

# Matador Tribune

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### TRAIL DUST

By DOUGLAS MEADOR

Hate is a poison which sickens the soul and at the same time conditions a life with complete immunity to happiness.

Little thought has been given to the tramp's changing environment. Although he has patented the policy of refusing work, his rights have suffered serious infringement to a degree that his class overcrowded. Even his old custom of picking cigarette butts from the gutter is coming to a very end. The risk of paint poisoning has forced him to go elsewhere for his nicotine.

A minority group is finding fault with women's bathing suits. More than half the people are in approval, including the women who wear 'em and men with enough eyesight to get around without the aid of a cane.

It is unfortunate that when a man stoops to accept an accolade he posteriors automatically becomes a tantalizing target for the toe of a boot.

Life would be more serene if we could burn some memories and dried leaves and allow the wind to scatter the ashes; some thoughts should be buried in the depths of the sea. Perhaps some songs should be kept in a safe forever and many words best never spoken. Except that my soul cried when this incident was related I would regret the dear remorse of friends and consign the thought of eternal banishment. Because of the extreme proficiencies of the field it became expedient to dispose of a mother cat and several baby kittens. The method of execution selected was to place the cats in a burlap bag, cut through the bag until they were dead and carry the bag to ravine in the pasture. Late in the day the family was distressed by a spectral sound, the mewling of a little kitten. One had escaped unharmed and returned a little kitten with bloody paws.

Attention is frequently called to the beauty of some particular woman without thought or knowledge of her charity, which is incongruous as to declare a man is splendid because it has attractive bark.

Some men are so satisfied or resigned to their position in the world it becomes difficult to determine when they are in somnolence, except when darkness has arrived and they have removed their shoes.

Flattery is listening to the ego as it satisfies an inherent hunger with a delectable viand.

### BEAUCHAMP FAMILY HERE FOR WEEK-END

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Beauchamp for a week-end family reunion were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McNabb of Quanah, a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Beauchamp and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Tate and small son, Tommie, all of Odessa; another daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lawrence, and a grandson, Norman Beauchamp, all of Matador.

### ON VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Montgomery, their daughter, Bette Fran, and Miss Ruth Marie Stanley left Monday morning on a vacation trip, with Glacier National Park as their destination. Tentative plans to continue into Canada for a short tour.

### TRAWEEK HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. D. Long is a patient in Traweck Hospital, receiving medical treatment.

### IMPROVED

J. J. Cooper, who suffered a heart attack Monday evening, is reported improved. His sister, Miss Nora Cooper, is also resting from a fall which she suffered the same day.

## Lions Name Grid Queen Candidate

Matador's candidate for the Greenbelt Football Association queen to be selected tonight is Jeanie Hines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines. The queen of the association will be named at Childrens tonight and the pre-season game will be played there Friday night.

Selection of a queen candidate was sponsored here by the Matador Lions club and the queen contest and football contest is sponsored jointly by the Childrens Chamber of Commerce and Childrens Lions.

Miss Hines was presented with an orchid by Matador Floral Company before her departure for Childrens.

The football game is played by football boys of the district who graduated from high school last year. Some are coming from as far away as Houston to take part in the game.

## Soil Group Votes Appreciation For Publicity On Work

A vote of appreciation was expressed last week by the Upper Pease Soil Conservation District to the West Texas Utilities Company for the publicity given soil conservation in mailing pieces enclosed with statements by the utilities company.

The soil group met at the courthouse here Tuesday (August 11) with James (Doc) Taylor, chairman, George A. Mays, of Paducah and Varner McWilliams of Whiteflat. Visitors included Roy Neely, Paducah vocational agriculture teacher, County Agent Bill Pallmeyer and James H. Priddy of the Soil Conservation Service.

Entrance into the Goodyear Rubber company national soil conservation awards program was approved by the board. A charge of \$5 per day was set on the use of the Huskey scrapers with a minimum charge of \$3 for less than one day's use.

Announcement was made that two hydraulic-operated scrapers are available to farmers through the Paducah and Matador vocational agriculture departments. The scrapers were declared excellent for mending breaks in terraces and filling washes. Two seed drills now owned by the district will be offered for sale.

## Announcement Made Of Revival Meeting

A revival meeting will be held at the Flag Springs Baptist Church in Roaring Springs, beginning Friday, August 14, and continuing through the 23rd, it was announced this week.

Rev. Joe E. Wilbanks of Paducah, Texas will do the preaching, and services will be held at 10 AM and 8 PM. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

## RELATIVES ARE VISITORS

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keltz from Friday until Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boone of Lubbock, cousins of Mr. Keltz. His brother E. L. Keltz of Vernon and the latter's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Keltz of San Diego, Calif., were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Edwards, where a family gathering was held Friday. Other relatives present included Mrs. T. J. Darsey, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Darsey and daughter, Joann, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Campbell and sons, Guy and Harry, and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Keltz and family.

## FORMER RESIDENT HERE

Mrs. Kenneth Hought and two sons of Snyder, visited Monday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Seiger and with other friends here. Mrs. Hought will be remembered here as the former Emma Lesta here as the former Emma Lesta McKee. She was accompanied by Matador by Mrs. J. L. Huey of Afton, the former Sally Rattan. The two women taught school together for several years in this county.



OVER FOUR CENTURIES—The combined ages of the five West Texas pioneers who met Sunday in celebration of Ben F. Simpson's 82nd birthday at Northfield community add to more than 400 years. The photograph was made on the veranda of the Simpson home where he has lived continuously for over 50 years (see story on next page). From left to right in the photograph are: Simpson, 82; Joe Meador, Matador, 80; J. M. Farrel, Memphis, 75; Jim Meador, Matador, 87; and B. T. Prewitt, 84, Esteline. (Photo by Douglas Meador.)

## Riley Day Burned In Gas Explosion

R. A. (Riley) Day received first degree burns early Saturday when he applied a torch to ignite the gas-fired boiler at Day by Day Cleaners. Most severe burn was on his right armer but his nose and lips also were blistered by the blast of flame. He was rushed to Stanley Hospital where he remained until yesterday. His condition is much improved but he will be unable to work for several days. No damage to the plant resulted from the explosion.

