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Property Valuation Of Muleshoe Is Now Estimated Well Over Million And Half Dollars, Still Growing

Naturally, with an increased population during the past 10 years, as shown by the U. S. census recently taken, there also accrues an increased property valuation. That valuation has increased quite gradually until the last two or three years when, with apparently no direct boosting cause, it has increased more rapidly.

and 1940, which also show a decided increase. According to her figures the assessed valuation of Muleshoe for 1939 was \$676,436.00; for 1940 that valuation is \$754,076.00, an increase of \$77,640.00.

The Population Of Bailey County Is 1,131 People

at the population of Bailey county has increased 1,131 people during the past 10 years is the report released by Robert H. Bean, Abilock, supervisor of the U. S. Census for this district.

Recreation Project For Youth Favored By Citizens

At the weekly meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last Friday noon the principal theme of discussion was a recreation project for the children of Bailey county.

The census for 1930 showed a population for this county of 5,186, whereas preliminary report for 1940 shows a total of 6,317 people residing in this political subdivision.

It is conservatively estimated the present actual property values of Muleshoe are now well over \$1,500,000.00, the additional improvements last year being estimated at \$140,000.00.

Women Delegates Of Bailey County To Short Course

Bailey county is to be represented at A. & M. short course on July 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, by five 4-H club girls, a sponsor and three home demonstration club women delegates.

Many Compete For \$25,000 Given On Trades Day Here

Financial attractions and numerous others of an economic business nature brought a good crowd of visitors to Muleshoe last Saturday for the first Trades Day event of this year.

COTTON CHOPPERS NOW ARRIVING

Beginning last week cotton choppers in large numbers began invading Bailey county, mostly Mexican and Negro, with a few whites mixed in.

CCC CALL WILL BE MADE JULY 1

A call has been issued by the government for more CCC enrollees July 1 from Texas and New Mexico, nearly 2,000 youths to be accepted in this state and 1,180 in New Mexico.

PITY THE POOR CADDY



Regulations Issued On Wheat Loans In South Plains Area

Regulations under which federal government loans may be made on 1940 wheat have been issued by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration state office at College Station and farmers should contact the office before attempting to secure loans.

War In France Is Ended; Others Carry On

Vanquished France officially laid down her shattered arms Tuesday, a victim of the military might of Germany, aided and abetted by Italy. As an immediate result general mourning reigned throughout that nation, it being designated as the saddest day in her history.

Eleven Bailey County Schools, Standard State Reports

That practically all schools in Bailey county are now standardized, is the import of a letter received last Saturday by M. G. Miller, county superintendent, from Edgar E. Wilson, director of education, Austin, who enumerated such standardization to date.

Bailey Co. Granted \$21,273 In State School Funds

AUSTIN—Public schools in Bailey county have been granted \$16,234 in equalization aid for the 1939-40 school year, L. A. Woods, state superintendent of schools, reported to the county.

War Preparation Requires Citizen Coordination As Well As Making Of Big Quantities Of Munitions

With the United States rapidly embarking on a defense program unprecedented in its national history, it is also becoming rapidly realized there is going to be considerably more required for such defense than just physical preparation.

RAISING GRADE ON STATE HIGHWAY NO. 28

Work on raising the grade on State Highway No. 28 will be started this week.

HOPKINS CO. FOLKS WILL CELEBRATE

A reunion of Hopkins county citizens living in West Texas is to be held at McKinzie park, Lubbock, July 11, to which all such citizens of this area are invited.

GEORGE HAINES BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Funeral services for George Haines, 51, were held here Tuesday afternoon from the Baptist church and interment made in the Muleshoe cemetery.

2.28 INCHES OF RAIN TO DATE IN JUNE

Rains fell here last week total 1.08 inches, according to the local weather station, bringing the total precipitation for June up to 1.89 inches.

OLD SETTLERS MEET IN FARMER CO.

Old Settlers Day, scheduled to be held Friday (tomorrow) at Bovina, will mark a festive date for Farmer county old-timers.

YOUNG PUTS IN FEED MIXER IN MULESHOE

The Young is this week erecting at the rear of the Muleshoe Hatchery building a tile and concrete building which, when completed, will house a feed grinding and mixing outfit for animals.

RECRUITING OFFICE OPENED AT AMARILLO

A United States Marine corps recruiting has been opened in the post office building at Amarillo for applicants of that service.

Progress News

Progress H. D. Club Meet
The Progress H. D. Club met with Mrs. W. O. Holley Tuesday of last week in a business meeting. The pie supper to be held in connection with the candidate speaking was discussed.
Plans were made for a social to be held at the home of Mrs. W. G. Kennedy the night of July 4, such plans will be completed at the next club meeting.
Miss Bessie Vinson was appointed reporter in the absence of Mrs. M. A. Springstube.
The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. G. Kennedy, Tuesday, July 2. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Miss Gentry will be present and give a demonstration on cinnamon rolls and pecan butter scotch rolls.
Visitors present were Mrs. J. A. Wimberley and Miss Myrleen Wimberley. Members attending were Misses, Bessie Vinson, Jerene Murrah, Elzada McMahan, Eunice Humphrey and Evadna Holley, Mesdames; O. Q. Holley, H. L. Lowry, Byron Gwyn, K. P. McLaren, J. J. Gross, Marie Dickinson, Gertrude Scott, Beatrice Vinson, Ross Goodwin, E. W. Gray, W. E. Bearden, Lela Gulley, Lucille Gross, Marie Malby, Ada Murrah, Elva Gregory, Willie Davis, T. A. McLaren and the hostess Mrs. W. O. Holley.
Teed punch was served to all present.
A large crowd attended the pie supper and candidate speaking the 19th. Proceeds amounted to \$48.00 and will be divided with the 4-H club boys and girls and the H. D. club women.
Miss Mary Dell Gene received a box of candy for being voted the most popular girl.
Davis Gulley received a package of dates for being voted the most "bashful bachelor."—Reporter

SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION FOR AAA BENEFITS
A school of instruction was held at the court house here Monday and Tuesday under direction of J. C. Smith, county A. A. representative and attended by about 60 pupils, men, women and younger people, some of whom look forward to accepting work under the AAA should they pass the examination.
The school is to train people who measure land for AAA benefits, and for training others as clerks for checking such measurements with planimeter checking of aerial maps for accuracy.

WEST CAMP CLUB TO MEET TUES. NIGHT
The regular meeting of the Community club will be held at West Camp school house next Tuesday night, July 2, at which time the ladies will give a program, including a one act play.
The feature of the evening will be a pie supper given by members of the boys 4-H club, proceeds to be used in defraying expenses of delegates to the Short Course at A. & M. college. Everyone is invited to attend.

