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AIL DUST



By DOUGLAS MEADOR
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from the roof.

Start Of Sugar Rationing Is Expected In Two Weeks

Effects of war measures will be felt with greater intensity in Motley county within the next two weeks when the rationing of sugar is expected to get underway, according to D. I. W. Birnie, chairman of the County Rationing Board. Mr. Birnie said that no official statement could be made until further details of the sugar rationing plan are released. The plan is expected to get into effect between March 13 and 20. According to present tentative arrangements, consumers will register and make application for War coupon Book No. 1 at all county elementary schools between March 18 and 21. The sugar trade (assumed to affect grocers, bakers and others) will register and make applications at the Matador high school on March 13-14.

Mr. Birnie said that no definite information could be released at this time since the government print shops are struggling with the greatest demand ever made on them—to immediately produce 750,000,000 forms for the rationing plan. Changes in the County Rationing Board's instructions are being made daily.

Eugene Worley Is Ordered To Active Duty By The Navy

Congressman Eugene Worley of the 18th District of Texas is now on active duty as a volunteer in the Navy. The following message from Mr. Worley was received yesterday, dated February 21, Washington:

Dear Friend:
During my campaign for Congress I stated that if I should ever be called upon to vote for war I would offer my own services in our armed forces. Carrying out this promise, I enlisted in the Navy and was granted leave of absence by the House of Representatives on January 6, 1942. Upon that date I also directed that my entire congressional salary be returned to the government.

I have just completed the regular Naval training course and have been ordered to active duty. My office staff is thoroughly experienced and will continue to render every possible service to the district. I have left all necessary instructions and will, of course, remain in as close touch as possible. Please continue to address all mail to me at Washington, where it will receive immediate attention.
With my very best wishes, I remain
Eugene Worley

City Water Tank Being Improved

Workmen are busy this week placing a 28-gauge iron shell around the city water tank rising pipe. The improvement will protect the insulation and wood case that now covers the pipe. The iron will be covered with two coats of paint as soon as it is placed in position, according to City Secretary Howard Edmondson. The work is being done by L. C. Kurtz of Plains, Texas.

TRANSFERRED TO LUBBOCK
Kenneth Simpson has been transferred from Duncan Field, near San Antonio, to the new air base recently established at Lubbock, where he will be employed as mechanic.

Young Simpson visited here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Simpson.

ATTENDS CONVENTION
Elmer Stearns, Cashier of the First State Bank here, attended a convention of District Seven, Texas Bankers Association, in Fort Worth Monday.
Mrs. Stearns accompanied him, and they also visited their daughter Frances, who is attending T. C. U.

Remember Pearl Harbor

World's Busiest Man



Donald M. Nelson
Pictured in one of his contemplative moods, slowly puffing on a cigar for relaxation, as he directs dynamic production policies in America's mobilization of industry for war and victory.

More Men To Army Service

Motley county continues its contribution of young men to defend the principals of freedom, against the Axis nations, with another group of selectees leaving this morning for Army service at Ft. Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

The following men were disclosed by the Local Draft Board late yesterday, as scheduled to depart for Lubbock, en route to Ft. Bliss:
Duard Franklin Irby Flomot; Grady Claud Timmons, Northfield; Ulysess Foreston McBride, Matador; Allen Rufus Morris, Roaring Springs; Homer Troy Spears, Matador; John Guy Garrison, Whitehat; Delmon Stuart Martin, Roaring Springs; Phillip Ray Sims, Matador; Cleveland Brooks Calloway, Matador; John Wilson Cook, Matador; Robert Allen Purdy, Flomot and Carl Dillon Mize, Matador.

Registrants in the 3rd Selective Service registration held for men between the ages of 20 and 44 on February 16, will be arranged for position thru the now famous Washington "fish bowl" drawing" on March 17, according to information released to the press early this week. The same release declared that the 3rd draft registrants would not be called until the 1st and 2nd registrants had been exhausted.

Farmers Urged To Test Cottonseed

With cotton planting season but a short time away, Motley farmers are advised to test their cottonseed before planting time. County Agent J. Rufus Emmons declares that because of the unusual rainfall during the past year, much of the seed saved for planting will not germinate, thus causing a waste of time and planting expense. Any farmer may have his cottonseed tested without cost by sending samples to the Agronomy Department at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, or the State Department of Agriculture.

Treatment of seed with Ceresan, which kills all bacteria, is also advised. Ceresan may be procured at any local feed store. It is especially recommended to protect cotton from the Angler leaf spot, bacteria of which is carried in the cottonseed. When 2% Ceresan is used, 3 oz. to the bushel is recommended. When the new improved Ceresan is used, 1 1/2 oz. to the bushel is recommended.

NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER
Mrs. Lula Carpenter received word this week that her son, Rudolph Carpenter, former Matador High School graduate, had been made a Corporal, non-commissioned officer. He is attached with the 27th Bomb Squadron, 30th bomb group at March Field, California.

Mesdames M. S. Patton and Elmer Stearns were visitors in Lubbock Friday.

Motley Farmers Pledge More Food For Freedom

German Is Detained By Officers

Fred C. Becker, 48, itinerant American born German was detained for questioning, fingerprinting and photographing by Sheriff H. H. Courtney's office Tuesday afternoon.

Suspicion was turned on the hitch-hiker by a remark made to a former Roaring Springs youth, Allen Morris, after an acquaintance established at Paducah earlier in the day. Becker is declared to have said to Morris, "I am a German and I'm proud of it." Young Morris attempted to contact the sheriff of Cottle county but failed and arrived in Matador in time to see his suspicious acquaintance on the streets here.

He reported to Sheriff Courtney's office and deputy John Stotts went in search of the man. Becker had secured a ride on a bottled-drink truck and was about six miles west of Matador when overtaken by Deputy Stotts.

Born In Wisconsin
The stout, bespectacled man, speaking in noticeable German accent, declared he was born of German parents in Oconto, Wisconsin. He said his mother was dead but he carried a letter declared to have been written by his father. He said he had no birth certificate but could produce one in 24 hours. Besides the letter he carried no other identification. He said he was a trumpet player but had not worked at his profession in ten years. He carried a small bag of files with which he said he earned a living by sharpening barber's shears.

