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DEVASTATING HAIL ACCOMPANIED BY SHEETS OF RAIN FELL OVER THE MULESHOE AREA LAST MONDAY P. M.

Crops and Gardens, Damaged, Auto Tops Punctured, Fruit Knocked Off and Many Other Casualties.

Devastating hail hit Muleshoe and surrounding area last Monday afternoon doing thousands of dollars in damage to gardens, growing crops, buildings and automobile tops. In Muleshoe the hail fell for 20 minutes, much of the hailstones as large as guinea eggs and some as large as hen eggs. Several were measured, showing from one and three-quarters to two inches in diameter. It is reported the hailstones were even larger northwest of here, some reaching diameter of a baseball. Accompanying the large hail there was a much larger amount of smaller hail, marble size and even smaller.

In Muleshoe the ground was completely covered and with the hail there came down a heavy rainfall, totaling .88 inches here, according to the Government rain gauge. The total length of the storm was less than an hour; but that was sufficient time to completely cover many of the streets with sheets of water.

Some outlying roads were rendered practically impassable, many cars being stuck and having to be pulled out with teams. The highway to old Hurley, across the railroad track and north was practically impassable, cars having to be pulled out with teams. In some cases circled around that particular road to get farther north, that highway for more than two miles north running like a mountain arroyo, the lower part being fully two feet deep.

Bar ditches alongside roads ran like mill races while low places in various roads were inundated with water. Ponds and lakes were filled to overflowing. Gardens were devastated, ripening wheat crops laid low, innumerable leaves and smaller twigs from trees were knocked off, much growing fruit lay under the trees, and automobile tops were, in many instances which 16 holes were counted in its top.

A large number of window panes were knocked out of residences and from the rear of business houses, a total of 125 panes being broken in the Grammar school building. Plenty of roofs sprang leaks, and in some instances merchandise stocks had to be covered with tarps and lineoleum to protect them from the downpour.

Large numbers of farmers that morning had started planting cotton again in their field, replanting cotton and spring grain crops which had been washed out or covered too deeply for sprouting by recent previous rains. Most of this replanting will have to be done again. Many cotton farmers are worrying about their cash crops, since the season is getting so late for cotton planting and cotton seedlings are scarce, now selling from \$1.30 to \$2.00 per bushel, and much of it reported to be very poor germinating seed.

Heavy hail is reported at Sudan and Amberst southeast of here. Hail at Littlefield, still farther on down State Highway No. 7, a young flood is reported. South of Sudan there is said to have been heavy hail, while in Sudan a flat disc-like hail is said to have punctured car fenders and ridden some corrugated iron roofs.

The hail evidently embraced a strip of territory about six or seven miles wide and running from northwest to southeast. Three miles north of here no hail is reported. Six miles northeast hail was said to be light. Three and a half miles south of here was the southern hail damage limit.

There was also a rain here Thursday night of last week, about five miles north of here being accompanied by considerable hail which brought damage to wheat fields where crops were ripening. Several alfalfa farmers are reported to have cut down in their fields which was considerably damaged by the two hail falls.

BILL JAGGERS RECOVERING

Bill Jaggars who was shot four times while on the streets of Morton, May 25, is reported recovering nicely from his wounds.

W. S. Jones, alleged assailant, has been released on a \$2,500 bond. Jaggars is still in a Lubbock sanitarium.

NEW BUS LINE PROPOSED

The South Plains Coaches organization has made application for a bus route to be run between Littlefield, Littlefield, Brownfield, Bledsoe and out to Midland and Wink.

Mass weddings becoming popular all over China, are held every three months in Peiping.

1,028 Checks, Amounting To \$194,864.95 Received From Gov't in Bailey Co.

There has been a total of \$194,864.95 received in Bailey county by its farmers of Federal government funds in payment of the 1936 conservation program, according to figures released this week at the County Agent's office here.

This payment came in the form of 1,028 different checks to landlords and tenants, representing 640 distinct com-

pliances. Only a few applications for government participation remain unpaid at this date.

There have been about 650 work sheets signed by Bailey county farmers for 1937 participation in the government conservation program, though it is not known how many of these will be fully completed.

COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD SETS SPEED LIMIT OF 35 MILES PER HOUR FOR BUSES; A MONOXIDE GAS WARNING

That Bailey county officials are going to take direct measures toward protecting the lives of school pupils was the consensus of opinion expressed by members of the County School Board of Education at its last meeting here.

The Board passed an order requiring all trucks used in transportation of school children in this county should be equipped with a speed governor to be set and sealed so as to not permit the car to travel more than 35 miles per hour.

It also ordered that all such trucks using exhaust fumes for car heating purposes should see that all leaks of any kind are made perfectly tight to protect the pupils in the buses from the dangers of deadly monoxide gas. It was stated these two orders would

be rigidly enforced.

Muleshoe, Bula, Goodland and Stegal were classified as regular four year high schools, Circleback as a two year high school, the other grade pupils to be transferred to Sudan, Liberty, Progress, Fairview, Longview, Balleyboro, Watson, Wilson and West Camp were classified as seventh grade schools.

Parents or guardians of high school pupils in the above named districts should make application for transfers to the receiving schools of the respective school districts. It was stated, transportation being provided for only one receiving school, except Fairview, which has a working agreement with the Sudan school in Lamb county for those pupils of that district living in the extreme east section of the district.

PACIFIC AMERICA DECLARES WAR ON INVADING TRIBES OF VISIBLE AND ULTRAMICROSCOPICAL NATURE

This is a murder story; but it isn't a mystery murder. Plans for the crime are now being made throughout the county. Everybody knows about the imminent disaster that is about to sweep across the nation, and believe it or not, most everybody is rejoicing over the whole affair.

The scene for this wholesale slaughter that is about to take place is in almost everybody's garden.

With garden vegetables just beginning to show their heads in this section, Miss Eunice Florence, home management supervisor for the Resettlement administration, is warning all gardeners to stand guard against insects which annually infest gardens and which, unless destroyed, damage or completely destroy garden truck.

There are two distinct types of insects which invade and attack plants. They are commonly classified as the biting and the sucking insects. Biting insects are combated by applying poisonous chemicals to parts of the plants attacked so each insect will take some of the poison into its stomach

when it swallows the plant particles. The sucking insect is destroyed by physical contact with the poisonous chemicals, ordinarily applied to plants in dust or spray form.

The most commonly used control mixtures are Paris Green, Bordeaux mixture, and nicotine sulphate. These chemicals are among the most inexpensive ones and can be purchased at any drug store or seed store, with instructions for mixing.

Miss Florence warns gardeners about the use of Paris Green. She says it should not come in contact with anything which cannot be thoroughly washed or peeled before eating.

She says the Resettlement Administration is encouraging all borrowers to raise bigger and better gardens as a very definite step in rehabilitation and health. She also suggests that persons desiring to obtain complete information about methods of control for all plant insects and plant diseases write for bulletins now available from their State Extension Service, through their county agents or State Agricultural colleges.

\$41,000.00 IS SET UP FOR NO. 214 CALICHE BASE Needmore South Highway Work To Begin On June 14.

A work order has been received by officials of this county instructing beginning laying of caliche base on State highway 214 from Needmore to the south Bailey county line not later than June 14, according to County Judge M. G. Miller, who also says work will probably begin with not less than 40 men.

The work will be done under direction of the State Highway Department and WPA, Lubbock district, \$27,000 having been appropriated by the State and \$14,000 by WPA for completion of such work. The distance to be so improved is approximately 15 miles. It is understood that similar improvement is to soon be made on this same highway in Cochran county from its north line to Morton, county seat, here it will connect with State highway No. 24.

LAMB CO. READY FOR REA

Signature of users and survey of Lamb county for rural electricity service was completed last week and forwarded to REA officials at Washington.

The project calls for a total of 139.4 miles of line and accommodation to 348 signers.

CONGRESS SETS ASIDE \$10,000,000 FOR LAKE AND DAMS TO BE BUILT IN AREA OF GREAT PLAINS IN WEST

Congressman Marvin Jones Secures Approval Of U. S. Department For A Definite Appropriation To West.

The Cash Income Of Farmers Best This Year Since In 1930

Government experts who keep an eye on the farmer's purse as to its buying power have predicted that 1937 may set a new peak in agricultural recovery.

The economists based their forecast on these trends: Cash income of farmers the first part of this year has been the largest since 1930 and may approach \$4,000,000,000 for the first six months.

The ratio of prices received by farmers to prices which they must pay has been most favorable since 1925. Demand for farm products has kept step with the advancing pace of business and industry.

There probably are fewer persons on farms to share these advances. Experts on agriculture and population pointed out the number of persons on farm decreases when times are good and increases during a depression. More farm boys and girls leave for jobs in towns and cities when urban employment increases, they explained.

Gains in dollar volume of farm incomes are reported by monthly tabulations of the bureau of agricultural economics. It says cash farm income the first four months of 1937 at \$2,604,000,000 was 27 per cent, or \$554,000,000 above last year and was the highest since 1930.

Following a long congressional wrangle over a relief appropriation of \$1,500,000,000, a decisive vote has finally been obtained by the Washington legislative body, the important phase of the results being the appropriation of \$10,000,000 for the drought area of the Great Plains region, much of it to be spent in digressing ponds and building dams for water retention.

While the amendment for use of this ten million was not included in the finally passed measure, yet report has it that Congressman Marvin Jones, Amarillo, has the definite promise of Secretary Wallace and other leading officials that sum will be earmarked for the special purpose named.

Indications were, in fact, that the \$10,000,000 might be a minimum sum for dam and reservoir construction, and more funds might be forthcoming, if actually needed.

Announcement is also made by the Secretary of Agriculture that Roy I. Kimmel has been appointed director in charge of conservation work and expenditure of the appropriation sum, with headquarters to be established at Amarillo. He will act under direction of M. L. Wilson, assistant secretary, Washington. There will be 100 counties in Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas and New Mexico under Kimmel's direction.

Co. Aggr Force Is Working On Plans For 1938 Program

Members of the Bailey County Agricultural Conservation committee are working this week on recommendations for the 1938 program. These recommendations being submitted by the various counties individually at the request of Washington administrative officials, will be used with the view of developing a more practical program. It is another step toward building the farm program from its present conditions and having it handed down from a central office, according to W. C. Taylor, Bailey county farm agent.

Those in charge of the administration of present and former programs have always invited suggestions from the field on plans for shaping the programs. It is their purpose to modify the general plan to fit peculiar conditions and farming systems in various localities and thereby make a more workable program in all sections, Taylor said.

Western Drug Store Installs A Complete New Fountain Serv.

The Western drug store, this city, last week installed one of the nicest soda fountains ever coming to this section of the state. It is known as the "Liquid Carbide" fountain, 20 feet long and finished in beautiful two tone grey marble.

