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MAIL DUST

By GLAS MEADOR



My reflexes have equal ratio to a small Coach Whip across my path a few days ago, causing me to jump about two feet. The urge arrested by the absence

of hooks in the room's were painted over in a brush marks of hasty application of the same. Much of the original design had vanished under the wintery's strata of smoke. In places the injured skin left without the floor, scrubbed clean, was worn and a snuff glass vase of adorned the simple on the small table. A up hung on the chair, his in the bed. From the kitchen and dining room and the aroma of and biscuits; sound of footsteps, hurrying.

men court visions of with bouquets of wax

the brassy horizon lay read of smoke, motion- heat that swelled the on rolling hills. White raked about the horses' and in spots where the and their flanks. The dish- board turned out of and made new tracks brown grass, in the di- of the doorway of dugout, watching the approach. The tall, stoop- stepped to the ground, the reins around the hub, then lifted his hat. The woman went back the room house and re- with a syrup bucket half water, about which a moist flour sack. The dipper was floating on the man drank a of water slowly. A cow wing in the brush corral dugout. Presently there the sounds of a wagon's and chain harness rat- the team hitched to the whinnied as the wagon precious cargo of water. The driver of the book hands with the and they watered the the thirsty cow. The of third marshalled and unity essential in of the west.

er of rain drops falling smoothly into the fabric

rain has left a lavish in the still night that and dreams from their able beds. Outside my numberless insects batter against the screen in reach the light. Some fall and unable to rise, others with greater force and try perhaps it is but a pattern. We mortals also struggle against the light of the stars. Some splendid as close yet forever reach. My own ambi- be as empty in unful- those of the tiny moth finally reached the light.

weak hope to recover by denying weakness.

A traveler passed my toward the sunset awareness of a long jour- on his face. The old and like a spurred horse the group of children seat. A baby carriage and to the back of the car organized R.F.D. mail box to the front bumper.

with its delicate bor- silver clouds, was as a simple, exquisite and tem- storm hawks slit the thick air while stars opened high widows cautiously. rich, grey robes, kneel the precarious throne and the world in supplication.

Pfc. Clyde Smallwood Awarded Purple Heart

Daring Escape Is Made From Japs On Bougainville

(Special to the Tribune)

With the 37th Army Division on Bougainville Island—A former Texas rancher, wounded when trapped in a clever Japanese ambush nine miles beyond friendly lines recently, pulled a stunt right under the enemy's nose that allowed him to escape back to friendly lines on this jungled Solomon's stronghold.

He is Private First Class Clyde A. Smallwood, 20, of Matador, Texas, who was a member of a patrol caught in the Nips' trap. He received mortar fragment wounds in the right leg and as a result was awarded the Purple Heart Medal at a hospital here.

The patrol had been sent out deep in Jap-land to secure information on the remnants of a force of several thousand Nips that unsuccessfully had tried to break through U. S. defense to capture air strips a month previously.

About three miles beyond the base camp the leading element of the patrol spotted Japs ahead and within 30 seconds the enemy had two light and one heavy machine guns firing, pinning the men to



Only cover the men had was behind rocks in the creek bed where they were trapped.

Waits For Darkness

Shortly thereafter the Japs started dropping mortar shells in the creek bed and one of the first caused Smallwood's injury. Here he had to stay because every time anyone moved, the Nips would open fire with machine guns splattering bullets and rock splinters all over the place. Throughout the day various members of the

(See SMALLWOOD page 8)

Woman Bitten By Enraged Dog Is Not Endangered

Mrs. Riley Riggsby, bitten severely on the left arm by an enraged dog last week, is not endangered by rabies, Dr. A. C. Traweck Sr., declared yesterday. The dog was killed immediately after it had bitten Mrs. Riggsby, and its head sent to Austin for examination. Dr. Traweck said the report declared the dog's head did not show rabies.

Bond Drive Plans Are Completed

Plans for Motley county's 5th War Loan bond drive are completed, according to Elmer Stearns county chairman. The drive, which is scheduled to start throughout the nation on Monday, June 12, has assigned a quota of \$175,000 for this county.

Mr. Stearns said that volunteer workers, many of them badly needed in their fields and businesses, had cheerfully contributed the time necessary to bring the drive to a speedy and successful conclusion. It is a general opinion that less effort will be required on this drive since every person in the county is well acquainted with the necessity of buying bonds. Also it is believed that consideration will be given to the workers, and that the citizenship will come forward and buy to the limit of their abilities without being solicited.

Receives Wings



Ensign Alvie Norman Harp, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Harp of Matador, who graduated on May 10, from the Naval Training Center, Corpus Christi, and was commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve, which earned for him, the privilege of wearing the famous "Wings of Gold."

Ensign Harp began his winged career at Baker, California, in civilian pilot training, going from there to Del Monte, California for pre-flight instructions. He received his primary training at Norman, Oklahoma, advanced, at Corpus Christi and is now receiving training at Melbourne, Fla.

Before enlisting in the Naval Reserves, December 15, 1942, he was employed by Lockheed Aircraft Corporation, in Los Angeles, California. He is a former student of Texas Technological College, Lubbock.

