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\$120,421.00 REA Contract Now Approved

REA headquarters, Washington, has approved contract between Bailey County Electric Cooperative association and J. E. Morgan & Sons, Waco, for building the first section of the project, contained in Bailey, Castro, Lamb Cochran and Farmer counties, consisting of 245 miles of line to serve 550 farms.

The successful bid was \$120,421 and includes materials and labor. This bid represents an average cost of \$578 per mile. It is expected the work will start soon and be completed by early summer.

The Line Creosoting Co., will furnish 44 carloads of poles; Aluminum Co. of America will furnish about 622 miles of wire, and the Allis Chalmers Co., will ship 253 transformers, ranging from 1 1/2 kva to 5 kva. Construction of the line will provide nearly 40,000 man hours of employment in direct labor alone.

It is emphasized by Cecil McLaury, association superintendent that all who wish to obtain service from the new lines should sign up for it at once and make arrangements for wiring and plumbing installations. The route of the line is now being laid out and the new lines planned to reach areas where member service contracts have been signed to make construction economical. If insufficient contracts have been signed in any particular area, the lines will be routed another way.

Experience indicates that usually a number of requests for service come in after construction has started. McLaury said. These requests can not ordinarily be granted until the contractor finishes building the project as planned and laid out before the crews arrive. Priority must be accorded those lines for which service contracts are signed up early, he said. Construction of other lines must depend upon the availability of funds after the main project is built.

Officers of the local organization: W. G. Kennedy, president; W. R. Iron, vice-president; I. F. William, secretary-treasurer; Levi Churchill, Mrs. A. Snider and Mrs. Walter Reicher, clerks.

CREED GETS OKAY
U. S. JUDGE
Following two previous futile attempts, James V. Allred, former Texas governor, has been confirmed as a federal District Judge in South Texas. The confirmation has been blocked by Rep. Dies, this state and senator King of Utah on the grounds Allred was not a citizen of the district in which he received appointment.

Neither Senator Sheppard nor Senator Connally, both of Texas, while endorsing another candidate, offered any objection to Allred's confirmation.

YOUNG PEOPLE'S DAY WITH METHODISTS
Celebrating Young People's day at the Methodist church, Rev. Tony Q. Dyes, Methodist pastor at Southland, reached at the morning hour. He also sang two solos, greatly appreciated. He has a rich and baritone voice.

At the Sunday school hour young people had charge and taught all classes except those of the primary department. There was special music, both vocal and instrumental, for the occasion.

ATTORNEY GENERAL ORDERS A TRUCK INJUNCTION DISSOLVED; SAY'S INSTITUTION STILL IN LEAD

Attorney General Mann Friday of Oklahoma, asked the Supreme Court to dissolve the injunction of the District Judges Kirby of Line-County and Ferguson of Hidalgo County to set aside injunctions that were granted restraining enforcement of the 7,000-pound truck load law.

With petitions for writs of amicus to the district judges, Mann argued that the law was unconstitutional, "government by injunction," asked the Supreme Court to dissolve and for all time that the law of this State is not above the constitution and laws of the State.

\$113,794,250 In WPA Money Spent In St. From July, 1935

WPA workers have completed 6,570 public improvement projects in Texas since the inception of that type of work July, 1935. These projects have given 236,073,794 man-hours of work to unemployed, at a cost of 39 cents per hour of which the worker actually got 23 cents an hour.

Conditioning 12,000 miles of roads and streets was a major part of the work, involving an expenditure of \$48,871,833 by Federal and local governments. Millions of garments were also made in sewing rooms by women, costing \$18,207,369; parks and other improved grounds cost \$9,954,470; utility programs, \$7,400,303; health activities, \$4,835,143.

Other WPA activities listed by Administrator H. P. Drought with the amount expended include: dams and other conservation projects, \$41,034,451; airports and other transportation facilities, \$1,121,786; adult education classes and nursery schools, \$2,236,030; professional and service projects, \$7,986,037; conducting of municipal recreation activities, \$1,265,035; canning plants and other goods projects, \$1,648,768; distribution of surplus commodities, \$977,945; and miscellaneous projects, \$120,925.

Muleshoe Girls Go To Dist Meeting At Rossville

The girls district basketball tournament will be played at Rossville this weekend, beginning Thursday and continuing throughout Friday and Saturday. Finals will be played Saturday night, according to information received here by Muleshoe school officials.

The Muleshoe High school girls team will complete in the meet for district honors, having been winners of the Bailey county basketball tournament played earlier in February.

The state is now sponsoring girls basketball under the Interscholastic league. Seventeen counties are in this district and practically all will be represented at the meet at Rossville this weekend.

District awards will be presented to the winners of the tournament. The Muleshoe High school girls and boys teams won the Bailey county Interscholastic league tournament last year and competed for district honors.

Basketball season will be practically closed for the local girls team, following the district meet.

A school bus will be furnished by a local driver to transport the Muleshoe girls team to Rossville.

1938 DIST. CHAMPION TROPHY IS RECEIVED

The Muleshoe school received their District Championship Football trophy for being winner of the 1938 season, last weekend.

The award is a beautiful piece of workmanship made of silver and mounted on a black base. A champion miniature football player in full dress, carrying a football and posed in action is stationed upon a football. A victory flag with outspread wings is mounted atop the trophy.

The award was placed in a display case with many more in the superintendent's office at the Muleshoe High school.

Members of this year's local football team, their coach C. R. Foster and the school as a whole is very proud of the trophy.

W. C. TAYLOR IS NAMED FSA HEAD IN COCHRAN
W. C. Taylor, former Bailey county farm agent, has been appointed rural rehabilitation supervisor of the Farm Security Administration of Cochran county with headquarters at Morton, the county seat.

News Item: Some Business Firms Must Fill Out as Many As 141,000 Government Reports Annually



Allotments For Gov. O'Daniel Is Lambasted By Legislators

There was plenty of vocal pyrotechnics let loose in Austin legislative halls last week when Gov. O'Daniel sent in the name of J. C. Hunter, Abilene, to become a member of the State Highway commission. It was the governor's second nomination for that commission, the first, Carl P. Collins, being promptly turned down by the Senate when presented.

In quick succession legislators charge his action in presenting the name of a West Texas man to succeed John Wood, when prior custom had been to select one member from each of three sections of the state, as bad policy.

One legislator took opportunity to attack the Governor's Sunday rally programs and flatly called him a "political liar, demagogue, wind-jammer and double-barreled hypocrite."

Senator Pace of Tyler dubbed the chief executive a "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, and that his action was a kick in the pants to everybody who lives in East Texas."

