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THURSDAY, MAY 1, 1941

Valedictorian and Salutatorian For High School Class of 1941 Have Been Announced; Commencement May 11th

Miss Juanice Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brooks, has been chosen valedictorian of the Senior class of Muleshoe High school. She placed at the head of the class with an average of 93.9 for the four year high school course. Marshall Morris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Morris will be salutatorian of the 1941 graduating class. He has a total average for the past four years of 91.1. Marshall has made an outstanding record throughout his eleven years of school work by not having been absent a single day. Each of the eleven years he has received a certificate of honor for his faithful and regular attendance.

The two pupils mentioned above and the following others will be exempted from their final examinations for having made the grades demanded to entitle them to such privilege: Dealia Pearl Stapp, Melva Washington, Kathryn Starkey, Connie Dale Gupion, LaVonne Broyles, Mary Kilgus and Moezelle Ellis. The baccalaureate service will be

held in the Muleshoe High school auditorium Sunday evening, May 11th. A complete program has not yet been finished and it cannot be definitely determined how many will be in the graduating class. This service will be held on the evening of Mother's Day, and all parents and the public in general are cordially invited to attend.

Graduation exercises for the senior class will be held at the auditorium Friday evening, May 16th. Exercises for the seventh grade graduates will be conducted Thursday, May 15.

Final examinations will be given for the seniors Thursday and Friday, May 8 and 9, and all other exams will be given to pupils except those who have been exempted Monday and Tuesday, May 12 and 13.

Wednesday, May 14, teachers will grade examination papers and on Thursday, May 15, pupils, including seniors, will return and correct papers. On Friday, May 16, all books will be turned in.

District Court Will Convene Here Monday Morning

The spring term of Bailey County District Court will convene in Muleshoe Monday morning, May 5th, and the following grand jury list will be on hand: Arthur Askew, W. M. Witterding, J. U. Dawson, E. J. Callaway, Jessie Cummins, R. C. Everett, A. C. Backley, Charles Phillips, O. Sullivan, Cecil L. Jones, Waldamron, G. J. Garth, A. W. W. Pley, D. C. Stovall, L. P. Bynum and Lloyd Stevens.

Following is a list of petit jurors for the second week of district court: Everett Roark, E. M. Gates, F. L. Medlin, R. C. Anderson, Cecil Creamer, S. J. Justice, H. H. Copeland, Milton Basham, L. H. Davenport, W. H. Awtry, J. R. Bomer, W. R. Young, Aquilla Johnson, Mills Barfield, Clyde Gallagher, Eugene Danielson, W. M. Burris, M. L. Vinson, D. V. St. Clair, C. L. Cannon, W. R. Bearden, Pat Barnett, C. G. Howell, M. R. Finney, J. C. Bass, Clinton Bristow, W. H. Eubanks, C. J. Rentrow, L. M. Dupler, E. U. Billingsley, Woodie Goforth, R. T. Jenkins, W. M. Pool, Jr., J. V. Lemons, H. C. Penney and N. R. Harding.

There will only be a small number of criminal cases to be tried during this term of court, and a total of fifteen cases are filed on the civil docket, including several divorce cases.

District Judge C. D. Russell of Plainview will be on hand to preside over the court and Herbert C. Martin, district attorney and Cecil H. Tate, Bailey county attorney, will direct inquiries of the grand jury.

Laws Pertaining To Commercial Vehicles

The time for 1941 registration of commercial vehicles, without penalty, expired April 22nd, as provided by law. After that date, each application for the registration of a commercial vehicle, farm or trailer, must be accompanied by the annual fee plus a twenty percent penalty if the vehicle was operated on the highways of this state since midnight, April 1st, according to announcement received in Muleshoe at the Bailey county tax collector's office from the state highway division of the Texas State Highway Department.

A ten percent additional fee applies to Butane gas as well as to Diesel propelled motors and if such pertains to trailer or semi-trailer pulled by a Diesel or Butane motor.

The ten percent addition to the regular fee applies to all self-propelled vehicles when the motor is powered by Diesel fuel, Butane gas, or any distillate other than gasoline.

It is the opinion of the state highway engineer that the ten percent in addition to the regular fee does not apply to trailers inasmuch as such vehicles are not self-propelled, according to information received at the local tax collector's office.

Buy it in Muleshoe!

THE FOX AND THE GRAPES



Bailey County 4-H Club Boys Back From Trip to Kansas City Stock Sale

Six Bailey county 4-H club boys, with their advisor, Sam Logan, county agent, returned last week from Kansas City, where they had been with the Plainview group of club boys with a shipment of fine calves. The group from several counties in this district, pooled the shipment of calves at Plainview, with over 100 club boys making the trip to market. They put in three days in the big livestock center, making a study of marketing methods and the proper handling of beef.

They were entertained at luncheons at the Kansas City Club by the big packing companies, and shown all the sights of the city.

About three hundred head of well fed calves were in the shipment, and when they arrived, were sorted into uniform loads so that they could be offered for sale in the usual manner of commercial stock.

An extreme top on the sale was established at \$12.25 which Wilson & Company paid for the calf of 15-year-old Opal Rogers, the only girl making the trip. Armour & Co.

bought 145 head of the calves, Swift 86 head and Wilson 63 head. The price ranged from \$9 to \$12 through the shipment, with only two going at \$9.

The Bailey county group was enthusiastic over the trip, and, although returns had not been received on their sales up to Tuesday, it was thought that most of the 21 head from Muleshoe would range around \$11.25.

The first educational and business trip from this section was made five years ago, but since that time the group has grown from a shipment of about 25 head to its present proportions, with an average of 85 to 100 boys making the trip in buses, together with their advisors.

The prediction is that next year will see some 500 head of livestock pooled for the Kansas City market by club boys in this area. Those from Bailey county making the trip were J. A. Nickie and Howard Weaver of Buia; Bert and Don Williams of West Camp; Jack and Alfred Hicks of Muleshoe, and Sam T. Logan, county agent.

Members of Muleshoe Senior Class Will Leave Friday Morning on Annual Trip to Carlsbad Caverns and Ruidoso

Bright and early Friday morning members of the Senior class, Muleshoe High school, will depart from here enroute to Carlsbad Caverns for their annual trip, an event which all eagerly look forward to each year.

The group has chartered a school bus to convey them to the Sunshine state. They plan to go through the caverns Friday and remain in Carlsbad Friday night. Saturday morning they will leave for Ruidoso, N. M., where they will spend the day enjoying the mountain scenery and

the many pleasures offered at the resort. They will spend Saturday night in Ruidoso and leave there Sunday morning to return to Muleshoe.

Approximately 45 will go on the trip and will be sponsored by Miss Dorothy Murchison and Prof. F. C. Windsor, instructors in Muleshoe High school. The following group of room mothers are planning to accompany the class on the trip: Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Jones, Mrs. B. N. Edwards and Mrs. W. E. Renfrow.

Indications Are For Good Crops; Two Inches Rain

The weather station records show a total of 2 inches of rainfall for this area during April, which assures an excellent planting season. If past records are any indication the fine rainfall in March and April means bumper crops for this section.

The rain was general over the county, with some sections receiving more than others. Next week we see farm operations starting in earnest. Pastures are in fine condition, stockmen report, and animals are in good flesh.

Precipitation since last Saturday was 1.53 inches.

All but three of Texas' 254 counties now have oil or gas production or exploration.

Texas petroleum production makes up 93 percent of the value of all mineral production in Texas.

Melody Makers To Be At West Camp Friday, May 2nd

The Maple Melody Makers, famous children's chorus, will be at West Camp on the night of May 2nd for a program in the school auditorium. The program will start promptly at 8:30 p. m. and everyone is asked to be present by that time so that they will not miss any of the numbers.

The Melody Makers are becoming one of the best known organizations in West Texas. They have recently been signed for a series of broadcasts for Everette Flour over Station KPVO, and will start this program within the next few days. They have recently been playing to capacity crowds in all neighboring towns, and have met with enthusiastic approval.

If the people of West Camp want to see a show well worth their time and money they will be at the auditorium at 8:30, May 2.

Numerous City Lots In Muleshoe and Tracts of Land Throughout Bailey County Changed Hands During April

Throughout the past month of April there were good signs of Bailey county progressing in the future by the many land transfers which were put on record at the county clerk's office here. Many city lots have been transferred within the city limits and the numerous tracts of land changing hands are as follows: W. D. Standerfer and wife Myrtle Standerfer to Jesse F. Mitchell, 2.29 acres of land, more or less, out of the Southeast quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Number 33, Block "X" W. D. & F. W. Johnson Subdivision.

The First National Bank of Amarillo to E. A. Robertson of Potter county, Texas; Southeast one-fourth (SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Number 27, in Block "Z" of the W. D. & F. W. Johnson Subdivision.

Mrs. Jennie M. Faulkner to C. S. Holland; Block Number 41, of the Original town of Muleshoe.

W. A. Milroy of Clay County, Kansas, to C. C. Cunningham; the Northwest one-fourth (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section number 76, Block "B", Melvin Blum & Blum Survey, containing 160 acres of land.

Gordon Bain and wife Marjorie Bain to J. C. Hilburn; Labors numbers one, two, nine, and nineteen in League number 198, Lubbock County.

J. P. Strickland and wife, Lizzie Strickland, to C. G. Howell and A. C. Howell, Jr.; South one-half (S $\frac{1}{2}$)

of Section number 26 in League number 107, Fisher County School lands, containing 201.8 acres of land.

Lone Star Townsite Company to Alvin Farrell; Lots numbers 16 and 17 in Block number 36, situated in the Original town of Muleshoe.

Eunice Bigham and Roland Bigham to Mrs. Edna B. Gwyn; Southwest one-fourth (SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Survey of section number 37 in Block "Y" W. D. & F. W. Johnson's subdivision number two.

G. E. Davis and wife, Helen Davis, to J. W. Ellis; 10 acres of land out of the extreme Southwest (SW) corner of Labor number one, League number 178, Motley County School Land.

C. Enoch to Guy Sanders; North one-half (N $\frac{1}{2}$) of Section number 21 in League number 106 of the Fisher County School Land, containing 311.8 acres of land.

J. J. DeShazo and wife, Mary Isaac DeShazo, to J. W. Ellis; lots number 10, 11 and 12 in Block number 37, of the Original town of Muleshoe.

A. J. Nordyke and wife, Hazel Nordyke, Moele Dobbie and Steve J. Dobbie to Z. Nordyke; lots number 22, out of league number 198, Lubbock County School Lands.

Lone Star Townsite Company to Emanuel Jennings; lot number six in block number 19.

BISHOP IVAN LEE HOLT TO GIVE ADDRESS AT TECH

Lubbock, April 30.—Bishop Ivan Lee Holt of Dallas will deliver the commencement address at Texas Technological college Monday evening, June 2, at Tech stadium. The baccalaureate service Sunday evening, June 1, will be conducted by Dr. C. E. Hereford, pastor of the First Baptist church in Lubbock.

