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By F. O. Alexander

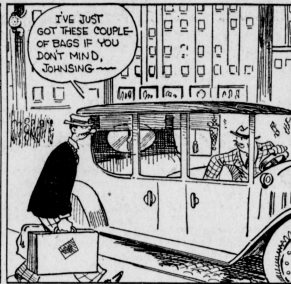


Finney Supplies the "Motif"



THE FEATHERHEADS

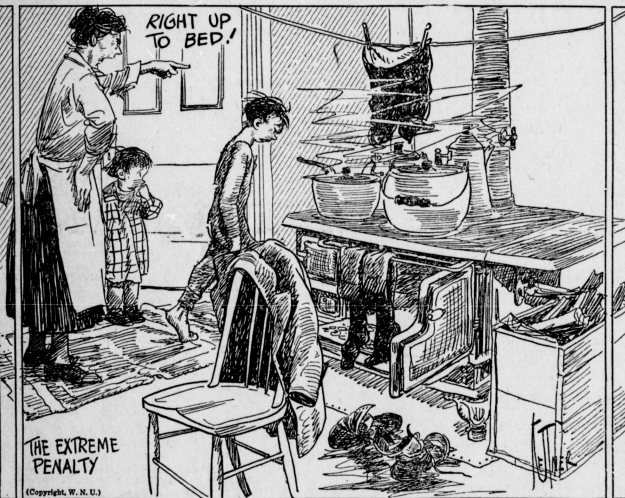
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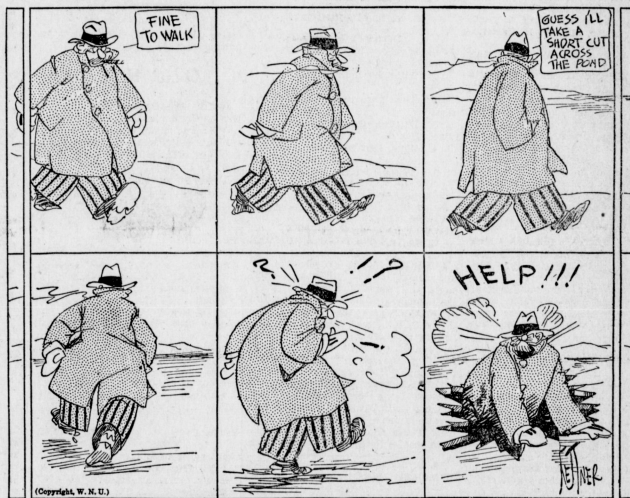
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Events in the Lives of Little Men



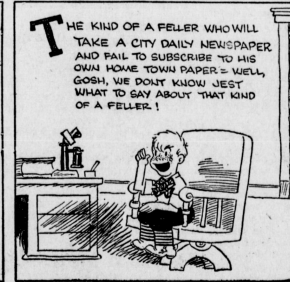
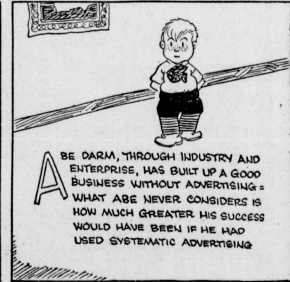
Our Pet Peeve



MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughro

Shop Talk



The Clancy Kids



His Me Started a Scrub Team

By PERCY L. CROSBY

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CHAPTER VII—Continued

"I had some trouble with my car, down the road," he said finally. He glanced at Dale again. "I came to ask if I might telephone."

sheel that had been Richard Fleming. He turned the body half over—it sank back on its face. For a moment he glanced at the corner of the blue print in his hand—then at the doctor. Then he stood aside.

"Isn't that true?" demanded Anderson. Dale already felt the cold clasp of handcuffs on his wrists. What use of denial, when every tiny circumstance was so leagued against her?

doctor and Beresford who had just returned, with Jack Bailey, from their brief conference in Fleming's body in a temporary resting place in the library.

"Doctor, have you a revolver?" Anderson seemed to be going over the possibilities of his defense against this new peril.

