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### Legislature Gets To Business, More Than 300 Bills In Hopper

Representative Doyle Settle has introduced a bill introduced to clear a way for financing a \$100,000 student union at Tech college, Lubbock. Rep. Lindley G. Beckworth, Gilmer, has offered a constitutional amendment to place general retail sales tax receipts of places of amusement and a two per cent tax on old age pension, also, increasing old tax from 2 1/2 cents to 8 cents per barrel and raising highway tax from \$1.25 to \$2. A levy on dry gas would be on-half per cent on 1,600 cubic feet and 5 per cent on wet gas.

Rep. Fred Mappuz in a bill would remit all state ad valorem taxes going to the general fund for a period of five years. Senator John S. Redditt, of Lubbock, would require a state board to see that all civil engineers meet certain requirements and are duly registered. Senator Sulak, Lagrange, introduced a resolution for constitutional amendment to pay \$15 a month to all over 65 years of age.

Rep. W. C. Harrell, Paris, introduced a bill making disciplinary mandamus a remedy for kidnapping of persons under 15 years of age.

Rep. Lonnie Alsup, Carthage, has introduced a measure requiring governmental assignments to establish book depositories for students.

Rep. J. Dale Settle, Abernathy, would abolish the statute of limitations on the measure introduced by Ben Costley proposing giving authority to County Commissioners' courts to pass on applications for pensions instead of such being done by hundreds of office holders now drawing state money much of which might go to these old age pensioners, seems destined to create considerable interest.

It is anticipated that this week the Legislature will get down to business in real earnest all together there have been about 300 measures of different kinds, some quite important, others little more important, introduced in the Legislature, so they have plenty of grist to grind in that legal mill.

### Sudan Wipes Up On Muleshoe Quints; The League Games In Feb

The Muleshoe High school girls and boys basketball teams lost their rabbits foot of good luck Tuesday night when the Sudan High school teams came here for return games and carried home the larger end of the scores on both meets. The girls score was 25 to 31, and the boys score was 15 to 29.

Immediately following both school games, the Muleshoe girls town team played the Sudan girls town team being victorious, 14 to 13.

The Bailey county Interscholar League basketball tournament will begin Friday night of this week at Bula. The Muleshoe boys and girls teams will play their first games with Goodland teams. Tuesday night of next week, February 2, the Bula and Goodland teams will play. The following Friday night, February 5, Bula and Muleshoe team will play, completing the round robin. These three teams are the only ones to compete in the league meet, due to the fact they are the only high schools in Bailey county.

### INSURANCE TAX EXTENDED

The Texas unemployment compensation commission has postponed until February 25 the deadline for employer's payment of unemployment taxes on their 1936 payrolls. The former deadline was January 25. R. B. Anderson, state director, Austin, said the additional time granted "because of the short time which we have had to explain duties of employers under the new state act and to assist employers in complying with the law."

### SENAT'R NELSON T. C. WISEMAN IS GIVEN PLACES NAMED MASTER FARMER OF CO. ON COMMITTEES

Assignments of Note and Prestige; Against Gambling. 15th Senator G. Nelson, from this district of Texas, has been given distinctive recognition by Lieutenant Governor Walter Woodul, in the following committee assignments: Chairman of the Committee of Judicial Districts, and Vice-Chairman of the Committee of Education. Due to the fact that much important legislation will come before the Senate during this "Regular Session," affecting the many pressing educational problems of Texas, the committee organization is considered one of the most important assignments to be made by any senator. The activity of Senator Nelson with reference to a Constitutional amendment to bring about the One-House legislative system in this state will be known.

Recognizing the senators interest in this matter, he was given a place on Constitutional Amendments committee. This will afford him the opportunity to support his idea of a unicameral legislature which has already gained state-wide discussion.

All appropriation for the support of educational institutions is handled through the finance committee. It is expected that Senator Nelson, by receiving an appointment on the finance committee, will be able to render valuable assistance to Texas Teachers.

Other committees on which Senator Nelson has been placed by the Lieutenant Governor are: Civil Jurisprudence; Public Lands and Land Offices; Penitentiaries; Governor's Nominations; Senatorial Districts; Representatives; and Highways and Motor Traffic.

Last week Senator Nelson introduced a bill to repeal pari-mutuel betting on horse races in this state.

Nelson is quoted as saying, "The time has come when the good citizens of Texas must take an active stand to curb the gambling instinct of the people. Something must be done to remove the temptation of gambling from the boys and girls of this generation."

This bill to repeal race track gambling in Texas is due to bring one of the greatest lobbies before the Texas legislature that has been seen in many years.

### PRACTICES ENTITLING RANCHMEN TO PAYMENT UNDER RANGE CONSERVATION PROGRAM FORM LISTED FOR FIRST TIME

College Station.—Practices which will entitle ranchmen to payment under the range conservation program include deferred grazing from re-seeding ranges, contour listing, construction of terrace ridges, spreader terraces, spreader dams, earthen tanks, and reservoirs; establishment of fangs and kangaroo rats; and reusing range land from prickly pear, cactus, cedar, mesquite, and lechuguilla.

Of special interest to range, pasture, and livestock specialists of the Extension Service is the provision for payment for re-seeding ranges by deferred grazing. Under this plan, up to 25 percent of the open range of a ranch may be withheld from grazing for a period of six months, beginning May 1. Special provisions are made for construction of range fences to permit deferred grazing.

### LITTLEFIELD LOSES SUIT

In Federal court, Dallas, last week a judgement was rendered in favor of the Bankers Life Insurance Co. Des Moines, Iowa, the sum of \$4,701.74 against the City of Littlefield for past dues municipal bonds and interest. There were several other series of bonds in the city that were in arrears or sinking funds had not been maintained, as required by law, according to report; but peaceable arrangements were made with such bond holders.

### WEST TEXAS GAS CO. VOLUNTARILY ACCEPTS SUGGESTED LOWER RATE MADE BY STATE RAILROAD COM'N

One of Lowest In State, Says Chairman Thompson, Meaning Savings of Thousands of Dollars Annually To Users. Forty-two town served by the West Texas Gas Company, Lubbock will receive lower rates under an order issued Thursday of last week by the State Railroad commission. The company voluntarily agreed to the reduction, the order similarly made in two years and will apply to January bills. The company voluntarily agreed to the reduction, the order similarly made in two years and will apply to January bills. The company voluntarily agreed to the reduction, the order similarly made in two years and will apply to January bills.

### Bula Quint Slaps State Caves In A Snappy Game Fri

The Bula boys, snappy basketball team, filled the basket to the tune of 29 to 21 against the West Texas State Teachers College Calves Friday night of last week at the Bula gym., with a large crowd present to witness the slaughter of these husky young human beings. The game was a thriller from start to stop, with West Texas mooring big leads leading in the first half by a score of 13 to 11.

Bob Starkey, one of Bula's forwards, stuck the leather sphere into the goal circle net from every angle, seemingly unable to miss, and the Bula quintet was soon coaxing the Calves along behind them with nipples on sucking bottles, keeping the lead until the game ended.

Todd Long, mainstay guard for Bula, showed superior defense work. The entire Bula community is quite "swelled-up" over this victory, and a kindred feeling of congratulation is held by other communities throughout the county.

### Good Attendance At P-T. A. Monday Night To Beautify Grounds

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher association was held Monday night at the High school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock with a good crowd attending. The house was called to order by the president and all business was attended to. Various plans for the beautification of the school grounds were discussed and it was decided to have a landscape of it drawn and arranged by a department at Texas Tech, Lubbock which works on similar projects.

The association is arranging to sponsor the play, "Flapper Grandmother" to be presented to the public at the school auditorium the latter part of February.

A very interesting program was rendered as follows: Talk, "Ratification of Child Labor Amendment," Judge J. E. Adams. Talk, Mrs. Albert Isaacs. Sing-Song, "Darling Nellie Gray," "Oh Den Golden Slippers," "When You and I Were Young Maggie," "Battle Hymn of Republic," "Old Black Joe," "My Old Kentucky Home," by the audience.