Senator Hill said: "This Jack the Giant Killer, who kills giants over the every Sunday morning, deserves more sympathy than condemnation."

Gov. O'Daniel had previously made himself obnoxious to many legislators as he granted a condemned negro 30 days reprieve so he might suffer more "dreadful punishment" of seeing death staring him in the face during that period. He also has advocated elimination of capital punishment.

O'Daniel's transactions tax, also has aroused much controversy among lawmakers. Considerable preliminary study has been given his recommendation in this respect, various modifications suggested; but nothing yet has definitely been done toward raising the estimated \$45,000,000, needed for pension payments.

MIL BOXES BEING DAMAGED

Complaint is being made by rural mail carriers out of Muleshoe that mail boxes on routes have been damaged by someone shooting holes into them and which is a federal offense, according to Postmaster A. J. Gardner, who says such is punishable by a fine of not less than \$100 and may be accompanied by penitentiary sentence.

Naturally it is supposed, said Gardner, the damage is being done by boys, as it is inconceivable that adults would be so lacking in judgment; but is such damaging action is continued a G-man will be called into make investigation and arrests.

METHODIST ZONE MEET HELD AT SUDAN

A workers meeting of the Western zone, Plainview conference, Methodist church, was held at Sudan Tuesday night, representative workers from Muleshoe, Easton, Amherst, Littlefield, Janes an Eula being present.

Rev. Jim Sharp, local pastor, discussed the subject of "Evangelism and Evangelism." Several delegates from this point were present to enjoy the occasion.

Rev. Sharp was elected leader of the Western zone for the coming period.

Teachers Of West Lubbock March 10 and 11

Lubbock, Feb. 21.—More than 2,000 delegates from 24 counties in West Texas are expected to attend the West Texas Teachers association meeting in Lubbock March 10 and 11, according to Hayes Holman, Post, president of the association.

School teachers, trustees, superintendents, principals, and PTA officials and members are urged to attend the two Friday afternoon sessions. Beginning at 3:00 p. m. at the Lubbock high school auditorium there will be discussed the relationship of school trustees to superintendents, by Dr. Harris Cook of Canyon. At the same meeting, J. Slaughter of Post will discuss school finance and school legislation. Following these discussions there will be a general round table discussion for all attending the meeting.

The second meeting to be held that afternoon will also begin promptly at 3:00 p. m. at the high school. This will be a Safety meeting. Every school superintendent and principal have been asked to appoint one or more representatives from their schools to attend this meeting. Also each P-T-A council has been requested to have representatives attend this group meeting. Carl J. Rutland, of the State Safety association, will be the principal speaker.

Changeable Weather Is Inconvenient Crops Damaged

Weather conditions all over the United States went awry and, seemingly intricately confused Thursday of last week, when there was a strange mixture of rain, snow, dense fog, record-breaking heat and intense cold reported from various sections.

Gale-force winds struck the mid-South first, doing much property damage. Abnormally high tides were reported along the northern Atlantic coast, while in this western area dust storms of intense nature were prevalent, visibility in some sections being greatly impaired.

At Muleshoe the thermometer showed a low of 19 degrees; but Friday morning there was a moderation which melted much of the snow that fell Thursday night to practically cover the ground. Saturday morning was cloudy, accompanied by heavy drizzle of rain.

Recent sand storms in this area is reported to be severely damaging growing wheat crops, in some sections the plants having been practically blown out of the ground.

J. B. GLEASON KILLED BY CAR SUNDAY NIGHT

J. B. Gleason, about 65, was struck and instantly killed last Sunday night, about eight o'clock, by an automobile, said to have been driven by a man by the name of Luttrell, the accident occurring on U. S. Highway No. 84 about a mile west of Lariat. It is supposed to have happened in front of the approaching car precipitating the accident.

Gleason is said to have come from some point in New Mexico where he had been living with a daughter and was enroute to the home of a niece living in Littlefield, when the accident occurred.

The body was badly mangled, according to report, one limb being broken in several places, and several ribs were broken. Impact with the car threw the man onto the machine, breaking out the windshield.

WPA WORKERS MUST MAKE AFFIDAVIT OF CITIZENSHIP TO RETAIN JOBS SAYS U. S. EMERGENCY ACT

SAN ANTONIO, Feb. 22.—Affidavit of citizenship must be executed by all persons employment under the terms of the Emergency Relief Appropriation Act of 1938 if their employment is to be continued after March 5, it was announced today by State Works Progress Administrator H. P. Drought.

Affecting an estimated 147,000 persons in Texas, of which about 100 are in Bailey county, the citizenship regulations written into the act by Congress requires the execution of affidavits by all WPA and NYA project workers and student aid employes as well as supervisory and administrative personnel.

In releasing instructions on methods of obtaining affidavits, Drought expressed the hope that it will be possible for destitute workers employed in the works program to obtain notary service without cost. WPA administrative employees who are notaries public will be relieved of regular duties to the fullest possible extent so that they may devote their time to notarial work. WPA administrative offices are seeking the cooperation of counties, cities and other sponsoring agencies to assist in providing free notary service to project workers.

Trades Day Is Continued, All Well Pleased

Streets were crowded until almost impassable and parking for cars was at a premium last Saturday when another Trades Day event was held here. It being noted among the guests present many from the very outskirts of the Muleshoe trade territory, as well as various citizens from adjoining towns and several from across the line of the neighboring state, New Mexico.

The wide attendance gave abundant opportunity for friends to greet one another, several instances occurring where old time acquaintances had not met for several years past. These special days are proving quite a boon in a social way, according to visitors here, who declare the opportunity of meeting and greeting one another is well worth the effort spent in making the journey to this county seat.

Those receiving awards ranging in value from \$1 to \$2 last Saturday were: Wesley Hawkins, Lee Crabbs, R. E. Kinbrough, T. W. Crabbs, Jack Beggs, Mrs. T. A. McLaughlin, Mary Ward, Dorothy Presley, Mrs. Meyers, J. T. Huggins, Alvin Birge, Frank Robinson, Don Pressley, Edna Ward, Tom M. Clark, Carrie Richardson, W. A. Birge, D. E. Thorne, Leta Meyers and Mrs. Neal Warren.

Those whose names were called for awards, but did not receive them because of their absence were: Lee Sims, W. H. McGehee, E. C. Chitwood, Naomi Jordan, Win. M. Matthews, Mrs. R. Wiedebush and Eunice Whitt.

About 20 choice awards have been offered by various concerns here to be given next Saturday, state tax included, with no strings tied to them, and absolutely free to the recipients. An other bumper crowd is expected to attend.

