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TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Rattling in the hopper of laughter, golden grains of time were being shelled and ground to exceedingly fine meal beneath the feet of dancers. The musicians relaxed for a moment and spoke to one another through smiles. A sound like the churning of a sea rose from the ball room as music drained away from the island of couples. A shaft of purple and crimson light made a pool on the empty floor for the lithe and lovely girl. Music tempered with tenderness absorbed the silence as she waited, looking towards the wings. Her partner did not appear and the girl smiled. Presently she began to dance alone with a beauty so enchanting that she might have held her soul for a partner. When she smiled again the dancers applauded. Then the light vanished and seemed to take the girl with it. Within a few moments she was sitting at the end of the almost deserted bar with a glass of milk in her hand. Slowly she unfolded a crumpled note and read its message again. Her eyes were like petals in tiny cups. The music was loud and coarse again, the sound of moving feet was like a river pouring off the edge of the earth.

Golden light reflected thru the web of winter clouds caused the world to seem drab. Even the new buildings appeared to offend the delicate splendor of the skies. It was as if man had accepted the inadequacy of his works and dumped the debris of failures into God's garden. Only one object harmonized with the sky. A small child's face pressed close to a window and innocent eyes finding enough of beauty.

Life's rows are shorter as we approach the verdant field of eternity but the plants of purpose are stunted beneath the strange, virile weeds of indifference that cast continuous shadows upon their growth.

Happiness may be attained thru little wishes which scamper thru the spread fingers of a jealous fate.

The element of chance involved in marriage is in no way responsible for its popularity. Marriages do not fail; only the people who marry.

Blinded by the white light of our own stupidity we stumble along our high and low paths with burdens which simple faith would willingly bear. The gates of eternity are cluttered with piles of needless crosses.

Peace and abundance are portrayed in a tableau of sublime significance when whiteface cattle graze on a lush, green field of wheat.

If the river of life could be dammed to impound time we would probably still waste it without regard to source of supply, or allow the basin to become poisoned with the moss of trivialities.

The night had spilled its fogs of darkness into the valley and the peaks were no longer red and gold masses but the final fragments of day sinking in a shoreless sea. Scattered windows of light pushed thru the rich, black velvet of silence. Somewhere on the mountain slope a small sheep bell chimed unhurried movements of the animal cropping dew-sweetened grass. A hurt star blazed a silver trail across the sky and one by one the home lights vanished on the valley floor. It was a night patterned for the solitude of a lover alone with memories.



SPIRIT OF MATADOR ON ARMISTICE DAY is recorded in the above pictures made during the celebration here November 11. Upper left is Old Glory in Texas skies above the American Legion Hall. Upper center is Robert Birchfield and H. L. Smith (Roaring Springs postmaster) first draftees called from Mot-

ley county in World War I and World War I, meeting on the courthouse square during the celebration. (Photographer overlooked two veterans of the Spanish American war, Ed Williams and Pat Patterson who were also present). Upper right is D. I. W. Birnie who served four years in World War I with Scotland's

famous Black Watch, and L. B. (Bob) Robertson who served in the United States Marines during World War I. Mr. Robertson was master of ceremonies during the afternoon. Lower left is Col. Meade F. Griffin of Plainview delivering the Armistice day address at the First Baptist church during the morning.

Lower right is a small portion of the crowd in the "chow line," where the American Legion was host to ex-service men and their families. It was estimated that 1,200 visitors received food. Approximately 750 pounds of beef was barbecued. PHOTO BY DOUGLAS MEADOR

Injured Flomot Youth Is Found by Searchers

Thomas Gilbert, 10, grandson of Mrs. M. T. Gilbert, was found in a pasture about four miles west of Flomot Tuesday night by a group of more than 100 searchers with lanterns and electric torches, combing the heavy-mesquite area drenched in cold rain. The boy was found in a dazed condition about 8:30 p. m., approximately three hours after he had left home to drive in the milk cows.

Reeves Is Named As ACA Head

Elbert Reeves was elected as chairman of the ACA county committee in the five-community election Saturday. Altho the voting was described as light, an even 100 ballots were polled. Mr. Reeves will replace W. L. McWilliams, present county chairman. Other members elected to the county committee are L. A. Washington of Flomot, vice-chairman (reelection); and Loyd Stafford of Roaring Springs as regular member. Mr. Stafford is the first representative the Roaring Springs community has had on the county committee in the 10 years since the farm organization was started.

Baptists Plan Old-Fashioned Christmas Tree

Plans for an "old-fashioned" Christmas tree, with gifts and fruit are underway, to be held at the Baptist Church on the night of Monday, December 23, according to an announcement made this week by Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor.

FRACTURES HIP

A Vineyard of Turkey was treated at Stanley Clinic Monday, for fracture of the right hip.

Legion Names WAC As Honor Member

Fleming Post American Legion named a woman for membership Tuesday night for the first time in the organization's history. Mrs. Harold Palmer of Flomot, former member of the WAC, Medical department, was named an honorary member of the post. It has been announced by Legion officials that other Motley county women who were members of the armed service will also be given honorary memberships.

Rev. Potts Chides Texans In Address

All Texas veterans who saw military duty outside the Lone Star State were on "foreign duty," and consequently eligible for VFW membership, according to Rev. Clifford Potts, Baptist preacher who made the principal address at the VFW supper held last Thursday night in the basement of the Methodist Church.

Dead Grass, Trash Chief Fire Hazard

A warning against placing trash containers near dead grass this week was issued by Freddie Welling, chief of the Matador Volunteer Fire Department.

Methodist Pastor Assumes Work At Roaring Springs

Rev. and Mrs. Ansil Lynn of Dallas have moved to Roaring Springs where Rev. Ansil has assumed his new duties as pastor of the Methodist Church of that place.

J. L. Woodruff Attends Ford Meeting At Dallas

J. L. Woodruff, local Ford dealer, attended a Ford meeting in Dallas Wednesday of last week. He was accompanied by Mrs. Woodruff and they continued to Waco, where they visited their daughter, Dorothy, student in Baylor University.

Lions Will Hold Final 1946 Meeting

Final meeting of the Matador Lions Club in 1946 will be held at the Methodist church basement, Tuesday. The club meets the first and third Tuesday in each month.

19 Teams To Open Cage Meet

Eleven boys' basketball teams and eight girls' basketball teams will put in an appearance at Matador High School this week in a 29-game pre-season basketball tournament, according to Bert Ezzell, superintendent.

Milk Truck Skids On Slippery Road

Postmaster E. F. Springer is in the Traweck hospital suffering two broken ribs, lacerations about the face and head, bruises and shock as result of an accident on Highway 70 five miles west of Matador about 8 p. m. Tuesday, in which his new Ford was almost completely demolished.

Delegates At Frisco

Ike Rushing of Matador and R. H. Tanner of Flomot are in San Francisco, California this week where they are delegates to the National Farm Bureau meeting there December 9th-12th. They left by special train from Sweetwater December 4th and will make a leisurely return trip thru Wyoming, Utah, Colorado, Arizona and other western states.

