

# Matadors Face Tilt For District

## Decisive Game This Afternoon

Caravan Of Fans Will Follow Team To Meet Paducah

Matador will be a ghost city this afternoon. Most of its population will follow the Matador Matadors to Paducah where the locals will defend their undefeated and untied position for the championship of District 4-A, against the Paducah Dragons. The season records of the two teams is near parallel, but the Matadors' season average is one half game ahead of the Dragons. A sports writer on the Paducah Post has predicted the Dragons will defeat the Matadors 13 to 6.

### Matadors In Shape

Coach Don Martin said late last night that the team was in good condition and that he would start the regular first-string lineup. However, he added that right tackle, Jack Martin, is suffering from an injured shoulder and may not be able to play the entire game.

Questioned on his opinion of the game's outcome, Coach Martin said "I feel we will defeat Paducah without some unseen setback. The boys are in good shape. I believe they will turn out their best performance of the season. However, I am not certain we are going to win and would not make any prediction of the score at the 4th quarter."

### Stores Will Close

With the exception of drug stores, cafes and filling stations, other business establishments will be closed for the entire day, for the Thanksgiving holiday, including the bank and post office. It is estimated that probably the largest single delegation ever to leave Matador will follow the football squad to the neighboring town. The Matadors will leave at 11:45 and the game is called for 2:30 p. m.

## Pastor Remains At Helm

Rev. W. B. Vaughn will re-assume duties as pastor of the Methodist church here, it was revealed when the appointments were read at the closing session of the Northwest Texas Methodist Conference at Pampa, Tuesday. The entire community joins in welcoming the return of this quiet, unassuming man to helm the church, for he has made many friends since coming to Matador, in other denominations as well as his own.

Rev. and Mrs. Vaughn, and Judge and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, attended the Conference as representatives of the Matador church. A. G. Russell of Houston, visited here during the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell and other relatives.

## Escaped Convict Returned

Carol Banks, 19, an escaped convict from the Cook county chain gang, who was arrested here Sunday night, November 10, was turned over to prison authorities last Friday, after remaining in jail here during the period. Banks was jailed after he had been brought to town by a north Motley county farmer, who had apprehended the ex-convict and his 13-year old daughter near Teepee creek on the Paducah-Matador highway. Charges of kidnapping were filed against the ex-convict but later dropped. He was declared to have been serving a 2-year sentence for theft after breaking a suspended sentence in the north part of the county.

## Foodway Has New Owners

A deal was culminated early this week whereby Julian Edmondson and Delbert Groves purchased the Leonard's Foodway grocery from Leonard Dennis and assumed management at once. Mr. Edmondson has been employed at the store for the past year while Mr. Groves has been employed by the Spot Cash Grocery since 1933. They are both experienced grocery merchants, well known and capable young men.

The store will retain both grocery and market facilities, stocking high quality staple and fancy groceries and the best grades of meats and market products. Prices consistent to fair merchandising will prevail and the highest possible degree of service will be maintained.

The new owners of the grocery store seek a new name for their enterprise and enlist the aid of their customers in determining what it will be. They offer a prize of \$10.00 in cash or trade for the name selected. A purchase of \$3 or more, entitles the customer to submit a suggestion, however, each customer will be allowed only one entry. The contest will close December 14.

A cordial invitation is extended the public to visit the store and become better acquainted with its new managers.

## Thanksgiving Observance At Whiteflat

Announcement is made that a Thanksgiving service will be held on the night of November 27, at the Whiteflat Baptist Church. Rev. H. L. Burnam of Spur will preach the Thanksgiving sermon, and the services will begin at 7:00 o'clock; it was stated.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

## Tax Suits Started In Court

Judgments were entered Tuesday on delinquent tax cases filed here early in September by the Matador Independent School District, City of Matador and Motley county. Judgments were rendered on about 10 cases with the remainder continued until the next Monday. Twelve cases were dismissed Monday when property owners paid off delinquent taxes in order to save court costs.

Frank Pohl, tax collector for the school district declared that in the neighborhood of \$2,000 in delinquent taxes had been paid since the suits had been filed.

Attorney G. E. Hamilton is representing the school district while County Attorney Howard Traweek is prosecuting the claims of the city and county.

### Extensive Drive

The action results after repeated warnings by the school board and the city council with regard to the chaotic condition of unpaid taxes on many parcels of property. The claims will be pressed until the claims are cleared, it was asserted.

Mr. Pohl declared that property owners are advised that 1940 taxes are due and payable now and with the harvest season in full swing it is an opportune time to pay them.

### IS CLUB PLEDGEE

Miss Jewell McCoy, daughter of Mrs. Hugh Gray of Matador, recently became a member of Sock and Buskin, speech club, at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where she is a freshman student.

## Youth Is Smothered

Conan Edgar, 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Edgar, residing about 7 miles south of Roaring Springs, was found dead, smothered in a mound of cottonseed late Friday afternoon, when his absence was noticed, and a search instigated.

The boy had returned from school, and was believed to be playing in the field nearby until his failure to appear alarmed the family. The body was found almost completely buried in the cottonseed where he apparently had been playing.

Dr. J. F. Hughes was summoned but all efforts to revive the child failed. Burial was made Saturday afternoon in the Afton cemetery. He is survived by his parents and a four-year-old brother.

### MOVE TO RALLS

Mr. and Mrs. Dud Stafford left Sunday for Ralls, where they will make their home. Mr. Stafford having accepted a position in a drug store there.

## Two Youths Leave Matador Saturday To Begin Training

Two volunteers, Robert Aubra Birchfield and Hermon Leroy Scott, will fill Motley county's first quota in the nation's compulsory military training program. Since the two young men are volunteers none of the registrants will be drafted to fill the call. They are registrants 66-V and 572-V, respectively.

They will report to the local board at 8 a. m. Saturday morning, whereupon they will be sent to an induction station.

Bus tickets have been arranged and the youths will go from Matador to Lubbock.

### Draftees Allowed Appeal

Frank Pohl, clerk for the Local Board said late yesterday that registrants will begin receiving their classification cards within a few days, which will indicate the classification they have received by the board. Mr. Pohl said that draftees who feel that they have not been correctly classified are allowed the privilege of appeal, provided it is made within five days from the date of the card. Appeals are allowed that possible further evidence may be presented to aid the board in reaching its decision.

### Army Officer Here

Major Stewart from Austin headquarters, visited the Local Board yesterday in order to provide any additional information which might be required in the course of activities.

## Red Cross Drive Is Short Of '40 Quota

Late Report Shows 237 Memberships Signed In Drive

Late reports from county officials of the American Red Cross membership drive, indicate that in the neighborhood of 188 additional members are needed to complete the quota.

County Attorney Howard Traweek, who has been in charge of the drive during the absence of Roll Call Chairman John Hamilton, stated last night that receipts were \$389.45 with 237 memberships signed. The 1940 quota is 425 memberships. The Matador Land & Cattle Company contributed \$50 for membership, the largest amount on record of annual drives.

Mr. Traweek declared that most of the communities had reported and turned in funds collected.

### Greater Responsibility

Norman H. Davis, of St. Louis, chairman of the American Red Cross stressed the increased responsibility of the organization in the following telegram to John Hamilton:

"The central committee today reviewed the greatly increased work and responsibility of the Red Cross incident to the national defense program. Civilian and military programs nationally and in chapters necessitate a very large membership increase. I am confident you and your associates will patriotically make an extra effort to reach every man and woman in your jurisdiction with an invitation to join. Time is short. The next two weeks are vital in determining the strength of the Red Cross for the critical months ahead. (Signed) Norman H. Davis, chairman."