Manx Spoken in Isle of Man
Manx, an ancient Celtic language, is spoken to some extent in the Isle of Man off the northwest coast of Great Britain.

Honor A Muleshoe Bride On Eve Of Her Departure

A very lovely social affair was the bridal shower given by Mesdames E. R. Hart, K. K. Smith and Jim Cook, Monday afternoon at the Baptist church annex in honor of Mrs. Joe Crowley, whose marriage took place at Taos, N. M., last week.
Decorations representative of Mexico were carried out in the entire arrangement. Wild sunflowers, the New Mexico state flower, and cacti, were beautifully arranged in colorful Mexican pottery vases.
The bride's table was very charming with its Mexican scarf on which were draped long strings of red peppers and was centered with the native flower in a bright blue vase.
Little Dixie Jennings sang, "South of the Border."
Donnie McDermott and Jo Adeene Waggon were tiny bride and groom who came in bringing a white covered wagon on their crewed, "The steamer proclaiming 'Taos or Bust'." They presented the honoree with the wagon and, upon examination, she found it loaded with many beautiful gifts from her friends.
Mrs. Billie Jo Damon Smith presided at the lovely bride's table. The white taffeta with the hand painted scene "La Siesta," in true Mexican style on the back.
Refreshments were served to about 60 guests.
Mr. and Mrs. Crowley left immediately after the shower for their new home at Taos, N. M.

Watson News

The Y. W. A. girls met Thursday night June 20 in the home of Evelyn Mueller. We selected our creed, "To make Y. W. A. more enthusiastic," and our motto, "Attain Your Goal, Then Keep Climbing." Refreshments of ice cream and cookies were served to the following: Coleen McMillan, Addie Martha Fort, Amanda Long and the hostess. The next meeting will be at the school house July 9.
Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Fort and family, visited in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Bill Key at West Camp, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Long and family visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Long at Maple, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ellis and son, A. J., returned home Thursday of last week from San Antonio. All reported a good time in spite of the suburbs.
Mrs. G. W. Fine and Mrs. Garvin Long worked the community for the Red Cross last Wednesday. They collected around \$25.00.
Roger Harvey and family visited at Watson last Sunday and Monday.
Mr. Whittier and son Andrew and his family visited relatives and friends at Waco, last week.—Reporter

Mrs. Grady Newman and daughter have just returned from Limestone county where they have been visiting the past two weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shirley visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Schmitz Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Newton and family spent last weekend with her mother at Plainview.

Patsy Walls spent last week visiting her grand parents in Morton.—Reporter.

Fairview Items

Rev. Cole preached at his regular time Sunday. A goodly number was there for Sunday school and church.
Rev. Vernon Greag will preach the first Sunday in July at his regular hour.
The 5th Sunday singing will be at Fairview, Sunday.
The sand storm that came Sunday afternoon damaged the crops very much around here.
Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wallace and son Roger returned home last Friday. They visited Mr. Wallace's parents. They also went to St. Louis Mo., and drove back a new Chevrolet.—Reporter

FARM TOPICS

FARMER IMPORTANT IN GAME PROGRAM

Aid Sportsmen With Wildlife Restoration Plan.

By JAY N. DARLING
The key figure in any program of wildlife restoration in the United States is the farmer.
The farmer controls that portion of the outdoors sought by the great majority of small-game hunters of the United States. Without a mutually beneficial relationship between farmer and sportsman, all conservation endeavor devoted to the increase of upland game falls into its prime object — the guarantee of sport to the general public.
It is true that the farmer has been the victim of the hoodlum type of hunter, and it is his to organize sportsmen to combat the evil of trespass on cultivated lands.
Excessive clearing and grazing have, at times, worked to the injury of the farmer through cutting down the supply of helpful wildlife. The drainage work has promoted schemes that have impoverished the soil, lowered the water table and wrecked the hopes of many a settler as well as destroying vast sources of wealth in fur, fish and wild fowl.
Man's ceaseless war against insect pests would be lost were it not for the help given by birds. Rodent pests are kept down by birds of prey. In certain areas the skunk, a heavy insect feeder and one of the few enemies of burrowing grubs, is highly important to agriculture. Other mammals — at times listed as "vermin" may be vastly more helpful than harmful to the farmers.
The assembling of source-material for education, in schools and colleges, in the basic principles of conservation is the function of a committee established by the National Wildlife federation.

Crop Rotation Kills Many Insect Pests

When one sees the annual loss to crops and property caused by insects, he is inclined to think that crop pests are getting more numerous and destructive from year to year. It is a fortunate farmer who has not experienced a loss from these six-footed animals. The Hessian fly takes a yearly toll of millions from American farmers. The chinch bug has ravaged our corn and wheat the past 50 years to the extent of several hundred millions of dollars. Figures in this state on codling moth, sugar beet web-worm and grasshoppers would be equally staggering. Moreover, several human diseases are carried only by insects. All can testify that gnats, flies, mosquitoes, etc., are an annoyance.
Where large acreages of one kind of crop are grown, one can naturally look for increased insect injury from year to year unless preventive and remedial measures are taken. The number of species that attack a plant is often large. About 200 attack clover, 200 affect corn, and 400 the apple. The first year the crop is grown, a person may assume that a few injurious insects will find their way into the field and do practically no injury. The insects will hibernate or pass the winter near by, and find conditions unusually favorable for development the next year should the same crop remain on the land. Each succeeding year the injury can be expected to increase.
On the other hand, where crops are changed the insects will emerge from winter quarters and find no food at hand. This will necessitate a search for it and only a few of the insects that successfully pass the winter will find their way into the new field. This is especially true of insects that pass the winter in the larval or worm stage and are not able to travel far. Of course all insects cannot be controlled by crop rotation.

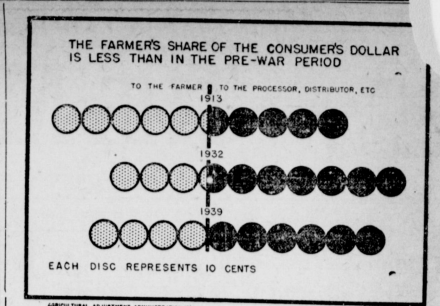
"Water Hammer"

"Water hammer" is described as pressure shock caused by change of velocity of water flowing through pipes. If water flowing through a pipe is checked, its momentum is converted into pressure energy in an incredibly short time.

Aquaqueen.



