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JUDGE MILLER TO AUSTIN ON CO. MATTERS

N. S. Highway, State Asylum, State Warehouse Here.

County Judge M. G. Miller and Commissioner John Alford returned last Friday evening from Austin where they accompanied a committee from Cochran county in the interest of further designation and improvement of State Highway No. 214, presenting the appeal to the State Highway Commission.

John Alford, who was spokesman for the committee, stated they received very favorable consideration from the Commission, which recommended that this highway be surveyed from the south Bailey county line through Cochran county to that west county line.

Officials expressed their favor for also improving this particular highway north to Friona, stating it would eventually become a western county tier state highway.

Judge Miller also made investigation of the funds for improving Highway 214 from Needmore on south to the southern Bailey county line, finding that such allotment had expired, and a trip is being made this week to Lubbock in an attempt to get a statement of the \$48,000 previously allotted for such work.

While in Austin Judge Miller also presented to the State Board of Control a brief requesting Muleshoe be considered as a probable location for a state asylum, bill for such now before the Legislature.

Information was received last Monday that a state warehouse might be located at Muleshoe sometime in the near future.

Mrs. Eason, Worthy Matron Eastern Star Entertains Officials

One of the most delightful social events of the year occurred last Tuesday night when Mrs. Stella Eason, worthy matron of Muleshoe Eastern Star chapter, very charmingly entertained past worthy matrons and patrons of the organization with a banquet at the Motheral cafe.

The banquet table at which the 27 guests sat was in period array, being decorated with candles and flowers whose colors indicated the five star points of the organization, while at each place there were the customary appetizers and ferns, and tiny baskets, filled with after dinner mints, carrying a place card, cunningly fastened to the handle.

The menu was of an elaborate nature including everything from "cocktails to nuts and minis." South Plains raised "baby beef" turkey was the basis of the culinary feast, the caterers showing themselves real kitchen artists in its preparation and service. Emblematic of the organization was the delicious brick ice cream with center moulded in five-point star fashion, that was served.

Mrs. Eason, in her usual charming manner, following an appropriate invocation, called attention to the laudable labors of past worthy matrons and patrons during the early period of the local chapter organization, paying tribute to their pioneer endeavors in laying the foundation on which the present active and flourishing superstructure is now being reared, for the local chapter has been enjoying a very prosperous era under the direction of its present worthy matron.

Mrs. A. W. Coker, in behalf of the invited guests, responded in very appropriate manner. Following the banquet, the regular meeting of the chapter was held at the Masonic hall, also a very impressive Obligation service, during which Mrs. Lena Cook and Mrs. Elizabeth Gardner rendered appropriate vocal numbers. The local chapter, Eastern Star has enjoyed a very successful year under the direction of Mrs. Eason as its worthy Matron, who has taken a very sincere interest in its progress.

HOLD FARMER CO. MEAT SHOW

The Farmer county Stock and Meat show will be held at Friona Saturday of this week, a large showing of stock and meat is assured and no entry fee will be charged those attending. A feature of the event will be a banquet given Friday night honoring the Calf club boys of that county. Prof. Phillips, of Canyon will be the principal speaker.

Epworth League In District Meeting At Amherst Sunday

Saturday evening and Sunday a District Epworth league meeting was held at the Methodist church at Amherst with representatives from Abernathy, Florida, Plainview, Muleshoe, Olton, Hale Center, Earth, Tulla, Bula, Littlefield and Sudan attending, there being about 135 in all.

Amherst proved to be a very pleasant hostess to the visiting leagues, homes being furnished for out of town guests to spend the night. Registration started Saturday afternoon and at six o'clock Amherst served a picnic supper to attending. The program for the evening was "World Friendship" carried out in missionary style with each league representing a foreign country. Plays and possessions were delivered by Abernathy, Juan from Mexico by Olton; Quartet from Plainview and what the Methodist churches have done for the colored people by Rev. E. L. Spring, of Littlefield. Talks were made by leaguers from Tulla and Amherst, after which the song, "In Christ There is no East or West" was sung.

Sunday morning at the regular Sunday school hour the Earth leaguers had charge under direction of Mrs. David Anderson, after which the business meeting was held. At the noon hour a bountiful dinner was served by women of the Amherst church.

Among those from Muleshoe who attended the meeting were Alvin Farrell, Floyd Skeeters, Grace Churchill, James Norris, Florence Stone, Holly Ann Brey, Norma Ebel, Wanda Farrell, Hazel Nelson and Mrs. R. N. Edwards. The next meeting will be held at Plainview in May, just before summer session at McMurray college Abilene.

Muleshoe Vicinity May Get Electrical High Line Service

Farmers, and especially irrigators of Muleshoe vicinity interested in securing electric lights, and high line power are invited and urged to attend a meeting to be held at the court house in Muleshoe Thursday afternoon, March 11, beginning at three o'clock, according to Judge Wm. G. Kennedy. Judge Kennedy has information from the state director of the Rural Electrification administration that an electric line is to be built in this area, and that to date to explain details of securing such service to farmers and irrigators, what necessary steps need be taken by such service, etc. He says many other sections now obtaining this electric service and believes one or more such lines may be obtained in Bailey county.

One of the fundamental requirements for such service is that a certain number of people per mile must become patrons. Several farmers of the shallow water section have already expressed an urgent desire for such service, he said.

SEED ARE INTERESTING LOW

Farmers and gardeners of Bailey county are being warned to be sure their seed has reasonable germination powers before planting it this year. Many sections are now employing germination tests to be thoroughly and competently made, and the percentage of live seeds, otherwise they may get only from one-fourth to one-half or more of stand when planting.

Ray Griffiths, local grain and seed dealer, has recently sent off several batches of different kinds of seed, they going to the Department of Agriculture, Austin, for test. Returns received on cotton seed show 89 per cent, others, 84 per cent; broomcorn, 45 per cent.

PROGRESS FARMERS MEET

The Farmers club of Progress will hold its regular meeting Friday night of this week in the school auditorium, to which all citizens of that community are invited to attend.

One of the principal discussions for the evening will be that of securing an electric high line in that community under government REA provision, thus furnishing lights and power to the farmers of that section. There will also be other subjects of community interest up for discussion.

Post Scout Camp Is Open To Muleshoers June 13—Five Days

Advance preparation is being made by a number of troops in the South Plains council for a large number to spend a week in Camp Post Boy Scout camp near Post, Marshall Mason, chairman of the camping committee of the council announced.

Troops will receive their quota of scouts to attend camp in a short time and will start getting them registered. The quota for the local Troop Number 20 is 14. Scoutmaster A. A. Alexander said.

The way this number was arrived at was on the assumption that 75 percent of the troop was interested in going to camp and that 75 percent of this number could make the necessary arrangements to go. To the troops that register their camp quota a reduction of 50 cents for each scout will be made. The individual registration fee is \$7.00.

The dates that have been assigned to this district are June 13 to June 19. The camp will open Sunday afternoon and close the following Saturday afternoon with a big picnic supper for the parents and scouts.

According to Mason, a real program of activities for the week have been outlined. Trained leaders in most every phase of the outdoor program will be available to assist the scouts in their advancement and help make the camp a real enjoyable one for all who attend.

Each scout should start making preparation now and get his preliminary fee of \$1.00 turned in to his scoutmaster right away. The remainder should be paid at least a week in advance of the dates for the opening of camp.

West Tex-New Mex Lubbock Style Show Stated, March 11-14

Lubbock, March 2.—Spring fashions in women's apparel ranging from cotton house dresses to shimmering evening gowns sparkling with newness will be modeled before the visiting retail merchants of West Texas and Eastern New Mexico at the fashion show to be held in the ballroom of the Lubbock Hotel Friday evening, March 12, as a part of the 14th semi-annual West Tex-New Mex Wholesale Clothing market show open here through Sunday, March 14.

