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## RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR



Behind the brittle bars of my friend used to plan his trips as a vagabond to the corners of the world he did not know. He would talk of the enjoyment of tiny islands of white sand and turquoise water, of green and blue jungles crowded with adobe and riches; of the great sand dunes, bordered by the scented peaks. His wife listened in silence as she rolled biscuit dough on the table and soon lifted a pan of hot bread from the oven. The aroma of coffee soon assailed the enticing smell of biscuit.

The conversation would melt in the temptation and needed the small hand of his son to lead to the table and reality.

Operation followed the frothy that dropped like sintered about the small candle of life and the fear of futurity deeded into an obsession. He had the barren branches of dead wood listened in vain for the fruit, and dug in the extended mines where others had found treasure. Fortune laughed as he lowered buckets into wells.

On Sunday night he married a girl like a sleeper who takes the extra fatal from the cornice of a lofty dream. During the subsequent he learned to rock the cradle deep while a child cried behind him. Responsibility jumped from him in the cool mountains of hope for milk that he could buy. He witnessed the erection of a small white cross to a tiny mound of earth. His day became thin and gray. He will always find poverty in his cup, but a soothing draught with contentment.

Why can not be analyzed to measure the extent of its position is it possible to measure narcotic effect produced when administered to lagging?

Whether sanctuary shelters the before birth lacks none of the before to which the spirit returns after quietus.

It changes our estimation of life, but it is difficult to consider certain presumption of being denied after paying the price of a saddle horse from a man stable. The difference between a bridle path and a cow path is twenty years and a dollar more.

Personally I am convinced that possession of land represents an investment. Every day it presses print more bonds and money, but there is no method to measure the present supply of the farms.

Considering the accepted distort which modern women are being to endure in order to remain to acquire a slender form, the man is aided in understanding feminine motives of more nature tribes. However, he will have difficulty in tracing reasoning that prompts a man to partake of rich and fattening foods, then cry as she grieves in the grasp of a new regime.

Small beetles with gleaming eyes look each other along the narrow path far below the mountain peak. They dart swiftly to the distant night like restlessness in the marsh, each with a mission to fulfill; each with a mission still unchallenged.

Most of the mistakes I have made were the result of following the advice intended for someone else.

From the vial of experience it is wise to pour enough extract to cover the anticipation of tomorrow.

## Coach Martin Conducts Grid School Here

### Successful Season Is Predicted For Football Squad

Twenty-four boys are attending the football training school this week, according to Coach Don T. Martin, who is conducting the school, assisted by Wilmer Greene. Workouts are being held twice daily on the local football field. Skull practices are held in the gymnasium.

Possibilities for one of the most successful seasons in Matador football history are strong, stated Coach Martin. Fourteen lettermen from last year's players will be back, and practically all the boys in the training school have had two or more years of playing experience.

Climax of the training period will be a scrimmage game to be played in Quitaque Friday afternoon.

### Play In Crowell

The Matadors will officially open the 1940 season when they meet the Crowell squad in Crowell Friday night, September 13. Local fans are urged to make plans to attend this first game and to boost the local players thruout the season.

Other games to be played are Sept. 20, Olton, here; Sept. 27, October 4, Crosbyton, here; October 11, Spur, there; October 18, Turkey, here; October 25, Ralls, here; November 1, Silvertown, here; November 8, Floydada, here; November 15, Lockney, there; November 21, Paducah, there.

## Death Claims Aged Resident

Mrs. Dora Mooneyham, 70, of Roaring Springs passed away Sunday morning, at 12:40 o'clock at the family residence. She had been in ill health for several months and had been confined to her home during the past two weeks.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church, Afton, Sunday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock and burial was made in the Afton Cemetery.

Mrs. Mooneyham had lived in Roaring Springs for ten years, having moved there from Afton. She leaves many friends who join with the relatives in mourning her passing.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Ernest Ashley and Mrs. Leslie Peak of Afton; Mrs. Howard Osborn of Portales, N. M.; and Louise Mooneyham of Roaring Springs; two sons, Fred Mooneyham, Afton; and Joe Mooneyham, Roaring Springs.

## NFLA ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HERE SATURDAY

Members of the Matador National Farm Loan Association will meet at the Motley County Courthouse Saturday at 2:00 o'clock for their 22nd annual meeting. M. S. Patton, Secretary - Treasurer, stated today.

A free chuck wagon barbecue will be given for members and their wives at the City Park at 5:00 o'clock.

Many who are not members of the NFLA but who are interested in the continued progress of the cooperative farm mortgage system are assisting in making plans for the meeting. Among those persons and firms are J. Rufus Emmons, County Agent, and Farmers' Co-Operative Gin, and Walter D. Coulson, County Rural Rehabilitation Supervisor.

### MOVE TO CARLSBAD

Mr. and Mrs. Stafford Forbis of Afton left Tuesday for Carlsbad, New Mexico, where they will make their future home. Mr. Forbis will be employed by a potash company.

An enemy once enlightened me to the fact that a gentleman cannot be insulted except by another gentleman.

## ACA Payment Applications Are Complete

### Will Be Paid To All Farmers Using Soil-Building Plan

Two hundred and fifty applications for the 1940 Agricultural Conservation payment are complete and awaiting the signature of interested producers, according to Lowell Shabutt, A. A. Administrator. These applications represent farms for which the full soil-building allowance has been earned thru soil-building practices carried out in 1940.

The soil building allowance for each farm is calculated on the basis of 55 cents for the non-allotted acreage on each farm plus 10 cents per acre on the pasture land. The allowance may be earned by carrying out approved soil-building practices.

On most of the farms where the entire payment has been earned, soil-building practices have included contour farming, contour listing, terracing, tank dams, and the cultivation of forest trees.

On farms where it has been indicated that sweet sorghums or sudan would be left on the ground as a cover crop, credit may be given for this practice at this time if the crop has been chopped down with a stalk cutter or dug down with a harrow. Otherwise, it will probably be six weeks or two months before credit may be given for sweet sorghums or sudan left on the land.

## First Meeting Child Welfare Will Be Held

First meeting of the Child Welfare Association will be held at the Matador Grade School Wednesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, according to Mrs. A. C. Trawick, Jr., president. It will be a social meeting and all parents, teachers, and other persons interested are urged to attend.

