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Is A New Empire Offering
Boundless Opportunities to
those of Courage and Vision

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SEE THE CENTENNIAL
But Remember You Have Not
Seen Texas Until You See
The Panhandle

TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

A fearful beauty is spawned in the inflamed sky when the blood-red eye of day looks back across the yellow path of a swirling sandstorm for a final glimpse of the living mesquites cringing beneath the wind's lash. The invisible empire plunderer can not destroy the seed of charm and life although conquest sweeps into the darkness with sinister fury. It must pass blades with time, the silent of all aggressors and become an infuriated raindrop attacking the sea.

Whenever I chance upon the forgotten ruins of an old dug-out in western Texas, I feel as if I should shove my hat and stand in reverence to the valor of those who once made it a home. Usually located against the north wall of a gully for protection against the wind, they are becoming more difficult to find while the tide of years washes in the embankment and hides it beneath grass and weeds. Another tide washes to many of those who remember these earthen crucibles of a new empire. The hunger, the tears and privation leave no monuments except the unquestionable destiny of purpose and faith. Another generation garners peace and plenty from the courageous furrows planted often in loneliness and hardships by those who did not complain of dirt walls and soil above their heads at night.

The first time I was privileged to go aboard a sail boat I paid particular attention to the canvas. I could not but feel a certain something in common with the sea since my mail-order trousers were advertised as having sail cloth pockets.

A friend of mine, who, when prohibition was at the heights of its glory, used to drink anything from floor varnish to embalming fluid and catch his bed at its came by at night, in case he happened to be in its vicinity, is now a total abstainer. He claims that some of the whiskey he used to buy was so bad that it was necessary to strain it twice before he could throw it away.

Brown, dried mesquite leaves and sage brush had been caught in the worn lariat rope binding the cowboy's rolled tarpaulin awaiting as baggage at this bed. Beside the portable cot, its covering with axel-grease, lay a long-used saddle partly stuffed into a tow sack. The past was packed and ready for shipment to a new range.

Something pathetic, as a defeated warrior loaded with his battered armor awaiting a ship of banishment, clung to the tableau. Close to the equipment for wide-wind-swept horizons and unshackled spirit, moved the swifter steel flesh of steeds whose cold hearts can not sense the storm at twilight, nor reach into the silence of a lonely night.

So one by one the beds are rolled from beneath the motionless chandelier of stars and the weathered saddles, still perfumed with salty sweat and dust, are tagged for transit into the grasslands of tomorrow.

One of the most comfortable companions I have ever possessed was a large policeman named O'Brien who used to pull off his badge and fight for the sheer love of it. Somewhere in his teaching or, perhaps, his nationality, the use of fear had been lost. One night he whipped two men with his bare fists while I sat on the runningboard of his car and held his cap. When it was over I secured the whisk broom from the door pocket and brushed him off, that being my most aggressive participation in his affairs.

A happy man makes mighty poor material for a permanent enemy.

Joe Murrell, former Matador business man, of Plainview, was looking after interests here last Friday.

Go To Church Sunday

FILM CONTRACT TO HOLLYWOOD CORRESPONDENT

Adolph Faylauer Is Signed By M-G-M For Picture

Adolph Faylauer, character actor who has written the 'Hollywood' column in the Tribune under the pen name of Marshall Fisk for some three years, recently signed a contract with Metro-Goldwyn Meyer studios in Hollywood, to play the part of a foreign correspondent at the court proceedings in a picture titled, 'Mob Rule'. Spencer Tracy and Sylvia Sydney are the stars in the production.

Mr. Faylauer has been playing character parts and bits for about 12 years and is well known in the movie capital. He is a student of art and literature and traveled in Europe extensively before going to Hollywood and entering the moving picture profession.

Many Friends Here
Having visited Matador on three occasions, Mr. Faylauer has many friends here who will be glad to know of his success in being awarded the contract. Returning by way of Matador after an extensive trip in the north and east, including a visit to the Chicago World's Fair, Mr. Faylauer last visited in the home of his friend, Douglas Meador, publisher of the Tribune, during November 1934.

BOB ALEXANDER ANNOUNCES FOR REPRESENTATIVE

Bob Alexander of Childress County has announced his candidacy for reelection to the position of State Representative from the 121st district, made up of Cottle, Childress, Motley and Hall Counties.

He is now serving his second term in the Legislature, having been elected in 1932 and reelected without opposition in 1934.

Mr. Alexander has lived in Childress county for 35 years with the exception of time spent in the army during the World War. He is a dirt farmer, farming west of Childress and has lived on the farm all of his life, one of 12 actual farmers in the House.

On Committee
While serving as state representative from this district, Mr. Alexander has served on the revenue and taxation committee both in the 43rd and 44th Legislatures, the constitutional amendment committee, the agriculture committee, the livestock committee, and others. The revenue and taxation committee is considered one of the most important and one requiring the most time.

He is author of several bills, including one which reduced the bill.

