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COUNTY SURVEY IS BEING RUSHED TO COMPLETE DATA SUPPORTING RELIEF CLAIMS

COMMITTEE APPOINTED OVER COUNTY TO MAKE SURVEY OF DROUTH AREA CROPS 60 PER CENT UNDER NORMAL

As a result of a telegram from Charles C. Evans, head of the Extension Department of Agriculture, to the effect that Bailey county was not included in the list of counties to receive Federal drouth relief, the Commissioner's court and a group of representative farmers from all sections of Bailey county were called to meet with the local Kiwanis club Friday to take steps to get relief for Bailey county farmers.

As a result of the meeting, President A. R. Matthews of the Kiwanis club appointed a committee, with Fred S. Reynolds, county agent, as chairman, to make a survey of the county and furnish data to the Farm extension department showing that Bailey county is in need of such moneys.

The committee is as follows: Fred S. Reynolds, chairman, Muleshoe; Neal Rocky, secretary, Muleshoe; Will Wittering, Muleshoe; J. E. Albridge, Muleshoe; J. A. Nickels, Bula; G. O. Blackshear, Baileyboro; J. A. Dealie, Goodland; D. W. Danison, West Camp; G. P. Howell, Enoch; W. M. Pool, Baileyboro.

The committee decided to have school house meetings over the county and let the people express themselves regarding the drouth situation, and farmers that are interested in getting federal aid are requested to write to County Agent Fred S. Reynolds, Muleshoe, and express themselves regarding the situation. These letters will be used as evidence to be presented to the Farm Extension department in an effort to get aid.

Also, a check-up of ginning in Bailey county will be made, and other information showing crop shortage in the county will be presented as evidence to get relief.

Mr. Reynolds held a meeting of 40 farmers at the Baileyboro school Friday night to discuss conditions. Other meetings scheduled to take place were Lovely, Monday at 10 a. m.; Goodland, Monday, 2:00 p. m.; Bula, Tuesday, 10:00 a. m.; Circleback, Tuesday, 2:00 p. m. These meetings, according to Mr. Reynolds, would fairly well cover the drouth stricken area

PLEASE BE CAREFUL WHEN PASSING SCHOOL BUSES IS URGED BY COUNTY JUDGE

STATE ACCREDITOR OF BABY CHICKS ASSOCIATION HERE

J. L. Myers, of Plainview, state accreditor of the Baby Chicks association was in Muleshoe Tuesday accrediting the flocks of the Muleshoe Hatchery. He states that he found quite a variety of high class flocks in this community, consisting of White Langshans, Reds, Leghorns and Buffs.

He stated that T. C. Young, proprietor of the Muleshoe Hatchery, was to be congratulated for his high class flocks of baby chicks.

Mr. Myers states that he will return in about two weeks and at that time will hold a demonstration at some farm in this community, where he will cull the flocks of chickens, and insists that all farmers and chicken raisers, interested in better poultry flocks, be present at this gathering. His work is purely educational, and is sponsored by the A. & M. college, according to Mr. Myers.

Queen of the Air



Miss Ruth Nichols, society girl who took up flying and has beaten Lindbergh's record for a coast-to-coast flight, 13 hours and 22 minutes.

MULESHOE TO BE ADVERTISED OVER RADIO BY THE PANHANDLE LUMBER CO. IN NEAR FUTURE

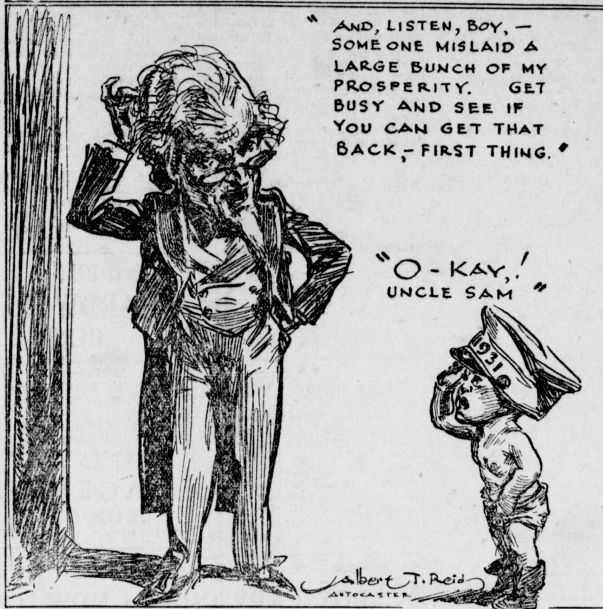
The Panhandle Lumber Co., is sponsoring a program to be put on by Muleshoe over the radio station KELS, Amarillo, allowing 30 minutes of speaking and music. The exact date of this program has not yet been announced. A local committee with K. K. Smith, as its head is now working out the details of this program.

The Muleshoe band, with Prof. Monty Bowron, director, will be a feature of this program.

There is a crying demand at present for some diminutive cuss words for use—these miniature guff courses.

Guess That Will Keep the Kid Busy

By Albert T. Reid



"AND, LISTEN, BOY, — SOMEONE MISLAID A LARGE BUNCH OF MY PROSPERITY. GET BUSY AND SEE IF YOU CAN GET THAT BACK, — FIRST THING."

"O-KAY, UNCLE SAM"

Baptists Building Annex To Church Here This Week

Work will be started this week on an annex which will include four large Sunday school rooms, at the First Baptist church of this city. The structure which will be temporary framework, will cost approximately \$20 for the material, the labor to be donated by the local church members.

The entire project is to be financed by the Women's Missionary union of the church.

County Judge Adams Organizes Red Cross Chapters Over County

County Judge J. E. Adams has been engaged in an extensive Red Cross campaign this week over the southern portion of Bailey county organizing local Red Cross chapters, and appointing committees of three in each locality to aid in drouth relief.

Mr. Adams acting for Mrs. C. C. Marshall, chairman of the Red Cross for Bailey county.

This work is being done with the sanction of the national headquarters of the Red Cross which promises to supplement all funds raised in this county for drouth relief.

It is expected that this movement will materially aid efforts of the Kiwanis club committee in getting Federal aid for the drouth stricken area inasmuch as the state committee in charge of this work is being governed largely by Red Cross activities in selecting counties to be placed on its list for such Federal loans.