Reservations have already been made by over 30 firms which will display ready-to-wear, millinery, shoes, men's wear, work clothing, hosiery, novelties, and luggage offering a wide selection from all parts of the United States for pre-emptive requirements.

Retailers attending the market will be guests of the association at the style show and the annual ball to be given immediately following the show.

PLAINS MUSEUM AT CANYON GETS MANY SPECIMENS OF PREHISTORIC ANIMALS FROM WPA EXCAVATIONS

San Antonio, March 3.—Misfortune which directed the hooves of tiny giant-headed horses into the teacher's quads of the Texas Panhandle more than a million years ago is now being halted by Dr. C. Stuart Johnston, West Texas State Teachers College paleontologist, as good fortune for science.

Supersizing a small hand of WPA workmen Dr. Johnston is discovering that the long-dried quads beds have preserved skeletal remains of the extinct horses in almost perfect condition. The prehistoric animal is described by Dr. Johnston as being slightly smaller than the modern pony but with a head as large as that of the average draft horse.

The WPA workers are excavating and helping to reconstruct a veritable menagerie of strange and extinct animals which once roamed the western plains of Texas. For several decades the rich fossil beds of West Texas have been combed for scientifically significant deposits by representatives of out-of-state museums and scientific institutions. Dr. Johnston said. With the provision of federal funds it has been possible to employ workers and researchers to excavate Texas fossils for Texas institutions. Reconstructed skeletons of prehistoric animals are being placed in the Panhandle Plains Museum on the WPTSC campus at Canyon.

Lubbock Meat Show Stated For March 29-30; Fun Night

Lubbock, March 2.—Dates for the seventh annual Plains Quality Meat show at Lubbock have been set at March 29, 30 and 31. Durwood H. Bradley, general chairman of the show executive committee, has announced.

The show includes a baby beef, fat pig and fat lamb division for vocational students and 4-H club members, and cured meat division for adults. The canned meats division was discontinued for this show and the committee voted to substitute a system of educational booths, each to convey a definite idea pertaining to pork. The booths are to show importance of good breeding, feeding, killing, cutting for curing and curing, sugar curing, smoking, storage and utilization.

The first night of the show has been designated as "play night." There will be a cannie at the fair grounds, games, exhibits, and other forms of entertainment are being planned for exhibitors and officials of the show. The annual auction sale will be held Wednesday afternoon. The committee is making arrangements to have Col. Earl Gartin of Greensburg, Indiana, as auctioneer.

Minor changes in the regulations made which include lowering the weight of calves to 850 pounds and pigs to 225 pounds and that only finished animals would be permitted to pass through the sales ring.

Bailey County Range Operators Are Slow In Their Applications

Only five range operators of Bailey county had made application to the county agent's office for participation in the 1937 Range Conservation program. It is necessary that these applications be sent by all interested range operators so that further steps may be taken toward getting the work started," according to W. C. Taylor, county agent.

Form SR-151, "Application for Determination of Grazing Capacity" recently mailed to ranchers was intended by the State Game and Fish Commission to be used by interested operators. Such operators shall select a range inspector who must make a report to the County committee before the amount of pay-able for the inspection can be made. The county office will need the names of all ranchers who intend to participate so that preparations can be made for selection of an inspector, Taylor said.

GINNING SEASON CLOSES

Cotton ginning operations for this area is about over and most of the gins in Bailey county have closed for the production year. It is conservatively estimated there have been about 16,500 bales of cotton ginned in Bailey county this year, while Farmer county will show approximately 4,900 bales ginned.

\$15 Awards Made At Trades Day Monday Many Visitors Here

Trades Day in Muleshoe last Monday was well attended by a large crowd of visitors who apparently enjoyed themselves greatly visiting the various places of business to discover the hidden treasures represented by numbers on the circulars widely distributed a few days previous.

There was considerable buying done at various stores. All livestock, farm machinery, farm seed and other stuff brought was sold, some of it going under the auctioneer's hammer for disposal. Mrs. Jim Kemp was awarded \$7; Mrs. E. H. Burhman \$5; J. H. Doyle \$3. Mrs. Roy Baines received a beautiful towel the gift of the Grand Holy Selly Laundry. Names of Owen Broyles, Elvia Jennings and Cleo Ward were called for awards; but they were not present.

TO HAVE BIBLE SCHOOL

Dr. W. F. Fry, of Texas Technological college, Lubbock will conduct a Bible study course beginning Wednesday evening of this week and lasting Sunday evening at the Baptist church in Muleshoe. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

MATHIS HOME DAMAGED

Mr. and Mrs. A. Mathis, residing a few miles south of Muleshoe, had the misfortune of getting the interior of their home seriously damaged by fire last Sunday morning. The fire was thought to have started from the fire or some part of the stove pipe. No insurance was carried at the time of the fire, the policy having been dropped a few weeks ago.

West Tex. Museum Is Formally Opened In Lubbock, Friday

The West Texas museum, located on the campus of Tech college, Lubbock, will be formally opened to the public Friday afternoon of this week, according to announcement made by Hubert L. Allen, president of the association.

The first unit of this museum, under grant of \$25,000 by the Centennial commission has been completed and exhibits duly installed. Dr. Bradford Knapp, Tech. president will give the welcome address at 4:00 o'clock that afternoon. Dr. Wm. M. Craig will give "Some Historic and Economic Aspects of the Salt Deposits of the Plains," and Frank P. Hill, Tahoka, will tell of some of the Folk Lore of the South Plains.

Presentation of the museum building to the association will be made by Lieutenant-Governor Walter Woodul and Hon. Coke R. Stevenson, former speaker of the Legislative House. In the evening a banquet will be spread at the Men's dormitory, at which time Hon. Coke R. Stevenson will speak on "The Future of West Texas." Gov. Woodul will speak on "Texas Centennial Celebrations," and a business meeting will be held when officers for the coming year will be elected.

Jess Mitchell, Muleshoe, is a member of the Museum committee, and had the honor of making the first exhibit contribution to the museum, being a "Muleshoe" paper of prominent early citizens, prepared several years ago to the late P. W. Horn, then president.

TAKING SCHOOL ENUMERATION

Cecil McLary, duly appointed scholastic enumerator and tax assessor for the Muleshoe school district, began such work Feb. 22, and reports he will practically finish by the close of this week.

Prof. P. O. Smith Goes To Whiteface For The Coming Yr.

Prof. P. O. Smith, for the past six years superintendent of the Bula school in eastern Bailey county, and who was duly re-elected by the board to that position for another year, has resigned and accepted superintendency of the school at Whiteface. Prof. Glen Daugherty, teacher of science, agriculture and civics in the Bula school this year, will succeed him as superintendent the coming year.

At the close of this school year the Bula school will have 21½ credits of affiliation with the State Department of Education. During the six years Prof. Smith has had charge of that school several advanced changes have been made in the curriculum, among them being introduction of courses in bookkeeping, typing, two years of home economics, agriculture, and others. Six years ago the school enrollment was 156 now it has increased to 276. Last year a modern gymnasium and two more class rooms were built to accommodate increased enrollment.

HOLD A DRAMATIC SCHOOL

A school of dramatics and recreation was held at Bailey county Saturday of last week under direction of Miss Alma Stewart, county home demonstration agent, the program being presented by Mrs. W. G. Kennedy, Progress, Miss Opal Snitker, Bula and Mrs. Aulien Davis, Watson, all delegates to the recent recreation school held in Lubbock.

The school was largely attended by delegates from Fairview, Circleback, Baleyboro, Watson, Maple, Bula, Enoch, Progress, Muleshoe and West Camp, including 4-H club sponsors, home demonstration club delegates and teachers from various schools throughout the county. Stage fighting, plays of different kinds, including skits, were among the subjects discussed at the meeting.

