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INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE MEET OF BAILEY COUNTY WILL BE HELD HERE FRIDAY, SATURDAY THIS WK.

Schools From All Over The County To Participate in Literary and Athletic Events Looking To District Meet.

The Bailey County Interscholastic League meet, both literary and athletic events will be held at Muleshoe Friday and Saturday of this week...

Preliminary try-outs for tennis will be held here and at Bula between High School contesting teams...

County Superintendent Judge J. P. Adams will deliver the welcome address next Friday morning at the beginning of the county meet...

Events scheduled for Friday morning are grade spelling contests, debate, extemporaneous speaking, picture memory, arithmetic, senior boys declamation, and essay writing.

In the afternoon there will be junior boys and girls declamations, senior boys and girls declamation and singing.

Matthews For Judge And Ex-School Supt.

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Speaking Dates Of Candidates Given For Bailey County

Bailey county candidates for public office met at the court house in Muleshoe last Tuesday night and formulated a speaking schedule which will be adhered to very closely in the coming Democratic primaries.

The list of speaking dates is agreed upon so that candidates living in various sections of the county may have a list of such to keep in mind and due arrangements made in advance to participate also...

Heretofore, there has been more or less conflict for speaking where communities established certain dates, rather than the candidates doing so...

Prof. W. C. Cox, Muleshoe, is director general of the feet, other officials being as follows: Miss Addie Belle Fort, Muleshoe; I. B. Sexton, Wilson...

Committees To Care For Erosion Needs In County Is Named

At a meeting held at the court house here last week the Executive Council of the Bailey County Farm association named committees to handle the forthcoming soil program for this county.

W. G. Kennedy, J. H. Damron and Henry Hanover were named to constitute the county-wide committee. Other committees were as follows: Precinct 1—U. J. King, E. D. Chitwood, Wm. S. F. Mathieson...

\$15 In Trade Awards Given Saturday By Muleshoe Concerns

The crowd coming to Muleshoe last Saturday in interest of the Trade Expansion program was considerably reduced because of inclemency of the weather, yet business men report good patronage and much interest shown in the awards offered.

W. B. North, Maple, received \$10; Howard Barnum, Progress, \$3; and Mr. A. W. Colthrop, Route 1, Muleshoe, \$2.

HAVE TRAINING COURSE HERE

Rev. Brown, Methodist pastor of Buda, began a four days Sunday school training course at the Methodist church in Muleshoe, Sunday. This course embraces the entire educational set-up of this denomination...

ATTEND BAR BANQUET

Cecil H. Tate, Bailey county attorney, accompanied by Mrs. Tate attended a banquet and meeting of the Plainview & Lubbock Bar association held at Lubbock last Saturday night...

METEOR FALLS IN OCEAN

A flaming meteor 50 near the earth that it rattled windows and woke many persons from slumber, shot across the sky over Central New Jersey last Saturday morning and then vanished apparently in the Atlantic ocean.

CONGRESSMAN GEO. MAHON SCORES PATHE NEWS AND OTHER AGENTS FOR CALLING HIS DISTRICT DUST BOWL

Washington, March 14—Critics of West Texas, who refer to it as the "dust bowl" and shout that farms, cattle and men can not live there have just been roundly scored by Representative George Mahon of Colorado in a speech on the House floor.

Mahon's address was particularly bitter against the Pathe News, a moving picture service, with the Texas dealer declaring that he wanted to present some pertinent facts that utterly refute the grossly unfair presentation.

"In the first place, most every one of my counties in this so-called dust bowl broke the record this year in the number of poll taxes paid. I assure you that those people intend to stay in West Texas until the election many years thereafter...

"My district that is in this so-called 'dust bowl' section is not devoted chiefly to cotton raising. We produce cotton with a greater economy of effort than any part of the world. If we could get a fair price for it, we would abound in wealth."

P-T. A. PROGRAM MONDAY

The regular meeting of the Parents-Teachers association will be held Monday evening, March 23, at the High school auditorium in Muleshoe. The program is as follows: The influence of music on children. Special, community choir. Special, arranged by Miss Madeline Ely, public school music teacher.

CENTENNIAL STAMPS HERE

Postmaster A. G. Snyder last week received the first consignment of Centennial postage stamps in three cent denominations issued by the government in commemoration of the Texas Centennial exposition to be held at Dallas this year.

O. E. S. GO TO LITTLEFIELD

Friday evening of last week, members of the Muleshoe Eastern Star organization were invited guests at a Star meeting held in Littlefield at the Masonic hall.

MAN HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

Raleigh Daugherty, 24, and Clark Billingsley, 23, arrested near Lariat last week by Jim Cook, Bailey county sheriff, are being held over to District court at Clovis, N. M., in connection with the killing of J. A. Gibson in a Clovis rooming house.

WOULD REINSTATE HAGOOD

Thursday of last week a resolution was introduced in the House of Congress asking President Roosevelt to reinstate Major General Johnson Hagood, who had previously been relieved of his command of the eighth corps at San Antonio because he had referred to WPA money as stage money and otherwise criticized the federal government.

SETTLERS LEAVE MEXICO

A Mormon colony established at Colonia Juarez, Mexico, 30 years ago by immigrants from Utah will soon be moving back to that state because of persecutions in Mexico. A few weeks ago a Mennonite colony of 7,000 people announced it would soon leave that country and establish homes in Canada.

HANGING INVITATIONS GIVEN

Invitations are this week being issued to witnesses for the execution of Bruno Hauptmann, convicted of the Lindbergh child murder, and which will probably take place the evening of March 31, Governor Hoffman declared.

WPA Workers In State To Be Reduced 19,000

That there is a general reduction of persons now employed on WPA projects of more than 19,000 people is the information received here this week by Clyde Holland, WPA superintendent for Bailey county, the exact number being set at 101,850 by H. P. Drought, state WPA administrator at San Antonio.

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While no detailed information has yet been given out, officials have dropped guarded hints that payment for diversion of cotton lands may be at the rate of five cents a pound for the cotton which would have been produced.

It is also stated that as soon as plans have been completed the new AAA is expected to be quickly in the cotton, wheat and corn regions. Farmers will probably be asked to organize state, county and community control committees when this full announcement of plans has been made.

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GOVERNMENT BEGINS TAKING OVER LAND FOR IRRIGATION

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BIG OIL LEASE RECORDED

One of the largest oil leases yet recorded in Cochran county, neighbor to Bailey on the south, was recorded last week at Morton its county seat by representatives of the Gulf Oil Co., comprising 6,000 acres, located nine miles south and five miles west of Lehman, consideration totaling \$24,000 or about \$4 per acre.

PLAINVIEW SHOW APRIL 13-14

April 13 and 14 are the dates set for the Fat Stock show to be held at Plainview, with the 17th as sale day when baby calves of 4-12 club by exhibitors will be put on the auction block. Many boys from counties adjoining that of Hale are expected to be in the showings.

PORTALES TO HAVE A NEW BAPTIST CHURCH SOON

Workmen last week began dismantling the First Baptist church, Portales, N. M., and a new and larger one will be reared in its stead on the same site. The pastor, Rev. F. Orizle, well known in the past.

CROP PAYMENTS IN BAILEY CO'TY NOW RESUMED

Government crop payments, which were stopped following invalidation of the AAA by the U. S. Supreme court as being unconstitutional, began arriving in Bailey county last week, checks on cotton rental totaling about \$300 being received, and it is anticipated that checks will now be arriving in larger quantities within the coming few days.

Just how much is owed the farmers of this county by the federal government for AAA participation is not known, but for amount of all funds to be received in this county from the various administrations is \$255,183.00.

It is stated practically all of the \$14,358 due for rental cotton was paid, only 49 contracts remaining for fulfillment. The cotton surplus pool of this county totaled \$3,162.25. Wheat allotment for Bailey county is \$7,848.02, and is about a year and a half behind in payments. The hog-corn allotment for this county totals \$13,885.34, of which one-half is yet to be paid.

M. G. Miller Is A Candidate For Co. Judge Of Bailey Co.

In this issue of the Journal, M. G. Miller, of Enochs, formerly of Muleshoe, and for several years a citizen of Bailey county, makes announcement of his candidacy for the office of County Judge, his statement to the voters being as follows:

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SOMETHING NEW

Heretofore the prospective purchaser of a used automobile or truck walked around the car...

With Ford Dealers used cars this is all changed. Starting at once all used cars are classified in three groups...

All chance is eliminated—you must be satisfied or your money will be refunded.



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THE STATE OF TEXAS To the Sheriff or any Constable of Bailey County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON W. H. Kneif and M. E. Geiser, each of whom are alleged to be non-residents of the State of Texas...

The nature of the plaintiff's demand, as set out in said petition, being an action to recover of the defendant the sum of Ninety Seven and 46-100 Dollars...

EDITOR SPEAKS HIS MIND

The editor of the Chronicle has been informed that the Townsmites of this congressional district are planning to get out a candidate against our present Congressman...

