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HIGH SCHOOL BACCALAURATE SERMON SUNDAY

25 Members in Senior Class, Rev. Nix To Give Sermon.

The baccalaureate service of the Muleshoe High school graduates class will be held at the High school auditorium next Sunday night, beginning at 8:15 o'clock.

The sermon will be delivered by Rev. J. E. Nix, pastor, First Baptist church, Clovis, N. M. Mrs. Jim Coker and Mrs. Levi Churchill will have charge of the music, with Mrs. Pat Bobo at the piano.

Rev. J. Frank Laker will give the invocation. There will be a solo by E. J. Thomas, Clovis, and the benediction by Rev. L. S. Jenkins.

All churches in town will dismiss their regular evening services to attend this special service.

There are 25 pupils to graduate this year, as follows:

Misses Sibyl Coker, Ruth Eckler, Alayne Evans, Twila Farrel, Ida Lou Gause, Mary Holt, Eva Harper, Hazel Nelson, Gerald Dean Reynolds, Dorothy Ross, Frankie Robbins, Melaine Rockey, Evelyn Wilterding, Dora Nell McCoy, Messers: Frank Atkinson, Bob Beller, Klis Buhmann, L. S. Barron, Jr., Alvin Farrel, Lester Garth, Clarence Harris, Tony Ivy, Fred Little, Herschel Wimberly, Felton McCoy.

14,501 Acres of Land Changs Hands During April In Bailey County

Traffic in real estate in Bailey County during the month of April resulted in 14 town lots and 14,501 acres of land changing hands, as follows:

April 1—Warren F. Rantama et ux to L. D. Tipton, NW 1/4, 24, blk. V, W. D. & F. W. Johnson's subdivision No. 2. C. Taylor et ux to I. C. Enoch, NW 1/4, sec. 11, League 108, Fisher county school land. S. T. Lawrence et ux to Z. B. Bobo, SE 1/4, NE 1/4, sec. 53, blk. 7, W. D. & F. W. Johnson subdivision. France Baker et ux to J. D. Chester, labor 6 and 7, lg. 207, Ochiltree county school land.

April 3—I. C. Enoch to M. C. Sartterville, beginning at NE corner of labor 108, league 152. Floyd county school land, running west to labor 108, hence east 2125 feet, north 2050 feet, west 2135 feet to beginning and containing 100 acres.

April 6—Pauline A. Aldridge to E. R. Hart, lots 11 and 12, blk. 2, original town of Muleshoe.

April 9—Z. B. Bobo et ux to Pat R. Bobo, NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 survey 53, blk. 7, W. D. & F. W. Johnson subdivision No. 2. Same land as described by Pat R. Bobo to J. E. Adams.

April 11—Iris County to A. N. Gamble, all of League 167 Irion county school land comprising 4,428 acres. A. N. Gamble to R. C. Kennedy, all of league 167 Irion county school land.

April 12—Georgia Hickman to R. H. Nowlin, 70 acres of survey 6, blk. F, Leon Blum survey.

April 18—Pat R. Bobo et ux to James A. Cox, 46 feet of E 90 feet, lots 7, 8, 9, blk. 5, Warren's addition to Muleshoe town of Muleshoe. L. J. Stokes et ux to R. L. Hobbs, E 1/2 of NW 1/4 survey 48, blk. V, W. D. & F. W. Johnson subdivision No. 2.

April 23—Betulah W. Carles et ux to C. P. McCulough, lots 11 and 12, blk. 21, town of Muleshoe.

April 30—Z. B. Bobo et ux to Sarah E. Widmer, E 1/2 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, survey 53, blk. V, W. D. & F. W. Johnson subdivision No. 2.

SOUTH PLAINS GOOD ROADS MEETING AT LUBBOCK, MAY 10

The third annual meeting of the South Plains Good Roads association will be held at Lubbock Friday, May 10, according to information sent out by Percy B. Ralls, president.

This association has been largely instrumental in securing road improvement in this area and the forthcoming meeting should be well attended. Bailey county has some roads that need much improvement, and it is stated a representation from this county will attend.

The Texas Legislature has agreed to adjourn the regular session next Saturday.

Paving Highway In Bailey County Will Be Started Soon

Contract was let last week by the State Highway commission for the asphalt paving of State Highway No. 7, from the east corporate limits of Muleshoe to the west Bailey county line to the Lone Star Construction Co., San Antonio, a representative being in Muleshoe last Monday. Plans for the work which will be started next week.

Bids for asphalt surfacing of this same highway were called for by the Commission over 7.6 miles of highway in Hockley county between the west Lubbock and the east Lamb county lines, the contract to be let May 13.

Laying of caliche base from west Bailey county line through Parmer county is to be started soon, thus highway seven which has been paved a half has been much of a detour proposition is gradually whipping into shape and in a few months now will be classed among the perfected roads of the state, much to the appreciation of tourists and the people of this section.

SPRING TERM OF DISTRICT COURT OPENED MONDAY

Short Term Indicated, Criminal and Civil Dockets Light.

Bailey county's spring term of District court convened here last Monday. Judge R. C. Joiner presiding, the personnel of the court in full being present, as follows: Chas. Dean, district attorney; Cecil H. Tate, county attorney; Brant Norman, county clerk; Ralpher, J. B. Burkhead, district clerk, and Jim Coker, sheriff. There are also several attorneys from here and surrounding towns present to look after the interest of clients.

Indications at the opening of court were that both civil and criminal dockets would be light for this term hearing, with very little information to be brought before the grand jury.

Following an interim of eight days, this is the first term of court to be held in Bailey county by Judge Joiner, who was re-elected to the bench during the last election. The judge called the criminal docket and set all cases tentatively for hearing the first Monday of next week, with instructions to empanel a special venire of petit jurors, if found necessary.

The civil docket was then called. Motion made by attorney Summer Williams for dismissal of the case of R. L. Brown vs. E. R. Hart. Four cases of Ochiltree county vs. Fairview Land & Cattle company were passed indefinitely. The case of J. E. Edwards vs. J. Johnson on note was set for Monday of the third week this term. The case of C. H. Mitchell vs. Ina Mitchell was passed for want of service until the next term. The case of J. E. Edwards vs. R. C. Crump et al, foreclosure on vendor's lien, was dismissed for want of prosecution.

Judge Joiner swung into court procedure like the veteran juror he is showing a master understanding of his office. He insisted on clearing the dockets as near as possible each term, and that attorneys must expedite their cases to accommodate the court rather than vice versa, and insisted that all procedure of this term should be handled in an economical manner to the county as possible.

HOME EC. CLUB NAMES OFFICERS

Thursday afternoon of last week a meeting of the Home Economics club was held at the Muleshoe High school building.

New officers for next year were elected as follows: Maida Chandler, president; Naomi Harper, vice president; Lora Liston, secretary and treasurer. Various committees will be appointed as the service date.

Speeches were made by retiring officers who were favored faithfully this year. The new officers made talks on various subjects.

A history of the Home Economics club has recently been written by Sibyl Coker. The first Home Ec. class was first established in 1923 and in the year 1927 a club was organized. Various interesting phrases of interest are discussed in the history which is brought down to 1935.

The sum of \$80,000 Federal funds have been authorized for improvement work in Chaco canyon national monument park in northwestern New Mexico.

\$78 AWARD HERE MONDAY AS CROWDS JAM STREETS TO TAKE PART IN BIG TRADES DAY EVENT

Cash and Merchandise Prizes Draw Citizens Of Six Counties and Two States to Take Part In Celebration.

Automobiles blocked the principal streets of Muleshoe and pedestrians jammed the wide sidewalks of Main street when a crowd of several hundred people visited here to enjoy the affairs of Trades Day.

From far and near they came, citizens of a half dozen or more surrounding counties and from across the line of New Mexico, some arriving early so as to miss none of the features.

The trading lots were pretty well filled by the noon hour, and it is said practically everything brought to sell, swap or barter in any manner found disposal, the auctioneer, also, being busy for some time during the afternoon.

A total of \$78.00 was given away by the business concerns of Muleshoe that day as a token of appreciation for the patronage afforded during the past month, \$36.50 of this amount was in merchandise, while \$41.50 of it was cash on the basis of the rising market of silver.

During the afternoon especially, trading at the stores and other business concerns was brisk, several of the merchants "complaining" they had the biggest day of patronage for some time past. Many concerns had offered special price reductions on staple and needed commodities and the buyers were not slow to snap them up.

Cash awards were made late that afternoon, as follows:

Mrs. Carrie Richardson, Needmore, \$25; Onei Ferrel, nine miles south of Muleshoe, \$10; James Davis, Baileyboro, \$5.

Mrs. Frank Prescott, living about eight miles northwest of Muleshoe, received 50 baby chicks awarded by the patronage committee.

Several of the local business concerns spread guessing contests in their windows and on front corners of their business places, most of them being cases of some kind in which there were innumerable articles, the idea being to guess how many in the can. The ideas of guessers ran a gamut of the kind known, but there were several instances of the guesses where the pro-

109 FAMILIES IN BAILEY COUNTY TAKEN FROM RELIEF ROLLS TO BE RURAL REHABILITATION CLIENTS

As result of an order issued by Adam R. Johnson, director of State Relief commission, 109 families on the relief rolls of Bailey county have been transferred to rural rehabilitation department.

Effective immediately, county relief administrators no longer will be permitted to extend any form of relief from general relief funds to any employable farm family, it was announced by Adam R. Johnson, state director of the Texas Relief Commission.

"A farm family," Mr. Johnson explained, "is one residing outside the limits of incorporated or unincorporated towns, villages and cities and who depend upon farming operations for the major portion of their income. It is not intended to include in this group families who live on small plots of land which are sufficient only to produce a part of their sustenance requirements and upon which they can not produce a commercial crop."

"Farm families," henceforth, may receive aid only in the form of advances through the rural rehabilitation corporation. County administrators were instructed to recall any work cards issued to rural families for work relief in May and not make advances secured by notes and mortgages, instead.

All families affected by this change immediately become rural rehabilitation clients. Mr. Johnson said, and will receive aid in the future from rural subsistence funds in accordance with their needs as established by caseworkers.

At the same time, administrators will contact all landlords at the earliest possible date to obtain waivers on the landlord's interest in the tenant's share of the crop. This procedure was adopted in order to secure advances when the rural corporation will make to the tenant.