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Mrs. Carl Sanders Is Treasurer Candidate

The Tribune is authorized to announce in this issue, the candidacy of Mrs. Carl Sanders for the office of county treasurer of Motley county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 25, 1934.

Regarding her announcement, Mrs. Sanders declared, "I feel that I am fully qualified for the office since I have had about 11 years business experience, including much practical bookkeeping. I will sincerely appreciate the vote and influence of all who may find it possible to support me in the campaign. "Owing to circumstances it may be impossible for me to make a house to house canvass and solicit each voter personally. However, I will be very grateful to those whom I am unable to see before the election, who tender me their support, and feel that they understand my position. In event I am elected to this office I pledge my very best efforts and services to justify the confidence of the voters."

Road Bond Issue Passed Saturday

PLEA FOR AID AS DESTITUTE REACH CRISIS

County Employs Case Worker As State Ends Help

The situation of Motley county's needy families reached a crisis this week when the State Relief department closed its local office and thus placed greater burden on the county. Miss Irene Knight was employed by the Commissioner's Court Monday as Motley County Welfare Worker and immediately assumed her duties. She will have an office located in the Luckett building but since much of her work will require time visiting the homes of the needy, definite office hours can not be announced at once.

Plea For Clothing
Miss Knight's work will receive the cooperation of the local Child Welfare organization but additional aid will be needed. "We need old clothing," Miss Knight said, "and I wish every one who has apparel of any description to notify me and I will come for it, or it will be greatly appreciated if left at the office. It is impossible to emphasize the circumstances of some families in the county. Children need clothing, medicine and medical attention. We need some kind of an emergency fund to protect the critical cases. The county has shouldered this burden almost as far as possible and it must receive the support of the citizenship."

Food: Clothing On Hand
Some 2000 garments made here through WPA, flour, canned beef and apples, is stored in the former office and may be disbursed to needy families under certain conditions specified by the Texas Relief Commission.

Applications must be taken under the new arrangement, of which Miss Knight has charge, and homes must be visited before food and clothing can be disbursed. Instructions which Miss Knight will follow in regard to disbursement of commodities is quoted in part, as follows:

Four Groups Listed
Four groups are listed as eligible for all available commodities through the local county family welfare association case worker. (1) Families certified to WPA but not assigned through no fault of their own. (2) Families who are employable but can't be certified to WPA because they have no relief record prior to Jan. 1st, 1936. (3) Families who are temporarily incapacitated. (4) Employable family certified to WPA and working but has not been working a full month. This group may receive commodities up until one month from the time they began work.

RED CROSS AID TO FLOOD AREA

The Motley County Chapter of The American Red Cross contributed the full amount of the request for aid to the flood-stricken area of the east, according to officials. The full cash amount was sent immediately upon receipt of the request issued to Red Cross chapters throughout the country.

The local chapter was in a more fortunate situation than many neighboring organizations, which are at present endeavoring to raise the amount of money requested of them. Motley county has been commended on the excellent Red Cross organization functioning here. The quota of annual subscriptions has been over-subscribed for several years.

Total Of 382 Votes Out Of 532 Cast For Bonds

Motley county voters passed the proposed road bond issue of \$14,000 to be spent in repair and construction of farm-to-market roads, Saturday with 28 ballots to spare over the required two-third majority. A total of 532 votes were cast in the ten voting boxes, with 382 votes for the issue and 150 against. Union Corners box, while holding only 10 votes, was unanimous in favor of the bonds. Flomot was second in favor of the bonds, with only one dissenting vote out of 71. Fairview cast two votes against the bonds out of 14.

Northfield Votes 'No'
The Northfield box while commanding only 34 votes, used the only majority against the measure, certified by the final count as 25 against and 9 for. In the two Matador boxes a total of 176 votes were registered, 42 against and 134 for. Whiteflat voted 29 for and 19 against; Roaring Springs, 91 for and 43 against; Folly, 11 for and 9 against; Darden Canyon 16 for and 9 against.

SHOW BOOSTERS VISIT MATADOR

E. K. Hufstader, W. M. Tomberlin, B. B. Winkles and Ed Bishop of Plainview, were in Matador Monday, in the interest of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show which will be held at Plainview, April 6, 7, 8 and 9. While in town the group called on local business firms encouraging attendance at the Ninth Annual Show.

This year the Dairy Show offers considerable more than usual, especially in an amusement program. On Monday and Wednesday a Western rodeo will feature the entertainment with 100 cowboys taking part. It will be followed in the evening by a cowboy dance at the Ware Hotel.

Greyhound Races
Tuesday afternoon sixteen greyhound races will be held with 32 dogs entered to be followed by a Horse Show with thirty entries. In the evening will be the Easter Parade and Style Show with fifty girls entered from various towns and communities in this section. The official Queen's Ball will be held in the evening at the Hilton Hotel.

Thursday afternoon the rabbit races and Horse Show will be repeated. Entries in the Dairy Show have already exceeded previous years and forty-three fine dairy animals will be auctioned off on Thursday afternoon. A carnival will be on the grounds throughout the entire week.