Kosher Meat

The United States Meat Inspection Service says that there are two quarters of beef not used for kosher meat.

Heretofore the prospective purchaser of a used automobile or truck walked around the car...

Joe B. Webb's Circus WILD ANIMAL MENAGERIE and WILD WEST

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BAILEY CO. HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

By MISS ALMA STEWART Home Demonstration Agent Bailey County

Keep Carrots All Winter "I have found that if you will bury carrots in dirt and keep the dirt dampened you can keep carrots all winter..."

Can Serve More Varieties of Vegetables "I have found it much less work and cheaper to leave my carrots in the garden all winter..."

The FAMILY DOCTOR

By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M. D. YOUR HOME-TOWN PHYSICIAN Pardon my reminding you of your best friend, Yes, I am writing, about your health...

Your physician should be a well-read general practitioner. If that, he is far better posted on the management of your varied complaints than the surgeon or the specialist...

Your family physician is indeed an indispensable one in the community. He looks after sanitation and other community measures calculated to prevent disease...

MAPLE H. D. CLUB MEET

The Maple Home Demonstration club met, March 13, with Mrs. M. W. Holloway with 13 members and one visitor present...

MISS COPELEY IS HONORED

Friday evening of last week Miss Margaret Copley was pleasantly surprised with a farewell sand hill party...

Winter Manuring Pays

Top-dressing the wheat crop with manure in mid-winter has increased the crop by six bushels to the acre...

Buckwheat for Cows

Buckwheat can be used in feeding dairy cows up to 25 per cent of the grain ration...

Farm Inventory Is Guide to Business

All Equipment and Livestock Should Be Listed for Tax Purposes.

A complete inventory of your property will prove a valuable aid in assessing this question...

Do you know how much feed of various kinds it takes to carry each class of live stock through the winter?

Rev. Lindley, from Littlefield, held services at the Baptist church last Sunday. He will preach again next Sunday.

Circleback News

Mrs. W. H. Walker has returned from Brownfield. She is feeling very well for the condition she was in when she left here several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Garner went to Chillicothe last week, accompanied by Grandma Garner. Grandma will visit her daughter, Mrs. Jim Armstrong, for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Elmore visited relatives in Ralls and South Plains for several days lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Cagle visited relatives and friends at Moody recently. They were gone two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Elmore Back in the R. E. Fieldin were 34 relatives and friends. The H. D. club is still conducting patterns.

Circleback has a B laundry located near C store.—Reporter.

Forward-looking we to like friend husband would like to have.

Cold Frame Is Advised For Early Vegetables

The construction of a cold frame will be a big help in the growing of early vegetables...

Seeds Stimulated by Rays

Seeds that refuse to sprout when sown in the ground may be stimulated by soaking and then exposing them to the proper colored light...

Kicking in Harness

To prevent this dangerous habit take two straps 1 1/2 inches wide with a buckle around the hind legs...



Miss Betty Webb and "Big Vera" with Joe B. Webb circus

Herds of Elephants, With "Big Vera," World's Largest Performing Elephant. "KING KONN" Largest Man Ape. Mammoth Free Menagerie. STAR CIRCUS PERFORMERS From All Nations.

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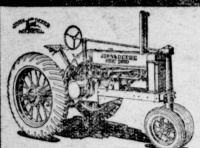
TEXAS! PLAN TO TRAVEL TEXAS DURING CENTENNIAL YEAR

All Texans are traveling their own state, seeing and knowing their own state—the real Texas! Residents of the Rio Grande Valley are finding that the Panhandle and Peace counties of North and West Texas offer scenic attractions unsurpassed anywhere in the United States...



**UNION LEAGUE MEET SUNDAY**

The Senior Epworth league members of this union met in Littlefield Sunday at the Methodist church. A very interesting program was rendered and Littlefield's league kept the banner, their score being highest. Delicious refreshments were served to the entire group.



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& TUBES  
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Texas

The next union meeting will be held in Muleshoe in about six weeks, the exact date to be decided upon later. The local Epworth league will be responsible for the program.

Among those who attended the meeting were Wanda Twain and Alvin Farrell, accompanied by Miss Pauline Matthews.

**CARD OF THANKS**

The hour has come into our lives when very impulsive of our hearts is buried under its weight of sorrow—and we wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends, generous and unwavering, during the illness and death of our husband and father. Your goodness and unmeasured kindness made him happier and his suffering easier to bear.

The beautiful flowers and many tokens of love are appreciated more than we have words to express.

We further express our gratitude and appreciation to Rev. R. S. Watkins, for the comforting and consoling message given us in the funeral services, and to Rev. W. B. Hicks, of Floydada, for his kindly assistance, and to the choir for its beautiful hymns.

The waves of sorrow break upon every shore and we can but hope that friend, as good and true may gather around each of you, should sorrow invade your home.

We love each of you and may God bless you.

Mrs. J. F. Wallace  
Wayne Wallace  
Mr. and Mrs. Mills Barfield and children  
Mrs. Fay Elrod and Carl. 1tc

**HOLLIE HOUGH DIED TUESDAY**

Louis Hollie Hough, nearly 21 years of age, son of Rev. and Mrs. M. W. Hough, residing about five miles east of Muleshoe, died early last Tuesday morning of pneumonia, having taken sick only last Friday.

Funeral services were held here Thursday morning and interment made in the Muleshoe cemetery. Deceased is survived by his father, mother, three brothers and one sister.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To the Sheriff of Any Constable of Bailey County, Greeting:

**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON R. A. Pilon,** whose place of residence is unknown, and all the unknown heirs of W. B. Arnold, deceased, their unknown heirs and legitimate assigns and unknown owners and each and all persons owning and claiming an interest in and to the hereinafter described lands, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County to your County where a newspaper is published; to be and appear before the Honorable Fifth District Court of Bailey County, Texas, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in Muleshoe, Texas, on First Monday in May, 1936, the same being the 4th day of May, 1936, then and there to answer the Plaintiff's Petition, filed in said Court, on the 5th day of December, 1936, wherein the State of Texas is plaintiff, and W. B. Arnold et al are defendants, the number of said suit being No. 833.

The nature of the plaintiff's demand, as set out in said petition, being an action to recover of the defendants the sum of Nine Hundred Forty Two and 77/100 Dollars as delinquent taxes due plaintiff for the years 1921, 1922, 1923, 1925, 1926, 1928, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933 and 1934 including interest, penalties and costs, that have accrued thereon, said taxes, interest, penalties and costs being due upon the following described property, situated in the County of Bailey and State of Texas, and within the metes and bounds and territorial limits of said Bailey County, Texas:

All of Section 52, Block "B," Melvin Blum and Blum Survey in Bailey County, Texas, containing 640 acres of land.

And plaintiff further prays for the foreclosure of her liens against said property, to satisfy said taxes, interest, penalties and costs, for an order of sale, writ of possession, all costs of suit and for general and special relief, all of which will more fully appear in plaintiff's original petition now on file in this office.

Herein Fail Not, and have you then and there before said Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Muleshoe, Texas, in the County of Bailey, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1936.

J. S. Burkhead, Clerk, District Court, Bailey County, Texas.

By Elizabeth Harden, Deputy.  
March 19, 25, April 2, 9, 1936.

**So They Tried Parchment**

Parchment for writing material came into use when an Egyptian pharaoh said that no more papyrus could be sent to Pergamum. In Astla Minor.

**RESETTLEMENT OFFICIALS URGE ALL FARM HOMES SHOULD BE MADE SELF SUSTAINING AS POSSIBLE IN 1936**

Should the farm home be made as near self-sustaining as possible? That question is answered strongly in the affirmative by Mrs. Esther B. Cail, regional home economist of the Resettlement Administration, who is in charge of women's activities.

"Economic security for rehabilitation families is the immediate goal of Resettlement," said Mrs. Cail. "This is within reach of the thrifty farm family that will plan their domestic affairs and budget their expenses. Thrift, enterprise and resourcefulness are made to pay dividends in these homes, through co-operation of the family with our field workers in seeing that their farm and home management plans are carried out."

"Our first aim in setting up these plans is to enable the family to get on a better economic basis. After that we find that their pride returns and with the return of pride there is always a rekindling of interest in the home. Adversity has laid a heavy hand on these families. Many have had the spirit crushed out of them, but they are quick to respond to guidance, once they have been assured plenty of wholesome food to eat and proper shelter and made to see that there are still opportunities for them. If they will only try."

"Already thousands of such families are well along the road to independence and good citizenship. Resettlement home management specialists have taught them how to do many things not only to make their dollars farther, but to bring that spirit of 'hominess' into the home that is so

essential to continuing security," Mrs. Cail said.

Mrs. Cail, formerly in charge of Resettlement activities in New Mexico, reports rapid progress in her program in the new region. She said that rehabilitation housewives are learning how to make the family budget go farther and that many were making the things that they were forced to go without heretofore or had to buy.

Home Management plans are drawn up to conform to farm management plans, which are made out in cooperation with the farmer who is advanced funds with which to re-establish himself on a farm. Several hundred rehabilitation loans have been made through the regional office here during the past two or three weeks. Resettlement officials here said.