He denied making the statement to Morris as reported explaining that he said, "I am a German born in America and proud of it." He claimed to be en route to Roswell where he hoped to secure work in the bomber plant.

Since he had violated no law he was released in a short time and given transportation as far west as Floydada by Sheriff Courtney and Deputy Stotts.

Fire Department Saves Feed Stack

Screaming above a high west wind, Matador's fire siren brought the town to instant attention about 7 o'clock Sunday evening. The alarm followed an appeal from Whitehat which reported that a large feed stack on the Bill Edwards farm was afire.

Responding immediately, the fire truck was dispatched to the scene of the fire. The fire truck pump suction fed water from a large tank and within a few minutes the fire was under control. Reports indicate that only a small amount of feed was destroyed. A second large stack of feed located beside the one in which the fire was discovered would probably have been destroyed except for the work of the Matador Fire Department.

Cause of the feed stack fire is not known.

MOVE TO ROARING SPRINGS
Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Simpson moved the first of the week to their farm 3 miles southeast of Roaring Springs, where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpson have made their home here for a number of years and have been prominent in civic and church activities. The entire community regrets to lose them as citizens.

Howe Hines, formerly of Flomot, has purchased the Simpson home in Matador.

TO CALIFORNIA
Mrs. Clay Gilbert and children left Saturday morning to join Mr. Gilbert, who is employed in San Diego, California. They accompanied her brother-in-law, Dick Davis, of Lawton, Oklahoma.

VISITORS HERE FROM LIMA, PERU

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cannon and sons, Bob and Billy, of Lima, Peru, South America, arrived here Monday from Stamford, to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Rufus Emmons.

Mr. Cannon, who is employed by a cotton firm in South America joined his wife in the United States about sixty days ago, having made the trip by plane. Mrs. Cannon and children had returned in October.

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon claim West Texas as their home, having been reared near Stamford, and later making their home at Plainview. They have been in South America the past three years.

Registering for military service while back in Texas, Mr. Cannon said he was not certain when he would return to South America, in event his country needs him. He said his vacation would end next month, but that he had no definite plans for returning.

SOCIAL SECURITY TALK FOR LIONS

Lion John D. Palmer of Lubbock, will make the principal address at the next regular Matador Lions Club meeting to be held at the Methodist church basement, Tuesday, March 3rd. Mr. Palmer is scheduled to address the local civic group regarding Social Security in all phases.

The regular Lion's director's breakfast will be held at the Mag-nolia Cafe at 6:30 a. m. wartime Monday morning.

Boy Scouts Camp At Lost Canyon

Matador Boy Scout Troop No. 60, accompanied by Scoutmaster M. J. Stacy and assistant scoutmaster Maurice Campbell, spent Saturday night camping out at Lost Canyon.

Boys who attended the encampment were John Farris Fish, James Meador, John Ketchersid, Billy Wason, Bonner Nelson, Wiley McCowan Hal Courtney, Math Barkley, Raldo James, R. D. Clements and Alton Castleberry.

JUNIOR COWBOYS TO HAVE PLACE IN FORT WORTH RODEO

Junior cowboys will have their chance in the word-famed indoor rodeo in Fort Worth at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show March 13-22.

The addition of a new event, boys' Brahma calf riding, for youths between the ages of 14 and 18, inclusive, was announced today by Secretary-Manager John B. Davis of the show.

The calves which the boys will ride are the same ones that the older cowboys used in the championship calf roping contest at the 1941 rodeo. They have grown since the first arena appearance and so have the boys who will ride them.

Entries for the new contest are open to all youths who demonstrate by their physical fitness and experience on Southwestern ranches that they are qualified to come out of the chutes in the real professional rodeo.

Much Interest Is Shown At Roaring Springs Meeting

Motley county's 650 farms will produce increased Food For Freedom in 1942 according to pledges which have been made thru five meetings in the various communities. While the county has only 650 farms, 512 gardens have been pledged as against the 370 last year.

Motley farmers and stock raisers produced 17069 calves (not contracted) in 1941 but they are pledged to produce 19,411 in 1942. No peanuts were produced in the past year but farmers are pledged to plant 65 acres this year and County Agent J. Rufus Emmons believes that ten times that acreage may be planted in the needed oil-bearing nuts. Last year farmers milked 1,598 cows, producing 982,986 pounds of milk but this year they will milk 1,813 cows to produce 1,130,091 pounds of milk.

Hogs slaughtered in 1941 totaled 4,981 (almost one hog for each man, woman and child in the county) but the farmers have pledged to slaughter 7,835 hogs during the current year. Eggs produced in the past year totaled 323,000 dozens and egg production for 1942 is pledged at 409,616. In 1941 only 95.1 acres were planted in dry beans but 175.4 acres have been pledged for 1942.

Meeting At Roaring Springs
One of the most outstanding Food For Freedom meetings held in the county was attended by an estimated enthusiastic audience of 140 at the Roaring Springs school building, Tuesday evening, W. I. Rushing was chairman and addresses were made by Miss Bilye Lawrence, Miss Dorothy Wason, M. J. Stacy, Vernie Beauchamp, Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop, Roaring Springs economics teacher and J. Rufus Emmons.

The meetings have been conducted to produce greater interest and establish more responsibility upon farmers who will become conscious of the vital necessity to produce not only for the nation, its armed forces and factory workers, but also for the rest of the world. Good will is established in nations filled with hungry people when they are fed and will have a great influence in the post-war era. "Food will win the war and write the peace."

Pioneer And Family Are Visitors Here

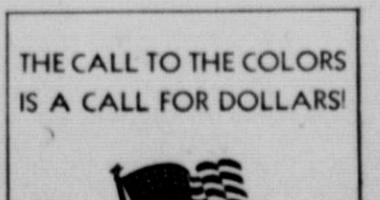
Mr. and Mrs. Shelton McCall and daughter, Miss Celia McCall, of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, visited here during the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Jameson, and other friends.

They are former residents of Matador, having made their home here about twenty years ago.

