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CO. TEACHERS INSTITUTE WILL BE HERE FRIDAY

Teachers Guests of Business Men At Noon Luncheon.

Bailey county school teachers, about 65 in number, and other school officials will be guests of the Chamber of Commerce at a banquet to be held Friday noon in the annex of the Methodist church. It is the occasion of the teachers institute of this county which will be held here during the day, and local businessmen are availing themselves of the pleasure of having these instructors as their guests during the regular luncheon hour of the commercial meeting.

Institute meetings will probably be held in the auditorium of the Methodist church. Prof. C. D. Holbrook, deputy state superintendent of public instruction, has been invited and has accepted an invitation from County Superintendent M. G. Miller to be present to deliver the principal address of the occasion.

There will also be other short talks, round table discussion of subjects of interest to teachers, including music and other entertaining features during the morning hour.

In the afternoon matters appertaining to the State Interscholastic league will be discussed and the Bailey county organization will be perfected.

TEXAS HELPS OTHER STATES IN BUILDING OF HIGHWAYS

Figures from the office of Comptroller George H. Sheppard, checked by State Auditor Tom King, show that out of 6,989,294.54 gallons of gasoline produced in Texas refineries in one year, this state received direct taxes on only the 1,164,395.626 gallons consumed by Texas motorists, who paid the \$46,575,825.04 in 40 per gallon levy at the pumps. Deducing the 12,356,542 gallons of Texas refined gasoline used by the federal government, and therefore not taxable, the United States pulled down the neat sum of \$69,759,380.22 on the 16 per gallon tax on this Texas product.

State Highway department records show Texas received but \$12,273,957.00 in federal aid for all kinds of highway purposes for the one year period. Thus some 57 1/2 millions of Texas produced tax dollars went to build highways in the other 47 states.

For each dollar received Texas produced 86 of the fund.

FARMER CO. GETS HWY

Contract was let last week for construction work on State Highway No. 60 in Farmer and Castro counties, a total of 17.1 miles, under a bid of \$153,302.

The work will include flexible base course and double asphalt surface treatment.

IMPROVING PARK GROUNDS

Workmen are this week rebuilding the grandstand and fencing around Warren park which blew down some weeks ago. When reconstructed this time, it will be greatly strengthened to forestall another similar catastrophe.

ACTION URGED TO SEE THAT BAILEY COUNTY GETS PROPER QUOTA IN THE FARM TENANT PLAN NOW AVAILABLE

It is not yet known how much Bailey county will participate in the Texas Farm Tenant loans for land buying soon to be started, according to J. W. McDermott, manager of the Resettlement administration in this county.

Mr. McDermott is of the opinion some local influence will be necessary to see that this county gets its proper quota of the \$69,000,000 appropriated to Texas for farm buying. It has also been suggested by other interested citizens that some action in this direction should be taken by the Bailey County Commissioners' court and the Chamber of Commerce in Muleshoe. It is understood this county is entitled to a minimum of 10 loans under the farm tenancy plan.

For administration of the program, Texas has been divided into two sections, one comprising Panhandle counties, and the other the remainder of the state. The former will be part of a "dust bowl" region including parts of Oklahoma, Kansas and Colorado, with headquarters at Amarillo. John E. Hill of Amarillo will head a committee just named by Secretary Wallace. A separate committee has been named for the rest of the state. These committees have yet to select the counties for the program and the three-member com-

So. Plains To Yield 900,000 Bales Staple Estimate of Officials

Reports coming in from over the South Plains area indicate approximately 975,000 bales of cotton have been ginned to date, with another 50,000 bales still lying in the fields or in trucks and wagons about the gins awaiting their turn for seed cleaning and baling. It is now freely estimated that between 800,000 and 900,000 bales will be ginned in this area this year, while some predict the total may run as high as a million.

Cotton gins all over this section have been running day and night for several weeks past, and it is generally agreed 30 per cent of the cotton is yet to be ginned. The yield this year is said to be miraculous in as much as approximately 40 per cent of the crop had to be replanted; some of it twice.

Pickers are still in demand. Recent colder weather has sent thousands of Mexicans and Negro pickers back farther south to more salubrious climate still picking in being rushed to completion as rapidly as possible, for it is realized every day now is that much closer to wintertime.

The larger per cent of cotton is going into the government loan and banks are crowded daily taking care of the papers. Congresses and warehouses are rapidly filling.

