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MAIN STREET COATED WITH ASPHALT, OIL

The paving of main street in Muleshoe was finished last week when a top coat of asphalt was placed on it. This gives two blocks of real "city streets" and probably another will be asphalted before the work is stopped. The entire job is of first class type throughout. The work was all done under supervision of H. N. Roberts, assistant state highway engineer, and John Eason, an expert cement mechanic. The entire street was first brought to a level and the proper drainage established by engineers, after which the required excess dirt was hauled out to establish the proper grade and curbs hauled in for base. It is estimated by the engineers that the caliche used on these two blocks is worth 60 cents a yard or a total of \$3,600, though it cost only the hauling which was paid for with R. F. C. money.

Curbs and guttering of the best type were laid on either side of the street at a minimum cost of \$12.78 per 25 foot lot for material only. These curbs and gutterings costing \$613.33 for the entire two blocks. Placing the asphalt and oil on the street cost \$350.00 for the two blocks, and there was a total of \$2,853.49 paid for in labor from R. F. C. funds. Thus these two blocks of paving cost only \$3,494.00 or about \$1,747.00 per block.

This is without doubt the cheapest paving ever laid in this section of the state and all owners with property abutting on these two blocks are indeed well pleased with the job. Much commendation is the members of the City Commission, members of the R. F. C. committee and to other citizens who took an active part in this paving project.

Two Musical Events Stated Of Interest To All Tune Vendors

Two musical events are scheduled for the near future which will doubtless be well attended by music lovers of Muleshoe and Bailey county. The first one is the Potter County Singing convention to be held at the City Auditorium, Amarillo, Saturday and Sunday, May 27 and 28.

The second event is the meeting of the Plains-Panhandle Singing convention to be held at Lubbock, June 17-18 when some of the greatest singers of the southwest will be on hand to take part in the program. W. W. Combs, noted singer, teacher and composer of Dallas, will be there with his quartet. This will be the first opportunity Plains folks have had to hear this noted singer.

Virgil O. Stamps and Freddie Martin will also be present. Mr. Stamps announces that he will have Oliver Woodard, a K. C. Indian baritone, of Oklahoma, with him. Woodard is said to have one of the best voices in the southwest. The Vaughan quartet and singers from all sections of the Plains and Panhandle are expected to be on hand. A veritable "feast of song" is anticipated.

Odin L. Echols, of Lubbock, will preside. All officers are urged to be present at two o'clock Saturday afternoon for business meeting. It is hoped to have a representative from every county in this meeting and that each county interested will bring singers, from his county and join in these two big days of song.

Odin L. Echols, president, and other officers are making necessary arrangements to make these two days the best that could be had in the line of singing entertainment.

Duncan McLaren Is First Soldier Of Peace In Bailey Co.

Duncan Stewart McLaren, 20 years of age, from the Progress community, has the honor of being Bailey county's first representative in the National Peace army for reforestation and flood control work, he receiving appointment last Saturday by the local R. F. C. committee in charge. He went to the government recruiting station at Lubbock the first of this week for physical examination.

There have been 18 applicants for membership, according to Chairman R. L. Brown, who further states the committee has no authority for accepting any more recruits at this time, though it is expected a further call for men will be issued in the near future.

All men entering this service must be between 18 and 25 years of age, unmarried and willing to waive at least \$25 per month of their salaries which will be paid by the government each month to their named dependent.

Last Saturday the local committee received instructions to enlist 10 more men in this service, and applications were received from Geo. J. Snapp, Curtis Danner, O'Neil Rocky, E. H. Aisp, from Muleshoe, and Clay Truitt, from Bula. These applicants come under a special classification, and will report to Lubbock the first of next week for physical examinations.

While the Government, in enlisting men for its peace army has been taking some of those in dire need yet, according to information received this week by the local committee, future applications and awards will be largely based on the good character of the applicant. Apparently character is to count as much as physical ability, as the instructions say: "This peace time forest expeditionary force should be made up of young men of character, men who are clean-cut, purposeful and ambitious—the finest young men that can be found in all the eligible group."

HOY AND WILLARD CASES ARE SET FOR CO. COURT HEARING

In Bailey county court last Monday a complaint was filed against Luther Hoy, of the Progress community, charging aggravated assault on the person of Kirk Willard, it being alleged that Hoy cut Willard in the back with a knife. Hoy made bond for appearance in County Court the first Monday in July.

Upon a plea of guilty, to charge of simple assault, Willard paid a fine of \$100 and costs in this court.

Hoy has filed a cross complaint alleging disturbance of the peace, Willard making bond for appearance.

The case of Eva Fleming, 13 years residing in the Wilson community, on a charge of moral delinquency, was set for hearing Wednesday afternoon.

The Fleming girl was ordered confined in the State Reform school, at Gainesville, approximately five years, or until she was 18 years of age.

Our Only Anxiety—Over Inflation

By Albert T. Reid



\$15,000,000 May Be Appropriated Each Year For Two Years By Federal Gov't For the Building of More Texas Highways

State Project Engineer Harry N. Roberts received a letter Tuesday afternoon from a close friend in Austin stating that Gil Gilchrist, state highway engineer, who has been in Washington, D. C. stated upon his return from the national capital there was positive indication that the Federal government would appropriate the sum of \$15,000,000 annually to the State of Texas, for the coming two years for highway construction, that sum representing Texas' participation in the big labor relief program now being inaugurated by President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

Mr. Roberts was greatly elated over this sensational good news, and stated it would, in all probability, mean the finishing of paving on State Highway No. 7 from Muleshoe west to the New Mexico line, also paving of the same highway east into Lubbock. U. S. highway No. 76 will also come up for paving from Muleshoe east through Lamb county to the Hale county line. Engineering work and right-of-way for these two highways have already been completed and are merely awaiting funds for construction.

