Texas engagement at the 1948 Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 30 through February 8.

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"Hellzapoppin'" will play 10 evening and four matinee performances in Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium.

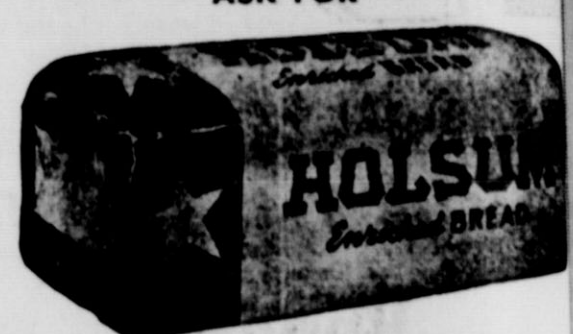
Bringing back the frontier glamor of Pioneer Palace, theater-restaurant on the show grounds, Olsen and Johnson will stage an entirely new Western show, "The Pioneer Palace Screamline Revue" at 11 p. m. after the rodeo and "Hellzapoppin'" have concluded.

"Hellzapoppin'" tickets at \$3.60 and \$2.60 for floor, \$3.25 for loges, and balcony all with tax and admission included, available by mail at the Southern Exposition and Fair Show, Box 150, Fort Worth, Texas.



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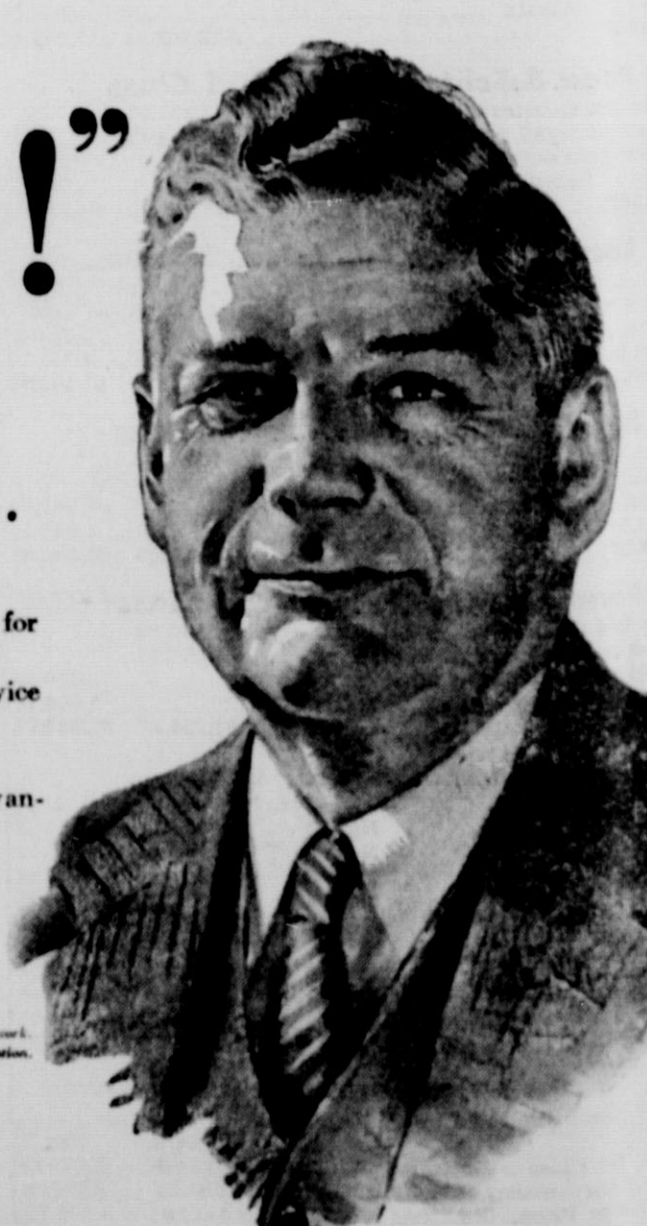
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THURSDAY and FRIDAY
JANUARY 29 and 30

"The Trouble

With Women"

Ray Milland, Teresa Wright,
Brian Donley

— SATURDAY ONLY —
JANUARY 31

Paul Campbell, Gloria Henry

"Sport of Kings"

Serial, Jesse James

No show Saturday afternoon.
Box office will open at 5:30 p. m. with show starting promptly at 5:45, and continuous showing until 10:30. Preview starts at 11:00 p. m.

