

Voters Sanction Street Paving

County Doubles Red Cross Roll Call Quota In "Two-Hour Drive" Only 19 Votes Oppose Issue

Roaring Springs Needs Only 1 Hour

FASTEST annual Red Cross roll call drive in the history of Motley county was completed Wednesday between the hours of 10 a. m. and noon. County chapter roll call Chairman Ben Keltz said late yesterday that he believed the assigned quota of 664 would be doubled when all reports were counted.

Fastest community solicitation was at Roaring Springs where the drive was over 30 minutes after it had started. Henry Teague, community chairman, estimated that the total contribution there might be \$300. Matador had raised \$911 at noon more than the county's quota), Mr. Keltz declared.

All work in the Roaring Springs drive for contributions was conducted by women of the community.

Mr. Keltz said reports were still to be received from Flomot and Northfield communities.

Altho Motley county has always exceeded its quota in Red Cross drives, it has frequently in the past required weeks to complete solicitations. The "two hour drive" was conceived by Mr. Keltz who set about organizing the various communities or its execution. In an earlier statement he declared, "there is no need to spend a lot of time explaining the benefits of the American Red Cross—they are already known and there is no need taking all the time usually consumed in a fund drive."

Mr. Keltz also expressed profound appreciation to all workers for their cooperation in putting the drive over. "Without the loyal support and cooperation of chairmen and their helpers, we could not of course have succeeded in making this a 'two-hour drive'."

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Junior Stock Show Plans Are Drafted

TO SPEAK HERE



Dr. Joe Z. Tower, above, pastor of First Methodist Church of Wichita Falls, will lecture here next Thursday night, March 11, on the subject of "Mental Hygiene", under sponsorship of El Progresso club and Matador Parent-Teacher Association.

The lecture will be held in the high school auditorium, and will begin at 7.30. Tickets are on sale at 50 cents and proceeds above expenses in connection with the program will be divided between the two sponsoring organizations.

Dr. Taylor has lectured on "Mental Hygiene" before various organizations, and is declared an authority on the subject.

Annual Father-Son Banquet Has Profit

Annual Father-Son banquet held here, after a series of delays, February 24, showing a net profit of \$166.81 according to a report made public at the Tuesday Lions meeting by co-chairman Douglas Pitts. Total revenue was \$497.75 with expenses of \$330.94. It was feared for a time that the banquet might be staged this year at a loss because of the advance in the prices of foods. The organization, sponsored by the Lions is nonprofit and the amount collected this year above costs will be held in reserve for future banquets, or contributed to some community cause.

Lamesa Judge Is Candidate For Place In Senate

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Judge Kilmer B. Corbin of Lamesa for the office of State Senator, 30th District, and subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 24.

Regarding his candidacy, Judge Corbin made the following statement: "Whether or not the people of this great section are able to take advantage of opportunity which this new era will offer depends largely upon the strength of their voice in state government and I want to have a part in strengthening that voice."

The 28 year old Dawson County, who is now serving his third term as County Judge of his home county without opposition, opened his active campaign by lashing out at the system which has existed in the past, to give politicians, who are tools of the special interest groups, almost complete control of the State Legislature.

The Senatorial aspirant, who was reared on a Dawson county farm, educated in the schools there, Texas Technological College, and the University of Texas Law School, called on voters

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STAFFORDS BUY MARVIN'S CAFE

A Matador cafe merger was consummated last week when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stafford purchased Marvin's cafe on south Main St. from Marvin Vaughn, and closed their former location, Rosa's cafe three doors west of the postoffice. The name of the former Marvin's cafe has been changed to Rosa's cafe. Amount involved in the transaction was not disclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford, who assumed management Sunday, said they were gratified with the deal.

Mr. Vaughn, who has been in the cafe business here about seven years, made no announcement of his future plans.

Mother Of Former Resident Succumbs

Word was received here recently, advising of the death of Mrs. Lillie Taylor, mother of former resident, Mrs. C. A. Pitts now of Mason, Texas. Mrs. Taylor died February 13 at Mrs. Pitts' home, and was buried at her former home, McCamey.

Mrs. Taylor will be remembered by many here, having visited in Matador on extended occasions, when Mr. and Mrs. Pitts lived here.

Lions Speaker Declares Nation Doomed To Perish Unless Morals Are Rectified

"From the Roman Empire forward, history is cluttered with the records of nations which have perished because of unbridled morals", Tom Ellzey of Perryton, noted sex educator, rancher, Methodist lay leader, and Tuesday Lions luncheon speaker, told a mixed audience of interested listeners. His wife, also an outspoken Christian worker, a club visitor, sat beside him during the luncheon.

Tribute Paid Lions

Mrs. U. L. Willie, in a tribute to the generosity of the Matador Lions, as a guest at the Tuesday meeting, declared, "I know that nowhere else on earth is there a more unselfish group of men."

"You have given your time and money to every worthy cause," Mrs. Willie, chairman of the county National Infantile Paralysis chapter, declared the recently completed polio fund drive showed a total of \$1,551.60 in contributions.

She paid special tribute to the cooperation of community workers Joe Speers in Flomot, Henry Teague in Roaring Springs and J. R. Whitworth and her husband, U. L. Willie, in Matador.

IOOF LODGE CHANGE NIGHT OF MEETING

Beginning on Friday, March 12, the IOOF Lodge will meet on Friday night of each week instead of Thursday nights as has been the custom, it was announced by Lodge officials here this week.

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT IS FINANCIAL SUCCESS FOR MATADOR FIRE DEPARTMENT

The basketball tournament held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday by Matador Volunteer Fire Department was a financial success, netting the firm between \$130, and \$140. It was announced Tuesday at the luncheon meeting of Matador Lions Club, sponsors of the event.

Crowell cagers copped the tournament championship Friday night by downing the Turkey quintet, 50 to 40, climaxing the three-day series of games in which fourteen first-rate teams vied for the title.

Crowell moved into the semifinals after swamping Roaring Springs, 79-38, Thursday night. In a semifinal tilt Friday, Crowell defeated Flomot, 63-49. The champions were obliged to take the floor just a few minutes after the Flomot victory when Turkey moved into the finals with a forfeit win over Dumont. Turkey cagers looked impressive in their first two games, with a 84-33 win over Paducah Wednesday night and a 65-38 victory over Lockney Thursday night.

Crowell had a narrow 288-21 lead over Turkey at half-time. Forward George Russell sparked the Crowell attack with 13 points. George Colvin led his Turkey teammates with 15 tallies.