**Goodland News**

We had 13 new members in Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hanover attended to business in Lubbock, Monday.

E. Brumblow was in Muleshoe Saturday.

Mr. Rudd got \$20 out of the box supper Friday night that was given to pay for the singing school.

There were not many out for singing Sunday night.

We had another new pupil in school this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hill and son Eddie of Bula and Mrs. Parker, of Plainview, were Sunday visitors in the Brinker

home. Mrs. Hill is Mr. Brinker's aunt. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Martin moved to Enoch's this week.

Roy Tarleton went to Muleshoe Saturday.

**H. D. Club News**

The Sunshine club met with Mrs. Hanover Tuesday with 15 present, and cut patterns. Miss Stuart was with us the afternoon and okeyed some of the patterns. She also gave us some good points on our patterns; how to use them and the best kinds of material for different dresses. She discussed the 'Lubbock Meat Show.'

Each woman brought a covered dish and a nice lunch was enjoyed by everyone.

Me-dames Hanover and Brumblow demonstrated serving rolled roast. Mrs. Kirk and Mrs. Vandever demonstrated cream potato gravy. Mrs. Panders demonstrated apple sauce.

Those present were Me-dames Ponders, Gaddy, Kirk Brumblow, Everett, Sanderson, Fogsom, Orval Beatty Vandever and Miss Irene Tarleton. New members attending were Mrs. Jim Gentry, Mrs. Horace O'Neal, Mrs. McKenzie and the hostess, Mrs. Hanover and Miss Rosemary Hanover—Be porter.

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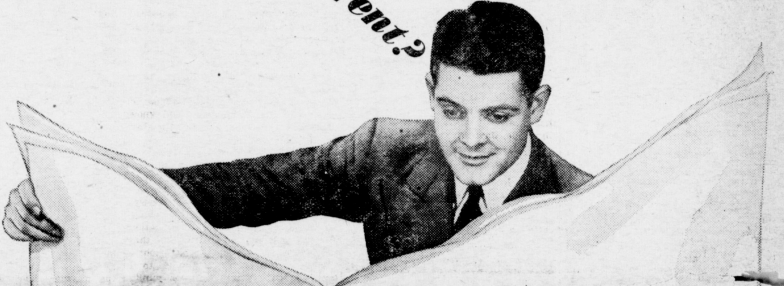
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ITHACA, N. Y. . . . "Gloomy" Gil Dobbs (above) football coach at Cornell University since 1920, has resigned. . . . "in the interest of harmony," said Gil. . . . Criticism by the alumni on the poor showing of recent-year grid teams, is rumored the cause.

# CENTRAL EDITION LATE PAGE

## THE MULESHOE JOURNAL

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Advertising that does not show in its text or typography that it is paid for must be marked as an advertisement. All local advertisements remain in this paper for the time specified or until notice to the contrary is received by whom nor for what purpose, if the object is to raise money by admission fee or otherwise, is an advertisement and when sent in for publication must be paid for at the regular advertising rate per line for each issue printed.  
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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Muleshoe Journal will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

In case of errors or omissions in local or other advertisements, the publisher does not hold himself liable for damage further than the amount received by him for such advertisement.

## Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if It Fails

### A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Now therefore let it please Thee to bless the house of Thy servant, that it may not be forsaken. These few words for Thee, O Lord, and it shall be blessed for ever.—1 Chronicles 17:27.  
True blessedness consisteth in a good life and a happy death.—Solon.

### CO-OPERATION

Somewhere we read one town of four brothers who lived in a town about the size of Muleshoe. One was a grocer, another a hardware merchant, another a hardware dealer and still another a farmer.  
Talking matters over one day they said: "Let's stick together always, buying from each other at every opportunity, and never spending our money out of town with other people unless we cannot actually avoid it."  
They all agreed to the proposition, and as the years went by they stuck to the mutual resolution. The result was that within one of the brothers made more money all of them felt some of it pass through their hands and got their profit's benefit from it. Eventually the four brothers got rich, and because they stuck to their resolution, they stayed rich.

Luckily, the four brothers' children and their wives didn't get the idea that they had to shop out of town for everything they got. They never had the idea they just had to trade in a larger place or that they could get something better than at home. They, too, cheerfully accepted the principle of sticking together.

Muleshoe has a number of business men who are brothers as far as their business goes. If they will remember the story of the four brothers, and teach it to their children and to their wives, the money that comes into Muleshoe will stay here, to make all of us prosperous. We will all have a chance to pass it around and make it work for Muleshoe.

### "SOMETHING FOR NOTHING"

Not every canvasser who rings your doorbell is dishonest, and not every proposition they put up to Muleshoe housewives is a racket, but the country is full of dishonest ones, and every day sees a new racket springing up.  
If a canvasser introduces his talk by offering to "make you a present" of something, watch out. If he offers you something you can buy here at home, then forget the price and remember it will prove cheaper in the long run if you do buy it here. None of them are going to give you something for nothing, every one of them expects to make a profit, or they wouldn't be ringing your doorbell and taking up your time.

There are reputable subscription agencies selling magazines at cut rates and patronize them. Don't fall for the smooth talk of any canvasser who offers you something for nothing or you'll invariably come out the little end of the horn.

### A SEED WARNING

With planting time again at hand, state agricultural departments are sounding an alarm that should be heeded by everyone around Muleshoe who expects to grow anything this year. "Watch out for 'weed seeds' that is the warning, made necessary as a result of a wet

fall much of the seed harvested then are inferior and unfit for this season's planting.  
Those most successful in farming and gardening are the ones who make it a rule to plant only tested seed, of the highest standard. This year, it is reported, high standard, fully tested seed will cost a little more than usual. But those who know what they are talking about advise paying a little more, if necessary, for it will prove more profitable in the long run. Planting inferior seed simply because they are a little lower in price will prove an unhappy experience. Not only is money lost through curtailed production, but all the work necessary to planting, cultivating and harvesting is lost along with it.  
It may take considerable time to make a thorough test of seed before putting them in the ground, or it may cost a little more if you buy them already tested and guaranteed. But it will be money in your pocket when harvest time rolls around, and you will also have the satisfaction of knowing that your time and labor was not wasted.

### AUTOS OF THE FUTURE

In three or four years automobiles will be used in passenger cars. Radio ornaments will disappear—and that's a break, because they disappear so often now, and in all his predicted changes there is hope of the most needed improvement that cannot possibly be made—better and safer headlights.

### Jaunty Journalists

Maybe you've already noticed that most Muleshoe men either give according to their means or their meanness.  
The Muleshoe boy who used to be caught with his finger in the jam now gets caught with his coupe in it.  
No Muleshoe man likes to have a woman buy his neckties. He can pick funnier ones himself.

Just what does it profit a Muleshoe man to be a go-getter if he has a wife who is a go-spender?  
Twenty years from now there will be some Muleshoe citizens referring to these as the good old days.

Some Muleshoe men's earning capacity doesn't begin to keep up with their wife's yearning capacity.  
A Muleshoe spinster may be a stenographer, but not necessarily must all stenographers become spinsters.  
The best way to read any Muleshoe man's character is to find out what makes him glad what makes him sad and what makes him mad.

Every now and then one finds a Muleshoe man who has lived long enough to learn there are some things he'd like to forget.  
Some people should Muleshoe may be led into temptation, but there are

## Poem Uncle John

There once was a time when we rode on heels when we figured our speed—'t was changed on for wheels. You recall old Achilles, that "ancient of speed" whose race-track record was wide to road—he'd master a greyhound, an set him a pace, or leave a jack-rabbit behind. In the race! He scooted at the roller—'n' scooted at the cart, while jumpin' the fence was considered an art.

The primitive cart that carried a load, was safe on a floor, but she stalled on the road. "I wish that Achilles could see us today as we search up the road in our ballbearing way! I reckon he'd sprin' in a lather of sweat—but a hundred-yard dash is as fur as he'd get!"  
The little old wheel has expanded 'n' grooved till she's up with the gas—at the end of the road. Her tires is redoubt—'n' her bearin's is slick,—there's nothin' on earth that can get there so quick! I reckon a fool would depend on his horse—the crook that escapes knows the value of a wheel.



a lot of others that can always find their own way.

Some Muleshoe men not only have to admit they were wrong, but also declare friend wife was right before they can get the argument stopped.

When a Muleshoe man finds himself without a handkerchief except the hemstitched and embroidered one he got last Christmas, he's just about out of handkerchiefs.

Some Muleshoe folks have found out their sorrow that the chief objection to getting something for nothing is that it takes so much more work than working for it.

It is said Muleshoe women worry about the future until they get a husband; but a Muleshoe man never worries about the future until he gets a wife.

Political broadcasts have already begun, and practically every radio owner in Muleshoe has noticed it is invariably the small fish who talk like whales.

Among the many accomplishments of Muleshoe citizens, it is reported there is a man here who has a leg made of hickory and a woman with a cedar chest.