CIRCLEBACK GETS P. O.

A postoffice has been granted at Circleback. Gordon O. Sharran has made application for the postmaster through Mrs. B. W. Carles, Muleshoe postmaster.

Muleshoe Post Office Shows An Increase

The year 1929 may have been pretty hard with some of Uncle Sam's post offices in West Texas, but apparently the Muleshoe office has not been seriously affected, since the report turned in at the end of 1929 by Postmaster Mrs. L. Carles shows an increase of \$346.53 over the business done here in 1928. Stamp sales at the Muleshoe post office for 1929 totalled \$1619.57; for 1928, \$1273.04. Money order sales showed a decrease, as follows: 1929, \$1678.50; 1928, \$1849.62. It has been suggested, however, that the decrease sale in money orders may be a favorable token for Muleshoe and surrounding territory, since the amount of money orders sent to mail order houses was considerably less this year than last.

RESULT OF STRAW VOTES ON ROAD BOND ISSUE

As a result of the straw vote being taken to determine the interest of the voters of Bailey county in regard to the issuing of \$500,000 serial bonds, running 30 years, at 5% per cent, to be used for highway building in Bailey county, the following votes have been received to date:

For the issuing of the bonds, 21; against the issuing of the bonds, 18. Those in favor of the road movement having a majority of three votes.

Kiwanis Appoint Survey Committee For Bailey County

The Kiwanis Club of Muleshoe met in regular session Friday at noon, reporting a good attendance. The main subject for discussion was the necessity of surveying the county preparatory to securing a part of the \$5 million dollar government loan for the Bailey county farmers. Dr. A. R. Matthews appointed a committee of business men and farmers to take care of this matter.

The following visitors were guests at this meeting: Lee Applin, G. C. French, J. H. Beggs, W. R. Carter, O. M. Long and A. R. Poole, of Baileyboro; J. A. Nickels, of Bula; W. M. Poole, Jr., of Sudan; H. W. Wittering and A. J. Hicks, Muleshoe.

MRS. WILL HARPER PURCHASES STYLE SHOP OF MRS. ADAMS

Mrs. Will Harper this week purchased the stock of Mrs. J. E. Adams' style shop and will be open for business immediately at her home in this city located just east of the Muleshoe Hatchery.

Mrs. Adams announced last week her intention to discontinue her business due to ill health, and statement of the purchase of this business by Mrs. Harper appears elsewhere in this paper.

Mr. Harper states that she will handle practically the same line of merchandise as did Mrs. Adams.

Don't let the mail order houses deceive you.

Elect Directors of Loan Association At Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Muleshoe National Farm Loan association was held at the court house in Muleshoe Monday afternoon for the purpose of electing a new board of directors for the year 1931. About 40 of the 200 members of the association were present.

The directors as elected are as follows: B. E. Chaney, W. M. Wittering, Whitson West, R. J. Klump, and D. C. Stovall. The board remains the same as that of last year with the exception that D. C. Stovall takes the place of T. C. Gaddy, Mr. Gaddy not wishing to serve another term.

The new board of directors will meet Saturday, Jan. 17th, for the purpose of electing a secretary-treasurer and attending to any other routine business that may come before it. A. P. Stone, local abstractor, has served as secretary-treasurer for the association during the past year.

F. T. Collins, special agent of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, was present at the meeting and explained many of the functions of the Federal Farm bank, and especially stressed the fact that all payments due the bank must be made.

According to Secretary-treasurer A. P. Stone, some changes have been made in the association, one being the compensation of the secretary-treasurer, which was previously based on a percentage of the dividends paid by the Federal Land bank, and now is based on the capital stock in the land bank held by the local association.

"Owing to the fact that in the past dividends that were passed to local associations have been passed on to its stockholders," Mr. Stone said, "and various associations have not retained sufficient money to make their endorsements of notes of their members good. This will work out to the good of the associations in that it will tend to lessen the probability of assessments against members of the associations" he said.

MULESHOE QUINTET TRONCS SUDAN ODD FELLOWS 20 TO 15

The Muleshoe city basketball team journeyed to Sudan, Monday night, and defeated the O. D. F. team of that place in a hard fought battle that resulted with a score of 20-15. The game was close from beginning to end and at one time it looked bad for the local quintet. The fourth quarter, however, went to Muleshoe, they making two field goals in the last few minutes of play.

County To Begin Work on Road South to Morton

At a meeting of the Bailey County Commissioners' court Monday in regular session, it was decided that work would begin not later than the first of February on the road from the J. M. Cash store located on Highway 7, to Enoch, giving Bailey county a north and south road to Morton in Cochran county. This road has been agitated for some time, but definite action is now being taken concerning its construction.

County Judge J. E. Adams reports that fences are already being moved and a right-of-way is being cleared for the road. It will take a straight course north and south, with the exception of a mile jog at Enoch, since Morton lies one mile west of south of Muleshoe.

The court in regular session appointed Judge Adams buying agent for Bailey county, he being authorized to buy and pay for all court house equipment and supplies, as well as material for the grounds.

It was ordered by the court that in the future no bills for road work will be allowed excepting on regular meeting dates of the court, and passed by them in regular session on the second and fourth Mondays of each month. In the past it has been customary for road workers to come in at any time with orders from commissioners for money in payment of road services and they have been paid, but notice is given that in the future these bills will not be allowed unless they are passed in open session, and the court requests that those who cannot wait until such times for payment will not do county work.

The Commissioners court adjourned after passing on bills and doing other routine work.

Horrisberger Raises Shropshires; Finds Them Profitable

That the raising of sheep is very profitable is a statement made to a Journal representative by Louis Horrisberger, farmer and stockman, living 15 miles northeast of Muleshoe.

Mr. Horrisberger states that he has been handling sheep successfully for the past 18 years. He came here from Enid, Okla., about 18 months ago, and purchased 135 acres of land. He raises row crops, Columbian Wyandotte chickens, and thoroughbred Shropshire sheep.

Last fall Mr. Horrisberger had some of his sheep at the fairs at Amherst and Lubbock. They receiving much favorable comment at the time. He had no competition at these two places. Six years ago he states, he had sheep at the Fat Stock show at Fort Worth, winning first and second prizes. He receives orders from several different states, and has even shipped some of them to Old Mexico, they being registered animals and used for breeding purposes.