Spur Civic Club Host At Banquet

The Spur Rotarians, civic club, entertained some 40 old-time citizens of this section with a banquet at the Spur Inn last Thursday night. Special entertainment and a delicious repast were features of the evening. Among the local citizens who attended the banquet were: G. E. Hamilton, C. D. Bird and Henry Pipkin.

State-Owned Jack Is Delivered Here

In response to an application which has been on file for some time with J. E. McDonald, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, a fine state-owned jack was delivered last week to U. L. Willie, Matador. The jack will be available for use by livestock breeders of Motley county and should become an important factor in improving the quality of work stock in this community.

ATTEND MARKET

Mr. T. B. Edmondson and Miss Maggie Bryan of the Western Dry Goods Co., drove to Lubbock last Thursday where they attended the Twelfth semi-annual meeting of the West-Tex New Mexico Wholesale Clothing Market. W. F. Jacobs, manager of the Matador Variety Store, also attended.

APRIL FOOL IS BOOMERANG TO LOCAL JOKERS

Two Pranksters Land In Calaboose As Officers Play

Sheriff J. E. Skinner received a telephone call early Wednesday morning to the effect that an automobile had been stolen and that his aid was needed in recovering the car. As Sheriff Skinner asked the person to hold the phone while he secured a pencil and paper to write the description of the car he heard—"April fool" and the receiver clicked.

By a little detective work the sheriff learned the name of the person who had sent the message and a short time later lodged Whitey Bishop in the local bastille.

Suspicious Character
About 8 o'clock deputy sheriff H. H. (S) Courtney received a message declaring that a suspicious character could be located near the Magnolia Service Station. Investigation proved that the deputy sheriff was obviously the victim of an April fool joke. Deputy sheriff Courtney, as the North-west Canadian Mounted Police, went after his man, which resulted in a pair of bright hand-cuffs being snapped on the wrists of Joe Jeffers, local cafe manager. Despite protests that he had cooking to do, Mr. Jeffers was placed beside Mr. Bishop in the county jail. The two were released late in the morning.

Motley county's peace officers enjoy April fool jokes as well as anyone.

RADIO STARS HERE TUESDAY

The B&O Rounders, radio stars from station KGKO of Wichita Falls gave a one night performance at the Rogue theatre here Tuesday which met with the enthusiastic approval of a large audience. As invited guests of the Hamburger King Cafe where the entertainers were served before the performance, Speak Morly, organizer of the troupe, said: "This is the most westerly city we have visited but we like Matador."

The B&O Rounders were first sponsored by the B&O Cash Stores of Temple, Oklahoma and have enjoyed wide popularity for some 4 1/2 years. Their principal selections have been cowboy and western songs. Members of the radio performers here were: Speak Morly, vocalist, Billy Peeler, banjo, Chuck Peeler, violin, Lawrence Peeler, base violin, Ray Foy, guitar and Woody Gorham, piano.

Shortly after the show, the entertainers, departed for Wichita Falls by automobile, where they conducted their regular radio performance at noon yesterday.

FARMERS GIN IS REPAIRED

Work will be completed shortly of extensive repairing and remodeling of the Farmers Cooperative-Society No. 1 gin plant here, according to J. C. Scaff, manager. The improvement has been under way for some four weeks, employing several men and estimated to \$4,000 in the neighborhood of \$4,900, including much new equipment.

New gin feeders, shafting, belting and complete overhauling is embraced in work being done, Mr. Scaff said. The gin will not only be in first class condition, but also be modernly equipped and able to compete with the most up-to-date gins in the country, he declared.

SISTER FORMER RESIDENT WEDS

Announcements were received by friends here last week of the marriage in Fort Worth on March 16, of Miss Hesta Brown to a Mr. Joseph Lee May.

Mrs. May is a sister of Mrs. M. P. Leaming, of Panhandle, and visited here on several occasions when Mr. and Mrs. Leaming resided here a few years ago.

SANDSTORM IS HINDRANCE TO COUNTY MEET

Flomot And Roaring Spgs. Win Junior; Senior Honors

Inclement weather caused by sandstorms delayed and caused the postponement of several divisions of the Motley county Interscholastic league meet at Flomot Saturday. The rural track meet, started Saturday, was postponed until Monday. Girls singles in tennis, of which first place was awarded Mary Thacker of Roaring Springs, was completed Tuesday. Flomot won first place in the senior division of events while Roaring Springs won first place honors in the junior events.

Literary Events
Matador winners in the literary events of the interscholastic league meet which was held at the Matador High School auditorium Friday were, first place, senior Ready Writer's contest, Oma Mae Jameson. First place, junior boys declamation, Kenneth Simpson. Second place, junior girls declamation Frances Stearns.

Junior Hi Events
100 yard dash: Parsons, Roaring Springs; Hearst, Roaring Springs; Tunnell, Matador; Shearwood, Roaring Springs.
50 yard dash: Parsons, Roaring Springs; Tunnell, Matador; Hearst, Roaring Springs; Robinson, Matador.
Broad jump: Parsons, Roaring Springs; Davis, Matador; Shearwood, Roaring Springs; Schweitzer, Matador.