Matador Teachers Re-elected

Recent Matador Independent School board meeting elected the following teachers for the 1944-45 term: Superintendent B. F. Tunnell Principal Gordon Gatewood. Home - Making department Miss Zona Beth Faulkner, Mathematics Miss Ione Gideon, Social science (history) Mrs. Chas. Keith.

Vernon Doss was re-elected as principal of the grade school with the following faculty: Mrs. Melvin Meason 8th grade, Miss Thessia Godfrey 7th grade, Miss Lela Carpenter 6th grade, Mrs. Mae W. McKenzie 5th grade, Mrs. Vernon Doss 4th grade, Miss Amy Glenn 3rd grade, Miss Verlin Reeves 2nd grade and Mrs. Vance Gilbert 1st grade.

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth was re-elected as expression teacher and Mrs. Homer Kingery as music teacher.

Dewey Rattan On Faculty

All teachers accepted places with the exception of Mrs. Chas. Keith, who declined, leaving the social science position open.

Dewey Rattan, superintendent of Bradshaw public schools, was elected to fill Mrs. Keith's place. Mr. Rattan was reared in Motley county and was head of the Flomot schools for four years where he achieved high school accrediting for the community. He is of outstanding character and ability and will be great asset to the local school system.

Mr. Rattan holds the Bachelor of Science degree from Baylor University, with a major in mathematics and a minor in science.

Summer Courses Are Announced

All students who are interested in courses in summer school are requested to meet at the school building Friday morning, June 2 at 10:30, for the purpose of registering. Further announcements concerning the classes to be held will be made at that time.

An adult class in Home Economics is also announced, and all ladies of the community interested in taking this course will meet Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock in the homemaking department in the high school building. Miss Zona Beth Faulkner will conduct the course.

Miss Faulkner is also conducting a summer project work for high school homemaking students who met Tuesday afternoon to begin their projects. They will also meet next Thursday afternoon, and once a week thereafter until the course is completed.

DR. ERNEST LITTLE IS ACCOMPANIED BY NIECE

Dr. R. Ernest Little, Methodist minister from London, England, who spoke at the Methodist church here Sunday, was accompanied by his niece, Miss Dorothy Cook. At the present, they are residing at Floydada. They spent several days here as the guests of Judge and Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, and also of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tilson. They have been making their home in Canada and the United States for the past several years.

The Atlantic Ocean lies west of the Pacific at Panama.

Mill Iron Pays \$10,000 for Bull

This week Lafayette M. Hughes paid \$10,000 to add C R Chief Domino 67th, leading young bull from the Colvert Hereford Ranch at Mill Creek, Oklahoma, to his great herd of registered cattle.

The young bull was purchased, Mr. Hughes said, because his blood lines go back to the blood lines upon which the Mill Iron herd was built. His pedigree goes back to Dandy Domino 2 and the Mill Iron herd was built direct from descendants of such outstanding sires as Dominator, Dandy Domino 2, and Mischief Mixer 28. Even as important in the consideration of the young bull as a herd sire was the fact that both his sire and dam con-

sistently get quality and uniformity in their offsprings.

The Colvert Ranch, headed by Paul Colvert of Wichita Falls had intended to show the newest addition to the Mill Iron herd in the national shows next fall. It was their expectation, Frances Hill, herdman said, that the young bull would establish national records equally as good as his full brothers and sisters.

A full brother, C R Chief 19th was twice winner of the Chicago International. In 1939 he was awarded first prize as senior calf. In 1941, he was first prize winner in the two year old class at the Chicago International. This same year, he was first prize winner in (continued on back page)

General Rainfall Over Panhandle

Bank To Observe Holiday Saturday

First State Bank of Matador will be closed Saturday, in observance of Jefferson Davis' birthday, a recognized national holiday, officials have announced.

Merchants, other businessmen and customers are urged to keep the announcement in mind and transact their business today and Friday.

Sights On Japs



HARLEY HILL IS CITED FOR ATTACK ON WAKE ISLAND

Little brown men of Japan are "duck soup" for Harley R. Hill, Aviation Ordnanceman 2nd Class, United States Naval Reserve, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill of Matador.

He has recently been awarded the Air Medal and a personal citation, written and signed by C. W. Nimitz, Admiral of the U. S. fleet in the Pacific, for his participation in attacks on Jap held Wake Island.

The letterhead of the citation bears this wording: "United States Pacific Fleet, Flagship of the Commander - in Chief." The message is as follows: (signed personally by Admiral Nimitz)

"For meritorious achievement while participating in the aerial flight during one low-level and two medium altitude heavy bombing attacks upon Wake Island, 30 January and 11 February 1944, at night opposed by anti-aircraft fire after extremely long range flights to the target in formation. By the skillful and accurate use of his equipment, a high percentage of hits upon the target resulted. His conduct throughout was in keeping with highest traditions of the naval service."

All-Day Canning To Be Held Monday

An all-day canning project will be held Monday, June 5th, at the high school, in the cooking laboratory of the Homemaking department, sponsored by the Matador Parent-Teacher Association for the school lunch room.

Sourkraut, which had previously been put down in brine, will be canned in glass jars. The canning of the kraut is under the supervision of Miss Lois Jo Bentley, county home demonstration agent. Mrs. Von Muse, chairman of the P. T. A. canning committee is in charge of the canning, with Mrs. O. Calloway, Miss Mary Keith and Mrs. Leonard Henson, who were in charge of the school this year, assisting.

