

# Spectacular Blaze Sweeps Through Gin Plant

## COMMANDER TO SPEAK AT FLOMOT

Jimmy Moore, 18th District Commander of the American Legion, will be the principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Fleming-Post Legion and Ladies Auxiliary which will be held at the Flomot school house Tuesday evening, February 11, with veterans of the community as hosts.

## Soil Group to Locate Office Here

Upper Pease River Soil Conservation District which is comprised of Motley and Cottle counties, will open an office in Matador within the next two or three weeks, according to County Agent J. Rufus Emmons.

## Former Utilities Manager Succumbs

J.A. (Bert) Brewer, 65-year-old retired district manager of the West Texas Utilities, Childress, died late Saturday night in a Wichita Falls hospital, and funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon at the Presbyterian Church.

## Church is Crowded for Union Youth Services

An impressive group of boys and girls and interested citizens opened Boy Scout Week with the union services held at the Matador Methodist church Sunday evening. The building was filled to capacity as the services opened with Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, and Brownies filling the principal pews.

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## Firemen Rewarded

BURNING "all over" before it was discovered, 22-year-old Spears Gin in north Matador was struck by fire about 3:30 p. m. Tuesday in the most spec-

Fire Chief Roy Smith said yesterday that Manley Thompson, owner of the Spears Gin had presented the Matador Volunteer Fire Department with a check for \$100 as a token of his appreciation for the organization's services in preventing loss of the gin in Tuesday's fire.

tacular blaze the city has witnessed since loss of the courthouse in 1944.

Cause of the fire is not known but it is believed to have resulted from a spark of a welder's torch igniting cotton burrs. Owner and manager Manley Thompson had been welding in the engine room a short time before the fire was discovered. The gin had not been fired up for operation since January 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson were in the adjacent gin office talking to visitors when Mrs. Thompson noticed smoke passing the window. She looked toward the gin and saw that it was afire and quickly turned in the alarm. Ben Keltz who was passing, saw that the gin was ablaze and also turned in the alarm, either before or about the time of Mrs. Thompson's alarm.

Responding immediately, the Matador Volunteer Fire Department found smoke pouring from the entire gin upon arrival. Blaze had already begun eating

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## ASH BROTHERS EACH RECEIVE PRISON TERMS

Two brothers, Alvin and Carl Ash, each received two-year prison terms in District Judge Alton B. Chapman's court here Thursday and Friday.

Alvin Ash received a two-year sentence for the theft of a four-wheel trailer and a bale of cotton off a gin lot at Hale Center on November 20.

Carl Ash received a two-year sentence in the state penitentiary on charges of receiving and concealing stolen property in connection with the cotton and trailer.

Former sheriff, H. H. Courtney, star state witness, who arrested the brothers, recovered the cotton, trailer and an automobile stolen from Crosby county, from the Ash farm in southeast Motley county.

James Webb, also charged in connection with the case, is awaiting trial in the Plainview jail.

The Ash brothers were returned to the Lubbock jail after their trials here last week, to await other charges on burglary and narcotic theft here on November 28 (Thanksgiving).

## FORMER RESIDENT, MRS. J. C. BRYAN IS BURIED HERE

Sorrowing friends here be-

lieved relatives here Saturday morning at 10:30, in attending last rites for former Matador resident, Mrs. J. C. Bryan, 77, who died at the Coryell Memorial hospital in Gatesville late Thursday night.

Funeral services were held at the Matador Baptist church, with Rev. Clifford Potts officiating, and interment was made in the Matador East Mound cemetery beside her husband, J. C. Bryan, who preceded her in death, August 1933.

Her son, Lawrence Bryan was Matador postmaster for several years and was assisted by his

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## BANK TO OBSERVE TWO HOLIDAYS

First State Bank will be closed on February 12 and again February 22, in observance of two national holidays which fall this month, according to officials.

Lincoln's birthday is next Wednesday, while Washington's birthday falls on Saturday, the 22nd.

## H. H. Schweitzer On City Board

H. H. Schweitzer, Matador pioneer and renowned saddle maker, was sworn into office Monday evening as a member of the Matador board of city aldermen.

He was appointed to serve out the unexpired term of Pat Sheridan who resigned when he went into office as District and County clerk.

## Christmas Lights For City Arrive

Christmas lights for decorating places of business and the streets of Matador arrived more than a month after the holiday season had passed, according to D. C. Bradley, manager of the local West Texas Utilities Company office.

Announcement was made at the Lions meeting Tuesday that merchants who might want to take their orders for the lights, and have them on hand for next season, should see Mr. Bradley.

## Terracing Advancing In County

More owners of Motley county's 118,000 acres of farm land are turning to terracing to conserve the precious soil, according to County Agent J. Rufus Emmons who traveled more than 1,300 miles during January in running lines on farms which have not previously been terraced.

Mr. Emmons estimates that approximately 30,000 acres of farm land in the county are now terraced. Over 150 miles of terraces were built in 1946.

New terraces are being built on about 6,000 acres, Mr. Emmons declared. He is assisted in the engineering work by Jean Pope. At present the county terracing equipment is in the Whitestart-Flomot area where it will work through March.

ACA payments allow \$150 per 100 feet of terracing, which has been sufficient to pay the cost in all past instances, Mr. Emmons declared. Besides the county terracing equipment, and privately-owned equipment, the following independent operators are building the soil-saving ridges: Raymond Kingery, Alfred Dye, Alvin Cooper and Homer Kingery.

High quality of terracing work being done by the county terracing equipment has received the praise of farmers and agricultural leaders over this area. W. P. Close, prominent Kirkland

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## ALL-STAR TOURNEY TO BE STAGED AT NORTHFIELD 17 & 24

An All-Star basketball tournament will be held at Northfield on the coming Monday nights of February 17 and February 24. It was announced this week when some very good ball handling will be expected.

Northfield's All-Stars defeated the Paducah Legion's basketball team in the "gyp water county" gym last Thursday, to the tune of 36 to 10.

This made eleven victories in as many starts for the Northfield five, having scored 359 points to opponents' 153.

Nimmo, the center and top scorer, assisted by Clem Timmons and Rush Timmons, the forwards, have scored most of the 32 point average per game.

Leary, Reese Timmons and Moore have sparked the defense which has permitted an average of only 14 points per game.

The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend the two tournaments.

## Scouts Ready For Traffic Violators

New white lines on the downtown Matador pavement have a purpose. Matador Scouts will have charge of the city Saturday and traffic officers will be watching the driving of every car that enters the business section. Also pedestrians will be under the scrutiny of alert officers. All fines collected will go to swell the Boy Scout fund.

## HERE FROM KANSAS

Mrs. Roy Maxwell of Lyons, Kansas, visited during the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lem C. Jamison.

## VISIT PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Cammack and daughter Shirley and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McDowell of Goodnight visited here during the week end with Mr. and Mrs. D. Cammack, parents of Bryan Cammack and Mrs. McDowell.

## GOOD ATTENDANCE EXPECTED FOR GIRLS' BANQUET

A good attendance is expected tomorrow (Friday) night at the ninth annual Mother-Daughter banquet sponsored by the Parents-Teachers Association, according to a report by the ticket committee.