HOUSE-WORK TIRED HER Finds Aid in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Relief from Kidney and Bladder Troubles and Headaches

Seals Punctures Wanted Representative in Your Community

"FUZZY" tastes in the mouth of motorists

"Perfume Creation of Maryland" LOVE DROPS

Write for NEW CATALOG

Best Way to Kill Rats and Mice

Quickly Relieves Rheumatic Pains 12 Days' Free Trial

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Comments on Britons' Lack of Individuality

Among the visitors to this country just arrived from the West is a man who left England 35 years ago.

Bird Has Wide Range

The sora is a bird of the rail family. This is a swamp bird that lives entirely in marshes, usually fresh or brackish waters, and ranges over the entire North American continent.

Weight of Words

The domestic efficiency expert will have to invent a new set of scales for the weighing of words.

**The Muleshoe Journal**

C. S. HOLLAND, Editor

Entered as second-class matter at the Muleshoe Postoffice under the Act of Congress, March 3, 1879.

Resolutions, Cards of Thanks, etc., are charged for at the rate of 10 cents per line.

Classified ads, 10 cents per line. Advertising Rates on application.

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

In Bailey County, 1 Year .....\$1.50  
Outside of County.....\$2.00

**MORE CROSSINGS**

According to statistics, for every railroad grade-crossing eliminated in 1927, three more were created. The new ones came because so many cities are being opened up in all parts of the country, and so many cities are finding it necessary to open up and extend new streets.

At the same time that grade-crossings are being tripled the number of automobiles is being increased at the rate of between three and four million a year. The result is that the chances of being killed in an auto at a grade-crossing are more than three times as great this year as last, and that certainly is something for every motorist to think of. Any man who drives a car these days must do so with far greater care than was necessary a few years ago. He must remember that railroad trains cannot fly and that at some time or another he is bound to cross their tracks. It is absolutely necessary, therefore, if he values his life, to keep both eyes open, to slow down at crossings and, if he wants to be still more certain of avoiding an accident, to shift into second or low gear before driving over the tracks.

We are now approaching the season when motorizing will be at its height. There will be more railroads crossed by autos because more people will be taking extended trips. So the necessity for care, especially at railroad crossings, should be apparent to every driver who values his life and who wants to live to drive some other day.

**IT'S EXPENSIVE**

If we are to believe Red Cross officials, and there is no reason why we should not, illness brings physicians of the U. S. \$1,500,000 daily. And it costs \$3,000,000 a day to maintain all the hospitals in the U. S. in which sick are treated. But that isn't the worst feature, for many more millions are lost in wages to the patients themselves. Sickness is a costly thing any way.

**FOR SALE**—115 head of sheep, including bucks, ewes and lambs. This bunch is all good sheep, thrifty and ready for pasture. O. C. Essary, 12 miles south and 1 mile west of Muleshoe.

**FOR SALE**—8 Poland China Shoats cheap. D. J. Harris, 4 miles east of town.

**WANTED**—Young ladies to enter the Plainview Sanitarium training school for nurses. Phone or write the superintendent. Plainview Sanitarium, Plainview, Texas.

**Jeff D. Bryant & Son**  
Disc Rolling

10,000 TURKEY EGGS WANTED for hatching. We pay express charges. Write and send your prices to Smith-Mathews Hatchery, Ardmore, Okla.

way you look at it, and when we know that long months, maybe years, of suffering can result from a common cold it is a wonder that there is any necessity for warnings along about this time of year. But some people will not heed, no matter how often or how clear the warning; they subject themselves to colds, catch them and suffer the consequences. Every spring we warn citizens to guard against colds, and we can't refrain from doing so again. Sickness resulting from them is too expensive for the community as well as the victim, to pass by unnoticed.

Editor—"We are sorry to lose your subscription, Sam. What's the matter Don't you like our politics?"  
Sam—"Tain't dat, seh, tain't dat. Mah wife jes' been an' dum landed a job o' wuk foh me by advertisin' in yoh darn ol' papah."

Give old Mother Eve credit for one thing, when Adam got in from work every evening she didn't kiss him to get a smell of his breath and see if he had been eating apples again."

C. H. Whitehead left today for Johnson, Kansas.

Mrs. H. C. Henington returned Thursday from a visit with relatives in White Deer.

