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THE HEADLINES NEWS OF THE WEEK PARADE

Following a month's visit to noted places in Europe, Al Smith and wife have returned to New York City.

A revised social security system for the nation's 1,500,000 railway workers has won final approval in congress.

Millions of gas masks are now being made in Great Britain to protect its citizen in case of raids from foreign countries during war.

The Duke of Windsor is reported to have bought a famous old castle in England and plan returning to Lincolnshire when the echoes of his abdication have subsided.

The Mexico government which already owns half the railroad stock of that country, has completely taken over the system. U. S. investors in such railroads will be paid back their money as soon as an inventory of values can be taken, it is announced.

Rev. Charles W. Martz, 30 year old Seattle, Washington, Presbyterian pastor, who was married last Sunday to the choir solo singer, announced he would preach that evening on "The Parson Takes a Wife". The following Sunday evening his sermon subject is to be: "The First Hundred Years."

More than 30,000 Boy Scouts from all over the country are now in Washington attending the national 10 day jamboree which began last Tuesday. The delegation includes Scout representatives from Philippines, Hawaiian, and other island possessions of the U. S.

Federal agents a week rounded up 24 people, mostly in New York City, said to be connected with an international diamond smuggling ring in operation for the past seven years. About that many more are under indictment. It is said they have illegally imported

Quarterly Conference Group Session Is Held At Amherst, Sunday

There will be group meeting of the quarterly conferences of the Methodist churches of Littlefield, Amherst, Sudan, Muleshoe, Earth, Spring Lake and the Bull and James circuits, held at Amherst Sunday, July 4th.

Delegates from the Muleshoe Methodist church to attend this zone meeting will be Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Watkins, A. C. Goede, Howard Carlyle, C. E. Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, J. C. Hasey, Mrs. B. N. Edwards, I. W. Harden, Alvin Parrel and Pat R. Bobo.

Rev. Watkins says this will be an excellent way to celebrate the fourth of July.

Julian Montgomery, formerly of Wichita Falls, has resigned as WPA engineer and director for Texas.

COTTON CARRYOVER IS PREDICTED WARNING OF EXPORT DROP IN ALL SHIPMENTS FROM U. S. IS GIVEN

The Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., last Thursday forecast an American cotton carry-over of about 4,400,000 bales on July 31, or approximately 1,000,000 bales less than a year ago.

World production of cotton this season was tentatively estimated at 30,900,000 bales, of which 18,500,000 will be foreign cotton. Both figures, it was said, are record highs.

Commenting upon the cotton situation, Peter McInyeux, editor of Texas Weekly, in its last issue had the following to say:

Another slump in cotton exports has been experienced during the month of June. American cotton shipped abroad during the first three weeks of the month amounted to 37,000 bales less than that shipped during the corresponding period a year ago, a falling-off of more than 20 per cent. This is all the more significant because of the fact that cotton exports during June last year were below those of June, 1935. Total cotton exports for the current cotton year (since August last) now are 42,900 bales behind last year. Consumption of American cotton abroad this year will be less than breaking consumption of American total exports, so that in spite of record cotton in the United States, not more than 45 per cent of the cotton con-

\$13,000,000 worth of gems.

Gov. Earl, Pennsylvania, has signed a bill permitting newspapermen to withhold sources of their information from any court, thus giving them the same status as other professionals, such as attorneys, clergymen and physicians on the witness stand. The law is immediately effective. Several other states give newspapermen similar protection.

Harry M. Daugherty, attorney general under the late President Harding, last week paid his respects to the smartness of John L. Lewis CIO head, and said "At the rate things are going now, it won't be long before there won't be any more presidents. We have perhaps seen the last President of the U. S. now," he said. He intimated the country was rapidly drifting toward some kind of dictatorship.

The National Labor Relations board has filed suit against the Ford Motor Co., charging with responsibility for "outrageous and brutal assaults" on United Automobile Workers organizers because of a recent incident in which 14 people, including three women, were beaten during a strike at the Ford plant in Detroit. The charge alleges the company was "interfering with, restraining and coercing" its employees for the purpose of discouraging membership in a labor organization.

Grove Patterson, editor, Toledo Ohio, Blade, returning from Russia says stark horror such as gripped France in the gullotine days of the revolution now has its grip on Russia. Innumerable officials are being replaced by others for no known cause, many others are mysteriously disappearing, presumably secretly done away with. Many men in official positions are refusing to take responsibilities assigned them because of the afraid it will cost them their heads should they make a mistake, he said.

Plainview Physician Is Killed And Deputy Wounded By Prisoner

Dr. E. F. McClendon, 69, Hale county health officer, Plainview, and well known in and around Muleshoe by many of the older citizens, was killed last Friday by a bullet through his heart when shot by a prisoner in the county jail at Plainview. A. M. Shook, deputy sheriff, at the same time received a bullet through a shoulder from the same gun.

Henry E. King, 39, transient harvest hand, arrested a few days before near Petersburg, has been charged with the murder and the shooting of McClendon, reports that Dr. McClendon, accompanied by the deputy had gone to the jail to treat the prisoner when they were both overpowered and the shooting took place.

King afterward attempted suicide by cutting his throat and one wrist; but prompt action of another doctor saved his life. There are indications of King's mental instability, as he is reported to have done considerable preaching and praying in the jail.

L. W. Jordan Heads Farm Loan Association For Bailey and Parmer

That the Bailey and Parmer county Federal Farm Loan associations will be combined with offices located at Muleshoe, was the decision of officials connected with the two organizations at a meeting held here last week, also attended by S. R. McWhirter, co-ordinator for the Federal Land Bank, Houston, and C. O. Stone, district supervisor for 40 counties, from Amarillo.

It was stated the combination of these two offices was in keeping with plans now being carried out all over the state in the interest of less expense and greater efficiency, the policy of the associations to remain the same, yet both counties using the same director.

L. W. (Happy) Jordan, Littlefield, was named by the organization to have charge of the dual offices. He is well known to many citizens of both counties. For 12 years he was connected with the Yellow House Land Co., Littlefield, and for the past three years has been assistant land appraiser for the state. He is thoroughly familiar with the functions of that office and all details connected with land matter and looking after interests of those associated with the dual organization.

Mr. Jordan was in Muleshoe the first of this week looking about for office location, meeting citizens here and making arrangements to move his family here as soon as desirable residence property can be obtained. He said maintenance of this organization in both Parmer and Bailey counties were in excellent condition and that future prospects were optimistic.

Mr. Jordan and his family will become a valuable acquisition to this section, both as business man and a citizen.

RATS NOW CROP THREAT

What with the meadowhopper pest now sweeping this direction, the call of relief from rats, overrunning fields in Roosevelt county, N. M., is also being heard.

Several fields are reported being badly injured and officials of the Biological Survey are rushing poison to the scenes of damage.

CLOVIS CELEBRATES JULY 4

Clovis citizen are planning celebrating of July 4th, which comes on Sunday on the following day, a general program of interest now being prepared by appointed committees.

Features of the event will be the giving of a \$25.00 cash prize to the bathing beauty contest, fireworks and dancing at night.

Muleshoe Beats Out Lubbock Tip-Toppers In The Game Sunday

The Muleshoe Majestics beat out the Lubbock Tip-Toppers in a snappy and hard fought game played at Sudan last Sunday, the score at the ending of the last frame showing 9 to 7 for Muleshoe.

BILLY DOTSON FEEDING CALVES FOR EXHIBIT AT LUBBOCK SHOW

Billy Dotson, 4-H club boy of West Camp, has recently placed two beef calves on feed as his demonstration this year. Both the calves are Herefords. One furnished by H. T. Boyd, Jr., of Balleysboro, weighed about 150 pounds when started on feed; the other one came from Hallsell's ranch and weighed about 300 pounds.

This is Billy's fourth year in club work during which time he has fed one or more calves each year. He expects to enter his calves in the Lubbock Meat show and sale as he has done in past years.

Dr. H. E. Williams Locates In Muleshoe For Future Practice

Dr. H. E. Williams, formerly of Shelbina, Mo., arrived in Muleshoe last Monday and will pursue his practice of medicine here, having opened offices in the McGarity building over the Western drug store.

Dr. Williams is a young physician having spent the major portion of his life in the study and practice of medicine. He is a graduate of the University of Medicine, Kansas City, Mo., later taking a course in osteopathy in the Kansas City College of Osteopathy, following which he did intern work for a year in Auburn Park hospital, Chicago. He also spent several months as intern in the Chicago hospital, following which he was associated with Dr. J. L. Mitchell, one of the leading physical and surgical surgeons of Chicago, before he returned to Chicago, taking post-graduate work and specializing in some of the modern treatments of fever of various kinds, also familiarizing himself with natural assets and latent possibilities, resulting in his location here this week. He is accompanied by his wife and baby, and Mrs. Williams is equally as well pleased with their future prospects as is the doctor.

