

Record Wheat Harvest Is Started

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Combines and Trucks Move To Golden Motley Fields

FIELDS OF GOLD are ready for harvesting in Motley county. Largest wheat acreage in the history of this 'cattle-country' county is expected to be in the full swing of harvest by late next week. County Agent J. R. Emmons said yesterday that combines (in groups of from one to 35) and trucks, are applying to his office daily and that he believes sufficient equipment will be here by the time the crop is ripe for cutting. Three farmers, D. B. Clifton, Jordan Edmondson and Roy Biddy have completed their harvesting. Tom Edwards of Whiteflat started combines this week but pulled them out of the field because the grain was too green. Harvest has been completed at Crowell, Seymour and Haskell and the men, trucks and equipment are moving towards Motley county.

Harvest in Cottle county is in full swing. Mr. Emmons declared. Grain in Floyd county is expected to be ready for harvest within the next week or ten days. Mr. Emmons has mailed letters to all wheat growers in the county advising them to place orders now if they are going to need men and equipment for harvesting since the large fields in Floyd county are expected to attract them quickly when it is ready for harvest.

Leos Pinch Win Off Firemen

Red "Coolerator" Laughlin's stock skyrocketed in the last half of the seventh inning last night when he bunted to permit John Hamilton to score and pinch off victory for the Matador Lions over the Firemen 16-15 in one of the most dramatic games of the softball season. The two strong teams in the Matador league had been tied until Laughlin brought in the score.

The Lions have now won two of the four games played since the league started operating. The first game, June 2, had a tendency to be one-sided when the Firemen rolled up a 27-point score against the VFW's solitary one.

On June 4 the Lions left the Baptist Brotherhood dazed with a score of 22 to the BB's 13. On June 9th the BB's returned to win over the Vets 19 to 14.

Concessions at the games played under lights on Burleson Field are held by the Boys Club and all profits derived from sales go directly to the boys organization.

Matador "All-Stars" are prepared to take the measure of Floydada Lions here tomorrow (Friday) night in the first game of the season scheduled with out-of-town opponents. The game is called for 8:30 p. m. Admission is the same as games of the home league, only 9c. Fans are assured of receiving full measure for the amount they invest in admission.

LEAVE BONDS MAY BE APPLIED ON NSLI PREMIUMS

Veterans having terminal leave bonds may use them to reinstate their National Service Insurance and pay their premiums for many months in advance, thereby making sure that their dependents are protected. Veterans submitting interest up to and including the month in which they are submitted.

All advance premiums paid on National Service Insurance are granted 3% reduction in premiums.

Veterans have only until August 1, 1947 to reinstate their G. I. Insurance without a physical examination, and paying only two premiums.

Luther T. Nance, Contact Representative, Veterans Administration in Matador each 2nd and 4th Wednesday from 9:30 a. m. to 12:00 noon it has been announced. Any veteran or dependents of veterans wishing information and assistance concerning any benefit which has been provided through laws passed by congress and administered by the veterans administration may see Mr. Nance on his regular trips to Matador.

EDITOR RETURNS

Editor Douglas Meador returned to Matador early Tuesday morning from La Jolla, California, where he accompanied Mrs. Meador by rail last week. Mrs. Meador remained to spend the summer on the West Coast.

Meador made the return trip by plane, arriving at English Field, Amarillo, at 10 p. m. Monday, five hours after boarding a TWA plane in Los Angeles.

Singers To Meet Sunday

Oldest organization in Motley county, the Motley County Singing convention will meet at Whiteflat Sunday, June 15, it was announced Tuesday by President R. H. Tanner. The meeting will be an all-day affair, held at the Whiteflat Baptist church, and basket lunch (dinner on the ground) will be served at noon.

A number of outstanding singers will attend and all singers and those who enjoy good singing are invited to attend. Each family is asked to bring a basket lunch so that adequate food may be provided for the large crowd expected.

Final Rites Held For Henry Hobbs

WICHITA FALLS — Henry Hobbs, 63, president of the Hobbs Oil Company when it was in operation, a retired capitalist and resident of Wichita Falls since 1918, died in a Wichita Falls hospital Friday morning.

Hobbs was born in Stephens county, Texas, May 26, 1884. His father, W. M. Hobbs, was a Georgian whose parents brought him to Texas when he was a boy. His mother, the former Miss S. A. Harris, was a native Texan. With his parents, Hobbs moved from Stephens county where Henry Hobbs was educated. After his schooling he entered the cattle business with his father, which connection he continued until 1918 when he came to Wichita Falls.

After six months stay in Wichita Falls, Hobbs went into the oil business. He invested in 160 acres on Block 97 of the northwest district. From that beginning he rose to become head of the \$6,000,000 company which from 73 wells rendered a monthly output of nearly \$250,000.

Ill with Parkinson's disease since the early 1930's, Hobbs had not been active in the oil business since that time. Prior to that he and a son, Melvin Hobbs, now of Houston, engaged in the oil business in North Texas and in East Texas.

Hobbs was a member of the First Baptist Church in Wichita Falls. He was married to Miss Teck Hand in Floyd county on July 29, 1903.

Funeral services were held from the First Baptist Church at 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with Dr. James H. Landes and Dr. O. L. Powers officiating.

Interment was made in the Wichita Falls Rosemont cemetery under the direction of Hampton, Vaughan & Merkle Funeral Home.

Survivors include his wife; his mother, Mrs. W. M. Hobbs; Matador, a daughter, Mrs. J. D. Hughes, South Pasadena, Calif.; the son, Melvin Hobbs, Houston seven grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Harry Carter and two nieces, Mrs. John Stotts and Mrs. Jack Luckett of Matador; and a brother, Monroe Hobbs, Lubbock.