Renewed efforts will be placed in the drive in an effort to reach the quota, which will require 188 additional memberships, according to plans being outlined by officials of the drive yesterday.

## Volunteers Fill County's Quota

### DRIVERLESS TRUCK ROLLS INTO DITCH

A big truck loaded with sacked oats and pecans rolled away from Bob's Oil Well service station about 3 o'clock yesterday morning while the drivers were in the adjoining cafe drinking coffee, and turned over in the ravine a short distance east of the station.

The truck, out of Vernon, was west-bound when stopped at the all-night station for gas, and to allow the drivers a cup of coffee. Looking out the cafe window, one of the drivers noticed that the truck was gone and reached the door in time to see it turn over.

While delayed most of yesterday, no damage was sustained. The accident was caused by the driver failing to set the brakes on the slight incline where the station is located.

## Oil Well Down To 6,041 ft.

The Humble Company test well, known as Matador Land and Cattle Company No. C-1, located in Turtle Hole pasture, 22 miles northeast of Matador, had reached a depth of 6,041 yesterday.

The drilling is being done in continuous 24 hours per day operation and will continue until further orders are received, although the contract on the well was for but 6,000 feet.

It has been estimated that the Humble Company spends in the neighborhood of \$1,000 per day on test wells that require about 60 days for completion.

No announcements have been made with regard to location of future tests on the Matador Land and Cattle Company lease.

## Cold Rain Falls Here

Cold rain started falling here late Tuesday night and yesterday afternoon .52 inch had been registered. The rainfall started as light mist and continued to increase to showers by yesterday morning.

An east-bound truck stopping here a few moments yesterday afternoon, was covered in sleet and snow, probably having traveled thru more severe weather in the north plating area.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Stafford made a business trip to Oklahoma Monday, returning Tuesday.

## Lions Hear Address On Sanitation

Lion Albert Traweek, Jr., made the principal address at the regular meeting of the Matador Lions Club held in the basement of the Baptist church Tuesday. Assigned the subject of "Sanitation", Dr. Traweek delivered an excellent address in which he stressed the extreme need of stringent sanitary measures in Matador. He urged a general city clean-up campaign for Matador and that all food handlers be required to have a health certificate. He also suggested that the city employ a city marshal full time to enforce strict sanitary laws. His address was followed by a unanimous vote of the club to sponsor a clean-up campaign and close cooperation with the city enforcing sanitary laws.

### Aid Christmas Fund

Miss Jolene Bloodworth rendered an enjoyable piano solo as a feature of the program. Visitors included Richard Stovall, court-reporter and District Judge Alton B. Chapman of Floydada, W. E. Burleson and Miss Mary Ellen Barton.

The Lions directors' meeting held in the Magnolia Cafe Monday morning voted \$10.00 to aid the community Christmas fund to provide toys, candies and fruits for underprivileged children. The club will also sponsor the annual Christmas lighting program, with all business firms and homeowners being urged to decorate with lights and other "effects" that the Christmas spirit may be more in evidence this year than ever before." Lion Paul Eubank served as secretary in the absence of Lion Randall Whitworth.

## Petit Jury Selected

The following petit jurors have been selected to serve November 25, for the third week of the November term of District court:

H. V. Cromer, J. D. Spray, Charlie Mathews, Archie Collins, Alfred Dye, A. D. Williams, H. L. Smith, Jay Browning, Ben Keltz, I. L. Slover, Robert Darsey, W. R. Patrick, Eldred Seigler, Tom Collins, D. T. Florence, Charlie Long, John Ferguson, T. F. Berryman, J. E. Payne, Charlie Keith, Louis Amick, S. D. Hunter, Frank Garrett, Earl Whitaker.

W. A. Smith, John Bourland, J. T. Swim, Jr., T. J. Daffern, O. D. Calvert, J. L. Farris, W. T. Gunn, G. A. Ashford, L. E. Cross, W. E. Thompson, Joe Bloodworth, J. C. Green.

### MOVING TO McADOO

H. L. Dennis, former owner of Leonard's Foodway here, will leave with his family tomorrow for McAdoo, where he will make his future home.

Mr. Dennis declared that he would start immediately to farm a large tract of land and also engage in the sheep-raising business.

## Sewing Room Completes Fiscal Year November 2

Completion of the year's work in the Matador WPA sewing room, was made November 2, according to an announcement made by Mrs. Ina G. Price, supervisor, this week. Reviewing the work for the fiscal year, Mrs. Price said the project had provided 23,554 man-hours of work and that wages in the amount of \$6,206.51 had been paid.

A total of 7,668 garments were made during the year, using 13,284 yards of material. The women working each make 50 garments a month.

"Every bit of the money earned has stayed in the county. The

women cash their checks here and buy their food and clothing and other necessities in Matador," Mrs. Price pointed out.

The women employed are paid every two weeks, each working 130 hours per month. The wage scale is \$31.20 per month for unskilled (B) labor, \$34.10 per month for unskilled (A) labor and \$42.90 per month for intermediate skilled labor.

"The new year's work also began November 2, and all the women and myself are happy over the progress made during the last year and in anticipation of the year's work ahead," Mrs. Price said.

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# Patton Springs News

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A fine Cub Scout Pack has also been recently organized in the school with 14 registered Cubs. This group of boys, 10 and 11 years old are doing fine work and are looking forward to being scouts.

## School News

The first grade room taught by Mrs. H. V. Jackson, made \$20.00 at the school carnival recently, which will be used for new things for the room. A health contest which had been in progress since the beginning of school, was ended last week, with the following pupils making a perfect score: Tom Wallace Yeates, Tiny Beth Bateman, Betty Lou Kelly, Francell Williams and Edward Cargille.

The first and second grades under the supervision of Miss Helen Porter cleared \$9.65 on the Bingo stand and queen's race at the carnival. Part of the money will be used to buy a fish bowl and a canary bird; Dale Sedwick has promised to bring the gold fish... when he can catch them. This room is working on a short Thanksgiving program to be given before the parents and friends of the school, who are cordially invited to attend.

Miss Jack Powell's second and third grade room pupils are working on a Thanksgiving play, titled, "Bobby's Thanksgiving," and also a new song for the program. For their art project this week, they are making a Pilgrim boy carrying a turkey. These students are deeply grieved at the untimely death of their classmate and friend Conan Edgar, who was smothered to death last Friday evening.

## Students And Teachers At Celebration

Approximately four hundred students and fifteen teachers of the Patton Springs school attended the Armistice Day program at Spur Monday, in which they participated. The band marched and played in the parade, in which also were entered seven buses and a beautiful float carrying the theme, "God Bless America," representing Patton Springs. On the float rode the candidates

for Carnival Queen. They were: Carnival and senior queen, Bobbie Randolph; junior, Jackie Young; sophomore, Billie Collier; freshman, Dolores Goodwin; seventh grade, Doris Avara; sixth grade, Bonnie Jo Byars; fifth grade, Frankie Nell Key; fourth grade, Joyce Harvey; third grade, Druline Byrd; second grade, Bernice Randolph; high first grade, Moonen Hext; low first, Betty Lou Kelly.

## COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT SHOWS MUCH PROGRESS

The commercial department of the Patton Springs school has thirty-five typing students, twenty three enrolled for shorthand, and twelve for bookkeeping.

The students enrolled in the typing division are interested in learning to type for several reasons: First, for their own personal satisfaction and use; second, because every occupation and profession demands the use of neat, brief, communications which make use of the typewriter; and third, the use of the typewriter is especially demanded in the fields that most of these students plan to enter. Several of the students can type as many as twenty words on short speed tests.