FARMER COUNTY GET OIL TESTS

Sixteen big trucks and respective crews have moved into Farwell, in Farmer county adjoining Bailey on the north, to test for oil in the area. Structures in that county.

Tests were begun in Farwell, in which it is said the company already owns extensive lease.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE DATES CHANGED

L. S. Morgan, in charge of State Employment service, Lubbock, announces change of service dates for Lamb, Bailey and Farmer county.

Service heretofore rendered at the Wednesday morning of each week, has been discontinued. The future applicants for employment and claimants for unemployment compensation may contact a representative of the Employment service at the hall, Littlefield, between 9:00 a m. and 3:30 p. m. Wednesday of each week.

FINISH PAVEMENT FOR HWY NO. 7

Advertisements have been placed for bids for construction 10.7 miles of cut-back asphaltic concrete pavement from Farwell to the Bailey county line on State Highway No. 7, contract for same being let Tuesday.

This contract embodies a finish coat on this highway which was completed more than two years ago. No. 7 passing through Muleshoe and Farwell.

AAA WILL ASSIST IN DRILLING WELLS

Ranchmen needing greater supplies will receive aid from AAA, according to announcement from College Station.

The reinstated plan permits not only well digging, but also construction of earthen tanks, concrete or rubble masonry dams and development of natural water collection spots.

Payment for drilling wells is \$2-a-linear foot where the casing is not less than 4 inches in diameter, and \$1 where it is less than 4 inches provided a windmill or power pump is installed and the water is conveyed to a tank or storage reservoir. An artesian well with casing less than 4 inches in diameter will qualify for payment if adequate stock water is made available during the grazing season and the water is conveyed to a tank or trough.

The county administrator will furnish details.

EDITORIAL AND FEATURE PAGE

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JESS MITCHELL, Editor. I. F. MITCHELL, Bus. Mgr.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
In Bailey County, one year, \$1.00; Outside of County one year, \$2.00.
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Subscribers who change their addresses, or fail to get their paper, should immediately notify this office, giving both new and old addresses.
Communications of local interest are solicited. They should be briefly written on only one side of the paper, and must reach this office not later than Wednesday morning of each week. The right of revision or rejection is reserved by the publisher.

Advertising that does not show in its text or typography that it is paid for must be marked as such. All local advertisements remain in this paper for the time specified or until ordered out. All notices, matters not by weight 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.

Obituaries, cards of thanks, and resolutions of respect will also be charged for at the same rate.
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

IN REMEMBRANCE

To commemorate the birth of the "Father of our Country," George Washington, we would best remember him by what he did for this nation, and to review what this nation means to us.

George Washington fought for the independence and the freedom of this country. He saw our need for liberty and the demand of the people to stand upon their own two feet; to govern themselves and abide by the laws made by themselves; to declare their own taxation; to elect those men whom they chose. We who live in America today have only our historians to tell us of the struggle and victory of this country against the forces working against it. We are enjoying the fruits of it.

Feel that today our serious than ever struggle has never been low can any man, in a system of public instruction and school free, a nation where his rights are not restricted, where freedom of press, of thought and of speech, being stifled by force and fanaticism can any man be anything but appreciative of the blessings visited upon Americans?

We trace back to the time of Washington our original declaration of independent nation. We honor his memory with a reminder of our good fortune to be citizens under this flag. I would like to feel that every one ought the same as we do upon this act; but what about a man says, "What this country needs is a leader?" Such a remark caused another man to reply, "I was born and raised in another country. I can still remember Americans do not realize. They should appreciate and be very grateful for this country."

To the men who pledge ourselves to uphold those things for which they fought, and to make proud the heart of the Father of this Country, by being no less than Americanism.

YOU AND YOUR BANKER

The location of a strong bank in any given town is always desirable for numerous reasons, yet because of the semi-public character of banking business and its historic vulnerability to popular sentiment and political attack, which of the public fails to understand at institution.
Few borrowers ever like the man or institution that lends them money. In fact, a sort of grim legend has sprung up about bankers and banking, picturing the former as a rapacious crew of financial pirates, and the latter as an ice-cold institution which controls the nation's purse-strings. As a result, it has always been easy for the unscrupulous politician in need of a vote-getting issue, to make political capital out of the exaggerated and fallacious attacks on our financial structure.
Right here in Muleshoe we have heard attacks on banks by disgruntled citizens who could not borrow money every time they wanted it; but such attacks were generally of a boomerang nature. A bank has a wonderful opportunity to become an institution of civic leadership in any town, and most of such officials realize that privilege and make it their particular duty.
For illustration, the fact that the Muleshoe State Bank has made nearly \$2,000,000 worth of loans during the past five years, 90 per cent of which were made in the home area, speaks

volumes for the local pride and community interest of that institution. It is also worthy of remark that this institution made public this information. While banking is a private enterprise, the same as most other businesses, yet it is one in which there is always a wide interest.

Progress of towns are invariably gauged largely by published bank statements, post office receipts and railroad activities. Banking, therefore, lies at the heart of our economic system. When banks and auto dealers prosper, it is a very good sign of general prosperity for any community.

NEWSPAPER VALUE

A recent bulletin of the American Newspaper Publishers Association carries word of the newspaper advertising views of Safeway Stores, Inc., a large Western food chain. These views could be profitably emulated by industry and commerce in general.
In brief, the Safeway company believes that newspapers of regular publication, large and small, perform an important public service, and that advertising revenue is essential to keeping the price charged the subscriber low enough to bring the paper within financial reach of every possible family.

The company believes that when the so-called free circulation newspaper attempts to lure advertisers into a low-rate circle—first, it is the beginning of a vicious circle—next, depleting the established publication; next, through bankruptcy, depriving the community of such news service; encouraging the free distribution paper into becoming a paid circulation and news distributing publication, followed by additional free circulation papers and thus completing the cycle.

Finally, the Safeway company instructs its division managers to avoid using handbills and free distribution papers except when absolutely necessary, and then to use the job shops of local regular newspapers where possible.
Here is a logical and progressive policy. The local newspaper fills a vital place in the American scene. It is more than a business—it is a record of the times in which we live. Through news and comment it brings to its readers knowledge of what is going on at home as well as what is going on in the far flung capitals of the world. Measured by the rigid yardstick of dollars-and-cents alone, the newspaper advertiser gets his full money's worth—and at the same time makes possible the existence of an irreplaceable institution.

Jaunty Journalettes

When a Muleshoe woman marries for money it's generally hers, and when he marries for money, it's also hers.

We've heard lots about the forgotten men in Muleshoe; but are there any forgotten women?

It's our observation that the secret of Muleshoe's wealthy men still remains a secret.