All ladies of the community are requested to assist in the canning, and especially those who have children attending Matador public schools. Heretofore assistance in the lunch room canning projects has been very light, and it will be greatly appreciated if more women will assist. Although the lunch room will not receive government aid next year, it is the desire of the association to serve the same high type of well balanced meals for 15 cents. In order to do this, more food will need to be canned through the summer, it was pointed out.

VISITS AUNT HERE

Cpl. Merrick Gibson of Paducah, visited here last week with his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Moore. He recently returned home on a furlough after serving more than two years in the Southwest Pacific with an engineer unit.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Farmers Active With Planting In Full Swing

General rainfall over the Texas Panhandle Friday afternoon relieved the threatened drought condition during the crucial planting season and improved the outlook for wheat on the plains and some areas of Motley county.

The slow rain which started here Friday afternoon and continued through the night, measured a total of one inch according to the rain gauges maintained by the City of Matador and George Springer. The precipitation was much heavier in some areas of the county according to reports, with some estimates as much as two inches.

The planting season is now in full swing and reports have been received that some farmers are operating tractors at night in order to destroy the rapidly growing weed crop and to get cotton and feed crops in the ground while a good season prevails.

The rain fell slowly and was not accompanied by wind nor electrical display. Continued cloudiness indicates more rain may follow within the next few days, to still further improve the farming outlook.

While the rain fell so slowly that few earth tanks received water, ranchers declare the range condition is greatly improved and that grass is growing rapidly.

Faculty Members Leave For Visits

Faculty members of the Matador schools, are visiting relatives and friends elsewhere this week, with two having left for the summer.

Miss Thessia Godfrey is visiting in Paducah before going to Canyon where she will spend some time this summer. Miss Ione Gideon has returned to her home at Terrell for the summer and Miss Zona Beth Faulkner spent the week-end with her parents at Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doss and family left Wednesday for Brownwood, where their son George will be enrolled at Howard - Payne college. They will visit relatives there and at Dublin and DeLeon before returning home.

Miss Verlin Reeves left Sunday for Abilene, where she will spend two weeks. Miss Lela Carpenter expects to be away for the summer and Mrs. Melvin Meason, accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thelma Crites and a cousin, Ralph Cooper of Roaring Springs, left Tuesday morning for Dallas, to visit Mrs. Crites' sister, Mrs. J. R. Murray.

Young People At McMurry Assembly

Jolene Bloodworth, Frances Schweitzer, Gladys Marie Springer, and James Garth left Sunday for Abilene, where they are attending annual Young People's Assembly at McMurry College. They will return home Saturday, June 3rd.

The group attending the meeting will give reports of the Abilene assembly next Sunday morning at the Church School hour, at the local Methodist church.

Everyone is urged to be on time (10:00 o'clock) in order to hear the report.

BREAKS ARM

Hal Courtney, son of Sheriff and Mrs. H. H. Courtney suffered a broken arm at the shoulder, on Monday afternoon when the "Johnson bar" of a fressno he was operating, fell, striking his left shoulder. The accident occurred on the W. E. Burleson ranch near Flomot, where young Courtney has been employed.

LEAVE FOR OREGON

L. O. V. Johnson was here last week to accompany his wife and young son, Jon Stewart, back to Portland, Oregon, where he is stationed. They left Friday, accompanied by Mrs. Johnson's mother, Mrs. J. R. Berryman, who will visit there for two weeks.

TO ABILENE

Miss Frances Carpenter, who spent the week-end here, was accompanied on her return to Abilene Sunday morning, by her sister, Miss Lela Carpenter and father, W. W. Carpenter. They attended Baccalaureate services there at Hardin-Simmons University, the former being a member of the graduating class. They returned home Monday.

Northfield Group Stages Home-Going

A "Home-Going" was staged Thursday evening by a group of Northfield residents who have made their home here during the school year and who will return to their homes at Northfield when school is out this week. The affair was a picnic supper at the Virginia Watlon Willie wayside park south of town and was held, as reported, "from 7:00 till too late."

"Supper consisted of all the good things country gals and boys like; such as red beans, cornbread sorghum molasses, fat bacon, hot onions, sour pickles, thick-n-gravy and cistern water.

"Natives attending were: Mrs. W. E. Thomas and son Billie Dan, Mrs. Delmont Hays and children, Jerry and Joaquin; La Juana and Charles Payne; Mrs. A. B. Simpson, with Yvonna, Ida May and A. B. Jr., Tommy Moore, Wayne Timmons and Dale Ashford.

"Former Northfield residents present were: Mr. and Mrs. Colquet Warren and family, Joan, John and Jerry; Mrs. Royce Florence, Wilda Joan and Nellie Jean Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope and daughters, June and Shirley and

Mrs. Laila Duncan of Matador. Unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wells and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Skidmore.

"Guests attending were: Wilma Fay Smith, Grace Evelyn Shelton, Ruby and Cora May Bostick and Marcia Ann Gilbert of Matador.

"After the picnic supper, the children played games, the men discussed the coming rain, and the women ran true to form and gossiped. All reported a nice time, and after the lunch boxes were packed away, the children were transported to Mrs. Simpson's home in north Matador, where Jacky and Yvonna entertained them with a play party."