A majority of the students entered the shorthand class with the fear that it would be hard, but not one of the twenty-three have dropped the subject. Within the next few weeks, the class will begin writing in shorthand. Thus far they have been learning to read in the system.

Altho the bookkeeping class is small, much progress is being shown. Most of the work of the two periods spent each day is done on problems and actual book-keeping records in the workbook.

## Control of Disease Planned

AUSTIN—The Texas State Health Department will cooperate with the Army, Navy, the United States Public Health Service in active control of venereal disease in areas where armed forces and national defense employees are concentrated.

Doctor Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, announced cooperation in the program which is outlined in an agreement with the War and Navy Departments, the Federal Security Agency, and the State and Territorial Health Officers Conference.

Doctor Cox pointed out that "infections among military personnel originate in the civilian communities. Recent experience indicates that the venereal disease rate in a given military command reflects the efficiency of the venereal disease control program in adjacent communities."

"Effectively carried out," Dr. Cox said, "the eight-point cooperative program will contribute substantially to the physical fitness of men in the armed and industrial defense forces."

Doctor Cox quoted statistics showing that 350,000 officers and men—the equivalent of 23 divisions of 15,000 men each—were treated for venereal disease during World War I. "More than six-and-a-half million man-days were lost to the Army because of syphilis and gonorrhea. Much of that lost time could have been avoided," Doctor Cox emphasized, "if facilities had been provided for proper venereal disease control."

Ground-work for the venereal disease control program in the areas surrounding Texas cantonments where military forces will be concentrated has already been established. Local city and county health departments are cooperating with the State Health Department and the U. S. Army officials in setting up a series of control measures.

"It was agreed by the Surgeon Generals of the Army, Navy, and U. S. Public Health Service," Dr. Cox stated, "that the legal responsibility for the repression of prostitution rests upon the local police and sheriff's departments."

**No Flag of Its Own**  
Canada has no flag of its own. The Union Jack is flown there usually with the tricolor when there are French Canadians. A special flag is used by the governor-general.

Only 25 of Texas' 254 counties have county libraries. Airplanes flying at an altitude of 15,000 feet find only about one-half the air resistance encountered at sea level.

Black widow spiders are so named because the females willingly make widows of themselves by eating their husbands.

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD

### TAKING FLASH PICTURES



With flash, shots such as this are quick and sure—and your subjects don't have to pose in bright light.

ANN turned up with a camera problem the other night. She had been trying to take some snapshots of the pup—a lively little rascal—and he wouldn't stay put. In fact, the warmth from the photo lamps made him even more skittish than usual, and by the time she was ready to shoot, he was usually out of sight.

"All right," I told her, "we'll fix him. We'll use a flash bulb, and get him down on film before he even knows it." So, we arranged things, and in about three minutes she had just the picture she wanted.

Maybe you've taken flash shots—maybe not. If not, winter is a good time to get acquainted with this type of picture-taking, and you'll find it mighty useful. For most indoor shots, I use the regular floor bulbs; but for some shots, flash is much better.

It's simple to use, too, even if you don't have a flash synchronizer. Just put your camera on a tripod or table edge, and set the shutter for "time." Insert the flash bulb in a house lamp fitted with the regular cardboard reflector you use for snapshots at night—but be sure the switch is off at the moment. Now open the camera shutter—snap on the switch to flash the bulb—and close the shutter. That's all, and you have your picture.

Moreover, you can use any film you prefer—the quick flash is bright enough for box camera exposures with daytime film, when the bulb is seven feet from the subject. And if you use high speed film, the bulb can be seventeen feet back.

With a flash synchronizer, flash bulbs are even more useful. You can even use them in the daytime, to brighten up the nearby details in a shady scene. And you don't have to put the camera on a tripod—you can hold it in your hand, and take snapshot exposures. Some of the most attractive daytime shots you see in the magazines are made with the aid of synchronized flash, and it's a real help.

I didn't have a synchronizer for a long time, because they used to be high-priced—but I bought one last year as soon as the inexpensive models began to come out. Now Ann wants one too; she knows a good camera accessory when she sees one. And maybe there's a good hint for your own camera kit. I'd certainly hate to part with my synchronizer—it has already paid for itself in first-rate pictures.

John van Gulder

"Burn down your cities and leave our farms, and your cities will spring up again as if by magic; but destroy our farms and the grass will grow in the streets of every city in the country."  
"Having behind us the producing masses of this nation and the world, supported by the commercial interests, the laboring interests and the toilers everywhere, we will answer their demand for a gold standard by saying to them: You shall not press down upon the brow of labor this crown of thorns; you shall not crucify mankind upon a cross of gold."

No man—until the advent of the radio—was ever heard by as many people as was Bryan in the campaign of '96. He made as high as 30 speeches in a single day, including brief addresses made from the back platform of his train; and millions came under the spell of his magnificent voice. Few candidates have stirred a greater enthusiasm and those whose hearts were broken when his colors trailed in the dust can understand these lines:  
"Election night at midnight:  
Boy Bryan's defeat.  
Defeat of western silver.  
Defeat of the wheat . . .  
Defeat of the aspen groves of Colorado valleys.  
The blue bells of the Rockies.  
And blue bonnets of old Texas.  
Defeat of alfalfa and the Mariposa lily.  
Defeat of the Pacific and the long Mississippi . . .  
Defeat of my boyhood, defeat of my dream."  
(Quoted by permission of Macmillan Company from Vachel Lindsay's "Selected Poems")  
Though twice failing to reach the goal of the Presidency, Bryan saw many of his reforms made into law and, even greater than these tangible results, was the influence of his grand character.

Joke-of-the-moment:  
An American, planning to visit Germany and knowing the rigid censorship, told a friend that if conditions were bad, he would write a letter in red ink and then, regardless of the words, the friend would understand. In due course, a letter arrived. It read: "Conditions are great in Germany. Everything is wonderful. All these stories you hear are the bunk. We have plenty of food, plenty of clothes, plenty of fuel, plenty of everything. The only thing I have

been unable to get is red ink."  
A variant of that is the story about the American, writing from Germany to a friend in the United States, who declared, "Everything over here is grand. I wish you would tell this to my father and my brother; in fact, tell it to everybody and, above all, tell it to the marines."

## Whiteflat News

By Ida B. Armstrong

Sunday morning a volunteer group from Wayland College, Plainview, presented a program at the Whiteflat Baptist Church. The devotional was led by Miss Faye Rockner, and Rev. Arender presented the sermon and led the singing. Others in the group included: Mrs. Arender, Miss Lora Lou Howell, Rev. Vernon Chambliss and Rev. Loyd Garrison. They also presented a program at the church at three o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Miss Katalynn Humphries spent Armistice day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Humphries. Mrs. Malcolm Jameson and daughters, Melba and Aurene, shopped in Turkey, Monday afternoon.

Miss Alla Jean Pritchett of Canyon spent the week end with Miss Johnnie Belle Willis.

Harry Armstrong and son, Stephen, transacted business in Turkey, Tuesday.

Miss June Walker of O'Donnell is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Rankin.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Jameson and daughters Melba and Aurene, spent Saturday shopping in Floydada.

Mrs. Tom Tilson Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Harris are visiting friends and relatives in Dallas.

More effort is consumed in work on a typewriter all day than is required in 8 hours of digging. Watling Street, England, was a Roman road built by Julius Caesar during the roman occupation.

A mixture of sawdust and glue can be used to fill nail holes in woodwork.  
It takes the ordinary, fairly alert driver traveling 50 miles an hour, 186 feet to stop from the time he first sees danger. It takes three-quarters of a second to start applying the brakes and if the brakes are in perfect condition, 131 feet to stop the car.