High jump: Tunnell, Matador; Shearwood, Roaring Springs; Robinson, Matador.
Playground ball, Roaring Springs 11; Matador 10.

Publisher's Note: Complete results of the interscholastic league meet will be published in next week's issue if information in detail is available.

FATHERS-SONS NITE WILL BE OBSERVED FRI.

Men's night at the Methodist Church, which will be held Friday evening, April 3, in the basement of the church promises to be one of the most interesting of its kind to be held since the origin of these meetings several weeks ago.

A feed for the fathers and sons of the congregation, which is prepared by the men themselves will be interspersed with interesting and inspirational talks, and will begin at 7:30.

Old Powder Horn On Display Here

A. V. Milsap, manager of the Fryar Market located in Bob's Foodway here has recently acquired an interesting relic in an old powder horn which was carried through the Civil War. The horn, which is in a perfect state of preservation, is hand engraved with this inscription: "Abraham Starling, 1840". It was given to Mr. Milsap's grandfather shortly after the great combat between the states and has remained in the family since that time.

Sorosius Club Hears Pulitzer Discussion

At a regular meeting on March 18, the Sorosius Club met in the home of Mrs. Frank Buckley, with Miss Mary Hamilton as leader. The Pulitzer Prize was the program theme, with a response to roll call naming an outstanding American Novel of 1933, which was followed by a paper on the Origin of Pulitzer Prize by Mrs. C. B. Groves.

Report Shows Terracing Has Greatest Year

Low Cost Of Modern Equipment Appeals To Land Owners

A total of 840 acres of land has been terraced by the machinery recently purchased by the county for that purpose, according to a report submitted to the Commissioner's Court Monday by County Agent Frank A. Buckley. Contracts are on file for the terracing of 1040 acres more by this machine. In addition it is estimated that 1000 acres has been terraced by other means and that 10,000 acres has been raw terraced or contoured. Without a doubt 1936 is a record year for the amount of terracing and contouring done in Motley county, where only a small percentage of the land is in cultivation.

Interesting among the figures presented by Mr. Buckley is the low cost of terracing with the newly acquired machinery which is specially designed for that purpose. The cost to the landowners of the 840 acres terraced was \$472.50. Of this, \$290.44 covered the cost of operation, leaving \$182.06 or 39% to apply on the purchase price.

From the above figures it can be calculated that the cost per acre to the landowners was only 56 cents. A total of 46 miles of terrace were required at an average cost of \$10.27 per mile. These figures are the more significant in view of the fact that a large percentage of the terraces were unusually large, being designed to control the drainage from considerable adjacent acreage. The average time required for building a mile of terrace was four hours.

COUNTY TO BE PERMITTED 100 AT STATE SING

Motley county will be allowed to enter 100 boys and girls between the ages of 10 and 18, to sing at the Texas Centennial Celebrations in Dallas, June 13, when 50,000 Texas school children will participate, according to Bryan Dickson, deputy state school superintendent, who was in Matador this week.

To qualify in the singing, students must know the words of the Centennial songs and be able to sing them with the phonograph aid.

Boys and girls interested in the singing will hold a county singing at the Matador High School, April 21, 2:30 p. m.

Judge P. A. Martin Claimed By Death

Judge P. A. Martin, 69, who studied law as a sheep herder and eventually attained the appellate court bench, died in his home at Fort Worth, Tuesday.

His body was taken to Wichita Falls and arrangements made for funeral services at one o'clock yesterday at the Floral Heights Methodist church there. It was planned to bury him in Graham, where he studied his law as a youth.

Judge Martin is the father of Mrs. S. W. Weatherall of Roaring Springs.

ICE COMPANY CHANGES NAME

The name of the former Leon Ice Company of this city is changed to the Leon Independent Ice Co., following the purchase of the business by Clarence Leon of Rotan, Texas, in February. Solon Lea, former owner, will continue with the business in the capacity of manager.

The price of both delivered and dock sale of ice has been reduced according to an announcement appearing in this issue of the Tribune. One exception in the price, however, is the 12 1/2 lbs. sales, which because of inconvenience in making change and the loss resulting in small purchase, is advanced from 9 cents to 10 cents. All other prices have been reduced.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Duval made a business trip to Fort Worth the latter part of last week.

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**"THERE IS GLORY ENOUGH
 FOR ANY MAN TO LIVE AND
 DIE A TEXAN."**

TO CONVENTION

Mr. J. T. Spear, together with
 his sons Tom and George and ac-
 companied by Mrs. Tom Spears,
 drove to Fort Worth this week
 where they attended the annual
 convention of the Texas Ginners
 Association.

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Low-grade paint always costs
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**Aperl Fule Addition
 Liars Contest**
 One time a preacher was going
 to baptize a very large man in the
 Mississippi. The unlucky man, who
 had never been able to swim, was
 dropped by the preacher. He got
 on his hands and knees and began
 to crawl. Finally he decided he
 had to have some air so he raised
 up and opened his eyes to discover
 he had crawled all the way across
 the Mississippi and three miles
 in a farmers corn field.