Those attending funeral services from Matador were Mr. John Hamilton, Mr. Tom Hamilton, Mrs. Harry Campbell, Mrs. Harry Carter and Mrs. John Stotts.

ERRATUM

The Tribune regrets that the following names of faculty members of the Baptist vacation Bible school were inadvertently omitted in last week's article: Mrs. Bill Dunning, Billy Frank Skaggs, Dorothy Rattan, and Dorothy Woodruff.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Priest and daughter are visiting relatives in Forman, Arkansas.

REGISTERED GILTS AWARDED TO EIGHT 4-H CLUB BOYS

Eight Motley county 4-H Club boys have received registered Poland China gilts and one boy is to receive a registered Poland China boar under the cow-sown program sponsored by the Sears Foundation. Delivery of the gilts was made June 4.

Boys receiving the registered pigs are Roger Kingery, Wayburn Mitchell, Bobby York, Eddie Campbell of Roaring Springs, Lewis Blevins of Matador, Bobby Jay Browning and J. C. Plyler of Whiteflat and Weldon Gates of Flomot.

This is the third year the program has been in effect in Motley county. The same number of boys receive pigs each season and are required to give the best gilt out of their litter each year to another boy. Also boys receiving a gilt were required to write an essay entitled "The Value of Producing Hogs As A Source of Cash Income On Our Farm."

The eight boys receiving gilts will show their pigs in the county show next fall and the best gilt with the boar will go to the Lubbock show to compete with other boys in the district. Experienced hog raisers declare the gilts received here this year are some of the best they have ever seen.

RATIONING OFF SUGAR

Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P. Anderson, Wednesday night announced sugar rationing for housewives and for such "institutional" users as hotels, restaurants and hospitals, effective at midnight, June 11.

Sugar, the last remaining commodity rationed to retail consumers, will remain under price controls until October 31, unless Anderson decides to end them before that date. It will still be rationed to bakeries, soft drink and candy manufacturers and other industrial users.

Training Meeting For H. D. C. To Be June 17

Miss Myrtle Murry, marketing specialist of Texas A. & M. Extension Service will hold a training meeting here at the Home Demonstration Agents office June 17th, it has been announced this week.

The meeting will start at 1:30 and all members of marketing committees of each county club and council will be expected to attend.

Churches Of Christ Scheduled Singing

It has been announced that the monthly singing sponsored by the Churches of Christ in this area will meet in Spur at the Church of Christ there June 8th, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend this two hour meeting.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Nail, Jr., of Flomot, announce the arrival of a seven pound son named Don L. born Monday morning at 8:45 a. m. in the Traweck Hospital.

Mrs. Nail is the former Bonnie Ruth Crowell.

HERE FROM AMARILLO

Mrs. Allie F. Nelson and son Irwin Harris of Amarillo are visiting Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mrs. I. F. Fish this week.

HOME ON FURLOUGH

Cpl. Benny J. Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson of Northfield is home on furlough. Simpson has been stationed in El Tora, Santa Anna, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doss and Doris Ann accompanied their son and brother, George Doss, back to Brownwood, Sunday, where they will visit other relatives. They will return this week.

Roaring Springs Lions Join To Aid Boys Club

Services of the Matador Boys Club was further augmented last week when the Roaring Springs Lions approved a plan to send boys from that community to attend the Monday through Friday athletic activities being conducted here by coach Brady Thomas.

The Roaring Springs Lions bring seven or eight boys here daily to take part in the fun and training. There is no cost to any boy in the county who wishes to join.

The Roaring Springs Lions provide transportation with various members accepting the responsibility daily. Four residents of Roaring Springs have joined in support of the club by purchasing \$10 memberships.

Coach Thomas is also receiving additional aid from Roaring Springs with the help of Hoyle Gene Moss as swimming instructor and Arthur Harmon as assistant in athletic activities being conducted here.

Interest in the Boys Club here is growing rapidly, especially in the swimming classes which are being conducted daily between 2 and 4 p. m. Approximately 25 boys are being transported to Roaring Springs pool each day.

Aid in support of the Boys Club project from Roaring Springs Lions resulted after Coach Brady Thomas and Lion Henry Pipkin appeared before the neighbor group last week and explained the purpose and benefits of the organization.

Land Loans Being Paid

Motley county land owners are paying off their loans. High prices for farm products and livestock during the past four years reflect in substantial reductions in land obligations according to J. Tom Hamilton, Secretary-Treasurer of the Matador National Farm Loan Association.

Between May 1, 1943 and May 1, 1947, a total of 115 loans were paid in full. Land owners in the county had paid off \$216,357.54 worth of obligations in full.

During the same period 65 new loans were made in the amount of \$177,500. The loan association had a net loss of 50 loans in the period (the difference between the number paid off and the number of new loans written) with paid up obligations gaining \$38,857.54.

Mr. Hamilton said the number of outstanding loans is now at the lowest point in six years, the length of time comparative records have been kept. He said, however, the amount of loans outstanding has been lower in a number of past instances.

Mr. Hamilton said the immediate prospect is that future reductions may be expected in land loans if the prospects for harvesting of a profitable wheat crop continue.

Spring Theatre Will Feature Stage Show

A feature attraction at the Spring theatre, Roaring Springs, this week end will be a stage production of "The Texas Riders". The show, which includes five acts of western music, will be in addition to the scheduled film show of "Sunset Pass" featuring James Warren and Nan Leslie, and the second chapter of the serial, "Rex and Rinty". Prices of the combined show Saturday night, will be 25c and 50c, tax included.

