Sudan's Slogan:
"Boost or Move"

Editor News:
Since we have safely survived anothe county seat spasm, at the tax-payers ex pense, I believe it is timely to resume discus-
cussion of Lamb County's governmental sit uation.

I am reliably informed that only 55 per cent of cur county and state taxes are paid for the better this year, and none in sight at this time it is safe to predict that tax payments next spring will slump to lowe depths.

With four cent cotton and 30 cent kaffir and maize another year none of our farmers
will be able to pay taxes and live. Then the county will be bankrupt.

As far as we can learn no real effort ha been made by our county Many other counties have made drastic cuts in salaries drawn by county officials. For in stance the Muleshoe Journal under date of April 28th contained the following

## LAMB COUNTY'S GOVERN- <br> mental situation

## In a grim but determined fforot to meet the fhannond  <br> declared such ac expenses of the <br> pared recently by the auditior, the required budget as preasined by the 1ali- ire of citizens to pay in their taxes during the past year. elinquent state and county taxes now due in Baise coun ty have reache an approximate sum of $\$ 80.00000$, bout one-half of which is due for the year 1931 , and it was intinated that in the near tuture bax suits. would be filled toward collection of some of this amount. Cuts in salaries made at the Monday meeting were as  

Many similar cases in Texas counties and in counties of many other states might be cited in which similar action has been taken to cut government expense.

What reason can our commissioners court advance for not doing the same? We have been getting. But the farmer, the clerk, the business man and all classes of people have had their income reduced and all are taking their medicine. The men who spend and live off tax monies, in city, town, county, state and nation are the only people who are unwilling to take lower salaries

The Bailey county paper hints that suits would be brought to compel collection of deinquent taxes. Perhaps Bailey county is able to get blood out of a turnip. Or Bailey
may be willing and proud to sell half its county farms for taxes. That would be a most effective way to depopulate the county.

Perhaps Lamb county officers and executives also intend to take legal steps to col lect delinquent taxes. And when the counwhich to pay salaries, what else is there to do-if salaries must come?

I am told that all is well at Olton and the monthly checks are still good. With a reduction of 25 to 50 percent in nearly all com3 modities, the county servants are now drawing that much higher salaries than in the days of prosperity and plenty.

There is but one remedy left to the tax payer-elect men who are willing to should er their part of the burden-who will promreat their follow-men with firmese and justice.

And I am sure none will forget it. Farmer and Taxpayer


TOWN and COUNTY

 where they had been visiting re rosters to have equalled the ished certified grain sorghum
latives. Mr. and Mrs. Morrow rean
returned sooner than they ex- price H. H. Campbell of Motley sed, for all 4 H. Club boys in
pected pected, owing to the fart that county received the other day the County. Each 4-H Club boy
their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Doy for 19 capons. He produced 100 taking a field crop demonstra-
le Morrow was called to Iowa capons last year and the county tion in feed stuff was given
to be with relatives who are ill. agent reports that he will in- enough seed to plant five acres. Uncle Dick says they will make
another trip as soon as the
weather is more favorable.


Mr. and Mrs. Jerrell Fulton
and Ledger Lam of Lubbock,
spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Lam and
family. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Doss and
Miss Vesta Weldon of McCamey, pent the week-end with Miss
Weldon's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
. W. Weldon and family.
 week for an examination and $t$ was found that the lower Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Wood were


Mrs. J. P. Earnest returned
Mrs. J. P. Earnest returned
o her home in Sudan Saturday after spending several weeks
at Hot Springs New Mexico. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Robertson
and Shorty Hamilton and Miss Mildred Hunt spent Saturday and Sunday in Lubbock with
 Mr. and Mrs. Chock Blan-
chard returned the first of the
week from several weeks stay
in E1 Paso, Juarez and Mountainair, New Mexico.
Mrs. L. P. Gibbs and daugh-
ter, Miss Margaret Earl and
niece, Miss Gwendolyn Gibbs
spent Saturday in Lubbock.
Louise Green of Fort Worth
is visiting her aunt, Mrs Bert
Dryden and family at Olton.
Mr. and Mrs. Dryden and daugh
ter, Mary Joe, and Miss Greene
visited friends in Sudan Mon-
day.

 Crump gave a surprise party
and shower at the home of Mrs. and shower at the home. Olan
D. L. Payne for Mrs. Ol
Roark, Wednestay afternoon.
Bridge and "42" Roark, Wednesday afternoon.
Bridge and "42" furnished the
entertainment for the afternoon, atter which refreshments
of ice tea, sandwiches and sal of ice tea, sandwiches and sal-
ad was served to the following:
Mesdames Butts Mesdames Butts. V. C. Jones,
Hunt, Smith, Ina Smith, Joe
Salem, Lee Crosby, Jimmie Salem, Lee Crosby, Jimmie All-
dredge, Marvin McLarty, Judge dredge, Marvin McLarty, Judge
Briscoe, Patterson, Olan Roark,
Payne, and Misses Lucile AsPayne, and Misses Lucle
kew and Ruth Crump.