A man was bragging of his horse.
 He said that once he rode his
 horse off a two hundred foot bluff,
 and landed on some jagged rocks
 below and never hurt the horse.
 A listener said that was nothing,
 that he was riding over the same
 trail the other fellow had and he
 and his horse fell over the same
 bluff. When they had nearly hit
 the jagged rocks, he commanded
 his horse to stop. The horse stopped
 in midair and climbed back up
 the perpendicular bluff.

Once a man said he had been
 digging post holes on his farm.
 While he was gone to town to buy
 some posts a sandstorm blew the
 dirt away from the holes and left
 the holes sticking two foot up in
 the air.

A man said once he was getting
 ready to saddle his horse, which
 was a few rods away from the man
 and his saddle when a sandstorm
 blew up a few seconds later when
 the dust settled for a moment, he
 had mounted and was half way
 to his destination.

One time Mr. Ritz found a rattle
 snake in his back yard and got a
 stick to kill it. When he started to
 kill it the snake bit the handle.
 The handle immediately began
 to swell. It swelled so much that
 soon it became so enormous it be-
 came a post. He decided he might
 as well make use of the post so
 he sent it to the saw mill to be
 made into lumber to build a
 shed. A week and a half later the
 swelling began to go down. Soon
 it had shrunk to its normal size
 choking six cows in the shed.

A Kansas farmer said it got so
 dry there that he had to lather the
 wheat before he could mow it.

Sammy the hunter got lost in the
 wilds of Africa. For three days he
 went without food and water and
 on the fourth day when it seemed
 as if he would never find anything
 to eat he happened upon an ante-
 lope. He had only one shot left.
 As he raised the gun to shoot the
 antelope, he saw a panther ready
 to spring upon him. In his fright
 his shot went wild. The bullet
 struck the blade of his knife which
 was in a nearby tree. It split the
 bullet half of which hit the panther
 and he died without a struggle.
 The other half killed the antelope.
 When the gun went off it kicked
 the man into a river that was be-
 hind him. When he climbed out
 he found that his pockets were full
 of fish. A searching party which
 was about a mile away heard the
 shot and came to the rescue of
 Sammy the Hunter.

A farmer said the dust was so
 thick in a west Texas sandstorm
 that parrie dogs dug their holes
 in the air.

**High School Student Body Trades
 Places With The High School
 Faculty**

What will become of the younger
 generation? was the two fold prob-
 lem discussed by the high school
 teachers in a moonlight meeting at
 the Oasis Bar. Supt. Albert Willis
 said if the students kept coming
 to school every day as they have
 been doing, the school will have
 to close as it is breaking the teach-
 ers health to have to report every
 day.

Miss Virginia Edmondson, the
 English instructor, says the stud-
 ents are learning too readily. She
 says the students have learned all
 the slang she knows and they won't
 forget a single word.
 On the bulletin board was posted
 a notice that April 1 would be a
 school holiday—and you can be-
 lieve it, all the students with the
 exception of two boys, were so
 loyal to the dear old institution
 that they reported for classes on
 that day.

The two wandering boys were
 Brunie Harbour and Bonnie Llor-
 ne Tunnell. Brunie has become a
 problem to all the teachers. He is
 so unusual. Every day at noon
 when gin cocktails are served,
 Brunie refuses to take any. When
 the books are taken up over the
 week-end so that the poor students
 will not ruin their eyes by study-
 ing so much—Brunie will slip
 books out. There is only one thing
 about him that seems human he is
 forever reading true-confessions
 and ballyhoo magazines. No one
 was more surprised at Bonnie
 Florence taking off. He never re-
 fuses a holiday and is so fond of
 taking little jaunts out to Roaring
 Springs, the teachers would not
 dream of punishing him. It would
 take all the spice out of life.

The teachers have decided that
 Harvey and Bernice Stanford
 mean a lot to the school. They
 furnish most of the entertainment
 in the study hall with their infernal
 quarrels. It seems that Bernice hit
 Harvey the other day in Algerba
 Titus, had to furnish boxing gloves
 to save a hospital bill.

Business law has proved to be a
 very interesting class. Students
 crowd the room every day, eager
 to learn more about that darling
 little teacher, Dorothy Echols has
 in store for them. At the present
 they are trying a case. Hic-cup
 Gray is suing an old maid school
 teacher for breach of promise.
 Poor Hic-Cup is grieving his life
 away. He only weighed 350 pounds
 when the trial came up and he is
 losing ten pounds a day. It looks

like the old maid will win.

The entire town is acquainted
 with Mr. Lukers little girl, Frances.
 The faculty is very proud of her
 for she never studies and has never
 made a higher grade than 25. She
 is setting a good example for the
 rest of the school. But dear little
 Frances, why doesn't Mr. Luker
 teach his little girl more econmy?
 She is robbing the school treasury
 buying stationery to write that
 girlhood sweetheart.