Highest number of points made by a single tournament player was recorded in Turkey's 84-33 win over Paducah, when Setliff Paducah forward, racked up 32 points. Crowell's George Russell was one of the tourney's outstanding stars, garnering 65 of his team's 192 points in three games.

Cash awards went to teams finishing first, second and third in the tournament. A capacity crowd witnessed the games.

Good Rains Over County

Total rainfall registered here during the past two weeks by city wells rain gage, is 1.75 inches. A sudden "summer thunder-shower" early Monday morning added .30 inch to the 1.45 inches registered during the past week.

Lightning and some hail accompanied the "quickie" shower Monday. Cold, foggy weather has prevailed during the last two days with the mercury expected to drop to approximately 25 during the night.

COUNTY CENSUS STARTED MONDAY

Census trustees for all districts in the county began taking annual school census Monday, in a survey to be completed by April first, according to Mrs. C. Warren, assistant county school superintendent.

All children of all races, who are residents of this county and who will be over 6 and under 18 years of age on the first of September, following the census, will be enumerated, Mrs. Warren said.



SPEARS RITES ARE HELD HERE THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services were held here this afternoon for J. T. Spears, resident of Matador for many years, who died Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock at Littlefield, Texas.

Mr. Spears had been in ill health for the past eleven years, and he and Mrs. Spears had lived in various localities during that time, in an effort to restore his health. He suffered from an asthmatic condition, and in seeking a climate that would aid him, they had lived at Fort Sumner, New Mexico, and at Fort Stockton, Texas, returning to this section last July, when they located at Dickens. Last Wednesday both he and Mrs. Spears became ill and were conveyed to Payne-Shotwell Clinic at Littlefield, where Mrs. Spears is still a patient, unable to attend her husband's funeral.

Services were held at First Baptist Church, at 2:00 o'clock. The pastor, Rev. Clifford Potts was assisted by Rev. R. L. Jameson of Whiteflat. Interment was made in East Mound cemetery here. Mr. Spears had been a member of the Baptist Church since early manhood.

Jefferson Taylor Spears was born at Talladega, Alabama, March 4, 1871 and died March 2, 1948 at the age of 76 years, 11 months and 28 days.

He was married to Miss Kadora Elizabeth Pearce, November 21, 1895 in Cauthron, Arkansas. The couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary two years ago. They moved from Arkansas to Indian Territory in Oklahoma, and made their home at Hartshorne, Okla., until coming to Matador in 1926. Mr. Spears operated his own business, the Spears Gin here, until a few years ago.

Besides his wife, he is survived by eight of the nine children born to the union, one daughter, Ethel, having died at the age of 17 years. The surviving are four sons and four daughters: Wm. F. Spears of Seminole, Okla., V. E. Spears of Lockney, George, of Amherst and Tom L. Spears of Flomot; Mrs. J. L. Smallwood of Levelland, Mrs. G. G. Wilson of Littlefield, Mrs. C. C. Swarling of Dickens and Mrs. C. M. Thompson of Matador; and two living grandchildren. Other survivors are three brothers and three sisters: J. D. Spears of Hartshorne, Oklahoma, Millard Spear of Heavner, Okla., Jack Spears of Afton, Texas, Mrs. Mollie Ramsey of Stigler, Okla., and Mrs. Mindy Roland and Mrs. Mattie Rogers both of Mena, Arkansas.

REV. PARMENTER, 18, WILL HOLD REVIVAL

A Youth Revival will begin at the Flomot Methodist church Friday night, March 5, at 7 p. m. with Rev. Henry Parmenter, 18, son of the Methodist pastor of Turkey doing the preaching. It was announced earlier this week by Rev. R. H. Knight of Whiteflat. Everyone is invited to attend.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Edwards Is Candidate For Mayor

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of G. T. Edwards for the office of Mayor of Matador, Texas.

In making his announcement Mr. Edwards said:

"I have served as mayor of the city of Matador for twelve consecutive years, during which time I have had only one opponent. This should probably indicate that my services have been satisfactory to a majority of the people. I believe that my experience in this capacity has familiarized me with the duties of a mayor, the various needs of the city, and also the city's limited funds to pay for needed improvements. During my administration, among other things, we have drilled tree water-wells, constructed a concrete bridge across Ballard creek, installed a new auxiliary water-pump, maintained all streets to the limit of available funds, and paved five city blocks in the business section of town. Our books and records are open for inspection by anyone who desires to see them. It is my policy to adhere strictly to the principles of economy, and we have operated city affairs within the limits of our financial means.

Since more money was authorized at this week's bond election the city will be in position to improve several more of her streets. In all our proceedings I have been fortunate in having a cooperative and efficient City Council and City Clerk to work with, and they should be full credit for their share in our city government.

I earnestly urge that ALL qualified voters within the city limits go to the polls, at the City Hall, on the 6th day of April, this year, and cast a vote for my choice for a City Mayor, a Secretary, a City Marshall and two City Aldermen.

I would appreciate the support of all such voters."

URNS FROM QUANAH

Mrs. Cliff Stephens returned last Monday from Quanah where she underwent surgery.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

FIRST OPPORTUNITY to vote for city improvement since the war brought out almost 200 Matador property-owners Tuesday who approved over 9 to 1, street improvement bond issue for \$60,000. Only 19 votes were cast in opposition. Unofficial tabulation showed 178 votes for the long-neglected improvement.

One observer declared, "It seems that everybody but the people was surprised". Earlier threat to snarl the election because of misunderstanding of tax-paying voters regarding curbing on two blocks of south Main street, was turned to an advantage. Property-owners in the affected area banded to raise funds out of their own pockets to pave the addition 15-foot (estimated) which will exist between engineer's plans of 36-foot strip and present curb. The street, when paved, will now be full width, with new curbs on present curb lines. Engineer Cecil Hawk declared the full-width pavement will also be a great aid to the drainage problem which exists in the area.

The street improvement election is the outgrowth of a mass meeting of property-owners held about two years ago, at which they asked that the voters be given an opportunity to approve or oppose bonds for street improvement.

It is expected the election returns will be canvassed tomorrow. Much legal work still remains to be done before money will be available for actual construction. City officials expressed hope when the election was called, that in event of approval construction could be completed during the summer, in time to facilitate travel to Matador schools when they open in the fall.

VFW Hospital Bed Is Now Available

Modern hospital bed is now available to the public through sponsorship of Motley County VFW Memorial Post, according to Commander David Campbell. The bed was received this week as a gift from Capper's Publication and is to be used in cases where it may be beneficial. Merit of cases will be decided by the VFW organization. Use of bed will be limited to 30 days to a family. Mr. Campbell declared. Users of the bed must provide transportation from and return to place of storage. The bed is of the best quality Army hospital type.