"If a client transferred under these regulations receives subsistence advances, executing notes for them, and later it develops that a waiver form can not be obtained from the landlord or other creditors, then the case will be dropped completely from our records," Mrs. Johnson declared. "In such in-

stances, the notes taken will be written off as a loss, but the client will receive no further advances after the date on which creditors refuse to execute waivers. Creditors, H. F. Dyck, C. W. Copley, C. D. Gustin, and Mrs. R. J. Tucker each \$1.45 in trade.

T. L. Means dry goods store, Mrs. W. R. Hart, \$4.98 bed spread. W.H.D. Babb

Information has been received here of the marriage of Ray Eckler, this city to Miss Rachel Rogers, Grammont, Okla., which occurred at the home of the bride's parents, this week, the Methodist minister, that city, officiating.

The wedding was quite a home affair, only a few relatives and intimate friends attending. E. H. Cheppard, Dallas, and former mayor of Wichita Falls known as "the singing mayor," was present and sang preceding the nuptials.

Mr. Eckler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Eckler, a graduate of the Muleshoe High school, class of '33, and is now one of the young business citizens of the community, engaged in irrigation farming. The bride is well known here, having lived in this community for about six months, during which time she became the romantic originator resulting in the wedding.

Following a short wedding trip, the young couple is expected to return to Muleshoe Saturday night of this week to make their future home.

Forecast for the wheat crop in New Mexico is only 29 per cent normal.

20 Men Will Go To CCC Camps From Bailey Co. in July

Out of a quota of 14,200 young men allocated to become members of the Civilian Conservation corps, 20 of them will be selected from Bailey county, July 1, the entire program calling for an enrollment of 26,850 young men.

Heretofore, applicants have had to be between the ages of 18 and 25, which has now been stretched to a ten-year bracket of from 18 to 28. Part of the men accepted will be sent to camps in nearby states, the rest to camps in Texas.

Application should be made to the county relief administrator, and not to the Texas Relief commission. The administrator is the selecting agent for his county's quota, and the delay entailed in making application through this office invariably lessens the applicant's chance of acceptance."

Increase of Texas' quota follows President Roosevelt's authorization to increase the national quota from 300,000 to 600,000. It will enable Texas officials to bring the old quota up to full strength and take in from 10,000 to 12,000 new men.

RAIN AND SNOW HERE REVIVE FARMERS HOPES

Precipitation General Throughout Plains And New Mex.

Muleshoe and surrounding area was permitted a respite from sandstorms last Friday when early in the morning it began drizzling rain intermixed with a few small flakes of snow and continuing to sleet, lasting nearly all morning. There was a considerable drop in temperature, thermometers registering around 37 degrees above zero.

Saturday morning citizens were surprised to awaken and find the ground white, being covered with snow, the rain continuing in drizzling form throughout the entire day, until 46 of an inch had fallen, according to R. J. Klump, keeper of the local government rain gauge.

The rain and snow was general throughout western Texas and eastern New Mexico is evident from reports coming in Sunday and Monday of this week, numerous surrounding towns south and east of here reporting from one-half to as much as two inches, while north and west of here reports of snow ranging from six to 18 inches arrived here.

Official reports indicate this is the third time in the past 50 years it has snowed in this section during the month of May, while old-timers declare when it is January or May it's an infallible sign of a late summer.

Farmers and stockmen of this section are jubilant, not only because the moisture will throttle future sandstorms, but because of the season it puts in the ground and rejuvenation of pastures. Irrigators of this valley are looking forward to a larger reservoir of water to be stored underground from the melting snows of New Mexico percolating their way through the porous substratum of soil to come in contact with their pumps. Many farmers of this section who were upon the point of blasted hopes, have again taken courage, sharpened their plows and listers, given the teams an extra feed and begun plowing land for larger spring crops. The moisture is certainly of inestimable value.

ATTEND SUDAN G. O. F. MEET

Odd Fellows, members of the Sudan lodge and members of their families enjoyed a delightful social evening Thursday night of last week, a large attendance being present.

The evening was a success of ice cream and cake and after everyone present had distended their quivers almost to the bursting point there was still plenty of the delicacy left. There was an extemporaneous program of speaking and music.

Those attending from Muleshoe were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rockey, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones, and Mrs. S. E. Morris, Jr. M. G. Miller and T. B. Fry.

ART EXHIBIT BRINGS \$15

The sum of \$15 was realized from the art exhibit sponsored by the Home Economics club at the Muleshoe High school building last week, which sum will be used for purchasing pictures for the department.

Each visitor had the opportunity of viewing and making collection of 150 fine prints reproduced directly from originals found in the most famous art galleries of the world.

W. M. POOL TO NAT'L CAPITOL FROM BAILEY CO.

Farmers Urge Cotton Process Tax and AAA Program.

W. M. Pool Jr., was chosen last Saturday as the Bailey county representative to go to Washington on the special train leaving Saturday of this week, at a meeting held in the court house here Saturday, there being about 125 farmer citizens and delegates from various communities over the county attending.

Mr. Pool will join other delegates from Texas on a special train leaving for the Capitol city May 12 for the purpose of urging a continuation of the cotton processing tax program before the Administration, also discussing with President Roosevelt the AAA plan for the coming year. It is anticipated that about 1,500 farmers and cotton growers from the southern states will participate in the big delegation visit.

It is claimed by these delegates that benefit payments from the cotton process tax and also the AAA program have meant the salvation of the southern citizens, and they want it continued. Mr. Pool expects to return here about the 15th.

COWBOY BAND TO RUSSIA

At the invitation of the Soviet government the cowboy band of Harding Simons university will include Russia in its concert tour of Europe this summer.

Muleshoe Defeats Farwell 2 and 1 Here Last Sunday

Muleshoe baseball team beat the Farwell team just 100 per cent in the second game last Sunday, the score being 2 to 1. However, the score was not so important as was the playing, which was jam up big league style stuff throughout.

Apparently every man on both teams was up on his toes, full of pep and plenty of glue in their mitts. Very few errors were chucked up by either side during the entire nine innings of playing. Farwell got six hits, with Muleshoe five, most of them coming in the third inning. It was largely a pitcher's game.

Toten and Walker formed the battery for Muleshoe, while Buddy and Porter handled the destinies of the visiting team. Muleshoe was the bat. Both pitchers were absolutely "right," arms in excellent condition and eyesight perfect. Few pass balls were thrown, most of them whether splitting the air or upward downward or outward curve, clipped the edge of home plate for strikes, flopped kindly tipping themselves off into the pitcher's mitt.

During the game there were 37 Farwell players and 34 Muleshoe players went to bat, a rather uncommon occurrence in small town team playing.

Next Sunday afternoon there is scheduled to be a double-header game here, when the locals take on Needmore and Farwell teams.

THE STATE BOARD CALLS FOR A COTTON CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT

Bailey county officials received a report last Monday morning from the State Cotton Review board on the new cotton contracts signed this year, according to C. E. Dotson, chairman of the Bailey County Cotton committee, said report calling for an adjustment on acreage and production similar to the adjustment made by the 1934 cotton contract signers, and amounting to \$100 per acre.

Dotson said that practically all of the contracts and land covered by the 1934 contracts had been accepted by the State review board, and already forwarded to Washington for approval. All cotton contract signers are expected to keep the base on which their contracts will be approved by the latter part of this week, he said.

BAPTISTS OBSERVE MOTHERS DAY WITH SPECIAL SERVICES

At the Baptist church next Sunday morning there will be a special service appropriate to Mother's day, according to an announcement of Rev. L. S. Jenkins, pastor.

The sermon will be in keeping with that particular day and there will special mother's day songs and prayers in keeping with the occasion.

The annual pioneer round county will be held at Muleshoe Saturday, May 25.



FORD SALES WILL REACH 500,000

First Four Months of 1935

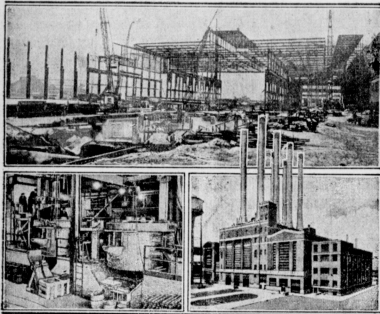
AN ALL-TIME HIGH for any make of car for the same period! The month of March with the Ford Motor Co., was an all-time high also for the purchase of materials and freight movement: \$81,000,000.00 was spent for the purchase of materials and a total of 34,985 freight car loads of materials and automobiles passed through the River Rouge freight yards. THE FORD MOTOR COMPANY IS DOING ITS PART TOWARD RECOVERY.



Motor Co.

Have YOU tried "Center-Poise" Ride?

\$23,000,000 Ford Plant Expansion



Top photo shows construction work on the new Ford steel hot rolling and cold finishing mills; left, installation of furnaces and other equipment in foundry for casting alloy steel parts; right, Rouge plant power house.

HENRY FORD is well under way on one of the year's largest single industrial construction projects in the United States—a \$23,000,000 program designed to improve and expand the facilities of the great Rouge Plant of the Ford Motor Company at Dearborn, Mich.

Among the projects are: New hot strip steel rolling mill, \$6,320,000; new sheet steel cold finishing mill, \$2,460,000; modernization of main power house into the largest high pressure steam power house in the world, \$4,600,000; new glass plant, \$3,000,000; modernization of foundry and installation of furnaces and other equipment for production of cast alloy steel parts, \$475,000; and reconstruction of one blast furnace to increase its capacity from 600 to 800 tons daily, to cost \$50,000.

In addition, new tools, machinery and other equipment and facilities in all departments to increase daily output, totals \$3,000,000.

Cotton Presents A Complicated Unity Says U. Director

AUSTIN, May 7.—Cotton presents a medley of complications," Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research and internationally known authority on cotton marketing, said in a recent analysis of the cotton situation.

"The drought coupled with the Federal Government's land-leasing program has reduced the 1934-35 United States cotton crop to the very low level of 3,460,000 bales. This presents a very bullish supply situation. On August 1, the indicated supply for the United States was only 6,941,000 bales, a reduction from the previous year of 3,549,000 bales. Cotton prices moved up to over thirteen cents.