Approximately 420 seniors are candidates for June graduation, according to President Clifford B. Jones.

Election of Officers To Be Held in O.E.S. Tuesday, May 6

At the last meeting of the year to be held Tuesday evening, May 6th new officers of the local chapter, Eastern Star, will be elected.

All officers and members are asked to be present for this annual election.

Plans will be discussed and arrangements made for Eastern Star members to attend a school of instruction in Plainview Thursday night, May eighth, Wednesday evening, May seventh, members of this chapter are invited to attend a meeting of the Littlefield chapter, at which time the Worthy Grand Matron of Amarillo, Mrs. Edna Dyer, will be honor guest. Several from here are planning to attend.

2 Muleshoe Boys Left Wednesday For State Meet

G. D. Price and Gerald Churchill accompanied by Prof. Jack Williams of Muleshoe High school, left on Wednesday for the Capital City of Texas to participate in the State Field and Track Meet held there Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 1-2-3.

Price will represent the local high school as dash man and Churchill will take part in the Dyer run.

Both boys were winners in the District meet in Lubbock a few weeks ago and were also winners at the Regional meet in Canyon recently.

The school and town in general are proud of the good records made by these students of Muleshoe high school and are wishing them luck in their events at the State Meet.

For the past few years the local school has been having one or more boys eligible to participate in the state meet. They have been making good showings with their competitors in various events and it is hoped the two boys will bring home good records this weekend.

Horace McAdams accompanied the group to Austin where he will witness the State Meet and visit Claude Riley, who is a student at State University.

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Canyon Booster Caravan Here Monday, May 5th

Canyon, April 28.—Nearly 300 citizens of Canyon will visit Muleshoe at 3:10 p. m. on Monday, May 5.

The Goodwill caravan of cars and buses will leave Canyon promptly at 8 o'clock in the morning and will visit 14 towns during the day. The total distance of the day's trip will be 285 miles, which will be one of the longest ever attempted by Canyon citizens.

In the caravan will be the famous West Texas State College Buffalo Band, the Canyon High School Band and the Canyon High School Drum Corps—the first organization of its kind formed in West Texas.

When the caravan reaches a town the Drum Corps will hit the ground playing. The two bands will alternate in furnishing music.

Short talks will be made by President J. A. Hill of West Texas State College; Clyde W. Warwick, president of the chamber of commerce, and others. A welcome to the visitors will be extended by Mayor R. L. Brown.

Citizens of Muleshoe are asked to be on the streets to greet the visitors when they arrive. The caravan will remain for about 30 minutes and the visitors from Canyon promise to furnish a lively program while in town.

BAILEY COUNTY RESIDENTS ATTEND STATE LINE SINGING CONVENTION AT FARWELL

The Muleshoe Quartet, was among the many visitors present at the annual session of the State Line Singing Convention held at Farwell last Sunday. Several hundred visitors from various sections of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico attended in spite of the rainy weather.

Quartets, duets, trios and solos were given as special numbers by singers from Lubbock, Dallas and many other points including Muleshoe.

Among those from here attending the convention were Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kimbrough, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailey and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Klump.

Tye Young is vice-president of the Singing Convention Association.

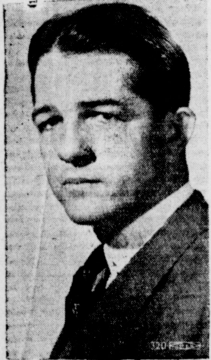
Several residents of Muleshoe and surrounding communities in Bailey county are making arrangements to attend the Annual Dairy Show to be held in Plainview May 6-10.

Cotton Ball Royalty Selected



Ruling Agri-Queen as King and Queen of the eleventh annual Cotton Ball and Pleasant May 2 will be James T. Anderson, North Freshman at Texas State College for Women. Anderson is president of the Agri-Society which sponsors the event at A&M. Miss Lindley and seven of her attendants were chosen by a committee of Agri-ees from TSUW's 100 charm princesses at the annual Redbud Festival.

GERALD MANN



Sulphur Springs, April 28—Gerald Mann was carrying his campaign for the United States Senate to South Texas Monday with the cheers of a crowd of 20,000 that heard his opening speech in Sulphur Springs Saturday night still echoing in his ears.

Tuesday he was scheduled to make the principal speech at the dedication of Garner Park in Uvalde, home of former Vice-President John Garner.

Highlights of his Sulphur Springs speech were:

"I want to mechanize our army so impregnable that all the powers of the earth combined could never under any possible circumstances produce an American Dunkerke."

"I view this problem (national defense) very realistically. This is a time for action, not words. This is a time for concrete objectives, not visionary planning."

"We want guns and more guns—and we want them now. We want ships and more ships and we want them now. We want tanks, and airplanes and submarines. We want

them in great numbers and we want them now.

"No men on earth have greater fighting qualities than our American soldiers, but we cannot permit them to go into battle inadequately prepared."

"And aid to England must increase with each new day."

"The question of old age pensions and assistance has too long been made a political football in state politics. No longer should state elections, held every two years, be a playground—and human emotion—the ball in the game."

"Old age assistance by a system of federal matching has been made a federal question. It is with us to stay and must be solved on a sound, stable and consistent basis."

"There has been too much of calling some people radicals and traitors and other people pirates and ruthless plutocrats. We should remember that Americans are not a race. Americans are a people. Those among us who are not true Americans should have more done about them and less said about them. The American way of life must first be preserved. We must be free to urge our individual views—and in no other way can a unity of spirit be maintained."

"I am now and have always been a supporter of President Roosevelt. I believe in his ideals. I believe in his sincerity and his hopes for a better and happier nation."

"I shall be a Texas Senator. Just as I said three years ago, I shall wear no man's collar—I shall be no man's man. I shall be your Senator, exercising my own judgment and doing what I believe is right for my state and nation."

"I shall support what I believe to be right. I shall not be the servant of any man or any set of men—I shall be the representative of the people of Texas."

Mrs. Laura Morris returned Saturday night from Albuquerque, N. M., where she had been visiting her son, Buddy, and family. She reports a very pleasant trip and stated that the weather there was about the same as in Bailey county.

Watson News

The H. D. club met in the home of Mrs. N. O. Sullivan Wednesday. There was a demonstration on angel food cake given by Miss Gentry. There were nine members and one new member present. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and tea were served. It will meet next time with Mrs. James Henderson, May 14th.

The W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. Geo. Fine Monday. There were four present. No program was given out.

Mr. D. V. St. Clair and Randolph Vandever were in Lubbock on business Friday.

We had a nice rain in our community over the weekend, and were glad to see it.

Mr. and Mrs. D. U. St. Clair left Sunday afternoon to visit their parents in Seymour.

The Church of Christ will start a meeting May 4th at 3:00 p. m. Everyone is invited to attend. It will close May 13.

Mr. Odell Henderson, Paul Carmickle and Billy Henderson spent Sunday afternoon in James Henderson's home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Vaughan were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lane and daughter.

Mr. Barron has been sick the past week.

Miss Vera Baker has been ill with the flu and had to remain at her home in Progress. Her brother, Leo Baker, taught school in her place. He stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Henderson.

Miss Nova Louise Harless visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harless, over the weekend.

Bailey County H.D. Council Held Open House Monday

The Bailey County Home Demonstration Council held an open house—other club members and guests Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the district court room. Fifty-five club members and seven visitors were present in spite of the fact that many of them came many miles over unimproved and muddy roads.

The chairman, Mrs. A. E. Newton of Baileyboro, presided over the business session. Plans were made to have a recreation school in Muleshoe on May 23, at 2:30 o'clock. The recreation committee of the council of which Mrs. W. L. Key of West Camp is chairman, will have charge of the school and each club is to send the recreation committee of their club as representatives to the school.

Following the business session the three delegates to the district Home Demonstration Association meeting at Plainview gave interesting reports. These delegates were Elzada McMahan of Progress, Mrs. W. L. Key of West Camp and Mrs. J. D. Witherspoon of Plainview.

The main speaker of the afternoon was Mrs. Wm. G. Kennedy of Progress who kept the audience very much interested in her account of a recent trip to East Texas, where she attended three district meetings.

Lovely corsages of white carnations were presented by the council to Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. A. E. Newton, chairman of the council, Mrs. B. E. Dickinson, secretary and treasurer of the council and Miss Lillie Gentry, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Mrs. W. L. Key and Mrs. Gordon Murrah directed a series of games which proved to be very funny, especially to those who didn't participate.

The Fairview, West Camp and Progress clubs acted as hostesses and served tasty refreshments of sandwiches, cookie and punch from a lovely table decorated with lilacs and pear blossoms.

Everyone made expressions indicating the pleasure and enjoyment of the occasion and for the fact that many home demonstration club women who had not known each other before, became acquainted.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Tuesday morning Miss Mary Loche Howell, home economics teacher in Muleshoe High school, accompanied by the following group of girls, left for San Antonio to attend the State Home Economics Rally being held this weekend: Doris Gordon, R. O. H. president; Betty Jo Jordan, scrap book chairman; Gloria Gowdy, program chairman; Helen Holt, winner of first place in the first year department of home economics; and Bobbie Jean Hurst, first place winner of second year home economics class.

A marriage license was issued in Muleshoe Saturday, April 26th, by Mrs. Lela Barron, deputy county clerk, to Miss Marie Greenwald, 18, and Robert Shore, 22, both of Sudan. The couple was married in Muleshoe at the Baptist parsonage with Rev. F. B. Hamilton officiating.

Mark Countryman was a Clovis visitor Friday afternoon.

Examinations Are Scheduled For Job-Seekers

Austin—A large number of workers in two state governmental departments and applicants for jobs in those departments will start taking competitive examinations early in June, officials announced recently.

The exams will be supervised by the Texas merit system council and will affect government employees of the unemployment compensation commission, including the state employment service, and the public welfare department which supervises old age pensions and other social security services.

The merit system was established at the request of the federal government which participates in administration and provides a portion of the financing in the departments.

Positions for which examinations will be held ranged from junior clerks at \$90 and \$110 a month to chief accountants at \$285 and \$350.

Applications were to be taken until May 31 for the examination. Blanks were available at the council's Austin office and at offices of the Texas state employment service.

Members of the merit system council included M. J. Norrell, chairman, Dr. Monroe S. Carroll and Raymond C. Gee. Dr. Joseph J. Yarbrough was named administrative supervisor.

It was stressed that the merit system council, now ready for full-scale operation after months of preparation, would not itself "hire and fire" state employees, but that its sole job was to build up registers of persons qualified for employment under the social security act.

Cost of the system council was to be paid by the federal government.

Farmers Will Vote May 31 on Wheat, Marketing Quota

The wheat marketing quota on which farmers will vote May 31 offers a double protection—protection of supplies for the consumer and protection of the market for wheat growers themselves, says Lonnie Arnold, county wheat farmer and chairman of the County AAA committee.