Matador Cagers To Play 4 Home Games

Matador High School's basketball schedule was announced this week. Of the nine games, four will be played at Matador, and the location of another is yet to be decided.

LEAVES FOR COAST

Pvt. Bobby A. Harp left Tuesday for Replacement Depot, Camp Stoneman, Pittsburg, Calif., where he will be outfitted for overseas duty. He will probably be sent to Japan. He has been on a furlough visit here with his father, A. A. Harp and other relatives.

Milk Truck Skids On Slippery Road

Mr. Springer was found by Frank Stafford and Joe Campbell enroute home from Lubbock. His automobile was at the side of the road with the wheels in the air and the lights on. His saddle was on the pavement near his wrecked automobile. Mr. Springer was unconscious in the back compartment of his upside-down car when removed by the two men, who rushed him to town. Stafford and Campbell believed the car on fire when they first approached because of steam arising from rain striking the hot exhaust and loss of radiator liquid.

Two Cars are Demolished

J. H. Down, 40, of Littlefield is in jail here serving a ten-day sentence for driving while intoxicated, after an accident on the winding Cap Rock road Monday afternoon in which his car struck a car driven by J. C. Cross. Both vehicles were almost demolished, altho no injuries were reported in the wreck. Down pleaded guilty in Judge Wm. R. Cammack's court Tuesday afternoon and was fined \$100 and costs and given a ten-day jail sentence. Mr. Cross was on his way home to the Harry Carter farm when the accident occurred.

Street Accident

Fourth motor vehicle accident occurred in Matador early yesterday morning at the intersection of Highway 70 and Main street.

Slow Rain Falling

Slow rain and drizzle has fallen here intermittently since Monday. U. S. rain gauge at the city wells registered a precipitation of .65 inch at noon yesterday. However, reports from Roaring Springs and other areas indicated that more rain fell in other sections. Cattle truck drivers returning from Oklahoma City yesterday morning said that heavy rains fell along the entire route.

CORRECTION

Math Barkley's name was inadvertently omitted from the list of Tech students named last week in the Tribune as having spent the Thanksgiving holidays at home. He visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barkley.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Cargile and boys of Lockney visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutson during Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hoyle attended the football game in Lubbock Thanksgiving day.

Mrs. J. P. Cooper and Mrs. H. L. Smith shopped in Lubbock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Miller, Mrs. Walter Keahey and Joe Jimmy shopped in Lubbock Friday.

Miss Esther Peck of Amarillo visited her mother Mrs. T. B. Peck during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Turner and family of Lockney visited in the home of Mrs. M. E. Turner and family during Thanksgiving.

Joe Bruce King of Lubbock is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Green this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crites of Brownfield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason during Thanksgiving.

College students home for Thanksgiving holidays were Miss Marian Alice Mitchell, of Denton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell; Hoyle Moss of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss; Kathrine Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin, and Miss Thelma Dean Dillard daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dillard both attending school at Plainview, Sam and John Ray of Wichita Falls, sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter and C. J. Goodson of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Nichols and sons of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols during Thanksgiving.

Mrs. Bertie Gipson of Dallas arrived Monday to visit her daughter Mrs. Ruby Burt.

Mrs. H. C. Jones returned home Monday after visiting her mother at Lillian.

Mr. and Mrs. George Van Camp of Porterville, Calif., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim. Mrs. Swim accompanied them to Dallas where they will visit their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Alderson. Mrs. Van Camp will receive medical treatment while there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon and family visited in Paducah Thanksgiving.

4-H Club Meets

The Roaring Springs 4-H Club met Wednesday, November 21 in regular meeting. A demonstration on making pictures with tile and a decal, was given by Miss Mary K. Cook, demonstration agent. At the next meeting the girls will be instructed in belt making.

Flomot News

By Mrs. Bernice Gates

Family Reunion

A family reunion was held in the J. H. Hines home Thanksgiving day, and for the first time in twelve years, all members of the family were together. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines, Ottis Hines and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hines and family of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines and family of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Coe Hines of Clayton, N. M. and Mrs. Clay Hines and family of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Jones and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Jones and daughter, all of Plainview, visited in the L. B. Turner home Sunday.

Addie and Wanda Pearl Fisher, Louise Lee, Bernice and Weldon Gates, were Lubbock visitors Saturday.

Burton Garrett of Fort Worth visited Johnny Speer over the week end.

College students visiting here over Thanksgiving holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hunter of Denton, Ima Nell Gunn, Delores Welch, Bill Jones and Wilburn Martin of Canyon, Sammy Cavitt of College Station, M. C. Jones of Stephenville, and Trula Gilbert of Plainview, each visiting in their respective homes.

Mrs. R. L. Anderson has returned home after visiting in Eastland with Mrs. J. M. Loving during the illness and death of her father, Mrs. Anderson also visited in Ft. Worth and was accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Caddell.

TO ROSEBUD
Mrs. Patti Moore, accompanied by her nephew, Chas. Parks and Marvin Patton, left Tuesday evening to attend funeral services at Rosebud, Wednesday for a relative of Mrs. Moore's.

Mrs. T. J. Daffern and Mrs. W. W. Clements made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

College Students Spend Thanksgiving Holidays At Home

A large delegation of young people attending various schools and colleges over the state returned to their respective homes here to spend Thanksgiving holidays.

From Texas A. & M. at College Station, came Mr. and Mrs. John M. (Sonny) Russell and small daughter Marilyn to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Russell and her mother, Mrs. Walter Carpenter, and family; also from A. & M. is Frank Price, who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Price.

Dorothy Lou Hill, ACC student, Abilene, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill. Also home from Abilene were Gordon Russell and Earlene Laughlin, Hardin-Simmons students who visited their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Laughlin.

From Denton came Jolene Bloodworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth, L. C. Giesecke, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, and Mary Janice Wilkinson, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Wilkinson all of whom are attending N. T. S. C. and Misses Barbara and Gladys Marie Springer, daughters of Mrs. George Springer, who are attending T. S. C. W.

Students from West Texas State College, Canyon, who were home, were Miss Charlene Giesecke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, J. D. Payne, son of Mrs. Ethel Payne, and Stanley Dan Level, grand-son of Mrs. Joe Gaines, and from Wayland College, Plainview, was Miss Evelyn Shelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shelton.

Texas Tech students from Lubbock, who were home were: Ruth Evelyn and Don Paul Keith, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith; Joe B. Meador, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador, Fred Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Simpson, Betty Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Price, John Ketchersid, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Ketchersid, Glenn Woodruff, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, Keith Patton, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton, Elwanda Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, and Leona Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Martin; and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Harp, who visited his father, A. A. Harp, and brother, Pvt. Bobby Harp, who is home on furlough.

Mrs. L. F. Davis spent Thanksgiving day here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Homer Sheats and Mrs. R. P. Moore. She accompanied her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Warden and children from Wichita Falls, they having continued to Lubbock for the day.

in the Want-Ads

For sale or trade: 5-H.P. 3-phase motor. A. A. Tipton.

