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MORE DETAILS OF OPERATION OF
MULESHOE PRODUCTION CREDIT
BANK FOR THREE NAMED COUNTIES

The 1934 crop season will mean the coming of a better system of credit for many farmers who are preparing to finance the year's farming by means of short-term loans through the production credit associations which are being organized under the Farm Credit Administration throughout this State. Under the Farm Credit Administration the Federal Land Bank of Houston will continue to make long-term real estate mortgage loans; but the administration is also providing a long-needed system of short-term production credit for farmers and stockmen—used to be used for producing crops and for the breeding, raising and fattening of livestock. This is a comprehensive credit system and it is designed to be permanent.

Farmer and stockmen in this locality will be served by the Muleshoe Production Credit Association, which was chartered January 18, to serve producers in Bailey, Lamb and Farmer counties.

The Muleshoe Production Credit Association was organized through the cooperation of representative farmers of the counties included with the assistance of the Production Credit Corporation of Houston. There is one of these corporations in each of the 12 hard bank districts in the country. The local association will obtain loanable funds from the Federal Intermediate

Credit Bank of Houston, which will discount well-secured notes of farmers and stockmen. All of these institutions are a part of the Farm Credit Administration.

A production credit association does not lend Government money. The funds that will be loaned are obtained by the Intermediate Credit Bank which sell short-term bonds, or debentures, to the investing public. In other words, the money is being borrowed to be loaned to eligible farmers to enable them to produce a season's crops. The association is not a charity institution; but a business credit institution for business-minded farmers. The purpose is to make loans that farmers can afford to use for a season's operations, and which will be repaid at the end of the season. It is a pay-as-you-go plan for agriculture.

Most of the loans will run from 3 to 12 months, depending on the length of time required for growing and marketing the crop of livestock which the loan is made to produce. Loans for crop production will usually mature in less than a year, although loans such as these on dairy and breeding cattle may run longer.

Applications for these short-term loans are handled in this territory by C. R. Elliott, at Muleshoe.

Applications will be acted on quickly when they give a clear financial state-

ment of the applicant's farming condition, listing all assets and liabilities, and estimating net worth. The applicant should name specifically all of his farming assets offered as security for the loan, and give a plan, or budget, showing how he is going to use the loan repaid for and how he is going to repay it.

After a farmer's or stockman's application is received his financial statement is checked and the property offered as security for the loan personally inspected by a loan inspector of the association. Regulations about inspection charges and collection may be changed as required by the Production Credit Corporation. Usually no charge will be made for inspection if the loan is not granted.

If the report of the inspector is satisfactory and the loan is approved by the loan committee of the association, the farmer's or stockman's note is endorsed in the name of the association, and sent, along with his credit statement and chattel mortgage, to the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. If the bank approves the credit statement and the security, it makes funds available to the association, and the association sends a check to the borrower immediately.

Each association is capitalized according to the credit needs of the territory it will serve. Most of the capital stock is purchased by the Production Credit Corporation of Houston and this enables the association to begin making loans immediately. Funds derived from the sale of stock to the corporation are used by the local association to purchase high grade collateral, chiefly Government bonds, which are placed with the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston to establish a line of credit, that is, to get the bank to discount the notes of farmers and stockmen which the association has endorsed. Ordinarily the bank will discount well-secured farmers' or stockmen's notes up to five times an association's capital. In this way an association may get all the credit it needs.

The authorized capital stock of the Muleshoe Production Credit Association is \$60,000.00. Actually the Production Credit Corporation of Houston owns about three-fourths of the capital stock of the association. The farmers and stockmen who borrow from it own most of the remaining portion, each borrower being required to own 5 per cent of the amount of his loan in voting stock in the association.

A farmer or stockman who gets a loan from the association does not have to advance any money to pay for his stock, as the purchase price may be included in the loan, one \$5 share being purchased as each \$100 or fraction thereof of the loan money is advanced. The stock carries no double liability. Thus a borrower's liability in any possible impairment of capital of the association extends only to his own stock holding, amounting to \$5 for every \$100 or fraction thereof borrowed.

A farmer or stockman does not have to purchase new stock each time he borrows unless the stock he owns has become impaired in value or he wishes a larger loan. A borrower not indebted to the association may sell his stock to another eligible farmer or stockman, or may exchange it at its fair book value for non-voting stock. Such an exchange must be made within two years after the holder ceases to be a bor-

rower. The interest rate charged the individual borrower may not exceed by more than 3 percent the rate at which the association gets money from the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank. The interest spread of 3 per cent between the rate paid by the association and that paid by the borrower goes to the association to meet operating expenses and build up a guaranty fund or surplus, needed by any carefully managed business institution.