HEAVY RAIN FALLS IN THIS SECTION SATURDAY

Beginning shortly before dawn Saturday morning, a slow, steady rain commenced falling, continuing all day Saturday, until the streets of Muleshoe were almost impassable. This rain was reported as general all over the Panhandle, in many sections turning into snow, which reached a depth of several inches. Reports from farmers are to the effect, this rain will be very beneficial, especially to those in the wheat section.

Champion Baritone



Raoul E. Nadeau, young electrical engineer, who won \$5,000 and a scholarship for the best male voice in the annual radio audition contest.

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

One God and Father of all, who is above all, and through all, and in you all.—Ephesians 4:6.

It is folly to seek the approbation of any being besides the Supreme—Addison.

TALKING AND DOING

We've a lot of regard for the Muleshoe man who usually starts his conversation by telling us of something we need around here. It shows he has the interest of the town and community at heart. But we are inclined to lose patience with him if he content to tell us what we need and then let the subject drop there. The man who talks improvement is a big help in the neighborhood, but the man who not only talks them but rolls up his sleeves and helps get them is more to our liking.

This is a favorite time of the year for suggesting needed improvements. We all love to believe we are going to get the things we need "this year." But too many of us stand by and wait for the other fellow to do the actual work, with the result that "What's everybody's business is nobody's business." And we reach the end of the year still lacking that which we could have had by going after it.

Why not resolve to do a little actual work along with the suggestions? Agitating is all right in its way. It serves to awaken the people to the need for this or that improvement. But agitation alone will not get the things we ought to have. Why not step in and take the lead for once, and in that actually secure the improvement you believe your town and community stands most in need of? You'll find others ready to help the moment they see you are in earnest. And you have a newspaper right here that is only too glad to do its share toward accomplishing results.

There are several things we need badly in this community right now. Why not pick out the one that seems to you to be the most important and lead a campaign to get it before this year, too, has become a part of history?

The meanest man we ever heard of was the one who applied for a divorce but told the judge he wanted to part good friends with his wife so she could still do his laundry work.

BRAINS AND HANDS

An active brain and two good hands will keep the wolf from the door. Yea, they will do more. They will fill the family larder, clothe the body, and swell the bank account from day to day.

Brains without hands are handicapped. Hands without brains are impotent.

The boy in your family has both, but minds and hands are in a formative state, where exceptional care and training are required to turn out a hundred per cent man.

The boy who is not constantly looking for excuses, who performs his tasks with a cheerful and willing spirit, with an active interest in his work, and with a determination to do that work just a little better than others, is using his brains as well as his hands.

The boy who exhibits these commendable traits will be a persistent and determined climber of the ladder of life, and he will find his employers or those with whom he labors, pushing him upward as rapidly as he is willing to climb.

A combination of brains and hands when used in the right is close to the invincible.

Your boy has them. Aid him in using them, in making the best of them, and in time he will prove a staunch defender of his honor, his home and his country.

YL News Items

Floyd Talent is out of school on account of sickness.

Miss Lela Burnham returned Sunday night from a two weeks visit with Miss Charlotte Thomas of New Kirk, Oklahoma.

A. W. Darnell of Gotebo, Okla., and daughter Mrs. Nellie Holdman are visiting in the home of C. F. Jordan this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gaede entertained with a 42 party last Wednesday night. After delicious refreshments were served, the guests departed at a late hour declaring they had a very nice time.

Mr. Darnell and daughter, Mrs. Holdman visited Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Evans, Sunday.

Emmett Traveek, J. C. Armstrong, Evelyn Wilterding of the seventh grade and Bobbie Beller of the eighth grade were exempt from all mid-term examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Head were surprised Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Wilterding and children, H. E. Wilterding and family, Miss Dot Wilterding, W. M. Wilterding and Miss Helene Head, of Bovina, bringing a delicious dinner came to help Mr. Head celebrate his birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Cook and family made a business trip to Melrose, N. M., Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shofner and children went to Leveland, Tuesday to visit Mr. Shofner's parents who are celebrating their golden wedding.

Mrs. C. L. Hagameir was surprised Monday when the ladies of the Y. L. community took their dinner and went to help celebrate her birthday.

A few old settlers in Chicago can still remember when the big fire did not come from machine guns.

Big Square News

Organizes Literary Society
A Literary Society was organized among the Big Square people. The officers elected were: President, Otis Burton; Vice-President, Mr. Amehner; Secretary, Miss Helen Estes; Program Committee appointed for next meeting night: E. O. Tunnell, Mrs. Palmer and Art Haberger.
An interesting program was rendered Friday night. The most important feature being a debate, "Which is the most profitable to the average farmer, tractor power or horse power?" The result was in favor of the horses.

A very interesting program has been planned for our next meeting night Jan. 23. Much interest is being shown and we hope that it will be a source of much pleasure in the future.

Persons
We are sorry to report that Mr. Glenn Stiles has been sick the past week. At the present writing he is said to be some better.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Merle Stiles was the scene of a merry watch party New Year's night when some 40 or more young people were entertained. Forty-two and many other games were played until the New Year came in.

The Big Square Demonstration club met Tuesday afternoon at the school house for a short business session.

Mr. Hale, the county agent, and Miss Dremar, the Home Demonstrator met with the 4-H clubs of the school children Thursday. A profitable and interesting meeting was reported.

Mrs. Miller entertained a group of the Big Square young people last week. A good time was had by every one.

Rev. A. A. Peacock, the Methodist minister, filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wallace and son, Lowry, tractor Billy Barber and

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Miss Helen Estes spent an enjoyable day with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stiles, Sunday.
We are glad that Emerson Jr. Weyer who suffered a broken arm when the horse he was riding stepped in a hole, throwing him off, is reported to be getting along nicely.
The L. I. C. club was entertained Thursday by Mrs. Hix at the home Mrs. A. D. Brogdon. After the social hour a short business meeting was held when Mrs. Miller was elected president.



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Progress News Notes

The Home Missionary society met Monday January 12, with Mrs. Allen Penton. The president called the house to order. "Work for the Night is Coming."

A very interesting program was rendered from our Royal service. Six members answered roll call.

We met next Monday with Mrs. W. C. Brown at 1:30, everyone is invited to come.