"This is certainly a wonderful country," remarked Dr. Williams to a Journal representative this week. "Situated upon the high mesa where the atmosphere appears to be 103 per cent pure by breathing test and the water probably 98 1/2 per cent pure by chemical test, where the sun shines so much throughout the year, it is bound to be a delightful climate in many ways."

"Exceptionally fertile soil, plus pure water, plus the high mesa, where the prevailing vices of nature exist, it certainly has before it a great future for rich development, where citizens may enjoy the greatest blessings of life," he said.

Dr. Williams expressed himself as anxious to become acquainted with the people of Muleshoe and throughout Bailey county, and he desires to become one of its progressive and civic minded citizens and the opportunity of entering actively into all movements and activities of the community of the section of his choice as a home and professional pursuits.

Congressman Mahon Favors A Veterans Hospital For Area

Washington, D. C.—Hearings by a special committee on the need for a General Medical and Surgical Veterans Hospital in Texas may be expected within the next few weeks, according to Congressman George Mahon E. He conferred with Colonel George E. J. Jams of the Veterans administration, who is a member of the special committee appointed by General Frank S. Hines, administrator of the veterans administration, to make a general study of the need for additional veterans hospital facilities. The West Texas Panhandle section is one of two areas in the United States designated by the administrator to be given particular consideration.

Mahon said he expected to appear before the committee and urge favorable recommendation for the West Texas hospital. He has a bill pending in this Congress which authorizes an appropriation for a hospital to be erected in the Fifth American Legion district comprising all of West Texas. Bills with more limited restrictions as to location have been introduced by Congressman Marvin Jams of Amarillo, Congressman Ewing Thomason of El Paso, and Congressman Clyde Garrett of Earth.

Mahon pointed out the necessity for cooperation of all West Texas areas in an effort to secure a favorable recommendation from the Veterans administration at this time, stating that competition between individual cities could easily detract from the weight of argument from the Veterans hospital for West Texas. He stated the appointment of the special committee with designation of West Texas for special consideration was more definite encouragement than had heretofore been given by the Veterans administration.

Gus Hall, CIO organizer, is being charged as the brains for the bomb terrorism which last Tuesday blasted the Warren, Ohio water source and stopped steel plants from reopening.

GENERAL NEWS TEXAS AND SURROUNDING STATES

Work began last week on a \$100,734 PWA financed addition to the hospital at Gallup, N. M.

Port officials announce that trucks carrying freight in New Mexico must now have a license from that state.

Sterilization has been ordered for 47 inmates of the Eastern Oklahoma hospital. Names have been withheld.

A movement is on foot for pooling turkey crops grown in Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma for marketing this fall.

"Slot-machine" divorces obtained in Juarez, Mexico, are not recognized in New Mexico, according to a supreme court decision a few days ago.

A \$40,000 outdoor swimming pool was completed last week at West Texas Teachers college, Canyon, having been constructed with WPA funds.

J. T. Stovall, for the past three years Ochiltree county agent, has resigned effective July 10 and will go to Castro county as county agent.

It is stated another special session of Texas legislature may be called this fall, probably September 1, to raise additional funds for the old age pension funds.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, says rats destroy \$15,000,000 worth of property in Texas each year. They are also responsible for much typhus fever.

Seminole Indians of Oklahoma weary of the trials of civilization and its incumbent costs, have sent a delegation to Mexico asking for return of former lands that their 4,000 people may migrate there.

Last year approximately a million passenger cars bearing out of state license plates were reported.

Wheat Harvest Is In Full Blast, Growers Bring In Heavy Wheat

Wheat harvest in this section is now in full blast, growers in jubilation because of the fine yields being returned. Apparently the rains of a few weeks ago have produced much magic in filling out heads and hefting of the grain.

Numerous farmers are bringing their wheat in and reporting yields of from 15, 20 and 25 bushels per acre, while wheat grown on irrigated lands is going as high as 35 bushels per acre. Price went to 98 cents per bushel here last Saturday.

Very few loads delivered to local buyers are testing below 60 pounds per bushel, while there is plenty of it going 61 and 62 pounds, with an occasional delivery as high as 64 pounds per bushel. Reports of short crops in other sections and countries has also been of local value in increasing the price paid per bushel.

Some of the counties of the Plains area are reporting the biggest wheat crop ever grown and many elevators received from some 12,000 employees subject to the act. The money has been deposited in the Federal Treasury.

The amount protects more than 600,000 wage earners and the commission's field agents estimate about 100,000 will be added before the end of this year.

Each employee, in the event he loses his job through no fault of his own, will be compensated from his individual account. The entire cost of administration is being paid by the Federal Government.

Employers who hire eight or more workers during any part of as many as 20 different days, each day being in a separate calendar week of the year, are subject to the law and the commission estimates between 1,200 and 1,500 more will be brought under the act before the year is out.

Agricultural labor and domestic service in private homes are exempt from the provisions of the law, but every person who works for wages, commissions or at piece rate is required to have a social security account number for federal and state record keeping purposes.

LEGISLATURE SPECIAL ENDED The special session of Texas legislature came to an end Friday of last week. Its principal action being repeal of race baiting act.

and carrying 2,747,000 passengers entered New Mexico for tourist purposes. A still larger number of visitors is anticipated this year.

Purchasing power of Texas is now increasing at the rate of a million dollars per day due to marketing of the wheat crop, much of which is exceptionally heavy, testing as high as 64 pounds per bushel.

Report of the U. S. Senate Judicial committee on the President's court plan will be preserved in Texas as an "historic document." It will be printed in the state's Senate journal as a keepsake.

That "Ma" and Jim Ferguson may get back into politics is the rumor now afloat. Ma running again for governor of Texas in the next election. Jim says it's a "right" the way this state has got into debt and is raising taxes on its citizens. It is also said Governor Allred may run for his third term.

"Tourism" is Texas' second largest crop. Last year state produced oil topped the list with \$450,000,000 returns; tourism brought \$446,000,000; agricultural crops, \$384,000,000; cotton \$210,000,000.

Department store sales in Texas showed increased business of 14.7 per cent over a corresponding period of last year with future gains indicated. Credit sales and collections remain about the same. Livestock shipments for May this year show a 31 per cent increase over the same month last year.

Despite the Texas constitutional amendment to be voted on by citizens in August, legislators pay will remain \$10 a day, according to ruling of attorney General McCraw, who says if the fee system is returned to this state it will not effect legislator's salaries which came under provision of a different constitutional provision.

Bailey County Has Broadcast Over The Lubbock KFYO Stn.

The program K. Bailey county 4-H boys and girls presented over Station K F Y O Lubbock, Friday, June 25, brought much favorable comment from listeners, according to reports from the county and home demonstration agents. The talent used on this program was from a number of communities. Representatives from the boys club were L. Rollins, of Y. L. and Billy Dotson of West camp. Girls were Lena Belle Smith of Longview, Opal Snitker, of Bull and Annie Haley of Fairview. The club members were assisted by Glenn Rocky of Muleshoe and Neal Prescott, Progress, who furnished the musical numbers.

are now staying open all night to accommodate deliveries. The wheat crop is having its reflection in general business circles in increased buying in all departments of trade.

15,000 OLD AGE PENSIONERS WILL BE CUT FROM TEXAS ROLLS IN COMING TWO MONTHS DUE TO FEDERAL KICK

About 15,000 old age pension recipients of Texas may be cut from the pay rolls according to official statement of Austin officials, who say a re-check of the rolls may cut off 5,000 in July and another 10,000 for August.

The revision of payments has come about through Washington officials insisting Texas is paying too many pensions, even more than New York state, which has a considerably larger population than does the Lone Star state.

It was denied the legislature had issued orders to cut 30,000 pensioners from the state rolls. Average July payments, it is said will be about \$13.50 each compared with \$13.74 for June when 127,758 checks were issued. Present indications are that July and August checks will total 122,000 and 112,000 respectively. Need for additional revenue is apparent, officials said, and it has been hinted Governor Allred may call another special session of the legislature about September 1 to make further appropriations for old age pensions.

It is also stated that Austin that Texas workers temporarily thrown out of employment after Jan. 1 will be paid a portion of wages equivalent from a fund estimated to exceed \$20,000,000.

Orville S. Carpenter, chairman-director of the Unemployment Compensation Commission, says contributions totaling nearly \$11,000,000 have been



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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even If It Fails

PORTS OF ENTRY

For the past two or three years the New Mexico Port of Entry at Texico has been more a matter of controversy, not only among that state's officials; but also with those who must use it in a business or pleasure way.

Truck growers of this, the Blackwater valley, who wish to dispose of some of their products in the sister state have found it, in some instances, an unreasonable tax to pass through that port in a business manner. Various modifications of the incoming charges and other initial stipulations have been modified from time to time, yet the sore spot of this entry point remains.

