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Poll Taxes Must Be Paid By Jan. 31; January Is The Deadline For Taxes

Many citizens of Bailey County have not qualified themselves to take part in 1949 elections, by failing so far to get their poll taxes, Hugh Freeman, county tax assessor and collector announces.

A warning on the subject is being printed in this week's paper over the signature of the assessor-collector.

January 31, is the last day on which the poll tax may be paid. While this is not a general election year, it seldom occurs that some important election does not come along in a year's time, and 1949 likely will be no exception.

Of course there are always trustee elections, but the person who fails to pay a poll tax will not be qualified to vote in such elections, nor in bond issue elections, etc.

January is the last month to pay property and personal taxes without penalty and interest, Mr. Freeman reminds the citizens. Only four more days remain to get these tax matters cleared up.

The city and independent school district taxes also are due and penalty attaches after this month.

Mr. Muleshoe . . .

By Forbes

City Auditorium?

A lady reader has called Mr. Muleshoe to urge that something be said in this column in favor of building a city auditorium in Muleshoe. And we readily agreed with her that this would be in order.

The editor recalls that several years ago $25,000 in bonds for a city auditorium were voted by the people. Whether these bonds were ever issued we do not know.

Surely there could be no greater need for Muleshoe than a city auditorium. The lady's interest was aroused because of the confusion in getting a suitable place to hold the March of Dimes dance.

There are very many meetings in Muleshoe in the course of a year when a public meeting place is needed, and for which the only place available is Fellowship Hall, which is not a large building. We need a building suitable to house meetings of all kinds and if the city dads are contemplating any building, surely they will give consideration to this need.

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The Plainview charter change proposal was briefly assayed by The Evening Herald, as follows:

The main change in government proposed is the city manager-council form of government, which gives the city an opportunity to attempt a more efficient administration. The main idea there is that the city has reached a size that its general business could be conducted under this plan more economically and more efficiently than under the form now used—the mayor council plan. There is a time when the volume of business transacted by a city in its purchases and in its general administration makes the city manager plan one that is preferable.

Another change is that the mayor would not be elected by the public, but would be named by the council from one of its own number. (Amarillo, for instance, has the city manager form but the people elect the mayor). It will be some time before citizens of Muleshoe will have to worry about such a change here but it is something to think about for the distant future.

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Because of the inefficiency of the crew and the obtuseness of ye editor, last week The Journal had Muleshoe Liquefied Gas Co. selling Dearborn tractors, instead of the Rockey Tractor Co., which always thought they were the agents. No telling what the glaring error this week will be, but that we will make one, or more, in this issue we are willing to bet. For some, life flows along the even tener of its way—not for us, we must borrow trouble lest existence should become too simple, too monotonous.

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Jesse Bartley, the officer, remembers the terrible blizzard of Jan. 10, 1918, when thousands of cattle froze to death on ranches of this section. Jesse said the whizzer hit about breakfast time and many men could not get to their stock to save them—a man was nearly helpless against the cold, hard wind, and snow. The critters got wet to the skin, huddled up in the fence corners and died by the hundreds. This writer knew a man who lost several hundred head of nice steers. Anothe acquaintance was nearby and by keeping his cattle drifting, cutting fences, he saved them all. Brrr! Come to think of it, I'm about to freeze just telling about it.

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In another column of this paper old Conrad Williams, who farms all the land in the southwest corner of Bailey County not cultivated by Glenn Williams and one or two others, writes the editor to tell some of his reminiscenses and to gently kid old Jim and old Jack Cox. It is a fine letter, but you know I am beginning to think the Cox boys are getting too much publicity in the columns of The Journal, the great moral guide and intellectual companion in old Bailey County. Next week we will get on some others and ride them a while.

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Seen & Heard

Henry Hanover, former manager of the Figure 4, around the present Goodland: I believe Mr. Bartley's January blizzard came in February. It was before I moved here but working below the cap for the owners of Figure 4 I lost several fine sows. Figure 4 lost no cattle, but the Figure 2, just east, lost about 200 head.

Once on the Figure 4, said Henry, I attempted to feed several hundred head of cattle during a blizzard with bright cane bundles. They were humped against the south fence and paid no attention whatsoever to the cane bundles, so I lost a number of calves. I don't envy the men who are now trying to get feed to thousands of cattle in the snow-locked mountains of the west.

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Enough of the weather except to say, that it was quiet in Muleshoe during the stormy days. It was so quiet that when a mouse walked across a bale of cotton at the Edwards gin, the noise was plainly heard on Main street, a quarter mile away.

Club Woman To Speak On Cancer At Littlefield Feb. 2

An outstanding Texas clubwoman will bring her informative message on cancer to the South Plains on February 2, when she speaks at 3:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church in Littlefield.

She is Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, a past president of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs and at present the only woman member of the Texas Board of Education. She now also is state commander of the Field Army of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division.

Her topic will be "Cancer is Your Problem."

Mrs. Perkin's appearance in Littlefield is being sponsored by the Woman's club of Littlefield, and the meeting is open to the public, with special invitations extended to the club women of Hockley, Bailey, Cochran and Lamb counties. The Garden department of the Women's club will serve as hostesses for the afternoon, and have made special arrangements to seat colored women in the balcony, so that no women in these counties may be excluded from hearing Mrs. Perkins' message.

Mrs. Perkins described cancer today as the nation's No. 1 enemy, because of its threat of death to everyone now living, and of long suffering broken homes and hardships for everyone whose life is touched by the disease.

The American Cancer Society, Texas division, is a working force acting to combat in every Texas community through research, service and education of the public.

Mrs. A. T. Cocanougher of Lubbock is County Commander in Lubbock county, and Mrs. A. E. Boyd is County Commander for Hale County in her home town of Plainview. There are no commanders for Lamb, Cochran, Bailey or Hockley at the present time.

Mrs. T. B. Duke is chairman of the cancer control committee of the Woman's club in Littlefield.

Mrs. Perkins will be the speaker at an assembly program at the Littlefield High school Wednesday morning, on February 2.

FORMER MULESHOE MAN DIES AT ARTESIA, N. M.

R. D. Wright, better known as "Shorty" Wright, a former Muleshoe man, died Sunday morning at his home in Artesia, N. M. He was a brother-in-law of Mrs. E. R. Wright of Muleshoe. Mr. Wright was 56. He is survived by his wife and a son, R. D. Wright, Jr. Funeral and burial services were conducted there at 3:30 p. m. Monday, January 24. During his residence here Mr. Wright farmed near Muleshoe.

Change Is Made In Site For "March Of Dimes" Dance Monday

The spacious shop rooms of the Muleshoe Implement & Supply Company will be the scene of the March of Dimes dance to be held in Muleshoe the coming Monday night, January 31, it was announced today.

Change of place of the dance was necessary because the Millsap & Robertson new garage building, at first selected, will not be finished in time.

Earl Ladd, proprietor of the Implement firm, will be put to a lot of trouble to move machinery and make other arrangements, but he volunteered the building in order to help the March of Dimes campaign to raise funds to fight polio, Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, dance chairman announced.

The dance will begin at 8 o'clock. Good music will be furnished, free. Modern dancing will be enjoyed and in addition a square of the Muleshoe square dance club will give an exhibition of square dancing.

Tickets are now on sale for the dance at $1.20 per person.

Growing With The Muleshoe Country



Another firm that is growing with Muleshoe and the Muleshoe country is the Willson-Sanders Lumber Co., main building of which is pictured above.

This building, which is still receiving inside partitions and finishings, is 38x140 feet. Spacious yards and lumber sheds adjoin the building. Nearby, on the opposite corner of the block, another building for the firm is rapidly nearing completion. This new building, a warehouse, which cannot be seen in this picture, is 34x140 feet with 16 foot walls.

Still another development is planned by the firm, a warehouse and unloading dock and facilities on land they bought across the highway north, adjoining the railroad tracks.

The firm was founded Jan. 1, 1945, by Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Sr. H. S. Sanders, Jr., joined the firm upon completion of his tour of service with the Armed Forces after the war. Others whose faces are familiar about the business are Jimmie Green, clerk; Harold Wyer, bookkeeper; and Kenneth Burton, clerk.

Besides lumber and building materials the firm stocks hardware, home appliances, plumbing supplies, etc.

Editor's Note: The Journal would like to publish a picture and write-up of every firm in Muleshoe (free of charge) and will do so if the business man will furnish the picture.