"Yet in the face of this most bullish situation the Federal Government saw fit to put a 12-cent loan in such a way as to start a holding movement which accumulated a supply in this country that made the 12-cent loan a maximum price. Eventually the accumulated supply was the big factor which recently broke the peg price and thus there was given another demonstration that even Uncle Sam with all his millions cannot for long peg the price of cotton by a holding movement. It is another demonstration that such a holding movement is another way of storing up trouble.

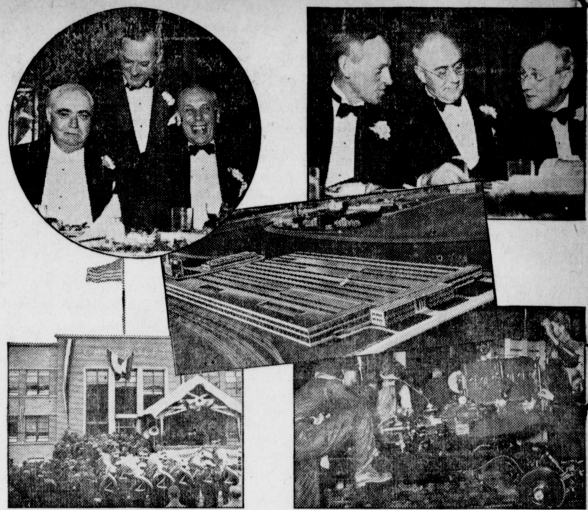
"The decrease in supply of over 3,500,000 bales of American cotton August 1 has now been reduced to a meagley 800,000 bales. It is quite possible that the carry-over of cotton in the United States will be reduced very little this year in spite of the very short crop if the American peg price continues to be above the world price. Most of this cotton will be essentially Government cotton and the Government will be converted from a benevolent lender into the cotton growers' greatest competitor.

"Will our Government eventually destroy the cotton, force the farmers to further cut down production so it can sell, or put the cotton on the market and thus force a lower price? Have we not had sufficient examples both in this country and abroad during the past five years to demonstrate clearly that any Government scheme to hold cotton to raise prices carries in it the elements of its own destruction? Good merchants have learned long ago that the best way to raise the price of a commodity is to push the surplus into consumption rather than to hold it. Is it not obvious that if the Government had spent even half the money it has in trying to create scarcity by holding in pushing cotton into consumption we would have gotten rid of the surplus and had a higher price not only now but in the process of consumption as well?

"Supplies of American cotton abroad have been reduced this year more than supplies in the United States. Stocks of American cotton in European ports and afloat to Europe are now only 900,000 bales, compared with 1,805,000 on April 1, last year. In other words, Europe is eating heavily into its stocks of American cotton. On the other hand Europe is substituting foreign-grown cotton for American in a very striking manner. According to Garside in the New York Cotton Exchange Service, Foreign mills are spinning cotton at a record high rate, and they are using far less American staple and much more foreign staple than usual. Normally American constitutes about 45 per cent foreign consumption. This year it will be only about 30 per cent.

"Total supplies of cotton in the United States April 1 were 10,082,000 bales compared with 10,082,000 bales a year ago. The decrease in supplies of cotton in the United States and of American cotton in European ports and afloat to Europe during the past year was 1,710,000 bales."

New Chevrolet Assembly Plant Opens in Baltimore



Government, state and civic officials joined with the principal executives of General Motors Corporation in the formal opening of the new 80,000-car-a-year Chevrolet assembly plant in Baltimore recently. The new plant (center) was dedicated with impressive ceremonies (lower left), and Chevrolet, Fisher Body and General Motors officials were guests of the Baltimore Association of Commerce at a formal banquet in the evening. W. E. Holler, vice-president and general sales manager of Chevrolet, is shown (standing) with Maryland's Governor, H. W. Nice, and Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors (upper left). M. E. Coyte, president and general manager of Chevrolet, is pictured in the upper right photo with Senator Millard Tydings (left) and Mayor H. W. Jackson, of Baltimore (right). Lower right shows the first motor car built in that city.

Due to some changes in our community, the following officers were elected: Mrs. Weems—vice-president; Mrs. Sanderson, assistant secretary; Mrs. Rackley, council member; Mrs. Barrdon, community project demonstrator; Mrs. Everett, reporter.

The club voted to use the school building as its future meeting place.

The members of the club are entertaining their husbands with a banquet May 8, at the school auditorium.—Reporter.

TO OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY

Announcement is made by Homer H. Copeland, that a Mother's day service will be held at Progress next Sunday by pastor of the Baptist church there.

FRYER RABBITS, tender and delicious, for sale at Gupion's Grocery and Jennings' Food Store.

Recording of Time

Until the Fourteenth century whatever time recording was done followed, with only minor improvement, the methods laid down by the Egyptians. Then in 1370 Henry DeVick constructed for Charles V of France the first mechanical timepiece—a true clock, even though it varied as much as two hours a day.

THREE CARLOADS OF CHEVROLETS HERE!

Notwithstanding some of the Chevrolet plants are closed by strikes of workmen, we have this week received three carloads of Chevrolet Master and Standard cars and can make prompt delivery of any model.

VALLEY MOTOR COMPANY

CHEVROLET SALES AND SERVICE Muleshoe, Texas

Isn't it funny what a woman will show to hide her age? It's very easy to rise in your own estimation.

Beauty and Eye Comfort Both Helped When Light Is Right



These illustrations show wrong and right ways for lighting an easy chair. The lamp above is of the obsolete type and is not designed for reading. At right is shown an approved type that enables the reader to relax and enjoy real comfort.

By Jean Prentice

WHEN you read, do you ever have to poke your nose under the very tip of the lamp shade to get enough light? If you do, you're not only uncomfortable, but are risking serious eyestrain, as well.

And those tell-tale wrinkles that come from squinting, aren't they a rather heavy penalty to pay for mis-use of light and shade of the eyes?

Lamp Design Important

The illustration at upper left shows just what I mean. The reader literally has to reach over in her chair to get enough light by which to see. Or, if she sits naturally, she doesn't get sufficient illumination. That is because the lamp she is using is of the decorative type, and was not designed to provide light for reading be-

side a low end-table. It might serve the purpose if the end-table were 30" high, thus raising the height of the lamp; or if the lamp itself were 18" or 22 inches tall, and equipped with two 60-watt bulbs.

Proper Light Aids Comfort

Now take a look at the upper right illustration. Isn't the difference in physical comfort readily apparent? Of course. Here we have the same woman, perfectly relaxed, and not having to cramp her abdominal muscles or strain her eyes. You will notice that the lamp is placed on an even line with the back of the chair, so that even when the reader looks up to talk with others in the room, the light doesn't glare into her eyes, or in their's.

A nice feature about this type of floor lamp, which is just about ideal

for use beside an easy chair, is that it provides indirect as well as direct lighting. The softening quantity of the indirect portion provides a gentle scattering of light throughout the room, making paper or magazines easier to concentrate upon.

Avoid Harsh Contrasts

This is not the case with the lamp shown at left, which gives such a small circle of useful light that the rest of the room is in comparative darkness. You know, science warns against the possible danger to eyes from having harsh contrasts between the light on our books or papers and the surrounding area. For, it says, when the eyes look up from the page into the room—as they often do without our realizing it—they must "shift gears," so to speak; and this tends to tire them and induce strain.

Dime-Store Heiress Through With Prince



NEW YORK—The dime-store heiress, the former Barbara Hutton of the Woodworth millions, is through with her husband, the Georgian Prince, Alexis Malinavi. At least so she said while making ready to sail alone from London for New York to ask divorce. They were married two years ago. . . . She says they are parting "the best of friends" and that not a penny will be settled on the Prince. Photo shows Prince and Barbara shortly after their marriage.

No Quit the Job



NEWARK, N. J. . . . Michael Bellotti, 47, (above), is going right ahead shinning shoes at his stand here despite a telegram which informed him that he and his brother, a book-binder, are heirs to a \$5,000,000 estate from an uncle in the Argentine.

To Govern Canada



LONDON . . . Col. John Buchan (above), has been named Governor General of Canada by King George, to succeed Lord Bessborough, who is retiring. Col. Buchan is the first commoner ever named to the post.

Goodland News

We had a light snow Saturday but need more moisture. So the farmers can plant their crops.

There was preaching at the school house Sunday morning by Rev. Otis Smith, of Maple, a Baptist minister and by Rev. Fort, a Methodist minister, of Muleshoe, who preached at 3:30 in the afternoon.

Glad to report Mrs. Louis Sanders able to be out after being sick 10 days. Henry Hanover attended to business in Muleshoe, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Brinkler and daughters, Helen and Joyce Marie and Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Sanderson went to Muleshoe, Tuesday last week, to the Baptist Workers conference.

The Farmers Community Association met in a call meeting Friday night. Henry Hanover was elected to represent our community at AAA meeting at Washington, D. C.

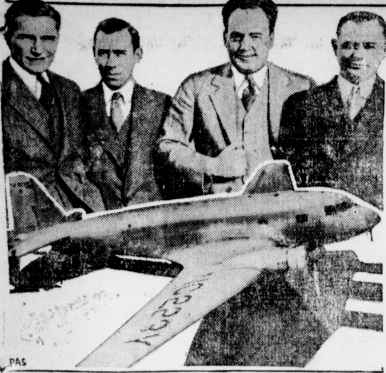
The Goodland Sunshine club met Wednesday, May 1, with Mrs. T. W. Floyd. There were 10 members and one visitor present.

Maurine Tarleton gave a report on the demonstration that was given April 25 at Maple.

reckless drivers Sunday is of rest—complete rest.

Education is almost as expensive as ignorance.

Expect "Mystery Plane" to Find Hawaii



OAKLAND, Calif. . . Interest in the Army "mystery plane" . . . as intense as prolonged test flights of the radio compass robot-controlled craft indicated a 2400 mile hop to Hawaii might soon be made.

THE DEPRESSION HITS OUR FAMILY

By MISS FLORA MAE LEE, Baileyboro School Winner of Second place, Essay writing in Bailey County Inter-scholastic Meet. The depression has hit our family exceedingly hard. Some have said, "The depression is over, and things are brighter," but to my knowledge the depression is still facing us.

Before the depression our family was in fairly good circumstances. They were building up characters of higher standings. My father and mother were both educated so as to make their way through the years of hardships and strife.

When painting time came he rushed through to get his seed planted. Then when it was time to cultivate the crop he made speed to keep down the weeds. At crop gathering time he would hire several families to help gather the crop to save it from the sand storms.