### Muleshoe Gives \$100 To Victims Of Flood In Ohio River Valley

The Red Cross headquarters at Washington, D. C. was sent \$100 by telegram Wednesday morning, the most of it gathered in by Rev. E. S. Watkins, local Methodist pastor, in response to an appeal received here the first of this week from the Red Cross national organization officials. In addition to the sum, some of local citizens sent in their contributions personally, while some other gave money to out of town solicitors.

Bailey county was first given a quota of \$40 to raise for the flood victims of the Ohio river valley; but within 24 hours that quota was doubled. How much more was raised in this humanitarian cause in Bailey county is unknown, as there was no regular Red Cross organization in this county this year.

### DISTRICT MISSIONARY MEET HELD AT PLAINVIEW FRIDAY

A district missionary meeting of the Methodist denomination will be held at the Methodist church in Plainview, Friday of this week under direction of Rev. C. A. Bishop, Methodist pastor at Big Spring and district chairman of the Mission board. A large attendance of both ministerial and lay delegates is anticipated. Rev. and Mrs. E. S. Watkins and several members of the Muleshoe Methodist church attending.

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### Milsand Well Now Plugged Morton Well Flow Is Up

After striking a good showing of oil and then shooting the test well several quarts of nitro-glycerine, led at Milsand, a few miles across Bailey county line in New Mexico, it was announced last Saturday that officials had ordered the well plugged as the showings were not sufficient to make a paying well.

The Wilms No. 2 well, located 30 miles west of Fortson, is reported to now be down 1,600 feet, drilling in line with salt, and good going is anticipated at least the next 1,000 feet.

The Cascade-Hoodwell well, west of Morton, in Cochran which came in some weeks ago is barrels production per day, bears a promise of being a good producer. Following the first shot placed in it, its yield was raised to 301 barrels daily, another acidizing increased it nearly 400 barrels, and drillers now say they expect it to develop about 600 barrels daily in a little while.

It has a state pro rata production of 2,250 barrels allowable per month. It is now reported on good authority that another oil test may start in the near future. A recent report with headquarters at Lubbock, said to be making extensive investigations of leases held in Hockley county by the Continental Oil Co.

### Tech Museum Has A Civil War Cannon Plowed Up In F

Lubbock, Jan. 28.—Harper's 1842" is the inscription on a statue to the West Texas museum Texas Technological college.

Dr. W. C. Holden, curator, a inscription indicates the firing was used at the famous battle before the John Brown Raid of 1859. Bob Stabler, former Tech student, traced an Oklahoma soldier fishing tackle and went to the museum here, a mule army museum. The farmer had up the gun in his field when and his brother struck the bar him.

### AN ENORMOUS TAX BILL

The people of Texas in 1896 paid total taxes of \$269,000,000, including federal, state and local taxes, or \$52 for every man, woman and child in the state.

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 1934 Chevrolet Truck, dual wheels, cab and body, fair condition and has been overhauled, lots of service in it.



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### WEEKLY LAY SERMON "THE STARS, ALSO"

By JESS MITCHELL

"The stars, also." I read this statement a few days ago in a book on sacred history I have in my library, and, while I had previously read it a number of times, somehow this last perusal struck me with particular force and potency.

For a great many years astronomers have been trying to call the roll of the stellar heavens but have not been

able to complete it. They probably never will get the job finished. Not even considering the multiplicity of the stars, shedding their brilliancy down from above, the task of enumerating the major planets and satellites is a tremendous one. About the time they think they are nearly finished some astronomer discovers another one or two, or perhaps an entirely new system. When that giant new telescope is finally located on the heights of the Davis mountains in this state, in all probabilities, these astronomers will find their job now nearly finished will really have only begun, for there will be multiplied myriads of constellations that shall leap to view for the first time in the history of the world as some sky viewer puts his eye to this big new refracting mirror.

Mars with its more than 24,000,000 square miles, Venus with its more than 190,000,000 square miles, Saturn with its more than 19,000,000,000 square miles, Jupiter, with its more than 24,000,000,000 square miles, and the planets of our own solar system embracing approximately 88,000,000,000 square miles, are incomprehensible figures to finiteness) and with every indication that this one solar system, of which earth is a member, being only one of the baby systems of creation—merely a mole-hill when compared to some of the giant Rocky or Alps systems—for brevity, splendor, sublimity piled up on sublimity, they far exceed the most extraordinary human nomenclature of descriptive exposition and the farthest reach of mental thought, no matter how excessively it may be colored with effusive imagination. Yet the writer of this sacred story I was perusing the other day, nonchalantly dismissed all this majesty of creation with the slight expression, "The stars, also."

Astronomy is supposed to have been born in Chaldea from whence astrology also was first cradled. Those orientals,

living in a salubrious climate and spending much of their time out of door acquired the habit of studying the heavens in an assiduous manner. They came early to realize something of the omnipotent scale on which the solar, stellar and lunar creations were manufactured. Members of ancient caravans, as they journeyed at night across the deserts looked with interest at the mighty planets wheeling their way across the trackless universe, and not so many years ago cowboys of this western area lay about their camp fires on these wide prairies and wondered about the stars.

Even in this enlightened twentieth century, while we know a great deal about the stars, yet comparatively speaking, we still know very little. Scientists tell us when they look through a telescope they can see another Milky Way just as far away as the Milky Way they behold with their natural eyes, and, in all probabilities, there are still other milky ways which our most powerful telescopes are not yet able to visualize. They are stacked away out in the universe, on top of one another. Maybe they are the residue of star-dust left over from the creation of major worlds, or perhaps the original cosmic material the Infinite Creator will some day use for manufacturing other large planets. No one positively knows.

Looking out into space through these giant refracted mirrors mounted on lofty mountains, we get the idea this old universe may be several stories high, "sky-scraper" buildings reaching 20 to 30 stories high are common in some of our greater cities, and skyscraper solar systems reaching up into inconceivable heights are also an evident fact in this unbounded universe, their activity of light having no end.

Some of the ancients thought this earth was the exact center point between heaven and hell, and there are perhaps some superstitious people of today who have similar ideas; but most of us have learned that the planet we live upon is only one of innumerable sister planets wheeling about an invisible center where centrifugal and centripetal forces originate and radiate out from the Creator whose architectural skill is the mystery of all time and the marvel of all eternity.

It was November 13, 1933, when the sky was perfectly cloudless, that the entire universe seemed to break from its anchorage and a pandemonium of light reigned supreme. From the constellation of Leo fiery meteors began shooting forth in all directions, astronomers estimating that thousands of them flashed forth and expired every minute for two hours. Between four and six o'clock in the morning it was a literal rain of stars, arrows of fire, shafts of fire, trails of fire, complete showers of fire—explosion after explosion—all the upper firmament was bridged, interlaced and garlanded with meteoric display rivaling the wildest human imagination. From horizon to horizon there was a heavenly combustion and conflagration. The display beggared the most lurid description of master scientist, melodic poet or word wizard, for the rain nor hailstones never fell any thicker than did those millions of meteors.

The scene was the most awe-inspiring ever witnessed by earth's creatures. So realistic was the manic disorder of the universe that thousands of people, fearing the end of time had arrived, fell prostrate upon their faces in the dust and prayed mightily for eternal deliverance. That was nearly a hundred years ago, and it may be a thousand years yet to come before such celestial manifestation will again be repeated—and when it does arrive it that perhaps far off some day of the future—it may be even a greater manifestation of Omnipotent splendor, Supreme majesty and Eternal might.

Sacred history tells us the time will come "when the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also, and all the works contained therein." Again it says "the heavens shall be rolled together as a scroll." The ray of this chapter of this sacred book tells in quite vivid language of the coming galaxy dissolution, the coming rain of planets, when the whole universe will be illumined not only by frivolis meteors and determined comets; but by billions of planets of millions and millions of years existence will burst asunder, and, wrapping about their hoary forms the winding sheets of flame, leap into the funeral pyre of everlasting destruction.

