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Utilities Company Opens Office Store Here

Fred Oberthier, division manager for Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co., with headquarters at Clovis N. M., was here Monday and announced the transfer of their office from Farwell to Muleshoe, being temporarily located in the E. R. Hart building on State Highway No. 7, and in the rear of the Gulf Service Station located in the same building.

Horace Taylor of Lubbock, an efficient employe of the company since 1935, will be in charge of the newly located office, assisted by Miss Mable Lee Margin, book keeper, who is being transferred here from the Farwell office. Gordon Lyons, efficient manager for the past several years, has been promoted to a special position at Fairfield, near Mexia, where the same company has properties.

H. H. Carlyle is to erect a building on his lots adjoining location of the Magnolia Service Station as far as possible into which the utilities company will then be moved and at which time the stock of electrical merchandise now owned at Farwell will be moved. The new building is to be 20 x 45 feet.

Jackson, new manager, will also be in charge of the company business at Texico, Farwell, Lariat and Bovina.

W. B. Wagon Home A Loss From Fire Sunday Morning

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. (Happy) Wagon had the misfortune to lose their recently almost completed new home in Muleshoe early last Sunday when parties returning after the preview movie in Clovis, N. M., discovered the fire and turned in the alarm. The fire department arrived in due time, quelling the flames; but not until the inside of the house had been badly gutted by the ravishing hot tongues, practically requiring complete reconstruction.

It is said Mrs. Wagon had most of all her household goods packed at their present residence in anticipation of moving within the next few days.

Origin of the fire has not yet been determined; but by interior conditions it is assumed it must have originated from a short in an electric floor sander being used in the building.

Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., this city, were construction contractors and the property was fully covered by insurance, according to available information. The loss is temporarily estimated at around \$2,500 or more, depending upon how much of the material may be salvaged and whether the Government will require complete reconstruction, as it was being built under FHA provisions.

Shippers To Save Ten Million In Lower Rates

An order has been issued by the Texas Railroad Commission requiring a freight rate reduction of approximately 13 percent being an estimated annual saving of around \$10,000,000 to shippers, according to announcement made a few days ago.

It is said such reduction has come about largely through activities of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which has for several months past taken an active part in such plan. It has also been intimated that further reductions may follow during this year.

Commenting upon the rate decrease Jerry Sadler, commission member, said:

"We have issued the order following a year and a half of intensive study. We have found that discriminatory freight rates have cost the state \$100,000,000 annually. It is high time that we begin the readjustment of these rates, and so we have ordered the first decrease in rates in first class freight of 13 cent, but there is good reason to believe this decrease will before long reach 23 per cent.

Commissioner Sadler pointed out some of the sectional discriminatory rates made against the Southwest. A 60 mile haul in Indiana and Ohio is \$1.22 per 100 pounds as compared with \$2.26 per 100 pounds for a like distance in Texas. Such discriminations abound throughout the entire country.

Guatemala reports that the United States is its best coffee customer.

AAA Farm Program Helps 800 Small Farms In Co.

An estimated 800 farmers of Bailey county have used the assistance of AAA committees in working out farm plans to cover their 1940 farming operations, according to County Agent Sam Logan.

The farm plans already worked out indicate small farmers, more than ever before, are taking advantage of the conservation provisions of the AAA program to carry out the practices most needed on their farms, he said.

"AAA payments made to farmers to help them carry out conservation practices do not begin to represent the true value of such practices," Logan continued. "For every dollar paid out for soil-building practices under the AAA Farm program, it is estimated the farm income will be increased by several dollars as a result of the increased productivity of the soil."

Designed especially to aid small farmers, one of the provisions of the 1940 Farm program makes it possible for any farmer to earn at least \$20 by complying with special crop acreage allotments and for carrying out soil-building practices. If the amount the farmer may earn would normally be computed at less than \$20, he may earn the difference between that amount and \$20 by carrying out approved soil-building practices, Logan explained.

Approximately 400 farmers in Bailey county are affected by the \$20 minimum payment, Logan estimates. Most of these farmers are taking advantage of this provision of the program to contour, terrace, strip-crop and the use of green manure crops.

Frequent Showers Cover Bailey Co. All Are Happy

Spotted rainfalls over Bailey county during the month of May totalled 2.03 inches to date, 1.60 of which was received here last week, according to R. J. Klump, local U. S. weather observer.

Total rainfall received here this week on Monday of this week was 4.48 inches. For the entire period last year the total was 5.05 inches.

Farmers throughout the county are rejoicing over the bountiful rains of last week. Many already had some grain planted which is not fastly pushing up in the earth, while others are running planters day and night this week to get seed into the ground.

Rains of last week were quite general all over this western area.

Last Sunday night there was an inch and half rain at Lazbuddy community, northwestern Muleshoe.

Good rains are also reported at Circleback and Needmore communities.

Heavy rain is reported in West Camp community Monday night, also in Progress community, northwestern Muleshoe, some mail accompanying to downpour. There was still more rain here Thursday.

Bailey County Gets \$3,120 Bedding For WPA Clients

That Bailey county will get \$3,120 worth of mattresses and comforters is the information received this week, County Judge M. G. Miller, receiving 120 heavy mattresses last Monday.

It is stated that J. W. McDermott, supervisor of the county FSA office here will receive 50 mattresses and 120 comforters for his clients, while the local AAA office is due to receive another consignment of 120 mattresses for clients. Some of this bedding will go to WPA clients.

Bedding received here is all made in Texas and is being distributed under direction of the Surplus Commodity corporation, Washington, D. C. It is now in storage and will be distributed later in the year as needed demands, according to available information.

SCHOOL LAWN GETS WALKS GRASS

Workmen are this week laying a 7-foot concrete sidewalk from the high school building to the street. Double curbs, 18 inches wide, have also been laid around shrubbery and flower beds on the Grammar school lawn and that lawn has been planted to Bermuda grass. Some other improvements are contemplated.

Supt. W. C. Cox and Rev. F. B. Hamilton are supervising the work which insures it being pedagogically and theologically correct.

To conserve paper, Japan has ordered magazines reduced in size.

PLACING THE WREATH



Bailey County Joins In Raising Its Quota Of Red Cross Millions For Five Million Refugees

Wednesday morning a telegram was received here by Rev. R. N. Huckabee, Red Cross county chairman, asking that Bailey county quota be doubled, as it has become necessary to raise practically double the ten million dollars first requested because of the greatly increased suffering occasioned by the ravages of the European war which daily grow more devastating and horrible.

Not only in numerous other counties of this state is the emergency Red Cross quota being filled and many of them over subscribed, but in Bailey county the quota is also rapidly mounting upward, according to R. N. Huckabee, county chairman.

K. K. Smith, chairman for Muleshoe, assisted by several interested lieutenants, reported the first of this week that over \$100 had been subscribed here, and the full quota for this town with perhaps some over was anticipated. Reports also are to the effect that community chairmen in various sections throughout the county are meeting with good success.

Parties desiring to make contributions to this worthy cause are requested to leave their donations with either K. K. Smith, Clay Beavers, Happy Wagon, Sam Fox, Buford Butts, Merle Stephens or Rev. F. B. Hamilton. Muleshoe citizens donating \$1.00 each were as follows:

J. T. Gilbreath, Walter Witte, A. J. Gardner, Gilbert Wollard, F. C. Robinson, Walter Moeller, F. C. Skeeters, Earl Gilmer, M. C. Bell, Holt Oil Co., Fry and Cox Bros., Irvin St. Clair, J. L. Taylor, Heristine Barber, E. E. Dyer, R. H. Sneed, Rev. Huckabee, Charles Latta, Bill Garrett, Magnolia Petroleum Co., Roy Jordan, Dr. A. E. Lewis, J. E. Lenau, Cecil Spence, Judge Smith, Sam Logan, Glen Rocky, Chet E. Layne, Mrs. Inez Bono, M. G. Miller, S. C. Beavers, Sam Fox, Jess Mitchell, C. E. King, W. B. Wagon, Cecil Tate, W. M. McHorse, Ray Moore, Buford Butts, Gladys McWilliams, K. K. Smith, Rev. Hamilton, J. W. McDermott, Eunice Florence, Bill Robinson, E. R. Hart, Lorena Owens, Lillian Compton, E. Blum, E. Hardin, Marie Gooch, W. E. Rentrow, J. C. Buchanan, M. G. Bass, Helen Jones, J. J. Williams, Mrs. L. S. Baron, Mrs. Buey, Lillie Gentry, H. D. King, Bob Cantrell, Mrs. Dora Barnes, L. R. Bartley, R. L. Jones, Morris Douglass, H. C. Holt, Horace Holt, Bill Booth, Jack Lenderson, Harold Wyer, O. J. Vaughn, Archie Pool, Mr. Haney, Dan Winn, Jay Wyer, Mr. Henning, Dick Rockey, Neil Rockey, O'Neil Rocky, Mary Hart, Mrs. Mothel, Mr. Standler, R. L. Brooks, Mrs. McMan, Joe Jennings, Mr. Lambert, Opal Booth, R. H. W. J. L. Alsop, Will Harper, Rufus Gilbreath, Arnold Morris, Alvin Farrell, Francis Gilbreath, Judge Klump, Clarence Gons, Finley Pierle, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carlyle, Mrs. E. Gardner, Houston Hart, C. R. Farrell, Byron Griffiths, Mills

Barfield, Bill Hays, Mrs. K. K. Smith, Ray Griffiths.

Other citizens donating 50 cents each were as follows:

Spencer Beavers, E. M. Jennings, Mr. Woods, H. A. Robb.

Progress community has reported \$10, while Maple community has reported \$5.56. Other communities of Bailey county from which no reports have yet been received are: Joyland Community, West Camp, Atkinson, Bula, Baileyboro, Fairview, Stegans, Liberty, Needmore, Goodland, Enochs, Circleback.

The first "mercy ship" to be sent across the Atlantic to war torn Europe is scheduled to leave June 1 for Bordeaux, France carrying a million dollars worth of supplies of various kinds for refugees. Six hundred thousand dollars has already been sent across to the warring nations.

It is said there are at least 5,000,000 refugees now streaming towards southern France from the northern part of Belgium and from Belgium, Holland and Luxembourg. The supplies being sent in this first consignment include clothing, drugs, soap, cooking utensils, gauze and a wide variety of food stuffs, also, 100 hospital trucks.

A telegram received a few days ago by Chairman Huckabee from Norman Davis of St. Louis Red Cross headquarters, is as follows: "With several million men locked in mortal combat on French and Belgian soil the relief needs of Belgium and French peoples are reaching staggering proportions. Already five million pitiful refugees are clogging every road into central south France trying to escape bombing from airplanes. Our representatives in France report thousands dying by the sides of wounds, fright and hunger. American Red Cross must rush relief of every kind if these people are to be saved. We are expediting millions of dollars in money and supplies, but we need more and bigger contributions to carry on. Cannot urge you too strongly need for prompt action if we are to befriend these sorely tried victims of brutal warfare. We count upon you to reach and over-subscribe your goal within shortest possible time. Every day's delay means hundreds may die because we have not brought them aid in this their sad hour."