G. B. Prather of the Fairview community was in town Wednesday.

W. T. Black left Monday for a business trip to Roaring Springs.

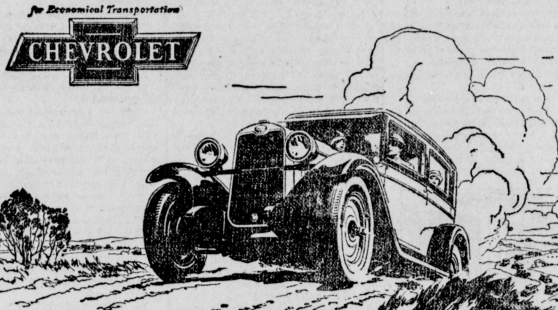
Vote Winn drove to Canyon Sunday, returning Monday with his wife and young son.

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All Kinds Written, Old Line Connections

**J. E. ALDRIDGE**

Office at the Blackwater Valley State Bank



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The COACH \$585

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- The 4-Door \$675
- The Sedan \$665
- The Sport \$665
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- The Landau \$715
- The Utility Truck \$495 (Chassis Only)
- Light Delivery \$375 (Chassis Only)

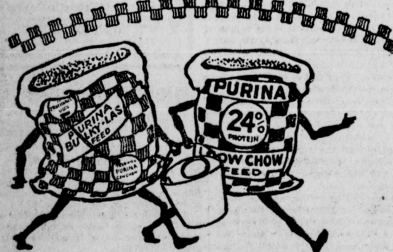
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Nine million people saw the Bigger and Better Chevrolet the first three days following its public presentation! Thousands have been delivered to buyers every day since! There are a quarter million now on the road! And its popularity is increasing every day because it is smoother, more powerful and more beautiful—easier to drive and more comfortable—and lower in price!

Never in history has any new Chevrolet model been so enthusiastically received—because no new model has ever represented a more amazing revelation in beauty, performance and quality! Come in—drive this sensational new car. Learn why it is everywhere hailed as the world's most luxurious low-priced automobile.

**Valley Motor Co.**

QUALITY AT LOW COST



**Change 2 Gallon Cows to 3 Gallon Cows!**

Purina Cow Chow makes milk—lots of milk—when you feed Bulk-Las to take care of the body maintenance.

Bulky-Las is made to go with Cow Chow. If you are feeding hulls, add Bulky-Las to keep the cow's body healthy, and where hay is scarce Bulky-Las will supply the needed bulk cheaper.

Feed Cow Chow and Bulky-Las together and make more milk at less cost per gallon.

**Bailey County Elevator**



MANY PRIZE FIGHTS HAVE BEEN WON ON FOWLS. MANY OF THE "BATTLES FOR A LIVING" HAVE BEEN WON ON "FOWLS".

THE "FOWL" IS FAIR ENOUGH. SHE ASKS NO SALARY. NO TRANSPORTATION. AND NO CLOTHES. ALL SHE ASKS IS BOARD AND ROOM TO GROW FAT FOR YOU OR YOUR MARKET.

NO OTHER INVESTMENT ON EARTH WILL RETURN A HIGHER RATE OF EARNING THAN POULTRY AND DON'T FORGET. THIS ALSO INCLUDES THE TURKEY.

WANT MORE? MAKE US HELP YOU!

**Blackwater Valley State Bank**  
"Little for Safety."

**Yes Sir---**

We handle Conoco Gas and Oils—Also Tires, Tubes and Accessories, and it is a Pleasure to Serve you.

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**BABY CHIX AND CUSTOM HATCHING**

Eggs accepted Saturday and Wednesday. Custom Hatching, \$3.50 per 1000 eggs. Baby Chicks, \$12.50 to \$15.00 Satisfaction Guaranteed

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**C. F. MOELLER SYSTEM**

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**GROCERIES**

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Abstract, Loan, all kinds of Insurance and Conveyancing. All matters pertaining to land titles given prompt attention

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**Specials**

For Friday and Saturday

These are only a few of our Specials. We will also have a good assortment of Fresh Vegetables.

- Apple Bntter QUART CANS ..... 25c
- Tamales NO. 2 CANS ..... 18c
- Sardines AMERICAN ..... 5c
- Syrup LOG CABIN, QUART SIZE ..... 30c
- Extract \$1.00 BOTTLE ADAMS BEST ..... 90c

Always A Good Selection of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Use Your Telephone Convenience

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**Gupton Grocery Company**



Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Woolper of Long Beach California, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Klister and family.

