

MAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Geraniums lined the path through a deep lawn door where a purple bougainvillea vine waved thin, agile fingers above the trellis. A small greenhouse, with its garden as an oasis in the asphalt desert where butterflies darted swiftly in their messages to exultant flowers. A mad city roared in its agony outside the sanctuary's narrow doorway but the frail old lady felt somewhere in the tiny room secure from its poison. She was as sweet and as the velvet tulips nodding in the sun, with a smile fed from the reservoir of mellow beauty in her heart. The lace collar she wore was crisp and white though from many washings.

She selected the violets which she had pinned off some-where from her life at each severed snip. She looked at them fondly closing the box, perhaps her mother might view her when which she had sold into the market.

A fledgling sparrow crushed the pavement will not re-act its young wings again for a meteor has drawn the journey to termination in wake of devastating speed. In the first conflict with de-ath she surrenders its unused strength and pain ends quickly on circuit back to dust; the young violently have less blood to

A clock is a meter through time flows with terrible intensity, leaving too frequently, a changed position of the hands and that sickening fear of the condemned must know when the scaffold trap and the rope.

Where the contaminated ven-er of gossip goes is like the prey of a blow-fly depositing foul eggs against flesh. A father used to nail old shoes to the oaken brake-blocks of his car until his two sons started eating automobiles, then he changed to pieces cut from pneu-matic tires. Altho the innovation efficient, it was also a neces-sity to maintain the auto-tires he was forced to have shoes repaired instead of dis-ting them.

There was no moon, only a veil silver blown against the nebulae which cast a gloom over the crystal prairies. Somewhere in the valley below the dim road, a mockingbird was singing be-tween intervals of silence and beyond the distant field a hound barked. The silver drained out of the clouds as a spurt of fire cut through the darkness towards the ground and the sharp report of a gun rent the silence, followed by a agonizing cry from the dog. There was another shot and the dog was silent but the mockin-gbird did not sing again; no moon shined to the outraged night.

A romance, like the splendor of a candle, lighted the fair waitress' face. A young, wealthy man lost his heart over toast and coffee one morning when sunlight brightened the sheen in her jet black hair. She smiled and life would never again return to its ruts of monotony. The day arrived when she was to remove the desiccated man, and leave the stench of a rotting food, the clatter of dishes and the insults of shameless men. Other waitresses bow to her and the world kneels to her life. Comfort, security and great home have been provided for her happiness, yet her eyes seem to harbour the mirage of a life. Years of poverty have left a stain upon her soul.

A bent piece of iron charged with magnetic force offers a demon which the ghouls might drain away before denying the assistance of Divine power. Bits of metal cling to the loadstone, drawn to a force which is silent and invisible. The same force will pene-trate a thin slab of wood and con-vert its attraction for metal ob-jects. The inveterate nomenclator of a Spiritual Intelligence is less

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NOVEL BANQUET FOR SENIORS FRIDAY NIGHT Juniors Proven Successful Hosts At Annual Affair

As a prelude to graduation activities next month, the senior class and faculty members of Matador High School were guests of the junior class and their sponsor, Miss Pauline Rister, at a novel and picturesque banquet held Friday evening in the basement of the Methodist church.

The banquet hall was transformed into a lovely flower garden for the occasion, and as the guests entered through a vine-covered archway, they were presented with corsages of sweet peas, by Wandell Berryman and Aileen Russell. The lights were soft through colored shades, and an enchanting moon hung low behind blossoming trees while the strains of various melodies of flower-theme, from the violins of Keith Patton and Elmer Gene Jameson, accompanied by Miss Mable Jameson, entertained the guests as they feasted.

Houston Schweitzer presided as Toastmaster of the program which included: Invocation, Vernon Chambliss; "Receiving Our Guests," Betty Joe Simpson, Junior Class President; "In Response," B. F. Tunnell Jr., Senior Class President; songs, "In an Old Fashioned Garden" and "Moon-

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SCOUTS GATHER FOR EGG HUNT

Boy Scouts and Cubs representing approximately one hundred and twenty-five members of the Northeast District embracing Floydada, Lockney, and Matador, gathered here Sunday to participate in the second annual egg hunt staged by the Matador Lions Club.

The hunt was held in U. L. Wille's pasture, south of his home, and netted the lads around \$13.50 in cash prizes. 100 eggs were marked with 5 cents; 70 with 10 cents and 6 with 25 cents, and these amounts were awarded the boys finding the marked eggs.

TEXAS RANGER WARNS OWNERS CHANCE GAMES

Texas Ranger, W. H. Layin, Matador yesterday afternoon asked the cooperation of the Tribune in notifying all local owners of chance machines that they are subject to felony or misdemeanor charges. Ranger Lay, who is stationed at Wichita Falls, declared that many people operated these machines and devices without knowledge of offense of the law and that all would be notified and fair warning given before charges were filed and machines confiscated. He declared that all devices must deliver some merchandise or service at each operation or be classified as a chance machine and subject to the above penalty. Ranger Lay also declared punch boards which do not deliver merchandise at each operation, to be in violation of the law.

Dorothy Willett In Lubbock Hospital

Miss Dorothy Willett underwent an appendicitis operation at a Lubbock hospital Wednesday, on her return here after having spent Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. Willett had accompanied their daughter to Lubbock Tuesday where she was to have resumed her studies at Texas Tech, but was stricken with an attack of appendicitis, which necessitated the operation.

Short Change Artist Fails To Produce Pays Fine After Arrest And Jail Sentence Here

Clarence Kennemur, 27, was arrested here Saturday after he had attempted to short change Elmer Jameson of Jameson and Son Grocery. Kennemur purchased a package of chewing gum and offered a \$10 bill in payment, then asked for the bill back with the usual attempt at the short change racket. Mr. Jameson did not return more than his customer had coming but called the sheriff's office and deputy sheriff H. H. Courtney immediately arrested Kennemur and a companion who gave his name as I. O. McClendon, 39, who was detained long enough to be fingerprinted. At an examining trial before Judge W. R. Cammack, Kennemur was fined \$25.70, although he possessed only \$18 when searched. He was detained in jail until Monday when he pleaded guilty and produced ample money to pay his fine. Deputy Courtney declared that he had the additional money concealed in his shoe.

The short changer's companion had served terms in both Federal and the Texas penitentiaries. They had both been arrested in many Texas cities for practicing the short change racket, it was declared.

Deputy Courtney declared that Kennemur had "a shoe-ful of money," after he decided to plead guilty.

BOOK REVIEW POSTPONED

The book review of "The Citadel," which was scheduled to be given Friday afternoon, April 22, has been postponed until Friday afternoon, May 6, it was announced early this week.

The delay in presenting the review has been caused by the illness of Mrs. Len Smith of Floydada, who is to give it, under the sponsorship of El Progreso Study Club, for the benefit of the city library.

Those who have purchased tickets for the review are assured that it will be given on May 6, and all who haven't purchased tickets, are urged to do so.

Students Home For Easter Holidays

Easter Holidays meant the home-coming of practically all college students from Matador, and included the following: L. C. Groves, Dorothy Willett and Kathryn Sheats, all attending Texas Tech at Lubbock.

Miss Geneva Cooper and Miss Ernie Boggs, both students at Draughon's Business College, Lubbock.

Fred Lawrence, who is attending Fleming's Business College, Amarillo.

Paul Fulfer, student at Howard-Payne, Brownwood, and Lyman Bundy Campbell, attending John Tarleton, Stephenville.

OPERATION

Miss Lucille Meador, clerk in the office of County Agent Frank A. Buckley, has been absent from her duties since Saturday, when she underwent a tonsil operation at Traweek Hospital here. She returned to work Wednesday.

CANDIDATE IS HERE

James O. Cade, candidate for congressman, 18th District of Texas visited Matador yesterday in interest of his campaign. Mr. Cade's home is in Potter county.

Dr. Hyman Bear of Richmond, Va., has a collection of 237 model bears, ranging in size from a life-sized animal-cracker bear to a life-sized one of papier-mache.

County Case Worker Goes To Waco Meet Mrs. Rita Groves Attending 3-Day 1938 Conference

Leaving Matador yesterday, Mrs. Rita Groves, Motley County Welfare Worker, is attending the 1938 Welfare Conference Institute being held in Waco, today, Friday and Saturday. The extensive program of the Institute was started with an opening address by Governor James V. Allred yesterday afternoon, who used as his subject, "Texas' Responsibility To Its People." Many of the greatest welfare and social workers of the county will lead the discussions according to the program issued for the meeting. Mrs. Groves declared that she expected to attend all sessions and especially those which would include the problems of this county and community. The sessions start at 9 a. m. and continue until 10 p. m. during the three days.

Dr. Knapp Has Place On Program

Dr. Bradford Knapp, President Texas Technological College, Lubbock is listed on the program for a session Saturday afternoon.

Funds for Mrs. Groves expenses were provided by the Matador Child Welfare Association, the Matador Chamber of Commerce and the Matador Lions Club.