Recently some of the large eastern dailies took it upon themselves to warn motorists to boycott New Mexico, going north or south of it, as they desired, rather than become subjected to the mandates of these doors of entrance. This, in turn, has brought some concessions from officials of the Sunshine state who realize their ports, may be costly to the state at large, perhaps to the point of entirely offsetting port income through lack of tourist patronage, of which there has been a steady increase during past years.

Aside from the economic phase of entry ports, we have sometimes wondered if the entire scheme, whether used in New Mexico or any other state is not fundamentally wrong. Apparently the spirit, and perhaps the very letter of the U. S. Constitution may be violated by several states who have such laws.

Article 1, Paragraph 5, Section 9 of the Constitution says: "No tax or duties shall be laid on articles exported from any State. No preference shall be given by any regulation of commerce or revenue to the ports of one State over another."

Article 4, Section 2, says: "The citizens of each State shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens in the several States."

Apparently, it was the intention of the fore-fathers that there should be free and unobstructed travel between the several states and no tax of any kind should be imposed for crossing any state line. Under present day temptations to increase regulations and taxes, there are more and more inconveniences and expenses being heaped upon interstate business and pleasure. Quarantine regulations for health purposes have been in use for many years, now comes a kind of quarantine on business and pleasure unless immunity is obtained through the payment of cash.

When it is further considered that

practically all interstate highways existing have come about through the expenditure of federal funds entirely or in part, any citizen of the nation certainly has a right to enjoy the benefits of his paid federal tax wherever it may have been located, protecting the highways of any state against the wear of travel on the plea that financial contribution must be made to any given state for upkeep of that part of the road passing through its boundaries, becomes questionable, to say the least.

Perhaps if states adjoining New Mexico would present this matter to their congressmen in the light here suggested, it might become the foundation for another famous Supreme court decision of importance.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH

With the old world entangled in the bitterest controversies since the World War and the lessons of that conflict forgotten, it would seem that the United States, at peace with the world, has reason for making this Fourth of July a memorable one.

Any Muleshoe citizen who cannot find in his heart just cause for celebration this year is lacking in appreciation of the blessings of peace. All we need do to feel proud of our own position is read the daily reports of new entanglements, new hates and new threats carried by cable from foreign shores and of the tales of actual bloodshed and carnage as other nations go rushing headlong toward another bloody war. Through it all America enjoys the blessings of peace and domestic comfort, with no hatred in her heart for those who put greed and power before the rest of the world, separated from old world turmoil and tragedy by many miles of neutral waters, able to settle her domestic misunderstandings happily and without the loss of blood, the heart of every citizen who dwells beneath the stars and stripes should now swell with patriotism and love of country.

So hang out the good old flag and set off the fireworks. Forget for the moment all business cares and the little things that vex. Be glad you are a part of the most wonderful nation the sun ever shone upon, a nation of free men who through their love of home and free institutions will see that it remains great. Never were there more reasons for patriotic thankfulness here now. Never was there greater reason for making this a Grand and Glorious Fourth.

VACATION TIME

Vacation time is well under way and though it has yet to reach its peak reports from various sources lead to the belief that this will be the greatest touring season in the history of the nation. Thousands upon thousands of motorists are now traveling the highways, and steam roads and bus lines are said to be smashing all records for the number of passengers carried up to this time, with the volume constantly growing heavier.

For those who take their vacation trips by bus or train, there appears to be no need for special warnings before they set out. But for those who go by auto, who build campfires in the open, a word of caution is not amiss. Be careful with matches and campfires.

There is not a motorist anywhere around Muleshoe who would deliberately endanger the natural resources of this country, or the personal property of others, but it is so easy to thought-

lessly toss a match or cigarette stub out of the car window into dry grass along the roadside; it is so easy to forget to extinguish every particle of a campfire before leaving it, that this warning is necessary. No matter in what part of the country you spend your vacation, keep the fire hazard constantly in mind. Be careful, be watchful, be careful of the fire fiend every minute you are in the open or driving along a highway.

FIRE ON THE FARM

According to the National Fire Protection Association, farm fires cost the U. S. \$109,000,000 and 500 lives in 1935. Including both farm and rural communities, the toll is \$270,000,000. Fire is a serious menace on the farm—vastly more serious than the gasoline and kerosene so that we do not seem to have made much actual reduction of total losses from farm fires.

The season for getting out in the open is again here. More camp fires will be constructed in the woods and along the highways as more motorists seek a touch of outdoor life. Every fire that is made in the open will carry a certain amount of danger to forests and certain buildings—and human life. There is no way to prevent the making of campfires, and no one wants to do so, but there is a way to handle them so they will not prove destructive that method is through care and common sense. Let everyone who makes a fire outdoors guard it carefully, and make sure that it is completely extinguished before leaving it. Only in that way can our rural fire loss be reduced in 1937.

THE CIRCUS PARADE

The surest sign that a man is getting old comes when he no longer takes interest in seeing or talking or reading something about the circus. That being the case, if he still feels the spirit of youth he will rejoice to learn that this season practically every circus on the road, with the exception of the biggest one of all, has restored the old-time parade.

Auto traffic compelled the abandonment of this colorful part of circus life a few years ago, but when the parade was abolished something went out of the circus that couldn't be replaced. The circus lost much of its glamour, and also much of its patronage.

Now the mistake is being corrected. Now the rattle of the circus wagons and the blare of circus bands and the shriek of the calypso is again a part of the circus; circus business is better than it has been for years, and everybody is correspondingly happy. A circus isn't a circus without an elephant and a parade.

GOOD READING

Widely scattered about the country are many former Bailey county residents who keep in touch with affairs "back home" through the columns of this paper. Their old friends have, in many instances, lost track of them and would be glad of an opportunity to hear how they are getting along, what they are finding to do and something about the communities they are now living in.

An occasional letter for publication from any of these former residents will be welcomed to the columns of this paper at any time, and they will be appreciated by those who knew the writers in days gone by. You may be sure your old home town still has an interest in you, and your welfare.

Anything you care to write for publication, and messages you would like to have your old friends and acquaintances read comes under the head of "news." Send it along, for such letters always make good reading.

IT MIGHT WORK

A New Jersey legislator favors a stamp or label on every article sold to let the purchaser know how much of the price of it consists of taxes. The idea is a good one, but it might work if the politicians will ever consent to the

disclosure to consumers of the extent to which the latter are soaked by indirect taxes. Until consumers are made vividly aware that they are paying taxes from the time they get out of bed in the morning until they get into it again at night, they will not raise a loud enough howl for their various state governments to listen to them.

The cost of government, the waste of public money, will never come down until some way has been discovered to open the eyes of the tax-paying public to the size of the tax load which it is allowing its taxing bodies to impose upon it.

Jaunty Journalettes

There are few people around Muleshoe who are so lazy they won't even loaf industriously.

Nowadays the Muleshoe hand that rocks the cradle may get cigarette ashes in the baby's eyes.

The Muleshoe woman of few words generally manages to keep those few mighty busy.

It's been our observation that some Muleshoe girls let a fool kiss them—and others let a kiss fool them.

An economical wife is one whose husband wears no diamond thing after another. Wonder just how many there are in Muleshoe!

Some Muleshoe parents are not as much worried about bringing up their children as they are keeping up with them.

It is being lightly rumored that a few girls around Muleshoe have been disappointed in love; but for that matter, so have a lot of married people.

What has become of the old-fashioned Muleshoe wife who used to believe all the excuses her husband offered?

Every Muleshoe young man who longs for success will do well to remember that three-fourths of grit is "git."

Some Muleshoe people seem to get as much pleasure out of whining over their misfortunes as others do in boasting about their good luck.

It isn't always advisable for Muleshoe folks to tell everything they know; but it is best to know everything they tell. God and this editor both hate gossips.

Some Muleshoe mothers who persist in bringing their sweet little dimpled darning bobbles to church would considerably enlighten the worship of others, greatly increasing their spiritual inspiration, if they would attempt to make Christians out of them the moment they begin beelieing like infidels.

Pavement Pickups

Joe Bill Alsop says when television becomes a fact it's going to be lots of fun calling wrong numbers.

Ray Griffiths says he guesses the reason he calls his wife "honey" is because honey always has agreed with him.

"Uncle Pat" Bastley says the reason he is so heavy is because his parents endowed him with an iron constitution.

Bob Canfield says it is his observation that on a farm a lamb does the frisking; but on Wall street the frisking is done to the lamb.

Clyde Holland suggests if the Legislature is so set against all gambling, why doesn't it prohibit plant crops in the "dust bowl" area of West Texas?

Clyde Taylor, local poultry dealer, insists black hens are smarter than white ones, because a black hen can lay a white egg; but a white hen can't lay a black one.

"It may be hard for a rich man to get to heaven when he dies," suggests Preacher Watkins; "but it's easy for him to keep from going to hell while he's living."

Judge Klump says the only man who can make a good living out of guessing contents is the weather man, and now that Texas has outlawed gambling, he's wondering if he will lose his government job.