This new refreshing mechanism has double servitization with work boards at each end, 50 gallon cream capacity, running hot and cold water, both automatic refrigeration and lighting throughout. All syrups and drinkings water are kept at 36 degrees of coldness. There are 13 precision fountain pumps in the new fountain and receptacles for six different kinds of fruits for sundaes.

All glasses, dishes, etc., used for customer service are thoroughly sterilized before filled. All containers are of stainless steel, the entire fountain representing a model of sanitation and beauty, to be greatly appreciated by their customers.

SCOUT CAMPING STARTS JUNE 13

Approximately 100 Boy Scouts coming from Muleshoe and other towns of this section are expected to enjoy the benefits of camping at Post camp beginning June 13, according to Marshall Mason, camp chairman.

At least six scouts from Muleshoe are planning attendance, according to A. A. Alexander, who is anxious for as many possible of his scouts to enjoy the outing.

RACE TRACK BETTING NOW OFF

The State of Texas last Saturday rang down the curtain on pari-mutuel wagering in this state when the Senate passed the bill 18 to 13, having previously passed the House by large margins in the near future.

Gov. Allred expressed his great appreciation for the act.

Conoco Dealers Here Expect Profit From Big Tourist Season

Local merchants, and particularly the Conoco dealers are looking forward to substantial profit this summer, as a result of the largest tourist season in history, according to E. R. Wright, manager here for Continental Oil Company.

"Early summer requests received by the Conoco Travel Bureau for touring information indicate 1937 will surpass last year's travel business," he said. "Naturally all merchants will profit; but the Conoco dealers have an additional reason for optimism."

"Under Continental's new policy all of its products are sold through independent dealers—which means every Conoco dealer either owns or leases his station, is in business for himself. "Furthermore, Continental Oil Company is giving its dealers some cooperation. They are taking newspaper space to advertise the dealer's station as well as their own products."

GIRLS TRAINING SCHOOL

"Salads have a great deal of food value, furnishing us with minerals and vitamins," said Miss Alma Stewart, Bailey county home demonstration agent to a group of 4-H club sponsors and club girls at a training school held Saturday June 5 in Muleshoe. "Salads may be an economical dish, as much left over food may be used," said Miss Stewart.

"In making butter bread salad use two cups of butter beans, two small onions diced and radishes. Serve with cooked salad dressing."

Classes of salad dressing are: French dressing, used with crisp greens and vegetable salads; Cooked dressing, used with almost any kind of salad.

Mayonnaise dressing, used with almost any kind of salad but especially with egg, meat and fish. Delegates from Stegall, Watson and Circleback attended this school.—Reporter.

CONGRESSMAN MAHON ASKS FOR ROTC UNIT AT TECH COLLEGE

Congressman Mahon appeared last week before the Senate Appropriations Committee urging that funds and officers for an additional ROTC unit at Texas Technological College be provided.

Texas Tech was given a Senior Engineering ROTC unit last year. The War Department advised Mr. Mahon that Texas Tech application for such a unit was in excellent standing.

The Cameron well, seven miles south of Morton, in Cochran county is reported to have struck sulphur water at about 4800 feet, the water rising about 500 feet in the hole. Drillers consider it a favorable indication, since the Bob Slaughter well turned out a 600 barrel flow of water after striking sulphur water at about the same depth.

A 10,000 acre lease is being reported assembled about two miles north of Amberst, in Lamb county, for drilling wells to begin about August 1.

Facts, accompanied by rumors un-

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HARRY N. ROBERTS, FORMER STATE ASSISTANT ENGINEER, GIVES SOME DETAILS REGARDING REA PROJECTS

Since Bailey and many adjoining counties are now showing much interest in obtaining rural electrification under governmental provision, and many questions are now being asked regarding details of such provision, the following article by Harry N. Roberts, former assistant district state highway engineer and stationed at Muleshoe for nearly two years, will be of interest. Mr. Roberts is now representing several REA projects as engineer.

The Rural Electrification administration is an independent agency created by an act of Congress to carry out a ten year rural electrification program. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 1937, \$50,000,000 is available for the entire United States for this program. For each of the nine succeeding fiscal years \$40,000,000 is authorized to be

Holland and Switzerland, almost universal electrification is found, while in the United States only 10 percent of the farms are served with electricity and in Texas only about 2 percent. The above conditions maintain in spite of the fact that the standards of living generally in the United States are much higher than those abroad and the American farmers should share in the relative American prosperity and high standards of living.

In the early part of 1937 Representative Tarwater of Plainview introduced a bill allowing the formation in the state of Texas of non-profit, stock corporations for the purpose of obtaining loans from REA.

The first step in organization is the selection of a temporary committee in any area contemplating making an application for the purpose of temporary organization. The county has been taken as a unit and this has been divided into school districts with a representative selected from each school district. These representatives secure assistants to help in getting the survey blanks signed, preferably for every house in the county. The location is then spotted on a county map and a preliminary layout is made. This layout is sent to Washington together with the survey blank for checking by the REA engineers. If they believe that the project will be a self-sustaining one, an allotment will be made and permission given by REA to organize a legal corporation. After this legal corporation has been perfected and the proceeding approved by REA, revenue bonds are then issued in the amount necessary for the construction of the project. These revenue bonds are only a lien on the revenues from the project, and the directors are not personally liable for mortgages in this connection. The board of directors of the organization on negotiate contract for wholesale power from the nearest supplier of same, and also set up rates for the retaining of this power. The board of directors also adopt a wiring code, appoint a manager, an inspector and other necessary employees. The house wiring is done by each individual as he may see fit, but it must conform to the wiring code for district, and be approved by the inspector for the district before connection can be made with the discharging lines.

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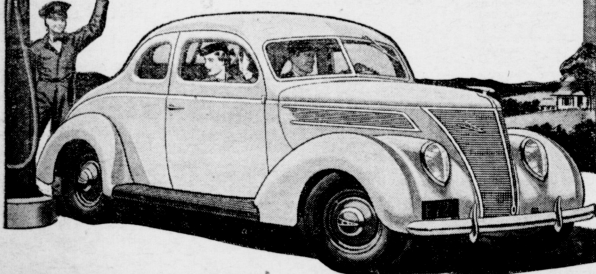
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FECUNDITY AND DISEASE DANGER OF FLIES DEMANDS PROMPT DESTRUCTION SAYS THE COUNTY HOME SUPERVISOR

The season has arrived in this section of Texas for the swarming of flies, according to Miss Eunice Florence, assistant home supervisor for Bailey county, who says that early swarming of these pestiferous little insects is highly important, especially in consideration of the fact that every female fly lays 120 eggs at a time and a generation is produced every twelve day—everyone of them intent on spreading disease of some kind.

Continuing her warning, Miss Florence said:

"For their size flies probably carry more filth than any other living thing. Their cup shaped feet and hairy legs bring filth to your home and table, if they can get in. They bring filth from the dirtiest places on your lot or your neighbor's lot.

"The kind of bacteria the fly brings depends on where he has been. Flies carry all kinds of disease germs—tuberculosis, salmonella, typhoid, infection of the skin, pink eye, cholera, dysentery, etc."

"What to do about flies? Screens—more screens, better screens. Small mesh screens. Screens which fit, screens which close tight and stay tight. Screens without sags, rips or rents—screens that absolutely keep flies out of the house. Of course there are fly-traps and fly paper, preventives, sprays, and the like. But in my opinion they can get in. They bring filth from the dirtiest places on your lot or your neighbor's lot.

"The mesh screen should be not larger than 16; 18 mesh would be better. Screens should cover the whole window, always on the outside. All porches, both front and back, should be securely screened. The porch should

an abundance of water should be given. Gallinias should not be given except on the advice of a physician. If the diarrhea does not improve within a short time, a physician should be called and a complete examination should be made.

The three P's, flies, fingers and food are the three sources of danger to the baby. Flies carry disease germs to the baby and to its food. Fingers and hands that are not thoroughly washed before preparing the baby's food are likely to be germ carriers also. All milk and water that is intended for the baby should be boiled for five minutes, then carefully covered and kept in a cool place until used.

State Doctor Gives Warning Against All Disease Of Summer

Austin, June 8.—The season of the year when the most complaints are received on account of diarrhea and dysentery or "summer complaint" is here. The Texas State Department of Health has issued a warning to parents in regard to this, and offers the following suggestions to prevent its occurrence among babies. The chief causes of diarrhea include impure milk, water and contaminated foods, overeating fever from any cause, too much sugar or cream in the diet, overfeeding and underfeeding.

Mother's milk is the safest food. However, if other milk must be used, the supply should be clean and pure. The water should be clean, pure and boiled. Any other articles of food should be fresh and clean and no unsuitable articles of food such as cake and candy should be given.

If a feeding formula is used, it should be one prescribed by a physician and it must be prepared with extreme attention to cleanliness and kept cool until used. The baby should be fed at regular intervals and should not be forced to eat when he is not hungry. The baby should be kept cool and comfortable in hot weather, should not be overclothed and should be given plenty of clean water to drink. Any infections which develop in the nose, throat, ears or other organs should receive prompt attention from a physician.

If diarrhea develops, feedings should be stopped or greatly diminished and

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be boarded up at least one foot from the floor in order to prevent small animals from scratching holes in the wire or children from knocking holes. All chimneys should be covered by screens."

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CIRCLEBACK 4-H CLUB

The girls Jr. 4-H club met June 3 with the sponsor Mrs. Patton. After a few minutes of recreation, a short business meeting was held. A program was made for Achievement day, June 15 and invitations were mailed.

Members present were: Wanda Sue Wells, Doris Cox, Ellen Black and Willie Jean Patton. One visitor, Mrs. Clayton Wells—Reporter.

Ruby Weighs 253 Carats
The Timour ruby, originally an Oriental gem, but now among the crown jewels of England, weighs 322 carats.

Romans Built Mine Shafts
Some of the shafts and corridors in the "iron mountain" mines in Austria were made by the ancient Romans and have been in continuous use since.

Goodland News

Rains of the past 10 days falling in this section will be a great boon to crops. While many farmers will have to replant, some who planted early are spared that expense and young crops are flourishing.

Winifred Carter's mother from Central Texas is here visiting Mrs. Carter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baccus, who also recent visitors here.

There was a good delegation of people from here, who attended the closing exercises of Maple school.

Relatives from Central Texas were recent guests in the J. A. Newman home. Mrs. Amy Bennett and daughter Patsy are attending summer school at W. T. S. T. C. Canyon.

J. P. Tarkenton is driving a new Chevrolet. Mr. and Mrs. Gean Draper have moved to Southland.

Baker Johnson had the misfortune to badly sprain his ankle a few days ago when he stepped from out the blacksmith shop.—Reporter.

The best abdominal contains 70 to 80 per cent alcohol.

W. T. C. C. HEAD IS FOR FIESTA



"We are enthusiastically for the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta," Judge Milburn McCarty of Eastland, new president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, is telling Mrs. James F. Pollock, wife of the Frontier Fiesta general manager, at the recent Fiesta dinner in West Worth attended by civic leaders of the state, largely from Fort Texas. The W. T. C. C. Building at the Fort Worth exposition, opening June 26, will feature the exhibits of 180 West Texas cities.