In Appreciation

"We wish to take this opportunity to express our thanks and gratitude to the businessmen and our friends and acquaintances for the kindness shown our many school children during this school term in Matador."—Reporter.

VISITS SISTER

Vernon Barkley of Brownwood, arrived here Monday for an unexpected visit with his sister, Mrs. G. S. Craven and family. He was accompanied by his wife and their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Barkley and daughter Janie.

FLOMOT SENIOR CLASS CALENDAR

May 5, Senior trip to Carlsbad Caverns, sponsored by Miss Marian Duren and Mrs. Vanita Lee Standefer, teachers; and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. (Red) Moss, Parent-sponsors.

May 12, Senior play, "No Fooling."

May 25, Junior-Senior banquet, school gymnasium.

May 28, Baccalaureate.

June 2, Commencement.

Motto: "Will To Win".

Colors: Maroon and White.

Flower: Carnation.

Class roll includes Orville Washington Jr., and Richard Turner, in addition to those appearing in the class picture.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. Bruce Freeman and Curtice Goodwin were called to Wichita Falls Saturday on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. E. B. Goodwin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goodwin have returned to Roaring Springs to make their home, after spending two months visiting in Central Texas.

Mrs. June Floyd of Dallas, is visiting her brother, Joe Gipson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stewart had as their guests last week, their daughters, Mrs. Robbie Ellis of Alice; Mrs. Kathryn Avery of Ft. Worth, Mrs. A. P. Hodges, Plainview, Mrs. Alice Burns of Slade, and their granddaughter, Mrs. Margaret White of Dallas.

Joyce Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith, is recovering an appendectomy in a Plainview hospital.

Mrs. T. W. Elam of Fabens, is visiting her mothers, Mrs. Betty Hinson and other relatives here this week.

REMODELING CHURCH

Work began Monday on a remodeling program which is being made toward improving the First Baptist Church of Roaring Springs. A baptistry and two class rooms are being built and much needed repair work is being done.

Mrs. E. B. Stephens and daughter, Mrs. E. D. Lawrence and son Ronny, spent the week-end in Plainview visiting relatives.

WANT ADS

PERMANENT WAVE, 59¢! Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praised by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied.—City Drug Store.

3-30; 6-1

"PIANOS, PIANOS, PIANOS!"—Another car load just arrived, includes one new Mirra piano, one new Portable Organ, one Wurlitzer baby-grand, 30 used uprights, excellent condition. Easy payments. Mary L. Spence 708 Broadway, Plainview, Texas. 6-1

FOR SALE—High bred turkey eggs. Ten for \$1.50 at my home. Mrs. W. P. Cooper, Roaring Springs.

Boys In The Service

Pvt. Raymond Kingery of Camp Phillips, Kansas, is home on furlough, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Kingery of Darden Canyon community.

Lt. Dan Darsey of Camp Carson, Colorado, left Tuesday to return to his base, after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Darsey and other relatives near Flomot and in Matador during the past week.

S-Sgt. W. W. McDowell and Mrs. McDowell of Dodge City, Kansas, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Cammack and other relatives.

IN QUANAH HOSPITAL

Mrs. Vernon Latimer is a patient in the Quannah Hospital, morning after having been suddenly stricken late Saturday. She underwent major surgery Monday evening, and Mr. Latimer who accompanied her, advised his son, Murrell, by phone that she was resting satisfactorily.

TO KANSAS

Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner left Monday to join her husband, a lieutenant in the Army Air Forces at Topeka, Kansas. Mrs. Baumgardner arrived here Sunday night from El Paso, and was accompanied to Plainview Monday by her

mother, Mrs. L. J. Barkley and Mrs. L. R. Bishop.

ARRIVE IN WILLIAMSBURG

Mrs. R. E. Campbell Jr., and small daughters, Charlotte and Carroll, arrived in Williamsburg, Va., Sunday according to a wire received by relatives here. They left Thursday of last week to make their home in Williamsburg while R. E. Campbell, SK 3-c, their husband and father, is stationed at Camp Peary.

WEEK-END VISITORS

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Skaggs were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Turner, two brothers and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Turner, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Turner, a sister, Mrs. Crayton Lance and a niece, Jeanette Thomas all of Chillicothe and two other sisters, Mrs. Dub Davis and daughter Jerry of Vernon and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd West of Quannah. Also here visiting their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Allen and son Larry of Tyler and Pvt. and Mrs. McElton Skaggs.

LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Dora Ratcliff of Lubbock, spent the week-end here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ratcliff and to be with her brother, Cpl. James R. Ratcliff, home from Ft. Jackson, S. C.

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L. C. HARP, Manager

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for your accomplishment
of something really worth-
while.

The Best of Luck to Each of You

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WHATEVER YOU DO

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We Are Proud of YOU
and of Your ATTAINMENTS!

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The Armed Service

ment was made re- the promotion of Cpl. in to the grade of Ser- C.A. Martin, Flomot. C.A. Martin, Flomot. he is stationed at the Field, Casper, Wyoming working as a (NCO) Commissioned Officer.

Cpl. Loyd Latimer of Bryan, is spending several days here to be at the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Vernon Latimer, who underwent major surgery last week at Quana.