Miss Lucretia Estes, Principal of
 the school seems to show a little
 too much partiality. She never
 whips anyone but the following
 students: Brunie Harbour, Hic-cup
 Gray, Bernice Stanford, Frances
 Luker, Bernice Florence Tunnell
 and Harvey Stanford. And by the
 way she sure leaves the stripes on
 them. Could we blame her?

Wouldn't life be swell if we kids
 had a will and a day could be spent
 like this; But you see as it is, we
 must be content even when April
 Fool's spent.

**If M. H. S. Were Transported To
 The Bottom Of The Sea**

Let us suppose just for a few
 moments that M. H. S. has been
 transported to the bottom of the
 sea. There are indeed many
 changes. There are many varieties
 of fish among the faculty and stu-
 dents.

Let us stand under this pretty
 sea weed and watch the groups of
 fish go by on their way to school.
 First comes the faculty in a coral
 coach drawn by seventy minnows.
 They are Kingfish Tunnell, Lobster
 Stanford, Oyster (quiet as an oys-
 ter) Harbour, Pinked Faced salmon
 Gray, and Mrs. Stanford and Mrs.
 Luker as Shrimps. Next in line
 are the eels: J. D. Allen and Will
 Pritchett, which pass by very
 swiftly, then the shark Lawrence
 Rattan, taking up a great deal of
 space. Next comes Kittie Jeanette,
 Here comes the school wagon

the catfish, along with that bright
 Fred G. the starfish.

Here comes the twin crabs, Bob
 and Bill and just listen to the noise
 they make. Then that pokey little
 turtle, J. D. Gaines acting as if he
 didn't want to go to school at all.
 Scatter folks, there is B. F. the
 whale, who stops at nothing.

Now we will watch the school
 of trout which must come a long
 way because they are fresh water
 fish. First is old granpa Albert
 Trout and then the speckled Trout
 Maurice, Lyman Bundy and Dor-
 othy Gene. That beautiful and well
 known rainbow trout, Harold, is
 now seen gliding along by the side
 of his mermaid, Grace.
 Now let us turn back to the sand-
 storms which, I believe are better
 than having to go to school in the
 bottom of the sea.

**Matador High School One Hundred
 Years Ago**

Supposing that this is 1836 in-
 stead of 1936, lets watch the boys
 and girls and faculty come to
 school. Here comes Mr. (Coach)
 Stanford and Mrs. Stanford in their
 new buggy. It is pulled by
 two bay horses. There is Mr. Har-
 bour having another run-away in
 his old trap and Mr. Tunnell lopes
 up with B. F. Junior behind the
 saddle.

Coach and Mr. Harbour grab
 their brooms and sweep the school
 house while Mr. Tunnell builds a
 fire, and Mrs. Stanford dusts the
 seats. B. F. pushes all the windows
 up as far as he can reach to let
 the dust out. By this time Mr. Gray
 has arrived on the pride of his
 heart, a black racing horse. Sever-
 al boys and girls are seen walking
 up from the town. They are Vir-
 ginia Edmondson and Katherine
 Copeland, Albert Willis and Tutt
 Harrow with Miss Luker as
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from Whiteflat. The girls are dis-
 creetly seated on chairs in front
 while the boys hang their feet
 out the back end. J. D. Allen has
 to hold his up to keep them from
 dragging. W. J. Brian is trotting
 along behind the wagon.

"Ole Daisey fell in the creek this
 morning and we had to help her
 out", he yells. Daisy is one of the
 horses that pulls the wagon.

About his time we see R. E. and
 Lucretia come over the hill. Next
 Harold walks up with more boys.
 Here comes a bunch of girls.

The bell rings and the teacher
 and students take their places. In-
 stead of having rooms the one
 large room is curtained off in four
 sections. Teachers have the great-
 est trouble in keeping the pupils
 from pulling the curtains back. If
 pulling them back doesn't wrap

them punching holes in them will
 When the holes become large
 enough paper wads fly in and out
 A high scream is heard and all
 the girls in Mrs. Stanford's English
 IV hop on desks. Dorothy Echo
 has found a mouse in her pen-
 box. Just now in walks Grace Kel-
 in a new riding skirt.

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We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

For Representative:
Bob Alexander, re-election

For Sheriff and Tax Collector and Assessor:
Walker Williams
G. W. Green
J. E. (Edd) Skinner, re-election
L. A. Carlisle
J. Floyd Jordan

For County Judge and Ex-Officio County Superintendent:
W. R. Cammack, re-election

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. John Smith, re-election
Mrs. Annie Tudor
Mrs. Carl Sanders

For County Clerk:
Jack Robinson, re-election

Co. Commissioner Prec. No. 1
J. S. Lambert, re-election
A. A. Groves

For Commissioner Precinct No. 2
A. K. (Kim) Wilkinson
(Re-election)

CITY CANDIDATES
Election, Tues., April 7, 1936

City Secretary:
Tom Harris, re-election
Gene Luker

For Mayor:
G. T. Edwards

MOVIE CHATTER

(By A. Rogue)

"Riding Wild"
Tim McCoy will be back with us Friday and Saturday to thrill the movie audience in his latest romantic western picture, "Riding Wild", with Billie Seward. There will be sixty minutes of riding, roping, gunfire and romance. If you feel lucky you'll not miss this picture, because it's bound to be a winner.