For several weeks past strong pressure has been brought to bear upon Congress through the Texas Good Roads Association and prominent individual citizens toward an appropriation for further highway construction in Texas, principally on the grounds that much of this state being of an inland and prairie nature, having no forests and practically no flood jeopardies, would not receive its proportionate relief through the reforestation and flood control plan already begun; but could receive needed relief through an appropriation for highway development purposes.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON, MULESHOE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATING CLASS WILL BE DELIVERED NEXT SUNDAY MORNING

The baccalaureate sermon for the Muleshoe high school graduating class will be delivered Sunday morning at the high school auditorium by Rev. C. A. Joiner, pastor of the local Baptist church.

The program tentatively outlined, is as follows:

Following the professional when the graduates enter and take their appointed seats, there will be a song by the audience, also an anthem, "Sing Unto God Our Strength," by the High School chorus.

The invocation will be given by Rev. E. C. Raney, pastor, Methodist church.

After which the High school chorus will render another anthem, "Holy Spirit, Faithful Guide."

Then comes a sermon appropriate to the occasion by Rev. C. A. Joiner, after which will be the recessional march.

It is understood all churches of the city will dispense their morning services for this special event.

There are 10 graduates in the Senior class this year, as follows: Iola Shirley, valedictorian; Christine Dennis, salutatorian; Arnold Aetkinson, Retta Mae Arnold, Justin Danner, Neva Douglas, Edward Gross, Mary Afton McCluskey, Eula Faye Waller and Floy Beller.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE THEME

"Resolved, That the United States Should Adopt the Essential Features of the British System of Radio Control and Operation" will be the subject for High school debaters in the Interscholastic League events, according to announcement just made by Roy Bedchek, in charge of the Bureau work.

This question has already been adopted by 30 different states; and plenty of material, both pro and con, will be available for debaters.

BIG ACREAGE OF POTATOES WILL BE PLANTED THIS YEAR

Indications are there will be a much larger acreage planted to Irish potatoes in the Blackwater valley this year than ever before, and seed is now being purchased by these irrigation truck growers.

Several farmers of this vicinity are contemplating putting in crops of spuds varying from five to 20 acres each, some have already obtained their planting seed while others are now negotiating for seed. R. M. Bradley leaving last Sunday morning for northern New Mexico to bring back a load of seed potatoes.

To be planted here will be principally Bliss Triumph, McClure, Brown Beauty and Irish Cobbler.

Some of the truck farmers who have already signified their intention of planting Irish potatoes this year are W. B. McAdams, Levi E. Churchill, R. M. Bradley, John Withrow, D. H. Coulter, Lee Campbell, Fred Reynolds and H. C. Hennington.

Snow In Mountains Raise Water Level For Irrigationists

Recent heavy snows in northern New Mexico and southern Colorado insure plenty of underground water in the sunken Agua Nigra river of the Blackwater valley for irrigation purposes during the coming crop season, according to reports.

There have been two snows averaging nine inches each in those areas, and which piled five and six feet deep in some of the mountain gorges.

Geologists declare that Clovis, N. M., some 34 miles northwest of Muleshoe, is located on a submerged mountain, and on each side of this mountain there flows an underground river. The one to the left flows toward Fortales and furnishes the abundant underground water for irrigation of that valley, while the one to the right flows toward Muleshoe furnishing a never-failing supply of water for irrigation in this section.

Farmers having irrigation wells say the general water level has already risen about two feet and a still higher level is expected as the snows of northern New Mexico and southern Colorado slowly melt and percolate their way through the porous strata flowing onward in this direction.

INTEREST AND PENALTY ON SCHOOL TAXES ARE DELAYED

All interest and penalties for non-payment of taxes in the Muleshoe school district will be held until August 1, according to J. B. Burkhead, secretary of the board, if payment of said taxes is made on or before that date.

Normally penalties and interest began May 1, because of pro-economic conditions the extension being made.

3 GIVEN PENN SENTENCES IN DIST COURT

District court held here got under way again Monday morning, grinding out several criminal cases, and holding a night session for legal argument, then dismissed until Monday of next week.

Roy Fleming and Raymond Fleming, charged with rape, were sentenced to five years each in the penitentiary on pleas of guilty.

Pim Johnson, charged with theft, pleaded guilty, and was given a sentence of two years in the penitentiary.

I. Watson pleaded guilty to a charge of manufacturing intoxicants and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary, the sentence being suspended.

In the case of Joe Martin and Mrs. Geo. Kehias, charged with transporting liquor, Mrs. Kehias was turned loose on an instructed verdict from the judge, while Martin was given one year in the penitentiary by the jury.

Grand Jury Findings

The Grand Jury before being dismissed by the district attorney until next Tuesday, last week returned 16 indictments, as follows:

1. Watson, charged with unlawfully possessing a still for manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

Joe Martin and Mrs. Geo. Kehias, charged with unlawfully transporting intoxicants.

E. Adamson, charged with unlawfully possessing a still for manufacturing intoxicating liquor.

J. E. Aldridge, two charges alleging false entry in bank book and one charging removal of records from a state bank.

Buster Clifton, charge of theft.

Ray Howard and Raymond Fleming, charged with rape.

There were also three other indictments, one for carrying a dangerous weapon, one for violation of intoxicants law, and one charging theft, on which sentence has not yet been obtained by the sheriff's department.

Bailey Co. Leads State In Health Facts From Reputation

Bailey county leads the reputation of being the healthiest county in Texas if records of the Vital Statistics Department of the State Board of Health mean anything.

For the years 1930, 1931 and 1932 the record of births in this county are 260, 338 and 322, respectively, while the record of deaths is 160, 186 and 159 respectively. Vital statistics of Bailey county are kept by J. E. Vaughan and E. S. Gee, justices of the peace.