The marketing quota insures plenty of wheat for every probable demand by consumers in this country and abroad, Arnold said. A quota on wheat marketing means only when the total supply exceeds a normal year's domestic consumption and exports by more than 35 percent. With exports practically shut off by military blockade, Arnold reports that there will be almost 2 bushels of wheat on hand for every 1 which is likely to be consumed this year in the United States.

In view of this supply, marketing quotas are necessary to protect the income of all wheat farmers, Arnold declared. In the last two years the wheat program, principally the quota, he said, has protected the farmer from an uncontrolled surplus which would have lowered the price of wheat. The farmer who overplants his allotment may store the wheat produced in excess of the quota. If he sells or uses it a penalty will be collected. If he stores it, he can get a loan on the excess, but at a lower rate than that available to the cooperator.

MRS. RANNALS IMPROVING

Mrs. V. W. Rannals is gradually improving. Monday a week ago all relatives were called to her bedside as she was not expected to live. Those who came are her father, L. P. Henning, sisters, Mrs. J. O. Aday and Mrs. M. J. D. Vaughn and family; a brother, C. F. Henning and family, all of Muleshoe. Another brother, D. M. Henning, of Snow, Okla., arrived next day. Also a brother, Fred, of his family from Sundown, Texas.

Doctors have given Mrs. Rannals glucose every day since she was so ill, and two blood transfusions were administered last week. Blood was donated by Bert Dixon and Roy Karr. L. D. Vaughn had given the blood for a previous transfusion. This is her seventh week in the hospital.

D. M. Henning states that he will sell his Oklahoma business and locate here on account of his sister's illness.

INSPIRATIONAL

Because strait is the gate, and narrow is the way, which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it.—Matthew 7.

Goodland News

Mrs. M. S. Gaddy entertained friends and relatives Friday night with an informal buffet supper. Those attending were Rev. Eugene Sioane, pastor of Richland, N. M., Baptist church, Dallas Alford of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Gaddy, the Cass Stegalls and Tommy Galt.

Mrs. Morris Gant entertained the Ladies Diversity club Monday afternoon. Eight books had arrived to go in the Diversity club Lending Library. The books were "Rebecca," "My Son, My Son," "The Grapes of Wrath," "All This and Heaven, Too," "Kitty Foyte," "Seasoned Timber," "Love Comes Late" and "Weathering Heights." We have other books due. It was voted that Mrs. T. G. Gaddy keep the library for three months. A program committee was appointed at this meeting. Mrs. Ruby Ponder, on account of ill health, resigned as secretary of the club and Miss Fay Gant was elected to fill out her term. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lester Lancaster, May 14. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames Nunnally, Ponder, Shelton, M. D. Gaddy, Galt, Everett, Stegall, Pete Tarleton, T. G. Gaddy, Taylor and Miss Fay Gant.

A 3-inch rain and hail fell four miles north of Goodland Monday afternoon. Early gardens, fruit and trees were damaged somewhat by the hail.

Circleback News

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harper spent the weekend visiting in Memphis, Texas.

Mrs. Marie Patton visited Mrs. Tommie Coker Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Garner visited Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Atkins Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Gore and family spent the weekend visiting relatives in Henrietta and Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Atkins made a business trip to Clovis Monday.

Ruth Smith spent Monday night as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Reed.

Mrs. Lucy Coker of Wichita Falls is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Flora Gore, and her son, Grady Coker, Rena Wright, Ruth Smith and

Lois Link were Lubbock visitors during the weekend.

The work on the new addition to the Patton Grocery has been completed and the appearance of the building has been greatly improved. The store now carries a complete variety of neatly arranged grocery line and is indeed one of the most modern business operations in Circleback.

JUST A TABLE!

Buy an inexpensive folding table that can be stored in the kitchen. Use it for serving lunches to children or for the young daughter who wants to learn to bake cookies. It is handy as an extra work table and especially nice when entertaining and extra table space is needed for stacking dishes. It is used for pasting and painting by the young and is easily carried outside to be used on the lawn under a tree.

NEW LICES

For a variety and a welcome change for the hostess in entertaining, try these juice combinations: Tomato and clam, tomato and pineapple, grapefruit and orange, grapefruit and lemon, lemon and cherry, apple and pineapple, prune and orange, raspberry and lemon, grapefruit and cherry with chopped mint.

LAZBUDDIE CITIZEN IS HEART ATTACK VICTIM

Virgil A. Nowell, age 59, who had been a resident of the Lazbuddie community for the past ten years, died of a heart attack at the family home late last Friday afternoon.

He had been in poor health for the past several months, and his only activity had been confined to the light "chores" about the farm. Friday afternoon, after coming in from his usual duties, he complained of not feeling well and "a hurting" in his chest.

Seated in the living room of the home, he groaned and slumped to the floor, only to be picked up lifeless by his son, Otis, who lived with his parents.

Survivors are the widow, Mrs. Nora Nowell, and the following children: sons, Otis of Lazbuddie, Leonard A. of Quanah, Orbin of Muleshoe, Elbert of Muleshoe, Ardie of Roswell and Ernest of Muleshoe; three daughters: Mrs. Eupie Taylor of Lovington, Mrs. Icell O'Kennedy and Mrs. Martha E. Kennedy, both of Slaton.

Enemies and Friends

"A few friends," said H. Ho, the sage of Granatow, "are true and many enemies are only imaginary."

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Portales Certified Seeds
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Muleshoe, Texas

MULESHOE Sat. May 3

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Thrill upon Thrill, Marvel after Marvel
Surprising Sensations, Sensational Surprises.

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ANOTHER "DEEP EAST" WAIL

It is a well known fact that a braggart and a haughty spirit travel pretty much the same foolish trail. Then, sooner or later, they stick their neck out. It is a natural inspiration for them to do so, for they take it for granted that everybody is nuts to see me, and that where I am not, there is nothing. It grieves us immeasurably to see one of the "chosen fraternity" wander off to join company with two such as the above, for it is a morass of despair, brought about by the conditions under which he is forced to live.

We refer to Editor Reid of the Italy (East Texas) News. Herald, Italy is the place where they wanted to change the name of the town because its namesake—Italy, in Europe—showed its true colors a few months ago. According to that supercilious and bilious sheet, The Dallas News, was "most embarrassing, don'tcha know, to the natives of Italy (East Texas)." Editor Reid has been struggling manfully to explain to his readers down there (if he has any) why dry land looks like, And to do this, he has taken Bailey County as an example and jumped on his cousin, D Warner, who had the good sense to leave that so-called county in Ellis County while he could. Our six thousand readers will recall what the gentleman from Ellis said about this county week before last. Well, this week Mr. Reid floated to the top after one of his daily four-foot rains, blew his lungs free of water, gouged the gumbo mud out of his ears and looked around for a victim to expiate his sins. Naturally, the first thing that came to his mind was Bailey County, where it rained a good inch and a half yesterday, which is ample rain to grow corn, beans, and other good crops, good beef and good people. He also thought of his cousin D Warner, who, for the first time in his life, knew what it was to farm and raise enough to eat when he came to the country. Not only does D raise hundreds of tons of good things to eat on his farm, but like all Bailey county people, gives liberally to the "Fund for Relief of Flood and Tornado Sufferers in East Texas."

Far be it from us to blame a brother newspaper man for painting a dark picture of Bailey County. Mr. Reid has been compelled to resort to desperate means in order to keep the last of his nine subscribers from going West, where they could discard their diving suits and walk the good earth like men. It is difficult for us, who live in the land of glass, and bumper crops, to understand how a man can become so water-logged and be-fuddled as to practice Hitler fright methods in order to keep what he can keep in mind the methods he employs.

After a column or two of venom, Mr. Reid says that "After he (Mr. Warner) lived out there a while, he got so dried out that he got down with rheumatism, and couldn't even feet himself." He was so dehydrated that he only weighed 98 pounds. The doctors told him to go somewhere and get "watered up" again. They shipped him to Hot Springs, N. M., where after sixteen days in the fluid, he was able to go home and go to work.

Now, what the doctors really said was that D came here, and after getting a big drink of water, some beef, vegetables and bread under his belt for the first time, the reaction was more than he could stand. D had only been used to a stew of water, keros and bull-rush, seasoned with mildered side meat. He had lived in and under water so long that when he walked he worked his arms like side flappers on a catfish. It is true that he had to go to Hot Springs, and after being soaked for sixteen days, the doctors removed two quarts of gumbo mud from his ears and nose. The fine mineral waters of Hot Springs, N. M., will remove impurities and vermin from almost anything, and it has been suggested that some way be found to dip Ellis County in it and flay in particular.

"Nearly everything out there came from this country," says Mr. Reid in his moment of rashness. "All the men, materials and wealth, and of course, the skunks and rattlesnakes went from this country out there. Not only do we grow things, make, but bigger crops of all kinds, including politicians."

Surely Mr. Reid would not be so embarrassingly unpolitic as to blame a good, sensible skunk or rattlesnake for leaving the excellent judgment to leave a flooded, tornado-stricken land like Ellis County. And to prove that things are not all that Mr. Reid would have us see, benighted West Texas here, we quote you a news item

from his own paper, published last week. Here it is:

"Mr. S. H. Price (who is probably one of his nine subscribers) reported to the News Herald that five feet of rain fell Saturday, three feet Tuesday (this was a poor day for the rain business), and five feet eight inches Wednesday. Mr. Reid speaks indignantly of their bumper crop of smart politicians, and any dumb ox will agree that there is a land somewhere, spewing out a bumper crop of this predatory vermin, but we never knew before that it was Ellis County. And they are far from smart, too, or they would know that skunks are valuable. That rattlesnake are valuable, these are, of course, two kinds of skunks, and we got some of the two legged kind in the shipment from the swamps of Ellis. But Bailey county folks know how to deal with that problem, for their brains are not so water-logged that they are unable to distinguish between the good and the bad.

Mr. Reid's patriotic fervor blazes forth like headlights on a Model T Ford, with the following: "We are not only Americans down here, but Southern Americans at that, which is the greatest heritage on the South. We had rather be from the South in this God-fearing America than any other part of the country. So we Americans of the South can only feel sorry for those dried up, dehydrated Americans of Bailey County." Then Mr. Reid calls his bumper-crop list "this." "It is said that a man has to be a smart crook or an awfully good fellow to hold public office six years and still go around without a bodyguard. But if this水管man of mine is neither, we doubt if you could afford to say so, because there 13 voters in his precinct (who are working for the county) would get mad at you for saying that. Then there would our circulation be?" Mr. Reid goes on to tell his nine subscribers how all the folks out here are unemployed, and winds up with a final gasp about asking some drop in the bucket. But he says nine billion dollars we gave them, we loaned them another ten billion. And when it was time to repay it, they weilded on the debt, and again called us Shylocks. Our buddies were killed by the thousands, but we gave Jerry a fight like he had never seen before—no since.

