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DENISON WITHOUT CONFIRMATION OF SENATE TAKES CHAIRMANSHIP HIGHWAY JOB ELY-MARTIN OBJECT

On Request of Comptroller and Treasurer, Attorney-General Alfred May file Test Case For Supreme Court Decision.

F. L. Denison, of Temple, twice denied confirmation as chairman of the Texas Highway Commission by the Senate, last Saturday set himself up in that office and notified the treasurer and comptroller claims and checks against the department must bear his signature.

Denison visited the Highway Department, where he exhibited his commission, issued by Governor Miriam A. Ferguson, to Gibb Gilchrist, state highway engineer, and requested that W. R. Ely of Abilene and D. K. Martin of San Antonio, other members of the commission, be summoned to a conference for Monday morning.

Gilchrist communicated Denison's request to Ely and Martin. Ely has served as chairman of the commission since former Governor Sterling relinquished that place two years ago to become chief executive. Denison would replace Ely as chairman, but the Abilene man would continue as a member of the commission.

Court Proceedings Likely.

It was considered likely that Attorney General James Alfred would institute court proceedings with little delay and probably submit the Denison controversy to the Supreme Court for determination of Denison's right to the office in view of his rejection by the Senate.

Charley Lockhart, state treasurer, and George H. Sheppard, comptroller, notified Alfred by letter that Denison visited their offices and advised them he had been commissioned chairman of the Highway Commission and that warrants drawn on the highway funds by the comptroller and honored by the treasurer must be approved by him.

Sheppard asked Alfred: "Am I, as comptroller, authorized under the law to issue any further warrants upon claims presented by the Highway Department without the approval of Mr. Denison as chairman of the Highway Commission?" and Lockhart properly asked this interrogation: "Since the laws of Texas require the chairman of the Highway Commission to sign and approve whether the treasurer should honor or not warrants drawn without the signature of Mr. Denison?"

Alfred is undecided. He said he was undecided as to whether he was authorized as comptroller and treasurer or to maintain court proceedings to judicially settle the controversy. He observed that regardless of what his ruling would be, it would not be satisfactory to both sides.

N. M. Potash Beds Will Make the State Independent Declared

Product of potash in the newly discovered field of Southeastern Mexico will be sufficient in 1932 to make the United States independent of any foreign source of supply, in the opinion of H. I. Smith of the United States Geological Survey. Mr. Smith expressed that belief in an address at the annual meeting of American Metallurgical Engineers last Friday in Washington.

The potash area, he said, is about 100 square miles more than the salt beds of the United States. The first potash was discovered in 1831 and the first plant was started in 1831. A 2500 ton plant of America

SENATORS IN CO.

Senate field, has Senate night to permit government. The specific amend the way the chairman plan we available county records at present

and that it might be advisable to go to court and let the courts finally determine the project.

Replied to Lockhart and Sheppard, when we will did not know "just what action to take on this question or in the premises. The department will take should court. It was indicated that proceedings would be taken, the supreme Court file in the State Supreme Court. It was in the nature of to the office to test Denison's right to the office.

Gilchrist stated Denison had merely communicated to Ely's request for a conference was not about Martin and that he would accept as to whether they should go. It was generally believed, however, that the two commissioners would be on hand Monday morning.

Denison's Majority Enough

Denison took the oath of office before the highway funds and his bond signed by the state Comptroller.

Some of the notary public, Denison's and 12,000 was signed by Denison for Ferguson and approved by Governor.

Some of the Senators who oppose court confirmation threatened to prevent him from administering the affairs of the office.

Denison for Ferguson contended that firm's appointment could be effected by a simple majority vote and of affirmative action of two-thirds of the Senate was not necessary in his opinion. He drew a sharp line between appointments to fill vacancies and vacancies to offices in which no vacancies existed.

H. Ely, State Highway chairman, to ignore Frank M. Denison's call for a meeting of the commission, he indicated Saturday.

Mr. Martin—(D. K. Martin, member of the commission) "and I do not know of any extraordinary reason why the commission should meet at this time. I recognize the right of the chairman of the highway commission to call a special meeting, but until it is judicially determined that Mr. Denison is a member of the commission I do not feel that I should be running back and forth to Austin at his beck and call, any more than I would that of any other citizen."

"When I have the time I shall be happy to meet with Mr. Denison to discuss matters pertaining to the Highway Department, or otherwise, but I feel that he ought to be certain of his right to call a meeting before he does so."

Orders For Cotton In Texas Showed A Big Jan. Increase

Austin, Texas, Feb. 28.—Unfilled orders at Texas cotton mills recorded an increase during January, the second consecutive month. Reports to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research from 21 Texas cotton mills show that two successive consecutive gains have brought the aggregate bookings of these mills to 6,282,600 yards at the close of January, an increase of 43 per cent over the total on the corresponding date a year ago.

Production for the month of January totaled 4,207,000 yards, an increase of 7 per cent as compared with that for the corresponding month in 1932. The increase over the total for December was 19 per cent, slightly more than the average gain between these two months during the past six years. Cotton goods sales amounted to only 3,229,000 yards, or 6 per cent less than the total for December, and 30 per cent less than the total for January a year ago.

SLEET, SNOW AND RAIN VISITED MULESHOE SUNDAY

The pleasant weather of the past week was interrupted sometime last Sunday night when the mercury in the thermometer took a tumble of several degrees downward, and folks of Muleshoe and this area generally awoke that morning to witness the falling of sleet.

Throughout the morning there was sleet, snow and rain, sufficient to show its whiteness on house roofs, yet melting mostly as it fell on the ground, in the afternoon making the roads quite slippery for travel.

The moisture precipitation was sufficient to be stimulating to wheat crops needing it greatly. Monday was air and much warmer.



FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT

THIRTY-FIRST PRESIDENT of the UNITED STATES

State of West Texas To Contain 54 Counties According to the Outlined Areas of Citizens Favoring Division

Definite action toward separating a region of the state from all of Texas and forming a West Texas state is crystallizing rapidly. For several years past the movement has been agitated more or less openly, and now a definite outline of the proposed state has been offered by some of the interested citizens of this western area.

The proposed new state would contain 54 counties, having an area of 32,458 square miles or 12,000 miles larger than the State of Ohio. It would contain a population of nearly 694,000 people, 55 per cent of which would be Anglo-Saxon folks. This proposed area produces four-fifths of the state wheat, two-thirds of the state's sorghum crop, one third of the state's cattle, one-fourth of its cotton. It has large quantities of oil and gas. The entire area is virtually tillable. It has an excellent climate, generally a high altitude, good water, good schools, highways and railroads.

The proposed area of the new state has Dallas for its northwest county, Lipscomb for its northeast county, Andrews for its southwest county, and Nolan for its southeast county, taking in all the counties between the four named to comprise West Texas.

Kiwianians Against State Increases Of Public Expenditures

"The Jolly Good Bunch of Builders" otherwise known as Kiwianians, met last Friday noon at the Onyx cafe for their weekly feed and speaker, President A. J. Gardner in the chair.

The principal feature of the meeting was the passing of a resolution against the proposed Sales tax measure now pending in State legislature and the urging of cutting down on state expenditures. The resolution passed and forwarded to Senator A. P. Duggan and Representative A. B. Tarwater, of this district, was as follows:

"We have had before us various tax bills which have thus far been introduced in the Legislature and after a study of these measures, it is recommended:

"That the Kiwanis Club of Muleshoe stand emphatically opposed to all attempts to levy new taxes. That we favor the effecting of all possible economies in the operation of the State government consistent with safety and efficiency. That the Legislature be urged to devote its efforts to the reduction of governmental expenditures so as to operate within its present income, and that by effecting further economies present taxes shall be reduced.

"That the Legislature be urged to avoid all legislation which further handicaps upon existing contracts or erect additional legitimate business."

A committee was appointed to attend the Cochrans' court at Muleshoe in relation to the way from Muleshoe to the Cochrans' court.

EVERYTHING BUT THE WEATHER READY FOR THE INAUGURATION OF ROOSEVELT AND GARNER NEXT SATURDAY, MARCH 4

Arrangements for everything except the weather were complete last Saturday at Washington, D. C. for the ceremonies which this week will attract nearly 200,000 visitors when the names "Roosevelt and Garner" are run up in place of "Hoover and Curtis" at the head of the Nation's officialdom.

Miles of bunting were ready for decorating streets, store fronts and public buildings. Sprinkled liberally with the theme, "Happy days are here again," the campaign song of the President-elect, the decorations will be in place by Friday when the first events of the inaugural program begin.

For the inaugural committee which has been at work two months carrying out its plan, the weather remained a major worry. The weather bureau, frowning on long-range forecasts, offered no help, and a study of weather at past inaugurations brought no cheer.

Parade reviewing stand capable of seating more than 50,000 persons have been constructed, extending far along Pennsylvania Avenue with an inclosed platform for the President and his party on the east front of the capitol. A platform stands ready for the event of the inauguration, the to be held in March since the of the "lambs club" amendment which provides Presidents here-

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Cochran Co. Will Put Its O. K. On New St. Highway

That the Commissioners' court of Cochran county has accepted the offer of the State Highway Commission relative to a highway leading from Muleshoe to Morton thus connecting State highways Nos. 7 and 28 with that of No. 24, was the information received Tuesday morning over telephone by Judge J. E. Adams.

Last Monday a delegation composed of Neil Rocky, A. W. Copley, K. K. Smith, Tom Davis, Pat R. Bobo, Cecil Tate, Dr. A. E. Lewis, R. L. Brown, Judge J. E. Adams, Rev. E. C. Raney, Irvin St. Clair and Glen Rockey, also, G. P. Howell, of Enochs, went to Morton and appeared before the Commissioners' court urging the proposal of the State Commission be accepted.