RULES FOR THE SALE OF COTTON THE SAME

The Agricultural Adjustment administration announced today that the regulations governing the sale of this year's cotton under the marketing quota system would be virtually the same as those in effect during the past two years.

Quotas were approved by producers in a national referendum last fall.

Under the regulations, the marketing quota for each farm will be the normal or actual production on the farm's AAA allotted acreage, whichever is greater, plus the amount of any old cotton which was salable under quotas in 1938 and 1939.

A Soil Conservation District Will Be Held Here Saturday

Bailey county landowners are again reminded by Sam Logan, county farm agent, that due to their interest in securing a soil conservation district, a county-wide hearing will be held in the District courtroom Saturday, June 1, beginning at 2:00 p. m. Request for the hearing was granted by the State Soil Conservation board after a petition according to the provisions of a district was presented to them by Bailey county landowners. This proposed district, the legal notice of which is also printed in this newspaper, consists of all the land within the boundaries of Bailey county. At this hearing the advantages of a district will be explained and all parties interested will be heard whether they are for or against said district. Judge Wm. G. Kennedy, member of State Soil Conservation board, will make his recommendations according to the interest shown. If sufficient interest is displayed to warrant an election, the State board will order same to be held at the next election date set by the board.

Since the fate of this proposed district depends entirely upon the interest shown by Bailey county farmers, a good crowd is expected to attend, Logan said. As several farmers have stated, "We have it all to gain and nothing to lose."

OPENS NEW CAFE

J. W. Dalton, former proprietor of the Chicken Shop cafe, is this week opening a new cafe in a recently finished building at the Henning tourist camp on State Highway No. 7, just east of Border's grocery.

Wheat Crop Loss Is Being Adjusted By Farm Committee

Rapid progress is being made in the adjustment of crop losses suffered by Bailey county farmers who insured their 1940 wheat under the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation program, according to Roy F. Starnes, chairman of the county AAA committee. Adjustments have been made on 10 farms, and indemnity payments have already been received by eight of these wheat growers.

Adjustment work thus far has confined to total or "substantially total" losses, where the wheat was entirely destroyed or so badly damaged there was no chance of it producing a yield that would justify harvesting, Sheriff said. Where total or "substantially total" losses have been determined, farmers have the use of the land for other crops. There have been 8312 acres of insured wheat land in the county released for other uses, the chairman reported.

Approximately 100 per cent of the claims of losses reported thus far have resulted from drought and wind erosion.

"The settlement of 1940 crop losses demonstrates the manner in which wheat crop insurance is stabilizing wheat growers' incomes," Mr. Sheriff declared. "The indemnities farmers are receiving represent income they otherwise would have lost. More losses may occur between now and harvest, but every insured grower is sure of income for at least 75 per cent of his average yield."

METHODISTS TO OBSERVE SUNDAY, SELF-DENIAL

Next Sunday has been designated by the General Conference of Methodism through the U. S., as a day of fasting, prayer and self-denial by its members in behalf of the suffering peoples of other lands, according to Rev. R. N. Huckabee, and the spirit of such observation will be recognized by Methodists in Muleshoe. It is being urged that each Methodist give at least the price of one meal for relief of the suffering countries in the Eastern Hemisphere.

The Methodist pastor will preach on the subject: "Christ's Substitute for War," and other features of the morning service will be in keeping with the request extended by Bishop Edwin H. Hughes of that denomination.

MRS. FARLEY REVIEWS BOOK AT MORTON

Mrs. John Farley and Mrs. W. G. Kennedy went to Morton last Friday night where Mrs. Farley gave a book review of "The Country Lawyer" in an evening of entertainment sponsored by the Home Demonstration Council of Cochran county.

Mrs. Farley's style of review pleased them very much and they expressed themselves as hoping she would return.

Bailey, Two Other Counties Get A \$34,000 Award

Two contracts for further highway improvement were let Tuesday of last week by the State Highway Commission to J. E. Barnhill, Turkey contractor, to be done in Bailey, Lamb and Castro counties, involving a total expenditure of more than \$34,000. The contracts were as follows:

Bailey, Lamb and Castro—Eleven and four-tenths miles seal coat on U. S. 84 from Muleshoe to Farmer County line; 5.6 miles double asphalt surface treatment on State 31 from Springlake to Castro County line; 4.2 miles double asphalt surface treatment on State 96 from Dimmitt east 1.2 miles east; J. E. Barnhill, Turkey, \$18,358.

Bailey and Lamb—Seven-tenths mile of flexible base and base preservative on U. S. 70 from 2.3 miles west of Muleshoe to 3 miles east of Muleshoe; 6.2 miles reshing base and base preservative on State 31 from 6 miles north of Littlefield; J. E. Barnhill, Turkey, \$15,644.

IN JUSTICE COURT LAST THURSDAY

In Justice Court Thursday of last week J. D. Taylor, Odiss Cato and Varney Apple paid fines and costs totaling \$14.00 each on charges of having violated state highway laws.

963 Million Bushel Wheat Crop Is The Gov. Estimate

The agriculture department reported last Saturday that the American wheat supply in the 1940-41 season would total approximately 963,000,000 bushels on the basis of present indications.

This includes an estimated 1940 crop of 675,000,000 bushels and a July 1 carry-over of 288,000,000 bushels of old grain.

There were indications, the report continued, that domestic consumption of the country this season would total about 663,000,000 bushels and shipments to American possessions about 3,000,000 bushels. Thus, about 295,000,000 bushels would be available for export and reserves.

The department said growing condition for the 1940 wheat crop continued below normal in many important producing areas, and that the crop would require favorable conditions for the remainder of the season to make average yields per acre with no increase in acreage probable and with a shortage of farm labor and probable damage to growing crops in invaded areas of Europe, the department added that it seemed reasonable to expect that the 1940 world crop would be smaller than that of 1939 when yields were above average.

Barbara Mae Morris Wins High Honors In Home Ec.

BARBARA MAE MORRIS

The R. O. H. club, under direction of Miss Mary Loch Howell, teacher of home economics, in Muleshoe High school, was recently notified that their scrap book was placed in third group, ranking "good," at the State Home Makers rally held in Dallas in April.

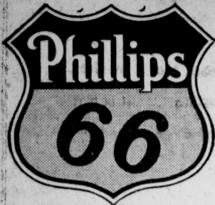
The scrap book covered the activities of the local home-makers class in High school for the past year.

They also received a certificate of honor, with a beautiful red ribbon printed in gold, stating Miss Barbara Mae Morris, one of their members, had won second place, being rated as "superior," for her paper on "Safety in the Home."

Miss Howell is remaining in Muleshoe and putting on a summer program of Home-making about 27 girls participating in the work. They meet at the school building once each week, and in some home twice a week. The program consists of different projects such as canning, gardening, making of curtains, bedspreads, refinishing and upstaring furniture, making new dresses for next school year, remodeling old clothes, raising poultry, and preparing a number of meals during a week from school for the certificate of honor, with a beautiful red ribbon printed in gold, stating Miss Barbara Mae Morris, one of their members, had won second place, being rated as "superior," for her paper on "Safety in the Home."

Miss Howell stated they were also taking several pictures of the girls with their different projects.

The first recorded cattle brand in Texas was that of Don Nicholas Saos, resident of Reed, Las Sabinas between 1793 and 1795.



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THE NEW WORLD

WHAT THE FUTURE MAY BE

A LAY SERMON, By JESS MITCHELL

We all have dreams, and this world is no exception. Some of these dreams are the vainest kind of vagaries while others are based on much proven fact, aided, abetted and embellished by science and philosophy, the best possible friend to mankind. Very often in our struggles to make this world better and happier, we frequently become terribly depressed with the insurmountable obstacles yet to be overcome and the giant task yet to be accomplished.

I have often wished I might project myself into the future some two or three thousand years so as to view conditions as they are now. Washington Irving put his character, Rip van Winkle, to sleep for twenty years that he might awaken to observe the changes that had transpired during his nocturnal seclusion, and I have frequently conjured in my mind some of the marvelous changes that may yet transpire on this planet before time has merged itself into eternity. This world, scientists tell us, existed at least six million years before it was finally developed to the point of accepting residence of the earliest forms of humanity. It has existed about 6,000 years since that time. Every one in a while some one gets ultra-visionary and spiritually excited, and predicts the end of the world; but to sober-minded folks there is every evidence this planet will continue its existence for more millions of years yet to come. Even the Apostle Paul and his contemporaries anticipated the millennium within their lifetime, yet 2,000 years have now passed and with no more indication of that glorified date than when Jesus Christ walked on earth.

Judging the future from the past, I am well confident there are marvelous improvements of every type to be reached in future history, the full extent of which it is impossible for us to ken with our present finite understandings. For just a few moments I would like for my readers to imagine they are spiritual entities with incredibly increased powers of discernment and multiplied velocity of locomotion that they may travel through space as rapidly as our thoughts now do.

Perhaps some of us have been dead 30, 300 or 3,000 years; but it is only our bodies that have been dead, our spirits are even more quickened and alive than they were when they dwelt in those earthly clays. Where we have been abiding during all these past years I do not presume to say. We all have our ideas and beliefs; but at best they are still largely attended with speculation, though faith is more and more being bolstered by logic, that even in this day we now quite positively know many things that only a few years ago we merely suspected.

Whether we believe in the theory of evolution or that things are done by divine fiat of Omnipotence, in the final analysis does not make a great deal of difference, it is a poor stick of a mind that can not see God back of both theories. I do not care to take the responsibility of declaring on what page of the earthly calendar the final consummation of earthly transformation looking toward perfect celestialization will occur; yet I am entirely within the realm of reason, pure logic both inductive and deductive, as well as in harmony with religious thought of the past to present and scientific proofs up to date, when I declare such mighty change is not only possible, but indeed quite probable.

As disembodied spirits I am quite sure you and I will be capable of doing much as we please, because we shall then be in such a condition we will please to do nothing but what is in keeping with the laws of nature as manifest in the spiritual world, and, realizing that spirit laws always transcend those physical laws we will be doing nothing marvelous when we come back to earth to view its future condition. Whether that journey involves great heights or unfathomed depths, untold wide expanses or any other dimmetrical distances our present mathematics does not yet know. We will make no difference. Traveling across the immense expanses of the universe, slipping between star crevices and going around other worlds innumerable and of still unmeasured giant proportions, will make no difference.

I think the floralization of this planet will be marvelously changed. The foreheads of mighty crags will be crowned with blushing roses, mountain precipices will be florally adorned and entirely unsuspected shoots of hilarity and the most melodious of sweet singing. I think there will not be a single sigh or groan, no sob of bereavement, no expression of disappointment, no clank of chain nor any gate of confinement on earth at that time.