Mrs. Perel Little, nee Irma Willis, a graduate of Muleshoe high school this spring, is now taking a post-graduate course in zoology, botany, siltology, darnology and patchology—and says she likes it very much.

Alex Alexander, chief officiating functionary of the Valley Motor Co. this city, says he doesn't exactly know what CIO stands for but he would like it to stand for "Cut It Out" as it's interfering with his getting Chevs, to sell.

Charley Whitaker, genial visitor from Lubbock, after the Chamber of Commerce luncheon last Friday told a story about a poll cat that went to church and had to sit in its own "pew!" Get Charley to tell it to you. They say the story becomes more realistic every time he tells it.

600 WANT GOV. REA SERVICE

An application for the benefit of REA signed by between 600 and 700 rural citizens of Bailey county, southwest Hockley county, southeast Farmer county and north Lamb county, was sent to Washington, D. C. last week, according to Cecil McLaughry, representing this county in behalf of citizens desiring to secure rural electric service.

Before mailing the list was carefully checked by Geo. Phelps, representing the G. W. Morrison engineering Co., Waco, who has the supervision contract for this project.



REFRIGERATION PAYS BIG

It's much more economical and satisfactory to KEEP FOOD than to buy it, then to, the modern refrigerator furnishes so many added conveniences the family may enjoy.

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SYNTHETIC FIBERS TAKING PLACE OF COTTON SAYS ECONOMIST: HE SUGGESTS OFFICIAL INVESTIGATION

Austin, June 29.—World cotton production during the cotton year of 1936-1937 was about 30,400,000 bales of 478 pounds net, according to latest estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, it was pointed out by Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas and internationally known agricultural economist.

"Official and unofficial reports indicate a substantial increase in the world's acreage planted to cotton this year," he said. "World increase in pro-

duction of synthetic fibers during the past year was the equivalent of over 500,000 bales of cotton, and a considerable part of this displacing cotton, especially in Germany and some other European countries. Prior to the depression the average annual increase in the world's consumption of cotton for a period of 25 years was about 250,000 bales. In view of these and other equally striking facts which confirm the above implication, does it not seem that some agency with the means to do so should make a thorough analysis of the world situation and trends as they apply to cotton? Does not consideration for the welfare of the two million cotton growers deserve some investigation? Shall we wait until another emergency is upon us before we make a serious effort to get world data upon which to build a policy?

"Until some definite policy is adopted for restoring lost foreign markets, the wise thing for the South, and especially the Southwest, to do is proceed to revalue their resources to rebuild their agriculture in view of domestic markets.

"In spite of the unprecedented high consumption of all cotton in the world this year of over 30,000,000 bales it is possible that world carry-over of all cotton may be slightly increased due to an all-time high world record production. World carry-over of American cotton bids fair to be reduced by about 1,000,000 bales, but in spite of this the buying power of American cotton is now less than it was at this time last year due to a strong rise in the price of other things."

Child's Habits May Govern Mentality Says State Doctor

Austin, June 29.—A child's habits are responsible, in a large measure, for their mental actions in later life, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health officer, a child of five or six years may have a bad temper. He can be taught as he grows older, to exercise self control so that it will not often be manifested. It would be better for him had he acquired a good temper instead of a bad one.

Today the medical profession understands more fully the enduring influence of habits that begin in the earliest years of life, in the nursery, or even in the cradle. In the young child, as a result of habit, certain types of behavior become established.

Perhaps the child had learned while yet an infant, that he could get what he wanted if he cried long and loud. Perhaps he had learned, when a little older, that bad behavior, as tantrums, screaming, rolling on the floor or sulking, brought him what he wanted after a request had been refused.

If he had this experience once, you may be sure that he would repeat the action the next time the occasion arose. If he found that such actions did not bring the desired results he would not try it again.

Other behavior habits, good and bad, are acquired from imitating other children and adults. In this way many like bad clothes, tastes and ambitions which in later years become crystallized into character habits have their beginning. Calmness and poise, as well as nervous and pugnacious behavior habits established by imitation and made permanent by repetition. The elders are responsible far more than they realize for the conduct of the child in the family. In this we see a new meaning of the old adage, "As the twig is bent, the tree is inclined."

FARMER REFUND IS ORDERED

The U. S. Court of Appeals last Monday held that 100,000 cotton producers were entitled to more than \$3,000,000 in refunds for cotton tax exemption certificates they bought under the repealed Bankhead act.

The Bankhead act was repealed after the Supreme court invalidated its basic principles in holding the AAA as unconstitutional.

Patronize home industries.

Columbia River Honors King Chinook



Bernice Warila, Queen of Columbia River Jubilee, surveys her Court.

MORE than a thousand salmon fishing boats joined in a colorful waterfront Jubilee celebration in Astoria, Oregon, headwaters of the River, on the opening day of the salmon season this year, celebrating 73 years of commercial fishing on the River.

A parade and race of the fishing fleet featured the morning ceremony at which all Astoria turned out to honor its greatest industry. At high noon, the Columbia River's

thousands of fishermen laid their vast gillnets—each net 1500 feet long and made of linen twine—containing fishing through the day and night.

Queen of the Columbia River's Salmon Jubilee was Bernice Warila, blonde, gray-eyed, of Finnish extraction, granddaughter of a pioneer river fisherman.

The opening day of the salmon fishing season on the River this year netted a record catch of the highly-prized King Chinook.

LITTLE WATER LEAKS ARE COSTLY SAYS CITY SECRETARY; BUT THEY MAY BE CURED BY USERS ATTENTION

"The City of Muleshoe has water to sell," remarked Albert Isaacs, city secretary, to a Journal representative the first of this week; "but it doesn't want to pay for it any more than they use or need. However, it is generally through their own carelessness, if they do," he continued.

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the householders' local system. Exacting tests have disclosed that the smallest leak pours out many gallons of water. A slow drip from one faucet, for example, means 450 gallons of water. A leak of one-thirty-second of an inch—slightly less than the diameter of an ordinary straight pin, dumps 7,920 gallons monthly into the drain. One-sixteenth inch—the size of the end of an ordinary pencil, wastes 3,200 gallons in 30 days. One-eighth inch opening means 12,000 gallons gone down the sewer in a month and one-quarter inch—the opening for an ordinary commode, 450,000 gallons. All of course adds to the bill, starting at 60 cents per 1,000 for the first 3,000 gallons and scaling down to a minimum of 10¢ cents per 1,000.

Leaking commodes, said Isaacs, are probably the most common contributor to leakage bills. But any part of the yard plumbing may be responsible for water passing through the meter, it is the city's responsibility. But through the meter, it is the patron's water and any loss falls upon him.

of last week. Many new and interesting garments were shown by Miss Stewart and all urged dresses for the clothing contest to be held at Muleshoe July 16.

Visitors present were: Mrs. Jewel Rackley of Enoch, and Miss Maggie Dean Harrel. Members present were: Mesdames Jim Henderson, G. W. Fine, Auline Davis, T. G. Miller, Dixie Tipton, N. O. Sullivan, W. L. Key and Miss Lola Key. Delicious refreshments were served by the A-H Club.

Girls' 4-H Club The 4H club girls met at their clothing contest, June 30. Miss Imogene Laney's, Wednesday afternoon. An interesting program was given. A very modern and convenient closet was shown to those present. Miss Stewart gave a demonstration on the arrangement of a dresser drawer.

Visitors present were: Mrs. Oscar Shaver of St. Louis, Mo., Mrs. John C. Tyson, of Maple, Mrs. Frank Shaver, Mrs. Ed Hulse, Mrs. D. P. Brinker, Mrs. T. R. Redden, Mrs. Joy Lane, Mrs. W. R. Underdown, Mrs. G. W. Fine, Mrs. J. R. Rackley, Mrs. N. O. Sullivan, Miss Lola Key, Mrs. T. G. Miller, Mrs. Dixie Tipton, Mrs. J. R. Henderson, Miss Ruth Helson of Enoch.

Sponsor Mrs. Auline Davis and the girls who modeled dresses were: Maggie Dean Harrel, LeVina Cook, Junitta Henderson, Nellie Shaver, Evelyn Underdown, Bernice Breedlove, Hazel Rackley, Jane Key and Imogene Laney. Delicious refreshments were served by the girls.—Reporter.

"Fip" Slang Term "Fip" was a slang term used during early American history to denote a monetary value of 6 1/2 cents, or a half shilling. Two fips equalled a bit, a shilling, worth 12 1/2 cents. Two bits is a term used today to describe a quarter.

The National Archives The National Archives is a public record office, designed primarily to serve specialized groups such as officials and scholars. Visitors, however, find much to interest them.

Needmore News

Quarterly conference meets at Amherst July 4. Everyone must try to go. Rev. White, presiding elder from Plainville, will preach at Needmore the night of July 4.

Needmore revival meeting will start Friday, July 30. Rev. Ed Tharp will bring the messages.