Well, Henry, they didn't exactly wait till we got here to show us what they thought of an American. They sneered at us long before we left, and told us openly they would be glad to see us go. So we became rather cynical, and pretty well lost our faith in mankind. So, I am telling you these things, Henry, before you go to Europe looking for Democracy. You'll have to go, because we are going to have to fight to survive now. Not only in Europe, but here at home. And frankly, son, I think our greatest danger is here at home. US soldiers have known for a long time, but many of the other folks don't seem to realize the danger so close to them. But later, if not now, you will be able to see and understand things far better than the home folks. Soldiers are that way. They get to where they can rest the cards long before they are dealt. So, when you go to Europe, Henry, don't you go looking for Old Man Democracy. He won't be there at least not the one you have known. But the very, very prominent folks you WILL meet will be Old Man Greed, and his adorable wife, Jealousy. Then, there will be their twins, Cross and Doubtless, and their brother, Hate. And there will be their favorite cousin, N. Gratitude. You will meet them all, including their Grandpappy, Death. And sometimes you will think that he, maybe, is the best of the lot. But you keep your head up, son, for you have now been warned. Just fight the good fight, and don't look for too much good in Europe. Then you won't come home like we did, with your faith in mankind almost gone. There used to be an old saying in the army, "Trust in the Lord and keep your powder dry." It's still pretty good advice. And when you get back home, if you are feeling pretty low in your mind about the world, just hunt up some of your dad's old buddies and unburden your mind. They will understand better than anybody and be able to give you a hand. It may sound pretty blunt to say so, but you'll need it.

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When we went to Europe, Henry, we had in mind the saving of democracies just like the United States. But there is where the politician fails to tell you all. As far as I know, son, there is nothing in Europe, nor anywhere else, to compare with the U. S., and we are shipping. There are many good people in our country today who are beginning to follow a foreign "ISM," just like they would follow a circus parade not knowing where it is leading them. But back to this war to save democracy.

You and your buddies are going to Europe to save democracy again, not because your dad and I did not do a good job as far as we went, but because they did not let us go far enough. But, son, the politicians of that time were not interested in whether or not the job was finished. They were interested in the spoils and the power. And right there was the end of our democracy and the European kind. We did not take any of the spoils. We did not ask for any more power. All we asked of the European democracies was that they be fair to all peoples and keep the peace. We wanted them to keep the peace because it seems that when Europe gets into a war, they manage to drag us in, too.

When we went to Europe, Henry, France and England and Belgium were desperate. They were hungry. They had no money. Although we had nothing to do with starting the war, we went over there and showed the German army back across the Rhine. We gave the "democracies" of our food and were liberal with our money. But here is the sad part of the story, Henry. After we came home, they called us Shylocks. They said that we waited till the war was over before we got in. They said that we were ignorant savages and that our help was merely a drop in the bucket. But we gave them nine billion dollars we gave them, we loaned them another ten billion. And when it was time to repay it, they weilded on the debt, and again called us Shylocks. Our buddies were killed by the thousands, but we gave Jerry a fight like he had never seen before—no since.

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INSTALLMENT SIXTEEN

THE STORY SO FAR: More than 200,000 foreign troops secretly assembled in Mexico by Van Hasek suddenly invaded the United States. Vastly superior in numbers and equipment to the American forces which opposed them, Van Hasek's troops pushed relentlessly forward.

CHAPTER XVII—Continued
Benning went to bed after watching for several hours and managed to sleep through part of the day. From his porthole, Benning saw flying fish scurry out of the course of the ship in late afternoon, which confirmed fast progress south. With evening he caught the bluish of distant light myriads on the coast line. He explored the possibility of escape in the night by whaleboat, but concluded he stood slender chances of success in such an exploit. At dark he resumed his reconnaissance of the deck in his effort to locate Bravot.

Schmolz's stateroom was empty at night, again at ten. On his third trip down the boat deck, Benning found that half a dozen men had assembled, including Bravot and Schmolz. He stationed himself against the bulkhead and waited. An hour passed without development, then the group fled out and went to the rail to strain their eyes into the starlight night.

The engines of the ship slowed down. Four men lowered a boat. Bravot shook hands with Schmolz and climbed over the rail to disappear down the ladder. A few minutes later Benning caught the flash of oars in the starlight. The plane burst into a roar of sound, lifted into the night, and streaked off into the darkness, and vanished.

Benning returned heavily to his cabin. Bravot's departure by plane clearly meant that the ship would not pause at Tampico or Vera Cruz. But, at least, Benning consoled himself, he could play a stiffer game on deck with the French renegade out of the way.

Somehow, in the tense days ahead, he would find a solution to this hideous problem, he vowed. If nothing better, a chance at the radio room where he could flash a warning code to the coast artillery forts and naval base guarding the Canal from Limon Bay.

During the next few days, while the dynamite ship ate up the long miles to Panama, Benning carefully went over the vessel and watched for changes. He had a hunch, escape by boat he had dismissed finally as out of the question. Benning's interest centered on the radio room as his best chance. The radio station lay in a cubbyhole under the bridge. Several times he visited the room, pretending interest in its mechanism. But the radio operator, one Smidt, was sullenly uncommunicative and resentful of visitors.

"You been around here enough, mister," Smidt complained at Benning's third appearance. "I got work to do, so you please keep away." After that incident, Benning gained an uncomfortable suspicion that he was being watched. Twice he tested his trail by an abrupt about-face on the bridge. The times he hatched-faced steward slouched past him with exaggerated preoccupation.

Only one chance remained if he failed at the radio. That was to reach American officers who would come aboard to check cargo before the ship was permitted in the locks. But Benning decided that he must not wait on that last desperate hope. Benning kept up a careful estimate of the speed and progress of the ship. His calculations told him when the ship must be approaching Gatun Bay. Major G-2, he guessed, was to debanate the ship as it passed through Gatun Locks. Benning's plan of direct action crystallized on what he judged to be the last afternoon at sea. In his cabin he blocked out, on a sheet from his notebook, a blunt warning message: —Commanding General, Panama Hike. American freighter now approaching Limon Bay from New York with cargo of high explosives. General plot in effect to wreck Panama Canal. Insistent action imperative. Benning, Major G-2. Until he saw Schmolz go to the bridge, Benning loitered about the deck, then went direct to the radio room. "Mister, didn't I tell you to keep out of here!" Smidt exploded as Benning stepped into the little room. Benning said quietly: "I want to use the radio, Smidt. You'll be good enough to do just what I tell you to do."

forward. The U. S. army was not prepared for this sudden attack, and could only retreat in the face of overwhelming force. While an American spy in Mexico City, Benning had gained the confidence of two enemy officers, Fincke and Bravot. Weeks later he unexpectedly met his voice a raucous sneer. Murder burned in his round green eyes as he covered Benning with a long-barreled Luger pistol. Behind Schmolz were his mate, steward, and a member of the crew. With an oath he unstrapped Smidt's hands and kicked the operator to his feet. Smidt took Benning's pistol and message and passed them to Schmolz. "El, himmel!" Schmolz gasped, as he read the message. "A spy aboard!"

In a surge of savage fury Schmolz seized Benning by the collar and jerked him out on deck. With a sudden swing of his arm of a flat, he dropped his prisoner and crashed down upon him with his two hundred pounds of beef and brawn. "Get here—just in time—didn't I!" Schmolz bellowed. "Not for nothing—did I have you watched!" Schmolz's beefy fists pummelled emphasis to his words, falling Benning's face and head. "Chuck him overboard to the sharks!" he roared.

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Fincke in Washington, and continued to pose as his friend. Benning accompanied him on a boat loaded with dynamite bound for the Panama Canal. On board he aroused the suspicions of Schmolz, the skipper. Now continue with the story.

By now Schmolz and his henchmen must have abandoned the ship, after setting detonators in motion for the explosion, he reasoned. Innocent hands were seeing the vessel through, a hundred seamen whose lives would roar into nothingness with his own.

Into the black hole there came the soft yellow glow of a ball of light. Benning shook his head dazedly against what must be a phantom of his tortured imagination. The ball swung crazily toward him, the palms in brightness, and a hushed voice came to his ears from overhead. "Say, mister, ain't you pretty hungry about now?"

Benning's detente leaped from his throat as his mind oriented itself to this intervention. "Quick, Grimes! Get a rope down here and pull me out of this hole!" The ball of light ceased its rotation, grew stationary on a thin cord in front of Benning's eyes. Grimes mullered through priceless seconds, and countered, "But the cap'n might get sore when he comes back, and kick me off the ship."

"Schmolz isn't coming back!" Benning shouted. "Quick, get a rope for me or it's only a matter of minutes until we'll be blown to pieces!" Grimes did not answer, but jerked the lantern back up out of the hold. Benning swung wildly, the palms of his hands through an eternity of waiting until the lantern reappeared, hitched this time to the end of a stout inch-rope.

Benning detached the lantern when it reached him, passed the end of the rope under his armpits and tied a hurried knot. He put the force of his lungs into an order to his own. "Come on, Grimes!" he ordered. "We got to get off this ship!" Under the soft light of a moon, as he ran to the rail of the ship, Benning saw the thick concrete walls of the locks. Beyond were the rows of squad tents of an emergency guard detachment. Ahead the electric locomotives bugged at heavy cables.

Benning drew the force of his lungs along the deck in warning to the crew and climbed down the ladder, closely followed by Grimes. At coming abreast of the top of the walls, he leaped, propelling himself a figure in pajamas burst out of a tent to level a vibrant voice. "I'm the commanding officer—what's all this yelling about?" Benning panted: "I'm Major Benning, of G-2. The cargo of this ship is dynamite—it will detonate at any minute! Get everyone clear here!"

The commander swung on his heels with cool promptness and began shouting orders on a thin cord in the run. Leave everything behind! Get moving to Mendi—on the wagon-road—never mind formation!" There was intensity rather than excitement in the officer's voice. Benning saw that the crew was bursting from the doomed ship. Some, in their panic, leaped into the water of the narrow locks, others made the long leap to the top of the locks. He ran after the officer, Grimes trailing. A puffing sprint brought them to the railroad grade that led into Mendi. Another long run and the officer halted in a deep cup in the Sierra Quebrada. He commanded his soldiers to scatter into the foothills. Two miles lay behind. Half an hour had passed, Benning judged. The captain introduced himself, Marlin. He began asking questions, suddenly suspicious that he might have been tricked away from his post of duty. Benning quickly established his identity. "But how do you know the ship's cargo is—?" Marlin cut off his query as his cheeks caught the peculiar stir of air as a gust of wind. Benning's hands moved to cup his ears. He felt himself pitched forward on his face. The earth heaved violently, his head rang with the pain of the volcanic might of the explosion that filled the world. A great wall had been reduced to roaring, crashing, maddening bedlam. A clap of thunder shattered his thoughts. It crashed out of distant hills and jungles far down the labyrinth of the Sierra Quebrada. There came a second crash, a third, a fourth. The detonations followed one another successively, within the limits of a few minutes. (TO BE CONTINUED)



"So my ship has a new radio man."

