

# Matador Tribune

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## MAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



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## Flomot Resident Dies in Amarillo

Maudie L. Marler, 65, of died at 11:30 p.m. Sun- the home of her son, Har- rier, 415 W. Central. Ama- and funeral services were 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Baptist Church. Rev. Ed pastor, officiated.

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earners were Alfred Mar- rison George, Guy Ham- James Monk, Luther and Reese Kell.

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## Greetings Sent In Letter From Japan

for Haynes Baumgard- a native of Wellington, stationed in Japan is a n of World War II and ven in the service con- e since that time. He ed the former Myrnavae y, daughter of Mr. and L. J. Barkley of Matador.

Following letter is his gts to relatives and s.

AFSEC MAAG-JAPAN APO 900 San Francisco, Calif. Christmas 1960

NS GREETINGS: may 1961 be the grandest t wonderful year that we know. Since our let- last Christmas, there have many changes in our lives, ment in particular. We from an extremely fine, ded, a professional as- ant after almost three at Dyess AFB near Abi- Texas.

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## Diphtheria Takes Plainview Child

Diphtheria outbreak in Plainview which has resulted in more than 65 cases since the first flare-up in November claimed its first life on Christmas Day.

The victim was Mary Diane Sandefur, 3, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy R. Sandefur. She died Sunday afternoon after being admitted to a Plainview hospital early Sunday morning. Her mother, two sisters and a brother are hospitalized for treatment for diphtheria.

Seven new cases of the disease were reported Monday as one city nurse and two public school nurses continued home visits to carry out the inoculation program which is continuing in doctor's offices throughout the city.

A mass inoculation program at the city auditorium ended Friday after more than 1,900 persons, adults and children, had received diphtheria shots.

## City Has Crisis; No Red Ink Here

It is a little late now but the Republicans could have used Matador as an example during the campaign. It is a town without red ink.

Tom Newman was in the Tribune last week trying to buy a bottle of the bright writing fluid. The Tribune was out of the item.

"Then there is none in town," Mr. Newman said, "I have tried to buy it in every place that sells ink."

The Tribune sold him a red-writing ball point pen. There is, of course, another explanation. Perhaps there has been a run on red ink and stores were caught with a short supply.

## IN ARKANSAS

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Rose and sons, Denny and Terry spent Christmas holidays and this week in Wicks, Ark., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rose. Another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rose and small son, Tony, joined them there for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reeves and small son, Tracy, Dallas, spent Christmas here with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Elbert Reeves, joining his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Reeves and son, Douglas, who were visiting from California.

## Greetings Sent In Letter From Japan

friends and to duties with exceptionally capable and qualified personnel.

We will now give you a picture of our activities for the year. Haynes Sr., who left Abilene on 30 January, attended Armed Forces Staff College at Norfolk, Virginia, from 4 Feb. to 1 July.

Myrna and the boys remained in Abilene, believing it unwise to move the boys during the school year.

In addition, however, Myrna completed a year as first grade teacher, enjoying it very much with a fine group of teachers, and friends at Dyess Elementary School.

On 31 May she and the boys left for Norfolk, via her home in Matador, Texas, with her folks, and to Macon, Georgia, to visit her brother and his wife; then by Capital Airlines to Norfolk. Over a month of vacation at the beach was enjoyed by her and the boys.

On July 5 we proceeded to Tokyo via Arlington, Virginia; Lafayette, Indiana; homes at Wellington and Matador, Texas; Grand Canyon, Disneyland, and Oakland by car; from Sacramento via Honolulu and Wake (Continued on back page)

## Two Matadors on A-J's Dream Team

Glory has not ended for the 1960 Regional Champions Matador Matadors football squad. Two players have been selected on the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal's "dream team." Selection was made by the sports department of the newspaper.

Guy Campbell was named as offensive first team back in comment, an article in the Sunday edition said: "Campbell led Matador to the Region 3-B championship, as far as Class B goes, scoring 138 points and averaging 6.2 yards per carry. He even threw three touchdown passes and was in on 10 tackles per game as corner linebacker."

Gale Stafford was named as defensive first team guard. Comment was as follows: "Stafford, the largest man on the first team at 6-4 and 235 pounds, was a top-notch blocker and is regarded as the finest lineman his coach had had in five years in Matador. He averaged only seven unassisted tackles a game, but had little chance since opposition usually went to the other side." Both members of the Matador 1960 team are seniors.