Mrs. G. E. Hamilton will begin the program with piano selections. This will be followed by a talk, "Suggestions for the Year's Work" by Mrs. Albert Trawick, who will also discuss with parents and teachers other Child Welfare projects suggested at the close of her talk.

Mrs. Harold Jones, chairman of luncheon committee, will give details of a project to be undertaken by the WPA to provide free hot lunches for underprivileged children.

At the close of the program, refreshments will be served.

## Street Dance To Be Sponsored By Fire Department

The Matador Fire Department will sponsor a street dance here next Monday night, beginning at 9:00 o'clock, according to Fire Chief Roy Smith.

Billy's Melody Five, well-known string band from Wichita Falls, will furnish music. The group appears on Station KWFT daily from 11:00 to 11:30 o'clock.

Mr. Smith declared that the dance will be held in a roped off space in front of the City Hall. Admission prices will be 75c for men and 25c for ladies. Proceeds will be used by the fire department to purchase equipment and to help defray other expenses necessary for up-keep of the fire station.

## EMMONS BABY IS RELEASED FROM INCUBATOR

Jimmy Emmons, infant son of County Agent J. R. Emmons and Mrs. Emmons, now 8 weeks old was released last week from the incubator in which he was placed at birth, in the All Saints Hospital Fort Worth.

Altho he has increased in weight from 2 pounds to 4 pounds and 5 1/2 ounces, he will be kept in the hospital a week or two longer, it was stated.

Mrs. Emmons is staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Bates, in Fort Worth until the baby is permitted to be removed home.

**NEW TEETH AT 80 YEARS**  
Mrs. Arthur B. Duncan, beloved pioneer of Floyd county, announced recently that she has two new teeth. They came in, in the upper and lower jaw, where two of three teeth pulled, were out. She has all of her other natural teeth.  
Mrs. Duncan was 80 years of age February 4. She is in fairly good health, having almost recuperated from an illness last fall and winter.

## First Aid To Be Taught By Edgar Guest

### Highway Department Will Sponsor Two Courses For Public

Two first aid courses will be conducted here, beginning Monday, September 16, according to David Guest of the State Highway Department in Matador, who will conduct the classes.

Twenty lessons will be taught, continuing at two lessons each week until the courses are completed. Classes will be held at night at the courthouse. Further announcements regarding definite time will be given in next week's edition of the Tribune.

### Red Cross Approval Given

The standard and advanced courses are sponsored by the State Highway Department with the approval of the Red Cross. Mr. Guest conducted a similar first aid school in Dickens last year.

Any person interested in attending the classes should notify Homer Sheats, County Chairman of the Red Cross, in order that necessary books might be ordered. Fifteen persons have signed up for the courses.

## FOUR-H CLUB MEMBERS BEGIN CALF PROJECTS

Boys in the Four-H Club began feeding calves this week as club projects during the next several months, according to County Agent J. Rufus Emmons.

Donald Reeves, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves, is feeding three calves from his father's herd. Bill and Bob Rushing have purchased six calves from the herds of J. C. Burleson, Elbert Reeves and Curtis Martin.

J. C. Welch of Flomot recently purchased a calf from the Northcutt herd of Briscoe County, and Raldo James is feeding two calves bought from Bob Martin and Curtis Martin. Curtis Martin Jr. will enter two calves from his father's herd in the contest to be held next spring, when the Four-H projects will be judged.

### May Borrow Money

Mr. Emmons stated that an agreement has been made with the First State Bank in Matador whereby boys may borrow money to purchase the animals. A five per cent interest rate will be charged.

Four-H Club members who plan to start calf projects should do so within the next two weeks as delay will be a disadvantage to late beginners.

## PATTON SPRINGS EX-STUDENTS TO PRESENT COMEDY

Ex-students of Patton Springs High School will present a three-act play, "Billy's Goat," at Patton Springs tomorrow night. The performances will begin at 8:30 o'clock, and admission charges will be 10c and 25c. Proceeds are to be used to help build a community recreation park on the former site of the Afton school.

The cast includes Howard Richey, Maxine Slayden, Lorell Hill, Clarice Hughes, Elda Havens, Freddie Middlebrooks, Pete Hughes, Tommie Bridge, Jim Tom Haney, Jack Woods.

The public is invited to attend the performance.

Mrs. Calvin Holcomb of Midland is spending this week visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Fort.

## Patriotism Is Theme Tuesday At Lions' Meet

### Club Plans To Send Extra Delegate To Annual Convention

"The American flag stands for two things—liberty and freedom," declared Dr. J. F. Hughes in an address to the Matador Lions' Club Tuesday at the Methodist Church. "It costs more to defend our flag now than in any other time in United States history. The American Legion has always stood for preparedness and will defend our flag and the things for which it stands," he continued. "In spite of several wars in United States history, the flag has never met defeat."

Lion Henry Pipkin was in charge of the interesting program which was of a patriotic theme. Other speakers included B. F. Tunnell, whose talk was entitled "Citizens." He stressed the importance of the flag as an emblem.

Elmer Gene Jameson was guest speaker of the club and spoke on "Boy Scouts." Two enjoyable vocal duets were given by Ernestine and Annette McWilliams, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams.

### Plan Is Presented

Secretary J. R. Whitworth presented a plan to the club whereby a Lion other than the official delegate would attend the annual convention of Lions' International to be held in New Orleans next July.

Under the scheme, a "circle" would be formed with all members interested contributing a certain amount of money each month to a fund to be used to pay the delegate's expenses. Members of the "circle" would then draw to determine who should attend the meeting.

### Guests Attend

Guests of the club at the Tuesday luncheon were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McWilliams and daughters of Whiteflat, Judge Marshall Formby of Dickens, state senator-elect, Wendell Watson and Lonnie Stearns, both of Lubbock, Mack Jacobs, Elmer Gene Jameson, and Miss Kara Hunsucker.

## Cotton Loan Rates Given

Commodity Credit Corporation has announced loan rates on cotton produced this year which is tendered as collateral for loans, according to W. I. Rushing, Chairman of the Motley County Agricultural Conservation Association.

Cotton placed in approved warehouses by cooperating producers will be eligible for 9.38 cents per pound on middling 15-16 inch staple in warehouse at Roaring Springs. Middling cotton with a staple length of 13-16 inches will be valued at 9.28 cents per pound, middling 7-8 at 9.13, middling inch cotton at 9.53, middling inch and one-sixteenth at 9.88, middling inch and three-thirty-seconds at 10.08. Corresponding loan values are set-up for other different grades and classes of cotton.