WORTH IT!

Ye GLUTTON

**That Magnolia Turkey Dinner Was Wonderful**

Prepare yourself for Thanksgiving... fast beforehand... run around the block three times before eating... get ready to eat the best and biggest Thanksgiving dinner ever at the Magnolia! You'll push yourself away from the table with a sigh, for Magnolia cooking is the kind you and your family will like. Plan now to eat here on Thanksgiving... bring the whole family.

50¢ for the complete turkey dinner from soup to nuts!

Served continuously from 11 'til 9

**Magnolia Cafe**

R. E. Campbell, Jr., Mgr.

MATADOR, TEXAS

## Rapid Climb Is Cited In State Taxes

DALLAS—The average Texas tax-payer now has to pay \$3 for every \$1 he paid in state taxes in 1920, a study just completed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association shows.

The study, based on figures in the association's new book, "Important Facts About Texas Oil," shows that Texans in general now pay \$9,000,000 in state taxes against \$23,000,000 in 1920, or three times as much. The Texas petroleum industry now pays \$39,000,000 in state taxes against \$4,000,000 in 1920, or nearly ten times as much.

During the 20-year period, the cost of state government has become virtually five times as great, while the state's population is less than one and one-half times as much. The tremendous increase in governmental expenses represents an increase in per capita cost of \$18.53 for each Texan. However, the average Texan's tax obligation is not this much more, but only \$5.82 more than in 1920. Taxes to fill up this wide gap have come from the Texas petroleum industry, which is paying over three times as much in proportion today as the average Texan.

Figures contained in the book show that the Texas petroleum industry is now paying 44 1/2 % of all state property and business taxes. This is exclusive of poll and sales taxes such as the gasoline tax, which the consumer pays. However, if sales taxes are counted, petroleum and its products bear over 53 per cent of all state taxes.

Copies of the book are now being distributed by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association from its Dallas headquarters in the Continental Building, to Texas oilmen, business leaders and school and college libraries and students. The 1940 edition of "Important Facts About Texas Oil" is the largest yet issued, representing ten months work by the association's statistical staff. Besides tax data, the book contains much new information on what petroleum means to the economic life of Texas.



As long as there remains anywhere a love of oratory, men will read Mark Antony's speech and the "Cross of Gold" address of William Jennings Bryan—(we were talking about him a few weeks ago—remember?) There is a thrill, even in cold type, to such declarations as these:

"We say to you that you have made the definition of a business man too limited in its application. The man who is employed for wages is as much a business man as his employer; the attorney in a country town is as much a business man as the corporation counsel in a great metropolis; the merchant as a business man as the merchant of New York; the farmer who goes forth in the morning and tills all day, who begins in spring and toils all summer, and who by the application of brain and muscle to the natural resources of the country creates wealth, is as much a business man as the man who goes upon the Board of Trade and bets upon the price of grain; the miners who go down a thousand feet into the earth or climb two thousand feet upon the cliffs and bring forth their hiding places the precious metals to be poured into the channels of trade are as much business men as the few financial magnates who, in a back room, corner the money of the world.

# NOTICE!

## To Tax Payers,

If you owe delinquent school taxes to Matador Independent School District, you are hereby notified to pay them immediately. The Board of Trustees insists that delinquent taxes must be collected this fall.

Several tax judgments were taken in the District Court this week, and other suits are being filed. If you owe delinquent school taxes and ignore this notice, you may expect suit to be filed against you. This is the only notice you will receive.

Your 1940 school taxes are due and may now be paid.

**Frank Pohl**  
Tax Collector  
Matador Independent School District  
Office in Northeast Corner of Courthouse

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# THE WOMAN'S PAGE

MRS. DOUGLAS MEADOR, Editor

## Recent Bride Is Honoree At Miscellaneous Shower

Mrs. Hardy Berryman, who was before her recent marriage, the former Melba Faulkner, was honoree at a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon, November 16 from 2 until 5 o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Sterling Price. Mrs. John Russell was joint hostess for the occasion.

Many lovely gifts were received by the young bride, from the following friends:

Mesdames J. C. Green Sr., J. C. Green Jr., Mae W. McKenzie, George Birchfield, Doug Meador, W. E. Briscoe, J. W. Spray, R. L. Steffey, J. E. Russell, Sr., Alice Alsup, Gertrude Watson, R. T. Hammersley, Forrest Faulkner, Sherman McCarty, Glenn Gainer, Hester Donnell, G. W. Ratcliff, F. C. Harrow, Lizzie Franklin, Jim VanDyke, S. R. Harris, Jess McBride, John Irwin, John Lisenby, Hoyt Burnam, Curtis King, R. E. Campbell Sr.

Mesdames Perry Allen, Shands F. Harrow, J. S. Lambert, A. J. Daffern, Alfred Barton, Chas. Barton, Wesley Hall, Buford Hobbs, Nydia Hobbs, F. G. Simpson, Fred Bourland, Tom Berryman, Loyd Stafford, P. B. Barton, Hamp McCarty, Richard Berryman, J. E. Russell Jr., H. L. Dennis, Josie Bourland, F. O. Carlson, Fuller Smallwood;

Misses Junella Jackson, Juanita Cartwright, Ruby Fay Burton, Lorene Allen, Joyce Daniels, Mary Price, Betty Price, Bessie Jean Green, LaNell Dunlap, Dora Ratcliff, Minnie Mae Meador, Lula Kate Harrow, Zona Beth Faulkner, Juanita Green, Zola Mae Thomas, Elwanda and Christine Green; the Sophomore class, and the hostesses.

## Choral Club In Rehearsal

The Matador Choral Club held a regular meeting Monday evening in the Baptist Church for final rehearsals of music for the Thanksgiving program.

Following practice, several remained after the meeting was dismissed, to do special work on the Christmas Cantata which the club is preparing.

A large group was present for the rehearsal meeting Monday evening.

Norman Harp and Bennie Keltz Tech students from Lubbock, visited their respective parents during the week end.

PROGRAM  
**PALACE Theatre**  
AT  
FLOYDADA

THURS. — FRI.  
"FLOWING GOLD"  
WITH  
JOHN GARFIELD,  
FRANCES FARMER  
PAT O'BRIEN

SATURDAY  
"The Gay Caballero"  
WITH  
CAESAR ROMERO

SUN. — MON.  
"Brigham Young Frontiersman"  
WITH  
Tyron Power, Linda Darnell,  
Brian Donley, Dean Jagger

TUES. — WED.  
"The Ramparts We Watch"

The Prize Performance of Hitler's War of Nerves. The picture that Defeated Norway, Belgium, Holland, Before a Shot Was Fired—The Nazi Terror Film!

Midnight Show Every Saturday  
Night at 11:45 P. M.

## Former Resident Is Married At Abilene Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cornelius, of 502 Kleberg Avenue, Kingsville, Texas, are announcing the marriage of their daughter Oretha Jane, to Mr. N. N. Whitworth, of Amarillo, Texas, formerly of Matador.

The wedding took place in Abilene, Texas, at the home of a sister, Mrs. Eli L. Perkins, 1903 Swenson Avenue, at eight o'clock Tuesday morning November 19th, on the Golden Wedding Anniversary of the bride's parents.

The early morning candle light ceremony was read by Dr. C. A. Long, of St. Paul Methodist Church, before the fireplace, which was decorated with autumnal flowers. Guests included only several members of both families.

Following the wedding breakfast and cutting of the bride's cake, the couple left for south Texas to attend the Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary celebration of the bride's parents.