"Ginger"
Coming Sunday and Monday to the Rogue, "Ginger", starring Jane Withers and Jackie Searl. Most everyone knows Jean Withers, but there are some who do not. In case you are the one who does not re-

member her, she is the little lady who played in "Bright Eyes" with Shirley Temple. You liked her in that picture and you didn't like her; but, believe me you'll fall in love with her in "Ginger" (cause she's just full of it) and say she's next to Shirley Temple. If you have never seen her do so at once. She's great! You'll never want to miss a Jane Withers picture and there's more coming.

Coming Pictures

Folks, the of Rogue is just full of good pictures booked ahead. Here are some of them: "Rose Marie", "King of Burlesque", "Wife versus Secretary", "The Country Doctor", "Small Town Girl", "Our Little Girl", "Captain January" and many others. Watch for dates.

Welfare Association Will Meet Wed.

The Matador Child Welfare Association will hold a regular meeting at the Matador High School auditorium next Wednesday afternoon, April 8, at 3:30 o'clock.

Parents, and patrons of the school are urged to attend these meetings since the work of this organization is a commendable one and deserves the support of the entire community.

Arkansas Will Be Featured By Wells In Radio Program

The Arkansas Ozarks and Hot Springs National Park—the fact that Arkansas is the only commercial producer of diamonds in America—the largest peach orchard in the world—the state's vast rice fields—as well as numerous scenic attractions and health resorts—are just a few of the interesting highlights to be featured by Carveth Wells in his "Exploring America" radio broadcast on Sunday, April 5.

Internationally famous reporter and explorer, Wells is conducting this series of programs for Continental Oil Company and the

Conoco Travel Bureau, and his Sunday broadcast on Arkansas is expected to be one of the most interesting in the series.

Local radio listeners who wish to hear Wells on Sunday, April 5, may do so by dialing station WFAA at 12:15 o'clock.

EL PROGRESSO STUDY CLUB

On March twenty-sixth the Club enjoyed a very interesting and profitable program on Fine Arts.

"Music is well said to be the speech of Angels". Hostess, Mrs. Neblett; Roll Call was responded to by 16 members; Leader, Mrs. Neblett; A panoramic view of the History and Development of American Music, Mrs. Neblett; Duet, "The Rosary", Mrs. Springer and Mrs. Hughes; West Texas Art Centers and Artists, Mrs. Stearns; Piano Solo, "Narcissus", Mrs. Neblett.

The club had as guests for the afternoon the Junior El Progreso Study Club, also Mrs. Isabelle Button, of Denver, Colorado.

CALLED TO CROSBYTON

Mrs. J. A. Groves received a message Tuesday advising her of the death of an aunt, Mrs. Mattie Hancock, resident of Crosbyton, died at her home in Crosbyton Monday night.

Mrs. Groves, together with a daughter, Mrs. Velma Fulfer, drove to Crosbyton Wednesday to attend the funeral services.

Mrs. Jack Robinson Leaves Sanitarium

Mrs. Jack Robinson who was accompanied by her husband to an Oklahoma City hospital Sunday, March 22, was released from the institution March 29 and at present is at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. C. Ray, who resides in that city. After a week in the hospital Mrs. Robinson's condition was described as improved.

Mr. Robinson, remaining at his wife's bedside during the past week returned home Sunday.

AT MUSKOGEE

Walker Williams left last Thursday for Muskogee, Oklahoma where he is undergoing a complete medical examination at the World War Veteran's hospital located there.

Mr. Williams, while not in a serious physical condition, had been suffering some from various ailments and after communication with the hospital, decided on the examination.

Whiteflat News

By Mrs. W. L. McWilliams

Mrs. Maud Dean of Jayton spent Saturday and Sunday here. Miss Bernice Garrison of Vernon and Mrs. Dayton Wright of Northfield spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison.

Miss Eunice Vickers of Gasoline was a visitor here Saturday and Sunday.

Boyd Perkins is in Mineral Wells for an indefinite period.

Jewel Truett of Petersburg spent last week here visiting relatives and returned home Sunday.

Mrs. C. E. Mathes of Vernon is visiting relatives here.

J. T. Hamilton of Seminole, Okla. was here last week looking after business interests.

Mrs. Joe Bloodworth returned Tuesday from two weeks stay in Quanah Hospital.

Mrs. Hoyet Burnam of Matador spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Perkins.

Several from here attended the Sunday Singing at Acuff, Lubbock county, Sunday.

Northfield News

(By R. A. Harp)

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dobbins spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ashford.

Mr. Ben Simpson and his daughter, Mrs. McDonald and others attended the protracted meeting in progress in Turkey Sunday.