The accident resulted when Mr. Day's son, E. A. failed to cut off the main boiler valve the night before. About 7 o'clock Saturday morning Mr. Day turned on an outside valve which controls all the gas in building, thinking the inside valve was closed, as is the custom. The fire box filled with gas from the large burner which has 36 openings. Because of high fever, Mr. Day was unable to smell the escaping gas and applied a torch.

Mrs. A. A. Harp had driven up in front of the cleaning shop at about the time of the explosion and said the shock was intense. E. A. Day arrived about the same time and administered first aid to his father.

## MISS PATTI PIPKIN ACCEPTS POSITION IN PLAINVIEW HIGH

Miss Patti Pipkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pipkin of Matador, has accepted the position of homemaker teacher in Plainview High school. She went to Plainview last week to assume her duties, which begin in advance of the school term.

This week Miss Pipkin is in Dallas, where she is attending a State convention of Homemaking teachers.

Miss Pipkin has her degree from Texas Technological College, where she was graduated in the spring with honors.

## V. A. Rattans Attend Funeral In Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Rattan drove to Amarillo Saturday, to attend funeral services for Sid L. Veazey, 55, which were held in Blackburn-Shaw Chapel at 2 p. m.

Mr. Veazey was the father of the Rattan's daughter-in-law, Mrs. Truett Rattan of Levelland. He died at his home in Amarillo on Wednesday night, following an illness of seven months.

Besides his wife and daughter he is survived by 2 sons, and 3 grandchildren.

## THIRD SUNDAY SINGING

Third Sunday Singing will be held Sunday, August 16, at the Land Mark Baptist church, beginning at 2 p. m. It was announced this week by Bruce Martin, vice-president of the group.

## RETURNS HOME

Miss Sara Carson returned home Tuesday from an extended visit in Lake Mississippi with relatives. She also visited in Oneonta, Alabama, with a sister during the trip.

## Faculty Completed For Roaring Springs School

All vacancies have been completed in the Roaring Springs school faculty and the 1953-54 term will begin August 31. It was announced last week by superintendent Paul E. Swartz.

A general faculty meeting is scheduled for August 29 at 8:15 a. m. when principals will instruct the faculty on plans for the first semester of work.

Several changes in the faculty are announced. Ray Snyder from the Northside school, Vernon, has replaced J. W. Sollis as high school principal and coach. Mrs. Mary Tate will teach in junior high, replacing J. P. Cooper. Mrs. Roxie Lewis replaces Nancy Morris in high school English and business.

Billy Gene Tate, former Memphis grade school principal, replaces George Morris. He will also teach the sixth grade. Mrs. Bessie Mae Marshall will teach the first grade to replace Jessie Lee Lancaster.

## Lunchroom Price Fixed

Mrs. Hazel Bridges and Mrs. Ray Warren will again operate the completely remodeled lunchroom. Prices will again be 25¢ per meal as last year. Students will be required to buy tickets in advance through the use of the ticket system. Some new equipment has been added to the lunch room.

The entire school plant has been finished inside and grounds will be in condition by the opening date. Julian Nolan will be custodian.

## RESIDENTS RETURN FROM TRES RITOS

Miss Bernice Garrison, with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Garrison, jr., and children, Dickie, David and Debra, returned home last Wednesday from a fishing trip to Tres Ritos, New Mexico.

They were joined there by other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Wright and son, Jerry, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Garrison and Beverly, all of Kermit, and Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Parks and small daughter, Phyllis, of Odessa, all of whom returned here for a visit. The Wrights visited a sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Graham, and continued to Dallas for the week-end, while the Alvin Garrisons went from here to Fort Worth.

Mrs. France Barton and children, Dixie, Mike and Bridget accompanied the Dayton Wright family to Dallas, and on to their home in Kermit for a visit.

## RETURN TO DENTON

James Russell Nebbett arrived here during the week-end from Colorado, where he had been on a fishing trip, and accompanied his wife and children, Mike and Nancy, to their home in Denton. The latter had remained here and visited Mrs. Nebbett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Whitaker and other relatives.

## VISITING IN DALLAS

Mrs. R. E. Donovan and daughter, Rose Carolyn are visiting in Dallas and Bridgeport this week with relatives and friends.



BILLY GENE TATE

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A board meeting is scheduled for Tuesday evening, August 13, at which time the public may inspect the budget.

Parents of first grade students are asked to bring a copy of their child's birth certificate and a smallpox vaccination certificate the first day of school, except in instances where pre-registration was made in the spring.

Roaring Springs colored school will begin August 17, allowing for a few weeks work period during the fall. Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Fluellen, parents of two girls, formerly of Pittsburg, will teach the colored school.

## HOME FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns drove to Amarillo Sunday, Aug. 2, to meet and accompany home their children, Karan and Clinton Lee who had made a trip to Tulare, Calif., with their grandmother, Mrs. W. E. Burns of Ordway, Colorado. A niece, Miss Shirley Ann McGuire of Amarillo, accompanied the Burns family home and visited them last week.

## IS CHURCH SPEAKER

Mrs. Ed Williams filled the pulpit at the Whiteflat Methodist Church, Sunday morning at the 11 o'clock hour, and delivered a timely message. She spoke in the absence of the pastor, Rev. M. J. Morton, who is in his meeting at Flomot.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reeves and daughter, Patricia Ann, of Dallas, arrived Wednesday of last week for a visit with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Reeves and a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Reeves.

## COME TO CHURCH SUNDAY

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## Scattered Showers Refreshen Outlook

### Farm Bureau To Name Candidate In Queen Contest

Motley county will join other counties over the state in sponsoring a candidate to the statewide Farm Bureau queen contest, according to an announcement made this week by John Ray Hunter of Roaring Springs, president of the Motley County Farm Bureau.

Purpose of the annual contest is to give recognition to the beauty, charm and vivaciousness of farm and ranch girls, and also to give rural youth an opportunity to become better acquainted with the principles and philosophies of the Farm Bureau. The girls will be judged on appearance, poise and personality.

Rules of the contest are as follows: To be eligible a girl must be (1) the daughter or sister of a Farm Bureau member, (2) single, (3) sixteen years of age by September 1, 1953 and not over 22 on that date. Daughters of state directors, employees, county officers and county directors are not eligible to enter the contest.