About three weeks ago, upon representation of Judge Adams and Editor Jess Mitchell to the State Highway Commission the road was conditionally authorized, subject to Bailey and Cochran counties paying for the location survey, securing right-of-way and arranging other necessary preliminaries before being taken over by the state. The Bailey County Commissioners court has already accepted the state's proposition and Engineer Roberts has been authorized to handle the survey which he is ready to start work on within the next few days.

Teachers' College At Canyon Was 24 Years Old the 17th

Twenty-four years ago last week the West Texas State Teachers college was born in the Legislature of Texas. It was not commissioned at that time, but awarded to Plainview after dozens of west Texas towns had made bids for it, on September 3, 1909. Canyon's cash bid was \$100,000, and a forty acre campus was set down in for good measure.

The custom of giving gifts to the college has continued through the years, over \$5,000 having been added by citizens of the Panhandle and Canyon.

This college first had a birthday party when it was two years old, February 1911. Four walnut trees were planted on the campus at that time, the one planted by the faculty failing to survive the rigors of winter and the winds of summer. The three planted by classes are now the most beautiful trees on the campus, which has several hundred.

Since its founding more than 16,000 different persons have been enrolled in the college.

Four members of the first faculty are still on the campus. They are Dr. A. Hill, president, L. G. Allen, Dean, Miss Mrs. Mary E. Rudspeith and Miss C. Ritchie.

At the largest time the college has college rank of students of entire existence, it has had in its

WEST TEXAS FARMS 98 PER CENT DURING 'REASED' 'EAP

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 28.—Number of farms in 50 West Texas counties increased 98 percent from 1925 to 1932, according to Dr. J. O. J. of the department of Economics of Texas Tech.

During the same period of farms in 50 East Texas counties increased 42 percent, the same area increased.

From 1929 to 1932 the number of farms was 39 percent in East Texas and a decrease of six percent in West Texas. From 1925 to 1932 the increase was 42 percent in West Texas and 13 percent in East Texas.

FEDERAL FUNDS GRANTED TO HELP THE POULTEYMEN

A new provision of the Reconstruction Corporation loans which is of great importance to this section is that money may be borrowed for poultry raising, according to Ty Young of the Muleshoe hatchery.

It is understood this benefit may be had by either large or small poultry raisers, even the back-set type of raisers, as a ready money crop of both chickens and eggs is provided for.

M. G. Miller, in charge of loan applications here, is this week making full investigations of this provision a several poultrymen are interested taking advantage of it.

my executive for the Boy Scout changing their affiliation from well, N. M., to Lubbock. Auditor J. F. Stolle, for Bailey county several poultrymen are presently on present conditions and several al and business present

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Wherefore should I fear in the days of evil, when the indignation of my heels shall compass me about?—Psalms 49:5.
A religious life is a struggle and not a hymn.—Mme. de Staël.

OUR NEW PRESIDENT

We take this occasion to extend our compliments to the new President of the United States and to wish him the greatest possible measure of success in his effort to lead the nation out of the gloom and the slough of despond.



It is a Herculean task which Mr. Roosevelt and the new Congress face. There has not been, in recent times at least, such an opportunity as less before the new administration. At the same time, no new administration has come into the control of our government since Lincoln's time, which was confronted with such perils.

We give President Roosevelt and his advisers credit for the highest motives of patriotism. We think no one can deny that Mr. Roosevelt's record of public service, beginning with the Legislature of the State of New York, as Assistant Secretary of the Navy during the World War, and as Governor of New York for the past four years, has been a record of forward-looking, progressive and intelligent effort of common good.

But the situation which confronts the new administration is one filled with difficulties and uncertainties. We think that the nation at large realizes as it has never realized before, that our desperate situation in America is on all fours with the economic distress which is felt in every quarter of the globe. We do not believe and we do not think that Mr. Roosevelt believes, that the United States, in this critical juncture, can hit itself by its own bootstraps. And one of the great uncertainties is how far the nations of Europe will go in cooperating, along lines that our nation can accept, toward bringing about an economic adjustment on a world wide scale.

That is not to imply that there are not many serious phases of our domestic situation which cannot be remedied by intelligent and courageous action at Washington. It seems to us that, in the beginning of his administration at any rate, our hearted and effective support, tentative, and that of House of Representatives, ought to result in speedy action.

The best methods and policies that have been tried in the past administration will undertake effective. But we believe there is a freest possible hand, and with authority beyond has been bestowed upon us, except in war time, in hope that he will thus be able to effectively.

As we think, as we intimated, new president taking office for the first time has ever had the opportunity which is offered President Roosevelt. At the same time we are not unmindful and we are sure Mr. Roosevelt is not unmindful, of the tremendous responsibility which the nation is laying upon him.

We most heartily wish him the best of luck.

DEBUNKING LAWS

If, instead of passing more laws, the Texas legislature would get busy debunking and repealing some of the inconsistent statutes now existing, it would be serving the constituency much more efficiently.

Here's a concrete instance of very poor legal business conduct. In 1929 the state legislature repealed a law authorizing the counties to pay 50 cents per juror in lunacy cases, replacing it by one requiring the counties to pay \$3.00 per juror for such cases. It is our belief, based on observation and experience of county judges that such juror pay is generally uncalculated and unnecessary. Jurors in such cases are invariably obtained right in the town where the county seat is located, used not more than 15 to 30 minutes, and a much lesser fee for services rendered should be in order.

In the case of jurors for District Court the situation is somewhat different, for the venire of jurors is generally drawn from all sections of the county, some coming from long distances, and their cost of travel plus the frequent attending inconveniences frequently result in a total of \$3.00 per juror. In case the person arrested is convicted an unfair situation frequently arises. The sheriff notifies the penitentiary authorities they have a former prisoner for their inmate, and the man is held in the local county jail. Frequently the answer comes back that there is no available room for such convicts until such a time as room is made, or their state prison accommodation in this county prisoners have been kept here for from two to three months.

Really it is, at county, but state expense, any time the state has been guilty of negligence in delivering such a prisoner, it is no fault of the county, but the state is not ready to receive the prisoner and the state should bear the burden of his keeping expense until such a time as he may be delivered.

Reverting again to the subject of juror's pay. It would be nothing but fair that litigants should pay for jury service where such is demanded. The state and county furnish judges to manage courts and render legal decisions, and in cases where litigants prefer jury trials they should be willing to pay for the extra trimmings required. As it is the litigant asking a jury trial puts up the sum of \$3.00 for jury expense and the county pays the rest. Jury fees in District court always cost as much as \$90.00 if but one case is tried per day. Where there is a hung jury and the case must be retried, the district is double, or \$180.00. A similar situation exists in County and Justice of the Peace courts.

There have actually been cases tried by jury in Bailey county where the cost of jury service was much more than the sum under litigation. Just a few weeks ago this county had an expense of about \$185.00 that one of the litigants might collect \$225.00. In other words, the taxpayers of Bailey county lacked only \$40 paying the sum sued for and the winner of the suit still has to pay the sum for which he was sued. Such cases are merely double pay cases and one-half the payment is made by innocent and disinterested citizens. Yet it is all done according to Texas law.

WEST TEXAS STATE

Recent political events have served to arouse much interest in the formation of another state to be carved out of West Texas, and each day the sentiment is crystallizing more and more until now the actual region of this new state has been defined. This newspaper editor of Texas, and each day the sentiment is crystallizing more and more until now the actual region of this new state has been defined. This newspaper editor of Texas, and each day the sentiment is crystallizing more and more until now the actual region of this new state has been defined.

Into Harness Again

By Albert T. Reid



are at such wide variance with the state in general they can never be entirely harmonized.

East Texas today has the overwhelming balance in population and wealth, and will not permit the western area its just dues for years to come, or until it has to do so. In more than one instance, West Texas is and has been for years, paying tribute to East Texas. Witness the school money paid out here that goes to East Texas counties by the thousands of dollars annually, as an illustration.

There is a way though, we believe this can be done. Let the proposition of the new state set forth its proposed meets and bounds. Call an election of the people within that considered area. If the measure carries, then let that area secede from the state proper. This would mean either putting the matter up direct to the national congress for action or requiring the rest of the state to put this area back where it originally was. In making this statement the Journal has no idea of advocating any form of treasonism, but merely a manner of getting around a condition which the framers of the constitution at that time could not foresee, thus remedying a condition that needs improving.

BEAUTY IN FAT

Fatness is always a part of beauty in any animal show. No matter how well bred a hog, cow or horse is, if it is skinny it never gets in the pictures for any prize money with the judges. Now Amarillo proposes to have a beautiful girl show in connection with its fat stock show there March 6. Some of these charming damsels will doubtless be of the ultra-stender type, actually lacking in curves and roundness, symmetry required of quadrupeds for laying claim to blue ribbons. Evidently Old Tack had nothing to do with this arrangement, else this call for biped pulchritude would have specified the same degree of fatness for women as required for huffers, sows and spuds in contradistinction to those who go through life on a lettuce sandwich.

Tack has frequently discoursed in judicious manner regarding the engorged beauties of the ladies occasioned by sufficient feeding upon ham, eggs and spuds in contradistinction to those who go through life on a lettuce sandwich. The Journal agrees with him entirely. A show of skinny, though good looking young women, would certainly be out of place at a fat stock show.

This is one instance where longitude is as important as latitude, where equatorial dimensions should be as emphatic as altitudes. We never have believed in the 'double standard' set up for humans, nor do we favor giving more points to judging a bovine or equine than to the feminine hoppers. To us the most attractive show in all this wide, wide world is one of beautiful maidens. Cows have their places set along over a milk pail, horses are always when hitched to a wagon or plow, and are O. K. when sliced into hamburger for the breakfast table, and constant, uninterrupted, and abundant association give us a two-century damsel of beautiful proportions and unstinted physical proportions. The judges of the Amarillo Fat show are certainly missing out on the

tunity of their lives in establishing a new era in the feminine pulchritude of bipeds by not including fat sleekness on their score card of this particular show department.