### SNAP SHOTS

A dead town is one where nothing ever happens to improve it except a funeral.

Another thing wrong with the world is that it has bought entirely too much on the installment plan.

When everybody says "what a wonderful wife she would make," you can't put it down nine times out of ten she'll never get married.

A radio speaker recently said Ab Lincoln was not as tall as many think—but he was far bigger in other ways than some folks can imagine.

When any race begins to talk about its great destiny, it's time for the others to look the meat house, call the dog and load the shotgun.

This being campaign year it can be depended on there will be plenty of maxillary caelesthenics, while the chin music will go round and round—coming out almost everywhere.

### Pavement Pickups

Curtis Taylor says next to the job he now has, he would prefer to be the elevator man in a one story building without any basement.

Some one asked Aldridge if he was the oldest in his family. "Sure not," he replied. "Papa and mama are both older than me."

A Muleshoe boy and his sweetie were arguing the other day, according to a story told on the streets. Finally he said: "Let's call it quits." "Oh," she replied, that is a cute little name; but we're not even married yet."

What we call Posing the buck was the statement of a Muleshoe woman who told her grocer she didn't want any more flour like the last sack she bought in here because it was so tough her husband couldn't eat the biscuits she made from it.

Some one told Mr. R. Wright the other day that a woman had at least one chance to become president of the United States. Wright not thinking much of his chance, remarked he would sell it for a quarter. "Anyway," he said, "I'd rather be Wright than president."

"Two women were talking, as women will, in the court house the other day. "I can think of nothing more pitiful or sadder than a man, without a country," remarked the lady in the clerk's

office. "I can," retorted the lady in the sheriff's office—"a country without a man."

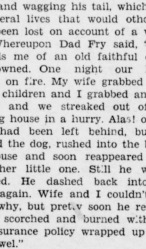
A very charming young woman came into the Journal office the other day bringing a piece of poetry, her own composition, she wished to have published. We refused to accept it, and she was somewhat peeved. "You just can't appreciate good poetry," she told us. "You never heard wrote a poem in your life," she continued. We admitted we never had, but we insisted we were better judges of omelets than any hen in Bailey County. So that's that.

The two clerks in Damron's drug store the other day were discussing very important matters, among 'em the "kiss" being dissected, analyzed and classified. Paul Lawrence declared the kiss was a pronoun because "she" stands for it. It is masculine, feminine and neuter gender, he insisted, because it is common. It is a conjunctive because it connects. It is an interjection, at least, it invariably sounds like one. It is singular because there is nothing else quite like it. It can be conjugated, but never declined. It is a proposition because it governs the objective "case." However, it is also an adjective, because it cannot be compared, yet it is a phrase that expresses feeling. Paul evidently is some ordinary expert!

Every once in a while "Dad" Fry and "Uncle" Johnny Broyles, both old-timers, get to talking over the days gone by, and some interesting stories are heard by the hangers-on, the latest of which is this: According to report, last week, these two young squirts got to talking and Uncle Johnny remarked he one time had a dog that flagged a train by standing on the railroad track and wagging his tail, which saved several lives that would otherwise have been lost on account of a wash-out. Whereupon Dad Fry said, "That reminds me of an old faithful dog I once owned. One night our home caught on fire. My wife grabbed some of the children and I grabbed another armful and we streaked out of the burning house in a hurry. Alas! one of them had been left behind, but up jumped the dog, rushed into the burning house and soon reappeared with the other little one. Still he wasn't satisfied. He dashed back into the house again. Wife and I couldn't imagine why, but pretty soon he returned, all scorched and burned with the fire insurance policy wrapped up in a wet towel."

Termites Cause Great Loss  
It has been estimated that termites cost American home owners more than \$45,000,000 a year.

Pershing Niece, Queen



CHEYENNE, Wyo. . . . Just now, Mary Helen Warren (above), 18, is one school at Stanford University in California. Next July she'll be wearing her 10-gallon hat as "Miss Frontier," Queen of Cheyenne's Frontier Day's celebration. Her father owns a large ranch here. She is a niece of General John J. Pershing.

## Etiquette

What & When to do it

By A. Leda  
Any question on etiquette will be gladly answered in this column if addressed to A. Leda, care of this newspaper.

DEAR ALBA—When a man is with two ladies on the street where should he walk?  
D. L. R.

On the side nearest to the curb.

DEAR ALBA—An acquaintance of mine is going to a city shortly where he knows no one. I would like to have him meet a man who lives there and could show him about. Will you please make a copy of a letter of introduction for this instance? Thanking you,  
C. B. Mutas.

I would suggest a letter something like this:

DEAR RICHARD—This letter will be presented to you by my friend Henry Halester. I have seen a great deal of him and know what a fine fellow he is, and I want you to know him, too. Henry hopes to do a little business but more right seeing in your great city and may not, I know, go unappreciated. Sincerely yours,  
CHARLES BAKER.

## HELPFUL HEALTH TIPS

Bleeding—It is a very dangerous thing when an artery has been cut as the patient loses blood so quickly. However, if it is a vein it will run down from the wound. One can almost always differentiate. When an artery is cut, the blood spurts out in little jets. When a vein is cut, the blood oozes out. This helps check the flow of blood. If it is a vein, the blood oozes out from the heart.

Oranges and Lemons—Roll an orange or lemon before using and you will find that twice as much juice may be had.

Broiling Meat—Grease the bars of your broiler for broiling meat and the meat will not stick.

String Beans—String beans will take about half as long to cook and look a great deal nicer, if, in ad of chopping them, they are cut lengthwise.

Pleas'd Was Old Province  
Pleas'd was an old province in northern France on the English Channel, which was divided among the departments of Aisne, Somme, Oise, Pas-de-Calais and Yonne.

Gabble, Gabble  
"Lend arguments," said Uncle Eben, "is generally carried on by two people tryin' to explain somethin' they don't either of 'em understand."

## NEWEST FOR SPRING

St. Clair's Variety store is loan goods with a fine array of br Spring Merchandise appealing member of the family. It's Spring time now—come in and let us sell cheaply and satisfactorily.

- FILLING, Dame Fashion's mandate for Spring trimmiment of coats, patterns and widths, per yard
- DRESSES, New line of Spring Wash Dresses in Print from
- CHILDREN'S Dresses, brand new line, sizes 1 to 14, reasonable, from
- SPRING HATS, for Women and Misses, new assortment choose
- ANKLETS, complete assortment of sizes, styles and Women and Children, from
- Just received a new assortment of Spring Sheer Go
- BABY CHICK TIME  
Take care of these baby chick will take care of your CHICK WATERERS of varie and CHICK FEEDERS, 30-hole,
- MEN'S SUITS, khaki, consisting of shirt and pants, checked, per suit
- WHITE SHOES, for the entire family, all the latest women's with desired buckles, and going at very p TENNIS SHOES, for Boys and Girls, from
- SLACKS, for Girls, all sizes and colors, the pair
- WHITE PANTS for Boys, all sizes, pre-shrunk, per pair
- Baseballs and Bats in stock, and baseball bats for boys.

## St. Clair Variety

Muleshoe,

**Wilson News Items**

Rev. Pat Jordan preached at the Baptist church Sunday. There was a larger number out for Sunday school Sunday than have been coming during the past.

The Farmers association will meet at the school house Thursday night to plan a Centennial program. The ladies plan to be present and serve refreshments after the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Daricek spent the weekend visiting relatives and friends at Weatherford.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tyson are sporting a new Chevrolet.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kirkpatrick are building a new home. It will be of stucco and have all modern conveniences.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson and Raymond Fleming visited Garvin Long at the Paul Bros. ranch near Circleback, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgie Bigner are the proud parents of a new boy born at a Littlefield hospital, Feb. 29.—Reporter

Too many compliments and gifts are often traded.

**Stegall News**

Roy Lee Johnson visited in this community this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Fowler went to Muleshoe, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsay, Mrs. Irene Howle, and E. A. Fowler went to Sudan and Muleshoe, Friday.

Mrs. Jessie Busby of Sudan, is visiting her daughter and family in this community.

Mrs. Geneva Lancaster from Shallowater visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lancaster and family last week-end.

Singing was well attended here Sunday night. There were more present than ever before.

Among those who attended here from other places were Rev. and Mrs. Hollis from Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bass, Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Quisenberry, Circleback, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bass and Mr. Baker from Pumpkin Center.—Reporter.

There is one thing on which you can always rely, and that is, if a telephone pole hits an automobile it is always in self-defense.

**ARE WE**



**IN THE RED?**

SOME say yes, some say no—economically speaking. Fashion promoters unanimously agree it's a season of reds. Walk down the avenue and see how many red coats you can count.

Why not make your table fashionably red, and incidentally brighten up the red checks in your family, by serving lots of tomatoes this winter?