Oliver Atkinson has moved to Mule shoe. He is living in Frank Snyder's house.

P. T. A. will meet Jan. 22, at the school house. The teachers and children will render a program. Everyone is invited to come.

T. L. Snyder who has been real sick the past 10 days is reported to be improved. We hope he will soon be able to be up.

Chas. Elmore of Boyce moved Saturday to the Allen Penton place. We are glad to welcome these new people to our community.

There wasn't any Sunday school Sunday on account of the rain.

Bro. Peacock will preach next Sunday.

Esther Marcum took supper with Fern Gross, Sunday.

Arnold Atkinson and Lloyd Warren spent Sunday with Edward Gross.

Rev. Peacock attended the sale of Mr. Jones west of Progress, Monday.

(Too late for last week.)
The Home missionary society met Monday with Mrs. Elmore with four members present. The president read Matthew 25th for the devotional. It was decided a week ago to meet at

1:30 on account of some who have to be home before 4:00 o'clock. Everyone bear in mind that we meet promptly at 1:30 and be at Mrs. Penton's next Monday.

L. L. Wellisandl who was taken to the Clovis hospital on Dec. 26, passed away at that place on December 30th, at 4:15. His brother left with him the next day for Nebraska City, Neb., where he was buried last Saturday. He was 69 years of age on Sept. 22.

Miss La Verne Smith returned Sunday from Lubbock where she spent the Christmas holidays.

S. O. Hutchinson returned from Sulphur Springs Sunday where he spent the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross took New Years dinner with Geo. Lindsay and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Elmore of Berger, spent the week end in the Clarence Elmore home.

PROGRESS CHURCH SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, JANUARY 18

We desire that the people of the Progress community be present Sunday for we have planned that this service will be beneficial to everyone.

We desire to build the community spiritually and we need the help of all the people.

Our work starts off well, but we are not satisfied yet, we can and must do greater things.

Sunday school meets in the morning. Preaching immediately after Sunday school. League meets at 6:45. Come and enjoy this program. Evening service 7:15. Come we have a message for you.

—ALLEN A. PEACOCK, Pastor.

Years ago, when you wanted to poison people you put it into their coffee. Now you invite them down cellar.

Circleback News

Miss Bonnie Mitchell spent Sunday with Olga Brown.

E. J. McCallum and family had as their guest Sunday Bro. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Parks.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the Gallagher home Saturday night.

Herbert Sharmon who has been visiting his brother Geo. Sharmon, left Wednesday for Lindale.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore are the proud parents of a baby girl born Friday evening, January 9.

Mrs. J. O. Sumrall spent Thursday night in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Damron.

Mrs. Bill Nall spent Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Louis Nall.

Miss Olga Brown had as her guest Tuesday night, Miss Dolie Cox.

Miss Lillie Sharmon from Memphis is here visiting her brother George Sharmon.

George Bunnrick and family were the guests of Mr. Williams and family Sunday afternoon.

Everyone is invited to attend the singing at Circleback, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Nall had as their guest Sunday, Miss Elsie Moore.

Miss Olga Mae spent Sunday night with Loreta McCallum.

YL MISSIONARY NEWS

The YL Missionary society met with Mrs. Ed. Bickle at the home of Mrs. John Bickle, with 18 members and one visitor present.

The meeting was opened with the song, "Rescue the Perishing," followed by Scripture lesson and prayer by Mrs. Matthews.

Miss Dottie Witterding, Mrs. Ed Hupp, Mrs. Mervin Witterding and Mrs. Buhmann gave short talks on what the missionary workers are doing in home fields.

The following officers were installed: Mrs. I. F. Willman, president; Mrs. Shoffner, vice-president; Miss Julia Harre, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Harre, recording secretary; Miss Dot Witterding, treasurer; Mrs. Head, supt. study; Mrs. J. H. Harrel, supt. of publicity; Mrs. L. E. Wilson, asst.

Mrs. O. N. Robison, supt. social service; Mrs. Burnham, supt. of supply. The next meeting to be held is on January 20, 1931, at the home of Mrs. I. F. Willman. All members are urged to be present, and visitors are welcome.—Reporter.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

The Senior B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church announces that the regular meeting at the church auditorium next Sunday evening will not be held, but the entire Union is planning to gather at the church at 6:00 o'clock p. m., to journey to Hub City, 20 miles road, to local B. All meetings are held in accordance with the trip.

Help keep Muleshoe clean!

The Value of a Sm.

It costs little, but gives much. It blesses him who gives and him who receives. It is certain there are none so rich but they need it, none so poor but it enriches them. It helps us in the hour of sadness, and increases the moment of joy. It makes for friendship and is a never failing dividend payer. It is the most helpful asset in business life. It makes every home brighter and happier. It is the joy of youth and the benediction of old age. It is our wish that the year 1931 will smile on everyone of you.

West Texas Gas Company

A DIZZY JOB
It seems a deputy sheriff was sent to take an inventory of some house furnishings. When he didn't return after three hours, the sheriff investigated and found him asleep on the front room lounge. He had made a brave effort with his inventory, however—the sheriff read:
"Living room—1 table, 1 side-board, 1 full bottle of whiskey."
Then the "full" was crossed out and "half-full" substituted. Then this was scratched and "empty" put in its place. Finally at the bottom of the page, in a wobbly hand was written:
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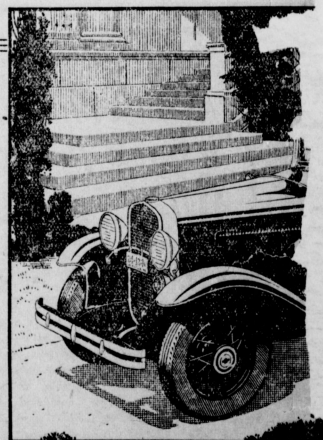
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OIL FIELDS WILL THOROUGH TEST SOON

"Scraping 17, in Coch-he Car-be spud- month contract company," who obtained the lease on this large tract by the consolidation with the Mariland Company some time ago. It will be remembered that oil and gas was discovered in the first test, made about eighteen months ago by the Mariland company on a location five miles south of Lehman. Oil bear-

ing sands were encountered at a depth of about 470 feet, but the production was estimated as being too small for the oil was such that it was thought that this well was on the outer edge of what might be an oil pool. A delay was occasioned by the outcome of a well which was then being drilled near Morton about twelve miles north. A log of the latter well shows the main well at about a 200 foot greater depth an indication that the oil field in all probabilities did not extend in that direction.