Perhaps everlasting destruction so far as its present form is concerned; but not really everlasting; for the law of conservation of energy permits not total annihilation, rather a change of form and manifestation. That will be true of things not only physical; but spiritual, as well. There shall be "a new heaven and a new earth," last stars and new planets—perhaps an entirely new universe. The Omnipotent Creator will again manifest his indescribable powers of authority and the creatures of his sublime handiwork, endowed with his own immortal spirit, will begin a celestial residence having no end—for the eternity which had no beginning millions of billions, yea de-cillions of years ago, will go on forever.

Mourning Three Years for Mother  
When Confucius was 23 his mother died and he resigned his office of district inspector of agriculture, living in retirement for three years. This act is said to have led to the restoration of ancient funeral rites in honor of the dead.

## Gems Of Thought

### APHORISMS WORTH DWELLING UPON WITH SERIOUS CONTEMPLATION

Speech is the index of the mind.—Seneca.

Drudgery is as necessary to call out the treasures of the mind as harrowing and planting those of the earth.—Margaret Fuller.

Man is the merriest species of the creation; all above and below him are serious.—Addison.

No one has success until he has the abundance of life. This is made up of many fold activity of energy, enthusiasm and gladness. It is to spring to meet the day with a thrill at being alive. It is to go forth to meet the morning in an ecstasy of joy. It is to realize the oneness of humanity in true spiritual sympathy.—Lillian Whiting.

Who shall put his finger on the work of justice and say, "It is there?" Justice is like the kingdom of God: it is not without us as a fact; it is within us as a great yearning.—George Elliot.

The Age of Romance has not ceased; it never ceases; it does not, if we will think of it, so much as sensibly decline.—Carlyle.

### Old-Fashioned Blue Back Spelling For Plainview Feature

Back to the old blue back speller for an old fashioned spelling bee in Plainview as the morning feature of next Friendship Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, with all of the fun and competition of choosing sides, young and old, men and women, and with liberal cash awards for the winners. The contest starts at the City auditorium at 10:30 a. m.

As a new feature for the Friendship Days next Wednesday has been designated as Oklahoma Day All former Oklahomans are cordially invited to assemble at the Chamber of Commerce office at any time during the morning and meet others from their native state. A reception committee of former Oklahomans will meet visitors, and plans are being made for a most pleasant reunion of persons formerly from the Sooner state. A suggestion is the formation of an Oklahoma club covering the South Plains area.

Next Wednesday is also Friendship Dollar Day in Plainview and sponsoring merchant will be offering choice Dollar Day bargains in their stores. In the afternoon, at two o'clock there will be the usual cash contest at the City auditorium.

### TO ATTEND PLAINVIEW MEET

Several of the farmers and 4-H club boys who are stock-holders in the Plainview Production Credit association will attend the annual meeting of that organization in Plainview, Monday, February 1.

Music demonstrations have been financed by that association have been extended a special invitation so that they may become familiar with proceedings involved in the operation of such an organization.

### SING SONG AT BOVINA

The Parmer County Singing convention will meet at the Baptist church in Bovina next Sunday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock according to announcement of Lee Thompson, president. There will also be a singing session Saturday night before.

Many well known song leaders, soloists and quartets are expected to attend, and a good session of music is assured. Everyone is invited, Thompson said.

### Heat in Moon's Rays

Moonlight is reflected light from the sun. Rays of the sun falling on the moon set up heat there, which is immediately radiated away into space, because the moon has no atmosphere to hold the heat in its surface. The reflected light reaching the earth as moonlight does set up some heat on the earth, but the amount is so small that it can only be detected by delicate instruments.

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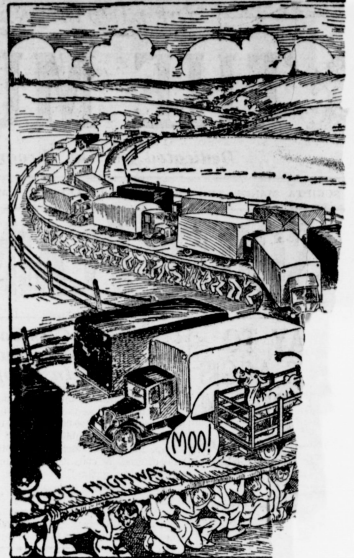
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### OPEN TAX INFORMATION OFFICE

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chinery, Tools of all kinds, Household Goods,  
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they may wish to sell or swap. There are al-  
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casions.

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nouncements.

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EDITORIAL AND FEATURE PAGE

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Editorial Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if It Fails

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

"America can never be saved materially until it is redeemed spiritually." -Woodrow Wilson.

Prayer

O God, help us to be prosperous in our souls as we are in material things. Bless the year and the sick and help us as all to be rich in the things of the spirit. Amen.—J. O. Hayes.

WOMAN'S LEG POWER

Last week a woman from Honey Grove introduced a resolution in the Texas Legislature asking it "to try to do something with the public press about displaying all the women's naked legs in Texas."

Come to think of it, there is considerable display of the particular portion of charming female anatomy, especially in the summer time when these pulchritudinous dames and damsels get to frolicking on the seashore, "the Honey Grove woman" is "getting effect upon manhood, a manhood especially. It is hoped she will never have occasion to visit a nudist colony."

Thinking again, we are reminded that some woman must first have her picture taken with legs showing before the newspapers can print it. Hence, first blame must therefore go to members of the feminine sex themselves, and newspapers are merely doing their intended purpose of giving not suppressing, news while we are.

Some of the sex magazines no hesitancy in publishing pictures of beautiful women with their breasts, showing and other parts but thinly veiled; but our candid opinion the women themselves introduced the subject to public gaze and interest when they are going about the streets in such thin and suggestive attire. Right here in Muleshoe on a hot summer's day, if we catches the women between their sun and the sun about four o'clock the afternoon, they certainly can't be full.

Our opinion this would be better if just another one who has been in at the wrong place. Let dress a little more decently, and on a respectable amount of news and newspapers will publish pictures just as readily, for ways remain attractive to the under dressed or undressed. A world a blind senator, Olan di, of Texas, has introduced a measure in the Senate, it will not be looked upon

KLACKEN SAYS 'EM AROUND KNOW WHEN TO HOME.



If oily or greasy rags accumulate, carry them into the open air or burn them. If dust accumulates in attic or cellar, get rid of it immediately. Keep matches in a metal receptacle—and always where rats, mice and children cannot get them.

The time may never come when fire protection will be an adequate on the farm as it is in town and city, but just as much care can be taken to prevent fires in one place as in another, and there is no reason for not exercising it.

WHAT A LIFE

In Brooklyn, N. Y., a few weeks ago a fish peddler was found dead in the squalid attic room which had been his home for years. The coroner was called, made an investigation and pronounced death due to malnutrition. The man had actually starved to death. Then came a search of the room in the hope that papers might be found throwing some light on his relatives. The searchers uncovered a total of \$300.00 in cash and government securities. The story is an old and oft repeated one.

As the average Muleshoe citizen reads it he is forced to wonder what it is that makes people hoard money and go without the necessities and comforts of life, the things needed to keep soul and body together, when they could afford to live in comparative ease.

Getting money honestly and using it wisely is not only legitimate, but it is a good thing for the individual and for society in general. Stocking up dollars which cannot be taken out of this world, and never passing out any of them to make someone else happier, shows a peculiar sort of mind. There is something wrong with the man whose head who tolls for years and then, instead of using his earnings and savings to buy the things that make life worth living, hoards it up for fire to destroy or selfish descendants to spend for their own enjoyment. What a life this would be if all of us were niters, and charity lived in rats in an attic.

BIGGEST THING IN 1936

Ask your Muleshoe neighbors what was the biggest thing in 1936, and watch them scratch their heads for the answer. Yet it is easily answered.