It would add much to the value of the fat stock show proper in proving, through these beautiful young ladies, the enhanced value of fat goes and hogs as a diet over the lean kind. To be perfectly consistent the stock show authorities should have appointed Old Tack and the Journal editor as judges of this beauty pageant. Their decision in the matter would have been perfectly fair, unquestionably correct and absolutely in keeping with decisions given other beauties at the show, and all regardless of any high-sounding pedigree or stock food advertisements.

There are probably not many people in Bailey County, or elsewhere in Texas, for that matter, who realize that a warrant cannot be issued to any person indebted to the state or to his or her assignee until such debt is paid; but such is the case, according to Article 4350 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925. There is approximately \$20,000,000 due in delinquent taxes to the State, of which every county is a legal subdivision, and if this law were strictly adhered to in this and other counties, some folks would be in bad position.

It has been suggested that most of the folks in and around Muleshoe, and elsewhere in the U. S., for that matter, are all in the same boat that Christopher Columbus occupied when he left the shores of Spain a few hundred years ago. When he started out he didn't know where he was going; he didn't know where he was when he got there, and when he returned didn't know where he had been—and none of us know what it is all about now.

We've heard several people in and around Muleshoe complaining of machines taking work away from folks. It's been our general observation that as machinery is created, new business enterprises which furnish work in other lines is also created. For instance, one concern reports it is now turning out 3,000,000 fig saw puzzles a week, giving employment to men, women and girls.

It's reported that members of the Texas legislature are now consuming hundreds of aspirin tablets daily at the taxpayer's expense. Here in Muleshoe we haven't heard of anything happening in Austin yet that would produce so many and such terrific headaches.

There's a law against obtaining money under false pretenses, and the Journal believes it should be enforced against the legislators at Austin. With 1660 bills in the hopper and only 10 laws passed this session, they certainly are not earning their \$10 per day.

We heard a chatter say the other day he liked short editorials. We return the compliment, brother. We like short sermons—and some of them, the shorter the better.

Jaunty Journalettes

There are some men in Muleshoe who used to believe in dreams, but don't any more since they married one.

About the only excuse some motorists around Muleshoe can offer for using the old car another year is that the repair men need money.

We know one or two Muleshoe married men who have come to that con-

clusion that Eve was made out of man's backbone instead of his rib.

Middle age is that period in a Muleshoe man's life when he has left his aches to whichever he has teeth, tonsils or fall blades.

Now that taxes are being put on nearly everything else in the class, some of the girls around Muleshoe are expecting a tax to be put on bachelors.

Our idea of a "True 100 Cent American" is the Muleshoe citizen who can lay awake at night without fear the Japs will take the Philippines away from us.

"Once a year," says a local insurance man, "every man should take an inventory of himself." Usually a Muleshoe man's wife does that for him on their wedding anniversary.

The average Muleshoe man may think he isn't curious, but just try to pass a crowd on the street without stopping to see what is going on.

Pavement Pickups

Ty Young says jazz music really has some good use. Scientists claim it makes hens lay more eggs.

J. E. Burkhead wants to know what chances some fellows would have if politics now days if they were like George Washington and couldn't tell a lie.

Arnold Morris says he heard a preacher say not long ago, "there were no autos in hell." That's bad information, for some pedestrians might want to go there.

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Muleshoe Blacks!

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A Muleshoe woman whose name we are not going to mention, told us the other day that one never realizes how people prize a treasure laid up in heaven until they become a widower's second wife.

Reading that an Ohio banker declares it is extremely foolish to keep large sums of money about the house. A. B. Hays says it is not only foolish but it's darned near impossible.

"If women call him a brute and men call him a sucker," says Walter White, "then he's probably just a good average husband."

"This country reminds one of the parable of the Prodigal Son," says Chet Layne, "with farmer, as to be expected, supplying the part of the fatted calf."

Judge Vaughan says he is always on the judicial bench awaiting requests of errant citizens who want free board and room on the top floor of the court house. There are four star boarders there now, he says, all of whom seem quite content with the de luxe accommodation furnished them by Bailey County. Applications for entry may be made to either Jim Cook or "Shorty" Bartley; but please don't rush, the Judge says as he don't like to be crowded too rapidly with applications.

The new government post office at Plainview will be ready for occupancy about the middle of April.

The Olton Hardware Co., and Pat Campbell's lumber yard, at Olton were both robbed last week, about \$20 being taken from each concern.

Montgomery Ward & Co., Lubbock, have purchased the Temple Ellis building that city which was burned more than a year ago. They will rebuild it and operate their store in it.

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San. Goodson, Former Muleshoe Man Given High Military Honors

Complying with a request of Connie Gupton, secretary of the local post, American Legion, a letter has been received from Richard G. LaPorte, adjutant of the Legion post at Worcester, Mass., stating that San Goodson, well known former Muleshoe citizen and member of this Legion post, was given a military funeral with all honors due an ex-service man, following his death about three weeks ago in a government hospital at Atlanta, Ga.

The funeral of Sanford A. Goodson was held this morning from his late home at 6 Penn avenue. A high mass of requiem was offered in St. Stephen's church by the Rev. John J. Lunney, pastor. The Gregorian mass of requiem was sung by the choir under direction of George F. Morgan, organist. The solos in the mass were sung by Misses Gertrude E. Kelliker and June M. Phalan. At the close of the service The Star Spangled Banner was played and at the recessional nearer My God To Thee. The service was attended by the Sisters of St. Joseph, pupils of St. Stephen's school, a large number of representatives of the local legion and its auxiliary, and there were a number of floral and spiritual offerings presented. The burial, conducted by Rev. Wm. F. Fahey, was made in St. John's cemetery. Taps were sounded by Bugler Albert A. Wilmot and echo taps by Walter E. Kanz.

Garden Language

There are times when the amateur gardener calls a spade a lot of things besides a spade.—Escañaba Daily Press.

Affidavit, Please

Then there is the modern mother who phoned the A. A. to send a machine to show her how to operate a safety pin.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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Some men and women fight colds all winter long. Others enjoy the protection of Bayer Aspirin. A tablet in time, and the first symptoms of a cold get no further. If a cold has caught you unawares, keep on with Bayer Aspirin until the cold is gone. Bayer Aspirin can't harm you. It does not depress the heart. If your throat is sore, dissolve several tablets in water and gargle. You will get instant relief. There's danger in a cold that hangs on for days. To say nothing of the pain and discomfort follow Bayer Aspirin might have spared you! All druggists; with proven directions for colds, headaches, neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatism.

TABLETS ARE GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN WITHOUT THIS CROSS

Girl Scout News

The Girl Scouts met last Tuesday. The meeting was opened by a salute to the flag. Naomi Harper led the singing, then the troop went outside and played a few games. Upon returning, a very interesting lesson was given on "Ants that Kill Elephants," by Zoe McReynolds.

Pirate Patrol

The Pirate patrol met last Wednesday at the home of Miss Naomi Harper in a business meeting. They studied trees and afterwards Miss Eva Harper served refreshments which consisted of jello, whipped cream and cake. Those present were: June McCoy, Naomi Harper, Margaret Ann Cook.

North Star Patrol

The North Star patrol met in the home of Geraldine Skeeters last Monday evening.

The evening was spent in singing Scout songs and playing games. This was their patrol leader, Loraine Danner's birthday and she carried into the dining room a beautiful white cake decorated with 14 pink candles. The girls sang, "Happy Birthday." Mrs. Skeeters made her entrance bearing a gay little basket containing birthday greetings and best wishes in the form of acceptable gifts. After every one had enjoyed seeing the contents of the basket, light s were turned out leaving the tiny candles to do the illuminating while each girl made a wish for their leader.

Mrs. Skeeters, assisted by her son, served each guest with a plate of dainty refreshments. On the plate was also a unique favor, the handwork of the hostess. The meeting was closed by repeating the "Girl Scout Promise" and singing "Taps."

Those present were: Ethel Claire Raney, Weta Mae Danner, Hattie Ray Griffiths, Jo Ann Aldridge, Bette Ruth Moeller, Geraldine Skeeters, Lovelle Ginn, Wanda Farrell and the honoree.

The visitors were Mrs. Ginn, Mrs. J. C. Weaver, Faye Ginn, Naomi Harper and Floyd Skeeters.

Winding Trail Patrol

The Winding Trail patrol met Saturday, at the home of their leader, Irma Willis. Business was attended to, but it was not as large a meeting as expected because there were only three present. Come out! Your missing something. Don't forget the second law. They will meet at the patrol leader's again Saturday, March 4. We want the members to come and bring material to make a booklet for trees.

S. R. LEAGUERS HAVE SOCIAL

Members of the Senior League, Methodist church had an enjoyable social Monday night in the church annex rooms. The party being given as result of a membership and program contest among the Leaguers during January, Misses Twila Farrell and Mary Frances Willis having charge of the evening's entertainment.

The boys made silhouette choosings for the girls as partners for refreshments of pop corn balls and all day suckers.

There were about 13 young people present, Mrs. Jess Mitchell sponsoring the event.

CARD OF THANKS

A time of unexpected grief and loss proves the value of true friends, and we wish to take this opportunity of expressing our sincere appreciation to the loyal friends who were so kind in the recent loss of our dear wife and daughter, also, our thanks to the business men of Muleshoe for the lovely floral offering.

Donald Eason, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Eason.