4-H Club Girls Win Awards In National Poultry Contest



CHICAGO, Ill.—That the girls are holding their own at the 27th National 4-H Club Congress is evidenced by these four national winners in the National 4-H Poultry Contest. Administered by the Extension Service of State Agricultural Colleges and the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the 4-H Club poultry program is designed to develop skill in poultry raising and egg production and knowledge of the best methods in grading and marketing. Awards of a $200 scholarship and an all-expense trip to the Congress were given to each of ten national winners by Dearborn Motors Corporation, Detroit. Shown above with David Meeker, Director of Education at Dearborn Motors, the girls are, left to right: Margaret Sandhouse, 17, of Fort Collins, Colorado; Madalyn Palensky, 18, Crete, North Dakota; Ruth Kimzey, 14, Torrington, Wyoming and Alice Roberts, 15, Lecompte, Louisiana.

John Smith Buys Bendix Laundry

John Smith has bought the Bendix Laundry here from Bill and James Case, assuming its management this week. The laundry is located on the paved street just east of Main, near the bus station.

Mr. Smith has been connected with the Damron Drug Store here since being discharged from the military service in the war. He will be in personal charge of the business.

The laundry has installed a second dryer, which will speed up the work and which will be available also to those who do not wash at the laundry.

The Case boys are associated with their father, Carl Case, in the operation of the Muleshoe Canning Factory.

Citizens Meet With Local Officers To Discuss Traffic Problems Existing In Business District

Taking cognizance of the rumors that have been flying to the effect that, since the installation of a new sheriff in Bailey County, law enforcement has become too harsh for small infractions of traffic regulations, a group of business men met with Sheriff Hugh Freeman Wednesday night to see what might be done to counteract such rumors and to correct if possible any condition which might have caused them.

Specifically, the men were concerned because they had heard people were being fined promiscuously for double parking on Muleshoe streets. Since the city has no corporation court, the sheriff's office is regulating traffic here and these cases are brought before the Justice of the Peace, and the least fine that can be assessed is $1 and costs, bringing the total fine to $14.

Sheriff Freeman told the group that many "warning" tickets on double parking have been issued, but that to his knowledge only two "fine tickets" have been written. This put an entirely different complexion on the matter, and Mr. Freeman assured those present that much of the complaints that have been heard have been based upon the notion that all tickets issued were "fine tickets". However, he said, several have paid fines for more serious violations of the traffic regulations. In this connection it was suggested that if people who have received a traffic ticket will examine it, they likely will find the word "warning" written in pencil across the slip.

Everyone present voiced the warmest approval of the way in which Mr. Freeman and his deputy, Mr. Boone, have worked to improve traffic conditions here. They had noted a great lessening of speeding, reckless driving, etc.

Mayor Connie Gupton and Commissioners Dudley Malone and Will Harper told the group that the city is not in any position to employ a corporate judge and enforcement officers that would be necessary should the city take over traffic regulation here.

Several business men voiced the opinion that farmers especially would be inconvenienced if they were unable to double park while picking up groceries, drugs, and so forth, which they had purchased at Muleshoe stores. Sheriff Freeman said that in such cases people would not be fined, where they merely wished to park a minute or two for a brief errand.

The business men made it clear to Mr. Freeman that there was no thought of interfering with his duties, but that their sole reason for studying the situation was to find a means to assure those who come to Muleshoe that they will be subject to no unwarranted interference or annoyance, and that they are welcome and will be among friends if they wish to trade here.

Part Of School Wall Completed

If you want to see what your new high school building will look like on the outside, pay a visit to the school building, which is now under construction. One section of the wall has been started with the sort of brick which will be used on all outside walls.

The brick is a sort of tan with an occasional darker brick giving a break in the monotony.

All the materials which will be needed in the construction of the big building are now on the ground, school officials said, and, given good weather, faster progress can be expected in the future.

Originally, the building was to be completed in October, 1949.

Much of the frame work has been erected, and construction work in the next few working days will cause the building to take shape rapidly.

John Henry Blair Died Here Tues.

John Henry Blair, 69, resident of the Farwell, Muleshoe, Oklahoma Lane section for 12 years, passed away Tuesday morning in Green Hospital & Clinic where he had been a patient a short time.

Mr. Blair was born September 3, 1879, in Tennessee. A retired farmer, Mr. Blair was a member of the Methodist church.

The body lay in state at Muleshoe Funeral Home until Wednesday morning when it was taken to Childress the former home, for burial services and burial in Childress Cemetery.

Mr. Blair is survived by his wife, Mrs. John H. Blair; two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Rucker, of Childress, and Mrs. L. O. Bradborn, Corona, Calif. Other survivors are three grandchildren, Nona Carol Rucker, Childress, and Mrs. Gene Peaster, Corona, Calif.

Lions Club Gets New Members

Seven new members were reported by the membership committee in the January drive of the Muleshoe Lions Club when the club met Wednesday. Other members are expected to come into the club during the next few weeks.

Morris Douglass, president, appointed committees to stage the annual ladies night to be given soon.

Guests at the club included Harold Newsom, Howard Elliott, Howard Cox, and Charles Alsup, of Muleshoe; and Jim Collins, Plainview, division manager of the Southwestern Public Service Company.

Garth Buys His Former Cafe

There will be free coffee and donuts at Royce's Cafe all day Saturday, Jan. 29, in celebration of Royce Garth's purchase of the cafe he formerly operated. The cafe is located on north Main street, just north of the Palace theatre.

Mr. Garth sold the cafe last year. During recent months he has been cooking at Gerald's.

Mr. Garth, in an announcement in this paper invites his old friends to come back to see him and expresses the hope he will be able to get acquainted with all who are not old customers.

Phillips 66 Under New Management

Matt Dudley and Burnice Pearson, who formerly operated a service station at the north end of Main Street, have purchased the Phillips 66 station, located on Main Street, across the street from the Western Drug Store.

Mr. Dudley, who is in active charge of the station, said they will sell Phillips gasolines, Phillips motor oils and greases.

They operate a grease rack and fix flats.

Stadium To Get 200 Shade Trees

Two hundred trees have been obtained by the local school officials for planting around the athletic stadium, Supt. W. C. Cunningham said today. He said that a collective planting, making a formal occasion of it and letting the student body participate is being considered. Time will be in February, about Arbor Day.

Chinese elms were selected for quick growth.

Radio Listening Project Outlined

Under the direction of Miss Hill, District Agent, the extension service and radio personnel cooperated in a radio listening project in district Two during the months of March through November of 1948.

Home Demonstration Club Women in the sixteen counties scored themselves as to the radio programs they listened to. The high score woman from each county and her county home demonstration agent, were invited to an all day program in Lubbock January 24, as guests of KSEL, KCBD and KFYO.

Tours were made of the radio stations and detailed information given as to different types of radio programs and how each type program was put on the air. Luncheon served at noon at the Hilton Hotel with Ken Gapen, U. S. Department of Agriculture Radio Staff Member, as guest speaker.

One of the highlights of the day was a Radio Forum on "What I Think about Radio," by winning club members lead by Francess Arnold, Assistant Extension Editor at a coffee in the Lubbock National Bank. Points were brought out as to the likes and the dislikes of radio programs and suggestions made as to possible improvements. A television film was shown and discussed by Mr. Gapen.

Persons attending this program from Bailey County were: Mrs. G. T. Maltby, THDA Vice President of District Two and Mrs. Marie T. Corrington, County Home Demonstration Agent. Mrs. John Thomson, the winning county representative was unable to make the trip.

VISITED IN ARTESIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. McMath visited Mrs. McMath's brother, C. E. Nivens, and family of Artesia, N. M., Sunday and Monday.

Farm Sale Here Monday, Jan. 31

A farm sale at the Howard Obenhaus place, 4 miles north of Muleshoe on the Friona road ¾-mile west, is scheduled for the coming Monday, January 31. The sale is advertised with Howard Obenhaus and Wayne Garth as owners, but it is understood others have contributed to the sale.

There will be an exceptionally fine list of farm machinery for this sale, including several tractors with equipment. Also in the sale is a list of fine dairy cattle, household goods, and many miscellaneous items.

Col. W. D. Wanzor, Muleshoe auctioneer, will conduct the sale.

Baseball Meeting Called Wednesday

It has been announced that a meeting of all interested persons will be held next Wednesday night at the office of the Lambert Plumbing shop to organize and elect a business manager for next season's baseball team.

Other important matters are to be brought to light such as new uniforms, a new ball park, and possibilities of installing lighting facilities for night games.

The local team is a member of the Capitol League and will play games with other league teams next spring.