Looking off into some little distance we may see giant structures in decay their walls crumbling, their gate hinges rusting. They were once the jails and penitentiaries of this earth where offenders of the law were incarcerated. They are of no use whatever now for crime has died out. There are no prisons and every other form of unreasonable and unfair methods of obtaining wealth or destroying the wealth of others has ceased to exist. Everywhere on this earth people have all they want and there is no need to appropriate the property of others. The Herods and Hitlers, the Mussolinis and Stalins, the marauders, assassins, buccaners, ruffians and bandits of every kind have long either been dead or become transformed into perfect gentlemen, living beneficent and useful lives. Prisoners of this new earth will be then only like museums of today, mere places for observing past historical incidents and conditions as they once contrasted to the present perfection.

There will be other buildings envisioned that were once alms houses, hospitals and homes of various kinds for the unfortunate of human creation, of which there were once multiplied millions. They will long ago have been abandoned, for the invention of machinery, the discovery and effective use of new laws of economics, the widespread brotherly interest in humanity, the sobriety and industry, the developed foresight and increased preliminary thoughtful consideration, the growth of inherent precaution fundamental in humanity, will have developed to a point where such institutions will no longer be needed. The poorest table will be spread with abundance, the smallest wardrobe will be enlarged with luxuriousness, the most humble cottage will be a mansion in miniature in this earthly paradise. Dispensaries instead of being of a corrective and alleviating nature, will merely be shops where super-chemists will issue food-medicines to enhance normal health conditions already existing. Crutches will find their only useful place in some museum as relics of past usage. Clinics for diagnostic purposes will be unknown and physical surgery will be changed to that of a mental kind where psychiatrists' only duties will be to further vivify and enhance an already approximately perfection of mentality that will then be normal.

In that day sandstorms of this western semi-arid country will have become null and void, for man, being more familiar with the present laws of nature and having discovered new and greater laws, will know of pleasant such conditions. Swamps of many sections will not only have been drained of their malaria and miasma; but will have become gardens of beauty and bounty. City sewerage will have become minimized, sterilized and no more noxious as it now is. The laws of health will have become so common and well known there will be no worries about pneumonia, fevers of different kinds, rheumatism, neuritis, and a hundred other pains and diseases common when we were Earth citizens. Humanity will have developed to the point it will have lost practically all of its past hereditary tendencies. There will be less ophthalmia, less neuralgias, less deafness, less cancer and heart failures, less tuberculosis, less anemia, less—perhaps absolutely none of the many diseases which today seem to be increasing; but are just largely relatively so, because there are so many million more people to be afflicted with them.

Perhaps in that day man will have learned to control all climatic conditions. Hundreds of nature's laws are now known that no longer than a hundred years ago were not even suspected to exist, and I hazard no personal intelligence when I suggest we have scarcely scratched the surface of knowledge regarding the innumerable other, perhaps more vital and still more powerful and beneficial laws, that are yet to be discovered. Today air-conditioned homes and places of business have become common. We

are learning more regarding the control and beneficial laws of the universe of which this planet and its occupants form an integral part. We are discovering new heat and light rays and learning how to utilize them for human comfort and convenience. In that day of the new Earth, I would not be surprised but man may have learned how to air-condition practically all of this planet's surface so the climatic condition the year round will be a continued mingling of May and October as now actually exists in some of the semi-tropical regions of this terrestrial ball.

Perhaps cosmetics will not then be needed, for every cheek will glow with its own healthful rouge. Every woman, whether blond or brunette, will have soft luscious curls superior to the permanents given by present day beauticians. Bald-headed men will be known only in ancient history, for alopecia will have long ago been conquered. Idiots and imbeciles will long ago have ceased to be born. Every other form of mental deformities nor prostrations; because expectant parents will understand her laws so well they may all be avoided. There will be no more lapsed populations, no determination of sex will equal the male and female births at will and birth control, sensibly used, will mean a better class of babies born to be carefully reared, well cultured, properly educated, to in turn, take their place among the future citizenry of perfected humanity where crowding a population will be unknown because excessive fecundity will not be a fact.

There will be such an improved humanity they would appear to us as to be real gods in contrast to folks as they were when we lived on earth. What beauty of physique! What strength of body! What gracefulness of carriage and action! What gentility! What clear and clean conversation! What magnificent traits of character! Not a frown marked by a single sorrow! Not a cheek that has ever been wet by a single tear! Not a body that has ever racked by a single pain! Not a mind ever tinged by an unthought thought! Not a soul ever shattered with a single doubt.

Nor will all of this merely have happened in spontaneous manner, but rather will have come about as a matter of unceasing and conscious effort. Increased knowledge of the fundamental rules of nature and applied laws of life will have their potent influence toward a purified mankind. There will come about a perfect coordination of the physical, mental and human existence, of physical, mental and spiritual faculties, lending eye even demanding and obtaining a perfection of the whole which could never have been acquired by the emphasizing of any one of these three virtuous faculties.

I think their reformatory institutions of all kinds will long ago have been converted into colleges and schools of technology, art, science and philosophy. The churches of that coming day will be more massive more adorned, better equipped and departmentized for positive benefit of all mankind. The music will be in the brilliant major keys with not a single tone of the minor sadness. Tremolo stops of great organs will seldom if ever be used, but the brilliant, the dulcet and celeste tones will be of pleasingly perfect soprano with the diapason and deep burban of basses as the organist throws in the swells for frequent emphatic climaxes. The seals of excels will cause every throat to vibrate to its utmost and the amen of finale will be so mighty as to shake in hilarious hosannas the very soul of every singer, for all music will then come from the deep of human hearts rather than merely from the lips. No solo of choir prima donna will ever be merely a list of technical and super-classical in its arrangements, a rendition many cannot appreciate and the words of which none can understand; but it will be so clearly enunciated, every tone from middle to high C so clearly produced, with a soprano with the diapason and deep burban of basses as the organist throws in the swells for frequent emphatic climaxes. The seals of excels will cause every throat to vibrate to its utmost and the amen of finale will be so mighty as to shake in hilarious hosannas the very soul of every singer, for all music will then come from the deep of human hearts rather than merely from the lips. 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WOULD BUY BEANS AND PEAS IN MULESHOE

Jay W. Moore, buyer of soy beans, blackeye and cream peas, was in Muleshoe a few days ago checking up on such acreage being planted here this spring, and stated he would have a buyer here during the fall marketing season.

Moore is establishing a curing plant at Tahoka, and will be in a position, he says to handle crop production of this section in an efficient manner. Indications are for better prices next fall, present market being 5 cents per pound.

What's Happening In Washington; Other Important Cities

John D. Rockefeller Jr., and family last week contributed \$100,000 toward the Red Cross 10 million relief fund.

Robert Montgomery, well known actor, has enlisted in the American Field Service to drive an ambulance in France.

Andrew Jackson was the only U. S. president during whose administration the government was entirely free from debt.

Belgium yielded to the German enemy last Sunday on orders of its king. Much dissatisfaction seems to exist among the people to the contrary. Other officials declaring they will go on with the fight.

The U. S. battleship Texas has been voted \$2,000,000 to increase the size of her guns from 11 to 16-mile range. Similar sums were also voted for enlarging guns on the Arkansas and New York battleships.

Great Britain has vested Premier Churchill with dictatorial powers that permit him to conscript both wealth and labor as a shield against the German invasion. It is an unprecedented act of that nation.

It was reported from Washington last Friday that President Roosevelt now has more than a majority of the convention delegates necessary to return him to that office.

Fearing "fifth column" activities here, the Senate sub-judicial committee has recommended fingerprinting and registering of approximately four million aliens in the U. S., the work to be done by various postmasters.

Leon Trotsky, Russian exile, now living in Mexico D. F., was attacked a few days ago by a group of 35 men. Several shots were fired into his bedroom; but he escaped serious injury. One of his body guards is thought to have been kidnaped.

Americans are leaving Turkey as fast as accommodations will permit. The U. S. government has also sent ships to Great Britain to bring back such American citizens as wish to return to the States. There are more than 17,000 Americans in England at this time.

American officials claim to have

perfected a bomb-sight to be used from airplanes that is far superior to anything now being used in the European war. One official declared that at 14,000 feet in the air a skilled marksman could almost hit a barrel on earth's surface.

President Roosevelt has proposed an executive committee composed of experts in industry of various kinds, army and navy experts and other government officials to act as an advisory board in recommendations to Congress regarding necessary war armament and expenditure of funds for such.

Two U. S. battleships, the Washington and the North Carolina to be launched June 1 and 13, both of the 35,000 ton capacity, will be heavily guarded. Only those holding official passes will be permitted to witness the launchings at a close distance. Shipping on the Delaware river will be held up for two hours before and two hours after launchings, police will guard both sides of the river and photographs will be prohibited. Each of these ships when commissioned will have 5,000 mile cruising radius, carry 1,450 officers and men and will mount nine 16-inch guns in three turrets.

Mrs. A. E. Lewis Is Study Club Head For Next Year

One of the loveliest social events to be held in Muleshoe, took place Thursday evening of last week, at the home of Mrs. Julian Lenau when she and Mrs. A. E. Lewis were co-hostess with a formal dinner to members of the Muleshoe Study club and a few friends. The occasion was the final meeting of the fiscal year for the club, and to install incoming officers.

The entertaining rooms were charmingly decorated with beautiful pastel colored roses. Tall candles in pastel shades were placed in tiers on the lovely dining table at which 20 were seated.

The delicious menu consisted of cocktail, salad, entrée, dessert and coffee. Miss Gloria Gwyde gave several accordion numbers during the dinner hour, and Miss Frances Border gave an appropriate reading.

Following the dinner, Mrs. Julian Lenau, retiring president, delivered a farewell address, and as she installed the incoming officers, instructed them in their separate duties, and Mrs. James Gowdy presented them with individual corsages of white carnations.

The following officers for the ensuing year were installed: Mrs. Mary Hart, vice-president; Mrs. Marie Lenau, secretary; Mrs. Inez Bobo, treasurer; Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Nona Blake Douglas, reporter; Mrs. Mel Moore, critic; Miss Eunice Florence, historian; Mrs. Jane Beavers, parliamentarian. Installation ceremonies were closed by repeating the club women's creed.

Guests of the evening were: Mrs. Faye Smith, Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Frank Spring, Panna; and Miss Lorena Owens.

PROGRESS 4-H CLUB GIRLS PROJECTS

At the last meeting of Progress 4-H club, Faye Davis wore a play suit she had made as a part of her 4-H club work.

For this suit Faye had selected a beautiful striped print material to make a three piece, play suit, shorts, blouse, and skirt.

Faye said, "I enjoyed all the work except basting, and made all the fit except the button holes in the skirt.

All the 4-H club girls are endeavoring to finish their work and play garments by August 31 when the 4-H club rally is to be held.—Reporter.

