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RAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

build a cowboy's Hall of fame beyond the borders of the state in Nebraska, a did thought confused in geography. But the gates are ed-up between forgotten and the push-covered generation of a pampered generation, history stands bewildered with the maps it made. The motive is doomed to in bronze and stone as it petes with a more sublime fitting laureation. Texas sky yellow buttercups shaking from their petals at dawn, the stars lonely riders watched solitude are fixed in the mangle ceiling and the fragrance of wild-plum blossoms follows swift passing of spring. The waving ragged slickers in night sky, turns phantom back to mesquite flats, each tranquil dawn hangs a painting on the eternal Mirages dance on the heat-plains and twilight has kept antelion intact for the aged albums of splendor in cowboys memorial. It is not consequence that a cenotaph erected in a country where smoke from his camp fires has drifted.

is ironic that some of the pleasant aspects associated with greed often appear out of the woodwork around the portals of affluence and destitution.

When an unkind word is spoken against a friend its sound continues to echo until it sinks into his heart.

Some people not only put all their eggs in one basket, they readily over unfamiliar ground.

Humor has stood by the cowboy and pioneer as a frequently recognized resource capable of relieving many a distressing situation. A classic story is told of an old cowboy on himself, during the days when the fence breakers were causing a great amount of trouble. The old cowboy was young then and had established himself as a small teacher. His greatest problem was a belligerent neighbor who had his fences at his pleasure and convenience. The cowboy saw the neighbor by name, but he vowed to whip him the first time they met. One morning he saw a man walking across his pasture and promptly struck him horseback. With equal promptness he challenged the man to fight and the challenge was promptly accepted. They fought until the cowboy was near collapse and asked the man to quit. He had had enough, "can't whip you," the cowboy said, "but since we are neighbors, we might as well be friends. I am going to ask you as neighbor not to cut my fence." The other man was brushing the dirt and grass from his sleeve. "I am not your neighbor," he said, "I am a stranger passing through. My team got away this morning and I was hunting for it. I was so mad I couldn't see and was just wishing somebody would come along who wanted to fight, when you rode up to me."

George Rateliff is critically ill at Childress General Hospital, recovering from pneumonia and complications. He has been under an oxygen tent for several days. A daughter, Mrs. Creed, a son-in-law, Ray, and a son-in-law, Ray, are alternating at his bedside, while his son, Jim Rateliff, is also making frequent trips to be with him.

Annual Paducah Rodeo To Pay Cowhands Well

A GOOD COWHAND can come into possession of folding money rather hurriedly in Paducah next month. If he is good enough and lucky enough he can earn more in an hour (actual engaged time) than a hard-working cowhand of 60 years could earn in six months. The 13th annual Cattle-King Horse and Colt Show and Rodeo, scheduled for April 22-23, is offering \$1,000 in five \$200 rodeo prizes.

The five events, each paying a \$200 cash prize (2 go-rounds) are: bareback bronc riding (\$100 entry); calf roping (\$12 entry); saddle bronc riding (\$10 entry); double mugging (\$12 entry); and bull riding (\$10 entry). Registration must be in before the April 21 (6 p. m.) deadline. Besides the attractive cash, best average calf roping and double mugging (combined) will be awarded a Carl Darr of Paducah hand made roping saddle. Best average in each riding event will be awarded a silver buckle set. Entries may be made to Mrs. Don Elliott, Rodeo secretary, Paducah. The announcement says cash, money order or certified check is required (personal checks will not be accepted).

The two-day event actually gets under way at 8 a. m. Friday morning, April 22, with registration for the horse and colt show at the Boy Scout hut. Old timers registration and reunion will be held between 10 and 11:30 a. m. Barn No. 3. Chuck wagon dinner at the city park is scheduled for 11:30. Judging of quarter horses, halter classes, will start at 1 p. m. in the main arena. Ten classes are listed.

Parade In Afternoon
The annual all-western street parade is scheduled for 4 p. m. Friday afternoon. The rodeo will begin at 8 p. m. gates open at 7 p. m. each night. A barn dance will begin at 9:30 each evening.

Saturday morning, April 23, junior (12 to 15 years) and senior (16 to 18 years) reining contests are scheduled to start at 10 a. m. At 1 p. m. performance contests will start, including open cutting horse, open reining and restricted cutting horse. Stall fee is \$3 and owner must furnish feed. Carl Darr, phone 233, will accept registrations until 10 a. m., April 22. Rodeo stock is being furnished by Morris Stephens of Silverton.

Schools Schedule Trustee Elections

Four schools in the county will hold trustee election Saturday. In addition to local district trustees, voters will name one trustee at large on the county board. Bill Seale of Matador is on the ticket for re-election. Both Flomot and Matador will also elect a member to the county board.

Raby Webb of Matador and J. C. Franks of Flomot are on the ticket for re-election. Malcolm Turner is also on the ballot for the Flomot place.

Three names are on the Matador Independent School district ticket for re-election. They are Curtis Graham, Frank Pohl and Clovis Murphy. The election here will be held in the courtroom.

Roaring Springs school district will elect two trustees, Loyd Stafford and John Meason are on the ballot for re-election. Other candidates on the ticket are Billy Hand and Avery Payne. The election in Roaring Springs will be held in the city hall.

Flomot is scheduled to elect two trustees out of four candidates. Besides Ike Gilbert for re-election, the other candidates are A. D. Moseley, E. G. Reed and Otis Calvert. Flomot election will be held in the school house.

Northfield will elect one member to its board, and Allan Thomas is the solitary candidate whose name appears on the ballot. He is up for re-election. Northfield election will be held in the school house. Polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m. in the four election places.