Miss Lois Harvey and Clark Harvey are home again. They took about two week's vacation going through several states to reach North Carolina. The B. T. U. of Canyon sent Clark as a delegate. We know they must have seen many beautiful places.—Reporter.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS PARTY

Progress Intermediate Sunday school class members were entertained with a tacky party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lowry, Saturday night of last week.

About three months ago the teacher Mrs. Roland Bigham let the class begin a contest, being divided into two groups, the red and the blue. Boyd New Lowry was chosen leader of the reds and Bernice Hogan of the blues. The contest was a membership race. It closed Sunday June 20 and the blues won. Therefore, the reds were to entertain with a party.

Several games were played which everyone enjoyed. A prize was given to the tackiest girl and tackiest boy, Jewel Dean Williams and Deon Awtry won.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bigham and daughters, Juanita and Greyeth. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lowry and daughter Imogene and sons Boyd Neal and Boyce, Mr. and Mrs. Hurst, and daughter, Bonnie Jean, and son, Mrs. Jess Murray and daughter, Jerene and Dorothy Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Williams and daughters, Jewel Dean, J. L. Mrs. W. B. Gwyn and son, June, Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young and son, Jack, Miss Helen Jensen, Mildred Walker, Bernice Hogan, Hazel Ward, Edna Ward, Martha Green, Grace Chitwood, Dee Chitwood, Garland Kennedy, Gordon Kennedy, Cleo Ward, Ralph Davis, Deon Awtry, Alvin Chitwood, Claude Parish, Wayne Garth, and also, Wayne Garth, of Baileyboro. Everyone reported a very enjoyable time.—Reporter.

WEST TEXAS OAT RECORD

What is believed to be a West Texas oat yield record was set in Runnels county when Carol Howard, who farms in the rich Colorado river valley five miles southwest of Ballinger, threshed 725 bushels of oats from a seven acre tract.

Howard sold the oats at 36 cents a bushel, obtaining \$267 for the lot or slightly more than \$37 per acre.

\$10 AWARD HERE SATURDAY

Cash awards totaling \$10 were made here last Saturday by Muleshoe business concerns to the following: O. M. Long, Baileyboro, \$5; Ruth Baudrick, south of Muleshoe, \$3; Fay Bybee, \$2.

Names of W. H. Awtry, Mrs. Fred Detterman and Darold Bell were called for the \$5 award; but were absent.

Anagrams Used by Romans Anagrams, were known to the Greeks and Romans and became popular throughout Europe in the Middle ages.

ITS MAD DOG SEASON

Hot weather of the past 10 days has brought forth reports from various towns of this section of dogs gone mad, biting people and livestock. Dog heads sent to Austin laboratory for investigation have shown they were afflicted with rabies. People of this section are warned to be watchful of such animals.

Of course, many dogs merely the victims of intestinal worms, have convulsions, while other dogs indulge in slobbering for lack of water during hot days, frequently innocent animals become the victim of bullets when not afflicted with hydrophobia; but it will pay everyone to be watchful and careful, taking no chances.

FREE CONCERT AT JENNINGS

"Uncle" John Willis and his orchestra will give a concert at Jennings Food store Saturday from nine to 10:30 p. m.

Many people have enjoyed the music of this organization which comes to them over KICA radio from Clovis, N. M.

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MULESHOE, TEXAS

LOCALS

● Geo. Erickson of Levelland was here last Monday on business.

● Miss Doris Churchill is visiting Miss Ethel Claire Ryan at Wheeler.

● John C. Ryan, of Fort Worth, was here on business Friday of last week.

● Clyde Holt, of Morton, was in Muleshoe on business Sunday.

● Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams were Clovis, N. M., visitors last Sunday.

● Miss Opal Sniker of Bala community spent the weekend with Miss Alma Stewart.

● County Judge M. G. Miller and Roy Fugh of Baleyboro made a business trip to Lubbock last Tuesday.

● Mrs. Bill Lasater of Amarillo, visited here Thursday of last week with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Beavers and family.

● D. O. Smith is the owner of a new Ford V-8 coupe purchased last week of the Muleshoe Motor Co.

● Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Maston of Sudan were here last Monday visiting friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. Leo Stults of Wellington were here Friday of last week visiting friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate spent the weekend in Roswell, N. M., visiting with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Tillman.

● Judge M. G. Miller and Curtis Taylor made a business trip to Pampa, Thursday of last week.

● Miss Avanelle Metherall has gone to Paducah, Ky., where she has accepted a position in an insurance office.

● S. D. Harrison, of Memphis, owner of 1,700 acres of Baley county land, was here last Tuesday looking after business interests.

● C. H. Addington, of Hartley was here the latter part of last week repairing his property damaged by the recent hail storm.

● Cecil Wylie, convicted two years ago in Baley County District court on a statutory charge, has been paroled by Governor Allied.

● E. H. Wood, local plumber, was taken to a Lubbock sanitarium last Monday for diagnosis of his condition of low blood pressure.

● Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Prescott of Amarillo, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Prescott last Sunday.

● Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Stay of Wellington were here looking after property interests last Monday, they having a farm in the Watson community.

● Miss Margaret St. Clair, of Farwell, home demonstration agent for Farmer county, was the guest of Miss Alma Stewart last Sunday.

● Miss Twila Farrell, who has been attending Linfield college at McMinnville, Oregon, returned to her home here for the summer vacation period.

● L. A. Goodwin, of San Antonio, was here Friday and Saturday of last week making property adjustments on buildings where roofs had been damaged by the recent hail storm.

● W. R. Jordan of Lamar, Colo., was here the first of this week prospecting for a location with the idea of becoming a Baley county citizen. He was well pleased with this section.

● Houston Hart has accepted a position in the Muleshoe State Bank, taking the place of Walter Moeller, who had to resign because of the recent death of his father.

● Among those attending the baseball game at Sudan last Sunday from here were Judge M. G. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts.

● Chas. Whitaker, loquacious and friendly insurance district agent from Lubbock, was here last Friday on business and a guest at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon.

● L. P. Gaetler, former Muleshoe business man; but now residing at Olney, was here the latter part of last week on business. He is moving to Wichita Falls, and ordered the Journal to pay its weekly visit to his home there.

● C. O. Stone, Anarillo, district supervisor for the Federal Land Bank, Houston, was here on business the latter part of last week and was a guest at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon last Friday.

● Mrs. R. W. Tyson, former Muleshoe resident; but now living at Bartlesville, Okla., was here the first of this week looking after her farm interests a few miles east of town and making improvements of Muleshoe rental property.

● FOR SALE or Trade: Diamond T truck, Case thresher, Holt combine. See Walter Moeller, Muleshoe. 22-2c

● Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Douglass and daughters, Misses Neva and Tidwell, left Sunday for a visit with relatives in Tennessee, Missouri and Illinois. They expect to be away about two weeks.

● Among those from Muleshoe who were seen in Clovis, N. M., Tuesday night were Prof. C. B. Stevens, Clarence Goins, Misses Joe V. Goins, Mary Holt, Eunice Griffiths, Helen Holt, R. E. Willis, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrel Little.

● 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 C. W. Mayers, at A. A. Kuchin ranch. 16-1c

● Mrs. Irma Mitchell and daughter, Mrs. Ferrel Little spent Sunday in Morton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holt. Little Jimmy Holt, grandson of Mrs. Mitchell, being quite ill. R. E. Willis accompanied them on their return to Muleshoe.

● A marriage license was issued last Saturday afternoon by J. J. Williams, county clerk to Harlin Penner and Miss Visclare Smith, both of Plainview. Their marriage was performed later that afternoon by County Judge M. G. Miller.

● Mrs. Mary Davis, Misses Mildred Davis and Alma Stewart were in Clovis, N. M., last Sunday evening to see the movie, "I met him in Paris." It is reported both young ladies will soon start for Paris to see whom they met.

● Miss Grace Churchill was hostess at a lawn party held at her country home, two and a half miles north of Muleshoe, Thursday night of last week, about 20 young people being present. Following a round of jolly games on the lawn, refreshments of punch and cookies were served the guests.

● Information was received here last Tuesday that Walter Black, well known former Muleshoe citizen, but now living at Lamesa, is confined in a Lubbock sanitarium, as result of being struck by a falling timber while working for the Dawson County Oil Mill Co. He is reported slowly recovering from his injuries.

● Judge M. G. Miller and Miss Elizabeth Harden attended the box and pie supper held at Fairview, Friday night of last week, the judge auctioning off the delicious pies and daintily prepared boxes. The proceeds received will go to sending Miss Haley, a 4-H club girl as delegate to the A. & M. Short Course at College Station, her trip being sponsored by the Fairview and Joyland communities.