Father Of Resident Is Seriously Ill

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth returned late Sunday from Palestine, Texas where Mrs. Whitworth has been at the bedside of her father, J. A. Caswell of Bullard, Texas, for the past five weeks. Mr. Caswell, whose condition is declared critical, is in a Palestine hospital.

Mr. Whitworth left Matador Thursday, for Palestine, and was accompanied home by his wife.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howe Hines last week were her mother and sister, Mrs. J. R. Thomas and Mrs. Earl Foote of Lubbock.

TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Throbbing with the pulse of life and growth, Los Angeles glows at the hills for more room and higher buildings extend farther from the downtown section. The canyons of humanity run full and swift, following the shadows of dreams and necessity. Much is changed in a decade but on Los Angeles street where I once worked in the wholesale district, the atmosphere is still the same. There are the repulsive perumes of poverty and the same hopeless faces of homeless men. It is the street of old men whom the tide of life have cast upon an unsavory beach; faded and watery eyes, the lame, the hungry and the hopeless. Thousands must have known heartbreak on the worn pavements and passed from the little stage unnoticed except for a few nomads, but their ranks are replenished. The sea of life runs with constant tides and the poor and unwanted drift to this inhospitable cove and cling to each other in a desperate effort to salvage something from friendship. All the tragedy of the ages is written on their faces and the fear of hunger and poverty is burned into their eyes.

Laughing through eons, heedless of time, the sea sings its own song. Whitecaps break far from shore and ride the swell to jagged rocks that send foaming spray high into the air. The surf roars through the night like a deep organ playing in a mighty cathedral and the dawn tints low clouds with pink haze; changeless yet ever changing, the sea must have first painted beauty in man's heart. Through the ages it has soothed the agonies in his soul and whispered to him the secrets of eternity.

Failure subtracts from the strength of others who have the courage to advance; a receding wave arrests the progress of a higher swell hurrying to the shore.

My choice of mighty words are these: "His strength is the strength of ten men because his heart is pure."

Below the mighty plane lay the desert wastelands of Arizona where pioneers blazed their trails through danger and privation, shrunken now to a relief map of rugged terrain. Slow-moving wagons needed half a year to make a journey which the great silver birds complete in six hours. The pioneers built little fires on rocky mesas to cook their simple foods. Below the plane is the Rio Grande, a ragged ribbon of silver, and hot fad is served the flying travelers. A baby coos in its mothers arms and the father in Boston will be waiting for their arrival at dawn.

All the world contains more imposing monuments, inscribed with more inspiring words, but there is beauty and a quality of eternity in the simple stone which says no more than: "He worked diligently and loved his work."

Someday when the remnants of society spread their ragged tents on the pampas of Utopia it is probable that a select few will know that education includes the ability to forget much that was previously learned.

ATTENDS INSTALLATION

Mrs. G. E. Hamilton attended the installation of the Eastern Star at Paducah last Thursday night where she was the installing organist. She was accompanied by Mr. Hamilton and Mrs. W. N. Pipkin.

Hoppers Strike County

Grasshoppers, ancient menace to growing crops, have struck Motley county. Calvin Moore of Matador and John Irwin of Flomot, have requested grasshopper poison this week, according to county agent J. R. Emmons. Mr. Irwin said the grasshoppers were thick on his place located between Flomot and Turkey, and that they would begin eating his crops which will be coming up within the next few days.

Mr. Irwin tossed a piece of chewing gum and candy wrapper on the ground and in a few minutes the grasshoppers had eaten the gum and started eating the candy wrapper, Mr. Emmons declared.

Poison will be dispensed from the Farmers Co-Op Gin on Tuesdays and Thursdays unless the demand becomes greater. Farmers will be required to furnish sacks and pay for mixing. Those desiring to mix syrup with the poison will be required to furnish the added ingredient. Bait will be made up of one part wheat bran, three parts of cottonseed hulls and 20 pounds of sodium fluosilicate. This bait when properly put out in fields, is not poisonous to livestock since it is scattered in small particles. Farmers are cautioned with regard to use of the mixture since it is poisonous to human beings, livestock and poultry, in quantities.

NATIVE AUSTRIAN GIRL TO MARRY MATADOR SOLDIER

Mrs. Grover Price left Amarillo this morning by TWA plane for New York where she will meet her future daughter-in-law, a native girl of war-torn Vienna, Austria.

The marriage will culminate a romance between Sgt. Chas. Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Price of Matador and the Austrian girl who will arrive in New York by Pan American Clipper, Friday. Date of the marriage, which is prohibited in Europe because of restrictions, has not been set, but will be announced as soon as Sgt. Price can return to the states.

BAPTIST CHURCH TO GET COOLING SYSTEM

An extensive drive is under way to raise funds for a modern air conditioning system to be installed in the First Baptist Church here. It is expected the system may be in operation within a short time in order that the comfort it provides may be enjoyed by church congregations this summer.

The drive for funds was started Sunday with contributions of \$409. It is estimated the system will cost approximately \$800. J. L. Woodruff, soliciting funds Tuesday, said he had received an additional \$90 and he felt certain the full amount would soon be raised. Elmer Stearns is chairman of the committee.

Roaring Springs Bride-Elect Is Honored Series Of Social Events During Week

A series of social events were held in Roaring Springs during the week ending June 11, honoring Miss Alice Mitchell, bride-elect of Louis F. Jones of San Antonio, who will be married June 15th.