Mr. Alfred Irvin of Matador is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoover. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard of Cee Vee were visiting Mrs. W. M. Bethany.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmont Hayes visited Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Florence Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Florence of

Matador visited Mrs. Florence's mother, Mrs. W. E. Ashford.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Aberts visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fay Tipton Sunday.

There will be preaching at the Church at 11 and 3 o'clock Sunday. Everyone is invited.

Miss Juanita Bethany spent Sunday nite with Miss Dorothy McDonald.

Many Northfield visitors were in Matador Friday and in Flomot Saturday for the County meet. Monday, events in the county meet were finished in Matador.

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KNITTING and CROCHET SCHOOL

For the benefit of those who knit and crochet, and also for those who wish to learn this fascinating work, we are planning a Knitting and Crochet School, to begin April 6th and run through the 11th. Mrs. Deidre Heston, an experienced instructor, will be in charge of the classes. We have on hand for this school a large and assorted stock of the following yarns and threads: Utopia Boucle, Lustra Scotch Wool, Raw Silk, Krinklette, Glacier Crepe, Bouclette, Dq Lustra Sportcrepe, and Needlework Linen. These threads are in all the new and leading colors. We also have Knitting and Crochet Books on Yarn Rugs, Infants and Childrens Wear, Men's and Boy's Wear, Afghan Books and Fashions for Women. We are certain you will enjoy these classes and especially invite you to be with us during the week of April 6th through the 11th.

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Lee Guthrie of Wheeler was a business visitor in Matador Monday.

Mrs. Wilburn Cox of Spur visited her mother, Mrs. Flora Shira here this week.

Mrs. Marvin English and son Bobby, together with her sister, Miss Katherine Copeland, visited their parents at Abilene during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buckley accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Chapman made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday.

Miss Minnie Nixon visited her parents at Brownwood during the week-end.

M. S. Thacker of Roaring Springs transacted business in Matador Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Patton and son Keith, accompanied by Miss Lorene Fryar and Wauandell Davis visited in Lubbock during the week-end.

Claud Wilson, representative of the Sweetwater Sash and Door Co., was a business visitor in Matador Tuesday.

Miss Mary Hamilton spent the week-end in Abilene where she visited friends.

Mrs. M. S. Thacker, Ramza Malouf and K. Jones of Roaring Springs were business visitors in Matador Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arla Carpenter of LaFors visited relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. Ben Meador visited relatives in Brady during the week-end.

H. W. Keahey of Roaring Springs transacted business in Matador Monday.

Miss Ruth Groves spent the week-end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Seigler at their ranch home in the north part of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Wilson and children left last Thursday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where they are visiting relatives. They contemplate a possible visit with relatives in Missouri before returning home.

Mrs. Henry Ford and A. L. Fryar, accompanied Miss Lorene Fryar to Lubbock Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sparks of Turtle Hole camp were visitors in Matador Wednesday.

A. G. Russell of Houston, is visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Russell.

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cense fees on farm trucks one-half. The bill provides for reduced license fees on trucks used exclusively for farm or ranch hauling, and was put into effect without loss of revenue to the state.

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VISITS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Murdo MacKenzie, together with Mr. and Mrs. John MacKenzie of Denver, Colorado, visited at the Matador ranch headquarters here last week.

Other guests also during the week were Mrs. Isabelle Button and son, who were accompanied by a friend of the latter.

Club Women Attend Lubbock Convention

The Seventh District convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs was held in Lubbock Monday and Tuesday of this week, was attended on the opening day by Mrs. U. L. Wille, president of the El Progreso Study Club of Matador. Also, Mrs. Tom Newman, delegate from the Sorosis Club, who was accompanied by Mesdames John Foster and J. S. Stanley.

Miss Lorene Fryar, president of the Sorosis Club drove to Lubbock late Monday and was in attendance at the evening session.

Checker Players To Hold Lubbock Meet

The semi-annual tournament of the Texas Plains Checker Association will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Lubbock, Sunday, April 5, starting 9:30 a. m. and finishing that evening.

Cash prizes will be awarded the winners in addition to five excellent shirts donated by the manager of the Hub, Lubbock clothing, to the five players in class 'A' who remain in the contests for the longest time. Only two classes of players will be arranged, class 'A' and class 'B'. An entry fee of 50c will be charged each participant.

Local Players Named
In a recent list of checker players in the Panhandle, published by the Lubbock Avalanche March 22, local townsmen Warren Clements, C. M. Glenn, Pat Sheridan and Harry Morris were included.

C. W. Graves, vice-president of the association urges all players of northwest Texas to take part in the tournament.

County Farmers To Austin State Meet

A called meeting of the Texas Agricultural meeting of the Texas Agricultural Association, state-wide organization of farmers, was attended last week by four farm leaders of Motley county, J. R. Nall and Ed Whitaker, Flomot, W. I. Rushing, Matador and H. D. Marshall, Roaring Springs represented Motley county farmers at

the convention which was held at the Driskill Hotel, Austin, Thursday, March 26; to discuss the new farm program. The group motored to the State Capitol Wednesday and returned Saturday.

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