Boy Scout News

The Boy Scouts met last Thursday night with the majority of the boys present. A period of military training was held immediately after the meeting was called to order. After the training period business was discussed. Next meeting night will be Court of Honor. The boys are working on several projects to raise themselves to a higher rank in scouting. The next Thursday night, after Court of Honor night, will be a night for membership drive. The more the merrier, and we want more Boy Scouts. A prize will be given to the patrol that brings the most prospective members, according to number of boys in the patrol.

The Scoutmaster has requested that each Boy Scout make something that can be put on display and present it to the Scout troop. Come on, boys, let's make something that we will be proud to display.

Fox Patrol

The Fox patrol met at the regular hour last Wednesday night with all members present. New and old business was discussed. The patrol flag was finished. It is a pennant shaped flag of green cloth with a yellow border around the edges and a large yellow fox in the middle of the large end. It also has the letters spelling "Troop," in yellow, and the troop number. We studied a few games to be played at troop meetings, and closed with the Scout oath.

Wandering Buffalo Patrol

The Wandering Buffalo patrol met last Monday, February 29. We opened with checking the roll, six being present. We discussed business and then framed a picture of a buffalo wandering off from the herd. We had a roving contest which Richard Smith won. We had a tractor pull contest. Houston Hart and Junior Winn against Cecil Spence and Richard Smith. After a long steady pull Junior and Houston won. We dispensed with the Scout oath. Come on Buffalo, let's go.

Cobra Patrol

The Cobra patrol met at L. E. Arnold's house with six members present. After the patrol business was discussed we started mounting some arrow heads. This was not finished but it will be next meeting. A knot tying contest was then started which gave us good practice. The final loser of this contest was sent through the belt line. The patrol leader also went through and finally the whole patrol was sent through the belt line. The meeting was closed with the Scout oath.

We will finish mounting arrow heads at the next meeting to be held at L. E. Arnold's house at 7:00 p. m. o'clock and all members of this patrol are expected to be present.—Reporter.

Goodland News

Miss Pearl Stinnett is now visiting friends and relatives at McAdoo. Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mounts entertained Miss Zelma Watson, of Ft. Worth, with a theatre party in Clovis, N. M., Monday night. Others who attended were Luther Mounts, Tom Galt and Miss Lyndell Gaddy.

Lester Lanaster, who has been in Petersburg, returned last week.

Mrs. T. G. Gaddy and Lyndell spent last week in Lubbock visiting relatives. They returned home with Mr. Gaddy, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mounts are sporting a new 1933 Chevrolet coach which they got in Plainview last week.

A banquet was given Wednesday night at the Goodland school house to the honor of the basketball players of this school district. It was an invitational affair, about 65 being present. There was a fine assortment of eats spread for the repast, a delightful social evening, and everyone attending experienced a joyful event.

Twenty-nine dollars per person was spent in the United States last year for the cure of disease and only \$1 for prevention, Dr. L. L. Lumsden, U. S. public health officer told the Texas legislative body this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mounts, Cass Stigall and Claude Forgiven were Muleshoe visitors Monday.—Reporter.

JUNIORS GET \$22.00 FROM PLAY GIVEN FRIDAY NIGHT

The 3-act play, entitled "The Red Headed Stepchild," given at the High school auditorium Friday night of last week, was attended by an exceptionally large audience. Incidentally \$22.00 was realized by members of the Junior High school class putting on the play.

Each player portrayed their character in excellent manner, according to report, some of the players having had previous experience before the footlights, performed like veterans of the stage.

The play was centered around a girl, born of the first marriage of her father who was a rich Chicago business man. Following the death of her mother, she was reared by an uncle in Montana, and not until she was grown did she ever come into the home of her father who had married again. Her unconventional manners, wild west antics and lack of social training caused numerous intricate and perplexing situations, all of which she came out of in admirable manner, finally coming to the rescue of her father, when he crashed financially, with the proceeds of some mining stocks her uncle had bought for her.

Large Ball Room? The ballrooms in the royal palace in Madrid is said to be the largest in Europe and possibly the largest in the world.

VOTA VITA CLASS HAVE A SOCIAL AT WHITE'S HOME

The Vota Vita Sunday school class of young married folk, Baptist church, held a social Friday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White.

It was known as a "poverty party," the guests coming arrayed in keeping with the depressed economic times of the present. Silks, satins and broadcloth were taboo, while rags and tatters of various kinds were entirely in vogue, according to the mandates of Dame Fashion for the hour. Mrs. E. R. Hart won the class "honors" as being the "most needy" member present.

Following a series of interesting games, the "bread line" was formed and each guest equipped with the required paraphernalia and authorized implements for handling victuals was issued their ration of vegetable soup, crackers, sandwiches, ginger bread and not chocolate, all singing "Hallelujah, I'm a Bum."

Curtis Taylor, well known aesthetic epicurean of fastidious appetite, while eating soup with two spoons, coming out going style, is said to have become choked on a dog bone that accidentally strayed into the liquid, requiring the repeated and concentrated beating of Joe Damron and Byron Griffiths on the 3rd vertebrae of his backbone to relieve the strangulation and produce regurgitation of the ossified chunk, thus saving his wife funeral expenses for her husband. Ahem!

Those attending the enjoyable evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Damron and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holland, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor and son, Judge and Mrs. J. E. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Griffiths, Mrs. Mary Hart, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White.

TEXAS CROPS 108 PER CENT ABOVE AVERAGE IN 19 YEARS

Lubbock, Feb. 28.—Texas crops in 1932 yielded 108 percent of the 10 year average, according to Dr. J. O. Ellsworth, head of the department of agricultural economics in Texas (Technological college). The average yield of all crops for the United States was 98.6 percent of the previous 10 years. Acreage devoted to all field crops decreased in Texas from 1931 to 1932 by two percent, while acreage in the United States increased about one percent.

WITTE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Wednesday night of last week several youngsters met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Witte to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Lamar Witte. A number of lively games were played, the youngsters being urged on

with plenty of parched peanuts and other refreshments. Those present were June McCoy, Irma Willis, Betty McAdams, Lucille Bartley, Margaret Ann Cook, Naomi Harper, R. L. Hicks, Horace McAdams, Houston Hart, Byron Bayless and Sonny Griffiths.

METHODIST MISSIONARY MEET

The Methodist Missionary Society met in the home of Mrs. J. Wyer, Monday afternoon with Mrs. Harold Wyer, as assistant hostess.

At a short business session the auxiliary decided to give a play in the near future.

Mrs. Copley led the devotional for the afternoon using Philippians 3:7-14. The same Scripture Miss Gibson used when Scarritt college was opened.

Mrs. Beavers spoke on "Lord Speak To Me," telling of the life work of Miss Bel H. Bennett, founder of Scarritt college. A playlet, "A Scarritt College Girl Home on Vacation," was given by Mesdames Nina and Fay Elrod, Raney, Davis, Churchill and Pierson. "Scarritt and World Work," was given by Mrs. Mardis. She spoke of 800 students enrolling in 1892, the year the school was established, and at present there are 4,152 students out in the world who have attended Scarritt since 1892.

Mrs. Al Isaacs gave two impressive poems, "A Vanished Friend" and "Tell Him Now."

Mrs. Roberts was a visitor and enrolled as a new member of the auxiliary. Other members present were: Mesdames Isaacs, Hobbs, Wallace, Nina and Fay Elrod, Mardis, Raney, Beavers, Davis, Churchill, Stone, Pierson, and the hostesses who served dainty refreshments at the conclusion of the program.—Reporter.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., at 11:00 the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be served. The adult and league meetings will be at 7:30 p. m., with the evening preaching services at 7:45 p. m.

At the midweek meeting Wednesday night we will have a study of First Corinthians. The choir meets at Mrs. Reynolds's home this week.

The time now set for the annual series of meetings will be May 28th and run through two or more weeks. Rev. J. F. Marshall will do the preaching.

The Presiding Elder has set the next quarterly conference at 4:30 p. m., March 19th.—E. C. RANEY, Pastor.

Let the Recipient tell it. Let him do the good office, conceal it; let him that has received it, disclose it.—Seneca.

THE DISTRICT INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE AT LUBBOCK, APRIL 14

Lubbock, Texas, Feb. 23.—Students and teachers from 17 Plains counties, including Bailey, will gather at Texas Technological College, April 14 and 15 for the district meeting of the Interscholastic League. Dr. A. W. Evans, Tech education department head, is director general. The following counties will participate: Andrews, Bailey, Cochran, Crosby, Dawson, Dickens, Floyd, Games, Garza, Hale, Holley, Lamb, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Terry and Yoakum.

WHOSE LETTER?

The following letter was reported to have been received by a county agent in one of the Western States: Dear Mr. Sheep Company: I have your literature concerning your sheep company, and I am quite interested in as much as I am thinking I would like to get a sheep and go into the sheep business this summer.

I wonder if you have any sample sheep you give away. Even a small one would be all right as I will have to keep it in my office until I can get some pasture for it, where I can put it out and have it pastured.

I would like a nice medium-weight all-wool sheep in stripes, if you have them—one I can skin and make a Pendleton jacket out of later on.

When you skin a sheep once is that the end of it, or can they be skinned regularly like a human being?

I have an old sheepskin in my office I have been living off of for twenty-seven years and I thought if I had a whole sheep I might do better.

I see by the papers that there is a lot of trouble these days about the tariff on wool; so if you can put out a sheep that hasn't any tariff on the wool, it might save me cleaning it when it comes here. Does this tariff come back after you have once got rid of it?

And another thing, don't send me a U sheep because they have signs on the street here that say that you can't make a U turn and I couldn't get one to the office very well if I couldn't make it turn.