It is now estimated that between 15,000 and 16,000 bales have been ginned in Bailey county and that the total for this county will run well over 20,000 bales.

\$49,826 WPA Funds Spent In Bailey Co. During Two Years

Lubbock, Dec. 1.—Expenditures of \$3,817,266 were made on Works Progress Administration projects in the 23 counties now administered from the Lubbock office during the first two fiscal years of operation, it was disclosed today by J. O. Jones, administrative officer.

Local political subdivisions have expended \$1,060,301, or 29 percent of the total amount administered from the Lubbock office has contributed \$2,756,965.

Explaining that the amount of money expended by WPA in each locality depends upon the number of available certified workers and upon the amount of money which can be provided by the sponsors of projects, Jones stated that in Bailey county WPA expenditures totaled \$49,826, while the county spent \$20,707 of its own money.

SEEK AN ARTESIAN FLOW

Portales, N. M., citizens are to seek for an artesian flow of water in their irrigated section, \$500 having been appropriated by the State and \$500 by local citizens for this investigation.

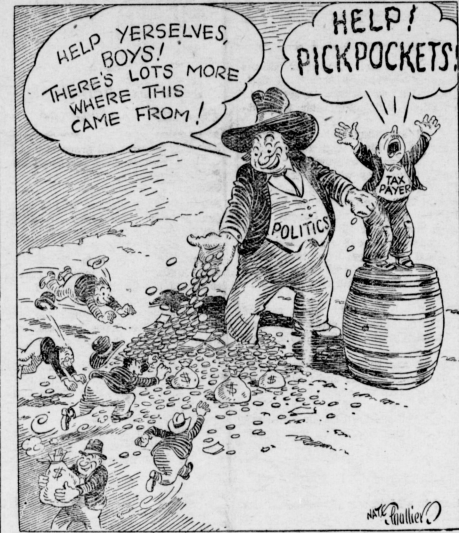
There is said to now be a well in that valley where the water frequently bubbles out over the surface, and it is believed that with a little deeper digging an artesian flow may be encountered.

GETS HAND MANGLED

G. P. Howell, prominent Enchito citizen, suffered a badly mangled right hand one day last week, according to report received here.

He was working on a car, the motor running, and his hand caught in the fan belt, causing the accident.

THE MODERN "LIBERAL"



DISTRICT COURT GRINDS OUT LEGAL GRIST; FEW CASES ARE SET AND HEARD; FOUR DIVORCES GRANTED

GRAND JURY HEARS MASS OF WITNESSES, GATHERS INFORMATION FOR CRIMINAL CASES, WILL MEET AGAIN FRIDAY FOR FURTHER DELIBERATION AND DETERMINATION.

Following a two days action of Bailey County District court, adjournment was taken until Friday morning of this week. The Grand Jury, after considerable deliberation and hearing of witnesses, also adjourned until Friday morning. No indictments have yet been returned to the sheriff.

Court action the first of this week was as follows:

J. E. Bust vs. Gage Gin Co., suit for debt, set for Dec. 6.

Abner Mig. Co. vs. H. H. Copeland, continued by agreement.

Maple Wilson vs. L. E. May, judgment for debt.

Texas Rural Communities vs. Ira B. Neatie Odem, judgment for plaintiff.

Aviation Credit Corp. vs. Douglas Howell, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.

Ira Keim et vir vs. T. V. Hill et al.,

to pass to try title, continued for service.

Bess Rorex vs. H. C. Lindey et al., pleadings amended and set for Dec. 13.

S. A. Wells vs. J. J. Woodside et al., S. P. to try title, defendant filed disclaimer.

Dwight Pierce vs. A. L. McMurtry et al., set for Dec. 6.

E. R. Hart vs. E. R. Borger, continued for service.

J. T. Waltrip vs. G. C. McAdams, damage suit, set for Dec. 10.

Criminal suits will probably be heard next week.

Divorces were granted as follows:

Carrie Agnes McCoy from Fred Raymond McCoy; Mrs. A. M. Carothers from Forney Carothers; Dollie Sadberry from Howard Sadberry; Velma Jordan from Artice Jordan.

LITTLE MOISTURE FOR 1938 WHEAT CROP MAY BE DETERMINING FACTOR IN PRICE AND YIELD NEXT YEAR

With most of the wheat for 1938 crop planted several weeks ago, it is now possible to give some more or less intelligent forecast as to its future, especially in the southwest area where about 30 per cent of the acreage is grown. It is generally reported that an even greater acreage has been seeded this fall than a year ago, hence many prognosticators have already begun forecasting low prices per bushel next year; but present indications are to the effect such may not be the case.