Applicants for use of the bed may contact either David Campbell or Frank Pohl.

AT WORKERS CONFERENCE

Attending workers' conference of Baptist churches in the Floyd County Association, held at Roaring Springs Tuesday of last week, were the following members of the local Baptist church: Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Long, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Browning, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson and Mesdames J. A. Groves, Velma Fuller, Bill McCaghren and J. L. Woodruff.

Air Corps Veteran Becomes Candidate For State Senator

The Tribune is authorized to announce the candidacy of Dudley K. Brummett of Lubbock for the office of State Senator, 30th Senatorial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, July 24.

Brummett is a Lubbock attorney and Army Air Corps combat veteran of World War II. He is 28 years of age and married. Brummett is a former member of the Attorney Generals department of Texas under Gerald C. Mann. He served as an attorney for the Supreme Court of Texas following his release from military services in October, 1945. Since September 1946, he has been actively engaged in the general practice of law at Lubbock and instructor of government at Texas Tech. He is an ex-student of Tech and University of Texas law school.

Further submitted announcement of the candidate, follows: Brummett volunteered for the Army in May, 1942 as a buck private. After training at Mineral Wells, Texas, he was transferred to the Air Corps and

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Ex-Flyer Candidate



Piloting a B-17 Flying Fortress, Dudley K. Brummett, 38, above, was shot down over Hamburg during his 6th mission after arriving in Europe during World War II. Now a practicing attorney in Lubbock, is a candidate for State Senator, 30th District. He was born and reared in Dickens county.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irwin accompanied by Mrs. Delmont Hays visited in Abilene over the week-end with John Houston Irwin and Miss Jerry Hays who are attending A. C. C.

Mrs. Claude Harp visited in Abilene several days this week, with her mother.

Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson of Lockney visited here last week in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Fulkerson returned home Tuesday of last week from a trip which included a visit with their daughter, Evelyn, at Sanatorium, Texas, and with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Fulkerson of Odessa.

CARD OF THANKS

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

Mrs. J. T. Spears and family

MISSION PROGRAM HEARD BY W. M. U.

Annual Annie Armstrong program, stressing home missions, was given Monday night at a meeting in the Baptist church basement, which was attended by over thirty members and several guests.

A playlet, in costume, was led by Mrs. Elbert Reeves with Mesdames J. C. Rattan, Clifford Potts, Forrest Campbell, R. E. Campbell Jr., and Miss Jean Hines representing various nationalities. Special music was a solo by Mrs. J. E. Edwards, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Harold Campbell.

Special Annie Armstrong offering for support of home missions, amounted to \$91.03, and included \$14.35 given by the Sunbeam Band which met Monday afternoon.

Refreshments of hot chocolate and doughnuts were served to the following: Mesdames W. M. Clifton, Fred Clower, L. E. Boshear, Clarence Kifer, Alfred Barton, B. H. Hobbs, T. E. Long, L. R. Browning, R. E. Campbell, J. Farris Fish, C. M. Barton Jr., Maggie Lee Courtney, Albert Rattan, Alvin Stearns, Ben Edwards, J. A. Groves, H. S. Watson, D. P. Keith, Ben Meador.

VA Officer To Come Here Monday March 8

George A. Sessums, insurance officer of the Lubbock regional office of the Veterans Administration will be in Matador, Monday, March 8, to discuss the Government Life Insurance program and to assist with any veterans having technical insurance problems. Mr. Sessums plans to spend approximately two hours here between 8 and 10 a. m.

This information was received this week by Dick Groves.

J. L. Woodruff, T. E. Cammack, Ben Keltz, Howe Hines, Joe E. Campbell, Vernon Doss; Miss Rachel Patton, and others appearing on the program.

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

For State Representative, 121st 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) Morriss
G. D. (George) Pope

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

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

CITY ELECTION
Election April 6, 1948

For Mayor:
G. T. Edwards (re-election)
Douglas Meador

For Aldermen:
(Two Vacancies)
Albert Rattan
O. V. Johnson

Donald Reeves, Don Paul Keith and Math Barkley all Tech students, were week-end visitors in the homes of their respective parents.

Miss Jerry Hays, student at ACC, Abilene, was a week-end visitor with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays.

DICKENS COUNTY GROUP TO HOLD MEETING SAT.

Annual meeting of the members of Dickens County Electric Cooperation, Inc., will be held at the Spur High School gymnasium at Spur, Saturday, after-

noon, March 6, at 1 p. m. Announcement of the meeting is made by S. L. Benefield, secretary, who urges that all members attend and participate in the election of directors for the coming year.

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METHODIST WOMEN HAVE SERIES OF BIBLE LESSONS

A series of lessons from the book "Great Prayers of the Bible" by Charles M. Laymon, Professor of Literature and Bible History at Scarritt College, Nashville, Tenn., has been presented to the Womens Society of Christian Service at the Methodist Church the past three weeks. The lessons have been given in an interesting and instructive manner. Chapter subjects have been "The Prayers of the Patriarchs and Moses"; "The Prayers of the Kings and Prophets"; and "The Prayers of the Psalmists".

The WSCS meets each Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 at the church, opening with a short business session. An interesting worship center, arranged and conducted by Mrs. Oscar Bruce, was used in the devotional period for the Bible study series.

Those attending these meetings were: Mesdames Harry Willett, A. J. Daffern, L. L. Ladd, R. P. Moore, Homer Sheats, C. D. Pipkin, Fannie Jenkins, Ellen New, Maude Vinson, June Meador, Ted Steen, W. F. Jacobs, W. Y. Higgins, Annie Tudor, D. E. Pitts, Sr., Joe Wason, Eldon Reedy, H. H. Schweitzer, G. E. Hamilton, J. R. Whitworth, A.

Daisy Mae Bird Has Birthday Party

A party honoring Miss Daisy Mae Bird on the occasion of her fourteenth birthday was given Sunday, February 22, in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Bird from 3 to 6 o'clock.

The refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and green candles and the green birthday cake with pink candles formed the center piece.

After games were played and the honoree opened her gifts refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, olives, pepper rings, cokes, coffee, cocoa and cake were served to the following:

Misses Rita Wilkinson, Luttriss Simpson, Dorothy Rattan, Oleta Simpson, Joyce Edwards, Elvanda Martin and Yvonne Brandon. Messrs Kenneth Dunning, R. D. Clements, Charles Ray Cox, Charles Bird and James and Ross Bearden.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bearden, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brandon, Mr. and Mrs. Bird, and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Joe Latimer of Lubbock are here visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Latimer.