● Mrs. Sparks, wife of Dr. I. J. Sparks former Muleshoe citizen, but now living at Olton, in Lamb county, died Saturday of last week. Funeral services being conducted the following day and interment in the Olton cemetery. Three weeks previous to her death she had undergone an emergency operation at a Plainview sanitarium from which she never recovered. Funeral services were attended by Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alsop, Mr. and Mrs. Julian Lema, Mrs. E. C. Smith and Miss Adis Watta, this city.

● Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy born Friday of last week. It is reported (unofficially) that groceries at the Gilbreath store took a sudden drop of 20 per cent, regardless of the skyrocketing tendency of commodities, in celebration of this happy event. Grandpa is walking around like a turkey gobler just before Thanksgiving day, while the young dame is experiencing some difficulty in refraining from eating cabbage, his favorite summer vegetable, for fear it will give the baby colic.

● M. W. Pool Jr. met with a serious auto accident last week when his car driven by his sister-in-law, Mrs. John House, collided with a stray mule loitering on the high way near Jal, N. M. The car was practically demolished in the collision, so much so that a new one had to be purchased. Mrs. House received back injuries, the extent of which have not yet been determined. Others riding with her escaped with slight abrasions and bruises. The car in missing the animal turned over in the barbet, according to report. Just a few minutes later, another car passing the same spot struck the mule with serious consequences, details of which were not learned.

West Camp News

Mrs. Luther Blakely gave a musical Monday night in honor of her cousins, Machine Smith of Palestine and Billy McCoy of Wheeler.

Wilma Louise Snider underwent an operation at Houli, Okla., last week. She is reported doing nicely.

Allen Green returned home Monday from Lubbock where she underwent an operation.

Nora Lee Dotson is doing nicely since having her tonsils removed in a Lubbock sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Smith visited in the Joe Thompson home at Muleshoe, Sunday.

Mrs. B. Waller visited with her son, Raymond and family, Saturday.

H. D. Club Meet

The ladies H. D. club met with Mrs. Chas. Pruitt, Wednesday, June 23.

Mrs. Jodie Bright was elected as our delegate to go to College Station.

A play will be given July 9 at the school auditorium. We will sell ice cream. No admission for the play will be charged.

Ice cream was served by the hostesses to Mesdames Luttrell, H. Adair, J. Bright, E. L. Smith, Pepper, A. Smith, Roark, Odus Thompson, Chas. Sellars, Blakely and Misses Mariene Smith, Farnes and Mary Luttrell.

Next meeting will be an all day session with Mrs. Asa Smith.—Reporter.

Godland News

A half inch rain fell over our community Sunday night.

There was a large crowd out for Sunday school Sunday. About 60 attended every Sunday.

J. B. Barrow, Jr., is in a little field house after rain from our school.

Mrs. Amy Bennett and Patsy of Canyon, visited home folks over the weekend.

Lindell Castle is in wheat harvest on the East Plains.

S. W. Matthey was in Lubbock on business Wednesday.

F. H. Wood had the misfortune of losing a wheel on his car Saturday.

Lester Lancaster has returned from wheat harvest near Petersburg.

The young folks enjoyed a weller feast at Mrs. G. R. McKenzie's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Carter visited relatives and friends in Littlefield Sunday his mother returning with them after visiting there several days.

H. D. Tarleton and daughter, La Vonne, Mrs. W. W. Cagle, Johnnie Bob Jones and Johnnie Boyett were in Morton, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Vandever are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. A. Newman and family.—Reporter.

MULESHOE H. D. CLUB MEET

The Muleshoe Home Demonstration club met Thursday of last week in the home of Mrs. Buford Butts.

Miss Alma Stewart, county agent, gave a talk and demonstration on the subject, "What a Child May Wear." Three points were stressed: health of child clothing, materials best suited for children, and type of clothing for a child.

The new "Dress Alone" or "Self Help" suits were shown. These suits were buttonless, and a boon to a busy mother, besides teaching the child confidence and self-reliance.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, sand tarts and coconut macaroons served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be July 8, with Mrs. J. J. DeShazo—Reporter.

SEW AND SO CLUB MEET

Members of the Sew and So club met with Mrs. Finley Pierson Friday afternoon of last week for an afternoon of sewing and friendly enjoyment.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Jay Weyer, Lucille Rockey, Opal Poole, A. E. Lewis, Morris Douglass, Cecil Tate and Finley Pierson.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Pursuant to Chapter No. 861, regular session 48th Legislature, the Commissioners' Court of Motley County, Texas, will offer for a commercial lease to the highest and best (cash) bidder, approximately 885 acres of land, divided into five separate tracts as follows:

Labor No. 18-23-24 and 25, in League No. 178; and

Labor No. 3, in League No. 179, of the Motley County school land located in Baley county, Texas, near Baleyboro.

All the aforesaid five labors must be included under one contract, (all royalty reserved by county) and for a term not exceeding five years.

Said bids will be opened and considered at 1:30 o'clock, August 10th, 1937, in the office of the County Judge, City of Matador, Motley County, Texas. The court reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. R. Cummack, County Judge, Motley County, Texas.

June 24, July 1, 1937.

Pacific Tides Higher

Tides on the Pacific coast are generally higher than those on the Atlantic coast, partly because of eastward winds.

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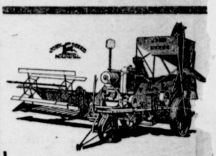
Do we ever lose our faults? Seldom. But often we acquire more polished manners.

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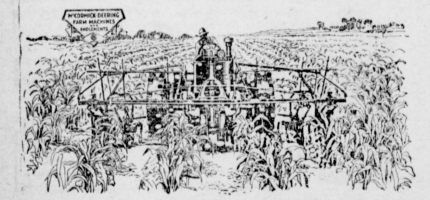
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YE OLD TIME O. E. S. PROGRAM GIVEN AT CLOVIS TUESDAY NIGHT

A very interesting Eastern Star program was put on by Covis, N. M., members Tuesday night being attended by delegations of other members from various neighboring towns, including Muleshoe.

The program was largely a demonstration of the esoteric work of that order as given in its early days, members of the official cast being dressed in colonial costumes, including hoop skirts, bustles, etc. The program was accompanied and interspersed with vocal and instrumental numbers adding to its interest. There was a charge of 25 cents each for admission, the proceeds going toward completing the big Masonic monument building at Washington, D. C.

Those attending from Muleshoe were Mesdames Naomi St. Clair, Rosa Stidham, Virginia Weyer, Bonnie Isaacs, H. C. Holt, Lora Mae Coker, Hattie Griffiths, Cleo Goins, Thelma Stevens, Mr. Hart, Zula Carlyle, Eva Harper, Irma Mitchell, Miss Elizabeth Harden, and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Klump.

INJURED IN AUTO WRECK

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Barber of Progress community, accompanied by another man and woman whose names were not learned, were victims of an automobile wreck last Saturday afternoon near Crowell when their car struck a milk can which had rolled from off a truck ahead of them.

Mrs. Barber received several cuts about the face while other members of the party received skin abrasions and bruises which took the joy out of the contemplated visit they had planned, so the entire party returned to Muleshoe last Sunday, stopping here for medical treatment on their way back home.

SOUTH PLAINS BAPTIST MEET

Pastors and lay leaders from approximately 200 Baptist churches of 20 South Plains counties, representing a membership of 32,000 held an all day session in Lubbock last Monday in interest of the 100,000 soul winning campaign of the summer.

Dr. E. C. Campbell, former Lubbock pastor and now executive secretary of the Texas Baptist association, was the principal speaker of the day. Various board meetings were held, evangelism being the principal theme of discussion by the nearly 1,000 delegates attending.

RAINS SUNDAY NIGHT

Rain in this vicinity last Sunday night put a temporary crimp into wheat harvesting until the sun dried out fields again.

From a quarter to a half inch rain is reported in Needmore, Longview and Baleyboro sections, also across the south part of county, and north of Muleshoe, beginning near the east line of Baley county, there was an average of one-half inch rain extending through Earth, Olton and into Plainview.

Between Plainview and Sudan still heavier rain was reported gradually diminishing in quantity toward Lubbock. Other sections of Baley county did not even get light showers.

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WEEKLY LAY SERMON
EXEGERNCIES VS. EXPLOITS

By JESS MITCHELL

Exigencies invariably call for exploits. When a person or a nation gets in a precarious situation some one or more people have to stretch themselves to get them out. Such a situation calls for heroic action, and America has been fortunate in that she has always had some one ready to tighten their belt and throw themselves into the breach of difficulty to dam the flow of trouble.

An exigency makes for an opportunity and opportunity paves the way for heroic exploits. Very few generals would be wearing medals of honor; but for past wars General Wheeler would have been little known but for the Spanish-American war and Lieut. Hobson would have missed lots of feminine admiration and occasion but for his opportunity of sinking the Merrimack during that embargo. Generals Poch and Pershing would never have been lauded to the skies but for the World War. Even George Washington might never have been known as the father of his country but for the War of the Revolution when the early colonists were being oppressed by England; something had to be done about it and Washington, comprehending the situation and catching a vision of need, took the lead.