Matador did not place any men on the second place dream team, but rated the following honorable mentions: End, Jim Green; Guard, Pete Timmons; Center, Dale Dixon and back, Ros Bearden.

## DEATH CLAIMS BERRY WATSON

Elder Berry Watson, 71, a long-time Missionary Baptist preacher and former resident here, died Monday morning in People's Hospital, Floydada. He had been in ill health for a number of years.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the First Baptist Church, Roaring Springs, and burial was in Roaring Springs Cemetery under the direction of Eudy-Seale Funeral Home.

Officiating in the service were Rev. Glen T. Smith of Clovis, N. M., Rev. R. F. Pepper of Turkey, and Rev. Bob Moore, Roaring Springs pastor of First Baptist Church.

Elder Watson had been a Missionary Baptist preacher since 1923, when he was ordained in Red River County, near Clarksville. He had been active in the ministry until 1958, and had pastored churches at Roaring Springs, Matador and Turkey. He moved here several years ago from Roaring Springs, and established the Landmark Baptist Church, which was active for a time. He was for many years associated with the Buck Creek Baptist Association, and was a member of the I. O. O. F. Lodge.

A native of Lamar County, Mr. Watson was born February 28, 1889 and died December 26, 1960 at the age of 71 years, 9 months and 28 days.

He was married to Miss Ada Mitchell, August 15, 1909 at Avery, Texas. They moved to this area in 1924, and had been residing in Floydada about a year. Survivors include the wife, Mrs. Berry Watson, Floydada; four daughters, Mrs. Carrol Pierce, Roaring Springs; Mrs. Hubert Holcomb, Crosbyton; Mrs. Susie Posey and Mrs. Wayne Russell, both of Floydada; one son, Omar Watson, Roaring Springs; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Ed Watson of Roaring Springs and Hearse Watson of Denison; one sister, Mrs. Ida Blasingame of Denison; his step-mother, Mrs. Gertrude Watson, Tampa, Florida; and three half-brothers, Leon and Hubert Watson, both of Tampa, and Verlon Watson, who is in Germany.

Palibearers were Virgil Boothe, Johnny Brawner and Lloyd Brawner, all of Lubbock; Don Probasco, Floydada; Curtis Leatherwood, Clarendon; and Gary Laughlin, Odessa.

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Mrs. Lea, a resident of Clovis, N. M. for a number of years, and former resident of this community, died Saturday in a hospital in Dalhart, Texas, after a lengthy illness. She had been in Dalhart with a daughter for about a week.

Burial was in East Mound Cemetery under the direction of Eudy-Seale Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Wilson Barton, Charlie Scaff, Pat Sheridan, A. A. Harp, B. C. Cox and Curtis King.

Lula Bell Herring was born February 26, 1888 in Mineral Wells, Texas and died December 24, 1960 at the age of 72 years, 9 months and 28 days.

She came to this area in 1903, and was married in 1908 at Matador, to Welby Carpenter. They continued to live here for a short time, later moving to Wheatland, N. M. Mr. Carpenter died in Lubbock, in 1936, and in 1938 Mrs. Carpenter returned here with her two younger children, Rachel and Rudolph. She made her home here until 1945 when she moved to Clovis, and was married there in 1953, to N. B. Lea.

Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Wyman, Dalhart, and Mrs. Carl Jones, Clovis; two sons, Roy Carpenter, Las Vegas, Nevada and Rudolph Carpenter, Salt Lake City, Utah; two brothers, W. D. Herring, Plainview, and Earnest Herring, El Paso; and 13 grandchildren.

Mrs. Lea had been a member of the Baptist Church since girlhood.

## To Sing Old Year Out; New Year In

FOURTH SUNDAY Singers will sing the old year out and the New Year in at Dickens Methodist Church, it was announced Monday by Dumps Clifton, president of the group.

The singing will start New Year's Eve about 8 p.m. and continue throughout the night. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

## GAME ANNOUNCED

Second district basketball game will be played on the Matador court Tuesday, January 3, beginning at 7 p.m. It was announced this week. Boys and girls teams from Lakeview will be the guests. Admission will be 25¢ and 50¢. The public is cordially invited.