NEXT WEEK

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Progress News

By Bessie Vinson
This community enjoyed the nice rain which fell over the weekend. Mrs. Vernon Vinson and children spent the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. J. L. Herrington in the West Camp community.
Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Maltby visited in Clovis last Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Gregory visited friends in Clovis Saturday.
Mrs. L. R. Hogan and daughters Myra and Byrnie attended singing in Farwell Sunday.
Miss Bessie Vinson, Mrs. Gordon Murrah, Mrs. G. F. Maltby, Mrs. Dave Stauderfer, Mrs. W. G. Kennedy, Mrs. C. M. Baker, Mrs. J. J. Gross, Mrs. Ross Goodwin, Mrs. Carrie Wilhite, Mrs. Ed Gulley and Mrs. Manuel Self attended the tea in Muleshoe last Monday evening.
Wm. G. Kennedy attended the Soil Conservation meeting in Houston last week.
Mrs. W. G. Kennedy accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Caffee of Floydada, Mrs. Leon Sullivan of Red Oak, Mrs. Neely Hutches of Richardson, returned last Sunday from a tour of the Districts IV, V, IX and XI. H. D. Club meetings at Cleburne, Paris, Lufkin and La Grange, Tex.

Two Muleshoe Girls Honored With Party Saturday Evening

Bonnie Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks, and Martha Jean Witte, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Witte, were honored with a joint birthday party Saturday evening of last week given by their mothers at the Witte home.
Games were enjoyed by all and a gay sing-song was the highlight feature of the evening, with Jean accompanying at the piano.
Refreshments were served by the hostesses at ten o'clock, with all making good wishes to the honorees as the 13 candles on each cake were blown out.
There were twenty-seven present, Pattie Mussen being a special visiting guest.

Members 1939 Study Club Entertained Thursday Evening

Thursday evening of last week at the home of Mrs. Jess Osborn, a party was given in honor of several members of the 1939 Study club who had birthday anniversaries in the past month.
Each member attending brought gifts for the honorees. A lace covered table held the gifts before they were passed around for guests to view.
Entertaining games were enjoyed, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.
Bouquets of vari-colored spring flowers were used as decorations throughout the entertaining rooms.
There were nineteen members of the club present.

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Mrs. Mardis Hostess To Half Century Club Members Thursday

In a regular meeting of members of the Half Century club Thursday afternoon of last week Mrs. C. C. Mardis was hostess.
A very pleasant afternoon was spent in playing games, knitting and sewing. Plans were made for a May Day picnic to be held at Hill Crest Park in Clovis, Thursday of this week (today). Members of the Needlecraft club and As-You-Like-It club will accompany the Half Century members.
Mrs. H. A. Douglass will entertain members of the club at their next regular meeting, on Thursday, May 8.
Those present were Mesdames Anna F. Moeller, H. E. Musson, W. H. Kistler, Mary Snow Davis, J. F. Wallace, T. L. Snyder, Joel Lee, H. A. Douglass, T. L. Eason, and Beulah Caries.
Mrs. Joe Bonner, a former resident of Muleshoe, now living in Amarillo, and Mrs. Kate Yarbrough were visitors at the meeting.
Monday afternoon, May 5th, the Half Century club members will sponsor a Grab Box Sale at Gilbreath's Grocery Store in Muleshoe. All residents are invited to attend the sale.

Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Buckholder of Levelland attended to business and visited in Muleshoe Saturday afternoon.
Rev. R. N. Huckabee returned to Muleshoe Sunday evening from Taboara where he has been for the past two weeks conducting a revival meeting in the Methodist church of that city.
Mrs. Margaret Jackson, chief operator for the Southwestern Associated Telephone company in Muleshoe, has been visiting relatives and friends in Arkansas for the past several days.
Mrs. J. E. Bonner, former resident of Muleshoe several years ago now living in Amarillo, has been visiting here for the past few days in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Montez Locke.

Muleshoe Library News

Received at the Muleshoe Library this week were "The World Is Like That" by Kathleen Norris and "Code of the new novel and the particular interest to men is "Delilah" by Marcus Goodrich, formerly mentioned in this column. The author of this extraordinary novel has been in the position of an uncompromising artist in its production and the publishers are proud to present what they believe will be an enduring work of literature.
Delilah was a destroyer of the U. S. battle fleet—this is her story, and that of the men aboard her, during the six months preceding America's declaration of war in April, 1917.
Delilah takes them and uses them for her own particular ends, as they in turn are unconsciously allured by, fascinated by, and in deep love with their exacting, beautiful mistress. And like Delilah of biblical fame, she lures them on, blind, ecstatic, fevered by their devotion.
The episodes—the tavern brawl, the submarine disaster, the monk's handling of the notoriously debauched trader, the officers' dance, the swimming party that ends so grimly—of Delilah are not necessarily the episodes of any one particular ship; but taken together they represent a picture, enlarged into the art form by their very selection and method of presentation, of life aboard a naval vessel of almost any nationality, in any part of the world, at any period of history.
Like "Journey's End" this novel concerns the interaction of men's personalities, their friendships and hates when they are thrown together, intimately under the pressure of great events.
Visit and use your Public Library.—Library Committee.

HAROLD DUANE HOLLY BIRTHDAY PARTY HONOREE

Mr. and Mrs. O. Q. Holly entertained at their home northwest of Muleshoe Saturday evening, honoring their son Duane on his birthday anniversary.
Numerous indoor games were enjoyed throughout the evening by the guests.
A beautiful white cake decorated with tiny pink rose buds and white candles was served with vanilla glucose cream and bitter-sweet sauce to twenty-six guests from a lovely buffet table.
Attending were Alice Hicks, Willodine Gatewood, Ella Jo Winners, Morelle Armstrong of Dimmitt, Myrleen Wimberly, Doris Churchill, Dorothy Ray Jones, Juanice Brooks, Mary Margaret Gulley, Beth Etolle Holley, Vera Evadna Holley, Dean Awtry, S. C. Gulley, Earl Wilhite, James A. Hall, Sonnie Wilhite, Max Self, Odell Holley, Melton Ellough, LeRoy Holley, Donald ("Duck") Kilgough, Warren Odell Holley, and Mrs. Carrie Wilhite, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Self, Harold Duane Holly, honoree, and Mr. and Mrs. O. Q. Holly, hosts.

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Farm Wage Rates Highest Since The Year of 1931

Washington. — The Agriculture Department reported this month that expansion in industry employment and military conscription had lifted farm wage rates to the highest level since 1931.
This increase reflected a 10 per cent reduction in the farm labor supply since the first of the year, the department added.
April farm wage rates were reported at 138 percent of the 1910-1914 average. This was 24 percentage points higher than a year ago.
The department said farm wage rates averaged \$1.70 per day, without board, for the country as a whole. The rates ranged, however, from less than \$1 a day in Georgia and South Carolina to \$3.15 a day in Rhode Island and Connecticut.
Commenting on the agricultural labor situation, the department said that on April 1, 1940, the available supply of workers exceeded the demand for their services in all except a few Southeastern states. On April 1, this year, the supply of farm workers was reported at less than demand, at prevailing wage rates.
The department said that in only a few isolated districts did a surplus of the workers occur. Reports from most parts of the Northeastern industrial area bounded by a line drawn from Maine to Michigan, then southward to North Carolina, indicated a supply of workers less than 75 percent of demand.
The department said, however, about 480,000 persons had been added to the country's farm payroll since the first of the year, bringing the total up to 2,129,000 persons on April 1.



ELEPHANTS ARE ALWAYS THIRSTY
When Dailey Bros. Circus comes to Muleshoe on Saturday, May 3rd, the local lads will have an opportunity to carry water to the big beasts, as their daddies did in the good old days.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF TEXAS

Notice of Election of Supervisors to Be Held for the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District.
TO ALL PERSONS HOLDING LEGAL OR EQUITABLE TITLE TO LAND within the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District, who are otherwise qualified voters under the general election laws of the State, and who reside within the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District:
Notice is hereby given that on the 10th day of May, 1941, between the hours of 7 a. m. and 7 p. m., an election will be held for the election of three supervisors of the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District in the State of Texas. All persons who hold legal or equitable title to lands lying within the boundaries of the said district, who live within the district, and are otherwise qualified voters, under the general election laws of the State, are eligible to vote; only such persons are eligible to vote.
Eligible voters who will be absent from their voting precinct on the day of the election may apply in person or in writing to the State Soil Conservation Board, 613-22 Professional Building, Temple, Texas, for absentee ballots. Each absentee voter shall state his name, residence, location, and acreage of land to which he holds legal or equitable title, and such other information as is required under the general election laws of this State. Eligible voters residing within the district shall cast their ballot at the designated voting box within precinct or territory as below described in which they reside.
Voting divisions and polling places for the election are as follows:
VOTING BOX No. 1 — Schoolhouse, West Camp. Qualified voters residing in West Camp School Dis-

trict.
VOTING BOX No. 2 — District Court Room, Muleshoe. Qualified voters residing in the Muleshoe and Progress School Districts.
VOTING BOX No. 3 — Schoolhouse, Fairview. Qualified voters residing in the Fairview School District.
VOTING BOX No. 4 — Churchhouse, Needmore. Qualified voters residing in the Baleyboro, Longview, and Mays School Districts.
VOTING BOX No. 5 — Schoolhouse, Circleback. Qualified voters residing in the Circleback School District.
VOTING BOX No. 6 — Schoolhouse, Buia. Qualified voters residing in the Buia School District.
VOTING BOX No. 7 — Schoolhouse, Watson. Qualified voters residing in the Watson and Stegall School Districts.
VOTING BOX No. 8 — Schoolhouse, Maple. Qualified voters residing in the Maple and Goodland School Districts.
By direction of the State Soil Conservation Board.
V. C. Marshall, Administrator.
May 1, 8, 1941.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dameron of the Needmore community on the birth of a son named Ronald Keith Dameron, Thursday, April 24th, at 10:00 p. m. in a clinic in Muleshoe.

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Report Given By Mrs. Charles Musson At Methodist Church

Mrs. Charles Musson, who was a delegate to the Annual Conference of the Women's Society of Christian Service in Abilene, Texas, last week, gave a most excellent report Tuesday afternoon to the women of the Methodist Church.

Mrs. Musson was a guest in the home of one of her former friends of the University of Oklahoma, which she and Mrs. Musson attended. The high points of the meeting were so well presented that the entire group felt as though they had attended some of the sessions.

Dr. Michle, a professor in a Japanese university, brought the latest news from Japan. His position, along with others, is being filled by four German professors. Another guest speaker was the Jurisdictional President from Louisiana.

Thursday afternoon the Conference was entertained with a lovely tea in one of Abilene's prominent homes.

Mrs. Musson received special recognition as a delegate by the Conference officers, as well as serving on the Conference Committee of Study.