DISTINGUISHED STUDENT
COLLEGE STATION, Texas, March 28—Roscoe Lee Holt of Matador has been designated a distinguished student for the fall semester, 1954, at Texas A. and M. College. A distinguished student must have a grade ratio of 2.25 or better and had no grade below that of "C".

Slight Interest In City Election

Interest in next Tuesday city election appears slight, according to City Secretary L. M. Cox. Although the ballots have not been delivered, he has not received any requests for absentee votes. The ballots are set into type and will be delivered tomorrow. Voting will be in the courthouse.

Municipal election interest always wanes when there is no opposition on the ballot. This year Matador elects three council members and the three members of council are candidates. Two of the members, however, are filling unexpired terms, Dr. J. S. Stanley and R. L. Brandon. John Briscoe is the only member of the council seeking re-election.

The Tribune urges every qualified voter in Matador to exercise his voting privilege at the Tuesday election, as testimony of community interest and as a "vote of confidence" for the public servants who struggle with the city's problems.

Little Acorns Is Laugh-Hit Comedy

Big laughs, many of them, from "Little Acorns" grew steadily Friday night as the Matador high school junior class presented its play in the school auditorium.

Perfect direction of the class sponsor, Bill Moss, was reflected in the precision performance of the well-cast players.

The conviving of three teenage youngsters to break up a romance between their widowed father and an attractive and charming matron from Chicago, came to a hilarious climax when Lorna Collins, the youngest daughter, ably characterized by Sara Carson, hypnotized herself in an effort to mesmerize the daughter of her father's fiancée, Lucretia Edw. a r. s. expertly maneuvered a dual personality—a "sweet young thing" leading on Alvin Lynn as Sidney Lanfield, very convincing as a bashful boy in love—and at the same time adroitly engineering the antics of her younger sister and their brother, Dennis, played by Frank Trawcek, who was a "natural" for the part—in their efforts to break up their father's love affair. Royce Kirby as Charles Collins was a convincing troubled father.

Expert in their roles were the other members of the cast, Pina Sturdivant as Pandora, the Irish cook, who had looked after the children since the death of their mother; Mickie Steen as Mrs. Judith Wentworth, the charming widow; and Rachel Craven as her daughter, Diana.

Although attendance was curtailed to an extent by the cold norther which blew in Friday, the auditorium was almost filled and proceeds amounted to approximately \$70.

Between-acts music was furnished by three members of the Hep Cats band, Lee Smith, Mike Groves and Gerald Pipkin. Friday, the group, with their other member, Pat Seigler, presented a program over station KFLD, Floydada from 4 to 4:30.

FROM CALIFORNIA
Mr. and Mrs. Loye Sparks of Taft, Calif., are visiting her mother, Mrs. Bess Patton here, and at Floydada with Mr. Sparks' relatives.



"RIFLE PITS" OF EARLY-DAY TEXAS RANGERS—Evidence still is found of stacked rocks, called "rifle pits", put up around water holes by early-day Texas Rangers to provide protection against Indian attacks. Above is Walker Williams of Matador, former cowboy and range boss, who found the "pits" many years ago when he was employed by the Matador Ranch and Cattle Company. Two of Williams' uncles were Rangers in Texas about 90 years ago and through his family he learned of the pits which the greatly outnumbered Rangers made of native rock in case of a surprise attack. The above picture was made about three miles west of the Matador Ranch headquarters. At this point a hill rises from the creek valley and could be defended from all sides. Although there is no living water at this point now, it is believed the streams may have afforded running water a century ago. Other "pits" are known in Dutchman, and Boggy areas through the foothills where fresh water flows.—Photo by Douglas Meador, Engraving courtesy Lubbock Avalanche.

Absence Disqualifies Matador Girl For "Snake Charmer" Title At Rattler Fete

FATE intervened Sunday in the unusual glory that belonged to Mary Slover, the pretty 14-year-old Matador eighth grade student who was unable to reach O'Keene, Oklahoma and the annual roundup of the International Association of Rattlesnake Hunters, and failed to receive the title of "snake charmer". She had been selected for the honor but was disqualified by her absence.

Mary started to O'Keene. She was accompanied by her father, Bill Slover, king of last year's rattlesnake roundup, and her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Slover. Car trouble developed enroute and they were forced to return home after a telephone conversation disclosed that it would be impossible for them to reach O'Keene in time for the hunt.

Mary hunts rattlesnakes as a hobby. She was the only out-of-state entry in this year's snake charmer contest, and the only girl snake hunter in the entire group.

Even Mary's mother takes part in the rattlesnake hunting. Bill Slover is known as the rattlesnake nemesis in the Foothill Country where he has captured hundreds of pounds of the poisonous reptiles. He taught his daughter to catch the snakes through expert coaching as she accompanied him at every opportunity. Slover has captured and delivered a large quantity of rattlers from this year's crop, "harvested" when the snakes began to crawl after a few warm days.

Last year Slover was acclaimed king of the snake hunters at the O'Keene roundup by leading the catch with 284 pounds.

Spur Station Will Hold Feeder's Day

Spur experiment station has scheduled a feeder's day for Tuesday, April 5. Principal feature will show the results of feeding trials on terramycin and diethylstilbestrol (mew hormone) when fed with rations high in roughage and low in grain.

Other features will include feeding and wintering trials with steer calves, heifers and spayed heifers on various rations. A summary of wintering trials with calves on native grass, wheat, stalk fields and in the feedlot over a 15-year period will be discussed.

Guided tour of feedlots, field areas and grass pastures in small groups of 20 to 30 people will start at 9 a. m. and continue until noon. A barbecue plate provided by a Lubbock catering firm will sell for \$1.