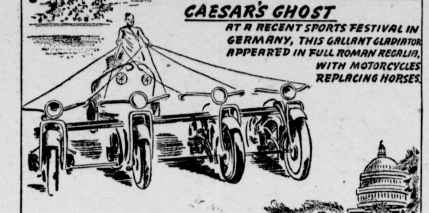
Have you ever noticed that most folks on a party line don't have much use for local other? Of course, that isn't true around Muleshoe!

About the luckiest fellow living in Muleshoe is the chap whose wife thinks as highly of him as he does of himself.

Muleshoe folks should not worry greatly if their children know much more than they did at their age. There is a great deal more to know now days.

When a Muleshoe girl tells a boy she dreamed about him last night, he had

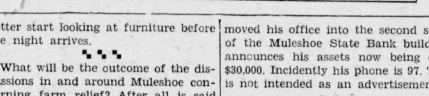
MOTOR MEMOIRS



CAESAR'S GHOST
AT A RECENT SPORTS FESTIVAL IN GERMANY, THIS GALLANT GLADIATOR APPEARED IN FULL ROMAN REGALIA, WITH MOTORCYCLES REPLACING HORSES



ROUGH RIDER
DISHING THEODORE ROOSEVELT UP IN HIS TYPICAL DISPLAY OF COURAGE WAS PRAISED BY THE NEWSPAPERS.



PROOF
TO BE RECEIVED EARLY AUTOS HAD TO CLIMB THIS ARTIFICIAL HILL AT THE AUTO SHOW IN 1908. TODAY EVERY PART OF THE CAR IS SCIENTIFICALLY TESTED. THESE TESTS PROVE THAT MOHAIR VELVET UPOLYESTER IS UNSURPASSED FOR DURABILITY AND SERVICEABILITY.

THESE CARTOONS ARE THE ARTIST'S INTERPRETATIONS OF AUTO HISTORY COPY. 1939 BY ST. LOUIS, MO.

better start looking at furniture before the night arrives.
What will be the outcome of the discussions in and around Muleshoe concerning farm relief? After all is said and done, it still takes money to lift the mortgage on the farm.

There are some Muleshoe men whose wives tell them what good providers they are, while there are other men whose wives tell them what poor drivers they are.

SNAP SHOTS

To get what one wants is success. To want what one gets is happiness.

Why lend any more money to Europe when we can waste it to better advantage right here at home!

Plenty of Americans worry this week about going to the poor house and not being able to buy an automobile.

Most men know by this time whether the moths got much enjoyment out of their overcoat last summer.

With the new year still in the opening stages, we are wondering who will let it go by without trying to put a new gadget into the Constitution.

Just because you look down on the other fellow is no reason the other fellow is looking up to you. No, not by a darn sight!

Plenty of the oldsters who went to school were taught "knowledge is power." Today their children believe everything is horsepower.

Pavement Pickups

Raymond Gaede admitted the other day he had discovered that live was very much like life insurance: the older one got the more it cost.

"Pardon, Madam," exclaimed Irvin St. Clair the other day, as a customer picked up an article from the counter and started out. "This is the hat you just bought; that's the box it came in; you're wearing."

Attorney Pat R. Bobo, who has

Bailey County—GREETING: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Bailey, State of Texas, if there be a newspaper published in said county (but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published), for four (4) consecutive days previous to the return day hereof, of you, summon E. O. Leddy, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries of the said E. O. Leddy, their unknown heirs, and unknown legal representatives of all of said unknown heirs and other persons who are devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries under the will of said E. O. Leddy, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the District Court in and for the County of Bailey at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Muleshoe, on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1939, being the 1 day of said month, file number being 1172, then and there to answer the petition of Berta Miller, a feme sole, filed in said Court, on the 18 day of February, A. D. 1939, against E. O. Leddy, and his unknown heirs, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries of the said E. O. Leddy, their unknown heirs, and unknown legal representatives of all of said unknown heirs, and other persons who are devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries under the will of the said E. O. Leddy, and alleging in substance as follows:—

(Certified copy of Plaintiff's Original Petition is hereto attached and made a part hereof.)
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF BAILEY

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS
TO THE SAID HONORABLE COURT:

Now comes Berta Miller, a feme sole, acting on behalf and in and separate estate, who resides in Bailey County, Texas, hereinafter styled Plaintiff, complaining of M. E. Ellis, who resides in the State of Arizona, and E. O. Leddy, who did reside in Kiowa County, Oklahoma, but whose present address is unknown, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries of the said E. O. Leddy, their unknown heirs, and unknown legal representatives of all of said unknown heirs, and other persons who are devisees, legatees, and beneficiaries under the will of said E. O. Leddy, who are unknown, and for cause of action respectively show the court, as follows:

That on or about the 5th day of January, A. D. 1939, plaintiff was the owner and holder, in fee simple of the hereinafter described lands, to-wit: all of lots 1 and 11, in League 171, Hale County School lands, in Bailey County, Texas;

That on the day said year aforesaid, defendants unlawfully entered upon said lands, and ejected plaintiff therefrom, and unlawfully retains possession of said lands to her damage in the sum of one thousand and 00/100 dollars.

That the annual rental value of said lands is \$750.00.

That this action is brought as well to try the title, as for damages. And further pleading, plaintiff alleges that she, and those under whom she claims, have had peaceful and adverse possession of all of said lands and premises under title and color of title continuously for three years after cause of action accrued against them;

That she, and those under whom she claims, have had and held peaceable and adverse possession of the same with it enclosed, cultivated, sown, and claiming under deeds duly registered, continuously for five years after cause of action accrued against them;

That she, and those under whom she claims have had and held continuously for ten years, peaceful and adverse possession thereof, having the same enclosed, cultivated, using, and enjoying the same for said time, after cause of action accrued against them.

Make Every Farm a Factory Every Day of the Year

CONFIDENCE

The banking business is built on confidence—your confidence that the bank will keep your funds safely and readily available for your use and the banks confidence in the future of the community and the integrity of it's citizens.

We have confidence in Bailey county, and it's citizens and are proud of the fact that the people of Bailey county have had confidence in our services during the past years.

Muleshoe State Bank
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION
MULESHOE, TEXAS

Wherefore, plaintiff prays for citation, and upon final hearing, that a judgment for the title and possession of said lands, for her rental damages, and costs of suit, and citation by publication as against the named defendants except the defendant, M. E. Ellis, and for such other and further relief, special, and general, in law, and equity, as she may show herself justly entitled to, and in duty bound will ever pray.

James A. Gowdy, attorney for the plaintiff, Berta Miller, a feme sole.
THE STATE OF TEXAS
County of Bailey.