Mrs. Whitworth is head of the Speech Department of Amarillo Senior High School. Mr. Whitworth, a member of one of the pioneer families of Matador, is associated with Kirk Drug, Amarillo.

Active in professional teachers' organizations, Mrs. Whitworth is president of the Northwest Texas Conference for Education. She was first vice president of the organization and president of the Potter County unit of the Texas State Teachers' Association last year. She has been president of the Amarillo Teachers' Club twice.

Among the debaters, declaimers and one-act play casts, Mrs. Whitworth has coached, have been state winners in Texas interschool contests.

The couple will be at home at 1320 Van Buren Street in Amarillo.

**Attend Wedding**  
Attending the wedding from here were the groom's father, W. J. Whitworth, and his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth, who drove to Abilene Monday night, returning home Tuesday at noon.

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS IS GIVEN NEW NAME**  
At a business meeting Sunday morning, the name "Wesleyan Workers" was selected for Mrs. F. G. Simpson's class in the Methodist Sunday School. Plans were made for a party to be held in the church basement Friday evening.

**INTERMEDIATES HAVE PARTY THURSDAY NITE**  
The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church met Thursday evening of last week for a social at the home of their leader, Mrs. J. L. Woodruff.

After a number of games were played, refreshments were served to around twenty-seven young people.

## MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Announcement is made of the recent marriage of Miss Melba Faulkner, daughter of Mrs. R. T. Hammersley, and Hardy Berryman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom F. Berryman, both of Matador.

The ceremony was performed October 26, 1940, at Plainview, Texas, by a Justice of the Peace of that place. Miss Dorothy Hendricks accompanied the couple.

The many friends of these young people join in wishing for them much happiness.

## Luncheon Is Given In Cammack Home

Mrs. J. W. Drace and Mrs. Bryan Cammack were joint hostesses at a luncheon Tuesday, in the Cammack home, with three tables of guests.

A Thanksgiving motif was carried out in the table and game appointments and in the 3-course luncheon.

Following six games of bridge during the afternoon, Mrs. Jack Edwards was awarded high score prize, and Mrs. J. S. Stanley, a cut prize.

Other guests included Mesdames L. R. Bishop, Alvin Stearns, L. J. Barkley, U. L. Willie, D. E. Pitts, John Hamilton, Frank Pohl, Gus Bird, R. E. Donovan and W. W. Clements.

## Around The Circles...

The Sunshine Circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met Monday afternoon at the church, with the following ladies present: Mesdames A. D. Burleson, G. S. Craven, R. E. Campbell, V. J. Skaggs, W. E. Reeves, D. Herring, Harry Carter, and D. P. Keith.

All circles met following their respective meetings, to pack the Thanksgiving box for Buckner's Orphan Home. The box, valued at around \$48.00, contained principally, cookies and canned foods, with a few pieces of clothing included.

**DORCAS CIRCLE**  
Mrs. L. A. Carlisle taught from "The Commission", when the Dorcas circle met Monday afternoon. Also on the program were Mesdames T. E. Cammack, W. W. Carpenter and M. P. Fulkerson. Others present were: Mesdames Pearl Moorman, Clarence Kifer, J. A. Groves, Joe Campbell, Elbert Fulfer and L. Rattan.

Announcement is made by the circle that Bible study will be conducted on the first and third Mondays of the month, instead of the first and second Mondays, as heretofore. The study for the first Monday in December will begin with the 20th chapter of Job, thru the 26th, it was announced. All members are requested to make note of the change.

**METHODIST W. S. C. S.**  
The Womens Society of Chris-

## Preparations Being Made For Bazaar

Preparations and plans for the bazaar which the women of the Methodist church will hold December 14, are going forward in a satisfactory manner. It has been announced.

The bazaar will be held in the offices of the West Texas Utilities Company, and articles suitable for Christmas gifts will be offered for sale.

## Couple Club Met Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman were hosts Thursday evening of last week to members of the "Rabbit's Foot" couple club, with a dinner at the Motley hotel.

Two tables of bridge were in progress during the evening, with high score going to Mrs. Hugh Delrey for the women, and to Bill Pipkin for the men.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Pipkin, Mr. and Mrs. Delrey, who were guests, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Meason and Mr. and Mrs. Newman.

## I. O. O. F. Lodge Has District Meeting Here

The Matador I. O. O. F. Lodge was host Tuesday evening for the annual monthly district meeting which was attended by a large delegation from Floydada despite the inclement weather.

The lodge ladies served a delicious chicken supper with all the "trimmings", which had been prepared by G. N. Wilson, owner of the Wilson Cafe.

An enjoyable program was presented, featuring the Fay Hart quartet from Floydada, and string music by Jimmie Green and Burl Alsup, both of Matador.

Following the entertainment features, the members entered into degree work.

## LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Van Laughlin and sons of Rule, Texas, visited here Sunday with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Laughlin.

Mrs. W. M. Hodges and son Carroll of Sweetwater, were visitors here Wednesday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert.

**WANTED:** 500 lb. of clean soft rags. 5c lb. Mission Gas & Oil Co.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Calhoun of Fairview, Oklahoma, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar.

Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children of Clovis, New Mexico, are visiting here this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sparks of Clarendon visited here Wednes-

day and Thursday of last week as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert.

**LOST:** Dalmation dog. White with black spots. Looks like bird dog. Answers to Rex. Liberal reward. Call R. J. Davenport, collect, 20819, Wichita Falls, Texas, 3213 Birch Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Emmons and baby son, Jimmie, spent the week end visiting relatives in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford drove to Hereford Sunday, where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ulman Hunter and family.

Miss Frances Clark of Hillsboro, class mate of Miss Ann Hughes, visited in the Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes' home at Roaring Springs during the past week.

## Mrs. Walker To Head Federation

Mrs. J. W. Walker of Plainview was elected president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, at the annual convention held in Austin last week, defeating Mrs. O. H. Carlisle of Houston, 432 to 229.

Late and large balloting delayed a decision in the only contested race to select a successor to Mrs. Joseph Perkins of Eastland. Mrs. Walker was the honoree at an installation dinner which began before the tally clerks could conclude their count.

Unopposed candidates were Mrs. Grace Vance of Refugio for first vice president, Mrs. George Ripley of Dallas for second vice president, Mrs. Grover C. Johnson of Wichita Falls for secretary and Miss Ethel Foster of Sterling City for treasurer.

Delegates from Matador federated clubs who attended the convention were Mesdames John Hamilton, Antone Freeman and U. L. Willie.

## Pied 'Pinions BY MRS. M.

**WE VISIT SHANNON**

After a leisurely breakfast in our apartment, with Mr. Faylauer as our guest, we drove out to San Fernando valley on the Sunday before our departure from Hollywood. Here, at the modest ranch home of Quinn, "Big Boy" Williams, we visited with Shannon Davidson, whose solo horse-back ride from Nocona, Texas, to Oakland, California in the spring of last year, put Motley county on the map by his winning the Pony Express race.

The feeling of pleasure in the meeting was mutual all around, and Shannon, we were glad to note, was unchanged in his new surroundings, and still retained his usual courteously reserved manner.

He was bronzed by the lazy California sunshine, and in fine shape, except for a few bruises he had received by a fall from—of all things—a bicycle! However, he has decidedly not "gone Hollywood."

Mr. Williams—or "Big Boy" as he is better known, was making preparations to participate in a polo game, and insisted on arranging for tickets that we might attend. We were unable, however, to avail ourselves of his courtesies, as our time was so limited.