A short program of projects by staff members is scheduled for 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. View of cattle, trench silos and farm equipment will be offered at 3 p. m. where members of the station staff will be available to discuss their work. Farmers, ranchers and others interested in livestock agriculture work are invited to attend.

VISITING RELATIVES
Mrs. J. C. Moore of Washington, D. C. is visiting here with relatives, including her father, C. D. Bird, and her brothers, Gus and Carl Bird. Gus Bird drove to Childress, Tuesday to meet and accompany his sister here.

Mrs. C. D. Bird's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Powell of Colorado Springs, Colo., are their house guests this week.

City Seeks Bids For Paving Work

PRITCHETTS BRING HOME PRIZE CATCH

When Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pritchett of Whiteflat left Saturday for a fishing trip to Hot Springs, Ark., they didn't expect to bring home their prize catch of all times.

When they returned home Tuesday, they were accompanied by James William, Jr., weight 6 lbs. 4 ozs. who was born on March 24, at Ft. Worth.

The baby for whom they had waited for two years, was waiting for them when they stopped by the adoption home where their application was on file, although they were on the road when the message was sent to inform them of their good fortune. They had decided to stop by the home just to check with the supervisor again. At the desk the surprised attendants imparted the information that just 15 minutes earlier, they had called the Pritchetts' pastor Rev. H. T. Harris, pastor of the Whiteflat Baptist Church, to ask him to notify them.

Mr. and Mrs. Pritchett continued their trip to Hot Springs, where they visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Tollison, while necessary records and papers were being prepared at the adoption home. "We didn't do any actual fishing this trip," Pritchett said. "We were too anxious to get our baby and bring him home."

Bus Line Permit Request Recalled

Request to grant a franchise for the operation of a bus line between Abilene and Amarillo, over State Highway 70 in Motley county, has been recalled. Lions Committee Chairman R. M. (Bob) Stanley has been advised the application to the Texas Railroad Commission has been recalled. Mr. Stanley had been assigned the task of circulating petitions asking that the commission grant the franchise.

The promoter of the project advised Mr. Stanley in a letter that he had been forced to abandon the plan. He said he had been refused the use of terminal facilities in both Abilene and Amarillo. Previously a hearing had been set for today in Abilene.

Mr. Stanley said he believed the commission might have acted favorably on the application for service over the proposed route had the bus companies operating from the two principal cities granted the use of depot facilities. At present Mr. Stanley is considering sending the large list of names petitioning the new service, to the Railroad Commission.

JOHNNY BERT EZZELL IN SCOTTISH RITE HOSPITAL

Johnny Bert Ezzell, 11, was accompanied to Dallas last Wednesday by his mother, Mrs. Bert Ezzell, where he was admitted to the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children. On Monday, he underwent surgery for transplanting muscles in his right foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezzell drove down Sunday and remained through the operation. During their absence, her mother, Mrs. C. B. Holmes of Lubbock, remained here with their other son, Charles.

Reports by telephone late Tuesday, were that Johnny is doing well.

Another Motley county boy, Bobby Joe Witcher, 14 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Witcher of Roaring Springs, is also a patient in the same hospital.

ATTEND YOUTH RALLY

A group of young people were accompanied to Silverton, Saturday night where they attended a district Baptist Youth Rally. They were, Linda Matthews, Darlene Walding, Patti Craven, Karan Burns, Jan Barton, Mrs. Jessie Smallwood and Judy Spencer and Dale Dixon, Clinton Burns, Gary Dale Crump, Mrs. Oliver Crump, and Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Oliver.

Mr. H. Plemons visited in Lubbock this week with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lowmore, having accompanied Mrs. Lowmore home Sunday.

COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Topping 34 Blocks Has Money Problem

MONEY—rather the lack of it—has reared its ugly head right in front of the city council for the past week, as the municipal trustees attempted to stretch a limited amount of funds over 34 blocks of "ribbon" paving.

Their problem is three years old. Before the drought and before a water system well collapsed the city purchased and paid for enough washed and screened gravel to top the paving. The 34 blocks of "ribbon" paving had been bought by the property owners (with the exception of intersections) and was in need of the topping the following year. The need has increased.

Mayor W. L. McWilliams said yesterday the city's problem is to contract the needed street repairs out of available funds and without any additional financing—or increase in taxes. It will be a tight squeeze.

Mayor McWilliams said one bid already received on the project is prohibitive. Other bids are being sought and in the meantime the council is keeping crossed fingers against the possibility of an emergency of some kind which might drain away the small available fund.

More Cheap Paving

One of the factors which might effect a lower bid on the topping is the additional paving which the contractors could secure when he moves to Matador. The paving (ribbon type) has proved inexpensive in the past. Cost of the 18-foot ribbon is shared by property-owners on each side of the street. The paving is the same type as farm-to-market roads. Cost in the past has been about 60c per running foot—to the property owner on each side of the street. In addition to street paving the contractors will usually pave driveways and other areas at moderate costs.

Mayor McWilliams and the council are interested in securing a low bid on the topping and feel that interest in other possible work may help the city receive a more favorable offer. Anyone interested in the extension of private paving or in buying paving on their property may secure information from any member of the council, Mayor McWilliams or City Secretary L. M. Cox.

Anonymous Donors Pose Problem For Cemetery Officer

Money is always welcome by the East Mound Cemetery Association, but Secretary Mrs. Freeman Thacker would like to issue proper membership cards to anonymous donors. Mrs. Thacker has received two \$5 donations in envelopes without any return address or other means of identification. She would be glad to issue 1955 membership cards for each of the contributions.

Mrs. Thacker said that a number of letters in the recent drive for memberships sent to out-of-town addresses, had been returned. In most instances no forwarding address was available.