William Keith Patton of Matador, has been promoted to the grade of Corporal. As a member of the Army Airways Communications System of the Army Air Forces he has an important assignment in connection with its world-wide operations.

T-Sgt. Albert Rattan has sent his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rattan, a 10-zen note in Japanese currency, which is worth about 28 cents, he explained. He gave no account of the circumstances surrounding his possession of the money, but explained that he had sold a Jap rifle to a buddy, which he had originally intended sending home, due to the fact that he was uncertain that the rifle would ever reach here. Sgt. Rattan was in the recent fighting in the Admiralty Island theatre of war.

Medal awarded Lt. Paul SNR, Matador, Texas for numerous combat in the Solomons. He materially on 17 July the destruction of seven vessels and 49 aircraft damaging of another harbor, according appearing in "Navy" which was received Howard Traweck, last

D. Carman of Ft. Sill, visited his family here past week.

Mr. Durbin, S K 1-c, of South Carolina, visited here the past week. He ordered to report for the west coast.

(Clay) Gilbert, SK 2-C, at Pensacola Florida, is a leave here with his other relatives and

(Goldy) Green, F 1-C resides at Roaring and Acme, Texas, is now member of the Armed Forces of the United States, a special news re- the Tribune reveals. At tion of his preliminary Base, Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va., he has been to the crew of an LST

Corps Air Station, El Calif., May 29— Marine **Orvil H. Gates** of Flo- was promoted to that ently at the Marine Air El Centro, Calif., where

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fomot, Corporal Gates dated in 1935. Prior to his in May, 1943, he was as an inspector by the Aircraft Corporation, received recruit training at

SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY-1965

(By Frances Seigler) "Good morning, I'd like to take subscription to the Matador Times Herald for five years."

"All right, name and address please."

"Frances Seigler, Lubbock, Texas."

"Frances Seigler! Why you graduated with me in 1944. Didn't you?"

"Grace Tilson! Yes, I did. What are you doing here?"

"I work as filing clerk here at the Matador Herald. Math Barkley has been editor ever since Ben Meador retired five years ago. I was just checking through the files to remake our mailing list of our subscribers. Won't you stay and visit me while I go thru these cards?"

"Here's Alene Bloodworth, Chicago, Ill. I hear she is really making the money now. You know how we enjoyed seeing Fred Astaire and Rita Hayworth dance back in high school days? Well, now I love to see her and Johnny Hammonds just as well in their place."

"Frances Bostick! Our class is well represented in Hyde Park. I hear she is going to resign her position as Mrs. Roosevelt's secretary and marry the Roosevelt chauffeur, Maurice Cain. They have been engaged for 9 years."

"Mexican Plaza, Matador. I stayed there last night. Juanita Cartwright has certainly done wonders with that place, hasn't she?"

"Yes, Mrs. Newman's hotel burned and Juanita built a white stucco, completely modern with a Mexican theme. Barbara Springer has her exclusive dress shop there."

"Dorothy Jean Casey and Bill Rushing are doing all right now. He has the biggest farm and almost the biggest family in this county."

"Could you tell me what to do for a corn? My feet are killing me."

"You're not even changing the subject. Haven't you heard of David Vandell's Corn Remover? David declares it can remove a corn in two applications. He now sponsors the Dorothy Lou Hill hour. She has changed sponsors four times since she took over the program when Kate Smith died."

"That really is going to be a close race for the place for senator this time, isn't it?"

"Yes, But I think Don Paul will win. He really deserves it. He certainly cleared things up at Austin while he was in the Legislature."

"Why, here's Billy Lawrence's subscription. She's certainly in the headlines since her last box-office hit in the latest current movie."

"Skeet Jameson's Ranch. He and our sheriff are trying to catch some cow thieves."

"Who is sheriff now?"

"Herbert Smallwood. He and county judge Lee Thomas have been in office for about five years now. They are both old bachelors and live in the same apartment."

"Margie Sheats makes the society pages often. I read the other day she had been on a visit here. Her husband runs a tobacco plantation in Brazil."

"Did you ever hear from Ruby Burton?"

"Yes, she finished the Conservatory of Music in Chicago last month and already has her good teaching position in S.M.U."

"Kathryn Martin is married to some General now and lives at a camp in New Jersey. Most of her time is spent raising her four little generals."

"The Navy also has a '44 graduate. Brown Morris is a chaplain at Pearl Harbor."

TRIBUNE, MATADOR, MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1944

Local Items

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parks and children of Denver City, Texas, visited here last with his uncle, Charlie Parks and Mrs. Parks, and with friends.

Mrs. A. A. Groves and her daughter, Mrs. Lemma Rector of Tucumcari, N. M., who has been visiting her, visited in Seminole last week with Mrs. Ann White Mrs. Ivan Stanley and Bill Groves being other children of Mrs. Groves.

Mrs. E. D. Smith of Whiteflat was a recent visitor in the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Jim Smith and family.

Mrs. J. W. Whitehead and children of Portales, N. M., and Mrs. John Davis and children of Clovis, N. M., visited here over the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wagley and other relatives of the two ladies.

L. A. Nelson and daughter, M. S.

John Harris accompanied Mrs. Earl Vaughn, daughter and sister respectfully, to Childress Friday, as she was enroute to Denver, Colorado, where her husband is stationed.