Mr. Strott Walker stated that all persons that are interested in any way with the local baseball team should attend this meeting.

Less Lambert will be in charge of the meeting until the interested parties attending the meeting have elected the club business manager, who will take over the duties of presiding at the meeting.

TO LUBBOCK

Mr. Alton Cherry spent Friday in Lubbock on business.

Local Markets

Cream, lb.	.65
Eggs, doz.	.38
Light Hens, lb.	.22
Heavy Hens, lb.	.24
Hides, lb.	.08
Hogs, cwt.	19.75
Wheat, bu.	$2.00
Maize, cwt.	[illegible]
Hegari, cwt.	[illegible]
Kafir, cwt.	$2.15

BONUS APPLICATION BLANKS RECEIVED HERE

Connie D. Gupton, county service officer, reports that service men who served from Ohio or Louisiana may obtain application blanks at his office to apply for bonus payments to be paid by the states.

It is understood that eight states, including Ohio and Louisiana are to pay veterans a bonus on their service in the last War.

VISIT IN LUBBOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Jeffcoat and two children, Coleen and Lee, spent the weekend in Lubbock with Mrs. Jeffcoat's sister.

Application blanks from other states have not been received here.

Next Time Try A Journal Want Ad

Letters To The Editor . . .

The Muleshoe Journal

Dear Sirs:

Something I don't like is a newspaper that doesn't print the truth, and when it is the hometown weekly I especially don't like it. I am referring, of course, to your statement in this weeks Journal that Fry & Cox Bros. was founded in 1921 and is one of Muleshoe's oldest firms. Why that upstart concern has not been operating long enough yet to be considered well established.

It is true there was a Fry & Cox blacksmith shop in Muleshoe when we came here the first day of February in 1929, which is now about twenty years ago. At that time Jim Cox was performing manual labor for Mr. E. R. Hart in Mr. Hart's tractor and implement shop. Jim delivered our first tractor, a Regular Farmall, to use at our farm near West Camp in the early spring of 1929 (the seat of which tractor I occupied quite consistently for eleven years).

My memory of the next few years fails me somewhat but I am practically sure that in the spring of 1932 when our Regular Farmall received its first overhaul Jim was still grinding valves and tightening rods in Mr. Harts shop and did this work for us.

In the meantime Jack was still helping operate the blacksmith shop which was located in a building near the one now used by Carol Goss. I might mention also that Bill and Margaret Collins held forth in their "Bill's Cafe" nearby for many years for the benefit of the many farmers who frequented that part of the city.

Shortly thereafter, pernaps in '33 or '34, Jim came down (times were hard and I assume help became more plentiful) and the firm of Fry & Cox Bros. was founded and operations started in the same building where they continued for some time until the present building occupied by Fry & Cox Bros. was erected, probably about 1939 or 1940.

I am sure you will be very glad to have this matter straightened out and have The Muleshoe Journal regain its rightful place as one of Muleshoe's oldest firms. I regret that I am busy working on my farm southwest of Muleshoe, in the Stegall community, and do not have time to come to town and attend to this personally, but am glad to take time to do so by letter.

Seriously, I am glad this has come up. Come the first day of next February we will have lived in Bailey County twenty consecutive years. You have caused me to once more think back over those years, each of which has been too hot, too cold, too dry, and too windy, to ponder the ups and downs, the changes and the progress that has come to us and to our county and to realize more fully that every year has been most enjoyable and that our county is indeed a very fine place to live and to work.

It is a good time also, perhaps, for us to give some thought to the many ways in which our county and town can be still further bettered through still more thought and effort, and to resolve that the same shall be forthcoming.

Yours Sincerely,
Conrad Williams

P. S. No charge for this dope (mebbe a cup of coffee).

RETURN HOME

Mrs. W. E. Hill and daughter, Marion Lee, returned home after spending several days visiting her mother and father in Tahoka and with a sister, Mrs. Dove, in Plainview.

Read The Want Ads. Every Week.

FURNITURE FASHIONS by Frances Ainsworth



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A GOOD MOVE

Soon after Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carver moved from Tahoka to the Muleshoe area, a representative of The Journal visited the former home of Mr. and Mrs. Carver. A local citizen of Tahoka stated that the sand had stopped blowing and the county had received nearly 3-inches of moisture since Mr. Carver had moved.

Well, soon after Mr. Carver got settled in Bailey county, it quit blowing sand and the local area has also received much moisture. We don't know whether Mr. Carver's coming to Bailey county has any thing to do with the weather, but if it does . . . you're certainly welcome to stay here.

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AWTREYS HAVE GUESTS

Guests in the W. H. Awtrey home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Awtrey, of Melrose, N. M. A birthday dinner for W. H., Sr., was enjoyed by all.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Who's A Foreigner?

While I'm waiting for a hair-cut the other day, Slim Hartman butts in with a crack about those "foreigners" who live by the depot.

"Now wait a minute, Slim," snaps Doc Sherman. "Don't forget we're all 'foreigners' more or less. Some of our families have simply been here *longer* than others. But even if they came over on the Mayflower, they were foreigners to the Indians."

Slim gets a little red and you could see that Doc had him. "And the reason they came here," he goes on, "was to find freedom to do and think as they wanted to so long as they didn't tramp on the rights of the other fellow."

From where I sit, America became the great land it is today through our being tolerant of different people and different tastes—whether it's a taste for square dancing or waltzing, radio or movies, goat's milk or a temperate glass of sparkling beer.

Joe Marsh

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Washing's done automatically while you go about your other house work. Put the damp clothes in your dryer, and forget about them until you take them out, as dry and clean smelling as if they'd been on a "line" for hours. Then, you'll find it just a few minutes' work to go through an ironing with an efficient electric ironer.

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BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT IS NOW IN PROGRESS

16 Basketball Teams Are To Participate In Annual Tournament

The opening game of the Annual Muleshoe Invitation Basketball Tournament is already underway with the Levelland Girls and the Texico girls playing the opening game as The Journal goes to press.

The game was scheduled to begin today at 1 o'clock.

At 2 o'clock the Levelland boys A-team will meet the Muleshoe B-team in the first boys game of the tournament.

At 3 o'clock Springlake boys will tangle with the Spade five.

At 4 o'clock the Three Way girls will tangle with the Morton girls.

School officials stated that they expected a large turnout for the games eventhough the weather has been disagreeable Many out-of-town spectators as well as Muleshoe fans are expected to watch these fine basketball teams in action.

At 6 o'clock the Three Way boys will meet the Morton boys.

At 8 o'clock the Muleshoe A-team will meet the Bula boys.

At 9 o'clock the Muleshoe girls will meet the Bula girls.

The losers of the games played Thursday will play in the consolation bracket while the winners will meet the winners, playing in the championship bracket.

Friday Games

The opening game Friday afternoon will be played between the losers of the Three Way-Morton game and the losers of the Bula-Muleshoe A-team.

At 2 o'clock the losers of the Three Way girls and Morton girls game will meet the losers of the Muleshoe-Bula girls game.

At 3 o'clock the losers of the Levelland-Texico girls game will play the losers of the Springlake-Sudan girls game.

At 4 o'clock the losers of the Levelland boys A-team and the Muleshoe B-team will meet the losers of the Springlake-Spade game.

All the above games played Friday afternoon will be in the consolation bracket.

Games Friday Night

At 7 o'clock the winners of the girls Levelland-Texico game will meet the winner of the Springlake-Sudan game.

At 8 o'clock the winner of the boys Three Way-Morton game will meet the winners of the Bula-Muleshoe A-team game.

At 9 o'clock the winner of the girls Three Way-Morton game will meet the winners of the Bula-Muleshoe girls game.

Saturday Afternoon Games

At 2 o'clock the winners of the Levelland boys A-team and the winners of the boys Springlake-Spade game will play and the winner of this game will play the winner of the boys game played at 8 o'clock Friday night for the first and second place trophy's in a game at 9 o'clock Saturday night.

At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon the consolation winner will be decided in a game between the winners of the games played at 1 and 4 o'clock Friday afternoon. This is the boys bracket.

At 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon the consolation winners of the girls bracket will be decided between the winners of the games that were played at 2 and 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

The championship girls game is schedule to be reeled off at 8 o'clock Saturday night. This will determine the first and second place winners in the girls bracket and will be played between the winners of the games played at 7 and 9 o'clock on Friday night.