Records of births and deaths are very important, and Texas seems to be the only state in the Union where such are not adequately kept. Some counties are keeping such records, but others are not.

A birth or death record not filed as the law requires, may cause the individuals concerned much trouble in the collection of insurance; the establishment of age, citizenship, legitimacy and parentage. The widows and orphaned of numerous ex-service men have had their claims delayed because such records were not filed. This bureau issued 5,200 certified copies last year, and approximately 70 per cent were to be used as the basis of the claim as required by the Federal Government.

21 Kiwanians In Discussion Road Remedy To South

There were 21 members and visitors who attended the Kiwanis club meeting Friday noon of last week, it being held at the Onyx cafe.

Vic C. Nelson, one of the leading citizens of Sudan was present and gave an interesting talk in which he boosted the fine spirit of co-operation and community development that was being developed here. He spoke at length on the subject of "taxes," also, made several valuable suggestions of work to be done here by citizens which would be to their mutual benefit.

C. C. Williams, of Lubbock, visitor, and spoke on the operation.

A committee with the regular up-

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

And he said unto them, Take heed what ye hear; with that measure ye mete, it shall be measured to you; and unto you that hear shall more be given.
—St. Mark 4:24.
Suffering is part of the divine idea.
—Henry Ward Beecher.

STUFFED SHIRTS

“We are hearing a lot these days about the ‘Brown Shirts’ of Germany. Hitler’s followers, the ‘Nazis,’ adopted the brown shirt as an emblem, just as a dozen years ago Mussolini’s Fascists made the black shirt compulsory for all members of the party.

cotton up several cents a pound. Maybe some consideration of economies govern the standard length of the American shirt-tail. We don’t know.

Another variety of shirts with which we have had a considerable experience in this country is the stuffed shirt. One of the truths which we have come to realize, particularly in these latter years, is that a lot of the wise men, prophets and self-appointed leaders to whom we looked for advice and counsel didn’t have anything inside their shirts but hay, and not always even that. Some of those stuffed shirts turned out to be mere windbags, which collapsed at the first puff.

START EARLY

The chief advantage in waging any battle is in getting started early. Right now that applies particularly to farmers, gardeners and housewives around Muleshoe. The annual fight on insects must be begun now or they will overrun farms and gardens within a few more weeks. The campaign to banish the deadly housefly must be started at once, for each day will find them multiplying by the millions.

Waiting until the house is full of flies, thus giving them a chance to rear hordes of new families, is a mistake. Screens should be in place even before the first fly of the season makes its appearance. Then the work of keeping the house free of them is simplified. But wise housewives know that merely keeping them out of the house is not the main point in the fight. It lies in keeping the premises in such sanitary condition that they cannot establish breeding places in any reach of the house. Flies breed and multiply only where food, garbage and refuse are easily obtainable. Keep such things

covered or protected from them and they cannot exist for any length of time.
Win the battle by starting the fight now. Clean up every place where they can and will deposit their eggs. Destroy garbage as fast as it collects; keep the food inside the house carefully covered. The flyless house is a clean house, and that goes for the premises surrounding it. Stop worrying about a possible war with some foreign nation and enlist in this one now starting in this country—a war to portend human life from disease carrying insects.

ODE TO A NAG

New fangled civilization ideas get along pretty well when everything goes smoothly; but during this economic depression nearly everyone has been impressed with the fact that they can get along nicely without many of the luxuries that were once thought to be necessities, and, after all, much of the old-fashioned system was just as good as the new one.

Take the horse or mule, for instance. Once that faithful servant of the farm and city business was threatened with the discard and some even insisted the time would come when the only sportsmen of them in existence would be those stuffed ones in museums; but all that is changing now, and in many parts of the country the horse and mule is superseding the tractor quite rapidly.

DOING JURY DUTY

Still another benefit derived from the depression is said to lie in the fact that it is now easier to find men willing to do jury duty than it has been for many years. In the first place there are far more men with leisure time than in days when the job hunted the man, and in the second place the dollar received for jury duty now looks bigger than ever before.

SELLING THINGS

George K. End, a Florida man, has an unusual business and one that proves beyond question that you can sell anything. He declares rattlesnake meat is good eating, and he has succeeded in getting enough other people to try it—and like it—to enable him to go into the business of canning it for the market. He is prospering.

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It is possible that stored away in the cellar or attic or somewhere about the premises is something you no longer have use for and that is too good to throw away. How do you know but someone is wanting that very article to furnish, machinery or whatever it happens to be. Now, when every penny counts, would be a good time to unload the things you no longer need, and a few cents spent in telling your neighbors through your home newspaper what you would like to dispose of may turn a few dollars into your hands. If the Florida man can sell rattlesnake meat you can sell things that are in greater demand and for which there is a ready market right here at home.

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Because no house is big enough for two people who weren't spanked enough before they grew up.

SPRING GRADUATES

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of Independence says there shall be no governing 'without the consent of the governed.'

Dr. Matthews had quietly diagnosed a patient's condition and given him three or four prescriptions. "What is all of this for?" asked the patient. "Loss of memory," calmly replied the medico. "But I haven't lost my memory," insisted the patient. "Oh, I thought you had," replied the doctor. You have never mentioned that bill of mine that has been running for the past two years."

A certain young Muleshoe man who hasn't been married very long confessed the other day that before marriage he thought it would be one grand, sweet song, but after marriage he has discovered it is merely one long refrain. His wife insists that he refrain from playing cards, refrain from smoking, refrain from playing golf, refrain from going to baseball games and now he must refrain from going fishing.

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world; but this spring we have an idea they will be telling us how not to run it.
Hereafter and until further notice the men who get a chance to dance with Miss Opportunity will be mighty careful not to step on her toes.

30 CENT MEALS

—AT—
MOELLER'S CAFE

Better and wider variety of menu than you will get at home—and you save the walk also. Come eat with us.