Date of the Motley county contest is not decided but will be held during the latter part of August. Anyone interested in entering the county contest may contact John Ray Hunter or Freddie Brandon at Roaring Springs; N. B. McMahan or Frank Price at Matador; Tom Tilson at Whiteflat; Delmont Hays at Northfield and Harry Folley at Flomot.

### IN HOSPITAL

Clarence Jenkins is a patient in Stanley Clinic-Hospital for treatment this week.

## Northfield Extension Route to be Surveyed

Extension of the Northfield farm-to-market road toward Matador is scheduled for the future by the State Highway Department. Palmer Massey, department district engineer of Childrens, met Monday with the

### Relatives Attend Funeral For Uncle

Mesdames W. N. Pipkin, W. F. Jacobs, R. E. Campbell, jr., and Mrs. Robert Darsey, Tuesday attended funeral services at Quanah, for their uncle, Ora Batis, 69, who died of a heart attack at his home Monday.

Services were held at 5 p. m. in the First Methodist church, with Rev. W. E. Hamilton officiating.

Mother of the four ladies attending the service, Mrs. Bert Estes, and Mrs. Batis are sisters. Mr. Batis is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. J. J. Kennedy of Quanah, and three grandchildren.

### DAUGHTERS HERE TO VISIT MRS. JENKINS

Two daughters and their families have been here during the week for a visit with Mrs. F. M. Jenkins and other relatives. They are, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Bradley and son, Ronnie of Corpus Christi, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Solomon and son, Danny of Tulsa.

### CANDIDATE FOR DEGREE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Payne of Canyon, visited here during the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Payne and other relatives. Payne is among the 240 candidates for degrees listed at West Texas State College, who expect to participate in summer commencement activities Aug. 21, according to Dean Walter H. Juniper. He will receive his Masters degree at that time.

### IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. J. Hicks was conveyed to Lubbock Thursday last week, and will undergo surgery in Lubbock Memorial Hospital tomorrow (Friday) morning. She is in room 702.

### Flomot Gets Up To 1.25 Inches Rain

HEAT-WISTED crops were refreshed over a large area of the Panhandle Tuesday afternoon and night when scattered showers brought relief from excessive heat and hot winds. According to reports the Flomot community received the favored portion of scattered showers which amount to only .15 inch here. Excessive hot winds Monday threatened the young row crops throughout the county. The mercury here rose to 106 degrees Monday. The break in the heat wave was the first moisture since the general rainfall which fell approximately

### MORE RAIN

More rain fell here early this morning to register an additional .52-inch on the city wells rain gauge. A report from Gerald Yeates, Northfield school principal last night said that community had received beneficial showers amounting in some places to more than half an inch.

### Crops Are Benefitted

While the cooler weather and moisture will aid all the young feed in the county, the greatest benefit will probably be in the Flomot community which has good prospects to produce some cotton.

Four weeks ago. Unconfirmed reports declared that some areas in the Flomot community received as much as 1.25-inches and beneficial showers over much of the territory. A good shower also fell east of Matador. Roaring Springs received 25-inches.

### At Present a four-mile farm-to-market project is under way in the northwest section of the county which will connect Flomot with paved road to the Briscoe county paving. The dirt work is completed and piles are being driven for the river bridge. The bridge is scheduled to be completed in about 90 days.

Approval has been made for a 9 1/2 miles farm-to-market road that will serve the Whitestee area, connecting the Flomot farm-to-market road with State Highway 70 north of Whiteflat. It will follow the approximate route of the old Flomot-Matador highway and will require new bridges across Pease river and Tom Ball creek. It will be surveyed in the near future and work is expected to start early next year.

### NEW EMPLOYEE

New employee at Spot Cash Grocery this week is Ralph C. Jones, formerly of Roaring Springs, who has moved here to make his future home. He replaces Jerry Swaringen who leaves this week for a vacation in Colorado, and later will enter school.

### TO RUIDOSO

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Jenkins and daughter, Karmen, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Clower and sons, Dahl and Dwight left Sunday morning for a vacation trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico.

### RETURN FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pitts, Sr., returned Wednesday from Cowles, N. M. where they spent a week, accompanied by Mr. Pitts' sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Battey of Floydada.

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**PROMOT NEWS**

**Mr. A. L. Eubanks**  
Correspondent  
3674 Turkey Line

Mrs. Chester Young, Terry and Ricky, were visiting on Wednesday and Wednesday of the home of Mr. Guy Hammons.  
Mrs. Guy Hammons and Gary Anderson Saturday night visiting grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Quitman.  
Mrs. Guy Hammons and Canadian recently returned from a visit to her mother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Hammons.  
Mrs. Riley Turner of the home of Mr. Le Juene Turner.

Mrs. Put Gilbert and Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Martin, accompanied by Mrs. Gilbert's mother, Mrs. J. T. Baral, and her sister, Mrs. Albert Martin of Matador, attended a reunion of Baral and Webb families, held Sunday, August 2nd, at Spur.

Supt. Louis Purvis is expected home the latter part of the week from Amarillo where he has been a patient in a hospital.

The revival meeting which was in progress the past week at the Methodist Church, closed with Sunday night services. The church and community were blessed by the good services.

Winfred Joe Webb and Bob Rushing returned home Sunday from Mammoth, Arizona. They will return there in about a week.

Sunday visitors in the W. H. Webb home were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lawson and daughter, Patsy, of McGregor, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Raby Webb and Johnnie of Matador; Mrs. Howard Standefer and daughter of Plainview and Judy Bourland.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Amick, Louis, and Ronald, and Johnnie Amonett, were visitors in Amarillo, Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Marler visited in Happy, Texas, Sunday.

Malcolm Turner, Crabble Jones, Richard Nall, Dean and Bennie Turner, M. C. Jones and Jewel D. Jones were all on a fishing trip to Texhoma, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Burk and children of Phoenix, Arizona are visiting relatives here and at Quitaque, including the Berry, Perry and Doyle Barham families, the Le Juene Turner family and Jeff Sperry.