## CHURCH PLANS MADE

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## VISITING IN ODESSA

Mrs. A. A. Tipton is visiting in Odessa this week with a daughter, Mrs. Jack Crider and family. She was accompanied to Lubbock Saturday night by her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador, to the home of her other daughter, Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson, and accompanied the Fulkerson family to Odessa Sunday for Christmas dinner.

## COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

## Matador Gains in Last Census Count

OFFICIAL thinking machines have gone over the figures again in the 1960 census of Motley County and come up with final population counts. Matador has gained

## Winners Named in Lighting Contest

Winners in the Lions Club annual Christmas decorations contest have been announced by Lions President L. M. Cox.

The R. M. Stanley home received first place in the home decorations and Matador Variety store was awarded first place in the business decoration contest.

Lion Cox said the judging was done by a competent non-resident who did not know anyone associated with the entries in any manner.

Plaques will be awarded the two winners at the next regular meeting of the Lions club.

Number of homes decorated this year was smaller than usual, according to a survey made by Lions members.

## Tribune Issue is Small This Week

Readers are receiving only four pages in this edition, which is only one fourth the size of last week's edition. The Tribune staff, still weary from the production of the Christmas edition, decided to hold the size down to a minimum, and attempt to get the shop back in condition for the beginning of 1961.

Many items of news have been omitted due to lack of space, and time necessary to secure the information. If you had guests, or went visiting, please report the news as early as possible, that it might be used next week.

This week's edition is also an after Christmas and before the first of the year edition, which happens infrequently. We wish all of our readers and patrons a happy and prosperous 1961. (Don't forget to eat blackeyed peas New Year's day, for good luck.)

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## State Announces '61 Highway Allocation

Texas Highway Commission has approved the expenditure of \$181,100.00 for highway safety and betterment in Motley County during 1961, announced District Highway Engineer Palmer Massey of Childress.

He said a total of 35.7 highway miles in the county will be involved. The work will be under the supervision of Algie Groves, Resident Engineer, Matador.

This work is part of two statewide "highway housekeeping" programs revealed today by the Texas Highway Department. Totaling \$40 million, the programs are keyed to safety features and proper upkeep of the State's highway system.

The two safety-and-betterment programs will be evenly divided

## FLOMOT YOUTH WRECK VICTIM

Frank Folley, 19, son of Harry Folley, was seriously injured shortly after midnight Saturday morning when his automobile went out of control just north of the Quitaque River.

It is believed he was thrown through the back window of his car. He was rendered unconscious and found by a Latin-American who covered him with a blanket and notified authorities in Turkey.

A Eudy-Seale ambulance brought him to Stanley Hospital about 2:30 a.m. He suffered severe lacerations about the head but his condition was not considered critical. He was still in the hospital at noon yesterday.

Folley lives with his sister, Mrs. Robert Skinner Jr., in Amarillo, where he is employed at the Safeway Warehouse. He was returning home for the Christmas holiday when the accident occurred.

## AG Census Report Shows Big Farms

MOTLEY County has more than half a million acres in cultivation and the average size of the 328 farms is 1,624.2 acres. These figures are from the Bureau of Census, U.S. Department of Commerce report just released.

The report is a preliminary one from the 1959 Census of Agriculture.

Total land in farm is listed as 532,747. The average value of farms (land and buildings) in the county was \$83,153.

Of the county's farm operators, 119 owned their farms, 124 owned part of land and rented additional acreage, and 84 were tenant farmers.

The average age of farm operators in the county was 52.5 years. There were 60 farm operators 65 or more years of age.

Of the 328 farms in the county, 253 were listed as commercial farms.

Detailed statistics on crops, livestock, equipment, etc., are presented in the preliminary report, with comparable statistics for 1954. Copies of the county report may be obtained for 10 cents from the Bureau of the Census, Washington 25, D. C.

## WITH AIR RIFLES Vandals Destroy Tribune Lights

Vandals with air rifles shot out the Tribune Christmas lights on Christmas Eve. Many of the colored bulbs strung around the building edge were shattered and others were punctured by BBs.

Shooting of the colored bulbs damaged the wiring circuit until the remaining lights will not burn. So the Tribune was dark Christmas Eve because the colored lights were satisfactory targets for air rifle marksmen. The lights will not be replaced this season.