Esther Williams is the shapely queen of Billy Rose's AquaQueen troupe on Treasure Island. She's starred with Johnny Weissmuller and Gertrude Ederle in the water carnival at the Golden Gate International Exposition.



Another reason why America has a farm problem is that farmer's products bring them less than their usual share of the national income. In 1910, when farmers were on parity basis, they were getting about 18 percent of the national income.
The smallest share farmers have their share was about . . . ? received since 1910 was in 1932 when their share was about 6 percent of the nation's total. In 1939 farmers were still getting slightly less than 10 percent of the national income . . . even though they make up 24 percent of the nation's population.
Measures to increase the farm income include means for stabilizing supplies and prices of farm products, marketing quotas, crop loans, and crop insurance.

The "Rich Port"
Porto Rico, one of the earliest of Spanish American colonies, has endured since its settlement by Ponce de Leon more than four centuries ago, as the "Rich Port," the name that Christopher Columbus gave it on its discovery. Its history in the development of the Americas is shared only by the Dominican Republic, where the early Spanish settlers established their first governmental base.

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Tom Connally
MARLIN BUCK, WASHINGTON

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MR. CONNALLY SERVED AS GRAND CHANCELLOR, TEXAS KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS 1915-16; IS A 32nd MASON, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD, SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION AND PHILADELPHIA FRATERNITY HIS FAVORITE SPORTS ARE HUNTING AND FISHING.

ELECTED 65th CONGRESS 1916 - RE-ELECTED TO 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th AND 70th CONGRESSES; UNITED STATES SENATOR FOR TERM BEGINNING MARCH 4, 1929; RE-ELECTED IN 1934. MEMBER SENATE FINANCE, FOREIGN RELATIONS AND JUDICIARY COMMITTEES; CHAIRMAN SENATE COMMITTEE PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS; SENATOR CONNALLY'S INTELLECTUAL SINCERITY, SPONTANEOUS ELOQUENCE AND PARLIAMENTARY ABILITY ESTABLISHED HIM IN WASHINGTON AS AN OUTSTANDING TEXAN - WHO HAS GAINED DISTINCTION RARELY EQUALLED.

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WATSON CITIZENS ARE PATRIOTIC
Patriotic Watson community citizens who contributed to the recent Red Cross drive in Bailey county and the amounts given are as follows:

S. E. Hall, 50c; Cleo Hall, 10c; Mrs. Neutzler and Mrs. Ellis, \$1.45; Ellen Vaughn, 50c; H. A. Kelley, \$1.00; E. G. Gardner, \$1.00; H. T. Gardner, \$1.00; Mrs. Nebhut, 54c; Mrs. St. Clair, \$1.00; James Henderson, 50c; Mrs. Carbell, 40c; Mr. Sowder, \$1.00; Jack Renfrow, 50c; Mrs. Hartless, \$1.00; Mrs. McMillon, 50c; Geo. Henderson, 50c; Jim Henderson, \$1.00; Mr. Lemons, \$1.00; E. R. Wittner, 50c; Mrs. Badley, 23c; Mrs. Wilson, 75c; Mrs. J. V. Davis, 50c; Cecil Brewer, \$1.00; R. H. Longill, \$1.00; J. W. Gunter, \$1.00; A. N. Pepper, \$1.00; Mrs. Lomtroop, \$1.25; Mrs. Sullivan, \$1.00; Mrs. Shafer, 30c; Mrs. Hopper, 50c; Mrs. Fort, 40c; Geo. Fine, \$1.00; Garth Bills, 50c; Mr. Bass, 25c; E. W. Brewer, 50c.

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GIVE THE COWS A REAL CHANCE

GIVE THE COWS
By T. C. Richardson,
Associate Editor
Farm and Ranch

Breeder-Feeder Association
Most of the four-gallon cows are found in the classified "For Sale" columns of the daily and weekly newspapers. There's many a potential four-gallon cow growing up on the Southwestern farms but a four-gallon cow is only a two gallon cow when she is given the feed material from which to manufacture only two gallons. We have wonderful sunshine and a balmy climate in the Southwest, as compared with the New York, Michigan or Wisconsin. But sunshine doesn't fill the milk pail, any more than moonshine does. It takes food and water, plenty of it at the right time, to bring out all the milk-making faculties of the cow, here or in the north.

Once a year on July 1 the Department of Agriculture asks its thousands of volunteer crop reporters—mostly farmers—throughout the country to report the average daily production of their cows. This date in the Southwest is in the heat of mid-summer, and after the flush milk flow of early summer has declined, while in the northern states the season corresponds more nearly to our May. The figures therefore are somewhat weighted in favor of the northern states.

The sad fact remains, however, that (with the sole exception of Mississippi) Texas and Arkansas stand at the foot of the class in daily production per cow, with 10.7 pounds. Even South Carolina bests this by a fraction. Oklahoma heads the class in the Southwest with 14.1 pounds daily per cow, or about six and a-half quarts. The most significant point is that Oklahoma has raised her average about a quart per cow during the past few years, while Texas and Arkansas have raised their average daily production only half a pound, or less than a pint per cow, during the same period.

Maybe we shouldn't expect to stand by the side of Minnesota, (22.9 pounds) Wisconsin (22.5 pounds) New York (21.4 pounds) or Oregon (20.3 pounds), but there's

something radically wrong when we fall so far below North Dakota (16.9 pounds), and Kansas (15.7 pounds).

Don't blame it on Old Bossy until you give her a chance to "do her stuff." We have some pretty poor cows in the Southwest, but we also have a high percentage with good Jersey blood, and we have some as good as the best anywhere in the United States. But we have been much more negligent in feeding than in breeding. The majority of our cows have never had a fair chance to prove themselves, because we have not furnished them enough of the right kind of feed and water for an entire lactation period to test their capacity for production. We have condemned many a cow as a poor producer without giving her the materials with which to produce.

There are a number of dairy cow testing associations in the Southwest, and ought to be a great many more. The average herd under test in Texas produced last year about 26 pounds of butterfat per cow in May and less than 22 pounds in September, October, and November, averaging about 23 pounds per month for the year. One association (Central Plains) averaged 30 pounds in May and never fell below 24 pounds in the fall months, averaging 30 pounds for the year. It raised the average annual production per cow 16 pounds in one year, mostly by better feeding, though a few "culls" were sold after the first year's test proved they did not have the manufacturing capacity, even when supplied with the essential raw materials for milk and butterfat production.

This same association produced butterfat last year at an average feed cost of 13.4 cents per pound. Since home-grown feed constituted most of the feed cost, the feed was really "sold" to the cows on the farm and hauled to town in cans. It brought two profits—one in the growing and harvesting, and one in the feeding and milking.