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mons, Northfield, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Houston, Sharon, Martha and Steve, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor, Amarillo; Noah Taylor, Kirkland; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope, Parnell, Texas;

Mrs. Lillie Sams, Jerry, Bobby, Gene and Harland, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Monk and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Monk and Junior Sperry, Quitaque; Miss Betty Ruth Merrell, Plainview; Pvt. Roy Monk, Matador on furlough from Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. John Ramage, Ann, Judy and Butch, Spade, Texas; Jimmie Hickman, Little-

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**REV. C. S. BOURNS**      **OLIVER D. RILEY**  
EVANGELIST AND SINGER TO HOLD revival services for the First Baptist Church, Flomot, August 14-23, will be Rev. C. S. Bourns of Lubbock, and Oliver D. Riley of Decatur. Services will be held twice daily, 10 AM. and 8 PM. It was announced by the pastor, Rev. A. L. Eubanks. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

**Major Roy Amick Now Assigned To Wright-Patterson**

(Special to Tribune)

Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio—Maj. Roy W. Amick son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Amick, Flomot, Texas, has been assigned to Air Materiel Command Headquarters here, the Air Force announced today.

Major Amick is chief of the Analysis Section in the Directorate of Supply and Services' Procedures and Field Operations Division. He came to Wright-Patterson AFB after attending a 22-week field officers course at the Air Command and Staff School at Maxwell AFB, Ala.

Born in Whiteflat, Texas, November 23, 1915, Major Amick attended Flomot High school and also Oklahoma A&M. He entered military service in January, 1941, as a private, and was commissioned a second lieutenant in July, 1943.

During World War II he was a squadron aircraft maintenance officer in Italy and Africa from April, 1944, to September, 1945, and in the Korean war he was supply officer for the 6154th Air Base Group from February to December in 1952. For these services he received the Bronze Star Medal and one oak-leaf cluster.

Major Amick also saw service at Luke, AFB, Ariz.; Barksdale AFB, La.; Vance AFB, Okla.; and Wichita AFB, Kan. He, his wife, the former Madeleine King of Spokane, Wash. and their one child reside at 816 S. Maple St., Fairborn, Ohio.

**Flomot Parachutist At Fort Campbell**

(Special to Tribune)

FORT CAMPBELL, Ky.—Cpl. Ollie D. Calvert, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Calvert of Flomot, Texas recently made his 23rd jump from a C-119 aircraft.

Currently a gunner in the fourth section of Battery "A", 457th Airborne Field Artillery Battalion, Corporal Calvert has been a parachutist since July of 1951. He graduated from Jump School at Fort Benning Georgia. Since his entrance into the 11th Airborne Division Corporal Calvert has participated in Oper-

ation "Snowfall" at Pine Camp, New York and Operation "Warmwind" in Alaska.

After graduating from Flomot High school Corporal Calvert was employed as a farmer.

Week-end visitors in the Robert I. Thomas home were, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Brown and children and Mrs. T. W. Brown of Memphis, Tenn.

Mrs. A. L. Eubanks is spending the week in Wichita Falls with her daughter, Treva Lee. Rev. and Mrs. Eubanks made the trip there Wednesday of last week.

Ernest Fisher drove to Plainview last Tuesday to visit his uncle, W. D. Herring, whose wife died Monday night.

**DR. O. R. McINTOSH**  
Optometrist  
Announces the opening of his offices for the general practice of Optometry  
AT 211 SOUTH MAIN STREET  
PHONE 157  
Floydada, Texas

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Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Monk and Winfred, Melrose, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons, Montie and Mark, and Grady Tim-

mons, Northfield, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Houston, Sharon, Martha and Steve, Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Taylor, Amarillo; Noah Taylor, Kirkland; Mr. and Mrs. Jean Pope and Randy, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pope, Parnell, Texas;

Mrs. Lillie Sams, Jerry, Bobby, Gene and Harland, Borger; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Monk and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Monk, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Monk and Junior Sperry, Quitaque; Miss Betty Ruth Merrell, Plainview; Pvt. Roy Monk, Matador on furlough from Ala.; Mr. and Mrs. John Ramage, Ann, Judy and Butch, Spade, Texas; Jimmie Hickman, Little-



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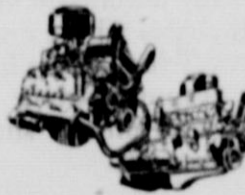
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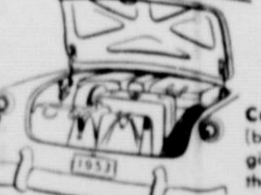
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B. F. Simpson Passes 82 Milestone

## Pioneers Swap Memories At Birthday Celebration

RIDING through the past's unplowed ranges, five West Texas pioneers, Sunday, rounded up and branded some maverick memories. Beyond the wide veranda, shimmering in the white hot sun, reaching to the northern horizon, red hills of the Peases river brakes served as a backdrop for the parade of long-ago scenes.

Ben F. Simpson was celebrating his 82nd birthday and the locale was his Northfield home for more than half a century. Four early-day friends, Ben T. Prewitt of Estelline, Joe Meador and Jim Meador of Matador and J. M. Ferrel of Memphis helped him round-up and re-live the memories.

The approximately 50 relatives and friends, belonging to

other generations, were incidental. The long table groaning under its burden of epicurean delights effected a recess of semi-silence until most of the guests had returned for one or more additional helpings. Sufficient food remained for twice the number. Children and friends of the Simpson family prepared the dinner.

**Born in Missouri**  
Ben F. Simpson was born in Barton county, near Sheldon, Missouri, August 10, 1871. He came with his parents to Texas at the age of four (1875) and settled in Parker county, where he grew to manhood.

He moved to Motley county and prepared a dugout home on Bitter Creek in the Northfield community in 1896. "I filed on 160 acres of land because I didn't want to pay taxes on any more," Mr. Simpson said. He lived on Bitter Creek for seven years and then built a one-room house at the location of his present home west of the Northfield community.

"We moved here in February, 1903," Mr. Simpson recalled, "and I built this house 'plank at a time' until 1915 when it was finished. It has been my home for more than half a century."

In 1950 Mr. Simpson built and presented to the Northfield Church of Christ, a modern church building, constructed of native rock.

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He has been a director of the First State Bank of Matador since 1942.