For some extra exploit, some deed of daring to overcome it. That exigency may be financial, moral, domestic, social or political; but sometime during life most of us get caught between

two fires, are ground between two millstones, sit on the edge of some dangerous precipice, or in some other manner get pretty close to demolition, and definite, determined action, barding on to the heroic is often needed to relieve the situation.

During the past five years most of some trying commercial exigencies. A sudden change of the season has left merchants with too many goods of a certain weight on hands and little or no money to buy other merchandise needed for the present demand. During this period there have been plenty of farmers who faced the stone wall of defeat which effectively blocked every effort, many of them losing their farms and some, in a moment of weakness, cutting short their earthly careers because of such defeat. Professional men of all kinds have been exasperated to a point of drastic action, some completely puzzled as to what to do. Plenty of young men and young women, because of present economic conditions, have been put to their wit's end as to their future. Governmental leaders, under pressure of the exigency have, in many instances, arose to the point of great exploits in devising relief and assisting citizens over the hard and rough roads of travel.

During the past month multiplied thousands of young men and women have been stepping from the halls of learning as graduates of high schools

and colleges. Most of them are facing a very questionable future. It does not particular good for graduation orators to remind them of Lincoln or Washington or Teles, or Wamankota, or Michael Field. As the world grows older, it becomes more and more questionable regarding equal opportunity and more evident of the need of ability to grasp victory and grab success.

Equal opportunity is largely what has taken the morale out of thousands who have felt victims to relief lines or got WPA jobs. Nine hundred and ninety-nine of the inventions in the Patent office at Washington never yield enough money to pay for the expense of getting them; but occasionally some inventor perfects a mechanism greatly needed by the people and thus becomes highly honored. There are 10,000 pianists to one Lita or Paderewski, the same proportion holds to a Goddard or an equal amount of ordinary chislers to a Micahel Angelo.

Nearly everyone sometime during their life meets an exigency calling for action. Some how or other this old world has recently got into terrible twist and America has been awfully warped. If I were a commencement orator, I think I would candidly admit the situation and then throw a special emphasis of challenge to youth in my address to roll up their sleeves and buck the situation with all their might, but also for the betterment of the entire populace residing in this nation.

Economic and, other sorts of changes are becoming kaleidoscopic in action and multitudinous in number. No one knows exactly what we are getting into. With governmental socialistic tendencies, accompanied by these more drastic like communism and fascism, I am frank to admit I don't know just how the situation is going to be handled. In a nation that kills little pigs and calves when people need the meat for food, that destroys surplus crops when folks are still hungry; that invents machines to relieve workmen of drudgery and then fires these same men from jobs because the machines can do their work more rapidly and more efficiently that stops industry and lets factory wheels remain idle when humanity is in dire need of the very commodities they manufacture; that seeks to stop war by fostering the many things that actually produce war and making preparations for bigger and more disastrous wars while proclaiming pacifism ideas—I say I don't know how the future is going to be successfully handled.

I am frank to admit I am somewhat still living in the past generation and my schooling and ideas and experiences are not quite dove-tail into some of these modern economics now being fostered. I still believe in the old law of Supply and Demand and fail to see personal benefit of any hyperdermic shot in the economic arm. It looks to me at 57 years of age as though the entire world is getting rather cockeyed; yet the fact that it is so cockeyed furnishes the big opportunity and the mighty challenge to these young men and women who today are taking their places in the ranks of our mighty citizenship. Some of them are going to meet these present exigencies with mighty exploits of valor that will win for them everlasting fame and do it of incalculable value to their nation.

Just how they are going to do it, I don't know—their job. Most of us elderly chaps who have done our chores will soon be through champing the bit and swinging the sword. Some of us may have done a lot of slashing, but didn't hit much; a few will have accomplished considerably for their fellowman. I have a wonderful faith in these youngsters who today are girding up their loins and stepping into the forefront of affairs.

Sometime within the coming dozen years this old world is going to find a way to revamp itself considerably, and these young folks now stepping upon the threshold of activity are going to do the job. They are going to find some way to prevent starvation and need in the midst of plenty. They are going to find a way to stop the wholesale slaughter of war. They are going to take the kinks out of plenty of things now crooked and straighten them out as they should be. Just how they will do it, I don't know, but as I look over the mass of 1937 graduates I decide they are quite capable, and I say good luck to each and all of you!

OCTOGENARIAN IS HONORED

Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Jones, of Priona community entertained last Sunday at their farm home honoring Rev. W. L. Cockrell, father of Mrs. E. C. Chitwood, this city, with a birthday party on the occasion of his eighty-second anniversary.

There were about 75 friends and acquaintances present, a big dinner of wide variety and an enjoyable day spent by those attending. Those from Muleshoe present were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Chitwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Snyder and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Snyder and family, W. A. Cook and the honoree, Rev. W. L. Cockrell, who is visiting here.

DR. LEWIS IS NOW MAYOR

At a special meeting of the Muleshoe City Commission held Friday night of last week, Dr. A. Lewis, commissioner, was elevated to the office of mayor, to succeed the late C. F. Moeller. Julian Lenua, local druggist, was chosen commissioner to succeed Dr. Lewis.

County H. D. Council
Chooses Its Delegates
For The Short Course

Bailey County Home Demonstration Council met in the District Court room in Muleshoe Saturday June 26. Nineteen members and 14 visitors were present. Twelve of the 13 home demonstration clubs of the county were represented.

Mrs. D. O. Chester, of Joyland, was elected secretary to fill the vacancy made when Mrs. T. G. Miller of Walscott resigned. Miss Bert Darnell, chairman of the county clothing committee reported the county contest would be held on July 16, beginning at 10:30 a. m. at the Muleshoe high school building. Each one present was asked to bring a covered dish. She also reported eight prizes would be given.

The chairman appointed Mrs. Harold Mardis of Progress, chairman of the Sewing committee; Mrs. Vern Snyder of Muleshoe, chairman of the Table committee and Mrs. Roland Mathews of Y. L. chairman of the Tea committee.

Mrs. Claude Gage of Joyland was made chairman of the Short Course committee, and Mrs. Jodie Marlow of Fairview was appointed to serve with her. Mrs. Joe Howle of Stegall, chairman of the 4-H sponsors invited the club members of the county to visit the girls' clothing contest to be held July 24 in Muleshoe.

The two Bailey County Good Star girls, Anne Haley of Fairview and Opal Snicker of Dulais, were introduced and each gave a report of the club work she had done.

After the council meeting, a short course election meeting was held. The six clubs that wanted to send delegates were represented by a campaign manager who made the speech for her delegate. These making speeches were: Mrs. Everett Brewer of Enoch; Mrs. Harold Mardis of Progress; Mrs. Albert Simmons of Joyland; Mrs. A. R. Haley of Fairview; Mrs. Roark of West Camp; Mrs. S. L. Rollins of Y. L. The chairman appointed Mrs. Vandeventer of Enoch, Mrs. W. H. Kistler of Muleshoe and Miss Elzada McMahan, as clerks to hold the election.

Progress News

Charles Whitacre of Lubbock transacted business in this community Friday of last week. J. T. Stoval made a business trip to Farwell, Saturday of last week. Charles Griffith Jr., of Olton spent the week with his aunt, Mrs. W. B. Harlan last week.

Mrs. W. C. Kennedy was called to the bedside of her sister at Temple Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Parker have returned from Plainview where they have been in a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boone of Y. L. attended singing here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stoval visited at Circleback Sunday afternoon, grand mother Garner returning home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young attended singing here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harlan visited her brother Charles Griffith at Olton, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pruitt visited Mrs. T. I. Hollis at Muleshoe Sunday afternoon.

J. A. Khasner and Charlie Shannon were dinner guests in the home of W. M. Gaston, Friday of last week.

John Wilson of Merkel is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. C. Gray, also his mother Mrs. J. J. Wilson of the Muleshoe community.—Reporter.

Circleback News

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gage are the proud parents of a new baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunt have as their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Hood and family of Wichita Falls. Mrs. Hood is Mrs. Hunt's sister.

Rev. Guy Self's daughter underwent a mastoid operation Friday of last week in a Lubbock sanitarium. She is in a serious condition. Rev. Bryan of Plainview filled the appointment for Rev. Self, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hightower and family of Memphis, spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. G. O. Shannon and Mr. Shannon.

Lester and Alvie Patton visited their father in Ralls, Thursday of last week. Melba and June, Isaacs of Muleshoe are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Wells and family. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sims and Helen Lafon attended the singing at Progress Sunday.

The Lamb County Singing convention will be held at Olton, July 4. Mrs. Mays visited her daughter in Abilene Sunday. Mrs. Luther Hall and children have returned from a visit with relatives and friends of St. Jo and Ryan, Okla. Mrs. Van Rogers and Mrs. J. E. Hall left last week for St. Jo to visit with relatives.—Reporter.