The training and advice received at the conference institute is considered very valuable to case workers and it was estimated that every county in the state would be represented during the three day, annual program.

Scout's Hut Is Completed

The Boy Scout's hut, sponsored by the Matador Lions Club has been completed and is now ready for occupancy according to Elmer Stearns, chairman of the finance and building committee. The hut, located at the west edge of the Matador City Park, is of rustic appearance, being covered by log slabs, and resembles an attractive log cabin. A large fireplace is located on the west side of the building and will afford Scouts the pleasure of an open fire during the winter meetings. The building is finished attractively in detail and is completely paid for, despite some increase of cost in the original plan.

Every member of the Lions club has had some part in paying for the meeting house according to announcement made at the regular meeting of the organization Tuesday.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS PLAY

A large crowd attended the Senior Class play, "It's Papa Who Pays," which was presented at the Matador high school auditorium Tuesday night. The audience enjoyed the lively action and sustained interest of the three act comedy and professional manner in which it was presented. Although exact figures have not been compiled, it is believed box-office receipts totaled in the neighborhood of \$50. The next play which is also to be presented by the Seniors, will be offered Tuesday night April 26, at 8 o'clock. It is entitled "Everybody's Crazy" and is declared to offer a treat to play-goers.

The play "It's Papa Who Pays," was directed by B. F. Tunnell and Bert Ezzell.

UNDERGOES OPERATION

Judge and Mrs. W. R. Cammack are in receipt of word this week advising them that their son, Cecil who is connected with a law firm in Fort Worth, underwent an appendectomy in a hospital there. He is reported progressing satisfactorily.

Quarantine Ordered From Hog Cholera Panhandle Counties Under Ban By State Livestock Commish

Motley county is included with 19 other west Texas counties placed under quarantine because of hog cholera in this area, according to information received from the Livestock Commission of Texas by County Judge W. R. Cammack, Saturday. The quarantine went into effect April 15 and will remain in force until released by the commission. The order, in part, follows: "You are hereby notified that the Livestock Sanitary Commission has ascertained that hog cholera is epidemic within the following described district: Parmer, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Bailey, Lamb, Floyd, Motley, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Gaines and Dawson counties and this epidemic is the direct result of the movement of sick hogs from various states and counties within the state and public sales yards.

Quarantine Is Declared

Therefore, under authority of law, a quarantine is hereby declared upon all premises within the above rescribed district prohibiting the movement of hogs into said district from any other state or county within the state excepting hogs consigned to recognized slaughtering establishments having municipal or Federal meat inspection for immediate slaughter."

While local hog raisers believe the ban will affect market conditions but slightly in this area, much concern is being shown in the quarantine. Judge Cammack has a complete copy of the quarantine order.

CROSBYTON HOG MARKET IS OPENED

Appearing elsewhere in the Tribune is the announcement of the Peyton Packing Company, Inc., of El Paso, which opened a hog market at Crosbyton, Mr. O. J. Barron, representative of the firm who was in Matador yesterday, declared that the same prices are being paid for hogs in Crosbyton as in Fort Worth, without the loss in shipment which is expensive to hog raisers. He said his firm offered the best hog market in the state of Texas at Crosbyton and that sales were advancing rapidly.

He also declared that his market was not affected in any way by the quarantine over 20 west Texas counties, since his firm bought only for slaughtering purposes and is a recognized slaughtering establishment, having Federal meat inspection.

BOB ROBERTSON IMPROVING

L. B. (Bob) Robertson, local businessman, who was confined to his bed with pneumonia Monday, was declared by his physician to be improving yesterday afternoon. Mr. Robertson had been suffering with a severe cold for several days before the pneumonia symptoms developed.

GO TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. George Spears, together with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Massey, left Monday morning for Oakland California, where they will spend the summer with Ulos Hamlin, brother and son respectively of Mesdames Spears and Massey.

Before returning to Matador in the late summer, the party plans to make a trip into old Mexico.

Claud Wilson of Sweetwater was a business visitor here Monday and Tuesday of this week, transacting business for the Sweetwater Sash and Door Company.

State Farm Agents Survey Work Here

Easter Crowd Fills Church Sunday Night

Attendance at the concert Sunday evening at the Methodist church here when a portion of the Chanters, college chorus of McMurry College, Abilene, presented a musical program, exceeded the seating capacity of the church auditorium and resulted in many being forced to stand throughout the services. The group, on a week's tour of Panhandle cities, is under the direction of Mrs. Gypsy Ted Sullivan Wylie.

From its repertoire, the Chanters chose selections including some of the following: The Messiah, and Largo, by Handel; Blessed Jesu, by Dvorak; Sanctus, by Gounod; Bohemian Girl, by Balfe, Negro Spirituals; Anvil Chorus from Il Trovatore, by Verdi, and Pilgrim's Chorus from Faust, by Gounod. The girls' trio and girls' sextet presented numbers, and soprano soloist, Joye Arey, sang Alleluia, by Mozart. Olivia Eastus sang L'Armour Toujours, by Herbert, and Miss Eastus and Josephine Palmer sang a duet from Madame Butterfly.

The personnel of the group for this trip includes Martha Ansley, Dumas; Olivia Eastus, Lavada Raynes, Mollie Frank Touchstone, Aileen Hardin, Sue Campbell, Joye Arey, Sarah Collins, Virginia Long, Dorothy Walker, Fred Keathley, Leonard Johnson and Joe Rucker, all of Abilene; Josephine Palmer, Loraine; Libby

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TO ANNOUNCE ALLOTMENTS IN COUNTY SOON

Acreage allotments of cotton and other crops to be planted on farms in this county are to be announced in the near future according to Frank A. Buckley, County Agent. Speedy action on the acreage allotments is assured by the presence in the state office of the county agent, assistant, and members of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee. Frank A. Buckley, county agent, Jack O. Bradshaw, assistant, and W. L. Rushing, chairman of the county committee left for College Station Monday morning their plan is to be on hand when allotments are being established so that all delay may be eliminated and possible clerical errors may be immediately corrected. It is estimated that acreage allotments will be available to Motley county farmers at least thirty days in advance of the date which would have been possible by correspondence alone.

The work of taking late work sheets, making splits and combinations, checking Bankhead records, and compiling crop acreage and production figures has been proceeding rapidly in the county office for some time. The work sheets covering 670 Motley County farms with all information complete were transmitted to the state office at College Station Thursday of last week. On the previous day they had been checked for completeness and accuracy by J. Lynn Mauk, field representative.

LOCAL BANK CLOSED TODAY

The First State Bank here will remain closed today in observance of a legal holiday, being San Jacinto Day. Many Bank officials of this section are meeting in Plainview where the South Plains Bankers Association is holding session.

Buckley's Office Wins Praise For Extreme Efficiency

George Adams, assistant state agent, and K. J. Edwards, district agent of the A and M College Extension Service, spent most of Thursday last week inspecting field work and office routine of county agent Frank A. Buckley. A short tour was made by these authorities to view some of the outstanding conservation practices as applied to Motley County farms and ranches. They were accompanied on the tour by W. R. Cammack, County judge, W. I. Rushing, Chairman, of the county committee, and Buckley.

Places visited by the group included the "syurp-pan" terracing demonstrations of U. L. Wille, M. L. Patton, W. I. Rushing, J. E. Jameson, Elbert Reeves, L. B. Archer, Sample and Springer, and C. B. Whitten. The visitors were deeply impressed by the unusual interest in water conservation displayed by Motley County landowners as well as by the magnitude and effectiveness of the unique methods adopted. Recognition was given the valuable service rendered by the county agent in planning and supervising the extensive program of terrace construction which has been in progress during the past three seasons.

A visit to the huge Hackberry dam was another interesting feature of the tour. Built by the Matador Land and Cattle Company as a watering place for cattle, the dam is thirty-five feet high and contains 16,000 yards of earth.

In passing upon the organization and routine of the County agents office, Adams complimented its extreme efficiency and suggested only minor improvements which are being put into effect immediately.

MRS. F. FULFER IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Fred Fulfer, who has been in ill health intermittently for a number of years, was conveyed to a hospital in Abilene, Sunday, upon advice of local physicians for treatment following a recent lapse of condition.

Mrs. Fulfer was accompanied by Mr. Fulfer and by two sisters, Mrs. Jim Edmondson of this place, and Mrs. Hyatt Price, of Amarillo, who, with Mr. Price, arrived here during the week-end.

A communication received by Mr. Fulfer Tuesday, advised that his wife was responding to the treatments satisfactorily.

ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton (Red) Titus of Las Vegas, Nevada, announced the arrival in their home, of a daughter on April 14, 1938, named Carol Edith. She weighed 7 pounds and 3 ounces. The proud father is well known in this vicinity, having been reared at Flomot, and being a former Matador grid star.