Carolyn and Sue Cooper of Plainview, were visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Julia Cornett last week.

Mrs. J. R. Whitworth left Friday for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Caswell, of Bullard, Texas.

Mrs. Audrey Spencer and sons, Tom and Dick of Dublin and Miss Lillian Mohon of De Leon, visited here over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Doss, the two ladies being Mrs. Doss' sisters.

Mrs. W. W. Bain of Northfield left Monday to join Mr. Bain at Hot Springs, N.M., where he is taking hot baths for his health.

Mrs. Haynes Baumgardner returned home Monday night from Topeka, Kansas, where she spent last week with her husband, a

lieutenant in the Army Air Force.

Mrs. W. J. Higgins of Spur, was a visitor here this week in the home of her son, Clay Gilbert, SK 2-c, and family.

Mrs. Lewis Eudy and son Ronnie, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. David Guest, left Monday morning for San Antonio, where they are visiting their brother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Harp and daughter Ann, visited relatives in Childress Sunday.

Bobby Harp left Monday for a visit in Morton as a guest of W.B. Swim Jr.

Miss Jeanne Hamilton, who attended school here this year, was accompanied to her home in Amarillo, Friday, by Mrs. Melvin Meason.

Emer Jameson of Carlisbar, N. M., former Matador resident, was here several days last week visiting friends and relatives and looking after business interests.

Visitors in the A. A. Harp home Sunday were Mrs. Harp's father, R. O. Storm, and her sister-in-law Mrs. Albert Storm and daughter

Joan of Kirkland. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Harp's sister, Mrs. Don Remington and son Ronnie, who have been visiting in the Harp home.

Joyce Berry is visiting in the home of Mrs. Edna Cox, who has returned this week to her home at Grapevine, after a visit in the H. E. Berry home, and with friends at Quitaque for the past two weeks.

By the time you are smart enough to save for old age, old age is upon you.

If you are sitting around wondering why you don't get a raise, maybe that's why.

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—Lucy Larcom.

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b Town-and-country Shantung dress (washable rayon, Tebalized crease-resisting). Grey, pink, blue, navy. 14-44, 16½-22½.

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d Young, slender lines in a washable rayon jersey casual. White grounds with navy, luggage, purple dots. 12-20.

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ANNUAL LUNCHEON CLOSING YEAR FOR EL PROGRESSO CLUB

Annual luncheon of El Progresso Study Club held Saturday, May 27, in the Methodist church basement, brought to a close the year's activities for the organization.

The tables were in the form of a "T". With bowls of roses and other cut flowers in clusters or sprays between the bowls. The enjoyable menu, served by Circle 2 of the Women's Society of Christian Service, consisted of chicken salad, coagulated salad green beans, olives, hot rolls, ice cream, cake, iced tea and coffee. Place cards featured a patriotic motif.

Mrs. A. J. Daffern offered the invocation and the following program was given: Duet (vocal) "At Dawning" by Cadman, Jolene and Rosemary Bloodworth, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. G. E. Hamilton; poem, "A Friend", by guest Joyce Berry; poem, "Her Friend," Elizabeth Ann Harp; "Holding Friendship", Gladys Marie Springer; song, "Auld Lang Syne", by group.

Mrs. U. L. Willie, president of the club, gave brief talk on the highlights of the convention she had attended at Plainview, after which she introduced Mrs. C. H. McCully and Miss Lou Emma Shugart of Spur and Mrs. George Robertson of Childress, who gave interesting talks.

The affair was observed as a "guest day" by the club, and the following members accompanied by a daughter, attended: Mrs. H. E. Berry, Joyce Berry; Miss Lois Jo Bentley, Patti Pipkin; Mrs. A. J. Daffern; Mrs. G. E. Hamilton, Rosemary Bloodworth; Mrs. L. C. Harp, Ann Harp; Mrs. Leonora Luckett, Mrs. Julia Godfrey; Mrs. Frank Pahl, Jolene Bloodworth; Mrs. Mae McKenzie, Chareen Ketchersid; Mrs. Henry Solomon, Mickey Roberts; Mrs. Geo. Springer, Gladys Springer; Mrs. Freeman Thacker, Nanette Berry; Mrs. U. L. Willie, Clotelle Willie; Mrs. Albert Traweck Jr., Frances Traweck; Mrs. J. L. Moore, Frances Schweitzer; Mrs. J. L. Woodruff; and Barbara Springer, attending as guest of Mrs. J. R. Whitworth.

Mesdames J. S. Stanley, U. L. Willie, Alvin Stearns, E. F. Springer, George Springer, W. F. Jacobs, and Pat Sheridan, accompanied their husbands to Amarillo last week, when the men attended the Shrine ceremonials.

Mrs. LeRoy Nelson Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Le Roy Nelson, the former Bobbie Lee Amick, was honoree at a bridal shower given Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Tunnell. Assisting Mrs. Tunnell as hostess were Mesdames J. H. Swaringen, V. A. Rattan, Gertrude Nelson, Mutt Berryman, L. J. Barkley and Pat Sheridan.

Guests called between 2 and 6 o'clock, and were registered in the Bride's Book by Miss Glenda Nelson. Little Miss Dorothy Rattan sang during the afternoon. Dainty cookies were served with punch, poured by Mrs. John Harris.