Miss Willis, A June Bride-To-Be Honored With A Gift Shower

Tuesday afternoon of this week, Mrs. Clyde Holt of Morton and Miss Mary Holt, of Muleshoe, entertained with a miscellaneous bridal shower, in the home of Mrs. H. C. Holt, in honor of Miss Irma Willis, whose approaching nuptials with Mr. Fere Little will take place June 18th.

When the guest of honor entered, she was greeted with an elaborate display of gifts, which overflowed the tables in the reception room, extending into an adjoining room, there to be displayed on every conceivable article of furniture. Gifts of silver, linen, china, pottery, crystal and electric light their beauty and elegance to the scene. The entertaining rooms were decorated with pink roses, carrying out the June bride effect. Guests were asked to register, giving their favorite recipes after viewing the gifts, they were escorted to the lace draped dining table, centered with a cut glass punch bowl, presided over by Mrs. Horace Holt, of Circleback and Mrs. H. C. Holt, where each guest was served with ice cold fruit punch and wafers.

Those attending were: Mesdames A. E. Lewis, S. R. Little, W. C. Cox, Clarence Goin, Joe Damon, Ray Griffiths, Jess Osborn, J. H. Mothermal, Roy Jordan, Lois Lenau, Faye Smith, C. R. Stevens, A. W. Coker, C. C. Mardis, E. R. Wright, Arnold Morris, H. H. Carlie, Buford Butts, Deina McCarty, Aetha Paul, R. B. Boyle, C. F. Moeller, Elmer M. Walker, Mills Barfield, S. C. Beavers, Roy Bayless, J. L. Alsop, T. C. Gilbreath, T. L. Glascock, Gladys McWilliams, Lind Taylor, Opal Boothe, A. P. Stone, Dora McCarty, Irvin St. Clair, Sylvia Wilmon, Bette Burckhead, A. Douglas, F. B. Pierson, Glenn Stevens, Morris Douglas, C. R. Farrell, J. J. Deshaio, W. C. Taylor, Juanita Garrett, Inez F. Bobo, Mary Davis, K. K. Smith, Jess Mitchell, Horace Holt, Clyde Holt, H. C. Holt, Misses Eva Harper, Zoe McReynolds, Margaret Ann Cook, Marie Finley, Geraldine Robbins, Mildred Miller, Adelia Beavers, Juno Glascock, Ruth Gilbreath, Polly Glascock, Dora Williams, Florence Etme, Dora Nell McCarty, Crystal Kennedy, Wanda Farrell, Mildred Davis, Elizabeth Harden, Tidwell Douglas, Ruby Sterling, Neva Douglas, Alma Stewart, Eunice Griffiths, Mary Holt, Margaret Guinn, Helen Holt, Mary Frances Jordan, Betty Jo Jordan, Mary Sue Osborne, Barbara Mae Morris, Theresa Pierson. Those sending gifts who were unable to attend: Mesdames Margaret Robinson, R. J. Klump, R. L. Faulkner, T. L. Esser, James St. Clair, Morton, D. W. Winn, J. C. Shadd, Connie Gupton, Hugh

Neely, Littlefield, H. Sterling, E. R. Hart, A. H. Isaacs, I. W. Harden, Cecil Tate, B. Adams, Will Harper, M. S. Stidham, Peggy Rockett, A. A. Alexander, W. A. Mathis, Misses Lorena Spence, Hazel Nelson, Rose Shadd, Adelle Sterling, Lola Lipscomb, Evelyn Jennings, Addie Belle Fort, Lumbok, Naomi Harper and Mr. Irvin St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Winn Jr., Given A Wedding Shower

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Winn Jr., were entertained with a surprise matrimonial wedding shower at the Baptist church annex by L. S. Barron, Mrs. Jim Cook and Mrs. Alex Paul.

The newly married couple had the surprise of their lives when they found out the shower was given in honor of them. A large group of guests attended and the honorees received many love and useful gifts from their friends in Muleshoe in token of the high respect in which they are held by them. Among the many gifts was a beautiful 32-piece set of dishes.

Delicious refreshments of punch and cookies were served by the host and hostesses, assisted by Misses Margaret Ann Cook, Florence Stone and LaVaughan Brooks.

A life book of the newly weds had been made and was passed around to the guests to view. It contained sketches of times from when their courtship first started up until now. Among those who attended were Lamar Witte, Dorothy Mae Carr, Eunice Griffiths, Bert Renfrow, George Woods, Naomi Harper, David Border, Hazel Nelson, Lester Garth, Betty to Jordan, R. E. Williams, Margaret Ann Cook, Helen Jones, Virginia Ruth Peterson, Alvin Farrell, Houston Hart, Frances Boder, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burkhead, Florence Stone, Mrs. W. C. Cox, Mrs. Tye Young, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coker, and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks Jr., Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Border, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Winn, Jr., Mrs. L. S. Barron, Mrs. A. P. Stone, LaVaughan Brooks, Mrs. Ray Griffiths, Mrs. E. R. Hart, Mrs. Will Harper, the host, L. S. Barron and the hostesses, Mesdames Jim Cook and Alex Paul.

Several who did not attend sent gifts. Immediately following the shower, several in the group gave the newly married couple another exciting surprise by tossing the groom, clothes and all, in the local swimming pool for an ice cold free swim.

Habit of Game Birds
Many types of game birds continue laying eggs during the breeding season until one sexual has been successfully hatched.

Roads

By GRACE D. GOODRIDGE
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THE only reason Little Jim was glad when it came time for the beds to be made up in the car was because Dad had more time to say "pieces" for the time. He had one best about the roads and homes, especially the lines.

"I never have seen a vagabond who really liked to roam."

"All up and down the streets of the world and not to have a home."

and he would be quietly in his cot and think how like that vagabond he was. He could dimly remember that once he had lived in a real house; it was before mother died and there had been chickens and a little brown dog, but that had been only a very little while. Since then there had been just roads, always the roads that never led to a home for Dad and him.

Sometimes when Dad stopped to trade with the farmers' wives, some woman would look kindly at little Jim and say to Dad: "Is that your little Jim?" and Dad would reply with such pride, "Yes, Ma'am; I don't believe I could get on at all without him," and perhaps the woman would say, "Well, it's pretty nice to have him with you, of course, but he should be in school," and then Dad would laugh his jolly laugh and tell her that traveling gave her one a good education.

Often he saw children scampering home from school at night and his throat had a queer ache. Of course it was fine being with Dad all the time, and there were days when the car rolled along so steadily, and the country about the car was so soft and warm; when people were kind and business was good and Dad sang in his rollicking voice. But those nights he always waiting, and then the longing for a place where they could just stay for a time became more acute.

Then came a wet, cold spring, when for days they drove through a chilling rain. Business was bad and Dad forgot to sing, and even the horses he saw at night didn't sound the same, and Little Jim tried in vain to make himself warm in the damp bedding.

It was the third week of such weather, and one morning Little Jim tried to get out of bed as usual, but his body ached so badly he fell back into bed. He tried to get up, but when he shut his eyes they burned so he was glad to open them again. Then, all at once, the inside of the car seemed to turn into a little house with a warm, white bed just inside the door. He tried hard to reach it, but Dad's voice, with a queer sound in it, was saying over and over again, "Little Jim! Little Jim! Speak to me!" He tried to speak, but his throat felt too thick and sore. Then he felt himself being wrapped up in many blankets and fastened secure in the seat beside Dad, but he never moving faster than he ever remembered moving before.

An hour later, Big Jim rushed into a hospital with his little son in his arms. Little Jim found himself in a clean, white room, where his aching head and his aching feet were turned into a little house with a soft bed. He heard a dim sound of voices, then drifted into a land where suffering and home were strangely mixed.

There were times after that when he came back to the white room and tried to tell him of the little house and the dog and chickens; but, somehow, if only seemed to make his feet ache, so he had to just lie there and looked at Dad as though he could never look enough.

Then came a day when he was back in the white room to stay and the pain and the homes both were gone. Dad couldn't stay with him for so much longer, so old Little Jim that the farmers' wives would want new dishes to use and that he and Little Jim needed their money. Although he missed Dad terribly he thought of the time when he would have only the car for a home again, and often the tears slid softly down on the pillow.

At last they said he could go away from the hospital. Dad came for him early and the doctors and nurses patted him and kissed him good-by and Dad carried him to the car. Somehow the car looked different, but he didn't have much time to look at it, for Dad lifted him to the seat and made so many jokes he laughed until his sides ached. They drove quite a distance out of the town and up a long hill, and right on the top of the hill was a little white house and Dad drove in the yard and lifted him out. Then Dad unlocked the door and led him in and asked him how he liked it because that was where they were going to live. There was even a brown dog who leaped about him and licked his hands.

For a long moment Little Jim looked at Dad and Dad looked back so pleased and happy, though tears were thick in his eyes; then Little Jim said very softly, in an awestruck voice, "Why, Dad, it's a home!"

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THROUGH A Woman's Eyes

By JEAN NEWTON
KEEP AWAY WHEN YOUR FRIENDS FIGHT

DEAR JEAN NEWTON: World of all the thankless jobs in that of the most ill-requited is trying to patch up a quarrel between friends.

"Recently two of my friends had a 'falling out.' They were older friends to each other than I was to either of them. In fact it was through one of them that I met the other. I knew they were really fond of each other and felt it was a pity to let a petty grievance break up their friendship. And since we used to go out in a little group it made things awkward all round."

"So I did my best to patch things up. It wasn't easy, since both then had a chance to make me a depository for her grievances against the other, and I had a hard time remaining neutral. However I finally did get them together again by telling one when the other was ill, slightly exaggerating the illness, of course, and so compelling her to take the first step.

"Now—are they grateful to me? No. They are as close together as peas in a pod, but both have shut me out. And since I have just heard of a similar experience on the part of a woman I know, I think it is safe to warn your readers to keep out of other people's quarrels. Perhaps too, you can explain why this should be so."

Ah—what you dear reader. Your experience is an excellent reminder for all of us that in many fights it is the innocent bystander who gets hurt. And the would-be peacemaker? He is almost always annihilated!

To explain why? Page Solomon! One reason, however, may be found in your remark that both parties to the quarrel took occasion to unburden themselves to you. It is highly probable that both said much more than they should have said—and now that they are friends again, are you not the painful reminder of their indiscretion?

An old Irish proverb says, "Better come at the end of a fast than at the beginning of a quarrel."

SNAP SHOTS

Wonder if it would be proper to say that these new sit-down strikes are among the "stern" realities of life?

America has no crime can't all the other countries; but she didn't raise all the criminals.

Some men wake up to find themselves famous; others stay awake all night to discover themselves infamous. Matrimonial bonds are like the other kind in one respect—they're not worth much unless the interest is kept up.

