



Songs and dances high light "Moon over Miami," which features Don Ameche (top), Betty Grable and Robert Cummings.

Drive To Be Made For Old Alumininum

Governor O'Daniel has appointed Judge Lincoln to act as chairman of the drive to collect OLD ALUMINUM in Terry County.

It is estimated that out of the entire U. S. there can be collected enough old aluminum for the building of 2000 planes.

Sometime during the 24th and 25th of July a Boy Scout will call on every house in town making his collection. You are urged to have any old pots and pans ready to be turned over to him.

Through the cooperation of the Home Demonstration Agent and the various Home Demonstration Clubs in the Rural communities each home will be called on.

Every individual is urged to cooperate in this campaign.

The entire proceeds are to be used in Civilian Home Defense.

There will be singing Friday night at the H. G. Boyd home. Everyone is invited. Bring your books.

Mrs. P. E. Chesshir is in the Brownfield Sanitarium with a severe case of the flu.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Bred Poland China gilt. Frank Bain 8 1-2 mi. W. 1-2 N. Meadow.

FOR SALE—Radio and windcharger, dresser, stove, Cabinets, etc. Must go by Monday. Sam Branch.

FOR SALE—Good gas cook stove. Priced right. A. L. Hartzog.

Doctor Moorhead Observes Eighty-Second Birthday Sunday With Large Crowd of Friends; Writes His Life Story For Readers of The Meadow Star

At the request of the Editor of the Meadow Star for a short story of my life, I will try to meet his wishes. Let me say at the outset that I have never sought publicity, the limelight never appealed to me. Aside from a few spats in politics and a controversy over Evolution in the Terry County Herald many years ago, following the Tennessee trial when teachers were discharged for teaching the facts of Biology.

My forebearers were pioneers in Texas. My mother's family Zion Smith and her father John D. Smith came from Alabama in 1830. Her mother was a Nelson. They settled in what is now known as Limestone County, which was cut from Robertson County and organized in 1846. Their home was near the present town of Groesbeck and about one mile from old Fort Parker, from which the noted Cynthia Ann Parker was taken by the Indians and later became the mother of Quanah Parker.

My mother was born there in 1842. Both parents died when she was quite young, and she and her three sisters were carried to Sabine Parish, La. near the town of Manny to a sister of her mother.

Father was born in Lincoln County, Tennessee near Fredricksburg and grew to manhood there. When his father moved to Louisiana settling near the town of Manny, father came to Texas. After the marriage of mother's eldest sister, they all returned to Limestone County. Father in the meantime, came west to Coryell County and purchased a quarter section of land on North Henson Creek about eight miles southwest of Gatesville in the hill.

Coryell County was organized in 1854, cut from Bell County. Father and mother were married in Limestone County in 1858 and returned to Coryell, where I first saw the light on July 13, 1859.

I landed in troublesome times. The quarrel between the North and South grew hotter and hotter until 1860, after Lincoln's election, war was inevitable. My earliest recollections were of Indian depredations, for when the war began there was no force



J. D. MOORHEAD, M. D.

to keep them on the reservations. The Comanches and Kiowas plied their trade of murder and thievery in the western and north-western part of the State. I had an uncle killed and scalped on the mountain south of our home.

There were very few able bodied men left at home as the Confederate Army took them all, regardless of families. The women who were left at home, while their husbands were at war; were looked after by old men who for one reason or another provided food. Clothing at that time were made at home and for many years after the war the spinning wheel, the loom and the knitting needle were still in use.

I had gone to school three or four months each year for two years, staying with an uncle sixteen miles east of father's; putting in most of that time with Webster's old blue backed speller. All the spelling and reading was almost learned by heart. When I did change, it was to Goodridg's third reader.

We moved in 1866 to near the town of Waco. As I remember, it was nothing but a muddy town, especially going west which they now call Austin Avenue. At that time it was just the Austin road. There was no business done off the square, except on Bridge Street. There was not much farming done on the western prairies which in the seventies saw monster herds of cattle on the way to points in Kansas. I have often seen five or six herds of cattle on the open range west of Waco. I have climbed trees and watched the cattle cross the swollen Brazos River.