The same question was put recently to 48 newspaper editors in 38 states by the Associated Press, and 72 percent of them declared that the weather was the biggest thing of the year in their respective states. Though no national conventions and a presidential election were held; the Hauptmann was electrocuted and Edward deserted a throne, the savage blizzards of last January, the March floods in the Middle West, dust storms west of the Mississippi and the most torrid weather in the memory of the present generation were experienced. The weather interested the average citizen far more than the "man-made" occurrences. That's the answer.

The weather was the biggest thing in 1936, just as it is pretty certain to be this year.

CARS AND HIGHWAYS

At the close of 1936 there were 28,250,000 motor cars registered in the U. S. or a car to every five persons. Charting the present population at 130,000,000. From such statistics you can gather the real seriousness of the traffic problem.

Every hour in the day and night there are enough cars running to make our highways dangerous, and we are fast getting too many cars for the good road mileage we have. This is the main contribution to our death and accident rate. Then, too, most of us are not any too careful about driving when we get behind the wheel of a car.

These two factors combine to make of our traffic problem one of the greatest facing the nation. We don't seem to be making much headway toward a solution. When road builders wake up to the fact it is just as important to widen old roads as it is to build new ones, and when new ones are built wider than they are now being built there may be some hope of relief, and not until then.

THE WRONG ADDRESS

When Santa Claus had finished his rounds near the close of the year the Dead Letter office in Washington reported that over 400,000 letters, Christmas cards and packages had been forwarded there from the various post-offices.

Wrong addresses, or addresses so poorly written they could not be de-

CAMERAGRAPHS

Advertisement for 'Orange Blossom Special' featuring a train and a basketball game. Includes text: 'THE LOVELY Orange Blossom Special', 'NOVEL ACTION SHOT shows...', 'CRITICAL CLERIC: Archbishop of Canterbury...', 'PHIL BAKER GETS MASHED: Pictured: Will Rogers, who will for the first time...'

ephored accounted for most of them not being delivered. Thousands of them had been posted without any stamps, and where there was no return card on them they naturally landed in the Dead Letter office.

No matter how carefully you may address your mail, it is always wise to use envelopes bearing a return address, and this day in time when the printing of such return cards is inexpensive there is no excuse for the average Muleshoe family using any other kind of envelopes for their correspondence.

Muleshoe is greatly indebted to Rev. R. S. Watkins, local Methodist pastor, who, this week, made possible the over-filing of Bailey County's quota of Red Cross relief for the unfortunate of the flooded Ohio river valley. Because of his public spiritedness and broad humanitarian actions this money was quickly raised and forwarded to these needy people. It was a truly Christian act. The public generally appreciates any minister whose heart reaches out far beyond the doors of his own particular church.

No fire department would be satisfied with merely a few gentle toots from the fire siren if a major conflagration was raging yet there are plenty of business men who will run a tiny ad and expect to get half-page results from it. Certainly advertising pays; but it pay in ratio to the quality and quantity of it used.

Jaunty Journalettes

Most people in and around Muleshoe are willing to help someone else celebrate something at their own expense. Perhaps that's human nature.

If the Muleshoe mother bribes him to be a good boy, he will probably rule his wife by threatening to get drunk again.

There was a time in Muleshoe when the automobile scared the horse, but now it's another horse that does it.

If he says that any man in Muleshoe with backbone can quit smoking, it probably means he has not thought of quitting.

A scientist says it is possible for one to live to be 150 years old; but just why would any Muleshoe folks want to?

There is always some consolation to any Muleshoe citizen: that the darkest hour is only 60 minutes long.

One of the sure signs of recovery is when you hear a customer asking a Muleshoe clerk "is this the best you have?"

A Muleshoe man never forgets the girl he loved in vain; but that is also true of the pony or bicycle he didn't get.

Life may "begin at 40," as a noted author contends; but what worries the average Muleshoe man is that social security doesn't begin until 65.

There are at least two reasons why some Muleshoe folks allow their neighbors free speech. In the first place it is his lawful right and in the second place he may be afraid to hit him.

There are two things that will bring any Muleshoe man's past life before him like a great panorama—drowning and running for office.

Pavement Pickups

Homer Henington says now that Congress is in session again, he is predicting a windy spring.

Preacher Watkins admits liquor will make a devil out of a man; but he also advises that wood alcohol will make an angel of some kind out of him.

According to Sam Lawrence, the "upper class" is composed of the descendants of middle-class people who inherited the fortune of some tough old bird of the lower-class.

Delma McCarty asks why our English vocabulary is so lopsided. For instance, he says, "There are at least 40 words that mean drunk, while there is only one word that means sober?"

Billy Beavers was asked by his school teacher the other day to name the seven wonders of the world. He replied "The only one I know anything about is daddy when he was a boy."

Roy Bayless, of the Valley Motor Co., say there are three great men of the present age who have always applied to him as outstanding: Admiral Byrd, Col. Lindbergh and General Motors.

Assistant State Highway Engineer Ogilvie advises there are now signs on State Highway No. 28 in Lamb county

where improvements are being made. Beware of reading "Beware of Reading."

"Wisdom may be a by-product of a college," says a college graduate who takes more than a bank.

Levi Churchill, all says he has discovered raise Irish potatoes to have some large it will only make a dozen.

O. B. Carlinen, an Muleshoe, says fine, high priced in this western county learned some time expensive bottle or quadruped that is Santa Pe (economic).

Ty Young, local other day received his customers something was wrong with every morning when chicken house. I I them lying cold and with their feet all Can you tell me them?" Ty wrote your lucid description galmucious specimen of a total and pe all their physical they must be dea

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People who are "right under least shave off their

A washed saw and from India have left it job.

Now that big "ting women's \$1,000 to \$1,500, it scared any more

It appears as if become so civilized sight of cruelty man.

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GENERAL NEWS TEXAS AND SURROUNDING STATES

A resolution seeking to ratify the child labor amendments has been introduced in the New Mexico legislature. J. F. Weatherly, Berger, has donated the new \$65,000 county hospital to be built there. Portales, N. M. citizens last week raised \$576 to forward Boy Scout work in that community. C. L. Wardlow, Del Rio, sold 125,000 pounds of mohair last Friday at 72 cents per pound. The first labor movement in Texas began in 1857 when the Typographical union was organized at Galveston. A federal expenditure of \$94,429,120 in Texas is reported by H. P. Drought, state director, San Antonio. Introduction of a measure legalizing gambling in New Mexico is forecast by Rep Thomas Maxfield of Torrance. The Bureau of Mines estimated last week that the gross value of the principal metals mined in Texas last year was \$1,141,575, compared with \$781,614 in 1935. John Garner, U. S. vice-president, has announced he has taken his last oath of office. When through with this term he expects to retire from politics and travel. The New Mexico Legislature will memorialize Congress against recognizing the ratification of cattle being imported into this country from the Argentine, South America. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public instruction, sustained two broken ribs, dislocated shoulder and head injuries Friday of last week when his automobile skidded and turned over twice near Troy. It is stated the Texas Confederate pension fund will automatically begin to pay its own indebtedness of about \$5,000,000 in the next two or three years, because so many of the veterans are now dying. State Auditor Tom King says despite a balance of \$1,479,645 last August 31, and because of the per capita increase of public school pupil payment from \$179 to \$19, the state school fund will go in the red nearly \$326,000 by next August 31. Flags hung at the mast last Friday by order of Gov. Allred in tribute of respect for the death of Dr. James Q. Dealey, for many years editor of the Dallas News. He expired suddenly in his office while talking with his brother. Labor in Texas increased 1.9 per cent in December over the previous month, being an increase of 9.2 per cent over the similar month the previous year. The Bureau of Business Research, Austin, also reports sales increase of 17 per cent for December, being a 64 per cent increase over last November. The average increase of December sales over those of November for the past 10 years has been 49 per cent.