SHORT ORDERS AND GOOD COFFEE, ALSO



BOWELS need watching

Let Dr. Caldwell help whenever your child is feverish or upset; or has caught cold. His simple prescription will make that bilious, headachy, cross boy or girl comfortable, happy, well in just a few hours. It softens the bowels to healthy regularity. It helps "break-up" a cold by keeping the bowels free from all that scolding mucus which... You have a famous doctor's word for this laxative. Dr. Caldwell's record of having attended over 3000 girls without loss of one mother or baby is believed unique in American medical history. Get a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin from your druggist and have it ready. Then you won't have to worry when any member of your family is headachy, bilious, gassy or constipated. Syrup Pepsin is good for all ages. It sweetens the bowels; increases appetite—makes digestion more complete.

Dr. W. B. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP PEPSIN
A Doctor's Family Laxative

BABY CHIX OF VARIOUS KINDS



WE HANDLE—
MERIT CHIX FEED
The Proper Starter Feed is very important for baby chix.
Our Baby Chix are from good certified strains.
Custom Hatching \$10 per 1000 eggs. Place your order a few days ahead of time to insure prompt service.

MULESHOE HATCHERY

TY YOUNG, Proprietor, Muleshoe

S-A-F-E

Where There Is Light

Prowlers and thieves are not going to be at work where the light falls on them.
A light habitually left burning in your home or business house not only discourages those who would molest property or steal things from you, but serves as a warning to intruders of all kinds.

BE SAFE WITH ELECTRIC LIGHTS BURNING

Texas Utilities Co.
YOUR ELECTRIC SER

Watch me stop when the light changes, I'm using Conoco Bronze!

INSTANT STARTING LIGHTNING PICK-UP

CONOCO BRONZE GASOLINE

CONOCO FORM PROCESSED MOTOR OIL

NEVER DRAINS AWAY

A FLYING start with Conoco Bronze! Away like lightning—new experience in power—in mileage—in all-around performance, greatly improved anti-knock, with no increase in price.

The introduction of Conoco Bronze has taken the motoring public by storm—the year's "best seller" in gasoline!

Fill 'er up with Conoco Bronze—and be convinced.

An agnostic presumes not to know, teach him as you would a child; a bigot assumes to know all; treat him as you would a mental patient.

CAR OWNERS are buying more Willards than any other battery

MONTH after month, mile after mile, a Willard gives you satisfactory trouble-free service... gives you "Quick Starts and Many of Them" even in the coldest weather.

AND LISTEN—we have genuine 13-plate Willards on low cost \$6.95

WILLARD BATTERIES QUICK STARTS AND MANY OF THEM

Valley Motor Co.



Sales and Service MULESHOE, TEXAS

Wool Weaving May Become Economic Fashion Tech President Explains Easy Making and Low Cost, Also Fascination of the Old Time System

Lubbock, Texas, May 9.—The weaving of wool with a hand loom is a proposed new industry for West Texas by Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Texas Technological college, and Dr. Knapp proposes to lend the assistance of the college in getting the industry started.

The textile department of the college has designed and now has in practical operation a hand loom which weaves beautiful and serviceable woolen cloth suitable for suits, overcoats, and other garments. The loom was manufactured by carpenters here in Lubbock with the exception of the harness, reed, and shuttle, and these may be had for a total of about \$10.00. The minimum cost of the loom complete is \$65.00 and this figure may be reduced materially if one does his own work and utilizes materials on hand.

To give some idea of the practical operation and efficiency of this hand loom, a skilled student is able to weave a yard an hour, or enough cloth in a day to make a suit or overcoat. If one does not want to spin his own wool, there are a number of mills which will take one's raw wool and return a per cent of yarn.

Texas May Share In The Good Roads Government Funds

Houston, Tex., May 9.—Hope that Texas may share in the government's public works program through allotment of some of these federal funds for road-building is contained in a letter from Washington, W. O. Huggins, president of the Texas Good Roads Association, said Tuesday. Ten other states have joined with Texas in requesting an appropriation of \$500,000,000 for road work to be carried on with that of reforestation and flood control.

"That President Roosevelt and his administration would soon come to recognize the continuation, even the increase of highway construction, as the most important part of a general public works program, was really to be expected," the road leader said. "Very recently it has been pressed upon the national administration that diminished highway construction would create a new unemployment situation for which we are wholly unprepared. It was urged that on the other hand it is the soundest of all expenditures for public works, and the only one of them which is self-liquidating in principle. Self-liquidating because the highways of the United States are the only government enterprise which is paying its own way. They are doing this and helping other things besides."

As proof, Judge Huggins pointed to recent statements by the Assistant Secretary of Agriculture that states which divert their own road-money will be regarded in Washington as having the least need of federal help.

Girl Scout News

The Girl Scouts met at the Legion hall at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday and from there hiked to the city park to select their plot of ground for summer camp. They chose the entrance at the middle of the west side of park. After looking over the grounds and noticing conditions of trees they seated themselves in a circle where the fountain will be built. This was the first scout meeting in the city park, but we hope for many more there in the future.

119 DELEGATES ATTEND THE LEAGUE RALLY AT PLAINVIEW

A district Epworth League rally was held at Plainview last Saturday evening and Sunday all day, the general theme of the gathering being, "A Recipe for Happiness." Beginning with a Vesper service Saturday at dusk, Chester Strickland, of Kress, led the gathering, speaking on the subject, "The Message of the Cross." The morning watch was led by Lloyd Barnett, of Abernathy, and the afternoon devotional by a group of Leaguers from Floydada.

INVITE W. T. C. C. TO MULESHOE

R. L. Brown, director from Muleshoe in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, accompanied by County Attorney Cecil H. Tate, left Wednesday to attend the annual meeting of that organization held this week at Big Spring.