BUYS SERVICE STATION

Bennie Cox, well-known here, who has recently returned from California, completed a transaction with Farris Fish last week for the FFF Service Station which Mr. Fish has been operating in connection with the Chevrolet motor car agency. Mr. Cox has changed the name of the station to the Gulf Service Station and will handle a complete line of gasolines, oils and greases.

IMPROVING

Mrs. D. A. Fulkerson, who underwent a major operation in Quannah Memorial Hospital last Wednesday, is in a much improved condition, according to word received by Mr. Fulkerson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fulkerson and family drove to Quannah Sunday, and were accompanied home by his father.

Loans Are Available

AMARILLO, Texas.—Rural rehabilitation loans are available to farmers in this region whose crops have been damaged or totally destroyed by the recent freeze. L. H. Bragg, regional director of the Federal Security Administration, has announced that rehabilitation loans are made by the Federal Security Administration to finance the purchase of necessary farm supplies, such as seed, fertilizer, feed, household equipment, and dry food and clothing for the family.

Active borrowers must meet requirements established by the loan section. Borrowers give a note and mortgage on personal property, on the land to be bought with the loan, and

on his coming crop. A loan will not be made unless the borrower's farm plan shows that he can expect to produce enough cash income to pay off the debt. The loans bear five percent interest a year.

Farmers interested in obtaining full information about rehabilitation loans are requested to contact the rehabilitation supervisor for his county. Information may also be obtained from the county agricultural agent or the local public welfare office.

No Conflict In Social Security And Old-Age Pay

AMARILLO, APRIL.—No deductions are made from a worker's Social Security account, established in connection with the old-age insurance program, for payments

to the individual under a State unemployment compensation law, Dewey Reed, manager of the Amarillo office of the Social Security Board, announced today. Reed said he has been correcting this mistaken impression among some workers who have visited his office recently.

"It should be clearly understood," Reed explained, "that out-of-work benefits from the State unemployment compensation agency come from a fund established by contributions from employers covered by the State unemployment compensation law."

"On the other hand, old-age insurance is a program administered by the Federal Government, and benefits to a worker accrue on the basis of wages from covered employment credited to his social security account. The fact that he receives unemployment compensation under a State law in no way affects his Federal social security account. The worker's wage credits remain on government books until his account is finally closed by death," Reed said.

STARS AND BARS ON U. S. COINS



For the first time in the history of this nation the Stars and Bars of the Confederacy appear on a United States minted half dollar. A replica of the Confederate flag appears on the commemorative half dollar issued by the U. S. government to commemorate the 75th anniversary of the Battle of Gettysburg and the final reunion of the surviving veterans of the war between the states. The coins, limited to an issue of 50,000, sell for \$1.65 each. They are available through the Pennsylvania State Commission, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania.

holidays.

Misses Pauline Martin and Katalyn Humphries of Amarillo, spent the week-end here with relatives.

Miss Eloise Martin is visiting relatives in Vernon.

Miss Faye Mayes spent the week-end with home folks in Paducah.

(Delayed)

Messrs and Mesdames A. K. Wilkinson and H. M. Murphy, and Miss Willena Wilkinson visited relatives in Littlefield and Lubbock Tuesday and Wednesday.

Several from Whiteflat attended the Fat Stock show at Plainview Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Messrs G. M. Acker, F. M. Casey, T. M. Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Chas Harris, Clarence Mitchell and Mrs. E. P. Humphries attended the Regional Singing Convention at Memphis Sunday before last.

Mrs. Cecil Burnam, who visited relatives here recently, has returned to her home in Lubbock.

Mrs. J. D. Morris returned Tuesday of last week from Amarillo, where she had visited her nephew, Jeff Morris.

Miss Wilma Pool returned recently from Arizona, where she spent the winter months.

Jack Willis of Lubbock was here Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Carlisle and Mrs. L. R. Browning were shopping in Plainview recently.

BIG ROUND-UP...

Earl Gilson, parade wrangler for the annual Pioneer Day Celebration at Guymon May 1 and 2, is now rounding up floats for the one or two day parade and has been assured one from Dalhart. Again this year, he said, attractive prizes are offered to the communi-

ties or floats that best represent the era, period or individual they propose to represent.

—The Dalhart Texan

WELL?

Many parents regard colleges as little more than country clubs whose academic pursuits cannot be permitted to interfere with the social life and extracurricular activity of students, Dr. Thomas H. Briggs of Columbia University, New York, told educators attending the conference of the Southern Association of College and Secondary Schools Thursday at the Hotel Adolphus.

—The Dallas Morning News

FIRST OF MANY—

This is not a fish story—T. D. Mosely game warden in

this district caught a six-pound, four-ounce black bass yesterday morning at McSpadden's lake southeast of Canyon.

—The Amarillo Daily News

"LOOK UP, LOOK DOWN"—Motorists in Wichita Falls Monday must begin looking up and to the right to see stop signs.

Installation of 50 of a new type traffic control device was proceeding rapidly during the day, Police Chief R. M. Hurst reported.

—Wichita Daily Times

A tooth belonging to some prehistoric animal was unearthed this week on the Guy Bumpas farm northeast of Wellington, by Mr. Bumpas and Lawrence Woodward of Duncan, Oklahoma.

—The Wellington Leader

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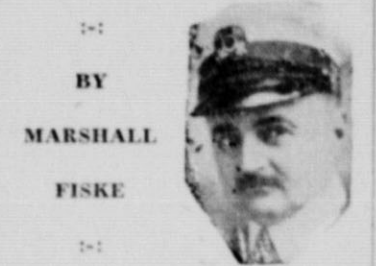
Miss Lois Rister, teacher in the Roby school, spent the week-end here as guest of her sister, Miss Pauline Rister. Harry Campbell made a business trip to Fort Worth the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Hinson and children of Calgary, visited here Sunday with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Groves, and other relatives. Miss Kathryn Sheats, Texas Tech student, visited with relatives in Dallas during Easter holidays. She was accompanied here from Lubbock by Ralph Nance, also a student at Tech. Mr. and Mrs. Mose Damron, teachers in the Alexandria school near Tulla, spent the week-end here visiting relatives and friends. Miss Dorothy Fulfer, who is employed at Lubbock, visited here Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fulfer. Mr. and Mrs. Claud Groves and baby son of spur, visited relatives here during the week-end. Mrs. Nolan Fulkerson and young son Jerry, of Brady, are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Tipton. Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bird and son of Midland, visited here this week with their respective parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis King accompanied Mrs. Tom Spears to Plainview Saturday, to meet Mr. Spears who is employed at Lockney. Miss Tommie Tudor who has been employed in Washington, D. C. for the past three years, arrived here Monday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Annie Tudor. Miss Maisey Reeves, who teaches school in Dallas, spent the Easter holidays here with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Reeves, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pipkin and baby of Paducah visited here Sunday with relatives. A. B. Echols, accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ollie Echols, left Wednesday for a business trip to Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Dell Tudor and small daughter of Fort Worth,

visited here this week with his mother, Mrs. Annie Tudor. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Vinson and son Furman, of Lubbock, former Matador residents visited friends here during the week-end. They also visited relatives at Flomot. Miss Zona Beth Faulkner spent the week-end with her parents at Childress. F. G. Collier, field representative of the Spur Creamery, was a business visitor in Matador Thursday. H. G. Bizzell, Burroughs Adding Machine representative from Lubbock, transacted business here Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hodges were transacting business in Lubbock Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Claud Harp and daughter Dorothy Jean and Mrs. Bob Echols and daughters Dorothy, and Mrs. Raby Webb, were Lubbock visitors last Wednesday. Mrs. George Birchfield and Mrs. Pat Sheridan were among the ladies who accompanied Mesdames G. S. Craven, Arvel Craven and L. J. Barkley to Lubbock Wednesday of last week. Visitors here during the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Farris Fish, were Mr. and Mrs. Chas Guy and children, and Dr. and Mrs. Sam Dunn and children, all of Lubbock. Postmaster E. F. Springer and Mrs. Springer, with their daughter Sara Frances, left Friday for a short visit in Port Isabel. Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton, with their daughter, Mrs. Alvin Stearns returned Tuesday evening from Dallas, where Mr. Patton received treatment for a skin infection on his lip. Mrs. Elmer Stearns and daughter Frances, Mrs. A. L. Fryar and Mrs. Claud Harp and daughters, Dorothy Jean and Elizabeth Ann, were among those from here who attended the district track meet at Childress Saturday. M. I. Haskins, formerly of Matador, has returned here from Royalty, Texas, where he has been employed for the past two years, and will be employed at the Mag-

nolia Cafe where he started his duties Saturday. Mr. Haskins is an experienced cook and will be on the night shift here. He occupied a similar position with Bob's Cook Shack at the time he left here to make his home at Royalty. Mrs. Haskins will probably move here within a short time to join Mr. Haskins.