ANOTHER CCC CALL

Another CCC call is to take place in about a month. All local boys desiring to enlist should see the County Cassineworker, Mrs. Frances Thomas, at the District court room. The rules of eligibility will be the same as in previous calls, she said.

SEN CONNALLY FAVORS TENANT FARMERS BILL

Urges Low Int'rst Rate And Soil Building Requirements.

Washington, D. C. Mar. 3.—Senator Tom Connally urged the adoption of a farm tenant home purchase plan in a personal appearance before the House Committee on Agriculture last week, while hearings were being held on the farm tenant problem. The necessity of a low interest rate, sufficient funds to give the farm purchase plan a real test, the requirement of soil rebuilding principles as set out by the State and Federal conservation program, and the need of a local committee in every county to pass upon the applicant's qualifications were the points stressed by Senator Connally before the House Committee.

The Senator said: "The interest rate to be charged on these farm purchases should be very small. I provide for an interest rate of two percent in my bill. We subsidize now a great many projects and enterprises and I think the question of getting the man on the farm to own his own farm is of such high importance, not only for the economic aspect of the situation but from the government aspect of the matter, that it would be worth the investment of the Government to see that the interest rate is at a minimum."

In commenting on the amount of money needed to carry into practice the farm tenant proposal, Senator Connally stated: "The people of the United States ought to know that we are setting our hands to this plan in a substantial way and are not merely scraping around like we are doing with the Resettlement Administration. That is just like a fine bird that is getting anywhere. We ought to demonstrate to the country that we are going into this program and that we are willing now if it is necessary to do so to spend a billion dollars to try to put the program into operation."

Senator Connally added that he thought there should be a local committee in every county to pass upon the qualifications of applicants of both farmers and business men. That the bill ought to provide that preference shall be given to men who are already spending a billion dollars in thrifty farms, men who have shown some ability in making a living for themselves on the farm.

Senator Connally is the author of a farm tenant bill now pending in the Senate Agricultural Committee.

Illinois "Suckers" To Celebrate At Plainview Friendship Wednesday

Another of the popular big Treasure Hunts will be the feature of next Wednesday, Wednesday, March 4. More than 100 gifts will be hidden in the stores and widows of Plainview's sponsoring merchants. These will be given free in "Friendship day" visitors. The secret will be made in nine-thirty the morning and last all day. Next Wednesday has been designated as Illinois day. Last week more than one hundred former Missourians enjoyed renewing friendships. This week former residents of Colorado met. Next week former residents of Illinois will meet, and have refreshments at the Chamber of Commerce rooms any time during the day after nine-thirty o'clock. Cash counters will be held at the City auditorium at two o'clock.

AUTO LICENSE NOW DUE

An automobile passenger car and truck license are now due being issued at the tax collector's office at the court house here, though they are not being taken out very rapidly, the books showing only 65 passenger car and 42 truck license having been issued up to last Tuesday. Plates for 1937 may be put on cars any time now since March 1, and cars must carry the new plates not later than midnight of April 1 or pay penalties.

There were 1,064 passenger car and 224 truck license issued last year.

VOLLEY BALL GAME THURSDAY

The Muleshoe high school girls' volleyball team have a game matched to be played here at the school gymnasium with the Littlefield girls' team, Thursday night of this week. This is the first match game the local girls have scheduled for this season. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

EDITORIAL AND FEATURE PAGE



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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if it Falls

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

At that day ye shall ask in my name, and I say not unto you, that I will pray the Father for you.—St. John 16:26.

Let not him who prays, suffer his tongue to outstrip his heart; nor presume to carry a message to the throne of grace, while that stays behind.—South.

COST OF WHISKERS

Despite the fact that you now seldom see a man with a long flowing beard, many of the elder generation in Muleshoe can recall when it was one of the most popular forms of facial adornment. In fact, there was a time when a fellow wasn't considered a man unless he could display a full-grown beard. Shaving was a long and tedious

cake of fine toilet soap he explains that a truckload of it was accidentally overturned in town and some of the cases damaged, though the soap was unharmed. Rather than go on to his destination and take chances on having the shipment refused he will sacrifice it at a ridiculous price—in case lots

He takes the order, returns later with the soap and collects. Later on the purchaser opens the case to find a cheap product far different than the sample she was shown. But by that time the man is miles away, and probably smiling to think how truthfully old Barnum was when he declared that "there's a sucker born every minute."

PRESS FREEDOM

Notwithstanding NRA requirements have been rendered null and void, there is still considerable evidence that freedom of the press may be curtailed. Two bills are now in the hopper of the Texas legislature which, if passed will have such effect. Tennessee has recently passed a bill which imposes a fine upon editors letting any untrue statement appear in their papers. Nevada is considering a measure which will put newspapers under a state advertising board which would also issue a license to publishers to operate in Pennsylvania there are now about 40 bills of various kinds in the legislative hopper. Washington has a bill providing for state owned papers, while it must not be forgotten that at Washington there have been various high official criticism of newspaper utterances of different kinds, and if dictatorship eventually becomes a fact a untrue statement appear in their papers may be a fact in the near future—just as it is in Germany, Italy and Russia.

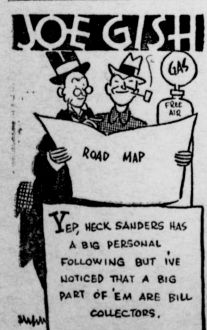
DON'T BURY MONEY

There's a lot of money buried in this country every year through the planting of worthless farm and garden seed. Quite a lot of it goes in the soil of this community, too. Local seed dealers exert every effort to prevent this kind of waste, and yet they are powerless to do so long as there are people willing to take and hence on any kind of seed so long as they are "cheap."

THE LATEST FAKE

What appears to be the newest house-to-house fake is reported in a neighboring paper, and while there are no reports of the promoters having operated in this section it would be well for Muleshoe house-wives to be on their guard.

As the scheme is worked, a man makes a door-to-door canvas, carrying



Planting time is just around the corner, so make up your mind now that this year you will not be guilty of burying your money through planting a doubtful quality of seed.

COSTLY HUNTING

Sportsmen of the U. S. spent a total of \$19,000,000 last year for hunting licenses and federal migratory bird hunting stamps. So now the editors of outdoor magazines are contending that they got very little for their money since it was an unusually poor hunting year. These editors say, and many hunters around Muleshoe will agree with them, that with such a huge revenue pouring in, all states should be devoting more attention to game propagation laws and protection of game dur-

ing the winter months. Even a greater sum is spent by the fishermen of the country, and yet the pollution of streams continues on a larger scale today than ever before. There is little wonder that the hunters and fishermen of America are raising their voices in protest against stronger fish and game propagation and conservation laws, and against a still more noticeable failure to enforce the laws we already have.

Following the loss of Congressman James P. Buchanan, of the 10th district, this state, Texans may not be surprised if Jim Ferguson does not take his place following the special election to be called by Gov. Alfred Jim has always had a strong following in eight of the 10 counties of that district and may easily carry it.

We have often wondered why historians made such a ado about Washington throwing a dollar across the Delaware river. After all it was such a great feat. Most Muleshoe folks will agree that a dollar nationally went considerably farther in those days than it does now.

A bill has been introduced in the Texas legislature providing four year terms for county officers. Why not make it apply to city officials, as well? We happen to know one or two who ought to be given a life term, if not the electric chair.

Hens may have originated this setting system; but it appears the sitting birds are the ones who hatch out trouble.

Pavement Pickups

Lud Barber suggests perhaps the reason some little girls are so naughty is because they get a shingle in the wrong place.

According to Paul Lawrence, the modern girl is always one of three things—hungry, thirsty—or both.

"In running the government," suggests Judge Miller, it's not the "overhead that counts so much as it is the underhand."

Kay Smith and Cloy Beavers have agreed that every man is entitled, according to the Constitution, to life, liberty and an automobile in which to pursue happiness.