Attractive vase and bowl arrangements of roses, larkspur, verbena and other cut flowers, decorated the reception rooms, with a lovely bowl of pale pink sweetheart roses and Queen Ann's Lace, on a reflector, as the centerpiece for the dining table. A pastel pink and white motif was further accentuated in the table arrangements, by tapers in crystal holders, and a lace cloth over a shell pink runner.

Those attending and sending gifts included the following: Mesdames L. A. Nelson, J. A. Groves, Howe Hines, Ralph Stapleton, Harry Willett, Wilson Barton, Curtis King, Bill Dunning, J. H. Sample, T. E. Cammack, D. E. Pitts, J. S. Stanley, L. C. Harp, Grover Price, Charlie Morris, L. Rattan, H. H. Schweitzer, A. C. Traweck, Eddie Russell, A. A. Tipton, Claud Flippin, Frank Hallford, Ben Meador, W. F. Jacobs, J. R. Moore, L. R. Bishop, H. H. Courtney, P. L. Marshall, Guy Kimbell, Jr., John C. Russell, F. M. Jenkins, C. T. Jenkins, A. J. Daffern, Margie Sheats, Bill Wason, Cecil Shelton, and W. N. Pipkin.

Misses Rachel Patton, Maggie Bryan, Roberta Jameson, Mary Ola Tipton, Ruth Simpson, Viola Jameson, Wanda Lou Marshall, Dorothy Wason, and Velda Mae Rattan.

O. E. S. TO INSTALL OFFICERS TONIGHT

Order of Eastern Star Lodge, local chapter, will install officers tonight, (June 1) with Mrs. Lillie Castleberry of Childress as the installing officer. Mrs. Thelma Love will be installing Marshal, Mrs. Bess McWilliams, the installing chaplain and Mrs. Cinda Watson, installing organist.

The following officers will be installed: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Maggie Hamilton; Associate Matron, Mrs. Allie Cox; Associate Patron, W. F. Jacobs; Secretary, Miss Rachel Patton; Treasurer, Mrs. Margaret Springer; Conductress, Mrs. Ollie Pitts; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Opal Pipkin; Chaplain, Mrs. Hettie Patton; Marshal, Mrs. Margaret Whitworth; Organist, Mrs. Lola Pohl; Adah, Mrs. Virginia Willie; Ruth, Mrs. Grace Campbell; Esther, Mrs. Vivian Jacobs; Martha, Mrs. Vinie Keltz; Electa, Mrs. Maud Dean; Warder, Mrs. Lucy Ford; Sentinel, W. N. Pipkin.

Roaring Springs NEWS

By Mrs. J. D. Mitchell

Mrs. Joe Rice left Friday for Ft. Worth, where she is visiting her son. From there she will go to Brownwood to visit a daughter. She accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Marion Bailey, who live in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert of Wichita Falls, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke, Sunday.

Mrs. M. S. Thacker and her daughter, Mrs. Joyce Smith, were Lubbock visitors, Tuesday.

Rev. S. W. Badgett was a business visitor in Lubbock, Tuesday.

Freddie Estes of Jayton is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Simpson this week.

Mrs. L. M. Miller and Mrs. H. W. Keahey and son Joe Jimmy left Monday to enroll in Texas Tech, Lubbock for the summer session.

FAMILY REUNION

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Duff Green of Roaring Springs, Sunday, May 28. Those present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Quannah Maxey and family of Post; Mr. and Mrs. John Green and family of Stamford; Mrs. Grady Webb and Nell Green of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Green and family.

Other relatives attending the chicken barbecue were: Miss Fanny Kelly, Mrs. Dalton Hill and Kay, and Mrs. Ora Kelly, Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Clark Forbis, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forbis and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deep appreciation to those who were so kind and sympathetic in our hour of sadness at the loss of our precious baby. May God bless each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Faulkner
Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Sutton and daughter.

Mrs. Julia Rex
Mrs. P. G. Stegall
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crowell and family
Mr. and Mrs. Ike Reed and family

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Watson
Mr. and Mrs. Horace McDonald

TRIBUNE, MATADOR, MOTLEY COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 1944

Miss Freeman Is Married Thursday



Marriage vows were said Thursday, May 25th at 8:30 p. m. at the First Baptist church, College Station, uniting Miss Jimmie Jo Freeman and Roscoe O. Sealy, son of Mrs. Roscoe O. Sealy Sr. of San Antonio. Announcement of the approaching marriage was made recently by the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Freeman of College Station.

Miss Freeman was born and reared at Roaring Springs and graduated from Roaring Springs high school in 1936. Upon completing a business course in Dallas, she received employment with the U. S. Department of Agriculture at College Station, and has held the position the past seven years.

During that length of time Miss Freeman has paid for a home which she purchased, and her mother will continue to reside there while she goes with her husband who will be commissioned a first lieutenant in the Veterinary Corps upon graduation at the end of the current semester at A&M College.

Miss Freeman has a host of friends in both Roaring Springs and Matador who will be interested in learning of the wedding, and wishing for them much happiness.

Flomot News

By Mrs. L. E. Turner

Miss Irene Marler, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Inetha Marler, made a trip to Canyon Sunday, to make arrangements to attend West Texas State College, during the summer semester.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Bethel and family of Portales, N. M., formerly of Sunray, arrived Monday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Joe Davidson of Memphis, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Curtis.