**Gay and Good**

**Steved Tomatoes and Mushrooms:** Drain the liquor from one 4-ounce can of mushrooms and sauté the mushrooms gently in one tablespoon butter for three minutes, add the contents of one No. 2 can of tomatoes, salt and paprika to taste, one bay leaf and one slice of onion. Stew gently for ten minutes. Remove the bay leaf and onion and serve with a triangle of toast on top of each serving. This serves six persons.

**Scalloped Tomatoes and Pecans:** Mix the contents of one No. 2 can of tomatoes with three-fourths teaspoon salt, one tablespoon sugar and a few grains of pepper. Then put alternate layers of tomatoes, chopped pecans (using one-half cup of nuts in all) and grated cheese into a buttered baking dish. Cover the top with crumbs and bake in a hot oven, 400 degrees, for twenty-five minutes. This serves six persons.

**Tomato Consommé:** Mix the contents of one No. 2 can of tomato juice with two 10½-ounce cans of consommé. Bring to boiling. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Heat one-third cup of heavy cream. Pour the first mixture into the hot cream and serve at once, with croutons if desired. This serves six persons.

**Conserve Moisture by Plowing Early**

**Average Rainfall Not Enough to Fill Soil to its Field Capacity.**

By Richard Bradford, Agronomist at Ohio State University.—WNU Service.

Plow as early as possible, to conserve moisture. It is high time for us to be thinking rather seriously about the drought problem, and ways to reduce its ravages. Rough plowed land, if there is no danger of erosion, is an ideal condition for absorbing the heavy rains that are hoped for early in the year.

Every foot of soil of average texture is capable of storing and holding against the pull of gravity the equivalent of about three inches of rainfall. In a soil eight feet deep, this is a storage capacity of 24 inches.

If every drop of normal rainfall from now until April 1 runs into the soil, the total depth of water stored is only half enough to fill our soil to its field capacity.

From 900 to 1,000 pounds of water are required to grow a bushel of corn to produce one pound of dry matter. A single corn stalk may absorb and transpire through its leaves as much as 55 gallons of water in its development. This amounts for a full stand of corn to over 20 inches of water, an amount in excess of the average rainfall during the growing season. The difference must be drawn from the reserve of moisture accumulated in the soil in winter and early spring months.

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE Financial Condition of the MULESHOE State Bank**

at Muleshoe, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 4th day of March, 1936, published in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper printed and published at Muleshoe, State of Texas, on the 19th day of March, 1936.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$ 95,751.82
Loans secured by real estate	6,887.00
Overdrafts	10.99
Securities of U. S. any state or political subdivision thereof	25,143.64
Other bonds and stocks owned	520.00
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	2,900.00
Banking house	4,250.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,500.00
Real Estate owned other than banking house	1,001.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agencies	113,976.75
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	6,000.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$258,941.20</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital stock	\$ 20,000.00
Income Debentures Sold	10,000.00
Total Capital Structure	30,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	5,891.54
Reserve for Debentures	500.00

Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days ..... 217,513.64  
 Time Certificates of Deposits ..... 929.72  
 Cashier's Checks Outstanding ..... 206.20  
 Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping ..... 2,900.00

**TOTAL** ..... **\$258,941.20**

State of Texas, County of Bailey,  
 We, E. R. Hart, as President, and Jesse M. Osborn, as Cashier of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. R. HART, President.  
 JESSE M. OSBORN, Cashier.

**CORRECT ATTEST:**  
 HATTIE GRIFFITHS,  
 M. E. HART,  
 RAY GRIFFITHS,  
 Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of March, A. D. 1936.  
 (SEAL) INEZ F. BOBO,  
 Notary Public, Bailey County, Texas.

The Gum on P. O. Stamps  
 Although you must wet a postage stamp to make it stick, the composition of the gum used on the stamp is 39 per cent water, 58 per cent dextrine and 4 per cent glucose.

**JAPANESE OIL**  
 Made in U. S. A.  
**FOR HAIR AND SCALP**  
 Derived from Odorous Hair Tonic  
**IT'S A SCALP MEDICINE!**  
 Use it. FEEL IT WORK! At All Drug Stores  
 Write for FREE Booklet "The Truth About The Hair." National Ready Co., New York

**A SPRING TONIC!!**

**Why Take Nasty Medicine When Good Foods Are So Much More Palatable And Desirable?**

As Springtime advances the system is always more or less run-down, the blood has thickened for the comfort of winter months and the eating of warmth-producing foods has left a residue in the body that needs to be thrown off if abounding health is enjoyed. Sassafras tea, sulphur and other medicinal concoctions used to be the main stay of our fore-parents; but we have learned that good green, bulky, blood-purifying foods, tasty, juicy fruits are superior health builders, putting a zip and zest into our dispositions greatly increasing bodily functions and the opportunities of success in life.

**All These System Renovating, Health-Producing, Body-Building, Disposition Enlivening Food May Be Found at This Store at Reasonable Prices.**

**Eat Red and White Groceries And You'll Never Feel Blue!**

**HENINGTON'S GROCERY and MARKET**

**Make Every Farm a Factory Every Day of the Year**

**Banker Must now Farming**

—But a farmer need know little out banking if he puts his affairs our hands. Year after year—rough good times and bad, this intuition has given guidance, counsel and help to those who have call upon its facilities. No problem—account—is too little nor too big establish reliable contacts here.

**POSITS ARE GUARANTEED HERE**

**Muleshoe State Bank**  
 FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION  
 MULESHOE, TEXAS

**Sweet Clover Is Put to Front as Soil Crop**

Once considered a weed, sweet clover has had to bear the brunt of protecting fertility levels on thousands of acres of farm lands during the depression period when farmers have not had the cash for mineral fertilizers. It is pointed out by L. B. Miller, associate in soil experiment fields at the College of Agriculture, University of Illinois.

Early in the use of commercial fertilizers and of sweet clover was on the increase. That year some 38,864 tons of factory-processed fertilizer was applied for the state. At the same time the sweet clover acreage amounted to something less than 80,000 acres.

However, applications of commercial fertilizers have declined. In the first of the peak year, while sweet clover acreages have continued to increase. By 1931 a total of 950,000 acres in Illinois were devoted to growing sweet clover, largely for soil improvement purposes. With the coming of the government's adjustment programs in 1933, when a 50-cent acre contract could be sworn to legumes and at the same time get benefit payments, sweet clover acreage is believed to have reached the million mark. It is believed that sweet clover provides an efficient means of saving on one farm having sweet soil and a fair amount of the major mineral plant foods. It provides its value as a green manure, the legume is well known for its ability to provide abundant pasture, or it may be harvested for seed. In years when cash expenditures for factory fertilizer were impractical, Illinois farmers who had lined land were quick to take advantage of the triple value of sweet clover, and particularly for general soil improvement.



**Tomato Consommé:** Mix the contents of one No. 2 can of tomato juice with two 10½-ounce cans of consommé. Bring to boiling. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Heat one-third cup of heavy cream. Pour the first mixture into the hot cream and serve at once, with croutons if desired. This serves six persons.



**TIME For Play TODAY**

ALL work and no play makes Jack a dull boy. But it makes Jill practically impossible. Women who have gone so berserk about work that they've forgotten how to have a good time are usually also poor workers.

"That with so much to do starting me in the face—" That was a good line a decade ago, but it's no alibi today. Housework has become simpler, for coming has taken the drudgery out of cooking and if we can't find time to play something—bridge, golf, ping-pong, kiddie-de-winks—then it's just too bad.

**Canned Mixed Vegetables**

One of the newer and very welcome aids to busy housewives is the coming on the market of canned mixed vegetables. Sometimes called vegetable salads, these dried mixed vegetables find many other delightful uses. They are invaluable for soups, for scalloped vegetable dishes, vegetable and meat pies—their uses are legion! Keep plenty of cans of them on your shelves; save your meat juices and gravies and see how easy it is to have a delicious meat and vegetable soup in practically no time.

If you have a weakness for vegetable pies, here's one worth talking about:

**Tomato Vegetable Pie:** Drain the contents of one No. 2 can of mixed vegetables for salad into a buttered baking dish and pour over the vegetables the contents of a 10½-ounce can of tomato soup. Roll out baking powder biscuit dough, cut in rounds, and place on top of the vegetables. Bake for fifteen to twenty minutes in a hot oven. This serves eight persons.

**Distemper Symptoms**

Distemper is the most common of all serious ailments of the dog. The early symptoms are a slight cough, fever, dry nose, loss of weight and appetite, hot skin and a tendency to sleep. Later discharge from the eyes and nose, quick breathing and general torpidity follow.

**Tasting Milk**

During winter farmers often find that milk, fresh from the cow, is bitter and many of them have attributed this to alfalfa hay or other feed together with the scarcity of green grass. While it is true some feeds such as weeds, some alfalfa hay or other herbage can cause bitter milk, and that sometimes a cow herself may be off condition and give bitter or milky milk, the usual cause of bitter milk during winter is the cool temperature which retards the development of certain bacteria. The bacteria which cause the bitter taste grow when temperatures are low while the bacteria which make milk sweet grow at warmer temperatures. Thus in cold weather one might properly say that the bacteria content is out of balance, causing bitter milk, and the cow's diet has nothing to do with it.—Missouri Farmer.