All cotton to be placed in the loan must be classified by a Board of Cotton Examiners of the United States Department of Agriculture and have this classification memorandum or Cotton Classifier's Certificate of the Department of Agriculture. A charge of 15 cents per bale will be made for classifying the cotton.

## SCHOOL WILL BEGIN MONDAY AT WHITEFLAT

Whiteflat school students will enroll Monday morning, according to Superintendent C. G. Rankin. They will be dismissed at noon, and regular classes will begin Tuesday.

Mrs. Evelyn Moore of Quitaque was elected by the Board of Trustees Friday night to the Whiteflat faculty. She will teach the fifth and sixth grades and high school English. Miss Moore was graduated from Texas Technological College in June.

Other members of the faculty are Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Rankin, Troy Perkins, and Mrs. R. L. Holden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donovan visited friends in Crosbyton Sat.

## Students Begin To Enroll Here Today

### W. O. COX PLAYS IN OIL BOWL GAME MONDAY

### Kenneth Simpson Injured Before Plainview Tilt

North Texas defeated the team from West Texas, 15 to 6, Monday night at Wichita Falls, before a capacity crowd of 9,000 as the third annual Oil Bowl all-star game sponsored by Maskat Temple Shrine was enacted in Coyote stadium.

W. O. Cox, all-district tackle on the 1939 Matador High School team participated in the game in guard position. Other players from this area included George Linder, Floydada, back; and Joe Tyson, all-state back from Lubbock.

### Rain In Third Quarter

It was a strange lid-buster for the high school season. Muggy hot weather accompanied the exhibition and a little rain began falling in the third quarter. But the 44 assembled stars showed remarkable endurance and fitness thru-out.

### Several Persons From Here Attended The Game

### Attend Plainview Tilt

A large delegation of Matador (See FOOTBALL Back Page)

## Advent Of Fall Season Brings Showers Here

The advent of the fall season brought cooler weather and rain to Matador and vicinity this week, Monday and Tuesday a total of 9.1 inches fell here. More than an inch fell in the Northfield community Monday, with scattered showers in Roaring Springs and one-fourth inch at Whiteflat.

Four gins are operating in the county as farmers brought the season's first cotton in to be ginned.

As a result of August rains, some cotton producers in the Matador, Roaring Springs, and Tee Pee Flat vicinities report boll worms. Altho the worms have not damaged cotton seriously, they may do so if rains and damp weather continue here, according to County Agent J. Rufus Emmons.

The best cotton crops are scattered thruout the county, in the Fairview vicinity, the northeastern section of Motley, near Roaring Springs, and west of Flomot.

## Final Service Closes Annual Revival Meet

As the termination of a successful revival meeting, the final church service, conducted by Rev. E. E. White, Superintendent of the Plainview District, was held at the First Methodist Church Sunday night.

Several new members were added to the church rolls both by baptism and by letters from other churches. The meeting had been in progress for two weeks.

Rev. T. H. Browning, pastor of the Cochran Chapel, Dallas, conducted song services and also was in charge of work with the young people and children.

Rev. W. B. Vaughn, church pastor, expressed his appreciation for the cooperation and interest shown during the revival. The two visiting pastors returned to their respective homes Monday.

### VISIT IN NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Seigler and son Bruce left Thursday for a trip to New Mexico, where they visited Carlsbad Caverns and Ruidoso. They continued to Espanola where they visited Mrs. Seigler's brother, Clarence Groves and family.

Mrs. J. A. Groves, who has been visiting relatives in New Mexico, returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Seigler Tuesday.

## Trustees Elect New English Teacher For High School

Students began registering at the Matador High School this morning in preparation for the official opening of school Monday.

The registration schedule as announced by Principal Bert Ezzell is as follows: seniors, today, 8:00 until 12:00 o'clock; juniors, today 1:00 until 4:00 o'clock; sophomores Friday, 8:00 until 12:00 o'clock; freshmen, Friday, 1:00 until 4:00 o'clock.

### Schedules Arranged

Mr. Ezzell urged all high school students to register at the appointed time in order that class schedules might be arranged. Thirty-minute class periods will be held Monday, and students will be dismissed at noon. Regular classes will begin Tuesday.

Principal Vernon Doss announced that Matador Grade School pupils will enroll Monday morning and be dismissed by noon. All-day class sessions will start Tuesday.

### New Teacher Elected

Miss Wyletta Smith of Roaring Springs was elected English teacher in the Matador High School by the Matador Board of School Trustees in a special meeting held by the board Friday. She will fill the vacancy made by the recent resignation of Mrs. Nellie Alexander.

Miss Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, was reared in Roaring Springs and graduated from Texas Technological College with a major in English. For the past three years she has been teaching English in Amherst High School.

### Maintained High Average

Miss Smith completed twelve weeks' work toward her master's degree at the University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado, this summer. In her college work, she has not made any English grade lower than "A."

In addition to teaching high school English here, Miss Smith will be sponsor of the high school paper published each week in the Matador Tribune.

## Martin Dies To Be Speaker At Amarillo Friday

AMARILLO—Revelations about what he terms communistic and fascist activities in the Southwest, among certain movie elements and labor groups on the West Coast, and in the industrial centers of the East are expected to be made by Congressman Martin Dies of Texas, when he comes to Amarillo Friday, September 6 for two addresses. He will tell what he has learned about "fifth column" activities in America.

The celebrated chairman of the House Un-American Activities Investigating Committee will speak at 12:30 in the afternoon and at 8 o'clock at night in Amarillo's renovated Municipal Auditorium.

Admission for the afternoon address will be 50 cents for any seat. At night it will be 50 cents for balcony seats and 75 cents on the lower floor.

## Moving Pictures Will Be Shown

At the Sunday night service at the First Baptist Church two reel pictures on South America mission work will be shown. The public is invited to attend.

"Motion pictures shown in a Baptist church may be 'something new under the sun,'" stated Rev. W. M. Joslin, pastor. "But why not see the Gospel as well as to hear it. Seeing is far more impressive than hearing."

"There will be no charge and no collection other than the regular incidental collection. Services will begin at 8:00 o'clock. There will also be a special music service and a twenty minute sermon by the pastor.