Some time ago we owned a nice looking automobile, but have had to sell it and buy us a cheaper one. We also partly owned a radio but had to let it go back to the company.

POOR LITTLE FEET SIZE 36 TOO SMALL

St. Louis, Mo.—Hospital Wadlow of Allen, Ill., stretched across three average size beds in a hospital here receiving treatment for an infected blister on his foot.

Robert who weighs 400 pounds is 4 feet tall. Eight men carried him into the hospital.

He was laid up by a new pair of size 36 shoes. They cramped his feet.

Stock Exchange President



NEW YORK . . . Charles R. Gay (above), senior partner of Whitehouse & Co., is the new president of the New York Stock Exchange.

West Camp News

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dotson of Hedley are visiting their son and family, Carl Dotson, this week. Mrs. Clarence Willite returned to her home last week after visiting her parents in Mangum, Okla.

The Pollyanna club ladies have received their badges and are very proud of them. The colors are blue and gold.

Miss Alma Stewart, our county demonstration agent, and J. B. Waide, Jr., county agent, attended the AAA meeting here Friday night.

The rain and snow which fell in this section was very badly needed. Although it wasn't much, it was a great help and farmers are very busy this week, planting and knitting beds.—Reporter.

Organize 4-H Club A girls 4-H club was organized Friday night of last week at the school.

Officers elected were: President, Wilma Smith; Vice-president, Eloise Waller; Secretary-Treasurer, Louise Adair; Reporter, Nora Lee Dotson; Wardrobe Demonstrator, Pauline Adair; Song Leader, Clara Mae Copeland; Game Leader, Naomi Smith; Sponsors, Mrs. B. E. Dickenson and Mrs. Sevilla Sullenger.

Other members are: Flora Lee Williams, Wilma Louise Snider, Bernice Herrington, Vera Green, Lily Mae Colton, Juanita Hughes, Addie Lee Lindsey, Paulette Chaney, Zola Crammar, Alma Stancell and Mary Dennis.

SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BAILEY, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dallas County, on the 25th day of April, 1935, by Geo. W. Harwood, Clerk of said Court, for sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Ninety and 25-100 Dollars and costs of sales and a Judgment, in favor of Lummus Cotton Gin Sales Company, a Corporation, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 12792-E and styled Lummus Cotton Gin Sales Company vs. Luther Mounts et al., placed in my hands for service, I, Jim Cook, as Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas, did, on the 1st day of May, 1935, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bailey County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Block 20 and 2/3 of Block 21 in the town of Goodland, County of Bailey, State of Texas, and levied upon as the property of Luther Mounts and Leland Mounts, and that on the 2nd day of May, 1935, the same being the 4th day of sale, Monday, May 6, 1935, at 10:00 a. m., at the Court House Door of Bailey County, in the town of Muleshoe, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a. m. and 4:00 p. m., I did sell said levy and said Order of Sale, I will sell said above described real estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of Luther Mounts and Leland Mounts.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Muleshoe Journal, a Newspaper published in Bailey County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 1st day of May, A. D. 1935. JIM COOK, Sheriff Bailey County, Texas May 9, 16, 23, 1935.

The State of New Mexico will get \$7,326,000 Federal aid money for state highway purposes, also \$2,742,000 for building railroad grade crossings.

Federal emergency educational methods employed in Texas during the month of March brought educational benefits to 75,829 people.

Ceylon It was at Ceylon that Adam and Eve spent their legendary exile after their banishment from Eden, notes a writer in the Washington Post. This island that rests in the sea at the southern tip of India is peopled largely by the Singhalese. Colombo is its capital, it self a pleasant city with wide spaces and a sheltered harbor for its great sea traffic. The famous buried cities of Ceylon were Buddhist cities, and many of the inhabitants are Buddhists. The best known of these buried cities is Anuradhapura and the two largest inland towns are Ceylon are Kandy and Nawara Elyia.



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HOME DEMONSTRAT'N NEWS

By MISS ALMA STEWART Home Demonstration Agent Bailey County The total cost of 120 feet of sub-irrigation will be only a few cents, according to Mrs. Oscar McCrary, garden demonstrator of the Baileyboro club.

By using prickly pear (pear leaf cactus) Mrs. Cecil Robinson of Circleback Club cures her chickens of white diarrhea. She burns it until the spines are off, then bruises it and places it in the bottom of the trough.

By using quart of cans that were obtained from filling station, Mrs. J. F. Carter of Maple club has laid 80 feet of sub-irrigation. She cut both ends out of the cans and layed them like tiling, leaving the bottom in the last can.

A school in Parliamentary procedure will be held in Muleshoe at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mardis, Saturday, May 11th from 2:30 to 4:30. The president and parliamentary of every Home Demonstration club in Bailey county is urged to attend.

To Attend Short Course Quite a number of Bailey County women plan to attend the West Texas short course, which will be held at W. T. S. T. C. at Canyon, May 16th.

Home Budget School A budget-making school was held in Muleshoe Saturday last week at the home demonstration agent's office. Delegates from Circleback, Baileyboro, Progress, Watson and Enoch were present.

Progress News Progress school closed April 23. The same teachers were all asked back for another year. Mr. Rollins and Miss Boone accepted, but Mrs. Needham will drive a school bus. We regret very much to lose them, but wish them great success in their new place.

Use for Cow Horns Pieces of cow's horn are used instead of metal plates to hold broken bones together until they can heal. The horn not only holds the parts together, but appears to supply substances made use of by the body in manufacturing new bone.—Tit-Bits Magazine.

Both are evils but the moneyless man is far better off than the friendless man.

SOMETHING NEW IN RADIOS CROSLY AGAIN LEADS IN NEW FEATURES A 6-volt Crosley Battery set, including Charger for only \$104.50

All Kinds of GIFTS For Mother's Day After all, the possession a mother cherishes most, is her son or daughter, and a gift, no matter how great or small, will tell her your appreciation and thoughtfulness, bringing gladness to her heart long to be remembered. We are listing below a few suggestions for suitable gifts: DRESSES, a new line of beautiful sheer materials. \$1.00 to \$1.58 STEPPERS, of beautiful quality rayon, special. . . .25

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

And the loftiness of man shall be bowed down, and the haughtiness of men shall be made low; and the Lord alone shall be exalted in that day.—Isaiah, 2:17.

Deep is the sea, and deep is hell, but pride mineeth deeper; it is coiled as a poisonous worm about the foundations of the soul.—Tupper.

"MOTHER'S DAY"

One of the nation's most sensible holidays, "Mother's Day" is approaching and Muleshoe citizens will need no urging to join in its observance. They know the meaning of this holiday and they take a genuine delight in honoring those to whom it is dedicated.

If your mother is living, you have a two-fold reason for honoring her on this occasion. It doesn't have to be done through the medium of an expensive gift; mothers seldom look at the price-tag. It is the spirit back of the gift that brings her happiness. But no matter if it is nothing more than a simple little flower picked from the yard or the nearby prairie—your thoughtfulness will cheer the one whose love and loyalty knows no end, and cannot be measured in words. If you have suffered the loss of your mother and cannot be with her in person—then you can at least be with her spirit. You can observe the day in her memory by wearing a little flower. That will be sufficient tribute to her.

The world is burdened with trouble these days. Vexing problems weigh heavily on the shoulders of everyone. Maybe the sun isn't shining for you as brightly as you would wish it to. But don't let these material things prevent you from paying your tribute to one whose faith in a little flower you cannot be shaken. Greater than all other loves is mother love. It has existed throughout the centuries. The world is founded upon it; without it the world would not long exist. All the joys, all the happiness, all the success you have ever had—all you can ever have—owe you to your mother. Make a little payment in a little flower. Some sort of tribute to the noblest of all human beings—Mother.

FAKE LOTTERIES

Announcement that more than a half-million dollars were expended in this country for tickets on the Irish sweepstakes lottery has set Uncle Sam's postal sleuths on their toes. As a result more than 2,200 "fraud orders" have been issued in the last few months. The schemers because so bold that they literally flooded the mails with their literature and being able to escape detection it encouraged others "guys" to follow their example.

Whether or not any of the fake lottery tickets have been purchased by Muleshoe citizens is not known, but this much everyone around here can be sure of, and that is that every dollar invested in such schemes is a dollar lost. In view of the fact that every penny in the United States is now needed in the legitimate channels of trade, no man can in truth claim to local citizenship who invests even one cent in such underhanded and unlawful enterprises.

Now post offices everywhere are being flooded with "chain letters." Apparently there is no end of law violations to get one's money.

EARLY FORECASTS

The annual prediction that "the fruit crop has been killed" came a good deal earlier this year than usual. Ordinarily we never hear it until along in May, with an unexpected snowstorm in the middle west in April, it came weeks ahead of time.

Sensible Muleshoe housewives will not waste time waiting for such reports. Seldom does a year pass without fruit crops being killed in some sections of the country, and yet it has been a good many years since there was an actual shortage of the main purposes. The fact that the crop has been hit in some sections does not mean that

canners will suffer. Neither should there be any worry over a probable shortage of vegetables. By the time the home-canner gets lined up for action it doubtless will be found that there will be a plentiful supply, and at prices in keeping with former years.

The pessimistic report of a fruit shortage is more than offset by the optimistic report of Sec. Wallace of the Dept. of Agriculture to the effect that despite violent dust storms throughout the country there will in all probability be a healthy surplus in this year's wheat crop. High corn prices all last year were sufficient to warrant an enormous planting this year. So even if the corn-growing states have been hard hit by the dust storms the Dept. of Agr. expects to make up the shortage there. As compared with a year ago at this time, there seems to be genuine cause for rejoicing over the grain and fruit outlook—taking the country as a whole.

THOSE ON RELIEF

Some figures governing the nation's relief rolls were given out in Washington recently, and they contain the surprising announcement that by far the largest percentage of any class on relief are between the ages of 16 and 24.

The average Muleshoe citizen quite naturally supposed that a vast majority of those now "on relief" were elderly men and women who were unable to work. It is not a very agreeable surprise, either, to learn that the younger generation, instead of getting out and battling for their own livelihood, and trying to earn their own way, are content to sit down and let the taxpayers of the nation feed them.