It does not pay to keep a five-quart cow; but it is worse to hold a ten or twelve-quart cow down to five quarts by refusing to give her the raw materials for her full capacity.

FARM SURPLUS REACHES NEW PEAK
COMMODITY CORPORATION TO MAKE LOANS ON THE MAJOR CROPS

The ever-normal granary reserve supply of surplus agricultural products has reached record levels and is expected to be materially increased this year, according to department of agriculture reports.

The reserve supply of these products held by the Commodity Credit Corporation under loans to producers, or owned by the corporation, is valued at nearly \$1,000,000,000, according to latest reports by the corporation.

The corporation disclosed that it has taken over products valued at \$471,533,000 in default of loans to growers. It has loans outstanding on products having a book value of \$478,761,000. Both groups are comprised chiefly of cotton, corn, wheat and tobacco.

Last year the corporation made loans to producers on 12 commodities. These were: cotton, corn, wheat, rye, tobacco, peanuts, figs, butter, wool, mohair turpentine and resin. These loans totaled approximately \$300,000,000.

The corporation's plans to expand 1140 loans were indicated in its request to Congress for authorization to increase its almost exhausted borrowing power from \$800,000,000 to \$1,400,000,000.

Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace has authorized the corporation to make loans averaging 64 cents a bushel on 1940 wheat, about 35 cents a bushel on rye and 30 cents a bushel on barley loan has been authorized.

Loans are considered virtually certain on 1940 cotton and corn, as well as most if not all, other commodities on which 1939 loans were made. The cotton loan is expected to be around 9 cents a pound and corn at between 5 and 62 cents a bushel.

The corporation now owns approximately 6,600,000,000 bales of cotton valued at \$275,000,000 and has loans outstanding on 2,700,000 bales valued at about \$122,000,000. All except 22,000 bales of that total was produced prior to 1939.

Since the first loan program in 1933 the corporation has made loans to farmers on 87,268,000 bushels of corn. It now either owns or has loans outstanding on 514,000,000 bushels of that total valued at \$307,150,000.

Loans were made in 1938 and 1939 on 350,000,000 bushels of wheat. Of that amount the corporation either owns or has loans outstanding on 106,000,000 bushels valued at \$75,000,000 under the loan rate of 60 cents a bushel in 1938 and 70 cents a bushel in 1939.

Tobacco loans have been made on

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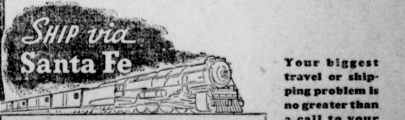


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General News As Reported From Over The U. S.

The U. S. has placed an order for a \$3,000 ton aircraft carrier to cost \$90,000,000.

Passports are now required for U. S. citizens to travel in Cuba, Mexico and Canada.

Gen. Smedley D. Butler, retired, of the Marine corps, died last Friday at the Philadelphia hospital. He was 89 years old.

U. S. Senator Carter Glass, 82, from Virginia, was married last Saturday to Mrs. Mary Scott Meade, 50, at Amherst Virginia.

The U. S. Senate will ask the U. S. Court of Claims for a report on legislation proposing a refund of

\$52,500,000 of taxes collected under the 1934 Bankhead cotton control act.

The U. S. liner Washington docked at New York last Friday with 1,787 refugees from war-torn Europe when off the coast of Portugal this vessel had a close call from being sunk by a submarine.

Wm. B. Bankhead, speaker of the House, has been chosen as keynoter at the Democratic convention to be held in Chicago July 31. U. S. Senator Allan Barkley of Kentucky, will be permanent chairman, it is announced.

Part of the French navy is reported to now be in hands of England, and some of it thought to be hidden in neutral ports. Hundreds of airplanes are reported to have flown to French colonies in Africa to save them from the German conquerors.

Approximately 2,000 machine-guns of World war design are being converted into heavier weapons adaptable for use against tanks and 100-flying airplanes. The guns of .30 calibre water-cooled types, are being reamed out to .50 calibre at the Rock Island, Ill. arsenal.

The Government has been offered use of a new flying tank recently in-

vented. It will travel under its own power up to 90 miles per hour, carries 7-8th inch armor and guns heavy enough to be of vital use against an enemy. It is said any of the bombing planes can carry it.

A resolution has been introduced in the House to vindicate the late Brig.-Gen. William E. Mitchell who, nearly a generation ago warned the U. S. of danger from foreign countries, resulting in his being court-martialed. It is now declared he was right and should be exonerated.

Contracts were placed here last week for more than 1,500 American airplanes. It was also announced the British would take up all French supplies previously ordered by that nation. In an order of 10,000 air planes and 20,000 plane engines, 2,500 planes have recently been delivered.

The U. S. Senate has passed a defense revenue bill designed to raise between four and five hundred million dollars annually from excess profits in event of war. Congress has also passed a new instrument that generates it will not countenance the taking over of islands or provinces in this western hemisphere which now belong to underlying nations.

Harvard university is this summer erecting the world's largest astronomical observatory for study of the sun in the Rocky mountains of Colorado. It will be equipped with a coronagraph, a new instrument that captures an artificial solar eclipse, making possible regular observations of the sun's corona and other phenomena usually visible only during an eclipse. The observatory will be located on a mountain 11,318 feet high.

Last Friday U. S. Senator Nye, North Dakota, Republican, demanded the resignation of President Roosevelt lest his foreign belligerents it will not countenance the taking over of islands or provinces in this western hemisphere which now belong to underlying nations.

The Republican National committee, in session at Philadelphia, last week formally and officially read Col. Frank Knox and Henry L. Stimson out of the party for accepting places in President Roosevelt's cabinet. Stimson is to be secretary of war and Knox secretary of the navy. Knox succeeds Charles Edison who has resigned to run for governor of New Jersey. Knox is publisher of the Chicago Daily News. He was a rough rider under Theodore Roosevelt and an artillery colonel in the World War. He is 66 years old. Stimson is 73, and was secretary of war under President Taft and secretary of state under President Hoover. During the World War he was also an artillery colonel.

Club Women Will Cooperate With County Fair

The Bailey county home demonstration council met at Baileyboro house Monday June 24 at 2:30 p. m. with five clubs represented.

Five were made for individual entries and educational exhibits in the Bailey county fair, and it was decided to hold the bedroom linen show in connection with the fair.

The council voted to have the county-wide picnic July 26 in the evening. The place is to be decided upon later.