Actually, the Farm Credit Administration is establishing at Muleshoe as at other centers of farming and ranching section, a farmers and stockmen's short-term credit business. Each borrower has part ownership in the business. His liability for loans of the organization is being entrusted to representative farmers and stockmen chosen by the member borrowers. This is the only method ever devised which permits farmers and stockmen with the aid of the Federal Government to ultimately own and operate their own production credit business.

McADAMS ENTERTAIN SENIORS

An exceptionally delightful social evening was enjoyed Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McAdams, a mile west of town, when they were host and hostess to members of the Muleshoe High School Senior class and High School teachers. The rooms of the home were appropriately decorated in Valentine colors and suggestions of Washington's birthday, the same idea being carried out at the big dining table, where little Washington hatchets, red sweet peas, the class flower, and blood red hearts were used.

Games of different kinds and appropriate to the occasion were played, under direction of Miss Evelyn Boone, all being greatly enjoyed. Seniors present were called upon to candidly express their opinion of their teachers, and being assured of future immunity, did so in a frank manner. Teachers present were then given an opportunity to return the compliments.

Walter Moore, president of the class, made a speech of thanks to the host and hostess for the delightful evening accorded them, it being also seconded by Prof. W. C. Cox. Mr. McAdams appropriately responding.

Refreshments of fruit salad, cake and punch were served those present.

Those enjoying the evening were: Edythe McDonald, Mary Frances Willis, Fern Cross, Dora Lee Williams, Margaret Holt, Lovine McCleskey, Frank Atkinson, Dalton Murrah, Clyde Holt, A. L. Swanson, Cecil Spence, B. B. McHorse, Walter Moeller, Gordon Murrah, Supt. W. C. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Good Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stevens, Miss Evelyn Boone, Miss Lucille Beatty, W. C. Morgan.

Manner of Eating

All other customs, except man, eat in much the same manner, with one eye on the food, and another on the rest of the world. Man alone entices to mix smiles with his dinner. He does this, first, because it is the custom; second, because it helps digestion; second, because it is fun, and fourth, because it stretches out the pleasant process to its ultimate length.

A DESPICABLE CRIME

Every day it becomes clearer that the ordinary punishments meted out for kidnaping are not sufficient to break up the meanest, lowest and most despicable crime against liberty and safety that society knows. Men have been sent to prisons for life for committing this crime. Some have been lynched. Still it persists.

While the American people are adverse to taking life in punishment for a criminal act as a general thing, there is no doubt but more rigid and harsher punishment must be laid down in our statute books to combat the crime that has disgraced the whole country.

Such scum as resort to kidnaping must be dealt with as sternly as the law can provide and public conscience carry out. A law that would regard every kidnaping as a potential murderer, and deal with him accordingly, would not be amiss in carrying out a great and needed reform.

"Blue Blood"
 The expression "blue blood" is from the Spanish "sangre azul." The nobles of Castile claimed to be free from all admixture with darker blood, a boast being supposed to lie in the blue veins that showed in their fairer skins.

STURDIER
THE NEW
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Muleshoe Journal

EDNA BAKER
 (THE ATTORNEY'S WIFE)
SAYS--
 "My Gas Refrigerator Changed Our Argument"



Paul Baker, the attorney, will substantiate every argument he makes in court, but when talking to friends he's human like the rest of us and apt to base his opinions on what someone said. That's why he and his wife Edna, classed themselves with those who felt they were paying too much for gas. The Bakers have used gas for cooking and water heating so long that they lost all idea of its value as compared to substitute fuels.

Several months ago Paul gave Edna a new gas refrigerator for her birthday. They were surprised to find that its operation required no more than 1000 cubic feet of gas a month, for which they paid 67¢ cents. Since 1000 cubic feet of gas will give three dollars' worth of service, they value it at that amount for this purpose. No longer do the Bakers complain about the price of gas. Instead, they praise gas service as their greatest bargain.

By turning to gas refrigeration you can prove to yourself that gas is worth three dollars for this purpose. By comparing the value of gas with substitute fuels for other uses you will find it to be worth \$2.50 per 1000 cubic feet for cooking and \$1.25 for water heating. These amounts are much higher than the price of gas in this community.