The regrettable feature, however, is that thousands of these young men and women are between the ages of 16 and 24, finding at the very start of their lives that they can live without working, refuse to do so in the future, and are content to let the taxpayers of the nation support them.

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Escape From the Dust Storms—by A. B. Chapin



Our advice to Muleshoe young men is not to marry a school teacher if they don't want to be treated like a kid when they act that way.

Some Muleshoe men lie naturally, but we've noticed the best liars in town are those who have had the most experience.

We observe that it doesn't take a normal Muleshoe child between the ages of one and three years to spoil its grandfather.

The trouble with a lot of fellows around Muleshoe who claim that of the world owes them a living is that they want to be paid in advance for nothing.

Most Muleshoe women consider them selves attractive, but they never doubt the man who says he is a fool about her.

SNAP SHOTS

Hey Long! can some day tell his grandchildren how he had three soap boxes shot from under him at the battle of Hunkum Hill.

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they'd all be a little more diplomatic.

Music may be a gift of the gods, but it was probably the devil who injected jazz into it.

About the only thing the average man won't swallow for a bad cold is sensible advice.

A MAMMY'S PRAYER

O God Lawd, I jist had to come to You in my 'stremity. Dere ain't no whar else to go. I ain't forgot how good You has been to me. You gib me my old man an' my children an' a good cabin an' s'ich. I know You ain't forgot us. De Good Book say dat not even a little sparrer burd can fall to de ground lessens. You knows it. But O Good Lawd, You hain't sent us no rain fur weeks, an' everything is all burnin' up. De cotton is no eaven, nor no latters. De cotton is all yaller an' won't make nuthin'. De whipperville is quit singin' at nite; de mawkin burd is all gone. So is de rabbits an' de squirts an' de possums. De creeks is all dry an' de fishes is all dead. Dere's jist a leetle bit of watum comin' from de spring—jist enuff to drink, an' it's gittin' lower ever day. Looks like me an' de old man an' de chilluns gwine to die wid de thirst. We can't get away from heah like de burd do. We ain't got no whar to go an' we ain't got no money, an' de grocer man won't stend us no more credits. O Good Lawd, nobody kin hep us 'cept You. O. Won't You do it!

I forgot to tells You dat de white folks in de big house say all dis trouble is a judgement sent on us count de killin ob de sows an' de little pigs, an' plovin' up of cotton an' de cawn. Day say dey don't want to do it, but de big men sum whar made 'em do it, an' dis brot on de curse. O Good Lawd, us pore niggahs didn't hab nuthin' to do wit it, but we're all gettin de curse jist

"Sarge" York Today



PALL MALL, Tenn. . . . Do you remember this man? He was America's greatest doctory, according to General Pershing, during World War days. It is Sergeant Alvin C. York as he appears today at his home here.

de same Kan't You hep us in dese orf times?

I ain't a prain' jist for myself. Ie prain' fur my old man an' my chilluns. Ie prain' fur de old man an' my womens an' chilluns jist like us. Ie prain' fur de white folks an' de little white chilluns, an' de cows an' de few little pigs what's left, an' fur de rabbits an' de birds, an' all s'ich.

I hates to tell You all dis, but what I tells You is de gospel truce. O' won't You take off de curse an' send us nuff rain to keep us from thir-into death? O Good Lawd, jist wunst moah, won't You open de widders uv heven an' let de—

Mandy, what's de noise I hear on de roof? Hallelu, Bless God, if it ain't prain' down rain!

Please, Lawd, 'scuse me a minit till I sets out a tub to ketch sum rain watum.—Hesperian, Floydada.

SCHOOLS ARE MIGHTY OF HEART

The common school does not consist of structures of brick and stone, nor even of assembled children. The heart of the school is the teacher bearing in her willing hands equal opportunity for eager and expectant youth—youth rising in a great flood about us; youth rightly taught and directed able to raise our nation to yet unimagined heights; youth ignorant, neglected, creditous, able one day to engulf us all.

To all who contact youth, be he professional teacher or layman, I would say, "It is ours to remember that if we choose we can be torch-bearers, as our fathers were before us. The torch has been handed on from nation to nation, from civilization to civilization, throughout all recorded time, from the dim years before history dawned down to the blazing splendor of this teaming century of ours. It is dropped from the hand of the coward and the sluggard, of the man wrapped in luxury or love of ease, the man whose soul was eaten away by self-indulgence; it has been kept afloat only by those who were mighty of heart."—Theodore Roosevelt.

THE VALUE OF MUSIC

Charles Darwin a short time before his death made this statement: "It had my life to live over again, I would make it a rule to read some poetry and to listen to some music every day of my own life. Perhaps then the parts of my brain now atrophied would have been kept alive through use. Loss of these parts means a loss of happiness and may perhaps be injurious to the intellect, but more probably will be injurious to the moral character of man."

Physicians see the healing power in music. They tell us that since the days of Egyptian civilization, the healing power of music have been recognized and used to good effect. We are told by statesmen that ballads are more potent than laws in the life of a nation; by preachers that many worship groups which deprived of music; by mothers that a baby's life is impoverished without the lullaby.—Mrs. R. L. Barclay, Temple, in Texas Outlook.

Longview News

Glen Matthes Ivery, infant babe of Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Ivery, died Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at Bayleboro Baptist church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Moore was in charge of the services. Interment was made in Bayleboro cemetery. Mrs. Ivery, who has had double pneumonia since the babe's birth, is improving. They have our deepest sympathy in their bereavement.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hawkins who kept the babe until its death, wish to thank many friends for kind notes that were shown them while their home was shadowed in death.

The rain and snow that fell Friday and Saturday night was surely appreciated. However, we could still use more moisture as it has been dry so long.

There will be singing next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Everybody come! Sunday school is at 10:00 a. m. Rev. Hough will preach at 11:00 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryant, of Littlefield, visited Mrs. Bryant's sister, Mrs. Lonnie Whitmore, over the weekend. Mr. Bryant, who is teaching in the Littlefield school, will be our new principal next year.

The AAA meeting was held at the schaal last Thursday night. Delegates went to Muleshoe to the county-wide meeting. Miran Pool of this community was selected as a delegate to the AAA convention.

Mrs. Neal Warren was taken back to a Lubbock sanitarium Monday for treatment.—Reporter.

Wilson News Items

Mrs. A. E. Robinson has returned home from Marlin Wells where she had been taking treatments for rheumatism and is doing as well as can be expected.

Rev. Pat Jordan preached the baccalaureate sermon Sunday morning at the Baptist church. There was a large crowd present. The graduates are Misses Naomi Shaw and Frances Cunningham, John Show, Alford Richards and William Warton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Tyson.

Mrs. Anderson has been taken to a Lubbock sanitarium with a case of appendicitis.

Mrs. Fred Kelly has returned home from a sanitarium at Lubbock.

Billy Smith preached at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. He is a young preacher and this was his second sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Christie recently installed a built-in cabinet and purchased a tractor.

We are glad to have Mr. and Mrs. Bigner out for church Sunday night.—Reporter.

Purple Heart Decoration

The original Purple Heart decoration was a heart of purple cloth or silk, edged with narrow lace or binding. The revised decoration is of purple enamel, heart-shaped. It bears a relief bust of General Washington in uniform, with his coat of arms above. On the reverse are the words "For Military Merit" with room for the name of the recipient. It is suspended on a purple ribbon edged with white.

Crop Loans Starting!



The signing of the Deficiency Bill, making the \$60,000,000 for Crop and Seed Production Loans available, was good news for farmers who are now buying seed, fertilizers, and other supplies. The bill will be a boost for American industry, since the Farm Credit Administration suggests that borrowers buy American-made supplies. Agricultural leaders have long felt that farmers should support American industry by using fertilizers made in the United States, such as American sulfate of soda, sulphate of ammonia and potash.

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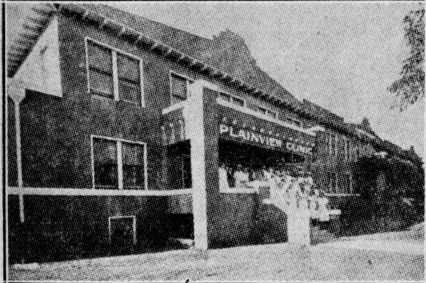
West Camp News

The West Camp Farm association met at the school building, Friday evening, May 3, at eight o'clock. J. B. Walde, Jr., county agent, and about 25 farmers were present. There was a nice round table discussion as to the

Triple A cotton program, both for and against farmers desiring to be on equal footing with other industries of the United States favor some form of cotton control and the process tax.



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Word "Overwork" Is Overworked In Doctor's Opinion

Austin, May 7.—"One of the most maligned words in the dictionary is 'overwork,'" Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. "It is employed as an excuse to avoid unattractive social engagements. It is used to impress others with one's particular importance and is frequently mentioned as the reason for one's business failures. And it certainly is most unjustly blamed for many bodily ills."

"As a matter of fact overwork is not nearly the hobgoblin it is painted to be. Abstractly speaking, overwork is a very decent term, behaves itself on most occasions, and does little damage to the lives of most of us. And more likely than not, where lack of health is concerned, overwork has had little if anything to do with the situation."

"Actually, work of a normal amount, or even above average, is not prone to do one any real damage. On the other hand, certain practices associated with the work or with living are likely to be the real offenders. Those who, for example, are victims of impure air, illegal diets, auto-intoxication, worry, lack of exercise and insufficient sleep are usually the first to blame work for their sorry condition. And, no doubt, even an average amount of work can easily turn into a sense of overwork when one's capacity to do the job has been weakened by enervating habits."

"The best bulwark against ill effects from hard and sustained work is the conscientious adoption of a well-rounded, and properly balanced health program. And by this suggestion is not meant a fanatical adherence to a long set of fancy rules, but only a reasonable sense of the primary duty every one owes to himself to get plenty of fresh air and some exercise, to eliminate the excessive use of stimulants, to obtain an average amount of sleep, to eat moderately; in short, to treat one's body with the respect that it demands."

Circleback News

Honor Roll

- Ninth grade: Woodrow Reed, Fern Evans, Wanda Williams.
- Eighth Grade: Evelyn Milam.
- Seventh Grade: Glen Gilbert, Florence Sanders.
- Sixth Grade: Lola Mae Cox.
- Fifth Grade: Joyce Sanders, Dolly Aldrich, Davis June Collins.
- Fourth Grade: Lawrence Evins, Mary Dale Dean.
- Third Grade: Juanita Shearer, Verna Fay Copeland.
- Second Grade: Wanda Sue Wells, Lena Jo McNabb, Willie Aldrich, Jimmie Cox.
- First Grade: James Hall, Doris Sims.