M. S. Thacker entertained with a shower Thursday. The spacious home was beautifully decorated with vases of red roses and other flowers. The refreshment table was laid with a beautiful lace cloth, centered with a huge bowl of pink roses, pink tapers burned in cut glass holders. Mrs. Thacker was assisted by Mrs. J. M. Thacker who helped the guests in registering in the bride's book. Mrs. E. E. Moss and Mrs. H. C. Smith who received guests and planned the entertainment. Mrs. Emma Miller and Miss Freda Keahey presided at the refreshment table.

Punch was poured from a bowl inlaid with a mint leaf ice block. Pink cake squares were placed on crystal plates laid with pink napkins bearing the

names Marion and Louis printed in gold.

Music for the occasion was furnished by Mrs. M. D. Freeman at the piano.

Guests registered in the bride's book were Mesdames H. Jackson, R. E. Long, G. L. Godfrey, L. M. Miller, W. E. Brown, Chas. Long, Martin Smith, F. F. Henry, Joe Duren, Hazel Dodson, H. D. Hunter, Melvin Thacker, M. D. Freeman, H. D. Marshall, W. E. Bowen, J. F. Nolen, Studie K. Jones, Harold Jones, Ruby Cooper, S. J. Braselton Jr., Paul Enloe, H. Havis, E. F. Bridges, Dale King, J. W. Cooper, G. C. Tiner, F. W. Sanders, F. G. Simpson;

Mesdames G. C. Sanders, John Smith, Carl Tardy, Lois Smith, M. E. Keahey, Virginia Jackson, James Moss, C. D. Wilson, May Fletcher, Jno. McMillon, P. H. McDorman, C. J. McMillon, J. C. Smiley, M. L. Hoyle, Harry Duvall, J. N. Fletcher, Turner Hunter, R. F. Simpson, Maggie Keahey, John

Green, J. P. Cooper, Lee Marshall, S. C. Phipps, J. C. Collett, L. C. Davis, W. H. Nichons, Paul Nichols, J. R. Meason, Hugh Preston, Jess Hardin, O. C. Campbell, H. L. Goodwin, F. L. Ferguson, Brown Hinson, Elmo Kingery, Tom Swim, J. T. Swim, Jr., W. A. Conway, J. V. Shirley, R. J. Harmon, Henry Teague, Ben Dillard, H. L. Smith, C. R. Brandon, J. K. Campbell, J. M. Carpenter, and Marguerite Aldridge; Misses Bess Medlen, Benno Wilson, Amie Hensarling, Rice and Freda Keahey, Lula Mae Swim, and Shirley Ann Brown.

MISS MITCHELL HONORED IN L. M. MILLER HOME

Miss Mitchell was honored by Mesdames L. M. Miller and Harold Jones with a bridge party Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Miller.

Five bridge tables were arranged in the beautiful living room. After an enjoyable evening, gifts were presented to the honoree and also a lovely gift to Miss Freda Keahey, who held high score. Miss Keahey in turn graciously presented her gift to Miss Mitchell.

Plates of ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses to Mesdames J. N. Fletcher, M. S. Thacker, H. C. Smith, Paul Enloe, Jack Bridges, Harry Duvall, Henry Teague, H. L. Smith, Dale King, R. J. Harmon, Maggie Keahey, Herman Havis, S. J. Braselton, Jr., Carl Tardy, M. D. Freeman, J. P. Cooper, Misses Freda Keahey, Lula Mae Swim, Charlotte Havis and the honoree.

BREAKFAST IS HELD FOR BRIDE-ELECT TUESDAY

A breakfast party in the newly decorated Hotel Cafe was

held Tuesday morning honoring Miss Mitchell with Mesdames R. J. Harmon, Paul Enloe, S. J. Braselton, Jr., and Herman Havis as hostesses. The breakfast was enjoyed by a number of Miss Mitchell's close friends.

Two snowy white tables with vases of tall lillies as center pieces were laid. Miss Freda Keahey presented a toast telling of the acquaintance of the towns people and Miss Mitchell who was born and grew to young womanhood in Roaring Springs. The honoree responded in a pleasing manner.

A lovely gift was presented by the hostesses.

Those attending the breakfast were Mesdames L. M. Miller, Harold Jones, M. S. Thacker, H. C. Smith, Carl Tardy, Frank Ferguson, James Moss, J. M. Thacker, Dale King, Ed Smith, M. D. Freeman, M. L. Hoyle, E. E. Moss, Vester Shirley, J. D. Mitchell, Misses Bess Medlen, Anna Hensarling and Freda Keahey.

Intermediate Scouts Go On Hike Tuesday

Intermediate Girl Scouts took an early morning hike to the Golf court Tuesday morning, at 6 o'clock a. m. They cooked their breakfast which consisted of orange juice, fried bacon, scrambled eggs, biscuits on sticks and cherry jelly.

After playing various games they hiked back to town.

Scouts attending the hike were Jean Hines, Betty Ruth Smalley, Frances Traweek, Reba Fay Bain and their leader Mary K. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Thacker are attending a convention this week in Galveston.