**Early-Day Cowgirl**  
Among the Sunday birthday celebration visitors was Mrs. Ninnie Canafax of Thalia, sister of Mr. Simpson's deceased wife. Soft-spoken and hesitant to relate her part in the pageant of the past, the pioneer woman said she remained only six months on her first visit to Northfield.

Her name at that time was Miss Ninnie Littlefield and she rode most of the distance from Parker county horseback to help drive a herd of approximately 160 head of cattle. Her father did not like the country and returned, but the Courtney and Simpson families remained.

**"Popcorn" Is Fat And Slick**  
Grazing with other horses on the hills northeast of the house, was "Popcorn" Mr. Simpson's saddle horse, now 26 years of age, and in retirement. "Popcorn" is fat, slick and sassy, with too much energy for his master, but Mr. Simpson saddles him up (against the advice and knowledge of relatives) on rare occasions.

From the old home veranda the river and the hills showed little change except for long, black lines bringing REA electric power to the pioneer's home.

Names on the register (in addition to the five previously listed) were: J. M. Ferrel, Jr. of Memphis; Berry Canafax and family of Thalia; Fulton Canafax and family of Seymour; Joe Canafax and family of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ashford and Clyde L. Duncan of Amarillo; G. A. Ashford of Turkey; Odell Meyer and family and Douglas Meador of Matador, and Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bain and Beverly of Northfield.

Mr. Simpson's children (all live at Northfield) and their families, who assisted with the celebration were: Mrs. Pete Timmons, Mr. and Mrs. Claud McDonald and their daughter and family; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jameson and son, Franklin of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. (Bud) Simpson and son, Gayland T. B. (Boone) Simpson; and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. (Bake) Simpson and their two daughters and a son; Miss Ida Mae Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harmon of Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Simpson, Lubbock.

**VISIT RELATIVES HERE**  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox and baby son, Jerry of Lubbock, were visitors here Wednesday and Thursday of last week, in the homes of relatives, including the S. Pattons, Loyd Latimers, Charlie Keiths, and Miss Mary Keith. Mrs. Knox is the former Mary Helen Keith of Whiteface, Texas.

### Roaring Springs NEWS

Mrs. L. E. Cooper, Correspondent  
Phone 361, Roaring Springs

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Mathis and sons are visiting in Hobbs, N. M., with their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cates and children, Patsy and Levoice, and Cisco were Sunday guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Tooke.

Mrs. J. H. Wilcher and sons, Bobby and Elmer of Parnell, Okla., and Mrs. H. E. Durham and children, Helen and Jerry of Slater, Mo., left Friday for their homes after a visit here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Johnson and son, Ronny of Carlsbad, N. M., are houseguests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson of Lubbock spent the week-end here with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper.

Miss Freda Keahey returned Thursday from a 2-month visit in Wichita Falls with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Monteith. Miss Keahey and Mrs. Monteith also visited in Orangeburg, S. C., places of interest in Florida, and in Opelousa, La., with Earl and Bobby Monteith and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cargile and children, Barbara, Wanda and Dan of Strathmore, Calif., are visiting with her mother, Mrs. Alice Basham.

Messrs. and Mesdames Dean McEnroe, Caldwell Smith and S. J. Braselton of Roaring Springs, also Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hoyle of Matador, spent the week-end in Ruidoso, New Mexico.

Mrs. C. D. Wilson and Miss Beno Wilson visited recently in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby York made a business trip to Dallas and Fort Worth, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis of Fort Worth spent Wednesday night here with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Davis, who accompanied them Thursday to Denver, Colo., where they will visit with Mrs. R. E. Spangler.

House guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bonnin are their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bonnin, also Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Trwiler and Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bounds and son, Connie, all of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bridge left Thursday for Phoenix, Ariz., where he will be connected with Claud Baker in a cotton gin. En route, they will visit in Lubbock and Odessa, with their daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Sain and daughter of Amarillo, visited here recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Yandell.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lefevre are her brothers and families: Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bruce of Midway, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Bruce, La Veta, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bruce, Hastings, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bruce and granddaughter, Judy Bruce of Crowell, Texas; also a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Lefevre and children.

Recent guests of Mrs. C. D. Wilson were Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Roberts of Floydada, and Ken and Janice Wilson of Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Havis of Slaton were here Wednesday looking after business and visiting with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. Clive Thacker and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moss and Margaret of Floydada visited here Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Mary Ragdale attended funeral services for a son-in-law, Albert Swan, at Dickens, Saturday.

Mesdames Bob Clemm, David Campbell and Buz Thacker shopped in Lubbock Thursday.

Mrs. Doc Cross and children of Plainview, visited here Saturday with the Bob Coopers.

Truman Dobbins is in Cisco, visiting with his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Cates.

Mrs. Stella Morrow and daughter, Mrs. Bob Harrison and Mrs. R. A. Drennon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ragland, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fox and daughter, Wanda of Floydada, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigby.

### ARTHRITIS!

I have been wonderfully blessed in being restored to active life after being crippled in nearly every joint in my body and with muscular soreness from head to foot. I had Rheumatoid Arthritis and other forms of Rheumatism, hands deformed and my ankles were set.

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### O. B. SCOTTS CALLED TO FATHER'S BEDSIDE

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Scott of Roaring Springs were called last Monday morning to Littlefield, to the bedside of his father, R. B. Scott, who was critically injured by a hit-and-run driver that morning at 9:15.

Mr. Scott, 63 years old, had been mowing out of town with a team-drawn mower and was coming into town, three-fourths of a mile north of Littlefield, when a car struck him from behind, according to officers who investigated the case. They believe the hit-and-run driver to be a woman in a maroon colored car, either a 1946 or '48 Dodge or Plymouth.

Mr. Scott was first taken to the Littlefield Hospital, but on advice of the doctors there, he

was moved to Lubbock Memorial Hospital under care of a brain specialist. He suffered from severe brain injury on the left side of the head, and was paralyzed in his right arm and leg.

Reports received Saturday declared he was still in a serious condition. The Scotts are still at their father's bedside. Mr. Scott is a former resident of Matador and Roaring Springs.

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### Matador IOOF Lodge

Meets every Tuesday night  
Jerry Harpfield, Jr., R. G. Bruce, Martin Secretary  
Visiting brothers welcome.