**Deep Furrows**

The annual loss from farm fires is \$100,000,000 in this country.

Farmers of the Irish Free State will be encouraged to raise wheat.

Farmers now operate more than 200 co-operative oil and gas stations.

Australia exported more than 70,000 bushels of wheat the past year.

As a food, corn ranks next to rice in the number of people it supports.

The United States Department of Agriculture says that green-green milk bottles help to keep milk sweet.

In many places in Ohio alfalfa was used practically all of the available moisture to a depth of seven or eight feet.

Chinese wool, formerly in heavy demand in the United States for carpet making, has fallen off appreciably in recent years.

Dams to flood large flats for hay-growing purposes are being built by the Surprise Valley municipality in southern Saskatchewan.



**FOOD FIT FOR THE GODS**  
 That's the kind one enjoys when they cook with electricity!

There is a relish of flavor retained in foods that are cooked by electricity which apparently no other method conserves.

The clean, evenly distributed heat, automatically controlled, brings out every ounce of rich flavor, saves the vitamins, and gives food a new high standard of quality not heretofore enjoyed by the family. There is a real pleasure at sitting down to a meal that has been cooked by electricity never before realized. Every family owes it to the members of the household to ask us about the latest in Electric Ranges, Cookers and Electric Food.

We allow you a liberal trade-in on your old stove, and terms as low as \$1.82 per month.

**TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY**

**FREE!!**

**BEAUTIFUL 32-PIECE DINNER SET**

Next Saturday afternoon, promptly at 4:30 o'clock following the drawing of Merchants' awards on the street, we will give away a beautiful 32-piece set of America's Finest Dinnerware. Registration and purchase of \$1 worth of merchandise permits you to participate in the awarding. ASK US FOR DETAILS! Here is an opportunity to equip your home with a set of America's finest dinnerware at our expense. These awards will be made every two weeks until the contest closes.

- SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY**
- CATSUP, 14-oz. bottle ..... 10
  - SOAP, P & G, 7 bars for ..... 25
  - MACKEREL, 3 cans for ..... 23
  - HOMINY, No. 1 tall can ..... 05
  - PEACHES, dried, per pound ..... 11
  - PRUNES, gallon cans ..... 29
  - COFFEE, Folgers', 1 pound ..... 28
  - BAKING POWDER, K. C., 50-oz can ..... 29
  - PINEAPPLE, No. 1 flat, 3 cans for ..... 25
  - CAKE FLOWER, Swansdown brand ..... 25
  - WEINERS, per pound ..... 15
  - BEEF ROAST, good quality, per lb. .... 12½

**WE DELIVER PHONE No. 2**

**Jennings FOOD STORE**  
 Muleshoe

**MORE FOR YOUR EGGS**

# LOCALS

R. B. Boyce, of Brady, visited friends in Muleshoe, last weekend.

Mrs. Joe Danron and children were in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon.

Miss Lucille Bealy spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair visited in Brownfield Sunday with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Isaacs and children were in Plainview and Lubbock visitors, Saturday.

M. C. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Ty Young and son, Jack were in Clovis, N. M., visitors, Sunday afternoon.

J. R. Sprivy and C. C. Browning, of

Truslow, Bailey county land owners, were here Friday of last week looking after property interests.

**FOR SALE:** Everbearing strawberry plants, W. E. Loney, Baileyboro P. O. 4 mi. N. North Maple. 8-4ip

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Matthews visited in Sudan, Sunday afternoon, with friends.

R. T. Reagan, of Plainview, was in Muleshoe, Friday of last week attending to business.

Arthur Pierce, of Amarillo and S. D. Grundy, of Canyon, transacted business in Muleshoe, Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty and sons were in Clovis, N. M., visitors, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. McEwors and Jack Simons were in Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday afternoon.

**FOR SALE:** Royal standard typewriter No. 10, in excellent condition, only \$20.00, at Journal office. 17th

H. T. Crowell, of Portales, N. M., was in Muleshoe Friday of last week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gray, of Pecos, were in Muleshoe, Thursday of last week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Alsop, of Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting home folks and friends.

R. T. Rawleigh, of Levelland, was in Muleshoe Friday afternoon of last week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coker, daughter Frances, accompanied by Lela Mae Barron, were Lubbock visitors Saturday.

**FOR SALE:** Vendor's Lien notes and Bill of Sale blanks at Journal office.

T. H. Moore, of Post, was here the latter part of last week looking for a land location.

Harmon Koen, of Clovis, N. M., was in Muleshoe, Saturday evening of last week visiting friends.

Albert Kilion, of Borger, was in Muleshoe the latter part of last week attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Glascock of Pecos were Muleshoe visitors Monday afternoon.

R. L. Locke and H. B. Bell, of Altus, Okla., were here Tuesday attending to business and prospecting for a land location.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Dennis and children were in Lubbock, Saturday of last week visiting friends and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burkhead attended a pharmacy convention in Amarillo Tuesday. While there they visited their son, Coy Burkhead, and family.

**FOR SALE or Trade:** International Farmall, good shape for good mares or mules. C. P. White, 7 mi. S. W. of Znocho. 7-2ip

Albert H. Turner, of Whittsburg, and C. H. Turner, of Amarillo, were in Muleshoe, Friday of last week transacting business.

J. H. Lucas, of Littlefield, was in Muleshoe Friday of last week attending to business and visiting with various business acquaintances.

Fred Smoker and brother, of Vernon, large land owners in Bailey county, were here Monday looking after business interests.

C. P. McCullough, after attending to business affairs in Muleshoe for several days, returned to Panhandle Friday of last week.

Mrs. H. C. Holt and daughter, Helen, visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with Miss Mary Holt who is attending a business school there.

Mrs. Coy Burkhead and son, of Amarillo, visited in Muleshoe the latter part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mardis and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lynch and children, of Paducah, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting his brother, Elmer Lynch and family.

Mrs. A. V. McCarty left Friday of last week for Wichita Falls to visit a few days with A. V. McCarty. She was

accompanied by Miss Dora Nell McCarty, of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Copley took their baby to Lubbock Thursday afternoon for medical treatment.

L. P. Sattler, of Olney, was in Muleshoe the first of this week attending to business and looking after his property interests here.

Mrs. Nolan Dill, of Borger, has been visiting here for the past several days with her sister, Mrs. Rose Stidham.

**FOR RENT:** 250 acres, salt farming country cheap to rent. Geo. Van Camp, 1 mi. E. 1/2 mi. S. Baileyboro school house. 7-2ip

Miss Tony Wilson, of Hale Center, has been employed at the St. Clair variety store, beginning work the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raynes Sparks, of Sudan, visited in Muleshoe, Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alsop.

W. E. Scott, after attending to business in Muleshoe for several days, returned to his home at Lubbock, Friday of last week.

Miss Thelma Clark, of Post, was here Thursday of last week visiting friends and attending the funeral service of John F. Wallace.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor and son were in Lubbock Saturday of last week attending to business and visiting friends.

**FOR SALE:** The Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, regular subscription price for one year \$1.00, and The Muleshoe Journal, regular price \$1.50; both for \$2.00 per year anywhere in Bailey county. Apply at Journal office. 15-17th

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Rockey, Miss Madaline Ely, and Glenn Rockey were in Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday afternoon.

L. C. Turner, of Lubbock, and Elmer Scott, of Tahoka, were here Thursday and Friday of last week prospecting for farm locations.

Fred Bryant, teacher in the Longview school, was in Muleshoe Saturday afternoon of last week attending to business and visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Klump, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlye and son, Howard visited Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding near Texico, N. M., Sunday afternoon.

Paul G. Bennett, Amherst, formerly connected with the Restatement administration office in Littlefield, has been transferred to the same office in Muleshoe for the balance of this month.

The Sunday night services at the Methodist church were dispensed for those who wished to attend an all-day meeting at the Baptist church that began Sunday morning.

Mrs. Bob Bradley and R. M. Bradley returned to Muleshoe, Wednesday of last week from Enburn where they visited relatives and friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Malone, of Friona accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Malone left Friday evening for Granbury to visit for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Malone.

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Judge J. E. Adams left the latter part of last week for Grimes county to visit for a few days with his mother and other relatives and friends. His mother is ill of pneumonia.

Cloyd Skeeters returned home to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from Idaho where he spent several days recuperating from an appendicitis operation and visiting relatives.

Mrs. Fred Rice returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from Oklahoma and Arkansas where she spent several months visiting her daughter and friends.

Floyd Browder, formerly of Muleshoe but now living at Rocky Ford, Colo., was here Thursday of last week attending the funeral service held for John F. Wallace.

Miss Margaret Copley, who has been visiting in Muleshoe for the past several months in the home of her brother A. W. Copley and family, left Sunday morning for her home in West Virginia.

Mrs. Cooper Woodburn, of Amarillo, was in Muleshoe, Thursday of last week visiting relatives and friends and attending the funeral service at the Methodist church held for John F. Wallace.