Maple News Items John Shaw received the nice rug given away by the local grocery Saturday afternoon. Kenneth Smith, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Smith is ill with scarlet fever. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mead are planning to move to Arizona. Margaret the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Richardson is ill with measles. J. H. Bomar made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday. The Bailey County Singing convention will be held at the Methodist church Sunday Jan. 31. Everyone is invited to attend and bring a well filled basket, as dinner will be served on the ground. H Club Report The Maple 4-H club met at Mrs. G. N. Manning's Thursday, Jan. 21, nearly all members were present, also, Miss Alma Stewart. Pot holders were made and new officers were elected as follows: Alton Patrick, president; Frances Dupler, vice-president; Irene Ball, secretary; Odessa Ball, garden demonstrator; Edna Hines, wardrobe demonstrator; Ren Mae and Lena Fae Fleming, game leaders; Juana Edwards, parliamentarian; Mrs. G. N. Manning, sponsor. H Club Meet The Maple Home Demonstration club met Thursday of last week with Mrs. E. B. Hines, with eight members present as follows: Mrs. Elbert Stephens, Paul Powell, Chas. Shaw, Willie Hart, Woodie Mead, J. P. Carter, Geo. Tyson, and E. B. Hines. The house was called to order by the president and the meeting was opened with a prayer, "Singing." We discussed a play to be given by our club some time soon. We filled out part of the year books. Reporter.

NOTICE FOR BIDS On February 8th, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the Commissioners Court of Bailey County, Texas, will receive sealed bids from banks wishing to secure the County and Common School District decedent for the years 1937 and 1938. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Dated at Muleshoe, Texas, this the 11th day of January, A. D. 1937. M. G. MILLER, County Judge, Bailey County, Texas. 51-3c Buy it in Muleshoe.

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FRIENDSHIP DOLLAR DAY IN PLAINVIEW WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd OLD WITH CITY SHIONED LIBERAL Auditorium Spelling CASH 10:30 BEE AWARDS A.M. CASH CONTEST AT 2:00 P. M. It's "Oklahoma Day" In Plainview FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF FIRMS SPONSORING THE FRIENDSHIP DAY PROGRAM Floral and Gro. Co. Pit rvice Station Bakery s Fruit Stand ners s Publ. Co. Weekly Pharmacy Shop Bros. Hdw. Co. rber Shop ere yle Shop rring Drug Co. Pan 1 sheet Day sphan Agency. gonal Bank sport y Equipment Motor Co. Shop ug Co. So. pool hoe Dept. shop e Shop State Bank P. W. Woolworth & Co. Hilton Hotel West Texas Gas Co. Chas. Smith Southwestern Bell Tele. Hilton Hotel Cleaners Shook Tire & Battery Co. Waller Tailoring Co. J. E. Hall Barrow Tea Room Dixie Hat Shop Ware Hotel Wilbert Peterson & Son Western Auto. Aco. Store Loooper Cash Grocery Co. Lewis Wimberly Serv. Sta. Plainview Body & Fender Works Whitfield & Davis Meh. Co. Plainview Hatchery & Radio Shop J. E. Hooper C. B. Martin Taylor Motor Co. Curry Motor Co. Peerless Pump Co. Taylor Motor Co. Higginbotham-Barlett Co. Foxworth Galbraith Lbr. Phillips Battery Co. Shepard Chevrolet Co. Ecker Service Station Dalby Motor Freight Seip Machine Shop C. C. Woodriffs Lbr. Co. Locke & Locke Machinery Theatre Fair Theatre Texas Theatre Yellow Cab Co. Motor Parts Co. Blair Drug Co. R. Q. Silverthorne Dr. F. W. Wehrlim Empire Furniture Co. Vick's Cash & Carry Chhrs. Burt Electric Co. Hoosier Barber Shop Simpson Style Shop M. E. Sidebottom-Frigidaire Shelton Radio Service The Borden Co. Piggly Wiggly No. 1 Piggly Wiggly No. 2 Texas Land & Development Co. W. J. Stuckler Mrs. Rucker Groc. & Feed Young's Market & Groc. Sinclair Service Station Crenshaw Paint & Glass Thatcher Printing Co. Plainview Mercantile Co. C. C. Stubbs Store Churchwell Bros. Ser. Stn. Quality Shoe Shop Blackwell Auto Supply Cash Grocery Co. Teague's Food Store Jasey's City Bakery Plainview Mattress Fetry. Whitestone Drug Co. Joffus-DeLoach Grain Co. Quality Bakery Carter's & Greer Suddiun Service Station Hammer Wrecking Co. Bob Hooper Motor Co. Win Motor Co. Harvest Queen Mill & Elev South Plains Monum't Co. Green Sheet Metal Co. Plainview Plumbing & Electric Co. Farmer's Produce Co. Bailey Produce Co. McClain Grocery Co. Bradley's Cash Market L. R. Bain Furniture Co. C. E. White Seed Co. Senago Grocery Co. Panhandle Oil Co. Peoples Produce Co. Quick Lunch Long's Tailor Shop Pines Co-Op Creamery East Side Serv. Stn. Hill Top Serv. Stn. Darden & Sons Farmer's Oil Co. E. H. Ewell Paul Schick Owen's Service Station E. Grisham Busy Bee Cafe Warehouse O. B. Jackson Nick's Cafe Lindsey's Mercantile Co. C. C. Darrin Plainview Sanitarium C. S. Shurt Plainview Ice Co. Lester Laundry Mangum Motor Co. Tourist Rest Jackson Tire Co. Jarvis-Tull Co. Plains Machinery Co. Conroe Mathes Co. Doc Hinds Garage Long Bell Lbr. Co. E. H. Hunsicker & Sons Wes-Tex Hardware Co. Jack Skaggs Cloverleaf Creamery Smith & Stubblefield McGraw Furniture Co. Dunn Drug Co. Texas Utilities Co.

West Camp News Roy Sheriff and son, Elton, returned home from Oklahoma City, Sunday, where they had been the past several weeks. Elton was operated on while there for a tumor on a lower limb. Mrs. L. C. Gurley, H. D. club president, and Mrs. M. Snider, club representative, attended county council in Muleshoe, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Snider's dear are the proud parents of a little son, who came to make his home with them Jan. 23. His name is "Vernon Greene." Mrs. Luther Blakely and son, Gerald Lee, are now visiting her mother, Mrs. Carrie Harding for several days in Portales, N. M. Joe Thompson, formerly of Reed, Oklahoma, has been in this community the past few days looking for a location. Word was received here Saturday that Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, allier of Chas. M., have a new daughter, born Jan. 20 Her name is "Martha Maria." They lived in this community prior to moving to New Mexico. Among those seen in Muleshoe Saturday from this community were E. L. Smith, W. H. Foster, L. C. Gurley, D. W. Danielson, and W. C. Pruitt.—Reporter. A group of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Kelly of Farwell, visited them last Monday night and gave them a shower. Mrs. Kelly was club president here last year. Those enjoying the occasion were Mesdames Jodie Britton, J. H. Stone, E. E. Eskridge, L. C. Gurley, Luther Blakely, O. L. Thompson, B. B. Dickinson, Messrs. Luther Blakely, L. C. Gurley, B. B. Dickinson and L. C. Gurley Jr. Several sent gifts who could not attend. Candy was served. The next club date has been changed and will be Feb. 3. The place has not been decided on.—Reporter.

SEW AND SO CLUB MEET Mrs. Jay Wyer was hostess to members of the Sew and So club in her home Friday afternoon of last week, business and needlework occupying the hours. At the close of the meeting taty refreshments were served to Mesdames Dick Rocky, Finley Pierson, A. E. Wovis, Joe Howell and the hostess, Mrs. Wyer. The next meeting will be at 8:00 p. m., Friday, January 29, when Mrs. Harold Weyer will entertain members and their husbands with a "Monopoly party."—Reporter. MRS. DAMRON ENTERTAINS Friday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Joe Damron entertained members of the Blue Bennett club at her home, all members except two being present. An enjoyable afternoon was spent by crocheting, after which a delicious refreshment course was served by the hostess who carried out the Valentine rade. Attractive plates were made up of heart shaped sandwiches, Valentine muffins, hot chocolate and mint. Mrs. Gilbert Wollard will be hostess to the club Friday afternoon of this week.