## Couple Celebrate Golden Anniversary With Home Reception Christmas Day

A reception Sunday, Dec. 25 from 2 until 5:30 p.m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Marshall was in observance of their golden wedding anniversary.

The couple was married on Christmas day in 1910, in a double wedding at Spur, with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brooks, who celebrated the occasion with open house at their home east of Roaring Springs, on December 11.

Mrs. Marshall, the former Ruth Sampson, was born in Throckmorton County, and moved to Dickens County with her parents and family when she was 7 years old. She recalls that they made the trip in a covered wagon, to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Haile, and stayed to make their home in that area. The trip was made in the summer, and they camped out on the prairie.

Mr. Marshall, a native of McClelland County, was born near Waco and moved to Dickens in June, 1910.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall came to Motley County in 1912 from Kent County. After living for a time in other localities, they returned in 1916, to make their home in the Teepee Flat Community for 27 years. In 1943 they moved to the neighboring Flag Springs community, and to Matador in 1950.

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## Church and Society



MRS. GARY BEESON . . . (Judy Hobbs)

### Miss Judy Hobbs and Gary Beeson Are Married In Ceremony On Christmas Eve

Miss Judy Beth Hobbs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hobbs of Matador and Gary Jehu Beeson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jehu Beeson of Estelline, exchanged marriage vows in a ceremony performed Christmas Eve.

First Baptist Church was the scene of the wedding at 3 p.m. December 24, with the pastor, Rev. Gene Hawkins officiating in a double ring ceremony.

Altar decorations featured a seasonal motif in the bride's chosen colors of red and white. The bridal aisle was marked with red tapers tied with red streamers and greenery and led to a white altar arch which was entwined with white holly centered with red berries. At each side of a white velvet kneeling bench, white wrought iron candelabra held red tapers, and a silver tree on each side of a potted poinsettia formed the background.

Misses Jana Jones, Matador, and Lucille Beeson, Estelline, cousin and sister of the bridegroom, lit the candles.

Jon Johnson of Quitaque, organist, cousin of the bride, offered a medley of nuptial music and accompanied Miss Vada Nichols, who sang, "Whither Thou Goest," and "I Love You Truly," and the "Wedding Prayer" for benediction. Traditional

wedding marches were used for processional and recessional.

**Wears Gown Of Lace**  
A gown of lace and net over taffeta was worn by the bride as she was escorted to the altar by her father. The fitted bodice of lace was styled with a scalloped neckline outlined with seed pearls, and long tapered sleeves, and extended in panels over layers of pleated net to form the bouffant skirt.

Her finger-tip veil was attached to a crown of seed pearls and she carried a corsage of white and red carnations atop a white Bible. She wore the traditional "something old, new, borrowed and blue," and in her shoe she wore a penny bearing the year of her birth, 1943.

Mrs. Ronald Hobbs of Houston attended her sister-in-law as matron of honor, and bridesmaids were Misses Vella Ree Edwards and Donna Williams.

Kim Ham, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ham, Quitaque, was flower girl, and ring bearer was Dickie Johnson, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ober Johnson also of Quitaque, and a cousin of the bride.

The honor attendants wore street length dresses of red velvet, and white fur head bands, and carried white muffs, to which were pinned red and

### Fidelis Class Has Christmas Social

Fidelis Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church held a Christmas party Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 20, at the home of the teacher, Mrs. R. E. Campbell Sr.

The program included the song, "Silent Night." Scripture reading from second chapter of Luke, by Miss Verlin Reeves; prayer by Mrs. J. L. Woodruff; two Christmas poems, "Mary's Lullaby" and "Inside of Christmas," by Miss Amy Glenn; and closing song, "O Little Town of Bethlehem."

Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the program. Members present other than those mentioned were Miss Mary Keith and Mesdames C. P. Waybourn, Alfred Barton, Bess Patton and Edd Cammack.

white corsages. The candle-lighters, soloist and flower girl also wore red velvet dresses with white fur head pieces.

**Bridegroom's Attendants**  
Jimmy Sharp of Hart, the bridegroom's brother-in-law served as best man. Another brother-in-law, Eddie Rogers of Tulia, and Guy Campbell, Matador were ushers and served also as groomsmen.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in Bird Memorial Parlor at the church.