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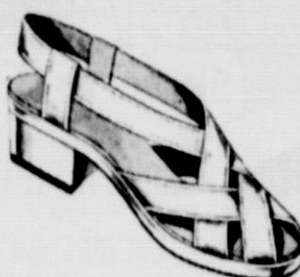
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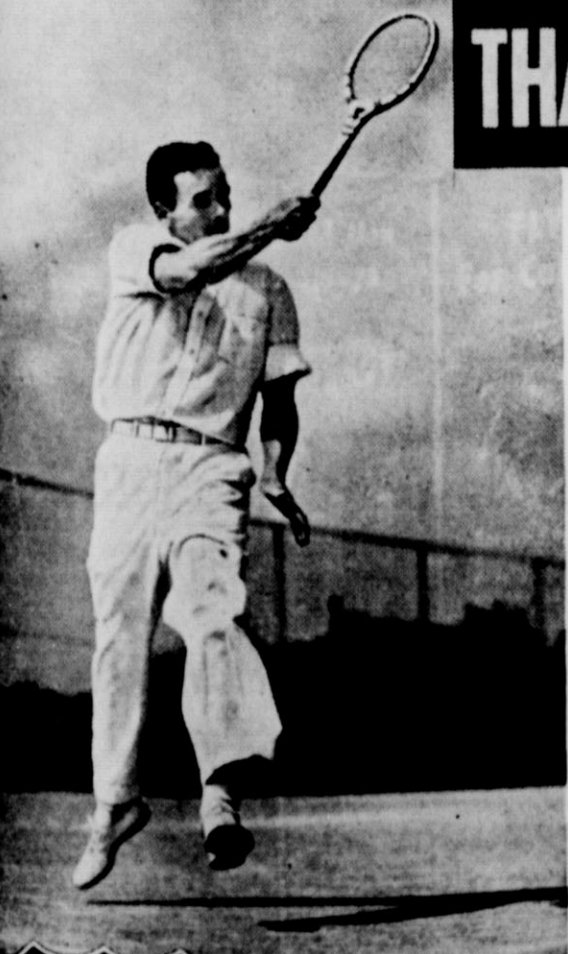
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LEGAL NOTICE

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4.

proposing an amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas by the addition of two new sections to be known as Sections 17 and 18 providing a special fund for the payment of Confederate pensions and providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning; providing for a five-cent reduction in the maximum allowable state tax on property; providing for an election and the issuance of a proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 17 and 18 which shall read as follows:

"Section 17. In lieu of the state ad valorem tax on property of Seven (7c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 51 of Article 3, as amended, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of the State of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Two (2c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations, and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate hereinabove levied.

"Also, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Five (5c) on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping buildings, or other permanent improvements at the designated institutions of higher learning; and the government board of each of such institutions of higher learning is fully authorized to pledge all or any part of said funds allotted to such institution as hereinafter provided, to secure bonds or notes issued for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping such buildings or other permanent improvements at said respective institutions. Such bonds or notes shall be issued in such amounts as may be determined by the governing boards of said respective institutions, shall bear interest not to exceed three (3%) per cent per annum and shall mature serially or otherwise not to exceed ten (10) years from the first (1st) day of January of each year in which such funds are allocated or re-allocated to said respective institutions; provided, the power to issue bonds or notes hereunder is expressly limited to a period of thirty (30) years from the date of the adoption of this amendment; and provided further, that the Five (5c) Cent tax here levied shall expire finally upon payment of all bonds here by authorized; provided further, that the state tax on property as heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 9 of Article VIII, as amended, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never

exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the valuation. All bonds shall be ex- One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars ained and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and when so approved shall be incontestable; and all approved bonds shall be registered in the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. Said bonds shall be sold only through competitive bids and shall never be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest.

"Funds raised from said Five (5c) Cents tax levy for the ten (10) year period beginning January 1, 1948, are hereby allocated to the following institutions of higher learning, and in the following proportions, to wit:

Institution	Per Cent of Total
John Tarleton	
Agricultural College	5.72107
North Texas Agricultural College	6.17028
Texas State College for Women	11.52992
Texas College of Arts and Industries	4.75551
College of Mines and Metallurgy	4.71936
Texas Technological College	16.54877
East Texas State Teachers College	8.10657
North Texas State Teachers College	12.64522
Sam Houston State Teachers College	5.55068
Southwest State Teachers College	6.78474
Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College	4.55414
Sul Ross State Teachers College	2.15315
West Texas State Teachers College	5.41643
Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas	5.34416

"Not later than June 1st of the beginning year of each succeeding ten (10) year period, the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, based on the average long session full-time student enrollment for the preceding five (5) year period of time, shall re-allocate, to the above designated institutions of higher learning then in existence, all funds to be derived from said Five (5c) Cent ad valorem tax for said ten (10) year period; and all such designated institutions of higher learning which participate in the allocation or re-allocation of such funds shall not thereafter receive any other state funds for the acquiring or constructing of buildings or other permanent improvements for which said Five (5c) Cents ad valorem tax is herein provided, except in case of fire, flood, storm, or earthquake occurring at any such institution, in which case an appropriation in an amount sufficient to replace the loss so incurred may be made by the Legislature out of other state funds. This amendment shall be self-enacting. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall draw all necessary and proper warrants upon the State Treasury in order to carry out the purpose of this amendment; and the State Treasurer shall pay warrants so issued out of the special fund hereby created for said purpose."

"Section 18. For the purpose of constructing, equipping or acquiring buildings or other permanent improvements, the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes not to exceed a total amount of Five Million (\$5,000,000.00) Dollars, and the Board of Regents of the University of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes

not to exceed a total amount of Ten Million (\$10,000,000.00) Dollars. Any bonds or notes issued hereunder shall be payable solely out of the income from the Permanent University Fund. Bonds or notes so issued shall mature serially or otherwise not more than twenty (20) years from their respective dates, and in no event later than twenty-five (25) years after the date of the adoption of this amendment. This amendment shall be self-enacting.

"Said Boards are severally authorized to pledge the whole or any part of the respective interests of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and of The University of Texas in the income from the Permanent University Fund, as such interests are now apportioned by Chapter 42 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 42nd Legislature of the State of Texas, for the purpose of securing the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds or notes. The Permanent University Fund may be invested in such bonds or notes.