John Benson, famous Laplander of Muleshoe, is authority for the statement that Clarence Goms can eat 27 biscuits at a round-up and still complain of being hungry.

Lehman Carpenter thoughtlessly did in a rolling pin at Sam Lawrence's sale last week, and upon second thought was afraid to take it home. He gave it to ye editor, remarking, "Your scalp is already peeled."

About three weeks ago a lady came to Dr. Matthews for treatment. Giving her some medicine, he also advised her to be careful to keep warm and not get wet. Yesterday she returned saying she was feeling much better, and wanted to know if it would be alright for her to take a bath.

SNAP SHOTS

One thing may be said in favor of the old-time saloon—it didn't hide under another name.

There's one thing it's always safe to bet on. Labor leaders wouldn't call so many strikes if the pay also stopped.

Troubles always seem to learn to add and multiply much faster than they learn to subtract.

About the hardest thing a new movie actress has to do is to pick a name nobody can pronounce.

In this world of good-looking women get talked about, and frequently it is the ugly ones that do most of the talking.

A cow in Canada has been struck four times by autos and unhurt. We suggest traffic experts study her and plan a new type of pedestrian.

We are sometimes prone to wonder why high prices aren't come down once in a while to get on speaking terms with the country in which they were raised.

Jaunty Journalettes

Friends of Muleshoe are folks who are willing to excuse you when you make a fool of yourself.

An optimist in Muleshoe man who believes that the future will be different from the past.

Some old-time in Muleshoe an remember away back when a man who wanted to work was entitled to some consideration.

It's hard for the average Muleshoe man to become a partisan after he has passed mid-age, for by that time he knows both sides are wrong.

Will power rubs a Muleshoe man's eyes open in the morning; but it's won't power that makes him turn over and take another little snooze.

Muleshoe lads should beware of the girl who acts kittenish before she's married she may become catfish when she grows up.

There's generally something wrong with most Muleshoe men. By the time they are earning enough to show the girls a good time their wives won't let them.

It won't be long now until Muleshoe people can tell the vegetables in their gardens from the weeds by merely watching their neighbor's chickens.

Muleshoe children may be losing faith in fairy stories; but it's our opinion their parents still believe in campaign promises.

It's easy for the average Muleshoe man to get rich quick if—he can only find people who are willing to become poor quick.

When a young couple hold hands, it's a case of love; when a Muleshoe couple who've been married 29 years hold hands it may just be a case of self-defense.

OPEN FORUM

In this column the Journal will publish contributions from the general public. Articles must be clearly written and signed, though the author's name will be withheld if desired. Articles offered for publication must not contain statements of libelous or defamatory nature, the editor reserving the right to delete such statements or to withhold the entire article.

Feb. 27, 1937
Editor, Muleshoe Journal:

So many have asked me to tell something of the wonders of Catalina Island, off the coast of California and of our recent trip to that beauty spot, I thought perhaps the best way for all to know about it would be through a letter to your publication, which follows:

Tuesday Feb. 16 we left Glendale, drove through Los Angeles to the ocean where we were to catch the boat. We got there at 9:40. There stood the big ship, "Catalina." It was a pretty picture riding so calm on the water. At ten, "Toot, toot," were off. The ship is held by a straining tug pulls out from shore, bound for the perfect isle of Saint Catalina. It is a magic day.

The ship is filled with happy passengers from all parts of the world. We pass interesting looking wharves and eagerly scan the ships just in from foreign shores. On our left, the U. S. battles fleet is anchored. They are beautiful sight to see. Now we are out on the broad Pacific ocean. There is a rush to the rails and cries of "Fly, fish!" Sure enough, there they are, skimming over the water, their finny wings shimmering in the sunlight, and there are seagulls galore. They follow the ship for feed. People feed them popcorn and crackers to see them dive for it. There is a ball room and an orchestra playing. Some are dancing, and some are too sick to dance. We look restful seats and were thankful we were not sick.

It is interesting to watch the seagulls take off and they fly so peacefully across the waters. It takes them 16 minutes to make the 25 mi. trip.

There was a man that gave a lecture of the founding of the isle, Rodriguez Cabrillo, the famous Portuguese navigator, who discovered Catalina in the year 1542. Wm. Wrigley bought it in the year of 1919. The isle is 22 miles long and hence in the distance we see a huge rock resembling a ship, which he says is called a ship rock. We are now in sight of picturesque shores of Avalon and soon we are nearing the magic isle itself. As we draw near, there are some natives swimming in the water along side the ship and dive for money the passengers throw them. Now the big ship is anchored. There's a Spanish orchestra playing a welcome piece for us.

We hasten aboard the glass bottom boat, which speedily take us to the submarine gardens. Beneath us are huge shells, encrusted rocks, great trees of kelp and masses of luxuriant sea foliage. Curious fish of every color and variety stare up at us, wink with knowing eyes and seem to say "hello!" We are back on land again, rolling over the island in cars they have for tourists. We see the beautiful home of Wm. Wrigley, Jr. the owner of the island, and get a wonderful view of Avalon bay and the surrounding hills. From the sky line drive. We stop at the famous Catalina Bird park which contains the world's largest bird cage and strange birds from every part of the globe. We roll to the Catalina country club, a year round paradise for golfers, and then to the \$2,000,000 casino. This immense ballroom accommodates 1,800 couples. It is a round building with a bar and eating places circling it, a very beautiful place.

Avalon city has three nice hotels, Catherine, Atwater and Island Villa.

Catalina is famous for its fishing, leaping tuna, yellow tail swordfish and black sea bass. It is also famous for bathing, hiking and souvenir hunting.

There are ranches that have burros, wild goats roam the mountains, visitors some times go goat hunting on horseback.

The island has magic chimneys which ring all the time and is very beautiful. We ate our dinner near the chimneys which we enjoyed very much. Our trip is over, we are on the ship once more. It is now three o'clock. "Toot, toot," the big ship calls, and we all say good bye.

The orchestra plays, "Until We Meet Again," and the magic isle fades in the distance.

It was a wonderful trip. Wish all of my friends could have been with me. We landed on Long Beach at 6:30 p. m.—W. R. Damon.

Muleshoe, Texas, March 1st, 1937
Mr. Jess Mitchell, Editor,
Muleshoe, Journal

Sir: I want to tell you something of what I think of your last "lay sermon." I did not agree with you on some of your sermons, especially the one in which you discussed the probability of the elimination of the males of the human race. I really thought it was the "bunk," so I almost quit reading them; but somehow I happened to look at this last one and to my way of thinking it is chock full of truth.

I have for a number of years wanted to break out and tell just about what I thought on this subject and now you have said it for me. I am like you I fail to see how the doctrine of evolution detracts from omnipotence of the Almighty God. Everything had to begin somewhere. I don't believe the process of evolution ends when we lay down these mortal bodies, but it gives one comfort to believe that if I am faithful over the few things committed to my care in this life that in the world to come I shall have life more abundant and be given charge of far greater things.

I don't think I should like to just sit and be happy in the next world, but I want to be up and doing something. Very truly yours,

J. S. Glascock,
Many thanks, Mr. Glascock, for your frank and courteous letter. I am willing to confess, that I, myself, was not satisfied with the lay sermon which led to do with elimination of the genus homo male species, as I happen to be one of that tribe; yet upon investigation along scientific lines in connection with the female tendency of today, I am afraid you will find the statements therein contained to be true to facts.

Thank you also for your comments on "Man and His Origin." Trust you will enjoy reading the moral essay

this week, being a continuation of last week's discussion.—Editor.

IMPROVING THE CHURCH LAWN
Plans are being made for laying a concrete walk around the Methodist church and parsonage, with two walks leading to the church and one to the preacher's home, material now being planted. The city will furnish free water for irrigation of the lawn when completed.