### CHOIR PRACTICE IS ANNOUNCED

Choir practice will be resumed Wednesday night at the First Methodist Church immediately following prayer meeting which begins at 8:15, according to J. R. Whitworth. All choir members are urged to attend.

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

Whiteflat News

Dan Browning and Ida B. Armstrong Harry Armstrong was a Floyd...

and children, Ida B. Steve and Lohrke, were Plainview visitors Saturday.

IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Browning honored their daughter, Royella with a birthday party, Sunday on the occasion of her 8th birthday.

C. C. Nance of Big Spring, accompanied by his niece, Mrs. Jessie Casey, visited during the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Casey.

Mesdames L. R. Browning and D. E. Rattan were recent Quitaque visitors.

Miss Eugenia Tilson returned last week from an extended visit with relatives in Dallas and Waco.

Miss Katalynn Humphries left Friday for Crosbyton to assume her position as teacher in the public schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kimbell and Miss Grace Kimbell of Artesia, N. M., were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Kimbell.

Miss Dan Browning left Monday for a visit with relatives in Roby.

Mrs. Annabelle Boone of Artesia, N. M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kimbell, during the week-end.

Miss Camella Wilkinson left Tuesday for Lubbock where she will attend Texas Tech during the coming year.

Mrs. Coyt Carlisle of Paducah, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Browning, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martin were Matador visitors Sunday.

Miss Faye Mayes of Paducah visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ernest McWilliams and daughters, Ernestine and Annette spent the week end in Dallas with relatives.

Mesdames Maud Dean and W. L. McWilliams attended an Eastern Star luncheon in Paducah on

Tuesday of last week.

Miss Royella Browning celebrated her eighth birthday Sunday with a party. A large group of her friends attended.

J. D. Allen returned Sunday from a visit with relatives near Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Westmoreland of Matador were visitors in the W. L. McWilliams home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jake Edwards of Tyler visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz during the week end.

Miss Ila Acker left the latter part of the week to assume her teaching position in Mt. Blanco. She recently received her degree from WTSTC in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Martin returned home last week from East Texas, where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mollie Price.

Vaccinations Are Advised

AUSTIN—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, in a statement issued in Austin this week, urged all local boards of education to pass regulations providing for exclusion from school of all children not presenting certificates of vaccination against smallpox and immunization against diphtheria.

"School children are exposed to so much infection during the school year that where a definite preventive against a disease is known, parents should be urged to take advantage of this knowledge. Vaccination may save a period of prolonged absence from school, doctor's fees, and even life itself. It is foolhardiness not to require that all school children be rendered non-infectious from the communicable diseases, smallpox, diphtheria, and typhoid, before they start to school this year," Dr. Cox stated.

Because of the fact that authority of school boards to pass such regulations has been upheld by the courts, the Texas State Department of Health wishes to recommend that the various local school boards adopt such regulations, taking further into consideration that such action on their part may mean the difference between a successful school year and prolonged illness, failure in class work, or death.

Examinations Urged It is desirable that parents take the child to the family physician for a physical examination before school opens. Such examinations are valuable in determining the readiness of the child for learning. A child suffering from defects is carrying an extra load, and when the weight of school problems is added, he may become ill, develop serious bad habits, or respond with character or emotional upsets. These examinations, when reported to the school, enable the school to adjust the curriculum to the needs of the child and thus minimize the possibility of failure with its attendant inferiority complexes.

Parent-teacher organizations, the public health personnel, and local medical organizations are strongly in favor of pre-school examinations and vaccination. In this campaign against unnecessary death and disease among the school children of Texas, the State Health Department lends its full support.

Grassland Meeting Held In Amarillo The Southern Great Plains Grassland Conference is being held in Amarillo today and tomorrow. Attending from Matador are County Agent J. Rufus Emmons and Range Inspector Elbert Reeves.

The program will be composed of various discussions and talks concerning range grass. Speakers include R. E. Dickson, Supt. Experimental Station, Spur; Dr. O. S. Aamodt, Bureau Plant Industry, Washington, D. C.; and Dr. W. G. McGinnies, Ecologist, Southwestern Forest and Range Experiment Station, Tucson, Arizona.

CIRCUS ATTRACTION IS ADDED TO FAIR LUBBOCK—Visitors to the Panhandle South Plains Fair, September 30 to October 5, inclusive, in addition to witnessing the \$100,000 Entrada of Coronado as the night grandstand attraction, will be able to view one of the highest class big-time vaudeville and circus attractions ever seen, in front of the grandstand each afternoon. This afternoon performance will be absolutely free.

Fair officials announced late last month the possibility of a free afternoon grandstand attraction but assurance was not given until the signing of a contract this week.

Turkeys will not move very far for water during the heat of the day. Water should be placed where the turkeys rest and not across the pasture.

Committeemen Vital Link In AAA Red Tape

By RAY DAVIDSON In the first article of this series it was pointed out Washington is in one world, John Smith's West Texas farm in another.

Here it might be added that while the AAA draws the two a little closer together, it goes so only with the use of plenty of red tape.

Farmers have always been recognized as simple folks, direct and sometimes abrupt in their dealings. It has been quite a burden for them to deal with Uncle Sam in his circuitous, ponderous ways.

Perhaps the reason farm people have been able to work with the government so closely in the farm program is that farmers themselves hold the key points in AAA administration—membership on community, county and state committees.

John Smith does most of his dealing with his community and county committeemen, which he has helped elect. These committeemen are every-day dirt farmers not city-bred "agriculturalists". They live on the farm, neighboring with the men they must work with. They fill that vital first link between the farmer and the state AAA office in the tangled chain lying between John Smith and Washington.

So when John Smith wants to know anything about the farm program, he asks the first community or county committeemen he sees about it. There are 12 community and three county committeemen in the average county and they are able to keep pretty well informed of goings-on.

Above the county administration lies state, regional and national "bosses", who have a passion for complication, constant change, elaborate forms and general confusion.

There are many factors entering the picture to justify some of these complications, inasmuch as the original laws, written in general terms, must be applied to thousands of different types of farms. Then the usual passion Uncle Sam has for accuracy enters in. He is not satisfied with ordinary care in calculating each farmer's check. Instead, every figure must be checked and re-checked, added and subtracted, multiplied, divided and re-multiplied ad infinitum.