Chinch Known in 1700's
The chinch bug, which annually destroys millions of dollars worth of crops, was identified first in North Carolina during the Revolutionary war.

Hiawatha a Mohawk
Hiawatha was a Mohawk. The Mohawk tribe was the smallest of the Iroquois, but the most aggressive.

4-H Club Boys Plan Recreation Trip To Short Course

Four-H club boys from the 12 clubs in Bailey county are making final plans for the annual 4-H club Short Course tour. The delegates will leave Muleshoe Saturday morning, July 6 and will arrive in College Station Sunday afternoon. Two days will be spent in educational and recreational program at the college.

Wednesday morning the group will go on to Galveston for the day and night and then back through San Antonio to Muleshoe, arriving home Friday.

The trip will cost \$8.00 per boy. County Agent Logan, announced. This is based on estimates made by himself and other 4-H club sponsors. Two dollars is to be paid in for room reservations by Saturday June 29, either to the County Agent's office or to the club sponsor. The other \$6.00 will be paid in to the club fund the morning the delegation leaves.

Several of the clubs have had picnics and box suppers at which sufficient funds were raised to pay most of the \$8.00. Boys from clubs, where no funds have been raised, will be required to raise the full amount themselves.

County Agent Logan expects some where between 35 and 50 boys to make the trip. The exact number will be known Saturday when the reservation time limit expires. This may be the last year that such a large number is allowed to go, there fore, boys that have the funds are encouraged to talk to their sponsors or the County Agent between now and Saturday afternoon.

Baileyboro News

The H. D. club met Tuesday June 25 with Mrs. V. B. Mays. The meeting was called to order by the president, and old business was attended to.

Mrs. Dana Arnold gave council report. The county-wide picnic was discussed and the date set for July 26. The meeting was turned over to Miss Gentry who gave a very interesting discussion on bedding.

Members present were: Mrs. Dana Arnold, Mrs. A. E. Newton, Mrs. Goodman, Mrs. Schmitz, Mrs. Nora G. Mays, Mrs. Wallis, the hostess, Mrs. V. B. Mays, and two visitors Mrs. A. P. Barnett and Mrs. Grady Newman.

PRE-ARRIVAL OF STORK IS CELEBRATED

Melvin Priboth was the honoree at a surprise shower, also a birthday celebration, Friday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Mirtle Priboth, with Mesdames Dorothy Mathiesen and Bobby Walker co-hostesses.

The beautiful lace draped table was centered with a big birthday cake of angel food decorated with flowers.

Miss Gloria Gowdy delighted the guests with several musical numbers.

Little Shirley Mathiesen presented the honoree with a beautiful basket, a gift of her mother. It was laden with the many gifts brought by the 28 guests attending, and others sent gifts who could not attend.

The birthday cake, a devil's food delicacy, ice cream and punch were served to those present.

MESDAMES HOLT POOL BREAKFAST HOSTESSES

Mrs. Horace Holt and Mrs. Archie Pool were charming hostesses at the former's home, Saturday morning of last week, to members of the "As You Like It" club serving a delightful breakfast.

Cut flowers decorated the dining room, and a large reflector centered with a bowl of choice fruit, graced the candlelight breakfast table.

After guests had partaken of the chilled tomato juice, waffles, bacon and coffee, they played games of Chinese checkers.

Those present were Mesdames Cecil Tate, Finley Pierson, Sam Fox, Dick Rooker, Morris Douglas, Jack Lenderson, and the two hostesses.

MRS. McHORSE HOSTESS TO NEEDLECRAFTERS

Members of the Needlecraft club met in the home of Mrs. W. M. McHorse, Thursday afternoon of last week for a pleasant time of visiting and fancy sewing.

Refreshments of ice cream, cookies and ice tea were served to the following: Mesdames J. E. Alsop, Walter Witte, Jessie Wright, Bea Dameron, W. E. Renfrow, H. A. Robb Jim Cook, Virginia McHorse and the hostess.

The club meets this week with Mrs. R. B. McHorse.

Walks on Sea Bottom

Those who have made their livelihood by snaring the octopus in the blue Mediterranean say that it walks on its eight arms on the bottom of the sea, looking for shell fish and other crustaceans forms of marine life. It usually is found in water that is comparatively shallow. When relaxed, its arms float, looking not unlike waving branches of some form of marine vegetation. There are 140 varieties found well into the temperate zone. Along the Atlantic coast of America they are found as far north as Cape Cod.

Candidate Speechings Draw An Unusual Large Crowd

Much enthusiasm is being manifested at the various political rallies now being held in various communities of Bailey county and large crowds of voters are attending these meetings.

Favorable comments are being heard from citizens regarding the fine talks some of the political aspirants are making. Some of the speakers have already proven their lack of oratorical ability; but their sincerity seems to be the more manifest. Occasionally a speaking date manager attempts to convince the audience of his alleged ability as a twentieth century Demosthenes; but such generally seem to failure in opinion of voters, who mostly prefer to hear the candidates rather than the long-winded desertation of some introducer.

Speaking occasions to date have all been graced by pie and box suppers conducted by women's or 4-H club members seeking to raise funds for some worthy cause, and it is

reported that both candidates and other citizens are being quite liberal in their patronage.

At Progress about \$50.00 was realized from the box and pie supper. Candidates spoke at Longview last Monday night; Stegall, Wednesday night. They are scheduled to speak at Y. L. Friday night; Bula (town) the next Monday night; and Goodland the following Wednesday night.

HYDRAULIC DATA FOR IRRIGATIONISTS

	Gals. per min.
One Miners' inch	9.11
100 miners' inches	911
250 miners' inches	2230
One second foot	50
5 Second feet	250
One acre foot, running 24 hours daily	25
Five second feet running 24 hours will cover 10 acres a foot deep. Ten second feet running 24 hours will cover 20 acres a foot deep.	