The bride's table was laid with a white outwork cloth and her Bible and corsage, flanked by red tapers, formed the centerpiece. Presiding at the crystal punch service was the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Eddie Rogers of Tulia, and his other sister, Mrs. Jimmy Sharp served the three-tiered wedding cake.

Guests were registered by Mrs. Kenneth Thompson. When the couple left for a short wedding trip to Hart, Mrs. Beeson wore a sheath and jacket ensemble of beige brocade, with matching purse and shoes. Other accessories were white gloves and white satin hat.

Mr. and Mrs. Beeson will make their home in Estelline, where he is presently engaged in business with his father, Mrs. Beeson will enroll in school there to complete her high school education.

She is a junior in Matador High School and active in many organizations, including the Drum and Bugle Corps, a trio, "The Spark-a-letz," F. H. A. and 4-H. In addition, she has been active in church work and young people's Sunday School department. Her husband attended school in Olton before entering the Navy in which he served 14 months. Upon returning home he attended a beautician school in El Paso and is a licensed hair stylist.

**Wedding Guests**  
Wedding guests from out of town included Ronald Hobbs and daughter, Julie, of Houston; Lt. and Mrs. John M. Rogers of Mineral Wells; Mrs. Bob Ham and Max and Mr. and Mrs. Ober Johnson, Jamie and Barry all of Quitaque; Mrs. Jim Ward Jeffers and daughter, Carol of Paducah; and Mrs. Jack Jernigan and daughter, Mrs. Melvin Gross of Lubbock.

### Flomot Community Christmas Program Is Well Attended

The Flomot Community Christmas Program was well attended Wednesday evening of last week at the Methodist Church. An attractive manger scene was on the back of the program leaflets with the theme, "Behold I bring you Tidings of great joy."

"Silent Night" was the opening hymn by the congregation, and prayer was offered by Rev. Ed Spivey.

Judy Shorter and Kathy Gilbert each gave a Christmas poem. Special music was by the Junior and Youth Choir, who sang, "Share the Christ Child," and "We Three Kings of the Orient Are."

The Christmas Story was read from Matthew by Rev. Mrs. Ruth Cooper; "The First Christmas" was recited by Pam Morris; "O Little Town of Bethlehem" was sung by the congregation; and the Christmas Story as recorded in Luke was read by Rev. Spivey.

"How Great Thou Art" was sung by Mrs. Leon Cloyd, using Christmas verses; "A Present for the Christ Child" was a reading by Miss Linda Cooper; "There's a Song in the Air" was sung by the congregation, and a poem, "Not Just Once a Year," was given by Barbara Moseley. "Joy to the World" by the entire assembly was followed by the benediction by Rev. Spivey.

### Many Homes Have Holiday Visitors

Holiday visitors were entertained in many local homes the past week.

In the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smallwood, visitors were their children and grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews, being Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cooper of Skellytown, Mr. and Mrs. Chuck Richardson and Mrs. La Nell Crable and son of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson and daughters of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Colin Reese and family, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Smallwood and daughter, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smallwood and daughter, Liberal, Kansas; and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Norris and Larry, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Smallwood and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smallwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smallwood and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Thompson.

Children of Mrs. Chloe Meador, with their families spent Christmas with her. They were Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lebow and son, Harry of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Briscoe of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barr of Lubbock; and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. John Briscoe, Patsy and Jane; Mr. and Mrs. James Meador, Charles, Joie and Tanya; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Meador, Doug, Larry and Danny; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Markham, Larry, Dale, Jerry, Nancy and Betty; Sue; Mrs. Betty Osborn, Dean and Billy, and Mrs. Wes Hall, Dr. and Mrs. Albert Traweck