Of the 116 girls eligible to attend (girls who reached the age of 9 years before or by September 1st, through high school) approximately 110 are planning to attend, either with their own, or an "adopted" mother. To provide for others who might decide to attend at the last minute, places have been prepared for 235 mothers and daughters.

An entire original program has been planned with entertainment as the keynote. There will be no speaker for the occasion.

## NEGRO CAGERS DEFEAT SPUR

Matador Negro high school basketball team defeated the Spur Negro team on the color school campus here Friday afternoon with a score of 15 to 14.

Matador Negro girls lost their tilt to the Spur girls 5 to 7, despite determined efforts for victory.

The colored conference, recently organized, has 12 games scheduled for the season, according to R. C. Echols, principal. The next game is matched with Chillicothe. Other teams matched with Matador school include Quannah, Vernon and Floydada.

## Bill McCaghren Is Named Agent For Continental Oil Co.

Appointment of W. F. (Bill) McCaghren to be Continental Oil Company's agent at Matador, has been announced by S. J. Larson, division manager, Albuquerque, New Mexico, following the death of L.B. Robertson.

Born in Gorman, McCaghren moved to Matador at an early age. He attended local schools and was a member of the high school football team. After graduation he entered Texas Tech where he was prominent in inter-mural football.

In April 1933 he became associated with Robertson as a truck salesman and remained in that position until his recent appointment.

McCaghren, who is married and the father of two children, is a member of the Masonic lodge. His father, A. B. McCaghren, has been a resident of Matador for thirty-one years.

## PATTERSON RITES HELD HERE TODAY

Final rites were held here this afternoon at 2 o'clock, for Mrs. Ora E. Patterson, former Matador resident, who died Sunday at Wichita Falls, where she had been a patient in a hospital for the past several years.

Services were held at the Methodist Church by Rev. Oscar Bruce, pastor.

Mrs. Patterson was a resident here for a number of years. She is survived by one son and one daughter.

## Odd Fellows Hold Joint Meeting

Several Odd Fellows from the Matador lodge recently attended a joint installation for officers at Floydada with representatives from the Matador and Plainview lodges.

Officers installed from this lodge were L. Rattan, N. G. Theodore Bain V. G.; Elsworth Jones, secretary; and Floyd Webb as treasurer.

## Sonless Lions to be Penalized At Dad-Son Banquet Tonight

Only 12 of the 62 members in the Matador Lions Club will attend the 10th annual Father-Son banquet with their sons tonight. The remaining 50 members, all of whom have paid \$2.50 each for tickets, will help serve. The 50 members are being

penalized for not having one or more sons qualified (by attending school) as a guest at the meeting.

Many of the Lions members have sons who do not qualify (either too young or having finished school) while others fail to qualify because their families include only daughters. Lions who have neither sons or daughters were fined \$1 each at the regular Tuesday meeting.

Lion Elmer Stearns, chairman of the ticket committee, said late yesterday that he was certain all tickets for the 140 boys would be sold. Tickets for 127 boys were sold last year. The 50 Lions members have paid for tickets and will help serve in order that more fathers (not Lions members) may attend the banquet with their sons.

Roaring Springs Scouts Receive Troop Charter

Roaring Springs Scout Troop 89, sponsored by the Roaring Springs Lions Club received their charter last night in a program at the school gymnasium which also included a tenderfoot investiture service for 28 Scouts. James P. Moss is Scoutmaster for Troop 89.

## City Host For Cage Tourney Next Week

Annual basketball tournament for all teams of District 4-A will be held in Matador weekend of February 14-15, according to announcements by Superintendent Bert Ezzell. Teams will play a round robin schedule and then play a tournament, with the winner receiving the right to enter the regional tournament to be held the first weekend in March.

The tournament will open Friday night at 6 p. m. with a game between Spur and Paducah. Petersburg and Floydada will meet at 7 p. m.; Ralls and Crosbyton at 8 p. m. and Matador and Lockney will clash at 9 for the final Friday game.

Winner of the Spur-Paducah tilt will play winner of the Floydada-Petersburg game at 1:30 Saturday afternoon and winner of the Ralls-Crosbyton game will meet the winner of the Matador-Lockney game at 2:30 p. m. Losers of these games will meet at 7 p. m. Saturday for third place and the winners will meet at 8 p. m. for the championship game.

Grade School Tourney

A grade school basketball tournament will be held here this weekend according to announcement by grade school coach George L. Mills. Participating schools will be Turkey, Flomot, Matador, Lockney, Roaring Springs, Patton Springs and Dickens.

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## Lions Club May Sponsor District Track Meet Here

Members of the Matador Lions Club athletic committee are considering sponsoring of the district track meet to be held here in March according to an announcement made at the club's regular meeting held Tuesday in the basement of the Matador Methodist church.

Consideration was first given at the Lions directors breakfast held Monday and the plan delivered later to the athletic committee. Other announcements made Tuesday by Boss Lion Howard Traweck included hotel reservations for delegates and alternates to attend the Lions convention scheduled in San Francisco this summer.

One visitor at the Tuesday meeting was Lion Douglas Smythe, secretary of the Amarillo Lions Club.

Principal feature of the program was a colored motion picture of Texas shown in the basement by Superintendent Bert Ezzell with the Matador school projector.

## Deputy Collectors To Give Income Tax Aid Here Feb. 20th

Deputy Collectors Fred I. Merrick and W. Dorn of Lubbock will be in Matador on Thursday, February 20, from 8:30 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. to render assistance with income tax problems to any who desires it.

They will be located in an office over the First State Bank. This will be the only visit that can be made to this city by these assistants, before March 15, which is the deadline for submitting income tax returns, according to H. E. Arnold, Acting Collector of Internal Revenue.

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## Price of Sewer Survey Justified by Engineer

Back in October the Matador city council took considerable criticism as result of an article published in the Tribune which declared the city officials had "dropped \$1,500 down the sewer" in a survey of the local system with view of buying it from the Southwestern Sewer Company of Dallas. The article said the engineering firm making the survey was the same one which had made the original

plans for the system 18 years ago and that only 5 days were required for the work last fall.

Facts of the news article were distorted in several instances. At a meeting of the council Monday evening publisher Douglas Meador was an "invited guest" and discussed the information on which the story was founded with Hasie & Green Engineering Company of Lubbock, the firm which made the survey. Coleman L. Hasie, senior member of the firm explained that the \$1,500 fee was consistent with charges of any reputable engineering firm and that the five days of field work of two men here was only a small portion of the actual effort involved in making blueprints and establishing a present evaluation of the system. He said the work was exactly the same as would be required in building a new system. The blueprints and estimates also include possible extension of the present system and estimates of needed repairs. He said 90% of the work was done in the office after the field survey.

## School Lunch Is Still Operating

Erroneous information has been circulating regarding the operation of the school lunchroom, according to school officials. The lunchroom is still open and operating as it has in the past and with the same prices thruout the month of February. After March first it will either be necessary to close the lunchroom or raise prices, officials declare.

They have expressed hope that the lunchroom can be maintained for the remainder of the school year.

Since it is impossible to serve hot lunches for 25¢ or 30¢, the school may be forced to raise prices after March first, or as soon as federal aid is discontinued. A survey of the area discloses that most schools have been charging from 25¢ to 40¢ for lunches since the beginning of the school year. Announcements will be made in advance of the necessity of higher prices.