Practical experience agrees with scientific experiment in the conclusion that in this Great Plains area the rainfall for three months, July-September, received before the seed was planted, bears a close relation to the final crop yield expected next June.

There have been four successive years of crop shortage in this vast territory and the rainfall records for July-September are highly suggestive of another year of wheat shortage in the winter belt of the far southwest. Locally, already some complaints are being heard of wheat which started off in excellent manner not doing so well.

Some farmers believe it is going to take more than good spring rains, such as were enjoyed this year for a bumper crop, to produce satisfactory yields next year.

This year, west of the 100th meridian, the rainfall is said to be slightly smaller than it was in 1936. The record for the three months generally averaging 4.71 inches, against 4.76 inches in 1936, while October and November have further added to current deficiencies. East of the 100th meridian it is said moisture conditions are a little better, generally speaking, than they were this time last year, but still remain well below normal.

With a short wheat crop now being harvested in Australia and Argentina; with Russia apparently largely rid of her surplus; with Canada contributing only a small export supply, it looks as if the moderate U. S. surplus will be needed. The early indications of another small winter wheat crop next

year may become an important factor next spring in the determination of wheat values.

LESTER HAMMONS MAY GET SCOUT LIFE-SAVING MEDAL

Application has been made by the Northwest District Court of Honor committee to the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, in behalf of Lester Hammons of Troop 20 at Muleshoe for a Life Saving award. The deed was done at the Muleshoe swimming pool this past summer while Scout Hammons was watching a number of other boys playing in the pool. One, he noticed, was going under and calling for help. With his clothes on, he immediately jumped into the water and rescued the boy and thus saved his life.

The application will have to be approved by the National Court of Honor or whose chairman is Daniel Carter Beard. Should the application be accepted, Lester will receive his Life Saving medal with special recognition.

F. Gallman is Scoutmaster of Troop 20 and Lester is one of the Patrol leaders.

COMPLETE HIGHWAY 28 IN 1938

Assurances have been given by the State Highway Department that State Highway No. 28, passing through Muleshoe, will be fully paved during the coming year.

In this area only a few miles east of here in Lamb county remain unpaved. It is stated contract for such may be let in January or February, work to begin as soon as frost danger has passed.

MOORE IS BACK IN JAIL

Edward Moore, a local prisoner from the Floyd county jail and wanted in Muleshoe on a charge of kidnapping, was captured Thursday last week near Dallas.

When he left Floydada he is said to have stolen a Plymouth car, which later was abandoned and another car taken in which he was found by officers.

Wholesale Cancellation Of Gin Insurance Is Threatened For Plains

With insurance rates already high on cotton gins in the South Plains area, threats have been made by such companies to entirely cancel policies because of constant occurrence of fires.

Last week, while no gins were burned, there were several fires in and about gins located in this section. The gin at Slide in Lubbock county lost 450 bales, 42 trailers belonging to farmers, a cottonseed storehouse and a tractor.

A gin at Oasis reported heavy damage from the wind last Friday night.

G. P. Howell, Enoch, reported about 100 bales and unginched cotton lost by blowing burrs.

At Wolforth two gins lost about 25 bales.

Several bales loss is reported at Tahoka, also several bales lost at the New Home gin near Slide.

At Morton the fire in burr pit endangered entire plant, but heroic efforts of workmen and farmers obviated any damage.

At Littlefield ignited burrs set fire to a straw stack near by; but there was no damage to cotton or gin.

Minor losses are reported at a Leveland gin.

The burrs, the bolls from which cotton has been extracted, are generally burned as rapidly as they accumulate. In some instances they are used by ginners as fuel; but in all cases are more or less dangerous, it is said.

123 Cotton Growers Get A Complimentary Feed From 2 Ginners

One hundred and twentythree customers and the employees of the two gins in Muleshoe enjoyed real Thanksgiving dinners Thursday of last week when they became guests of the gin managers at two local cafes during the day.

Tickets were given customers that day as they brought their cotton for ginning, entitling them to big turkey dinners with all the fixins' at the cafes.

Dinners were served 61 customers of the Edwards gin at the "Hot Shot" cafe, while the Rosa-Dora cafe served dinners to 42 customers of the Burrow gin, the feasts at both places being greatly enjoyed by the recipients.