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 GOOD GAS WITH DEPENDABLE SERVICE

ANNOUNCEMENT

TO ALL COMMERCIAL CUSTOMERS
TRANSMISSION LINE TOWNS

We are pleased to announce that Effective March 1st, (February billing) the Commercial Rate for Lighting and or Cooking and or Heating and or Refrigeration has been reduced as follows:

FORMER RATE	NEW RATE
First 50 KWH used per month 11c per KWH	First 50 KWH used per month 10c per KWH
Next 200 KWH used per month 9c per KWH	Next 200 KWH used per month 7½c per KWH
Next 750 KWH used per month 5c per KWH	Next 750 KWH used per month 4½c per KWH
Next 1000 KWH used per month 4c per KWH	Next 1000 KWH used per month 3½c per KWH
Excess KWH used per month 3c per KWH	Excess KWH used per month 3c per KWH
Minimum monthly bill \$1.50 (Lighting only)	Minimum monthly bill \$1.50 per month (Lighting only)
Minimum monthly bill \$2.50 per month (Combination)	Minimum monthly bill \$2.50 per month (Combination)

TEXAS UTILITIES CO.
 F. W. McELROY, Manager

PHONE 56 FARWELL, TEXAS

HARNESS

Springtime is just around the corner and the time is now here when preparations for the coming season's work should be made. Now is the advisable time to see that your harness is in condition for efficiency.

A good line of leather and chain set harness, also, plenty of traces, backbands, traces, and other accessories and need-repairing or repairing the old sets and which are being made at reasonable prices. "A stitch in time saves nine," so the matter of seeing that your harness equipment is in good condition is a matter of seeing that your harness equipment is in good condition.

MACHINERY REPAIRS
 A complete line of repairs of all kinds for International tractors, trucks and farm machinery of all kinds, and other brand machine repairs. Our machine shop is equipped with first class service in mechanical repair work.

YOUR NEEDS AND MAKE YOUR REPAIRS NOW SO THERE WILL BE NO TIME LOST WHEN SPRING WORK BEGINS!

HART LUMBER COMPANY
 TEXAS

Lazbuddie News

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Blumms motored to Lubbock for the weekend. Mesdames Otto Treider and Robert Bliesode spent Saturday in Dimmitt...

Clovis, N. M., last Saturday of Miss Joy Briscoe and Edwin Julian, has been received there. The bride is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Briscoe and graduated from the local high school...

Wilson News Items

Jimmie Hulsley attended to business in Muleshoe, Tuesday. W. L. Blaylock attended to business in Lubbock, Monday. Arnold and Clifford Reed entertained the B. Y. P. U. of the Baptist church Wednesday night of last week...

General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

Lamb county this year collected about \$30,000 in automobile taxes. The Farmer County Canned and Cured Meat show will be held at Friona March 16 and 17. The annual Engineering show at Tech college, Lubbock, will be held April 13-14...

Red Cross Asking For Used Clothes For Those Needing

As local Red Cross funds are being depleted, as to the stock furnished by the government, an effort is being made to supplement the quantity with used clothing by Muleshoe citizens...

CHURCH OF CHRIST

The recently constructed Christ building is now ready for worship and T. L. Kilfield, beginning next week, will preach here each fourth of the month...

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The Atlantic Monthly. MAKE the most of your reading hours. Enjoy the wit, the wisdom, the companionship, the charm that have made the ATLANTIC, for seventy-five years, America's most quoted and most cherished magazine.

PLYMOUTH. We wish to announce that we are opening a Chrysler and Plymouth Sales and Service department for Muleshoe and adjoining territory. We will have a new Plymouth on display in a few days, and we invite you to come in, see and drive this wonderful new car before buying an automobile. ARNOLD MORRIS AUTO CO. CHRYSLER AND PLYMOUTH SALES AND SERVICE MULESHOE, TEXAS

BABY CHIX. FROM HIGH GRADE FLOCKS. The early Pullets bring the most money in fall time. Early Chix bring best prices on the market as Broilers and Fryers. Don't delay placing your orders for baby chicks. It pays to start early. WE DO CUSTOM HATCHING. "MERIT" CHIX FEED AND JAMESWAY POULTRY SUPPLIES. It's time now to look over your equipment for the coming season. Let us supply you with needed new equipment, supplies and feeds. We have the right kind. MULESHOE HATCHERY TY YOUNG, Proprietor MULESHOE

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Y L News Items

An exceptionally large crowd was present for P-T. A. last Friday night. The program was well balanced with numbers, instruction and entertainment. Mrs. I. F. Willman, Fred Reynolds, and Rev. Pickens were speakers for the occasion. Their discussions were of topics pertinent to school affairs. Mrs. Willman, accompanied by her daughter, Jean, favored the audience with a vocal number. The last number on the program was a dramatization of "Garrett and Lynette" by the sixth and seventh reading class. This was a rather unusual and effective number and was highly appreciated by the audience. The prize picture for the largest attendance of parents was won by Miss Cayton's room again. There are several cases of measles in the community which are creating a number of absences in the school. Mrs. M. Reed and family are moving to Dora, N. M., this week. Gail Willard returned from California last week for a short visit with friends and relatives here before he returns to the marines. He will return to Los Angeles sometime this week. The school board has erected some new swings for the children on the playgrounds.—Reporter.