At 9 o'clock the boys will play for the championship of the tournament and the loser will become second place winner and will be played between the winners of the games played at 8 o'clock Friday night and the winner of the game played at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Awards To Be Made

After the boys championship game on Saturday night the awards will be made to the respective teams and to individuals who were outstanding.

First, second and consolation trophy's will be awarded to both the boys and girls teams and a Sportsmanship trophy will be awarded to the player selected as the best sporsman in both the boys and girls bracket and other individual awards will be made.

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SPORTS

THE MULESHOE JOURNAL, Thursday, January 27, 1949

Local Independent Cagers Enter Panhandle Ind. Basketball League

The two local Independent basketball teams have entered a new basketball league which was recently formed at a meeting of various independent teams in Littlefield.

The new league was named the Panhandle Independent Basketball League and there are nine teams in the league. Those teams are: Bula, Spade, Olton, Springlake, 131st Armed Guard Div., Lubbock, Littlefield, Anton, American Legion, Muleshoe and JayCees of Muleshoe.

The JayCees have already played one game, losing it, and the American Legion five have played two games winning both of their encounters.

A double round robin will be played by the league teams with the top four teams playing off for the championship.

Dimmitt Downs Legion

A hustling Dimmitt crew edged out the local Legion five by a score of 26-29 in a game played at Dimmitt recently.

The Legion crew bumped over the Bula five 67-22 in a league game encounter. Then the Legion five downed an Amherst five 39-27.

The JayCees were scheduled to play last Wednesday night, but the Journal failed to get the results of the game.

Legion Plays Tonight

The Legion team travels to Amherst where they will meet the 131st Armed Guard Div. five in a league encounter on the Amherst High School court.

The local Independent basketball teams have entered a new league which is known as the Panhandle Independent Basketball League which was formed at a meeting of Independent teams at a meeting in Littlefield recently. The local JayCees have already played one game and the Legion team has played two games so far.

Back to the eligibility rules set up in this state for high schools. . . . We know that the rules are set up for a purpose and the one in question is to keep one school from "persuading" an athlete at another school to switch over to their team or school. . . . However there should be some other method used to stop that kind of underhanded stuff than to penalize the student who is eligible in every other way.

This rule is unjust to the high school students and something should be done about it.

Another local product is reported to be boxing . . . Jim Bickel, who is fighting on a boxing team in Lubbock. He met Calvin Pyle of Lockney at the Plainview bouts recently.

We haven't heard how he came out, but we do know that if he won he is a pretty good fighter, as we have seen Pyle fight and we know that he carries a vicious punch. Pyle fought John Witt a heavyweight of Lubbock to a draw in an exhibition bout at a Golden Gloves fight last year.

Slants From The Sidelines . . .

By W. E. Hill

It seems that The Journal is getting several complaints from various sources about not using enough names of players on the sports columns.

Obtaining and using every players name in a story is sometimes much harder than one would think. Especially if the reporter does not know one player from another by either their last or first names. The only way we are able to find out who did what is to look at the score book and when we look at it we find something like this . . . "Wee" No. 39. 2222112 . . . Now who is this person "Wee"?

Of course the sports reporter is gradually learning the names of the players and also using them when they show outstanding ability or pull a game out of the fire or something of that sort. If we stopped to name each and every player that went into the game in each game we would have a story about as long as your arm on each game. We do not have the time nor the space in this publication for a very long story on any one game as there may be four or five games that have already been played and four or five others to be played the next few days.

However we will try to do better as we don't want anyone to feel that they have been slighted nor do we want to make any of the players feel that they are the "hot-shots" just because we do happen to mention their names more often than we do others.

According to Superintendent W. C. Cunningham, the Annual Muleshoe Invitation Basketball Tournament will go off as scheduled unless the weather is worse than it was Tuesday.

Jacket Cagers Out In Tournament

The Muleshoe boys and girls teams were eliminated from the Invitation Tournament in which they were entered at Amherst by the Spade boys and girls teams.

Spade swamped the boys A-team by a score of 43 to 27 to eliminate them from the tournament.

The local girls were edged by the Spade girls 29 to 20 in a hotly contested battle with the Spade team edging into a 9-point lead at the final whistle.

SUDAN LEGION DANCE TO FEATURE MILLER ORCHESTRA

The Sudan American Legion Post is featuring the Frank Miller Orchestra in a dance to be given at the Legion hut there the evening of Thursday, February 3. Dancing will begin at 8:30.

Admission will be $1 per person and people of the Muleshoe country are invited.

BICKEL ON BOXING TEAM

Jim Bickel, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bickel, of Muleshoe, is a member of a boxing team at Lubbock which was entered in a tournament against Plainview boxers last Friday. He was to meet Calvin Pyle of Lockney that night in a middleweight bout. Mr. and Mrs. Bickel attended, but this paper has not learned how Jim fared.

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Keeping Farm Records A Big Help To Farmer

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 25.—Keeping farm records isn't a big job. That is, it isn't if you have the Texas Farm Record Book.

Did you ever wonder how to avoid the large amount of trouble and work it takes to fill out your income tax return? Did you ever wonder how your farm operates from year to year? Can you remember from time to time just how much land, machinery, and farm products you have on hand? The farm book is the answer to all these questions, says John G. McHaney, extension county agricultural agent at large of Texas A. & M. College.

Texas farmers received about two billion dollars last year from the sale of crops, livestock and livestock products. This is pretty big business, and is becoming very competitive. Such economic conditions as these, as well as others, have shown many farmers the importance of planning their yearly operations, and to check up from one year to the next.

Farm records serve as a basis for locating the weak and strong points in farm operations—a kind of mirror that reflects a whole year's business. And, too, records will point out any unsatisfactory performances on the farm before more serious losses occur, says McHaney.

When it comes to getting credit from loan agencies, farm records show these agencies the possibilities of the farm and give a list of the assets—in inventory form—located on the farm.

The Texas Farm Record Book was designed so it can be adapted to any farm conditions in the state, and to cut down on the time and effort needed to keep a good set of records.

The record book is full of inventories—inventories of nearly everything on the farm. There are inventories of land, farm improvements, machinery and equipment, livestock, crops and feeds on hand farm sales and expenses, farm products used at home, and last of all, a summary of the year's farm business.

Inventories are check-ups on what a farmer owns and owes at the start and finish of each year. Farmers who prepare income statements—and that gets nearly everybody—find they have a number of deductions after keeping a farm inventory.

After the inventory has been recorded at the first of the year, all that's left to be kept from day to day is the farm sales and expenses—a five or ten minute job after supper.

Texas Farm Record Books can be had from the county agent, or by writing the Extension Service at College Station, says McHaney.

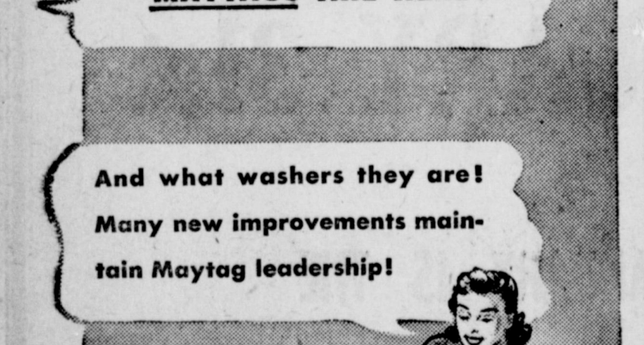
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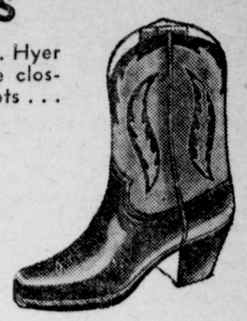
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Women's News - Club Events Social Activities

COLOR SYMPHONIES

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Sun-streaked curtains with their color taken out with color remover, then re-dyed the daintiest of pastels will happily brighten your windows for many another day. Or if odd glass panels are your particular problem, start from go with the removal of their various colors and dye them to match — perhaps a rich drapery shade.

Since this new color remover, which comes in the blue and white box, is also helpful in taking out stains, remember it for those unavoidable but unhappy accidents to your table linen. And if re-dyeing is necessary, consider the soft greens and pinks which make such a flattering background for china and silver.

Of course, these are but a few ways you can bring old fabrics back into more useful service. When you discover how simple color remover is to use, you'll almost find yourself looking for "dyeable" articles. It's easy as this—wash the article and rinse thoroughly. Select a vessel large enough to hold the material without crowding and fill with water. Simmer water and empty color remover into water. Quickly immerse wet article before color remover dissolves; stir constantly till color is removed.