SUNDAY and MONDAY
FEBRUARY 1 and 2

Claudette Colbert,
Fred MacMurray

"The Egg and I"

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY
FEBRUARY 3 and 4

(Money Nite)
Philip Reed, Hillary Brooke,
Robert Lowery

"Big Town"

in the Want-Ads

IMMEDIATE possession, 200 acres land, 6 1/2 miles south Flomot, 92 acres in cultivation sowed in wheat, goes with land, \$35 per acre. Windmill, plenty water, 2 room house, new roof. See James Taylor or Gene Perkins. 6tp.

HELP! HELP! WE HAVE A FINE OPENING IN THIS AREA. A real "honest-to-gosh" set-up for the right man over 25 years of age, who has a car, ambition and dikes to deal with farm families. Don't pass this up as just another ad—it isn't. For details, write The J. R. Watkins Company, Rural Department, Memphis, Tennessee. 3tc

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

FOR SALE: A roll top office desk, Matador National Farm Loan Association. 3tc

WANTED: A three or more room house for rent. E. L. Burns. 2tp

WANTED: Maytag washing machines models 30 to 32. H. S. Ward. 3tc

WANTED: Ironing in home, Mrs. Riley Rigby. 3tp

FOR SALE: International model B. Farmall Tractor, complete with 2 row lister, planter and cultivator. This equipment has been used very little and is good as new. Leonard Crowell, Flomot, Texas. cfn

COMPANY SISTER HOME

Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson and children, Gerald and Nola Lee of Monahans and Mrs. Jack Crider and baby daughter, Donna Leta, accompanied Mrs. Ben Meador, sister of Mesdames Fulkerson and Crider, home Saturday, returning to their respective homes Sunday.

FOR SALE: 2 chicken houses with sheet iron tops, one 12 ft. by 16 ft. and one 8 ft. by 18 ft. 125 posts; 6 spools of barbed wire; Elwood wire 60 ft. long and 6 ft. high; 2 two-row go-devils; 1 iron wheel wagon; 2 big chicken coops with wood floors; 1 number 110 John deere feed mill with traveling bundle attachment and 30 ft. endless belt. Charlie Scaff. 3tp. 22, 29, 5.

FOR SALE: Stalk Cutters—5-row Power-lift, \$130; 5-row Drag-type \$120; 4-row Power-lift \$105; 4-row Drag type \$97.50; Go-Devils 4-row Power-lift \$120; 4-row Drag type \$110; 9-row Sand Fighters \$95. The above are All Steel and guaranteed. We built the first All steel Stalk Cutters and first All steel Go-Devils that were built. Phares & Wilkins, 2209 Ave. H., Lubbock, Texas

FOR SALE: Sand and gravel hauled anywhere. Henry Harris. 3tp

FOR SALE: Five radiant butane heater. W. Y. Higgins. 2tc

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh business in Cottle County where consumers received good service. 800 families. Products sold 40 years. Hustler can expect good profits from start. Write at once Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-310-207A, Memphis, Tenn. or see W. Rogers, Matador, Texas. 1, 29, 25-12

FOUND—Two estrayed hogs which have been at my feed lots for the past 60 days. Owner can recover by giving a complete description, paying for feed and \$1 for this advertisement. R. E. Campbell at Campbell Chevrolet. 1tc

WANTED: Clean rags. Phillips Service Station. tfn

Tribune, Matador, Matley County, Texas, Thursday, January 29, 1948

RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett and daughter Dorothy, returned home Tuesday evening from Lake Charles, La., where they visited their son and brother, Boyd Willett and family.