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For Sale: Table model Sentinal battery radio, practically new. Mrs. Jim Edmondson. tfn.

For Sale: Standard Underwood, fair condition. Price \$30. See Norman Priest, Phone 88. ltp.

For Sale: Four room stucco house with gas lights, and bath. Phone 48W, or see Mrs. Anna Hughes, Quitaque, Tex. 2tp. 12-12.

For Sale or trade: 12-foot Moline wheat drill. Good condition. G. D. Bird, 6 miles north on pavement and two miles east. 3tp. 12-19.

TO FORT WORTH

Mrs. Emmitt Jinkins and daughter, Carmen are visiting in Fort Worth, having accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Caddell, who were week-end visitors in the R. L. Anderson home at Flomot, on their return Sunday afternoon. Mesdames Spencer and Caddell are sisters of Mrs. Jinkins and they are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson.

ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. James Russell Neblett of College Station, formerly of Matador, are announcing the arrival of a son, born Sunday, November 24 at 6:38 p. m. in St. Joseph Hospital at Bryan, Texas. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces, and was given the name James Michael. According to the proud father, who is attending Texas A. & M., "he surely has that Old Aggie Spirit." Mrs. Neblett is the former Onieta Whitaker.

To Oklahoma City

Mrs. Ollie Westmoreland has returned to Oklahoma City for a check-up at the hospital where she received treatment for injuries received in an automobile accident in August. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkinson Sunday, when they returned to their home there after spending the Thanksgiving holidays here with relatives and friends.

VA Man To Be In Matador

A Veterans administration contact representative will be at the Matador Courthouse Wednesday from 9:30 a. m. to 12 noon to interview veterans.

Matador Drug Installs Juke

An \$800 Packard juke box was installed Wednesday at the Matador Drug. The speaker of the box is covered by a mirrored chandelier.

Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Fulfer of Portales, New Mexico, spent the week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Velma Fulfer and other relatives. He is enrolled in East New Mexico College at Portales.

Pat Sheridan spent Thanksgiving in Amarillo with his mother, Mrs. J. H. Sheridan and other relatives.

Mrs. Clarence Harp and Mrs. Gail Horn and daughter Joy, of Childress, visited here Thanksgiving in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harp.

All-District . . .

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Quite a bit of pre-voting discussion was held on the various nominees, and the representatives considered the hours played by each nominee, their scholastic classification, and even their jersey numbers. However, the choices were made chiefly on playing ability.

Giesecke Discussed

As far as Matador was concerned, R. C. Giesecke was the fair-haired knight. By no means did Coach Brady Thomas have to do any plugging for Giesecke—all of the other coaches and representatives remembered the aggressive Giesecke and came to the general conclusion that he made up "about 50 per cent" of the defense for the Matadors.

Also coming in for a considerable amount of discussion was Halfback Bonner Nelson, high point man for the Matadors. Coach Gresham of Floydada remarked that he "dreaded to meet Nelson another year."

And James (Pup) Price was a near-unanimous choice for guard on 4-A Conference team number two.

Of course, other players from Matador and other teams shared a major portion of the informal discussion, particularly the Floydada group.

But when the voting was tabulated the results were as follows:

First Team.

Ends—Bill Womack, Floydada; Gene Messer, Lockney.

Tackles—Bruce Womack, Floydada; Leslie Nixon, Floydada. Center—R. C. Giesecke, Matador.

Backs—Glenn Carmack, Kelly Hagood, Floydada; Joe Sandlin, Paducah; James Sharp, Spur.

Second Team

Ends—Bill Blackwood, Crosbyton; Junior Evers, Paducah.

Tackles—Bill Holley, Paducah; Bob Steele, Spur.

Guards—Bill Goodgame, Paducah; James Price, Matador.

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Center—Dean Wright, Spur. Backs—Bonner Nelson, Matador; Virgil Lawson, Crosbyton; Lynden Tatom, Paducah; Odell Heatherington, Ralls. Honorable Mention

Ends—Wayne Timmons, Matador; Wilson, Spur. Tackle—Ferguson, Ralls; Guards—Douglas Burrasbyton; B. Chron, Ralls. Backs—Keith, Ralls.

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Local Firm, Home Sells For \$11,387

An auction sale of the Matador Laundry, a private residence and a cream separator went for a total of \$11,387.50, last Wednesday at Matador.

Owner of the property, Bunyan Price, sold out because of his health, he said. He had owned the laundry, the only one in Matador, for approximately one year.

High bidder on the laundry was H. S. Ward of Floydada, who purchased the firm for \$5,100. L. R. Browning, Whiteflat, bought the home for \$5,250 and the cream separator sold for \$37.50.

Seale & McDonald of Floydada were the auctioneers, and Bill Pipkin, Matador, was the clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bird and son of Midland, spent Thanksgiving here visiting her mother, Mrs. H. Williams and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird, and other relatives.

One Woman USO



Fabulous Evelyn Walsh McLean, shown above, swept aside U. S. Army red tape when she decided to bring bedside entertainment to bedridden war veterans in the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C., according to an article in the November issue of Cosmopolitan magazine. Accompanied by a three-piece band and servants bearing plenty of beer, candy and cookies, Mrs. McLean, for the last three years has been entertaining the veterans on a lavish scale. One of the many features of her visits to the veterans is the careful handling of the famous Hope diamond and other jewels which she loans to the veterans on her arrival. As she leaves the jewelry is returned to her. Hope diamond, for which Mrs. McLean refused \$1,000,000, is shown in center as a hair ornament.

Farm Animals in New York



Farm animals in New York are a rare sight and these Bronx children felt they had to get acquainted when these animals arrived for the National Hotel Exposition from an experimental farm at La Grange, Ky. The animals were on display to dramatize the distillers' contribution to meat production through a feed supplement made from residue mash. The steer, hogs, turkeys and chickens were awarded to the persons who came closest to guessing the weight of the steer.

BTU Officials Meet New Baptist Pastor

(Delayed)

BTU officials were presented to the new Baptist pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts, last Sunday night at a youth fellowship in the Baptist parsonage, which was attended by twenty young people of the church.

Hymns and carols were sung, and refreshments were served.

Those presented to the new pastor were President Don Bradley; secretary, Carolyn Rattan; corresponding secretary, W. B. Chambliss; group captain, Jeril Gray; pianist, Billy Frank Skaggs; chorister, Chareen Ketchersid.

The Vocational Agriculture position at Orosi, 12 miles from Reedley.

"We are in the San Joaquin valley and in one of the most highly intensified agricultural areas in the state," Mr. Tunnell writes. "Grapes, peaches, plums, berries, olives and oranges lead the parade in the fruit line, but truck gardening, turkey raising and dairying are also carried on on a comprehensive scale."