Miss Margaret St. Clair, home demonstration agent of Farmer county and well known here is recuperating from a recent accident wherein she received severe bruises and body lacerations when her car skidded in a sand drift and turned over in the nearby bar pit.

W. D. Benson, attorney from Lubbock, was a Muleshoe visitor Sunday morning. He was enroute to Bovina, where he made a speech at a Town-

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**Bula News Items**

Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Simmons went to Littlefield Sunday afternoon for Mr. Simmons to have his foot dressed. He got one foot badly mashed while driving his tractor.

Woodrow Bain spent the weekend with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eval Battles attended to business in Clovis, N. M., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Locker and son, of Sudan, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. Locker's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Baugh attended to business in Lubbock, Saturday.

Mr. Lily Painter and sons have her nephew Oklahoma for a visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Williams visited in Sudan and Muleshoe, Sunday.

Mr. Hart, of Lubbock, sister of Mrs. H. Nichols, attended the funeral of J. V. Nichols here, Friday.

Mrs. Johnnie Robertson came home Saturday from a week's stay at the bed side of her nephew, "Dink" Terrill who is ill in a Lubbock hospital.

J. V. Nichols, 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Nichols, passed away at the home of his parents, Thursday afternoon of last week and funeral services were held Friday at St. Bapt church by Revs. Cole and McMaster. Burial was at Littlefield cemetery. J. V. will be greatly missed by his friends as well as loved ones. He always possessed a smile and kind words for everyone and had a strong determination to make a success of life despite his ill health. He leaves a mother, father, one brother and one sister to mourn his passing as well as other relatives and hosts of friends. —Reporter.

**Enochs Echoes**

Mrs. Jake Hall visited in Littlefield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall and children visited at Watson last week.

Mrs. John H. Hafford and children shopped in Littlefield last week.

John Alford, Loyd Alford and Allen Autry went to Amarillo on business last week.

Mrs. Allen Autry shopped in Littlefield last week.

G. P. Howell and J. M. Green went to Morton on business last week.

Mrs. L. G. Harris and Mrs. Fred McQuarry were in Morton last week.

Muleshoe visitors last week were: John Alford, Loyd Alford, Allen Autry, Act Danham, Fred McQuarry, and Mrs. J. D. Blalock.

Mrs. Chas. Coffman spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Jackson, at Lubbock.

Mrs. Clyde McCormick went to Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Strickland visited in Littlefield last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. McCall and Roy Layfield took Mrs. Layfield's baby to the doctor at Morton last week. He was severely burned with a hot cup of coffee.

The Home Demonstration club played ball with the Bula outside team. The scores were 10 to 6 in favor of the Bula girls. The club charged five cents admission and cleared \$8.50 besides having lots of fun.

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# MODESTY

By JESS MITCHELL

A few days ago the daily newspapers carried a story of the disappointment of some 500 people at Newark, N. J., who went to the airport of that city to witness the arrival of Miss Florence Cubitt, noted exponent of the body beautiful, who was reported would arrive in the nude; but their animal gratification was turned into a dud when she stepped off the plane with as many duds on as her inquisitive visitors. For the past five years Miss Cubitt, without adding any cubits to her moral and intellectual stature, has been reputedly, a nudist devotee, declaring recently that clothes are not only cumbersome but embarrassing, and the insistence of the plane manager that she don twentieth century raiment in keeping with modern conventionalities, brought about a terrible wave of disappointment among the would-be admirers of nature in the raw.

It must be an act of aviatism that would completely twist around in bass-acked manner a woman's idea of puritanical modesty to the point that wearing clothing instead of doing without such made her feel the blush of immodesty; yet from the tendency in that direction one can observe in Muleshoe on a hot summer's day along about four o'clock p. m., when the sun's rays gets its almost horizontal slant on a gossamer clad form divine between the unexpected observer and Old Sol, Sister Cubitt is not the only one in the good old USA who would knock off the corners of cubism for capable, central, if not convulsive conspicuousness.

Just suppose that society sissy had landed from the airplane in the Main street of Muleshoe! No doubt it would have created a consternation among the usual and religious propriety besides of a few become a comparison.

ually the human race, especially as exemplified by U. S. citizens, is getting over that feeling of early civilization, though the taint of the Adamic sin, theologically speaking, still clings closer than a hungry flea to a bulldog's back. The safety of our manufacturers are now emphasizing the statement that it is immodest for a man to appear for breakfast without being clean shaved. Certain chemical manufacturers, the immodesty of which, in halitosis, and other body smells, commonly abbreviated BO since the Alphabetical New Deal became flagrant; yet we know both these concerns set up their bows largely for commercial purposes. Nevertheless, it is a fact that some members of the bipedal race, which boasts of immortality, are slightly careless in their mode of dress these days.

Just how a woman can wrap a heavy fur about her neck and keep her legs warm has, for the past 15 years, been a mystery to this country newspaper editor, contrariwise how that same editor about her swan-like connection of head and trunk can keep her cool on the Fourth of July is still another unexplained mystery. Why a woman will dress so thinly in summertime that a man can close his eyes (most males have infallible imaginations) and see, with ecstatic sauntering and salivating, that form divine, which frequently gives him a spasmodic vision of the seventh heaven, is still another thing difficult for an old codger, who long ago reaped his own wild oats, to understand.

After all, this modesty of which we make so much, may be merely a fungus of stale custom, a froth of staid conventionality, the mere soap-suds on the washbasin of profound morality that may or may not be skimmed off someday, or with increasing agitation may eventually convert the entire tub of social aqua into a humorous foam upon which the sun of civilization casts its brilliant refraction in ultra-colored prismatic rainbow hues of modernity.

Just who actually started this clothes wearing business is a word this assessor does not know; but he does admit without hesitation, reservation or equivocation that a mammoth whale of fashion, apparently having eternal duration, began in that time. We make no plea for nudism, yet many people who wear little or no clothing do not worry much about the scarcity of nonentity. Folks who have never worn shoes feel little need of them. We one time knew a deputy sheriff in Arkansas, past 40 years of age, who had never owned a pair of shoes in his life, yet it was no handicap to him in making needed arrests. Indians keep quite comfortable with just a breech-cloth, perhaps wrapping a blanket about their noble forms when the mercury gets to homobubly with zero. Anthropologists tell us man is by nature a naked animal, and would do no violence to the clothes-wearing custom. But for the modesty, artistry and interpretations of civilization. Plenty of people today have a growing idea that clothes-wearing is an unwarranted infringement upon their personal liberties. The Deacalog does not prescribe to proscribe it, the Mosaic law-giver being a too good scholar of human nature to even hint at any requirements of puris naturalibus.

This editor has always been of the opinion that clothes were made for comfort first and style second; but clearly his ideas are rux vomica, for while retaining some of their primal functions, today they apparently are used chiefly for ornamentation, especially so in larger cities. Today it has become almost a penance to appear in polite society in garments of obsolete cut or last year's wearage. But this divine modesty, fostered by Parisian designers (designers is the correct word in more ways than one) generated by the tailor and dress-makers shears, smoothed wrinkles with the sad iron, offered for sale and quickly gobbled up by devotees of style, is a something difficult of rational understanding.

In old Mexico and some portions of South America very cultured women think themselves inexorably disgraced if, by some accident, she should find herself at some great social function in the garb of her birth, yet they do not hesitate nor stutter the least to cast aside every stitch of clothing and take a plunge in the public baths where the entire world of masculinity may gaze upon them as they are and so choose. In Turkey, until very recently, a woman was terribly dishonored if her veil became cast aside so that a stranger might see her face, and her physiognomy was sometimes protected with her only garment at the expense of the rest of her anatomy. Even some American belles go décolleté to the extreme at social functions. Mark Twain is said to have spent a week one time at a famous summer watering place, and upon his return was asked if he saw any of the society ladies while absent. "I saw all of them," he promptly replied. "I went to a ball one night and saw half of them, and at the seashore the next day I saw the other half." Some students of modern trend; today even go so far as to insist that 15 years from now women will be beautifully attired with pink and blue ribbons about their waists.

Today many young men and very modest missids will wander hand in hand through galleries of nude art without shame, witness the most astounding scenes at moving picture shows, bathe promiscuously with the male wearing only trunks and the female as near nude as possible, being careful only to formally cover the three exquisite points of nature occupying

an elongated triangle position of her anatomy, yet in no manner keeping the young man from remembering the advertising slogan of "the skin you love to touch." Yet if that same young lady at a social function, has the string of her corset or a garter falls of filial duty, or if the young man slips a suspender or inadvertently loses a button from his trousers the countenances of both become quickly brightened with carmen blushes and a darkened corner is quickly sought for repairs or readjustments.