We drove back to Hollywood by way of Burbank, to see the former Willie Sue George of Matador, but she and her husband had moved from the address which we had, so we failed in that mission.

**At The Beach**

During the afternoon we made a trip to Santa Monica Beach, where, from the palisades were pointed out to us the various beach homes of several stars, including Marion Davies, Cary Grant, Rosiland Russell and others. Our little place would look like servants' quarters in comparison with these places, and I wouldn't know to what proportions it would shrink by the side

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## Display Is Acclaimed Most Interesting Ever Shown Here

of their regular town names.

**Down Hollywood Blvd.**

A stroll down Hollywood Boulevard late in the evening, was exhilarating as well as entertaining; shop windows filled with enticing merchandise, and a million miles—it seemed—of brilliantly lighted avenues.

At Grauman's Chinese Theatre, we saw the foot and hand prints of the famous film folk, made in great slabs of concrete before the building. Here one can stand in the footprints of the great Gable—if one has the nerve! So fleet-

nette and fickle is fame, however, that the impressions of only a very few of the earlier screen favorites, such as Colleen Moore, have been permitted to remain. As the star's popularity wanes, the slabs are replaced with others in which are the imprints of feet and hands of some newer celebrity.

About this time they were making an impression of John Barrymore's famous profile, as we read in the papers, but it was not yet on display the evening we were there.

After seeing "Brigham Young" which was then showing, we sauntered back down the boulevard toward the parking lot where we had left the car. An inspection of Grauman's Egyptian Theatre from the exterior, was very interesting, as they have on display, many objects of interest from the sets of popular films which they show.

These included canoes used in filming "The Hurricane", many wax figures, a prairie schooner, and numerous other things.

A stop in the "Pig 'N Whistle" for refreshments, was a mellow climax to an enjoyable evening. In this elite caterer's palace, an air of quiet refinement was supplemented by soft organ music, with request numbers played. Our selections were Mr. M.'s favorite, "La Golandrina", and my own, "Indian Love Call."

The English idea which is used in the "Pig 'N Whistle" chain of restaurants, is borne out in the walls and ceilings which are idealistic copies of massive hand-carved woodwork, and the rich red leather upholstery of the booths. In their downtown Los Angeles "Pig 'N Whistle", their claim for distinction lies in the magnificent collection of original Dutch oil paintings. Of these two, however, we were more inclined toward the Hollywood establishment.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
L. P. McCrary, M. D., Specialist in disease and surgery of the eye, ear, nose and throat; also eye tests and fitting of glasses, will be at Traweck Hospital every Friday.

I wish to state that I will be in your town one day only, each week, for the present. My practice has been limited to the above specialty for the last 27 years, and I am fully prepared to handle any cases in this line.

Special attention given to examination and glass-fitting for children.

With the cooperation of the good people in and around Matador, we can make this work worthwhile to all concerned.

L. P. McCrary, M. D.

Those attending the Hobby display held in the school auditorium Thursday noon of last week, by Mrs. Schaded of Paducah, accomplished the most interesting exhibit shown in Matador.

From the moment she introduced by Miss Thremsfrey, Mrs. Schaded, a petite, held her audience with her vivid descriptions of foreign countries in which she had visited and acquired usual collection.

Included in the hardware Mrs. Schaded has, are hand-crocheted curtains, scarfs, her first child's dress, and an infant's doll, all from her home in Syria.

Miscellaneous articles of a peasant doll, several tables, carved pieces of Mesopotamia, a Princess' costume from Damascus; a Greek soldier, huge smoking pipe which water is used; a collection of miniature animals carved olive wood; inlaid candy and some camels carved wood.

Several beautiful toys formed a background for the exhibit, and on one of the walls was a Turkish coffee pot. Other articles on display included copper fireplace, several card trays, sandwich tray, coffee table trays.

Costumes from Alexandria, Cairo, Jerusalem, Delhi and Italy were modeled by Mrs. J. W. Drace, Elizabeth Harp and Charles Robert.

The affair was sponsored by the Progress and Sorosis societies, and all proceeds were donated to the Matador City Library.

Mrs. Leland Timmons Cecil Pipkin, Miss Helen Simpson, and Kenneth Simpson, of Plainview Friday, where they visited friends.

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### DO WELL THOSE THINGS WHICH YOU UNDERTAKE

#### DON'T HAVE TOO MANY IRONS IN THE FIRE!

Have you ever taken home a report card not quite up to a standard and been reminded that you had too many irons in the fire, that you were trying to do too many things?

Now, just how many are too many? Just one more than you can do well. The good student is not satisfied with doing anything half way. All his work is well done. He even plays in earnest.

It is true that some of us miss much joy in high school and much service in later life by neglecting to put more irons alongside the time-worn "reading, writing, and arithmetic."

M. H. S. offers many opportunities for wholesome recreation, for training in fellowship and in leadership, for learning not only from the printed page, but from pleasant association with schoolmates in activities teeming with

life and inspiration.

Every student has a chance to make his work in regular routine study more pleasant to himself, to his teacher, and to his classmates by learning to mingle with others in organizations of various kinds on the campus.

Enter whole-heartedly into at least one activity outside the classroom and see how it will help you solve your hardest problems.

### Oneita Whitaker, Soph. Candidate, Wins Queen Race

Oneita Whitaker, the lovely Sophomore candidate in the race for Football Queen, won the election by more than five thousand votes. It was declared last Wednesday at 3:00 o'clock. This was the first time a student of lower rank than that of a Junior has ever won this honor.

Frances Carpenter, Senior, placed second in the race, and, although everyone expected her to win, she faced defeat with a smile. She, with the other two nominees, Helen Stanfield, Junior and Mary

Price, Freshman, were among the first to congratulate Oneita.

The newly-elected Queen will be crowned at the Football-Pep Squad Banquet, along with Mary Ellen Barton, who was recently chosen by the football boys as their "Sweetheart."

### Now, Maybe We'll Get, At Last, That "Perfect" Paper

So you want to help write EL MATADOR?

The box recently placed in the library of M. H. S. is our invitation to you to turn in the latest gossip, an original joke, or any idea you might have in mind.

It is not only meant to be a "Kampus Klatter" box, however. You are invited to drop a letter to the editor on any subject of school interest. Make your letters short and not abusive.

You need not sign your name to a contribution, but, whatever you do, be sure it is true, the meaning is clear, and that it will not seriously hurt any one's feelings. And get your contributions in on the Friday of the week before EL MATADOR comes out.

### TURKEYS PREFER MATADOR TABLES

Time: 4:00 A. M., Nov. 21, 1940.

Mr. Turkey: "Gobble, Gobble." (Translated this means: "Oh, woe is me. Now I have something more to worry about. On which day will I be eaten?")

Mrs. Turkey: "Listen, Gobble, ole thing, eat, drink and be merry for today may be Thanksgiving."

Mr. Turkey: "I have it! Instead of dying a thousand deaths worrying about it, I'll just scratch a telegram to President Roosevelt and leave the decision up to him."

One Hour Later—  
 Mr. Turkey: "Well, it's all settled, my dear. Roosevelt says he set today as the day to get set for last year."

Mrs. Turkey: "We're back where we started Gobble. And I have more news—Mr. Tunnell said that the board of trustees decided that today would be best for school students."

Mr. Turkey: "That suites me fine. Run out in the yard and tell the family to pack their brightest feathers and combs. We are going to spend Thanksgiving today on the dinner tables in Matador."