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Thinking Out Loud . . .

Speaking of gratitude, how many of you young folks who wrote to Santa Claus before Christmas, wrote him a thank-you letter after Christmas?

Sign outside a Minnesota cross-road town: "Speed limit 50 m. p. h. You can't get through here any too fast for us."

Sign on church bulletin board: "This is the gateway to Heaven. Closed during July and August."

Notice in a church bulletin: "Come to the morning service early if you want a good back seat."

And there was the man who called a spade a spade until he stumbled over one in the dark.

Roots of Culture — YOUR BIRTHSTONE AND ITS MEANING



Rebekah Lodge Held A Public Installation Here

MuleshoeRebekah Lodge held a public installation Monday night at Fellowship Hall. The installing team was composed of the following: Past Noble Grands, Clytie Dial, Vernice Garth, Allie Snyder, Ruby Shelley, May Provence, Sarah E. Snyder, and Velma Howell. A candellight ceremony was held and the following officers were installed:

Fay Lambert, noble grand; Ruby Green, vice grand; Lola Goodnogh, chaplin; Iva Carpenter, musician; Ruth Anderson, warden; Sylvia Wilemon, conductor; Loma Gustin, right support to noble grand; Hattie Jennings, left support to noble grand; Hazel Whalin, right support to vice grand; Fern Davis, left support to noble grand; Geneva Freeman, inside guardian; Callie Smith, outside guardian; Hazel Nowell, Secretary; Dalley Snyder, Treasurer.

There were several visitors present. Delicious refreshments of cookies, punch, and coffee were served.

Half Century Club Met In Harper Home

The Half Century Club met on January 20, in the home of Mrs. Will Harper. Those present were Mrs. Darnell, Carles, Layne, Jones, Wollard, Griffith, Mohler, Paul, Duke, Kistler, Engram and the hostess.

The evening was spent playing going to market and 42. The house was called to order for a short business session, and refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee was served.

The club will meet Thursday February 3, in the home of Mrs. J. H. Engram.

Sunshine Club Met January 20

The Sunshine club met with Mrs. Barnhouse January 20. The roll was called and answered with each member reading a verse from the New Testament starting with the second chapter and seventh verse through the twenty-second verse of Matthew.

Those present were Mesdames: Odom, Tipton, Ware, Harvey, Rowland, Hart, Lee Kolar, Simmons, Coulter, Stinson, Meek, Crawford, Chambless, Dawkins, a new member Lewis, Miss Dorothy Dawkins, and the hostess, Mrs. Barnhouse.

The club will shower a newly wed couple in Holland. The club also donated five dollars to the March of Dimes.

Delicious refreshments were enjoyed by all.

The cllub will meet with Mrs. Chambless February 3.

Mrs. H. C. Elliott Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. H. C. Elliott was honored with a bridal shower given by Mrs. A. W. Crow and Mrs. Eddie Lane in the home of Mrs. Lane. Mrs. Elliott is the former Wanda Fern Black.

Guests were received by Mrs. Ray Black and Mrs. W. D. Wanzor, mothers of the bride and groom. Patsy Lane attended at the bride's book.

The table was laid with a lace table cloth, the centerpiece was a large bowl of sweet peas.

Piano selections were played throughout the afternoon by Mrs. Lamond Lane. Mrs. A. W. Crow presided at the punch bowl. The honoree received many beautiful gifts.

Our Honor Roll . . .

Our honor roll this week is featured by the number of new subscribers we have received since our last paper was published. The list follows:

Old Subscribers:
R. J. Klump, City.
Nellie Dean, City.
Truitt Smith, Baileyboro.
Mrs. Charles Sponar, Iowa.
S. L. Robinson, City.
J. E. Mills, Route 1.
B. H. Bickel, Star Route 1.
R. L. Brooks, Lubbock.
Frank Snyder, Route 2.
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W. H. Hayes, City.
V. M. Collins, City.
J. J. DeShazo, City.
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R. A. Shanks, Route 2.

New Subscribers:
D. A. Marlow, Baileyboro.
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Jim Cox, City.
G. W. Drake, Clovis.
Ray Hawthorn, City.
John R. Moore, Route 1.
E. W. Owen, City.
Bruce Horsley, Abilene.
E. J. Gulley, Route 2.

BACK FROM CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Black have returned home after spending some months in San Gabriel, near Los Angeles, Calif. Mrs. Black underwent two operations in San Gabriel hospital and is much improved in health.

CONGRATULATIONS TO:

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Holt, formerly of Muleshoe, who are now living in Roswell, N. M., and are the proud new parents of a baby girl born January 13.

ARE AT HOME HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Corrington have moved here from Lubbock and are now occupying the Deon Awtrey home. Mrs. Corrington is the county home demonstration agent. Mr. Corrington is a bricklayer by trade.

Vegetables on February plentiful list include cabbage, carrots, spinach, Irish potatoes, onions, dried peas and beans, and canned corn.

Moisture Now Totals 2.32 Inches

Total moisture received in Muleshoe in January has now reached 2.32 inches, R. J. Klump, weather recorder here said today. Rain, sleet and snow Wednesday added .32 inch.

The snowstorm of Wednesday afternoon and evening was featured by a rather startling electrical display. Rumblings of thunder could be plainly heard and several flashes of lightning lit up the snow covered scene in an eery manner.

Wet shoes should never be dried close to a stove. Fast drying of leather makes it shrink, harden or crack open.

A rain Saturday left .19 inch of moisture and the weather man favored the Muleshoe country again Tuesday and Tuesday night with .28 inch more. Total received in this month so far is the greatest ever received in January, at least since local weather records were started in 1921, Mr. Klump said.

Nearly all moisture that has fallen has soaked into the ground, several farmers have told The Journal, so that very little was lost. The ground is wet to a very favorable depth, giving a rosy hue to early estimates of this year's crop prospects.

Branches of trees and shrubs that have been split off by the weight of ice should be pruned off. All splintered and rough should be smoothed off before wound point is applied.

Joke: Adam and Eve had a pretty hard time naming the animals. "Well Eve," said Adam, "let's call this one hippopotamous."

"But why call it a hippopotamous dear?"

"Well heck, it looks like one."

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Mrs. S. A. Hall,
Mrs. Acie Daniell

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Witness my official hand and seal of office, this the 10th day of January, A. D., 1949.

Cecil Tate, County Judge, Bailey County, Texas. (SEAL) 3-5tc

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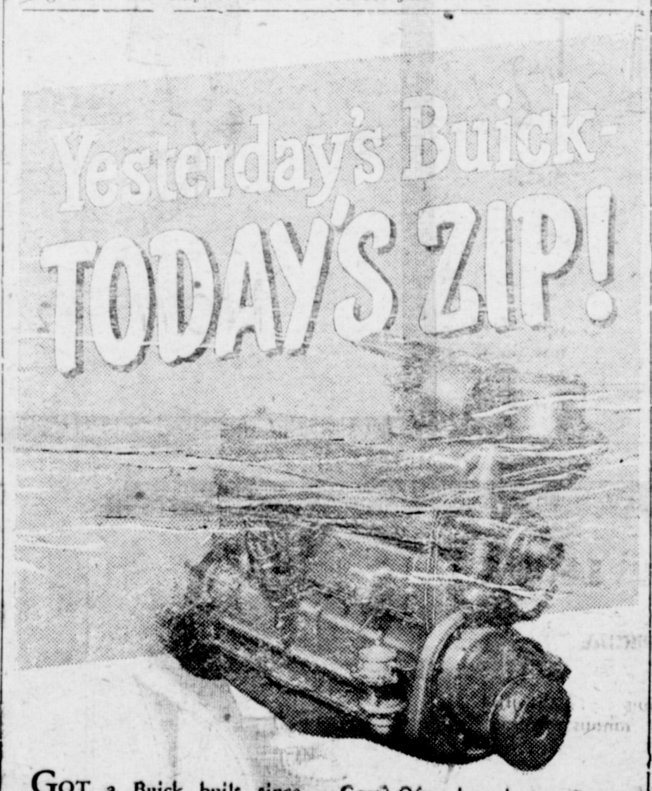
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Morning Worship	11 a.m.
Training Union	6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p.m.
Officers and Teachers, Wednesday	7 p.m.
WMU, Wednesday	2 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, Thursday	7 p.m.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
T. G. Craft, Pastor
Sunday Services

Bible Study	10 a.m.
Church School	9:45 a.m.
Preaching	11 a.m.
Young People	6 p.m.
Evening Worship	7:30 p.m.
Midweek Service, Wednesday	7:30 p.m.
W.S.C.S., Monday	2:30 p.m.
Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday	7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Ebb Randol, Minister
Bible Study, 10 a. m.
Church Services, 10:50 a. m.
Evening Services, 7:30 p. m.
Ladies Bible class Wednesday at 3 p. m.
Mid-week Service, Wednesday, at 7:30 o'clock.

LONGVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. J. E. Moore, Pastor

Sunday School	10 a. m.
Preaching Services	11 a. m.
B. T. U.	8 p. m
Preaching Service	8:30 p. m.
W. M. S., Monday, 2:30 p. m.	
All Church Night, Wed., 7:30 p. m.	

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Carrol M. Jones, Pastor

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Preaching Service	11 a. m.
Bible Study Classes	7 p. m.
Preaching Service	7:30 p. m.

UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Maggie Kent, Pastor

Sunday School	10:00 a. m.
Preaching Service	11:00 a. m.
Evening Service	7:30 p. m.
Tuesday Evening	7:30 p. m.
Friday Evening	7:30 p. m.

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Rev. M. E. Robinson, Pastor

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Church Services	11 a.m.
B. T. U.	7:30 p.m.
Church Services	8:15 p.m.

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Church Service	11 a. m.
Evening Service	8:30 p. m.
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Lazbuddy, Texas

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Training Union	6:45 p. m.
Evangelistic Service	7:45 p. m.
Mid-Week Prayer Service	7 p. m.

"Not forsaking the assembling of yourselves together. Heb. 10:25.

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Rev. L. H. Hubbard, Pastor

Sunday School	10 a.m.
Morning Worship	11 a.m.
Evening Service	8 p.m.
Young People's Service, Tuesday	8 p.m.
Mid-week Service, Thursday evening	8 p. m.

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Rev. Martin L. Pattan, Pastor
Mack Hale, S. S. Supt.

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Morning Worship	11:00 A. M.
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Young People's Service	7 P. M.
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59c per yd.

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27-inches wide . . . Good Grade **35c value . . . Sale Price . . .**

19c per yd.

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36 inches wide . . . Good heavy grade . . . Regular yard value . . . **½-Price . . .**

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One group of Shag Rugs . . . Sizes 24x36 and 24x48 . . .

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Texas Hybrid Corn Proving Its Superiority

COLLEGE STATION, Jan. 25—Corn hybrids in Texas again proved their superiority over the best adapted open pollinated varieties last year, says E. A. Miller, extension agronomist of Texas A. & M. College.

In experimental tests and demonstration plots over the state, the hybrids came out on top. The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station recently released results of 1948 tests with various corn hybrids.

Here's what they found. The hybrids made even a greater percentage increase over native corn during the long dry spell last year than during normal years. This points out the fact that the hybrids are more drouth resistent than the best native corn varieties. In these tests, says Miller, the new yellow Texas hybrid number 24 averaged 32.5 percent more than the highest yielding open pollinated variety. Hybrids 20, 18 and 8 made increases of 27, 26 and 23 percent respectively.

In the white hybrids, the new Texas 11W averaged 21 percent more than the highest yielding open pollinated variety.

County agricultural agents reported 2,912 demonstrations by farmers with corn hybrids, and 2,199 by 4-H club boys with an average increase over open pollinated corn, says Miller.

Some exceptionally high yields were made by both 4-H club boys and adult farmers. Among the club boys, some of the top yielders were John D. Alcorn, Leonard Ross and Dwyane Alcorn, of Harrison county with 100.6, 86 and 83 bushels respectively. Jack Ross, Harrison county club boy got 94.5, 71.5 and 68.4 bushels in their county contest. James Ray Findley, Rusk county club boy, got a yield of 87.5 bushels, and Charles Bishop of Van Zandt county got 83 bushels. James Hobbs and Louis Muniza, club boys in the Wharton county contest, averaged 70 and 68 bushels respectively.

Among the high yields made by some of the adult farmers, there were 87 bushels by R. C. Kuldell, of Brazoria county; 84.5 bushels by R. E. Saxon and 83 bushels by R. E. Washburn of Henderson county in a 100 bushel per acre contest. J. K. Hodges, of Coryell county, averaged 75 bushels.

In Milam county, 50 4-H club boys averaged 23.5 percent more with hybrid corn than with native corn grown side by side with the same treatment.

Using experimental results as a basis, these are the Texas hybrids to use in the following areas: over the entire corn growing region, Texas 24 is first choice; followed by Texas yellow hybrids numbers 20 and 12 in East Texas, and Texas yellow hybrids, 20, 18 and 8 in the blackland region and in the southern and western corn growing areas.

The white hybrids 11W and 9W have made the best record in the Gulf Coast Prairie. In the Lower Rio Grande Valley, under irrigation, Texas Yellow 24 and Texas White 13W and 11W have made the highest yields of over 100 bushels per acre, says Miller.

So, if you're looking for higher yielding corn, try corn hybrids.

MOVE FROM WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore and two children have moved to a farm in the Pleasant Valley community from Coupeville, Wash.



Community Nests for Poultry House Urged

Installation Decreases Number of Dirty Eggs

Taking cognizance of the premium prices paid for clean eggs on the market, poultrymen with large laying flocks are giving increased attention to installation of community nests.

Dirty eggs brought 15 cents less a dozen than clean eggs when sold through Ohio cooperative eggs auctions in June, D. D. Moyer, specialist in poultry husbandry at Ohio State university, points out, adding that the owner of a large laying flock either has to take a cut in price, spend almost as much time cleaning eggs as in all other care of the laying flock or change the



Photo shows community nest for poultry house suggested by Ohio station to assure clean eggs.

poultry house equipment to reduce the number of dirty eggs gathered.

Installation of community nests in place of the small box type will decrease the number of dirty eggs by 50 per cent, Moyer claims. They are easier to clean and can be kept free from parasites more easily than the ordinary little cubicles. Original construction cost also is considerably less than that of an equal amount of nesting space of the old type inasmuch as less labor and material are required.

The community nest recommended by the Ohio station is 8 feet long, 2 feet wide, 14 inches high in front and 30 inches high in back. The space is divided in the center so there are 2 4-foot compartments in the nest, providing facilities for 80 to 100 laying hens. The front half of the nest cover is hinged so it can be lifted for gathering eggs. The bottom of the nest can be hinged so it will swing down to dump the nest litter. Hens enter the front of the nest through openings 8 inches square in the center of each compartment.

Materials required for construction include; 9 pieces of 1-inch by 8-inch by 8-inch for lid, front bottom ends and partition; 5 pieces of 1-inch by 10-inch by 8-inch for lid and back; 1 piece of 1-inch by 6-inch by 8-inch for lower front board; 4 pieces of 1-inch by 4-inch by 8-inch for cleats, nest perch and entrance lids; 1 piece of 1-inch by 2-inch by 8-inch for cleats for the ends and partition; 1 piece of 1-inch by 4-inch by 10-inch for bottom supports, with the piece beveled at the ends if hinged; 3 pairs of 8-inch strap hinges, and 3 8-inch hooks and screw eyes if the bottom is hinged.

Medal Of Honor Winners Listed

The first printing of "The Medal of Honor," the United States Army's great story of its Medal of Honor and of the courageous men who have won it since it was first authorized on July 12, 1862, was a huge success and sold out almost immediately. To meet the popular demand, a second printing has been authorized and will soon be off the press.

The stories of the bravery of these Medal of Honor Winners—men like Lieutenant Audie L. Murphy, who jumped on a burning tank destroyer and, despite a leg wound, killed or wounded about fifty Germans and stopped an attack; or like Corporal Harry R. Harr, who threw himslef on a live hand grenade and saved the lives of his comrades at the cost of his own—will linger with you long after you have closed the covers of this thrilling volume.

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Copies of "The Medal of Honor" may be obtained from the Superintendent of documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D. C. at $4.50 per copy.

Maple News

The Three Way Eagles have been playing good basketball lately, even if they don't win every time. Friday night, Muleshoe brought three teams. The Muleshoe girls won by one point over the Three Way girls.

Muleshoe boys B team beat the Three Way B team but the Three Way A boys won over the Muleshoe boys. The Three Way girls lost a game by two points Saturday night at Whiteface.

We have a very good moisture in the ground and as soon as it warms up farmers will really be busy.

There are several cases of measles in the community now.

Helen Penny is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Penny. Helen is employed at Wichita Falls, Texas.