The new location is about two miles south of the old well and had been favorably regarded by geologists before the completion of the Lehman well, and it is thought that the test which is so shortly to be started will determine whether an oil pool exists in that locality.

Large trucks containing the machinery for the drilling has been going through levelland for the past two days and has awakened much of the excitement occasioned by the Lehman well when the final results were a matter of conjecture. This test will at least form the back ground for a hope which was begotten when oil and gas was first discovered in that vicinity.

The contract calls for a deep test, around 5,000 feet. A rotary drill will be used until a depth is reached that will require standard tools to go deeper. This insures that the test will be completed in the least possible time.—Hockley County Herald.

METHODS CHURCH

All services were well attended last Sunday. If you were not there, you missed something. Of course, we can run the church without you, but you cannot get along without the church. We were made happy by the large crowd Sunday night and for the interest that was manifested. The interest would have been greater if you, as a Christian, had done your part. We have noticed that people get as much out of the church as they want to, and as much as they put into it. We wonder sometimes that if people treated their jobs and their work as they do the church, how long they would hold them.

We are planning an open house at the church on January 22, and we desire that every church member be present, also all people that are not attending some church. We know that you will enjoy the fellowship of this hour and that you will go away feeling that the church is your friend.

We are beginning Tuesday night a study course which would help everyone if they would come to it. "The Marks of a World Christian" is the book to be studied. You cannot read and study this book without becoming a better man or woman. Come and be with us in this study.

The prayer meeting is on Wednesday night and we have come to the conclusion that the prayer meeting is the spiritual thermometer of the church.

Come and we will give you a hearty welcome. Sunday school, 9:45; morning service, 11:00 a. m.; leagues, 6:45; evening service, 7:45; prayer meeting each Wednesday night, 7:45; Women's Missionary society meets each Monday evening.

—REV. W. B. HICKS, Pastor.

BAPTISTS WILL OFFER STUDY COURSE HERE NEXT WEEK

According to plans that are now well under way, a B. Y. P. U. study course directed and taught by Rev. Cal McGahay, pastor of the First Baptist church at Stuan, will begin here next Monday night and will continue throughout the week, at the local Baptist church.

The course will embrace a comprehensive study of B. Y. P. U. methods and organization, and will be offered to senior and adult church workers.

Plans are also under way for an intermediate course to be taught at the same time, under the direction of Mrs. Shaw of this place.

W. M. U. MEET

The W. M. U. met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. C. Danner, having 12 members present.

The President Mrs. L. S. Baron, read the second chapter of Philippians for devotional. This is one of the best chapters in the Bible. It has many wonderful lessons for the Christian to live by.

After a short business session we adjourned to meet with Mrs. H. A. Eckler next Monday at 2:30. We will have our Missionary lesson from Royal Service. Mrs. Ray Griffiths will be the leader. All the ladies are cordially invited to attend.—Reporter.

B. A. U. PROGRAM

Topic: "The New Testament Church Model."

Leader, Mrs. Joiner.

The Church was Founded by Jesus. Mrs. Winn.

The Church is the Agency of Jesus for Establishing His Kingdom. Mr. Danner.

A Church is an Organization of Baptized Believers. Mrs. Alsup.

A Church is a Spiritual Democracy. Curtis Taylor.

A Church is a Christian Brotherhood. Mr. Hollis.

A Church is the Body of Christ. Mrs. Holland.

Out of 102 occupations listed by the American Research foundation as engaging wage-earners in the United States 82 contribute freely or indirectly to making women beautiful.

Statistics From Irrigation Projects In New Mexico Give An Idea Of What May Be Accomplished In Blackwater Valley

Crop production in the Carlsbad, N. M., irrigation project were valued at \$1,297,378 for the year 1930, by L. E. Foster, superintendent of the project, in his annual report.

The average value per acre of all crops is given as \$54.33.

The irrigable area of Carlsbad project is 25,000 acres, with 100 per cent in cultivation. Cotton and alfalfa are the principal crops, although garden truck, the various sorghums and fruit produce excellent returns. Crop production since the inception of the project, under government management, amounts to \$22,010,995, and the per acre returns for the twenty-four years average \$54.44. The average yield of cotton in 1930 was 87 bale per acre. A considerable quantity of Carlsbad cotton is exported to mills in Germany.

Carlsbad project enjoys the distinction of twenty-four years' operation without experiencing a crop failure! The farmers are making money and they represent a happy element in the field of agricultural industry.

Well Irrigation Profitable
Irrigation from artesian wells has proved most satisfactory in the Pecos Valley. In Chaves county, of which Roswell is the county seat, there are more than 40,000 acres under irrigation, which means there are just that

many acres of farming land. There is no farming there without irrigation. Of this amount about half is in cotton each year, 35 per cent in alfalfa, and the remaining 15 per cent in corn, small grain, truck and orchards.

The average gross return per acre over a period of eight years for all crops on all farms, good, bad and indifferent, has been for the entire county in excess of \$55 for each acre planted. This figure does not include 1930, because the figures for 1930 are not complete.

Cotton growers of the Pecos Valley have to some extent offset the low price this year by large yields. One field of 140 acres has produced 143 bales of cotton. A measured five-acre tract out of this same field has made 15 bales. It will be pointed out to you that this is a most unusual yield, and is mentioned only to show that the soil is really fertile and conditions ideal for cotton growing.

Only staple cotton is grown, the length ranging from 1 1/8 to 1 3/16 inches. The strength of the staple is good and usually brings a premium.

NOTICE

On the 8th day of February, A. D. 1931, the Commissioners Court of Bailey County Texas will receive sealed bids on the County and School

depository for the years 1931 and 1932. The Court will not select the depository for schools with more than 150 scholars. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
—J. E. ADAMS, County Judge.
Jan. 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 1931.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

Following is the League Program for Sunday evening, January 18th:
Subject: "The Church Engaged in Teaching."

Leader: Mrs. Nina F. Elrod.
Africa, Jewell Haney.
Brazil, Rufus Gilbreath.
China, Adella Beavers.
Japan, Ray Buzard.
Poland, Myrtis Burkhead.
Belgium, Wayne Wallace.
Round table discussion of the book of Genesis.