Mr. McCall was recently retired from the Oklahoma City police department. He visited many "old timers" with whom he worked as a pioneer cowboy on the Matador ranch.

Remember Pearl Harbor

THE CALL TO THE COLORS IS A CALL FOR DOLLARS!



Dig deep. Strike hard. Our boys need the planes, ships, and guns which your money will help to buy.

Go to your bank, post office, or savings and loan association. Tell them you want to buy Defense Bonds regularly, starting now.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Donovan and daughter Rose Carolyn returned home Tuesday from Corsicana, where they have been visiting.

George Pipkin of Crosbyton visited his brother, Henry, here Wednesday.

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SHOWER IS GIVEN FOR RECENT BRIDE

A shower was given Friday afternoon, February 26, in the home of Mrs. Tutt Garnett, for Mrs. Aubrey Brown of Roswell, New Mexico, the former Mozelle Duncan, who married recently. Co-hostess with Mrs. Garnett, was Mrs. H. H. Courtney.

Mrs. Laila Duncan, mother of the bride, received the gifts for her, since she was unable to be present for the occasion.

Refreshments of spiced tea and cookies were served the guests, who called between the hours of 3 and 6 o'clock.

Mrs. Jimmie Worsham presided at the Bride's Book in which the following names were registered: Mesdames Hub Swearingen, W. T. Boggus, J. L. Boggus, L. A. Carlisle, Hybois Wilcher, C. P. Jackson, Gene Mize, M. C. Green, Thelma Dirickson, John Lee, G. N. Wilson, W. F. Jacobs, R. A. Seay, Harry Willett Earnestine Florence, Ward Rattan A. B. Groves, W. W. Clements, Bill Nelson, Addie Muse, Ruby Jameson, Tommie Vivian Clarence Kifer, Earl Laughlin, Arch Black, Una McAfee, Hugh Cook, Roy Smith, Lois Garnett, and Amos Mize.

Misses Rachel Patton, Estelle and Edna Mae Martin, Maxine Green, Margie Bryan, Marguerite Patton, Mollie Lee, Hattie Tee Groves and Mary Ruth Muse.

NEW ARRIVALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Boner, an 8 pound girl, on February 21, named Patsy Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis are parents of a 7½ pound boy born February 21, and named John Sidney.

An 8 pound boy, named Jack Wayne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Carman, February 23.

Ronda Judith was the name given a 7½ pound girl born to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon of Roaring Springs, on February 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Cooper are parents of a 7½ pound girl born February 23 and given the name Jimmie Lanelle.

MOTLEY COUNTY ROAD BONDS AND CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS

The object of this article is to give a correct statement of the actions of the commissioners' court in ordering the recent road bond elections, and the method used in selling the bonds before advertising them for sale.

Article 752b R. C. S. provides, in part, as follows:—"upon the petition of fifty resident property tax paying voters of any county, the commissioners' court of such county, at any regular or special session thereof SHALL order an election to be held in such county to determine whether or not the bonds of such county shall be issued etc."

The terms of this law do not make it optional with the court as to whether or not an election of this kind should be ordered, but they do make it mandatory. The commissioners' court did not, nor could not, order such an election upon its own motion, but when a proper petition, signed by more than fifty resident property tax paying voters of Motley County, was presented to the court, it did order the elections as required by law.

Art. 752J R. C. S. provides, in part, as follows:—"such bonds shall be, by said court, sold to the highest and best bidder for cash, either in whole or in parcels, at not less than their par value etc." This law was complied with to the letter, and these road bonds were sold on a lower rate of interest than any other bonds in the history of Motley County (3¼%).

All the legal proceedings in this bond issue were drawn up by the Honorable W. P. Dumas of Dallas, Texas, one of the most outstanding and best qualified municipal bond attorneys in this state. Neither the ability nor the integrity of Judge Dumas, as a competent bond attorney, is questioned by those who know him personally or by reputation. He is not a member of the firm of Crummer and company who bought the bonds, nor any other like corporation, according to my information, but operates his own office as an independent attorney, and his services are sought by many municipalities. I have a letter in my possession in which Judge Dumas states that there is no law requiring a commissioners' court to advertise for bids for the sale of county bonds; which opinion is also held by our own county attorney. As a matter of fact there have been bonds voted and sold in other counties under exactly the same procedure as were these, and so far as I know, no objection was ever raised to the plan. I trust that this explanation will be sufficient to clarify this matter to the satisfaction of all. But if any one still believes that there was anything irregular, or illegal in this transaction, then it becomes his duty as a good citizen to report his complaint to the grand jury and help them find the facts. I invite such investigation.

CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS

The law provides that it is lawful for persons to make limited contributions, for specific purposes, to the campaign expenses of a candidate for public office. But, except as expressly permitted by law, it is unlawful for any person other than a candidate for nomination in a primary election—to give, pay or expend any money or give anything of value, or promise to give, pay or expend, any money, or authorize any expenditure or assume any pecuniary liability for the purpose of aiding or defeating or helping to defeat the nomination of any candidate for public office in a primary election.

This is a good law because no one should undertake to discharge the duties of a public official when he is handicapped at the beginning by being under financial obligations to any one individual or any group.

W. R. CAMMACK.

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There's no question about it—prices of material and of labor are steadily rising. That's why NOW is the time to plan and to start your farm building program. NOW before prices rise any further, let us help you get started on the construction of modern, efficient farm buildings.

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Do Fire Sirens Give You Jitters?

When you are away from home or your place of business and hear the fire siren, does it scare you stiff, or do you feel somewhat secure in the fact you've got a good old dependable insurance policy to help you, if the property happens to be yours?

LISTEN TO US BEFORE YOU HAVE TO LISTEN TO THE SIREN!

MOTLEY COUNTY INSURANCE CO.
J. R. Whitworth Elmer Stearns

Pied 'Pinions BY MRS. M.

Designers, following the trend of the times, are seeing bright red this season. Red is a danger signal, but it is also a bright note in miladie's costume. Besides that, it blends with blue and white, and the combination keeps patriotism in the mind as well as in the eyes of the public.