H. R. Hart Lumber Company gave a demonstration yesterday of their new McCormick-Deering Combine, this is one of the newest machines with many improvements over the first model that was placed on the market.

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(A Modern Fireproof Building,  
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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat  
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MISS MABEL MCLENDON  
X-Ray and Laboratory  
C. E. HUNT  
Business Manager  
A chartered Training School for Nurses is conducted in connection with the Sanitarium. Young women who desire to enter training may address the Lubbock Sanitarium.

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Practice in All  
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MULESHOE, TEXAS

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MULESHOE

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—No. 3943—

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J. J. LAWLER, Vice-President  
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Muleshoe Tailor  
Shop

**Muleshoe**  
Monday, April 2  
Afternoon and Night

**ZELMAR BROS**  
ENORMOUS  
SHOWS

TEN FOLD MORE FOR THE MONEY  
THAN ANY OTHER SHOW ON EARTH

**Official Statement of the Financial  
Condition of the**

**Blackwater Valley  
State Bank**

at Muleshoe, Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of February, 1928, published in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper printed and published at Muleshoe, State of Texas, on the 12th day of March, 1928.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral Security	\$ 112,911.86
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	12,797.14
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	467.60
Bonds, stocks and other	15,840.00
Securities	15,840.00
Real Estate (Banking House)	5,000.00
Other Real Estate	5,900.00
Furniture and Fixtures	4,295.38
Cash on hand	6,474.09
Due from approved reserve Agents	75,533.87
Due from other banks and banks, subject to check on demand	1,767.24
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	578.21
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,600.00
Other Resources	789.80
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$243,900.79</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$243,900.79</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Undivided profits, net	246.89
Individual Deposits subject to check	105,823.57
Time Certificates of Deposit	9,517.25
Public Funds on Deposit: County	40,624.73
City	108.70
School	35,875.12
Total	76,618.57
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	37,194.51
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$243,900.79</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>\$243,900.79</b>

State of Texas, County of Bailey. We, E. R. Hart, as President, and J. E. Aldridge, 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.  
J. E. ALDRIDGE, Cashier.  
CORRECT ATTEST:  
S. E. MORRIS,  
G. A. ANDERSON,  
JNO. J. LACY, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of March, A. D. 1928.  
E. Pavlicek, Notary Public, Bailey County, Texas. (SEAL)

Mr. E. M. Wilder of O'Donnell Llyn County Texas was in Muleshoe Friday transacting business. Mr. Wilder is District Manager for the Bennett demonstration Saturday of their new Company at one time maintained a yard in Muleshoe. Mr. Wilder made visit to the Journal office, to see his friend W. B. Hicks.

WHEN WE CAN'T WELD IT, THROW IT AWAY. JEFF D. BRYANT & SON.

**NOTICE OF ELECTION**

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1928, the same being the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1928, at the City Hall in the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County Texas, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and two Commissioners, who shall serve until the first Tuesday in April, A. D. 1930.  
R. J. Klump and Pat R. Bobo are hereby appointed Judges of said election; R. J. Klump is designated as the presiding judge and shall appoint two clerks to hold said election and they shall make due return thereof, as required by law for holding said election.  
CONNIE D. GUPTON,  
K. K. SMITH, Commissioners  
Ivan B. Mordis, City Clerk

**Jeff D. Bryant & Son  
Disc Rolling**  
Albert Taylor of Lubbock, spent Tuesday in Muleshoe. Mr. Taylor has a fine bunch of cattle south of town.

E. W. Miller of Amarillo, spent Friday here. Mr. Miller owns several tracts of land in the southern part of the county.

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G. H. ATER, D. D. S.  
Dental Surgery, Pyorrhea and X-Ray  
W. D. MURKINSON  
X-Ray and Laboratory  
Technician  
H. S. HIGGS  
Business Manager

Bill McClure, of Friona was in town Saturday visiting with old friends. Mr. McClure, it will be remembered, taught school here year before last.  
E. I. Gardner, of Hollis, Oklahoma, was here last week attending to business and visiting his daughter, Mrs. J. M. March and family.

for Sleeplessness—  
Nervousness, Nervous Dyspepsia,  
Nervous Headache, Neuralgia,  
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We'll send a generous sample for 5c in stamps.  
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Phone 21  
Sure we deliver. Try us and see

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