TO INSTALL MASONIC OFFICERS

Installation of officers of the local Masonic order will take place Tuesday night, July 13, to which all Masons of this area are cordially invited attendance. Those recently elected and to be installed are: Dan Lynn, worshipful master; Curtis Taylor, senior warden; W. C. Cox, junior warden; R. J. Klump, secretary; C. R. Stevens, treasurer; W. E. Renfro, Tyler; A. J. Gardner, senior deacon; Cecil H. Tate, junior deacon. Other officers will be appointed before installation date.

TURKEY GROWERS CO-OPERATE

Headquarters of the recently organized Southwestern Turkey Improvement association, a recent combination of state organizations who have pooled their selling interests of these birds, will be established at Plainview and headed by Paul R. Cunyus.

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Advertisement for Jennings Food Store, featuring a list of products and prices such as BRING US YOUR EGGS, WE PAY MORE, and a large section for Jennings Food Store in Muleshoe, Texas.

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IT STARTED LAST SATURDAY
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- BOYS STRAW HATS, reg. 25c val. each 19
- BERRY BOWL 19
- 2 1/2 qt PITCHER 19
- 10 1/2 in. size
- NEW ANKLETS 09
- Turkish Towels 19
- Children's sizes, pair
- 22x44, bath size
- Womens Panties 19
- NEW Tumblers 09
- Knit rayon, novelty stripe
- Gay sparkling designs, 2 for
- Clean's Tissues 09
- OIL CLOTH 19
- 200 sheets in box
- Full 46-in wide, yard
- Shirts - Shorts 19
- Fast color broadcloth, each
- SHOE POLISH 09
- PAPER Napkins 09
- 100 ample size package
- FLY Swatters 09
- SLACK SOCKS 19
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Bailey Co. Schools Get \$4,391 In State Per Capita Payment

Mulleshoe school districts last week received a total of \$4,391 state per capita payment, representing \$17 of the full \$19,000 to be paid schools this year. The payment was apportioned to the schools on the basis of their scholastic population as follows:

Progress 174, Circleback 338, Liberty 1125, West Camp 1168, Goodland 1342, Baileyboro 1938, Stegall 374, Watson 1338, Fairview 1172, Louvieux 1322, Wilson 1592, Mulleshoe 8022, Buia 1554. The sum of \$2,000 is yet due from the state to be paid before September 1.

67 AT BB 4-H CLUB MEET

The 4-H club girls met at Cora Lee Williams clothing demonstrator. She had her closet fixed, opening up the door on it. It cost \$1.00 and was made of a refrigerator box. There were three shelves and a shoe rack in it. We had two speakers, two speeches by Verna Ruth Young and June Arnold, and modeled our dresses. We answered the roll call by telling what all we had made this year.

Miss Alma Stewart reported there were 13 dresses modeled and 67 people were there. She gave a demonstration on dresser drawers and how they should be arranged.

Then the committee served candy and Juanita served Kool-aid.

We will meet July 9 at the school house for the demonstration on canning beets.

Those present were: Maude Ruphine Coffman, Evelyn Young, Ethel Lee Smith, Helen Arnold, Melba Gates, June Arnold, Loreta Truebeck, Florence Jones, Verna Ruth Young, Vernetta Van Camp, Cora Lee Williams, Ednice Rogers, Robba Wrinkle, Lometa Warner, Ama Lous Chitwood, Mary Jane Chitwood, Nelma Pearl Angel, Loreta Angel, Phyllis Ledo Angel, Anita Mae Warner, Helen Gene Warner, Joy Dan Warner, Verona Warner, Wanda Joyce Clements, Travis Clements, Mrs. W. H. Starkey, Mrs. W. S. Rogers, Miss Jamie Lou Garth, Mrs. V. B. Mays, Mrs. L. D. Preston, Mrs. J. M. Angel, Mrs. Curtis Moore, Mrs. Claude Coffman, Mrs. Alto Chitwood, Mrs. Mattie Brown, Mrs. Ruth Clements, Mrs. H. H. Cooper, Mrs. W. A. Wrinkle, Mrs. Jim Clements, Mrs. D. Warner, Mrs. J. B. Young, Miss Alma Stewart, Mrs. E. M. Gates, Grace Lee Garth, Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mrs. Lonnie Arnold, Byrdine Wallis, Mrs. Opal Wallis, Mrs. Opal Lafon, Geneva Lafon, Amelia Starkey, Dean Moore, Neva Wallis, Patsy Wallis, Billie Louise Brown, Lettie Lee Young, Jimmie Mae Clement, Juanita Williams, Beverly Kay Arnold, Neil Roy Arnold, Mary Louise Arnold, Margaret Smith, Lorena Truebeck, Joe Smith, Bill Williams, Mr. Williams.—Reporter.

Legume Inoculation Shows Big Increases Of State Production

College Station. The practice of inoculating legumes with a culture of nitrogen bacteria has made astonishing gains in Texas during the past few years, according to E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas Extension Service, who pointed to a planting of 65,000 acres of artificially inoculated legumes in 1936 as compared with 12,000 acres in 1935.

Sales of nitrogen cultures in Texas so far in the year show an increase of 29 percent over the same period in 1936, Miller said, and indicate that more than 84,000 acres of legumes will be artificially inoculated in 1937.

County agricultural agents have been pointing out to farmers that legumes store nitrogen in the soil through the presence of nitrogen fixing bacteria, and Miller explained that if legumes are to make satisfactory growth and are to furnish the utmost profit in stored nitrogen, they must be plentifully supplied with these bacteria.

Agonomists have long been under the impression that after a given piece of land had been planted to legumes, the nitrogen fixing bacteria remained in the soil indefinitely, and that the future plantings of legumes did not need to be inoculated. Recent experiments have shown, however, that even where bacteria are present in the soil, they were not as effective as those furnished in fresh cultures. Since the cost of artificial inoculation is very small, and cultures carrying direction for use are available at most seed houses, Miller is of the opinion that it will pay farmers to inoculate all legumes at planting time.

HUGHES RAISES CAPONS

As a new source of farm income this year, E. E. Hughes of West Camp, has included the production of capons in his poultry enterprise. He recently captioned about 30 cockerels of the White Wyandotte breed.

Although Mr. Hughes has only a small number of capons, he will have a comparison this year between capon and turkey production as he has a number of good poult on feed at this time.

CIRCLEBACK BAPTIST MEET

Baptists of the West Plains association held their regular monthly conference at Circleback, eastern Bailey county, Tuesday of this week.

Speakers scheduled on the program were Rev. J. M. Reynolds, Mulleshoe; Rev. Willis J. Ray, Littlefield; Rev. C. A. Joiner, Lockney, a former Sudan pastor; Rev. A. V. Bradley, Anton and Rev. A. A. Brian, district missionary. Sessions of the Association board and WMU were held during the afternoon.

Baileyboro News

A light rainfall Monday morning produced the biggest crop of frogs yet heard in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Glenn of San Gabriel, Calif., were the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Mays last week.

Regular ten o'clock Sunday school with eleven o'clock services conducted by Rev. Moore, Sunday, with evening services at 8:00 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend worship here each Sunday.

H. D. Club Meeting
The ladies H. D. club met at the school house Tuesday, June 22, 25 members being present, also two new members, namely Mrs. H. H. Cooper and Miss Byrdine Wallis.

Three visitors, Mesdames D. Warner, L. D. Preston and Wrinkle. The chairman, Mrs. Bill Starkey called the meeting to order. A new vice chairman was selected, namely Mrs. Alton Garth. Mrs. Lonnie Arnold was elected as council delegate. The meeting was then turned over to Miss Alma Stewart.

Her topic was children's clothing featuring a new one piece garment. Each mother was anxious to have the pattern.

At the close of the meeting the club members drove over to the home of Cora Lee Williams, where the girls 4-H club was having their Achievement Day program. Mrs. A. J. Smith sponsor for the girls stated 67 persons registered at the club.

The next meeting will be July 13 at 2:00 o'clock at the school house.—Reporter.

ENTERTAINS CLUB SPONSORS

Miss Alma Stewart, Bailey County home demonstration agent, entertained the 4-H club sponsors of the county with a buffet luncheon at the home of Mrs. Snow Davis, last Saturday.

A yellow and orange color scheme was carried out. The table center was of yellow sunflowers with yellow candles in orange candle holders. The menu consisted of chicken salad, butter, parsley and peanut sandwiches, pickles, carrots, deviled eggs, macarons and lead tea.

After the meal was finished, a short business meeting of the sponsors was held. Mrs. Joe Howie of Stegall was elected chairman of the sponsors. Plans were made for the canned fruit test to be held in Mulleshoe, August 2. Sponsors present were: Mrs. Guy Berry of Enochs; Mrs. Joe Howie, of Stegall; Mrs. Ruby Williams of Y. L.; Mrs. A. J. Smith of Baileyboro.

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