This week, from February 21 thru 28, is National Sew and Save Week, and an interesting release was sent out by the National Needle-craft Bureau of New York with timely hints for spring sewing.

It reminds us that war conditions have brought many new recruits to the ranks of home sewers—that the need for conservation and economy in all civilian needs also means more home sewing, both in the creation of new clothes and the repairing and remodeling of old ones, and makes a survey of what's new in sewing materials that will aid the novice dress-maker.

Following are a few of the style notes: "This Spring, more than ever, women will go "all out" for suits. Almost any suit is right, if it suits you. . . Dirndls and gathered skirt dresses are better than ever. . . the new shirtwaist types are more softly tailored than last year, with new details for even greater comfort. Women with jobs in national defense are finding the shirtwaist the ideal uniform. . . Details will be important this spring: Shoulders are up to exciting new tricks—dropped shoulder effects, deep or modified dolmans and a return engagement of the old pet, kimono. "Extended" shoulders are new and will be seen on suits, sports dresses and dinner dresses as well. . . skirt interest will include tiers, pleats, peplums, tunics, draped effects and the peg-top skirt, so slim it has to be slit before you can walk! High brilliant colors will vie with soft pastels. . . best advice is choose the color that does the most for you.

"Keep a weather eye on quality in selecting styles, fabrics and sewing notions for Spring wardrobes. Remember that this year's clothes will have to last a little longer and give greater service. Remember, too, that being well-dressed is a woman's best morale builder, so let your clothes be bright, fresh and charming.

"A woman's greatest contribution to national defense and the war effort is to do her own job well—to keep her family well-fed and well-clothed, to avoid extravagance and prevent waste."

A pantry survey reveals a superfluous quantity of opened packages of breakfast food and other commodities, and after a study of the situation, I am inclined to place the responsibility with the manufacturers. These "Cut along this Line" and follow the arrow directions, undoubtedly create a phobia. I wonder how we ever struggled along in the pre-perforation days.

Rationing of bottled drinks and certain fountain syrups is certainly working a hardship on us "coke" sots. We are amazed, at the number of people who have developed a hardy thirst just since rationing began.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Davis of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Davis of Spur spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Davis.

C. G. and A. B. Gerrells Jr. of Carlsbad New Mexico spent the week end visiting their father A. B. Gerrells Sr., who is ill in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell. Rosalind Mitchell and Roscoe Clark were also here for a visit.

Miss Bess Medlin had as her guests this week her sisters Mrs. W. J. Ely of Snyder, Mrs. A. B. Cranston of Abilene, Mrs. Arla Carpenter and Mrs. C. M. Brown of Lefors and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Medlin of Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Campbell and Mrs. J. A. Browley and Archie Browley were visitors in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon are the parents of a baby girl born Monday. She has been named Randa Judith and her weight was 7½ pounds. The mother is the former Lolla Belle Fletcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Freeman are parents of a son born Saturday in the Nichols Sanatorium Spur.

VISITS COUSIN

Clarence Duncan whose home is in Oklahoma, was here visiting his cousin, Miss Bess Medlin, before leaving America on a merchant convoy to England. He had recently returned to his home from England, where he had been confined in a hospital during the past 3 months due to an injury received when the oil tanker he was on, was bombed.

NEWLY-WEDS VISITING

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Judd of Los Angeles California are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carpenter this week. Mr. and Mrs. Judd, who were married recently, are former Roaring Springs citizens, having been reared here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Judd, and Mrs. Judd is the former Marie Carpenter.

Boots, 10 gallon hats, spurs, and bright shirts will be the style in Fort Worth at opening night performances of the rodeo Friday, March 13, at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show when "Go Western" will be the theme. The Fort Worth Civilian Club, a service group, is sponsoring the "Go Western" contest, with prizes of \$25 and \$10 in defense stamps offered to the two couples which are most typically decked out in Western regalia.

Northfield News

By Mrs. C. D. Kincanon

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Matlock visited Mrs. A. B. Simpson Sunday.

Mr. Y. O. Whatley returned home last week from Quanah where he had been a patient in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Hays and family visited in Wellington Saturday.

A Food for Victory program was held at the school house last Wednesday night. Several speakers from other places were here.

Mrs. Joe Lancaster, teacher in the school here was unable to teach Tuesday on account of the flu.

B. F. and A. B. Simpson and Cecil Hunter went on a fishing trip over the week-end.

Twenty-Mile Belt Made With Cotton

REDDING, Calif.—The world's longest conveyor belt, constructed to carry sand and gravel a distance of 9.6 miles from Redding to the Shasta Dam area on the Sacramento river, is made of cotton.

Made of 42 ounce duck, the belt itself measures 20 miles from end to end and weighs 1,500,000 lbs. It required 500,000 pounds of long staple peeler cotton in its construction. Twice as long as any previously built conveyor belt, it crosses a broken desert country between Redding and the dam, beginning its haul at an elevation of 1490 feet and making delivery at an elevation of 650 feet.

Capacity of the system is 1,100 tons an hour, some of the gravel as heavy as 6-inch cobble. Material will be in transit 40 minutes from end to end, and 4 years of continuous operation will be required to move the total requirements for construction of the dam, estimated at 10,000,000 tons.

The use of cotton in transmission and conveyor belts has been long established and the rubber contained in these belts serves only to fill the interstices of the fabric to avoid internal friction, to hold the plies of duck firm, to form an elastic bond, and to yield higher tractive effort.