Write further particulars. Very respectfully,

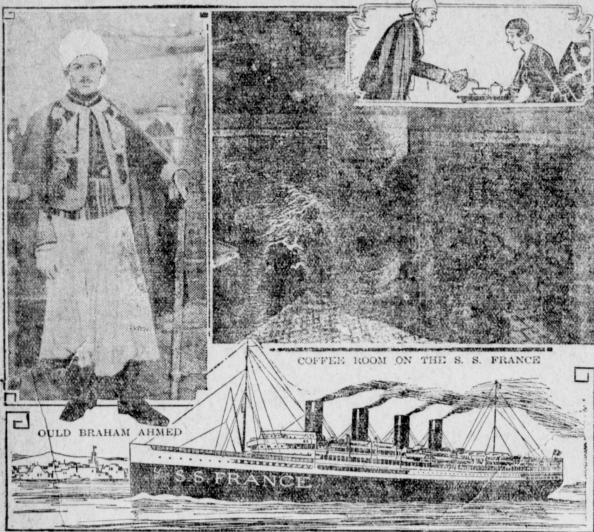
JACK ROBINSON

"It has happened before you can say Jack Robinson," means, as you know it happened quickly. According to an old English story Jack Robinson was noted for the shortness of his visits. Jack would call at a home and before the servant had time to announce his name he would leave. The present-day expression, "before you can say Jack Robinson," comes from the old story.

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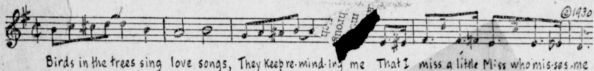
THE JOURNAL'S NEWS AND

Music Proves Comfort to Home-Sick Visitor



COPPER ROOM ON THE S. S. FRANCE

OULD BRAHAM AHMED



Birds in the trees sing love songs, They keep reminding me That I miss a little Miss who misses me

Ould Braham Ahmed Says Jazz Reminds Him of Africa

New York City.—Ould Braham Ahmed, coffee purser extraordinary, who has been brought to Morocco by the French, expressed the express purpose of his coming to the United States on the S. S. France to the Barbary Shores, North Africa, would be extremely homesick in this great city were it not for American music, he admits.

Abdul does not speak English, but through an interpreter he told reporters: "I was homesick until I heard those men with the strange instruments playing something very beautiful called 'Miss a Little Miss,' a fox trot that has much of my country in it.

"Then I shut my eyes and dreamed I was back in my home with the drums going and the pipes. It is very like our music—this American kind—it has all the beats and one feels it as one feels our music."

Americans should have discovered and adapted African music.

"They go everywhere, they do everything, those Americans," he declares. "The whole world is now made over for the sake of American travelers.

"Everywhere we other peoples build shower baths and hot dog stands, railroads and soda fountains, so that you may not lack in other lands what we have when you are at home. But we like to do it, for we like to have you visit us. It stirs us up just as our music stirs you."

Show Still Goes On—At Least In Memory



HELEN HANFT

MARCELLA SHIELDS

Two Troupers Find Country Has Not Forgotten Stage

New York City.—There has been much sentimental sorrowing by both critics and craftsmen over the fact that the present generation growing up in American cities never has, and probably never will, know the American stage. Some say that the few stock companies on the road and the popularity of the sound pictures have combined to make the legitimate theater merely something that critics and scholars talk about in speaking of "the good old days."

"I don't think, though," declares Helen Hanft of The Two Troupers, and Marcella Shields, the other trouper bases her up. "Anyway, if it is so, there are left enough customers familiar with the stage to know what we are talking about when we put on our act over the road."

The two girls were actually troupers for several years, and now are making the country chuckle with sketches of their ex-

periences on the road with various theatrical companies, told in clever sketches and songs over the air. "Waltzin' Round With Rosie," a waltz song they frequently sing is typical of the "show girl melodios" which the Troupers declare "must be cracker jack dance tunes and must have lyrics which are hum dingers. None of these pop songs that just have a good melody for us. Our lyrics must mean something, too."

The Troupers' fan mail is eloquent evidence that there are still many Americans, both young and old, in every section of the country familiar with the show business and appreciate their art. And the young ones are still ambitious to become part of that business. The Troupers have answered hundreds of letters from boys and girls all over the country who long to become Romeo or Juliet.

"The sound pictures and the radio have played and will play a big part in the lives of Americans, but the stage will live on and there will always be an audience waiting for the troupers when they hit the road," optimistically insist Helen and Marcella.

Radio Audiences Demand Mystery and Su



GEORGE SHACKLEY

Even in Music, This Is Chief Requirement, Says Director

New York City.—The great audience of the air demands music of mystery, of romance, of suspense. This is the belief of George Shackley, famous organist and conductor, now musical director of Station WOR.

Mr. Shackley has done much to give the air audience what it wants for he has made many popular arrangements that combine the music of the Orient with that of the Occident.

"Oriental music has all the qualities of romance that the present age in this country craves, but is not able to get from our own frank, straight forward music," he declares.



Winter time is hog-killing time, and many a porker has uttered his last squeal, here is a hog-killing scene where the porker was mostly ground into sausage, increasing its sale value on the market about four times than if sold whole.

Fact That Hurts
Tends to, says an eminent anatomist, combine with man for the food supply of the world. But even that wouldn't bother us so much, if they didn't eat and regard us as part of the food supply.—Boston Herald.

Chinese Superstition
The Chinese people, centuries ago, acquired the belief that the rhinoceros ate a poisonous substance with its food, and that cups made from rhinoceros horn could serve as a detector of poison and an antidote.

Famous Recipes Of Famous Chefs

LIKE all famous chefs, Jacques Cassell, Chef of Cuisine of the Hotel New Yorker, New York City's biggest hotel, is justly proud of the recipes which have helped make him famous. Following are two of his favorite recipes:



Salmon Salad—Boil one pound of fresh salmon. Let it cool and then shred it. Season with salt and pepper, oil and vinegar. When ready to serve garnish salad bowl with crisp lettuce leaves and cover with mayonnaise. Decorate top with fillet of anchovies, capers and sliced hard-boiled eggs.

Chicken Salad—Chop sausage. Take a portion of chopped chicken and celery and season with salt and pepper and just a dash of vinegar. Mix plentifully with mayonnaise. Place on a slice of toasted bread and cover with strips of bacon and sliced tomato. Cover with a second slice of toasted bread.

Watch Your Kidneys!
Don't Neglect Kidney and Bladder Irregularities
If bothered with bladder irregularities, getting up at night and nagging backache, heed promptly these symptoms. They may warn of some disordered kidney or bladder condition. For 50 years grateful users have relied upon Doan's Pills. Praised the country over. Sold by all druggists.

Doan's Pills
A Diuretic for the Kidneys

As News Travels
Evil news rides post, while news waits.—Hilton.



Keeping records of poultry, eggs, cream, etc., is a business-like thing for every farm woman to do who raises such produce—and something every farmer, also, should do with his own products. Knowing the exact cost of anything helps one to know the profits realized when it is sold—which adds to the satisfaction.

Kidnapped Millionaire



Charles Boettcher 2nd, millionaire son of Denver banker, who was kidnapped and held for \$60,000 ransom, bringing on an alleged "gang war" in Denver which stirred the mid-west.

BUD 'n' BUB The Story

MANY PEOPLE TODAY REMEMBER WHEN KEROSENE LAMPS WERE THE ONLY DEVICES FOR ILLUMINATION OF THE HOME. CLIMB IN THE SOCKET-PLANE FOLKS AND SEE WHAT PEOPLE OF OTHER AGES DID FOR ILLUMINATION.

THE STORY OF THE LAMP GOES BACK TO THE DAYS BEFORE RECORDED HISTORY. STICKS, KEPT ALIGHT AND PLACED WITH TORCHES ETC. WERE PRIMITIVE FIRST LAMPS.

A COBBLESTONE LAMP OF THE MIDDLE AGES SHOWING THE USE OF 4 GLOBES OF WAX TO DIFFUSE THE LIGHT OF A TALLOW CANDLE.

CAVE MEN LATER, FOUND THAT A LIGHTER BUSH IN A CONTAINER, FILLED WITH MELTED FAT MADE A GOOD LAMP.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY

Father No Longer Takes All the Night Life for Himself



MIKE LANDAU

America Becoming a Family Nation, Mike Landau, Famous Musician Declares

New York City.—Night clubs are family affairs these days, or rather, nights in the nineties, only the four hundred and teachers frequent the same restaurants and dance halls and the whole celebrate their birthdays, wedding anniversaries and do entertaining at the better restaurants. So says Mike Landau, orchestra leader who is Broadway.

"Of course, has taken away the heart of the hilarity and getting wild, as daily life lead us to believe, but family becoming very popular," says Mr. Landau, "certain freedom and which is refreshing to the coloration of Churchill's, at their

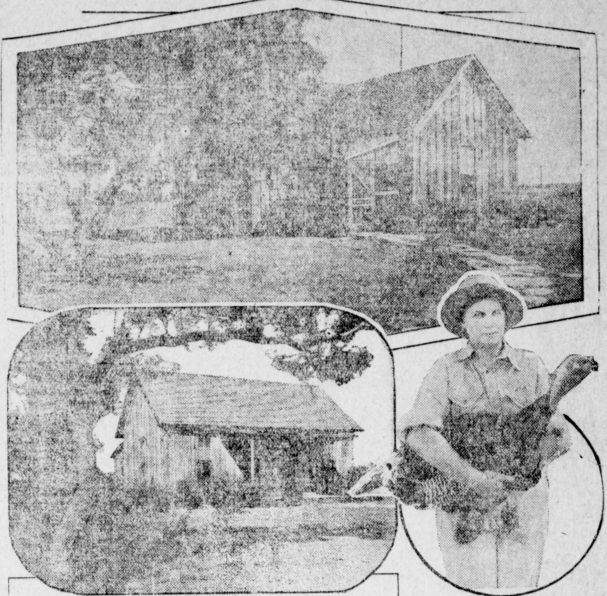
Up Pops Budget



Being the "First Lady of the Land" and mistress of the White House is not all social grandeur, comfort and ease. . . Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt knows that fact already, being faced with the personal task of cutting White House expenses 25% in line with the new President's promise to reduce all governmental expenses to that extent. . . Mrs. Roosevelt says she has planned to get along with "nine or ten fewer servants", which is taken to mean that she herself will be her own housekeeper . . . and battle the budget.