STORK SPECIALS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John Bird-song, January 12th, a son.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parsons, January 10th, a daughter.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Odes Thompson, Jan. 12, a boy.
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Knowles, Jan. 12, a girl.
Born to Mrs. Bulah Talant, Jan. 8, a boy.

COBB-WISEMAN

Mr. Milton Wiseman and Miss Hazel Cobb were married at Clovis, N. M., Sunday, December 21st.

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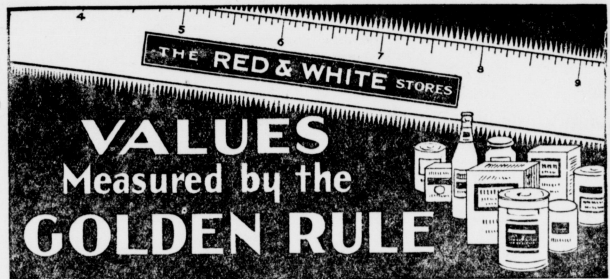
January 12, 1931.

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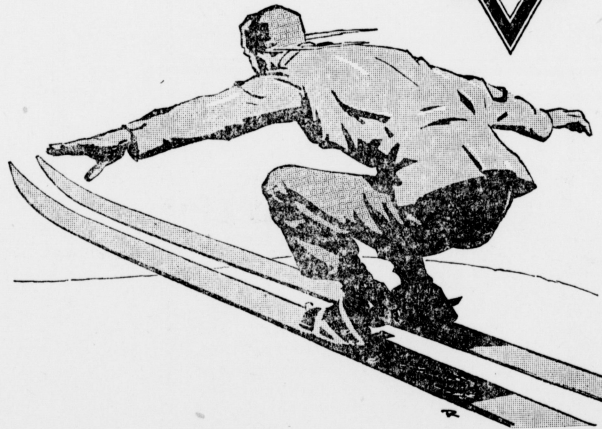
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If you're having trouble starting, you're probably using an old-type oil that coagulates at temperatures well above freezing. You should change to Conoco Germ-Processed.

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Conoco Germ-Processed Motor Oil is that one lubricant. Change to this motor oil with twin advantages for winter use. . . . 35 cents per quart for all grades at the sign of the Conoco Red Triangle.

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buddie News

late for last week)
Mrs. Finis Jennings motored Christmas day and with Mrs. Jennings relative home of her sister, Mrs. dhs.
Mrs. Rudolph Pyritz and d Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wilson great surprise party Christmas when they took a big turkey the fixings for a big Christmas, which Mrs. Pyritz had and went to the home of ama Dyck. Mrs. Dyck has been ill weeks and is barely able to So Christmas Day after all was lessant for her.
and Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe went to

Lubbock Christmas Eve and remained over the week end. They had Christmas dinner with relatives who live in or near Lubbock.
Mr. and Mrs. Lust and children enjoyed a big Christmas dinner with Mr. Lust's sister, Mrs. Glen Stiles, of Big Square.
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Disch had dinner guests Christmas Day, Mr. and Mrs. B. Y. Burton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beene and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Matthews and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Roberts and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Abney and the immediate family.
Christmas night several people enjoyed an evening of 42 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee. At the close of the evening the guests enjoyed a midnight supper, consisting of all the "bests" left from Mrs. Menefee's delicious Christmas dinner. Those who played were Mr. and Mrs. Otto Treider, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Haskins, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Rheinholz and Shorty Steinbock. Mrs. Steinbock served her guests

sandwiches and punch.
A watch party which ended slightly before the old year did, was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carroll on New Year's eve. The evening was spent playing bridge and forty-two. At the close of the evening refreshments of ice cream, cake and coffee were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Matthews and family, Mr. and Mrs. Benton Burton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Roberts and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Disch, Mrs. Eva Abney and Mr. Johnnie Jennings and Miss Annie McDarrel, of Oklahoma Lane.
Miss Billy Jones is entertaining as house guest a charming young lady from Levelland, Miss Lorene Wood.
Mr. and Mrs. Lust were host and hostess to a few, complimentary to Miss Wood, Friday night when the evening was spent playing bridge. At the close of the evening Mrs. Lust served salad, cold chicken, rolls and coffee to the following guests: Miss Lorene Wood, Miss Billy Jones, Miss Grace Jennings, Messrs. Bill Shirley and Cecil Symes of Panhandle.
Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee entertained at house guests last week their daughter, Mrs. Ruby May Symes, of Amarillo.
A young man who gave his name as Billy John came the 21st of December to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Thorn. Upon arrival he weighed 95 pounds.
The Lazduddy Study club met in regular session Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe with Misses Billy Jones and Grace Jennings, new members, joint hostesses. A program was rendered on "Literature in the Home." New officers for the year took their respective places. Delicious refreshments were served to the following club members: Mesdames Willie and John Steinbock; Raymond and Juel Treider, Ralph Disch, Loyal Lust, Rudolph Pyritz, H. S. Menefee, R. L. Bledsoe and guests, Miss Lorene Wood and Mrs. Carl Wilson and the hostesses, Misses Jones and Jennings.
Mr. Chas. Burton, of Shawnee, Okla. is visiting friends and relatives around Lazduddy.
Mr. John Steinbock, who was injured in a serious car accident, was reported to be very slow in improving.
Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe entertained Sunday with a turkey dinner. Only those who have eaten a turkey dinner with the Bledsoes can know what the guests enjoyed. The afternoon was spent playing bridge. The guests were Mr. Bill Shirley, Mr. John and Miss Billy Jones.
The Faculty play which was shown in the Lazduddy high school auditorium some time ago proved so popular and so successful that the players have consented to give a second production of it at the same place on the night of January 23. "The Whole Town's Talking," has become the most talked of play ever to be produced here and because of the advertising which it is first production has given it we are expecting a packed house on the night of its second appearance here. Come early if you want a good seat. The play will start promptly at 8:00 o'clock

MULESHOE SPLITS TWO-GAME MEET WITH OKLAHOMA LANE

The Muleshoe High school basketball girls got the short end of a 20-23 score at the hands of the Oklahoma Lane school team last Friday evening at the High School gymnasium, but found some consolation in seeing the Muleshoe boys trounce the boys' team of Oklahoma Lane immediately afterward with a score of 26-19.
Both games were hard-fought and fast, showing considerable skill on the part of all participants.
A record crowd was present to see the games, and immediately preceding the contests the Muleshoe Band, directed by Prof. Monte Bowron, of Plainview, rendered a group of selections which served to enhance the program of the evening immensely.