NOTICE FOR BIDS Notice is hereby given that the Board of Trustees, Muleshoe Independent School District, Bailey County, Texas, will receive bids for tax assessment and Scholastic Enumerator and for Depository of its cash funds for the year 1937, at the High School building, February 11, beginning at 8:00 o'clock, P. M. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.—Walter Wite, Secretary of the Board. 1-31c

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# THE HEADLINES

## NEWS OF THE WEEK PARADE

Attending physicians have given up hope for recovery of Pope Pius at the Roman Vatican. He is said to be slowly sinking.

James A. Farley was last week re-nominated by President Roosevelt and reconfirmed as postmaster general for the coming term.

The floating trailer population received its first jolt last week when Idaho Supreme court upheld constitutionality of a \$5 tax on every car to enter that state on its own wheels.

More than 350,000 people are now homeless and reports of more than 30 deaths have resulted in the terrific floods in the Ohio, Mississippi valleys and their tributary rivers pouring water into them.

Vast deposits of radio-active ore in the mountains near Newhall Pass, California, over which airplanes travel, is now being considered the possible cause of several recent airplane wrecks in that vicinity.

Already subject to fines and imprisonment, American subjects who have participated in the Spanish civil war may have their citizenship taken away from them during the home, according to a Washington dispatch.

Because of the excessive financial deficit in the U. S. post office department last year, about \$1,000,000 of it being attributed to heavy air mailings, service of this particular department has been ordered curtailed for 1932.

Howard Hughes, flying movie producer, broke the air travel record last

week when he burned through the air at the rate of 322 miles per hour, flying at an altitude of 14,000 feet above earth. He crossed this continent in seven hours and 31 minutes.

The Democratic National committee has selected March 4—anniversary of President Roosevelt's first inauguration—for nation-wide, simultaneous dinners aimed at wiping out the party's half million dollar deficit. These dinners are authorized to be served at from \$100 down to \$3 per plate.

Rev. S. Benny Hanson, pastor, Kent Avenue Reformed Presbyterian church Brooklyn, at least pulled off a new publicity stunt when with only 20 worshippers scattered through an auditorium of 700 seats, he set his Bible on fire at the pulpit in protest of people not attending religious services.

The Social Security board, Washington, expects 10 surnames to fill 1,500,000 of its 26,000,000, old age pension accounts, the first to be filled in American numbers are the Smiths, the Johnsons, the Browns, the Williams, the Jones, the Millers, the Davises, the Andersons, the Wilsons and the Taylors.

Deep snows accompanied by zero weather in New Mexico and other states is reported as causing much suffering during the past week. In western New Mexico three foot snow is said to be common. In Utah the government is spreading out many tons of food in an effort to save wild life where destruction is threatened from starvation, all natural foods being covered by snow. Small wild game is said to have already perished by the excessive cold and deep snow.

## NEW PROGRAM FOR AGRICULTURE IN THE UNITED STATES OUTLINED FOR CONGRESS, FARMER'S BEHALF

### By Droughts, Floods, Hail and Other Disturbances Would Be Tempered, Insuring Farmers of Fair Returns.

HENRY A. WALLACE  
Secretary of Agriculture

is never burned there would be for fire insurance. If acres crops produced consistently there would be no need for

ow that droughts, floods, or manifestations of bad weather somewhere every year have affected numerous vast areas. The result question "What will the is a very real one with without each producing production of many from heavy surpluses with vation level to small out- es relatively high. I best of us have been in- ese sharp swings in the ion pendulum and we t why something was not e off the bad years with

nce has been brought device to supply a com- surance with storage of erves so as to provide for farm producers ers, particularly in se crops where the ction are most mark-

either resulting from other catastrophes, mean e will suffer; that often they most acute need and that ment must grant assistance em over. The expenditures riment for carrying on this through feed loans, relief, or by other methods, e very high. dent's committee gave very dy to the whole subject of e. It conferred with fan- satives of state, regional d farm organizations, with perts and with representa- warehousing industry. It d that the government in- rop insurance program, ly with wheat. ducers have shown the t of any group of pro-

ducers. They have expressed themselves most vigorously in favor of such a program. I believe there is something to be gained by beginning with only one commodity. It will be well to gain some practical experience with the workings of a crop insurance program before the program is applied to other crops.

Reserve For Lean Years I believe that there is a real possibility that a decade or two hence crop insurance together with devices to provide an "ever normal granary" of our major food and fiber crops will be in general use in the United States. Other progressive nations will doubtless also adopt some such method to provide their producers with greater security and their consumers with assurance of adequate reserves.

In view of past failures where relatively small attempts were made by private companies to insure prices as well as yields the committee recommended only yield insurance. In other words, the plan would provide farmers with an opportunity to insure against low yields due to bad weather but it would not offer insurance against price changes. Under this plan the payment of both premiums and losses should be in kind or cash equivalent.

It would have the effect of storing up reserves of heat in years of large crops and releasing them in years of smaller crops. This would tend to reduce the fluctuations in the market supply and the fluctuations in the price of wheat. It would provide the country assurance that in case of severe crop failure the reserve of wheat would be on hand.

Insurance On Average Yield Costs of storing grain should be borne by the government because the program would be of advantage to the public generally. Overhead administration costs of crop insurance should also be borne by the government for the same reason while local costs plus the actual cost of indemnifying crop losses should be borne by farmers.

Local administration, the committee recommended, should be in the hands of county and local committees established for administration of the soil conservation and domestic allotment

act. These committees have demonstrated real ability.

The amount of insurance on any farm would be determined by the average yield of that farm over a period of the last six years. The farmer applying for the insurance—and such application would be entirely voluntary—would be insured a yield up to perhaps 15 per cent above his average yield. If his yield during the year when he was insured should be less than the coverage specified in his policy, he would be paid the difference between what he actually produced and the amount for which he was insured. He would be paid in kind or in cash. His losses might be paid by granting the farmer a warehouse certificate covering stored grain due him which he could sell as she saw fit. But he would bear any storage costs after the time set for settlement. This would be fair.

Varied Risks Figured We recommended that the premium rate should be determined on the basis of two factors the loss experience on the individual farm insured and the loss experience of the country or area. A proposed plan would not transfer the losses of incompetent or careless farmer to the more competent and industrious farmer.

Farmers on good land would not be required to pay the losses of farmers on poor land. Wheat areas of high and regular production would not have to pay the losses of areas of low and uncertain production.

Costs of crop insurance for wheat would vary considerably as the loss experience varies considerably over the nation. Where risks were highest costs would be highest. Where risks would appear to be prohibitive the risk would appear to be high as compared to justify the use of the land for the production of wheat. Such land might better be devoted to some other use, perhaps permanently retired from crop production.

The recommended plan will permit farmers to pay premiums in years of large crops. This would be a sensible arrangement. By paying the premiums in years of plentiful production, an additional outlet for surplus wheat would be furnished, thus contributing to greater stability of prices in those years. This would tend to reduce fluctuations in prices and income.

The program of crop insurance recommended in this report is not conceived of as a substitute for any farm program now being administered by the department of agriculture. It would be supplementary to other programs. It is not intended to meet problems of production adjustment and soil conservation but rather to meet very serious problems arising from fluctuation in production. It is intended to help gain for farmers basic and lasting production against risks even as we have seen protection for risks in industry and other zones of activity built up one by one.

## Muleshoe Wins in A Dual Basketball Tilt With Lazbuddie

Friday evening of last week the Muleshoe High school boys and girls basketball teams won their first double-header games of the season by defeating the Lazbuddie High school teams at the local gymnasium. The girls score was 32 and 15, while the boys score stood 31 and 25.