The cemetery association has a special fund of \$155.70 set aside for the purpose of erecting a rock fence on the west and south sides, and eventually to surround the burial grounds. Principal purpose of the fence is to protect the cemetery from blowing sand and winds. The fund was made possible by production of the "Law West of the Pecos" in Floydada, under the direction of Mrs. Glenn Woodruff. The play had been sponsored here previously by the Garden Club and Eternas Study Club.

Response to the mail solicitations for cemetery contributions and memberships has been gratifying, Mrs. Thacker declared. She said the association is hopeful that circumstances will make it possible for more various types of contributions to augment the special rock fence fund.

FORTY-TWO PARTY

Whiteflat Home Demonstration club will sponsor a forty-two party in the club rooms, Friday night. It was announced this week. Admission will be 35c per person. Refreshments will be served, and everyone is invited.

MATADOR BRAND

School Calendar

April 12—District Meet.
 April 4—FHA Meeting.
 April 5—School Board Meet.
 April 8—District Tennis Meet.
 April 11—Easter holidays.
 April 18—FHA Meeting.
 April 19—Baseball game at Jaxey.
 April 22—Baseball game at Jaxey.
 April 26—Baseball game here at Quitaque.

Schedule Announced for League Events

The next major activity on school events calendar is the scholastic league. The meet will be held at Silvertown, April 21 and 22.

The entries from Matador are as follows: Junior Boys Declaration: Gregory Smauley and Anne Steen, Slide Rule: Pat

Groves and Jimmy Watson. Typing: Frank Traweck, Lucretia Edwards, Sara Carson, Rachel Craven and Mickie Steen. Spelling: Frank Traweck and Joanne Darsey. Ready Writers: Tom Hamilton and Betty Neighbors. Poetry Reading: Lucretia Edwards, Number Sense: Joe Fair and Jimmy Watson.

Boys' Playground Ball: Dean Martin, Jimmy Watson, C. H. Murphy, Richard Hamilton, A. B. Simpson, Clinton Holman, Stanley Neighbors, Charles Renfro, W. E. Russell, Arvin Ellithorpe, Garland Cartwright, Pat Green, Clay Jameson, Donald Green, Roger Scaff, Dayton Graham, Ronnie Steen, Ronald Crump, Johnny McNelly, Shelby Jackson, Franklin Thrasher, Jimmy Dean Martin, Bill Fish, Gregory Smauley, Tom Hamilton, and Joe Fair.

Boys' Volleyball: Harold Dean Martin, Stanley McDonough, C. H. Murphy, Tom Hamilton, Joe Fair, Richard Hamilton, Dayton Graham, W. E. Russell, Charles Renfro, Ronnie Steen, Garland Cartwright, Arvin Ellithorpe, Clay Jameson, Donald Green, Franklin Thrasher, Jimmy Dean Martin, Shelby Jackson, Johnny McNelly and Pat Green.

Senior Girls Volleyball: Francine Craven, Joanne Darsey, Dortha Davis, Raynita Dunning, Joyce Lynn, Frances Lancaster, Kay Norman, Frances McMahon, Lucretia Edwards, Anne Lee,

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SETTING EASTER BONNET FASHIONS... These two patients at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at Dallas are shown inspecting their brand new hand-made creations for Easter. Without any suggestions they made their Easter bonnets depicting a tea party from paper plates, paper medicine cups and straws. Left to right: Charlotte Kirkland, 13, Lamesa, Texas, and Betty Lowe, 11, Abilene, Texas.

Dorothy McMahon, Betty Neighbors, Betty Matney, Mary Lois Watkins, Sue McCaghen, Janey Norman and Glenda Smith.

Junior Girls Playground Ball: Kay Norman, Cissie Waybourn, Anne Lee, Frances Lancaster, Frances McMahon, Joyce Lynn, Glenda Smith, Francine Craven and Martha Cooper.

Senior Girls Playground Ball: Dortha Davis, LaRee Lawrence, Joanne Darsey, Raynita Dunning, Barbara Waybourn, Lucretia Edwards, Christene Green, Sue McCaghen, Janey Norman, Dorothy McMahon, Betty Matney, Carolyn Thrasher, Betty Neighbors and Mary Lois Watkins.

Mrs. Lonzo Lynn and Richard Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, were elected as football captains of "55". Both of the boys will be seniors next year.

Pina Sue Sturdivant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sturdivant and Lucretia Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Edwards, were elected by unanimous consent to act as basketball captains of "55". Pina and Lucretia will also be seniors next year.

—M. H. S. B.—

TWO SENIORS ATTEND PAGEANT

Tom Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, and Dorothy McMahon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McMahon went to West Texas State College at Canyon to attend the annual "Personality Pageant", which was held on March 25. They left at ten o'clock Friday morning and arrived in Canyon at noon.

Registration covered the first part of the afternoon, and afterward they toured the campus. Later that afternoon, they were entertained with a big talent show and banquet. The pageant was held that evening at eight o'clock. They returned late Saturday afternoon.

Miss Raynita Dunning accompanied the two seniors, to attend the pageant as a personal guest.

CAPTAINS ARE ELECTED FOR '55

The football team and girls basketball team of 1955 met last week to elect captains for their teams.

Alvin Lynn, son of Mr. and

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Spring Begins With Snowfall

By Anne Lee

Spring was ushered in Monday by a beautiful snowfall covering most of the ground. It was quite an unusual beginning of Spring, but it was enjoyed by the whole student body. Most of us were hoping school would not have to be turned out because that would mean another day to make up in May.

Many of us are wondering now what the beginning of summer will be like!