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LOCALS

- Miss Lois Harvey of Needmore was here last Saturday shopping.
- Miss Norene Stapp, of Baileyboro is visiting friends in Gainesville.
- Miss Bessie Rawlins visited her sister in Sudan last Sunday.
- Bill Smith spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Littlefield.
- WANTED: Cream, poultry and eggs. Muleshoe Hatchery. 6-10c
- Young Hammons visited friends in Morton Sunday afternoon.
- R. A. Kelm of Baileyboro community was here Monday on business.
- Harold Sneed left last Sunday for Dolores, Colorado on business and to visit his brother, Carl Sneed.
- R. W. Tucker, state highway engineer from Littlefield was here on business last Friday.
- Worth Matheny, postmaster and merchant at Goodland was here last Monday on business.
- Mrs. Jim H. Sharp and daughter Miss Helen of Littlefield were here last Friday visiting friends.
- Mrs. Whit Barber, living about six miles northwest of Muleshoe, is reported in a Lubbock hospital where she underwent a major operation.
- FOR SALE: Maryland sweet potato slips. Bud Myers, 3 mi. N. W. Muleshoe. 22-21p
- Mrs. Zeb Robinson and daughter, of Enochs, were here last Friday on business.
- FOR SALE: Good young Jersey cow and heifer calf. Muleshoe Motor Company. 1tc
- Prof. Emmet Brumhalow of Stellan was here last Saturday on business.
- Mesdames Birdie Paul and Howard Carlyle were Clovis, N. M., shoppers last Saturday.
- J. N. York of Snyder was in Muleshoe transacting business Friday of last week.
- Fred Snyder of Whiteface was in Muleshoe transacting business, Friday.
- FOR Dressmaking see Mrs. C. M. Brown, 5th house south of old Bank building. 23-21p
- Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Rollins and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Maston in Sudan, Sunday.
- Badie Phillips of Morton was in Muleshoe visiting friends and transacting business Saturday.
- Mrs. Ruby Lee Walse of Sudan, is now employed at the Triple O Beauty shop.
- Mrs. J. W. Barber of Progress community was examined at the local clinic last week and later sent to a hospital at Lubbock for a major operation.

- The Journal will take subscriptions for any magazine or periodical. 11c
- E. J. Smith of Hobbs, N. M., visited friends in Muleshoe, Saturday.
- Mrs. Mary Davis, and daughter Miss Mildred visited at Claud, their former home, last weekend.
- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Garrett of Wilson, were here last Monday, shopping.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kimbrough and family visited relatives at Idalou Sunday.
- NOW OPEN: Midget Golf course in Muleshoe, opposite Muleshoe produce house. 5c per game. 21-41p
- Mr. and Mrs. Newt C. Moore of Longview were here shopping last Saturday.
- Mrs. "Red" Harris of Goldsmith visited friends and relatives near Muleshoe the past week.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bryan of Lubbock were in Muleshoe visiting friends and transacting business Friday.
- W. H. Sweetman, Charles Sullivan and Mr. Sears, all of Vernon, visited the former's sister, Mrs. S. C. Beavers here Friday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Jim Burkhead and son and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gilbreath spent Sunday at Buffalo lake near Amarillo.
- Mrs. W. B. McAdams and Mrs. B. W. Carles went to Amarillo, Tuesday to see Mr. McAdams who is in the Veteran's hospital there.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williams, of Needmore community welcomed to their home last Friday night a 1-2 pound baby girl.
- Misses Lila Fay Gregory and Doris Thomas of Clovis, N. M., are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gregory this week.
- J. H. Roberson of Progress, last Thursday took his small son to the Scottish Rite hospital at Dallas for treatment.
- Miss Elizabeth Huckabee, who is attending school at Amarillo, is here this week visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Huckabee.
- Attorney and Mrs. Cecil Tate visited last Sunday in Amherst with Prof. and Mrs. Roy Stevens, former Muleshoe teachers.
- Mrs. Carrie Lee Bishop, who is attending Tech college, Lubbock, visited her sister, Mrs. Horace Holt, here last Saturday.
- Mrs. C. E. King and children returned to Muleshoe Sunday from a week end visit at Canyon with friends and relatives.
- Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Adams of Melrose, N. M. were in Muleshoe transacting business Thursday of last week.
- W. B. McAdams started a 6-room and bath residence this week, it being located on lot 2, block 5, south of the Clarence Goins residence.
- Mr. and Mrs. Perry T. Brown of Amarillo were in Muleshoe visiting friends and transacting business Friday.
- Mrs. V. C. Purcell, Gwendolyn and Wilma Purcell, returned Sunday from a weeks visit with Mrs. J. D. Stephens near Bovina.
- Miss Doris Hamilton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hamilton returned Sunday from a two week's visit in Dallas.
- Ray Griffiths, Neil Rockey and Roy Jordan spent Sunday and Monday fishing at Alamogordo lake near Fort Sumner, N. M.
- P. J. Barnett and family of Baileyboro visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bell and family, Sunday.
- Buck Robinson left Sunday for Borger to spend several days visiting his sister, Mrs. Avela Reimer, and family.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey, teachers in Watson school, who are attending West Texas college at Canyon, were here last Monday.
- Holly Ann, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cox, underwent a tonsillectomy operation at the Muleshoe clinic last Monday morning.
- Prof. O. G. Dickinson, principal of Muleshoe high school last year, moved last Saturday to Bula where he has accepted superintendency of that school for the coming year.
- Miss Edith Barber returned Saturday from a Lubbock hospital where she underwent an appendicitis operation recently and is reported to be recovering nicely.
- Chester Atchinson, who has been employed on a ranch near Melrose, N. M. for the past two months, was in Muleshoe early this week visiting friends and relatives.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clay Beavers went to Farwell, Sunday to take Miss Joan Aldridge, where she took a train to her home at Amarillo. She had been visiting here for the past few days.
- Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts left last week for a visit in Alabama, including visiting W. C. Taylor, former county agent in Bailey county.
- W. H. Lunstead and family of Richmond, California, are visiting Mrs. Lunstead's parents Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Collins and family, this week.
- Dr. L. T. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young and son Jack tickled perch with fly rods over last weekend at Alamogordo dam, N. M., catching all they could eat.
- Mrs. J. W. Barber returned home Sunday from a Littlefield hospital where she underwent a major operation. She is reported to be recovering.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dyer visited relatives and friends in Plainview last Sunday. They were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Howard Cox of Houston, who is visiting them here.
- Bud Holderman has been appointed senior deacon in the Muleshoe Masonic lodge by Master A. J. Gardner. Other appointments are Bert Mathis, junior deacon; Vance Wagon and Jim Cox, stewards.
- Everett Wallace, Fairview community, who with his wife recently returned from a trip to Commerce where he caught 300 pounds of fish, was here last Monday telling his 'big fish story'.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ferele Little are the proud parents of a son, "Ferele Royce," born June 22, at a Littlefield hospital. They were brought home to Muleshoe Tuesday of this week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gupton and family accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and family visited W. B. McAdams who is at the Veteran's hospital in Amarillo, Sunday.
- Wanda Everheart and S. D. Purcell from Quitaque visited over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Purcell and family, who reside eight miles north of Muleshoe.
- Mrs. Myrtle Warren and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Booth visited Miss Estelle Bates in a Lubbock sanitarium Sunday, where she underwent a major operation last Thursday and is reported to be recovering nicely.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gardner and Mrs. M. M. Hawkins left Monday for Hollis, Oklahoma where they will attend the funeral of Mrs. Gardner's aunt and Mrs. Hawkins' sister, Mrs. Paul Nance.
- M. A. Gibson, who has been employed by the Bureau Oil Co., for the last three years has accepted the position of manager of the Springlake Oil Co., at Springlake. He has moved his family to that point for future residence.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gregory and Arthur Tucker visited in Amarillo last Saturday with Mrs. Glorie Pickard, who recently underwent an operation there. They also visited W. B. McAdams who is confined in the Veteran's hospital.
- "D." and Mrs. E. C. Smith, former Muleshoe citizens, now of Las Vegas, N. M., where he owns a drug store, were here last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Julian Lenau and family, returning Monday afternoon to the Sunshine state.
- Mrs. Good Harden, who has been visiting with relatives in Winnsboro for the past two weeks returned home last Monday. She was accompanied here by her mother, Mrs. Minnie Lomnick, who will visit here for a while.
- C. C. Lancaster of Goodland was here Monday on business. He reports bountiful rains and flourishing crops in that portion of Bailey county. He says he now has cotton with the squares on it fully developed.
- Mr. and Mrs. George Gross, Progress community, are happy over the arrival of a seven pound young lady who called at their home last Sunday and has decided to make it her permanent home for the next 16 or 18 years.
- The "sock" supper at West Camp, given last Friday night on occasion of the candidate speaking, netted about \$23 for the women and girls clubs, to be used for Short Course delegate expenses. The boys 4-H club plan a feed July 2.
- Visitors in the F. L. Wenner home Laubach community, last Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Earnest L. Merriott of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Laveal Merriott of Floydada, Mrs. C. E. Merriott, Mr. and Mrs. Hudie Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knowlton of Baileyboro, and Mrs. and Mrs. I. F. Willman of Y. L.
- Miss Eunice Florence, accompanied by a friend from Littlefield, returned last week from a vacation trip to the Atlantic seaboard, making visits at New York City Washington, D. C., and returning via New Orleans. While in the Capital City they were the guests of Congressman and Mrs. George Mahon and Lloyd Gross. She reports a delightful trip.