Secretary

Motley County, Texas

## Financial Statement

As of July 1, 1953

Estimated Valuation, 1953	\$7,150,000
Assessed Valuation, 1952	7,168,055
Total Debt	362,000
Less: Sinking Fund Cash	22,437

NET DEBT \$ 340,563

Ratio Net Debt to Assessed Valuation 4.75%

The equivalent of \$60,000 of the above debt is eligible to receive 66.23% State Aid and 33.77% R.O.W. Aid.

100% of the Principal and interest on the equivalent of \$45,000 of the above debt is presently being paid out of the lateral account with funds distributed from surplus State Gasoline Tax Revenue. This state participation is subject to change.

### Valuation And Tax Data

Year	Assessed Valuation	Tax Rate	% Current Collections	% Tax
1948	\$5,626,791	\$1.22	97.87	99.77
1949	6,323,921	1.22	98.54	100.00
1950	5,757,451	1.23	98.34	100.11
1951	7,081,982	1.24	98.30	99.85
1952	7,168,055	1.22	97.31	99.48

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**NORTHFIELD NEWS**  
Mrs. Charley Lane, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCoy and children left Wednesday for Sacramento, Calif. They were accompanied by Mrs. May Berry Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timmons and children left Saturday evening to attend the Monk reunion in Tulla.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Bennett of Olton, Mrs. Ninnie Canifax of Vernon, and Mrs. Millie Simpson of Satem, Arizona, visited in the B. F. Simpson home this week.

Guy Ashford of Turkey and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lester Eickoff, of Albuquerque, N. M., visited here Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dobbins.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoover and Rheta and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hoover, Mrs. C. W. Cox, Marion Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Travis

Hoover attended the funeral in Amarillo, Tuesday, of their cousin, James Shannon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Stair of Lawton, Okla., visited the first part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dobbins.

Mrs. Ruby Thomas returned to her son's home, J. N. Thomas, Monday after being in the Childers hospital for the past several weeks. Her condition is improved.

Mrs. M. H. Leary and Mrs. T. B. Simpson left Thursday for Denver, Colo., where they will

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visit Mrs. Simpson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moore visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Moore in Matador, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tipton left Tuesday for Oklahoma where they will visit several of her children.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Timmons Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Elliott and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Timmons and sons, and Rev. and Mrs. Coy Kinley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Owen and Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Settlemire visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Patterson Sunday at Highpoint.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Simpson of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Simpson over the week-end.

Clyde Duncan of Amarillo visited in Northfield Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Hoover and Rheta Jo are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hoover and Travis Hoover of Spur, this week.

Wayne Timmons is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Timmons.

**NOTICE OF HEARING ON COUNTY BUDGET**  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by order of the Commissioners' Court of Motley County, Texas, that a public hearing on the County BUDGET of Motley County, Texas, be held on the 24th day of August, 1953, at the regular meeting place of the County Commissioner's Court in the Courthouse in Matador, Texas.

ALL TAXPAYERS are invited to be present and participate in the hearing.

Given under my hand and seal of the Commissioners' Court of Motley County, Texas, this 10th day of August, 1953.

Vance H. Gilbreath,  
County Judge, Motley County, Texas.

**FAMILY GATHERING IN SEIGLER HOME**  
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Seigler, Sunday was the scene of a family dinner for Rattan brothers and sisters. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Littleton Rattan, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Rattan and Mrs. Albert Rattan and children of Matador; Wallace Rattan, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rattan and children, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Huey of Afton, and the Seigler family.

**FORMER RESIDENT HERE**  
Mrs. B. F. McIntosh of Temple formerly of Matador, was a visitor here Thursday in the B. M. Eubank and B. A. Tanner homes and with other friends. She was enroute to Floydada to visit her sons, Dr. O. R. McIntosh and J. J. McIntosh and families.

**Fall Garden Hints Are Offered By New County Agent**

Motley county's new agriculture agent, Bill Pallmeyer has submitted a list of suggestions proven successful for West Texas weather and climate.

In making every row count it is suggested that vegetables be planted in time to mature before the average frost date of "about November 8th."

Use 25% more seed than for spring planting and apply a mulch to cover rows after planting to reduce soil temperature and conserve moisture. Remove when seeds germinate.

Use fertilizer and irrigate where practical to insure fast growth. Make staggered plantings of quick maturing plants to supply vegetables over a longer period of time. Thin plants early and leave 40 to 50% fewer plants than in the spring. Cultivate to a shallow depth after rain or irrigation to prevent soil crusting. Keep on the outlook for insects and apply proper controls.

Do not turn under weeds or old vegetables in spot for fall garden as rotting will cause heating and prevent good cultivation. Apply this old growth to

compost pile or burn. Do not plow the fall garden deeper than four or five inches and pulverize the soil so that no clods are left.

Leave some old spring plants such as tomatoes, okra, pepper and pole butterbeans. Soak seeds that have a hard coat before planting.

Only heat-tolerant vegetables should be planted in late August and September, which includes onion sets, mustard, turnips,

green beans, Irish potatoes, radish and squash. Complete information on the most successful fall garden vegetables may be obtained by calling at Mr. Pallmeyer's office in the courthouse.

Mrs. Claud Harp and Mrs. Glenn Woodruff played in a golf tournament at Littlefield, Tuesday of last week, and visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Rhendard McCary and family.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

**Harvesting a Better America**

Hubbed my eyes yesterday when I saw Hap Jackson's truck in Biff Morgan's alfalfa field... helping Biff get in his cutting.

Since they've been carrying on a friendly argument for years (over how much fertilizer to use per acre of alfalfa), I had to ask Hap what was going on.

"Got my own crop in safely last week," he says. "And since Biff's boy is at the summer encampment of the National Guard, I figured the least I could do was to help him out. After all," Hap went on, "there's no argument

over how important the National Guard is to all of us."

From where I sit, a fellow like me, who's too old to get in the Guard, can still vote, do a turn at his duty, and respect others' rights. Even a little thing like respecting a neighbor's right to have, say, beer or buttermilk at dinner is important if we want to keep America strong. We have to be a "guard" in more ways than one these days!

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### Two Scout Troops Tie In Swim Meet

PLAINVIEW, Aug. 1.—Troops 48 of Plainview and 60 of Matador tied for overall point honors at the Boy Scout District Swim meet at the American Legion Swimming Pool.