Mr. Tunnell resigned here last year as superintendent of the Matador school system, and he and Mrs. Tunnell have been visiting on the west coast with their two sons, B. F. Jr., and his family who live at Fresno, and Billy, who will attend Fresno State College where B. F. Jr. is enrolled, upon receiving his discharge from the U. S. Marine Corps in the near future.

ABSTRACTS
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STANLEY CLINIC

Mrs. George Pepper of Quitaque underwent major surgery November 25.
Mrs. Emmett Baisden, of Turkey underwent major surgery December 3.

Tonsilectomy patients recently were: Linda Beth Seigler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Seigler, and the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Duncan of Floydada, both on November 30. Tommie and James Davidson, sons of J. O. Davidson of Quitaque, and Glenda Dobkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dobkins of Glenn, on November 27. Dean Allen of McAdoo on November 28; Max Thacker, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Thacker of Roaring Springs, and Mary Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Green of Roaring Springs, on November 29.

Wild game and fur-bearing animals are considered the property of the state and can be regarded as "possessed" only when taken in accordance with all regulations.

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Motley Gins 1653 Bales Of Cotton

Motley county ginned 1653 bales of cotton from the 1946 crop prior to November 14, according to the Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

The 1946 census was under that of 1945 by 129 bales, the department of commerce said.

ACA reports earlier in the year indicated that Motley's cotton crop for this year was all but lost from drought, too much rain, and extremes in temperatures.

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Charlene Giesecke Is Initiated Into Alpha Chi At WTSC

CANYON—Initiated into Alpha Chi, scholastic fraternity at West Texas State, Charlene Giesecke of Matador last week was recognized as an outstanding student of the college.

With eight other students, she became a member of the honorary society which recognizes scholastic attainment by receiving into its membership the upper 10 per cent of the junior and senior classes.

Miss Giesecke is a junior member and is listed on the rolls for the first time. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke of Matador.

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Tunnells Accept Teaching Position In California

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tunnell have recently accepted teaching positions at Reedley, California, according to information received by friends last week. Mrs. Tunnell has one of the third grade divisions in the Lincoln Elementary School at Reedley, and Mr. Tunnell has accepted

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Letters to SANTA:

Nov. 30, 1946
Dear Santa,
I want a bicycle for Christmas.
I have a baby brother. Will you bring him some rubber toys?
I have a brother five years old, too.
Will you bring him a train?
With love,
Carol Teague

Nov. 30, 1946
Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a truck and a tricycle and also a wagon, then I will be a good boy.
Thanks to you,
Miller Marshall

Roaring Springs, Texas
Nov. 30, 1946
Dear Santa,
I am a little girl eight years old. I have been a nice girl. I would like very much for you to bring me a baby doll and a pair of roller skates.
Don't forget to bring my two brothers, Jackie and Dale and my baby sister Gayle sharron, some toys.
Lots of love,
Mildred Ann Hall

Dear Santa Clause,
Please bring me for Christmas a bicycle, a wagon, a cattle truck and trailer, fruit, candy and nuts. Bring my Daddy a new suit and mother a pretty dress
Rodger Wayne Evans

Dear Santa Clause,
I am wondering if you can read this letter
Santa Clause, how much I love you. I am in the first grade. I am 6 years old. Please bring me some games to play. I want

a kewpie doll, colored mammy doll, and a paint set and a clay set.
Virginia Stephens

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl seven years old in the second grade. I wish you would bring me a doll with blonde hair and a yellow dress. I want a shoe rack and some other things if you can bring them.
Yours truly,
Myrna Voy Moore

P. S. I have two brothers. Don't forget them.

Dear Santa,
I love you very much. Please bring me a red scooter for Christmas. Also, if you don't mind please bring me a wagon.
Love,
Glennard Daniel

Dear Santa,
I am a girl eight years old. I want a big doll for Christmas. I like my teacher. Her name is Mrs. Miller. I would like to

have same nuts and candy for Christmas.
Don't forget Mother, Daddy, and sister.
Love,
Jenny Lou Robbins

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a cow-boy suit, an electric train, a scooter, a plastic gun and a mail-box with keys.
Love,
Johnny Webb

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a washing machine with tubs, a clothes line, a bracelet and candy.
Love,
Frances

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a gun, a bicycle, a wagon, a football, candy and nuts.
Love,
Shelby Jackson

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a baseball bat, a bicycle and a rope.
Jimmy Rushing

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a walkie-talkie, telephone, apples candy, and nuts.
Love,
Ida May Simpson

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a football, a cow-boy suit, and nuts and candy.
Love,
James Chambliss

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me boots, spurs, a wagon, and a tricycle.
Love,
Dayton Graham

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a jumping jack, a foot ball and a wagon.
Love,
Gene Bruce

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa Clause,
Please bring me a jump rope, a doll, an apple, an orange, some candy and nuts.
Love,
Frances Lancaster

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a football, apples, candy a BB gun, chewing gum and nuts, also a tennis ball.
Love,
Wayne Bowen

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a BB gun, a tank, a gun, a sail boat and a walkie-talkie.
Love,
Larry Allen

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a jumping rope, a little rubber doll, doll bottle, a dish shelf and a telephone.
Love,
Patsy

Dec. 6, 1946
Dear Santa,
Please bring me a doll, a doll bed, dishes and skates.
Love,
Martha Lynch

Nov. 30, 1946
Dear Santa,
I would like, very much to have a little bicycle, if you think that I have been a good enough boy, and you have one for me.
I am six years old.
Please remember all of the other little girls and boys and my sister.
Love to Mr. and Mrs. Santa
Audery

Nov. 30, 1946
Dear Santa,
I love you very much.
I have a baby brother now. Please bring him a truck. I want a doll, too.
Lots of love,
Lyndia Tarrant

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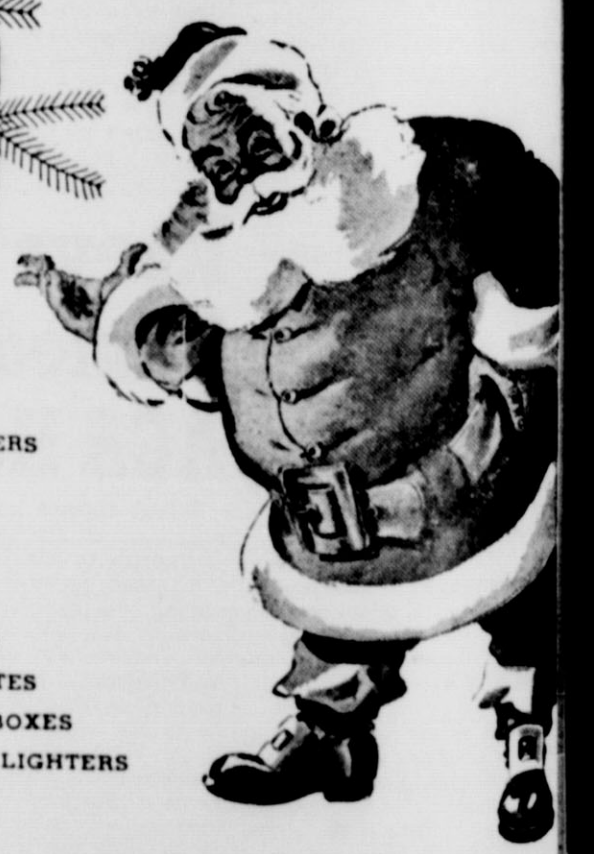
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Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

and Mrs. J. K. Campbell and Mrs. J. W. Cooper visited in Paducah over the week end.