American Indian Writers

Among prominent American Indian authors are: Charles Eastman, Sioux; B. N. O. Walker, Wyandotte; Francis La Flesche, Omaha; John M. Oskison, Cherokee; Arthur C. Parker, Seneca; Luther Standing Bear, Sioux; J. N. B. Hewitt, Seneca; Marie L. McLaughlin, Sioux; Richard C. Adams, Delaware.



GIRL WINS FIGHT FOR BEAUTIFUL SURROUNDINGS

Without funds but with a determination to make the old farm home look "more like pretty places in town," Jewel Smith who is a 4-H club girl at Ingleside in Young county, invested in a hair cut and tackled an Olney banker for a loan of \$10 with which to buy shrubs. She got it, and to provide for its re-payment started raising turkeys. That was three years ago. The severe freezes of 1929 killed the shrubbery but the loan was paid off because Jewel made \$93.47 from 42 turkeys. She re-invested in more shrubbery and after two seasons of drought during which she had to haul water to keep the

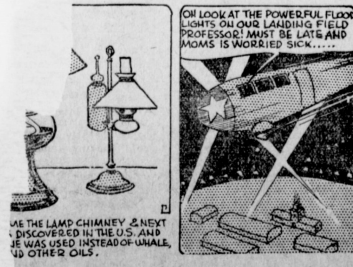
plants alive she has developed farm surroundings so attractive that her methods have been copied by neighbors. Unsightly fences have been removed, flagstone walks laid, the yard leveled and cleared for a lawn, and foundation plantings of privet developed.

To her turkey venture she had added a white Wyandotte flock. Her earnings have not only enabled her to improve the home but last year she helped put a brother through a year in Texas Technological college. At present she is a student in Olney high school where she is making her own way.



She Takes Hens Lay

ED KRESSY



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Every woman should know how to make her own clothes these days. Necessity has demanded it in many instances. Besides, for the same money she can have more of them, and so often they fit better feel more comfortable and cost much less than when hired to be made.

Estate Bubble Bursts



Between eight and ten thousand citizens, most of them from Iowa, contributed funds to Oscar M. Hartzell on his claim that he had rights to settle Sir Francis Drake's estate. He is now under arrest for fraud.

How Doctors Treat Colds and Coughs

To break up a cold overnight and relieve the congestion that makes you cough, thousands of physicians are now recommending Calotabs, the nameless colored compound tablets that give you the effects of eucalypti and salts without the unpleasant effects of either.

One or two Calotabs at bedtime with a glass of sweet milk or water. Next morning your cold has vanished, your system is thoroughly purified and you are feeling free with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you wish—no danger.

Calotabs are sold in 10c and 25c packages at drug stores. (Adv.)

Nothing New
one of the mountains of China never been penetrated by man, travel writer. American wives, from vacations often find kitchen sinks.—Droit News.

Variety Is Chief Demand Made by Modern Dancers



LARRY FUNK

How about getting drum-me, what do you say that we start eye-bag me telling you My Sweetheart

They Want New Music Every Night, Leader Says

New York City.—The American dance public demands, first of all, variety in the programs they pay to dance to, declares Larry Funk, orchestra director of the Palais D'Or.

So thoroughly does Funk believe this, and so well does he practice what he preaches that his orchestra is known as "The Band of a Thousand Melodies." In fact, Funk gives his audiences over a thousand tunes in one month's time.

"There are, of course, certain melodies, some old, old favorites, others new popular hits, that the public likes to hear over and over again, but they also want and demand something new, and when you have given them that they want something newer," declares Funk. "In Europe this is, perhaps, not so true. America is a jumpy growing youngster yet, and, somewhat like a child who cherishes a beloved teddy with one hand, but reaches out for a new one with the other. We adult Americans seek new dance and song hits.

"But, audiences never tire of real love stories. A song that gives a heart throb in both music and lyric goes on like the proverbial 'How About Me You My Sweetheart?' is predicted that this new fox trot will be heard ten years from now.

Funk's memory is as sharp as a razor. Admitting a young musician's wish to direct an orchestra as that of the practicing over-their own dance hope to reach local, but they working philosophy American dance variety to her. The direct 'Thousand Melodies' brilliant if dances. Life vast nur single s

LONGVIEW GETS STATE AID

County Superintendent J. E. Adams last week received two checks from the State Education Department for the Longview school district. One check was in the sum of \$93 for teacher aid, the other of \$240 for truck aid. Other school districts of Bailey county received their apportionments for these two purposes about two weeks ago.

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KISTLER BIRTHDAY DINNER

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Raney and daughter, Ethel Clare, were guests Sunday in the W. H. Kistler home. The occasion being a turkey dinner in honor of the birthday of Eugene Kistler, who is teaching in Texico. A large cake with lighted candles centered the long table.

Others seated for the occasion were Hon. and Mrs. Thomas and two children of Farwell, Miss Joyce Teague, Beulah Kistler and the honoree from Texico, also, Mr. and Mrs. Kistler and Grandmother Kistler. A pleasant afternoon was spent with songs and instrumental music.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustees of the Muleshoe Independent School District, of Bailey county, Texas, will receive bids for assessing the coming year, up to its regular meeting time of 8:00 o'clock p. m., Monday, March 13, said meeting to be held at the High school building in Muleshoe. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

J. B. BURKHEAD, Secretary
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Stockholders Meeting

All stockholders of the Consumers Fuel & Supply Co., of Muleshoe, are hereby notified there will be a meeting held at 8:00 o'clock p. m., in the District Court room of the Court House at Muleshoe, on—

Tuesday, March 14th

Officers of the company for the coming year are to be elected and other important business will be transacted. It is urged that all stock holders of the business attend this meeting.

Tips on taxes

Total receipts of the State government for the fiscal year ending Sept. 1, 1932, were \$96,894,751.25. Of this amount \$24,175,000.74 came from ad valorem taxes, \$39,210,000.59 from the gasoline tax, while the gross receipts tax yielded \$7,001,299.89.

Other receipts include: Insurance companies—occupation, \$2,226,950.37; cigarette \$3,420,645.42; franchise, \$1,490,246.73; gross receipts, \$1,553,706.88; licenses, \$3,836,619.11; fees and permits \$1,130,384.55; land sales, rentals and royalties, \$2,355,893.84; interest and penalties, \$3,623,224.22; Federal, county and other aid, \$15,803,686.68.

Above are major sources of income. Principal expenditures follow: judicial, \$2,371,180; military and law enforcement, \$1,208,466.22; regulation of business and industry, \$1,137,021.79; highways, \$39,458,336.; eleemosynary and correctional, \$5,744,739; public schools, \$28,961,501.44; higher education, \$9,325,271.33; prisons, \$3,850,841.57. Figures are from the Comptroller's office. Items of income and expenditure of less than one million dollars are not included in the above.

Forty-one per cent of all State expenditures are for highways, thirty per cent for public free school and slightly less than ten per cent for colleges and universities. These three items, plus the Confederate pensions, care and education of the blind, deaf and other wards of the State, account for ninety-one per cent of all State expenditures. Hence, if all other costs were eliminated, including judicial, law enforcement, legislature and executive, saving to taxpayers would be less than ten per cent.

The first bill relating to costs of government to be passed by both House and Senate provides for 25 per cent reduction in the pay of Rangers. It takes effect immediately and continues until August 31, 1933. Captains are reduced from \$225 per month to \$170; sergeants from \$175 to \$130; privates from \$150 to \$112.

The House passed the judiciary bill providing for 25 per cent reductions in pay of judges and assistant district attorneys, and eliminating of assistant district attorneys. The bill applies to district and higher courts.

Senator Purl of Dallas has introduced a resolution providing for a constitutional amendment abolishing the fee system, except as to public weighers, notaries public and county surveyors. It is believed that vesting in Commissioners Courts the right to fix salaries for officials who are now compensated by fees would result in great savings to the taxpayers. Other legislation, similar in purpose, is being considered.

Presidents and regents of teachers colleges are reported to be agreeable to a 25 per cent reduction in their budgets.

A constitutional amendment, introduced by Senator Walter Woodward, would limit the total cost of the State government to \$10 per capita per year. This proposal is unique in that it would compel economy by placing an arbitrary limit on expenditures. Approval of the amendment would place expenditures on the same per capita basis as 1927. In 1925 the per capita cost of State government was \$8.50. The peak was reached in 1930 when the figures were \$14. Last year the per capita was \$12.50. It is claimed that it would provide an automatic check on taxation, which is now virtually without limit. Another claim is that it would compel the discontinuance of bureaus, commissions and departments once their usefulness had passed. Instances of government bureaus and services being discontinued are rare. It is argued that this amendment would require the abolishment of less needed services when necessary for new ones arise.

West Camp News

There was a nice little snow fell Sunday in this part of the community. Mrs. Ray Adair gave a forty-two party Saturday night. There were five persons present. Everyone reported an enjoyable time.

Little Oma Jean Yarborough has had pneumonia, but is getting along better at this time.

Rev. Copeland and family left Monday morning for East Texas, planning to be gone two or three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Burch took Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Prather from Lazbuddy visited in the Melvin Snyder home, Sunday.

Mrs. Ethel Knowles who has been visiting her sister at Lubbock for the past week, came home Sunday.

Miss Laura Chaney is back home from Lubbock, where she has been for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Odus Thompson and little son, O. L., spent Saturday night in the Ray Adair home.—Reporter.