They also estimated that the disposal plant here was in poor condition with at least 80% depreciation, requiring an expenditure of approximately \$20,000 for replacement if future expansion of the lines was being considered. The estimate also

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## R. A. M. TO MEET FOR DEGREE WORK

The Royal Arch Masonic will meet in regular session Monday evening at 6 o'clock for a supper and degree work, according to officials of the organization.

The M. E. work will be put on for six candidates preceding the supper and following supper, R. A. degree work will be given. Chief cook Henry Pipkin has promised a good feed and all companions are urged to attend.



### Stick of Type

By Kay

When a telephone rings at the right time it is the most precious thing ever invented. But when you wish and wish for it to ring and it won't, then it is a cursed thing.

Why can't the dates in a girl's history book be the kind she likes to remember, even though they would not be useful in a history exam?

People seldom realize they can make more friends by showing interest than by trying to interest people in themselves.

I wish that I might be a man for a little while that I might see just what women look like from the other side.

A feature magazine says Clark Gable has only six suits of clothes. That may be, but I bet he could have just one suit (a red union suit) and still be a Romeo to several million of us women.

At the close of December, there were 13 dairy herd improvement associations in operation in Texas, involving a total of 4879 dairy cows.

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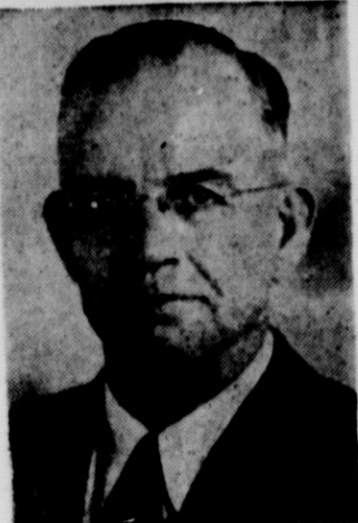
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### Gribble To Head Judicial District



LUTHER GRIBBLE

The Governor's Office recently announced the appointment of Luther Gribble, Judge of the 100th Judicial District, as Presiding Judge of the 9th Administrative Judicial District which includes Motley County. Judge Gribble's home is in Wellington. The 100th Judicial District, in which he holds the elective office of District Judge, is comprised of Childress, Hall, Collingsworth and Donley Counties. A native resident of Collingsworth County, he taught school in the Panhandle area before beginning the practice of law.

Judge Gribble is a graduate of Clarendon Junior College and Southwestern University at Georgetown. He received his law license in 1918.

### IN QUANAH SANITORIUM

Mrs. L. A. Carlisle has been receiving treatment for rheumatism in the Brown Sanatorium at Quanah the past two weeks.

### CIRCLES MEET MONDAY AT BAPTIST CHURCH

Both circles of the Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the church and heard a review of two chapters from the book, "The Shining Star," given by Mrs. Jake Edwards.

Following the review, members of the Burleson Circle returned to their meeting room for a business session. These included Mesdames Ed Cammack, R. E. Campbell, Sr., J. A. Groves, H. S. Watson and A. A. Tipton. Henrietta Shuck Circle members present were: Mesdames J. Farris Fish, Algie Groves, Tommie Newman, Burrell Tipton, John Stevens and Bill McCaghen. Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, general president was also present.

A Sunbeam Band is being sponsored by the Henrietta Shuck Circle, with Mrs. McCaghen and Mrs. Clifford Potts in charge. All mothers having young children are invited and urged to bring them to the Sunbeam Band and then stay and attend the Henrietta Shuck Circle themselves.

At least 1200 cows should be signed up for service before artificial breeding association begins operations, to assure a sound financial organization.

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### STANLEY CLINIC

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Holland of Turkey announce the arrival of an eight pound, 7 ounce son, Danny Gene, born on February 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Koon of Matador are the proud parents of a seven pound, 12 ounce son, Kenneth Wesley born February 2nd.

A seven pound, ten ounce son,

Roger Alan was born January 30th, to Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Purcell of Plainview.

Tonsilectomies were Mr. Jim Smith of Clovis on January 29, Sherrol Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Arnold of Turkey on January 31, Mrs. J. H. George of Flomot on February 4, and Jerry Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Green of Roaring Springs, on February 1st.

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### PIONEER COWBOY DIES AT SELIGMAN, ARIZONA

A former cowboy on the Matador ranch, W. C. (Shorty) Cogburn, died in Seligman, Arizona on October 6, 1945, according to a letter received this week by W. N. Pipkin, secretary of the Matador Masonic lodge, from the cowboy's widow.

He was a member of the lodge and is remembered by some "old-timers" who were employed on the ranch at the time he lived here.

### Anniversary Party To Be Held Feb. 12 By Matador P. T. A.

Matador Parents-Teachers Association will meet Wednesday, February 12 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, for a birthday party celebrating the 50th anniversary of the founding of the P. T. A.

Refreshments will be served, according to officials making the announcement.

Anyone interested in this organization or its work is cordially invited. Those without transportation may call Mrs. Roy Roberts or Mrs. Raby Webb and someone will pick them up. A good attendance is urged.

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**Lem's Dogs vs Thad's Chickens**  
 Running a newspaper, you get to know a lot about human nature. Thad Phipps was in the other day, all burned up. Wanted me to run an item on how Lem Martin's dog had raided his chickens again, and ought to be put away by law. I told him: "Lem was in on Saturday. Said you shouldn't be allowed to keep those chickens so close to his house—and in a residential zone, at that." Thad shuts up right pronto then. And that very evening I see him making his peace with Lem

**An Editorial AIRPORT CITY**  
 FUTURE of the skies above these United States is a subject of much speculation with those charged by public office to chart the destiny of the world's swiftest and most modern mode of transportation. The interest is not confined to those in public office but filters down from great investors to the smallest property-owner. The citizenship is interested in the effect air travel and transportation will have on the future progress of the nation and also the effect it may have on property values. But the greater part of responsibility rests on those in public office, who will either hamper or promote the development of air transportation. This responsibility starts at Washington and stops with Commissioners Courts thruout the nation. That the vision of leaders in Washington sees an important future in small airfields is verified by the recent federal grants in improving and developing the projects. It is the opinion of most observers that the amount of funds set aside for airports is only a beginning, but the reaction of Commissioners Courts and the people, will be a factor in determining where future funds will be allocated. Much discussion has been presented on both sides of the question but advocates of the future of air transportation believe that the location of small air ports will have greater in-

**SURVIVORS SHOULD FILE CLAIMS FOR SOCIAL SECURITY**  
 Only 4 days remain for eligible survivors of veterans who died after their discharge from the armed forces and before August 10, 1946, to file their claims for social security benefits payable back to the time of the veteran's death. Those World War II veterans' survivors who may qualify should apply for benefits at once to avoid possible loss of money. Elliott Adams, manager of our Lubbock office of the Social Security Administration warned recently. The 1946 veterans' amendment to the Social Security Act provides monthly cash benefits for dependents of ex-servicemen who died or will die within

**WOMEN KEEP WARTIME JOBS**  
 HOLDING FAST to a beachhead established during the war, 24 women employees in the engineering department of the Timken Roller Bearing Co.'s Canton factory, daily bend over drawing boards and find use for their triangles, compasses, dividers and other drafting equipment. Prior to World War II, Timken, like nearly every other manufacturing concern in the country, did not have a woman at work on engineering problems. But when draft boards took two-thirds of the department's 60 men, six women were hired as an experiment. The experiment was a success and today the women are regulars. Each newcomer is given on-the-job training and some are so enthusiastic they have continued studies, leading to a degree in mechanical engineering, under a five-year cooperative plan offered by the University of Cincinnati. In the picture is Miss Evelyn Smith, 19-year old Canton girl, who went to work in the section 18 months ago. Neat, trim and pretty as can be, Miss Smith likes the work just fine. Asked if this was her career, she smiled prettily and replied, "Yes, that is until the right engineer comes along."