—M. H. S. B.—

Junior Play Is Presented

The Junior Class presented their play, "Little Acorns", Friday night, March 25, in the high school auditorium.

The cast was as follows: Frank Traweck, Rachel Craven, Royce Kirby, Mickie Steen, Pina Sturdivant, Alvin Lynn, Sara Carson and Lucretia Edwards.

The play was a great success and we are sure everyone enjoyed it. The proceeds of this play will go for the Junior-Senior banquet.

—M. H. S. B.—

Play Is Selected By Senior Class

The Seniors had a meeting Tuesday and appointed three members, Tom Hamilton, Dorothy McMahon and Stanley McDonough to select their play.

"A Good Egg" is the name of the play with a cast of six girls and eight boys. The play is a comedy about a young boy named "Junior", who is a petticoat lover.

The play books were ordered last Wednesday and should be here soon.

NORTHFIELD NEWS

Mrs. Charley Lane, Cor.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bell, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Courtney, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elliott and children, Mr. and Mrs. Rush Timmons and Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Leary.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Timmons, Miss Edith Amburn of Delwin, Mr. and Mrs. Tot Timmons and Gus visited Grady Timmons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Jackson and children, Lois and Betty of Childress, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charley Lane, Sunday.

Joe Berry Meador of Ralls, former teacher in the Northfield school, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sebren and children of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dobbins over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Cook and son, and Wayne Timmons of Abilene, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Simpson of Dallas visited here over the week-end.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bethany, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Rodgers and children of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ashford of Amarillo, visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bethany visited Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Simpson, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Simpson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Leary, Saturday evening.

"We can observe nations; none has ever prospered that failed in its integrity to the land."—Katherine Glover, in "America Begins Again".

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To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas—GREETINGS:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Motley County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The Unknown stockholders of Floyd County Lumber Company, a defunct Corporation Defendants, Greeting.

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Motley County at the Court-house thereof, in Matador, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of May A. D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 29th day of March A. D. 1955, in this cause, numbered 1460 on the docket of said court and styled M. S. Thacker, Plaintiff, vs. The Unknown Stockholders of Floyd County Lumber Company, a defunct Corporation, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit:

Being a suit in trespass to try title to Lots Nos. 6 and 7 in Block 23, Town of Roaring

Springs, Motley County, Texas, as shown by the plat of said town recorded in Book 7, page 352, of the Deed Records of Motley County, Texas, said suit being to try title as well as for damages, plaintiff's petition alleging that he was in lawful possession of said premises on or about March 1, 1955, claiming a fee simple title to same, that on said date the defendants unlawfully entered said premises and ejected plaintiff therefrom and unlawfully withheld possession thereof from plaintiff, that the nature of defendants' claim to said premises is unknown to plaintiff, and specially pleading the five year and ten year statutes of limitation against any claim of defendants to said premises, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Matador, Texas, this 29th day of March A. D. 1955.

Attest: Pat Sheridan, Clerk, District Court Motley County, Texas. 3-c4.

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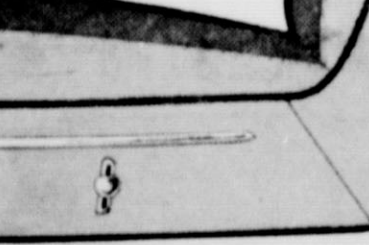
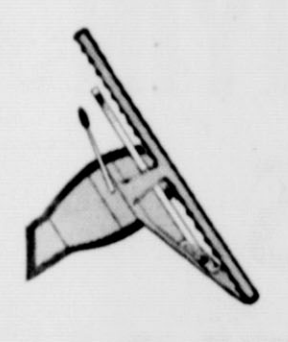
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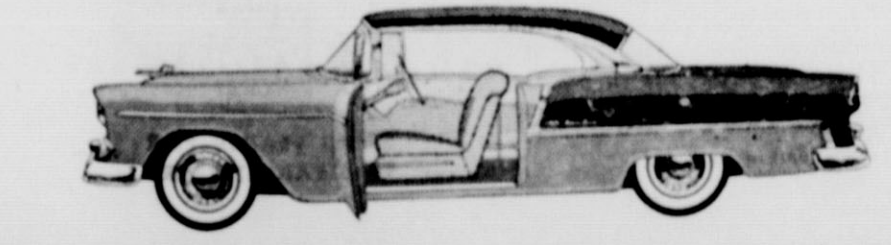
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THE COWBOY TAKES A WIFE—Joseph E. Meador, early-day ranch hand and pioneer settler of Motley County, and Mrs. Lillie May Gaskins, both of Matador, are shown here as they receive their marriage license Thursday in the Childress county clerk's office from Miss Jerry Jarrell. (Childress Index photo.)

Matador Residents United In Ceremony at Childress

Mrs. Lillie May Gaskins and Joseph E. Meador, both of Matador, were married at Childress, Thursday afternoon, March 24 in a simple ceremony solemnized by County Judge Leonard King at his office.

Accompanying the couple were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Carter, long-time friends from Paducah. Mrs. Meador, a resident of Matador about two years, came here from Clovis, N. M. For her marriage she wore a grey spring suit, a navy straw hat and other navy accessories.

Mr. Meador, 82, settled at Matador in 1891, was away for 17 years, and returned in 1917. He is affectionately known by his many friends as "Uncle Joe". The ceremony was performed shortly after the couple secured their marriage license at the county clerk's office in Childress.

They will continue to make their home in Matador. **Children Are Visitors** Visiting the couple during the week-end and for a family dinner Sunday were their re-

spective children. These included Mrs. Meador's daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Stewart and baby, Debra, of Spur, and two sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Grady L. Ward and children, Patty, Kathy and Larry Lee of St. Vrain, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ward and baby, Sandra, of Las Vegas, N. M. Her other children are, Mrs. Tom Pournier of Heber, Calif.; Burton Ward and H. A. Ward, both of Clovis, N. M.