After three years residence

in Waco, Father died December 1869. Mother was thus left to care for five children, with me the eldest, ten years of age in July before his death. We had a good farm with plenty of horses and cattle for home use, but every outside job was mine. Mother remained a widow three years and remarried. He was a renter on the place. He was not much farmer, as a consequence, debts were contracted, the farm was mortgaged and sold or rather traded for the debt and five hundred acres in western part of Coryell County, which was unimproved. We then moved back to Coryell Co.

After a couple of years, I left home in 1877 and went to Bell County, where there was an old friend of the family by the name of Ferguson. They lived near Troy where the highway from Waco to Belton crossed Elm Creek. I worked on the farm for part of the crop, board and washing. I made two crops but did not gather the last. I sold it to the owner of the land, straddled my horse and returned to Coryell. There I worked on the farm, quarred rock, built rock fences, dug wells and cisterns, plastered houses, hauled freight and lumber between Gatesville and McGreagor.

In 1880 I quit work and went to school. I had attended primary schools in Waco before leaving there, and at the old Waco University in the intermediate grades.

While working in Gatesville during 1882, 83, I boarded at the home of Mr. T. B. Sanders, who was a merchant at Gatesville. His eldest daughter was away going to school in Waco. On her return home we became boon companions. She was an amiable sweet girl and on the 11th day of May 1884 we were married. She has always been an agreeable wife and did her part in rearing a large family. Her health failed in 1918 and continued to the present.

I continued to work at the trade of stone mason and plasterer until 1887-88. I filled the office of Assessor of Taxes of Coryell County.

In 1889-90 I clerked for various firms in the town of

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SUNDAY SERVICES

Bible classes will meet at 10:00 a. m. to study God's word together for an hour. Beginning at 11:00 a. m. there will be singing and preaching followed by the communion service. The subject for the sermon will be "The New Creature in Christ." This will be of interest to both saved and unsaved. The evening service will begin at 8:30 p. m. The subject for the sermon at that time will be "How to build up a Church."

An increase in interest and attendance has been noted but there are still many more who should be in regular attendance. May we see you in services this coming Lord's day?

An invitation is extended to all to worship at the church of Christ. A welcome is assured you.



IT'S REALLY LOVE

—As Madeleine Carroll embraces Fred MacMurray in Paramount's Technicolor comedy romance "Virginia" which opens tonight at the Rialto Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Ford and Mary Jeanne spent last week end in Amarillo.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person or firm appearing in the columns of this paper, will be gladly corrected upon the notice of same being given to the editor personally at this office.

School Board Hires Coach

The Star was informed this week by a member of the Meadow School Board that an athletic coach had been hired for the coming year in the person of Mr. Lother Stephenson. Mr. Stephenson will be remembered by Meadow people as "Steve" the six foot six boy who did such spectacular basketball playing with Anton back in '34 and '35. He also served as Cap

tain of the World's tallest basketball team at Canyon. Mr. Stephenson was an outstanding member of both the basketball and football teams West Texas State in Canyon during his schooling there.

We understand the board also hired his wife to teach in the local school system. We think they used fine judgment in hiring this young couple.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. O'Bannon of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Copeland went through the Cavern in New Mexico Monday.

Navy Recruiting Station In Lub.

Active recruiting for the U. S. Navy and Naval reserve was started here Monday with the posting of literature advertising opening of a Navy recruiting station at the Post Office building at Lubbock.

Opening of the Navy recruiting station at Lubbock will result in considerable saving in time and expense to local men interested in enlistment, Chief Petty Officer Ray Lokey, here Monday, said: all men registered for Selective Service may, if qualified, enlist in the Navy before being called to Army duty.

42 Party

The Girls Soft Ball team are sponsoring a 42 party at the home of Jack Tongate Monday night, July 21. The admission will be 25c per couple. Everyone come, have fun, and enjoy ice cream and cake.

The funds will be used to buy equipment for the girls team.