ANCHORS AWEIGH



One often hears the remark made by thoughtless travellers, "Oh, museums are all alike—when you have seen one, you have seen them all. A lot of historical junk, stuffed birds, animals, pictures and things like that." The National Museum in Mexico City is, however, a great exception to the average, non-script museum. Here one sees a collection of Indian Idols and other things of great importance, that is truly unsurpassed. The contents of this museum fall into three great divisions: Archaeology, Ethnography and History. The most important of these is archaeology. From the street, through an open doorway, one sees the museum's most famous object, the so-called 'Calendar Stone' also known as 'The Stone of the Sun. As one walks through the arch-

The SNAPSHOT GUILD "BACKGROUND" TROUBLE



IN YOUR snapshots of people, do you ever run into "background" trouble? That is, do the backgrounds in your pictures tend to attract more attention than the persons in them? This is the case in a great many amateur snapshots, and the reason is simple. Many snapshotters concentrate all their attention on the person or persons they are picturing, and forget that there is a background. But the camera doesn't forget—it obediently takes in everything at which it is pointed. The background is just as important as the person in a picture, and should receive just as much attention. Particularly does one need to take care that the background is not obtrusive, and does not "steal the show" from the person pictured. In the summer time, the "worst offender" in backgrounds is spotty foliage, such as trees or foliage with light shining between the leaves. Backgrounds of this sort tend to show up as strong black with blotches of strong white, and prove quite distracting.

John van Guilder

of the year. Also planets, stars, sunrays are in evidence as well as V-shaped bands which indicate the cardinal points, and serpents, symbols of time itself. Chronology of the Aztecs— That the Aztecs were indebted to the ancient Mayas for much of their astronomical erudition, there is no doubt. According to Aztec chronology (also like the Mayan) there were 20 days in each month, and 18 months in the year. Five extra days were added towards the close of the year—days of ill-repute that were to be glossed over, practically ignored. A cycle consisted of 52 years. At the expiration of this cycle every one broke up their household furnishings, put out their hearth-fires. All was woe, for might not this be the end of the earth? Then a torch was lit on high—this was the awaited signal from the priests that the doleful populace were anxiously expecting. Great was then their joy—new household furnishings were gathered together their hearth-fires were again re-lighted, the Gods had given them a new lease on life for at least another 52 years—hence all this jubilant celebration. Second only to this 'Calendar Stone' is

The so-called 'Stone of Sacrifice': This beautiful monolith of antiquity is cylindrical in form with carvings on top and about its curved surface—that the hapless victims were placed on it and their hearts torn from their breasts.

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Rather is it a glorious stone monument commemorating the victories of the seventh Aztec prince, Tizoc, in the 15th century. On the top surface the carving resembles the Calendar Stone very much. The sides of this stone cylinder contain carvings showing warriors in combat, etc., with explanatory glyphs to denote their various tribes. These are scenes from battles in which the Aztec Prince was victorious. On the top of this stone one sees a circular depression in the center and a groove leading from it towards the edge. This cut was no doubt made by someone who wished to destroy it—either an enemy priest or else a workman who wanted to cut the stone into smaller pieces for building purposes. This stone, however, withstood their onslaughts and the would-be destroyer gave up long before he had accomplished his purpose. This would account for this groove which some had misconstrued as a groove to carry away the blood filling the central receptacle. This gave it its false name of "Stone of Sacrifice". In this central depression was probably placed incense or else a human heart still palpitating and smoking, which had but recently beaten in a human breast. But the stone itself was not used for this purpose. The real stone of sacrifice, however, one sees not far off. It is a huge slab of stone slightly convex. Such a one would be, by its general configuration, the logical base upon which these victims would be sacrificed. God of War & Moon Goddess— The two largest monoliths in this Hall are the hideous God of War (Huitzilpochtli) a bi-sexual monstrosity in stone to whom untold thousands of human sacrifices had been offered, and the Goddess of the Moon found in Teotihuacan (an hour's journey from Mexico City). This Goddess is extremely old—thousands of years—just how many, no one knows. The carving on it has been worn smooth by the devastating agents of rain, sun and wind during these many centuries that have elapsed since its construction. In spite of it all, she has been to a beauty parlor, she has withstood these ravages of time very well. In An Alcove: The Cross of Palenque— At one end of the Hall of Monoliths, in the National Museum, Mexico City, is a small enclosed space, an alcove, in which stands a group of carved antiquities that deserve a passing word. Foremost, is the Cross of Palenque, reconstructed from pieces carved in low relief from the Temple of the Cross at Palenque, the state of Chiapas (southern Mexico). Here one sees a tree-cruciform shape under which are seen two priests evidently making offerings of some kind. This is highly prized possession. The Queen of Uxmal— Nearby the Cross of Palenque one sees a remarkable head of a so-called "Queen of Uxmal." It is noted on account of its tattoo markings on the face. The manner of decorating the face with tattooing was in vogue in far away Polynesia and Melanesia in the South Seas. Could these ancient people who carved this head be known of this far-away custom or was it a mere coincidence, its similarity in design? Who knows? The Atlanteans— A row of small squat female figures with arms upraised is seen in this enclosure too. Originally they were used in architecture to uphold a slab of stone, mesa. Now-a-days these figures would be considered as carvatures. They were called Atlanteans on account of the theory that the Mayas were a marooned remnant of the submerged continent of Atlantis. (To Be Continued)

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Roaring Springs News

ring a Dish Club met with Mrs. L. Thompson on Wednesday last week. A delicious dinner was served to Mesdames Duff Green, M. E. John Smith, Bertie Gipson, A. Stearns, J. R. Thacker, Mrs. Garland Murphy, Lucille Gresham. After the ladies visited and worked on their needlework. A good report by all.

Miss Georgina Bourland, W. L. McWilliams of visited Mrs. A. Freeman L. E. Cooper Thursday.

Mrs. W. A. Campbell and business in Spur Thursday.

Bertie Gipson and Mrs. attended the funeral of Haney at Afton Thursday.

son of Mr. and Mrs. Schran has been very sick somewhat better.

Glady, Ester and Ruby Abilene and Joe and Carolyn of Levelland visited over the week end.

E. Butterfield of Iowa visited in Roaring Springs afternoon.

Mrs. Homer Jackson Saturday from Quannah Mrs. Jackson received treatment.

C. Bristow and J. D. made a business trip to Monday.

Mrs. E. B. Bowen of spent Saturday night in of Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Paddock returned from Sunday night after called there Friday serious illness of his

Spanish Onions" will be given Friday 22 by the senior class Springs High School.osalind Mitchell who is a business college in visited her parents Sunday.

C. Bristow and Ezra made a business trip to Monday.

ance at the League was Monday night. A very im-

pressive program was rendered. The League welcomes Mrs. Homer Kingery as the new sponsor. We feel sure she will be interested and dependable. We were very glad to have some new members Sunday night and invite others to meet with us each Sunday night at 7:15.

—Reporter

A letter with one hundred fifty signatures was sent by air mail to Dr. J. F. Hughes, Athens, Alabama Saturday inviting him to return to Roaring Springs.

Mrs. S. J. Brazelton is reported to be improving in a hospital at Quannah.

Mrs. Glenn Fuller, who has been nursing Mrs. Will Smiley, has returned home.

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Naugle made a business trip to Spur Monday.

Mrs. G. M. Kingery has returned from a visit to Arkansas. A number of friends and relatives visited her Sunday where the children of the party enjoyed an Easter egg hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter were honored Sunday on their twenty-first wedding anniversary with a dinner in the home of her mother Mrs. M. E. Turner of the Flag Springs community. A number of friends and relatives enjoyed the occasion.

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the parsonage Monday afternoon. After a business session an interesting program was given. Mrs. Bertie Gipson gave the devotional on Soil Erosion and Human Erosion after which Mrs. A. Freeman led in prayer. An interesting discussion of The South Today. The next meeting will be at the church Monday afternoon.

Roaring Springs And Afton METHODIST CHURCHES
Eugene L. Naugle, Pastor

Our Quarterly Conference met at Afton last Sunday. Bro. Bowen, the presiding elder, brought a message on the meaning of Easter and the cheer and happiness brought to the world by the Resurrection of Christ.

At the noon hour, a real feast of good things to eat was spread. Everyone seemed to enjoy that part of the affair.

At the business session, in the early afternoon, reports were received from the various departments of the church work at both points on the circuit.

Following this the Chanters of McMurry College of Abilene rendered a thirty minute program of

songs. These young people with their leader, Mrs. R. B. Wylie are on a tour of the Panhandle of Texas. This program was heartily enjoyed by all present.

The following persons from Roaring Springs attended the sessions of the conference: Mrs. M. E. Keahey, Mrs. Bertie Gipson, Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Campbell and Marjorie Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim and Elizabeth and Lula Mae, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vaughn and Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Naugle.

Buzzie Thacker and Lindell Roberts went to Floydada Saturday where Lindell received treatment on his eyes.

Mrs. J. D. Green and Mrs. Garlin Murphy went to Lubbock over the week end to visit in the home of Mrs. Murphy's parents.