4-H CLUB GIRLS WILL ATTEND SHORT COURSE

At the regular meeting of the Bailey County council Monday, May 27, it was decided the council would honor the two high point 4-H club girls of the county by sending them to the Short Course at A. & M. college, beginning July 8.

The gold star girl, Wilma Louise Snider, of West Camp club, is to be sent and the second place girl, Zane Rhea Carter of Maple club is to go.

The council also selected a sponsor to accompany the girls from this county, being Mrs. A. E. Newton, Baileyboro, with Beatrice Whisenhunt, Fairview as alternate.

MULESHOE STATE BANK JOINS RESERVE SYSTEM

Certificate of membership has been received here by the Muleshoe State Bank acknowledging its recent membership of the Federal Reserve Bank system.

Membership in the Government Reserve system carries with it many benefits and courtesies not enjoyed by private banking institutions, one of the principal benefits being discount privileges, which is of especial value in handling agriculture paper, Jess Osborn, cashier said.

Requirements for membership in the system are said to be quite strict, but the local bank had no difficulty whatever in complying with them.

Be loyal to home town interests!

Pain in the Stomach

By **DR. JAMES W. BARTON**
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WHEN pain occurs in the stomach—stomach-ache—it is only natural to think that there is something wrong with the stomach itself—inflammation of the lining of the stomach, ulcer of the stomach, and cancer of the stomach. All three do cause pain in the stomach and this should never be forgotten, but the liver and gall bladder are more often to blame.

However, there are a number of causes for pain in the stomach, and the time the pain occurs after eating often tells just what is likely to be the cause of the trouble.

Dr. F. W. Sherman, Owensboro, in the Kentucky Medical Journal says: "The painful diseases in the upper part of the abdomen—the region of the stomach—belong to three main groups—inflammations, ulcers, and cancer. Stomach pain is nearly always in the pit of the stomach, but occasionally it may be to the left or right.

"In inflamed conditions of the stomach the pain is likely to appear soon after eating.

"Ulcer of the stomach gives pain within one or two hours after eating, while duodenal ulcer (ulcer of the duodenum or first part of the small intestine) is somewhat later (three or four hours).

May Be Gall Bladder.

"One of the commonest causes of pain in the stomach is gall bladder disease. It is responsible for more stomach disturbance, so-called indigestion and flatulence (gas) than anything else.

"Disease of the pancreas may resemble gall bladder disease in its persistence but the pain is more often at the back than at the front.

"Disease of the spleen may cause pain in the stomach region but the pain is usually to the left side and lower down."

Thus there are many disorders causing pain in the stomach, besides those above mentioned, that are not due to stomach disease.

Disease of the oesophagus (tube carrying food from the throat to the stomach) is noticed when food is swallowed, whereas stomach disease—ulcer—is about two hours after eating, and is usually to the left of the stomach, after eating, and gall bladder, liver and pancreas disease, from four to five hours after eating.

Cancer of the stomach usually causes a constant pain or uneasiness and is often thought to be just chronic indigestion.

These points about pain in the stomach and when they occur, should bring relief to many who have pains in the stomach.

Take Big Meal at Noon.

A factory superintendent consulted his physician regarding his weight, which was from 15 to 20 pounds above the usual ideal weight for his age and body build.

His physician, knowing that the patient disliked the idea of dieting, the counting of the calories, the daily exercise when he believed he was getting enough exercise at his work, made this suggestion.

"You are on your feet most of the day with three floors of employees under your supervision; you are thus getting plenty of exercise. However, you eat a five-size breakfast, a light lunch, and a big dinner at night. As far as the day's need of food is concerned you are setting the right amount and the right kinds of food. Now, instead of eating a light lunch at noon, go out at noon and eat the big meal—exactly the same foods and amounts as you eat in the evening. If you were doing hard mental work this big meal at noon would not perhaps be wise, but by eating the big meal at noon, your work of covering three floors—walking about the floors and climbing the stairs—will not only use up the big meal eaten at noon, but this work will also use up some of the fat now present on your body. Then eating the small meal at night—enough to supply the body's needs during a quiet evening and a restful night's sleep—no more weight can go on the body. When you eat a big meal at night, sit around and read the paper, or go out for an evening of bridge with a lunch following the game, there is no possible chance for the large amount of food to be used by the body; and in your particular case fat gets stored in and on your body."

The patient followed this advice faithfully. The last five pounds the first month, three pounds the second, two the third, and one more each month for three months; eleven pounds in all. This was done with no change in amount or kind of food eaten or no change in amount of exercise; in fact no change in his daily habits whatever except that the big meal was taken at noon instead of in the evening.

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McMurray Chanters Give A Program In Muleshoe

The McMurray College Chanters are to furnish the program and entertainment for a big lawn party, and covered dish banquet at the Muleshoe Methodist church next Wednesday evening, June 5, beginning at 7:00 p. m., according to announcement of Rev. R. N. Huckleback pastor. This is a college musical organization of unusual merit, under the personal direction of Gypsy Ted Sullivan Wylie. They have a varied program, including classical and popular vocal numbers sung by octettes and soloists of both boys and girls as well as selections by the whole group of Chanters. Sacred, cultural and humorous selections will give variety and assured satisfaction to the evening's entertainment. Good readings will also be included in the program.

Local returning college students will be on the entertainment committee for the visitors, 26 in number. The ladies of the missionary society will direct plans for serving the meal. A very large attendance is expected.

The people of town and county are invited to bring a covered dish sufficient to care for a satisfactory feast and join in this most enjoyable occasion. Graduates of Bailey county schools are expected in large numbers. In case some can not get here in time for the meal, they can enjoy the program at 8:30 p. m.

Muleshoe feels honored to be included in the itinerary of the Chanters. Such cities as Vernon, Hereford, Tucumcari, Pampa, Wellington and Childress are to be visited. They give three programs in Amarillo, Saturday and Sunday. They come here from Floydada.

Watson News

Eugene Davis who has been in Albuquerque, N. M., has returned. A school program was held at Watson school house, Friday night. There was a large crowd present.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Neutzel of near Lubbock were at Watson last weekend.

A pink and blue shower was given for Mrs. Campbell, by Mrs. L. A. Harless, Tuesday of last week. Many nice presents were received.

Mr. and Mrs. John Root and family of Amarillo and Misses Katherine and Elmore Russell of Turkey were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fort last Sunday.

Watson H. D. Club News

The Watson H. D. club met in the home of Mrs. Garvin Long, Friday of last week.

Miss Lillie Gentry, home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration of Parker House rolls, clover leaf rolls and butter rolls. She made them with buttermilk. They were very delicious.

Those present were Mrs. Albert Ellis, G. W. Fine, Perry Fort, Miss Lillie Gentry and the hostess.—Reporter.

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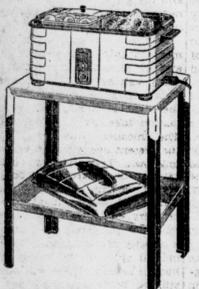
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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even If It Fails

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

And thy spake unto him, saying, If thou wilt be a servant unto this people this day, and wilt serve them, then will they be thy servants forever.—Kings 12:7.

Ask thyself, daily, to how many ill-minded persons thou hast shown a kind disposition.—Marcus Antoninus.

A YEARLY TRIBUTE

☪ Gone is the day when a commencement speaker will stand before an audience of young people and attempt to inspire them with the thought that the world is their oyster and all they have to do is open the shell and digest the morsel therein, nor did former Governor Pat M. Neff attempt any such disquisition when he gave his address before the graduating class of the Muleshoe high school.

Speaking upon the subject of "Man, and Why God Is Merciful to Him," Gov. Neff emphasized the fact of man's superiority over all other animal creation, also pointing out the value of education in showing young citizens how to open the oyster of success with the least possible difficulty and with the greatest success.

Today, the youth leaving the campus of propounded knowledge for the arena of a larger, more demonstrative and exacting life, knows that what awaits him is no more than his own effort to gradually achievement through work and opportunity sought through endeavor. He realizes with Chauncey M. Depew that inspiration is "98 per cent perspiration," and with Thos. Edison that genius is principally "dig, dig, dig!"

The graduate of today, no matter the level of the educational institution from which he has qualified, is not too proud to accept the blue jeans as a stepping stone to security and future prosperity. The era of the white-collar job is gradually giving way to a realization that manual labor is on a higher level than ever before and that no work is menial only as it is made so in the mind of the worker.

Right now, it is apparent the number of jobs open will not go around and graduating young folks entering the arena of world labor must necessarily make himself ultra-valuable, and prove himself worth more to his employer and to the world in general than the other fellow. In a way it is becoming a situation of a "survival of the fittest." Realizing this, many high school graduates are going on to higher schools of learning, where it is possible to do so, and even college graduates are more and more seeking the super-curriculum of universities that they may more efficiently cope with the future problems of life and living.

It should not be forgotten however, that for several years past the high school pupil and the college student has been a laborer of a kind, and has had to do plenty of poring and cerebral cogitation to attain desired completion of present educational courses. It is not only essential to obtain an education, but it is more vital that such education be retained for future use and benefit. Getting and keeping an education is no small job, and commencement represents only the beginning of a larger and more important education that will be necessary for the greatest possible future accomplishments.

Man is a magnificent animal, as Gov. Neff intimated, yet with all his superior endowments his pores are susceptible to sweat, his brain to needed lubrication and his future to convoluted exercise for his brain accomplishments desired. Life, with

most of us, is no sinecure. It's quite a job, and every parent of this year's graduates who made sacrifices for the advancement of their children, is still looking forward to their ultimate attainment of life and living par-excellent.

BETHINK ONESELF

☪ Today we do not pause to glorify our wars, victory of the past nor do we speak of a fallen foe with hate. America gives this day in Maytime and in springtime, to commemorate the occasions when soldiers of our wars sacrificed themselves for a cause that was hailed as right and glorious. This day of memory is significant in that it stands for sympathy, sentiment and a symbol of peace although it originated in war.

There should never fail to be a deep spirit of honor and respect in the hearts of us for those living and those dead who felt their duty to country was greater than the offering of their lives. We, here in Muleshoe, must not lose sight or thought of the noble endeavor of those defenders who were furnished by this town and every other town and have been by their duty to "die upon the altar of freedom." Many brave lads have been laid away on camp grounds and many are those souls who have weathered the storm to live today and place a wreath "in memory."

We have been gathering round local hearths discussing the present struggle abroad and we speak of past accomplishments when this nation won wars and claimed rewards and spoils. The air waves are filled with war broadcasts, newspaper columns teeming with war data of maps, pictures and correspondents' tales. We are not able, if we would try, to get away from the thought of Memorial Day this year!

Too much we think of military strength and naval supremacy and too little do we pray for brotherhood and understanding. Can any of us truthfully say we are proud to give sons, fathers, brothers, friends to death and to battle so that in years to come we may gather at their graves and place a flower in memory?

AIMLESS PROPHECIES?