Uncle Sam may be said to do his farming on paper. The ordinary county AAA office uses reams of paper every day. An essential feature of all AAA offices is one or more calculating machines.

Past appropriations of congress for the farm program have provided that not more than one percent of the total might be used for national administration and two percent for state administration. These percentages represent huge sums of money.

In addition to this three percent, county administrative costs must be subtracted from the remainder. In Taylor county the 1939 administrative cost was 6.6 percent, which is perhaps a trifle under the state average.

Thus it may be seen that the farmer receives approximately 90 or 91 percent of the money originally appropriated to him. Considering the complications of the program, this is an amazingly large percentage.

In Taylor county, between \$15,000 and \$18,000 was required for running the AAA office last year. With this money, a personnel averaging 15 persons but sometimes running as high as 40 was paid and incidental costs were cared for.

\$3 PER DAY Community committeemen are paid \$3 per day and county committeemen \$4 for the days actually put in service. Average committeemen will earn \$400 or \$500 from this source during the course of a year.

This, however, is only a small part of the administration clerical workers to handle the endless amount of arithmetic which must be worked make up most of the personnel. Heading each county office is an "administrative assistant" to supervise all this work.

Mr. Average Farmer complains constantly at the complications and red-tape involved in his dealing with Uncle Sam, and he cannot be blamed. But then Mr. Average Man generally complains of the powers-that-be above him in his particular kind of work.

Uncle Sam has had to do a lot of experimenting in his farming venture, and this has brought about a large part of the complexity of his AAA program.

Whether this constant change will gradually evolve into something simpler, or something unendingly ponderous and complicated yet to be revealed in the future. At present trends seem to be toward slightly higher administrative costs, increasing complexity, but greater speed.

NEW BOOKS

Matador City Library THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF ANDREW CARNEGIE

A book of the widest appeal and most romantic interest, showing every step of Carnegie's upward climb, and giving the most intimate and delightful pictures of the statesmen and men of letters who were his friends. As an incentive to industry, as a guide to success, and as the life story of a great American, the "Autobiography of Andrew Carnegie" should be read by every youth and man of ambition.

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—New Era Magazine.

Here is an addition to the ever-fascinating field of autobiography, which yields to none in absorbing interest. Beginning with Carnegie's birth and childhood in Scotland and immigration to America, the story goes steadily on, instilled from page to page with dramatic and humorous appeal, as the boy starts to work in a factory, becomes a telegraph messenger boy, goes into the railroad service, takes charge of a Division of the Pennsylvania, serves the country as Associate Director of railroad operations during the Civil War, undertakes bridge building, and then by rapid stages, rises to be the great Iron Master.

Then comes an entirely different phase in the story—"the gospel of wealth,"—the powerful formulation of the doctrine that private wealth is a public trust, and the prompt and imposing acting on this belief. But perhaps the most interesting chapters for the general reader are those in which the author tells of his friendships with men like Lord Morley, Matthew Arnold, John Hay, Viscount Grey, etc.

In every way "The Autobiography of Andrew Carnegie" deserves a place among the great human documents of American

ALL FOODS ARE NOT SUITED TO FROZEN STORAGE

Despite the remarkable adaptability of frozen food lockers for preservation of fruits and vegetables, there are five products—whole celery, lettuce, citrus fruits, cucumbers and tomatoes—which are not suited to frozen storage, warns Grace I. Neely, specialist in food preservation for the A. & M. College Extension Service.

However, both citrus and tomato juices may be frozen for storage; so may certain varieties of apricots, berries, figs, nectarines, cherries, peaches, plums, asparagus, broccoli, brussels sprouts, cauliflower, corn, snap beans, lima beans, peas, squash, and greens.

Fruits and vegetables to be frozen should usually be harvested at the stage when they are in the best conditions for immediate table use and should be

literature, while its inspiration and wide range of appeal will make it of profound interest even to readers who do not ordinarily enjoy autobiography.

processed immediately, Miss Neely says.

United States farmers have enough grains in 1940, including Ever-Normal Granary reserves, to produce 78 pounds of pork for every one of the 132,000,000 people in the nation or 14 pounds more than each person ate in 1939.

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UNDERGOES OPERATION Mrs. Bert Estes, who underwent a major operation at a Quannah hospital Tuesday, is reported to be recovering. Those who went to Quannah Tuesday to be at her bedside included four daughters, Mesdames W. F. Jacobs, Robert Darsey, R. E. Campbell, Jr., and Miss Virginia Estes.

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## Jasper Family Gathers At Flomot For Reunion

Members of the Jasper family gathered August 24 and 25 at the home of Mrs. M. C. Washington of Flomot for a reunion.

Present at the affair were Mrs. M. C. Washington, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Jasper, Lubbock; Mrs. M. B. Hodges, and C. M. Jasper of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Jasper and children of Panhandle; Mrs. R. R. Thompson of Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jasper of Claude; Mrs. Cecil Spear and son and Mrs. Annie Ross of Tulla; Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Jasper and children of Silverton;

Mr. and Mrs. Lom Jasper and children, Friona; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows and daughters, Texhoma, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Thompson and children, Memphis; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whismant and sons, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Harris and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hodges and children, all of Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowell and children, Borger;

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. White of Kirkland; W. C. Felker, Mrs. Nettie Record, and John Jasper, all of Stinnett, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bowman and daughter, De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Washington and children and Mrs. P. H. Morris and children, all of Flomot; Mr. and Mrs. Lom Dozier and daughter, Grover, Texas;

Mrs. E. P. Huff and daughter, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bowman and daughters, De Leon; Mr. and Mrs. Ernal Jasper, Panhandle; Mr. and Mrs. Odell Washington of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Berry Harris of Turkey; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jasper and sons, Mc-

Alister, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Calloway and daughters, Silverton.