"All bonds or notes issued pursuant hereto shall be approved by the Attorney General of Texas and when so approved shall be incontestable."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at a special election to be held throughout the state on the fourth Saturday in August, A. D. 1947, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and for the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning, in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and The University of Texas."

"Against the amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and for the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five (5c) Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and The University of Texas."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this state.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

Miss McWilliams Is Honored With Party

A farewell party was given Wednesday night, June 4th, in the home of Bonner Nelson honoring Ernestine McWilliams, who is leaving for Draughton's Business School in Lubbock.

Guests present were: Hal Courtney, Man Bird, Charles Ray Cox, Wayne Timmons, Bill McDonald, Lewis Bostick, Mickey Roberts, Daisey Mae Bird, Thomas Sanders, Nell Webb, Jerry Hays, R. C. Giesecke, Bob Rushing, Colonel Garth, Billy Frank Skaggs, Annette McWilliams, Ann Harp, Fud Edmondson, Heavy Thomas Ollie Sue Lancaster, Evelyn Shelton, L. C. Giesecke, Truman Groves, Mr and Mrs. Roy Smith, the honoree Ernestine and the host.

STANLEY CLINIC

Mr. and Mrs. Dood Damron of Matador announce the arrival of twins born June 4th. The babies were named David Lewis and Marianne Loretta David weighed five and one half pounds at birth and Marianne weighed five pounds.

Gary David was the name given to Mr. and Mrs. David Campbell's eight pound, four ounce son born June 5th.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Emert of Dougherty named their daughter Dell Berneice. The baby weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces at birth and was born June 6th.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Barron are the proud parents of a six pound, four ounce son named Raymond Jr., born June 3rd. Tonsilectomies were: Neysa Mae Boggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boggs of Quitaque June 6; Gaines Duff Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Green of Roaring Springs on June 7th; and T. J. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams of McAdoo on the 9th.

Miss Oleta Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Holt of Whiteflat was an appendectomy patient on June 7th.

Mr. M. S. Webb of Roaring Springs was an appendectomy patient June 9th.

Childress Reporter To Make Debut Soon

First post-war weekly newspaper to make an appearance in this area, will be the Childress Reporter, which will be off the press on June 12, according to an announcement made by the publisher, Allen Harp, this week.

Mr. Harp is former State Representative of the 121st District, having served in office for one term prior to entry into the Armed Forces. He formerly taught school, and is a nephew of Messrs. Alvie and Claude Harp of this place.

Childress is served by one daily newspaper, the Childress Index, and formerly had a weekly. The Childress County News, published by Kenneth Fink, now of Anson. Mr. Fink suspended publication of his paper during the war, because of insufficient help.

Hay making time on the farm marks the beginning of a season when farm accidents always run high. The gears and cutting mechanism of haying machinery take a big toll of casualties each year.

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INCREASE SEEN FOR EGG PRICES

WASHINGTON, April 30. The Agriculture Department predicted Wednesday that egg prices will increase and supplies decrease during the last half of 1947.

It is estimated supplies will be 10 per cent smaller than in the last half of 1946.

—Dallas News

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News Briefs

(Delayed)

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Alsop of Norman Oklahoma, visited here last week with her father, W. W. Carpenter and family. Mr. Alsop is enrolled in the University there and returned to enter the summer semester.

Guests of Miss Gladys Marie Springer the past week were Miss Joyce Cecceaci of Houston, and Miss Betty Lou Angelli, of Galveston, being schoolmates of Miss Springer's at T. S. C. W. Denton.

Miss Mary Belle Richards of Lubbock visited here this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Sheridan, as guests of their son, Pat Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Bishop had as their guests Sunday, his brothers and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bishop of Quanah and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bishop of Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. Fay G. Tipton and children, J. A. and Gaynell, also Messrs J. A. Tipton and Thomas Fulgham of Northfield, were Matador visitors Monday.

Miss Earlene Laughlin, who has been attending Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, has returned home for the summer.

Health Department Gives Standards For Swimming Pools

A pamphlet entitled "Minimum Swimming Pool Standards" is being distributed by the State Health Department throughout the State to operators of swimming pools or other interested parties according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

The standards set up were prepared for the protection of public health and include recommendations of the Joint



Pictured above is the Panhandle Club of Abilene Christian College, Abilene, made up of students from the Texas Panhandle. Seated third from left on the first row is Miss Dorothy Lou Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hill of Matador. She is a junior student in the Abilene institution.

MORE TEXAS FARMERS USING FERTILIZERS

During the 1945-46 planting season, Texas farmers and ranchmen used 200 per cent more farm fertilizer than in 1940-41.

Figures compiled by Dr. J. F. Fudge, state chemist and chief, division of Chemistry, Texas A. & M. College Agricultural Experiment Station, show that 129,578 tons of ayy-types fertilizers were sold in Texas in 1940-41. In 1945-46, that figure rose to 305,510 tons, indicating that fertilization is fast becoming a regular part of Texas farming and ranching.

U. S. Department of Agriculture

Production and Marketing Administration figures show that the trend is still upward this year. Statistics for January and February of 1947 show 6,468 tons of one type fertilizer, super phosphate, distributed in the PMA program. Last year at the end of February, only 1,746 tons of the fertilizer had gone out. PMA says, however, that although more economical fertilizer is now being manufactured in Texas than ever before, demand promises to be greater than supply. The increase over last year may not be held up during the entire current growing season.

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Lubbock County Agricultural Agent D. W. Sherill, who believes there is something new happening every day in West Texas farming and ranching, reports that a demonstration was held recently in that county to see how airplane fertilization goes.

