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Open Letter To Citizens Of Matador

You have elected me to the highest office of the city, for which I am at once grateful, and which I fully realize the weight of responsibility which is accompanied by oath of office. I am such a very ordinary person that I feel inadequate until I become cognizant of the realization that we are all ordinary people. A little community of people, friends and neighbors which much the same problems, hardships and joys.

We are very small and very ordinary separately but collectively we can have a strength that will accomplish the seemingly impossible. We can, with unity, build Matador into one of the most outstanding communities in West Texas. It will not be a great amount of effort, it will merely require a unity in purpose. None can advance at the expense of others. I hope you will bear with me in my mistakes because I will make mistakes. I hope you will always feel free to come to me with any community problem. I want every resident of Matador to understand that Matador will belong to the people. My authority will be solely to try to direct the affairs of the community to please the greatest number of people. I am grateful for the opportunity and the honor of serving the people of Matador as their mayor without more compensation than their friendship and cooperation. I am grateful for every vote polled for me and I am no ill will to those who did not vote for me. I am exceedingly grateful to T. Edwards for his clean campaign.

This is my first adventure in politics and I have no further aspirations. I seek no higher office than the one to which, you, the fine, friendly people of Matador have elected me.

Sincerely,
Douglas Meador
Mayor, City of Matador, Texas

Conditions On The Range Are Improving



ANYWAY YOU LOOK there is decided improvement in range conditions in this area. Wranglers from the tall brush say things are looking up with special attention on Friday night when Dorothy Bivens, above, will appear with the Lubbock Tech Variety show at the high school auditorium under the sponsorship of the Matador Lions Club. The group of college stars, laboring under the handicap of having exservicemen Joe Berry Meador (of Matador) as master of ceremonies, will include Morgan "Pug" Davidson, Norma Schudell and her electric guitar, singing Beverly Cumble, dancing Maxine McCullum, Miss Bivens and about 15 other members of the show.

Miss Bivens was chosen as "Miss Lubbock" in 1947 and is the star of Tech all-college booster trips. Presale of tickets is rushing and it is believed seats will be at a premium before the curtain time Friday night. No seats are reserved (those with poor eye-sight should arrive). Half of the proceeds go to the Lions and half to the players.

School Funds Are Ample To Finish Year

Shortage of funds from the state under the rural aid program will not affect Matador Independent School District, it was revealed by school officials early this week. Ample funds are on hand to pay teachers for the complete year, although approximately 20% of the funds approved by the state are not available. The loss of approved funds will be between \$1,000 and \$1,500 to the school.

Excepting bonded indebtedness the district is completely out of debt and with the arrival of funds promised, the school year will be completed without borrowing any money. (Many schools throughout the state have found it necessary to borrow funds to complete the term).

Only change in the local school plans resulting from the state's failure to provide approved funds, will be the curtailment of proposed improvements to buildings and campus, previously planned for the summer.

Health Program To Be Given AIP-T.A.

A program on "Health" with Dr. J. S. Stanley, local physician as guest speaker, will be given at regular monthly meeting of Matador Parent-Teacher Association, next Wednesday afternoon April 14, at 3:15, according to an announcement made this week. C. W. Giesecke, president of Matador Lions Club will also give a talk on summer recreation for youth.

Music for the program will be given by pupils of Mrs. L. D. Wilkerson.

Mrs. R. E. Donovan, president of the organization, will meet with members of the executive committee, Monday afternoon, April 12. She also urges that as many members who can possibly do so, attend the district conference to be held at Anson, Thursday and Friday, April 15 and 16.

Plans are being made at this time for the concluding meeting of the P-T-A, which will be held the second Wednesday in May, at which time officers for the coming year will be installed, and mothers of pre-school age children who will start to school next year, will be special guests.

Closing Date For School Announced

Matador high and grade schools will close Tuesday, May 18. The announcement was made this week by Superintendent Bert Ezzell. Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday, May 16, at 8 p. m. Commencement exercises for grade schools will be held Tuesday morning, May 18, at 10:30 a. m. High school commencement exercises will be held at 8:15 p. m.

Ezzell said final examinations will be held Thursday and Friday, May 13th and 14th. Students will not be required to return to school the following Monday, but will be required to appear on Tuesday, May 18 at 1:30 p. m. to receive report cards and book cards.

MANY GUEST HERE FOR EASTERN STAR FRIENDSHIP MEET

Visiting guests from Turkey, Childress, Paducah and Spur attended a "Friendship" meeting of local Eastern Star Chapter held last Thursday night in the Masonic hall.

An interesting program was given with the Turkey Chapter furnishing the feature number. Special music was a duet by Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and Mrs. J. E. Edwards.

Honor guest present was Mrs. Mamie Adamson of Turkey, Deputy Grand Worthy Matron.

Mrs. Harold Campbell was in charge of delicious refreshments and Mrs. J. E. Edwards of the decorations, which featured wild plum blossoms and arrangements of Japonicas.

Approximately one hundred thirty members and guests registered.

Rev. Potts Holds Week-end Revival

Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor of Matador Baptist Church, conducted a week-end revival, beginning Friday, at the Cap Rock Baptist church.

Filling Rev. Potts' place here in services Sunday, was "Red" Hardin, business manager at Wayland College, outstanding lay-speaker.

IN OKLAHOMA CITY

Miss Rachel Patton, accompanied by Mrs. T. J. Daffern and Mrs. Bob Martin, drove to Oklahoma City Sunday, where they spent several days.

Famous Fighter Guest at Lions Club Meeting

La Verne Roach was a guest at the Tuesday regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club held in the basement of the Methodist church. Altho recently knocked out in a match in Madison Square Garden New York, the young Plainview "Golden Glove" rocket remains a champion with West Texans and a large per cent of the nation's boxing fans. Roach was a guest of Lion Elbert Reeves.

In 1945 Roach won the national Golden Glove championship and last year was picked the outstanding amateur fighter of the United States and Porto Rico.

Look magazine picked him as the outstanding fighter of all the armed forces in 1945. During the war he was a member of the Marine Corps. He turned professional in 1946 and 1947 to be picked as outstanding rookie pro fighter of the year. Roach may fight in Lubbock in June.

Extremely modest and retiring in his mannerisms, the young boxer declared, "Of course it is only one man's opinion, but I still believe I can defeat the opponent who knocked me out in the second round of the recent fight. If I had not believed I could whip him they could not have tied me and dragged me in the ring...."