Throughout the day both gins ran full capacity turning out nearly 200 bales of the fleecy staple during the 24 hour period.

FINED FOR LAW INFRACTION

Representing himself and three others, Dr. J. F. Jureton of Dallas, last Friday pleaded guilty to a charge alleging the killing of quail out of season in Justice court here, being assessed a fine of \$50 and costs.

It is said the killing of these birds occurred on th H. E. Musson farm about 15 miles south of here, it being occupied by Happy Waggon.

SUDAN TO GET SEWER

Contract was let last week to Panhandle Construction Co., Lubbock in the sum of \$20,591.15 for construction of a sewer system at Sudan.

Work will be started Dec. 7; but a full crew will not be put on until after January 1.

STATE MOVES TO HALT THE SPREAD OF PINK BOLL WORM IN THIS AREA SOME COUNTIES ARE NOW INFESTED

Last week 10 additional inspectors were ordered into the Plains counties to prevent the spread of pink boll worm infestation, according to information received here from Austin. Some infestation has been reported in the southern part of Bailey county; but is being closely watched against spreading.

J. M. Del Curto, entomologist, said cotton growers and peace officers in adjacent counties, now free of the pests, had requested more men for patrolling roads.

He said all seed produced in Winkler, Crane, Upton, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Howard, Martin, Andrews, Dawson, Terry, Gaines, Yoakum, Cochran, Hockley, Lamb and Bailey counties must be sent to designated mills properly qualified to sterilize it.

Due to the best crop in history in the Plains region there was a tendency to smuggle some seed into adjacent counties, he said, exposing them to possible infestation by the worst of cotton pests.

Although the infestation is light, the department has decided to throw all its resources into an attempt to check its spread, he explained.

FARM BILL UP FOR ACTION IN SPECIAL MEET

Two Bills Widely Different Excite Comments Of Officials.

With introduction of the proposed Farm bill in both houses of Congress maxillary causticness began in earnest. There is much variance between the House and Senate bill, and it is already predicted a joint session of some kind may have to be held in an effort to get the two proposals more in harmony before any voting can even be attempted.

Plenty of criticism is rife over the proposed measures. Senator Burke said "I don't know whether you would find anything in Russia worse?" and other similar ejaculations have been let out. In the House the majority report was followed by a minority one, also.

Senator Vandenberg contended it would not be fair to penalize a farmer who made incorrect or incomplete reports due to a misunderstanding of the bill's provisions.

"I don't think it's fair to ask the farmer to comprehend that which I doubt 90 out of 96 senators comprehend at the present moment," he said.

Pope declared the penalty section would be fairly easy for farmers to understand, but gave assurance if there were any real doubt about it he would join in urging safeguards for farmers "innocently" in error.

Senator Connally likened the Senate to a doctor trying to cure farm ills. This brought from McNary the reply: "There is one big difference. When a patient doesn't behave you put him in a hospital. When it's a farmer, you put him in jail."

Senator Tydings declared the bill would accumulate the depression if more than \$500,000,000 were spent on the proposed ever-normal granary program.

Pope said he did not know how much the program would cost, although he was sure if farmers received parity prices for their crops, the amount would be very little.

The House agriculture committee voted 16 to 7 to recommend the House pass the bill and the committee completed early this week.

Those voting against the majority report included Representative Kleberk.

Chairman Jones said the most significant part of the bill was a provision that more than \$100,000,000 of customers receipts earmarked annually for removal of crop surpluses be used to develop new foreign and domestic markets.

The measure proposes to stabilize prices through control of acreage and marketing and an ever-normal granary plus loans and subsidies to farmers.

The Senate has a half week of farm debate behind it, but leaders said they still little likelihood of a vote for another six or seven days. The chambers are considering separate bills.

It is already being freely predicted that the Farm bill may go over to the regular session beginning next January before passage.

One acre of ground near Olney Springs, Colo., last week yielded 485 rattlesnakes and there were still many more of the vipers who crawled away to safety.

Del Curto, said the men would combat at Lubbock then deploy throughout the quarantine area.

Their job will also include inspection of cotton pickers' sacks, often an innocent means of transporting the damaging worms. Nomadic in tendencies, many pickers follow the crop northward as it matures, returning at the close of the season to their homes. Often the cotton sacks they carry contain infested seeds which must be destroyed if the worm is not to be carried to "clean" areas.