Mrs. Lola K. French is visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. J. C. Collett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Quinton spent Sunday in Olton visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Doc. Paté went to Dickens Monday to visit her mother, Mrs. M. C. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Garlin Murphy attended the program rendered by the McMurry Chanters at the Matador Methodist Church, Sunday night.

Roaring Springs is to have a new business concern in the near future. Mrs. Lola K. French is planning to open a cafe in the Cooper building next door to the post office. The new enterprise will be called "the Springs Cafe."

In the District Interscholastic Meet at Childress last Saturday, Elwanda Godfrey beat all comers until she met Emma Williamson of Kirklard.

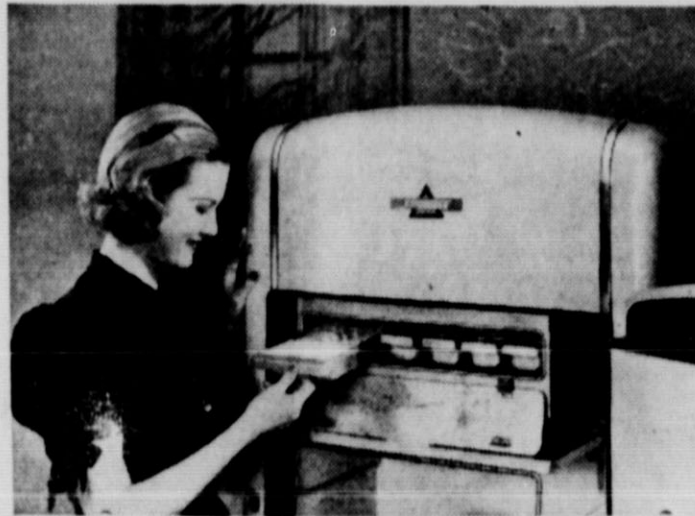
On Tuesday, Roaring Springs boys played Elomot in play ground ball to the tune of 7-2. The landslide came when Matador Grade School went down before Roaring Springs 45-10. Roaring Springs took one defeat by a narrow margin when White Flat Junior High was victor 18-15.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday School 9:45
Preaching 11:00
A. L. Dennis, Pastor.

Things Must Happen At The Baptist Church
Our Easter Program went over fine and all present felt a deep conviction of the reality of the death, burial and resurrection of our Lord.

Yes, things must happen. With

When It's Hot It's Cold ...



Friends of M. S. Thacker of the Thacker Supply Co., Roaring Springs, have been remarking about the change that has come over him.

"Like a kid with a new toy," they say, and although it's a factory from a toy, the thing in which he is so interested is as intriguing as any of those modern talking, walking, squawking mechanical contraptions that bring shouts of glee from youngsters.

"But there's nothing mechanical about this," he tells you. "It has no moving parts or machinery to get out of order, and it's almost like magic, the way it makes ice from oil heat."

Right! It's a refrigerator. Not

an ordinary refrigerator, yet not a new idea, he will tell you, but a new model of the modern kerosene-burning refrigerator for the last ten years has been bringing delight to so many rural residents—even those who live miles from other conveniences.

"Do you wonder that I am enthusiastic?" he asks as he handed us this photograph of the sleek, new model. We don't! Would you.

Of course, it's the refrigerator we're talking about, not the young lady "model" shown beside it—but she's passing fair, too, don't you think? And not so cold—even if she is demonstrating the large ice cube and dessert-freezing capacity of the refrigerator.

a fine choir and our crowds increasing each service and with a faith that will take no denial we are bound to win. If you like a good rich spirit-filled service in which you can feel the power of God, come to church next Sunday at the First Baptist Church. The subject for the morning hour is "Do I Need A Savior?" Sunday school at 10 A. M.; B. T. U. 7 P. M.

We can always count on Jesus. Can he count on you? Have you prayed today?

The Girl's Auxiliary met at the Baptist Church Monday afternoon. Two new members were added.

Rev. H. C. Bristow, Pastor.

Mrs. Allen Murdock and baby of Hobbs, New Mexico, and Mrs. Harry Downing of Wink, visited their mother, Mrs. P. E. King, here, recently.

Mrs. D. G. Wilcoxson and daughter, Bernice, Misses Bose and Nina Kineson, Mrs. C. C. Matthews, Mrs. Nell Vaughn and Messrs S. F. Simpson and Boon Simpson transacted business in Childress Wednesday.

Miss Rheta Tate and Mrs. Mollie Brown of Childress, visited relatives here during the week-end.

Mrs. Thelma Knight of Matador spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Berry.

Mr. D. G. Wilcoxson and daughter, Bernice, transacted business in Turkey, Monday.

Vast Quantity Clothing And Food Placed

Relief clients of Motley county received over \$10,000 worth of surplus commodities during 1937 according to Mrs. Rita Groves, county welfare worker. Mrs. Groves, whose records include some very dramatic and interesting figures and reports, declared that at one time almost one third the entire population of Motley county had made application for relief benefit in some form. However, conditions are much changed from those dark days and at present there are only 155 families certified for WPA benefits and employment and only 14 families dependent entirely upon the county for support.

The surplus foods distributed in 1937, according to Mrs. Groves' reports, were as follows: 11,484 pounds fresh apples; 570 dozen eggs; 4,999 pounds fresh grapefruit; 1,690 cans of grapefruit juice; 3,075 pounds dry-skimmed milk; 1,647 cans evaporated milk; 279 pounds rolled oats; 2,000 lbs. onions; 1,665 pounds fresh pears; 1,540 pounds dried peas; 6,840 lbs. potatoes; 4,351 pounds dried prunes; 1,311 pounds rice grits; 3,004 cans vegetables. Total retail value of foods \$4,138.62.

Surplus clothing included: clothing, children, 1,715 units; clothing, infants, 1,221 units; clothing, men and young men, 1,271 units; clothing, men and women, 1,146 units; comforts and quilts, 94; pillow cases 176; sheets, 86; miscellaneous articles, 281. Total retail value of clothing, \$6,784.15. Total retail value of food and clothing, \$10,922.77.

WANTED: One Good Referee—
In Football Parlance, Messrs. Hitler and Mussolini are carrying the ball right through the line while we are still in the huddle. Herr Hitler makes a gain; while we democratic nations get our collective heads together to see what happened and what to do about it, halfback Mussolini goes around end for another 10 yards. And so on, ad infinitum. —"Ed-Aches"

—The Dalhart Teran

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WEST TEXAS COLUMNIST WRITES AN "AD" ABOUT THE DISCOMFORTS

POINTS and PERSONALITIES

by doris pope

(It is through the courtesy of the Hamlin Herald that we are permitted to reprint the following article, written by that paper's able columnist, Doris Pope, which appeared in a recent issue of the Herald. We are deeply indebted to her for so accurately describing the after-effects of this spring's unusual storms.)

Now with everything at our finger tips with just a click of a switch, we are inclined to take too much for granted. However, there are times when we are forced to stop and think what a world it would be without such conveniences—you know, we kinda' get a taste of the "good old days" that we hear dad and grand-dad talk about. That's what happened to Hamlin folks Saturday afternoon when the electric current was dead from 2:10 until 5:40.

Low, gray rain clouds made lights almost a necessity in order to carry on business, so when the current went off, the sale of candles increased a thousand per cent. We stayed in the dry goods stores awhile observing the effect of candle lights, and it struck us as rather amusing when people grabbed a bolt of material, a pair of socks or some other merchandise and ran to the front door, holding the article up and squinting, trying to see what color it really was—just like in the "good old days." (Maybe that will account for some of the terrorizing colors people are wearing.)

And the poor kids, how they did miss the Saturday afternoon picture show! It's really a shame that they didn't have some stereoscopic parlor pictures to look at like ma and pa had—back in the "good old days."

We wandered over to two of our beauty

shops and found dozens of women and girls draped on the floor, chairs and stools, literally sticking their heads in the fire to dry that new wave set. That reminded us that back in the "good old days" grandma didn't shampoo her hair in the winter or in rainy weather; she just rolled it up on curlers.

We noticed the barber shops also felt the lack of electricity. You know back in the "good old days" they weren't bothered with all those little electric gadgets 'cause grandpa just turned a bowl down on pa's head and started cuttin'. The finishing touches were accomplished with the old blue and white shaving mug and razor.

We stopped in to see how the drug stores were making out with their Frigidaire motors stopped and their candle light. Somehow or other they didn't seem too happy about it. Now we could rave on and on about this, but what's the use? Printing presses were stopped, bank machines halted, in fact, there wasn't a business house in Hamlin that did not feel great lack of electricity. And when the current finally did come on after three and a half hours, people gave whoops and hollers that made the Indians back in the "good old days" look like sissies. (No charge to the West Texas Utilities Co. for this spiel.)