The starting line-up of players on the girls team was: Misses Rosa Renfrow, Irma Willis, and Marie Finley as guards; Joe V. Goins, Tidwell Douglas and Naomi Harper as forwards. During the game Wanda Farrell and Geraldine Robbins went in as substitute guards.

The guards started warming up in the first quarter, getting the ball out of the opponents end of the court and making quick and skilled passes to the forwards on the local team who rolled goal in from every angle on the court.

The boys game was a fast moving event with many excellent plays being made by the local lads. The starting line up here was Woodie Lambert and Neal Prescott as forwards; Delbert Parsons, center; Frank Prescott standing guard and R. V. Ivy running guard. Don Moore was substituted for running guard during the game.

Mr. Witherpoon, of Longview community, former basketball player at Texas Technological college, refereed the game.

## MANY ATTEND COMMUNITY MEETINGS FOR PLANNING

Community meetings at which future farm plans were discussed by the county agent and home demonstration agent were held last week at Progress, Maple, Longview, Circleback and Sigall. An average of about 50 farm people attended each meeting. Maple had the largest attendance with approximately 100 people present. Business men of Muleshoe also attended the Progress and Maple meetings.

The schedule for similar meetings this week is as follows. Monday, Bull; Tuesday, Balleystro; Wednesday, Goodland; Thursday, Watson, and Friday, Y. L. The hour for these meetings is 7:30 p. m.

## COTTON GINNING REPORT

There were 15,773 bales of cotton ginned in Bailey county from the 1928 crop prior to January 16 this year, as compared with 12,651 bales ginned up to the same period of last year, according to Curtis Taylor, the U. S. Census department.

## DEPUTY GRAND MATRON HERE

Members of the Muleshoe Eastern Star organization will have as their guests at the next regular meeting, Tuesday evening, February second, 15 members from the Bovina chapter, according to a letter received here the first of the week by Miss Elizabeth Harden, secretary of the local chapter. Mrs. Ann Barnett, district deputy

grand matron, of Littlefield, will be an honor guest here the same evening.

All members here are urgently requested to attend as this will be a very interesting meeting.

Officers of the local chapter are asked to meet at the Masonic hall at seven o'clock Friday evening of this week and Monday evening of next week for practice in estoteric work.

## The Pull Sheepdog

The Pull sheepdog as bred in Hungary is in general outline no unlike the Old English sheepdog, but is much smaller, standing only 15 to 20 inches at the shoulder. The coat is black or very dark grizzle, with sometimes a white star on the chest. Its texture is unusually fine and dense, more like the wool of a caracul sheep than that of a dog.

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## IN TRUCK LEGISLATION

Any change in existing Texas truck laws which will increase the present 7,000-pound load limit will affect adversely all communities in the state, both rural and urban. This statement is proved best by identifying the causes and effects upon Texas communities.

- 1. Increasing truck loads mean correspondingly increasing the distance which the truck can profitably carry its load.
- 2. Increasing the distance of profitable truck haul means bringing the small town wholesale houses and industrial plants, such as wholesale grocers, bottling plants, feed mills, oil mills, grain elevators, cotton compresses and retail lumber yards, into direct competition with similar establishments in large cities.
- 3. Such competition will inevitably result in further drying up the small country towns by taking from them the payroll, taxes and local purchases represented by their present establishments. Property values, both residential and commercial, will decline; volume of re-

- tail sales will grow smaller and farm-employees will migrate to the cities to reinforce the ranks of the unemployed and the bread lines.
- 4. Large cities, at first stimulated by increased trade territories, in the expense of the country will be ultimately affected adversely by the resulting unhealthy condition of the rural communities forming these trade territories.
- 5. Because of the consequent shrinkage of the state's tax revenues from country towns, taxes from the cities will have to be increased correspondingly.
- 6. The lower truck load limit of Texas now has the effect of acting as a barrier at Texas borders to the movement of the larger truck loads carrying merchandise from the metropolitan and producing centers of other states. A increase in Texas truck load limits will break down that barrier and permit free truck movement into the state many commodities which unquestionably would be sold directly to the retailer thus destroying, in a large measure, business of wholesalers and jobbers located in Texas cities.

Conditions which affect adversely the well-being of Texas communities also affect Texas railroads in identical manner and degree.

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- Lubbock, Memphis & Gulf
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- Missouri Pacific Lines
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**The Pipefish**  
The pipefish is a thin fish which swims very much like a snake. On its under-side, the male has a pocket where eggs are carried after being laid. Pipefish grow to a length of from two to three feet. They live in warm parts of the ocean.

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**PALACE THEATRE**  
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"PICADILLY JIM"  
Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29-30  
George O'Brien in  
"THE BORDER PATROLMAN"  
Sat. Prevue, Sun. Matinee, Mon. night, January 30 and 31, Feb. 1  
Joe E. Brown in  
"SON OF A GUN"  
Sunday night, Tuesday night and Wednesday night, Jan. 31, Feb. 2-3  
"THE GREAT ZIEGFELD"  
Show starts promptly at 7:30 p. m. is three hours and a half long  
No show Thursday night of next week.

**Stegall News**

Mr. and Mrs. Clouson Parker and children returned to Littlefield, Thursday after a two week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Fowler.  
Mrs. Irene Howie shopped in Rortales, N. M., Monday.  
Mrs. Hayden Baker took her baby to Portales N. M. for medical attention, Saturday.

We were glad to welcome several Circleback visitors to singing Sunday and extend a cordial invitation to come again.

The farm meeting Friday was both profitable and entertaining. Mr. Taylor gave valuable information on the planting of trees and Miss Stewart was leader in some exciting games.

U. L. Leley is back in school after a week's visit in Shallowater, with his parents.

The girls' 4-H club will present a one-act play here Saturday night. Everyone is cordially invited.

The Stegall 4-H club girls met Wednesday of last week at Mrs. Russell Craft's home. The members were all present and one new member added. All the girls have made their pot holders, except three.

Miss Stewart taught a lesson on grooming.

The following officers were elected for 1937: Mrs. Russell Craft, sponsor; Hazel Phillips, president; Katherine Phipps, vice-president; Barbara Lindley, secretary; Jenice Phillips, song leader; Geneva Fowler, game leader; Mildred Phipps, reporter.

We girls are striving to make our club a hundred per cent perfect in 1937.—Reporter.

**Bula News Items**

Sunday services were well attended at Methodist church.

Bula basketball boys played West Tex at State Teachers college, freshmen boys Friday and Saturday night with Bula boys victorious at both games.

Miss Hazel Weaver who has been confined in the Littlefield hospital for some two weeks following an appendicitis operation is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bain spent the weekend in Quitaque, visiting Mrs. Bain's sister.

F. L. Simmons attended to business in Lubbock, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Hubbard shopped in Littlefield, Saturday.

Mrs. Cleo Ardure and Mrs. Robert Cantrell shopped in Sudan, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blackman and son, of Clarendon, visited last week in the B. L. Blackman home.

Miss Richardson, Bob Carter, B. L. Blackman and John Blackburn were in Muleshoe, Thursday, paying taxes.

Mr. and Mrs. Iris Redden visited Sunday with Mrs. Redden's mother, Mrs. Ross Dennington.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard, of Kermit visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Blackman and transacted business here.

Mrs. O. O. Williams returned Saturday from a week's visit with her parents at Ralls.

C. M. Tidwell attended to business in Littlefield, Saturday.—Reporter.

**Longview News**

E. J. Marshall and Evert Conner have returned from Arkansas where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. T. W. Watson visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton at Baileyboro, Sunday.

Mrs. E. W. Duke returned home Sunday from Lazduby where she has been visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wagon and son Dixon, Junior and Joe Mack visited in the home of Vance Wagon at Muleshoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raito Meachen have moved where Mr. Monroe Burns formerly lived.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Young and daughter, Sue, spent the weekend visiting relatives near Lubbock.

Mrs. Fred Bryant and daughter, Franette, are back at home from Temple, where Franette has been recuperating from a car accident.