The lawns of both properties are to also be sown in grass and shrubbery planted. The city will furnish free water for irrigation of the lawn when completed.

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General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

About 30 farmers in Hockley county are now raising crop by irrigation.

Clovis, N. M., is planning holding a regional fair in that city sometime vs coming fall.

The Legislative House has approved to tighten and put more teeth in auto driver's license.

for the Fat Stock show to be held at Amarillo March 8 to 11 have been distributed.

Traffic toll of human lives in Texas during this period by immigration, 7,798.

Before time for introducing new bills in the Texas legislature expired last week, there were a total of 1371 lying in the hopper to be acted on.

Officials of Amherst in Lamb county last week put into effect their summer irrigation rates on city water, being 60 days ahead of custom time.

A bill sponsored by Gov. Alfred to do away with the office of State Commissioner of Agriculture last last Friday in the house 86 to 46.

A ruling has been made in New Mexico that farmers not taking necessary steps to keep their land from blowing will be denied government crop payments.

Representatives of various communities in Floyd county, in a meeting held last week at Floydada, decided to unite in growing only "Pepper" cotton, on the theory that the one kind grown would bring them better market prices. The Acala variety was a second choice.

Texas population was estimated last Saturday by the State Department of Health at 6,009,000, based on statistics births filed. Records show birth registrations the past 10 years totaled 1,400,000, exceeding deaths by 480,640. Population has also increased 65,300 during this period.

If Representative R. J. Sloan of the New Mexico legislature, could have his way about it, according to an introduced resolution, all lobbyists would have to wear bright red coats trimmed in yellow, bearing a 12-inch letter

What's Happening In Washington And Other Cities Of Importance

Tennessee has passed a law prohibiting child marriages, legislator's voting unanimously against it.

State of New Jersey will collect \$9,000,000 inheritance tax on the late Arthur Brisbane estate.

Effort is now being made in California to unionize all various farmers labor organizations.

The State of Kansas last week checked the Child Labor amendment to the national constitution, being the 23th state to give it approval.

President Roosevelt will take to the air on the night of March 9 to discuss his Supreme court reorganization program over the radio.

Rosita Diaz, former Hollywood film actress, is reported having been shot in Spain where she is alleged to have acted as a spy causing death of at least 60 people.

Sitting Bull famous Sioux warrior, still lives in his children, a great-grandson, called Chief Rainbow, son of Chief White Feather, having been born last Saturday.

Warrants were sworn out against more than 300 sit-down strikers of the Douglas Aircraft factory at Los Angeles, last week because of their refusal to leave the plant.

The Summers bill to permit Supreme court judges to voluntarily retire on full pay at 70 years of age was passed by the U. S. Senate Friday of last week.

A mandamus has been issued in Kansas because the lieutenant governor of that state united the fled vote of its legislature, thus passing the Child Labor amendment to the national constitution. It is claimed his vote was illegal.

Peggy Garcia, blonde, had check girl who sued David Rubinoff, violin maestro for \$500,000 on breach of promise now faces a bigamy suit, such charges also having been filed against Michael LaRocco, her supposed husband whose allegedly real wife started all the ruckus.

Normal life for the famous Dionne

quintuplets, of Canada, is now planned. They will be returned to their parents, yet the Dominions will retain a watchful care over them. A supervisor has been appointed to look after the fortune of these young ladies now said to be \$438,046, and in another two years will be a million dollars.

vall, returned home Sunday. Roy Carthen, of Muleshoe, was a dinner guest of Morris Gaston Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. I. G. McNairy, Mrs. W. B. Harlan and Mrs. W. M. Gaston attended church in Muleshoe Sunday afternoon.

M. Cyfert of Lorenzo was in this community last week.—Reporter.

Stegall News

Rev. Withrow will preach here next Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. Everyone is invited.

Mrs. Irene Howls has been taken to a Littlefield sanitarium for medical treatment.

Billy Kirk entered school as a new pupil in the sixth grade, Monday.

Instead of our regular singing next Sunday night, we will give the time to Rev. Woods, Primitive Baptist evangelist, who will preach at eight o'clock.

Those seen in Muleshoe Saturday from this place were Conrad and Glenn Williams, Marvin and Elmer Holt, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. McDaniel, and Henry Farnell.

Hayden Baker transacted business in Clovis, N. M., last Thursday.

Carl Pollard and Elsie Holt were married Wednesday at Portales, N. M., and went immediately to their new home in Portales. Their friends wish them much happiness and success.

R. L. Brown, Muleshoe was a visitor in our community last week in the interests of Trades day.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lane were Sudan visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Mayhall has as her guest this week her daughter form Leveland.—Reporter.

Progress News

Singing was well attended Sunday afternoon.

L. N. Walker visited his mother at Knox City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Grey of the Muleshoe community, spent Sunday with Mrs. Grey's mother, Mrs. H. J. Wilson.

Miss Udell Grey, of Lorenzo, is visiting her brother, Earnest Grey, and other relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shannon, of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Klesner of Slaton, visited in the home of W. M. Gaston Thursday of last week.

Mrs. L. Bridges of Whitehouse, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dave Sto-

BULA 4-H CLUB BOYS ACTIVE

Bula 4-H Club boys made progress reports on their demonstration in a meeting at Bula school, Thursday, Feb. 25. This club, having the largest membership of any boys' club in the county, is under the leadership of G. M. Daugherty, teacher of general agriculture in the school.

Thirty-four members of this club are engaged in demonstrations as follows: 13 are feeding pigs, five are feeding beef calves, three are growing dairy stock, two are producing chickens, nine will grow cotton and two will grow feed crops.

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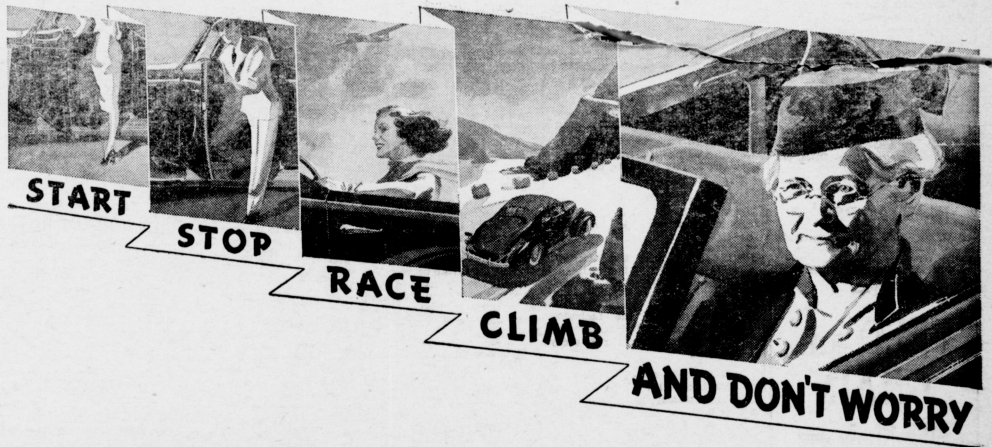
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LOCALS

- Ed Terrell, of Lubbock was here Thursday of last week on business.
- Ray Chaney spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting friends and relatives.
- S. T. Lawrence made a business trip to Lubbock last Monday afternoon.
- Morris Garth spent the weekend at Canyon visiting various friends.
- Lyman Childress, of Wink, visited in Muleshoe the latter part of last week with his father, T. N. Childress.
- LOST: Bunch of about 12 keys, name on plate. Finder return to Clarence Giotis, Muleshoe. 6-1c
- D. M. Radner, of Lubbock, transacted business here Thursday of last week.
- FOR SALE: 10 Turkey hens, 1 Tom Lewis stock, R. D. Precure, 15 mi N. E. Muleshoe. 5-4p
- FARMERS: See the Panhandle irrigation ditching machine at Hatcher's Shop, Plainview. Priced reasonable. 6-4
- Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sawyer, of Brownfeld, were Muleshoe visitors, Saturday of last week.
- Henry Damon, of the Circleback community attended Trades day in Muleshoe Monday.
- Miss Sybil Hunter, of Portales, N. M., spent the weekend in Muleshoe, visiting friends.
- Mrs. J. L. Brooks, of Farwell, visited in Muleshoe Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Jim Cook.
- Miss Helen Jones spent the latter part of last week at El Paso visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Bird, and niece.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams attended