I, J. J. Williams, Clerk of the County Court of Bailey County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of Original Petition in Cause No. 1172, Filed in District Court, Styled Berta Miller, vs. M. E. Ellis, et al, as the same appears now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court at office in Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas, this 18 day of February, A. D. 1939.

J. J. Williams, Clerk of the District Court, Bailey County, Texas.
By Bonnie Isaacs, Deputy.
(SEAL)

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have then and there before said Court writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the said WITNESS, J. J. Williams, Clerk of the District Court of Bailey County, Texas.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court in Muleshoe, Texas, on the 18 day of February, A. D. 1939.
J. J. Williams, Clerk, District Court, Bailey Co., Texas.
By Bonnie Isaacs, Deputy.
(SEAL)
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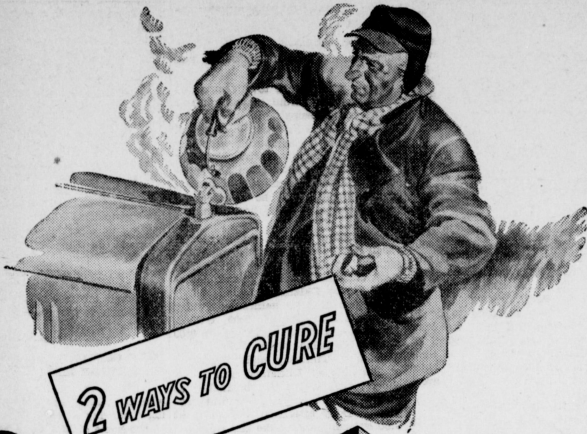
THE VISION

Columbus had a vision. Believed the world was round. With Spanish ships he sailed. And America was found; The Oceans have been conquered. And now from foreign shore Good things to eat, in season, Are kept at Beavers' Store.

It may be good and not so good, but it can't be ours and not be good.

We expect to have HOT SPECIALS for Trades Day! Phone No. 2 BEAVER'S GROCERY & MARKET Muleshoe, Texas

**FILL UP WITH PHILLIPS "66" AT
Phillips Service Station, On Main Street**



Starting Trouble

DOES your engine merely groan when you touch the starter button?

THE WRONG WAY to remedy the trouble is to yank the choke until a pool of gasoline gathers underneath the car... jump up and down on the starter until the poor battery gives up the ghost... burn your fingers pouring hot water into the radiator.

THE RIGHT WAY, the easy way, is to keep the tank filled with Phillips 66 Poly Gas, which is extra high test without extra cost. This high test does the trick every

time, because any engine in good mechanical condition will start provided that the gasoline in the tank is "hot" enough.

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The Baltic Countries
The Baltic countries are the republics of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania on the east shore of the Baltic sea.

Shocks From Earthquakes
Volcanic shocks from earthquakes are seldom as serious as those caused by the slipping of rocks along a fault line.

Pneumonia Ranks 2nd Cause of Death In State Of Texas

Austin, Feb. 21.—Pneumonia is a seasonal disease in that its incidence and mortality are much increased during wet, cold weather," according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer. Last week 294 cases of pneumonia were reported to the State Health department. The disease is most prevalent and serious in urban centers where contact with people is most frequent. Pneumonia is always dangerous; but it is especially so to persons in a run-down condition. This accounts for the number of cases following illness from some other disease.

The germs that cause pneumonia are spread by careless coughers, sneezers, spitters and objects they thus infect. The first symptoms are usually a severe chill and fever, a very sick feeling, loss of appetite, rapid breathing and a heavy sensation in the chest. Sometimes coughing brings up blood from the inflamed lungs. Any of these symptoms should be the signal for going to bed at once and sending for your family doctor.

The rules and prevention of other respiratory diseases apply to pneumonia. These rules should become personal habits and not put on or off at times of prevalence or absence of disease. Persons should avoid careless coughers and sneezers even if it means urduence. Wash your hands thoroughly before each meal. Keep your hands, pencils, money and such objects away from your mouth and nose. Get plenty of fresh air day and night. Exercise and eat in moderation and wear clothing suitable for the weather.

Pneumonia ranks second as a cause of death in Texas. In 1938 5,432 persons died of this disease. It should be remembered that contagious and infectious diseases cannot be decreased or eliminated without the cooperation of the people and this means the people who are sick with contagious and infectious diseases should be isolated and visited as little as possible by relatives and friends.

YOUTH'S CRUSADE AT PLAINVIEW

A Youth Crusade meeting for members of Young People's departments, Methodist churches, this district, will be held at the Methodist church, Plainview, Monday evening of next week. Several members of the local Young People's department are planning to attend.

AGRICULTURAL BRIEFS

By FINLEY WHITE
Bailey Co. Farm Agent

The Dairy Show

Time and tide are two things that wait for no man. So, if we don't want to be left behind we must keep up with the times.

The time for the South Plains Dairy show at Plainview is rapidly approaching. It is to be held early in April. To date Bailey County does not have a single entry in the show. Surely there must be some progressive dairymen in Bailey county who appreciate the benefits accruing from exhibiting at a show like this. There is no other way to gain publicity for the county and the exhibitor that costs so little as showing quality cattle at this show. This show is open for Jerseys, Guernseys, Holsteins and milking Shorthorns. The writer is especially anxious to contact dairymen of the county who have animals worthy to be exhibited at the Plainview show. Drop in and let's discuss this show—maybe you will learn something you didn't know.

4-H Club Work

The youth of today will be the adults of a few years hence. It has long been proven that the outstanding 4-H Club boys and girls grow into the outstanding men and women of their communities. For this reason the County Agent is especially anxious to carry on a 4-H club program that will be a credit to Bailey county and a help to the youth of the county.

Since the present County Agent is a new hand on the job and not too well acquainted with what work has been done in the 4-H line here, he is especially anxious to contact all boys who are now carrying on 4-H demonstrations and those who anticipate carrying on demonstrations this year. It will be appreciated if each boy interested in 4-H club work will contact the County Agent as soon as it is possible to do so.

A series of meetings is being scheduled for the various communities in the near future and club work will be discussed at these meetings. Watch for the meeting date in your community and be sure to attend.

Castor Beans Again

A couple of weeks ago this column carried some information on castor beans as a new commercial crop for Bailey county. Since that time some very interesting developments have taken place in the castor bean world. Many of the leading chemical companies and research laboratories of the country have put their stamp of approval on the possibilities of this new industry. The U. S. imports from South America many hundreds of tons of castor beans each year. Is there any valid reason why our North American farmers shouldn't produce these beans at home?