Muleshoe Elevator Buys First Wheat From Nichols

To J. A. Nichols goes the honor of producing the first load of wheat marketed in Muleshoe this season last Monday, it being sold to the Muleshoe elevator, Earl Ladd manager.

The wheat was grown on the Crawford farm a few miles northeast of Muleshoe and is reported to be averaging about 30 bushels per acre. It tested 57 pounds per bushel. Lloyd Quisenberry brought in the second load that afternoon.

Wheat, since the initial load was received, is being marketed rapidly, all elevators here are working both day and night crews. Recent rains are said to have worked wonders in crop development, grain all being well filled out, big and plump.

It is estimated about 25,000 acres of wheat, besides a large acreage of barley and some rye, has been grown in this trade area this year.

Joyland Jottings

The Joyland Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Albert Simmons with the following members present, Mrs. Inez Bellar, Mrs. Tebe Bellar, Mrs. Lena Daniel, Mrs. Dorman Chester, Mrs. Claud Gage, the hostess, Mrs. Simons, and Miss Lilly Gentry, who gave us pointers on what to look for and how to buy our bread loafs.

Bonnet patterns were also cut. Aunt Sammy's cook books were handed out to those present. Committees were appointed to help with the surplus cotton commodity mattress making. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Lena Daniel July 5.

Tom Ansley and Calvin Wiseman made a business trip to Lubbock Friday of last week.

Earl Davidson was a Littlefield visitor, Sturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Playon have returned home after a short honeymoon.

Miss Ruby Walker spent Sunday with her parents at Beulah.

Mrs. Minnie Eason of Littlefield visited with her sister here Saturday, Mrs. L. V. Wiseman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Chester transacted business in Littlefield, Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Acie Daniel and family visited friends in Morton, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chester visited their son, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chester at Whitnarral, Sunday.—Reporter.

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CRACKERS, 2 lb. box .19
PALMOLIVE Soap, 3 bars .15
SOAP, Crystal White, 6 bars .20

Schilling Coffees

SCHILLINGS COFFEE, per lb. .20
FLY SWATERS, 3 10c ones for .22
SORGHUM, Royal, per gallon .55
APPLE BUTTER, full quart .16
FLOUR, Seafoam, 48 lbs. \$1.25; 24 lbs. .68
CATSUP, 14 oz. Bottle .09
COCKTAIL, 2 No. 1 Tall cans .25
PICKLES, sour 2 quarts .25
PEAS, No. 2 cans each .10

MARKET SPECIALS

PORK CHOPS, Per lb. .16 BACON, Fancy Sliced, lb. .15
BEEF ROAST, good, young and tender, per pound .15
WEINERS, Nice fat "Jony" one lb. .12 1/2
LARD, Pure Leaf, 8 lbs. .63; 4 lbs. .35
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WEEKLY LAY SERMON DUTIES OF TODAY

By JESS MITCHELL

Biblical history tells us Esther was the beautiful queen of the... petition to the king in behalf of her people who were being oppressed.



Students of Bible history recall that Mordecai and a man by the name of Haman had quite different ideas regarding individual citizenship and collective statesmanship...

science do exist we can scarcely doubt when we consider the numerous proofs that have come to our knowledge. I happen to be one of those people who do not put much credence in happenstance...

Officers don't care anything about a philosophical discussion regarding the chemical properties of human blood nor a technical analysis of the component parts of gunpowder...

But I still have faith in Omnipotence. For ought I know America may be called upon for a very important part in the world's drama...

BAILEY CO. HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

Home Demonstration Agent of Bailey County Approximately 80 per cent of the demonstration club women of Bailey county are raising gardens...

Joyce Shogov of the Progress 4-H club will have an opportunity to show the many things she is doing in her work as clothing demonstrator...

Among the things already accomplished by Joyce include the construction of a play suit, bonnet, and apron...

Lubbock Organizes A Committee For U. S. Defense

Lubbock, Texas, June 25. A local National Defense committee, authorized by the Board of Directors of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, was completed late last week...

Use of Flemish Language The inhabitants of Flanders are called Flemings, and their language Flemish.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bailey.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bailey County, on the 3rd day of June 1940...

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once week for four consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale...

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Important Dates For Candidates Printed As Reminder

June 27—First day for filing campaign expense accounts for first primary.