Mrs. Hugh Preston visited in McKinney, Pleasant over the week end.

J. N. Fletcher and Lula Swim visited in Vernon over the week end.

Mrs. H. T. Robbins and Mrs. J. D. Bradley over the week end.

Former residents of Roaring Springs, Mr. and Mrs. M. O.

and boys drove to Vernon Tuesday to meet and accompany Mrs. Tom Swim home. She has been visiting in Dallas and Vernon the past week.

Gus Cooper of Wichita Falls visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cooper over the week end.

Frank Ferguson and his mother Mrs. M. L. Ferguson went to Wichita Falls over the week end.

Miss Elizabeth Bradley of Albuquerque, N. Mex., visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bradley over the week end.

Former residents of Roaring Springs, Mr. and Mrs. M. O.

Gwinn and family of Ashland, Oregon, arrived the first of the week for a visit through the Christmas holidays, with friends and relatives.

Flomot News

By Mrs. Bernice Gates

Mrs. Ralph Stapleton returned home from visiting relatives in Killeen and Abilene.

R. H. Tanner has gone to San Francisco, Calif., to attend the National Farm Bureau convention.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Thompson of Wenatch, Washington, visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tanner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Morris of Plainview visited Mr. and Mrs. Snow last Sunday.

Vets Urged To Renew Insurance

Veterans should take advantage of the National Service Life Insurance act which was passed August 1, 1946 and renew service insurance, according to Luther T. Nance, contact representative of the Childress office who was in Matador Wednesday.

"The veteran who does not restore his service insurance is the loser," Mr. Nance declared. He said that because the insurance is government supported, it is a bargain which cannot be duplicated.

Veterans who have allowed their term insurance to lapse (regardless of length of time policy has elapsed) can reinstate by paying only two monthly payments. One month pays for the 31 days of grace and the second pays for the current month in which the policy is restored. Policies may be reinstated before February 1, 1947, without a physical examination. Former servicemen are not required to reinstate for the full \$10,000 policy. It is possible to reinstate for as little as \$1,000 or any multiple of \$500.

Six plans for converted Na-

tional Service life insurance are available, as follows: Ordinary life, 20 payment life, 30 payment life, 20-year endowment, endowment at the age of 60 and endowment at the age of 65. Four options for payment are provided as follows:

Option one, in lump sum; option two, in equal monthly installments of from 36 to 240 in number, in multiples of 12; Option three, in equal monthly installments of 120 months certain with such payments continuing during the remaining life of the first beneficiary and option four, as a refund income in continuous monthly installments with total monthly installments certain, equal to face value of policy less indebtedness, provided such settlement would result in payments of installments over a shorter period than 120 months.

The insurance act provides that by the payment of a small additional premium the insured may be paid \$5 per month for each \$1,000 of National Service Life Insurance, for total disability after six months duration. Eligibility for this benefit begins on the first day of the seventh month of total disability.

As an example of the disability rider: A veteran with \$10,000 policy and disability insurance, would be eligible for \$50 per month beginning with the first day of the seventh month of total disability. Premiums are waived while the insured is in total disability.

Mr. Nance, as contact representative provides service on any veteran problem in any of the 11 counties in the Childress area. He will be in the District court room here on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays each month.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Statement Forms, Matador Tribune

Athlete's Foot Is Controlled With Simple Treatment

The common disease, popularly known as athlete's foot, is said to be the third most common disease seen by skin specialists during the summer, and the fifth most common disorder in winter. It is due to a little mold-like growth or fungus which thrives best where there is moisture and warmth. Therefore the feet make an

ideal place for the growth of this germ.

Dr. Cox suggested the following as some effective measures for preventing and avoiding recurrent attacks of athlete's foot:

1. After bathing, dry carefully and thoroughly the spaces between the toes.
2. Liberally apply a plain, unscented talcum to those areas and sprinkle it freely in socks, stockings and shoes.
3. Wear properly fitting hose, that are absorbent but not too coarse.
4. Wear shoes that are not too tight, nor too large. They should fit the foot comfortably.

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Rheumatic Heart Disease Declared Fatal by Dr. Cox

Rheumatic heart disease is now the first cause of death among children aged 10 to 14, and is second only to tuberculosis at ages 15 to 25. Despite the importance of this disease its epidemiology is not completely established. No vaccine such as those that prevent typhoid, diphtheria, smallpox, and whooping cough has yet been developed for its prevention or control. We do know, however, some of the danger signals and with the physician's accurate diagnosis some of the damaging results of the disease may be prevented.

Exposure to frequent chilling damp or overcrowded living quarters, a poor diet, an attack of scarlet fever, a bad cold or other infection caused by certain streptococcus germs are likely to be predisposing factors in the appearance of rheumatic fever.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, points out that in general the danger signals of rheumatic fever are pain and swelling in the joints of the knees, ankles, elbows, or wrists. The pain usually is felt in one of these centers and spreads to the others. Oftentimes a child will be irritable and cross without any visible signs of good reason for this attitude; he may cry easily or develop habits of nervousness. A physician should be consulted at once in such a situation, for these symptoms may be the beginning of rheumatic fever.

According to Dr. Cox, the best safeguards against this disease are to have each child examined at least once a year by a physician, to have the right kind of food and plenty of rest. When the disease is suspected of being present, a doctor should be consulted at once, and if he prescribes complete bed rest, his advice should be implicitly followed.

in the Want-Ads

Combine users: For information and prices on Tri-State Electric Header Controls for M-34 Combines, write Hyatt Mfg. & Supply Co., Kimball, Nebr. P2t. 12-19

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Notice to veterans: Straight 4% loans are available for you to build or buy a home. We represent the T. J. Bettes Co., of Fort Worth, Texas, and this company will be glad to make you such a loan. The only information that we have in regard to Veterans Farm Loans is that Veterans are to be given preference under the Federal Farm Home Administration Act. We understand that Mr. Samuel W. Weatherall of Paducah, Texas, is the Farm Home Administration Representative for this District. If we can serve you in any way, call on us. Warren Abstract Company. c1fn.

For Sale: Table model Sentinel battery radio, practically new. Mrs. Jim Edmondson. 1fn.

For Sale: Four room stucco house with gas, lights, and bath. Phone 48W, or see Mrs. Anna Hughes, Quitaque, Tex. 2tp. 12-12

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GOLDEN WEDDING BELLS RING OUT AT ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION LAST MONTH

Wedding bells rang again for Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vaughn of Roaring Springs as they stood for a marriage ceremony on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary which was celebrated at their Roaring Springs home on November 28.