Mr. Meador's children who were present were Mrs. C. E. Woolery and Mrs. G. N. Wilson both of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bryant, of Denison and Joe Berry Meador, Hall.

Other visitors during the afternoon included Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hall and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Curry of Matador, and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Carter, Paducah.

NEW RECEPTIONIST

Mrs. Kenneth Thompson has accepted the position as receptionist at Stanley Hospital, to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Miss Geneva Gage.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVED BY HAWLEY PLEMONS

Hawley Plemons, early day cowboy, and camp superintendent for the Matadors for a number of years, Sunday celebrated his 86th birthday at his home on Hackberry street.

Assisting Mrs. Plemons in serving birthday cake and coffee to friends who called during the afternoon, were their daughter, Mrs. Bill Lowrimore and her sons, Bill, Jr., and Don of Lubbock.

Friends present for the occasion included Mr. and Mrs. Tom Long, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Sheats, Mr. and Mrs. Algine Groves and son, Pat, Henry Pipkin, Mrs. R. P. Moore and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors.

Mrs. W. B. Gilreath and daughters, Tops and Ruth of Memphis, visited here Sunday in the home of another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Norman.

Church and Society

Program On Wealth And Christianity Is Heard By WSCS

"Christianity and Wealth" was the topic studied by the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church on Tuesday afternoon, March 29, in the church auditorium.

Participating on the program were Mesdames Clarence Jenkins, Fred Simpson, G. E. Hamilton and Mrs. Sterling Price, study leader. Mrs. Marvin Brotherton gave the closing prayer.

A short business meeting was held after the program and Mrs. H. H. Schweitzer, secretary of promotion, urged all the members to attend the general meeting of the month next Tuesday evening, April 5th, at 7:30. They were also urged to be sure and bring their "Treasure Chest" and its contents.

Other members present included Mesdames Harry Willett, A. J. Daffern, Ethel Payne, Nelson McMahan, R. P. Moore, Homer Sheats, C. D. Pipkin, W. Y. Higgins, W. V. O'Kelly, D. E. Pitts, Sr., W. B. Vaughn and C. O. Middlebrooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meador of Paducah, were Sunday visitors in the home of his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Meador, and with their father, James E. Meador and an aunt, Mrs. W. D. Long. Dick Turner of Climax, Colorado, was a visitor Sunday in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery.



APRIL BRIDE-ELECT—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gage of Afton announce the engagement of their daughter, Geneva, to R. L. Giesecke, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Giesecke of Floydada, former Matador residents. The marriage will be solemnized on April 9, at the home of the Floydada Church of Christ minister. Miss Gage is receptionist at Stanley Hospital. Her fiancé received his degree in industrial education from Texas A&M College in January.

Residents Attend Dallas Garden Show

Two members of Matador Garden Club were in Dallas during the recent Garden Center Pilgrimage and fourth annual Dallas Garden Center Flower Show held at the State Fair Park.

Mrs. J. S. Stanley attended the festival while in Dallas with

Dr. Stanley, who was attending a medical meeting.

Miss Amy Glenn returned home Saturday after visiting in Dallas as guest of Mrs. M. M. Herring, and attending the pilgrimage, which included visits to ten homes which were groomed to show the best in gardening designs. Redwood, azaleas, dogwood and other plants were displayed in a spectacular panorama of colorful spring flowers.

Miss Glenn visited in Mineral Wells with a sister, Mrs. T. T. Bouldin, before her return home

planned as a "tacky" party. Mrs. G. E. Hamilton was declared "winner" for her "tackiest" woman presentation. Howe Hines and Buddy Hines, Dominos, canasta, and other table games were enjoyed, and refreshments of coffee and Sanka were served. Hostesses were Mesdames Ernest Campbell, Freeman, J. R. Whitworth and Jacobs.

Attending were Mesdames G. E. Hamilton, Campbell, Joe Bloodworth, Pipkin, Frank Pahl, W. J. Worth, W. F. Jacobs and Hines; Mesdames Forrest, Bell, A. J. Daffern, Best, Seth Sager, Fred Simpson, Waybourn, Virginia Waybourn, Donovan and Bill Waybourn and Miss Mary Keith.

Club Entertains With Guest Night

Husbands and friends were guests of El Progreso Study Club Thursday night, March 24 at a party held in the American Legion building. The affair was

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Social Activities

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Matador Chapter No. 66 O. E. S. of Roaring Springs Chapter No. 59 O. E. S. entertained a luncheon in honor of two of their officers now serving Grand Officers of Texas, Order of the Star in district and state chapters.

Two honored were Mrs. Belle Harmon, Deputy Grand Matron, District 2 Secretary, and Harold "Casey" member of Credentials Committee, G. C. T. The affair was held at the Roaring Springs chapter hall on Friday, March 25, 7:30 p. m.

"Good Luck" theme was used and colors of yellow, red and white were carried in all decorations. A white cloth was used and attractive table decorations included large horseshoe centerpiece covered with gold satin ribbon, centerpieces holding white and gold napkins with the names of the honorees stamped in gold. Coffee and cookies were served by the Roaring Springs chapter.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Mrs. R. M. Stanley, Matador Matron of Matador Chapter, and Mrs. Tom Yeates, Matador Matron of Roaring Springs Chapter.