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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if It Fails

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Jesus saith unto him, Thomas, because thou hast seen me, thou hast believed; blessed are they that have not seen, and yet have believed.—John 20:29.

Nothing is so easy as to deceive one's self; for what we wish, that we readily believe.—Demosthenes.

IT'S YOUR DOLLAR

Economics is a peculiar science that often gets people twisted, sometimes making them feel quite wealthy because they have several dollars, when they may really be bordering on financial straits.

A dollar is supposed to be worth 100 cents; but it seldom is. There have been a few times when it was worth a few pennies over the 100; but mostly it is supposed to be worth about 69 pennies. A dollar bill nor a silver dollar doesn't seem to pay anything definite. It represents value only in proportion to the confidence people have in it, and it is actually worth no more than it will bring one as a commodity exchange.

If one can get more commodities for a dollar, then it is a valuable dollar. If they get less, their money has less value. The law of Supply and Demand always holds good regardless of any "shots in the arm" it may be given by anyone in authority. No government can really control the value of a dollar, only by killing off people or by putting a monopoly on commodities. We've been trying that for several years now in this country; but still don't see much definite result, simply because folks are still being born to replace those who die.

A dollar is worth more in some places than it is in others. It is invariably worth more in a small town than in a large city; largely because prices of commodities in the smaller places don't contain so much "overhead" such as rent, taxes, depreciation, and other expenses incidental to the conduct of business. Even in large cities there is a variation in a dollar's value. A dollar will invariably buy more on the Bowery than on Park avenue, New York City. One can buy more vegetables for a dollar from a huckster than they can from a located merchant. Small stores generally sell given articles cheaper than do the big department stores.

Swank controls lots of prices, and prices determine the real value of one's dollar. Egotism always inflates commodity values and depreciates dollar.

JOE GISH
BEER BEER
FASHION REPORTS SAY DESIGNERS AIM TO MAKE FEMININE WAIST LINES DISAPPEAR—BUT I'LL BET THE FELLEAS ARGUE—HERE WILL FIND THEM.

Purchasing power. Lots of people will go from small towns to larger ones and pay more for a given commodity or even more for one of less inherent value just because of their vanity. Swank is a catering to the sense of superiority and often has no real asset. When people insist upon enjoying innumerable things not absolutely essential to our modern civilization, they are catering to a sense of vanity for which they must pay in dollars and cents.

If one can remember back as far as 1929, it will be recalled that everyone was supposed to have been in good financial conditions. We called it a "boom year." Statistics say 71 per cent of Americans earned less than \$2,000 a year and nearly six million families earned less than \$1,000 a year. However, it is not so important how much they actually earned as it is how much those earnings brought them when spent. Let it be recalled that commodity prices were also high in those days, and it will be remembered that high incomes plus high prices does not mean high purchasing power, but the opposite. The purchasing power of a dollar always remains in proportion to commodity values.

We frequently buy of our high plane of living in this country, when in many instances we should be ashamed of some degree of it. Fortunately there are still many American families who still reside in the realm of reason and common sense. Right now this nation is facing the inflated dollar and the purchasing price of that national financial unit is being considerably reduced because commodity prices are going higher, and big incomes plus high prices never did and never can equal prosperity. It's rank nonsense to even think so.

Seeming prosperity is quite different from the real article, though many are hoodwinked through the similarity, just like lots of people can't tell a real diamond from cut glass. High wages produce little increase in buying power, because they are invariably accompanied by increased prices of things which are spent in the realm of reason and common sense. Right now this nation is facing the inflated dollar and the purchasing price of that national financial unit is being considerably reduced because commodity prices are going higher, and big incomes plus high prices never did and never can equal prosperity. It's rank nonsense to even think so.

Right now strikes for higher wages are going on all over this country and in some instances they are successful. They will probably be granted in many more instances; but when wages are raised artificially prices invariably accompany the hike. Business, whether big or little, doesn't absorb the difference. It is passed on to the consumer in increased taxes, increased freight, increased wages—increased overhead of all kinds is passed on to the buyers and the purchasing power of their dollar is relatively decreased.

In reality, technological improvement or mass production of any given commodity is the principal item that cheapens it without cheapening the dollar and gives it more purchasing power. An inflated basis of wealth can never be a stable one. Economic upturns are only temporary, our New Deal policies have been changing for the less of any socialist tendencies, communism or fascism, no nation can ever get away from the incontrovertible and profitable law of Supply and Demand. To even try it is another frenzy in high finance and will crumble again as it has always done in the past. Fundamentals of our system of government have been changing for the past five or six years and will probably continue changing; but the basic principle of barter are as inescapable as the laws of the ancient Medes and Persians.

Maybe the Good Samaritan of Bible lore did need fine work because a lot of curiosity seekers didn't crowd around to tell him what to do and how to do it.

CENTER PARKING

Parking of vehicles, especially automobiles, is invariably a problem in a small, but growing town like Muleshoe. Other and larger towns are having similar difficulties with car parkers. Every town ever known wants to furnish every convenient accommodation to its visitors and patrons possible; but there come times, especially on certain days, when parking becomes a real problem and then the established parking rules are frequently violated by people who cannot appreciate the rights of others.

Surely that the public generally is always a prime requisite in the moving or standing of vehicles. The law says the pedestrian always has the right-of-way; yet there are innumerable times when such right is flagrantly disregarded. Also, people often park their cars with utter disregard for the rights of others who must use the same highway or city street.

On especially busy days in Muleshoe double and even sometimes triple parking on Main street is indulged in to the discomfort and danger of other car drivers. Frequently it is practically and sometimes absolutely impossible for a driver to get past some car or cars which have deliberately presented the highway as effectively blocking it against all traffic.

Clearly, double parking on Main street in Muleshoe is not only a nuisance, but frequently dangerous, and there should be an ordinance prohibiting such. There are bus lines passing through this town and the drivers have a habit of deliberately stopping their buses behind cars parked at the curb. Frequently some of these car-owners desire to back out and leave, and are stopped because of such bus impediment, such stopping of buses should not be allowed.

The Journal readily grants there are certain courtesy concessions which should be allowed the traffic, such as permitting a customer to drive up to a store and hastily load his purchases or receive some member of the party who has been trading. On the other hand, long-bodied trucks and trucks or cars with trailers should absolutely be prohibited from parking on the main thoroughfare.

Much convenience could be furnished patrons and customers if a bus line would park their cars to the rear of their business places or on some side street. To say the least, it would be a courtesy they owe the public in general.

The Journal has more than once called attention to this delinquency of car parking rules, and in the interest of the community, would like to see an ordinance of reasonable compulsion passed. There have been plenty of accidents, near accidents and inconveniences during the past to warrant such action. No one knows when some serious accident may occur because of the promiscuous, helter-skelter parking going on here. It is not impossible that the City may some time face a serious lawsuit for damages because of not having such protecting ordinance and enforcing state highway laws. It is certainly a matter that demands prompt attention.

THE FEE SYSTEM

What is had for a State is sometimes good for a people, and vice versa. August 23 of the constitutional amendments citizens of Texas will be called to pass upon with their ballots will be for or against the Fee system, state officials declaring the present salary system voted for last year is costing Texas around 70 per cent more than did the old Fee system. While considerably less than one-third the counties of this state are operating under the salary system, yet it is insisted these said counties are costing the state considerably more per annum than they did under the previous fee system. Perhaps it is a case of what the people paid for directly in these less than 100 counties they are now paying for indirectly.

It is being argued that under the former fee system officials never failed to collect from clients for accessions of cases, while under the salary system some costs go neglected while the state continues paying official salaries without citizen contribution for such payment. Some counties, it is insisted, have major officials who allow underlings to do their work, since precinct officials still operate under the fee system, while these high-ups sit back enjoying their honored positions and drawing their salaries just the same.

On the other hand, the fee system had its violations and inequities. Sometimes exorbitant fees were attached to cases, not infrequently cases were made out largely because of the fees that would become attached. Minor cases were said to be more common because of fees that would be attached, and there have been cases where legal fees were not reported at all and the

"Will We Get Jobs?" Cries American Youth

Plenty of Jobs, If You Look For Them, Says Writer

WHAT does the future hold for today's younger generation? "This," says Dorothy Thompson, noted journalist in her own right, and wife of the famous novelist, Sinclair Lewis, "is the question which is frequently put to me by young people."

Miss Thompson who contributes the pungent syndicated daily column "On The Record," and is author of several books on recent aspects of Europe and its great leaders, will discuss the outlook for current youth when speaking as a guest on the "Heinz Magazine of the Air" over Columbia's network, the morning of May 10th.

"The other day I was speaking at the University, and a young man asked me about twenty years of age," said Miss Thompson. "He was handsome, well built, athletic and full of life, and full of health and energy. In the course of the interview he asked me: 'What is the future? So many people say there is nothing ahead of us.' He replied by asking him a question: 'Do you think that the United States has a future?'"

"That is my answer for the younger generation. If America has a future you have a future. You cannot exist without it, but what is more important, it cannot exist without you. By and by, the rest of us will be dead, as you will be."

"But will we get jobs?" queried the youth. "I do not know," replied Miss Thompson. "If you want someone to look you over in a bank and guarantee your life in retirement, I should suggest not. If it's a job you want, all you have to do is go out and open your eyes and look at the things that are crying to be done. If you're hard to starve to death in this world, if you have good health, some brains, and if



Dorothy Thompson

your pride is in yourself and not in some office that you hold.

"The world is ruled by men today who haven't your chance; men who shooed horses, taught school, worked as common laborers, edited small newspapers with no circulation, lived from hand to mouth. There never was a time in history when the whole world was so crying for men of skill and brains and character, to take responsibility, to unravel problems, to rebuild what has been badly done," declared Miss Thompson.

Miss Thompson has made the top flight as a journalist within the last five years and her radio voice and dynamic personality is known to millions. She was born in a parsonage in Lancaster, N.Y., the daughter of a Methodist minister. She attended Lewis Institute in Chicago and was graduated from Syracuse University in 1914. She started her journalistic career in Europe as a roving reporter where she encountered adventure, tragedy and strife.

State lost its share of the income. Some recent changes, modifications and requirements had not been fully proven as to virtue. Perhaps higher officials have not yet exercised full powers in running the fee system. There are several angles to this proposed amendment which voters should seriously consider before casting their ballots August 23.

ANOTHER CRUSADE

The action of the women of Virginia in sounding the alarm against freedom against unrightly billboards along motor highways and at strategic points in organized municipalities gives promise of developing into a great national crusade, and before the summer is over one need not be surprised to find the women of Muleshoe enlisted in this fight.

In fact, some of them have already lined up against some billboards located in undesirable places in this town. Billboards are located upon by many business concerns as a kind of "street," since the intrinsic value of the advertising they carry is being questioned more and more each year. Located on vacant lots in a town close to residential property they are undesirable because of the nature of their structure the close proximity and the damming of landscape vision.