Both teachers and pupils are busy practicing for closing of school exercises. The program begins Friday night, May 15th. If plans are not changed the last day will be Tuesday, May 14th.

Miss Ater has married. She reports her grandmother much improved.

Mesdames Robinson and Shaw were in Muleshoe Saturday afternoon. They assisted Miss Stewart in planning our budget for the year.

Miss Ida Wayne fielding of Lubbock, is visiting her grandfather, W. C. C., and her uncle, W. A. Elmore, this week.

Plans were made last Sunday for a Mother's Day program to be rendered May 12th at the Baptist church. Mrs. Gilpin will be in charge.

Those who took the Sunday school training course last week enjoyed it very much. They feel that it will aid in building a better Sunday school. Our superintendent, Mr. McCollum, says we will start on them from now on.

At the drawing for groceries given by Geo. Sharnan Saturday, May 4, the following prizes were drawn: \$5 prize, J. C. McClister; \$3 prize, Mrs. George Gilpin; \$2 prize, Mrs. George Garner.

O. E. Duncan won \$5 at the Trades Day "pie eating" contest at Sudan last week.—Reporter.

Inflation may be ahead. If it is, we hope to ride the crest and then leave the raft.

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SEN'R CUTTING KILLED, PLANE WRECK MONDAY

Three Others Killed, Six Injured When Plane Crashes.

Senator Bronson M. Cutting, of New Mexico, and three others were carried to their deaths in a TWA transport plane last Monday morning near Atlanta, Mo. There were 10 people in the plane, all of whom were either killed or injured except one mother and her babe. Most of the occupants were motion picture people enroute to Annapolis to make a picture.

It is said cause of the accident is due to giving out fuel as the plane was landing among the trees where the plane came down. The ship was traveling at a height of about 4,000 feet when the fuel began giving out and the engine started sputtering. The pilot was trying to make the landing at Kirksville, 15 miles away, when the tragedy occurred. The U. S. Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C., promptly sent four men to investigate the cause of accident.

An aristocratic upbringing in the east formed the background for the rise of Bronson Cutting to the position of United States Senator from New Mexico. Identified with the liberal bloc in the Senate, Cutting, a Republican, supported Franklin D. Roosevelt for president in 1932.

Mr. Roosevelt, however, did not endorse Cutting's re-election last fall. Now the senate elections committee is studying Cutting's victory over Dennis Chavez, Democrat, who has contested the election.

Senator Cutting was born on June 23, 1868 at Oakdale, Long Island. He was educated at Groton school and Harvard university.

After graduation in 1910 he went to New Mexico where he entered the newspaper business at Santa Fe. Four years after his arrival in the south-west he was chairman of the progressive state central committee.

Mr. Cutting was in Mexico as an infantry captain and was the assistant military attaché at the American embassy in London. For his services he was awarded the British military cross.

He was chairman of the board of commissioners of the New Mexico state penitentiary.

Richard C. Dillon appointed him to the senate in 1927 to fill a vacancy caused by the death of Senator Andrius A. Jones. He served until December, 1929.

He was elected to the senate in the same year for the six-year term being renewed March 4, 1929, and was re-elected last November.

District Conference Of Methodists At Olton, Friday - Sat.

I. W. Haney, A. C. Gaede, Mesdames A. W. Copley, H. St. John, Harold Weyer and Mrs. J. F. Luker have recently been elected delegates to attend District Conference of the Methodist church which is being held in Olton, Thursday and Friday of this week. They will be accompanied by Rev. J. Frank Luker, local pastor.

This is destined as one of the largest gatherings ever to be held in Olton. There will be about 50 delegates and all preaching points from nine counties in this section of the Plains country represented, being an annual meeting, one which usually goes to larger towns than Olton.

Arrangements are being made by the citizens of Olton to take care of the guests over Thursday night. Merchants are helping in the entertainment of the guests through donation of food supplies.

The public generally is invited to attend sessions of the conference which will begin at 10 a. m. Thursday and go through till Friday afternoon.

Rev. W. L. Tittle of Plainview, presiding elder of the district, will be in charge of the conference.

HAVE MAY DAY DANCE HERE

Friday evening's last week at 6:30 o'clock, members of the third, fourth and fifth grades, Muleshoe public schools, celebrated May Day in typical Springtime form, frolicking at the High school gymnasium.

Miss Ouida Davis, Mrs. Curtis Taylor and other grade school teachers were in charge of the entertainment.

Plans had previously been made for the festival to be given at the court house lawn, but due to the terrific sand storm that was blowing full blast, they were unable to carry out the plans.

All who took part in the festival marched into the gymnasium, the march being played by Miss Ida Lou Glaze at the piano.

The program consisted of a May queen, poppy drill, May pole, mimnet playlet, "You Tell 'Er", bean setting, nuts in May, a tumbling we will go, and unwinding of the beautifully decorated May pole.

The gymnasium was packed with spectators and a large number of people stood up to enjoy the entertainment.

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ARMY RECRUITS MAY MAKE ENLISTMENT AT LUBBOCK

A recruiting drive will be launched in the near future to fill vacancies in the Regular Army existing at Fort Bliss, Texas.

These vacancies are in the Field Artillery, Cavalry, Quartermaster and Medical Corps. Approximately 170 vacancies in the enlisted personnel are to be filled at that post.

American white citizens, between the ages of 18 and 35 years, who are single and have no one dependent upon them for support, in good physical condition, and possessed of the equivalent of an eighth grade grammar school education, are eligible for enlistment.

The nearest Recruiting Station is located in the Post Office Building, Lubbock, and the Recruiting Agent in charge will be pleased to interview all young men of this locality who desire information relative to enlistment in the Regular Army.

METHODIST MOTHER'S DAY SERVICE TO BE HELD SUNDAY

A special Mothers' Day service is being planned for Sunday morning at the Methodist church, according to Rev. J. Frank Luker.

There will be several special num-

bers given by the choir, and an appropriate sermon will be preached honoring the mothers.

Services will be dismissed Sunday night for the baccalaureate service which is being held in the High school auditorium, and Rev. J. F. Nix, pastor of the First Baptist church, Clow, N. M., has been invited to deliver the sermon.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

- FOR RENT: Large South Bedroom, furnished. Mrs. Ike Robinson, 13-1/2
- J. F. Strickland, of Bula, attended District court in Muleshoe last Monday.
- E. R. Hart attended to business and visited in Amarillo last Monday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Smith were Sudan visitors last Sunday afternoon.
- Morris Garth accepted a position from A. J. Gardner at the Muleshoe post office the latter part of last week.
- M. G. Miller attended a Woodmen of the World meeting in Plainview last Monday night, returning Tuesday.
- FOR SALE: 1 horse, 1 mule, \$75 for both. W. C. Burnham, Rt. 2, Muleshoe, 15-21p
- Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Davis, Miss Mildred Davis, and Miss Ruth Mitchell were Lubbock visitors Tuesday.
- Mrs. Nina Eirod took her daughter, Norma, to Lubbock Thursday of last week for a medical examination.
- Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Gibbs were in Sudan Wednesday evening of last week visiting.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holt made a business trip to Wichita Falls Tuesday evening.
- The Muleshoe Motor Co. report a sale of a new 1935 V-8 tudor sedan to Glenn Stevens last Saturday.
- Miss Luna Wiggins, of Clovis, N. M., visited in Muleshoe the first part of the week with relatives and friends.
- Miss Jayne Weismann, of Childress, is here for several weeks' visit with her cousin, Miss Linnie Hulise.
- Mr. and Mrs. Morris Douglas and son were visitors in Snyder the latter part of last week
- Misses Elizabeth Hardin, Lola Lipscomb, Alvin Farrell, and Ray Buzard

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- were in Clovis, N. M., last Sunday evening. E. J. Thomas accompanied them there
- **FRYING** size Spring Chickens—Plymouth Rocks and Rhode Island Reds. See J. E. Aldridge. 13-31c
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, daughters, Dora Lee and Francis Jewell, visited in Kress last Sunday with friends.
- Miss Linnie Hulise visited her cousin, Mrs. Truitt Forbes, at Ropes, last week-end.
- Miss Catherine Hobbs and Courtland Paul were Clovis, N. M., visitors last Sunday afternoon.
- Rev. L. S. Jenkins preached at the Baptist church in Farwell last Sunday night.
- Dr. and Mrs. I. J. Sparks, of Sudan, were in Muleshoe last Sunday afternoon visiting friends
- Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Garrett attended the Farwell and Muleshoe baseball game at Farwell last Sunday afternoon.
- J. F. Vaughan visited in Snyder the latter part of last week with his brother-in-law, Wiley Crowder and wife.
- Edward K. Warren returned to Mule shoe last Sunday night from Hachita, New Mexico, where he spent several days on a ranch there.
- J. L. Holbert and Clark Tummings, of Lubbock, transacted business in Muleshoe Friday afternoon of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, sons Billy Jim and Lowell Irvin, visited in Frona last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Dillis.
- Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brewer, of Muleshoe, are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Friday May third. His name is Lonnie Joe.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burkhead visited in Clovis, N. M., last Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Koen.
- G. A. Sahli, auditor from Amarillo, was in Muleshoe the first part of this week auditing county books and records
- Mr. and Mrs. Homer Harold, of Plainview, attended to business and visited with friends in Muleshoe last Saturday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Thomas were in Muleshoe last Monday He attended District court and she visited with her parents, Mr and Mrs. W. H. Kistler.

- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Damron attended the Farwell and Muleshoe base ball game played in Farwell last Sunday afternoon
- Mr. and Mrs. Leonard West moved to Snyder Thursday of last week where Mr. West recently purchased a meat market business.
- Mrs. K. K. Smith has accepted a position with the M. D. Jones Dry Goods, and started working the first of this month.
- Miss Opal Jenkins, student at Texas Technological college, Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. L. S. Jenkins.
- Mrs. Guy Hawkins, of Farwell, visited in Muleshoe the first part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Lee, and friends.
- **WANTED:** to buy 320 acres up to a section of farm land some where in the Muleshoe district. Write R. T. Clifford care of Hilton Hotel, Plainview. 15-21p
- Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins are the proud parents of an eight pound baby girl born Wednesday. May first, and named, Bobby Frances.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Arnold and family moved to Colorado City the middle part of the week, where they will make their future home.
- Clyde Holt made a business trip to Pampa last Monday. He was accompanied as well as Amarillo by Misses Hazel Nelson, Twila Farrell and his sister, Mary Holt.
- Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Blunt, Misses Earl June Suits, June Guthrie, and Rowena Ewing of Leckley, spent the weekend in Muleshoe the guests of Mr and Mrs. Howard Cox.
- Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Harris, formerly of Muleshoe several years ago, but now living at Abernathy visited here last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ty Young and other friends.
- Mrs. J. B. Burkhead and daughters and Mrs. C. C. Mardis visited in Amarillo last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Coy Burkhead and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mardis.
- County Judge J. E. Adams returned home to Muleshoe the first part of the week from Iowa where he attended funeral services of his father who died the latter part of last week.
- Carol Leslie Johnson, six years old, living three miles west of Progress, saved one pound of tinfol for the crippled children's hospital at Dallas, sending it to the Journal office Saturday.
- Cecil McLaury, for some months past first lieutenant of statistics in the county farm agent's office, has accepted a position as butcher de luxe in the Gupton market.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Arnold returned home from Wink the latter part of last week where they spent several days attending to business and visiting with relatives and friends.
- Mr. and Mrs. Elton Malone returned home to Muleshoe the middle of last week from various points in New Mexico where they visited relatives and friends for several days.
- C. H. Beaty and son, Lesley returned home to Muleshoe last Sunday morning from a fishing trip to south-east Texas. They were accompanied by relatives from Lubbock.
- Woodrow Goede returned home to Muleshoe last Sunday evening from Lubbock where he recently underwent an appendicitis operation.
- E. J. Thomas, who has been in charge of the music and singing during the two weeks Methodist revival meeting in Muleshoe returned to his home in Clovis, N. M., last Sunday night.
- Mrs. J. W. Gregory, sr., accompanied by her son, J. W. Gregory, jr. left the first part of the week for Ord, Nebraska. Mrs. Gregory spent the winter months with her son who lives seven miles west of Muleshoe.

Poison Principal of Loco Weed Has Been Determined

The poisonous principle in the loco weed has been isolated by Dr. G. S. Fraps and E. C. Carlyle, of the Texas agricultural experiment station, who have been engaged in research to determine the identity and nature of the poisonous principle which causes horses, cattle, and many other animals eating the weed to become "looted." Fraps and Carlyle have been working in cooperation with Dr. Frank P. Mathews, in charge of the Loco Weed Research laboratory at Alpine, conducted jointly by the Bureau of Animal Industry, U. S. D. A., and the Texas Agricultural experiment station, and have pursued their studies by the simple method of making separations of the extract by various chemical methods and testing out each of the separations to determine whether it carried the toxicity and each time the harmless portion was removed and a further separation made of the part carrying the poisonous principle. By this means, they have simplified and finally isolated the poisonous principle, which Dr. Fraps and Carlyle have named "Locoquine." This work of separating and testing the extract is a tedious process as each separation has to be fed to animals to determine whether or no it will produce locoism and the feeding normally requires three or four months. Dr. Fraps has been able to reduce the cost of testing by using cats as they have been found to react to loco poison, whereas rabbits and other small animals do not appear to be affected by the poison and domestic livestock would have been expensive and cumbersome to use as laboratory animals. Locoquine tartrate has been prepared as microscopic crystals. Locoquine exaltate and locoquine citrate as well as locoquine chloride have also been prepared. Locoquine is related to alkaloids and forms salts with acids.

The loco weed is widespread in the United States throughout the Rocky Mountain grazing region to the Mexican border. It extends into parts of Texas and is a hazard to livestock producers. The isolation and identification of this poisonous principle may be an important clue to devising practical means of control, but it will require analysis and further study of the nature and character of this particular poisonous substance.

In addition to the chemical studies, Dr. Mathews has been doing experimental work at the Alpine laboratory to determine the nature and extent of the injuries sustained when grazing animals consume this weed. Among his findings made by Dr. Mathews is the fact that the dry plant is as poisonous as the green plant and that the horse is more susceptible to the poisonous effects of the loco weed than

are cattle, sheep and goats. Abortions in cattle result from feeding on loco weed. For cattle about 90 per cent of the animal's body weight in the green loco plant is required to produce the first visible symptoms of locoism, but a much larger amount is required to produce death; while for horses only about 30 per cent of the body weight in green loco plants will produce death. Dr. Mathews also found that when concentrates are added to the ration loco plant is required to produce the first stage of locoism and he has found that the toxic principle of the plant is not excreted with the milk.

Texas Station Bulletin No. 456, by Dr. Mathews, reports his preliminary experiments and discusses the symptoms of the poisoning and describes the loco plant.

KLAHOMA FARMERS REFUSE TO PLOW WITH THE OXEN

Because Oklahoma farmers did not care to have any part in reviving the ancient custom of plowing with oxen, a relief project has been consigned, literally, to the hamburger grinder. Three months ago E. G. Jeffrey, managing director of the Oklahoma Rural Rehabilitation Corp., acquired 50 head of oxen and had them trained to the plow, with high hope of placing them with his farmer clients.

When the oxen had finished their short course in farming, they were offered to the clients. There were no takers. Relief officials went into a huddle and decided to offer the plow-oxen on credit. Still, no takers, and the feed bill was mounting.

Now, it has been decided, the oxen will be slaughtered and reffered as ground beef. The clients will take that.

Baileboro News

Buster and Alice Ragsdale, of Wink, left last Saturday after a 10 day's visit here with their parents, Mr and Mrs. Luther Ragsdale.

Mrs. Jim Coggins and daughter, Juanita and Cora Lee, shopped in Clovis, N. M., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Brandon, of Goodland, spent the week here.

Mrs. Jim Coggins and daughters, of Progress, visited relatives here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Woods and sons, Mrs. Bill Huckabee and Mrs. Tom Howard and son have returned from a week's visit in Vernon where they have been with their brother-in-law who had blood poison and passed away Monday.

Clint Faulkner and son, Bill, Tony Ivey and Maureen Pears, of Muleshoe, visited here Sunday.

The Woodman Circle meet here Thursday night. There were 12 members present, as follows:

Mrs. Roy Pugh, Bonnie Pearl Cash, Lee Bell, Lettie Fern Lafon, R. C. Anderson, Bertha Pool, Ruth Clements, Opal Wallace, Syle Moore, Eva Rodgers, Faye Rentrow, Ollie Angle.

The B B B's met Tuesday at the school house. A quilt was quilted for Mrs. W. B. Lee. Mrs. W. O. McCray gave a demonstration on how to make a tin can stool. The club adjourned to meet next Tuesday where they will quilt two quilts. The men will meet Friday at the school house to fence the yard. The ladies are invited to come and bring lunch.—Reporter.

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Several Pupils In Grade School Will Finish This Year Students from the following list have been in the seventh grade this year and those who pass will be the graduates. No definite report can be given until after final examinations: Jack Aldridge, W. H. Atwey, Burnice Benson, Lester Hammons, Raynes Hayes, Bobby Jones, Charles Long, Olin Long, Horace McAdams, Leon McCarty, Wotton Wynn, R. D. Ross, Roy Sharp, Jimmie Marie Adams, Holly Ann Bucy, Gladys Clark, Audrey Crab, Wanda Farrell, Marie Lambert, Phyllis Paine, Geraldine Skeeters, Odie Lee Sterling, Georgia Wilmon, Joe V. Goins, Argie Kemp, Ida Mary Kemp, Lola Kemp, Edna Mae Gross, Fay Matthews, Josephine Evans. Graduates from the grade school will have special reserved seats at the baccalaureate service and commencement exercises.

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A Wyoming Claim By CLARA DOUGLAS

"I WAS SUPER tired at the Allen ranch in Wyoming. The ranch foreman usually suppered with the family, and he entered the room through one door just as Mrs. Allen and her daughter, Judith, sat down at table. "My husband has had a telephone message from Red Spiller," said Mrs. Allen to the foreman, Rex Thomas, "and so he had an early supper and started off—perhaps you saw him?" "I did see him riding out of the gate," admitted Thomas, "just as I came in from the upper pasture." He waved his hand, "Has something come up at Red Spiller?" "Something to do with business—that is the worst of being a sheriff—sometimes I wish Jim would give up his appointment." "I saw Bob Blake, Miss Judith," said Thomas with a humorous twinkle in his eye. Judith flushed, and a warm look came into her level brown eyes.

"I suppose he was riding Snybler's herd," she said with assumed indifference. "Being something—I'll be hanged if I entirely understood the situation—he was going like lightning along the old Patch trail, but I was in a hurry and he didn't seem to see me, so I didn't holler. Looked as though he was trying to get somewhere in a big hurry." Judith said nothing, but she looked rather worried, and Mrs. Allen carried on a desultory conversation until the meal ended. Then, while Mrs. Allen washed her silver and the fine china, Chang, the Chinese cook, cleared off the table and Judith went out to the broad veranda and sat down with a book. But the girl's eyes were not on the printed page—they scanned the distant trail over which a ray black horse might come skimming—Bob Blake always came that way!

To Judith Allen, just at this time, most of the world consisted of her mother and her father, and Bob Blake's tall, active figure. Though they were not engaged, Judith's parents rather expected the tall cowpuncher to ask the fatal question any day, and Sheriff Allen had his answer all ready. "I like you, Bob—there isn't another boy I would rather give my girl to! But you're nothing except a line rider for Old Man Schmitz—and you've got to be more than that if you want our Judith!" That is what Sheriff Allen had planned to say when Bob Blake came to see him about Judith, but he had never told anything excepting his wife, and she, well-meaning soul if there ever was one, had confided in Judith.