W. Ford, Vance Gilbreath, W. R. Cammack, W. N. Pipkin, C. C. Berry, Ina Price, B. M. Eubank, Guy Kimble and Fred Bourland.

BILLIE FRANK SKAGGS IS WED TO FRED HUGGINS IN HOME CEREMONY



MRS. FRED HUGGINS

Miss Billie Frank Skaggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs and Fred Huggins, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins of Lockney were married Sunday, February 22, at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, with Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor of the First Baptist church of Matador reading the ceremony. The home was decorated with white gladioli and stock, wood-wardia fern and white tapers. The tapers were lighted by Harold Allen, brother-in-law of the bride.

Mrs. Ira Turner of Chillicothe, aunt of the bride, sang "Because" and "Oh, Promise Me". The traditional wedding marches were played also by Mrs. Turner.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a powder blue afternoon dress with beaded lace yoke. She carried a white gardenia bouquet and a white Bible belonging to Miss Jan Barton. For something old she wore an old fashioned lavender belonging to her sister, Mrs. Harold Allen, and a wedding band belonging to her grandmother Turner.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Allen was matron of honor. Mrs. Allen wore a black afternoon dress and a white carnation corsage. Miss Sara Springer, maid of honor, wore a navy blue afternoon dress and a white carnation corsage.

Johnny Huggins of Lubbock served his brother as best man. McElton Skaggs of Lubbock and brother of the bride, served as groomsmen. Mrs. Huggins has attended both grammar school and high school here in Matador and at the time of her marriage was a very popular member of the 1948 graduating class.

Mr. Huggins attended Lockney High School and was in service for two years which were spent overseas.

For the wedding trip to points in Texas and New Mexico the bride chose a navy blue suit with black accessories and a

white gardenia corsage. After March 1 the couple will be at home in Lockney.

Reception Held
A reception was held immediately following the ceremony.

The dining room was decorated throughout with white carnations. The table was laid with a lace cloth and lighted candles. The three tier wedding cake topped with a bride and bridegroom formed the center piece

Gay Nineties Party Given By Club Is Gala Affair With Shot-Gun Wedding

Opening with an auctioned-off box supper and climaxing with a shot-gun wedding, a "Gay Nineties" party staged by El Progresso Club members, with their husbands and other friends as guests, was a gala affair Thursday night at Matador ranch headquarters with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Stevens as hosts.

Perhaps all semblance to the actual nineties ended with the costumes worn by the group, most of which were authentic originals, retained in storage through the years but there was no doubt as to the "good time had by all".

After the box supper a style parade was held which resulted in Mrs. Harold Campbell and Jake Edwards receiving the most votes for their costumes.

Posing as a "parson", Mr. Edwards also officiated at the wedding, which included Mrs. John Hamilton as the blushing bride and J. Farris Fish as the trembling groom. Judge G. E. Hamilton gave the bride away, and Harold Campbell was best man, while Rufus Emmons stood by with the rifle. Musical selections were played by Mrs. Frank Pohl.

and was cut by the couple.

Mrs. McElton Skaggs of Lubbock and Miss Emaloye Huggins of Crosbyton poured coffee and Mrs. Gerald Clark of Sweetwater served the cake.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Stringer, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Turner and Cheryl; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Turner and Miss Janet Thomas of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Huggins, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Huggins, Mrs. Vaneta Handley and Mrs. Jessie Barton of Lockney; Miss Emaloye Huggins of Crosbyton; Johnny Huggins, Mr. and Mrs. McElton Skaggs and Sherilyn of Lubbock; Mrs. Gerald Clark of Sweetwater and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Turner of Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Springer and Sara; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barton, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allen, Larry and Dean of Matador.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM (delayed)

Mesdames M. S. Thacker, E. Z. Moss and M. L. Hoyle shopped in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bagley of Canyon visited in the home of Miss Bessie Medlen Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gunter of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duren over the week-end.

John W. Smith of Texas Tech visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith over the week-end.

Beryl Nichols of Texas Tech visited in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nichols over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown and family visited in Ft. Worth and Graham over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Marshall Sam and John Ray Hunter of Wichita Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter over the week-end.

Miss Ester Peck of Amarillo visited her sister, Gladys over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper shopped and visited in Lubbock over the week-end.

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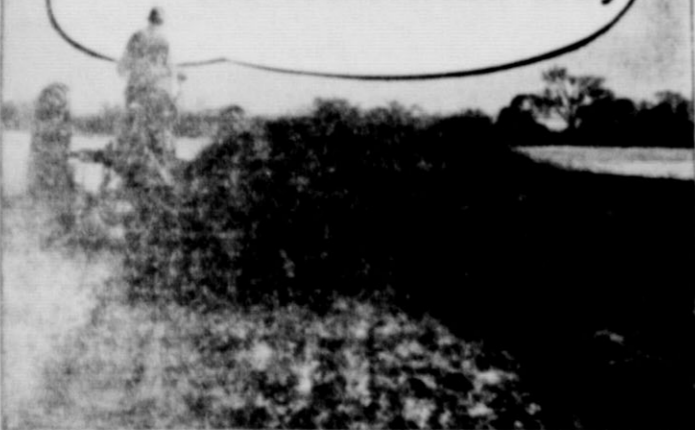
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Meet Our Coach

"Red" Amonett
If you are a student of MHS you know who that red-haired guy is who teaches History and has been coaching boys basketball and football teams this year; but is that all you know about him? Maybe you'd like to meet the man who is known as "Coach" at our school.

Coach Amonett graduated from Flomot High School in '39 and started to college at Texas Tech in Lubbock the following year. He played football all four years in high school and played the Freshman team his first year in college and then spent the next two years on the varsity team. On February 14, 1942 he went to war and was gone for years from home. He spent two of those years in England and then in '46 came back to finish his Bachelor of Science degree. He graduated in '47 with a major in Physical Education and minor in History. The man whose real name is Wayne Amonett and who can't remember his most embarrassing moment is now teaching and coaching at Matador high school.

Kampus Klatter

Well, here we go again with another week of school and fun! Did ya know Barbara K. was seen with Claude Morrison from Roaring Springs Friday night? Now, B. K. is that anyway to do Billy Joe?

And it seems Ruby was with another guy from Roaring the same night. Wasn't his name Lewis, Ruby?

Chip and Sibly Jackson were together Saturday nite! Is Chip gettin' interested in girls again? Boy, it sure is hard to keep up with Bobby Thompson! We hear he's so mixed up he had to flip a coin the other nite to decide where he was goin' and who he was gonna take—Melba J. or Shirley Pope!