P. O. Shows Stamp Gains

According to quarterly report made by Postmaster A. C. Finley the stamp sales were higher for the past three months, than they were in the same period last year.

Stamp sales for quarter ending July 30, 1941 were \$663.06 as compared with \$532.84 last year. Money Order receipts were \$3493.19 as compared with \$3613.25 for the same period last year.

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C. E. HICKS

Fire In Town Wednesday Morn.

A fire of undetermined origin razed the L. C. Ward home in the south part of town Wednesday, causing considerable damage. All of the family clothing were burned along with quite a bit of the household furnishings. The neighbors were called in, and the fire extinguished before a great amount of damage was done to the building.

The girls ball team won a decisive victory from O'Donnell Wednesday. The boys lost.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Evans of Brownfield of Brownfield visited a while Tuesday evening in the Floyd Copeland home.

Mr. Floyd Copeland's sister and family from California are visiting here.

Silas Duffey underwent an appendicitis operation in the Brownfield Hospital Tuesday.

Jesse, Bessie, and Anniebelle Brooks are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Pat Davis of Dallas. Jesse is taking in a welding school there.

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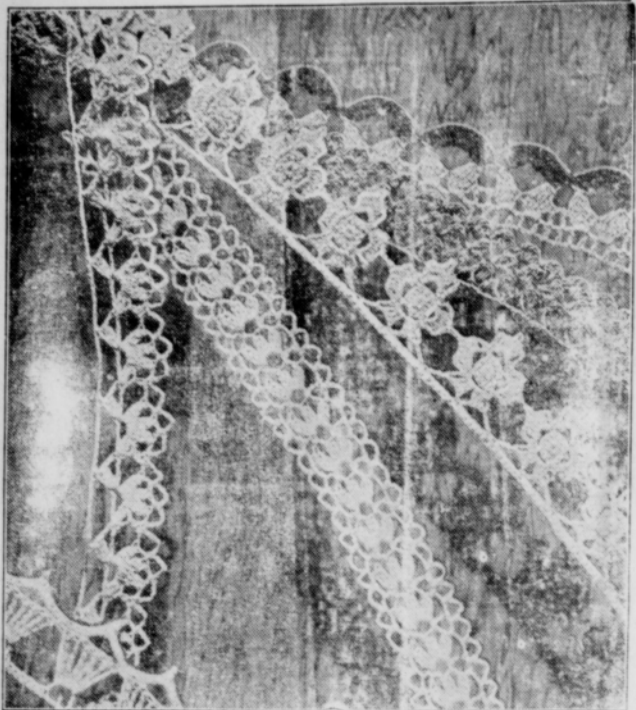
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Dr. Moorhead . . .

Gatesville. In March 1892 with ten others we went into Oklahoma to be present at the opening of the Cheyenne and Arrapahoe reservations for settlement. The country was supposed to be opened the 17th of March but was not opened until the 17th of April. We were camped on the Washita River near where the present town of Mountain View now is. The country was a high, rolling prairie, no timber except on streams. Not liking the country, two of us returned to the Plains. We reached the Plains at Lockney. All the towns on the Plains were just villages. No railroad had come to the Plains except at Amarillo and Big Spring.

On my return home to Gatesville in October 1892, I entered Tulane University Medical Department in New Orleans, La. I graduated in April 1895. I had practiced medicine at intervals between the courses.

On my return from school I located at Levita, a village eleven miles west of Gatesville; where for seven years I rode horse back and carried Elliot's Pill bag. The people took kindly to me and gave me their confidence and practice; which enabled me to pay up my debts and buy a comfortable home.

The town of Levita is located between the Leon River and Plum Creek, as a consequence we suffered

from Malaria. As I continued to have chills and fever I sold out and moved in 1901 to DeLeon, Texas in Comanche County. After four years there, we moved to Desdemonia in Eastland Co. where we lived nearly sixteen years. These were the busiest years of my professional life. There were few idle days. The country was good sandy farms and good pay until 1914 when the boll weevil made its appearance. It was a great blow to the country and put them to raising peanuts for a livelihood.

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