**"Unsung Heroes" To Be Recognized At Stock Show**  
 FORT WORTH—The unsung heroes of the livestock show are going to be recognized at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth, March 5-16. They are the herdsmen, shepherds or caretakers of the prize-winning livestock. Ever since stock shows were organized, the judges have pinned all the ribbons on the livestock, ignoring the men who feed, water, brush and beautify the animals for the grand march into the judging arena. This year at the Fort Worth show the livestock judges will continue to pass out the ribbons for animals, but another committee, named by the management, will award prizes or "bouquets" to the herdsmen, shepherds or caretakers. These livestock attendants will be in competition under a plan inaugurated by Edgar Deen general manager of the show. They will be judged on orderliness and cleanliness in keeping stalls and animals, promptness, system employed around the stalls, personal appearance, observation of rules and cooperation with the management. One prize valued at \$15 in merchandise will be awarded to a herdsman, shepherd or caretaker in each division of the show. Also, the management will be awarded a grand prize of \$30 in cash to the best all-round herdsman, shepherd or caretaker, and \$20 in cash to the second best. Statement Forms, Matador Tribune

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This is a friendly apology to those folks who've asked to be added to the service lines. Though we haven't gotten around to you, we haven't forgotten you. We appreciate your patience, and want you to know that—as soon as the needed materials become available—we'll be happy to bring cheap, dependable electric service on to you, too.

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fluence on the development of areas they serve than did the location of highways and rail lines in the past. They believe the use of plane transportation is going to be much more rapid and receive quicker public acceptance than did rail and automotive transportation. It is the opinion that the air era is here and they have some very convincing figures to support their enthusiasm. The TWA now has 11 regular flights to California daily from Amarillo. The flying time is about seven hours. Feeder lines to the major air lines may become the most important factor in the future of air transportation. Matador is on a direct proposed state airway between Denver and Austin, via Amarillo and Abilene. Matador is one of five small towns shown on the blueprint map of the route. Motley county's Commissioners Court is giving much consideration to the development of the proposed airfield here. It is not necessary to explain the court's position on spending the money. Almost every citizen of the county is satisfied that the court has no desire or intention of spending a dollar of tax money that will not be well invested. But with the future welfare of the county in mind the court does not wish to refuse the spending of a small amount of money that may prove a great loss as result of their conservative policy. It is estimated that not over \$5,000 and probably less, would be needed to develop the airport and receive full government grant. County finances are in a position that no bond issue would be necessary, nor would the present tax rate be affected in any way. But the court wants to know the attitude of the people—the taxpayers. Before any action is taken the court would welcome a petition, either for or against the proposal, that would indicate the wishes of the majority of the people.

three years after discharge, leaving their survivors without compensation or pensions from the Veterans Administration. Survivors of ex-servicemen who died before enactment of the amendment on August 10, 1946, were given six months in which to apply for benefits back to the date of the veteran's death. That six-month period expires on February 10. Social Security benefits generally are payable retroactively for a period of three months prior to the time claim is filed.


**HALF VETERANS**  
 More than half the students in Texas Technological College this spring are veterans. Of 5,260 persons who have registered, over 3000 are ex-service men.

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**STOP** the law that would prevent any young man or woman from building a great business by giving you, the customer, lower prices through volume sales.

**STOP THE LAW**  
 That Will Take Money Right Out of Your Pocket

**STOP SENATE BILL 10**

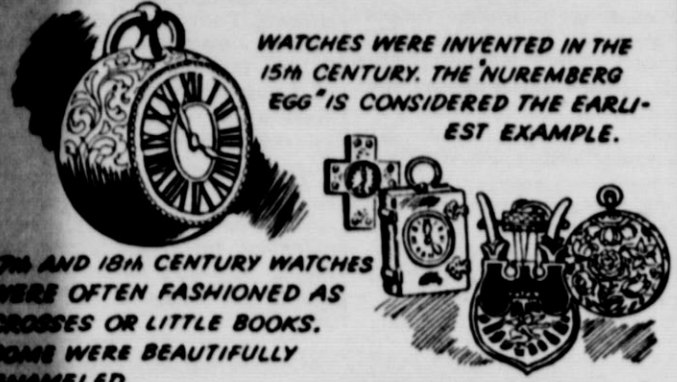
This bill, now before the Texas Legislature is a piece of power-bloc legislation which, in plain language, would give the manufacturer the uncontrolled power to fix the prices at which you buy everything important to your home. It would prevent your merchant from offering special values below the fixed prices. It is a law against bargains. Camouflaged as a honey-titled "Fair Trade" act, it permits northern and eastern manufacturers to dictate the cost of our living in Texas. It is definitely a price fixing, price raising act, that would stop your merchant from passing a saving on to you. Free enterprise should not be shackled by legislation.

**DON'T LET YOUR TEXAS LEGISLATORS DO YOU LIKE THAT**  
 Write Your State Senator and Representatives TO  
**STOP SENATE BILL 10**  
 TEXAS MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION



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TODAY'S WATCHES ARE ACCURACY-CHECKED BY NATIONAL OBSERVATORIES. WOMEN WEAR WATCHES ON WRISTS, LAPELS, RINGS, CARRY THEM IN PURSES. MEN HAVE WRIST AND POCKET WATCHES.



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### Flomot News By Mrs. Bernice Gates

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nall of Amarillo visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross Kress, visited friends and relatives here over the weekend.

Mrs. Clyde Amick and son, Clyde of Upland, Calif., is visiting in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines. Also a sister and family, Mrs. R. W. Amick. Clyde Amick is enrolled in Bible School at Waxahachie, Texas.

Ronald and Jerry Lynn Amonett of Wolforth, Texas, are visiting in the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Amick. They were joined here Sunday by their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Amonett and baby sister, Dianne.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Amick of Panhandle, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Amick over the weekend.

Mrs. Irene Kuykendall of Plainview, visited friends and relatives here last weekend.

Production of high quality, improved meat-type chickens is first a matter of breeding, followed by proper feeding and management.

The average size farm in the United States is now 50 acres larger than 25 years ago, and 20 acres larger than five years ago.

### Costliest Picture Ever Made



More than \$7,000,000 was spent making and advertising David O. Selznick's super western movie "Duel in the Sun," which was selected by Louella O. Parsons as one of the three best pictures of the month in the January issue of Cosmopolitan magazine. A record total of \$5,285,000 was spent in making the picture and to date more than \$2,000,000 has been spent advertising it. Shown above are Jennifer Jones and Gregory Peck, torrid lovers of the picture.