MULESHOE RESIDENTS ATTEND DISTRICT CONFERENCE HELD FIRST OF WEEK AT MATADOR

The Plainview district conference of the Methodist church was held in Matador, Monday and Tuesday of this week. The delegates who attended from here were: A. C. Gueden, Sam E. Fox, R. N. Edwards, A. W. Copley, A. J. Gardner, I. W. Haney and Rev. R. N. Huckabee.

This committee went before the district committee on church buildings and received approval of the plans for the Muleshoe Fellowship and Educational Building.

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Book Review Given, Monday Evening at Mrs. Vance Wagnon's

The Muleshoe Study Club presented Mrs. M. C. Ledbetter of Morton in a review of the book, "This Side of Glory," Monday evening at a tea in the home of Mrs. Vance Wagnon.

Mrs. Pat Bobo and Mrs. A. J. Gardner presided at the serving table decorated with an arrangement of white iris and pink tulips, and white candles in yellow holders.

Mrs. Ledbetter, a teacher in the Morton schools, has the one essential quality of a good book reviewer, the ability to put the story first. It was an interesting story well told.

As You Like It Club Members Entertained By Mrs. Roy Jordan

Mrs. Roy Jordan entertained members of the As You Like It Club, Friday afternoon, April 26th. It was an interesting story well told.

The afternoon was spent doing various types of needlework and visiting. Plans were made for an all-day picnic to be Thursday, May 1st.

A very delicious plate consisting of salad, sandwiches, crackers, pickled cauliflower, cake and ice tea was served to the following members: Mesdames Horace Holt, Joe Jennings, Sam Fox, Morris Douglas, Dick Rockey, Houston Hart, Finley Pierson, Arch Pool and Roy Jordan.

Mr. J. B. Duke and mother, Mrs. E. W. Duke of Houston, were in Muleshoe last Saturday and Sunday visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ray. Mrs. Duke is Mrs. Ray's mother.

The last regular meeting of the Muleshoe Parent-Teachers Association will be held Monday evening, May 5th, at 8:00 o'clock. All members and patrons of the school are urged to attend.

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Muleshoe Delegates Attend Brownfield P. T. A. Meeting

The year book of the Muleshoe Parent Teacher Association was among the items judged at the district meeting in Brownfield last Friday and Saturday, and the scrap book placed excellent. These books were in competition with schools from twenty-four counties comprising the 14th district and included schools of Lubbock, Plainview, Floydada, Littlefield and many other towns much larger and with unlimited material.

The highest attendance in thirteen years was recorded for the meet last Saturday when 429 delegates registered. The district includes the counties of Kent, King, DeWitt, Garza, Terry, Fannin, Dawson, Gaines, Hockley, Lubbock, Hale, Floyd, Borden, Lynn, Lamb, Fisher, Jones, Cochran, Crosby, Scurry, Dickens, Motley, Bailey and Cottle.

Mrs. H. G. Stinnett, Jr., of Plainview, district president, announced 1,272 new members and 16 new local units have been added to the membership of the 14th district during the current year.

Ralls won the trophy for the largest number of visitors at the conference for the third year in succession. The loving cup has become a permanent possession of that organization.

A nominating committee was elected at a board of managers' dinner Friday night to select officers for 1943-1944. Women on this committee are Mrs. Walton B. Hale, Floydada, chairman; Mrs. Fred Stockdale, Aspermint; Mrs. Frank Wier, Brownfield; Mrs. S. D. Hay, Sudan; and Mrs. F. T. Whitaker, Jayton.

Powers is Speaker

Theme of the two-day conference was "The Home at the Threshold of Democracy." In connection with this topic J. W. Hathaway, from the Hogb Foundation in Austin, spoke on mental hygiene. In this discussion he explained the place of the home and the secondary school for better program in mental hygiene for children. He especially stressed that more emphasis should be placed on the development of clean-thinking students. Hathaway explained that youngsters should be taught more concerning possible occupations in life. Adaptation of the program to the ordinary school was explained in detail.

Dan W. Powers, dean of boys at Lubbock Senior High school, led a panel discussion on "Home at the Threshold of Democracy." Students who took part in the panel were Evelyn J. Carpenter, Ariene Younger and Cullen Chapman of Lubbock high school and Jim Lane, Lois Chubbins and Janice Bryan of Brownfield high school.

Friday afternoon a symposium was led by W. T. Hanes, superintendent of Tahoka schools. Participating in this discussion were Summit Smith, superintendent of Brownfield schools; V. Z. Rogers, superintendent of Lamesa schools; Ray D. Brown, superintendent of Levelland schools; Dean Robertson, superintendent of Garza county schools; and E. E. Hancock, superintendent of Ralls schools.

Six of the state officers of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers attended the conference. These were Mrs. William H. Parsons of Waco, state vice-president and state representative to the conference; Mrs. J. B. Day of Roanoke, state vice-president; Mrs. A. C. Surman of Post, state historian; Mrs. Mary Toomey Tompkins, editor of Texas Parent-Teacher magazine; Dr. W. B. Irvin of Lubbock, state rural service chairman; and Mrs. H. F. Goddard of Lubbock, state parliamentary.

Those attending the meeting from Muleshoe were Mrs. H. E. Schuster, president of the Muleshoe PTA for 1940-41, Mrs. D. D. Lancaster of the publicity committee and Miss Essa Lee Roberts of the high school faculty. Miss Roberts was a member of the choral club which was on the program for the meeting and also gave a 15-minute program over the radio at noon Friday and Saturday.

Members of the Muleshoe organization may well be proud of the ratings received with the year book and scrap book, for the competition was the keenest since the district has been organized.

LOCAL WOMAN'S BROTHER DIED IN LUBBOCK

Edgar Norris, 61, of 312 Sixteenth Street, Lubbock, passed away Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock, April 29th, at his home.

Funeral service was conducted at the Plains Funeral Chapel, Tuesday afternoon, April 22nd.

Survivors include his widow, Mrs. Mina Norris; three sons Herbert, of Santa Fe, N. M., Roy and Charles of Lubbock; two daughters Mrs. Kirby McDonald and Mrs. Lois Clark of Lubbock; and four sisters Mrs. Mirrie Fritch of Muleshoe, Mrs. Carrie Smart of Kilgore, Mrs. Minnie Tolliver of Borger and Mrs. Hattie Jones of Clovis, N. M.

His death was attributed to a heart ailment.

The deceased had been a resident of Lubbock for the past 18 years.

Inspirational
Man is not the creature of circumstances. Circumstances are the creatures of men.—Disraeli.

TO COLLECT FUNDS FOR OXYGEN TENT

The citizens of Muleshoe are working to obtain an oxygen tent to be installed in the local clinic. This tent will be for the use of any that may have need for it. The different clubs and organizations of the town are getting behind this move, including the chamber of commerce. A canvass of the town will be made, giving everybody a chance to contribute if they so desire. So you are asked to treat these ladies with all due courtesy. Just remember they are not high pressure salesmen using high pressure methods, but merely citizens trying to do their good turn for society.

The committee includes Mrs. Beulah Carles, Mrs. Joe Dammron, Mrs. Jim Cox, Mrs. A. E. Lewis, Mrs. R. N. Edwards and Mrs. W. B. McAdams.

Word was received Wednesday from George Wood to the effect that he had recently passed a government examination for radio work, and is now a licensed operator. George made a grade of 98, far above passing.

Mayor R. L. Brown left Wednesday noon for Mineral Wells to attend the 1941 annual convention of the Texas Real Estate Association being held throughout Thursday, Friday and Saturday with headquarters in the Baker hotel. An interesting as well as lengthy program has been arranged for the convention, with Brown scheduled to speak Saturday morning on the topic "Farm and Ranch Sales." From Mineral Wells Brown planned to go to Dallas for a visit of a few days with his sister, Mrs. W. F. McCaughey and other relatives.

JENNINGS FOOD MARKET INSTALLS NEW REFRIGERATOR

A recent addition of modern fixtures at the Jennings Food Store is a Friedrich floating air refrigerated vegetable case. This is one of the most modern cases on the market and keeps vegetables and fruits fresh and crisp from the time they arrive till sold. With this method, vegetables retain their natural flavor and crispness even in the hottest weather. Patrons are invited to call and inspect this new convenience at any time.

MRS. ELIZABETH GARDNER IS HOSTESS TO MULESHOE STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner was hostess to the Muleshoe Study Club Thursday evening, April 24th. Subject of the program was "Alaska" with Mrs. Mickey Lewis as chairman.

Ida Ruth Holt gave a very interesting account of the government, geographic conditions and products of Alaska. A round-table discussion followed the program.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Jane Beavers, Inez Bobo, Nona Blake Douglas, Marie Lenau, Druella Gowdy, Ida Ruth Holt, Melzine Elliott, Blanche Lancaster, Jackie Tate, Jo Woods, Rogene Johnson, Mickey Lewis, Ella Ruth Williams, Janette Waggon, Jon Holland and the hostess, Elizabeth Gardner.

JOHNSON TO SPEAK

Congressman Lyndon Johnson will open his campaign for the United States Senate on Saturday night, May 3, at San Marcos where he worked his way through the State Teachers college and which is in the heart of the congressional district he now represents. His opening campaign speech will be carried over the major radio net.

works of the state at 8:00 p.m. and a huge statewide rally will be held. Following the opening of his campaign in San Marcos, Johnson will conduct an active speaking campaign, his itinerary calling for more than 200 speeches in every part of the state.

Use Care

Yellow-bellied sapsuckers often damage the evergreen trees in the spring. Try painting the wounds with any tar product to stop the flow of sap. The birds do not like the taste of the tar and will let it alone. During dry seasons t evergreens punctured by the seem less able to stand drought.

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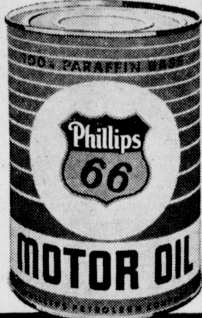


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It contains 252 questions relating to the national government and the answers. It was compiled by Representative Wright Patman of Texas over a period of more than a year, jotting down two or three questions a week and obtaining the answers from the foremost authorities at the matters concerned.

On September Patman had introduced in the congressional record 238 of the 252 questions and answers now coming off in press. Then, having been set up in type, they became available to congressmen at a nominal cost. Approximately 2 cents per copy in pamphlet form was charged when run off in large quantities.

Representatives from practically every state began to have limited numbers printed and mailed to constituents, particularly to school heads. The Carnegie Institute paid for the printing of a sufficient number to be distributed to every library in the country. Then Patman began to get requests from schools and colleges all over the nation, asking for copies.

The upshot was that the house

unanimously adopted a resolution (H. Res. 148) to have the Patman series of questions and answers published as an official paper. The booklet — it will not only contain more questions than the original pamphlet, but will be somewhat more securely done up — will bear the label "House Document No. 152, 77th Congress, first session."