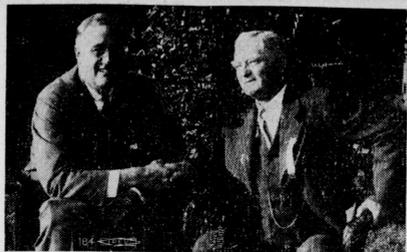
☪ Millions of men put out of work by the machine! In the steel industry alone, 30,000 workmen already displaced, with 40,000 more scheduled to lose their jobs in the next few years!

It was an appalling picture that Philip Murray of the C. I. O. painted recently before the Temporary National Economic Committee. It raised again the old bugaboo about technological unemployment. But how about the facts in the case?

Let's take a look at them without comment—simply making a comparison with Mr. Murray's claims: In 1906 a crop of 1,264 hand mills were in existence. The greatest number of men that could have been employed on these mills, even with three-shift operations, would have been approximately 43,000. (Compare this with the above total of 70,000 given by the C. I. O. leader. Then remember that in addition there are, actually, about three-fifths of these hand mills still in existence and operating.)

There has undoubtedly been a decrease in employment in these hand mills, but the steel industry as a whole saw an increase in working force of 117,000 men between 1927 and 1937, the last year for which figures are available. Thus while the country's population was increasing only 11.2 per cent, employment in

EYES OF TEXAS UPON THEM



Folks down at Uvalde, Texas, will see the above scene re-enacted soon. When the Presidential Special rolls out of Washington in June, carrying President Roosevelt on his western tour, one of its stops will be at the home of his long-time friend and able political ally, Vice President John N. Garner.

For nearly eight years these Democratic leaders have worked together in the cause of political liberalism, and as the President's traditional second term draws to a close, the Vice President is being widely acclaimed as his most logical successor.

The announcement of the projected visit to Uvalde was made the day following the county conventions in Texas on May 7, and is being generally interpreted by political observers as expressing the President's gratification that the Lone Star State gave a ringing endorsement to the presidential candidacy of its distinguished native son, Texans adopted resolutions approving the Roosevelt-Garner administration, and endorsed Garner for the Presidency by a vote of 6 to 1 over proponents of a third term.

steel increased 27.4 per cent. Mr. Murray's figures for the past don't seem to take all the facts into account. We wonder why his prophecies concerning the future should be considered any more plausible.

SMALL FRY

☪ Government in the United States is today applying more regulatory measures, heavier taxation, and an intense degree of competition to what is commonly called "big business."

"The excuse is usually given that 'they can skip it.' But even skipping that part of the argument for the moment, the fact remains that very nearly the same process is being applied to small business in this country. The same laws, same taxes, and same governmental competition exist in relation to the little company as in the case of the big one.

When we remember that about 98 per cent of the manufacturing establishments in this country employ 500 wage-earners or less, and that 90 per cent employ less than 100 persons, it is easy to see why it is difficult for small American industry to move ahead at the present time in the face of the major obstacles just listed.

This country became great because little businesses were given a fair chance of progressing. Some of them grew into big companies by offering popular products at lower prices to large groups of consumers. Some remained small. Some failed. But the over-all picture was one of progress.

Is there any sane reason for exchanging that process for untried and unworkable experiments today?

leaves plenty of time for Muleshoe honeymooners to take that interesting trip.

Everybody in Muleshoe knows Jess Osborn is a financial wizard; but few are acquainted with his poetic proclivities. Listen to the following ditty of his home state:

"Spring has come,
Winter has went;
It was not did
By accident.
The birds have flew,
As you have saw;
And spring has come
To Arkansas."

"Since we grow smarter as we grow older," decides E. R. Hart, "perhaps it won't be long now before most all Americans will begin to see what fools we have been."

"The pause that refreshes," suggests Merle Stephens, "is that time when a woman stops talking long enough to get her breath."

Pavement Pickups

90 YEAR OLD VETERAN DIES AT TIPTON, OKLA.

Mrs. W. A. Mathis and Mrs. H. E. Schuster were called last Thursday to the bedside of Mrs. Mathis' father, A. A. Lockler, at Tipton, Okla., he passing this life Friday afternoon.

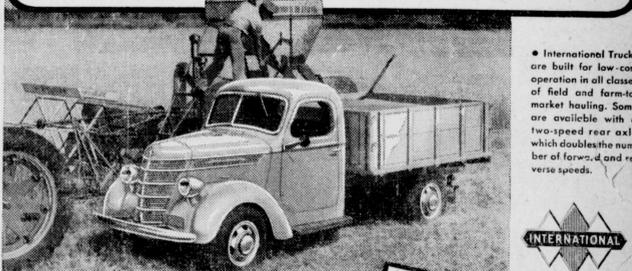
Mr. Lockler had reached the age of 90 years and six months, and on the 15th of next June would have been married 65 years. Besides his widow, he leaves four children, four grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

He had been a member of the Baptist church many years, being an active deacon in that denomination for 50 years. He served in the Civil war two years and was given a military funeral Sunday afternoon, in charge of the American Legion at Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathis and family, and H. E. Schuster and family, left here Saturday and attended the last rites.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Muleshoe Journal has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices named subject to the Democratic primary to be held Saturday, July 27, 1940.

For U. S. Congress, 19th District: GEORGE MAHON

State Senator, 36th District: ALVIN R. ALLISON, Levelland MARSHALL FORMBY, Dickens

For State Representative L. G. MATHEWS, Floydada

For County Judge and Ex-Office School Superintendent: JIM COOK M. G. MILLER (Re-election)

For County Attorney: CECIL H. TATE (Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector: W. E. (Raz) RENFROW (Re-election)

For County and District Clerk: MELVIN G. BASS J. J. WILLIAMS (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: HELEN JONES, (Re-election) MRS. T. I. HOLLIS

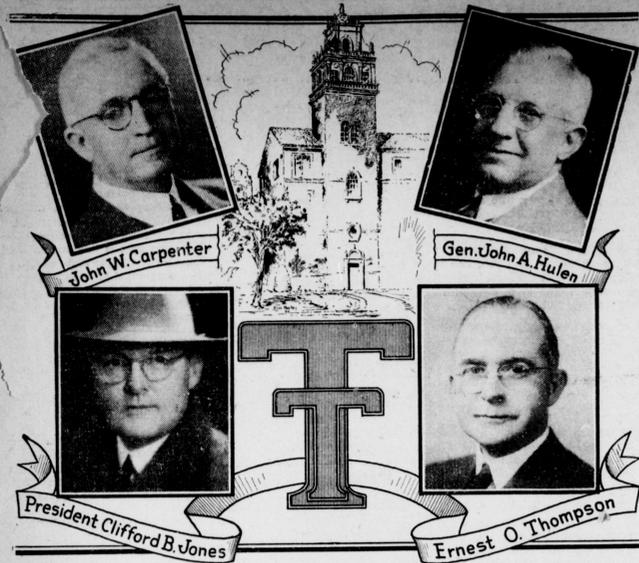
For County Commissioner Precinct 1: H. E. SCHUSTER (Re-election) C. E. (Chet) LAYNE J. A. (Allan) MCGEE H. L. (Possum) LOWRY C. E. (Jack) KING

For County Commissioner Precinct 2: JOHN S. WILLIAMS (Re-election) HAROLD MARDIS

For County Commissioner Precinct 3: D. WARNER (Re-election) L. E. SMITH WILLIAM H. EUBANKS GEO. W. FINE

For County Commissioner Precinct 4: JIM CLEMENTS A. J. (Arthur) SHAFER W. R. (Bob) ADAMS

For Constable, Precinct 1: J. N. JAMES



General News Over Texas And Other States For Week

About 48,000 Texas farm families are due to receive mattresses under the new government plan.

Ernest Thompson has re-announced his candidacy for governor of Texas.

Bread making leads the industrial life of Texas, there being 535 such plants now operating in this state.

Census reports population of Amarillo as 51,497, or a 19 per cent gain during the past 10 years.

For the second time in a month Youakum county last Saturday rejected a measure permitting sale of beer in that county.

Population of Lubbock county, this state has been announced as 51,490, an increase of 12,386 during the past decade.

New Mexico game warden Elliot S. Barker announces more than 4,000,000 young trout have been planted in the streams of that state this year.

Notwithstanding general income increase for farmers reported from Washington, the Texas Bureau of Business, Austin reports an eight per cent income decline for Texas farmers.

Enrollment among students at Tech college, Lubbock have increased 681 per cent during the past 14 years.

The seventh annual band school at Tech college will be from June 6 to 13, many prominent band directors taking part in the curriculum.

Texas now has 6,180 miles of highway that are of military importance. There are also 15 army posts, forts, flying fields and harbor defense points in this state, while many other millions of dollars have already been invested here of importance in case of war.

Dr. W. R. White, Baptist pastor in Oklahoma City, has been selected president of Hardin-Simmons university, Abilene. He has not yet accepted. Dr. R. N. Richardson, vice-president, had been formerly selected; but refused, preferring to retain his present position.

Total value of wild life in Texas is estimated at \$94,350,394, according to the U. S. Forest Service, thus putting this state in the lead of all other states with approximately three times the value of next ranking state. Texas now has 1,284 game preserves with an acreage of 4,502,491.

"Matchless Alberta" 1,826,559, four year old Holstein cow at Tech college, has been awarded a winning certificate of first place in competition with all Holsteins in the U. S. She produced 17,318.1 pounds of milk and 564.8 pounds of butterfat, carrying a calf 200 days during the test period.

That New Mexico state is growing in interest among tourists because of its scenic attraction and historical interest is proven by the constant increase of visitors there each year, not only among avowed tourists, but also among school students. Visitation there started early this year, more than 700 students to date being reported as having passed through the port of entry at Texico.

FISHING AT BUFFALO LAKE OPEN JUNE 1

Fishing will be opened by the public at Buffalo Lake, "The Playground of the Southwest," Saturday, June 1, the government has announced. Stating the lake would be opened on a trial basis at first, officials said they were making a test to determine if the lake was amply stocked to keep open longer than the 60 day trial period.

Boat, bait and tackle will be available at the lake during the fishing season. Minnows will retail at 25 cents per dozen and worms at 50 cents per 100. Fishing permits will be 25 cents per day per person fishing. Admission to the lake is always free.

CC IN DISCUSSION OF IMPORTANT SUBJECTS

At the Chamber of Commerce meeting last Friday Marshall Formby, county judge of Dickens county, now a candidate for state senator was present and spoke briefly in a fraternal way.

Harley Woods, former mayor of Lubbock, was present and presented the matter of Group Hospital Service, a plan of non-profit hospitalization authorized by the last session of Texas Legislature and which is now becoming effective in many other states since it was initiated by the Lone Star State.

K. K. Smith stated most of Muleshoe's quota in the Red Cross drive for war funds had been raised, while R. N. Hucklebee urged a full report and over, if possible.