F-T. A. MEETING MONDAY

The regular meeting of Parent-Teachers association will be held at the High school auditorium next Monday evening. The program will consist mostly of choral singing among members of the grade school, also declamation rehearsals of those who are to take part in the Interscholastic League meet to be held here March 9 and 10.

How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of Fat

LOST HER PROMINENT HIPS, DOUBLE CHIN, SLOUGHSINESS. Gained Physical Vigor—A Shapely Figure. If you're fat—first remove the cause. Take one half teaspoonful of KRUSCHEN SALT in a glass of hot water every morning—in 3 weeks get on the scales and note how many pounds of fat have vanished. Notice also that you have gained in energy—your skin is clearer—you feel younger in body—KRUSCHEN will give any fat person a joyous surprise. Get an 85c bottle of KRUSCHEN SALT from any leading drugstore anywhere in America (lasts 4 weeks). If this first bottle doesn't convince you this is the easiest, safest and surest way to lose fat—your money gladly returned.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff of any, Constable of Bailey County—GREETING. YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED. That you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bailey if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereinafter specified, the following: M. C. Parrish, D. C. Reed, Capitol Investment Company, Troup State Bank, Cleburne State Bank, Reuben Usher and Hutton Oil Corporation, whose residence is unknown, and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be held in the County of Bailey on the second Monday in March, 1934, same being the 12th day of March, 1934, at the City of Sherman, in Sherman County, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1934, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 491, wherein said Plaintiff is a municipal corporation acting by and thru its County Clerk, R. J. Kinison, and its Commissioner of Court, Adolph Helmers, Com. Prec. No. 1, Henry Lindley, Com. Prec. No. 2, I. T. Taylor, Com. Prec. No. 3, and Tom Ault, Com. Prec. No. 4, is plaintiff and D. Parrish, D. C. Reed, Capitol Investment Company, Troup State Bank, Cleburne State Bank, Reuben Usher and Hutton Oil Corporation, are defendants. The nature of the plaintiff's demand being as follows: To recover judgment against all Defendants in the sum of \$40,184.00, with the interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and against all Defendants except Defendants Hammer and Hutton Oil Corporation, for an additional sum of \$2498.29 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, the amount being the amount of principal and interest on \$14,400.00, plus upon four notes dated February 17, 1916, each for the principal sum of \$890.50 described in a county to D. Hammer recorded in Vol. 5 at Page 359, Deed Records of Bailey County, Texas, and the amount being the amount of a judgment rendered in the District Court of Bailey County, Texas, entitled BAILLYBORO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT vs. D. C. REED. An said judgment having been paid by Plaintiff.

MRS. BUCY'S FATHER DIES

Mrs. W. G. Bucy, this city, was called to Vaughn, N. M., Thursday of last week, occasioned by the serious illness of her father, Dr. John Kinsinger, who died last Sunday night. The deceased was born in Iowa approximately 72 years ago. Several years later he moved west because of personal health conditions, and for several years has been a resident of Vaughn, where he followed his profession of physician, also being special physician for the Santa Fe system. For some time he has been afflicted with heart trouble which later developed into angina pectoris, and from which he has been more or less in serious condition for the past year. He is survived by his wife and several children, including the daughter living here. During the past he had visited friends and relatives several times in Muleshoe and was well known here by several people. Funeral services were held at Bowtell N. M., Thursday of last week and interment made in that cemetery.

MANY AUTO MEMBERS HERE

Last year Bailey county had the largest number of members in the South Plains Good Roads association of any county in its regional territory according to population, there being 485 members. This year the number was increased to 60, through the excellent work done by M. C. Miller, in company with the secretary of that organization.

BOY SCOUTS PASS TESTS

At the regular meeting of Boy Scouts held last week Jack Aldridge, Weldon White, Roy Eubank, Alvin Chittwood and Raynes Hayes passed their tenderfoot tests, and are now full fledged members. John Smith and Bob Jones will take this test Thursday of this week. At this meeting a bicycle patrol was also organized. Those present at the meeting were Spencer Beavers, Clifton Griffiths, Weldon White, Roy Eubank, Alvin Chittwood, Parsons, Ben Beatty, Bob Jones, Justin Danner, Houston Kennedy, Raynes Hayes, Alvin Chittwood, D. L. Smith, John Smith, Millard and Ray Baker.

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HERNIE FAILS NOTE

Plaintiff further seeks foreclosure of a vendor's lien against all Defendants upon the following described property situated in Bailey County, Texas, being 4428 acres of land, more or less, known as League No. 187 of Lion County School Land, for all costs of suit, and for general and special relief. HERNIE FAILS NOTE. And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Sherman, Texas, this, the 5th day of February, A. D. 1934.

HETTIE, WHITAKER, Clerk District Court, Lion County, Texas.

Feb. 15, 22, March 1, 8, 1934

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