Say, Shirley E. and Mary H. Stephens were seen with some cute Roaring Springs guys at preview Saturday nite! Now what will Peek say, Shirley? Looks like Roaring Springs is taking over this column. Better not let 'em boys.

It seems that Dorothy B. is havin' competition! Doris D. was seen with Bob J. Friday night! Everyone's excited about the jacket Oleta S. was wearin'!

H. A. Stephens Back After Breaking Leg

Back in school, but walking on crutches is H. A. Stephens, Matador sophomore, who had the unfortunate experience of getting a leg broke in a playground accident here about two weeks ago.

While playing pass and touch football, he and another contender were racing for the ball when their legs tangled. H. A.'s was broken just below the knee. He was carried to the Traweek Hospital immediately where a cast was applied.

Love, Miss El Matador.

P. S. About Bobby T. he went with Melba Jane one nite and Shirley P. another nite! Now that's ONE way to look at it boys.

El Matador Editor Urges Contribution

Are you interested in El Matador and believe it is a good school paper, or do you think it "stinks"? If it "Smells" to you, then do something about it. Don't just sit back and take it but write something better.

Norman Spray, El Matador editor, urges more student contributions. It is his belief that El Matador would be much more interesting if some student work were included.

"All poems, essays, jokes, anecdotes, humor writings and even short-short stories will be given serious consideration for publication, as long as they are clean and not off-track," Spray said.

"If you don't want to bring them to us, then mail them to El Matador in care of the high school. There is no need to even sign your name if you don't care to."

Primary & Grammar School Honor Roll

According to the number of pupils placed on the honor roll and distinguished lists from the primary and grammar school grades, students in the primary grades are, for the most part, doing the best work.

Those placed on the honor list with 90 or above on all grades (distinguished list) and 80 or above on all grades (honor roll) are as follows:

Eighth grade honor roll: Rita Wilkinson.

Seventh grade distinguished list: Charles Keith. Honor roll: Ronald Hobbs and Frances Traweek.

Sixth grade honor roll: James M. Graham, Neal Pipkin, James Sturdivant, Bette Montgomery, Ruth Stanley, Nancy Vaughn.

Fifth grade honor roll: Thomas Hamilton, Stanley McDonough and Dorothy McMahan.

Fourth grade distinguished list: Lucretia Edwards, Alvin Lynn, Rita Roberts, Frank Traweek, Pina Sue Sturdivant and Barbara Casey. Honor roll: Leah Bearden, Gail McWilliams, Dorothy Plyler and Mickey Steen.

Third grade distinguished list: Mary Lois Watkins, Larry Allen, Joanne Darsey, Christine Green, Glynda McWilliams and Betty Neighbors. Honor roll: Arvin Ellethorpe, Rose Carolyn Donovan, Raynita Dunning, LeRece Lawrence, Myrna Vay Moore, Sue McCaghen and Jo Anne Potts.

Second grade distinguished list: Ida Simpson, Frances McMahan and Virginia Stephens. Honor roll: Grant Cooper, Gene Bruce, Joyce Lynn, Roger Scaff, Martha Lynch, Shelby Jackson.

First grade distinguished list: Ronald Bailey, Joe Bruce, Harry Campbell, Gerald Pipkin, Pat Seigler, Eugene Stephens and Charlotte Campbell. Honor roll: Kent Gray, James Smalley, Dale Taylor, Larry Slover, Karmen Jinkins, Jana Morris and Peggy Welling.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

How to Put Up with Women's Styles

When Will Dudley's misuses finally gave in to the new-style longer skirts, Will was mighty critical at first. Allowed as how women were slave to fashion... ought to dress to please their husbands and not to style designers.

Sue finally reminded Will of his habit of sitting by the radio Saturday afternoons in shirt sleeves and old slippers, listening to the portcasts with a mellow glass of beer. Suggested that maybe Will was a slave to comfort.

And Will admitted she was right.



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Matador Girls Lose Chance At Regional

Coach June Coleman's Matador Matadors basketball girls lost their chance at a regional title Wednesday nite when they lost an eight o'clock tilt with Lorenzo at Cooper where the regional tournament was held. The game was lost by a 29-18 score.

The first half was thrilled packed with the lead changing several times. It was tied, however, at the half at 12-12.

It was in the third and fourth quarters that the Matadors were left behind, as they let the Lorenzo girls score 17 points to their six.

Annette McWilliams and Ann Harp tied for Matador's high with eight points each. Lorenzo's Martin was high with 14 points.

Chapel Program Is Thursday Afternoon

Mr. Kenneth Strickfaddens' show of science which was erroneously reported to be presented on March 2, will be here this afternoon (Thursday) at 2 o'clock, in the high school auditorium, according to present plans.

MEET A SENIOR

Name—Heavy Thomas
Age—17
Height—5' 10"
Weight—140
Color of hair—Light Brown
Color of eyes—Brown
Favorite color—Red
Favorite food—Cocoanut pie
Favorite movie star—Randolph Scott

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Pet Dislikes—Unfriendly people
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Matador Girl Cagers Enter In Tournament

Though the basketball season is officially over for both the Matador boys and girls basketball teams, the girls have been entered in a tournament at Girard, which is to be held this week-end.

When the invitation was received, the girls voted unanimously to enter. No bracket has been received by either the coach or superintendent as of yet.

Mr. Strickfaddens' show promises to be an exceptional one and everyone is invited at the student admission price of 20¢.

VISIT WITH RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. France Barton and children, Dixie Ann and Mike left Thursday for a visit with relatives returning home Sunday.

They visited in Plainview with his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Barton; with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Garrison of Lovington, New Mexico also visited with her brother, Alvin Garrison and a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Wright of Kermit.

Don't look now Mr. Wallace but somebody's following you. Anytime you think money doesn't talk, try to telephone without a nickle.

NOTICE

To The Patients of Dr. Chas. C. Murray, Jr.:
My files of your eye examination records have been moved to the office of Dr. C. M. Neel, 1620 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas, who will assume further eye care and servicing of your glasses.