Clifford Graves

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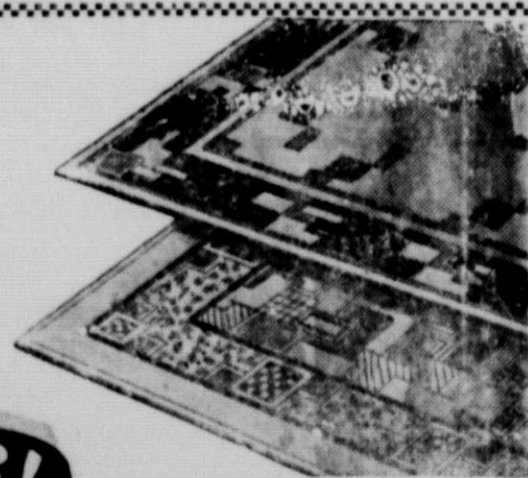
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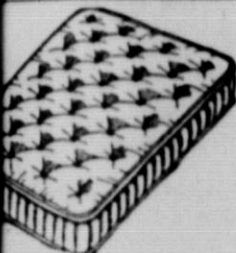


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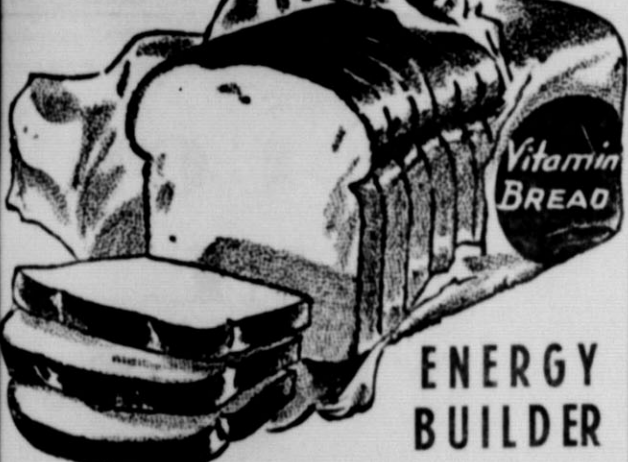
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THE WOMAN'S PAGE

MRS. DOUGLAS MEADOR, Editor

Mrs. F. W. Sanders Is Complimented At Shower Given Wednesday Afternoon

Mrs. F. W. Sanders of Muskogee, Oklahoma, the former Helen Simpson of Matador, was complimented with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon, in the home of Mrs. Clyde Gilbert. Joint hostesses with Mrs. Gilbert were Mesdames Bill Nelson, Curtis Martin and Noble Dirickson.

Mrs. Sanders was not present for the occasion, and her mother, Mrs. Fred G. Simpson, received the gifts. Mrs. Dirickson presided at the Bride's Book.

A lovely hand-crocheted cloth covered the dining table at which guests were served hot tea and cookies.

Registered in the bride's book were the following: Mesdames L. R. Smith, Joe Hall, Bill Wason, Faye Bond, Mollie Wason, Hugh Gray, R. A. Day, Clinton Hobbs, A. P. Hodges, John Hamilton, D. E. Pitts, Tutt Garnett, G. E. Hamilton, R. P. Moore, Harry Willett, George Birchfield, M. S. Patton, Noble Groves, Frank Pohl, Jack Catlin, Leland Timmons, Wilson Barton, D. I. W. Birnie, Curtis King, W. N. Pipkin, M. P. Fulkerson, Clayton Barton, H. H. Schweitzer, T. J. Daffern, A. A. Groves, Lois Smart, W. F. Jacobs.

Mesdames John Russell, Jimmie Worsham, Cecil Pickin, Bodie Brown, L. R. Bishop, Jack Luckett Jr., R. E. Campbell Jr., Albert Traweek Jr., Bill McCaghen, H. S. Watson, A. J. Daffern, Julian Edmondson, Mike Hoyle, Pat Sheridan, H. H. Courtney, Harry Campbell, J. W.

Lawrence, Earl Laughlin, David Guest, Henry Ford, J. R. Whitworth, Ben Meador, B. F. Tunnell, B. C. Cox, Don Martin, Jim Cooper and Hart Harris.

Misses Billie Lawrence, Marue Williams, Hattie Tee Groves, Ruth Groves, Ethel and Ona Jameson, Allie Barton, Kathleen Sparks, Roberta and Mabel Jameson, Maxine Greene, Audie Moore and Zenobia Haney.

Church Circle Meets For Study

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the church for a study from the book "Christian Roots of Democracy in America".

Mrs. Annie Tudor read an interesting article entitled, "America's war and America's Peace." Chapters from the study book were discussed by Mesdames H. H. Schweitzer, Tom Tilson, Homer Sheats and Marvin Vaughn.

Those present were: Mesdames W. Y. Higgins, R. P. Moore, F. M. Jenkins, G. E. Hamilton Miss Zona Ruth Scaff and those appearing on the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acker, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson and Miss Ruth Groves, visited relatives and friends in Sweetwater over the week end.

Farewell Party Is Given Mrs. Bolton

Mrs. Scott Bolton was honored at a party given Saturday evening in the home of Mrs. G. S. Craven, as a token of esteem for the years of association in church and lodge work.

Joint hostesses with Mrs. Craven were Mesdames Ed Cammack, Clarence Kifer, Cecil Shelton, Clyde Gilbert, Elbert Seigler and Earl Laughlin.

A short program was given, which included a song by three members of Mrs. Bolton's Sunday School class, Earlene Laughlin, Chareen Ketchersid and Ruth Evelyn Shelton, an expression of appreciation by Mrs. Laughlin, and a reading of a poem on friendship, by Mrs. Kifer. Mrs. Bolton was then presented several lovely gifts.

Refreshments of hot tea and cookies were served the following guests: Mesdames Harmon Mills, Bill Wason, W. E. Reeves, Elbert Reeves, A. A. Tipton, Ben Meador, Buford Hobbs, Annie Tudor, W. M. Joslin, W. Y. Higgins, and A. D. (Mother) Burleson, Miss Mary Keith, Earlene Laughlin, Chareen Ketchersid, Ruth Evelyn Shelton, and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Bolton left this week to make their home on their farm near Quitaque. They will be greatly missed by their many associates in church and lodge work here.

Mrs. G. S. Craven, accompanied by her son, J. D. Craven, visited in Amarillo Monday and Tuesday.

W. M. U. TO HAVE ALL-DAY PRAYER PROGRAM MONDAY

The Baptist W. M. U. will hold an all-day meeting Monday with a special program for March Week of Prayer for Home Missions.

The program will begin at 10:45 o'clock with Mrs. Ed Cammack as leader of the morning session. Mrs. Cammack will also bring the devotional service followed by the hymn "Am I A Soldier of the Cross."