The additional questions and answers were obtained largely through public response to the circulation given the original pamphlet. Patman has had the congressional library and the United States office of information check every question and answer to assure their authenticity and correctness.

The new booklet, which will probably cost 5 or 10 cents, may be obtained by anyone who requests it of the government printing office. It will contain the answers to such questions as "how does a bill become law?" "Do senators and representatives have individual seats?" "What is meant by consideration in committee of the whole?" and "Can a president veto a declaration of war?"

Typical of the interesting subjects found in the list is the answer to a question as to why the capitol and white house are a mile apart. The answer is that George Washington so wanted it. He knew the King of England was always trying

Band Booster's Stunt Night Pays Off In Laughs and \$85 in Folding Money

Burlusquing the Muleshoe High school band, and featuring "rug-cutting" H. O. Barbour displaying the latest jig-time steps, the needlecraft club were judged winners at Stunt Night sponsored by the Band Boosters club. Nine local clubs presented stunts before perhaps the largest audience attending a program of this type in the High school auditorium, last Friday night.

Mrs. Rogene Johnson, portraying the "Duke" in the Muleshoe Study club's skit, "The Fatal Quest," brought down the house. The Queen, the King, the Princess, and the curtain with her superb portrayal of a chivalrous cavalier fighting valiantly for the hand of the maiden fair (Mrs. Inez F. Bobo). The curtains, animated by Mrs. Mickey Lewis and Mrs. Jesse Harrell (Buck Wood, who so realistically clad in white sheets that half of the Lion's club members left prematurely and failed to appear with this club (shades of the KKK).

Rings were placed on the fingers of bride Ray Edwards and through the nose of groom Billy Bentley in the Band Boosters club presentation of a 1941 wedding ceremony. Mrs. Patricia (Dr. Pepper) Bobo created quite a disturbance with her communist apparel showing, and her inability to keep her child (Stanley Fox) from yelling at the right time.

"If there is anyone present who, etc."

of yesterday with the present day outing was a near riot, as presented by the 1939 Study club. This skit featured Mrs. George Johnson as the mother of 13 children (no number George looks down his nose now), with Mrs. Joe S. Damron playing Papa. Mrs. Irvin St. Clair was the modern day mother and Mrs. R. L. Hobbs was quite accurate in her actions of today's father. Every member of this club was presented in their stunt.

Mrs. High Gear McGildecuity featured the Lion's club stunt, in her presentation of two book reviews. One on Webster's International dictionary, the other on the Muleshoe telephone directory, by Mayors Brown and Lenua. "Til-twister" J. W. McDermott gave his left handed version on a right-handed fiddle of shoo-nuff hoe. This stunt was shortened by the absence of several members, as mentioned previously.

The prize winning Needlecraft club's stunt was given next, and additional space should be allotted the method Ma Jim Cook used in pacifying a member of the youngest generation. He stated, while interviewed by a Journal reporter, that he failed to get the county to furnish Borden's canned variety. It is reported that Horace Taylor is still selling tickets.—Author unknown.

Shocking the audience in to silence the youngest contestants, the Half-Century club, presented Jitters Rockey and Young in a typical song and dance of the gay 90's. Tears were streaking the faces of contestants and audience alike when Mrs. Nell Rockey sang (don't let them kid you, it was really Goober) "When You and I Were Young, Maggie." (Stealing some of the Lions club stuff). Changing the tempo, and choosing Mrs. Clara Young for a graceful partner, the two swung into a combination of the Charleston and Put-Your-Little-Foot, about the time Little Quinell Elliott recognized her grandmother Rockey and broke up the show jumping, yelling and pointing at her.

"Lily Pons" Young, better known as Tye, threw his jaw practically out of place in a pantomime of Clyde McCoy's "Geez Blues," with Clela Nell Bayless singing backstage. Representing the PTA, and accompanied on the piano by Geraldine Taylor, this group received a very good hand. In fact, some thought that the roof of the auditorium might collapse... either from applause or the fact that jazz was played.

The sale of candy by the band members stopped completely during a most vivid operation performed by Drs. Horace Edwards and Sweet Pea Beavers. Assorted items ranging from live rabbits to several feet of bologna sausage were forcibly removed from the cringing patient, sans chloroform.

Contrasting an afternoon picnic

to control parliament. He wanted to make it difficult for the president to do that, so he located the capitol and white house on two elevations with a large swamp between them. Since then the swamp has been drained and a paved thoroughfare connects the two.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO BIDDERS AND INTENTION OF THE CITY OF MULESHOE TO ISSUE INTEREST BEARING TIME WARRANTS PAYABLE FROM AN AD VALOREM TAX LEVY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids addressed to R. L. Brown, Mayor of the City of Muleshoe, Texas, at Muleshoe, Texas, for the furnishing and installation of certain extensions and equipment for the present waterworks system in and for the City of Muleshoe, Texas, and for the purchase by said city of certain sewer and water line supplies in accordance with the plans, specifications and contract documents prepared by and which may be obtained from H. E. Musson, engineer for the City of Muleshoe, at the office of the city clerk in Muleshoe, Texas, will be received at the office of the Mayor of Muleshoe, Texas, in the city hall at Muleshoe, Texas, up to 10:00 o'clock A. M. on May 20th, 1941 and publicly opened and read aloud. Any bids received after the opening will be returned unopened.

A cashier's check, certified check, or acceptable bidder's bond payable to the order of the city clerk for the use and benefit of the City of Muleshoe in an amount not less than the sum of 5% of the largest possible total for the bids submitted, must accompany each bid.

Attention is called to the fact that there must be paid on this project not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for work of a similar character in the locality in which the work is performed, not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for a legal holiday or overtime work, which rates in Muleshoe, Texas, are as follows, to-wit:

forms and in accordance with the specifications to be obtained from city engineer.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that it is the intention of the City Commission of the City of Muleshoe, Texas, acting under authority of Chapter 163, Acts of 1931 of the 42nd Legislature of Texas, passed at its regular session and all acts amendatory, supplemental and complementary thereto, to issue interest bearing time warrants of the City of Muleshoe, Texas, the interest on and principal of which is to be payable from an ad valorem tax levy made against all real and personal property in said city, to the contractor or contractors in payment of the total contract price for such water extension system, water and sewer supplies and the obligation to be incurred by the city for engineering expenses on such project; however, the contractors submitting bids on such project and for such supplies shall make such bids on the basis of payment of such contract price in cash, inasmuch as the City Commission has received a firm bid and has contracted to deliver such warrants to C. R. Woolsey & Company, an investment firm of Lubbock, Texas, for a cash price on such warrants of interest; and the successful bidding contractor or contractors on this project must receive such warrants and endorse the same to said investment company, and shall receive therefor the full cash value of same with accrued interest thereon. All accrued interest received upon said warrants by the successful bidder or bidders must be repaid to the City of Muleshoe, Texas, to the use of the sinking funds of said issue of warrants.

The said warrants above mentioned are to be so issued as to:

Mechanic, workman or type of laborer:	General Hourly Rate:	Overtime Hours per Day:	Legal Holiday per Hour Rate:
Trenching Machine Operator	\$1.00	8	\$1.50
Back Filler Operator	\$1.00	8	\$1.50
Caulker	\$0.50	8	\$0.75
Painter	\$0.50	8	\$0.75
Pipe Layer	\$0.50	8	\$0.75
Kettle Man	\$0.75	8	\$1.12 1/2
Valve and Hydrant Setter	\$0.75	8	\$1.12 1/2
Common Laborer	\$0.30	8	\$0.45

The above prevailing wages are established by the City Commission of Muleshoe, Texas, as provided for in the prevailing wage law in House Bill No. 54, Chapter 45, Acts of the 42nd Legislature of Texas, passed at its regular session in 1931, and all amendments thereto.

In the event of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating unit prices in the proposal, the City of Muleshoe, Texas, reserves the right to adopt prices written in words or to reject the proposal.

The City of Muleshoe, Texas, reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive any and all formalities. Plans, specifications and contract documents may be examined without charge at the office of the city engineer in Muleshoe, Texas, and may be procured from H. E. Musson, city engineer, at the office of the city clerk in Muleshoe, Texas, upon deposit of ten dollars (\$10.00) as a guarantee of the safe return of the plans and specifications, the full amount of which will be refunded upon the return of the plans and specifications in good condition within ten (10) days after receipt of bids. Additional sets of plans and specifications may be procured from the office of the city engineer at ten dollars (\$10.00) each as a guarantee of their safe return within thirty (30) days after receipt of bids, in which event five dollars (\$5.00) amount of deposit less actual cost of reproduction of the deposit will be returned. The deposit for plans and specifications made by a successful bidder will not be returned.

The successful bidder or bidders shall be required to give good and sufficient bond in the full amount of the contract price for the faithful performance of the contract, executed by some surety company authorized to do business in this State in accordance with the provisions of Article 5160, Revised Statutes of 1925, and all amendments thereto. All bids must be made upon the

ment of the full costs of such construction project, the costs of such water system supplies and engineering fees, and shall be issued in an amount not to exceed the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00) and shall bear a maximum interest rate of not exceeding five per cent (5%) per annum from date and mature serially over a maximum period of not exceeding twenty-one (21) years from their date, with a maximum maturity of 1961; the interest on said warrants to be a part of the consideration for said contract and the principal and interest on said warrants to be payable from ad valorem taxes levied against all real and personal property within the limits of said city.

This notice is given under the provisions of and in order to strictly comply with Chapter 163, Acts of the 42nd Legislature of Texas, passed at its regular session in 1931, and all acts amendatory, supplemental and complementary thereto.

R. L. BROWN
Mayor, City of Muleshoe, Texas.

DO IT NOW!

Take precautions against destruction by moths. Cleanliness is the best weapon. By washing or dry-cleaning your garments you will destroy perspiration and soiled spots that moths seek. Many dry-cleaners furnish moth-proof bags when you have winter garments cleaned for summer storage. Moth preventatives are useless unless clothes are rid of larvae that might be present in the cloth. Wash woolens lightly for this material is the one the moth usually destroys.

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Many persons have the notion a bank's funds are strictly its own. If that were true, there'd be no need of government supervision.

As custodian of the community's funds we seek NEW LOANS — — — Loans well secured with acceptable collateral.

Muleshoe State Bank

Member Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation

FOOD

FRIDAY and SATURDAY — MAY 2 and 3

Guest Ivory 4 Bars	15c Soap Flakes Glass in each pkg., each	20c
Tomato Juice 14 oz. can — 2 for	15c Cocoanut 1 lb. Celo Bag	15c
Mac. or Spag. SKINNERS — 3 for	25c PREM 12 oz. Can — Each	25c
OATS MOTHERS	25c COOKIES 1 lb. Celo Bag — Each	12c
EXTRACT VANILLA, 8 oz. — 2 for	25c CORN No. 2 can — Each	8c
SNOWDRIFT 8 Pounds \$1.00	4 POUNDS	50c

● MARKET SPECIALS ●

BEEF RIB ROAST Per POUND	20c BOLOGNA Per Pound	11c
CHEESE LONGHORN, per pound	19c Salt Jowls POUND	10c

WAGNON'S

GROCERY & MARKET

to control parliament. He wanted to make it difficult for the president to do that, so he located the capitol and white house on two elevations with a large swamp between them. Since then the swamp has been drained and a paved thoroughfare connects the two.