Jr., had as holiday visitors, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Gibson and family, David and John of Muncie, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. Ned Morris and Frank Traweck all of Houston. Also here from Houston was Dr. Mary Rosenstein, who visited her mother and brother, Mrs. A. C. Traweck Sr., and Howard Traweck, and the Albert Trawecks.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland held open house Monday, for relatives and friends who dropped in to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James McCarty, Mike, Jamie and Paul who arrived Friday from Tucson, Arizona, to spend the holidays; and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bourland and sons, Albert and Boyce, of Lubbock, who came Monday and visited until Wednesday. Other guests in the Bourland home for Christmas dinner on Monday, were his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bolton of Quitaque. Among relatives who called during the day were Mrs. L. E. Cooper of Roaring Springs, with her daughter, Mrs. J. P. Moss of Floydada and two daughters of Mrs. Moss, Mrs. Arch March and son Steve of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wilkinson and daughter, of Smyrna, Ga.; also Mrs. W. A. Campbell and her daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Turner Hunter and Barbara all of Floydada, and local residents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McWilliams, Tom Hamilton, and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Nimmo, in Matador last Monday.

A buffet dinner of turkey, dressing, and all the trimmings was served. Gifts were exchanged and game played by the group.

Those enjoying the gala affair were: Mrs. Minnie Hines and son, Ott; Mr. and Mrs. John Barton of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Doc Burleson, Mrs. Katie James, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Dewayne Martin and daughter, Andrea; Miss Elwanda Martin of Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Cox and sons, Ronnie and Don; Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Ewell Martin and sons, Ewell Gene, Howard, Kenny, Preston and Virgil of Floydada; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Archer and children, Jon, Russ and Nancy, of Lubbock and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin.

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**LOCAL ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright of El Paso, spent Christmas here with her aunt, Mrs. Henry Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison of McLean, were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day spent Christmas at Silverton with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson. Join in them Sunday for Christmas dinner were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Day, Pat and Jeanette, and Mr. and Mrs. George Birchfield, all of Matador.

Mrs. Dorothy Rogers of Denver, Colo., and Harry Louis Willett of Oklahoma City, Okla., spent Christmas holidays visiting here with their mother, Mrs. Harry Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith spent Christmas week-end holidays in Odessa, visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Melton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stanley and small son, Steve spent Christmas holidays in San Antonio with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. B. Teague.

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# New Year Greetings

to our Friends and Customers!

As we welcome the New Year We acknowledge with gratitude the loyalty of our friends and the good will of our neighbors. To everyone we extend our sincere wishes for a bright New Year abundant with happiness and all the good things in life.

**Thacker Supply Co.**

MATADOR

ROARING SPRINGS







**HERE FOR HOLIDAYS**

Holiday visitors in the Freeman Thacker and B. M. Eubank homes were other children of the Eubanks, being Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jernigan and children, Dean, Ann and Linda, and their married daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Gross, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Eubank and son, Raymond, of Bovina and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Wright and children of Levelland; and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Eubank of Fort Worth.

**VISIT WITH RELATIVES**

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pohl and daughter, Carolyn spent the Christmas week end holidays visiting with relatives, first in Lubbock with his father, F. J. Pohl, and in Slaton with a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pohl. From there they went to Bronte, where they visited Mrs. Pohl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Knierim, and returned by Abilene, Monday, for a short visit with Mr. Pohl's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Cullar.

**VISITING IN HOUSTON**

Mrs. W. F. Jacobs and daughter, Laura spent Christmas holidays and remained this week, in Houston in the home of their son and brother, Mack Jacobs and family. They made the trip by train from Lubbock and will return home Saturday morning.

**HOLIDAY VISITORS**

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cox and her mother, Mrs. W. T. Patton during Christmas holidays, were other daughters and son of the latter. They were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Nalley of Austin; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of Alpine and their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carlos Davis and children, Donnie, Melanie and Weston, of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Patton of Wichita Falls and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. David Patton of Denton. Mr. Cox's mother and nephew, Mrs. Pearl Moorman and W. R. Collier of Idalou were visitors a short while Sunday.

**GREETINGS . . .**

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Island to Tokyo by air. The entire trip was so pleasant and one we leisurely completed, visiting families and friends enroute, and seeing sights we had never seen. After eighteen years in the service, this was our first family trip west of an approximate line from El Paso passing through Wichita, Kansas. The six days we spent in Honolulu (Pt. DeRussy on Waikiki Beach) were thoroughly enjoyed and will never be forgotten, thanks to the mother, brother and his wife, of our neighbor in Lubbock in 1949 and 1950. They were perfect and we saw and enjoyed Hawaii as few visitors see it. I am sure, including a real native Luau, poi, raw fish and crab, pig and all. We are now settled in Japan, and find it just fine. The Japanese are very hospitable, and we are constantly amazed at their cleverness. Myrna has a maid for the first time because her teaching and demands here require one. We had expected to live on the Japanese economy for sev-

eral months before one of the MAAG compound apartments became available. Instead, our sponsor (another Texan) had everything set up, furniture inventoried, groceries in stock; met us at Tachikawa airport, had us through customs, and whisked to our apartment within approximately an hour after we landed. Such hospitality!