1939 Study Clubbers Honor Husbands With Dinner

Climaxing a very delightful year's work, members of the 1939 Study club entertained their husbands with a buffet supper at the home of their president, Mrs. Ray Griffiths, Thursday evening of last week. This was the last meeting before the summer vacation.

The beautiful home of the entertaining hosts was made lovelier with bowls of fragrant honeysuckle and perfumes which lent their enchanting perfume to the happiness of the hour.

Tall yellow tapers graced the lace draped dining table, where the delicious five course supper was waiting to be partaken of by the guests.

The menu consisted of tomato juice cocktail, two jelled salads in orange and green, the club chicken, potato salad, peas, creamed chicken, baked ham, rose radishes, olives and other relishes, hot rolls with buttered tea, orange sherbet and cake.

After the delicious meal, games of 42 and Chinese checkers were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. J. Clyde Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. Mills Bartfield, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Copley, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Gupion, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Damon, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weyer, Mr. and Mrs. Lud Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. John Farley, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Happy Waggon, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hobbs, Leon McMinn, Misses Helen Jones, Mildred Miller, Elizabeth Harden, M. G. Miller, Marshall Formby, of Dickens, and the entertaining couple, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Griffiths.

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TO RECEIVE HONORARY DEGREES FROM TECH COLLEGE

The above four prominent Texans will be awarded Doctor of Laws degrees at Texas Technological college commencement exercises to be held June 3. There will be a total of 417 candidates for degrees, the largest number to receive degrees from that institution at any one time. This total represents a twenty per-

cent increase over last year, swelling the total graduates from that institution to 4,356.

Among the graduates this year will be Miss Crystal Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kennedy, Bailey county, who will receive a B. A. degree, having majored in Government; and Miss Jean Willman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

I. F. Willman, Y. L. community, who will receive a B. S. degree, having majored in Education.

Ralph Budd of Chicago, president of the Burlington railroad lines, will deliver the annual commencement address, while the baccalaureate sermon will be given by Dr. Jack M. Lewis, pastor First Presbyterian church, Lubbock.

84,000 Books From Libraries Read In District

That the Bailey county library is proving its worth in the interest of an increasing number of cit-

izen-readers, is the statement of Mrs. Minnie Solomon in charge.

This library is sponsored by Muleshoe literary clubs and is partly under direction of the WPA statewide library project, being in the Lubbock district of supervision. Through this aggregation of information dissemination, many folks of this section now have the privilege of reading books, magazines and other publications which they have never before enjoyed, and there is every evidence, said Mrs. Solomon, of the favorable influence it is having upon individual lives.

The library in Muleshoe is only one of several others now serving 76 towns and school communities in 24 counties of this district and, incidentally, giving employment to 43 people. One of the purposes of this movement is to demonstrate to the public generally the value of library service, stimulating interest to the point where, later on, such may become of a permanent nature and without governmental aid.

Statistics from the Lubbock division office show that during the past year ending March 31, there have been several thousand volumes have been catalogued, 133,225 books repaired and returned to circulation, while the actual circulation of informative books taken out for personal use totaled 84,936, besides many books, magazines and other periodicals read in the library rooms.

First Electric Pump Installed Here For Irrigating Land

Sneed Bros., local drillers, last week completed installation of a Sterling vertical centrifugal pump in the irrigation well of C. M. Allen, owning a truck farm about three miles north of Muleshoe.

The pump, capable of delivering about 1,900 gallons of water per minute, was set at the 30 foot level in a well 103 feet deep, cased down 66 feet and affording a long stratum of water-bearing sand from the third water level.

Allen is an experienced irrigator, coming here from California, where he operated an irrigation truck farm for several years. He is planning putting in about 20 acres of truck here this spring, the remainder of his farm tract to be planted in feedstuffs.

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Sixteen Graduate From Circleback Grammar School

Circleback school closed Friday night of last week, a very interesting program being given. There were 16 graduates of the Grammar school and the graduation address was given by M. G. Miller, county superintendent.

Miller spoke on "Character Building," emphasizing the three fundamental factors of heredity, environment and will affecting the growth and development of manhood and womanhood, giving potent illustrations of the struggle of some of America's greatest citizens to arise above the crowd, develop themselves in well rounded manner and achieve lives of success.

The invocation was given by Superintendent McCollom; salutatory by M. Lee Richards and valedictory by Wanda Wells. Cloys Cowin gave "Nicknames"; Charles Evans read the class will, Clarence May recited the class poem; Charlene Damon gave the class prophecy. There was a large attendance present.

Those receiving certificates of graduation from the Grammar school were Homan Arbuckle, Cloys Cowan, Jim Cox, Charlie Damon, Charles Evans, Clara Mae Fleischer, Rutlin, Bilbreath, Ardye Lane, James Phipps, Mary Lee Richardson, Mildred Sims, Richard Turner, Mada Sue Wells, Gene Mathis, Charles Smallwood, William Patterson and Charles Earl May.

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"If you take yourself too serious," said Uncle Eben, "you is g'ineter be as lonesome as de man dat turned his back on de percession an' marched de other way."

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LOCALS

- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gilmer were visitors in Clovis, N. M. Sunday.
- Frank Hunsucker was a visitor in Clovis, N. M., Sunday morning.
- Jack McNutt visited relatives in Throckmorton, Sunday.
- Otto Myer of Lubbock transacted business in Muleshoe, Friday.
- WANTED: Cream, poultry and eggs. Muleshoe Hatchery. 6-10c
- Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moeller were visitors in Lubbock Monday.
- A. B. Stiles transacted business in Hereford Friday and Saturday.
- G. P. Howell of Enochs was here on business Monday.
- Claud Gage of Circleback was here on business Monday.
- Miss Pauline Bledsoe spent last weekend in Olton.
- Mr. and Mrs. Bentley Gwyn visited Mrs. Gwyn's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Boon in Snyder, Sunday.
- Miss Lorene Stiles, local telephone operator, spent the weekend in Sudan, visiting her sister.
- Mrs. James Smith of Trent, visited her niece, Mrs. W. B. Wagon here Monday afternoon.

- Postmaster A. J. Gardner and son Max were in Lubbock on business, Tuesday.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Naylor of Lubbock were Muleshoe visitors Friday and Saturday.
- Ed Kingston and J. D. Thomas of Levelland were in Muleshoe transacting business Saturday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Olan Wharton visited in Littlefield and Lubbock Saturday night and Sunday.
- FOOD SALE: Saturday June 1, at Gilbreath's grocery, by women of Half-Century club.
- Jack Young, who last week had an appendix operation in Lubbock, is reported recovering nicely.
- Gilbert Willabe of Pampa was a Muleshoe visitor Friday and Saturday.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eaves had as their guest Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Smith of Lorenzo, Sunday.
- George Wood was in Lubbock Sunday where he was treated for a recently pulled wisdom tooth.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Donaldson and son James of Lubbock were Muleshoe visitors Saturday.
- E. J. Smith of Hobbs N. M., was in Muleshoe transacting business Friday and Saturday.
- Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Winetop of Roswell, N. M., visited friends in Muleshoe Thursday.

- Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blanton of Morton were business visitors in Muleshoe Friday afternoon.
- Battle Phillips of Morton was in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon visiting friends.
- Judge G. A. Graham of Morton was a business visitor in Muleshoe last Friday.
- The Journal will take subscriptions for any magazine or periodical.
- Miss Merle Stephens spent last weekend visiting her sister at Plainview.
- George Dameron and Lee Sims of Circleback were here Monday on business.
- Miss Imogene Lowery, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lowery, is visiting relatives in Wellington.
- J. Lud Taylor local tonsorial artist, transacted business in Lubbock last Saturday.
- Sam Patterson, prominent Enochs citizen, was here on business, Monday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Everett Roark of West Camp visited in Lubbock last Sunday.
- A. V. King and G. W. Howard of Kirkland were in Muleshoe Sunday visiting relatives Mr. and Mrs. Jack King and family.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carlyle and family visited Mrs. Carlyle's brother B. L. Harding, and family in Texico, Sunday.
- Mrs. Lilla Melendy and Bill Daniel visited Mrs. L. B. Lintinich in the West Camp community, Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Taylor and family are visiting friends and relatives in Santa Fe, N. M., this week.
- Dick Lowery of Wellington and Mrs. H. L. Lowery's father and mother were here visiting them last weekend.
- James Dale Templeton of Earth was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McAdams and family Sunday.
- Dewey Young of Wellington was here over last weekend visiting his brother Tye Young and sister Mrs. H. L. Lowry.

- Miss Helen Jones was in the Hub City last week visiting with Master Jack Young who is recuperating from a recent appendix operation in one of that city's hospitals.
- Mr. and Mrs. Travis Brazell of Tolar and Mrs. Paul Johnson and daughter Betty Jean of Granbury and Mrs. and Mrs. Bill Collins in Muleshoe several days last week.
- Judge M. G. Miller and Miss Elizabeth Hardin visited Muleshoe friends last Saturday who are temporarily exiled in some of the Lubbock hospitals.
- Miss Betty Moore, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Moore, has returned to Muleshoe the past weekend to spend the summer. She is a student at Tech college, Lubbock.
- Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, who recently underwent a mastoid operation at a Hub city surgery, returned there last Saturday for further treatment. She expects to be there most of the week.
- Prof. M. L. Gunter, principal of Progress schools, returned here last Friday from a few days visit at his home in Shamrock. While there he underwent a tonsillectomy operation from which he is rapidly recovering.
- Mrs. B. M. Wilf of Littlefield, visited her sister, Mrs. Margaret Jack-Kirkland in Muleshoe Sunday accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wade who were on their way to New Mexico to look after farming interests.
- Miss Lucille Beatty, former high school teacher in Muleshoe for several years, accompanied by her brother, Bernice Beatty of Abilene, are visiting their sister, Mrs. A. E. Lewis and family.
- The Valley Motor Co. report the following automobile sales: one-half ton truck to J. W. Barber, Master Chevrolet sedan to Susie McCormick and one and a half ton Chevrolet truck to W. M. McHorse.
- Judge J. J. Mead of Miami, accompanied by County Commissioners L. A. Maddox, J. F. Rasor, all of Roberts county, were here Friday of last week looking after school land interests.
- Miss Elizabeth Huckabee, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. N. Huckabee spent the weekend here visiting her parents, they returning here to Amarillo Monday, where she is a student in a business college.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, daughter, Helen left Wednesday for Abilene where they will attend graduating exercises at McMurray college, their daughter, Miss Mary Holt graduating with honors from that college.
- Mrs. A. E. Gaede, who recently received an injured eye while attempting to put out a fire in a straw stack on their farm north of town, had the optic removed last Sunday. She is reported recovering from the operation.
- Among Muleshoe folks visiting sick friends and relatives in Lubbock hospitals last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kinbrough, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris, M. G., and Miss Mildred Miller, Mrs. Lela Barron, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gilbreath.
- Jailor "Shorty" Bartley has the "For Rent" sign hanging on the Bailey county jail, as it was vacant last Monday for the first time in several months past. Shorty says he's not worrying too, as he is likely to get some customers nearly any time.
- Miss Ethel C. Raney, Amherst, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Raney, former Muleshoe citizens while he was pastor of the Methodist church here, won the \$18.00 Amherst Study club award given to the outstanding senior. She was valedictorian of the high school graduating class there this spring.
- Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goins left last Sunday for Belton to bring home their daughter Miss Jo V. Goins who has been attending Baylor-Belton college for girls. They expect to return the latter part of this week. They were accompanied by Miss Christine Dennis, of West Camp community, who will visit her sister Mrs. Uel Porter at Bryan.
- Prof. E. Estus Day, deputy state superintendent, and Prof. Claud L. Hale, county superintendent of Lubbock county schools, were in Muleshoe last Friday and while here made a pleasant call at the Journal office. Prof. Day made a good report on condition of Bailey county schools. Prof. Hale said school-astic enrollment of Lubbock county was now over 11,000 pupils.
- Howard, young son of Attorney and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate, underwent a tonsillectomy operation here last Monday at the local clinic. He is reported recovering nicely. There appears to be no question regarding the patriotism of the young lawyer who is said to have lambasted the Germans full force during the periods he was under influence of either.