The Junior Division for all Scouts 11 years of age was won by Troop 57 of Floydada sponsored by the Floydada Junior Chamber of Commerce. James H. Word is scoutmaster and his assistant is Jewell E. Elza.

Plainview Troop 50 took second honors. Jimmie Hatch is scoutmaster.

The Intermediate Division for Scouts 12 and 13 was won by Troop 48 of Plainview, sponsored by the VFW Johnnie Hinds is scoutmaster.

Second place was won by Troop 55 of Plainview, sponsored by the Optimist Club. Keith Bailey is scoutmaster.

The Explorer Division was won by the Lions' Club Troop 60 of Matador. Bert Schweitzer is scoutmaster and Freddie Welling his assistant.

The division winners are eligible Aug. 6 at Mackenzie State Park Pool in Lubbock.

The individual winners in the order which they finished along with their trophies were as follows:

Junior—Side stroke, Jimmy Reed, 50; Charles Wright, 48; and Damon Vesszy, 50. Back stroke, Jimmy Reed, 50; Mike Groves, 50. Breast stroke, Don Vickers, 57; Charles Wright, 48; and Danny Shipley, 57. Free style, Don Vickers, 57; Jimmy Reed, 50; and Michael Barnett, 57. Free style relay, troop 55.

Explorer—Side stroke, Jimmy Kennon, 48; W. E. Russell, 60; and James Perry, 55. Back stroke, W. E. Russell, 60; and Shelby Jackson, 60. Breast stroke, Clay Jameson, 60; James Gordon, 60; James Perry, 55. Free style relay, Troop 60.

Ray L. Howard, the district scout executive, was director of the meet. The starter was W. L. Jones, district commissioner. Bob Scott picked first and Algie Groves from Matador, picked second.

Marvin Standefer, assistant district commissioner, acted as recorder and Richard McClure and Jimmy Litch were life-guarders for the meet.

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GIRLS AT CAMP during recent Intermediate encampment at Plains Baptist Assembly included above groups from Matador and Whiteflat (upper left); before the Matador First Baptist Church, cabin. Standing they are: La Royce Mitchell, Dorothy Nell Plyler, Gail McWilliams, Barbara Waybourn and Sue McCaghen; and seated: La Nell Raitan, Mrs. Alfred Cooper, Mrs. Forrest Campbell, Janey Norman, Rachel Craven, Glenda McWilliams; Betty Neighbors and Raynita Dunning. Upper right picture is of the Flomot group; Mrs. Bernice Gates, sponsor; Myra Nan Whitaker, Cora Gail Gunn and June Ross; and front row: Anna Beth Tanner, Bobby Starkey and Joan Green. Lower left shows the Matador girls inside the cabin; back row, Rachel Craven, Glenda McWilliams, Barbara Waybourn and Janey Norman; front row, Raynita Dunning, Mrs. Forrest Campbell, sponsor; Sue McCaghen and Betty Neighbors. Lower right shows the Whiteflat girls in the cabin, Dorothy Nell Plyler, La Nell Raitan, La Royce Mitchell, their sponsor, Mrs. Alfred Cooper and Gail McWilliams.—Photos by Douglas Meador.

### Inspection Law To Allow Car-Owners Plenty Of Time

AUSTIN, July 29.—The new period, which Texas motorists will be required to have their auto inspected under the new modified Motor Vehicle Inspection law which was enacted by the recent 53rd Legislature, has been unofficially set for September 15, 1953, through April 15, 1954, it was announced today by Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Garrison said that the State Public Safety Commission has advised him that they will confirm the designation of the new period on August 26, the effective date of the new act.

The old law which aroused much controversial argument the last session of the Legislature will expire at midnight August 25 and no inspection will be made under its provisions after that date.

Garrison explained that this means that no inspections of any sort will be made between that time and the beginning of the new period on September 15th.

The modified law calls for inspection only of brakes, lighting equipment, horns, rear view mirrors and windshield wipers.

"In view of the fact that the inspection stations throughout the state are already set up and equipped to perform this work," Garrison said, "we feel that we

full seven months of the new period will afford motorists ample time to have their vehicles inspected."

He urged, however, that car owners not wait too long lest they get caught in a last minute rush to meet the inspection deadline.

#### RECENT PATIENTS RETURN HOME FROM STANLEY HOSPITAL

Victor Chalke of Roaring Springs was dismissed August 1 from Stanley Hospital, where he received treatment for three weeks for severe burns on his right hand, resulting when he

was filling a tractor tank with butane.

Also dismissed August 1, was W. B. Barton of Flomot, who had been a recent patient.

Mrs. Troy Pierce of Spur underwent major surgery at the hospital, Wednesday, Aug. 5.

Recent new arrivals at Stanley Hospital were as follows: A girl, Donna Ruth, weight 8 pounds, 7 ozs. was born July 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Jess Thompson, of Dumont.

A 7-lb. 10-oz. son, named Randy Timmons was born July 31 to Mr. and Mrs. Nevada Cook of Northfield.

On August 3, a daughter, Patsy Ann, weight 8 lbs. 3 ozs. was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith of Floydada.

Born August 5 to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Hawks of Turkey, a son, Stephen Antony, weight 8 pounds, 15 ounces.

(delayed) Mrs. W. W. Bain attended a reunion of McMinn relatives, Sunday in Mackenzie State Park Lubbock.

Mrs. J. A. Groves returned home Sunday afternoon from a trip to Hale Center, where she visited a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Groves, and at Denver City with a daughter and family, Rev. and Mrs. I. C. Hinson.

Bill Jameson made a business trip to Wichita Falls, Monday of last week.

## Census Shows County Has Plenty of Youth

A "statistical picture" of Motley county's population, homes, business and agriculture, released in a book, "Country and City Data Book", under the auspices of the Census Bureau, indicates there is plenty of youth among the county's 3,963 inhabitants (1950).

The median age (medium, not the average) in the county is 28.8 years; citizens over 21 years of age numbered 2,341; the number of families was 1,150 and the median family income in 1949 was \$2,490. The median school years completed of persons 25 years and over was 9.