- the discussion held by Joe Warlick and Van Vanaghat at the Wilson school building Sunday afternoon.
- Mrs. A. C. Choate and son, Cliff, visited in Lubbock over the weekend with friends and relatives.
- STOLEN: Hawthorn bicycle, balloon tires, painted red and white. Reward for return. H. C. Holt. 6-1c
- Jim Alsop visited in Lubbock Sunday afternoon with his brother, Lloyd Alsop and friends.
- Mr. and Mrs. Sam Aldridge, of Farwell, attended to business and visited friends in Muleshoe Monday afternoon.
- R. L. Brown and A. P. Stone made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday of last week.
- Miss Addis Watts, of Amarillo, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting Mrs. Elvin Smith, and other friends.
- Mrs. T. L. Bennett, of Amherst, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting Miss Christine Roach.
- Miss Wanda Nixon of Littlefield, has been visiting friends in Muleshoe for the past few days.
- Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilemon are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Tuesday at Muleshoe.
- FOR SALE: 6-inch centrifugal pump pit, complete at Harris & Sparks Radiator Shop, Portales, or write Otis Alston, Portales, N. M. 5-4p
- J. S. Crawford, of Plainview, attended to business and visited various acquaintances in Muleshoe Friday of last week.
- Lloyd Alsop who underwent a mastoid operation in a Lubbock sanatorium last week is recuperating nicely and will return home in several days.
- Judge M. G. Miller and County Commissioner John Alford returned Friday evening of last week from a business trip to Austin.
- Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate, two sons and Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Lewis and son were visitors at Grady, N. M., Sunday afternoon.
- S. H. Harman and Elmer Westley, of San Angelo, prospected for a land location in this irrigated section of the country the latter part of last week.
- FOR SALE: State Certified Potato Seed, Cobblers and McCleures. By the Muleshoe Valley Certified Potato Growers Assn. See H. M. Gable. 5-4p
- Douglas Howell, of Amarillo, attended to business in Lubbock various acquaintances in Muleshoe, Saturday afternoon of last week.
- Courtland Paul, of Oil Center, N. M., has been visiting here for the past few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Paul.
- Mrs. E. R. Hart visited in Childress the latter part of last week with relatives and friends, returning home Saturday.
- Mesdames W. C. Cox, Clarence Giotis and Ray Griffiths visited in Lubbock Wednesday of last week with friends.
- Among those from Muleshoe who attended the debate between Van Vanaghat and Joe Warlick held at the Wilson school building in the south part of Bailey county the latter part of last week, were M. G. Bass, George and J. L. Harris.
- Paul Lawrence who has been employed a pharmacist in a drug store at Tucson, Arizona, returned home last week to attend the sale here by his father. From here he will go to Flag staff where he has a similar position. Paul thinks Arizona is the coming state for young men.
- Rev. R. S. Watkins received word Wednesday morning of the death of E. B. Rose, 86, his father-in-law by his first marriage, who passed away at his home at Sweetwater. Rev. and Mrs. Watkins left early Thursday morning to attend the funeral service to be held Thursday afternoon at Sweetwater.
- Among those from Muleshoe and West Camp, who attended the picnic supper sponsored by the I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodges of Sudan given at the American Legion Hall Thursday evening of last week at Sudan were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas, Alvin Farrell, Ruby White, Elizabeth Harden, Roy Sheriff and son.
- Robert S. Patterson, son of Mrs. R. L. Patterson, Enochs, who enlisted in the U. S. navy at San Francisco, Calif., Jan. 11, this year, was last week honor man of his company in display of qualifications fitting him for a man-of-war career, showing outstanding ability and loyalty, according to a letter received from J. W. Gates, his commander at the U. S. Naval Training station, San Diego, where he is now stationed.

- led home by Dudley Burard who had undergone an appendicitis operation in a sanatorium there a few days ago.
- Miss Mildred Miller, of Morton, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her mother and brother, Judge M. G. Miller.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Koen, of Cloris, N. M. were guests of Mrs. Julian Levan and Mrs. Elvin Smith, Tuesday evening and Wednesday.
- Mrs. Bill Brodhurst and daughter, Paity returned to Muleshoe Saturday evening of last week from Gruner where they visited a few days with relatives and friends.
- Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Watkins visited in Lubbock Saturday afternoon of last week with Lloyd Alsop who is recuperating in a sanatorium from a major operation.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. J. De Board and Mrs. Virgie Mae Clark who have been residing a short distance north of Muleshoe for the past several years are this week moving to Pep.
- Miss Ouida Davis, former teacher in the Muleshoe schools two year ago, but now living at Lubbock, was here Saturday afternoon of last week visiting friends.
- Asa Snow was adjudged insane last Monday by a jury of his peers in the County court, and is being held in the local bastille until arrangements can be made to transport him to one of the state's psychopathic institutions.
- Wm. G. Kennedy has returned from Austin where he spent several days last week in the legislature lobbying in the interest of farmers of the state regarding a soil erosion bill now introduced.
- Levi Churchill sr., returned last week from San Angelo where he has been visiting the past two months with his daughter, Mrs. Len Wallace. He expects soon to go to Idaho for a visit with other relatives.
- Members of the Senior class of Muleshoe High school had photographs made last Monday. A group picture of the class will be kept at the school office.
- Rev. and Mrs. R. S. Watkins, Mrs. A. P. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Fluidie Gallman were visitors at a District Epworth league meeting held at the Methodist church in Amherst Sunday afternoon.
- Miss Adelle Belle Fort who has been in Lubbock for the past few weeks recuperating from an appendicitis operation, returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week and resumed her duties as teacher in the high school.
- Virgil Bennett of Lockney, attended to business and visited friends in Muleshoe Friday of last week. He accompanied Paul Lawrence from here on a business trip to New Mexico and Arizona.
- R. E. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, returned home to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from Los Angeles, California, where he has been for the past several weeks taking a course in diesel engineering.
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Too Analytical

By R. H. WILKINSON
Associated Newspapers—WYN Service

"THE trouble with you," Barry said, "is that you're too analytical. You don't you throw caution to the winds for once and say 'I love you'?"

Hugh sighed. His face took on that look of faintly aloof indulgence that he always conjured when Barry became critical. "You wouldn't understand," he said. "You're too impulsive to see what I'm driving at. Let me tell you, it pays to be careful."

"Sure it does. But it doesn't pay to be overly careful. How does Valeria feel about it?"

"How does she feel? How do you think she feels? When a girl's in love she knows enough to be careful herself."

"Meaning, of course, that Val's mad about you and she's willing to wait until you get through analyzing, and justify or compensate her shortcomings in your mind." Hugh gestured indifferently. "Figure it that way, if you like."

"Wouldn't it be a shock to you if you discovered yourself to be wrong. I mean, if Val married someone else right under your nose?"

"She won't," said Hugh, confidently. "Girls aren't made that way." He stood up. "I haven't been studying psychology and human behavior five years for nothing."

Barry grinned at him, and Hugh went out. Descending the stairs of Barry's rooming house he sighed deeply. Barry could be pretty annoying at times. What right had he to be critical anyhow? Why, the man hadn't even the faintest understanding of human nature. He couldn't have, being a practical lawyer.