### Meet A Senior

MUTT BERRYMAN

Pet Hate—Beans  
 Weakness—Football  
 Hobby—Studying  
 Favorite Food—Chicken  
 Favorite Movie Star—Bob Burns  
 Favorite Color—Red  
 Ambition—Professional football player.  
 Ideal Girl—Blonde hair blue eyes, tall.

### THIS AND THAT

Uh, huh! So you think nobody's watching? You're concentrating so hard on something so important! But when your mind's away, your feet and fingers play. Oh, quite unconsciously, of course. Your legs make ivy trellises of chairs. You twist a curly lock, chew a finger tip, and stick out your tongue—in agonies of deep thought. Indicating all too clearly that thinking is an effort; that concentration jams your controls. Thinking may come hard—but skip the give-away gestures that shows it's such a strain.

So many Gods.  
 So many creeds.  
 So many ways that wind and wind  
 While just the art of being kind  
 Is all this sad world needs.

It takes time to arrange a party to honor the guest of a friend, to go by the hospital to cheer up an old woman who is taking a long time to recover from an injury. It takes time to prepare a favorite dish, or to listen to a tale of woe, and yet, the person who makes a real place for himself in life is the one who has time for friendship, time for kindness, and time for helping those who need help.

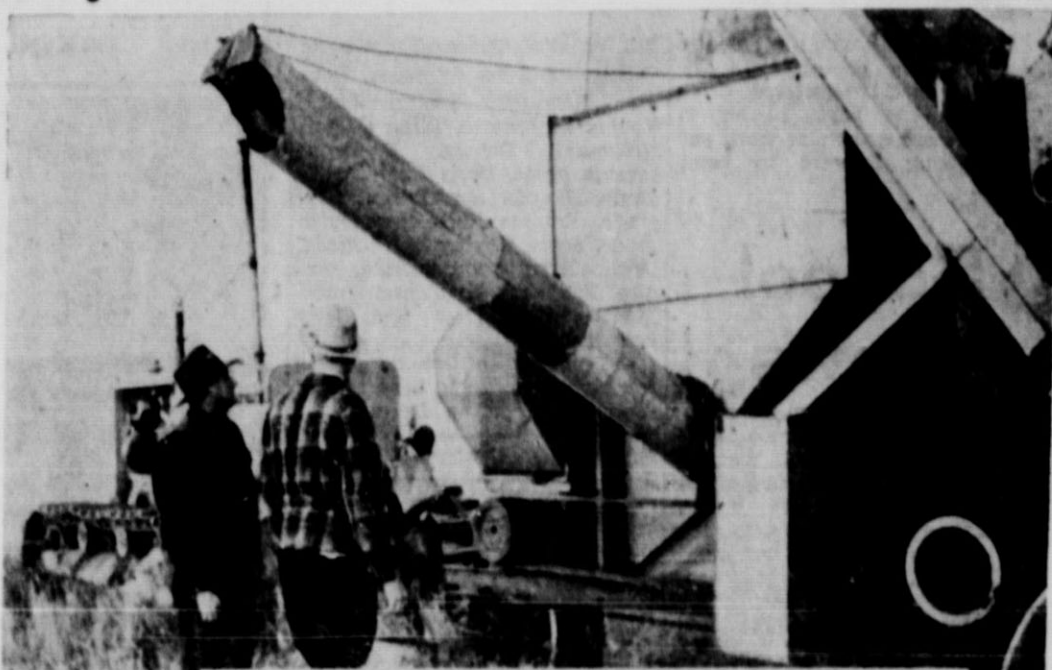
Do you remember how Thanksgiving was celebrated when you were "knee-high to a grasshopper"? Weeks ahead of time, mince-meat making began.

On the great day, relatives came from all over the country. With aprons tied around stiff, silken waists, the visiting aunts lent a hand, fluttering busily around the kitchen.

And the dinner... Who but a small and always-hungry boy could do justice to the marvels of that meal? To the huge, bronzed turkey... the stuffing steamingly redolent with chestnuts and sage... boats of deep-brown gravy... snowy mountains of mashed potatoes... golden glazed "sweets" and all the old-time fixings...

Today, in an America that is still our land of privilege and plenty, we can enjoy the same abundance of grand foods... We

### Double-Barreled Defense Protects America



The machine of peace at top, a combine grain harvester, bears striking resemblance to the machine of war immediately below, an anti-aircraft gun manned by two of Uncle Sam's artillerymen. America depends upon both for national defense. Modern farming methods, along with the AAA farm program, have enabled us to produce an ever-normal granary supply of food sufficient for any emergency. The nation has the means, for example, to make 500 loaves of bread for every...

believe in the old-fashioned American foods that grace its table.

### The Ask-It Basket

QUESTION: If you had your choice, which of the stated Thanksgiving holidays would you celebrate?

Bennie Wayne Marshall: "I would celebrate the original Thanksgiving because that is when the Pilgrims gave their thanks."  
 Norris Fulfer: "I had rather celebrate the original Thanksgiving, but I suppose it really doesn't make much difference."  
 Mack Jacobs: "I will have more time for Christmas if I celebrate the one Roosevelt set."  
 Betty Greene: "I had rather celebrate the original holiday, because I am a creature of habit, and I have formed this habit."

Algie Durbin: "I don't think the President should change any of our National holidays, and for that reason alone, I prefer the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day."

Don Paul Keith: "The first Thanksgiving was the first to be organized, so I'll take my turkey then."  
 Bill Rushing: "We don't know the exact date that the Pilgrims celebrated the first Thanksgiving any more than we know the exact date of Christ's birth; so I think the 21st will be as good a time as any for turkey and cranberry sauce."

Vernell Markham: "Since we should be thankful every day, I don't think it makes much difference when we celebrate Thanksgiving Day."  
 Melba Jameson: "I had rather celebrate the original Thanksgiving because that is the day that I want to give my thanks."  
 Dorothy Lou Hill: "The original date was when the Pilgrims decided to give thanks to God, and, as another creature of habit, I prefer having my holiday then."

### KAMPUS KLATTER

It's always remarkable to me how dreadful a voice can be and get away with it by singing in a foreign language. I mean you, you singers who sing but know not what you sing... It's funny how people always look both ways before crossing even one-way streets. I guess it's a carry-over from the childhood days when their mothers warned them: "Always look both ways before you cross the street."

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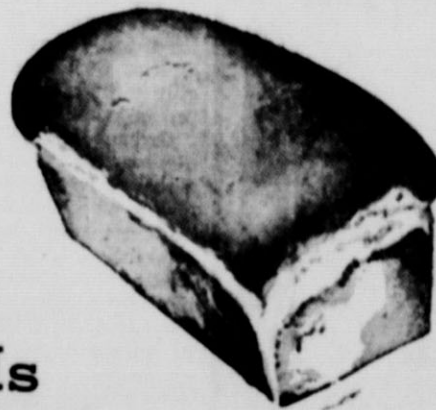
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Navy To Enlist At Lubbock

Three petty officers from the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station at Abilene will be at the post office in Lubbock from 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., Tuesday, November 26, to accept applications and examine men between the ages of 17 and 31 for enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

The waiting list for navy enlistment in this district has been established and accepted applicants are being enlisted and transferred to the U. S. Naval Training Station at San Diego, California, as soon as necessary papers can be completed, Chief Boatstewards Mate G. E. Barnhart, in charge of the recruiting party, said today.

Under present plans the navy will not take any men drafted for military service under the Selective Service Act after they have actually reported for training. However, men who have registered for Selective Service and wish to enlist in the navy may do so, providing they are accepted and actually enlisted prior to the date they would be required to report for training duty under Selective Service laws, Mr. Barnhart said.