Joe Ross of Amarillo was in Muleshoe Friday prospecting for a land location in this section of Bailey county.

Buy it in Muleshoe!

MULESHOE MARKETS

Prices for grains and produce by Muleshoe buyers are as of Wednesday of this week, and all are subject to change without notice.

Kaffir	75c
Maize	80c
Millet	\$1.25
Heads, ton	\$10.00
Hogs, cwt.	\$8.30
Wheat bu.	72c
Cream	31c
Eggs	17c
Light Hens	12c
Heavy Hens	15c
Hides	9c

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LINEN SHOWER PLANNED FOR CO-OP HOSPITAL

Amherst, April 23. — The spirit of cooperation, responsible for the beginning of the South Plains Co-operative Hospital Association, has again manifested itself in the motive prompting the ladies of this and other communities in arranging for and conducting a linen shower for the hospital, Saturday, May 3rd. In a statement this week a member of the shower committee declared that the efforts of the committee had met with splendid response and that it was hoped that interest in the endeavor would continue to grow. She further stated that contributions to the shower should either be sheets 63x108 inches; double blankets 64x84 inches; or pillow cases 42x36 inches. In announcing the shower the ladies declared that the contribution of one or more of these items would mean only a small sacrifice on the part of the individual, but in the aggregate would effect a large saving for the hospital.

Dr. B. O. McDaniel of Elk City, Oklahoma, who is to head the institution, was an Amherst visitor Sunday and was highly elated by the progress being made on the construction of the building and the growth of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moore and his son, Billy Dwin, spent the weekend in Plainview visiting home-folks and friends. Mr. Moore returned to Muleshoe Sunday evening and Mrs. Moore and Billy Dwin remained until Wednesday to visit her parents.

Buy it in Muleshoe.

U. S. Defense Savings Bonds, Postal Savings Stamps Go on Sale Thursday, May 1st, at Muleshoe Post Office

The United States Defense Savings Bonds and Postal Savings Stamps will be placed on sale in the main post office at the opening of business on Thursday, May 1, as part of the national effort to make America impregnable.

Postmaster A. J. Gardner announced this week that plans are nearly completed for this community, along with thousands of others from coast to coast, to do its full part at the opening of the savings program. It is expected that the mayor and other civic leaders will be among the first purchasers of savings bonds and stamps here.

Postmaster General Frank C. Walker, in a letter to postmasters per the country, said that the help of local postmasters would be "a real service to the country." He transmitted the thanks of Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau for the help that local postmasters had already given in the sale of United States securities, and also Mr. Morgenthau's thanks in advance "for the co-operation which he knows you will give to this new effort."

The new Defense Savings Bond is similar to the familiar "Baby Bond," of which more than five billion dollars worth have been bought by more than two and a half million Americans since 1935. A Defense Bond may be purchased May 1, or thereafter, for \$18.75. In ten years this bond will be worth \$25.00. This is an increase of 33 and one-third percent, equal to an annual interest return of 2 2/3 percent, compounded semi-annually. Any time after sixty days from the date of purchase, the bond may be redeemed for cash, in accordance with a table of redemption values printed on the face of the bond. To spread investments widely among the people of America, a

West Camp News

The Pollyanna club met with Mrs. Morgan April 23. The meeting was called to order by the vice-president. Opening exercises were led by Mrs. Blakely and Mrs. Thompson. Mrs. Key gave an interesting report on the district meeting in Plainview.

Mrs. Roark and Mrs. Thompson gave a demonstration on rug making. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Blakely, Mrs. Key, Mrs. Roark, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Johnie Williams, Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Peatree, and a visitor, Mrs. Fox.

Among those from the Muleshoe Methodist church who attended the Young People's District Conference held in Plainview Saturday evening and Sunday were Juanita Parrell, Willis Parrell, Miss Jewell Faith, Clyde Bray, Jr., Horace Edwards, Clifton Finley and Connie Dale Gupton.

Lubbock Sanitarium & Clinic

Medical, Surgical and Diagnostic
General Surgery
Dr. J. T. Kruiger
Dr. J. H. Stiles
Dr. J. H. Stiles
Dr. J. T. Hutchinson
Dr. Ben B. Hutchinson
Dr. E. M. Blake
Infants & Children
Dr. M. C. Overton
Dr. Arthur Jenkins
General Medicine
Dr. J. P. Lattimore
Dr. H. C. Maxwell
Dr. G. S. Smith
Obstetrics
Dr. O. R. Hand
Internal Medicine
Dr. R. H. McCarty
X-Ray & Laboratory
Dr. James D. Wilson
Resident
Dr. Wayne Reeser
C. E. Hunt
J. H. Felton
Superintendent Business Mgr.
X-RAY AND RADIUM
Pathological Laboratory
SCHOOL OF NURSING

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The admission on all Tuesday and Wednesday Shows will be
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PALACE THEATRE
Thursday and Friday, May 1-2
Warren William in
"LONE WOLF TAKES A CHANCE"
Saturday, May 3
Chester Morris, Anita Louise in
"WAGONS WESTWARD"
Sunday and Monday, May 4-5
James Stewart, Hedy Lamarr in
"COME LIVE WITH ME"
METRO NEWS, SUNDAY AND MONDAY
Tues.-Wed. SPECIAL May 6-7
Admission for Everyone—10c
Robt. Young, Laraine Day in
"The Trial of Mary Dugan"
Thursday and Friday, May 8-9
Ida Lupino, Humphrey Bogart in
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Plainview Designates Tuesday May 6 Future Farmers of America Day at The Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show

Plainview. — Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club boys and girls will again have their innings at the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show, to be held in Plainview May 6-10. Tuesday, opening day of the Show, has been designated Future Farmers of America Day, and the two contests in which the youthful dairymen take part will be held on that day. These contests are the FFA Dairy Products Judging and the 4-H and FFA Dairy Cattle Judging. Participants in these events will begin their work at 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, with N. C. Fine and M. D. Pederson, Texas Technological College, superintendents.

Entries in these contests for the fourteenth annual Show are expected to exceed the number in 1940. Show officials declared. Twenty-two teams were entered in 1940 for the dairy cattle judging, an all-time high for the years that Fine had been superintendent, he said. Five teams were entered in dairy products judging.

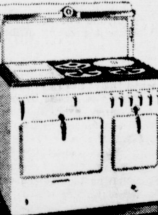
Tulla and Swisher county, for the second successive year, took top honors in the dairy cattle judging contest, the Swisher county 4-H team and the Tulla vocational agricultural team both placing first in the entire contest. Swisher county dairymen state that their judging teams will be ready to go to work in the 1941 contest in the attempt to win the coveted cup for the third successive year, which will make it their permanent property, should they be successful.

Teams entering the dairy cattle judging contest in 1940 were from Lockney, Bovina, Canyon, Crosbyton, Happy, Grenville, N. M., Abernathy, Tulla, Floydada, Lubbock, Ropesville, Plainview, Estelline, Claude, Tucuman, N. M., and Clarendon.

When do we eat?

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Three times a day, 365 days of the year, or 1095 times annually, the average homemaker faces mealtime and twenty minutes to three hours when somebody must be in or near the kitchen. With a Chambers Range that cooks with the gas turned off, much of this incessant pot-watching can be eliminated. You can start a meal at your own convenience, with only a short gas-burning period, turn off the gas completely, and then be free to go and come at will. Your Chambers Range finishes the cooking on retained heat. Food need not be removed when done, as nothing can burn or scorch with the gas turned off. You can cook from meal to meal, with two extra hours of complete kitchen freedom every day—control mealtime instead of permitting mealtime to control you.

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JENNINGS FOOD STORE
FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS
No. 2 1/2 SIZE
PEACHES 15c K. C. 29c
In Heavy Syrup 50 oz. can.
Grapefruit 12 1/2c P'n't Butter 12 1/2c
JUICE — 48 oz. can. PINT SIZE
Pineapple 23c **Pork & Beans** 5c
CRUSHED — 3 for ONE POUND Can
FLOUR \$1.29 **JELLO** 5c
El Reno's Best — 48 lbs. ANY FLAVOR
COFFEE 25c **P & G Soap** 18c
SCHILLING — Pound 5 BARS
TEA 12 1/2c **Pimentoes** 15c
Schilling — 1/4 lb. 2 CANS for
MISSION BRAND **APPLES** 15c
PEARS 25c **Shortening** 39c
No. 2 Size — 2 for DOZEN
MARKET SPECIALS
BACON 19c **BOLOGNA** 11c
SLICED, Pound FOUND
CHEESE 19c **FOURQUARTER STEAK** 20c
LONGHORN, Pound From Fancy Beef, Pound
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AT 103 SHE GETS ELECTRICITY

Mrs. Francis Charlotte Knight lived 103 years before she had the opportunity to enjoy electricity. Today she gets current from the Deep East Texas Electric Cooperative of San Augustine, Tex., and comments that "I'll live longer, now that I can enjoy some of the comforts that electricity brings."
Mrs. Knight was born June 16, 1836, in North Carolina. She was reared by wealthy parents and had slaves to do her every task until after the War between the States when she, her husband Frank Knight and their child came to Texas. They left North Carolina with a letter of her husband, George Knight, traveled by boat via Mobile and New Orleans to Shreveport, there they embarked on the first ox team they had ever seen to complete their journey to Texas.
However, in making the trip, the two brothers separated, George settled in Panola County, Tex., and Frank in Shelby County, 22 miles away. They lived this way for 20 years before they learned each other's whereabouts.
For many years, Mrs. Knight worked with her husband on Texas farms. "It was drudgery for both of us from morning till night," as she puts it. "But, even now, I am not too old to realize the changes electricity has wrought. And one of the main reasons I wish I were younger is that I could then enjoy electricity longer."

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SPUDS 10 Pounds for.....	15c	Green Beans No. 2 cans, EACH	5c
Apples, Lemons EACH	1c	Cracked Wheat 15c pkg. — 2 pkgs.	15c
Tom. Catsup 14 oz. bottle, 3 for	25c	PORTALES BEST FLOUR 48 lb. SACK	\$1.29
KRE-MEL DESSERT, 3 boxes	10c	Corn Flakes CAMPBELL'S 3 for	25c
TOMATOES 4 No. 2 cans	25c	CRACKERS Liberty Bell, 2 lb. Box	15c

MARKET SPECIALS

STARKEY'S CURED HAM Half or Whole, lb.	21c	PARKAY Pound	17 1/2c
Beef Steak Pound	15c	BACON Pound	19c
Beef Roast Pound	15c	BAR-B-QUE HOT, Pound	25c

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