A reputable firm has offered to furnish the seed beans and purchase the output. This firm is willing to enter into a written contract with growers of Bailey county to purchase their output as much as 200 acres are grown in the county. To date we have signed up 50 acres for 1939 plantings. If you are interested in this new cash crop, please drop by this office and let us get you lined up.

The acreage devoted to castor beans will take the same classification under the A. A. A. program as acreage devoted to maize. The yield per acre ranges from 25 to 75 bushels, depending upon the farmer and the season.

Did You Know That—
Black-leaf-40 is an A-1 remedy for worming poultry and hogs?

Contoured land not only holds the water where it falls, but it also checks the velocity of the wind and prevents land erosion.

Home grown feeds marketed through live stock bring better prices than when sold in the bundle.

A closely culled flock of hens properly fed will pay more dividends than a flock of borders.

A dairy cow is a manufacturing plant and can turn out a finished product only in the proportion that she receives raw materials.

40 Rabbits Eat As Much As One Cow Kill All Now!

Rabbit drives to eliminate these pestiferous quadrupeds and save trees, crops and conning gardens have already been started in several New Mexico communities and there has been some preliminary discussion regarding drives in this area. So detrimental have these little voracious creatures become in some sections of the neighboring states that great trap enclosures with wide-spread wings of close woven wire leading to them have been constructed into which the animals are driven by men and boys who spread out over a wide area, gradually drawing in corner formation as they approach the traps.

For years past rabbits have been known as quite a pest to farmer and rancher interests; but it remains for the Biological Survey officials to advise that eight jackrabbits will eat as much as one sheep or 40 jackrabbits will consume as much as one cow. Since the jackrabbit is strictly a vegetarian, farmers are feeding this rodent part of every crop raised. Therefore, the less number of these imposters to be fed, the more saving in crops.

Not only is the rabbit detrimental to crops; but also to planted young trees.



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In this area especially, where shelterbelts have been planted to protect farm lands, these four-legged rodents have proven quite detrimental in peeling the bark from young trees, if not absolutely killing them, at least stunting their growth considerably.

The Biological Survey not only insists upon the destruction of rabbits, but also urges the protection of bird life as being of inestimable value to farmers in destruction of insects damaging to crops. Farmers are being urged to leave little patches of shrubbery in corners and otherwise more or less inaccessible places to cultivation that quail and other birds may find nesting places, many also building nests in shelterbelt areas.

HONOR ROLL WILSON SCHOOL

For Third Six Weeks—
Seventh Grade, A—Louise Martin, Wynon Smith; A and B—Mary Nell Richards, Wanda Mae Johnson, Dorothy Kelley.

Sixth Grade, A and B—Annie Mae McWatters, Lena Fae Fleming, Francis Dupler.

Fifth Grade, A and B—Evelyn Fae Johnson, Ruth Shaw, Verlene Vandandingham.

Fourth Grade, A and B—Ruth Warton, Mary Beth Toombs, Billy Wayne Flankin.

Third Grade, A and B—Oney Ball, Kenneth Smith, Floyd Fleming.

Second Grade, A—Helen Ruth Penney; A and B—Lillian Carter, Bonnie Jean Garvin, Troy Lee Coon, Hazel McWatters, Urdene Bomer, Billie Joe Gandy, Billy Stafford.

First Grade, A and B—Maxine Swaffar, Lonnie Ray Vandandingham, Gordon Lee Blaylock, De Royce Ezzell, B—R. H. Baker, Gilbert Dupler.—Reporter.

MISS SHARP PLEDGED TO PI ZETA KAPPA

At a special dinner given in honor of 14 young women attending the Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha, Okla., last week, Miss Ora Sharp,

daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Jim H. Sharp, this city, was one of the honorees.

The Pi Zeta Kappa, to which the young ladies were pledged, is one of the national honorary religious societies of that college, having considerable prestige throughout the nation. Members are obtained from selection and based on character and scholarship.

BEGIN WIDENING HIGHWAY NO. 7

A crew of WPA workmen this morning began widening the pavement on State Highway No. 7, beginning at the east Bailey county line. The pavement will be made six feet wider on each side a total of 34 feet, for four miles extending west, to be carried on through the county later, according to C. S. Holland, superintendent.

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NEW STYLES

St. Clair's Variety store, undoubtedly the leading store in Muleshoe, is rapidly filling its shelves, racks and counters with the very latest creations of Dame Fashion for 1939. A few of the arrivals are here listed.

House Dresses

Beautiful Spring Creations of 80-square Prints, all brand new styles, sizes 14 to 42, only ea. **.59**

Wash Silk and Crepe Dresses, new styles and patterns, big variety from which to choose, each **\$1.98**

Virginia Hart Dresses, complete new line, wide assortment of selections, each **\$1.98**

Slack Suits for Women and Misses, including matched pants and shirt, in colors **\$2.95**



BLOUSES for women and misses, silk, rayon, other materials, all 1939 Spring styles, each **\$1.00 and \$1.49**
MESH HOSE for women and misses, Spring styles and shades, pr. **\$1.49**
SHOES, for women and misses, all new stock, nifty Spring styles. Come in and see them!
HATS for Men, fur-felt, exceptional quality, all Spring shades and styles, each **\$1.98**
CHINESE CHECKER Games, per set **25c, 50c and 98c**
OVERALL Slacks for women and misses, each **\$1.00**

St. Clair Variety Store

Muleshoe,

Texas

LOCALS

● Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cox were Sudan visitors last Sunday afternoon.

● Mr. and Mrs. Fere Little were Littlefield visitors last Sunday afternoon.

● Miss Betty McLarty of Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe the guest of Miss Glenna Kennedy.

● Mrs. K. K. Smith and her mother, Mrs. Laura Morris were in Plainview, Tuesday on business.

● Mrs. J. H. Sharp went to Plainview Friday of last week to attend a district Methodist Missionary meeting.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Koen of Clovis, N. M., visited in Muleshoe Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lenau.

● Mr. and Mrs. Chester Anderson had as their guests Sunday his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson of Portales, N. M.

● H. L. Wilson and Joe Warren of Lubbock, were in Muleshoe on business Friday of last week.

● Miss Helen Jones visited in Clovis, N. M., Sunday afternoon with her sister and friends.

● Mrs. Lela Barron and daughter, Miss Lela, and Mrs. L. S. Barron were Clovis, N. M. visitors Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lenau were Clovis, N. M., visitors, Sunday afternoon.

● Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Neely and children of Littlefield, visited relatives and friends here Sunday.

● C. E. King, last week began construction of a four room modern residence in the west addition of Muleshoe, located just north of his home.

● Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baird of Snyder, Oklahoma, were here Thursday of last week interested in purchasing land in Bailey county.