Mrs. Williams, the 6th grade teacher, has been away for ten days. Mrs. T. K. Kelly took her place in the school room.

The W.S.C.S. met in the I. W. Holloway home Wednesday evening with a very pleasant meeting.

Mrs. G. A. Davis has been on the sick list.

WERE GUESTS OF GOINS

Mrs. F. W. Jones and Mrs. John W. Smith were guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goins, of Floydada, honoring their daughter, Mrs. Allen

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[Ov]er Fifty [Y]ung Cowhands

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"[Sa]tan Came To Muleshoe"

[Th]is [is a] moral and in it you may find,
That conditions in a moment often bring a change of mind.
It's of early days in Texas, drouth and hunger, pain and woe,
And how Satan came to Muleshoe over 50 years ago.
We were broke and ridin' chuckline—only way that we could eat,
I and a ramblin' wrangler whose family name was Wheat.
He used to entertain us in the campfire's cheery glow,
With a lot of recitations and old tales of long ago.
And work on our emotions till we'd shudder in affright,
And a lot of ghostly figures seemed a-creepin' through the night.
And preach—we'd sit and listen as a halo round him shone,
And we'd hear the angels flutterin' around the golden throne.
And then he'd paint a picture in a fiery lurid glow,
Of the never-ending torment of the hot place down below.
He'd keep pilin' on the fuel, then he'd stop to get his breath—
Grin an' say, "There ain't no northers and we will not freeze to death."
Well, the times kept gettin' harder, not a doggone job in sight,
Into Muleshoe broke an' hungry we rode that winter night.
It just seemed the end was comin', all our plans had met defeat,
When he said, "I hate to do it, but old pal we've got to eat."
And he started savin' sinners and we rode our daily rounds,
Two evangelistic cowhands and we ate like hungry hounds.
Him a-preachin' in the schoolhouse to the multitude at night,
Grimly wrestlin' with the devil, leadin' sinners to the light.
Oh! I wonder what would happened if he'd stayed an'hadn't quit,
Lots got on the straight and narrow, some may be on it yet.
Oh! He hated the deception, seemed a-temptin' of the fates,
Women cooked their precious seed beans and they borrowed spoons an' plates.
Well, I seen he couldn't stand it for it was no longer fun,
Said, "This thing's a-gettin' serious and I've got to cut an' run."
Said, "Old pal right now I'm quittin', I'm a-leavin' here tonight,
After I have raised the devil and have wound it all up right."
When he preached that final sermon and bade us all farewell,
You just seemed to smell the brimestone and the sulphur fumes of hell.
As he shouted, "You are totterin' on perdition's awful brink,
And the devil's reachin' for you an' he's nearer than you think."
Then it happened—From the doorway came a shrill blood-curdling yell,
And inside appeared a monster that could only come from hell.
Attemptin' to describe it—claws an' horns and forked tail,
It is all beyond my power and is all of no avail,
For a moment there was silence, then as one we all did pile
Through the windows saved and sinners as Old Nick came down the aisle.
All evening old Aunt Sally who just simply couldn't run—
Saved and saintly, fat and crippled, she just done what I'd have done,
As she shouted, "Mister Devil! I'm so glad to see you here,
Though my names been on the church book for over 20 year.
And in the contribution box I've dropped a many a dime,
I just did it to be popular, I've been for you all the time."
Next day I tried to tell them—not a-wishin' to deceive,
How some boys fixed up the devil, but no one would believe.
But they never found the preacher, and they'll tell you till today
How Satan came to Muleshoe and carried him away.

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Muleshoe Journal
Additional

SPORTS

Girl Cagers Elect Captain

According to an announcement made by a high school official, the members of the girls basketball teams elected Miss Kay Malone as the captain of their team.

Miss Malone, who plays at a Forward position is an outstanding player on the team and was honored by the team by being elected their captain.

Some of the other members of the girls teams include: Eva Truelock, Margaret Sanders, Gay Sanders, Wanda Kimbrough, Janice Jordan, Beatrice Mortin Donna Kimbrough, Jeanette Kirk, Billy Margaret Collins, Shirley Evans, Delores Locker, Helen Lewallen, "Emmey" and possibly others, but their names were not available to The Journal.

Next Time Try A Journal Want Ad

FUSTON McCARTY JOINS PANHANDLE A & M CLUB

COLLEGE STATION, (Spl.), Jan. 25.—James F. McCarty, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McCarty, of Muleshoe, has joined the Panhandle A. & M. Club at Texas A. & M. College.

McCarty, a sophomore majoring in animal husbandry, entered A. & M. in 1948. He went out for track the first time that year and made the freshman team at Texas A. & M. He is also a member of the Saddle and Sirloin Club and the A. & M. Chapter of the F.F.A. James will be graduted in 1952.

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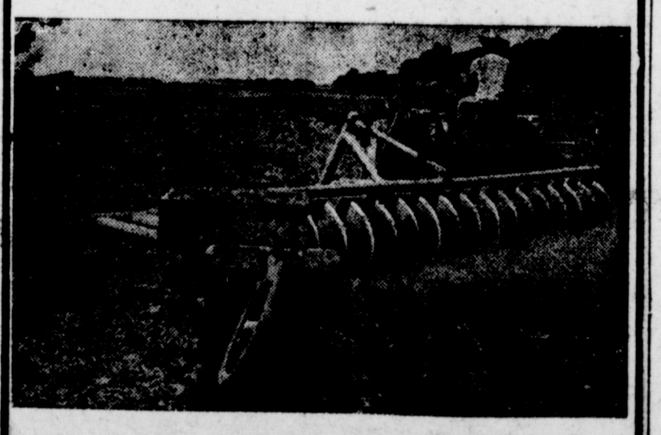
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Parents planning to bring children to the clinic are requested to register the children at the Center prior to the date of clinic. Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Miss Esther Snell, Director, or calling Lubbock 6541.

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VISITORS IN WEST HOME

Visiting in the Theron West house over the week end were Elder Cy Denton and family of Amarillo, Elder K. B. Martin and family of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones of Muleshoe. Mr. and Mrs. Theron West introduced Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barber and daughter, Paula to their friends and family.

MOVE TO CANADIAN

Mr. and Mrs. Deon Awtrey and little son, Ronnie, of Goodland, left Friday for Canadian, where he will begin work with the Santa Fe Railway shops. They sold their farm equipment and furniture to Mr. Sheppard who operates the Goodland gin. The Sheppards lost their home and furniture in a fire in November.

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Corbin Authors Five Senate Bills

AUSTIN—Senator and Mrs. Kilmer Corbin of Lamesa were among the guests of honor at inaugural festivities held here last week for Governor Beauford Jester and Lieutenant Governor Allan Shivers.

One of the most gala occasions in the annals of the biennial celebrations, the festivities attended by Senator and Mrs. Corbin included a pre-inaugural dinner Monday evening at the Austin Hotel, at which the governor, lieutenant governor and newly elected senators and their wives were honored guests. The dinner was sponsored by the Senate Wives Club.

A reception to fete the governor, lieutenant governor and members of the legislature was held at the Austin Country Club Tuesday afternoon and an hour later a public reception was underway in the rotunda of the capitol with all state officials forming a receiving line.

From the public reception the spotlight switched to Gregory Gymnasium, where Governor and Mrs. Jester led the grand march to start the evening's dancing.

Amid all the pomp and ceremony that prevails in Austin during the first days the legislature is in session, Senator Corbin found time to write and sponsor five of the first one hundred bills introduced in the senate. He stated this week that he will keep his constituents fully informed of his activities, and that a general explanation of the bills he has or will introduce will be issued within the next few days.

Senator Corbin also said that he will greatly appreciate anyone interested in matters pertaining to state government contacting him either by mail, telephone or in person.

His Austin mailing address is Drawer D, Capitol Station, and his telephone number is 6-2222. He may be reached at his residence by telephoning No. 6-2190.

Sheriff's Report . . .

Well, folks, here I am again in spite of snow, sleet, and cold weather.

I guess some of you read my reports for I had several complaints for missing last week.

Everything is still going smooth so far. In checking our prisoners file we find we have had only 16 prisoners since the first day of January; however there have been several arrests made for bad checks that have satisfied the merchants (or victims) and paid fines that have not been prisoners.

I must say there are a goodly number of bad check passers who have not yet been caught, but maybe we will stumble up on another if we keep trying.