The demonstration took place on the L. J. West farm, 12 miles southwest of Lubbock. About 50 people watched a ship from a local flying service dust a cotton field with 4-12-4 fertilizer. Sherill says a stiff breeze interfered with operations a bit, and fertilizer did not settle as rapidly and evenly as it should. There

may be cotton fertilized free for miles around. If the method pans out as effectively, however, you can bank on West Texas farmers taking to it fast, the county agent says.

Already airplanes are being used widely to spread cotton defoliant and insecticides.

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West Texas Utilities Company

Farmer cooperatives own 13 per cent of the frozen food locker plants in the nation.

Wrong-way storage of vegetables in the home results in a great loss of food nutrients.

Milk production per cow in the United States for 1947 is likely to set a new record for the third consecutive year, according to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration.

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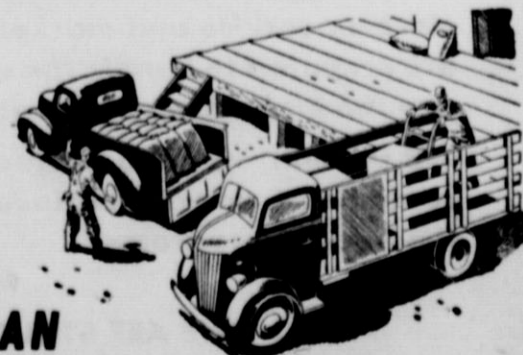


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MATADOR, TEXAS

Martin-Cox Marriage Vows Solemnized At Home Of Bride Saturday Evening

The marriage of Miss Leona Martin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Martin of Matador, Texas to Mr. Lonnie Milburn Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carpenter of Matador was solemnized Saturday evening at 8:30 p. m. in the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Clifford Potts, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated.

Mr. Martin gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a wed-

ding gown of white lace fashioned with a sweetheart neck and long fitted sleeves which tapered to points over her hands. Her veil was finger tip length fitted to a head dress of satin and seed pearls. She carried a white Bible topped with a corsage of pink and white carnations. For something blue she wore blue garters, something new, handkerchief, something old and borrowed were pearls.

Both the bride's mother and the groom's mother wore black crepe dresses with black accessories and red rosebud corsages. Matron of Honor was Dorothy Russell, sister of the groom and Bride's Maid was the bride's sister, Joy Martin. They wore dresses of pink and blue organza. Only other attendant was C. D. Garrison who was



Mrs. Lonnie Cox

Best Man.

Preceding the ceremony Miss Elwanda Martin sang "Always" and during the ceremony Earlene Laughlin played softly, "I Love You Truly," "Flower Song" and "Lohengrin's Wedding March," on the piano.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Cake was three-tiered topped with a miniature Bride and Groom set in the center. The table was covered with a white lace cloth and on each side were tall pink tapers.

Cake and punch were served by Mesdames Clyde Gilbert, Raide James, W. O. Cox, and Vance Campbell.

Guests registered by Mrs. Curtis E. Martin were: Messrs. and Mesdames J. C. Bureson, Bob Martin, A. D. Beauchamp, W. O. Cox, Bill Colston, Clyde Gilbert, John Barton, Bennie Cox, James Russell, Norman Martin, Vance Campbell, O. G. Glassmoyer, Tate Jones, Bill Norman, Marvin Bloodworth, Orland Howard, Bundy Campbell, Tom Hall, Harold Campbell, Varner McWilliams, Mose Dawson, Raide James, A. T. Swenson, Preston Spray, Curtis E. Martin, Mrs. Walter Carpenter and Mrs. Gerald Waybourn, Misses Ernestine and

Roaring Springs NEWS

By LULA M. SWIM

Miss Charlotte Havis is visiting in Memphis this week.

Miss Mina Julia Smith is visiting in San Antonio this week with Capt. and Mrs. Buddy Smith and daughter.

Cpl. John W. Smith left Sunday to return to Fort Sam Houston hospital.

Mrs. H. W. Keahey is visiting her mother in Dublin this week.

Joe Jimmy Keahey is visiting in Wichita Falls this week.

Misses Nancy and Jo Enloe are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Kinney of Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Seigler and Ansil of Archer City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King during the past week. Mrs. Seigler is Mrs. King's sister.

Gail McWilliams, Alene Bloodworth, Dorothy Nelson, June Pope, Mickey Roberts, June and Barbara Spray, Geraldine and Barbara Waybourn and Messrs. J. W. Lawrence, T. J. Cardinal James Garth, Charles Bird, Skeet Jameson, Quinn Jameson, Lewis Bostick, Sonny Russell, Clyde Lancaster, Blake Barton, Dewayne Martin, Larry Glassmoyer, Bundy Hal Campbell, and Charles Ray Cox.

Mrs. Cox graduated from Matador High School in 1945 and attended Texas Tech for two years. Mr. Cox graduated from Matador High School in 1942 and attended Draughton's Business College in Lubbock. He was in the armed forces for 2 1/2 years and served overseas 2 years.

Following the reception the couple made a trip to College Station, Texas and will be at home in Matador. For traveling the bride wore a blue eye-let two piece suit with white accessories.

Mrs. Velma Cornell and son of Seagoville visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Watson this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Brooks and daughter of Brownfield visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Brooks and Mr. and Mrs. S. Warren over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Bearden of Floydada visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Warren over the week end.

Mrs. Joe Lancaster and children left for Abilene Monday where she will attend summer school.

Mrs. Imogene Swim and children were called to Bovina Saturday on the death of an Uncle. She was accompanied by Lula Mae Swim.