Landon Refuses The Cabinet Coalition Roosevelt Idea

Alf M. Landon has demanded a "no third term" pledge from President Roosevelt as the terms of Republican participation in any coalition defense directorate, and the President directed, in a coldly polite reply, that he had no time for "political statements."

The exchange took place after Landon, Republican presidential candidate in 1936, had lunched with the chief executive at the latter's invitation. There had been speculation that the luncheon might lead to a "coalition cabinet" or some other form of joint Democratic-Republican direction of the huge re-arming program.

After the luncheon, Landon issued a typewritten statement saying Republican leaders could not at present enter into any coalition arrangement without making themselves a party to the third-term movement—a movement which he held to be incompatible with Democracy's "basic principles."

Gordon Murray was in Amarillo Friday of last week. While they attended the Cal Farley radio program.

Mrs. Carrie Willhite and son have returned from Mangum, Okla. where they went to get Earl, who attended college the past year. Miss Esther Schroder was in Okla., N. M., shopping last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Troy Actkins, last term daughter Sue have moved to Clovis, Okla., from Oklahoma City, Sunday, to make their home.

Miss Lila Fae Gregory, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gregory, who were residents of this community a few years ago, is this year a graduate of the Ft. Clovis high school.

Progress 4-H Club Meets

Progress 4-H club met in the home of their sponsor Mrs. J. J. Gross Thursday May 23 with 11 members and one visitor present.

Miss Gentry gave a very helpful demonstration on placing a pattern and cutting a garment. "Study your patterns until you know what every perforation indicates before attempting to cut the garment," she said.

"After cutting the garment mark these perforations with tailor's tacks made by taking two stitches in the seam 1/2 inch and leaving the loop in the thread on top," she continued.

The club voted to send Mattie Hogan as a delegate to Short Course with Virginia Kennedy as alternate.

The following members were present: Virginia Kennedy, Mattie Hogan, Faye Davis, Doris Jean Beard, Norene Tucker, Mrs. J. J. Gross, Mrs. George Cross Miss Lillie Gentry and two new members, Jean Hogan and Pauline Barber.

The club will meet again July 7 at Mattie Hogan's beginning at 2:30 o'clock.—Reporter.

Progress News

Sunday school was well attended. There were 72 members and a few visitors present. There are 109 on roll. The adult class had the largest number present.

Miss Bessie Vinson was returned to her home Saturday following an appendectomy operation at a Clovis, N. M., hospital.

Mrs. William Lovell of Fort Worth, who was formerly Miss Ernestine Hromas and teacher at Clovis, N. M., hospital.

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Jess Murray and Mr. and Mrs.

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SUMMER SHEERS Prints, Voiles, Batistes, beautiful patterns, yard	19c & 25
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SUMMER Sheer Dresses New line, latest styles and colors, from	\$1.00 to \$1.98
SHOES for Women and Misses Canvas sports, tan, maroon, blue, color combinations, crepe soles, regular \$1.25 values, the pair	\$1.00
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MEN'S Summer Pants 1 lot, various sizes, values up to \$1.69, the pair	.98

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TOMATOES, No. 2 can, each	.08
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TEA, Schillings, 1/2 lb. Tea and 1/2 lb. box Pepper, both for	.17
FLOUR, Seafom, fully guaranteed 48 lb. sack \$1.15; 24 lb. sack	.63
COOKIES, 15c cellophane bag, each	.10
PICKLES, Quart Jar	.10

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Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Slaton accompanied Mr. Slaton's brother Alvin Slaton to Amarillo Sunday, where he will continue on to Portland, Oregon, to visit relatives.

Jack Mayhall pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness in Justice court here Tuesday and made the usual contribution of \$14 for fine and cost to the county treasury.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Slaton of Lorenzo, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Eaves and Mrs. A. H. Eaves and Mrs. A. E. McLaurey, were in Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday.

Ray Sermon

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be full-fledged and without hint of mitigation or compromise. Politics will have been long ago flogged, vaccinated, charred, gashed and ennobled until nothing more could be desired or anticipated. One may walk through all city commissions, aldermanic councils, commissioners' courts of political subdivisions, legislative halls, all lobby gatherings, gubernatorial chambers, presidential managements and kingly palaces with the assurance that every official gathered there is himself or herself a real man or real woman, a true and faithful representative of national interests and welfare, a staunch friend of his fellowman and may be implicitly relied upon to stand absolutely four-square before his God as a personal illustration and exemplification of truth, equity and righteousness upon the earth.

As we view this new earth and its perfected conditions, I would not be surprised if in our journeyings we might arrive at a place where some ancient ruin of field or city has become quite decayed, covered with the dust of time and overgrown with accumulating moss and weeds of every growth, and there somewhere in that ruin, perhaps on the side of a gullied and rocky hill, there will be an ancient cannon on which centuries ago there was placed a bronze plaque which read: "This is the last cannon to have been fired in the westward earth," and as we read that old creaked inscription, I would not be surprised if a snow white dove did not come flying hither to sit down upon her downy nest built in the mouth of that old lethal weapon. Perhaps in the nearby office there will be a big pile of cement sticking a little ways above the earth's surface, and we will be told that was once a fortress but is now one of earth's greatest schools of technology. Instead of guns being aimed out of its portholes, giant telescopes now stick through to explore the mysterious realms of the universe. College and university curriculums of our day on earth are only as kindergarten courses when compared to that future period which we speak. Even high school seniors are now required to know how to spell, punctuate and write proper English (the then universal language) before they are permitted to graduate. During all this interim archaeologists hammer, geologists clobber, chemists laboratory, explorer's truck will have brought to light and knowledge innumerable facts and truths not even suspected while we were citizens of earth. Astronomers will then have learned why a cubic foot of matter cut out from one of the old, old blue stars of the upper firmament weighs twenty tons or more. They will have fathomed the mysteries of gravitation and learned why an object weighs more or less on the several planets. They will know why there

is another Milky Way to be seen with the most powerful telescope just as far away from the Milky Way as the one now seen with the naked eye is from the earth. Problems of calculus will then be simple sums of arithmetic to grade school pupils. Electricity and magnetism known today only by their various manifestations, will have been analyzed, classified and understood, perhaps then known as the fundamental form of all generated life guided and directed by a still greater Omnipotence than it is ever possible for our finite minds to even conceive in this day of the twentieth century. The Rock of Ages may then be known as an actual fact from which sprang all planetary movements, cosmic rays and finite particles. Electricity and heat and light emanating from unmeasured distances out in the ever-expanding realm of the constantly growing universe where boundaries are never measured because limitations have not even then become known. Will there have become simple ABCs to earth scientists. The realm of the spiritual, so commanding in its sway upon human consciousness, may perhaps, then have been analyzed by those later day metaphysicians.

Today we know comparatively little about soul-stuff. We are quite well acquainted with the physical, because we have to do with it every moment of our life on earth. We know considerable about the mental because it comes next in our realm of knowledge. The pathologies and laws of physical and mental operation have been opened before us as a mighty book, even though there are many leaves which we have not yet turned, and perhaps we have not yet read the book half through; but we have actually had so little to do with Spirit we have not most of its laws to discover, classify and put into logical operation. We have arrived years ago to the point where it is general belief that the very essence of all living elements is indestructible. Individual memory is one of those entities and is incapable of ultimate destruction. The soul is individual personality and as such, memory is retained in latent form at and after death. Even in this day there is considerable logical ground for valid belief that a human soul can not be annihilated; but we know absolutely nothing in what form or under what conditions it may survive. That it may be temporarily submerged in the logical sequence of material progression until some definite future date or continue to manifest its entity in a world beyond the space and time known to present geographers and durationists, is still a moot question. There is even certain evidence it may appear in reincarnated form; but no one positively knows.

There exists today numerous and wide variety of evidence that faculties of mind will continue to exist in the hereafter. The love of music, of art, of beauty, of many other

more or less unphysical, intangible and boundless entities, will not only continue to exist in the hereafter; but in a much more refined, exalted and superior manner than they are manifest on earth. The fundamental problem of what is behind matter, life and consciousness; how can atoms become arranged in such a way that they form highly organized animals; how can these animals feel and what is it that makes them think; what is the origin of life, of mind, why do we feel we are immortal—all these and many more vitally interesting questions agreed upon by human minds today, I think will have been largely solved in that day of the New Earth, could we come back to visit it. Notwithstanding the doubters and the tendency still existing to occasionally gravitate towards agnosticism, belief that there is something in the mind beyond world soul or god and a cosmic will definite, eternal, still clings to humanity, and will doubtless be fathomed sometime in future years.

I confess to my readers I do not know where I will come from when I make this return visit to earth to the New Earth. Of course I have my personal ideas, and I confess I am quite stubborn in insisting my faith and belief must be backed up and enforced by a certain degree of reasonable logic before I will accept it as such. To returnally come back to a world, knowing its present condition, find all sin extirpated, all crime reformed, all disease cured, all ignorance eradicated, all selfishness obliterated, would be a wonderful thing, the marvelousness of such purported conditions as herein intimated being far beyond the ken of human conception.

I stated at the outset of this thesis that this was all a dream, yet dreams sometimes come true, and far-fetched and extravagant as this one may be, there are even now many evidences of its ultimate realization. When and how such may transpire and be consummated no earthly person today positively knows, yet in the aeons of the future, perhaps long after we have crossed the mysterious gulf that separates that portion called time from all eternity, while we ourselves may be sitting by the green banks of the River Paradise in some intimately near or remotely far away place of celestial habitation, we may, perchance, have the opportunity of taking this suggested visit and learning more intimately the workings of that Master Mind of Omnipotence that created, nurtured and guided to ultimate destiny all that which we now vaguely comprehend from our residence on this planet.