So Judith Allen knew that much, anyway, and perhaps she was thinking that her father might have met Bob, and they had talked it out, as men are apt to do. She had not seen Bob for a week, but she had not mentioned it to the family. The casual remark of the foreman, Thomas, had roused her thoughts and made her uneasy. Later that evening Sheriff Allen came home, and with him came Bob Blake, of all people. "I arrested this fellow," grinned the sheriff, "for loitering on the trail coming to the Blue Bottle!" Both grinned sheepishly, and openly winked at Judith. "He told me," said Bob, "that I was breaking the traffic laws by speeding!" "Bob's made a voyage of discovery during the past week," said the sheriff, "and he is inviting the family (you, too, mother—I'll drive you in the backboard) to start with him at nine o'clock tomorrow morning. I guess we'll be back in time for supper!" Bob Blake remained that night at the Blue Bottle ranch and the next morning they started forth—Bob and Judith riding their horses, and the sheriff driving two ratty coats in the shafts of the backboard in which his wife was snugly placed.

The rode for many miles across the prairie, then up into the broken hills where they never met a soul, and then at last they rounded a wooded hillock, crossed a brawling stream, and Bob told them to stop. It was noon and the sun shone down through one broken space in the thick tree tops, and fell into the bed of the stream where it was overhung by thick mosses and long, tangled roots. "Please come here a moment, all of you," said Bob rather gravely. They stood and watched him expectantly. "Mr. and Mrs. Allen, of course you know that I love Judith," he said, flushing beneath his bronza, "and now I am going to ask you for your daughter. Of course, I am just hoping that Judith likes me well enough—" he hesitated and stared rapturously at the girl who had stepped forward and slipped her slim hand in his large brown one, clinging to it finally, "there, I guess that proves she does like me a whole lot," he went on choking a little, "and though you folks all think I am just a line rider, I am telling you I am a whole lot more than that! I am ambitious myself, and so, if you'll just glance down there where the sun is shining right through the water onto the prettiest bit of gold deposit—well, I've been taking it out for weeks—and believe me I am a happy man! I've got a claim here, and my bank account at Cheyenne is more than ten thousand dollars—yes, sir—and if you don't mind turning your heads just a moment, I want to kiss Judith here—and then, we'll have some lunch!"

Stegall News Miss Alma Stewart, the home demonstration agent, met with the Learning-Bit club at the home of the president Mrs. R. R. Klutts, Thursday, May 2. She demonstrated the making and laying of tile. Thursday night, the Farmer's association held a meeting at the school-house. Tommy Galt was selected as representative to be voted on for the Washington trip. The show Friday and the snow Saturday supplied a small amount of the much needed moisture. The cast of the play "Henry's Mail Order Wife" went to Goodland Friday night to put on their play, but on account of inclement weather, it was postponed till Thursday night, May 9.

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Quite a number from Goodland were at Stegall Sunday to play ball. Mrs. C. P. Lancaster and Mrs. Gene Maudlin and children of Goodland, visited with Mrs. T. F. Cotter in the afternoon. W. H. Knowlton, of Baileyboro, visited C. W. Williams, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Sullivan and son, of Morton, were last week visitors in the home of Mrs. Sullivan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Pollard. Rev. Bollinger, of Friendship, will hold services at the schoolhouse Saturday night, May 11. We had an interesting lesson at Saturday school Sunday afternoon with most of the regular members present.


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General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

A resolution providing for a joint session of the Texas Legislature to hear evidence on allegations by the state auditor of irregularities in the administration of the Agriculture Department, J. E. McDonald, commissioner of agriculture, was filed by representatives last Saturday. McDonald is said to have welcomed the investigation.


Shot Chinese Student



TALHEQUAH, Okla. . . Miss Lois Thompson, 19, (above), student at the N. O. Teachers College here, received "death threat" letters which so upset her that she spent revolver fire on the campus at a Chinese student, wounding him.

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"LOST JUNGLE," Serial

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
May 12, 13, 14
Gary Cooper, Franchot Tone and Richard Cromwell in—
"LIVES OF BENGAL LANCERS"

Wednesday and Thursday
May 15 and 16
Lee Tracy in—
"ADVISE TO LOVELORN"

Drouth Might Be Cause For The Exit Of Ancient People

A scientist who recently made a visit to New Mexico to study the ruins left in the Chaco Canyon, advances the theory that the South-west within historic times has constantly become drier and the Tewa Tribes, who attained high civilization in Northwest New Mexico, and who left that section without a trace of the direction in which they went, may have migrated because of drought. He says:

"The drought last summer emphasized the fact that the whole Southwest has within historic times greatly become drier and more desiccated; that any acute drought could bring the water level below that necessary to sustain life. Perhaps the exodus of these ancient Tewa people was gradual; and the water dried up on the high mesas where they cultivated their corn. But it is more likely that it was a sudden one caused by a great drought; a devastating heat wave which came from they knew not where and in spite of their supplications to the rain gods dried up the already slight moisture."

"Old records show that Captain Juan Jaramillo who came through that region in 1542 with Coronado, Spanish conquistador, described the land as beautiful, watered by many streams. Not even in all France, Spain or Italy had he seen a more verdant scene, said Captain Jaramillo. Today, it is semi-desert, with mesas and mountains covered with scrub cedar and pinioned under bright sunshine.

"The present day natives—Pueblos, Taos and Navajo Indians—complain that each year it grows drier and tell of great springs that existed when their forefathers were on earth. Many Pueblo ruins stand from twelve to eighteen miles from any water. Old Spanish ruins, where lived several hundred families now stand deserted in the dust of the mesa, far from any spring or river. In places where ancient Spanish records tell of several square miles in cultivation, there is at present not one drop of permanent water.

"Had it not been for the great drought of last summer it would be difficult to believe that one short season of drought could be sufficient to completely uproot a flourishing community. The Tewa peoples with only a rudimentary system of irrigation to sustain them were easy marks for such a drought.

"About every century and a quarter there is a great drought, according to the calculations of the United States weather bureau. It might well have been such a one as the middle West experienced last summer which drove the Tewa peoples from the grandeur of their great sanctuary in search of a land where they might grow their corn and pursue their skill at pottery out of the reach of the evil spirits that parch and shrivel all in their path."

Friday evening this week members of the Junior class of Mulleshoe High school are presenting their play, "Here Comes Charley," at the High school auditorium. This is a farce comedy in three acts.

The characters involved are Nora Malone, cook at the Elliott home, Jean Willman; officer Tim McGill; Nora's sweetheart, Kenneth Jennings; Mrs. Fanny Farnham, Larry's aunt by marriage, Malda Chandler; Larry Elliott, a young business man, Roy Elrod; Ted Hartley, his old time college pal, Junior Winn; Vivian Smythe, Kersy, Larry's fiancée, Crystal Kennedy, Uncle Aleck Twigg, in charge of Charley, Woodie Glascock; Charley Happ, Larry's ward, Sybil Hunter, Mrs. Smythe, Kersy, Vivian's mother, Lorraine Danner; Mortimer Smythe Kersy, Vivian's brother, Jim Alsap.

Mrs. Good Harden, the Junior class sponsor is in charge of the play.

A small admission fee is being charged and everybody has a special invitation to attend and enjoy this comedy.

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Progress News

"Progress Triple T" Club
The "Progress Triple T club" met April 30 in the home of Mrs. W. B. Harlin. Both president and secretary were present. After a short business session the meeting was turned to Miss Stewart, county demonstration agent.

Mrs. R. T. Jenkins was elected general demonstrator for the Progress, YL and Mulleshoe districts.

The thing demonstration was held there Wednesday, April 31.

Miss Stewart gave some very interesting thoughts about the Short course at College Station and on Achievement day.

After the business meeting, we were served with cocoa, cake and fruit salad. We met every first and third Tuesdays of each month. Miss Stewart meets with us every first Tuesday, so we invite everyone to come and be one of us. We are always glad to welcome new members or visitors.

Our next meeting will be held at the Progress school house at 2:30 p. m.

Those present were: Misses Vera Baker, Ruby Wilhite, Bessie Venson, Mesdames J. E. Shimpson, V. S. Stone, Von Johnson, Charlie Baker, J. J. Gross, Harold Mardis, Homer Mardis, J. J. Mason, Oscar Wilhite, W. B. Harlin, W. G. Kennedy and Vernon Venson. The visitors were: Mrs. Jess Pruitt and Mrs. Dave Stovall.—Reporter.

Trout fishing season opens in New Mexico, May 20.

Two trainloads, consisting of 56 cars of cattle were shipped from Lehman Whiteface, in Cochran county, last week to leased pastures in Menard county.

Tuesday evening the regular meeting of the Eastern Star organization was held at the Masonic hall.

New officers for another year were elected as follows: Mrs. Hattie Griffiths, worthy matron; Ray Griffiths, worthy patron; Mrs. Stella Eason, associate worthy matron; R. J. Klump, associate worthy patron; Miss Elizabeth Harden, secretary; Miss Lola Lipscomb, treasurer; Mrs. Faye Elrod, conductress; Mrs. Virginia Wyer, associate conductress, and other officers will be appointed by the worthy matron.

The chapter presented Mrs. Fannie Arnold with an electric waffle iron, and each member presented her with a miscellaneous gift. She has been secretary of the lodge for several years and is moving to Colorado City.

Delicious refreshments of punch and cookies were served in the new dishes recently purchased by the chapter.

Those attending were: Mesdames Lena Cook, Lora Coker, Rosa Stidham, Mary Adams, Fannie Klump, Zula Carlisle, Faye Elrod, Nina Elrod, Dora Eason, E. Booth, Joel Lee, Fred McCarty, Ruth McCarty, Stella Eason, Elizabeth Gardner, Hattie Griffiths, Truma Griffiths, Grace Osborn, Naomi St. Clair, Mary Hart, Fannie Arnold, L. P. Gibbs, A. P. Stone, Ina Bobo, Bonnie Isaacs, Emma D. Copley, Virginia Wyer, Mary Deshazo, Ruth Black, Miss Ruth Mitchell, Elizabeth Harden, L. Lipscomb and Messrs R. J. Klump and Ray Griffiths.

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Longview Farm Ass'n Meet

The Longview Farm association held its regular meeting at the school house in that community Thursday last week, electing W. M. Pool Jr., as its representative to the county wide meeting held in Mulleshoe last Saturday and who in turn was elected by county delegates to represent this county in Washington, D. C. in behalf of continuing the cotton processing tax and the AAA program.

Tom Watson and C. M. Black were appointed as committee to arrange a program for the next meeting which will be held May 27, beginning at eight o'clock p. m., everyone being cordially invited to attend.

There were 22 farmers present at this meeting. C. M. Hunt is chairman and B. H. Black secretary.

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