Mrs. Sybil Davis and daughters of Fort Knox, Ky., are here visiting her sister Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leonard of Hoi Springs, Arkansas are this week to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Camm and children, Cecil Jr., Ruth of Houston arrived Saturday for a visit in the home of his father, Judge and W. R. Cammack.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Braden and son Jack Calvin accompanied by Mrs. James Russell left and small son Michael College Station arrived here Saturday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leonard.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Schweitzer of Goose Creek are visiting in the home of his parents this week.

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For Sale: 1943, 1 1/2 ton Ford truck, cattle racks, grain boards, excellent rubber, A-1 all around. Booster brakes. Box 693, Spur, Texas. Call 214-J. 2tc. 6-12

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For Sale: One four-cylinder, 32 volt Delco Light plant, one set of ten year batteries, been

used about two years. One Vacuum sweeper, electric iron and 32 volt cabinet radio. Price \$250.00 for all. All in perfect condition. Have several one cylinder plants for sale cheap. Monte Bowron, 1942, Texas Ave., Lubbock, Texas. c4t. 6-26.

MAN WANTED for Rawleigh business. Sell to 1500 families. Write today. Rawleigh's, Dept. TXF-493-SA, Memphis, Tenn. plt 6-12

For Sale: 4-room house and 2 lots. Possession July 1. See Clint Hicks at First State Bank. p2t. 6-12

For Sale: 3/4-ton 1939 Chevrolet pickup, overloads, grain boards, cattle racks, 7-00 x 15 6-ply tires. Recent motor overhaul. Box 693, Spur, Tex. Call 214-J. 2tc. 6-12

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Gamma Eta Chapter Honors Miss Godfrey

At a biennial election of officers of the Gamma Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society last Friday evening, June 6th, at the Cattle Hotel in Paducah, Miss Thressia Godfrey, chapter president, was a guest of honor. Miss Godfrey has completed two years of unparalleled en-



Gene Autry, cowboy singing star of stage, screen and radio as he will appear at the World's Championship Rodeo in Lubbock, June 11-14. Autry recently appeared in Birmingham, Ala., where his show was held over several days to accommodate the huge throngs who wished to see him perform. This will be his only personal appearance with rodeo in the area this year.

deavor in behalf of the chapter as its president. New officers elected for the year were: Miss Lorena Prunty as president; Mrs. Roxi Lewis, a first vice-president; and Miss Godfrey second vice-president. Mrs. Lottie Jolly was elected corresponding and recording secretary, and Mrs. Naomi Jones treasurer.

Consumers Advised To Buy Sugar Now

The estimated record wheat crop coming up is due to affect the distribution of sugar to Texas store shelves. The U. S. Department of Agriculture has urged the nation's home-makers to cash in their sugar stamps—numbers 11 and 12—as soon as possible. While the total year's supply of sugar for the nation, estimated earlier at about 6,800,000 tons, remains unchanged, the distribution of the supply is another question, USDA says. The large wheat crop is expected to create a difficult transportation problem. In another month, there will not be enough box cars to carry both wheat and sugar.

Due to that situation, the No. 12 sugar stamp in housewife's ration books was made good in advance. Grocers can accept both Stamp 11 and Stamp 12, and will continue doing so until October 31. Miss Gwendolyn Jones, food preservation specialist of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service, reminds Texas homemakers that no sugar will be allowed them especially for canning, and that any canning sugar used must come from their regular allotment. USDA says that many consumers are apparently postponing the use of their stamps. Housewives making last-minute runs on stores to cash sugar stamps are likely to find local shortages, since the wheat crop is due to tie up rail transportation.

las, June 3rd, and will start internship at Jeff Davis Hospital in Houston, July 1st.

W. F. McCaghren, Norman Spray and Don Wason made a trip to Las Cruces, New Mexico where they visited Charles Sanders.

Betty Price is home for the summer from Denton where she has been attending N. T. S. C. Frank Price is home from Texas A. & M. for the summer.

Jack Robinson Jr., of Paducah, visited friends in Matador Tuesday.

Miss Glenda Nelson of Lubbock, Texas is visiting friends and relatives in Matador this week.

More farm labor will be available this year, but crops are bigger looking, too, so the ratio is about the same, according to Dutch Hohn. Cool weather grasses, for green pasture in winter, are being developed at the Southern Great Plains Field Station at Woodward, Okla. On its 12th birthday, the REA said more than 57 per cent of the nation's farms are now electrified. . . . some three and a third million in number.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh
Here's to the Women-Folk!

There's a line at the heading of the Woman's Column in my paper that reads: "Women through the years have stood keepers of the flame..." Pretty easy to see what it means; whether it's the flame on the hearth, or the candle in the window, or the feeling of warmth that surrounds a home. It's the women who are guardians of the things we cherish about homelife—who are tolerant of ashes on the rug; the rings a glass of beer can leave on tables; or the comfortable but too-worn chair that we can't bear to throw away. From where I sit, those little satisfactions become more and more important in this world of strife and change. Smoke rings curling from a mellow pipe; a glass of beer; a comfortable chair before the fire. And I'd like to salute the housewives—"keepers of the flame"—whose tolerance and understanding helps preserve them!

Joe Marsh

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Chareen Ketchersid returned this week from a three week vacation in Brady and Melvin, Texas.

Mrs. Jack Jernigan and children of Floydada visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Eubanks last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore will leave for Dallas Saturday where they will meet their nephew, Dr. James R. Fish who will accompany them to North Carolina. It will be Mr. Moore's first visit to his old home in more than one half a century. They will make the trip from Dallas by automobile.

Dr. James Rufus Fish of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Fish this week. Dr. Fish graduated from the Southwestern Medical School in Dal-

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