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 23, 1938

For Governor: Bill McCraw

For State Representative, 121st District: R. A. Harp Bob Alexander, re-election

For District Judge 110 Judicial District: Kenneth Bain Alton B. Chapman, re-election

For District Attorney, 110 Judicial District: Winfred F. Newsome John A. Hamilton, re-election

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

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: L. A. Carlisle, re-election

For County Clerk: Jack Robinson, re-election R. A. (Dick) Seay

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UNDER PRESSURE

CHAPTER XVI

At the first crossroads they were lucky enough to get gas and the poor old flivver, faithful to the last, limped into Toluca a little before noon. Abandoning it in a side street to avoid unnecessary complications, they walked to the San Carlos and before long were feasting on crystal trout fresh from the Lerma and certain equally famed accessories. More than once they raised their eyes to look at each other across the table, then dropped them because their hearts were too full of content for words.

But the moment the meal was over Dirk said without warning, "Joyce, will you marry me? I've got to know."

"Yes, Dirk. When?"

"This afternoon. As soon as we get to the city."

"Oh? Why wait till then?" asked Joyce.

But Dirk was in no playing mood.

"Because there's no American consul in Toluca," he answered gravely.

"Does there have to be a consul?"

"Either that or some authorized officer from the embassy. Any preacher in good standing can do the trick, but the presence of an American official as witness is what makes it legal at home."

"I see," said Joyce slowly; then she raised her eyes to his face.

"Dirk, I'm yours. I'll do whatever you want me to."

He reached out to lay his hand on hers. "I love you, Joyce."

"And I love you, Dirk. Is that why we must hurry so? You'd think it would make us willing to wait."

He frowned. "You haven't told me your reason for rushing to Mexico City, but I think I guessed it."

"To attend to General Onelia," said Joyce, also frowning.

"I thought so," said Dirk, "and that's why we're going to marry today. When you take on Onelia or the ambassador or any other small fry I want a right nobody can dispute to be in the ring—to sit in your corner."

She smiled. "Again I love you, Dirk."

Going out in search of the finest car available, he walked on air. He was glad to be alive, glad to be relieved of the strain of driving and to sit in the back with his arm around Joyce, both of them wrapped in the same rug. Arrived in the

city they drove straight to his little house and from her first glimpse of its exterior to the last long look within Joyce was conscious of pleased wonder and a steadily increasing sense of well-being. Here was a nurtured loveliness, unpurchasable in bulk, individual to the core yet with arms held wide to all devotees of good taste. She was happy in this house. Even Pablo, masking amazement, all but choking on suppressed joy at the return of his missing master, seemed of its warp and woof.

"What about a hot bath to start with?" asked Dirk.

"Splendid," she answered quickly, then her lips drooped. "I haven't anything to put on."

"Don't worry," said Dirk. "Search the world and you couldn't

find a costume more becoming than what you're wearing to a person of your particular looks, size and adorable build."

"Silly-head!"

"I can furnish you a soft shirt for a blouse and by the time you're ready for them the jodhpurs will have been brushed and pressed as sweet as a flower."

He turned to Pablo. "Pablo, this is the senorita Joyce Sewell, from whom you may

take orders as coming from myself, only more so. Give her into the charge of Paulina. As for the rest, I leave it to her since she talks Spanish better than either of you."

Dirk had not dismissed the hired car and without bothering to inform Joyce or even waiting to wash his hands he started for the embassy proper, passing the chancellery by. The great iron gate was opened by a strange porter but the man on the door was an old friend.

"Good afternoon, Antonio."

"Buenas tardes, Don Deerke," cried Antonio, excitedly, "buenas tardes, buenas tardes!"

"Is the ambassador at home and awake?"

"Si, senor; como no?"

"Tell him a Mr. Van Suttart would like to see him. Be sure you give the message just as I say it."

As they entered the vast living room the ambassador himself emerged with a rush from his study, stopped and stared. "Well!" he gasped. "I'll say you came on the run!" His eyes moved up and down. "Haven't you changed those clothes since you left?"

Dirk glanced downward ruefully, then looked up and grinned. "I admit it's pretty bad, sir, especially since I come as a private citizen."

"What do you mean? I haven't fired you yet?"

"I was merely anticipating," said Dirk, looking around.

"What are you hunting for?"

"Two things. A chair with a washable cover and a drink."

"Forgive me, my boy. Sit anywhere you like; there's nobody to kick about it since I'm a grass-widower from a week ago till the Christmas holidays. I'll ring for your usual. Come on, now; what's on your mind?"

"I'm here for assistance, sir. I want you to help me marry Miss Joyce Sewell of La Barranca this afternoon."

The ambassador collapsed into the nearest chair and groaned. Then they talked—talked as only two men who possess an identical background can talk. The rapid fire of questions and answers covered not only Dirk's absence but swept from such broad considerations as his ancestry for three generations back, down to the trifling matter of his present private income in dollars and cents with salary omitted. Yet there was no confusion. When they got through there was nothing either of them didn't know about the inner and outer workings of Dirk Van Suttart.

"Let's see where we stand," said the ambassador, summing up. "You want to marry Miss Sewell. Well, she's certainly of age as far as that operation is concerned, so stopping you by getting her stepmother to stop her is definitely out. Then you state you can't wait even to telephone your people because of the urgency of securing Onelia's aid, because what they say wouldn't make any difference anyway, and finally because they're probably in Europe." He scowled. "The first of those three reasons is what's bothering me—trouble heading straight this way."

"You needn't worry on that score," said Dirk. "As a matter of fact, sir, Miss Sewell emphatically doesn't want the aid of this establishment. She says she can get along a whole lot better without it. Her idea is that ever since embassies have been run for trade and to hell with the trader they've become mere stumbling-blocks to the pro-

ceed—also a constant pain, an eyesore."

"Eh?" exclaimed the ambassador, astonished; then he asked with genuine solicitude, "Are you sure she's quite all there?"

"Quite," said Dirk confidently. "The truth is, sir, I'm inclined to agree with her. Give her a chance and she'll make a monkey out of Onelia—which is more than we have ever been able to do."

"Dirk—I'm calling you Dirk because I want you to think of me as sitting here in place of your father—in less than two weeks this girl has managed to do extraordinary things to your mind, so much so that I beg you not to trust it until you've taken advice from someone capable of judging her with impartial eyes."

"I agree to that," said Dirk promptly. "What about yours? Do you think they would be impartial?"

The ambassador frowned, then smiled. "All I can say is I'd try my best to make them so. When can you bring the paragon around?"

"Don't think me impertinent, but there isn't time for that. Besides, since she has nothing but riding clothes she might find it embarrassing."

"I take it you're inviting me to your house," stated the ambassador.

"Yes, sir," said Dirk, "and I'd be a lot more humble about it if you hadn't waived your ambassadorship to act as my father."

"That's a bull's-eye," conceded the ambassador. "Let's go—the quicker the better."

"Do you mind if I have a wash, sir?" begged Dirk. "I mightn't have time later on."

"Help yourself; you certainly need it and you know the way."

Dirk washed all he could reach without undressing, then paused long enough to do some important telephoning; consequently several minutes elapsed before he found himself in the ambassadorial car and only then did he feel a first twinge of trepidation. Almost an hour had passed since he had abandoned his prospective bride without warning. How would she react to such cavalier treatment? How to the surprise he was about to spring on her? Absurd as it might appear, what Joyce thought about anything seemed to him a lot more important than what the ambassador was going to think about Joyce.

Even so he was in for a shock, for the moment Pablo opened the closed door of the living room and stood back that his master and his master's chief might pass they crashed in upon an astonishing scene. Before them, back to the door and with hands thrust in her breeches pockets, stood Joyce in an unmistakable posture of battle. Beyond, a veritable lioness of a hatless woman not only in appearance but by virtue of her roar, paced

the room from side to side. Words were tumbling out of her in an unceasing and reverberating rumble, yet Joyce's voice, accurately pitched, could cut across it quite clearly without apparent forcing.

"It's no use, Margarida," she was saying. "You can yell all you like but you're here and you're going to stay. Try to get out and I'll ride you down the block. That's why I've kept on these clothes."

"Joyce, please!" cried Dirk in an agonized voice; then he collected himself and faced the older woman.

"Licenciada Margarida Fonseca, may I present his excellency the ambassador of the United States?" He laid his hand on Joyce's shoulder as she turned. "Chief," he half gulped, "this is Joyce—Joyce Sewell."

The ambassador found himself looking into as straight and blue a pair of eyes as he had ever seen—eyes of a blue that at the moment was almost black. He took a hand cool to the touch, slender, yet amazingly firm, and the next instant a current of courage and the will to fight swept up the length of his arm straight to his heart. He had a feeling the eyes into which his own were plunged were telling him, not altogether absurdly, that if ever he got into trouble he knew from now on where he could come for help.

He wanted to laugh or cry. "My dear," he heard himself saying after quite a pause, "I think we might all sit down."

"Of course," said Joyce, flustered, looking doubtfully at Margarida.

At that moment Pablo advanced with outstretched arms. "What brings you here, if you and people?"

"I don't know," said the ambassador, glancing around in a hazy manner. "I really don't know. I came in answer to a message from the man who caused us so much trouble, brought about my downfall, established my reputation, time as a prophet. Is that right?"