The couple was given in marriage by their oldest son and daughter, Lonnie Vaughn of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mrs. D. F. Christopher of Abilene, in a double-ring service performed by Rev. G. C. Tiner, Baptist pastor of Roaring Springs. The rings were the gift of their son, Vernon Vaughn, and were carried by a granddaughter, Barbara Joy Vaughn. Mrs. Jessie Freeman sang "Silver Threads Among the Gold."

Many At Reception

A large number of friends gathered during the afternoon for the reception, many coming from a distance to attend.

Large baskets of white and gold mums decorated the house, and a centerpiece of mums was used for the lace-covered dining table. Gold candles burned in crystal holders. The four-tiered decorated cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom. Mrs. Fred G. Sinspon served the cake and Mrs. Jessie Freeman and Mrs. Herman Havis presided at the punch bowl. During the reception, a reading was given by Mrs. C. V. Drennan, of Santa Anna.

Among out-of-town friends

and relatives who were present were: Mr. and Mrs. Jim Quinton of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Drennan of Santa Anna, Mrs. Laura Drennan of Comanche, Mrs. Lula Mae Haney of Afton; John Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gibson, Mrs. Leo Fincher and Mrs. J. W. McCarthy all of Duncan, Oklahoma; D. S. Car-gile of Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Elrod of Ozona, and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Harris of Lubbock.

The Vaughn children and their families, all of whom were present, were: Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gilbert and daughter, Marcia, of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Audrey Vaughn and children, Barbara Joy, Don and Kenneth Wayne, of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vaughn and son Randall, of Post; Mr. and Mrs. Artie Vaughn and son of Quanah; Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Vaughn and son, Bobby of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vaughn of Waco, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Vaughn of Lubbock, Mrs. D. F. Christopher of Abilene, Mrs. R. C. Bateman of Glenn, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Vaughn of Roaring Springs.

Mrs. Claude Wilson of Snyder, former Matador resident, visited here from Saturday until Wednesday, with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves, and sister, Mrs. Velma Fulfer.

Mrs. Tom Tilson left recently for an extended visit in Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Zabielski.

ROYAL SERVICE PROGRAM GIVEN BY BAPTIST WMU

A Royal Service program, with "Christmas For Christ" as topic, was given Tuesday night at general meeting of the Baptist W. M. U. with Mrs. J. C. Rattan as leader.

Mrs. Elbert Reeves gave the Scripture reading. "Rebuilding for Peace in Palestine" was given by Mrs. R. E. Campbell Sr., "Christmas in Palestine" by Mrs. W. M. Clifton; "Christmas in Europe" by Mrs. Clifford Potts, "Christmas in Africa" by Mrs. T. E. Cammack, and "Christmas for Christ" by Mrs. H. S. Watson. The papers were interspersed with special prayers and group singing of Christmas hymns.

At the conclusion, Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, president, conducted a short business session.

The program followed a delicious covered dish supper, and others present in addition to those on the program were: Mesdames C. Warren, L. Rattan, D. P. Keith, A. A. Tipton, Edith Sanders, Velma Fulfer, J. A. Groves, A. B. Fulkerson, J. R. Moore, Ben Meador, Al-fred Barton, Farris Fish, Cecil Shelton, Bill McCaghen, Vernon Doss, T. E. Long, and Mrs. Claude Wilson of Snyder.

Several Attend Meeting Tuesday At Plainview

A large delegation of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the local Methodist church, drove to Plainview Tuesday of last week to attend the annual Harvest Day meeting of the Plainview district.

Those attending the meeting were: Mesdames G. E. Hamilton, T. E. Williams, Harry Willett, L. Y. Jameson, John Russell, R. P. Moore, Homer Sheats, F. M. Jinkins, C. D. Pipkin, J. R. Whitworth, Ted Steen, Oscar Vinson, A. J. Daffern, H. H. Schweitzer and W. F. Jacobs.

HERE FROM VERNON

P. W. Martin of Vernon, formerly of this vicinity, is here visiting friends and relatives and receiving medical treatment at Traweek Hospital.

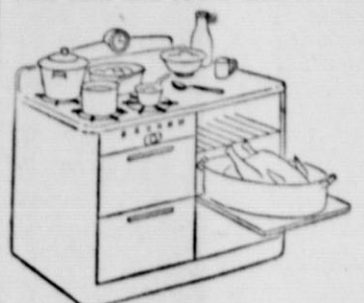
COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

FIXING UP the HOME

By Diane Greeter

Holiday Dinners

THE turkey is but a part of the holiday dinner. On this festive occasion we usually have several side dishes and an elaborate dessert. Confusion and clutter is bound to result as the cook tries to time each dish of the meal so that



it can be brought to the table piping hot. This means that the gravy, mashed potatoes and several other things are being finished on the top burners of the stove at the same time.

The clean, quick heat of a gas range is really appreciated when the cook has one eye on the clock. The visible flame is easy to control. Every top burner is busy.

In the oven the huge bird is already done and is getting a little more luscious brown color. It has been cooked the proper time under regulated heat and is bound to be just right.

All this, the convenience of a modern fuel that can also be used for automatic water heating, house heating and refrigeration, is available even if you live far out in the country or on the fringes of the suburbs. Modern liquefied petroleum gas — LP-Gas — more commonly known as "bottled" gas and "tank" gas, does the job for you when you live off the city gas mains.

LETTERS TO SANTA

Whiteflat, Texas

Dear Santa, I want a Margaret O'Brien candy kitchen and a sweetheart bracelet, too. I want a Baton if you have it. I want a bicycle if you have it.

Ouida Jane wants a gun and doll.

Larry wants a football and suit with it.

Mack wants anything you have for him.

Royella wants a sock cap that will hang way down.

Please bring something for the rest of the family.

I love you,
Gail

Dear Santa, Please bring me a tricycle, a doll, a doll bed, and a story book.

Love,
Joyce Lynn

Dear Santa, I am a little girl, 6 years old. I have been a good little girl, I think, so far.

I wish you would please bring me a doll, some dishes, a doll bed, and some fruit, nuts and candy.

Thank you,
Martha Lynch

P. S. I also have a little brother 2 years old. Please bring him some candy and other things also.

Dear Santa: I have been a good little boy and I hope you will bring me a steam engine with a whistle. I would like to have some wooden blocks, an air gun and a yo-yo. I like apples, oranges and nuts.

Your friend,
George Conner, Jr.

Roaring Springs
Dearest Santa Claus,

Please bring me and my sister a tricycle and bring me some boots and my sister a doll. My name is Ramejoll and my sister's name is Marloyn Sue. She is 3 and I am 5. I will go to school next year.

My sister and I love you very much.

Thank you,
Ramejoll and Marloyn Sue

Dear Santa, I am a little girl 5 1/2 years old, so you see I am too young to go to school, so my mother is writing this letter for me.

My name is Martha Rae and I have moved to Matador. Please don't overlook me.

For Christmas, I would like for you to bring me a magic skin doll, a doll bed, a black-board and a drum. If you have it, I would like to get a cooking set.