### Social Security Representative Coming Feb. 12th

Elliott W. Adams, Manager of the Lubbock Office of the Social Security Administration will be in Matador, Wednesday, February 12, 1947, at 2:00 p. m. at the First State Bank, for the purpose of discussing possible benefits to those who have questions in this regard. Also assisting persons who wish to file a claim of those who need Social Security Account number cards.

Many people still confuse the two insurance programs under the Social Security Act. One is the Federal Old Age and Survivors Insurance system which provides monthly payments to an insured worker and his family when he is 65 or older and stops work, and payments to his family after he dies, regardless of his age at death. The other is State Unemployment Compensation, also known as job insurance, which provides weekly payments to an insured worker who loses his job through no fault of his own and cannot find another one immediately.

Workers covered by one program are not necessarily covered by the other. Both programs, however, identify the worker's account by the same Social Security number.

Unemployment Compensation is operated by the Texas Unemployment Compensation under the state law. Information on Old Age and Survivors Insurance may be obtained at the Social Security Administration, 1311 Texas Avenue, Lubbock, Texas.

### CARD OF THANKS

As we and each of us meet and face the issues and problems of life, then as we convert these into opportunities to serve, may we the undersigned, take this opportunity to express our deep

appreciation to the good people of this community for their service and expressions of sympathy in our hour of sorrow and despair.  
May the Supreme Architect of the Universe bless and keep

each of you.  
The J. C. Bryan family.

### ELECTION NOTICE

A city election will be held on Tuesday, April 1, for the purpose of electing three councilmen.  
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### TRUETT RATTAN NAMED COACH OF LEVELLAND SCHOOL

Truett S. Rattan, assistant coach at Cleburne high school for the last two years, was named head football and basketball coach of the Levelland high school Lobos, according to an announcement made by Supt. Ray D. Brown Tuesday night.

Coach Rattan will begin his new work here March 1, when the Lobos begin their football spring training.

He lettered in football and basketball at Matador high school and is a 1942 Hardin-Simmons University graduate. At Hardin-Simmons, he lettered for three years in basketball and football and was All-Border Conference and made Little All-American honorable mention as tackle in 1941.

The recently-signed coach enlisted in the U. S. Navy in 1942 and served thirty-three months before being discharged Aug. 29, 1945.

He coached a Pearl Harbor service team for two years while he was stationed there. Coach Rattan played tackle on the all-star Navy team against the Army all-stars in 1944.

Coach Gano Tubb recently resigned, after having served as

head coach for six years, Junior High coach two years and assistant one year.

—Leveland Herald  
Coach Rattan has many Matador friends who will doubtless be interested in learning of his latest position. He was reared here and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan.



## BOY SCOUT WEEK

ON THE THIRTY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY OF THE BOY SCOUTS, WE OFFER OUR SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS TO AMERICA'S LARGEST YOUTH ORGANIZATION. ITS THEME "SCOUTS OF THE WORLD—BUILDING FOR TOMORROW" SIGNIFIES OUR HOPE AND FAITH IN THE FUTURE . . . THAT OF SEEING A GROWING WORLD CITIZENSHIP BUILT THROUGH THE WORLD BROTHERHOOD OF SCOUTING.



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BETTER OIL-PLATE NOW!



### Wedding Vows Exchanged Recently



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rattan

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rattan, above, were married in the Line Avenue Baptist Church of Amarillo, recently. The bride is the former Mary Colleen Everitt whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Everitt, live at Amarillo. The groom was reared here and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan. He is employed at Oldham and Stone Market in Amarillo.

### FORMER ROARING SPRINGS RESIDENT MARRIES RECENTLY

Miss Lottie Bell Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Edwards of Plainview, became the bride of Millard Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Williams of Petersburg, formerly of Roaring Springs, Sunday, January 19, at 2:00 p. m. The ceremony was held at the home of the bride's parents.

Dr. A. Hope, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Plainview, performed the double ring ceremony before a window with pink tapers in candelabra and baskets of pink gladiola on either side.

Nuptial music was played by Mrs. Oran D. Smith, pianist, and traditional wedding music was played.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a costume suit of powder blue with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations. Her attendant was Miss Essie Mae Tucker, of Phoenix, Ariz., and

she wore a yellow crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

Paul McGuire of Petersburg served as best man. A reception was held following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Hereford High School and attended Wayland College and Lippert's Business college.

Mr. William is a graduate of Roaring Springs High School in the class of '41. He was reared there. He is now employed at Hill Jewelry, Plainview, and the couple will make that their home.

### All Children Are Present For Lee Family Reunion

All children were present Sunday at a family reunion held for Mr. and Mrs. Will Lee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George McMahan, February 2 was Mr. and Mrs. Lee's 37th wedding anniversary.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lee and family of Whiteflat, Mrs. and Mrs. Jessie Lee and family of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lee and family of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rose of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smallwood of Afton, Mrs. Charlie Lee of Afton, a granddaughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Rodie Rainey accompanied by Tom Rainey whose home is Redlands, California.

Miss Anna Bee Chambliss and Donnel Alsip, Miss Nora Cooper and Mrs. Lizzie Sanders, all of Matador, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. George McMahan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves returned home last week from a visit with her relatives in Oklahoma City, Okla.

Mrs. H. S. Watson, Mrs. Bill McCaghen and daughter Sue, visited in Childress Saturday.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

### TEXANS HEAD SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL



Eight prominent Texans—all High Masons—will direct the policies of Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas for the ensuing year. The new officers shown above were unanimously elected at the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees recently. Reading from left to right (top row) they are: Nathan Adams, chairman of the board; Judge Hiram F. Lively, vice-chairman; W. A. Browning, president; E. B. Germany, 1st vice-president; (bottom row) John L. DeGrazier, 2nd vice-president; Judge Towne Young, 3rd vice-president; George R. Jordan, treasurer, and Asher Mintz, secretary. Dr. Brandon Carrell was re-elected chief surgeon and Miss A. L. Little, superintendent. The Scottish Rite Hospital is nearing the end of a successful state-wide drive for funds with which to operate the hospital for crippled children. A major portion of the funds received have come from the "general Texas territory," according to reports.

### BOOK REVIEW IS WELL ATTENDED

(Delayed)

A book review given Thursday afternoon of last week for members of El Progreso Study Club, by Mrs. Leonora Luckett, which was also open for the public, drew a good crowd, with an estimated attendance of between fifty and seventy-five.

Mrs. Marvin Vaughn, leader of the day's program, introduced Mrs. Luckett, who reviewed "The Miracle of the Bells" by Russell Janney. Many who attended declared it to be the most interesting review they had ever heard.

The meeting was held in the basement of the Baptist Church, and a short business session, conducted by Mrs. A. J. Daffern, president of the club, was held preceding the book review.

### MOVE TO ABILENE

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stewart, pioneers of West Texas since 1896, and residents of Roaring Springs since 1919, recently sold their home there and moved to Abilene where they have purchased a home. Their daughter, Mrs. R. H. Averitt, also lives at Abilene.

In the last 50 years, potato yields in the United States have increased a bushel an acre each year.