Students Have Second Holiday

Students of Texas Technological College, Lubbock, have returned home for the Thanksgiving holidays, the second in the past week for several, who visited here during Armistice.

Matador students who are home are: Keith Patton, Marie and Kara Hunsucker, Jewell McCoy, Myrnavae Barkley, Tom Nell Darsey, Norman Harp, Houston Schweitzer, Elmer Gene Jameson, Dorothy Jean Harp, Jo Jean Fort, and Rhenard McCary.

Crowd Is Small At Services

The representation of Matador's citizenry at the annual Thanksgiving service Wednesday evening at the Baptist church, was very meager, and those who failed to attend, missed one of the most impressive programs of the season.

Taking his text from the sixth chapter of Deuteronomy, and from the 103 Psalm, Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the Methodist church, who preached the sermon, stressed the importance of expressions of gratitude and thankfulness. He placed special emphasis on the scripture, "... when thou shalt have eaten and be full; Then beware lest thou forget the Lord, which brought thee forth out of the land of Egypt; from the house of bondage."

White-robed Choral Club members contributed to the service with splendid musical offerings, including hymns, an anthem, and the popular patriotic, "God Bless America."

Miss Rachel Carpenter gave a Thanksgiving reading, and following the Scripture reading by Rev. W. M. Joslin, Baptist pastor, Prayer was offered by R. E. Campbell. The benediction was given by Judge G. E. Hamilton.

Cowgirl Returns From Ft. Worth

Miss Mary Ellen Barton returned from Ft. Worth late Sunday where she represented Matador and Motley county in the All-American Rodeo and Horse Show which started last Friday and will continue thru November 24.

Miss Barton competed with 200 cowgirls from every state in the Southwest for the honored place as All-American cowgirl of the Southwest. The award was won by Miss Ruth Cornell, 19, of Amarillo, who is cashier in a theatre there. Her home is in Clarendon.

Despite the fact that she did not win in the contest, Miss Barton declared she enjoyed the trip and received a royal welcome by Fort Worth.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mr. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. Bruce Freeman and Mrs. Britt Goodwin visited relatives in Afton, Monday.

Verlon Bigham of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Godfrey this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goodwin of Delwin, visited relatives here during the week end.

Walter T. Perry and his daughter, Tommie Gene, made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.

G. Gabriel is in Dallas this week visiting the markets and purchasing new merchandise for his store here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis visited relatives in Spur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Roberts are the parents of a baby girl born Friday evening. She has been named Janice Kay.

Mrs. J. F. Hughes and daughter, Ann, spent the week end in Fort Worth. While there they visited their daughter and sister, Mona, who is attending T. C. U.

Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Davis and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Davis and baby of Narcissus, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Bowen were visitors in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. Horace Vaughn of Louisiana is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. John Meason. She was formerly Miss Ruby Lee Lesly.

Misses Bess Medlen and Fanny Sue Newberry attended the Texas Tech Homecoming in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dobkins were called to Lubbock Saturday, to the bedside of Mr. Dobkins' father, who is seriously ill at this time. They were accompanied by J. N. Scribner.

YOUNG PEOPLE AT CONFERENCE

The Roaring Springs Epworth League was well represented at Pampa Sunday when fifteen young people attended annual Methodist conference at that place.

Very interesting addresses were

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County Is Receiving Allotments

Tentative acreage allotments for cotton in this county were received last week and final farm acreage allotments should be received within the next few days according to Lowell Sharburt, County AAA Administrative officer.

The cotton acreage allotments under the 1941 AAA program for farms in Motley County will be about the same as those established under the 1940 AAA program.

Cotton acreage allotments for each county are determined on the basis of the acreage planted to cotton for the period 1936-1940, provided that the allotment for any county is not less than 60 per cent of the acreage planted to cotton plus 60 per cent of the acreage diverted from the production of cotton in 1937, according to Mr. Sharburt. Motley County receives its cotton allotment based on 60 per cent of the 1937 crop. Most of the farms in Motley County receive their allotments from the county allotment on a fixed percentage basis of the tilled land in the farms.

Most small farms which would ordinarily receive an allotment of from 5 to 15 acres are given substantial increases in allotments as provided by the AAA regulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patton visited here over the week end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton, as they were enroute to their home in Hale Center, from Dallas, where Mr. Patton recently underwent an operation in Baylor hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright of Mangram, Oklahoma, arrived here Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert.

Mrs. M. S. Patton, accompanied by Mrs. Bennie Cox and Misses Betty and Maxine Green, made a trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

delivered by J. W. Gamble and Dr. J. O. Haymes. The A Capella Choir of Pampa High School rendered three very impressive songs.

The young people from Roaring Springs represented the Caprock Union at the conference.

Cub Pack Holds 1st Meeting

The first of a series of three Cub Pack organization meetings was conducted by field executive J. C. Grimes Tuesday night at the Scout hut. Mr. Grimes emphasized the fact that the purpose of Cubbing is home-centered; bringing dads and younger sons together.

At the third meeting the Pack will be fully organized with each officer thoroughly acquainted with the duties of his respective office. The parents of the Cubs will have learned the fundamentals of cubbing so that they will be able to instruct and help their boy become better citizens in the community.

Those present at the meeting were, parents: Mrs. David Guest, W. W. Clements, T. F. Payne, Johnnie Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Halford, Elbert Seigler, John Irwin, Vernon Daniels, Mrs. B. F. Nelson, Mrs. H. H. Courtney, Hart Harris, Mrs. Edith Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wason.

Prospective Cubs included Bill Vaughn, Billy Jim McKelvy, R. D. Clements, Charles Herbert Sanders, Stanley Bruce Seigler, John Houston Irwin, Robert Daniels, Bonner Nelson, Jimmy Guest, Hal Courtney, Burlan Harris, Thomas Sanders, Herbert Garth, and Don Wason. Senior Patrol Leader, Lowell Barkley and

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Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kincanon

A family reunion was held Sunday, November 17, for Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Payne at their home. Present were Mr. and Mrs. G. L. West, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. West and Mrs. S. H. Mohon of Childress, Delno Payne of Wellington, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Byrd, Mrs. Nell Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Reford Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hays, and B. F. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Whitten and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kincanon were Childress visitors Monday.

B. F. Simpson, Mrs. Nell Vaughn

Ass't. Scoutmaster Paul Eubank were also present.

The group will meet for the second session next Tuesday night at 7:00 p. m. in the Scout Hut. The success of the organization depends upon the parents because a boy can not become a charter member of the Cub Pack unless one or both parents are present at the next two meetings.

Mrs. C. M. Payne, Mrs. C. D. Kincanon and J. E. Payne transacted business in Matador Tuesday.

Mrs. Delmont Hays and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Florence were visitors in the home of Mrs. G. A. Ashford Tuesday.

Victor Bouldin's Plane Is Stolen

HOUSTON—Victor W. Bouldin, a Houston attorney, had an airplane of his own—for a week.

Bouldin won the ship in a national contest sponsored by a cigarette firm.

Sunday morning the ship was stolen from the airport where he had landed it after flying to see a football game at College Station.

Monday it was reported found—wrecked—on a Jennings, La., golf course. The unidentified thief walked away from the wreckage after it crashed and boarded a bus for Baton Rouge. Bouldin was informed.

—Star-Telegram.

Mr. Bouldin, a former Matador resident, is the grandson of Mrs. C. L. Glenn of this place.

Miss Lela Carpenter, student Hardin-Simmons University, Lene, was accompanied there Tuesday of last week by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carpe after having spent the Armistice holiday at home here.

Mrs. George Robertson Childress, was the guest of Judge and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton week. Mrs. Robertson formerly lived here.

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