Progress News

The Sunday School was not very well attended. Rev. Humphrey made a very interesting talk after Sunday school. Thomas McLaren called at the Wilhite home last Monday. The school board and other men of this community installed carbide lights in the school house last Wednesday and Thursday.

Watson News Items

Rev. Kirk filled his regular appointment here Sunday. A large crowd attended. Misses Bessie Pack, Zola and Viola McGinnis spent Sunday in the Sullivan home. M. A. Townsend and Joy Lane were started again on a trip to the mountains of N. M. We wish them better luck this time than they had before.

Guaranteed Welding

No job too difficult! ELECTRIC, OXO-ACETYLENE or GAS WELDING. Bring us the hard jobs others can't repair—we like them! Any casting that breaks after it's welded it showing a leak in the weld, we will do the work over without charge; then if it should break, come GET YOUR MONEY BACK.



3 kinds of gasoline for 3 kinds of buyers! PERHAPS you want a good low-priced gas. Perhaps you want a medium priced gas that's packed with power. Or perhaps you want only the highest-test premium gasoline.



3 GREAT GASOLINES Gulf Traffic—A dependable, white anti-knock gas. That Good Gulf—The famous FRESH gas. No extra cost. No-Nox Ethyl—As fine gasoline as money can buy, plus Ethyl.

MOELLER BIRTHDAY PARTY

The C. F. Moeller home was the scene of an interesting little party last Saturday, the occasion being the celebration of Mrs. Moeller's natal day. At four o'clock the guests were invited into the dining room, where they were served lovely refreshments, consisting of parker house rolls, baked sliced ham, jelly, sweet pickles, coffee, ice cream, angel food cake and pound cake.

B. Y. P. U. PARTY TUESDAY

Members of the B. Y. P. U., held a social Tuesday night in the Sunday school rooms of the Baptist edifice. Kid games of various kinds were played during the evening, and at the conclusion ice cream and suckers were served as refreshments to the "children" present.

WILSON M. E. MISSION MEET

The women of the Methodist Missionary society met Monday with Mrs. J. C. Tyson, making several garments of wearing apparel, all being sold as rapidly as completed. There were 12 women present, all enjoying a delightful afternoon of social and pleasurable service in church work.

CECIL TATE, COUNTY ATTORNEY, RECEIVED THE MASTER'S DEGREE

Cecil Tate, county attorney, received the Master's degree, some other candidates were given similar examinations and several applications were favorably acted upon for others to receive the preliminary degrees.

HIGGINBOTHAM-BARTLETT COMPANY

Notice is hereby given that Higginbotham-Bartlett Company, a corporation, has filed a suit in the 90th District Court, Lubbock County, Texas, wherein Higginbotham-Bartlett Company is plaintiff and J. G. Biffle, Goodland Consolidated School District No. 7 and Aetna Casualty and Surety Company, a corporation, are defendants, for the balance due them for materials furnished by them to J. G. Biffle, contractor, for the construction of a one story four-room brick and tile school building in the town of Goodland, Texas, recovery being sought against J. G. Biffle, contractor, the Goodland Consolidated School District No. 7, and the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company, the surety on the contractor's bond, which suit has been set down for trial on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1933, at the Courthouse at Lubbock, in Lubbock County, Texas. The amount claimed by plaintiff to be due is the sum of \$5663.31, together with legal interest.

WEST TEXAS GAS

Great American Servant Symbol of Dealer Selling Approved Gas Appliance Cook With G FOR SPEED CONEY ECONOMY ACCURACY CONVENIENCE

Ambassadors to France and Mexico



The first two nominations for Ambassadorships sent to the Senate by President Roosevelt were those naming Jesse I. Strauss of New York, Ambassador to Paris, and right, Hon. Josephus Daniels, of Raleigh, N. C., Secretary of Navy under Woodrow Wilson, Ambassador to Mexico City. Mr. Strauss is president of a large New York department store, and Mr. Daniels is publisher of a North Carolina daily newspaper.

VERY LATEST

By Patricia Dow

Tailored suits and the big vogue for mannish apparel brings the skirt waist or blouse back into the limelight for spring. Many of the shirt-waists are severe in line to click in with the mannish mode. Other waists however retain their feminine distinctiveness, such for instance as the puffed sleeve as shown on the lower figure in the sketch.



Shirtwaist dresses made of woolsens, colored suede jackets often without collars, reversible shorter swaggar coats and skirts, and fancy knitted suits are recommended in sportswear. Blouses showed the influence of the tailored suit, with many club collars, bows at the neckline, and 'simpler sleeves. Boucle chenille, and polka-dot zephyr sweaters were recommended for spring.

The simplest type of mannish shirt-waist made to accompany the tailored suit is developed in white jersey with pearl buttons. It is also available in the market in shirring silks and cottons. There are also many shirtwaist dresses for country or resort wear which add the skirt to a blouse of this type.

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HIS METHOD

Many leaders have dared to lay out ambitious programs, but this is the most daring of all: "Go ye into all the world," Jesus said, "and preach the gospel to the whole creation." Consider the sublime audacity of that command. To carry Roman civilization across the then known world had cost millions of lives and billions in treasure. To create any sort of reception for a new idea or product today involves a vast machinery of propaganda and expense. Jesus had no funds and no machinery. His organization was a tiny group of uneducated men, one of whom had already abandoned the cause as hopeless, deserting to the enemy. He had come proclaiming a Kingdom and was to end upon a cross; yet he dared to talk of conquering all creation. What was the source of his faith in the handful of followers? By what methods had he trained them? What had they learned from him of the secrets of influencing men?

We speak of the law of "supply and demand," but the words have got turned around. With anything which is not a basic necessity the supply always precedes the demand. Elias Howe invented the sewing machine, but it nearly rusted away before American women could be persuaded to use it. So his biographer paints a tragic picture—the man who had done more than any other in his generation to lighten the labor of women is forced to attend the funeral of the woman he loves in a borrowed suit of clothes!