MODERN TAILORS MOVED

The Modern tailor shop, A. B. Clark proprietor, has moved its place of business from the rear of the theatre building to the building on Main street formerly occupied as a real estate office and located next door to the Robinson shoe shop.

CABINET IS NAMED FOR F. ROOSEVELT TAKING OFFICE SAT

Information, said to be authentic, and given out by news gathering sources is to the effect that President-elect Roosevelt has selected the members of his cabinet for the coming term. The first two named below have been formally announced by Mr. Roosevelt, and information given out seems to be correct regarding the others. They are as follows:

State—Cull Hall of Tennessee.

Treasury—William H. Woodin, of Pennsylvania and New York.

War—George H. Dern of Utah.

Justice—Thomas J. Walsh of Montana.

Post Office—James A. Farley, of New York.

Navy—Claude A. Swanson of Virginia.

Interior—Harold Ickes of Illinois.

Agriculture—Henry A. Wallace of Iowa.

Commerce—Daniel C. Roper of South Carolina.

Labor—Miss Frances Perkins of New York.

Recognizes Hi Johnson Walsh, now senator from Montana, is understood to have accepted some time ago, and Swanson, senator from Virginia, yesterday.

Formal tenders are said to have been made within the past week to Farley, Wallace and Miss Perkins, and accepted.

Selection of Ickes, a political ally of Senator Hiram Johnson, the progressive republican leader of California, is hailed here as a tangible recognition of that western republican insurgent wing which bolted Hoover in last year's campaign and helped elect the democratic ticket.

Roper is a former commissioner of internal revenue under Woodrow Wilson, and has been known as an important political supporter of William G. McAdoo in McAdoo's candidacies for the democratic presidential nomination. He is a lawyer.

Since his previous government service, which included a term as vice-chairman of the tariff commission and first assistant postmaster general, he has resided in Washington as head of a firm of practicing attorneys.

Cummings Ex-Chairman

Homer Cummings, delivered selected for governor general of the Philippines, was chairman of the democratic national committee in 1920. He also is a lawyer. He was one of Mr. Roosevelt's chief supporters for the presidential nomination in 1932.

Cummings, national democratic chairman for five months in 1920, was one of the advisors of the Roosevelt campaign before and during the Chicago convention. It was his first active participation in politics outside Connecticut since his retirement from the national committee in 1925.

A native of Chicago, Cummings is 62 years old and has practiced law at Stamford, Conn., since 1893. During the war he was state's attorney and later aided the justice department in handling war claim cases.

Standing more than six feet in height, Cummings delivered the keynote address at the San Francisco convention in 1920 at which Roosevelt was nominated for vice-president. His own name had been advanced for the presidential nomination, but he declined to become an active candidate.

THE FAMILY DOCTOR
By JOHN JOSEPH GAINES, M. D.

FUMIGATION

Too seldom do people fumigate their apartments in these wintry days, when habitations are closed so many hours of the day and night.

Air in living-rooms may become quickly polluted. A guest may happen in for an hour's chat. He may have a cough, not enough to proclaim him an invalid—yet he may be what we call a "flu carrier." He may inoculate receptive victims in any house he visits, and do it without in the least being conscious of the act.

One or two fumigations a week does no harm—it's well worth the effort. Not so very long ago, sulphur candles were burned in rooms that had held contagious diseases. My opinion is that such an agency is wholly ineffectual. I came against it once in a smallpox epidemic, and it proved utterly worthless.

A fumigant must be volatile—capable of being dispersed in the air of the room; it must be effectual against germs. Having these two properties, you have the ideal agent. I have tested out a solution of Formaldehyde to my satisfaction. If handled carefully, it is safe in the hands of the family. Its pungent, irritating odor warns against excessive dose. I use a 40 per cent solution known as "Formalin."

Sprinkled about the linen closets, particularly in the clothes-hamper containing soiled linen for the laundry; a little here and there about the bedding—enough to "bite" the nose and eyes a little. Keep children away from the keener odor. Its use can be quickly learned. It will leave air pure, and will destroy bacteria. I have "isolated" cases of small-pox and scarlet fever, by having the air constantly formalinized about the patient. Try it for fumigation; use it carefully, and depend on its effect.

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THOU CANST NOT BEAT IT

Consider the editor: A child is born unto the wife of a merchant in town. The physician getteth 20 plunks. The editor writeth a stick and a half and telleth the multitude that the child tuppeth the bean at nine pounds. Yea, he lieth even as a centurion. And the proud father giveth him a Cremona.

Behold, the young one groweth up and graduateth. And the editor putteth in the paper a swell piece. Yea, a peach of a notice. He telleth of the wisdom of the young woman and of her exceeding comeliness. Like unto the roses of Sharon is she, and her gown is player up to beat the band. And the dressmaker getteth two score and four iron men. And the editor gets a note of thanks from the sweet girl graduate.

And the daughter goeth on a journey, and the editor throweth himself on the story of the farewell party. It runneth a column solid. And the fair one remembereth him from afar with a picture postal card that costeth six for a jitney.

Behold she returneth, and the youth of the town fall down and worship. She picketh one and lo, she picketh a lemon. But the editor calleth him one of our promising young men and getteth away with it. And they send unto the editor a bid to the wedding, and behold the bids are fashioned in a far city.

Flowery and long is the wedding notice which the editor printeth. The minister getteth his bit.

The editor printeth a death notice, two columns of obituary, three lodge notices, a cubit of poetry and a card of thanks. And he forgetteth to read proof on the deed, and the darning thing cometh out "Gone to Her Last Roosting Place."

And all that are akin to the deceased jumpeth on the editor with exceeding great jumps. And they pulleth out their ads and cancelleth their subs, and they swing the hammer even unto the third and fourth generations.

—Exchange.

SWALLOWS HOLD SECRET OF THEIR WINTER HOME

Exactly where the swallows spend the winter is their own secret. Many students of birds (ornithologists) believe that they go to some island near South America. So far, however, no one has definitely located their winter

home. They start going southward in July—which is earlier than most birds. It is evident that birds know when it is time to migrate, and when to return to us. They also know where they are going; for certain birds will return season after season to the same vine on the veranda of a home, arriving on the same day of the month each year. This fact has been established by placing numbered bands on birds' legs before they migrate.

It is nothing less than marvelous that they are able to know when to travel, where to go, and how to get there and return. Gene Stratton Porter, a great nature student and writer, once said, "What determines the precise minute of their starting to come to us or leave us, or how they follow their trackless path high in air across seas and continents mostly under cover of darkness, we do not know."

One fact seems obvious; that some force or influence takes possession of their action at these times and that they cannot help doing what they do. Some call this "instinct," and others call it "subconscious mind."—Missouri Farmer.

ACTION OF COURTS

Emil Hapke pleaded guilty in County court last week on a charge of defacing property. Last Tuesday, Allen McKey-nolds paid a fine in the same court on charge of aggravated assault.

J. B. Cunningham paid a fine in Justice court on charge of assault.

Otis Weldon Cunningham is being held in the county jail for action of grand jury on charge of wife and child desertion.

THESE GOVERNOR

The Governor of Texas: A dauntless one are they: Though frenzied foes assail her; He never shows dismay. For erring folks in prison; Her tender spirit grieves; But let them go to college; Then see him roll his sleeves. When rivalry malicious; Would hurl him on the shelf; She bravely does their duty; Regardless of herself. The Klan may plot and bluster; The legislature blame; But the Governor of Texas; They gets there just the same.—New York Times.

Bearded Fish

The Barbel, a well known European water fish, derives its name from a sort of beard hanging from its jaw.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

O. J. Brown, of Cloud, was here Thursday of last week on business. W. E. Halseh, of the Mashed O ranch east of town, was here Monday on business. Deputy Sheriff J. K. Martin, of Farwell, was here last Saturday on business. STRAYED: From my home, Feb. 14, big red sow. Notify Jess Ross, Muleshoe, 5-1tp. James Stokes, former Muleshoe citizen, now of Tulia, was here Monday on business. Burgess Hockland, of Plainview, was here last Saturday as a prospector for land in this county. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Melendy, of Clovis, N. M., visited here last Monday with friends and relatives. "Red" Glasscock returned last Saturday from a trip to El Paso, and Alamogordo, N. M. Mrs. Henry Edmonds and Mrs. D. L. Butts, of Sudan, were here last Saturday visiting friends. Miss Ruth Mitchell, who is attending the West Texas State Teachers college, Canyon, spent last weekend here with homefolks. Mrs. Horace Holt left last Friday for Alpine to join her husband who is employed there by the Santa Fe system. Mrs. Leslie Dodson returned last Saturday from a Clovis, N. M., hospital, greatly improved. The two weeks old babe of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Marcum, residing in the Progress community, died Thursday of last week. R. A. Thompson, former Muleshoe business man, was here from White Deer, Friday of last week renewing old acquaintances. W. S. Pickett, W. C. Pickett, Floyd Diest and F. S. Kirby, of Amarillo, were here last Saturday prospecting for Bailey county land. FOR SALE: Onions and Potatoes, 50c per 100 lbs. and up. Hogan and McIntyre, 1 mi. south Gregory stock farm, 4-2tp. I WILL be at my old stand in the L. S. Barron home March 27. Save your permanent work for me. Estelle Murphy, Paducah, Texas, 5-2tc. Herschel Alsop, who is employed in Portales, N. M., spent Sunday here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alsop, and other members of the family. Mrs. R. L. Faulkner, who has been spending the winter in Clovis, N. M., with her daughter, Mrs. R. P. Melendy returned to her home here last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair and children, Harold Morgan and Miss Lorena Spence enjoyed "Private Jones" at the Mesa in Clovis, N. M., last Sunday. Buck Ragsdale, former Muleshoe citizen, returned here Friday of last week from Roaring Springs. He reports that his family have moved into the Baileyboro community. Simon D. Hay judge of Lamb county, and R. D. Bryant, commissioner of precinct one from that county, both of Oton, were here Tuesday on business relative to securing right-of-way for state highway No. 28. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Witte and son, Lamar, J. M. McAdams and Bill McAdams attended services of the Primitive Baptist church held at Progress last Sunday, Elder Barrington, of Portales, N. M., delivering an interesting sermon to a house full of people. It is not often that four generations are seen next days, but such was the case last Monday when visitors from Sudan called on Judge J. F. Vaughan. They were his daughter, Mrs. M. Y. McGuyer, granddaughter Dottie McGuyer and a great granddaughter babe. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harpole and son, David, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. DeSiano on their way to Melrose, New Mexico, where Mr. Harpole will be manager of the Panhandle lumber company. A. M. Hughes, former Muleshoe citizen.