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Magazine Sponsors Contest For Rural Boys And Girls

DALLAS, TEXAS, Feb. 26—Some lucky boy and girl in the rural South will have the opportunity to fulfil one of youth's favorite dreams through a contest announced by The Progressive Farmer, Southern farm and home magazine. Under terms of the contest as explained in its March issue the magazine will award as first prizes all-expense trips for a rural boy and girl to meet their "Favorite American". The winners will have an opportunity to sit down with their idols and ask such questions as

youths long to ask of the celebrated. In addition to the trips to the homes of the great, the magazine will award five prizes of \$10 each. The awards will be based on the appropriateness of the reasons given for the naming of a particular American. The nature of the questions the entrant would like to ask of his nominee will also be considered in determining the winners. The contest is open only to rural boys and girls from 13 to 20 years and who live in one of the fourteen Southern states: Georgia, Alabama, Florida, Arkansas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Kentucky, Tennessee, West Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Texas and Oklahoma.

Lovely Texan Tells Cotton's Fashion Story



Blonde and beautiful Matilda Nail of Ft. Worth, Texas, the cotton industry's 1948 Maid of Cotton, has begun a 35,000-mile cotton goodwill tour which will carry her to more than 40 key cities in three countries. She's pictured here in three of the 1948 cotton creations which are included in her glamorous all-cotton wardrobe. On the left, Matilda wears a romantic evening gown done in cotton chambray and organdie by Dorris Varnum. In the center, she poses in a sophisticated cotton suit with the new slim skirt done by Herbert Sondheim. And on the right the Maid of Cotton shows a modern version of the Gibson girl blouse and skirt in white cotton batiste and plack poplin from Alice Stuart. The Maid of Cotton tour is sponsored by the National Cotton Council, Memphis Cotton Carnival, and the Cotton Exchanges of New York, Memphis, and New Orleans.

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SUNDAY VISITORS
Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rattan Sunday were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Cook and Adrain Cook of Post; Mr. and Mrs. Zearl Robinson and son, Alvis of Level-land; Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hughes, Misses Polly and Josh Cook and O. R. Cook, Jr. of Texas Tech, Lubbock; Misses Elizabeth Elliott, instructor from the Home Economics division of Tech and Clara Pratt, Home Demonstration agent of Lubbock county.

The Northfield P. T. A. sponsors a show at the school house every Friday night. Everyone is urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Barton, Jr. and daughters, Jan and Cheri Ann were Lubbock visitors last week.

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

Northfield News
(By Mrs. Tom Moore)

Mr. and Mrs. John Nun of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Fulgham.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ashford of Parnell, former residents of Northfield, were visiting friends and relatives here Friday.

The Church of Christ meeting started here Saturday night, with Bro. Alvie Johnston of Turkey doing the preaching.

Misses June and Bonnie Hughes visited at Afton over the week-end.

Mrs. Homer McCoy and Mrs. Walter Timmons spent the day with Mrs. Tom Moore Wednesday. They helped Mrs. Moore make a quilt for each of the recent brides, Mesdames Tommy Moore and Calvin Nimmo.

A party was enjoyed by the young people at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. Clem Timmons, February 18. Refreshments were served to Messrs. Rush and Reece Timmons, Travis Hoover, J. D. Elliott and Charlie Chambliss; Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Moore, Calvin Nimmo, R. C. Elliott, Jr., Spud McDonald and Eugene Hooper.

John Darsey of Childress visited here with J. M. Dobbins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Payne of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moore of Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ashford and Bernice Byrd of Parnell, all former residents of Northfield, attended church here Sunday.

Sunday evening callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Timmons were: Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elliott Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

My Dear Mr. Editor:

I presume at least most of your readers have heard over the radio or read in papers, the ten point civil rights message of our President, to the Congress, and have noted the repercussions that have resulted from that message. But I wonder how many of us have given serious thought to its implications. We of the south, so long have followed the leadership of the Democratic party that, heretofore they have been able to do anything they pleased, that was harmful, or withheld anything good if they so desired, and yet depend on the "solid south" like "Mary's little lamb" following meekly and unquestioningly along, and it remained the task of our present accidental President, the little Boy Blue of Pendergrast production, to hurl the bomb that has shaken the Solid South as she has not been shaken since 1861. So what are we going to do about it?

Are we going to listen to the sneering voice of our own Sam Rayburn, who has been in Congress, and out of the state so long, and has learned to say yes, yes, yes! so rapidly that he has forgotten the traditions of our land?

Or, are we going to exercise our privileges as free American citizens, while we still have them, and by our use of the ballot put these demagogues so far back into private life that even the noted Pendergrast machine will be unable to find them? I think it's high time the people of the south quit following blindly and ignorantly. The Northern democrat is no more our friends, than the Northern Republicans. We believe in the democracy of our fathers, why not remain the democrats of the Solid South? Not just to follow the leadership of just any man who may, through accident, become the leader of the National party; but with intelligence and courage enough to command the respect of the leaders of the party that never again will we have our faces spit in, or our principles used as a mop to wipe up the slime produced by those in power. Most of these civil rights points asked for by the President have already caused more race hatred in the last ten years than anything else since the Civil war. It was just a dirty political move, to pacify, and catch the vote of those Harlem negroes. We and our colored friends will get along all right, if the ill advisors of the north will keep hands off. What do you say? What are we going to do about it? R. L. Jameson

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Books Are Read For People At Paducah

Delma Plyler of Matador, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Plyler of Whiteflat and Clifford Plyler of Floydada, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Whitley of Paducah were united in marriage at the First Baptist church at Paducah, Tuesday, February 23, in the home of Rev. J. R. Smallwood officiating the ceremony.

Miss Norma Casey was maid of honor and Bryan Martin served as best man.

The couple will make their home in Matador.

Guests of Honor

Mr. and Mrs. Whitney was honored at the bridal shower, Wednesday, February 25, in the home of Mrs. Jess McBride with Messrs. Ted Steen and H. O. Gifford and Miss Norma Casey as co-hostesses.

Breakfast and cocoa were served to the following guests: Messrs. Bess Patton, Ruth Stafford, C. R. Davis, Charlie Harris, Townsend, B. M. Eubank, Messrs. Meador, F. M. Casey, L. Carlisle, A. B. Simpson, Bill Daffren, A. J. Daffren and W. T. Tison. Misses Dessie and Sara Casey, Mickey Steen, Sara Casey, Jeanie Bearden, Betty Plyler and Barbara Bearden.

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FARM NEWS

1947 Program Accomplishments

The Agricultural Conservation program operates in every county in the Nation. On a county scale, here are some significant accomplishments of the Agricultural Conservation program in 1947, in Motley County:

Forty percent of the crop land was farmed under the conservation program. Winter cover crop practices covered nearly 2,000 acres. More than 12,000 acres of intertilled and drilled crops were cultivated on the contour.

Twenty-seven wells were drilled for better distribution of water on range land.