### RECENT BRIDE IS SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. Marion A. (Buddy) Gambrell, the former Isabell Kimbell, was honored at a bridal shower given January 24, in the home of Mrs. A. K. Wilkinson of Whiteflat. Co-hostesses were Mrs. Tom Tilson and Mrs. F. Z. Martin.

The refreshment table was laid with a lunch cloth and centered with a bouquet of dogwood flowers. Punch and cookies were served the guests.

Those who brought or sent gifts were: Mesdames R. L. Smith, W. L. McWilliams, H. H. Courtney, Roy Mitchell, W. E. Smith, James Meador, Bill Dunning, E. N. Goode, C. W. Giesecke, R. E. Rattan, J. R. Gambrell, Bessie Patton, Ted Steen, Guy Kimbell, Lum Robinson, Jack Robinson, Weston Cuipepper, G. S. McDonald, Roland Sandlin, J. D. Lawrence, Frank Pohl, Pete Williams, Minnie Clifton, Earl Stephens, L. R. Browning, Tom Spray, Clovis Murphy, Welton Bailey, E. P. Humphries, F. M. Casey, J. D. Perkins, O. T. Casey, Preston Spray, Frank Edwards, C. E. Harris, F. C. Bourland, Clifford Martin, Joe Bloodworth, M. D. Morris, Bert Ezzell, Henry Plyler, Cordia Stephens, Jermain Morton, Marvin Allen.

### Former Resident Has 90th Birthday

Mrs. L. C. Freeman, a former Motley county resident for 25 years, celebrated her 90th birthday Sunday at the home of her son, John Freeman, Vernon, Texas.

A huge birthday cake graced the dining table, from which a bountiful dinner was served at noon to forty-three guests, including all three of Mrs. Freeman's children and thirty other descendants. Mrs. Freeman has fifty-four living descendants.

Despite her years, Mrs. Freeman was well and able to be up to greet her guests, who showered her with gifts. Several unable to attend, sent greetings during the day.

The eldest grandson of Mrs. Freeman is M. D. Freeman of Roaring Springs, whose birthday is the same date. He went to Vernon Friday to be present for the occasion.

Foods on the market in abundance during February will be fresh citrus and apples, canned citrus juices, canned grapefruit segments, dried peaches, potatoes, onions, celery, eggs, heavy tom turkeys and peanut butter.

Adding Machine Rolls, Tribune

Miss Wanda Slover, Ernestine McWilliams, Yvonna Simpson, Mildred Spray, Dorothy Hillfield, Avis Kimbell, Helen Hill, Mary Murphy, Ruby Bostick, Mickey Rogers, Jerry Hays, Virginia Moore, Norma Casey, and Melba Kimbell.

### SHOWER HONORS MRS. C. MARTIN

A bridal shower given Friday afternoon, January 31, in the home of Mrs. C. E. Harris, Whiteflat, honored Mrs. Clifford (Pip) Martin, nee Dorcas Morris.

Mrs. Harris was assisted by Mrs. Dempsey Rattan and Mrs. Welton Bailey, as co-hostesses. Mrs. Rattan served the punch and cake, and Mrs. Bailey presided at the beautiful breakfast table, made and presented by bride's aunt, Mrs. M. D. Martin.

The following were present: Mesdames M. D. Morris, W. A. Rattan, Sr., E. P. Humphrey, Frank Edwards, A. K. Wilkinson, Bill Dunning, Tom Spray, Clovis Murphy, Tom Tilson, R. Browning, Hoyt Burnam, Boyd Perkins, J. D. Perkins, N. Goode, H. M. Murphy, Harry Keltz, F. M. Casey, Harry Morris, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Ewell McAfee, of Plainview; Misses Mickey Roberts, Jerry Hays, Nell Webb, Mrs. Murphy, Yvonna Simpson, Ernestine McWilliams, Clara Ketchersid, Mildred Spray, Norma Chloe Casey and Gwendolyn Wilkinson.

Those sending gifts were Mesdames Cordie Stephens, L. McWilliams, R. E. Holt, F. Newton, Buddie Gambrell, Tom Scott, Edna Willis, Guy Kimbell, Misses Flora Martin and Ann Kimbell, and Mrs. J. G. Ketchersid and Barbara Ketchersid.

The only way to be sure the dairy cows are being kept fed of feed is to offer them plenty of roughages all the time.

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By Mrs. B...

Mr. and Mrs. Amarillo visited end with her Mrs. Leonard...

Mr. and Mrs. Kross, visited times here over...

Mrs. Clyde Clyde of Upland in the home and family, Mrs. Hines. Also a Mrs. R. W. Am is enrolled in Waxahachie, T...

Ronald and Amonett of W are visiting in grandparents, W. Amick. Th here Sunday...

Mr. and Mrs. C baby sister, D...

Mr. and Mrs. Panhandle, vis Mr. and Mrs. I the week end...

Mrs. Irene Plainview, vis relatives here...

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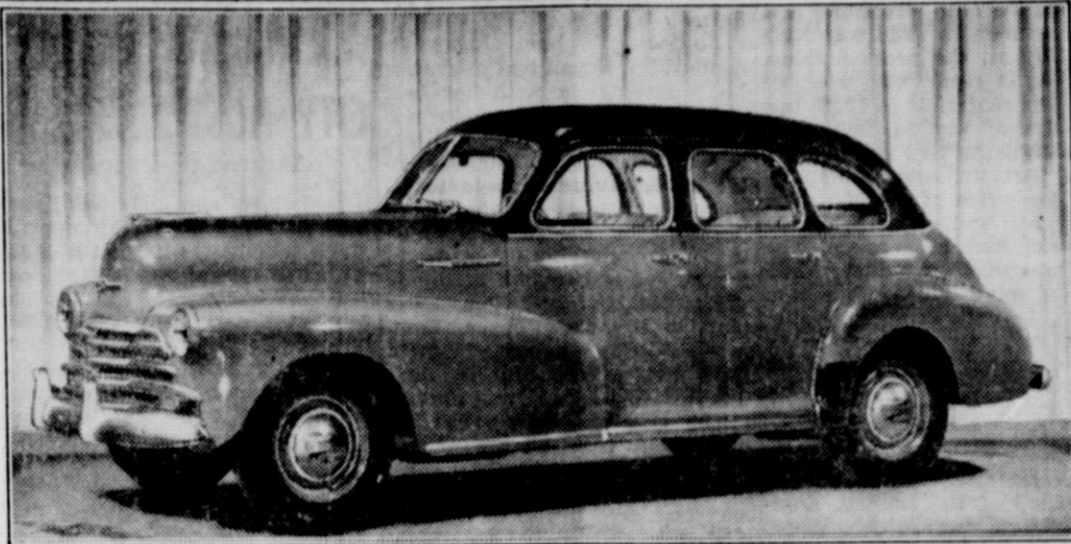


### EL MATADOR

Favorite comic strip—Terry and the Pirates  
 Favorite subject—study hall  
 Favorite sport—swimming  
 Hobby—perfume bottles  
 Likes—pretty bathing suits  
 Dislikes—unfriendly people  
 Ambition—to learn to ride horses  
 When joined '47 class—1941.  
 —M. H. S.—  
**MY IDEAL GIRL**  
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**MEET A SENIOR**  
 Name—Mickey Roberts  
 Age—16  
 Height—5' 11"  
 Color of hair—brown  
 Color of eyes—green  
 Favorite food—fried chicken  
 Favorite color—yellow

### Smart Lines Characterize New Chevrolet



Re-styled for the new year, with emphasis on a more massive front end and a smoother sweep to body contours, the new Chevrolet will soon make its debut. New front-end grille and complementing bright work, as well as elimination of the body belt molding, have done much to give the new model an air of greater luxuriousness.