Nor are men less stubborn than women in opposition to the new idea. The typewriter had been a demonstrated success for years before businessmen could be persuaded to buy it. Almost every invention has had a similar battle. Said Robert Fulton of the Clermont:

"As I occasion daily to pass to and from the shipyard where my boat was in progress, I often loitered near the groups of strangers. The language was uniformly that of scorn, sneer or ridicule. The loud laugh often rose at my expense; and the dull repetition of 'Fulton's Folly.' Never did a single encouraging remark, a bright hope, a warm wish cross my path."

That is the kind of human beings we are—wise in our own conceit, impervious to suggestions. Nineteen hundred years ago we were even more impregnable. "To the whole creation." As surely there was no demand for a

Marathon Winner



Leslie Pawson, 28 year old Paw tacket millhand, outraced 221 rivals by almost a mile in winning the historic Boston Marathon in record smashing time of 2 hrs., 31 mins. 2.3 secs. Photo shows Pawson crowned with laurel wreath at end of race

Ishbel Gets Thrill



Miss Ishbel MacDonald, daughter of the British Premier, Ramsay MacDonald, who accompanied her father to Washington, both being White House guests, found her Washington stay "most interesting and quite thrilling"

TO PLANT PARK PLOTS

The committee in charge of city park beautification has set aside certain plots for beautification which will be turned over to various organizations, clubs and societies of Muleshoe for planning, improvement and beautification, according to Mrs. J. C. Weaver, of the committee.

It is understood several organizations have already spoken for plots while others are contemplating such action. The plots are to be planted in flowers and shrubbery, the city furnishing the necessary water without cost for irrigation.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Muleshoe School Board will receive bids for operation of school buses for the school for the coming year of 1933-34 at its meeting to be held at the High school building, Monday night, June 12. Bids may be submitted by any one bidder for operating one or all three trucks. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. J. B. BURKHEAD, Sec'y Muleshoe School Board. 15-2c.

MAKES HUGE PROFIT

Austin, Texas—Figures filed here show that the Lone Star Gas Co. and its subsidiaries made huge profits during 1931 and 1932, despite the depression, and the fact that officials of both companies draw high salaries from the earnings.

During 1932 the Lone Star and the Community Natural Gas Co. and other subsidiaries had net profits of \$4,959,030, compared to a net profit of \$4,886,124 for the year 1931.

The Acts of the Apostles was the first book ever printed in Russia, and now the Soviets are trying to repeal all the Acts.

Lazbuddy Boy May Win State Honors For Scholarship

Lee Allen Benbrooks, a Freshman in the Lazbuddy High School, has just been notified that he was the highest ranking contestant in the preliminary examination held at Amarillo (some time ago) for the selection of one boy from Texas to whom will be given a three year's scholarship in the Culver Military Academy in Culver, Indiana. The scholarship is valued at \$4,600.00. Young Brooks will go to Austin for the final examination which will be given May 13, at which time he will be in competition with 10 other boys from different parts of the state, each of whom ranked highest in their section of the state. It is the belief of his teachers and other friends that he will be the selection of the committee as the successful candidate for this award after the final examination in Austin. This would be one of the highest honors that could come to a boy at this time. The Culver school is making only four awards of this kind in the United States this year. Benbrooks entered the Lazbuddy school in 1931, and since that time has been an "A" grade student in all his studies, according to E. R. Haskins, superintendent of that school.

MISSION WOMEN IN PROGRAM

Members of the Women's Missionary society Methodist church, gave a highly interesting 3-act comedy-drama play, entitled, "Clubbing A Husband," at the High school auditorium, Friday night of last week.

Members of the cast were greeted by an exceptionally large and attentive audience. The play throughout was well rendered, some of the players performing their parts as if they were veterans of many years experience before the footlights. Between acts there were a number of vocal and instrumental specialty numbers rendered.

The admission price was put very low only 10 cents per person, the proceeds going for the benefit of the society.

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Longview News

There were only a few present Wednesday for the weekly club meeting. We have blamed the dust-storm for that. Only one quilt was quilted. We are hoping there will be more present and more quilts quilted next time.

Mrs. M. M. Scott is visiting her son and family at Brownfield.

Mrs. Kyle's daughter from New Mexico is visiting her this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Barnett and O. V. Cooper went fishing Friday. The fish were not biting, so we heard.

O. M. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Webb and little Dorothy Madolyn Jackson are visiting relatives in Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Young spent the weekend with home folks near Shallowater.

There were only a few at Sunday school, Sunday. We hope to see more out for Sunday school, also B. Y. F. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Warren are visiting relatives in Hollis, Okla.

There will be a Mother's day program at Longview, Sunday, May 11.

The Longview girls are getting up an outside baseball team and will be ready to play soon.—Reporter.

Spanish Gold Coin Found In The Sand Hills By R. T. Riddle

R. T. Riddle, local garageman, has an old Spanish coin that may be worth considerable money. He found it about five months ago while walking across the Sand range southeast of town near old highway No. 7.

While looking for arrow heads, of which there have been several found in the sand, he accidentally kicked up this gold coin. It is about the size of a U. S. \$5 gold piece. On one side there is the image of a woman's head, surrounded by the wording, "amadei gratia," while on the reverse side there are four crowns engraved and the date of 1712, also, some other illegible reading matter.

History avers that some of the early Spanish conquistadores came through this section during the early days, and it is supposed his coin may have been lost by some of these early explorers.

Just what this sand range contains is not at all certain. Numerous Indian arrow heads, tomahawks, war hatchets, and other Indian paraphernalia have been discovered among the sand dunes, the bones of prehistoric animals of different kinds have also been removed, and for aught anyone knows, this piece of greenish looking gold found by Mr. Riddle may lead to the discovery of a cache of gold somewhere hidden years ago by early explorers.