The assignment is different to most we have had, yet it is very interesting, busy, and challenging. Of course, our work is directly with the Japanese Air Self Defense Force.

We are quite involved as usual. Jan is ten now, is in the fifth grade with outside activities of dancing, Cub Scouts, judo and organ. Haynes Jr., thirteen last March, is in the eighth grade with outside activities of dancing, Cub Scout Den Chief, Boy Scouts, Patrol Leader, and cornet.

Myrna is full time kindergarten teacher, with also a kindergarten Sunday School class. Haynes Sr., is Chief, Training Branch, in the Air Force Section, MAAG-J. His extra activities include Cubmaster, Assistant District Commissioner for Cubbers Roundtable, and fifth grade Sunday School teacher.

Limited space dictates closing. We sincerely hope this finds everyone well, and, again, we wish you the happiest New Year in history.

Haynes, Myrna, Haynes Jr., and Jan  
(Candy, our Pug is in Matador)

**TO PHILLIPS**

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Edmondson spent the Christmas week end in Phillips in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Edmondson. Joining them there for Christmas Day were their other children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hoyle and son, Larry and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Edmondson and son, Thomas.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The family of Ralph (Boo) Donnell wish to express our sincere thanks to the many friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and kindness shown us in the passing of our loved one.  
The Donnell Family

**WITH GRATEFUL HEARTS**

We thank all those who did so much to help us in our time of grief, and especially are we grateful to Dr. Stanley, Bill Sease and Freddie Welling for their personal aid. Every word of comfort and act of kindness, the food prepared for us, the beautiful floral offerings and services at the church were deeply appreciated. May God bless each of you, is our prayer.  
Mrs. J. F. McNelly and Family

**WE EXTEND**

Our heartfelt thanks for the many kindnesses of friends. In our hour of deep sorrow we found consolation in your kind and thoughtful expressions of sympathy, beautiful floral offerings and comforting memorial service. May each of you be blessed in a special way.  
The Family Of  
Mrs. Lula Carpenter Lea

**In the Want Ads**

**\$400 MONTHLY:** Spare time refilling and collecting money from new type high quality coin operated dispensers in this area. No selling. To quali-

fy you must have car, references, \$600 to \$1900 cash. Seven to twelve hours weekly can net up to \$400 monthly. More full time. For personal interview write P.O. Box 1055, Boise, Idaho. Include phone number. 42/p1t

**WANTED:— Housekeeper.** Will furnish separate living quarters. Mrs. H. N. Powell, Dougherty, Texas 42/p2t

**WANTED: Single man** for general ranch work. Must have saddle and drivers license. Good opportunity for ambitious cowboy. Jno. S. McMurttry, Muleshoe, Texas 42/c2t

**FOR SALE: Vinyl braided rug,** 9x12. Call 111 36/cfn

**FIRST CLASS HOME building** and repairs. Free Estimate. No job too small or large. Phone 240. References. 20/cfn

**WANTED: All types terracing,** including dozer work, diversion and standard terraces. N. L. Cook, Northfield; phone Ki 5-2423. 20/cfn

**CIGARETTES: All regular brands,** \$2.55 per carton. King size and filter cigarettes \$2.69 per carton. Bob Stanley Pharmacy. 51/cfn

**WATCH REPAIR: Latest methods** and equipment. W. H. Yandell at Solomon's Jewelry, Floydada, Texas. 33/cfn

**WANTED: To lease one to five** sections of grassland. Billy C. Nichols, Rt. 3, Floydada, Tex. Phone YUKon 3-3014. 38/p5t