VISITS IN BROWNWOOD

Mrs. J. A. Groves accompanied her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson, to their home at Sweetwater Sunday, and from there will go to Brownwood, where she will visit another daughter, Mrs. I. C. Hinson, and family.

GUY FINDS . . .

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him to sit while she administered one of the best shaves of his life. He then learned that it was the custom of the country that the maid provide the morning shave. He enjoyed the experience and turned the duty over to the servant. "Servants in Europe take as much pride in being good servants as we do in being good at any trade," he declared.

The Lubbock editor was introduced by Douglas Meador, editor of the Matador Tribune.

Reception Is Held

A reception following the address was held at the home of Mrs. Leonora Luckett, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Guy Refreshments of spiced tea, coffee and cake were served to a large number of guests. Presiding at the refreshment table were Mrs. J. R. Whitworth and Mrs. Ben Keltz. Mr. Guy was presented with a hand-stamped bill-fold, by Mrs. Albert Daffern, president of El Progresso Club in appreciation of his appearance here.

Club members were hostesses at the reception, with their husbands or friends, as guests.

"Kid" Kennedy . . .

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ter. He opened gifts following the dinner with the sparkle in his eyes of a boy Christmas morning. Life is still interesting to "Kid" Kennedy who has passed the 85th milestone on the

road of life.
Guests at the dinner included Bill Wasson, R. M. Bloodworth, H. C. Duncan, E. L. Wolf, Judge Wm. R. Cammack, T. E. Long, Henry Pipkin, Mayor G. T. Edwards, R. L. Browning, I. N. Plumlee, Frank Stafford and Douglas Meador.

J. C. Kennedy was born January 24, 1863, near McKinney in Collin County, Texas. He has lived in Motley county since 1923 and made his home here with his daughter, Mrs. Frank Stafford, for the past 8 years.

Other children are Mrs. R. M. Bloodworth of Matador, Mrs. J. G. Eden of San Angelo, Mrs. Earl Langford of Avenger, Texas, Claud Kennedy of Lubbock, Calif., Mrs. Charlie Moroton of Brownfield and Joe Kennedy Jr. of Meadow.

IN APPRECIATION

Flag Springs Church of Roaring Springs wishes to extend profound appreciation and gratitude to each and everyone who had a part in assisting our good pastor and wife, in the regrettable misfortune of the loss of the house in which they lived and all household effects being utterly destroyed by fire.

May the Lord richly bless each of you as our prayer.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Are You "Hobby Happy?"

Funny thing about hobbies... When Ed Carey started making a model of the "Flying Cloud," it was only to rest his eyes from reading. But now he spends every spare moment ship modelling!

Some wives might have resented a husband suddenly shutting himself in the attic every night. But not Ed's Prudence. When she found him working late, she brought him up some beer and crackers... showed a real interest in his hobby... until finally Ed had her helping with the rigging.

Wan't long before they were working side by side on Ed's bench, sharing a common interest. Instead of keeping them apart, Ed's hobby brought them more together.

From where I sit, a husband's hobby can often be a wife's as well. In fact, I've got the misus interested in tying trout flies—and, along with that mellow glass of beer, it makes the evenings go by mightily pleasantly.

Joe Marsh

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SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNER

FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.

Catfish Dinner . \$1.25 (Whole fish to order) Al Gratin Potatoes Green Beans Asparagus Tips — Salad Dessert — Beverage	Club Steak \$1.00 (Choice Cut) Al Gratin Potatoes Green Beans Asparagus Tips — Salad Dessert — Beverage	Chicken Pie 75¢ OR Bar-be-cue Pork Chops 75¢ Al Gratin Potatoes Green Beans Asparagus Tips — Salad Dessert — Beverage
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