Mrs. J. A. Groves will discuss "Our National Covenant", and Mrs. R. E. Campbell, "Keeping Our Covenant through Home Missions." Following a prayer and hymn, Mrs. Elbert Seigler will speak on "Choked Channels and New Channels" and Mrs. G. S. Craven on the subject, "Turbulent Channels and a Spring of Living Water."

A covered-dish luncheon, to be furnished by the ladies, will be served in the basement at the noon hour.

Mrs. Doss Is Leader
Mrs. Vernon Doss will be leader of the afternoon program which she will open with a devotional, followed by prayer and a hymn.

"Appeals for Prayer—Reaching the Chinese in El Paso," will be discussed by Mrs. Elbert Reeves; "Answers to Prayer for the Indians," Mrs. Earl Laughlin; "For Young Indian Converts," Mrs. Vernon Chambliss; "For Mexican Work in the Southwest," Mrs. A. A. Tipton; "At Italian Missions in Kansas City," Mrs. M. P. Fulkerson; "Many Nationalities in East St. Louis," Mrs. Clarence Kifer; "The Deaf May Hear the Good News," Mrs. Bill McCaghen; "Through Her Sorrow," Mrs. V. J. Skaggs.

Prayer and hymns will be interspersed thru the program which will conclude with an ingathering of offering and closing prayer by Mother Burleson.

Wallace, N. C. claims to be the largest strawberry market in the world. In the United States national forests, deer have increased 210% in the last 15 years. The Biblical "Rose of Sharon" is not a rose, but a tulip.

Methodist Church Completes Course

Study of a book "The Methodist Meeting House" sponsored by the General Board of Missions and Church Extension of the Church in the United States, was completed Wednesday evening by the membership of the Methodist Church here. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the study.

A church banquet was held in the basement of the church Thursday evening of last week, as a prelude to the course of study. Around sixty members attended.

An interesting program, embracing a history of the local church given by G. E. Hamilton, was given at the banquet. Other features of the program were special music by Jolene Bloodworth and Frances Schweitzer; a reading by Mrs. J. R. Whitworth and special selections by the choir.

A unique part of the program was the building of a little brown log church with a high steeple, followed by the choir singing, "The Church in the Wilderness." The carpenters and contractors building the church were Frances Schweitzer, Jolene Bloodworth and Betty Price, superintended by Mrs. Tom Tilson.

The program was given under the auspices of the local Board of Missions and Church Extensions, composed of Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, Chairman, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Vaughn, Henry Solomon, Mrs. Tom Tilson, J. R. Whitworth, Henry Pipkin, Dorothy Wason, and W. F. Jacobs.

Services Sunday night were devoted to a discussion of the book by the pastor.

Monday evening, Prof. Vernon Doss gave an interesting review on "The Rise of Church Extension," and Tuesday evening Don Martin discussed "Church Expanding" in a very attractive manner. Wednesday evening, the last two chapters of the book devoted to "Church Extension and the Future," were discussed by Miss Zona Beth Faulkner.

A cheerful old bear at the zoo Could always find something to do, When it bored him you know To walk to and fro, He reversed it, and walked fro and to.

FLOMOT BRIDE IS SHOWER HONOREE

Mrs. Clifford Bristow of Los Angeles, California, was honoree at a shower Friday afternoon, February 20, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. M. C. Washington, at Flomot. Hostesses were Misses Mae Von Weems, Geraldine Ellis, Mary Yvonne Martin, Sue McDonald, Evelyn Martin and Weirline Morris.

Mrs. Bristow, who was before her marriage January 24 at Las Vegas, Nevada, the former Wanda Morris, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morris of Flomot.

Those present and sending gifts were: Mrs. Ralph Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Tanner, Mrs. Jim Williams and Dorothy, Miss Irene Ham, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Clary, Gasoline, Mesdames A. S. Morris, C. S. Washington, Bill Morris, Edith Washington, Frank Garrett, Harley Gunn, Dick Washington, Clarence Turpin, Bud Morris, M. C. Washington, Bob Morris and L. A. Washington; Misses Bonnie Ruth Crowell, Ernestine Wagon, Florea Washington, Linda Griffith, Nola Pearl Moseley and the hostesses.

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W. M. U. PROGRAM GIVEN MONDAY

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the church for a Royal Service program and general business meeting.

The Henrietta Shuck Circle gave the program on the subject, "Think on these things, Whatso-

ever things are Honest. Elbert Seigler was leader of the program with parts given by Mesdames Vernon Doss, Earl Laughlin, Cecil Shelton and L. A. Kerson.

Following the program Clarence Kifer took charge and conducted a business meeting. Others present were: Mrs. T. E. Cammack, L. R. Hamilton, Groves and V. J. Skaggs.

Mrs. Seigler Is Club Hostess

Mrs. Elbert Seigler was hostess and leader of the program of the Sorosis Club met in the Wednesday afternoon of last week. Roll call was: Facts from Digest.

The program, which was read from the Reader's Digest, led to a discussion on preparing oneself for the war situation. Mrs. Harold Jones, and the author of a story by Mrs. Edmondson.