The insect, which propagates in a moth-worm cycle, has gradually worked north from the Rio Grande, the entomologist explained. The moth deposits almost microscopic eggs on blooms, squares and bolls. The worms burrow into the plant, retarding growth and lowering quality. Eventually the worms become moths which in turn deposit more eggs.

The half grown worm burrows into seeds which, if not properly sterilized permit further propagation.

The worm, scientists believe, came from India, thence to Egypt and later to Mexico where Egyptian seed was introduced. From the southern prairie some of the pests were carried to Texas.

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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if It Fails

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

And Jesus answering said unto him, It is said, Thou shalt not tempt the Lord thy God.—Luke 4:22
Learn to say "No"; it will be of more use to you than to be able to read Latin.—Spurgeon.

FARM HELP

It may come as a surprise to the average Muleshoe citizen to learn that despite the fact that the relief rolls of this nation still carry the names of several million able-bodied men, there is a serious scarcity of farm help.

It is a serious shortage because, according to farm paper editors throughout the country, that it now forms one of the chief topics of conversation wherever farm residents assemble to talk over farm life and agricultural conditions.

One editor suggests that relief from a farm help shortage can be worked out by neighbors cooperating in the ownership of farm machinery. If farms are located so this can be done it is one way to have a large investment in labor-saving machinery without each one spending a lot of money. Banding together to help each other during such seasons is another suggestion.

At any rate, it's a strange situation. During the depression men who lived in the city were glad to get back to the old farm because it afforded a living for them. With prosperity returning they are going back to the city because it offers shorter hours and what seems to be better wages. It is too bad that more young people cannot see that the farm offers an opportunity for building a more successful life than in the city. If more boys could be made to realize this the farm help problem would be solved, and the future welfare and comfort of those same boys made more certain.

Recently President Roosevelt has indicated something should be done about getting folks out of the congested cities and into small towns and on country plots. The Journal agrees with that need, not so much from a business standpoint as from one of a humanitarian nature.

There are still plenty of folks in cities who yearn to get back to the small town of a farm; but the demands of our modern civilization have created such warped and biased ideas of pleasure and such a yearning for cash with which to buy so-called luxuries of life, many have entirely forgotten the benefits of living close to nature and the joys of the simpler life.

Many city folks actually need to be

back in the small towns or on farms, and small towns can aid greatly in this direction of satisfying their desires and of assisting in furnishing extra farm help by organizing in their municipalities numerous small concerns which would furnish regular payrolls, some seasonable, some year-round, and permit folks at other times to do farm work of different kinds.

Right here in Muleshoe the establishing of a creamery or cheese factory, egg processing plant, canning factory, broom oen factory, molasses mill—and numerous other small factory concerns, would mean much toward the development of the town and added help to surrounding farmers.

NOT LIKE OLD TIMES

How many Muleshoe old-timers ever pause to wonder whatever became of those comfortable chairs and benches that used to stand invitingly on the sidewalk in front of most small town, village and cross-roads stores and hotels? Mostly they have disappeared in the tempo of the motor age, but the fellowship for which they stood in the horse-and-buggy days has not been entirely forgotten by older residents.

Thumbed against the wall in one of those conveniences a man could rest and watch the world go by. There was serenity, right on Main street, and a comfort this modern generation doesn't feel. No unharmed talk, plenty of time for the spinning of yarns and discussion of anything from village news to the state of the nation. Occupants of those old chairs—most of them now gone with the chairs—got something out of life that their descendants must forever live in ignorance of, something that made life in general more leisurely and agreeable.

Aims, if a chair or two stood out in front of a local store today it would soon be deep in the dust of passing automobiles. Yet, if they could be brought back their return would perhaps be hailed by the present generation as hearty as it was by the sidewalk chair-brigade of years gone by. Who knows but what there might come back with them, too, that fine old spirit of friendship so characteristic of the men who occupied them, as well as the men who paused as they passed to offer words of greeting. If that sort of spirit could be brought back with the old chairs that once stood in front of store and hotel, then their return would be in the nature of a blessing.

OLD AS THE HILLS

A few days ago there appeared in American papers a news item from London in which it was stated that excavators who are bringing to light the secrets of ancient and buried Carthage recently found a tiny lamp in a temple erected centuries ago, before Christ came upon earth, and that engraved on the bottom of the lamp is this legend: "Why not buy our lamps; they are the cheapest in Carthage." The price, one drachm, was also cut into the clay.