### Visitors Listed

Visitors attending were Mrs. Bourland, Memphis; Roy Reed, Spearman; Mark Miller, Gary, Oklahoma; Will Baird, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Cotton, Lamesa; Harvey Wimpy of Matador; Miss Melva Gene Washington, Muleshoe; Fred Thomas, Clovis, N. M.; Bill Hatfield and Granville Hatfield, McAllister, Okla.; W. T. Stamford, Friona; Miss Nell Morehead, Tulla; Miss Minnie Bergner and Miss Ono Dotson, Texhoma, Okla.;

From Flomot were Farris Martin, Boyd Morris, Burrell Jones, Eural Ellis, Robert Kendall, Miss Geraldine Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Morris, Misses Flora Washington, Alice Speer, Jimmie Lee Speer, and Joyce Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris, Mrs. Dove Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Washington and sons, Mrs. Bud McGowen and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Van Martin and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Martin and son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kendall, Mrs. Frank Garrett, Mrs. Merle Reddie and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pyron and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lem Standiford, Mrs. Baldo Martin and daughter, Geneva Tanner, Dorothy Morris, and Zelma Lee Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pipkin and young son have moved to Turkey, where he has accepted a position in a tailor shop.

## Pied 'Pinions

BY MRS. J. M.

As usual the new styles are contradictory and leave one in an eternal quandary as to which authority to believe. Here an ad says only the newer, slimmer, pencil lines will be the thing, with a back-of-the-head hat, to permit the latest in hair arrangements. Then comes another manufacturer stressing the opposite, with plenty of swirl to the skirts, and forward tilt to the bonnet. Now black is a must-have—there brown comes to the fore, while about us circle the gorgeous array of autumn blues, golds, greens, ambers.

Nothing gives so much relief as the cool of the fall, with its accompanying change of attire; unless it be the warmth of a bright spring day following a frigid winter.

A banner across a nationally-known newspaper, to evoke much speculation, says: "The world of failure is divided north and south by lines of latitude, east and west by degrees of longitude"—The Un-Laxer.

In case you've ever wondered why an outburst of "hunkydory" means anything, here is an explanation snipped from a recent issue of Graphic Arts Monthly:

"—The expression 'hunkydory' is evolved from Hankyu Dori (or Hankyu street) in Yokohama. Hankyu Dori is a street of joy to which, ever since the Asiatic door was opened, seafaring men have repaired as soon as their ships reached Yokohama."

For no reason at all I covet a highway danger signal flare. The little bomb-shaped objects hold a certain fascination for me, especially because of the flame that continues to burn in the most dreary rain; and more especially when it was revealed that they are chained down.

## Bourland Keith Is Honored With Party

Bourland Keith, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Keith, was honored Thursday with a party at his home, the occasion being his sixth birthday.

Games were played after which ice cream cones and cookies were served. As the guests departed they were presented balloons and pencils as favors.

Attending were Doris Ann Doss, Cora Ann Craven, Roma Jo Fulkerson, Ronald Hobbs, Cecil Wayne Shelton, Charles Keith, Carolyn Sanders, Betty Smalley, Laverne Moffitt, David Kingery, Ruth Marie Stanley, Frances Trawick, and the host.

## Paducah Scene Luncheon For Eastern Star

Of interest to members of the Matador chapter of the Eastern Star was a luncheon given at Paducah, Tuesday, August 27, by the Paducah chapter. Occasion for the entertainment was the birthday of Rob Morris, founder of the Order of the Eastern Star.

The program included a welcome address by Mrs. George Mayes, a vocal quartet composed of Mesdames Hosea Williford, John Davis, Dink Wood, and Laurel West; a piano solo by Mrs. H. S. Watson of Matador, followed by a discussion of the life of Rob Morris by Mrs. Clifford Graves.

Mrs. Sam Weatherall gave a reading, and a vocal duet was given by Mrs. George Springer of Matador and Mrs. Laurel West. Mrs. John Davis concluded the program with a reading.

Attending the luncheon from Matador were Mesdames Springer, Watson, J. W. Drace, W. L. McWilliams, Maud Dean, Alvin Stearns, and W. T. Patton.

## Around The Circles...

### SUNSHINE CIRCLE

Members of the Sunshine Circle met Monday at the Baptist Church. Mrs. D. P. Keith gave the devotional and was also in charge of the lesson. Those present discussed plans for fall work. Attending were Mesdames G. S. Craven, D. P. Keith, and Scott Bolton.

### ATTEND PLAINVIEW MEET

Local members of the Methodist Missionary Society attended a school of instruction held in Plainview Tuesday. They were Mesdames W. B. Vaughn, Harry Willett, J. R. Whitworth, H. H. Schweitzer, and Tom Tilson, and Miss Mable Jameson. Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor, also attended the meeting.

### FLOYDADA COUPLE IS MARRIED HERE

Miss Mattie Jo Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Lewis of Floyd County, and Eastlene Gilliland, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Gilliland, also of Floydada, were united in marriage at 6:30 Saturday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Pipkin, Rev. Pipkin having officiated in the ceremony.

### Hospital News

Miss Mable Hendricks of Matador and Mrs. Gwyndolene Wilkinson of Whiteflat, underwent tonsilectomies at the Traweck Hospital Monday.

Mrs. Fred Bourland was treated Thursday for injured hand. Farris Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Martin received treatment for a shoulder injury which occurred Thursday. He will probably be unable to play football this season.

### MOORE FAMILY HERE FOR VISIT

J. C. Moore, who has been visiting here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moore, left Sunday for Midland to visit relatives. From there he will go to Houston to attend to business, as superintendent of an oil company.

Mrs. Moore and sons Billy and Charles will join Mr. Moore in Fort Worth, Wednesday, from where they will proceed to their home in Swathmore, Penn.

While here Mrs. Moore visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bird. She and son Billy accompanied Mrs. Bird home from Pagosa Springs, Colorado, where they were vacationing. Mr. Moore and son Charles joined the other members of the family here.

## TILSON-EVANS RITES TO BE READ SUNDAY

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Evans of Dallas have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Doris Gene, to Tom Tilson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Tilson of Matador.

The nuptials will be read Sunday, September 8, at Dallas by the Rev. S. C. Burton of Western Heights Methodist Church of Dallas.

Mr. Tilson was born and reared here, having graduated from the Matador High School in 1938, where he starred in football. He later attended McMurry College in Abilene, and has been employed in Dallas for the past several months.

Miss Evans is a graduate of Dallas Technical High School.

## MISS BOLLING IS MARRIED IN LAWN CEREMONY

Miss Henrietta Bolling of Big Spring became the bride of James Williams, also of that city in a lawn wedding performed at the home of her sister, Mrs. Vernon Logan of Big Spring, on Friday night, August 23.

The bride wore a white chiffon frock with finger-tip veil. Mrs. Earl Laughlin of Matador, sister of Mrs. Williams, served as one of the bridesmaids.