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 Figure—Ernestine McW.  
 Wit—Ann H.  
 I. Q.—Ernestine McW.  
 Personality—Mary M.  
 Character—Margaret S.  
 General Appearance—Mickey R.  
 Walk—Betty Fox  
 Disposition—Jerry H.  
 —M. H. S.—  
**KAMPUS KLATTER**  
 Hiya, all you guys and gals! Ready for some news??? Billy Jo and his new steady, Charlotte H. were together after the Outsider's BB game.  
 Bonner, tell us how you got your freckles? Or spots, rather. Isn't that what Uncle Remus said?  
 James W. and Ernestine McW had a VERY good time coming back from Spur—so did Heavy and Ann, and Bonner and Annette, as well as Mary and Hal!  
 Margaret and Sarah seem to have the HARDEST time getting out of study-hall!  
 Duane M. and Billy Frank were seen ginning around town Saturday night!  
 We are glad to welcome a new student into MHS—(screaming place) Billy Taylor, from Spur. Billy is acquainted with many of the students around here,

and it will be easy to get acquainted (particularly, as she is as cute as she can be, with brown hair and blue eyes—and a Junior!) She is about 5' 3" and a very good English student. We hope she will soon feel at home around here—and we know, in reason, that she will!  
 —M. H. S.—  
**RIGHT AROUND SCHOOL**  
 Joaquin was asked if he knew what electric light-oil was. He said he didn't know but would ask for some. He thought a minute, then said, "Does it hurt to ask women?"  
 In Spanish Class: "Chareen, would limon be masculine or feminine?"  
 Chareen: "It could be either way."  
 Mrs. McK: "I'm afraid I don't exactly see your point."  
 Chareen: "Well, it would be limon unless you were speaking of a little girl lemon then it would be limona."  
 Love,  
 Miss El Matador.  
 —M. H. S.—  
 Has anybody else wondered—how Virginia would look in bangs?  
 Who Mule's girl is?  
 If Shorty will make up her

mind?  
 how much longer James W's car will run?  
 if we'll win District in basketball?  
 how much longer will Fud's feet get?  
 why chemistry is so hard?  
 where Nell W. carries her brains?  
 —M. H. S.—  
 The basketball boys and girls are selling subscriptions to the Amarillo Times again this year. Since a certain percentage of the funds goes to the basketball funds, the squads would appreciate it if the subscriptions could be taken by them.  
 —M. H. S.—  
**Grade School Distinguished List and Honor Roll**  
**FIRST GRADE**  
 Distinguished List: Ida Mae Simpson, Larry Allen  
 Honor Roll: Shelby Jackson, Johnny Webb, Wayne Bowen, Frances McMahan, Virginia Stephens, Grant Cooper, James Garman.  
**SECOND GRADE**  
 Distinguished List: Joanne Darsey, Sandra Follis, Christine Greene, Glynda McWilliams.  
 Honor Roll: Norman Beauchamp, Donald Lee, Raynita Dunning, Linda Gilbert, Char-

lotte Muse, Betty Neighbors, Mary Louise Wathens.  
**THIRD GRADE:**  
 Distinguished List: Maurice Cox, Hubert Fulkerson, Alvin Ray Lynn, Frank Traweck, David Webb, Leab Bearden, Barbara Ann Casey, Lucretia Edwards, Gale McWilliams, Dorothy Nell Pyley, Rita Lou Roberts, Pina Sue Sturdivant.  
 Honor Roll: Melvin Cooper, Jimmy Dean, Harold Edwards, Goone Goode, Richard Hamilton, Stanley Neighbors, A. B. Simpson.  
**FOURTH GRADE:**  
 Distinguished List: Jimmy Watson, La Royce Mitchell, Dorothy McMahon, Barbara Smith, Nilda Spray.  
 Honor Roll: Thomas Hamilton, David Keith, Stanley McDonough, Gene Hickson, Earline Carmen, Elwanda Green, Ida Mae Lee.

**CAFE REOPENS**  
 Open again under old management but with new and redecorated fixtures, Arch's Cafe located on the south side of the square, is now serving the public. The entire equipment has been repainted and redecorated. The cafe had previously been operated by Mrs. Floyd Webb. Manager Arch Black extends an invitation to the public to visit him and solicits the patronage of both old and new customers.

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### Weather King Says It Will Be Cold

**PUNXSUTAWNEY**, Pennsylvania.—His majesty, king of the weather makers, has warned all that the faithful to him to prepare for six more weeks of winter.  
 The Punxsutawney, Penn., groundhog emerged from the weather works atop Gobbler's Knob Sunday. He blinked sleepily in the sun and waddled to the official shadow-casting block. His forecast was not in doubt, because even as he climbed onto the block, his shadow climbed with him.  
 His shadow was at 39 degrees, eight minutes, 11 seconds west by North with 42-degree angle.  
 The groundhog grunted. This meant there will be six more weeks of winter.  
 Weather here was fair Sunday with the sun shining throughout the day causing weather prognosticators to forecast another month and half of winter.

### MOVES TO PLAINVIEW

William Earl Briscoe who has been employed in the meat department of Spot Cash Grocery here, has accepted a place as manager of the meat department of Piggly Wiggly store in Plainview. Mr. and Mrs. Briscoe have moved to Plainview to make that their future home.

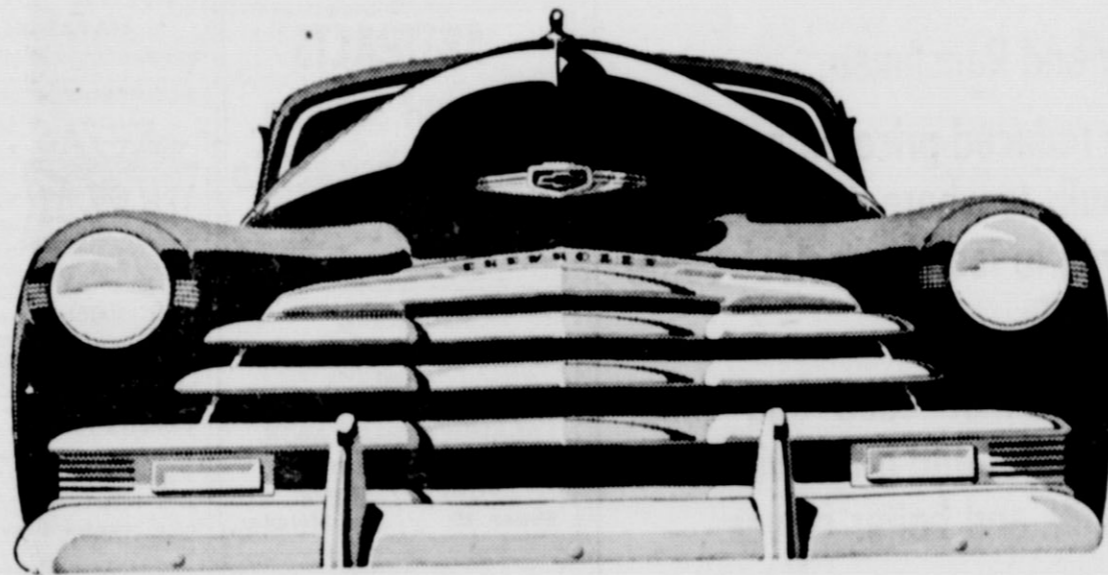


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## Legion Approves Program Against Traffic Deaths

Official declaration of war against traffic murder has been made by the American Legion in a statewide radio address by its State Commander Bertram E. Giesecke of Austin.