METHODISTS HAVE THIRD QUARTERLY CONFERENCE
Rev. E. E. White, Plainview, district superintendent, held the third quarterly conference for the Methodist church here last Sunday night following a very interesting sermon delivered at the regular evening preaching hour.

Reports given by officials of the local church were said to all be of an optimistic type, showing a healthy spiritual condition and forward movement of hie denomination here.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD OF TEXAS
NOTICE OF HEARING UPON ORGANIZATION OF PROPOSED BLACKWATER VALLEY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT, EMBRACING LAND LYING IN BAILEY COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, on the 20th day of May, 1940 there was duly filed in the office of the State Soil Conservation Board, at Temple, Texas, a petition signed by fifty or a majority of land owners pursuant to the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, as enacted by the 46th Legislature, known as House Bill No. 20, requesting the establishment of BLACKWATER VALLEY Soil Conservation District and

WHEREAS, the lands described by said petition, and other lands which will be considered for inclusion in said district, are located in Bailey County, described substantially as follows:

All the lands lying in the County of Bailey.
Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held pursuant to the said petition, on the question of the desirability and necessity, in the interest of the public health, safety, and welfare, of the creation of such district; on the question of the appropriateness of the boundaries to be included in such district; upon the propriety of the petition, and of all other proceedings taken under the said Act; and upon all questions relevant to such inquiries. The said public hearing will be held by the State Soil Conservation Board on the 1st day of June, 1940 beginning at 2 o'clock p. m., at Muleshoe in the county of Bailey. All persons who shall hold title to any lands lying within the limits of the above described territory as owners, and all other interested parties, are invited to attend and will be given opportunity to be heard at the time(s) and place(s) hereinbefore specified.

STATE SOIL CONSERVATION BOARD
By V. C. MARSHALL, Administrator (SEAL)
Dated this 26th day of May, 1940
Pub. May 28, 30, 1940.

War May Be Cause Of Farm Surplus Increase Here

Foreign markets closed by the European war and the spread of the barter system threaten to saddle American farmers with one of their worst surplus problems in recent years, despite production restrictions imposed under federal crop control programs.

Administration farm officials, deeply concerned, are searching for possible new outlets for crops which normally would be sold to European belligerents and to neutrals cut off from American supplies.

The agriculture department predicts that American farm exports will be reduced almost a third this year.

Normal yields of major crops this season would materially increase surpluses.

The prospects of such production and the shrinkage in foreign markets already is depressing farm prices. Grains have suffered sensational declines and cotton has lost ground.

The barter system, once confined to German trading operations, has been expanded to all Europe, even to the Allies, agriculture department officials said.

The British and French were said to have adopted a modified form of barter with South American countries.

As a consequence, the government is preparing to invoke all phases of crop control legislation in an effort to avert further shrinkage in farm values and income. Surpluses which otherwise might move into foreign markets will be withdrawn from market channels and stored under government loans to producers. This operation may require upwards of \$500,000,000 in federal funds.

Joyland Jottings
Mr. and Mrs. Acie Daniell and family were Clovis, N. M., visitors Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wiseman and grandson Glenn Murry Chester visited Mr. and Mrs. Brent Wiseman at Circleback, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Chester transacted business in Littlefield Friday.

Miss Ruby Walker spent the weekend with her parents at Bula.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellison and family have moved to Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wiseman of Sudan, visited with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Wiseman, Thursday night of last week.

Norman Chester and Ernie Bartley were Muleshoe visitors Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chester visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chester at Whitharral, Sunday.

WEST CAMP CLUBBERS TEST THEIR COOKERS

The Pollyanna home demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. W. L. Key with Mrs. Bill Key as hostess.

Testing of pressure cookers was the purpose of the meeting, seven cookers being tested. Each lady brought a covered dish and an enjoyable lunch was served at noon.

In the afternoon a demonstration on table service was given by several members.

After a business meeting, Pollyanna gifts were exchanged, and Mrs. Lillie B. Saunders received the hostess gift.

Members present were Mesdames Lois Blakely, Louise Roark, Bonnie Harlan, Lillie B. Saunders, Ethel Sheriff, Bonnie Williams, Dixie Dickenson, Suzie Smith, Lillie Key and hostess, Mrs. Bewley Cox was a visitor.

Next meeting will be at Beulah Williams, June 12 at 2:30 p. m.—Reporter.

SHOW 4-H CLUB SCENES AT PLAINVIEW THURS.

Sam Logan, Bailey county farm agent, accompanied by Bert Renfrow and Perrell Lemmons, club sponsors attend a showing of 4-H club pictures recently taken of commercial beef calves in five counties of this area, including Bailey county, at Plainview Thursday night of last week.

The pictures also included one taken at Kansas City where the calves were finally marketed.

Bailey county pictures were taken on the farm of Eugene Black about 10 miles south of Muleshoe. These pictures will be shown in this county sometime during the coming fall season.

MARSHALL FORMBY WILL ANNOUNCE PLATFORM

Marshall Formby of Dickens county, was in Muleshoe Thursday and Friday of last week making further contacts in his race for state senator. He is now serving his fourth



WILLIAM RICHARD WATKINS
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term as judge of Dickens county. He stated to a Journal representative he would soon make a formal issue of his platform to the public, among the planks being one in which he positively refused to be a party to any tax on poverty.

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TEXAS WHEAT ALLOTMENT INCREASED 73,202 ACRES FOR 1941; PRO RATA FOR COUNTIES ARE COMING UP

J. C. Smith, Bailey county AAA adjuster, Sam Logan, county farm agent, Roy Sherriff, chairman, county farm committee and Miss Mildred Davis, assistant AAA adjuster attended a meeting in Plainview last Friday relative to Texas wheat allotments, at which time insurance for 1941 and loans for 1940 were discussed.

It was brought out in the meeting that Texas will receive a larger share of the national wheat acreage allotment for 1940, as out of the 62,000,000-acre national allotment for the coming year, Texas is to receive 4,253,335 acres, an increase of 73,202 acres over the 1940 allotment of 4,180,133 acres. The national allotment is the same as it was for 1940.

At the same time, it was announced that no marketing quota will be proclaimed for wheat this year.

The U. S. 1940-41 estimated wheat supply is 949 million bushels. This includes crop insurance reserves of 675 million bushels and the July 1, 1940 carryover estimated at 274 million bushels. This carryover does not include crop insurance reserves of 15 million bushels which the Agricultural Adjustment Act specifies shall not be included for purposes of these determinations.

The total supply is below the marketing quota level of 1,023 million bushels, which is 135 percent of a normal year's domestic consumption and exports of 758 million bushels. This normal domestic consumption and export figure is made up of the average domestic consumption of 692 million bushels and exports of 66 million bushels during the 10-year period ending June 30, 1939.

The national acreage allotment is the acreage which, at average yields and together with the prospective carryover, will provide enough wheat to meet normal domestic consumption, export, and reserve requirements.

Of the total supply expected to be available for 1940-41, the year's estimated consumption and exports of 705 million bushels would leave a carryover on July 1, 1941 of 244 million bushels. This reserve and average yields on the 1941 acreage al-

lotted cotton linings for irrigation ditches conducted recently.

The National Cotton Council has been advised during a six months test period a mile stretch of bituminous lined canal that was reinforced with cotton fabric saved \$2,800 worth of water which would have been lost in a similar stretch of unlined canal.

Since the cost of the cotton reinforced bituminous canal is approximately \$5,000 per mile, the initial investment would pay for itself within two six months irrigation seasons, it was said. The cotton

lined canals were given preference over concrete lined canals because of the difference in construction costs.

Brick Used in Longfellow House
The brick used in building the Henry W. Longfellow house at Portland, Maine, was brought by boat from Philadelphia. A mansion of the formal type, it was built in 1785 by Gen. Peleg Wadsworth.

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- WHITE Swan Coffee, per lb. 25, 3 lbs. .69
- MACKEREL, 3 cans for .25
- CAKE FLOUR, Swans Down per pkg. .29
- KOOL-ADE, 3 pkgs., .10
- FLOUR, El Reno's Best 48 lbs., \$1.39
- OXYDOL, 25c size .19

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40 Graduates From Grammar Grades 39 Certificates

There were a total of 39 Merit certificates of perfect attendance awarded pupils in Muleshoe High and Grammar grades at the close of the school year, according to Superintendent W. C. Cox, Marshall Morris, a junior heading the list, as it was his tenth consecutive year to receive such award. Others to receive certificates were:

- 2nd grade—Gene Harvey.
- 4th grade—Herbert Griffiths.
- 5th grade—Robert Harvey, Billy Bentley, Leroy Thomas, Mary Nell DeShazo, Jessie Snow.
- 6th grade—Robert McReynolds, Mary Joe Seeds.
- 7th grade—Dick DeShazo, Dorothy Clark, Gayette Farrell, Juanita Farrell, Betty Nell Hayes, Willean Renfrow, Nina Mae Starkey.
- 8th grade—James Duncan, Billy Gordon, Roy Howard, J. E. McKillip, Virginia Day, Eula Belle Starkey, Goldie Vaughn, Georgia Roebuck.
- 9th grade—Helen Arnold, Barbara Mae Morris.
- 10 grade—Billy Beavers, Horace Edwards, Connie Dale Gupton, Dorris Churchill, Kathryn Starkey, Phoebe Clark.
- 11th grade—Vebna Lynn Bell, Mildred Carter, Maxine Harris, Arnold Gross, W. G. Harlan, Jr., Gerald Pribolt, Mary Haun.

There were 40 Grammar school graduates this year, as follows:

- Winona Blair, Lucile Carter, Dorothy Clark, Clifton Clark, Dorothy Dearing, Dick DeShazo, Gayette Farrell, Juanita Farrell, Opal Dudley, Wanda Forbes, Frank Foster, Paul Gardner, JoElla Garland, J. B. Glaze, Bettye Nell Hayes, Alfred Hicks, Alice Hicks, Helen Holt, Bruce Horsley, Euell Jennings, Mary Francis Jordan, J. R. King, Ernest Lambert, Emma Lee Locke, Elmo Lumford, Maurine Maltby, A. L. Murrain, Billy Pierson, Steve Pike, Eilleen Renfrow, Laurene Robinson, Nina Mae Strakey, Gordon Truelocke, Barbara Thomas, Dorris Walker, Grady Walker, Cleo Ward, W. B. Wagoner Jr., Thelma Wilson.

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Bill Elliott, Iris Meredith in "TAMING OF THE WEST"

Saturday night prevue, June 1
Sunday, Monday, June 2 and 3
Preston Foster, Ellen Drew in "GERONIMO"

Tuesday, Wednesday, June 4-5
Ann Southern in "CONGO MAZIE"

Thursday, Friday, June 6 and 7
Double Feature—
Tony Martin in "MUSIC IN MY HEART"

and Lilo Guilar in "LANO KIA"