It was a week later that Hugh saw Barry again. The lawyer seemed troubled about something. "I don't want to appear nosy," he said, "but I saw Val at lunch to-day. She was terrific."

"I know. I know. I've been out of town a few days. I'll call her to-night."

"As one friend to another," Barry said, "I feel it my duty to warn you. She's getting fed up."

"Forget it," said Hugh. "Or perhaps it would make me feel better if I were to see her. I'll decide one way or another one of these days."

"About marrying her, you mean?"

"Sure about marrying her."

"But if she gets tired of waiting and marries some one else in the meantime, maybe you'll regret it." "Don't be ridiculous. Val won't marry anyone else. I know what I'm doing."

Barry let a fortnight elapse before he again touched the subject of Val. It rankled him, and he felt better to get it off his chest. "Hate to mention it again, Hugh, but Val seems to think you've been neglecting her lately. Can't blame her much, either."

"Can't you," Hugh looked ugly. "I think you'd better let me tend to my own affairs, Barry. The girl loves me and when I get around to it, I'll marry her. Good lord, can't you understand that a man shouldn't jump into such things?"

"Or a woman either," Barry offered. "I happen to know Val was out with someone else last night."

"Good. Comparing the someone else with me will be the best thing in the world for her and me too. She'll learn to appreciate me."

"You wouldn't be conceited, would you?" Barry asked seriously.

Hugh was annoyed. Blast it, why couldn't Barry mind his own business? Why did he always have to keep worrying about me? It was plain as day that he didn't understand women. Val knew a good thing when she saw it. She loved him and she wanted to wait. She was smart.

Vaguely he wondered who the other man could be she was out with. It was sort of amusing in a way. Probably Val had merely told Barry that so Barry would tell him. Childish. Why, even a first-year psychology student could tell you that was nothing but a feeble attempt on the part of the female to excite jealousy in the man she loved.

Three evenings later Hugh's phone rang. It was Barry. He sounded far away. "Can't hear you," Hugh yelled into the mouthpiece.

"Talk louder."

"I say," came Barry's voice, more distinctly. "At the thing I warned you against has happened."

"What?" Hugh asked.

"About Val. About her marrying someone else right under your nose. She's done it."

"I don't believe it," said Hugh, feeling for the first time a queer sensation of alarm.

"I saw it happen," said Barry. "I was there."

"Good lord!" Hugh was suddenly very much excited and very concerned.

"You can't say I didn't warn you," Barry's voice said, growing fainter.

"Hey! Hold on a minute, Barry! Are you there? Yes, yes, I know you warned me. Guess I was something of a fool. But was it she married this terrible?"

"Me," said Barry, very faintly. And then the line went dead.

First Bailey County Paper Published At Hurley, Nov. 21, 1919

The Journal of this week in receipt of a copy of the first newspaper published in Bailey county, coming through the courtesy of Mrs. T. L. Snyder.

It bears the title of "The Booster," published at Hurley, about three miles northwest of Muleshoe, bearing the date of Nov. 21, 1919, No. 1, Vol. 1. Turner L. Smith, editor. It is a small four page sheet of three columns per page.

Among the advertisers are noted the Hewitt Mercantile Co., Gup-ton & Wiggins, McCann & Prossley, physicians and surgeons, J. J. Plaster, harness and shoe shop and O. C. Snyder, auctioneer.

On page 1 there is a story telling how Frank Hewitt auctioned off 40 pies for the sum of \$121 at Hurley for church benefit. That same week Judge Witterling conducted a war stamp drive throughout the county.

Other items:

● Roy Barber went to Clovis to Dentist Cox, coming back minus some teeth.

● Thanksgiving dinner at Y. L. 75 cents a plate.

● Buy Grape Nuts, 15c a package.

● Gup-ton & Wiggins, Muleshoe.

● D. B. Shiglett and family, also Miss Lily Snyder were granted church letters of transfer.

● Review of those items will bring back to memory incidents of those early days not even recorded in "The Booster."

An Inspiration

He who has music and careless laughter
That shatters the air and rings to the rafter,
Who is not afraid of each new-born day,
Whether ushered by gladness or care,
That are gray;
He who remembers the bigness of life,
So important, majestic, and free from all strife,
Must consider its smallness in many things,
And the poignant regrets it so often brings.
He who has music and careless laughter,
Has happiness of heart forever after.

Juries do not always assist courts in rendering justice, whether you believe it or not.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BAILEY, TO THOSE INTERESTED TO, HOLDING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF ANNA GLOUSEY, D CEASED:

The undersigned having been appointed by will as Executor of the Estate of Anna Glousey, deceased late of Bailey County, Texas, and the County Court of said County, on the 1st day of March, A. D. 1937, during a regular term thereof, said W having been duly probated in said Court, I, David E. 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WEEKLY LAY SERMON
MAN—HIS ADAPTATION AND DESTINY

By Jess Mitchell

(PART II)

When in the sixth period of creation world was formed, the palace for human race had been builded, yet there was no living to occupy it. There was no vivid imagination for one to see that the Creator took millions of years to bring together the rocks and timbers for making this old world on which we live to furnish and fit it suitable for human residence, an unnumbered long time being occupied before the beings to live in it were ever created. Leviathan ruled the deep, the eagle the air, the lion the field; yet there was no one accepted to rule over all of it.

Here is where the Creator set a new style and achieved his masterpiece of creation when he made a being in which both time and eternity were represented. His body, while the terrestrial kind like all other animal creation, yet all his other faculties seem to have a celestial origin, an environment unlike anything else that lived on earth, swam in it or flew above it. The one reminded him of his origin, the other of his destiny, and thus he became a connecting link between animal creation and angelic intelligence—a something quite more important than any "missing link" in mere animal creation. This last creature of Omnipotent handwork bears every logical mark of being a commingling of the temporal and the eternal, the finite and the infinite, of present dust and future glory. He appears "fearfully and wonderfully made."

He is endowed with a mental constitution the like of which no other creature possesses. He has powers of reasoning no other creature approaches, and faculties of perception which transport the entire outside world into his own mind, gathering within his own brain the majesty of the storm, the splendors of the day-dawn, soaring to majestic heights of thought and imagination, yea pulling the clouds of the heavens down about him or lifting the ocean a mile high as easily as one might flip the dew from grass-blades or lift a cup of water to their lips.

He learns the law of association, is capable of linking together all that ever thought, known or felt, drawing through his brain a train of past contemplated future actions with triable velocity. He possesses a faculty which is, in many instances,

almost infallible—a mighty volume wherein is gathered and bound the harvest of the past for present consideration. His power of contemplation outpeeps the swiftest lightning, delves deep in o's this old world, circles through heavens above and wheels amid whirling constellations, then returns to count the leaves of a bushing rose, sip the nectar flowing from cool, refreshing springs, and again scales the insurmountable or becomes swallowed up in the incomprehensible.

Man stands alone in the realm of excited reason and understanding. The horse may surpass him in strength, the antelope in speed, the dog in nostril keenness, the eagle in sight; but man makes the forest step aside for him to build his cabin and cultivate his farm. He has opened unnumbered crystal paths across the oceans on which his ships of commerce travel. He splits the air with his planes, smooths the earth for the fast travel of his trains, paves the highways for swift movement of his autos, commands fire and water to join hands for his benefit in making wheels of factories turn around and coughing steamships to go forward, captures the lightning to illuminate his home and do a thousand other mental chores, points his telescopes out into space for discovery of other unknown worlds, puts the physician's stethoscope to his body to catch the throbbing of heart and lungs, through the microscope he discovers millions of infinitesimal animalcule living, working, dying within a circle that could be covered with a pin—and multiplied millions of other manifestations which no other living creature is able to even imitate.