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During the last two years, NYA youths and the operation of the National Health Unit at Sweetwater made health registration for school children in the helped the county nursing, ducting vision tests in the schools, and have received munization tests results.

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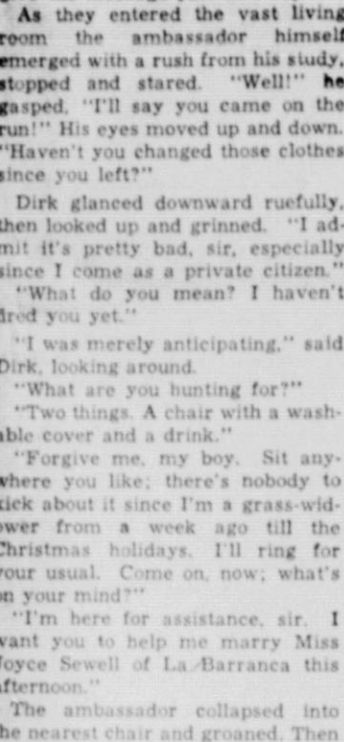
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city they drove straight to his little house and from her first glimpse of its exterior to the last long look within Joyce was conscious of pleased wonder and a steadily increasing sense of well-being. Here was a nurtured loveliness, unpurchasable in bulk, individual to the core yet with arms held wide to all devotees of good taste. She was happy in this house. Even Pablo, masking amazement, all but choking on suppressed joy at the return of his missing master, seemed of its warp and woof.



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MATADOR LIONS TO HAVE PART LUBBOCK MEET

Matador Lions Club will have a 15 minute part at the district convention to be held in Lubbock May 8, 9 and 10, it was announced by secretary Randall Whitworth at the regular meeting of the local club held in the basement of the Methodist church Tuesday. Matador will be allotted 15 minutes of the program Monday, May 9, Lion Whitworth declared.

An exceptionally large number of members attended the luncheon meeting Tuesday as result of the attendance drive conducted by the two Craven brother's teams Lion Hook Craven's "Goats" outnumbered his brother's sheep by a wide score, it was disclosed after roll-call.

The program, sponsored by Lion J. D. Craven consisted of a short address on "Convention News" by Lion Henry Pipkin, who had made extensive preparations for the speech. An address by Lion Henry Weldon on "The Moral Code", in which he compared the Lion moral commandments with the Ten Commandments of the Bible, was greatly appreciated by his audience.

Several Honor students of the Matador schools were guests of the club.

Announcement was made that the Matador High School has challenged the Lions club in soft ball, and athletic chairman, L. R. Bishop was instructed to accept the match.

Juniors-Seniors . . .

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light and roses," Virginia Estes; Address, "Enlightenment," Supt. B. F. Tunnell; special music, Miss Mabel Jameson, Keith Patton and

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Elmer Gene Jameson. The menu, prepared and served by girls of the Home Economic department, under the supervision of the teacher, Miss Zona Beth Faulkner, consisted, in disguise, of fruit cocktail, baked Cornflower, Marigolds, Chrysanthemums, Sweet Peas, Dusty-Millers, Buttercups, Poinsettias, Lillies, Daffodils and Tea Blossoms. The girls who served were attired in old fashioned costumes made of crepe paper in flower hues, with matching saucer-design hats. They were Tom Nell Darsey, Marion Clements, Lela Carpenter, Russell, Mary Ola Tipton, Evelyn Lee, Wandell Berryman and Myrnavee Barkley.

Members of the senior class, and other guests who attended the banquet, were: W. T. Boggs, Joe Campbell, May Dell Canon, Frances Carlson, Dan Darsey, Buddy Davis, Stuart Dixon, Louise Edmondson, G. W. Fulfer, Juanita Fulfer, Thurman Fulker, Eugenia Garrison, Modena Graves, Donald Groves, S. M. Guthrie, Jean Harp, Ruth Hill, Bernice Hill, Viola Jameson, Grace Kimbell, E. D. Lawrence, Rhenard McCary, J. C. McMahan, Mary Beth Martin, Malcolm Morris, J. C. Murphy, Bernadene Nelson, Helen Phillips, Truett Rattan, Maurice Reilly, Jack Robinson, Elmerine Russell, Charlie Scalf, Fred G. Simpson, Dud Stafford, Claude Spray, Curtis Taylor, Tom Tilton, Inez Titus, B. F. Tunnell Jr., Mable Turner, Corine Wilkinson, Elva Rhea Willis, Boyd Willett.

Supt. and Mrs. B. F. Tunnell, (Senior class parents), Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Terrell, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ezzell, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Campbell (junior class parents), Hugh C. Gray, Kathleen Sparks, Miss Pauline Rister, Miss Mable Jameson, Keith Patton and Elmer Gene Jameson.

Juniors: France Barton, Louvaine Barton, Vernon Chambliss, James B. Coover, Charles Durlap, Bob Echols, Bill Eggleston, Virginia Estes, Harold Faulkner, Chloey Fulfer, J. W. Hough, Kara Hunsucker, Jimmie Lee Irby, Jodie Jameson, Orval Latimer, Mabry McMahan, Delora Markham, Houston Schweitzer, Betty Jo Simpson, Estell Stafford, Opal Vivian and Doris Whately.

Easter Services . . .

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Faust, Gallup, New Mexico; Marian Marlin, Pauline Marlin, accompanist, Odessa; Virginia McRaie, Alamogordo, New Mexico; Lola Tate, Buffalo Gap; Warren Morton, Millsap, J. C. Wilson, Wylie; Frank Martin, Memphis; Joe Boyd, Paducah; and Carl Patton, Spur.

Other Services Attended
The community sunrise Easter services which were held in the city park Sunday morning, were well attended and included songs by the choir, and an impressive Easter message delivered by Rev. H. M. Weldon, pastor of the First Baptist Church here.

Infant baptismal services were held at First Methodist Church here Sunday at the morning hour, by the pastor, Rev. D. D. Denison, for Robert Moore Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, Jack Calvin Bradshaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bradshaw, and Dorothy, Frances and Frank children of Dr. and Mrs. Albert Traweck Jr.

New Fire Fighting Equipment Is Here

The Matador Volunteer Fire Department has received its new fire-fighting equipment which was purchased with funds received through the presentation of a play "The Red Spider", last month.

The equipment consists of 100 feet of small leader-line hose and a special nozzle, which will prevent excess water damage in the case of small fires. Fire Chief Clay Gilbert declared it is the most modern and practical equipment for a department the size of Matador. The old hose will be carried on the fire truck in the event of larger fires which require a greater volume of water.

Small Blaze Monday

The fire department was called Monday afternoon after a trash fire at the Shorty's Service Station had gotten beyond control. No damage resulted altho waste oil and rubbish ignited endangering the building until brought under control by the firemen. The fire alarm did not sound because of a blown fuse in the switch-box, Tom Harris, water-works superintendent, declared.

OLD BIRD NEST IS FIRE PROOF

An old bird nest found in a barn on the premises of Johnny Vauhn in north Matador, by Brooks Callaway last week is attracting considerable attention, on display at the Tribune office. Ordinarily a last year's bird nest will attract no more attention than a politician at this time of the year but this is not an ordinary bird nest which Mr. Callaway removed from eaves of the barn. It is constructed almost entirely of wires, nails, small bits of tin and mesquite thorns, woven with a few twigs. Much speculation as to the variety and temperament of the bird which built the nest has been expressed, but the majority of opinions agree that it is typical of the common sparrow.

One local man avers that the nest was built during the drought of 1935 and that the bird could not find enough straw with which to construct a nest.

Cars Collide West Of Matador Sunday

Two automobiles figured in a collision two miles west of Matador Sunday afternoon in which four people received minor injuries, including bruises and lacerations. Jack Certain, accompanied by Mrs. M. A. Holder and Miss Eva Frank, all of Santa Fe, New Mexico, were in a Ford sedan struck by another car driven

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by E. D. Cloud, who also received some injuries. Mr. Cloud, who was accompanied by his wife, teaches school near Dimmitt and was on his way home at the time of the accident. Mr. Cloud's car is declared to have skidded into the path of the other machine. The four injured in the accident were treated at the Traweck Hospital here.

Attend Funeral Of Aunt At Quanah

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Green and daughters Maxine and Betty, attended funeral services for Mr. Green's aunt, Miss Frances El Myra James, 64, at Quanah, Texas, Wednesday of last week. Miss James, aged retired nurse and one of Quanah's first citizens, died here Monday at the Quanah Memorial hospital.

Rev. Frank Taylor, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, assisted by Rev. P. P. Lewis and Rev. I. A. Smith, conducted the services and interment was made in the Quanah cemetery. Survivors include three brothers and one sister.

Miss Jones was a native Texan, born in Denton county, going to the Quanah area before Quanah existed. She had lived there for the past 54 years. Her father, R. N. James, moved to the prairies of West Texas in 1884, which was two years before a town was established in that vicinity and a year before the surveying of the Fort Worth and Denver railroad. He was the first county commissioner in Hardeman county.