Y L News Items

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Embry visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brock Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Harris are the prospective parents of a baby boy, born Wednesday, May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Buhman visited in the home of Mrs. Buhman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Beller, Sunday afternoon.

Oleta Shofner, Jean Willman, Luther Buhman, Gomer Ray Allen and Paul Brock from the High league at Y. L., and Maynard Hupp, Gail Willard, David Beller, Dick Willman, Mr. and Mrs. Allen and four people from Earth, who were from the Senior League, attended a League rally at Plainview, Saturday and Sunday. All had a good time.

Mrs. Francis Myers and daughter, Anita Ray, visited in the home of G. W. Harris, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Painter visited Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Holman, Sunday.

Rev. Allen took dinner in the home of H. M. Shofner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wimberly are the prospective parents of a baby girl, born Wednesday, May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson visited Alysne Evans, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. John Withrow took dinner in the home of N. S. Daniels, Sunday.

Friends from Levelland visited in the home of Edd Hupp, Sunday.

The school board met at Y. L., Saturday night and hired the teachers for next year. They are: Joe H. Green, Arthur F. Fisher, Miss Floy Goodwine, and Miss Leta Cayton. Miss Cayton is from Canyon. The other teachers taught here last year.

Charles Pruitt and family spent the weekend with the Hupp family.—Reporter.

Boy Scout News

Twenty-four answered roll call and business session was called to order.

After such a splendid donation from the business men of Muleshoe, we voted to pay every past account possible.

A sinking fund to be raised by regular monthly dues was voted and passed. Cecil McLaury led the Scout oath for many games were played after which Dalton Murrah led the Scout oath for troop dismissal.—Reporter.

Long Name for Words

Words which are formed to represent the sounds which they describe are onomatopoeic. Rumble, hiss, buzz, splash and surmur are examples.

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SIXTY-TWO SETS OF TWINS REPORTED IN LAMB COUNTY

Lamb county, adjoining that of Bailey, has a great many virtues, among them being its reputation for fertile and productive soil. Now it seems such reputation has passed beyond the realm of agriculture and is favorably affecting agriculturists and other citizens.

Doing things in a big way becomes contagious, and it is really not a surprise to read the following item appearing in the Littlefield paper of last week:

According to the latest census report, there are 62 sets of twins resident in Lamb county, located in different cities and communities as follows: Littlefield, 23; Spring Lake, 2; Oilton, 7; Sudan, 12; Amherst 3; Spade 4; and Fieldton 3.

A man is never offered a 50-cent cigar with comment.

West Camp News

There was a good crowd out to singing Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wilhight, of this community spent a few days with his parents in the Progress community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daniels and little daughter, DeLois, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Brock, motored to Anton, Saturday, and visited Mr. Brock's parents who live there. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Margaret Dotson spent Monday in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Williams.

Charlie Pruitt and family spent the weekend in the Odes Thompson home.

We are very glad to say that Jostie Lee Copeland, who underwent an operation at a Clovis hospital about two weeks ago is doing nicely and expects to come home the first of the week.

A Mother's Day Program will be given at the West Camp school house Sunday afternoon, participated in by several members of the Sunday school.

Hon. Mead Griffin, district attorney, will be the principal speaker for the occasion.

Singing every Sunday afternoon. Everybody come.—Reporter.

INFLATED \$\$\$\$

Your dollars are still worth 100 cents each when it comes to buying land—no matter what congress may decree.

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Enochs Echoes

P. O. Smith and Shorty McCall left Tuesday for Austin and other points on a business and pleasure trip.

The Grange ball club played Morton Sunday and defeated them 2 to 3. It was a good game from start to finish.

G. P. Howell, J. D. Blalock, of Enochs, and L. C. Lucas, of Littlefield left Wednesday morning of last week for Southern Texas and Old Mexico. They visited Del Rio, Old Mexico, and San Antonio. Mr. Lucas visited his family in Uvalde, Wednesday night while G. P. and J. D. went over to Mexico for a "fish supper" and of course fish calls for water. G. P. took ice tea. Thursday G. P. claimed he had a date with John Garner at Uvalde, but we think he was still "wee" as Mr. Garner was not at home.

Mrs. W. A. Snow, Mrs. R. L. Patterson and Miss Cecile Patterson shopped in Littlefield, Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Alford, Roy Nelson, Clyde McCormack and Sam Patterson went to Lubbock Tuesday on business. Mrs. Alford and Nelson will get an apartment there and enter Tech in the near future.

H. O. Lee left Friday for Vernon in response to a telegram that his father had died that day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Snow are visiting Mrs. Snow's sister at Crosbyton this week.

Mrs. W. A. Snow had a sample Maytag washing machine last week trying it out and, of course, was running night and day to get everything cleaned up. Bill played a dirty trick on her he had bought it and didn't tell her.—Reporter.

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Loans for Summer Fallowing To Be Made From May 13-31

Applications for these loans, under the Crop Production Loan bill may be made between May 13 and 31, according to Jess Osborne, member of the Bailey county committee, other members of the Seed Loan committee being W. M. Pool, Connie Guppton and Roy Sheriff. Those desiring loans for wheat must also make applications before the last of May, Osborne said.

A meeting of committee is to be held at Amarillo, Saturday of this week at which time full instructions and all blanks for applications will be given committee for this particular type of loan.

MULESHOE AND FRIONA TIE IN GAMES PLAYED SUNDAY

The golf match between Friona and Muleshoe, played at Muleshoe, last Sunday, resulted in a tie with the following players playing and their total score for the 18 holes.