"The Executive Committee of the Legion officially approved blueprints for an action program to be carried out in every Legion Post," said Giesecke. "The American Legion, for one, has declared war against this traffic murder."

"Too many of our veterans have returned from the hell of war to die on our peaceful streets and highways. The Legion believes that the enactment of the six-point legislative program of the Texas Safety As-

sociation is essential to safer communities.

"The Legion believes that the addition of 200 men for the Texas Highway Patrol is necessary. At present, high speed motorists and drunk drivers are making death corridors of rural communities and open highways. So long as Texas has only 250 patrolmen to cover 26,000 miles of state highways, these death corridors will continue to exact their ghastly toll.

"The Legion believes that the adoption of a Model Traffic Code for uniform traffic regulations is essential to safe travel.

"The Legion believes that more certainty of punishment is needed in the trial of the drunk driver, the hit-and-run driver and the juvenile traffic violator.

"It is believed that driver license fees should be used for driver license administration and for the Texas Highway Patrol—not for purposes totally unrelated to traffic control.

"The Legion believes that a Controlled Access Highway Law is necessary to permit safer entry into and departure from heavily travelled highways.

"The Legion believes that driver education and driver training courses should be

**KEPT EAR ALIVE WITH INSIDE DOPE LONGVIEW.**—A salesman who kept an ear alive with inside dope will undergo an operation Monday in Dallas.

R. D. Muegge of Plainview has been carrying the ear in his stomach since Oct. It was sliced off in an automobile crash near Kilgore.

Doctors discovered his ear was missing when the salesman was taken to a hospital. They rushed to the scene of the accident and re-covered the missing hearing appendage. It was found buried in mud.

It was decided the ear had been on its own too long and doctors cut an incision in Muegge's stomach, and placed the ear in the patient's abdominal wall to keep it alive.

Doctors declared Muegge will be able to undergo the operation Monday to put the ear back where it belongs.

## Smith Will Return To Private Practice

(Delayed)

John Lee Smith, former Lt. Governor of Texas, who has relinquished his office to Allan Shivers, will retire to private life "at least temporarily."

Smith revealed that his first job would be the trial of a murder case at Tucson, Ariz.

While he has made no long-range plans, Smith, said to be one of the most aggressive, outspoken and news-making figures in recent Texas political history will return to the private practice of law at last for a while.

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### Baby's Prune Pudding Makes Popular Desserts for Parents

Good news to sugar-short hostesses are the flavor-rich desserts below. All of these have an old-time sweetness to them yet none will tax your precious sugar bowl. The secret of their fine, full-bodied flavor is a baby food—one of the ready-to-serve junior foods now being put up in glass or tin for toddlers who have sufficient teeth and taste to relish such smooth and savory desserts.

Following a season of peak prune production, this pudding is now in good supply; so there is plenty for the nation's moppets, with some-thing left over for the family table, also. And a boon to desserts you'll find prune pudding, too. Made of naturally sweet prunes and nutty farina, cooked to tenderness in egg-enriched milk, this pudding has the taste character, the creamy texture that makes it a good mixer in pies, puddings, sauces and salads.

### Creamy Frozen Fruit Salad

Softens to room temperature—  
2 3-oz. packages cream cheese.

Blend in—  
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding  
½ teaspoon lemon juice  
¼ cup grape jelly  
Few grains salt.

Beat with rotary beater. Pour into individual molds which have been rinsed in cold water. Store in freezing compartment for 3 hours or until frozen solidly. Unmold. Serve on crisp lettuce or water cress. Serves 2 to 3.

### Prune Pudding

Combine—  
1 tablespoon brown sugar  
1 tablespoon cornstarch  
Few grains salt  
¼ teaspoon cinnamon.

Gradually add—  
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding  
½ cup milk.

Boil for 2 minutes, stirring constantly.

Add—  
1 teaspoon lemon juice  
¼ cup chopped nuts.  
Pour into sherbet dishes. Chill. Serves 2.

### Apple-Prune Betty

Combine—  
1 6½-oz. can prune pudding  
¼ cup brown sugar  
¼ teaspoon cinnamon  
¼ teaspoon nutmeg  
Few grains salt

1 tablespoon lemon juice  
2 tablespoons butter or margarine. Heat until bubbling, stirring frequently.

Combine in shallow greased baking dish—

2 cups sliced cooking apples  
1 cup soft bread cubes.

Pour prune mixture over this. Bake, uncovered, in a moderate oven (350° F.) for 30 minutes. Serves 4.

## Palsied Children Nursery To Open

A free pre-school nursery for cerebral palsied children will be opened in Dallas March 1. The school will be sponsored by the Dallas Society for Crippled Children in quarters furnished by the Texas Society at the state headquarters, 3703 Worth St., Dallas.

R. L. Thomas, president of both Societies, made the announcement. He pointed out that the establishment of the nursery is the first step in the state-wide program assumed by the Texas Society at a meeting in November.

"Since cerebral palsy, commonly called spastic paralysis, is caused by a brain injury which affects the muscles but not the mind, most cases can be appreciably helped to overcome their handicaps through proper treatment and training," Mr. Thomas said. "Home treatment is even more important than school training, so to make the program complete, parent education classes also will be held at the nursery."

Director of the school will be Mrs. Juliette M. Gratke, now head of the cerebral palsy clinic at Children's Hospital, Denver, Colo. For a master's degree in child welfare and speech correction, she has written thesis on home care of cerebral palsied children. One of Mrs. Gratke's

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four children is deaf and has athetosis. Plans for the annual Easter Seal Sale, support of the Societies for Crippled Children, were laid Jan. 26 at an executive meeting in Dallas. Attending were Mr. Thomas, J. J. Gibson, Mrs. Larry Nabholz, Martin N. Ricker, all of Dallas; Mrs. Guy Rogers, Wichita Falls; John Broome, Lubbock, and Mrs. Lawrence Tarlton, Ft. Worth.

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## TO CORPUS CHRISTI

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore have been visiting in Corpus Christi this week with their daughter, Mrs. Charlotte Hunsucker. They left Sunday morning, Feb. 4, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Karen Moore, in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Lubbock, who continue on to Mexico for a fishing trip.

Texas, with its 254 counties stocked with a large number of cattle, sheep and goats, chickens, turkeys, horses and mules, has only about 200 veterinarians engaged in practice.

## Notice To Our Customers

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