"I know many people look on the boxing profession as being peopled by bums, but I want to assure you that it is a mistaken idea. I am not speaking for myself but for the many young men who enjoy boxing and who fight within the strictest rules of sportsmanship. I am fortunate in having a wonderful manager who has been almost like a father to me. He is not interested in seeing me killed for any profit he might make. Instead he is very careful in the number of fights in which I am matched. I have fought only 26 professional fights in 24 years while other young boxers, less fortunate in their managers, have fought 50 or more matches in the same length of time.... A fighter should be an example for young boys and I want to endorse the Boys Club work being sponsored by this club. If, at any time I can render any service to this work, I will be happy to respond.

Other guests were high school honor students, Leo Archer, senior, Pattie Pinkin, junior, Melva North, sophomore and R. L. Holt, freshman; and Miss Evelyn Winke, History Of Presidents.

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SECURITY LOAN DRIVE TO BE LAUNCHED SOON

A Security Loan drive which will be conducted throughout the nation from April 15 through June 30, will be launched here in the near future, according to Elmer Stearns, Motley county chairman.

Mr. Stearns participated in a regional meeting of county chairmen for the Treasury Department's Security Loan in Amarillo recently, which was attended by County and community leaders from the Panhandle and Plains section of the state.

State leaders for the Security Loan urged an all-out effort during the drive, and described how the people of the U. S. can curb inflation, guard against possible depression, and provide economic security for themselves and the nation by investing in U. S. Savings Bonds.

Speakers included Dr. W. H. Irons, vice president and economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas; Nathan Adams of Dallas, Chairman of the Treasury's Advisory Committee for Texas; and Harry Owens of Dallas of Dallas state director of the Treasury's U. S. Savings Bonds Division.

WRITES HELD HERE FOR G. A. RAY

Last rites were conducted here Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church, for G. A. Ray, 58, of Roaring Springs, former Matador resident, who passed away Sunday at a Traweck Hospital, where he had been a patient the past two months.

Rev. R. L. Shannon of Meadow Texas, who was pastor of the Baptist church in the Floyd county community where the Ray family resided several years ago, conducted the services and interment was made in East Mound cemetery under direction of McDonald Funeral Home of Matador. Pallbearers were: Alfred Cooper, W. E. Bowen, Joe E. Campbell, Horace Redd, Bill McCaghen and Floyd Webb.

George Augustus Ray was born in Jack county, Texas, February 14, 1890 and died April 4, 1948 at Matador, Texas, at the age of 58 years, 1 month and 21 days. He was married in 1910 to Miss Josie Cowley, and to this union were born five children, all of whom survive. He was converted and joined the Baptist church in 1911, and was a devoted and loyal christian until claimed by death. He moved to this community with his family in 1930.

Besides his wife, he leaves to mourn his passing, two sons and three daughters. They are, Cecil Ray of Amarillo, Clyde Ray of Roaring Springs, Mrs. Carl Lane of Muleshoe, Mrs. Virgil Cooper of Whiteflat and Mrs. R. L. Webb of Matador.

COLQUET WARREN NAMED CHAIRMAN FOR CANCER FUND

HOUSTON—Colquet Warren of Matador has been named Motley county chairman of the American Cancer Society fund campaign.

This was announced here by former Governor W. P. Hobby, state chairman for the campaign which will be held throughout the state and nation during the month of April.

As county chairman he will serve the Texas Division of the Society as its head in the county, as well as director of the fund drive.

The April campaign is part of Cancer Control Month, designated by an Act of Congress and proclaimed by President Truman and Governor Beauford Jester as the official time for the Society's drive.

A three-fold program is supported by funds gathered during April. This is for education about the disease, service to the cancer patient, and research which may someday lead to elimination of this disease as America's number two killer.

VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wilson of Sweetwater, formerly of Matador, visited here over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves, who accompanied them on their return, with plans to continue to Brownwood to visit another daughter, Mrs. I. C. Hinson and family.

Burrell Tipton, also a former resident, accompanied the Wilsons here to be at the bedside of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tipton, who have been ill.

Meador Is Elected To Mayor's Office



Rev. Ray Stephens

A revival meeting, held simultaneously with other Baptist churches of District 9, will begin Sunday morning, April 11, with Rev. Ray Stephens, pastor of First Baptist church of McLean, above, doing the preaching and J. G. Leverett of Lubbock, in charge of the singing.

A series of cottage prayer services will be held in homes of church members Thursday and Friday evenings, in spiritual preparation for the revival.

These services will be held as follows: Thursday night, in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long and Mrs. C. P. Wayburn; Friday night, in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines and Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs. All members of the church are urged to attend a service each night at one of these homes.

Bank Will Soon Have 'New Look'

Matador's First State bank will soon have that new look, according to vice-president and cashier Elmer Stearns. A contract has been located for complete remodeling which will enlarge the present quarters to include the rent property now occupied by AAA office. The fixtures will be installed by the W. D. Collins bank fixture company of Denison.

Radical change will be in the lobby. Bank offices will be arranged against the north wall with lobby where present offices are located. The new fixtures will be the "clear-view" design, constructed of marble.

Architect's design of the modernized building is now on display in the bank. Lobby flooring will be composed of rubber blocks. Work is expected to start in the near future. No estimate of the cost of improvement was disclosed.

Work On New Power Line Is Scheduled

Special To The Tribune
CHILDRESS, April 1.—A construction program to bring additional electric power to Paducah, Matador and Turkey was announced today by Allan Shahan, district manager, West Texas Utilities Company. In keeping with the Company's policy of providing electric power in advance of anticipated needs, the WTUCo. will build thirty miles between Matador and Turkey.

The construction of this new line, which together with the switching and substation equipment will cost in excess of \$145,000, will begin within the near future. Survey crews will begin surveying the new line within the next few weeks and, contingent upon delivery of materials as now scheduled by manufacturers, the construction should be completed by September.

In announcing the construction program, Mr. Shahan pointed out that wartime restrictions and later material shortages had delayed the building of this new

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Largest Vote Ever Polled In Matador

Democracy exercised its power in Matador's Tuesday election. The largest number of voters ever to go to the polls in a city election, registered their democratic preferences and elected country editor Douglas Meador to the office of Mayor by the small margin of 42 votes.

There was no other issue and it was anybody's election until the polls closed. "Grapevine" information many times throughout the day declared that 12-year incumbent Mayor George T. Edwards was leading. "Fresh information" would give Meador the lead. Sotically and silently the voters continued to file in and out of the city hall voting box. Two absentee votes were cast.