Can the fellow who thinks advertising is a new and costly fad want any better evidence that it is as old as the hills, and can't he find a lesson in the fact that if advertising was good in the early days of the world when it was difficult to get an ad before the public that it ought to be better now that millions read them?

It's worth thinking over, anyhow, and we pass it on for the consideration of our non-advertising friends with the hope that they will decide to show as much enterprise as the old

merchants of Carthage—that they will make the balance of 1937 and all of 1938 the best months in their history—a thing that can be done through the use of printer's ink.

MODERN BEATTITUDES

Blessed are those Muleshoe citizens who plant trees and shrubs in their yards and along our streets, for future generations will enjoy their thoughtfulness.

Blessed are they who appreciate God's gift of birds and flowers and who encourage their growth.

Blessed are they who scatter flower seed and keep others from destroying the wild flowers along the roadsides.

Blessed are they who banish billboards from their property, for they are protectors of outdoor beauty.

Blessed are they who keep their property in repair and their houses painted for they beautify the town in which they live.

Blessed are they who speak well of schools and churches, and of the men and women who give them their support.

Blessed are they who greet the stranger with a smile and their neighbors with a handshake.

Blessed are they who do all these things, for there shall be joy and happiness in their hearts the whole year round.

Jaunty Journalettes

Next to a Muleshoe girl marrying the man she wants perhaps it's about as well for her to marry the man every other girl wants.

Plenty of Muleshoe men when married thought they and their wives became one; but later on discovered they were 10. She was the one and he the naught.

When they die and go to heaven, as all Muleshoe men certainly will, some will probably complain that their mansion in the skies hasn't enough closet room.

Blessed is the Muleshoe man who has mastered the art of listening to his wife and the radio at the same time.

It's quite easy to tell when some Muleshoe men have gone as far as they'll ever go. They begin to get independent and sassy.

Plenty of Muleshoe women always feel much better after a good cry. It not only gets things out of their systems; but out of their husbands, too.

A Chicago physician says the way to say "civilization" is to make men over. We happen to know some Muleshoe wives who have been trying to do that very thing for some time past.

What has become of the old-fashioned Muleshoe man who refused to get his hair cut in winter time for fear he would catch cold?

One way for a Muleshoe woman to prove she is crazy to get married is to become the blushing bride of a man who has already had two or three wives.

Another thing the average Muleshoe car owner can't understand is why auto tires commence to develop weak places just after he has decided to make them last until spring.

SNAP SHOTS

This day in time a fool and his money are parted sooner than they used to be because now the fool can always find a slot machine.

Some women are just creatures of habit. For instance, look at the Chicago beauty show winner who is now asking for her eighth divorce.

It's natural for other nations to think only of war, for they don't have championship boxing and wrestling fights, world series baseball and nerve-racking football contests as America does.

Sometimes it seems that a free country is one in which every 100 people have 100 different ideas of what constitutes wickedness.

Last year automobiles killed more than 34,000 people in the U. S., but there is no way of getting at the number they kept broke.

Women in Africa are said to be clamoring for American clothes. The modern styles would undoubtedly be very appropriate down there.

Some people think prosperous times are those in which one can buy things in three installments instead of 10.

Even when they all the hands, kidnapers and other criminals killed off, the U. S. will still have plenty of people left.

The Bible has been translated in whole or in part, into 901 languages



Jess' Jasack Josh and Mulesense

The way to grow old gracefully is to be able to change one's mind—that is, don't be a mule.

No farmer is blamed if his mule balks, so why blame the President when Congress balks!

Saving Big Business is much like saving Mules from a burning stable. The mules invariably run back in.

Believe it or not, C. C. Lusk, Decatur Texas, claims to have a mule, the mother of a colt, sired by a mule.

It is said one reason Missouri stands at the head of all the states in raising mules is because the other end is dangerous.

One thing you kin say fuh a mule, remarked a negro cotton picker last week. He ain't nobody's "yes-man"—nawsut!

Our idea of a gentleman farmer is one who is so well fixed he can waste profanity on a golf ball instead of on a mule.

We heard the other day of a mule that was absolutely sure-footed. He could kick three times in exactly the same place.

A man told us the other day he had a car with a 50 horsepower motor in it. The thing always died when he was in the biggest hurry.

Tom Kerr of Larkin, Ark., recently bought a mule with a bride thrown in for \$1 at a public sale. He took the bride home and left the mule.