RELATIVES AT FUNERAL THUR.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ford were called to Sweetwater Thursday due to the sudden death of Mr. Lambert's brother-in-law, W. M. Hodges, 56, pioneer of that place. Although Mr. Hodges had been in ill health for several years due to a heart ailment, his death came unexpectedly following a pronounced improved condition and two of his children who had been called to his bedside previously, were on the eve of their departure to their homes when he succumbed.

Besides his widow, who is Mr. Lambert's sister, Mr. Hodges is survived by two sons and two daughters, namely, Willis Hodges of Wink, Texas, Mrs. Homer Rucker of Odessa, Texas and Mrs. Marvin Gilliland and Carol Hodges both of Sweetwater. Also attending the funeral from here were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Seigler of the Seigler ranch.

FATHER LOCAL RESIDENT DIES

Dr. James Newton Haney, 73, of Afton, father of J. W. Haney, local Gulf Refining agent, died in a sanitarium at Lubbock about 3:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, April 13, 1938, after an illness of several weeks. He had been a patient of the sanitarium for several days prior to his death.

Mr. Haney had been a resident of Afton since 1916. He is survived by five sons, Dr. E. L. Haney of Ralls, J. W. Haney of Matador, B. S. and T. B. Haney of Afton, and B. R. Haney of Hot Springs, N. M.; three daughters, Mrs. Ora Thacker, Mrs. Raymond Brown and Mrs. R. H. Gray all of Mount Pleasant, Texas; and 10 grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Haney and daughter Zenobia, of Matador, together with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Haney, of Duncan Flat community attended the funeral services which were held at the First Baptist Church

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of Afton Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by the pastor, Rev. A. P. Stokes, H. L. Dennis, Church of Christ Minister, of Matador, assisted. Interment was made in the Afton cemetery with the W. H. Lindsey Funeral home in charge.

DELEGATES AT CONFERENCES

Delegates from the First Methodist Church here, who drove to Sudan Tuesday to attend annual church conference of the Plainview District in a two-day session, included the pastor, Rev. D. D. Denison, with Mrs. Denison and their son James Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Jameson and Judge G. E. Hamilton.

Others from here who attended the conference Tuesday, returning home that evening were, W. F. Jacobs, Knox Jameson, Mrs. A. J. Daffern and Mrs. F. G. Simpson.

Dr. T. W. Brabham, president of McMurry College, Abilene, visited here Monday night as guest in the home of Judge Hamilton, continuing to Sudan Tuesday to attend the conference.

Women To Snyder

Attending a three-day session of Women's Missionary Societies meeting in annual conference at Snyder, this week are Mrs. C. A. Pitts and Miss Mable Jameson who left Tuesday as representatives from the local Methodist W. M. S.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

The all-day Easter program which was held at this church Sunday was well attended and the Sunday School attendance reached the highest peak thus far, with 81 present.

Revival services which have been held during the past two weeks came to a close with the evening services.

A cordial welcome is extended to all, to join us in our regular services each Wednesday and Saturday night, and on Sunday and Sunday night.

TONSILS REMOVED

Mrs. A. P. Hodges, operator at the Modern Beauty Shop, had her tonsils removed on Tuesday.

Mrs. Solon Lea, owner of the shop has been absent from business for the past several weeks due to ill health, and Mrs. Hodges' absence left only one operator, Mrs. Noble Groves, in charge during the first of the week. However, Mrs. J. J. Cooper, who is in charge of the Modern Beauty shop at Roaring Springs, is assisting Mrs. Groves in the Matador shop for a few days.

Faculty Re-elected At Patton Springs

At a meeting of the Patton Springs School Board, Monday night Supt. O. C. Southall of Patton Springs was again re-elected for another year. The Board also decided to elect 12 teachers at this time, of the Patton Springs faculty. The question of how many teachers the school may have is never definitely known each year until the transfer period has ended. The State Dept. advises all state aid schools not to employ quite all of the teachers until such time as it is definitely known exactly how many the scholastics will permit under the state aid regulations. None of those elected have as yet indicated acceptance.

Supt. Southall is completing his fourth year in the system and a number of the faculty have also been in the school the same length of time. The Patton Springs school was recently recommended to receive 2½ additional units of affiliation. The school is in excellent financial condition.

VISITS HERE

Miss Elizabeth Ann Putnam

of Fort Worth, Texas, a former teacher in the Matador schools, arrived here Thursday of last week and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Harp until Saturday, when she went to Beaton to visit Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan.

Miss Putnam returned to Matador the first of the week and was accompanied on her return trip home, by Henry Pipkin Mrs. Harp and small daughter Elizabeth Ann, accompanied them to Wichita Falls, where they visited relatives, returning to Matador Tuesday evening with Mr. Pipkin.

SEVEN TURKEY WOMEN HURT

TURKEY, Texas.—The overturning of a car in which they were returning from Amarillo late Wednesday afternoon resulted in severe injuries to seven Turkey women.

Mrs. Tede Blackshear, driver of the car, was the most seriously injured. She received a broken leg and numerous cuts and bruises. Joe Jean Fort received a fractured skull and other cuts about the face. Lyda Coleman received minor bruises. Others in the car who escaped with minor bruises were Mrs. Clynn Brock, Mrs. O. D. Coleman, Mrs. Opal Posey and Miss Blanche Hedrick.

The accident occurred a few miles west of Silverton when a tire blew out and the car overturned three times.

—Wichita Record News.

DARSEY-HALL

Miss Louise Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hall of Matador, and Mr. J. W. Darsey of Brownfield, Texas, formerly of Midland, Texas, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, April 16, 1938 in a ceremony performed at Lubbock, Texas, where the young couple will make their home.

Mrs. Darsey graduated from Matador High School in the class of 1936 and later attended Draughon's Business College, Lubbock. Mr. Darsey is a prominent young man in the employ of the Gulf Research Co., at Lubbock. The many friends of this young couple join in wishing them a very happy married life.

HENRIETTA SHUCK CIRCLE IN MEETING

The Henrietta Shuck Circle of the Baptist Missionary societies met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Arvil Craven with seven ladies present. The sixth chapter of Mark was discussed by Mrs. H. S. Watson.

Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames Elbert Seigler, J. D. Craven, Elbert Reeves, Jack Edwards, Bill McCaghen, H. S. Watson and the hostess.

Poultry Flocks Aid Farm Profits

Now is the time for all good farm women to come to the aid of their homes by early planning for their poultry flocks, according to Mrs. Juanita G. Butler, Home Management supervisor for the farm security Administration who

works in Childress, Cottle and hall counties. Mrs. Butler, thinking in particular, about those women in the cooperating with the Farm Security Administration.

Through rural rehabilitation loans obtained from this agency, and with the help of county and home management supervisors, scores of farm homes are finding ways to improve their health and the health of their families, and add to the income by development of a "LIVE AT HOME PROGRAM."

"One of the surest ways to the family income," Mrs. Butler says, "is to produce a poultry flock. Mrs. Butler discourages her cooperators getting baby chicks until they have adequate housing and proper feeding methods and management.

Booklets and expert advice on poultry production, she says, can be obtained from the county extension agent's office. The works in close harmony with extension service and the aid to farm families in any way Mrs. Butler says she has many farm women cooperate with the FSA who have met a great deal to the income and general well-being of the production and care of flocks. Often profits from the help retire the loan obtained through this agency. In many cases try profits are used to purchase furnishings for the home, for the children and for the entire family.

BRAZIL AT FAIR

NEW YORK—Planning is not less than \$1,000,000, New York World's Fair. Brazil has signed a contract for 48,000 square feet of space.

Mesdames Arvil Craven, Barkley and G. S. Craven, latter's little granddaughter, Ann Craven, were Lubbockers Wednesday.

There is now the tale of a man who vanished until his rotting body was sewed inside the trunk of a cow floating against the Pecos.

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Menu

SUNDAY, APRIL 24

SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNER

Choice Of

Tomato Juice or Shrimp Cocktail

Choice Of

Baked Ham; Champagne Sauce

Broiled Fillet of Haddock

Small Broiled T-Bone Steak

Lamb Chop, Hawaiian Style

Pear and Cheese Salad

Fresh String Beans, New Potatoes

Fresh Fruit Ice Cream

LUNCH

40¢

Short Lunch

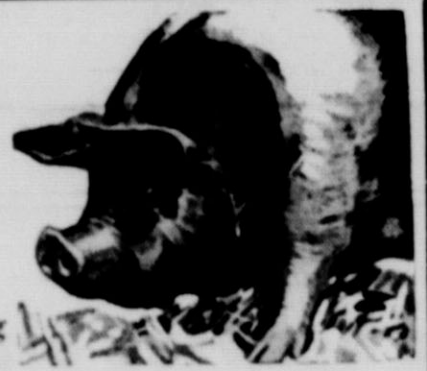
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