Observers declare no other election in the county's history has paralleled the campaign and voting which placed for the first time a native son in the city's highest office. Meador was born in Matador. There was no "mud-slinging"; no speeches—no comment. Voters did not express themselves before the election. They simply went to the polls and voted their sentiments.

At seven o'clock Tuesday a total of 289 votes had been cast. Meador had received 165 and Edwards had 123 to his credit. One voter failed to designate either candidate and the ballot was discarded.

The other candidates running without opposition, received almost the full strength of the balloting. Howard Edmondson was reelected to the office of city secretary with 285, and Bob Johnson was reelected to the office of city marshal with 280 votes. Two ex-servicemen, Albert Rattan and O. V. Johnson were elected without opposition to fill the offices of two retiring aldermen, M. S. Patton and W. N. Pipkin. Rattan received 245 votes and Johnson 250. The two candidates failed to receive the full vote because of misunderstanding of voters to vote for two instead of one.

Soon In Office

Within an hour after the polls closed the tired publisher had been sworn into office by former Mayor Edwards, and proceeded to conduct his first meeting of the council.

First official act of the new mayor was to receive a motion that he refund to the city treasurer the \$50 monthly salary which the office pays. In the same motion nightwatchman Bob Johnson received a \$25 per month raise in salary this salary was raised from \$125 per month to \$150. Meador declared that Bert Chambliss will also receive a raise for his services in cleaning city streets and trash pickup. However, Chambliss is on a contract basis and his advance in pay will be arranged at the next meeting of the council.

Business of the council consisted of approving the new tax rate (from \$1.15 to \$1.35) to retire the new \$60,000 street improvement bond issue (tax rate of \$1.15 was established in 1939) City secretary Howard Edmondson was authorized to purchase five new 50-foot lengths of fire hose to replace the same amount of old, rotted hose now on the fire truck. Monthly accounts for city operation were approved for payment.

Audit of city books will be made in the near future by J. Tom Hamilton and complete report of city receipts and expenditures will be published (at no expense to the city).

SOIL-BUILDING TO EARN \$45,878 FOR COUNTY FARMERS

Total of \$45,878 was earned in 1947 by Motley county farmers for carrying out soil-building practices according to an announcement made this week by R. H. Alexander, manager of the local ACA office. The amount was earned by 214 producers whose practices were approved by the county committee. Of the total amount, \$33,295 was received by local contractors for building terraces, diversion terraces, earthen dams and digging wells.

Producers have to date received 134 soil conservation checks totaling \$15,425 and the remainder of the payments are expected in the near future.

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GOVERNOR BIDS "GOD-SPEED" TO SAFETY TOUR OF TEXAS MOTOR TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION



Pointing out that if all Texans observed "Courtesy and Safety" on the highways, Governor Beauford H. Jester tells Erwin Zunker, "Driver of the Month," that the accident frequency could be slashed in half. The picture was taken in Austin as the Texas Motor Transportation Association started a statewide safety tour to visit 66 cities. The safety exhibit consists of a truck-trailer combination containing equipment on which drivers will be given free tests in each city visited. Public demonstrations will be held, and the message of safety carried to many thousands of Texans in a practical way. The Department of Public Safety is cooperating with the transportation association on the safety tour.

STANLEY CLINIC

Those undergoing appendectomies at the Clinic recently included: Richard Martin, March 31, Miss Alpha McFall of Quitaque on April 5, and Miss Anna B. Chambliss on April 6.

Mrs. A. J. Daffern presented Mrs. Jackson to the group.

At the conclusion of the program, delicious salad plate refreshments with coffee, were served to the following: Mrs. O. B. Jackson, Plainview; Mrs. W. H. Tittle and Linda Jane Denny of Childress; Mesdames W. F. Jacobs, R. P. Moore, C. D. Pipkin, Fannie Jenkins, Henry Ford Harry Willett, Eldon Reedy, Guy Kimbell, Maude Dean, Walter McWilliams, Maude Vinson, Ted Steen, James Meador, H. H. Schweitzer, A. J. Daffern, John Hamilton, Albert Rattan, J. R. Whitworth, Misses Roberta and Ethel Jameson, and the hostess.

John Lee returned Monday after a visit with relatives in Alida and Portales, New Mexico. C. E. Soderstrom of Floydada, former Matador resident, has been quite ill, according to information received here this week. His condition is declared improved at present.

LEGAL NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 3, Title 4 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, as amended by the 41st Legislature, the Governor of the State of Texas has appointed a Pink Bollworm Commission which will meet at the County Courtroom at Lubbock, Texas, on Thursday, April 22, 1948 at 10:00 A. M. for the purpose of receiving information from all interested parties which will enable them to make appropriate recommendations to the Governor of the State of Texas for the adoption of necessary measures to combat this dangerous cotton insect pest.

The following counties are involved in the meeting:

Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, Lynn Garza, Reagan.

J. E. McDonald,

Ex-Officio Secretary

Pink Bollworm Commission

MRS. JACKSON IS GUEST SPEAKER AT W.S.C.S. MEETING

Mrs. O. B. Jackson of Plainview, Conference secretary of Status of Women, was guest speaker here Monday night at a meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service which was held in the home of Mrs. G. E. Hamilton. Mrs. Jackson spoke on the subject, "Civil Rights."

Mrs. Albert Rattan was leader of the program which was opened by prayer by Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer. Music included a xyloimba duet by Mrs. John Hamilton and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, and a vocal duet, "All on the Altar" by Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth. Piano accompaniment for both numbers was played by Miss Roberta Jameson.

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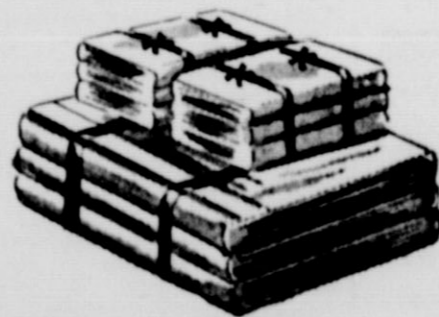
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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jacobs of Dallas visited a few days last week with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jacobs. Mrs. Bob Martin accompanied her sister, Mrs. John Slater and daughter, Trula Jo, of Amarillo to Abilene Wednesday returning Friday. Penn Howell of Spur visited with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carpenter last week.