Just Tuesday we had a fellow for theft under $50, a misdemeanor, whom we caught with the help of our neighboring sheriff, Sid Hopping of Littlefield. The victim in this case was Mr. Otto, west of town. Mr. Otto was paid for his feed, the man paid his fine and was released.

We had a late report of a load of grain stolen from Mr. Hamill of Levelland. Folks, please let me tell you the importance of making a report as soon as possible in these theft cases for the thief when allowed to have only a few hours can be a long way off; their clues, if they left any can be ruined, and they are hard enough to catch when an officer has something to work on.

Mr. Hamill's grain was stolen Tuesday night, Jan. 18 and it was reported to us Sunday, January 23.

The bad weather had ruined all chance of getting an imprint of the tire tracks. No one saw anyone suspicious, and goodness only knows how hard grain is to identify. There isn't one man out of even ten who hauls his own grain. So that again makes it hard checking elevators.

At this time we have five prisoners, three of them pretty steady boarders.

The past two weeks we have had four drunks in jail, only a small per cent of what should have been put in, I guess. Someone is still bootlegging or there have been several going to Amarillo or other places.

Folks I want to thank each of you for your splendid cooperation shown in not double parking. We think it makes our streets and town look much better and a lot safer. Sometimes it may seem hard to walk a few blocks, but if we can prevent one from getting hurt or killed, by our careful driving or parking it will be well worth our efforts.

Mr. Boone and myself will be at the March of Dimes dance at Millsap & Robertson's new building north of the tracks on the Plainview highway Monday night, January 31. So if you like to dance, we will try to keep order and let all of you have a good time.

So come on out and help a worthwhile cause. Untill next time, I remain your sheriff,
Hugh Freeman.

New Names Are Given To Streets

Muleshoe streets are being renamed and for the first time, houses are to have numbers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Heatwole, representing the W. J. Winters Publications, Amarillo, are here to do the work and are using a map which has cleared the city commission as well as civic groups. It was prepared by an Austin state agency.

Clovis highway will be renamed American Boulevard, on the map in use. The next street south and paralell will be known as Avenue B, the next one Avenue C, and so on.

Main street will retain its present name. The next street west will be West First, and the next street east of Main will be East First, etc.

An innovation is the numbering system whereby no two addresses on a street, whether east or west will have the same number. Beginning at the south end of town numbers start at 400, thus the block just east of the courthouse on Morton highway would be the 1100 block. Thus, The Journal's street address would be 1110 West First Street.

Numbers begin at 600 on the east side of town and continue through to the west end.

The Winters firm are publishing a four county directory, containing names of people on farms and in the cities, business firms, etc., in Bailey, Cochran, Lamb, and Hockley. Mr. Heatwole said that nearly all data necessary has been compiled.

Try A Journal Want Ad.

Uncle Sam Says



Many of my nieces and nephews are going to wake up the day after Christmas and realize they are broke. Many thousands of others will awaken to find they are well on the way to financial security. And the difference will be found in the regular automatic purchase of U. S. Savings Bonds. And the nice part of this is that it can happen to you. If you're not saving money as you'd like to, and you know you ought, get on the Payroll Savings Plan where you work. You'll have $4 for every $3 you invest, in only ten years. If self-employed, your bank will enroll you for the Bond-a-Month Plan. Sign now and part of your pay check is put into safe, sure, profitable U. S. Savings Bonds before you get a chance to spend it.

U.S. Treasury Department

If you flatter a man, you frighten him to death ; if you don't, you bore him to death. If you permit him to make love to you, he gets tired of you in the end; if you don't, he gets tired of you in the beginning.

If you wear a startling hat, gay colors and rouge, he hesitates to take you out. If you wear a little brown tailored suit, he takes you out and stares all evening at a woman in gay colors, rouge, and startling hat.

A man is just a worm in the dust; he comes along, wiggles about for sometime and finally some chick grabs him.

"I saw Tomorrow marching by
on little children's feet;
Within their forms and faces
read her prophecy complete.
I saw Tomorrow look at me
from little children's eyes,
And thought how carefully we'd
teach—if we were wise."

Joe Frank—"What's the date?"
Ray Kersey—"Let me look in the newspaper you have in your pocket."
Joe Frank—"No use, it's yesterday."

The timid little man rose to leave. "Do you **have** to go home early—as usual?" exclaimed an irritated associate; "what are you—a man or a mouse?"

"A man, of course," replied the little man with dignity.

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MAHON SEEKS PRICE SUPPORT ON GRAIN

WASHINGTON. —An immediate announcement of a 90 per cent of parity price support on the 1849 grain sorghum crop was asked by Congressman Mahon of Texas.

He said he would visit Secretary of Agriculture Brannen today to discuss the matter. He also said he planned to talk to Production Ralph Trigg.

Mahon said an early announcement of support would contribute substantially toward the government's drive to reduce cotton production.

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"JOURNEY IN THE DARK IS NEW LIBRARY BOOK

"Journey in the Dark" is a new book by Martin Flovin, now on the shelves of the Muleshoe Public Library. This is the story of the life of Sam Braden, a lonely man, going nowhere in the dark. He wanted wealth, and he got it. He wanted to belong to the social world in which the Wyatts moved so easily, and in time he did. Most of all, he wanted Eileen Wyatt, and this too, he achieved.

But he never escaped from the prison of his loneliness. The story takes the reader back along the Mississippi in the eighties to the incluences that shaped the boy and fixed the pattern of the man.

Another new book for the library is "Invitation To Live," by Lloyd C. Douglas, an inspiring story which demonstrates the full meaning and power of love.

You won't cut your finger if you pick up small bits of broken glass with a piece of crumped, moistened tissue paper.

Read The Journal Want Ads.

Melt the fat for muffins o ed puddings in the baking p savetime and extra dishwa Start melting the fat before suring out the other ingre so that it will be ready an pan cool enough when the is ready.

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WEST TEXAS GAS COMPANY COMPLETED ALL 1948 PROJECTS ON SCHEDULE . . .

1949 EXPANSION PROGRAM IS STARTING

(Following are the projects which we reported to our customers in July, 1948, that we planned to complete in 1948.)

NEW FACILITIES TO BE INSTALLED ON PIPE LINE SYSTEM 1948

1. Near Turkey Creek Compressor Station will be installed a 300 horsepower booster compressor. Main plant is 2,350 horsepower.
2. At McSpadden Compressor Station: three more 400 horsepower compressors, increasing capacity to 2,850 horsepower.
3. At Plainview Compressor Station: one more 300 horsepower compressor, increasing capacity to 2,400 horsepower.
4. At Littlefield Compressor Station: one 80 horsepower compressor, to increase capacity to 330 horsepower.
5. Between Littlefield Compressor Station and Whitharral: nine miles of 6⅝-inch pipe will replace 3½-inch pipe.
6. From Littlefield to point of intersection with new El Paso Natural Gas Company line: ten and one-half miles of 8⅝-inch pipe will replace 4½-inch pipe.
7. At Tahoka Compressor Station: one more 300 horsepower compressor, to increase capacity to 780 horsepower.
8. Between Tahoka and Brownfield: ten miles of 6⅝-inch pipe will replace 4½-inch pipe.

TWO NEW SOURCES OF SUPPLY ARRANGED

We have signed an agreement with El Paso Natural Gas Company to purchase from that company at two points. Barring unforeseen contingencies, this gas, which will benefit all towns on our system, will be available by November 1, 1948.

1948 PROGRAM COST 2¼ MILLION

Last winter we experienced an unusually heavy demand on our gas system . . . a demand which briefly exceeded the capacity of our transmission facilities. At that time we told the people we serve that we would make every effort possible to correct this situation before the next winter.

Certain definite projects were required to increase capacity. Some had already been planned . . . others were added. We reported to our customers via the newspapers what projects we planned to carry out in 1948. In the panel at left is a re-listing of those 1948 projects.

We are happy to say all of the expansion and improvement projects so reported to our customers were actually completed during 1948 . . . on schedule. West Texas Gas Company invested about $2,280,000 during the year in these improvements and additional facilities.

In November, we began purchasing substantial quantities of gas at Amherst and at Umbarger from El Paso Natural Gas Company. These new supplies of gas will directly or indirectly benefit all towns served by us.

2¼ MILLION MORE IN 1949

Already our 1949 expansion program is beginning. Preliminary work is under way now for one important project. It is estimated that we will invest another $2,250,000 or more during 1949 in additional facilities and improvements. Thus, in the two years of 1948 and 1949 we will have invested about four and one-half million dollars in order that we may provide a dependable, efficient and economical gas service to our customers.

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