Mrs. Williams has been employed by a Big Spring dry goods firm for some time. She made her home here with Mrs. Laughlin while a senior at the Matador High School having graduated with the class of 1937. She has many friends here who join in wishing the couple success and happiness.

Mr. Williams is manager of the Banner Ice Cream Factory and Creamery in Big Springs, where the couple will continue to make their home.

Mrs. Noble Groves left Monday for a visit with relatives in Morton, Texas.

### VISIT HERE

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar Sunday were Mrs. Fryar's father, W. E. Ragsdale, and two brothers, Emmitt and C. C. Ragsdale, all of Roaring Springs; another brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ragsdale and daughter, Earlene, of Dickens; her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold and children of Muleshoe. Other relatives were Miss Virginia Elizabeth Ragsdale of Hot Springs, New Mexico, and R. C. Wood of Crosbyton.

### ENROLLS AT DRAUGHON'S

Miss Allie Barton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Barton of Flomot, is taking a combined business course in Draughon's Business College of Lubbock. She is now studying elementary typewriting, bookkeeping, and penmanship, according to Frances Lewis, class reporter for the college.

### NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Smalley are parents of a seven and one-half pound boy born Thursday, August 29. He was given the name Gregory Donald.

An eight and one-half pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Stokes of Afton Tuesday, September 3.

Loretta Lee was the name given the daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Young Saturday at the Traweck Hospital.

### EDITOR ON VACATION

Douglas Meador, editor and publisher of the Matador Tribune, Mrs. Meador, and her sister, Miss Mary Ola Tipton, left Sunday morning for a vacation trip in California. They will return home September 14.

### TONSILS REMOVED

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Andrews of Darden Canyon underwent a tonsilectomy Tuesday.

### ARRIVAL ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin English of Midland, former residents here, are parents of a baby daughter, born Sunday morning, and weighing six and one-half pounds. The infant was named Lonna Lou.

### CARD OF THANKS

It is our desire to thank many friends who gave us sympathy and sent the beautiful offerings during the bereavement in our family. God's richest blessings abound each of you.

Joe Mooneyham and Fred Mooneyham and Louise Mooneyham; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ashley and family and Mrs. Leslie Peak; Mrs. Mrs. Howard Osborn; Mrs. Mrs. Willis Mooneyham family; Mrs. Jim Mooneyham Mooneyham.

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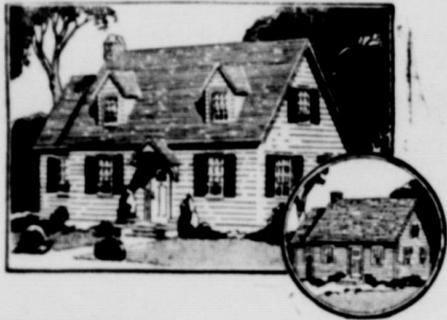
Meets 1st Monday night month at IOOF hall. All ex-members invited to attend.

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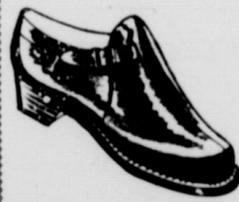
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FOOTBALL . . .

(Continued From Page 1)

football fans attended the East-West high school all-star tilt held in Plainview Friday night, when Frank Kimbrough's "Blues" edged out Jack Curtice's "Reds" by a 7 to 6 score. The game was the climax to a five days' coaching school.

Kenneth Simpson, all-district star of Matador High School's 1939 squad, was injured in practice Thursday, and was forced to forfeit his first string position in the game.

Serve As Instructors Frank Kimbrough, head coach at Hardin-Simmons University and Jack Curtice, head mentor at West Texas State College, were also principal instructors at the school, and did their lecturing and demonstrating while coaching the squads, which were composed of high school stars from West Texas Class A teams.

All boys on both squads were introduced before the game, and each received a miniature gold football as memento of the coaching school and the game.

Schoolwork Causes Greatest Strain On Eyes, Report Shows

Of all the activities carried on in the home under artificial light, schoolwork causes the greatest strain on the eyes if the home is improperly lighted. This is the opinion of many hundreds of men and women interviewed in an extensive survey conducted in eight midwestern and southern states including Texas.

In discussing the survey, C. A. Pitts, local manager of the West Texas Utilities, said that seven persons out of 10 named reading or schoolwork when asked what activity in the home calls for the best lighting.

Sewing and mending ranked as a strong second in the survey, while cooking, shaving, and similar tasks were considered by others to impose a considerable strain on the eyes in poorly lighted homes.

"Our lighting department", he said, "is glad to make free lighting tests whenever requested. It often is possible to improve light

at little or no expense. Our lighting advisors are equipped with a sight meter which scientifically determines the proper candle-power needed for study, reading, mending or any of the various eye usages made in the average home."

LOCALS

Miss Verlin Reeves returned home Sunday from a visit in Abilene. She will be first grade teacher in the Matador Grade School during the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Patton and son, David, of Wichita Falls visited Sunday and Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Patton and other relatives.

Mrs. Wade Bennett was a Childress visitor Monday and Tuesday. J. Rufus Emmons made a business trip to Jayton yesterday.

Miss Dorothy Lucille Mitchell returned to her home in Houston Sunday after spending the summer here with her aunt and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanley.

LOST: 48100 carat diamond, set in white gold ring, with small section broken out of under part of ring. Lost on the streets of Matador. Liberal reward. Report to Tribune office.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Craven of Ralls arrived Tuesday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Craven, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Manly Thompson returned here Monday following a trip to Carlisbad, N. M., and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Stacy and daughter, Norma Dean, of Wichita Falls visited Sunday in the home of his sister and family, Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Guthrie and small son, Gale Lamar, arrived Tuesday for a visit with relatives. They are former residents here.

Mrs. H. K. Ford, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. J. S. Lambert and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth were Floydada visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Scott Dooley and children of Denver City are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Groves.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pipkin and children, Shirley and Charles, of Dalhart, visited here last week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Pipkin, and other relatives.