On highways they mar the natural beauty and frequently set up hazards because auto drivers while having their attention directed to them sometimes fail to watch the road ahead and an accident results.

The Virginia legislature is giving heed to the request of the humanitarian women of civic pride, and every legislator and civic government should also consider this form of advertising which is more and more being branded as a "menace."

LAND OF OPPORTUNITY

It's not unusual to hear the groaning Muleshoe boy complain of lack of opportunity in this country, and that a fellow has to have money or "pull" to get on in the world. Parents of boys who make such statements now have an excellent chance to disabuse their minds of such beliefs.

stick by that receive. He started in as an errand boy, earning just enough each week to pay for his board and clothes. He spent his leisure hours reading in free night schools and studying in free libraries. Today he is at the top.

America is still the land of opportunity, and its latest evidence of this fact should be pointed out to every boy who feels that it's not. There is still a chance for success awaiting any boy who is honestly determined to work for it, and willing to put the best of his life in whatever he sets out to do. But each must work out his own problems. Success is to be gained in no other way. There is always room in America for more Knudens.

Jauity Journalettes

Some Muleshoe men stay at home at nights principally because they can have the house to themselves.

Middle-age is the period in a Muleshoe man's life when he can look both ways without seeing much.

Another excellent time for Muleshoe folks is to go to Clovis at night, meet another car and guess which headlight is out.

Muleshoe parents should never teach their children to be good unless they are willing to act them a few examples.

It is said Muleshoe men sometimes marry so they will have some one to tell their troubles to, and some of them have plenty to talk about.

It has been suggested that the best place for most Muleshoe men to find their money so their wives won't hide it is in the basket of their undarned socks.

Plenty of Muleshoe men never have to worry much about their summer vacation. The General Motors Corporation tells them when they can and their wife tells them where they are going.

Pavement Pickups

Speaking of the value of co-operation, Ray Moore says "The Siamese twins would never have been heard of if they had not stuck together."

L. R. Hart suggests the principal difference between death and taxes is that death doesn't get worse every time the legislature meets.

"Lots of men have been trying to discover perpetual motion," says Dad Fry; "but it remained for the WPA to invent petrified motion."

Miss Eunice Flowers, local government sustenance assistant, confesses she often wonders whose folks get their vitamins before they were advertised.

Curtis Taylor, acknowledged spokesman for the local American Legion, opines some generals who are covered with medals were never covered with guns.

Charley Stood suggests the principal difference between a rut and a grave is the depth, and adds, "some living folks get in awful deep ruts and don't know it."

It is being freely predicted by farmers around here that Old Tuck has become so expert in forecasting rain he has lost the art of hindcasting, or less his influence with Jupiter Pluvius to desist the downfall in ill.

Cecil McLauray says, "Judging from the fine crop of June brides that I being harvested all over this Plains area, according to newspaper reports, prosperity for this section must really be just around the corner."

Bud Myers says, "The coming isn't starting off too well for him this spring. Bud wanted a boy and his wife presented him with a girl. He was counting on a better calf and last Sunday old Bossie gave him a bull infant. However, Bud thinks his sweet potatoes are going to turn out alright."

It is reported a Muleshoe woman recently went to a hospital to have one end of her anatomy operated on and the surgeon cut out a couple little chinks from the entirely opposite end to relieve her of difficulty. The Journal would be glad to entertain a spoonful diagnosis as many other women of this burg have their curiosity inflated almost to the bursting point.

John Wallace, irrigation farmer who because of recent copious rains, plugged his well for the next two years, declares folks just can't have the same ideas. Here is Roosevelt asking for a 30 hour work week and us farmers in West Texas wishing for a 2 hour week so we can get our cr planted before Thanksgiving is around.

It is reported a Muleshoe man who shall be nameless, came home the other night from attending the Pioneer celebration held at Clovis. While humming the strains of "Sweet Adeline" he tried to fit his key into the lock of the front door when some one opened a nearby window and hollered at him: "Get away, you fool. You're trying to get into the wrong house." "Fool yourself," the man replied, "you're looking out of the wrong window."

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WEEKLY LAY SERMON
SANCTUARY SAVING SERVICE

By JESS MITCHELL

Ask a hundred men for their individual definition of the Church and perhaps two would give exactly the same answer while many of them would be quite varied and divergent in their replies. One man might say it is a convention of hypocrites; another a group of people who feel themselves better than others; another, a place of gossip and bickering; or where the coyote disposition of some people seek to devour others. Some would insist it is a place for the cultivation of superstition and carrying on of antiquated ideas; others that it is where Dame Fashion sets off her display; others, an art gallery for the display of beautiful stained windows and appealing frescoes; others, a place of music warbling in protochival display; while still others would declare it a place for theological wrangles and ecclesiastical controversies of little value to anyone whether religious or irreligious in their nature.

Whatever a church is may be quite different from what the Church is supposed to be, for it should be a place of practical, Omnipotent help. It should be a place that yields rest to the body, edification to the mind and inspiration to the soul. It should be a magnet drawing from all homes towards its sacred center and electrifying all attending members of those families with its revivifying influences. It was indeed an act worthy of Omnipotent wisdom that the Sabbath was thrust in between the other six days of the week, for folks get terribly jostled about, abused, exasperated and worn in body, mind and soul during the work days, and have a mighty need for this seventh day of rest, recuperation and rehabilitation of all their faculties to adequately be able to face it again another week. Innumerable folks remain at home now days with newspapers, magazine and slippers because churches of various denominations do not supply these needs.

Nearly everyone likes music, though some of them can't carry a tune in a basket, and the best music available should form an integral part of every church service. Some people, even some preachers, insist upon displaying their vocal proclivities in public much to the embarrassment and discomfort of others. They may be "practicing for heaven," as one good soul once told me; but turning on such raucous out-of-tuned voices is more likely to send them and their associates to hell. It's well enough to do plenty of practicing

here on earth if one expects to take part in the heavenly choruses and cantatas; but a talent for harmony rather than conglomeration noise is a first essential for membership in celestial choirs.

All churches need more of the artistic, musical expression of human voices. Many a simple song well sung has meant more to human souls than the most finely spun sermon with its flights of oratory, its metaphors and similes. Most people are not worshippers of noise any more than they are appreciators of theological perfume. I believe everyone should sing who can sing at church, and I also believe those who cannot will get more blessing and add much to the success of the service if they quietly enjoy the real melody expressed by those capable of uttering it. Too much emphasis can not be placed upon the value of good music in any worship.

Every sanctuary service should be helpful in the sermon that is delivered. Everyone of a thousand people who cannot wish need sympathetic help; though many do not expect it when going and are not disappointed in such anticipation, hence plenty of people attend church for other reasons. Young people with their zip and buoyancy need inspiration as much as old folks with their rheumatism and age. Everyone has a heartache that needs to be alleviated. Doctors, lawyers, merchants, mechanics, farmers and laborers of every kind don't care so much about the abstractions of religion as they believe those who create poultice of practical enthusiastic mental relief and spiritual invigoration. They want the fever of this old sinful world cast assed and their souls recuperated.

People will not go to church now days as a matter of duty. The comparatively few who attend divine worship these days do so because they want to, and the great majority who do not go to church do so because they don't want to. Multiplied thousands of people all over this land of ours today have lost all sense of the need of religion, and the churches might as well be cast about for the reason, I am constrained to believe it comes more from an organization than it does from the individuals. I am also satisfied there is just as much yearning in human hearts for worldly relief and spiritual impetus and invigoration, for increased knowledge regarding eternal varieties and satisfactory future relations with Omnipotence, as there ever was.

I heard a man say not long ago, "I wish I could go to church, for I feel the need of it; but I have always thought there were at least two things one was entitled to receive from church worship—mental edification and spiritual invigoration, and when I come back home from attending church, feeling more like cursing than praising the Lord, I think I had better stay away." You say, that is an exaggerated case, perhaps it is, yet there are innumerable others of similar thought if on lesser scale.

Let it be understood I am in no way critical of the Church; I have the very highest respect and appreciation for this heaven-born institution; but realizing it is fostered, impugned and abetted by human beings of very imperfect natures, I feel there is considerable room for improvement in the directorship of this sacred organiza-

tion. Many church leaders have a large amount of common sense, vigor of mind, plenty of piety and holiness in their lives, admirably fitting them to occupy such important places. On the other hand, it is astounding the semi-imbecility that finds pulpits in which to preach. No wonder so many of these little 2nd language denudates and dejected disciples of decadent deity deformity are dolefully delatid and whine and complain about the condition of the Church and the world in general. Frogs never croak in running water; always in stagnant, slimy pools. Religious humdrum is the worst of all humdrums. Blind leaders cannot successfully lead blind folks. The most successful leadership of any age has been by people with clear spiritual eyesight, high mental acumen and optimistic natures bordering onto the infinity of Omnipotence.

There is just as much need of the Church today as there ever was. Folks need this reviving and impelling influence as much as in the days of the Lowly Nazarine. With half the Church doors open toward this world, the other half should be open toward the next so people may pass on happily through to eternity. You and I have here only a brief page. Some fall out of life, some go on stumbling through life, while others go out groaning and still others cursing. We all want and need some one to teach us how to get out of life at the right time and in the right way. This is the great purpose of the Church; that it does not function more efficiently is no fault of itself nor its sacrificial Conceiver.

All humanity would like to go out of this life singing, rejoicing, triumphing. We want to set sail from the turbulent shore of this old world with assurances of docking our life craft on the banks of everlasting peace. Here we want our anticipations aroused to the very highest pitch. We want to look forward to abounding celestial hilarities and everlasting juvenescence. Only the Church can happily and satisfactorily answer that innate craving. That all Journal readers may eventually join hands in that eternal uplifted splendor, is the wish of this humble scribe and lay preacher.

Progress News

Another large rain fell in this community Monday afternoon accompanied by hail but there was small damage.

Miss Esther Schroeder is visiting her sister in Fort Worth. Mrs. H. C. Fenton returned to her home in Snyder Monday after visiting with her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Gaston. L. N. Walker visited in Sudan Wednesday of last week.

W. M. Gaston and son Morris, F. B. Stovall and H. L. Lovery went to the Justiceburg lake fishing Friday of last week, returning Sunday night with some nice bass, but the "largest one got away."

R. S. Brooks was a Muleshoe visitor Monday afternoon—Reporter.

The Progress TTT club enjoyed a very good talk and demonstration by our agent, Miss Alma Stewart last meeting, June 1, at the home of Mrs. Amos Williams.

Two play suits of the "self help" style were used in the demonstration of children's clothing.

One new member, Mrs. Taylor, was added to our roll. There were 19 members present and the agent, Miss Stewart.

Delicious refreshments of cake and cherry punch was served.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Harold Mardis, June 15.—Reporter.

Maple News Items

Work is progressing nicely on the new sign being erected south of the school house on the corner of A. E. Robinson's farm.