He has a moral nature and understanding approached by no other creature. He has a vast capacity for enjoyment, for analysis, for discovery, for discernment, a faculty of determination that decides between right and wrong, methods and equities no other creature possesses. He possesses incentives and ambitions which know no bounds and reach no climax. Always he is yearning, striving, climbing, never satisfied with the present, always reaching out and up for something greater, better, more satisfying. His faculties bearing fruit inexhaustible, are yet never appeased.

He has within him an innate intuition that he was not created for this world alone; but for another use as well. He has within him the incentive

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Weekly Recipe

Southern Spon Bread—1 cup corn meal; 1 1/2 cups boiling water; 1 teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon sugar; 4 table-spoons butter; 3 eggs yolks; 1 cup milk; 1 egg whites, beaten. Add salt to boiling water. Add corn meal and cook 10 minutes in double boiler, stirring frequently. Add rest of ingredients, mixing thoroughly. Pour into greased baking dish and bake 40 minutes in moderately slow oven. Serve hot with butter.

A Beauty Hint

Skin eruptions of the more usual kind are often due to constipation. Regular elimination is necessary to clear skin. Yeast is considered by some as very good in cases of pimples or boils when constipation is one of the underlying causes.

For Use of Housewife:

Correct, even measurements are important for success in cooking. To measure milk or other liquids place the cup on a flat surface and pour in the required amount. Never tap the side of a cup to level dry ingredients since such tapping often packs them and increases the actual amount of the ingredient in the cup.

Out In The Garden:

Variety adds interest to vegetable gardening. Here are a few uncommon edibles which can be easily grown. Look, a fine onion-like flavor for soups and stews; marrow, delicious when sliced and fried; chicory, or French endive, for winter salads; salt or oyster plant, a root with a distinctive flavor which can be left in the ground over winter. There are many others. Look for them in the new catalogs.

The Family Doctor

Not more than a quart, and never less than a pint and a half of milk a day is needed by the growing child. When the youngster reaches the active run-about age its growth and development naturally demand other food elements as well. Whole-grained cereals, potatoes, bread and a small amount of sugar are necessary aids to the growing child.

An Inspiration

The men who succeed best in life are always cheerful and hopeful men; know go about with a smile on their faces and take the changes and chances of this mortal life calmly, facing rough and smooth alike as it comes.—Charles Kingsley.

FARMER GETTING LOANS

About 50 applications for emergency farm loans have been made to date in Bailey county, according to L. S. Keen, division manager of the Federal Farm Loan of the Farm Credit Administration. The loans are averaging about \$265 each.

Mrs. E. McCoy is in charge of the local office assisted by Miss Stella Harmon of Dimmitt.

of continued existence; that he is destined to live eternally. While the body portion can may sometime return to the earth from whence it came, there is another part of his being that is deathless and destined to leap the bars of time and soar amid the unlimited fields of eternity. Perhaps he can not logically explain it all; but his sense of that faculty is none the less accurate because he does not understand its pathology.

In some unexplainable manner he conceives there is an animating entity conjoined with his physical corporeity that surpasses duration and has no end. Plato seems to be the first of record to have seriously considered the possibility of an immaterial element in mankind which as of a deathless nature. Aristotle followed with further conjectures; but it was not until Descartes raised the question of mutual affinity of soul and body that scientists, theologians, psychiatrists and psychologists really began to dissect the problem and give it constructive thought and interpretation.

While it is generally conceded that man is distinguished from the animal kingdom in general with an extra spiritual existence, yet in view of the higher grades of faculties he has that are common to the animal kingdom, he really does not need any great number of outstanding components, and there are at least two outstanding schools of teaching as to how man attains this immortal faculty. One is known as traducianism, the other creationism. The traducianist urges that the soul is imparted to the offspring by the mother, while the creationist declares reception of a soul in a new body is a distinctive act at time of birth by the Creator himself. Both theories bear merit, though neither seems capable of positive affirmation, while modern philosophical thinking tends to a strong emphasis upon the divine immancence.

It is my personal opinion that soul permeates every portion of the physical body, yet is intangible. Its powers are instinctive, sentient, percipient, intellectual, emotional and self-conscious. It is endowed with a self-active spontaneity of its own powers, is impermanent and without any weight. Yet how that part of man that is not body is linked to it no one knows. There are innumerable mysteries connected with the soul doctrine, which would require a big volume to even discuss. Suffice it to say, most men believe they are a double entity, physical and spiritual, and that the latter is of an immortal nature. Man has been called a "praying animal." Perhaps that habit and what prompts it is responsible for his highest belief in eternal life.

Longview News

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Warren, James Warren and Miss Nadine Adamson and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bryant and daughter, Franette attended the I. O. O. F. supper in Sudan, Thursday evening. J. A. Warren from Duke Okla., has been visiting his brother, Neal Warren. Claude Withrow is the owner of a V-8.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Cooper spent the weekend in Plainview with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McAlister. A surprise birthday party was given J. N. Plunkett Saturday night celebrating his 63rd birthday. Several useful gifts were presented, after which the crowd was entertained with music by J. T. Gee and Dink Estory. An enjoyable evening of dominoes and 42 was played after which delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cash, Dink Estory, Joe Estory, B. H. Black, Fred Bryant, Ed Berry, Claud Withrow, W. P. Young, N. C. Moore, J. T. Gee, Neal Warren, Charles Cash, Charles C. Estory, Franette Bryan, Ona Beth and Dorothea Ann Withrow Beverly Sue Young, Wiley Cash and Arena Moore, James Warren, Miss Nadine Adamson, and the honored Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Plunkett.

A 3-act comedy play, "Her Emergency Family" will be presented at the school auditorium Friday, March 12 at 8:00 o'clock p. m. Everyone is invited to attend. Rev. and Mrs. Vernon, who have been holding a meeting in the community for the past week have returned to their home at Morton. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Tiler visited their son in Elmore, Okla., last week. Mr. and Mrs. M. Scott are visiting their daughter, Mrs. J. C. Odum in the Wilson community. Mr. and Mrs. Falls, of Littlefield, visited T. L. Gallagher's Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Watson and family visited Randolph's at Whiteface Sunday.—Reporter.

Needmore News

Mr. and Mrs. Harvie Brewer and children of Muleshoe, have moved to Needmore. We are glad to welcome them. Harvie is going to be our blacksmith. Lon Richardson was home this weekend, staying with his home folks. He is working on a ranch near Circlebark. Ray Carter had the misfortune of getting his fingers mashed pretty bad. Audie Heath has returned from a short visit at Borwick with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Phillips. Roger Harvey motored to Canyon Friday after school to spend the weekend with his wife who is attending college there. A number of men held the church floor last week, which will be lots of help when the sand blows. Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Webb went to Lubbock Wednesday on business. While there they visited with A. F. Pulliam and family. Mrs. and Mr. W. M. Pool, Jr. were in Amarillo one day last week for Mrs. Pool to receive medical examination. Mrs. Bones' mother from Ralls is visiting here.

A revival meeting will start March 28 Rev. Ed Tharp, of Hale Center will bring the message.—Reporter.

BOYKIN-SCHLENKER

Miss Maurine Boykin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Boykin, became the bride of J. R. (Chick) Schlenker in an impressive ceremony solemnized Sunday morning at 8:30 o'clock, Feb. 14 at the Church of Christ at Comanche. Mrs. Schlenker is a graduate of the Brownwood Howard Payne academy and a student of Abilene Christian college.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlenker, pioneers of Friona locality, and has spent most of his life there. He is a graduate of Friona High school and attended West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon. Elder A. C. Nance read the ceremony for the couple with Miss Mary Hutchinson, Gaston Boykin and Mrs. Nance as witnesses.

Mrs. Schlenker is a sister of Mrs. Vaulter Waggon of Muleshoe and Mr. Schlenker was formerly in the oil business at Lazbuddy. After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home west of Friona on Mr. Schlenker's ranch.

One thing in favor of cold weather: There is a decline in the number of fish stories that parade the nation.

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