Over 154 miles or large ridge type terraces were constructed to help stop erosion of our crop land. Fifty-three dams were constructed for stock water and erosion control.

ing, Pearl Wilkinson, Nell Brandon, Eddie Russell, W. F. Jacobs, Curtis King, Ed Jameson, Clyde Gilbert, Ben Meador, W. C. Kitchens, H. H. Courtney, Peg Spray, M. D. Morris, Guy Kimbell, Henry Ward, J. W. Hobbs, Lois Smart, R. A. Day, Irene Groves, Viola McBride, Freeman Thacker, Frank Jameson and V. J. Skaggs. Misses Thressa Godfrey, June Coleman and Dorothy Bearden.

Avis Kimbell And Jimmy Billingsley Are Wed In Double Ring Ceremony At Lubbock



MR. AND MRS. J. P. BILLINGSLEY, Jr.

A double ring ceremony performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cloud of Lubbock, with Dr. H. I. Robinson officiating, Sunday, February 8, at 2 o'clock, united in marriage Miss Avis Kimbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kimbell of Matador and J. P. Billingsley, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Billingsley, Sr. of Snyder.

The bride wore a light blue dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink carnations.

Maid of Honor, was Miss Betty Shropshire of Plainview. She wore a black dress and a corsage of white carnations.

Earl George Stinson of Olton attended the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Billingsley is a graduate of the 1943 class of Matador High School. She attended Hardin Junior College in Wichita Falls and has been associated with her father in jewelry business until the past several months during which she has been employed in Lubbock.

Mr. Billingsley is a graduate of Texas Technological College and at the present time is employed at Lester's Jewelry in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Billingsley are at home at 2306 Eighth in Lubbock.

Reception Held

Immediately after the wedding a reception was held in the home Mr. and Mrs. Cloud.

After the couple cut the wedding cake, it was served with punch to the following:

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kimbell, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kimbell of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Billingsley and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Billingsley of Snyder, Mrs. Truett Samford and Bob Rhodes of Lubbock, Misses Melba Jane Kimbell and Mary Helen Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Cloud.

contrary, and trying to smuggle them into the house without his knowledge was really a precaution against his possible reactions. Actually, the Valentine idea came later.

He was peering out the window in an effort to read the thermometer, during the cold spell, when he spied the carton in the rear seat of the auto. What in the world is that in the car, he wants to know. Oh, just something or other, we guessed, realizing of course that we couldn't win, so there wasn't anything else we could do except bring the things in and set them up on the breakfast table to be admired—a pair of handsome lamps for the end tables.

Even when we offered them as a Valentine gift, he still wanted to know how much they cost. We haven't figured out yet just how we'll explain the new wooden salad bowls. It's still a little early for Father's Day.

Gamma Globulin Is Measles Shield For Young Child

With the incidence of measles more than three times higher than the seven year median, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement concerning the use of gamma globulin for protecting very young or frail children from an attack of this perennial childhood disease and its often serious complications.

"If you have a child less than five years old who has been exposed to measles, your family doctor may recommend giving him gamma globulin, Dr. Cox advised. Through city, county or state health departments, doctors can obtain gamma globulin free, when parents are unable to pay. Infants and children, whose health makes it inadvisable for them to suffer an attack of measles, may postpone the disease if gamma globulin is administered within eight days from the time of exposure.

The State Health Officer emphasized the fact that gamma globulin cannot give a child permanent protection against measles and added that the protection against measles is ordinarily of about three weeks duration. However, there is no limit to the number of times it can be used, and a baby who is protected by it now can be protected

Group Hears Review At Paducah P-T. A.

Several members of Matador Parent-Teacher Association drove to Paducah Tuesday afternoon, where they attended a book review given at a meeting of the Paducah P-T.A. by Mrs. Montie McGinty of Spur.

Mrs. McGinty reviewed "The Proper Bostonians" by Cleveland Amory, one of the most popular books of the season, in a highly entertaining manner, according to those who heard her.

The Matador group included Mesdames R. E. Donovan, Ben Edwards, Bill McCaghren, Bill Pipkin and John Hamilton.

by it again in June or July. Gamma globulin can go on shielding him against measles until he is old enough and strong enough to stand an attack without serious consequences.

During an outbreak of measles Dr. Cox said that it is well to keep children under five years of age, and more especially frail children, away from all other youngsters who might serve as sources of infection. Statistics show that nine-tenths of all measles deaths occur in children under five years of age.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY



Judge Is Candidate



Dawson county judge for six years, Kilmor B. Corbin, 28, above, is candidate for 30th District State Senator. Reared on a Dawson county farm, the aspirant is a graduate of Texas Tech and U. of Texas law school. His announcement appears elsewhere in this issue of the Tribune.

HERE FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. R. Lee Gibson and baby son of California arrived here recently for a visit with her mother, Mrs. L. B. Archer. Mrs. Gibson will be remembered as the former Imogene Archer.

L. C. Giesecke, Tech student, was home for the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke.

Conoco Movie To Be Shown

Starring a cast of Hollywood players, Continental Oil Company's latest motion picture feature, "The Miracle of Oil-Plating", will be shown to the public at a meeting to be held in the Jameson Machinery building Tuesday, March 9 at 8 p. m.

The program will be under the direction of W. F. (Bill) McCaghren, local representative for Continental Oil Company, who arranged for the showing here.

The movie is a 45-minute feature recently produced in Hollywood and Ponca City, Oklahoma Continental Oil Company headquarters, with a superb cast of professional Hollywood players.

In a highly entertaining story, an achievement in the field of modern lubrication is dramatized in a sparkling screen production. Scores of scenes filmed in Continental's 1,280-acre refinery at Ponca City thread into the film. The company's huge indoor swimming pool, the modern and spacious gymnasium, tennis courts, and athletic field form part of the background for the movie story.

Following the camera eye, the movie audience sees at close hand a giant industry in action, producing a modern "miracle" in lubrication.

in the Want-Ads

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

FOR SALE: F-12 Farmall. New crank shaft, sleeve assembly, valve and magneto overhaul. 1938 model. W. E. Smith, Whiteflat, Texas. 4tp

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

FOR SALE: Reasonable, F-14 Farmall and equipment A-1 condition; 6 volt winchcharger; '36 Ford coupe; 2nd year Lankford and Qualla cottonseed; Sellers-kitchen cabinet; one saddle. Earl Thompson

NOTICE TO BORROWER:—Please return my slush bucket and snatch block. Bill Slover.

FOR SALE: Model "B" John Deere, 1946 tractor, in perfect condition, complete equipment. Also 1943 M&M 6-ft. combine. C. R. Brandon, Jr., Roaring Springs. 3tp

NEWEST MODEL — Standard size Woodstock typewriter. Used very little. Lifetime of service for home or office in this new, sturdy machine. Standard keyboard, perfect condition. Cost over \$120 about one year ago. Offered for \$96 cash. The Tribune office.