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Church and Social Activities

Telephones 123 and 156

INTERMEDIATES ARE GUESTS THURSDAY AT APRIL'S FOOL PARTY

Everything was backward or upside-down for the Intermediate department of the Baptist Sunday School when the members and their guests met last Thursday night for an April's Fool party, in the church basement.

Upon arrival everyone was instructed to change apparel to wear either backward, or wrong side-out, which resulted in grotesque appearances, as several even changed their shoes to the wrong foot.

Games included a backward spelling match with the winners receiving dunce caps, an upside-down writing contest, a left-handed, backward potato race, Postoffice (April's Fool style), concluding with a true or false test with questions based on Sunday School lessons during the past quarter.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cocoa and cookies were served to the following young people, teachers and officers: Lillian Woods, Sara Springer, Doris Ann Doss, Jean Hines, June Neighbors, Patti Pipkin, Joan Florence, Carolyn Rattan, Frances Casey, Dorothy Rattan, Daisy Mae Bird, Norman Neighbors, Charles Woods, Kenneth Dunning, Bourland Keith; Mesdames Elmer Stearns, Clarence Kifer, Dick Groves, and Ben Meador and the pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts.

Mrs. Willie is Guest Speaker at Crowell

Mrs. U. L. Willie, Citizenship Chairman of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was guest speaker at Crowell recently, before a combined meeting of the clubs of that city.

A luncheon preceding the meeting, and a tea following the program were courtesies extended Mrs. Willie for her appearance on that occasion.

VISITS FROM TIPTON

Mrs. Lemmie Day of Tipton, Oklahoma visited here briefly with relatives and friends last week. Mrs. Day was honored at a dinner given at Waybourn's cafe last Thursday evening with Mesdames Claud Harp, Warren Clements, and Ruby Cooper as hostesses.

ATTEND CONCERT

Mrs. L. Wilkerson, Mrs. J. G. Ketchersid and daughter, Barbara drove to Amarillo Thursday night March 25 to attend a concert where they heard screen star, Jeanette McDonald sing.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends in Matador and vicinity we want to take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation and gratitude for the words of comfort, acts of kindness and sympathy which were shown to us in our dark hour of need. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.

Mrs. H. B. Stephens and Children.

ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mrs. A. L. Barton and son, Wilson Barton of Flomot attended funeral services at Canyon Thursday for a cousin, Alfred Woods, 47, who died March 30 in a hospital there.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Shirley of Hale Center and former residents of Roaring Springs visited with relatives and friends in Roaring Springs and Matador over the week-end. Mrs. Shirley will be remembered as the former Viola Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Higgins have returned from Duncan, Oklahoma after a week's visit with their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Davis.

FLOMOT NEWS

Mrs. H. V. Cromer and children spent last week-end with Mr. Cromer at Ables Sanitarium in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tanner spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Young and family of Lovington, N. M.

Melvin and Evelyn Pope of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Pope.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Pope and children visited her parents at Newlin, Sunday.

Ima Nell Gunn, Trulla Dell Gilbert and Calvin Monk, students at West Texas State College, Canyon, were home for the recent holidays.

Mrs. A. L. Tanner and Mrs. Perry Barham spent last week in the Frank Garrett home in Plainview.

Harrison George was in Plainview Friday, attending to business.

The freshman play, sponsored by Wilbern Martin, was a big success, according to those who attended.

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- If there is no scrap dealer near you, call your implement dealer. Ask him how to get your scrap started toward the steel furnaces.

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Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Mrs. Fred Simpson attended the 8th Annual Conference of the Woman's Society of Christian Service, which convened at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper over the weekend.

V. F. W. Motley County Memorial Post No. 4286, meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 8 p.m. at the court room, Matador, Texas. All eligible ex-service men are invited to attend.

are brothers of Mrs. Cooper. Dr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss Jr and daughter of Levelland visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Moss over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Payne and son of Midwest City, Oklahoma are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burt this week. W. L. Shouse of Fort Worth visited his sister, Mrs. I. L. Sanford in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Miller Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim Jr. and boys made a business trip to Paducah Tuesday.

Mrs. H. W. Keahey and Miss Freda Keahey visited in Wichita Falls over the week-end. Mrs. Lem Miller and Mrs. Bertha Stearns shopped in Lubbock Saturday.

A. Hill and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hill and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hill and family and

W. R. LEIGH MAKES AMERICA'S FABULOUS WEST LIVE AGAIN IN EXCITING ART SHOW!



"The Killer." Mr. Leigh's factual interpretation of how the cougar of our Western plains kills horses that roam the plain. It is a legend among cattlemen that no human has ever seen the cougar kill his prey, the horse, and the artist's conception, based on extensive research, coincides with that of Will James, that other lover and recorder of our fast disappearing wild and woolly West.

William R. Leigh, whose Indian and western paintings record an integral part of American history as nostalgic as a Will James "Western," opens another of his stimulating exhibitions at the Grand Central Art Galleries, Grand Central Terminal, 15 Vanderbilt Avenue, New York City, April 13 through 24, to which the public is invited.

Today when Americanism in the best sense is held out as a beacon to other less fortunate nations, Mr. Leigh's exhibition is like turning back through enchanting pages of American history and having them come to life vitally and accurately.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Hill and family of Lubbock, The Messrs. Hill Rollers Have Guests

Easter Sunday was enjoyed by a large group of friends and relatives, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roller of Roaring Springs. Eighty-three guests were present for the day, bringing well-filled baskets for the dinner. During the afternoon the children enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

The exhibition is a large and comprehensive panorama of Mr. Leigh's work. In addition to characteristic cowboy and Indian paintings, there will be seventy oils done in Africa by Mr. Leigh when he accompanied Carl Akeley to paint studies for the habitat groups of the Akeley African Hall at the Museum of Natural History and on the Carlisle-Clark Expedition. Also fifty-two black and white drawings, never before exhibited in New York, of African animals and landscapes used in Mr. Leigh's book, "Frontiers of Enchantment," published by Simon & Schuster in 1940.

Children of Mr. and Mrs. Roller who were present with their families included: Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hull and children of Laraze; Mrs. Ralph Nichols and children of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Henley and children of Afton; Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Robbins and children; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Roller; Mr. and Mrs. Avery Payne and children; Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Payne and daughter; Vester, Jessie Earl and A. L. Roller all of Roaring Springs. Friends present included Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lefevre, Mrs. Mae Fletcher, Bro. and Mrs. Woodrow Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. James and Martha Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Johnson and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McNelly and son, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon James and children, Mr. and Mrs. Freudenrich and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Pierce and

Necessity of Reading Medicine Labels Is Stressed by Doctor

"Too much emphasis cannot be placed upon the need for reading labels on drugs and medicines before taking them," says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. "Frequent reports are received of accidents, some of them fatal, affecting people who have formed the hazardous habit of taking medicines without carefully reading the labels."