July 2—Last day for filing first campaign expense accounts for first primary.

July 7—Time for voters who are absent from county to appear before county clerk and request a ballot or mail application for ballot to county clerk. Article 2956.

Absentee voting begins. Article 2956.

July 15—First day for filing second campaign expense account for first primary.

July 19—Last day for filing second campaign expense accounts for first primary.

July 24—Last day for absentee voting in first democratic primary. (Must be received by county clerk on this day.)

July 27—First Democratic Primary Election Polls open from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m., and from 8:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m., according to the population of the county. Article 3102.

July 28—First day for filing third campaign expense account for first primary.

July 30—Last day for filing first expense account for second primary.

August 4—First day for absentee voting for second primary.

August 6—Last day for filing third campaign expense account for first primary.

August 21—Last day for absentee voting in the second democratic primary.

August 24—Second Democratic Primary Election.

September 3—Last day for filing third campaign expense account for second primary.

October 16—Absentee voting for General Election.

November 5—General Election Day.

SINGING IS HELD AT FAIRVIEW SUNDAY

The Fifth Sunday singing will be held next Sunday at Fairview school house, and everyone for miles around is invited to be present on that occasion to enjoy the melodic festivities of the day.

It will be an all day affair with dinner served on the grounds at noon. Everyone attending is asked to contribute a basket of culinary concoctions to ease the stomach between song services.

Many song directors and special music organizations are expected to be present. M. G. Miller is president and Mrs. Sam Sanders, Circle-back is secretary.

Happy is the Muleshoe home where all meals are on time.

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PALACE
THEATRE

Thursday, Friday, June 27-28
Robert Young, Helen Gilbert in—
"FLORIAN"

Saturday, June 29
H. Davenport and May Robson in
"GRANNY GET YOUR GUN"

Saturday night preview June 29
Sunday afternoon matinee and
Sunday night, Monday night
June 30 and July 1
Errol Flynn, Randolph Scott in
"VIRGINIA CITY"

Tuesday & Wednesday, July 2-3
Robert Cummings, Loraine Day
"AND ONE WAS BEAUTIFUL"

Thursday and Friday, July 4-5
Double Feature—
Martha Raye in—
"FARMER'S DAUGHTER"
and
James Stephenson in—
"CALLING PHILO VANCE"

The Market For Used Cars Good; Many Trading In

That today's conditions in the used car market is virtually "made to order" is the expressed opinion of local dealers, due largely, it is claimed, to the great number of new cars being sold. Indeed, it seems apparent locally that the desired variety of used cars is becoming somewhat skimpy. One dealer here reports being entirely out, while other dealers claim to have only a few of certain kinds of cars for sale.

Most stocks of used cars today are noteworthy in the fact they are practically all recent models. It seems an exceptionally large number of 1938 and 1939 cars have been traded in for this year's models, also numerous improvements in the 1940 models have made car owners desirous of having the latest the market affords, and, being in better financial condition that during recent years, they have availed themselves of the opportunity of purchasing the latest and best in various current makes.

Transportation needs, it is said, are rapidly increasing, summer vacations are calling many to various spots of interest, re-employment is aiding many to buy cars, and many other reasons have "billed" the car market for good used cars—and folks are buying them.

North Carolina's First Town
The first incorporated town in North Carolina was Bath, which was settled in 1690 and incorporated in 1705.

MODERN FOOD MARKET

A BARGAIN IN FLAVOR

Schilling Coffee

Schillings Coffee, 2 lb. can --- .39

PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can --- .15

CRACKERS, 2 lb. box --- .13

DEL MONTE PRESERVES, half gallon --- .49

BLACKEYED PEAS, fresh, 3 cans --- .20

GIANT OXYDOL and 2 bars CAMAY SOAP --- .59

WHITE SWAN PEACHES, No. 2 1/2 can --- .15

PEN JEL each box --- .10

ARMOUR'S STAR FRANKFRUTERS, large can, 2 for --- .29

SCHILLINGS TEA, 1-2 lb. --- .29

FLOUR, 48 lbs. --- \$1.19

MARKET SPECIALS

CHEESE, Kraft's, 2-lbs. --- .45 SAUSAGE, per pound --- .09

OLEO, per pound --- .19 PORK CHOPS, per pound --- .17

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"THE EARTH"

These are the days when the earth calls to us all, as she shows forth her never-falling richness in flowers and developing fruits under the blue June skies.

We want to shut the door on routine household chores and go to work in the ground; to dig and hoe and weed so that we feel we have a part in the miracle of growth which appears every spring. Some deep within each one of us, is satisfied only as we work with Nature, tending the plants through which the earth "shall yield her increase."

But this year the earth means more to us than ever before. It means not only the plenty promised by the swelling pods—developing wheat heads and the beauty of bushes in riotous bloom. It means assurance and confidence, especially to those of us fortunate enough to live in the United States. For our

earth is calm these days, undisturbed by the events that are shaking the world of men,—responsive only to the age-old stimulus of sun and rain. And as each day brings more luxuriant growth to fields and gardens, we can find comfort.

Here is all that we really need. This is the basis of all that we call civilization. The earth with its gifts of food, minerals and forests was all this continent had to offer the settlers who began coming here less than 400 years ago and look what has been achieved! Although we have sometimes wasted her bounty which the earth continues to furnish us with almost unlimited supplies, so that we need not fear for this America of ours, as long as we keep our belief in Liberty which John Stuart Mill defines as "the essential condition for the growth of individuality in the richest diversity" and our faith in government "of the people, for the people and by the people." For these are the things which have

made it possible for us to create the great nation we have from nothing but the raw materials furnished by the earth.

It is not the fault of the "good earth" that people have gone hungry, homeless or ragged in any land but the fault of men who have misused her largess and only in the United States have we even begun to realize the plenty that is possible for every human being in this country were we to couple our genius for production and distribution under our free enterprise system with the bounty which the millions of acres of the United States pours forth. As long as we develop in "the American way" with our characteristic regard for the rights and the welfare of the individual, we shall progress. For the earth—the mother of us all—will continue to endure, and to produce according to our will.

HALF-CENTURYITES
IN DAY DREAMING

Members of the Half-Century club met Thursday of last week at the home of Mrs. B. W. Carles.

Business was discussed and it was decided to not disband for the summer, as some had suggested.

Those present were Mesdames, Bell Snider, Young, Sina Wallace, A. W. Darnell, C. C. Mardis, Joel Lee, Beulah Motheral and M. A. Goodson.

It even beats the SIXES in GAS ECONOMY!



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