Please bring Daddy Burrell some socks and bring my mother something nice, and Santa please bring my little dog a bone and a pretty dog collar.

Your little friend,
Martha Rae Tipton

Flomot, Texas

Dear Santa Claus, I have been a good girl. I help mommie, and go to Sun-

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day school every Sunday.

I would like to have a doctor set, a doll that wets its panties table and chairs. A Xylophone. I have a little sister, Cheri Ann, two years old. Please bring her a doll, and some other toys.

We would like to have a stocking full of nuts, fruit and candy.

Be nice to all the boys and girls and bring them lots of toys.

Love,
Jan Barton

Dear Santa, I have been a good baby girl. I want a ball for Christmas. I would like to have four chairs, a table, a little iron, and a little pair of gloves.

Love,
Katherine

P. S. I have a little brother

whose name is Sonny. Come to see him too.

Dorothy Lou Hill Is Club Officer

Dorothy Lou Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hill of Matador, has been elected secretary-treasurer of the newly organized Panhandle Club of Abilene Christian College.

The club is composed of approximately 20 of the ACC students from the Texas Panhandle. Others are invited to join.

Miss Hill is a junior student in Abilene Christian College, having graduated from Matador High School.

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 —M. H. S.—

We are glad to have with us a new boy, Donald Townsend, who hails from the State of Oklahoma. However, Donald insists that he isn't an "Okie". For the interest of the girls, he is of average height, with blue-gray eyes, and sandy hair. And, he is a senior.

—M. H. S.—
 Mary had a little dog,
 Its fleas were quite contrary.
 At first, they only bit the dog,
 But now they're biting Mary.

—M. H. S.—
 Now, now, little rabbit,
 Don't you cry;
 You'll be a mink coat,
 Bye and bye.

—M. H. S.—
 June—"Men are all alike."
 Ernestine—"Men are all I like, too."

—M. H. S.—
KAMPUS KLATTER

Hiya, all you keeds! How are you-all feeling now after Thanksgiving? And, after football training rules are off? The boys just look at their watches and laugh when 10:30 comes!

Colonel Garth and Dorothy Ann S. made a woosome two-some Friday night at Roaring Springs!

Billye Joe was certainly glad to see Thanksgiving roll around! Could it be that the Holidays brought Mary Jaunice home, too?

Betty Price and Bob Rushing made a cute couple Friday night! More fun!

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FARM NEWS

BY MARVIN ALLEN
 Motley County ACA
 Administrative Officer

Grain Sorghum Loans

With the market price of grain sorghums still going down, it becomes evident that a large per cent of Motley County farmers will take advantage of Commodity Credit Corporation's offer of a loan on their feed. The price per hundredweight for loan in this county is \$1.66. The grain must have less than a 13% moisture content and has to be in storage for at least 30 days before inspection. Storage facilities must be moisture and rodent proof. For further information contact the local ACA office.

Wheat Insurance Acreage Reports Due Now

Insured wheat producers are reminded that their acreage reports are due in the ACA office as soon as they have completed seeding. The producer should be able to identify the seeded acreage on his farm map. The wheat to be covered by insurance, must be seeded not later than December 21st.

1946 Program Year Closes Soon

December 31st is the last day of the 1946 program year; therefore, farmers should be certain that their practices are all completed and reported by that date. We still have several thousand dollars which can be allocated to farmers in this County. If anyone needs terraces, water wells or earthen dams constructed on his farm, please come to this office and make proper application for the prior approval.

Coach and Mrs. Don T. Martin of Hereford spent Thanksgiving holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson of Roaring Springs, and visited friends and relatives here. They moved to Hereford from Dalhart, where Coach Martin taught last year.

Thomas and Chareen were seen together Sunday night at Church! Dates for Saturday night included: Clyde-Earnestine Mary-Hal, and June-Tootie.

Billy Frank-Fud have been seen together quite a bit here lately! By the way, their new names are "Grandma", and "Aunt Billy!"

Gotta go, now! See you gals and guys next week, and I promise to give you the latest "dope."

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First girl from Puerto Rico to study medical technology in an American university is Senorita Dora Villafane, now enrolled in Texas Christian University, Fort Worth. She admits to a bit of homesickness for her parents and two brothers and three sisters back in Mayaguez, Puerto Rico, but says: "Texas is so beautiful and people are so nice to me, I'd really like to stay here!"

Council Defends Small Airports

WASHINGTON—James W. Batchelor, general council for United Pilots & Mechanics Association, vigorously defended at the public hearings on the Airport Bill the CAA formula for allocation of funds to aid small airports.

"The formula correctly interprets the intent of the act and provides a sensible, sound and fair basis for providing a system of airports adequate to anticipate and meet the needs of civil aviation," Mr. Batchelor said.

Pointing out that from 1940 to 1945 the government had spent \$364,000,000 in building 284 Class 4 and 62 Class 5 airports under the Defense Landing Areas Program and not a single airport of Class 3 or less was built with these funds, he stated it is vitally important that the smaller projects receive special attention now.

Mr. Batchelor also pointed out that the area of huge municipal bond issues matched with federal funds for super airport construction is almost past. Self-sustaining airports should be incorporated as regular enterprises and funds for expansion and new development should be raised by issuing bonds bearing attractive interest rates which will be retired from airport revenues. Local taxes would be reduced and the government will not find itself in the unintended position of paying a subsidy to a project which is self-sustaining and needs no subsidy.

"We need to do something for the 'grass roots' of aviation, the private pilot, the personal aircraft owner and the enterprising operator who is begging for a chance to develop sound business enterprises in his own community. Everyone should back the administrator in his proposal to match local funds for Class 3 or smaller airports on a 50-50 basis," he said.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raby Webb were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Echols of Lubbock, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Echols.

John Morgan, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson, underwent surgery in the hospital at Quanah last week. He was accompanied there last Tuesday by his aunt, Mrs. Pat Sheridan.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY



V. F. W., Motley County Memorial Post No. 2286, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m. at the court room, Matador, Texas. All eligible ex-service men are invited to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis and Mrs. Jack Henry and son of Floydada, also Mr. and Mrs. John Heard of Post, visited friends here Thursday as they were enroute to Spur to attend the Spur-Floydada game.

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From where I sit... by Joe Mars

A Grand American Tradition

The Cuppers had a grand old family reunion last week—for the first time since the war.

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I was asked to their final Saturday night supper, when they sang old songs, drank beer and cider, reminisced. Dark Cuppers and

blonde ones—Vermont accents, Alabama drawls—doctors and lawyers . . . all with their different tastes and politics, yet as close harmonious in spirit as a prayer could be.

From where I sit, it's a grand American tradition—not just family reunions, but the ability to get along as one harmonious family regardless of differences of taste whether it's taste for political farming, beer or cider.

Joe Mars

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Coyote Poison To Be Set Out

Poison signs will be tacked along fence posts in the Whiteflat-Northfield area this week to warn dog owners to keep their pets from infected meat set out for coyotes, according to Rufus Emmons, county agent.