Equally dangerous in the habit of taking medicine after the directions on the label have become obliterated, which many do, thinking that they can remember what the bottle contained. Reaching for a bottle and taking medicine in the dark is another dangerous practice. It is important to remember that the law requires labels to be attached to drugs and medicines in order to protect the public. Dr. Cox urges people to follow the simple rule of reading the label before using anything from a carton or a bottle, either as food or medicine. In brief, his advice to the public is: "Be sure you know what you are taking, and when you are in doubt - DON'T TAKE IT."

TO AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Duncan made a trip to Amarillo Wednesday to be at the bedside of their grandson. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Marvin Page who is visiting here from Texas City.

children, Irvin Lefevre and sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Tooke, and daughter and Grandma Mitchell, Melba Jo, Carolyn Sue Dawson and brother, Bennie Goss, Bud Johnson, Howard Tooke, Calvin Johnson and Misses Peggy Henley, Elsie Mae Palmer, Dimple Payne and Betty Vandecar.

Students Organize To Combat Cancer And Heart Diseases

Eight hundred students enrolled in Abilene Christian College, Abilene, Texas, have organized the first collegiate Anti-Cancer Anti-Heart Disease Society ever founded in the United States. The society is in effect an anti-smoking group. Its purpose is to show, through the results of scientific research, the effects of tobacco on the human body and thus discourage the use of tobacco products. Such research shows that 80 malconditions of the body are caused or aggravated by the use of tobacco.

President of the society is senior student Numa V. Crowder of Indian Creek, Texas. A majority of the students in Abilene Christian College became members of the society at its organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bird visited in Lubbock Friday and Saturday with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Bird.

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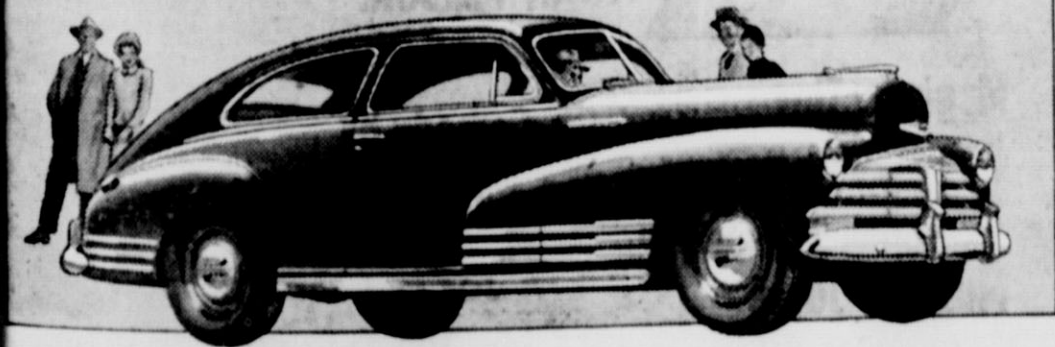
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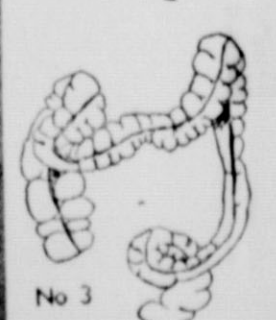
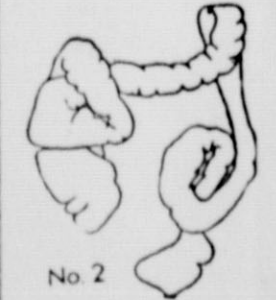
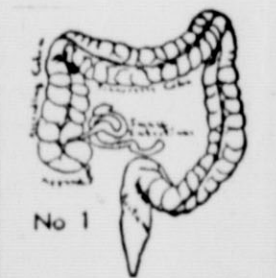
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General Meeting Held By Baptist Brotherhood, WMU

Two outstanding programs were given Tuesday night at the Baptist church when the W. M. U. and Brotherhood met for regular monthly meetings which were held following a covered dish supper.

Rev. Ray Reiley, pastor of

First Baptist Church, Quitaque, brought an inspirational message to the Brotherhood on the subject "Robbing God" as related to Soul Winning. "Men are robbing God in prayer and in unbelief," he declared in stressing that more time and prayer must be given by Christians, and that more men must become soul winners.

Twenty members and visitors attended the Brotherhood.

A unique program on world need was presented by members of the Henrietta Shuck Circle in the W. M. U. meeting. Subject

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PROCLAIMS CANCER CONTROL MONTH



Governor Beauford Jester is shown here as he signed a proclamation in behalf of The American Cancer Society, Texas Division, setting aside the month of April as Cancer Control Month. He called upon Texans to "support fully The American Cancer Society's program of research, education, and service." Shown with Governor Jester, left to right, are Frank C. Smith, Houston, president of the Texas Division; Will Mann Richardson, III, Austin, Travis County chairman for the April campaign; Col. Ike Ashburn, Austin, District Seven chairman of the Society, and Dr. John D. Weaver, Austin, member of the Society's executive committee.

was, "That They Might Live" with Mrs. Howe Hines as leader. Unusual feature of the program was the manner in which it was presented. A large "book" with the program subject printed on the cover, was opened by the leader as she introduced each "chapter" which was given by a member, who was framed by the upper half of the "fly leaf." The chapters were given as follows: Compassion, Mrs. J. E. Edwards; World Need, Mrs. Lee Burns; We Care and Share, Mrs. Forrest Campbell; Gratitude, Mrs. Dick Groves; and Not Weary in Well Doing, Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Jr.

Following the program Mrs. J. L. Woodruff, president, conducted a business session. Twenty-two women were present. The following attended the two meetings: Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Groves, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barton Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Farris Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Campbell, Eddie Russell, Rev. Clifford Potts, Rev. Ray Reiley, and Messdames Clarence Kifer, Velma Fulfer, C. P. Waybourn, Ed Cammack, J. L. Woodruff, Lee Burns and Ben Meador.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

POLITICAL Announcements

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

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

For State Representative, 11st District:
A. J. Rogers (Veteran)
Clarence L. Darter

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

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

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Velma Fulfer

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

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

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

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

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

Patti and Don B., and W. F. and Wanda! What fun! For such a swell party, too bad there weren't more Seniors there!