Farmers are busily planting day and night since the good rains we have had.

The 4-H club girls did not have their achievement Thursday afternoon of last week as planned, due to the big rain that fell that afternoon.

Mrs. J. C. Tyson, who has been ill for several weeks is not improving.

C. C. Ball made a business trip to Muleshoe, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Tipton are the proud parents of a 7 1/2 lb. boy born Wednesday, June 2, at a Lubbock hospital. Mother and babe are reported to be doing well.—Reporter.

YL MISSIONARY SOCIAL

The ladies of the Y. L. Methodist Missionary society entertained the ladies of the Y. L. Baptist Missionary society at the school house last Tuesday afternoon.

A very nice entertainment of songs, music and a play was given, after which refreshments of angel food cake, sandwiches and punch were served.

A good time was enjoyed by all present.—Reporter.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that bids will be received by the School Board, Baileyboro Independent School District, for bus drivers of two routes, each to not exceed 24 miles distance, and 1 route leading to Muleshoe, Friday night, beginning at 8:00 o'clock, June 11, 1937. Drivers will furnish both truck and body.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
—W. R. PUGH, Secretary.

Selfish Man

By M. D. CALDWELL

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MACHUGHEE

slammed the door. As he flung his giant frame around the corner of the little white house, a scowl of sullen anger marked his strong features, made him look older than twenty-seven. He did not see the glassed porch, with red geraniums between ruffled white curtains; the huge clusters of yellow chrysanthemums bobbing a good morning; the fat cedars marching along the driveway; the blue sky flashing the tiny patch of lustre sky between the yellowing birches. He saw only the unreasonable desires of the white Belle.

It was October. Ever since March Belle had harped on a new sink. He had worked for three years improving the old house. But since he bought the fluvver—if the bird who last owned it had had any pride, it would be costing so much now! Although in his pocket there lay four skimmed-out ten-dollar bills, Belle could use the iron sink for a long time yet! His mother had used it and his grandmother.

That was a good argument; yet, her words returned: "I'll wait for the gas, Jim, but I must have a white sink! You can't know how my world goes round the greasy corners of that ugly black sink!"

Into the Melford Plumbing & Steamfitting company Jim darted, head-down. As he reached for his working-coat, the precious lump in his hip-pocket divided itself into an automatic windshield-cleaner; spot, parking, and stop lights; deflectors; bumpers. He would go to Boston the next Saturday—

Stringer greeted blantly. "Lo Jim! See the new bait this morning? No?"

Jim was not interested. He was wondering whether the front right tire would go awhile longer, and what about a new spare? With the discoloring of his hair—

Stringer's grumble irritated. "S'pose we'll be puttin' the blame things on fer weeks—"

He said, "What things? What yer talkin' about?"

"Sinks! White enamel sinks! Windows full of 'um. Forty dollars, in the sink, 'n' 'pluses!"

Catching up his tool-bag Jim swung out, and down Main street. A boy looked from Jim's blue eyes as he arched under the red maples along Turner avenue and rang at Number 10, a magnificent Colonial house. It was a pipe, under the sink, 'n' 'pluses!"

Through his wall of concentration a harsh female voice broke: "Well, yer kin git me a new sink, 'n' a new sink! 'S a wonder yer don't ask me 't cook in a brick oven—"

Jim's wall of concentration battered the new pipe. "Ah, wimin's cuckoo!" he exclaimed.

Later the mistress' voice came sobbing through the door: "How can I keep a modern cook 'n' Old gawance! Abominable sink!—and my allowance! Twenty-five's ridiculous! Every girl at the club has fifty—"

Jim's wall of concentration battered that night when he deliberately viewed the internal parts of his car-parking to the flivver window, and later when he saw the sun spraying his house with warm fire-light, glancing the windows like white heat. A flick breeze whisked the leaves about his feet, and the yellow chrysanthemums nodded good-evening. His kitchen unfolded him with cheery warmth. Belle lifted from the oil-stove oven a pan of golden-topped fluffs that were his biscuits.

Their odor with the ham, baked in mustard and sugar, lifted Jim upon his own throne. But later the bend in Belle's back as she sloshed the sudsy dish-water sent him into the kitchen-room. Yet he went to sleep thinking just how he would get the in-laws of the old car Saturday.

He had traced his dollar order around Handley's newspaper ad till he was dizzy.

Then came the struggle. The white sinks went like hot-cakes. Jim loved his work; loved ripping out the filthy pipes and placing new brass and as he entered the purpling driveway and faced the flame-windings, a devastating genie crumbled his accomplishment. For in his own kitchen he would find the old sink still facing him. So, later, when he read Handley's increasingly enticing ad, he clutched his pocket frantically.

The Saturday noon whistle gave Jim a panicky sense of rush and stop, like crossing signals gone wild. He glanced at the shining tools in the Ford window on the run. As he dashed out the shop-door, Stringer called, "Hey, Jim! There's only one of the blame things left. I've half a mind to buy it for the wife—"

Jim's head urged, but his feet refused to move. Stringer was haling the big boss. "What's the price, to you?"

The big boss smiled. "Oh, 30—"

Jim heard his own voice yell, "Sold to me!" and saw the precious wallet in his hand.

Stringer's jaw dropped. "Well! Of all the—"

Belle was not at home. But her abiding note said: "It's in the pocket boy! I earned it. My decision favors the car, against the sink. Go right in to Handley's. See you at 6."

Jim hailed Stringer, mounting the truck. "Hey, Stringer! I'll give yer a 10-spot if yer'll place that sink this afternoon! I got 'u go in town! Hang it. These wimin're always wantin' somethin'!"

Gold in Ancient Egypt
How gold acquired its universal esteem no one knows. It has been suggested that the ancient Egyptians, comparing gold to the sun, believed the metal to be a giver of life like the sun it resembled.

Kruger Park in South Africa
Kruger National park in South Africa measures no less than 8,000 square miles, nearly one-sixth of the area of England, and is dedicated to the preservation of a countless variety of wild animals.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to express to the many friends of Muleshoe community my sincere gratitude for their words and deeds of sympathy and for the financial expressions in the recent loss of my dear son.

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LOCALS

● Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair were Amarillo visitors Sunday afternoon.

● Floyd Ragsdale, of Littlefield, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting.

● H. T. Davis of Baileyboro, attended to business in Muleshoe Monday.

● Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weyer were Dimmitt visitors Saturday of last week.

● Miss Dorothy Mae Carr of Haskell has accepted a position in the Carthen cafe.

● C. P. McCullough, Panpa, owner of the local Guaranty Abstract Co., was here on business last Monday.

● G. O. Jennings made a business trip to Ft. Sumner, N. M., Tuesday morning.

● WANTED: Scrap Iron, \$3.00 per ton. Shadlin Iron & Metal Co. Muleshoe, Tex.

● Curtis Taylor took his wife and son to Lubbock last Sunday where she will attend summer school at Tech college.

● S. R. Trulock, of Amarillo, attended to business interests in Muleshoe Monday afternoon.

● Miss Hattie Ray Griffiths has been visiting relatives and friends at Dalhart for the past several days.

● Sam Lawrence spent the weekend in Amarillo and Lubbock attending to business and visiting.

● Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Lewis and son visited friends in Plainview Sunday afternoon.

● FOR RENT 2-4 room house, gas, water, lights. Apply Johnson office, 5th and Main.

● Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jordan and children were Clovis, N. M., visitors Saturday evening of last week.

● M. S. Kelley of Amarillo, transacted business and visited various acquaintances here Friday of last week.

● Mrs. Ray Griffiths is enjoying a new Plymouth sedan purchased for her by friend hubby last week.

● Mrs. Sam Aldridge and two children of Parwell, visited with friends in Muleshoe Friday afternoon of last week.

● J. E. Aldridge of Amarillo, transacted business and visited in Muleshoe, Monday.

● Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Jennings and son of Lubbock were Muleshoe visitors, Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mrs. Frances Thomas returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from a business trip to Amarillo.

● Mr. A. Towery spent the weekend in Plainview visiting home folks and friends.

● Dick Rockey last week purchased the H. C. Edmonds home in the west residential section of Muleshoe.

● Archie Pool returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from Hereford where he attended to business.

● Mr. and Mrs. Henry Edmonds and son of Sudan, were Muleshoe visitors Friday afternoon of last week.

● G. A. Sahli, auditor from Amarillo, was in Muleshoe the first of this week auditing Bailey county records.

● Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Vaughan attended the pioneer celebration in Clovis, N. M., Saturday of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griffiths and family were Clovis, N. M., visitors Saturday evening of last week.

● Misses Ruby Sterling and Tidwell Douglas visited friends in Hereford Thursday and Friday of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Carthen left Monday for Sweetwater where they were called on account of an operation to be performed on his sister.

● Mr. and Mrs. Ike Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Robinson attended the pioneer celebration in Clovis, N. M., Saturday evening of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Stevens and Mrs. Clarence Goins attended the pioneer celebration in Clovis, N. M., Wednesday afternoon of last week.

● M. H. Warrick and Steven D. White of Lockney, transacted business and prospected for a farm location in Bailey county, Friday of last week.

● Attorney Culbertson of Vernon attended to business and visited various acquaintances here the latter part of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lackey and son of Midland spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wells and family at Circleback.

● T. W. Coffman and George Henderson of Baileyboro attended to business in Muleshoe, Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mrs. Bill McLambert of Sudan, transacted business and visited various acquaintances in Muleshoe Friday afternoon of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Awtrey and two sons attended the pioneer celebration in Clovis, N. M., Wednesday of last week.

● Mrs. R. B. Boyle of Brady has been visiting here for the past week with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Wallace, sister Mrs. Mills Barfield and friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams and family visited in Dimmitt Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Eules Wagner and family.

● Misses Holly Ann Buey, Grace Churchill and Betty Ruth Moeller, accompanied G. O. Jennings to Lubbock Friday of last week.

Friday of last week to visit Miss Evelyn Jennings who is recuperating from a recent operation performed on her knee.

● E. T. Goodman and George Truit of Ralls, attended to business relative to oil prospects in this county the latter part of last week.

● Datt Plummer of Hollis, Oklahoma, has accepted a position with the St. Clair Valley store, beginning work Monday morning of this week.

● Scott Morris, formerly of Muleshoe, but now living at Arch, N. M., attended to business and visited friends here the latter part of last week.

● Mrs. R. S. Watkins, son Burgin and daughters, Misses Jamie Lee and Janette returned home to Muleshoe Monday afternoon from Ft. Worth.

● Ray B. Dickey of Electra, visited friends in Muleshoe and looked after his farm interests in the southern part of Bailey county, Sunday.

● Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate and two sons visited in Portales, N. M., Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skaggs.

● Miss Melzine Rockey, who attended Texas Technological college at Lubbock the past year, returned home to Muleshoe the latter part of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mardis of Lubbock, visited here the latter part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris sr., and friends.