Floyd F. Ligon, federal trap-

per from Lubbock, will assist Lewis McDonough, Motley trapper, in the poisoning campaign, Emmons said.

Emmons declared that the coyote situation had cleared up considerably, but that the trappers would spread the strychnine-infested meat to obtain better control.

He also sent a special warning for hunters to keep their bird dogs under close watch. Livestock, Emmons said, would not be in any special danger.

Horse meat and bag fat, the meats used for coyote bait, have been donated by Matador grocery stores to assist in the coyote program. Anyone wishing to get rid of a fat horse may contact the county agent's office and the meat will be used on the coyotes, Emmons said.

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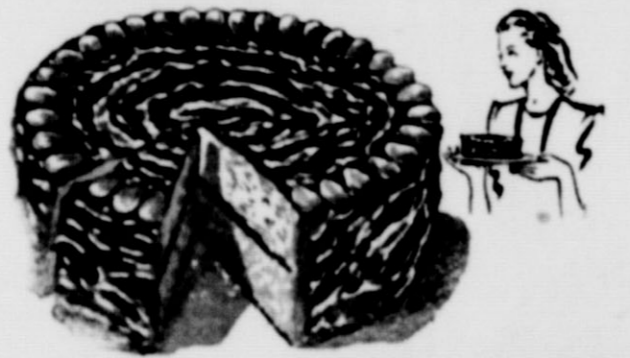
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Annual Football Dinner Is Given

Miss Ann Harp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harp, Matador, was crowned as the football queen of Matador High School, and Miss Ernestine McWilliams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams, Whiteflat, was presented as the football sweetheart last Friday night at the annual football banquet given by the high school's pep squad in the basement of the First Baptist Church.

Rufus Emmons, county agent, delivered the principal address in which he compared the "game of life" to the game of football.

Miss Mary Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Murphy Whiteflat, was the toastmistress. Decorations for the occasion included a large red and black MHS on the ceiling of the room and a small football field as a centerpiece. The Motley County Home Demonstration Club directed by Miss Mary K. Cook, prepared the turkey dinner and the decorations.

Sugar Stamp Valid on Jan. 1

OPA announced Tuesday that a new consumer spare ration stamp for five pounds of sugar will be made valid on Jan. 1, 1947, and will be good thru April 30.

"It is anticipated," the announcement said, "that the second consumer stamp for 1947 will be made good before this stamp expires, thus increasing the present consumer ration of five pounds of sugar for each four months."

OPA also said that industrial sugar allotments for the first quarter of 1947 will remain unchanged from the last quarter of 1946.

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Public Warned By US Postal Service

The U. S. Post Office Department this week listed nine items which are illegal to send thru the mails, according to E. F. Springer, postmaster at Matador.

Also not a comprehensive list, the nine objects listed are the most commonly dealt with, and will lead to federal persecution, postal officials said.

- The list is:
1. Intoxicating beverages.
 2. Inflammable matter.
 3. Ammunition and all other explosives.
 4. Firearms which are capable of being concealed on the person.
 5. Obscene matter.
 6. Poisons.
 7. Narcotics.
 8. Extortion letters.

Seven Join Ranks Of Fire Department

Matador's Volunteer Fire Department last week elected a new secretary-treasurer, initiated seven new members, and formed a basketball team, according to Chief Freddie Welton.

Bert Schweitzer was elected as the new secretary-treasurer. He replaces Earl (Pumper) McBride, who recently resigned.

The seven new members of the department are Lewis Bostick, Gene Webb, Bert Schweitzer, Loyd Latimer, Billy Wason, James Meador and Pete Williams. Another new member, A. J. Perkins, did not attend the initiation ceremonies.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McCarty of Floydada are parents of a daughter, Carol Jean, who was born December 4, at Stanley Clinic. The baby weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces.

A daughter, weighing 8 pounds, 10 ounces, was born at Stanley Clinic on December 10, to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Posey of Roaring Springs.

HOME FROM DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Farris Fish drove to Lubbock Wednesday to meet and accompany their sons, James Rufus and John Farris, home. The boys are in school in Dallas, and came home due to the illness of James Rufus. They made the trip to Lubbock by plane.

Whiteflat To Stage Community Christmas Party

Everyone in the Whiteflat community is extended a cordial invitation to attend a community "get-together" and Christmas party which will be held next Tuesday evening, December 17. The party will be carried out similar to one held last year, and will be under the direction of the Whiteflat Home Demonstration Club.

"Although this is a Christmas party, there will be no presents exchanged," Mrs. Tom Tilson, secretary of the club, announced. A number of people have stayed away on previous occasions due to the fact that gifts were exchanged, Mrs. Tilson said.

Entertainment for the evening will be singing and various games. Refreshments of pie, coffee and cocoa will be served, and each family attending is requested to bring pies in accordance with the number of members in that family. Also, each person attending is requested to bring his or her own drinking cup.

The party is scheduled to begin at 6:30.

Recitals Will Be Held Next Thursday

Speech pupils of Mrs. J. R. Whitworth will be presented in two recitals next Thursday, December 19, in the high school auditorium.

Younger pupils will appear on an afternoon program which will begin at 2:30, while older pupils and high school students will present an evening program beginning at 7:30.

Music pupils of Mrs. C. W. Norrid will also appear on the evening program. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend both programs.

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Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of J. M. Buckelew, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 25th day of November 1946, by the county court of Motley county, in cause No. 1216. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by Law.

My residence and post office address is Quitaque route 1, Motley county, Texas.

Allie B. Buckelew,
Administrator of estate of J. M. Buckelew, deceased.
41. 12-26.

SCRIBE FLIES EAST

George Conner, Tribune reporter, left Matador late Monday for Wichita Falls where he boarded a plane for a hurried business trip to Clarksburg, West Virginia. He expects to return early next week.

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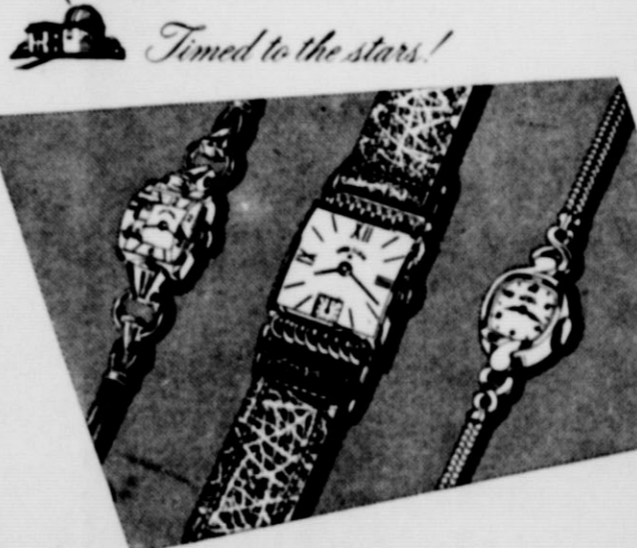
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