M. M. McBride, who has been visiting in Roscoe for past three weeks, returned home Tuesday evening. He was accompanied here by Dearly McBride and Joe Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert C. Keith and children of Whiteface attended the recent Old Settlers' celebration at Roaring Springs and also visited in the home of Mr. Keith's mother, Mrs. D. C. Keith. They returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Daffern and daughters, Julia and Catherine, returned home Thursday from a

week's visit with relatives in El Paso and Las Cruces, N. M. Clifton McBride of Lubbock visited here Sunday with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Roy Engle and sons, Roy Lee and Kenneth, of Borger spent the week end in the home of Mrs. Engle's brother, R. N. McMahan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Fryar made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

Jack Robinson of Paducah visited friends here during the week end. He was accompanied home Sunday afternoon by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson, who were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Patton of Hale Center, accompanied by Mrs. Patton's brother and several other visitors from California, visited here Wednesday of last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Patton.

C. F. Chapman of Bardwell, Texas, visited his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCowan, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp and sons, Norman and Bobby, visited relatives in Kirkland during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Washington visited briefly with friends here Saturday. Mr. Washington, head coach at Spearman, Texas attended the coaching school held in Plainview last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Stearns and daughter, Corabeth, of Houston arrived Tuesday of last week for a visit in the home of his father, L. A. Stearns, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McCowan and son, Wiley Frank, visited in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Denson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Lees of Abilene are visiting this week in the home of Mrs. Lees' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Stearns.

Mrs. Susie Dalton, who is making her home here with Mrs. I. F. Fish, returned Monday night from a visit with relatives in Dallas.

Houston and Bert Schweitzer, Elmer Gene Jameson, and Sonny Russell were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mrs. J. L. Woodruff and son, Glenn, visited in Plainview Monday.

Mrs. D. I. W. Birnie, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Frank Elring and daughter, Frances, left Monday for Dallas where they will remain for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts and sons, Douglas, Jr., and Norman Merle, returned home Saturday following a month's vacation spent in Tres Ritos, New Mexico.

Lonie Stearns of the Lubbock Bureau of the Agricultural Economic Association is here this week to check one-variety cotton in the

county. N. B. Vaughn and son and B. F. Simpson, all of Northfield, were Matador visitors Tuesday.

Miss Maisey Reeves, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. W. E. Reeves, visited in Lubbock on Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh C. Gray and daughter, Jewell, arrived here Monday, following a visit with his parents in Cee Vee. During the summer they have made their home in Commerce, where Mr. Gray attended ETSTC. He is science instructor in the Matador High School.

Mrs. L. C. Harp and daughter, Jean, were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.

Miss Maisey Reeves left yesterday for Dallas to resume duties as teacher in the Dallas Public Schools. She has spent the summer here with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Reeves.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By M. D. Mitchell

Coach Troy Gann Resigns Position

Coach Troy Gann of Roaring Springs High School resigned his position from the faculty this week to serve in the U. S. Air Corps.

Mr. Gann will teach in the school for several days until the Board of Trustees elects a successor.

Virginia McCarty Is Honored Monday

An enjoyable party was given Friday evening when Miss Virginia McCarty entertained in honor of Miss Juanita Smith on the occasion of her birthday.

Games were played and refreshments of punch and cake were served.

Present were Misses Geraldine Brooks, Lavelle Duncan, Betty Jean Hinson, Hazel Dodson, Marion Alice Mitchell, and Juanita Smith; and Joe Melton Thacker, Clifford Lowrance, Bobby Spangler, Lyndell Roberts, Arthur Hormon, and Harold Gunter.

YOUNG PEOPLE ATTEND EPWORTH LEAGUE MEET

A large group of young people from Floydada and other churches of the Caprock Epworth Union met Monday night at the Roaring Springs Methodist Church.

Due to rainy weather, plans to meet at the Springs were changed and a picnic lunch was served at the church.

An interesting program was given and an enjoyable social

hour was spent. J. T. Swim, Jr., is president of the Roaring Springs Epworth League.

Miss Ernestine Favens of Quanah, Mrs. Lillian Haile and two children of Tulsa, Mrs. Ora Kelly, Mrs. Ola Hill, and Madge Jackson, all of Sweetwater, and Mrs. Jennie Jackson of Roaring Springs visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols during the Labor Day holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cooper and small daughter, Rebecca Ann, are spending their vacation visiting relatives in Clayton, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Davis of Lubbock returned to their home Sunday following a week's visit with relatives here. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davis.

Mrs. Ruby Spangler and son, Bobby, left Monday for Denver, Colorado, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Thelma Bown of Lubbock spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Meason.

Jeff D. Woods is visiting his mother, Mrs. C. W. Pate this week. He is enlisted in the CCC and is located near Mountainair, N. M.

G. B. Thacker, who is enlisted in the Aviation Department, San Antonio, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Rena Bowen accompanied by her sons, Donald Roy and Frankie Pat, spent the week visiting in Morton and Portales, N. M. They returned home Thursday.

Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kincanon

Mrs. A. J. Matlock and Yuma Simpson went to Fort Worth Sunday for a visit with relatives.

The Baptist revival meeting, conducted by Rev. Bost, began Friday night.

Attending a birthday dinner for Velma Collins at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Tipton were Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Collins and family, Maxine Wells, Velma Collins, and Catherine Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Simpson and Mrs. C. D. Kincanon transacted business in Memphis and Turkey Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson were Sunday guests in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Florence. Mrs. Leon King and Dora Murdock returned to their home in Hobbs Saturday.

(Delayed) Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bain, and Mrs. O. L. Bain of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Spry Whiteflat were guests in the W. Bain home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kincanon and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock visited Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson Sunday.

Mrs. Leona King and grand daughter, Durese King, of Hill N. M., are visiting relatives here this week.

Marlene Dobbins visited Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. Kincanon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Simpson accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Harp Coats of Childress to Arkansas Saturday on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lanes visited relatives in Matador during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Ashby, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Florence, Mrs. Leona King, and Mr. and Mrs. D. Kincanon visited W. E. A. Ford and Mr. and Mrs. De Payne in Wellington, Monday.

Flomot News

By Bonnie Ruth Crowell

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brock, Fern Standifer, John Bourland, Stapleton, and W. B. Gilbert tended the all-star football game in Plainview Friday night.

Odus Crowell and Jim Crowell made a business trip Hollis, Okla., last Wednesday. They returned home Thursday.

FLOMOT SCHOOL BEGINS MONDAY

Enrollment of students began the Flomot school Monday morning following an opening exercise in which Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Matador, spoke to student body and faculty.

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