The Matador Chapter was in charge of the following program: Mrs. Stanley acting as Master of Ceremonies. Song, "Let Us See Jesus in You" led by

J. R. Whitworth; Worthy Patron's gift to honorees, presented by Mrs. R. E. Campbell, Jr.; presentation of "Golden Slippers" to brother Casey, by Worthy Matron of Matador Chapter, assisted by Pat Sheridan and Charlie Posey; song, "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow" led by J. R. Whitworth; reading by Mrs. J. R. Whitworth; and songs, "You-You-You", "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" and "Casey Jones" by the four Estes Sisters; Mmes. Robert Darsey, R. E. Campbell, Jr., Bill Pipkin and W. F. Jacobs. After Mrs. Harmon and Mr. Jones brought their message, all sang, "Oh! Ye Golden Slippers".

Visitors were present from other chapters, including Floydada, Paducah, Lubbock, and Rotan with sixteen registering from Rotan.

MRS. H. S. WATSON HONORED AT PARTY

Mrs. H. S. Watson was honored with a birthday party, Thursday, March 24. Hostess for the affair was her daughter, Mrs. Bill McCaughey.

The afternoon was spent playing forty-two and dominoes. Salad plate refreshments were served to: Mesdames Tom Darsey, R. E. Campbell, Sr., Ben Keltz, T. E. Cammack, C. C. Renfro, A. A. Tipton, W. L. Williams, Fred Bourland, H. M. Murphy, Floyd Henderson and C. P. Waybourn and the honoree.

Former residents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clower and sons, Dahl and Dwight, visited friends and relatives here Sunday.

Roaring Springs NEWS

Mrs. L. E. Cooper, Correspondent
Phone 981, Roaring Springs

Joe B. King of Lubbock looked after business and visited friends here Wednesday. He was reared here.

Mrs. O. L. Harris and Mrs. Ray Snyder shopped in Floydada, Friday.

Mrs. Iva Meason is in Arlington visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murray.

J. C. Rape has returned to Ventura, Calif., after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Rape.

Mrs. David Campbell and Mrs. Clyde Williams looked after business and shopped in Spur, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Morgan of Seymour, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones and Mrs. Kay Jones of Rotan looked after business here Saturday.

John Louis Farris, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farris is taking his basic training at San Diego, Calif. He is in the Marine Corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Monteith and children, Sharon and Larry, Midland were week-end guests of his aunt, Miss Freda Keahey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Marshall of Floydada, visited here Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss of Lubbock visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melton Thacker and Mr. and Mrs. Caldwell Smith.

Mrs. Melton Thacker, Mrs. Joe M. Thacker and Mrs. C. H. Smith attended a birthday dinner Tuesday at Lubbock, honoring Mrs. J. A. Goodwin. The affair was in the home of Mrs. E. E. Moss, formerly of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson visited in Lubbock, Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. S. J. Braselton shopped and attended to business in Amarillo, Friday. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Vester Shirley of Halfway.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Goodwin returned Wednesday from the Rio Grande Valley, where they had spent the winter.

Week-end and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Havis and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Robbins of Lubbock.

Mrs. Ethel Brown looked after business and visited in her home here Wednesday and Thursday. She returned to Fort Worth to be with some of her children who are ill.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
Notice is hereby given that Frank J. Pohl and A. C. Traweck, Jr., doing business as Household Supply Company, intend to incorporate such business without a change of firm name after the expiration of thirty (30) days from this the 29th day of March, 1955.
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By A. C. Traweck, Jr.
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Mrs. Walter Nichols of Crowell and his son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Nichols of Odessa, visited here Sunday with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Shirley and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale King and Mrs. Billy Hand looked after business and shopped in Amarillo, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. John Belaska were called to Wichita Falls, Sunday, to be with their father, Will Smiley, who is not recovering satisfactorily after recent surgery. Dr. Halle of Spur, and Bud Smiley of Glenn, were also at his bedside.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roller of Hale Center announce the birth of a son, Billy Earl, who was born Friday, March 25. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Roller of this vicinity. Forest Ragland and son, Frank made a business trip to Dallas, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Witcher returned Monday from Dallas, and reported that their son, Bobby, who is a patient in Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children, is doing very well.

Mrs. Maud Goodwin and Mrs. Nelson Rape of East Afton were here Monday looking after business.

Mrs. J. F. Hughes and daughter, Mrs. Ann Ennis and daughters, Harriet and Dianne of Spur, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ragland and children, Ronny, Wanda and Sharon, spent the week-end in Blanchard, Okla., as guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Rigby.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Williams of Lorenzo, visited here Wednesday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Scott. Omar Parks and Clyde Williams looked after business in Lubbock, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thacker of Lockney were here recently looking after business and visiting relatives.

Gary Laughlin of Hobbs, N. M., visited here with his wife, Rene, from Saturday through Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvil Doak, of Portales, N. M., were week-end guests of her father, J. W. Cooper.

Mrs. Ethel Hicks of Plainview visited Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Alice Basham.

Mrs. C. D. Wilson and daughters, Miss Elna Wilson and Mrs. Bertie Faulkner, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Roberts in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Swim and granddaughter, Miss Cynthia Swim of Wilburton, Okla., Miss Lula M. Swim and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swim and sons, Sammy and Rogene were Sunday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Thacker of Lockney.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean McInroe were her parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrington, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Arrington of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Arrington of Dickens and a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sudderth of Bovina.

Mrs. Agnes Keller has returned to her home in Roswell, N. M., after a visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C.

Irwin. Another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Possey Wilcher of Dallas, were week-end guests of her parents.

Wesley Burt of San Angelo spent the week-end here with his wife, Ruby.

Mrs. Donna Payne is in Artesia, N. M. visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brogdon returned recently from a visit with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Brogdon, in Superior, Arizona.