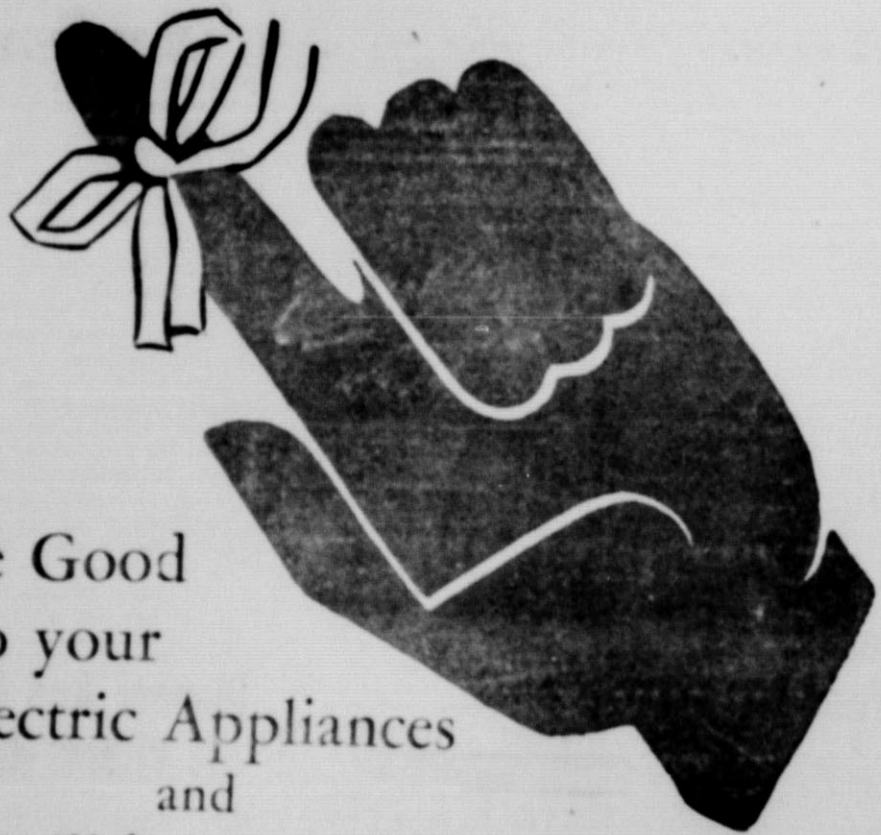
Others present were: Mrs. Henry Solomon, Ben Edmondson and John Hamilton.

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POLITICAL Announcements

We are authorized to announce the following names for public office, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1942.

- For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District: L. D. Ratliff, Jr.
For County Judge and Ex-Office County Superintendent: W. R. Cammack, re-election
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: H. H. (Cy) Courtney, re-election
For County and District Clerk: R. A. (Dick) Seay, re-election
For County Treasurer: Mrs. Tutt Garnett, re-election; Lula Carpenter
For County Attorney: Howard Traweek, re-election
For Commissioner, Precinct One: J. S. Lambert, re-election
For Commissioner Precinct Two: Malcolm Jameson, re-election
For Commissioner Precinct 3: A. B. Simpson, re-election
For Commissioner Precinct 4: H. L. Smith, re-election

Whiteflat News

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Day of Dallas visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Bertha Garrison, Sunday February 22nd. Mrs. F. Z. Martin visited the past week in the homes of her daughters, Mrs. R. M. Mayfield, Ropesville, Texas and Mrs. Coy Morehead, Amarillo, Texas. Miss Ida Belle Armstrong is on the sick list this week.

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POULTRY . . .

(Continued From Front Page)

counties surrounding Dallas and Tarrant, was third with \$5,889,000. Lavaca, bordering on Fayette but in Extension District 10, was second among the counties with an income of \$930,500, and Williamson in District 8 was third with \$677,250.

Poultry demonstrators' records from over the state showed an average production of 158.3 eggs per hen, compared with 154.1 in 1940 and 175.7 in 1938. The average price for eggs was 22.7 in 1941, compared with 24.5 in 1930, 23.4 in 1934 and 19.7 in 1940. In 1941 the feed cost per hen was \$1.23 compared with \$1.20 the preceding year, \$1.72 in 1930 and \$1.52 in 1938. The payoff, however, is revealed in the income above feed cost per hen. In 1941 it was \$1.74, the highest since 1930 when it was exceeded by 6 cents. The comparable figure for 1940 was \$1.33.

Texas hatcheries operated longer than usual during 1941 and set an all-time high for chick sales in the late spring months.

Breeders had a larger demand for starting pullets than ever before, the specialists say. There were 57 hatcheries and breeders participating in the National Poultry Improvement plan, and 784 flocks totaling 109,685 birds were in the Approved Breeding Stage. Three hundred flocks were U. S. Approved, pullorum tested.

Since establishment of sulphur as a valuable preventive of coccidiosis in young chicks, county agricultural agents have given an increasing number of demonstrations in its use for several years. In 1941 they conducted 1,499 demonstrations involving 202,728 chickens.

Turkey producers in 1941 marketed the best grade ever shipped out of the state, the specialists declare. The 8,000 flock owners reported using broadbreasted males in their flocks, and that they sold 750,000 hatching eggs. A turkey grading school and a three weeks turkey short course at A. and M. College were attended by a large number of producers.

PROCLAMATION

DESIGNATING MARCH 1 THRU MARCH 6 AS TEXAS WEEK WHEREAS, the approach of Texas Independence Day and Alamo Day herald a week of deep significance and profound meaning in the minds and hearts of all Texans; and WHEREAS, I am prompted by the patriotic members of the Forty-Second Legislature, as expressed in Senate Concurrent Resolution Number Eight, and by my own feelings of love, loyalty, and patriotism toward my State; NOW THEREFORE, I, G. T. Edwards, Mayor of the City of Matador Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of March 1 through March 6, 1942, as TEXAS WEEK

I urge all citizens of this municipality and of Texas to observe Texas Week in an appropriate manner. No one of us will fail to cherish the rich heritage which our founders and forefathers prepared for us of this generation.

During this week let us make much of the spiritual values of our history and of our traditions. Let us dedicate our lives afresh to ideals of statesmanship, character, leadership, and service. Let us make it possible as did our forebears, for our own future generations to enjoy liberty of conscience, of speech, of the press, of worship, of public assembly, and all the other liberties which we cherish.

In this critical hour when democracy, even civilization itself, is at stake, it is more than ever fitting to commemorate the glorious deeds of those who laid the cornerstone of the Texas Empire. Let us prove ourselves not unworthy of the incomparable heritage left to us by pioneers and martyrs.

What they fought for in the past we are determined to hold. Remember Goliath. Remember the Alamo. REMEMBER PEARL HARBOR. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of my Office to be impressed hereon at Matador, Texas, this 23 day of February, A. D., 1942.

G. T. EDWARDS Mayor Of Matador, Texas

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. M. Bourland and Mrs. Scott Bolton spent Monday afternoon in Floydada shopping.

Scott Bolton transacted business in Quitaque Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe McMahan and family of McLean, are visiting relatives and friends here.