Mrs. Harmon Mosley, daughter Nola Pearl, Mrs. M. R. Truelock and daughter, Mrs. Wanda Joe Stephens and Miss Joyce Cloyd, were Planview visitors Thursday.

H. S. Gilbert made a business trip to Lawton, Okla. Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bynum

are the parents of a 7½-pound boy born Tuesday, May 23, at the Richards Memorial hospital, Paducah. The young man is named Dennie Mack Bynum.

Dinner guests in the H. V. Cromer home Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wallace and son; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gresham and their daughter; Mr. and Mrs. George Pope and children; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tanner and Tommie Joe Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gresham and Sonia Gale of Memphis, spent the week-end with his sisters, Mrs. George Pope and Mrs. H. V. Cromer and families.

Miss Marion Duren spent the week-end in Tulsa visiting friends. Mrs. Jennie Kirk, who has been staying with her sister, Mrs. R. H. Tanner, returned to her home at Ballinger, Sunday.

Misses Reta Joyce and Yetta

Lois Bynum left Sunday for a visit in Childress with their grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Hardwick. Miss Betty June Larsy of Boswell, Oklahoma, is visiting Miss Neiva Snow.

Poppy Sale Brisk

Mrs. B. A. Tanner had charge of the Poppy Day memorial sale at Flomot Saturday, with Misses Lillie Wanda Gilbert and Mable Sue George as sales-girls. They collected \$20 for the 180 poppies sold, with Miss Gilbert selling 90% of the poppies.

(Delayed)

W. R. Truelock went to Littlefield Friday, to spend the week-end with his mother.

Miss Marion Duren, Home Economic teacher, went to Canyon over the week-end, where she received her degree from West Texas State College.

Mrs. Nettie Anderson and her daughter of Borger, are visiting her mother, Mrs. Mollie Hines.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huns left Saturday to visit their son and family at Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Gilbert made a trip to Lubbock Wednesday to accompany her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bural. Mrs. Bural remained at Lubbock for treatment and Mr. Bural and his grandson, Leon Bural, continued to New Mexico for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Martin.

Dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.R. Amick were their children, S-Sgt. and Mrs. LeRoy Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Amonet and son, and Miss Erma Lee Eldridge of Sonora.

Mrs. C. D. Tanner gave an anniversary supper Tuesday evening at her home in honor of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Tanner's wedding anniversary. Besides the honor couple, Miss Marion Duren was also a guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Jackson and daughter of Tahoka, visited her father, R. H. Tanner, several days the past week.

Mrs. L. B. Archer and Mrs. Ben H. Clements of Matador, were Flomot visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Kuykendall and children of Morton, arrived Saturday for a visit with his father, J. L. Kuykendall and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Darsey.

Miss Erma Lee Eldridge of Sonora, arrived in Matador, Wednesday morning to attend the wedding of S-Sgt. LeRoy Nelson and Miss Bobbie Lee Amick. She visited here the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Thomas Sr. went to Ardmore, Oklahoma, Saturday, to visit Cpl. R. I. Thomas Jr.

Mrs. Mary Moore is in additional room building here. E. J. Hines is leaving his home.

Vacation Bible School

A vacation Bible school will be held at the Flomot church, June 5 and 6, through June 18. Both old and cordially invited. There will be classes in Bible, geography, history and a Children's day program. A Children's day program will be carried out on the Rev. Loyd Dunn in the L. A. Washington, Superintendent.

POLITICAL Announcements

We are authorized to file the following names for office, subject to the Primary, July 22, 1944.

For State Senator
30th Senatorial District
Alton B. Chapman

For State Representative
121st District
H. C. Preslar, of Childress
Hubert Lee, of Childress

District Attorney,
110th Judicial District
Richard F. Stovall

For County Judge and
Office County Superior
W. R. Cammack, of Childress

Sheriff, Tax Assessor
H. H. (Cy) Courtney, of Childress

For District and County
R. A. Seay, re-elected

For County Treasurer:
Mrs. Tuti Garnett, of Childress
Mrs. John Smith

For County Commissioner
Precinct 1:
Doug Meador
P. L. Marshall
W. I. Rushing
Bill Hill

For County Commissioner
Precinct 2:
L. N. (Lem) Standefer

For County Commissioner
Precinct 3:
A. B. Simpson, re-elected

For Commissioner Precinct
J. N. Fletcher
H. T. Robbins

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June 3rd.

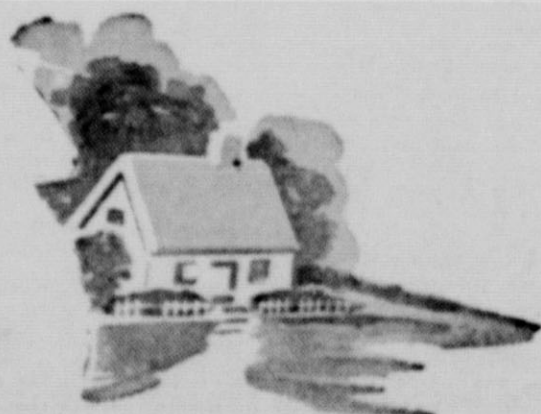
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