J. R. Rodes, 78; winning 1 hole; Roy Cobb, 77; lost; O. F. Lampe, 87; won by 3 holes; C. G. Wollard, 91; lost; Gammon, 90; lost; C. D. Guppton, 89; won by 2 holes; J. C. Wilkinson, 79; won by 5 holes; O'Neil Rooker, 85; lost; O. M. Donaldson, 86; lost; A. J. Sparks, 80; won by 1 hole; Stark, 85; won by 1 hole; H. Towery, 89; lost; Elroy Wilson, 99; lost; Delma McCarty, 95; won by 4 holes; Dr. Wills, 85; won by 1 hole; Jess Osborn, 86; lost; G. L. Mingsu, 92; lost; A. J. Gardner, 96; won by 1 hole; Dan Eldridge, 122; lost; Walker Mueller, 95; won 11 holes; Bob Fleet, 96; won 5 holes; Dan Wima, 109; lost; Jones, 97; won 1; Pat Bobb, 99; lost; Smith, 115; lost; J. L. Taylor, 109; won 2; Al Isaacs, 101; won 4; Mincher, 112; lost.

Return games between players of these two towns will be played at Friona next Sunday.

ENGINEER APPROVES 28 PLANS

Bill L. Anderson, federal engineer, was here Tuesday conferring with Project Engineer Harry N. Roberts, regarding plans for permanent improvement of State Highway No. 28 into Muleshoe.

The plans as prepared by Mr. Roberts and assistants met with his approval, except the location of an auto service station on the right hand side of the highway after crossing the railroad tracks from the north, and at the junction point of Nos. 28 and 7, which the federal man thought would have to be moved. It is so that liability of them may be obtained as they pass.

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MULESHOE AND EARTH TIE IN SANDSTORM GAME SUNDAY

Muleshoe lads crossed bats with the Earth team at Earth last Sunday afternoon, both teams playing jam baseball for nine innings, resulting in a tied score of 5 to 5. Bigman and R. Sterling did the pitching catching for the Muleshoe lads. There was plenty of blowing sand and rough weather throughout the entire game making definite playing difficult, however, affecting both teams about the same.

Friday afternoon of this week the Muleshoe team will play the Fairview team at Fairview, it being a school rivalry game. It is expected the locals will play with a team from Baileyboro next Sunday afternoon.

Friday of last week a close and exciting game was played with the leather armers of Circleback at Circleback, the score being 13 to 11 in favor of the lads from the county seat. The game was featured throughout by plenty of hitting, there being several triple plays and a pair of home runs. These two teams are quite evenly matched, they having won two games each in the playing this spring.

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Crawford Saloon, Canyon, early in the morning with six so-called Texas Guinea Mules pulling the passengers. They arrived in Plainview about sundown, and from

Oscar Herron Shot By Deputy Sheriff

Oscar Herron, Littlefield negro, was fatally shot Friday evening, May 1, 1931, by Deputy Sheriff Jim Cook when he, along with Paul Mure, another Littlefield negro, and Tony Gilmore, Sudan, passed down Main Street of Muleshoe Friday evening about 7:30 o'clock at a rate of approximately 40 miles per hour, according to witnesses. They were driving a Buick car. Cook, jumping into a Ford, started after them trying twice to run them into the bar-pit so as to halt them, but they refused to stop. Taking after them the third time, he reached out of the right car window and around the windshield, firing a shot in the direction of the rear casing and thus halt the negroes. As luck would have it, one of the negroes received the bullet about the center of the back of the head, ranging diagonally through and stopping just above the right eye. That it was a chance shot was clearly evident in that both cars were traveling at a high rate of speed over roads exceedingly rough occasioned by recent rains.

Investigation of the car in which the negroes were riding disclosed several empty bottles and one full bottle alleged by officers to contain an alcoholic liquor of some kind.

at the Half-way house where another change took place and a stop was made for the passengers to have dinner. Dinner at that farm home consisted of about five kinds of meats, plenty of vegetables, hot biscuits, corn bread, choice of six or seven kinds of pie or cake, with a total charge of 35 cents per head.

Then one other change of mules was made before reaching Plainview. As the mules were driven or urged, by a long black snake whip, at a dead run for their stretch, it was more like a rodeo when the stage drew into the corral for a change of charges.

Cowboys vied one another to see how quickly the mules could be replaced and headed the stage on its journey.

The stage route from Canyon to Plainview was later extended to Lubbock with Carl Rossen operating one of the first Pope-Hartford automobiles over the prairies from Plainview to Lubbock.

TYE YOUNG'S HATCHERY HAD GARBAGE THEFT

Back when Tye Young had a hatchery, they used to throw unuseable eggs in the garbage to be hauled away. It was the custom of Josh Blocher, a short man and with a bag on his back, to hunt out the garbage.

When getting Young's "rotten eggs" out of the hatchery garbage, Josh was caught by Dick Blackshear and Lester Hammons, former SW Public Service employees, who threw some rocks at the garbage can. It scared Josh so much he jumped up and scrambled away just as fast as he could.

we were going to the end of the world, and that the Indians would scalp us, but the only thing scalped was our pocketbook.

Every time we did any farming our neighbor to the south, said that in Iowa, it was alright, but that was not the Texas way.

The first sandstorm that hit covered even the homestead bread on the table. It surely was no paradise as we found out and later on.

In 1923, Daddy built the new building on the block of the highway. He was a bricklayer, but these were adobe. He had completely finished the building, there came a deluge of rain, and he just knew the walls would be melted down. He found out later when the building down that it was very strong, even though it was made of mud.

One day I went to see the building. Daddy was down the street in the dirt. I asked him what he was for. He answered that he would not, but you would see the buildings down this street as your eyes can see forty years ago.

In that first building was a cafe, grocery, and a meat market. At the cafe, I had all they wanted. If I had all the things that I cooked and we could walk down on rolls, I believe our cafe was as good as John Lacy who bank said that that name in was famous for was our cafe.

Later two buildings were built the north, the



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