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MESA PICK OF THE PICTURES Clovis, N. M. Fri. and Sat., Mar. 3-4 Mr. and Mrs. Martin, in "CONGORILLA" You can't afford to miss this picture of the real Africa. Two years in the taking. Sun., Mon., Tues., Mar. 5, 6, 7 Slim Smimmerville and Zazu Pitts in "THEY JUST HAD TO GET MARRIED" Other Specialty Reels Wed. & Thurs., Mar. 8-9 Diana Wynward and Lewis Stone, in "MEN MUST FIGHT" Also, "Should Crooners Marry" WATCH for our big Feature Plays during March! SPECIAL PRICES To announce our new location Suits, cleaned and pressed .35 Overcoats, cleaned and pressed .50 Top Coats, cleaned and pressed .35 Plain Silk Dresses, e & p .35 Hats cleaned and blocked .25 Sweaters cleaned and pressed .25 Pants, cleaned and pressed .20 Tailored Suits that fit both you and your pocketbook, \$15.00 to \$21.00 See us for other prices! Modern Tailors Located next door to the Robinson's Shoe Shop

General News Over Texas and Adjoining States For The Week

Happy will hold his first Barter day there March 6. The Farwell post office was robbed Thursday night of last week of \$15. The Federal grand jury sitting at Santa Fe, N. M., has been presented with 130 prohibition violation bills. Crosbyton last week received a 15 per cent credit rate on its good fire record. Fifty-six per cent of the state and county taxes have been collected in Crosby county to date. John T. Graves and T. Vanderpool, recently appointed state rangers by Governor Ferguson have been stationed at Amarillo. The Methodist church members at Leveland are having plans drawn now for erection of a \$40,000 church building at that place. Burglars entered the post office and three business houses in Bovina last Friday night got \$60 in cash and about \$50 in merchandise. A bill introduced by the New Mexico legislature would provide only 25 pupils per teacher for rural schools and 30 pupils for municipal schools. President Hoover has signed a bill permitting railroads to build across helium producing land in Potter county. Hereofore such had been forbidden. Since the depression, harness makers say their business is gradually increasing, until today it is between 300 and 400 per cent more than it was in 1929. An R. F. C. loan of \$135,000 has been granted Ft. Sumner, N. M., to build diversion dam and canals for irrigation purposes in the Pecos river valley near there. The New Mexico legislature had to stop the clock Friday of last week to be able to get the 351 bills introduced into the hopper within the legal time allotted for that purpose. In 54 Texas counties last year 2,854 farmers were helped by county agents to grade products to secure premium prices on the market. Among the products graded, were fruits and vegetables, corn, turkeys and eggs. Farmers of the Pecos valley, whose alfalfa and grain fields are being destroyed by the thousands of ducks, geese and cranes migrating into that river bottom, have made a demand for federal protection. Fire at Socorro, N. M., last Friday destroyed 1,500 bales of alfalfa stored there in a warehouse and valued at several thousand dollars, also, entailing \$1,000 loss on the warehouse itself. A bill has been introduced in the New Mexico legislature calling for a constitutional convention of 12 senate delegates and 24 house delegates to meet March 13 to consider the prohibition repeal law in that state. Citizens of Farmer county have raised nearly half the money necessary to keep the Home Demonstration agent in that county, she having recently been dismissed by the Commissioners' Court claiming lack of finance to pay her. To aid in getting a supply of sorghum syrup for home use and for sale, 26 Texas county agents last season assisted 673 farmers in making high grade syrup, an average of 80 gallons of syrup being made from an acre of cane. For the second time, the state senate last Thursday refused to confirm the appointment of Frank L. Denison as chairman of the State Highway commission, his name having been presented two weeks ago by Governor Ferguson for the first time. J. D. Betts, employee of the Woodley firm, 14 miles south of Leveland, was killed last week when flying fragments of a large flywheel exploding struck him. R. J. Beasley, another workman, also suffered a broken arm, fractured leg and bruises from the same cause. B. F. F. C. PROGRAM The B. Y. P. U. subject for consideration next Sunday evening will be "Mental Health." Truman Roberts is leader and will read the Scripture lesson. Others to take part in discussion of the topic are Tony Ivy, Rupert Sparks, Retta Mae Arnold, Ploy Beller, Leonard McKillip and Hazel Wimberly. A cordial invitation is extended for all to attend this meeting.—Reporter. Izen and now property owner in Bailey county, who now lives at Bartlesville, Okla., having sales charge of Phillips Petroleum Co., products in Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado and New Mexico, was here last Saturday shaking hands with old friends. S. E. Hall, E. G. Warren, E. B. Robinson, J. E. Young, J. Odum, of Baileyboro; D. Brown and M. Carpenter, of Goodland; Carl ... of Watson, W. C. C. Elmore, of Elmore, of Circlebuck, were Sunday transacting business at court house.

The Producers Produce company has opened an egg-breaking plant at Lam-pasas, 24 men being put to work last Friday. More than 200 men were given jobs at Electra last week on various kinds of improvement work being done there and financed by the F. C. money. Cochran county was robbed of \$382 R. F. C. money last week, it being taken from the court house while Commissioners' court was in session. E. A. Comer, Clovis, N. M., last week displayed in town a carrot he had raised last summer, weighing two pounds and seeded firm and sweet. Funeral services for Prof. E. L. Doherty, 61, registrar of Tech college, Lubbock, were held Friday of last week and the remains shipped to Houston for burial. The Gray County Commissioners' court, at Pampa, last Friday voted to call an election to cancel \$700,000 worth of the \$1,263,000 road paving bonds authorized but not yet sold. The Great West Mill & Elevator Co., Amarillo, has announced plans for construction of a new 623,000 barrel elevator storage unit to their plant located there. William H. West, Brownsville attorney, is leading in the race for congressman in the first primary of that district for the place made vacant by John N. Garner, U. S. vice-president. There were nine in the race. Clovis, N. M., will have a big musical festival there during the national music week April 7 and 8. More than 1,500 singers are expected to be in the chorus, practically all neighboring town schools having been invited to participate. John W. Brady, ex-judge of the Civil Appeals court was granted full pardon, including restoration of citizenship, last Saturday by Governor Ferguson. He was given a three year penitentiary term for the killing of a stenographer, serving about 18 months of same. With 32 contractors bidding, S. J. Grove & Sons, of Minneapolis, Minn., were given the contract last Saturday for building of the Red Bluff dam on the Pecos river near Pecos for the sum of \$3,000,000. It is a government project that has been in process of development for the past six years, and, when completed, will furnish irrigation for 100,000 acres of arid land in that river valley. EVERYTHING BUT THE WEATHER READY FOR INAUGURATION OF PRES. ROOSEVELT AND GARNER (Continued from page 1) after will take the oath of office Jan. 20. On this platform the oath will be administered to Roosevelt by Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes. Throughout the day of ceremonies, Roosevelt will be the most carefully guarded President in peacetime history. Secret service operatives and police, their zeal stimulated by the recent attempt to assassinate the President-elect at Miami, have laid elaborate plans to eliminate any possibility of disorder. Roosevelt plans to require no more than 15 minutes, and probably only eight minutes, for delivery of his inaugural address which will begin about 12:50 p. m. immediately after he has taken the oath. The new Vice President John N. Garner of Texas, plans a short speech when he takes the oath of office in the Senate chamber at 12 o'clock noon. Both messages are expected to be the shortest on record for the occasion. More time will be required for the

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parade than any other event except the ball at night. The marchers will arrive at the White House for the review at about 2:30 p. m., and about two and a half hours will be required for the column to pass the new President's inclosed stand. In an auditorium, a few blocks from the White House, decorations will be put into place this week for the inaugural ball which Mrs. Roosevelt and other members of the President's family will attend in addition to nearly all of the Democratic Governors of the nation. For the staff of servants at the White House it will be a day to be remembered. They will bid farewell to President and Mrs. Hoover, who will leave their home of four years at 11 a. m., then welcome Mr. and Mrs. Roosevelt soon after 1 p. m. The largest guest list of any inaugural has been arranged for luncheon, tea and dinner at the White House and several thousand friends of the Roosevelts expected to cross its threshold during the day. In event of inclement weather Roosevelt will take the oath of office in the House of Representatives, but the parade will be run off on schedule, despite weather conditions.

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Boy Killed As He Flies Kite Over Live Wire GALLUP, N. M., Feb. 27.—Ten-year-old Albert Lucero of Gallup, was dead today the victim of a kite-flying accident. Witnesses said the boy was flying the kite in a rain. The string fouled on a power line and he was electrocuted. Authorities said the wet string acted as a conductor of the electricity and sent a heavy charge through the boy's body. An inquest will not be held.—Clovis News-Journal. children regarding impending danger to ground connections of any kind are made with live wires in the homes, on streets or public highways. It's better to be safe than sorry!

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