In 1950 the county had 1,421 dwelling units and 1,186 of them were occupied. We did not make much impression with central heating in our homes. Only 1.8 per cent were equipped with this type of heating. In mechanical refrigeration, however, we reached 78.1 per cent and 93.4 had radios. Median value of one dwelling unit non-farm structures occupied by owners was \$2,950.

### Farmers Show Up Good

Impressive is the \$6,078,000 farm products sold in 1949, and the average (not median) value of Motley county's 471 farms (land and buildings) was \$28,923. All but 68 of the county farms were electrified.

The county's 60 retail stores had 135 paid employees and reported sales totaling \$1,500,000 in 1948.

The county had three manufacturing plants (Tribune is one) employing a total of nine persons (average); value added by manufactures in 1947 amounted to \$42,000.

The news release is by James M. Hamilton of the Census Bureau's district office at Ft. Worth.

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## Local Items

Mrs. Bert Hunter of Freeport, is visiting here with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Jackson and other relatives. Also visiting here Sunday was John Jackson of Hale Center, a son of Mrs. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Joplind and daughter, Dorothy of Lubbock, former Matador residents, visited here briefly Tuesday afternoon as they were enroute home from a trip to Oklahoma and East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Knight returned last week from a vacation trip through several eastern and southern states, including Tennessee, Alabama and Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Heller visited in Lubbock last week on the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stanfield, former Matador residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Black returned home Tuesday of last week from a trip to Oklahoma, visiting in Oklahoma City, Elk City, Tulsa, and Stillwater.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Whitworth are on a vacation trip to Colorado Springs, and other points of interest in Colorado. Enroute they visited relatives in New Mexico.

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A. M. Bourland and daughter, Mrs. Scott Bolton of Quitaque, were visitors here Thursday of last week in the Fred Bourland home.

Miss Ann Godfrey of Spur, visited here last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Leonora Luckett.

Mrs. G. A. Ray, who is employed at the Abel Clinic, Lubbock, spent the week-end with her daughters and families: Mr. and Mrs. L. Webb of Roaring Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cooper and son and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ray.

Ed Wideman returned home Wednesday of last week, from a three week visit with relatives and friends in East Texas.

J. W. (Dubi) Drace of Lubbock, was a business visitor in Matador Tuesday.

Mrs. Laila Duncan is visiting relatives in Mineral Wells, after attending a family reunion held near Weatherford.

Gary Bill Fain of Lubbock is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Wells, and they have been visiting relatives in Amarillo and Northfield. The 4-year old youngster made the trip here alone by bus.

### CARD OF THANKS

For every word of condolence and act of kindness extended us at our bereavement in the death of our beloved wife and mother, and for the beautiful floral offerings, we wish to take this means of expressing our profound appreciation. Words cannot convey the full measure of our gratitude for the solace of friends, and our prayer is that God bless each of you.

Claud Flippin and Glenda.

## Roaring Springs News

Mrs. L. E. Cooper, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Watson and daughter, Oma Sue, made a trip to Amite, La., recently. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Moss and made some deliveries of machinery for Mr. Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Moore and children of Dallas spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moore and other relatives.

Mrs. Trudie Hodgkin visited in Seminole recently with her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Valentine of Dickens were Sunday visitors with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Watson.

Mrs. W. A. Lewis and J. N. Fletcher, Misses Kay Lewis and Melba Dawson, Sammie Swim and Melborn Dawson visited and shopped in Spur, Monday.

Miss Maxine Read of Dumont, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Fletcher, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Benham of Ft. Worth visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lewis, Tuesday. The Benhams were pupils of Mr. Lewis in Jones County in 1906-07, and Mr. Lewis is boarded in the home of Mr. Benham's parents.

Mrs. Jo Covey is visiting in Fort Worth this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Green returned Monday from a visit in Ruidoso, N. M. They visited with friends in Lamesa, enroute home.

Miss Jewel Sampson is in Baird, visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sampson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Gordon of Muskogee, Okla., visited her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greenwood, recently. Other guests of the greenwoods were their daughters, Mrs. Chester Henry of Ralls, and Mrs. Doyle Middleton of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Winfield of Matador were recent guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Norris.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Palmer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goolsby.

### METHODIST GROUPS HONOR MRS. SMITH

The Woman's Society of Christian Service and Wesleyan Service Guild of the Roaring Springs Methodist church, honored their oldest member, Mrs. Minnie Smith, with a birthday party, Tuesday, August 4, in the home of Mrs. S. D. Hunter, who was assisted with hospitalities by Mrs. Melvin Thacker. Mrs. W. A. Lewis told the story of Mrs. Smith's life from

birth, until the present, in rhyme, which everyone enjoyed. All the guests then signed the book in which the poem was written.

Thirty women were present, including the following visitors: Mesdames W. B. Vaughn, Fred Simpson, Walter McWilliams and Fred Bourland of Matador; Mrs. A. Freeman, Grand Prairie; Mesdames Trudie Hodgkin, Lem Miller, A. B. Nichols and Iva Meason of Roaring Springs.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

### W. J. Bridge Dies In Munday Hospital

W. J. Bridge, 93 father of Clayton, Bridge of Roaring Springs, died in a Munday hospital, Tuesday, August 4. Funeral services were held at Munday on Wednesday and interment was made in Quannah cemetery.

Pallbearers were grandsons. Three of these were, Jim, Dumont and W. J. Bridge of Afton and Spur.

Mr. Bridge was a pioneer of Hardeman county.

### MISS LUCY BOOTHE IS BRIDE-ELECT OF GERALD PAT PHELPS

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boothe, of Paducah, Texas, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lucy Nell to Mr. Gerald Pat Phelps of Concord, North Carolina. The groom-to-be is the son of Mrs. L. W. Thomas of Roaring Springs.

The event is to take place in the early fall at the Church of Christ in Paducah.

Both the young people are juniors in Abilene Christian College. Miss Boothe is a member of the W Club which is an honor organization of the college.

### In The Want Ads

**FOR SALE:** House furniture, including G.E. refrigerator and Bendix automatic washing machine. See Mrs. Zona R. Martin. 22-2c.

**FOR RENT:** House with 3-rooms and bath unfurnished for \$25 a month. See Rev. W. B. Little

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