Cherokees Ranked First
The Cherokee Indians were the largest and most important Indian tribe originally east of the Alleghenies, perhaps the highest in culture and intellectual receptivity north of Mexico.

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FOR SALE: Carbon paper, second sheets and scratch pads at Journal office.

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AGENCY for Royal portable typewriters. Best on the market today. Let us demonstrate one to you. Muleshoe shoe Journal.

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Anyone wishing to purchase a lot should see John Burton, Supt. Any party in charge of a body must present burial certificate to Mr. Burton By order Board of Trustees.—Mrs. J. E. Burton, Secy. 49-tfc

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF BAILEY) NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of the County of Bailey on the 6th day of January 1931, by J. L. Alsop, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Seventeen and 16-100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of and against C. L. Jones and Josephine Jones in a certain cause in said Court, No. 524 and styled J. C. Wheeler vs. C. L. Jones and Josephine vs. W. P. Davis, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, H. Sterling as Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas, did on the 6th day of January 1931, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in the public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of said W. P. Davis.

PO TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PECOS AND NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY:
You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Amarillo, County of Potter, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 10th day of February, 1931, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage" or by such other name as may be determined in all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in buying or exchanging for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition "construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

J. N. FREEMAN, Secretary
Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1930; Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23 1931.

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1931
The year 1930 is now past history, and we have before us 12 new months in which to write the history of our life, our town and our community.
Notwithstanding more or less unfavorable financial conditions, the past year has been a very pleasant period with us, and we are now looking forward in optimistic vein for an even better, happier and more prosperous year for all.
As we step upon the threshold of the New Year we take advantage of the opportunity of extending one and all a cordial invitation to become regular visitors to this bank during 1931. It is our desire that we may be of real service to you, and that we may all work together for the betterment of ourselves and the town and community as a whole.
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Land in the Eastern and Middle States that sold for from \$200 to \$500 per acre today will, in numerous instances not bring more than \$100 to \$150 per acre. Land in West Texas that last year was purchased at from \$25 to \$40 per acre is worth more today. Crops are just as abundant and certain as the higher priced land of the East.
Many are coming to this country and purchasing this cheaper priced land that yields so much higher return on the investment. Why not you. We have land to suit all desires. Let us tell you about it!
R. L. BROWN
The Land Man
Muleshoe, Texas

School Notes
The Dramatic club met Wednesday. The following program was rendered. Two readings by Miss Rite, and a Kangaroo Court was held in session trying Miss Maudie Douglass and Justin Danner for sparking during school hours. Court adjourned till next meeting.
Exams are here. Everyone working hard. Key says one hundred and ter pages will make my English note book complete. Mildred West says, Gee Mr. Kendrick, I can't get those old Geometry problems.
Maudie Douglass says, Justin if you haven't, why don't cause you aint.
Mrs. Harding asked Norma how many days she was absent: Key said Ask Ray, he can tell you.
Our former football Captain, Ralph DeBord was at the basket ball game Friday night. Everyone was very glad to see him again.
It looks as though our dear friend Arnold Atkinson might spend a few days talking to Mr. Cox. Take warning, Arnold and don't throw any more paper wads in history class.
Last Friday there was a man in town taking pictures. He said that he thought he wouldn't have to stay in Muleshoe but a day. The next day he was asked what was detaining him. He replied that he was having his camera repaired photographing the high school kids was too much for it.
The Sophomore class welcomed a new pupil, Alvis Hobbs of Plainview.
Ball games to be played in the near future: Morton vs. Muleshoe, Friday, Jan. 16, at Morton, boys and girls.
Morton vs. Muleshoe, Saturday, Jan. 17, here, boys and girls.
Sudan vs. Muleshoe, here Friday, January 23, boys and girls.
Sudan vs. Muleshoe, at Sudan, Saturday, Jan. 24, boys and girls.
Oklahoma Lane, Friday, Jan. 30, here, boys and girls.
Damp and Dry Air
Damp air weighs less than dry air, as the dampness is due to the vapor of water in the air, and vapor of water is lighter than most of the other gases of the atmosphere.

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STATED MEETING of Muleshoe Masonic Lodge, 2nd Tuesday night in each month. VISITORS WELCOME
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P.-T. A. MEETING
At a meeting of the Parent-Teachers association Monday night at the High School auditorium, it was decided that future meeting dates of the association will be held on the second and fourth Monday nights of the month instead of the first and third Mondays as in the past.
Superintendent W. C. Cox presided over the meeting.
The attendance trophy, awarded to the third grade the last meeting date for having the highest representative attendance at the meeting, was won by the second grade, taught by Miss Mickey Bealy.
Prof. Monty Bowron and his Muleshoe band were present at the meeting and rendered a number of selections which were well received.

ANNOUNCEMENT



I have this week purchased the stock of Mrs. J. E. Adams's Style Shop and will start operating a style shop at my home, located just east of the Muleshoe Hatchery, handling the same lines of Mil-Tex Silk Dresses and Darling Girl Wash Dresses as did Mrs. Adams. I heartily solicit your patronage.

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A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Morris made a trip to Clovis, Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar White was on the sick list the first part of the week.

Burford Butts and Miss Iris Harden visited in Sudan Sunday.

J. E. Dryden, county attorney of Lamb county, was here Friday.

Dick Jones, of Martin county, was in town Friday.

J. M. Gay of McKinney, was in town, Friday.

Ray B. Jones, of Littlefield, was a business visitor here Monday.

Sheriff H. Sterling was in Littlefield Thursday on official business.

Postmaster J. E. Brannen of Littlefield, was in town Monday.

Shriff Bob Crim and Deputy Miller, were here from Littlefield, Friday.

Claud Wolf of Sudan was in town Friday.