Members of the First Baptist church of Littlefield, rendered a most interesting W. M. S. program here Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Oldham of Littlefield, filled his regular fourth Sunday appointment here Sunday.

Mrs. L. R. Whitmore and son, Clotis Ray, spent the week in the Fred Bryant home.—Reporter.

**Goodland News**

Baker Johnson, L. D. Sanderson, J. A. Johnson and Louis Ponder were in Littlefield Wednesday of last week.

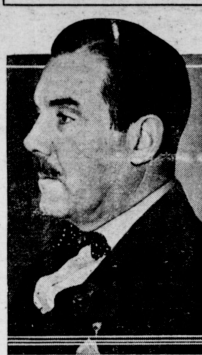
Worth Matheny was in Lubbock, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Brashears and family were in Muleshoe, Saturday.

"Causey, New Mexico and Goodland basketball teams played Friday night in our gym. Scores: Girls, 18-4; Goodland; Boys, 49-9; Causey.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Vandever and E. Brumalover were in Muleshoe, Saturday.

**Everyman's Fair, Says Whalen**



NEW YORK, (Special).—Grover Whalen, President of the Fair Corporation, announces that official support and foreign participation in the New York World's Fair of 1939 are reaching new "high" and that here is an already obvious opportunity for every state to display advantageously its accomplishments and future possibilities on, to join in making it one hundred percent "Everyman's Fair."

**New Lighting, Even Bubbles in Color To Beautify Fair**

NEW YORK, (Special).—None of the scientific discoveries or developments being hurried from the laboratories to make the New York World's Fair unusual and thrilling will produce more startling results than the latest technique in illumination. This statement was issued by Grover Whalen, President of the Fair Corporation, at the inauguration of experiments by the Fair's staff of engineers and illumination experts at their consultants. These men are already at work with quarter-inch scale models of the Fair, types of lighting equipment never before used in comprehensive manner, and utterly new principles never developed practically. They are dealing with everything from fluorescent dies and colored bubbles to concentrating lamps and floodlight systems.

The die is not to create spectacular effects in the usual sense of the term, says Mr. Whalen, but rather, to create designs in light that will make their appeal through their magnitude and their sheer beauty.

**Circleback News**

J. T. Gean is building a tenant house on one of his farms near Circleback.

Mrs. Van Rogers was taken back to the Littlefield hospital last week in a serious condition. On last report she did not show much improvement.

The ladies of Circleback met at the home of Mrs. Lester Patton last Wednesday and quilted three quilts for Mrs. J. E. Moore.

Doris June Collins of San Antonio, has come to spend the winter with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Giffin.

H. D. Club  
The Circleback H. D. club met with Mrs. Clayton Wells Thursday of last week. Miss Stewart was present and gave an interesting talk on war-time work. As there were so few present, no business meeting was held.—Reporter.

W. M. U. SOCIAL MEETING  
The Methodist W. M. U. met at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. R. S. Watkins as hostess.

A very interesting program was given with Mrs. Pinley Pierson as leader. The subject was "Our Dollars."

After the program, our new president Mrs. Holt took charge of the meeting, making a very impressive talk on our duties as officers.

We begin our study soon and invite all the members to be present at each meeting as the subject is interesting, and under the able leadership of Mrs. S. C. Beavers.

After business, a social hour was enjoyed by all. Those present were Mesdames Farrell, Gaede, Hoyt, Wright, Davis, Barfield, Haney, Pierson, Wallace, Howell, Scholten, Lad, Taylor, Robbins, Dyer, Hendrix, Taylor, Beavers, Edwards, Jackson, Watkins, and Gibbs. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.—Reporter.

**PROGRESS TTT CLUB**

The TTT club met with Mrs. Long last week, 12 members being present.

The club was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. G. Kennedy. Roll call was answered by "One way I will help my club in 1937."

The year books were filled out for the entire year and duties of officers were discussed.

Delicious refreshments of ginger bread and buttermilk were served.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. I. G. McNairy, Feb. 2.—Reporter.

**Nation's Shortest Highway**

The nation's shortest officially designated highway at Hutersville, Tex., was built at a cost of \$18,000.

The highway, which leads to the grave of Gen. Sam Houston, president of the Republic of Texas, is two blocks-and-19 feet long. It has the progressive number of Highway 219.

Buy it in Muleshoe.

**TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT**

Quarterly report of Helen Jones, County Treasurer of Bailey County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from Oct. 1, 1936 to December 31, 1936, inclusive.

**GENERAL FUND**

Balance last report	\$	1,462.41
To Amount received during Quarter		4,454.60
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	5,628.45	
Amount to Balance	418.56	
	5,947.01	5,947.01
Balance		418.56

**ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND**

Balance last report		4,234.46
To Amount received during Quarter		3,502.73
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	3,893.75	
Amount to Balance	3,833.44	
	7,272.19	7,272.19
Balance		3,833.44

**JURY FUND**

Balance last report		4,402.29
To Amount received during Quarter		1,444.21
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	2,613.00	
Amount to Balance	3,233.50	
	5,846.50	5,846.50
Balance		3,233.50

**ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 1 FUND**

Balance last report		253.06
To Amount received during Quarter		250.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	406.80	
Amount to Balance	926.26	
	503.06	503.06
Balance		96.26

**ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 2 FUND**

Balance last report		674.25
To Amount received during Quarter		113.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	671.86	
Amount to Balance	926.39	
	926.25	926.25
Balance		320.39

**ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 3 FUND**

Balance last report		528.19
To Amount received during Quarter		396.50
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	585.44	
Amount to Balance	279.65	
	805.00	805.00
Balance		279.65

**ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 4 FUND**

Balance last report		132.07
To Amount received during Quarter		209.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	84.96	
Amount to Balance	332.07	
	332.07	332.07
Balance		3

**IMPROVEMENT FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received during Quarter		
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	2,276.98	
Amount to Balance		
Balance		

**COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received since last Report		
Amount to Balance	4,865.15	
Balance		

**GENERAL, "SINKING" FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received during Quarter		
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	15.00	
Amount to Balance	1,203.43	
	1,218.43	
Balance		

**ROAD AND BRIDGE "SINKING" FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received during Quarter		
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	1,927.50	
Amount to Balance	3,145.98	
	5,073.48	
Balance		

**IMPROVEMENT "SINKING" FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received during Quarter		
Amount to Balance	2,695.75	
Balance		

**ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 "SINKING" FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received during Quarter		
Amount to Balance	2,612.92	
Balance		

**COURT HOUSE AND JAIL "SINKING" FUND**

Balance last report		
To Amount received since last Report		
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A,"	1,470.00	
Amount to Balance	1,304.30	
	2,774.30	
Balance		

**RECAPITULATION**

Jury Fund, Balance		
Road and Bridge Fund, Balance		
General County Fund, Balance		
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 1, Balance		
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 2, Balance		
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 3, Balance		
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 4, Balance		
Improvement Fund, Balance		
Court House and Jail Fund, Balance		
General Sinking Fund, Balance		
Road and Bridge Sinking Fund, Balance		
Improvement Sinking Fund, Balance		
Road District No. 1 Sinking Fund, Balance		
Court House and Jail Sinking Fund, Balance		
Prize Dog Fund, Balance		
Special Road Tax Fund		
Muleshoe and Morton Road Fund		

**THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BAILEY.** Before me, authority, on this day personally appeared Helen Jones, user of Bailey County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath within and foregoing report is true and correct.

HELEN JONES, C  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26th day of Jan (SEAL) J. J. WILLIAMS  
County Court, Bal.  
By C. W. McLaugh, Deputy.

**Poison in Plants**  
Poisons may be present in greater quantity in some parts of plants than in others, as in the case of Datura Stramonium or "jimson weed," the seeds of which are far deadlier than other parts of the plant.

**Tons of Barnacles Carried**  
Ocean vessels must go into dry-dock every six or eight months because of barnacles, 50 to 300 tons of the pests collecting on the hull every year. — Popular Mechanics Magazine.

**California's**  
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