FOR SALE: 5 room house and 6 lots in north Matador. R. A. Seay. tfn

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

ELECTRIC Frigidaire stove, used 10 months, plastic top, chrome breakfast set, like new. Claude Morrison, Roaring Springs. 2tp

FOR SALE: 2 tractor tires size 10x38. Lee Nelson. 2tp

FOR SALE: Flat top desk, size 3042. Matador National Farm Loan Association. tfn

FOR SALE: One 8 piece dining room suit; one chest of drawers; one dressing table; one butane cook stove; one studio couch; two pairs of bed springs; two occasional chairs. J. C. Rattan. Can be seen at Gene Perkins, Real Estate office. Phone 180. 2tc

Announcing

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CHILI Con Carne, TEXAS, No. 2 Can 29c

THRIFT, Tamales, NO. 2 CAN 19c

Rath Black Hawk, 54¢ Size Lunch Meat ea. 43c

ADMIRATION, pound., Was 57¢ COFFEE 43c

WHITING FISH POUND 22c

K. C. 25 oz. Baking Powder 23c

Yatch Club, No. 2 1/2, was 39¢ Apricots 29c

SCOTT COUNTY, No. 2, 13¢ CORN 2 FOR 25c

PURE PORK SAUSAGE POUND 42c

Shortening 3 POUNDS WILSON ADVANCE 99c

MONARCH, Pound Jar, Was 29¢, Special Apple Butter . . 15c

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CORBIN...

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of this district to examine his record in both public and private life, and his actions and experience in county government. Prior to his election as County Judge, he taught and served as principal in Dawson County Rural Schools. Judge Corbin is a lawyer, a member of the Lamesa Bar and State Bar of Texas.

"The need exists today more than ever before for sound thinking and constructive action in our state lawmaking bodies", Corbin said. "The people must awaken to the fact that too many state office holders owe their allegiance—their very political existence—to special groups who would dominate legislation in Texas. There are too many little men holding down big jobs at the expense of the farmer, rancher and small business man of Texas".

Corbin is married, and the father of three children, Barry, age 7, Blaine age 4, and Jane age 3. He has long been active in several state organizations whose chief aim is bettering the conditions of West Texas. He is a member of the Baptist church, a 32nd Degree Mason, Past Master of Lamesa Lodge, and a member of the Knights of Pythias, and a member of the Knights of Kaorassan.

Corbin's platform, which he hopes to present to every voter of the district before election day, includes the completion of redistricting of Texas' legislative districts in order that the people of West Texas will have an equal voice in their state government; a constructive program of soil conservation; a social security program for the aged, blind and dependent children of the state; a sound program for the building of a system of farm-to-market roads for Texas, which will be second to none; more and better aid for the schools of Texas and a revision of the outmoded Code of

Criminal Procedure of Texas. A plan to pass a law to prevent large corporations from purchasing land for any purpose other than that for which the incorporation was accomplished will also be one of his main aims, if elected. "The wealth of the land belongs to the people", Corbin stated, "and I, for one, will work to see that the lands of West Texas are kept from the hands of monopolies."

"I am entering this race", Corbin said, "with the feeling that my background as a farm boy, a teacher, a lawyer, and a public official has given me the qualifications with which I can serve the people of my district to their advantage. I have no connection with the vested interests of Texas and will never obligate myself to anyone except the people I serve. If elected, I will exert my every effort in the interest of the people of the 30th District. No man can do more; no man should do less".

Royal Arch Chapter Will Meet Monday

Royal Arch Chapter will hold a called meeting Monday night, March 8, in the Masonic hall, for the purpose of work in the Mark Master degree, it was announced by lodge officials.

All Companions are urged by Harold Campbell, H. P., to attend. Supper will be served.

On Honor Roll

John Ray Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter of Roaring Springs, was named last week as one of the 21 Hardin College academic students to make a straight "A" place on the honor roll for the first semester.

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Sign in front of a church in Richmond, Va. "Need Exercise? Try kneeling".

Experts say that most accidents happen in the kitchen; but wise husbands eat them anyway. They now call her the jean-age girl.

BRUMMETT...

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trained as an aviation cadet. He later was commissioned a Lieutenant. Brummett flew a bomber plane from the United States across the ocean to England. From there he participated in bombing raids over Germany. He piloted a B-17 Flying Fortress, and together with his eight crew members, was shot down on his sixth mission, over Hamburg, Germany. All crew members parachuted from the burning plane to safety from ten thousand feet, though one crew member was jerked unconscious when his parachute opened and when he struck the ground broke one leg and seven ribs. All members on landing were scattered over a distance of about twenty miles. When Brummett hit the ground he attempted to escape into a nearby forest. He was pursued and fired

upon by German soldiers who had seen him come down. Brummett and all crew members were gathered up and became Prisoners of War of the Germans until the end of hostilities. Brummett, together with several thousand other Air Corps Prisoners of War participated in the January sub-zero march on foot through deep snow from Sagan in the east part of Germany to Spremberg; Germany. The Prisoners of War were being removed out of east Germany to prevent their liberation by the approaching Russian Army invading Germany from the east. They were there crowded into box cars and carried on to Mooseburg in southern Germany, a crowded, infamous and filthy Prisoner of War camp, without heat or fuel, and there

kept on a starvation diet. They were there liberated by General Patton's Third Army on the 29th day of April, 1945. Brummett and his entire crew were immediately flown out of Germany and returned to the United States, which all agreed was the most blessed country on earth. Brummett was awarded the Air Medal for his bombing missions over Germany.

Brummett stated that in seeking the office of State Senator, "I desire to serve my fellow man in the Senate Hall of Texas. It has been my life ambition to serve in public life." Brummett stated further, "I have but one promise to make in offering myself as a candidate for State Senator, and that is, that when elected I will represent all the people of my district to the best

of my ability on every legislative matter that shall come before the Senate of Texas." Brummett was born and reared in Dickens County. He moved in 1932. He attended the Lubbock Public Schools and Texas Tech, working his way through school as a grocery clerk with Furr Food Stores for three years of this time. He later attended the University of Texas Law School.

Brummett is a Vice-President of the Junior Bar of Texas member of the State Bar of Texas, member Lions Club, Junior Chamber of Commerce, member Methodist church, member Texas Prisoner of War club member Caterpillar Club and a Reserve Officer in the Air Corps of the U. S. Army.

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