Mrs. A. A. Groves, with her son Bill, and daughters, Mesdames Lois Smart and Kate Stanley, the latter of Pampa, also her granddaughter, Dorothy Nelson drove to Seminole, Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White and son.

Mesdames U. L. Willie Leonora Luckett and M. J. Reilly, visited in Plainview Saturday as guests of Mrs. J. K. Crews, formerly of Matador.

Mesdames Lula Carpenter, W. T. Patton Jr. and A. P. Hodges, made a trip to Amarillo Monday.

M. C. Greene of Roswell, New Mexico, visited here over the week end with his family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Newman made a trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday of last week.

Mesdames Henry Ford and J. R. Whitworth, were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and daughter, Billie, visited in El Paso, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Day of Dallas, visited his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Day, over the week end.

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LEWIS NEWMAN At Malador Hatchery

Keith Patton, Texas Tech student, visited here Saturday and Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Patton. Mrs. Curtis King spent the week-end in Fort Worth with Mr. King, who is employed there.

DEATH RATE FROM WHOOPING COUGH SHOWS INCREASE

Speaking of whooping cough and the need for controlling this childhood disease, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, said today, that the death rate from whooping cough in the United States increased in 1941, almost 33% over the rate for 1940.

"The only source from which whooping cough may be contracted is another case of whooping cough," he stated, "and isolation of cases must be universally practiced to prevent spread of the disease."

The infectious agent or germ of whooping cough is transmitted by droplets expelled in coughing, sneezing or speaking. Doctor Cox said, The discharges from the nose and throat are dangerous; the need for early recognition and careful isolation of whooping cough is obvious.

The first sign of this disease is usually a dry cough, which persists night and day and tends to become more severe. The disease is fully developed when vomiting of food and whoop accompany the paroxysm of cough. Dr. Cox stressed the fact that children who have whooping cough must not attend school or come in contact with other children, until three weeks after the appearance of typical signs of the disease.

"Prevention and control of whooping cough especially among infants and small children, may be accomplished thru use of approved vaccine and convalescent serum," Dr. Cox asserted, "and it is important to the child's health that such measures be taken to protect him."

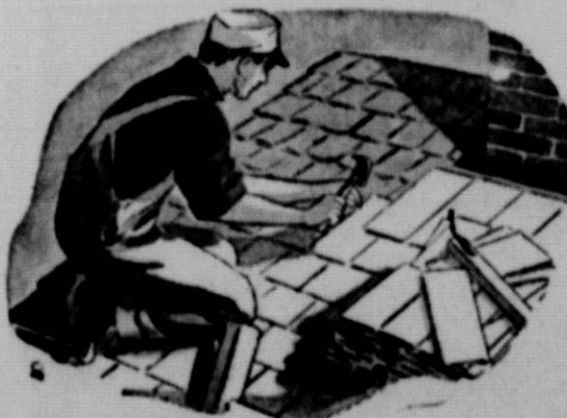
Tax On Margarine Declared Unfair By Cotton Leader

MEMPHIS—"The tax on oleomargarine is unfair to the cotton producer and should be removed at all costs," Charles G. Henry, chairman of the National Cotton Council's section on trade barriers and penalties, declared in a renewed attack on state and federal margarine taxes.

In an address before the Memphis Agricultural Club, Mr. Henry stated that oleomargarine is the only food product in the United States which has this obnoxious tax and in many places the nation's taxes on oleomargarine are so great as to prevent its sale.

Taking a stand against the dairy and butter people who have attacked margarine, causing national and state laws to be passed restricting its use, Mr. Henry pointed out that in many instances they have created in the minds of the public the thought that margarine is not a good food product. "The truth is that oleomargarine is a healthy, nutritious product and just as clean and sanitary as butter. It is made principally from vegetable products and it is reasonable to assume that, from a sanitary standpoint, it is better than a product made from animal fat," Mr. Henry stated.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Z. Martin of Whiteflat announce the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Fred Boumwart of Omaha, Nebraska. The marriage vows were read February 7, 1942 at 8 o'clock p.m. in the First Methodist Church of Omaha.

Mrs. Boumwart is a graduate of Matador High School, and also of Fleming Business College of Amarillo, Texas.

"Under the Federal Food and Drug Act, between 1930 and 1938, there were 1528 notices of judgments against butter manufacturers and only five notices of judgments against margarine manufacturers. These judgments were for violations of the law in regard to impurities, short weights, adulterations and other similar things," voiced Mr. Henry in retort to statements made by the dairy interests continually referring to violations of the oleomargarine laws.

The cottonseed oil used in margarine during the year 1941 was equal to all he oil from 916,000 bales of cotton," he said. "The sale of margarine keeps up the price of cottonseed oil and every time we can raise the price of cottonseed oil one cent a pound, it means \$3.15 per ton increase in the price of cottonseed."

"Margarine is not a poor man's food just because it sells for approximately half the price of butter," Mr. Henry said, "it is good enough for anybody who will give it a fair trial."

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ROPE EXPORT IS LOW

Cowboys at the South Exposition and Fat Stock Exposition will be ready to "hand you a lead" in Fort Worth when you start mknkeying ropes. Rodeo Manager Elliott had to scour the country to dig up enough suitable to equip for this year. Most of the lariats used are of hemp, which comes from Philippine Islands, and General Douglas McArthur is all he can to keep the export of ropes in the right now.

CITATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: J. B. Rice GREETINGS

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock of the first Monday after expiration of 42 days from date of issuance of this Citation, same being Monday the 23rd of March, A. D., 1942, at 10 o'clock A. M. before Honorable District Court, Matador County, at the Court House, Matador, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition filed on the 2nd day of February, 1942.

The file number of said being No. 1115.

The names of the plaintiff and J. B. Rice defendant. The nature of said being substantially as follows:

Plaintiff sues defendant for divorce on the grounds of treatment and for custody of three minor children.

Issued this 3rd day of February, 1942. Given under seal of said Court, at Matador, Texas, this 26th of February, A. D., 1942.

R. A. Seay, Clerk, Court, Motley County, Texas 2-5-42

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