Far from it being the suggestion of this editor that the human race lay aside all compunctions and clothing and assume the original state of nature, at least without considerable more educational preparation than we now have. There is still too much of the original animal nature in the human not yet eliminated by the process of evolution for any such drastic step to be taken with safety to modern homes and civility. After so many years of mock modesty, artificiality and make-believe any sudden and sweeping change or reform would not be advisable especially at all seasons of the year on the South Plains of Texas with its erratic climate. Yet, after all, it may perchance, be a worthwhile sign of real progress to note that the clothes-wearing custom is rapidly becoming a slave of the human race rather than its master.

It goes without saying that the female constitution has become as much discussed in recent years as has the federal constitution during recent weeks. Scarcely a week goes by but this editor hears some remarks about the vanity of the female, the foibles and follies of feminine fashion. Women may be stronger physically since they have become less encumbered with petticoats; but the pernicious system of dress and abundant wardrobes of today has contributed largely to wicked, carefree, conjugal infidelity and considerable increase of business in divorce courts.

We have sometimes wondered if the law of nature in general has not been reversed in the genus homo. Retrospectively recalling all other members of the feathered tribe that travel on two legs, we are reminded that it is invariably the male which is the more glamorous of the two sexes handling the family style in a manner that the female of the human race would ever think of putting up with, especially since the granting to them of voting privileges in this nation.

It is the male of the red bird, blue bird, oriole, pheasant and numerous other birds that is arrayed in all the multi-varigated colors of beauty and attraction while his feminine friend of the same classification is invariably clad in more sombre and shady colors. Note the rather quiet, demure and unostentatious turkey hen traveling meekly alongside her pompous and vainglorious gobbler lord, strutting to the point of wobbling off his toenail in the sand, splurging his fawn and feathers over him in effulgent rapture, supremely transcending the hues of the iridescent rainbow and exalting his personal dignity and profuse puerility in the face of all other living creatures of the estate he inhabits.

Pause for a moment upon any street corner and gaze upon the male of human species surveying his type vainly. Mostly it is very mediocre. Occasionally there may be noticed a slight

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adumbration of the female. Here and there some young male squirt, with a spoonful of brains, vainly endeavoring to imitate the best way a male can the unpassable charm and brilliant beauty of the belle; but for the most part men are content to parade the pulchritude of their women people, many of them having no money for personal punctious apparel after performing that particular patriotic project, and are quite well satisfied if they have a decent Sunday suit and a five cent cigar.

True, there are many times when the masculine side of the human house tries to cut a big splurge and steps out in regal manner to impress society and the rest of the folks of a nation, as recently occurred in Washington, when leaders of the Democratic party pulled a banquet costing \$50 per plate. Of course, about \$45 of that sum was political graft, and Andrew Jackson, in whose name the epicurean excuse was foisted, could have lived an entire week on the five dollars worth of grub these he-humans moseyed out that evening. Practically all the distinguished guests attending that function were clad in the required silk stovepipe hats, swallow tailed coats and other raiment in keeping with the mandates of Fashion, their hirsutes neatly trimmed, beards eliminated, facial cuticles neatly massaged and perfumed—a darling sight, more attention given to paring the outside of the head that rests on their forked walking canes than the inside of that dome. Were they comfortable? Was their garb convenient? Were any of them awkward? Did they have any trouble with their anatomical paraphernalia? You damn sure they did not.

Some of them carried gold-headed canes, which simply demonstrated the survival of the gorilla, club-carrying age. It was all simply an aggravated case of aviatism, perhaps demonstrating more vividly the evolution of the bullfrog from the tadpole than the whimsical theory of human "beginning" which this species and culture through this revolution of wealth and reversion of reason, these captivating caprices,

fashionable foibles, fatuous fontanings, mundane murmuring, loquacious laudings, political pad'rings, sa-luteous and zedde foolishness, they still trod several degrees behind the tardy trail of their exquisite, exotic and ever-sentient, sentimental, sentimental adorables absentmindedness.

What is man that he should be vain! What excuse can this forked radish with a pumpkin belly and a turnip head have for factitiously doling himself up on the outside in vainglorious manner when the inside is so bare, ragged or at least unpolished? Behold him making a clothes-rack of his anatomy, arraying his physical corpulence in purple and fine linen, strutting, smiling, smirking, a freak to please the gods and cause Jehovah to again repeat his act of creation so awfully that he did it a second time.

Noah!

Perhaps even more at all, for shaped spee, best, only in physique of playing. Medium sized, not very broad, but on why because it only a mo-cents enough ain't about either extreme.

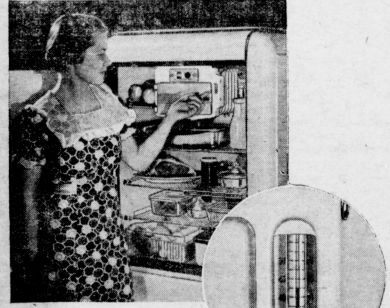
We sometimes doubt if the race will ever be entirely raw as regards silk and broadcloth as well as demin and calico, for if our recollection is correct, the ancients of Bible times went to picture the inhabitants of the other world in full regalia as per the custom of their days. Even angels trodding the golden streets of the New Jerusalem, exhaling the fragrant, balmy, airs of celestial paradise and enjoying the de luxe society of the saved were garbed in flowing garments of white, only their features, feet and feathered wings being exposed to the sight of other denizens of the sky.

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Auto drivers and owners should not delay the matter of obtaining their required licenses until the last day, for fear the office issuing same will be crowded with applicants and prompt service obviated—also if put off until the last day, it may be entirely forgotten and penalty will have to be paid. The new car license can be put on now.

The old chauffeur's license law was repealed, and the old license expired on the 12th day of last February.

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The Will Rogers memorial fund is now reported to total \$1,740,000.

American recognition of the new government of Paraguay was formally announced last Saturday by the State department, Washington.

Estate of the late Charles Curtis, vice-president under Hoover, has been probated at \$1,870,000.

Earl Beatty, 65, World war navy hero and former first lord of the English admiralty, died Wednesday at his home in London following a long illness.

The Sourland Mountain former residence of the Lindberghs, from which their son Charles was kidnaped, is to become an orphanage as a memorial to the murdered child.

Robert L. Ripley, creator of "Believe It or Not," has been refused permission by the Soviet government to visit Russia on a projected tour of the world; believe it or not!

Plans for a sharp increase in officers and enlisted men are indicated in a bill submitted to Congress last Saturday asking for a record-breaking appropriation of \$59,591,299.

Secretary Harold I. Tellep, Washington, last week reported to the Senate that more than 7,000 WPA projects were on file but no money to provide for their construction.

Congress had planned to adjourn May 1, but long drawn out deliberation on important measures, now indicate the lawmakers will have to remain in Washington until June 1.

Cottonseed crushed in the seventh month period, Aug. 1 to Feb. 29 was reported last week to have totaled 3,282,706 tons, compared with 2,023,812 in the same period a year ago.

Dr. John F. Condon, the "Jafide" of the Lindbergh kidnaping case, is expected home this week from a South American tour, and may be further questioned regarding Bruno Hauptmann.

Frank Coester, Placerville, Calif., who last week celebrated his 100th birthday anniversary, attributes his longevity to eating plenty of onions and garlic.

GRAMMAR GRADE MEMBERS IN A BIRTHDAY BROADCAST, CLOVIS

Saturday afternoon of last week several members of the first and second grades, Muleshoe Grade school, sang three Texas songs over radio station K. I. C. A. at Hotel Clovis, Clovis, N. M.

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In Birth-Control Row

HOUSTON, Tex., Mrs. Haywood Nelms (above) social leader and mother of three children, has stirred the ire of local women groups.

Crossbow Used in China The crossbow is the regular weapon of some aboriginal tribes in China, as well as being a weapon often kept around the house by city dwellers to scare burglars.

General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

June 2-3 has been set as the date for the Pioneers' celebration this year at Clovis, N. M.

Portales, N. M., has decided to put on a Trades Day, Clovis, that state, is having Trade Expansion days.

J. Doyle Settle, Lubbock, representative for the 11th district, has announced his candidacy for reelection.

Recently compiled statistics show there are 5,000 manufacturing plants of various kinds now in Texas, an increase of 1,000 since 1933.

Gov. Allred last week signed an excuse of absence for eight McLean High school pupils who took March 2 off to celebrate Texas Independence day.

Rafaela Gallegos, Indian servant since 1840, and Harding county, N. M., oldest citizen, died last week of pneumonia. He was 125 years old.

Thirty-nine head of fine livestock from Tech college, Lubbock, were exhibited at the Fort Worth Fat Stock show last week.

New passenger car truck automobile registrations in Texas are showing a considerable increase over that of last year.

Thousands of pounds of wool were sold in Texas last week at from 50 to 90 cents per pound, some of the kid wool bringing 70 cents per pound.

Indicative of better business conditions, commercial failures in Texas last month declined about 35 per cent from those of the same period last year.

The state treasury deficit of Texas has been lowered from \$9,145,568 to \$8,586,750, according to announcement made last Saturday by Charley Lockheart, treasurer.

Supt. Thomas Boies, of the Carlsbad, N. M., caverns, reports a much larger list of visitors anticipated for this year than last, when 116,457 people went through the big cave.

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