L. P. Saettler of Olney, was here this week.

C. W. Good, of Littlefield, was in Muleshoe, Tuesday.

C. L. Gallagher of Sudan, was in town Tuesday.

H. W. Goolsby, of Friona, was in town Tuesday.

M. J. Rannels, of Earth, was here Tuesday.

J. R. Sheriff, of Farwell, was in Muleshoe, Tuesday.

Judge W. W. Kirk of Plainview, was in town Wednesday.

Judge J. E. Adams and County Attorney Pat R. Bobo were in Amarillo, Wednesday of last week.

E. E. Booth, B. E. Chaney and C. E. Dotson were here from West Camp, Tuesday.

Mesdames A. J. DeBord and Virgie Mae Clark were in Plainview, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe March moved to Farwell last week where they intend to make their future home.

T. E. Arnold is spending the week at Cameron looking after his grain business.

Mrs. Hazel DeBord returned home from Plainview, Thursday, where she underwent an appendicitis operation.

Editor Jess Mitchell left Friday morning for an extended visit with his daughter at Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Dill in Olton, Monday night.

C. E. Houghton, of Hobbs, N. M., was a land prospector in Muleshoe the first of the week.

Slim Winn, of Lubbock, spent three days in Muleshoe last week, visiting his brother, Dan Winn.

Jean King, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. King, is reported as being very ill this week.

Miss Reva Mae Williams made a business trip to Lubbock Wednesday of last week.

Dr. H. W. Duke made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Koen and daughter, Mrs. Lois LeNeau, were in Clovis Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Little, of the Fairview community, was attending to business in Muleshoe, Monday.

R. B. Peebles and Thomas Shirley, of Bowie, are in Muleshoe this week looking for a location.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Church of Cordell, Okla., left for their home Wednesday after a visit with their uncle, I. W. Haney.

C. S. Smith, of Wayland, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Drew Cartwright, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Beavers this week.

Rev. W. B. Gilliam and son, Robert, former Methodist pastor, of Farwell, spent the weekend here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Beavers.

Mrs. J. B. Burron and son, Brent, have just returned from Oklahoma, where they have been spending the Christmas holidays.

T. E. Carmack and M. Jenkins, of Amarillo, were prospecting in Muleshoe the first of the week, with a view to locating here.

Misses Floy Burkhead and Mary Willis, Jessie Morris and Olen Pickard attended the picture show in Clovis, N. M., Saturday night.

Miss Amie Faulkner, of New York City, and Robt. Wilson, of Hereford, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. R. L. Faulkner, Thursday.

D. A. Lambert, of Sudan, manager of Muleshoe West Texas Gas Co. was here Wednesday. He is taking the place of Jess Williams, who has been transferred to Seagraves.

Miss Emma Beardon, teacher at Goodland, and Ernest Myers were married at Portales, N. M., December 24. They will make their home at Goodland.

O. P. Burnham made a trip to Amarillo Sunday to meet his daughter, Miss Lela who had been visiting for 10 days at New Kirk, Okla., their former home.

Miss Delphia Rucker and Cameron Parr, of Petersburg, were united in marriage at 12:30 a. m. Thursday of last week, Rev. A. A. Peacock performing the ceremony at his residence.

County Judge J. E. Adams, R. L. Brown, Neal Rocky and County Agent Fred S. Reynolds attended the meeting of farmers at Baileyboro, Friday night.

Mrs. T. C. Ginn was taken to a Plainview hospital Wednesday of last week where she underwent a major operation. She is reported as slowly improving.

W. Swindell left Monday for Electra to visit with his children and parents. Before leaving he ordered the Journal to follow him for the next six months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Paul have begun the construction of a new fire-room residence just east of Mrs. R. L. Faulkner. The house will be modern in every way. J. W. Givens has the labor contract.

R. M. Bradley and wife, of Wichita Falls, have been in Muleshoe the past few days prospecting for land. They purchased a 40-acre tract, two and one-half miles west of Muleshoe, paying \$10000 per acre. The deal was reported to be a cash transaction.

D. R. Pochel and O. P. Burnham, successful irrigation farmers, located about 10 miles east of Muleshoe, were transacting business in Muleshoe Monday. Mr. Burnham says he intends to irrigate about 100 acres of his farm this year.

John Wooten, from near Goodland, adjudged in same here last week in county court, was taken to Wichita Falls to be confined in the state institution for the insane there Wednesday by Sheriff P. Sterling and County Judge J. E. Adams.

Mrs. Arthur Bendel, living four miles north of Muleshoe, was taken to a Plainview hospital Thursday night of last week, where she underwent an operation for acute appendicitis. She was reported as resting well and immediate recovery expected.

Louis Horrisberger, who lives 17 miles northeast of Muleshoe, was a pleasant caller at the Journal office Monday. He renewed his subscription to the Journal for another year, stating that he couldn't do without the local paper.

News was received here Monday that A. J. Scott, formerly of Muleshoe but now of Amarillo, was in a hospital there, suffering from a broken hip, and serious internal injuries, as a result of a fall from a building on which he was working.

Luther E. Ragsdale, recently of Muleshoe but now owner of the Chevrolet motor firm of Farwell, who was recently reported here to be suffering from a serious attack of pneumonia, is now reported much improved and able to resume business.

J. C. Norman and sons, Jim and Red, and D. W. Crane, of Littlefield, were visitors here Saturday. They came to attend the band concert scheduled to be held on the streets of Muleshoe by the local band, but which, on account of the heavy rains had been postponed.

Jess Williams, who has been local manager of the West Texas Gas Co. since the opening of their offices here last October, left Monday for Seagraves to take charge of the company business there. He expressed some regret at leaving Muleshoe, having made numerous friends here during his stay.

Among those in Muleshoe who attended the singing at Y. L. Sunday night were: Supt. and Mrs. W. C. Cox, Miss Inez and Clymena Peters, Myrtle Burkhead, Mary Willis, Rheta Wilmon, Norma Brooks, Helen and Ruth Beardon, Messrs. Bill Hamlin, Bill Hamlin, Ray Erker, Alvis Hobbs and Leon Morris.

J. H. McCarty left for Hot Springs, N. M., Thursday, to take medical treatment. He has been sick for the past two months, being confined to his bed a part of the time at the home of his niece, Mrs. C. C. Ragsdale. He was accompanied by his brother L. J. McCarty and wife, of Hart. Friends of Mr. McCarty express hope of his early recovery.



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