By the way, L. C. and Barbara were a-datin' Friday nite and also Sunday!! Oh, those college kids—tsk, tsk!!

What's this? Has Jody Graham suddenly got a heart interest? Or were Jody and Barbara Spray just talkin' about that cute Senior Play that nite? Your guess is as good as mine!

Now that just couldn't have been James and Joy together at the Preview could it? Ain't this spring fever grand!! (When you're not at school, anyway—that's the best!)

Melba Jane and Billy John York and Shirley E. and Bobby Lee York are still goin' strong! Or so it seems—they were at church this time!

So long, kids.
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Kampus Klatter

The question is—Who was Coach Amonett's date last Friday nite??? What happened to Norman Seigler's brand new football jacket? Watch the Kampus Klatter next week and find out, if you don't sooner!

It is rumored that one of those shrub trees around Phillips 66 is a good hidin' place for a certain couple!

Couples seen at the Legion party were: Joy and James,

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MHS! He's a nice lookin', blonde headed boy named Emroy Howell! Everyone at least the girls know all this but there might be someone who doesn't know all about this boy! Rumors say that a week ago June Neighbors was seen with him and just the other nite he sat with Geraldine Waybourn at the show! What a boy!!

It seems that Marcia G. had a very good time at Spur this week-end! Could one of those twins have had something to do with it??

Looks like Shirley and Murrell have become steadies! This week was a very full one for them as far as dates are concerned!

Some of the dates at the preview Saturday were: Leo and

Joyce; Joy and James and Bonner and Annette. What fun! And what's this? Looks like Norman Seigler and June Spray were together Saturday nite. Cute couple, don't you think so? But what about Norman's football jacket and the girl Coach was with??

Well, Coach was with Katie Pope, a sister of Shirley's, and Norman gave his jacket to a cute girl named Jovina from Eden. Now what do ya' think of that?

And where could Dorothy E. and Bob J. and Sibyl J. and Chip have gone Saturday but to Podunk (Paducah)! My-my! What could be so interesting there?

So long.
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Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Bourland of Lubbock visited relatives in Matador and Flomot over the week-end.

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News Briefs

(Delayed)

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Bertha Jackson over the Easter holidays were: Mrs. Walter Wayne and children, Roger and Kathryn of Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hawk and daughter, Carolyn Gail of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shirley, Mrs. C. T. Gaines and Miss Louise Landrum of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Bearden and daughters, Dorothy and Leah spent the week-end visiting in Anson with relatives.

Mrs. Edith Sanders and daughter and son, Margaret and Thomas, of Lubbock, former Matador residents, visited here Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Springer. Miss Sarah Springer accompanied them back to Lubbock Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patton of Hale Center visited here Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton, after attending sunrise Easter services at Plainview.

Mrs. L. V. Vivian and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Vivian and children of Spur spent Easter holidays at Muleshoe with Mr. and Mrs. Dargy Horsey. Mrs. Vivian also visited in Lubbock with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Coke.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts spent Easter holidays visiting in Austin with their son and daughter-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Norman Merle Pitts.

Guests Frolic at Gay Nineties Party



It was a gay time for members of El Progreso Study Club and their husbands, when the above pictures were made at Matador ranch headquarters February 26, when a "Gay Nineties" party was in full swing, with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stevens as hosts.

In the top picture of a wedding performed by parson Jake Edwards, J. Farris Fish, (left) is the trembling groom, while Mrs. John Hamilton (right) is the bride, given in marriage by G. E. Hamilton. At far right of the picture, is shotgun held by Rufus Emmons, who thoughtfully added that touch of drama to the scene.

Center of attraction in the lower picture are Mr. and Mrs. Jake Edwards. At extreme left is Johnny Stevens. Next are Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, Rufus Emmons, and Willis Cooper (holding sheet of music). At far right are Dick Groves and Frank Pohl, and seated is Mrs. Bill Pipkin, with little Sandra Stevens.—Photos by Douglas Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bloodworth accompanied by her father, J. C. Kennedy left Saturday for San Angelo where they visited with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Bloodworth returned Sunday while Mr. Kennedy remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker visited during the Easter holidays at College Station with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James R. Neblett.

Colored School News

COLORED SCHOOL NEWS
 El Progreso Study Club donated more than 150 books and 160 magazines to the colored school library recently. The teachers and pupils, as well as the officers of the P.T. A. wish to express their appreciation to the club for this fine collection of books and magazines.

Early in the season our own P.T. A. purchased a \$60 set of reference books for the school. The teachers and pupils are making preparations to take part in the District League to be held at Lubbock, April 2. Principal Mitchell is one of the officers of the League.

Mrs. Norris has organized the women of the community into a Home Demonstration Club with Mrs. Ernestine Beckwith as president. Mrs. W. S. Mitchell, who is secretary of the State Home Demonstration Council will be helpful in the work of this club.

The patrons of the community have pledged themselves to cooperate with the Board of Trustees and superintendent in securing a new school building for another year.

Mrs. J. S. Stanley and daughters, and Mrs. M. Mitchell, visited their mother in McAlisterville, Oklahoma, over the week-end.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas County of Motley TO THOSE INDEBTED TO, OR HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF C. W. WHITAKER, DECEASED.

The undersigned having been duly appointed executrix of the Estate of C. W. Whitaker, Deceased, late of Motley County, Texas, by W. R. Cammack, Judge of the County Court of said County on the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1948, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence, Flomot, Motley County, Texas, where she receives her mail, this 25th day of March A. D. 1948.

Nannie Whitaker, Executrix of the Estate of C. W. Whitaker, Deceased. April 1, 8, 15, 22

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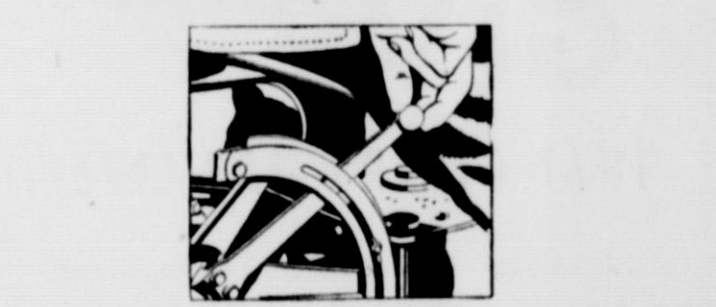
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Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Birchfield were Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children and Mrs. Florence Fogerson of Silvertown, Mr. and Mrs. Tede Blackshear of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Birchfield and son, Red, of Tee Pee Flat and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Birchfield and Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day and son and Mrs. E. A.