Mr. Dryden has authorized us to announce his candidacy for
second term for the office of county attorney subjuct to the
aetion of the riters to be ex

| entertained a number of eir friends with a bridge parlast Friday evening at their me. <br> Four games of bridge were ayed and enjoyed by all presEspecially was it enjoyed Clarence (Buster) Dyer who high score. Leonard Payne the hard luck of winning v score. <br> Refreshments of ice cream <br> d cake were served to Mr <br> d Mrss. Clint Dyer, Mr. and <br> s. Leonard Payne, Misses <br> zel Reeves, Helen White, Mes <br> s. F. B. Altman, Sam Branch. <br> bert Butts, Buster Dyer, and Hosst and Hostess. <br> RKER MANAGER OF TEXAS UTILITIES |
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Utilities Company at Little Utilities Company at Little-
field after resignation of
R. E. MMCaskill about three
weeks ago. Mr. Parker has
been with the company at Lub That he has secured nearly bock for the past two years.
He will reside at Littlefield and In office as the various coun-
y attornevs have secured ti the
wentmanage Littlefield, Amherst and
Sudan the same as Mr. Mcadministration and that his re
cord before the several justice Caskill did.
Mr. McCaskill has purchased a gin and will give his entire
time to that business in the
future but will remain as a rescourts of the county will com-
pare equally with that of the
county court. Mr. Dryden say dent of Littlefield. $\quad \begin{aligned} & \text { result of ils being on the job } \\ & \text { at all times and giving it his } \\ & \text { u:divided attention; to do this }\end{aligned}$ CITY OFFICLAIS
REDUCE EXPENDITURES $\begin{aligned} & \text { bo hos had to make a sacri- } \\ & \text { fice to some cegler of the pri- } \\ & \text { fate }\end{aligned}$
the city officials have been mak complished during his tenure
of office and the efforts he has force and also have reduced put forth justifies him in ask-
salaries. A. C. Findley, water ing the citizens for a second service man and Marshail has term. If re-elected he assures
had his wages cut from $\$ 125$ a the voters that he will in the month to $\$ 85$ a month, and viture give the office his same
month, for which sum he fur-
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nishes his own office. The of-
fice has been moved
former location of the City Hall,
to the room formerly occupied
by the Miller Land Office in
the Ramby building
the Ramby building. Mr. W
don, City Night Watchman,
Mrs. C. J. Poor who haz heen
I1 for sometime was taken to to receive $\$ 20$ per month fr
the city and will probably celve a like amount from the
business men during the summent. Her many friends wish A. Holden and Holden, and Lee Allsup, made a Sunday at Bula, the guest of A. Holden remained week. Mr. ness and family.
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$\qquad$ cow. Calf month old. Apply
at Sudan Chick Hatchery. 2w here thaye their home there acre homestead. Mrs. Holden will visit her son Carl at Abe
line, before moving to New Mex Cotton Seed for Sale at 24 c Whiteside Gin, Sudan.
Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Askew are
F. C. Broyles returned from
driving a new Buick that they
Hot Springs New Mexico, one


## The Hornet's Nest



| "FASt COLORS" | P. T. A. is sponsoring this banquet. Following is a program for the evenling: |
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| ss play Tuesday evening. | 1. Orchestra. |
| ay 17, in the high school aud- | 2. Invocation- Rev. McMicken |
| rium. | 3. Welcome- Hubbard Harrell |
| "Fast Colors" is an unusual- | s |
| chell for the charact. | 4. Response- Ethel Groom |
| . Sidney Gwin will piay | dident of the Senior class |
| part of the colored lady, | 5. Response-Judge G. G. Ha |
| , | Member of the school board |
| rence Weeks have the | 5. Orchestra- "Happy Days |
| ing roles, but other | are Here Again |
| parts are played by Alvin We | and Lee Sw |
| d W. D. Caldwell. Come | 7. Toast to Senic |
| enjoy this play. |  |
| The following is the cast | 8. Toast |
| Violet Clifford --Lenora Payne | Hicks. |
| Dixie Jones --.-.-.Sidney Gwin | 9. Toast to Sud. |
| Mrs. Whitney ..Alta Mae Hicks | Marvin McLar |
| Majory Astor -Lou Weatherford | Song- High scho |
| Pep White -...-...W. D. Caldw | 11. Orchestra- (Peppy) |
| Herbert Green -Clarence Week | 12. Introduction of the |
| Inspector Burke -Curry Lync | er O. L. Dav |
| hel Beggs -.Jimmie De Lor | of schools. |
| ulise Nevins .-Ida Rene Cr | 13. Addre |
| The scene of this comedy | Littlefiel |
| the home of Mrs. Whitney. | 14. |
| Produced by special ar- | 15.Songs, Yells, impron |
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| notice | A. P. Duggan will be a |
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|  | peaker at the Junior-Senior |
| A examinations for students | Banquet. Mr. Duggan has |
| the eight, ninth, and tenth | been on the Littlefield school |
| grades will have final examina- | board ever since the school was |
| tions on May 17 and 18 as fol- | organized. He is now running |
| lows: | for state senator. |
| May 17 | The grass has been set out |
| 9.00-10:00-All 1 1st period classes | very lovely by next fall. |
| 10:30-12:00-All 5 th period classes |  |
| 1:00-2:30-All 3rd period classes | brary notes |




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| WE PAY <br> 8c FOR EGGS <br> IN TRADE <br> Prices Are Lower At 'W' System--People With Cash Trade Here <br> OUR LAST WEEK-END EXTRA SPEICAL ON The Sudan News <br> WILL BE REPEATED AGAIN SATURDAY ASK ABOUT IT. YOU'LL BE INTERESTED. |
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