● FOR SALE: Acala Cotton seed, from 1-1-32 & 1-1-16 in, staple, gov. graded \$1.00 per bu. sacked, reclaimed, H. M. Gable, 10 mi. N. E. Muleshoe. 3-14tp

● Cecil Boyles of Canyon City, Colorado, has been visiting in Muleshoe for the past few days with homefolks and friends, he being a former citizen here.

● Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts, Miss Hazel Nelson and Francis Gilbreath were Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday evening.

● Mrs. Radie Boone, who is attending West Texas State college at Canyon, spent the week here visiting relatives and friends.

● Six weeks examinations are being given in the Muleshoe schools this week beginning Tuesday and continuing until this weekend. Report cards will be issued next week.

● HEAR "Stuttering Sam" KGNC star at School auditorium here Thursday night, March 2.

● Perry L. Fort and E. A. Harless of Watson, attended to business and visited various acquaintances here Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mrs. Neil Rockey returned home to Muleshoe Sunday afternoon from Lubbock, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Howard Elliott a few days.

● Roger Harvey, principal of the Walden school in south Bailey county, attended to business in Muleshoe Saturday afternoon of last week.

● FOR SALE: Modern home and lots, known as the H. G. Hocking property, \$1,400 cash. Write HOWARD HOCKING, Albion, Illinois. 5-2tp

● Mrs. J. M. Isaacs, of Lubbock, has been visiting in Muleshoe for the past few days in the home of her son, Albert Isaacs, and family.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Danning of Amarillo, attended to business and visited various friends in Muleshoe the latter part of last week.

● Francis Miller of Sudan, was in Muleshoe attending to business and visiting Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Jack Marcum of Lubbock, was in Muleshoe attending to business and visiting friends Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. Harold Griffiths and daughter of Bledsoe, spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stevens.

● Bill Lambert is this week constructing a new modern home on main street in Muleshoe, a block south of the old bank building.

● Mrs. H. A. Robb will be hostess to members of the Needlecraft art club at her home, at the regular meeting, Thursday afternoon of this week.

● Pat R. Bobo left last Saturday for Rhome, near Fort Worth, to assist his father in properly observing his 83rd birthday anniversary.

● ST-T-UTTERING Sam will stutter and sling saliva, performing other chin excursions here next Thursday night. Don't miss him! 5-1tc

● The Bailey county farm agents' office, located in the old bank building in Muleshoe, has been repainted and redecorated which is considerably improving the appearance of the interior.

● Mrs. Anna F. Moeller, son Walter, and daughter, Miss Betty Ruth, attended church and visited their daughter and sister, respectively, Mrs. Jimmy Singer in Littlefield, Sunday.

● Mr. and Mrs. Levi Churchill made a business trip to Plainview Friday of last week, while there visiting their daughter, Miss Grace Churchill who is attending a business college.

● Millard Moore and Mrs. J. R. Moore left Tuesday morning for Albuquerque, N. M., on business and to visit another of Mrs. Moore's sons who is in a hospital there.

● J. R. Sheriff, who has resided in the West Camp community for several years, last week sold his farm and purchased land a few miles southeast of Lubbock.

● Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hackley of Dallas were in Muleshoe on business and looking after land interests in southern Bailey county the latter part of last week.

● SPECIAL: Star Telegram for 10 months, Daily and Sunday \$6.20, with Muleshoe Journal 1 year, \$6.70. Daily without Sunday, 10 months, \$5.20, with Muleshoe Journal, 1 year, \$5.70.

● Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gaede of Dallas, visited here the latter part of last week with homefolks and friends, also, with his father A. C. Gaede who has been in a Lubbock sanitarium for treatment for the past several days.

● Mrs. R. B. Dennis and little daughter left Monday morning for Bryan to visit their daughter and sister, respectively, Mrs. Euell Porter, for a few days. Mrs. Porter was formerly Miss Catherine Dennis.

● A marriage license was issued in Muleshoe Friday night of last week by J. J. Williams, county clerk to Miss Eva Newell and George Brock of Lubbock. The couple was married here at the Methodist parsonage by Rev. J. H. Sharp.

● Misses Mildred Miller, Muleshoe, and Mary Rankin, Y. L., were in Abernathy Saturday, attending a meeting of the Iota Gamma Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma. A luncheon was served and seven new members initiated. The next meeting will be April 15, in Sudan.

● Mrs. Oia O'Donnell who has been visiting here from Abilene, entertained her daughter, Mrs. Bill Booth, with a taco supper in Muleshoe, Wednesday evening of last week. The occasion was to celebrate the honoree's birthday anniversary.

● Judge M. G. Miller, County Commissioner Johnnie Williams left Monday morning for Austin to arrange for another WPA job for Bailey county. State Highway No. 214 improvement work will soon be finished. Mr. Williams daughter accompanied them on the trip.

● Carl Modest and A. X. Erickson of

THE JOURNAL'S Weekly Scrapbook

Week's Best Recipe
Banana Muffin powder, 1-3 cups flour, 2 tsp. baking powder, 1-3 tsp. soda; 1-2 tsp. grated orange rind, 2-3 tsp. salt, -2 cup brown sugar, 1 egg beaten, 1 cup mashed bananas, 2 tpsps. sour cream, 3 tpsps. fat melted; mix ingredients and half-fill greased muffin pans. Bake 20 min. in moderate oven. If sour cream is not available, put 1-2 tsp. vinegar in 1-1-2 tpsps. sweet cream. After one minute it will be sour. You can add 1-3 cup broken nuts to muffins.

Sewing Machine Care
 If you are having trouble with your sewing machine and it runs with difficulty, remove the shuttle, fill oil can with alcohol and apply freely to all parts where oil has been used and, while doing so, run the machine at high speed to heat the machinery, constantly applying alcohol. It will cut out all gummy oil and leave the machine like new. Wipe well. When ready to use again, oil as usual.

For Poor Lighting
 When you have something to do in the evening and the light for your work is poor, place a large sheet of white paper on the table. The light from the lamp shining on the white paper gives extra light and is a great help for threading the needle.

Kitchen Tricks
 Use a solution of washing soda to remove foods that have been burned into enamel cooking utensils. . . . Cook corn, beans, and peas, add to white sauce and pour over toast, making a good luncheon dish. . . . Use scissors to remove seeds and pulp from green peppers when they are being prepared for stuffing. . . . The only sensible place for the refrigerator is as far from the stove as possible. . . . Add flavoring to foods when they are cool. If the food is hot, much of the flavoring will vanish in steam. This is of no use to baked foods, however.