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OLD fashioned washing methods really made Monday a blue Monday for the housewife who hand-rubbed her clothes or used an outmoded mechanical washing machine.

But it's different today—electric service has helped take the blues out of blue Monday. Today, you just push a button and Reddy Kilowatt, your electric servant, will wash as many as three tubs of clothes for just one penny.

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SAME FIGHT, NEW LOCALE—Conclusion of committee hearings on tidelands legislation shifts the issue to the floor of House and Senate, with these Texans out in front in the states' insistence on a clear title to submerged coastal lands. Shown as the hearings closed in Washington are, left to right, front row,

Sam Rayburn, Senator Tom Connally and Congressman Lyndon Johnson, Austin; second row, Congressman Wright Patman, Texas; John D. McCall, Dallas, member of the Texas Bar tidelands committee, Congressman J. M. Combs, Beaumont, and Robert Lee Bobbitt, San Antonio, chairman of the State Bar committee.

FREE MEMBERSHIP: Buy a cup of coffee, register and receive a free membership card to the Coffee Gulpers' Club.

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BILL WAYBOURN, Mgr.
MATADOR, TEXAS

COFFEE TIME is anytime at Waybourn's, but if you drop around about 10 each morning, you'll see Who's Who among local business men and women gulping and discussing. Join them and you'll be a member of the Coffee Gulpers Club. (Incidentally, the perfectly brewed coffee is the best money can buy.)

Representative For Social Security To Be Here Wednesday

Elliott W. Adams, Social Security Administration Representative will be in Matador at the First State Bank at 2:00 p. m. on Wednesday, April 14, for the purpose of answering any questions you may have on social security; discussing possible benefits and taking claims from persons who seem to be entitled to benefits; and taking applications for social security account number cards.

Are you losing social security payments every month? Mr. Adams, manager of the Lubbock social security office, said today that the Social Security Administration is anxious to protect the interests of all workers and their families, but that his office cannot do this unless workers aged 65 and the families of deceased workers make sure to contact promptly the social security office at 1311 Texas Ave., Lubbock, Texas. No payments can be made without a signed application.

Math Barkley, Tech student, was home over the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Barkley. Bobby Reeves, Tech students were home Tuesday for a day visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp and Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves.

Strip-Cropping Is Successful
Shifting soil does not permit very much growth. The Federal Government, through the cooperation of the Motley County ACA Committee is offering assistance to the farmers who will strip crop to help hold their loose, sandy soil. Strip cropping sorghums with cotton provides a much needed wind barrier to help hold the soil in place and gives the crops a much better chance for growth. Motley county has several farms on which strip-cropping has proved very successful. One of these is the farm of Perry Neil, in the Folley community.

The daughter has convinced me that it's much harder to get babies to go to sleep after they are sixteen years of age.

NOTICE OF NEW LOCATION
Real Estate office formerly on courthouse square, now located over First State Bank
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APRIL 8 and 9

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"SWAMP WATER"

One Meat Brawl

— SATURDAY ONLY —

APRIL 10

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SUNDAY and MONDAY

APRIL 11 and 12

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Hobo-Bo-Bo — News

TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY

APRIL 13 and 14

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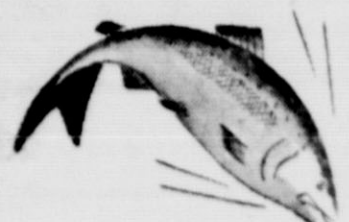
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ARRIVING DAILY
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PRICES ON ALL MERCHANDISE HAVE BEEN REDUCED

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Famous Fighter . . .

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program was an interesting address on the history of United States presidents by Lion G. E. Hamilton.

Starting his talk with the creation of the Constitution, described, he declared as the "greatest charter for human liberty ever penned by the hand of man". Lion Hamilton presented many interesting facts in the lives of this nation's leaders. He said the average term of office of Republican presidents has been about four years while the average term of office for Democratic presidents has been eight years. Seven past presidents of the United States have died in the month of August. No president has ever been ousted from office. No president has ever been divorced from his wife. Three presidents, Jefferson, Adams and Monroe, have died on the 4th day of July. 21 of the nation's presidents have been lawyers.

POWER LINE . . .

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line. That in order to anticipate the phenomenal growth of the Paducah, Matador, Turkey area, estimated forty-five per cent population increase since 1940, the Company, as early as October, 1946, placed firm orders for construction materials — construction prior to that time was not permitted under wartime restrictions.

The 105,000 pounds of wire to be used on the line was ordered, Mr. Shahan said, October 29, 1946, and is only now being delivered. The suspension insulators, 9,500 of them, were also ordered in October, 1946, and the earliest promised delivery date is late August, 1948—nearly two years after the order was placed.

This new construction will provide Paducah, Matador and Turkey with "loop" service whereby power can be supplied from two directions and from several central generating stations; thus, insuring an abundant and continuous supply of electric power.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION

Mrs. R. F. Thornton, who has been ill the past 16 months in a paralytic condition, is a patient in Stanley Clinic and her condition is declared critical. At her bedside the past three weeks has been her daughter, Mrs. Jesse Love of Borger, who was joined here over the week-end by her husband, and son, Doyle. Mrs. Love has also been ill since coming here.

VISITORS HERE

Visitors here this week in the home of U. L. Willie, were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Willie of Seattle, Washington. From here they went to Valley Mills for a visit with her relatives.

Former Whiteflat Resident Succumbs

Tragedy struck for the second time in the family of Mrs. H. B. Stephens of Whiteflat, Sunday, April 4 at Farwell, Texas when Mrs. Joe Donaldson, daughter of Mrs. Stephens and mother of Mrs. Frank Edwards of Whiteflat passed away in a hospital there after suffering a stroke on March 27.

Pearl Stephens was born at Red Oak, Texas, November 15, 1886 and died April 4, 1948 at the age of 61 years, 4 months and 19 days.

She was married to Joe Donaldson in 1906 in Collin county. They came to Motley county about 1910 and remained until 1926 when they moved to the Plains. At the age of 13 she was converted and joined the Baptist church and she had lived a devoted christian life.