● Miss Crystal Kennedy, who has been in Lubbock the past year attending Texas Technological college, returned home to Muleshoe the latter part of last week.

● Mrs. C. J. Roach and children left the latter part of last week for an extended visit with relatives and friends at Memphis.

● Miss Jung Glascock returned home the latter part of last week from Lubbock where she attended Texas Technological college the past year.

● Miss Welthea Johnson of Amarillo has been visiting here for the past few days with her father, J. G. Johnson and friends.

● Lowell Irvin St. Clair returned home to Muleshoe Sunday afternoon from Brownfield where he spent several days visiting his uncle and other relatives.

● B. H. Hayes and two daughters, Misses Bernice and Genie of Memphis, visited in Muleshoe Wednesday and Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Roach and family.

● Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wheeler of Lubbock, transacted business in Muleshoe and looked after his interests in the southern part of Bailey county, Thursday of last week.

● Miss Twila Farrell, who has been attending Linden university at McMinnville, Oregon, the past year, plans to return home to Muleshoe the first of next week, according to report.

● W. E. Renfrow and "Shorty" Bartley made a business trip to Hot Springs, N. M., over the weekend. They were accompanied here by Mr. Renfrow's daughter, Miss Rosa Renfrow, who had spent several days there visiting.

● M. D. Rockwell of Hamlin, was here Friday of last week prospecting for a land location in this section of Bailey county. He seemed to be very interested in the oil prospects this county has.

● Mrs. Roy Wilmon and two sons of Monahans, arrived in Muleshoe the latter part of last week for an indefinite visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Wilmon and friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Waide of Friena, attended to business in Muleshoe and visited the drilling of an oil well in the southern part of Bailey county Saturday of last week.

● Mrs. Doe Lambert and three children of Hobbs, N. M., have been visiting here for the past several days with her mother, Mrs. J. T. Fuller and other relatives and friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Neely who have been in California for the past year or so returned to Muleshoe a few days ago, and are now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gillebreath.

● Kenneth Everton of Slaton, attended to business in Muleshoe and visited in the southern part of Bailey county where an oil well is being drilled, Friday of last week.

● Miss Evelyn Jennings who underwent an operation on her knee in a Lubbock sanitarium last week, returned home Sunday afternoon with her father, G. O. Jennings. She is recuperating nicely according to last report.

● FOR SALE: Having sold my ranch, I have mules, wagons, farm implements, harness, well casing, piping, posts, etc., for sale, all very reasonably priced. See G. W. Mayers, at A. A. Kuehn ranch.

● Members of the Intermediate Epworth league, Methodist church, will be entertained with a social Thursday evening of this week at the church annex, by the sponsor Miss Elizabeth Harden.

● Monday afternoon the Muleshoe baseball team motored to Sudan to sweat balls with the team of that city. Only a half-inning had been played when the rain and hail started and all players made home runs to shelter. They were unable to finish the game.

Miss Beavers Honored In Prenuptial Shower Given Friday Evening

Friday evening of last week, Mrs. Buford Butts, Mrs. George Shadd and Miss Rosa Shadd were joint hostesses at a surprise bridal shower given in honor of Miss Adella Beavers, who will become the bride of Claude Harrison, of Panpa, Tuesday of next week.

The charming occasion was held in the annex rooms of the Baptist church, where the guests were seated when Miss Beavers was brought in to be greeted by their warm good wishes.

An interesting and entertaining program was rendered by Miss Florence Stone playing two piano numbers. Miss Rose Shadd then gave two humorous readings, one seeming specially fitting to young bridal couples, being entitled "A Little Down and A Dollar A Week." Little Sandra Waggon and Leo Wollard presented sweethearts, came in together, pulling behind them a wagon, beautifully decorated and overflowing with gifts which was presented to Miss Beavers who, amid exclamations of pleasure at their loveliness, passed them among the guests to view.

Delicious refreshments of grape punch and wafers were served to Mesdames I. W. Harden, C. C. Mardis, B. W. Carles, Alex Paul, C. R. Farrell, R. N. Edwards, Jess Osborn, Ray Griffiths, Irvin St. Clair, Ray C. Moore, George Shadd, Buford Butts, H. C. Holt, J. J. DeShazo, Dick Rockey, Miss Elizabeth Harden, Helen Jones, Alma Stewart, Florence Stone, Doris Churchill, Marfa Jean Melzine, Rose Shadd, Paul, I. W. Hanes, W. W. Renfrow, Jim Cook, A. P. Stone, Walter Witte, Levi, Churchill, R. L. Brooks, J. L. Alsup, Tye Young, Jess Mitchell, B. McCoy, Gilbert Wollard, Bob Bradley, Vance Waggon, Howard Carlyle, Fred Wallace, Mills Barfield, R. B. Boyles, Byron Griffiths, Joe Howell, Finley Pierson, Claude Cox, Clay Benvers, George Shadd, Buford Butts, H. C. Holt, J. J. DeShazo, Dick Rockey, Miss Elizabeth Harden, Helen Jones, Alma Stewart, Florence Stone, Doris Churchill, Marfa Jean Melzine, Rose Shadd, Paul, I. W. Hanes, W. W. Renfrow, Janna Sue Bradley, Melzine Rockey, Leo Wollard and the honoree, Miss Beavers.

Needmore News

Rev. King filled his appointment Sunday and Sunday night. We were glad to see so many out at the night services.

Quarterly conference meets at Amherst July 4, with dinner on the grounds. The presiding elder will preach at Needmore the night of the 4th. Everyone is invited to attend both of these services.

Mrs. Mattie Wood and sons, Tomas and Mack, left Sunday for Lubbock to attend Tech. She will be one of the teachers at Baileyboro. Miss Ollie Tate Davis accompanied them.

We were glad to see Gracie Lee Gerth up and about again.

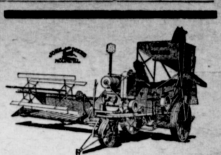
Mrs. Robbins and children have moved back to the country since school was out at Muleshoe.

Miss Lois Harvey and Clark Harvey have gone to North Carolina for a trip.

The rain that fell was greatly needed. Most farmers are having to plant over. Miss Marie Budrick of Fairview, spent Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Lucy Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Brewer and children and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter and children spent Sunday at Texarkana with the girl's parents. The Williams were having no reunion.

Our revival meeting will start the last Friday in July. Rev. Ed Tharp will bring the messages.—Reporter.



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Baileyboro News

Mrs. W. C. Stanton returned to her home in Haskell last Sunday. She has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. D. Preston.

Ollie Tate Davis will accompany Mrs. Jack Wood to Lubbock where Mrs. Wood will attend Tech for a six week's term.

Work is progressing on the gin. The cotton seed house is about completed, and land has been broken for two residences south of the gin.

The play "Up The Hill to Paradise," presented by Mrs. Curtis Moore, Saturday night at the school house was a great success. Those taking part were Mrs. Lester Howard, Jenita Williams, Omega Wrinkle, Venita Van Camp, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lafon, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wallis, Curtis Moore and Alfred Rogers. In spite of bad roads folks came from all directions and everybody enjoyed to the play. The receipts amounted to \$16.

Elmer Davis departed for C. C. camp at Grant Canyon, Colo., Sunday, June 6, where he has been enrolled for the past two years. He had been home in a short visit.—Reporter.

The Conway Cabal

The Conway Cabal was an intrigue in 1778 headed by Horatio Gates, Charles Lee, Thomas Mifflin and James Lovell, with Thomas Conway as a tool. Its purpose was to replace Washington with Gates. The scheme failed and Conway left the country and went to France.

Name Harmonica a Misnomer

The name harmonica is really a misnomer. The harmonica was once an instrument composed of various-sized glass cups having different tones when struck by a damp finger. Benjamin Franklin was the inventor. The mouth organ's age is unknown. However, Abraham Lincoln played one.

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The Valley Motor Co., report sale of two long-bodied Chevrolet trucks to Neil Warren to be used for pupil transportation in the Langston school district, also sale of a Chevrolet Master coupe to H. A. Robb, Muleshoe.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gardner returned home to Muleshoe the first of the week from Hollis, Okla., where they visited for a few days with relatives and friends. They were accompanied home by their two sons Paul and Max who had been visiting with their grandparents.

Woodrow Kelley of Clovis, N. M., attended to business in Muleshoe Monday afternoon relative to starting a tap digging class here. Several local people were interested and plans were made for him to return Thursday evening of this week to discuss the proposition with those interested.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Border, daughter Miss Frances and son David, returned home to Muleshoe Friday evening of last week from an extended vacation trip of several days to Los Angeles, California where they visited their two sons and families. They reported having a wonderful trip and an enjoyable time.

Mrs. Clyde Holt, of Morton and Miss Irma Willis attended the funeral service of the late daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Lippard at Littlefield, Monday afternoon. Mrs. Lippard is a cousin of Mrs. Holt and Miss Willis, and will be remembered by many in Muleshoe as the former Miss Eva Wilf, having spent one summer here.

Miss Jamie Lee Watkins, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Watkins, this city, last week graduated, receiving her B. A. degree from Texas Wesleyan college. She is majoring in Spanish, in her grades maintaining an average of 2.2 which is better than a B average, during her attendance at that college. While in school there she was library assistant, was attended by Y. W. C. A. and a member of the Koroschian literary society. She was also one of the princesses attending the college queen at her coronation during a recent festival held at Fort Worth.

Planting Time GOOD SEEDS

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LEGAL

viding that Harris County may upon a vote of the people therein adopt a road plan and levy taxes for road and bridge construction...

LEGAL

States, shall be permitted to exercise banking or discounting privileges in this State...

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto...

H. J. R. NO. 27 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas...

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended...

H. J. R. NO. 29 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas...

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The 3-day Memorial holiday last week produced approximately 400 violent deaths, nearly 30 of them being in Texas.

The U. S. Supreme court ended its regular eighth month session last week, Justice Vandevanter who had resigned, retiring to his farm.

Lake Meade, the world's largest man-made body of water, created in Arizona and Nevada by construction of Boulder dam is now 100 miles long and getting larger every day.

U. S. Treasury department officials report many people still hoarding money, the amount now in circulation being approximately the same as reported last April.

Col. Peck of the Italian air force, in his specially built plane, has succeeded in reaching an altitude of 51,349 feet, about 10 miles up in the air. The previous altitude record was 49,967 feet.

Ex-king Edward, Duke of Windsor, was fully married to Miss Wallis Warfield Thursday of last week at Montic, France, as per previous arrangements, their being both a civil and religious ceremony. They will honeymoon in Austria.

The State of California with 12,549 farms averaging 45.7 acres each, has the largest number of farms of any state according to Federal census. The state's value of agricultural products last year totaled \$75,000,000 while \$96,000,000 is anticipated this year.

Since Russia has put a premium on babies, it is witnessing a stark boom, more than 150,000 new babies being anticipated this year against 70,000 babies born last year. New hospitals, restaurants, factory kitchens and lying-in homes are being provided for expectant mothers. Abortion in that country is banned under heavy penalty.