**SPECIAL**  
Lister points; Moline, Ferguson, International, John Deere, Each \$6.00  
2-year Battery, 6 volt Exchange \$11.95  
2-year Battery, 12 volt Exchange \$14.95  
Marvel Oil: \$3.50 gal.; \$1.00 Qt.; 60¢ Pt.  
Guaranteed Stop Leak - Silver Seal - None better .50¢  
H. Duty brake fluid .can.50¢  
We Sell Servis Shredders  
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**HOUSE FOR SALE: Call 100 or 122.** 25/cfn

**FOR SALE or rent: My home in** Matador. Contact Mrs. L. D. Wilkerson 118 W. Foster St. Pampa, Texas. Tel. 5-2001 41/c3t

**FOR SALE: Beef and hogs for** your locker or home freezer. We have all sizes available. Half or whole. Wholesale price. Leon Locker Plant, Ph. CR2-4371, Spur. 29/cfn

**B. F. GOODRICH TIRES, 670x15** for \$12.95 plus tax exchange. Other sizes at comparable prices. Campbell Chevrolet Co. 48/cfn

**LET US Slaughter your beef or** hog. Modern, clean, sanitary facilities. Experienced staff. Leon Ice Co., Spur. 29/cfn

**FOR RENT: Harp Apartments,** furnished and unfurnished, phone 153. 19/cfn

**B. F. GOODRICH TIRES, 600x16** for \$11.95 plus tax exchange. Other sizes at comparable prices. Campbell Chevrolet Co. 48/cfn

**FOR SALE OR TRADE: Well** equipped blacksmith and welding shop in Roaring Springs. Mrs. W. D. Lewis, Box 74. 39/cfn

**FOR RENT: 5-room house, A. L.** Curry, Matador. 41/p3t

**MATTRESS WORK: Mattresses** renovated. Special built king size mattresses and box springs. Call Matador Hotel, Phone No. 5. Economy Mattress Co. Lubbock, Texas 37/cfn

**SALE: STP (oil additive) reg.** \$1.35, sale price 90¢. Peg's Tractor Co., US Highway 70 west. 12/cfn

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- to please you
- give our best
- serve your needs
- always satisfy

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PHONE 74

**End of the Year CLEARANCE**

- ★ 1960 FORD Fairlane 500, red & white \$2250  
ONLY 1400 MILES ★ FORDOMATIC ★ HEATER ★ LIKE NEW
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AIR CONDITIONED ★ POWER STEERING ★ EXTRA NICE
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FORDOMATIC ★ RADIO ★ HEATER
- ★ 1958 FORD Fordor, power steering \$1350  
AIR CONDITIONED
- ★ 1956 CHEVROLET Station Wagon \$ 895  
NEW OVERHAUL
- ★ 1956 CHEVROLET Tudor . . . . \$ 495
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- ★ 1955 FORD Fordor with Fordomatic . . . . .
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- ★ 1953 FORD Fordor with Fordomatic . . . . .  
POWER STEERING ★ REBUILT MOTOR

**PICKUPS**

- 1958 FORD F-100 V-8, 1/2 ton, overdrive . . . . .
- 1956 FORD F-100 V-8, 1/2 ton, rebuilt motor . . . . .  
NEW TIRES
- 1955 FORD F-100 V-8, 1/2 ton, standard trans. . . . .
- 1955 FORD F-100, 1/2 ton, Fordomatic, rebuilt mtr.

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Cakes for all Special Occasions!  
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**DINNER**

**Prices for Friday and Saturday**

**FOLGER'S COFFEE lb. 65**

**Pillsbury's Best 25 pound sack FLOUR \$1.98**

**BORDEN'S Mellorine 1/2 Gallon 39**

**White Swan, Unsweetened 46 oz. can Grapeft. Juice 29**

**Ellis Jumbo, with sauce No. 2 1/2 can TAMALES 2 for 69**

**Kimbell's green shelled, No. 2 can, 2 FOR Blackeye Peas 35**

**SUNSHINE Large Box Vanilla Wafers 29**

**FRESH, LEAN Beef Ribbs 39**

**CHOICE CHUCK Beef Roast lb. 55**

**Whole hog, Pan SAUSAGE 49**

**GOLDEN RIPE POUND Bananas 12 1/2**

**RUSSETT, White 10 pound plyo bag POTATOES 49**

**Keith's Frozen 8 oz. box Fish Sticks - 25**

**PATIO, Frozen Beef 6 to the box TACOS - 49**

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