To this union 13 children were born 11 of whom survive. They are: Mrs. Frank Edwards of Whiteflat; Mrs. Clyde Sparks of Texaco, N. M.; Mesdames Hugh Tucker, Jess Terry, Joe McWilliams, Arnold Rhomas, Charlie Rhomas, Harold Carpenter, J. C. Foone and Windley Christian of Farwell and one son Sterling Donaldson also of Farwell. Her husband preceded her in death in 1938. One son died at infancy and another in October of 1946. Other survivors are: Her mother Mrs. H. B. Stephens; four brothers and two sisters, Cliff and Earl Stephens of Matador; Joe Stephens of Amarillo; Marvin Stephens and Mrs. Beulah Jameson of Whiteflat and Mrs. Charlie Lee of Afton. Also 20 grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist church and burial at the Oklahoma Lane Cemetery. Those attending the funeral from here were: Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunning and Earl Stephens of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Stephens, Mrs. Beulah Jameson, Mrs. H. B. Stephens and Mrs. Cordie Stephens and H. A. of Whiteflat; and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon of Roaring Springs.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our profound gratitude to friends and neighbors for words of comfort, acts of kindness and sympathy which were so much consolation to us in the passing of our beloved husband and father. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you, is our earnest prayer.
Mrs. G. A. Ray and Family
Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Seigler and son Bruce, of Kirkland, visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. A. J. Groves, and other relatives.
Mrs. Pat Sheridan, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. M. Jackson, made a business trip to Quanah Wednesday.

Junior Class Will Present "Three Old Maid Aunts"

The Junior class of Matador High School under the direction of class sponsor, Biss Moss, will present a three act comedy, "Three Old Maid Aunts" at the high school auditorium Monday evening, April 12, at 7:45 p. m.

The following characters are portrayed in the comedy: Aunt Harriet, the dominating aunt, is played by Sarah Springer; Aunt Geraldine, the man hating aunt, Patti Pipkin; Aunt Samantha, the "sickly" aunt, Geraldine Waybourn; Patsy, their browbeaten niece, Frances Casey; Larry Bell Patsy's suitor, Norman Seigler; Uncle Ed, the big game hunter, Billy Jo Whitaker; Mr. Arnold, the legal adviser, Truman Groves; Greta, the maid, June Spray Diane; Patsy's friend, Rosemary Bloodworth; Prof. Carlhoff, from the institution for insane, Billy Smallwood; and Miss Davis, a reporter, Dorothy Trausek. The admission is 25 and 50 cents and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. J. S. Stanley and daughters, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. M. Mitchell, visited relatives in McAllister, Oklahoma over the week-end.

Ralph Horton of Carlsbad, N. M., arrived here Friday to join his wife and baby daughter, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clements. They left Friday afternoon for Lawton for a week-end visit with his parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bloodworth attended a ginners convention in Dallas last week, returning home Monday after a brief visit to Galveston.

in the Want-Ads

- FOR SALE:** Electric motors for sewing machines. Also repairs for most makes of machines. See A. B. Fulkerson. ctn.
- TILE:** For sale at the F&L Cafe, 5 by 8 by 12, price 13 cents each. 2tc
- FOR SALE:** 3 room house and 3 lots. Raymond Locke, Ray's Service Station. 3tc
- FOR SALE:** International model B Farmall Tractor, complete with 2 row lister, planter and cultivator. T B's equipment has been used very little and is good as new. Leonard Crowell, Flomot, Texas. ctn
- FOR SALE:** Stalk Cutters—4-row Power-lift, \$130; 4-row Drag-type \$120; 4-row Power-lift \$105; 4-row Drag-type \$97.50; Go-Devils 4-row type \$110; 8-row Sand Fighters \$120. The above are All Steel and guaranteed. We built the first All Steel Stalk Cutters and were built Phares & Williams, 2209 Ave. H, Lubbock, Texas.
- FOR SALE:** 1941 Chevrolet Special Deluxe coupe. In good mechanical condition, body paint job, priced to sell. Bert Reeves.
- FOR SALE:** 2-piece living room suite, mahogany coffee table, secretary-desk, large 2-piece walnut dining room suite, 5 octave Wurlitzer student piano mahogany. All in good condition. Call or see Mrs. Bill Newman, Dougherty, Texas. 2tc
- FOR SALE:** Electric Singer sewing machine, price \$125.00. Luther Green, Matador. 2tc
- LOST:** White bear, weight 130, from Johnny Vaughn. Lost about ten days ago. If found notify B. C. Davis, Matador.
- HELP WANTED:** Presser for ladies or men's clothing. For experienced lady presser, but experience not necessary. If you are willing to work, we will teach you. Day by Day Cleaners, Matador. 2tc
- FOR RENT:** One No. 8 Windmill Terracer, slightly used, \$450.00. Matador Implements Company, Matador, Texas. 4tc
- FOR RENT:** Bedroom or no room apartment, next to bath, with private entrance. See Patton.
- FOR SALE:** Sweet Sudan seed, grown 1947 from State Certified seed. No Johnson grass and good as Sudan seed on grow. Leonard Crowell, Flomot, Texas. 2tc
- FOR SALE:** Six room house and 3 lots, south east part of Matador. Mrs. Walter Evans and Mrs. B. F. Jackson. ctn
- FOR SALE:** Jersey Milk cow, 7 years old, give 31 to 4 gallons day, \$150. C. E. Harris. 2tc
- FOR SALE:** Frigidaire electric stove, \$170. Claud Morrison, Roaring Springs. 2tc
- FOR SALE:** Flat top desk, no 3042. Matador National Farm Loan Association. ctn
- FOR SALE:** 5 room house and lots in north Matador. E. A. Seay. ctn

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THAT OTHERS MAY LIVE!

The American Cancer Society Drive for Funds extends through the month of April.

Since one of the main features of our program is educational, we will have a program for each High School in Motley County. The Research Division of the American Cancer Society is making satisfactory progress in working out a test for the detection of cancer in its earliest stage—in which stage the most effective treatment can be given—and everyone is urged to consult his Doctor regularly for a check up, in this way we can do our part to help our Doctor help us.

Let us all join in the efforts of the American Cancer Society to overcome this disease which kills one person every three minutes in The United States. If our team Captains fail to see you, please forward your contributions to Noble Groves, Matador.

MOTLEY COUNTY CHAPTER AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY

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Klenzo Nylon Tooth Brush

Kreso Dip 5 Gal. \$8.50

DR. HESS

POULTRY or HOG TONIC

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\$2.98

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