To Clean Marble
 Cover the marble with a paste made by mixing together 2 tpsps. soda, 1 tsp. salt and 1 tsp. powdered pumice stone. After enough water to make a cream. When paste is dry, rub it off with a cloth. Wash the marble with soap and water.

HART CO. WINTER OF GIFT REFRIGERATOR

The E. R. Hart Co., is in receipt of a beautiful six foot size refrigerator, electric type, of a prominent make, for which they have the agency, and which was recently won by the concern's representatives, Howard Carlyle and Chester Anderson at a company demonstration recently held at Plainview.

This type refrigerator, according to Mr. Carlyle, represents the very latest scientific advances in refrigeration, the mechanism being of the hermetically sealed type of welded steel, said to operate many years without any attention of any kind.

A special low-priced number is being manufactured for homes of modest incomes, Carlyle said, this number, the same as larger ones, containing all the refinements and improvements made for 1939 accommodations. A greatly increased volume of business is anticipated for the coming season, Carlyle said.

LITTLEFIELD BUSINESS MAN BUYS JOHN DEERE AGENCY

A deal was closed last Friday of this week whereby W. H. Parsons, for the past four years local dealer for the John Deere Co., tractors and farming implements, sold the agency to Carl Lambert of Littlefield.

Mr. Lambert comes to Muleshoe well recommended by his fellow citizens in Littlefield where for several years past he has been in the lumber and implement business. He assumed charge of the agency here last Wednesday.

Mr. Parsons before entering the machinery business was for more than five years engaged in the grocery business here. While his future business plans are not yet definite, he states he plans remaining in Muleshoe.

MRS. TATE HOSTESS TO THE TRIPLE-4

Mrs. Cecil Tate entertained members of the Triple-4 club Friday afternoon of last week with a theatre party at Clovis, N. M., after which the group went to the Fox Drug for refreshments.

Attending were Mesdames Horace Holt, A. E. Lewis, Morris Douglass, H. E. Williams, Lucille Rockey, Sam Fox, Harold Wyr and Finley Pierson.

Members of the club will be entertained by Mrs. H. E. Williams at their next meeting Friday afternoon, March 3.

CHURCH GIVES PLAY AT TWO POINTS

Young people of Y. L. community are preparing 3-act play with 14 people in the cast to be given Wednesday night, March 1 at Progress auditorium, and the following night at the Y. L. school auditorium.

The play is of the comedy-drama type, said to be filled with interesting laughs and half-lifting thrills. It is entitled "The Whole Town is Broke."

A small admission will be charged proceeds going to benefit of the Methodist church at Y. L.

Denver, Colo., Bailey county land owners, were here Tuesday looking after farm business, going on to Clovis, N. M., to look after other business affairs, they being connected with the potash project at that point.

Advertising makes money circulate.

Outside BB Tourney To Begin Here On Thursday Night

Teams who will participate in an independent basketball tournament to be held at the Muleshoe High school gymnasium this weekend, beginning Thursday night are: Amherst, Bula, Farwell, Lazbuddie, Littlefield, Progress, Oklahoma Lane, Spring Lake, Sudan and Muleshoe.

Teams entering are town teams and those organized from players outside of the school teams.

Walter Moeller has been in charge of arrangements and preparing schedules of games. Members of the Muleshoe Parent-Teachers association are sponsoring the tournament and a percent of the proceeds will be received for useful benefits of the school organization.

Schedules of games for the girls division is as follows: Thursday night beginning at 7:00 o'clock, Sudan and Bula. Beginning at 9:00 o'clock, Muleshoe against Oklahoma Lane.

Schedule of boys games is: Friday afternoon beginning at 2:00 o'clock, Amherst and Bula; beginning at 8:00 o'clock Thursday night, Farwell and Lazbuddie; Thursday night beginning at 10:00 o'clock, Littlefield and Muleshoe; Friday afternoon, beginning at 3:00 o'clock Oklahoma Lane and Progress; Friday afternoon, beginning at 5:00 o'clock, Spring Lake and Sudan.

Final games in both divisions will be played Saturday afternoon, immediately after trophies will be awarded winning teams.

Players who will battle on the Muleshoe boys team are: Fere Little, Walter Moeller, Frank Prescott, Neal Prescott, Bert Renfrow, C. E. Stevens, Don Moore and Myron Bayles.

The Muleshoe girls team is a fast moving and winning group. Among those who have been playing in previous games are: Mrs. Fere Little, Mrs. Buford Butts, Miss Ruby Sterling, Mrs. Clyde Holt, Miss Carrie Agnes Lee, Miss Hazel Nelson, Miss Naomi Harper, Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, Miss Theda Wossam, Mrs. Gladys McWilliams, Miss Elsie Turpin and others.

A SUB-DEB CLUB IS ORGANIZED

A sub-deb club was organized here Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Joan Damron and officers elected as follows: Mary Dennis, president; Hattie Ray Griffiths, corresponding secretary; Joan Damron, recording secretary; Lela Mae Barron, treasurer.

A committee composed of Dorothy Mae Schuster, Lela Mae Barron, Nona Fay Johnson was named for program arrangement.

After discussing future plans, the meeting adjourned to a local drug store for cold drinks and refreshments.

Official Tells Of Crippled Children Work At Marlin

Friday night of last week at the Muleshoe High school auditorium, V. B. Watson, supervisor vocational rehabilitation, state department of education, from Lubbock, delivered an interesting talk on the home for crippled children at Marlin.

He was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Crooks of the hospital at Marlin.

Pictures of different types of work being done in the hospital for crippled children were shown and explained in detail.

Seven children from Bailey county have been treated at the above mentioned hospital for various ailments, and it was mentioned by Mr. Watson that at present there was a large list of children waiting for admittance to the institution to receive treatment, according to report.

Dr. H. E. Hipp of the home for crippled children at Marlin had planned to be here Friday evening of last week to give an address, but due to emergency business at the hospital he was unable to be present, according to information.

HALF CENTURY CLUB IN REGULAR MEET

Members of the Half Century club were entertained in their regular meeting Thursday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mardis.

A delightful and pleasant afternoon was spent by guests playing Chinese checkers and other games.

Members attending were Mesdames T. O. Eason, Alex Paul, Mary S. Davis, Cora Gliven, Beulah Carles, Clara Young, J. F. Wallace and Joel Lee.

LAZBUDDY MERCHANT DIED SUNDAY NIGHT

Claude Bowers for the past two years or more a grocerymen in Lazbuddie community, died unexpectedly last Sunday night.

Bowers had been sick for a few days from flu; but was not considered seriously ill. Sunday night he was taken with convulsions, according to report, supposedly caused from cerebral hemorrhage, dying shortly afterwards and before the doctor could return to his bedside.

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