McAdoo News

By Mrs. G. G. Allen

Louis Adams of Dallas visited in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phifer, Thursday.

Mrs. Myrtle Denny of Crosbyton attended services at the Church of Christ, Sunday. Her brother, Willie McLaughlin accompanied her to Crosbyton and spent the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. House visited in Rotan, with relatives during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brantley, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Hines of Crosbyton, spent last week-end fishing at Possum Kingdom.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hickman of Wake, were visitors for Sunday evening services at the Church of Christ.

J. E. Wooley is visiting relatives at Fort Worth.

Mr. J. E. Wooley and Mary Lois accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Wooley of Ft. Worth, to Amarillo for a week-end visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donahue and family, and to see the latest addition to their family, a baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Phifer were shopping in Lubbock, Thursday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brantley on the birth of a daughter in the Crosbyton Hospital, March 21. She weighed 4 lbs. 15 ozs.

Jockey Tooke and Willie Phifer visited Buck Stevens at Sanatorium, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Berry were Sunday dinner guests in the Cecil Berry home at Broadway.

Bro. A. L. Pate and W. I.

Moore left Monday for Jackson, Miss., where they will attend the National Baptist Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Foster and Sharon Kay of Judd were visitors Saturday and Sunday in the home of her sister and family, Bro. and Mrs. A. L. Pate.

Week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Noble Neff were her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Barnard and Mervyn of Lincoln, Neb., and A/3c Donald E. Barnard of Amarillo AFB.

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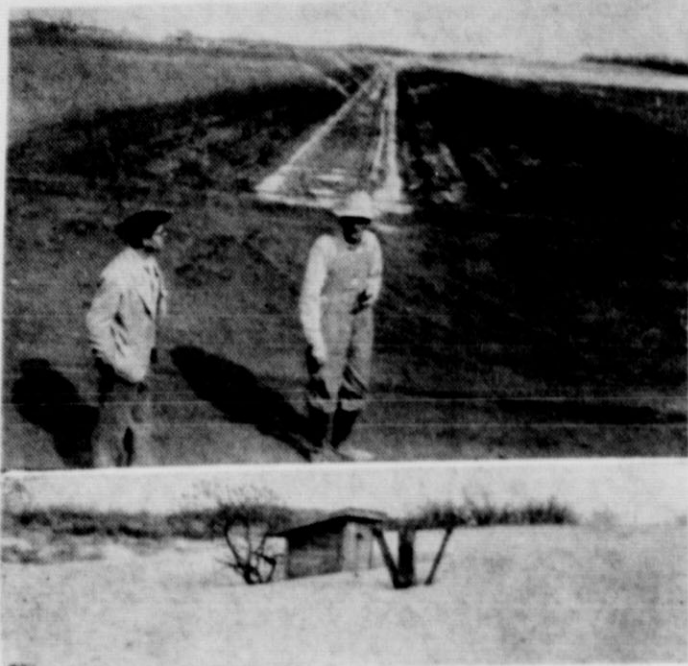
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BLOWING SAND has created some unusual problems (see bottom photo) in West Texas. This emergency, however, is less distressing than the picture indicates. The outhouse and clothesline pole are actually half buried in sand on the Ike Reed farm in northwest Motley county. The modern farm home where the Ike Reeds live is built on a blowsand hill, which has always been a problem. The outhouse in the photo is near quarters which Mr. Reed usually provides for cottonpickers in the fall. He has frequently found it necessary to clear the sand away with a tractor before the cottonpicking season.

Blowing sand doesn't bother Ike Reed. He has lived with it and in most of his life. He knows that if he can get water on it the sand will grow almost anything. As the county's pioneer irrigation farmer Mr. Reed has found the answer to sand. In the top picture Mr. Reed (center) stands near a sprinkler system operating from his third irrigation well. Man to the left is Dean Humphries, editor of the Quitaque Post. Mr. Reed has been growing two bales of cotton to the acre on most of the field for several years. Irrigation is his answer to the blowing sand.—Douglas Meador photos. Engravings Courtesy Lubbock Avalanche.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Neighbors and son, Billy Jud of Fort Worth, spent the week-end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neighbors.

Mrs. John Stotts visited in Berger from Thursday until Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Love and Mr. and

Mrs. Joe Campbell, former Matador residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hurst and children, Ricky and Andrea of Sudan, formerly of Matador, visited friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Payne of Lubbock and Charles Payne of Nara Visa, N. M. were week-end

visitors here with their mother, Mrs. Ethel Payne.

Mrs. J. P. Neighbors is visiting at Seagraves this week with her children, Speedy Neighbors and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Myers.

Mrs. C. P. Waybourn was accompanied to Childress, Tuesday by her son, Gerald Waybourn, and visited her sister, Mrs. J. L. Holden.

Mrs. J. L. Woodruff has been visiting at Grapeland with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dailey, and at Franklin with a sister, Mrs. T. P. Metcalfe and Mr. Metcalfe.

McADOO NEWS
By Mrs. G. G. Allen

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Moore, Martha and Mary were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bateman Middlebrooks of Roaring Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Gipson and Barbara of Lubbock visited in the W. H. Moore home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Goodwin, Waynette and Douglas of Paducah, were Saturday night visitors in the L. E. Bass home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Brantley and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Brantley and baby of Spur, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Armstrong and baby of Lubbock are spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Armstrong, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hickman had all their children and grandchildren home Sunday to help him celebrate his 92nd birthday. They are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Patrick and girls of Tatum, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Willie Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Cypert and family, the former Joan Clark and her husband, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hickman and girls.

Mrs. T. J. Brantley and Norman were shopping in Roaring Springs, Monday afternoon.

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