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In an evident attempt to imitate the Apostle Paul who preached so long one time a boy went to sleep and fell out of a window, Rev. A. Earl Lee, pastor of Immanuel temple, Los Angeles, was forced to declare a holiday after preaching 21 hours and 20 minutes. He intended to preach 60 hours, but his voice gave out on him. The sermon began with a packed audience, but

only about 100 remained for the benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. West and daughter, Bobbie Joe, visited here this week.

Mrs. Bob Bowler visited her son, John and family at Stegal, Sunday.

The 5th, 6th and 7th grades honored Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cook with a farewell shower. Enjoyable games were played and delicious refreshments were served. Tuesday afternoon, Uncle Henry Kelly was taken Monday to a doctor at Littlefield. He has been suffering with ailing in his head.

Mrs. Mrs. Enoch Hall visited their son, Carl Hall at Enoch last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bass are visiting their parents in Quanah this week. Her sister, Mrs. Duncan will return home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cook and daughter Violet made a business trip to Morton Wednesday afternoon.

The school will begin commencement and closing exercises Wednesday night of last week which was enjoyed by a large crowd.

Miss Evelyn Lemons will attend school in Las Vegas, N. M., this summer.

J. V. Lewis, George and James Henderson attended Pioneer day in Clovis, N. M. Wednesday last week.

L. E. Smith's parents of Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. John Tucker of Causey, New Mexico, visited in their home Sunday.

Miss Frances Stewart returned to her home in Lubbock, Sunday.

Bill Key and O'Dell Henderson visited their parents Sunday.

Mrs. Perry Ford and daughters left Sunday for Dallas, where Bonnie Mae will receive medical treatment.

Mrs. Albert Ellis and daughters visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Newlander and family last

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"Loan Sharks" Got 100% From Egyptians 109 B. C.

That ancient Egypt was afflicted with the equivalent of "loan sharks" is revealed by a papyrus in the Egyptian archeological exhibits at Field Museum of Natural History, on which is written a promissory note. The specimen, which dates from 109 B. C., is the oldest promissory note of its type known, and is known as one of the most important of such papers because of its elaborate legal formulae, which are strikingly similar to those found in many modern legal documents.

Quite startling is the exorbitant rate of interest, 100 per cent, specified in the note, and other harsh terms specified in it make their own commentary on the social conditions of the time.

From a literal translation the following interpretation is made:

"I, the peasant-slave Ennaskomny, belonging to the Zemi cemetery, have borrowed from the woman Nokhutes 2 1/2 artabas of wheat. I promise to repay this loan with 40 per cent interest, making the total due 4 1/2 artabas of wheat. Further, I promise to repay this loan with good, undiluted, chaffless seed-wheat measured by the same standard as was used in making me this loan; and I further promise to deliver the said wheat to the house of the woman Nokhutes in the Zemi cemetery without transportation charges, by the last day of the ninth month of the year 3 with no extensions of time to be granted. Further, whatever I do not repay in wheat by the aforesaid date I will repay within the following month at the rate of 60 pieces of silver per artaba. Further, as long as this note is in Nokhutes' possession I cannot claim, unless I can show receipt to have made full or partial payment. Further, everything that I now possess or shall acquire is herewith pledged to Nokhutes until I shall have discharged my debt in full. Further, if Nokhutes brings suit against me for failing to meet my obligation, I admit additional liability for my damages. Further, the agent of Nokhutes is hereby authorized to deal with me and I promise to follow his instructions unreservedly and promptly at all times."

Left-Hand Superstition Prevails in Many Lands

Because of a superstition that anything seen or done on the left foreboded ill, was to be shunned as unlucky, the left hand has been in disrepute for centuries.

A deep-rooted prejudice, use of this hand is confined by South African natives, for example, to all degrading acts. The Maori tribe of New Zealand considers it profane, uses it as little as possible. Romans had a word for it in the evil-sounding "sinister."

Conscious of an "ugly duckling" embarrassment in consequence of this perverse heritage, from 4 to 8 per cent of the world's population have, willy-nilly, served out their appointed days, often with no small shame to their right-handed betters.

Far from being malodorous, balmily queer, some have been great personages, states a writer in Literary Digest.

Many of Egypt's Pharaohs were left-handed. So were most of Rome's Caesars; the Biblical Benjamin, Alexander the Great, Charlemagne, Michelangelo, Leonardo da Vinci was so completely left-handed he wrote a backward stroke readable only with a mirror.

Virginia's Capital
Richmond, capital of Virginia, was once also capital of the Confederacy, and many things associated with the war between the states are to be found there. The White House of the confederacy is now a fascinating museum. The Capitol, the main unit of which was designed by Thomas Jefferson, is the interesting place of the oldest representative legislative assembly in the new world. Old St. John's church is famous as the place where Patrick Henry fired the flames of the American Revolution with his stirring oration ending, "Give me liberty or give me death!" Near the city are many battlefields of the war, which have been preserved as park areas.

Use for Spiders' Webs

Spiders' webs have a commercial value, and are used by a number of firms of scientific instrument makers. The strongest and finest thread comes from the webs spun by the species known as the "Epeirra Dramatica," found usually on grass bushes. The thickness varies from 0.00015 of an inch to 0.00075, and often the thicker threads are split in half, says London Tit-Bits Magazine. The insect that spins these threads can easily be distinguished from any other of the eight odd varieties in Britain as it has a beautiful cross on its back and spins webs of the "wheel" type.

Golden Apples

Spain was once the Mexico and Peru of Mediterranean exploitation, yielding gold, silver, tin, and copper for the greater glory of Greece and the grandeur of ancient Rome. It was believed to be fabulously rich when Greek myth-makers wrote legends of Hercules venturing Spainward for the golden apples of the Hesperides. To Tarsus around Cadiz, King Solomon sent for gold for his temple.

FARM TOPICS

PASTURE FEED IS FAVORED FOR PIGS

Clean Field Will Pay Well, Specialist Advises.

By H. W. Taylor, Extension Service Specialist, North Carolina State College.

A good, clean pasture for spring-farrowed pigs will pay big dividends at marketing time next fall.

When on good pasture the sow and pigs are protected from disease and parasite infection and provided with feed essential to health and development. And pastureage is the cheapest form of feed that can be given the young porkers.

Soy beans planted in rows and cultivated twice will furnish excellent grazing from the time the plants are about 15 inches high until frost.

On good land an acre of soy beans will support 15 to 20 sows, provided they also receive a full feed of corn and a good protein supplement.

Such pastures should be sown on land where pigs have not been allowed to range during the previous year or so. Best results will be obtained if the pasture has been grazed with some crop since the last time swine were on it.

Land used for hog pasture or hog lots during the past year may be infested with parasites, particularly worms, or other forms of disease-producing organisms.

To get the pigs in top shape for fall market they should be kept on full feed at all times.

Sunlight Is Source of Vitamin D; Aids Poultry

Sunlight is just as essential to good poultry health as green feed, fresh water and clean quarters. The wise poultry raiser, whether he has a sizable flock or only a few hens, will find profit in providing proper sunshine. Pens, runways, feeding houses, brooders and yards should be planned carefully to take full advantage of the health-giving rays, says a writer in the Los Angeles Times.

Know, too, that sunlight is an important source of vitamin D, essential to normal growth and health of all animals. In the case of poultry, they need the vitamin D of the sun's rays because:

(1) Adult birds become weakened and soon develop rickets without adequate sunshine. Without the sun the growth of young birds is stunted and they turn out to be sickly, scrawny specimens.

(2) Egg production is affected vitally. If your flock is producing soft or paper-thin shelled eggs, the reason may be that it is not getting enough sunshine.

Yellow Newtown Apple

The Yellow Newtown apple, which has grown for many years in Virginia and is the best locally as the Albemarle Pippin, was brought to that state by Dr. Thomas Walker who was a physician with the Virginia troops during the French and Indian war. After the defeat of Braddock, Doctor Walker returned to his home in Virginia and apparently carried scions of the apple trees in his saddle-bag. These scions were successfully grafted on trees at his home in Castle Hill, Albemarle county.

Age of Fresh Eggs

The freshness of an egg is not determined by its age, notes a writer in the Philadelphia Record. J. Hannel French, secretary of agriculture, in response to queries explained that the new fresh egg law contains no time provision. Eggs cannot lawfully be advertised as fresh unless they conform with the following standards: The air cell must be not more than one-quarter of an inch in depth and must be localized and regular; the yolk must be visible but not plainly visible or mobile; the white must be firm and clear; the germ must not show any visible development. Properly maintained eggs will come within the provision of the law after weeks of storage.

Measuring Straw in Stack

In estimating the number of tons of straw in a stack, multiply the length by the width at the ground by one-fourth the distance over the stack. This last measurement may be found by throwing a rope over the stack, to get the number of tons, according to a correspondent in Wallace's Farmer, divide the multiplied product by 600 if the stack is well filled or by 650 to 700 if the stack is new or not well settled.

Market Old Sheep

Old ewes which have poor teeth, should be marketed as soon as possible, says the Prairie Farmer. It is an easy matter to check the age of sheep by looking at the front, or incisor, teeth which are in the lower jaw. Mature sheep have eight of these incisor teeth which fit against the pad in the upper jaw. After five years, sheep begin to lose these teeth, and from then on will have trouble in feeding, and should be disposed of.

General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

Two million fish is the production of the new post office at Portales, N. M., last Saturday.

The Oklahoma legislature has adopted a resolution declaring the rosbud to be the official tree of that state.

Gov. Alred has expressed his favor of the county consolidation plan for governmental efficiency and cutting down of expenses.

Excessive rains have produced an estimated flood damage to highways in New Mexico totaling more than \$600,000.

Fire, breaking out in the fourth story, destroyed the Athletic club building at Amarillo last Friday night, loss being estimated at \$60,000.

Attorney General McCraw has ruled that the legislature has exempted all fraternal insurance companies from the occupation taxes levied under the omnibus tax bill of 1936.

What is believed to be the largest turtle ever captured was recently taken from the Gulf of Mexico at Aransas Pass when one weighing 900 pounds and measuring seven feet long and seven feet six inches across was taken on a 9-thread and 9-oz. rod. It towed the anglers four miles out in the gulf before its capture.

Conversion of 10,000 square yards of Arcadia park, Dallas, into a playground and picnic site by National Youth Administration workers is nearing completion. These NYA boys have installed drinking fountains, made four picnic units, tennis court, grubbed 34 acres.

laid water lines and straightened the creek bed, besides building the playground.

Oil producers of Texas will pay \$7 million into the State's tax coffers this year. Payments this year will total \$16,600,000 compared with \$9,576,000 made last year.

Since Senator Olan Van Zant of Grayson county has been officially designated president pro tem of the senate in the special session, should Governor Alred and Lieut. Gov. Woodall be out of the state at the same time, he would become acting governor.

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