In an old graveyard in Maine there is a tombstone which bears the following inscription: "Here lies the body of Enoch Holden, who died unexpectedly and without warning by being kicked to death by a mule. Well done, good and faithful servant!"

It is reported a citizen residing in Muleshoe territory bought a mule over in Lamb county. The previous owner "forgot" to inform him the mule was a bad kicker; but he did throw in a couple of bottles of liniment in the deal.

Pavement Pickups

Rev. Sharp says since a scientist has declared there were no apples in the Garden of Eden, then it must have been a "peach" that Adam fell for.

D. L. Butts suggests maybe some fellows are referred to as "human dynamos" because everything they've got is charged.

Rev. Reynolds admits that in some instances repentance seems to be a change of heart when it's merely the condition of the liver.

Will Harper is said to have been arrested last Thursday and charged with possession of 10 pints of whiskey. It is said the entire left side of Harper was a dark chocolate color.

The great and the down-trodden are much alike in one respect, says Dr. Williams. They didn't give a darn last Thursday who saw them eating turkey with their fingers.

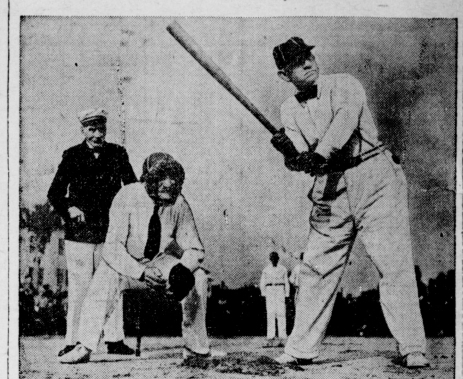
Just to prove he's a chip off the old block, Buddy Taylor insisted the other day that hash was the connecting link between the animal and vegetable kingdom, and Doc Curtis declares the boy never read any of Darwin's theories.

Cecil Harvey, who for sometime past has been raising pigeons, and a few of them having strayed away, is now crossing them with parrots, so if they get lost they can ask their way back home!

Irvin St. Clair says he has never been able to understand how a fellow who buys on credit here at home can have a Merry Christmas with presents he bought from a mail-order house for cash.

C. E. Dotson says if Congress wishes to really do something for the farmers that would be universally appreciated let them incorporate in the New Farm bill some plan whereby crops may be cultivated early in the spring and late

Three-Quarters-Century Ball Game



DOWN in sunny St. Petersburg, Fla., the Three-Quarters-Century club is in its baseball season of four months, games being played twice a week. No man under seventy-five years of age is allowed to play. In the picture, left to right, are: Charles W. (Pop) Eldridge, one hundred and four, of Worcester, Mass., umpire; M. B. Fribe, eighty-six, of Bowling Green, Ohio, and A. T. (Casey) Nichols, seventy-six, who is the youngest man on the team, is shown as he is batting.

in the fall when the weather is not so hot. The only antimony smelter in the U. S. is at Laredo, Texas.

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There will be two complete lines of cars introduced, both distinctly new and one entirely different line of trucks and commercials. Watch this paper for an "announcement date" and be prepared to see the most distinctive automobile offered for 1938 by any manufacturer!

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CHRISTMAS JUST AROUND THE CORNER; SHOP EARLY

Christmas is just around the corner now—and here is the first suggestion for early shopping. Why punish yourself this year? Why fight your way through mobs of other shoppers? Why take chances on finding the very things you want to buy gone—SOLD OUT? Why deliberately turn what can be a leisurely, pleasantly shopping jaunt into a fierce scramble? Have a heart—don't do it again this year!

Delay in Christmas shopping is unfair all 'round. It's unfair to yourself, to the stores, the post office, the clerks behind the counter—unfair to the folks who sell gifts, folks who buy them and folks who receive them.

Start preparing that gift list now. By beginning early you can take it slow and easy, use better judgement, not overlook anything or anybody. Watch the advertisements appearing in the Journal—they contain much information of importance to all Christmas shoppers!

NEWS TRENDS

INDICATIONS OF THINGS THAT MAY HAPPEN AND SOME THAT MAY NOT

Since the coming year is one of election, it is not thought probable much will be done about overhauling and enforcing antitrust laws.

Adolph Hitler, German dictator, is reported building an impregnable stone fortress for personal residence near his present chateau.

Since 1938 is to be election year, it is not thought any new taxes of a seriously burdening nature will be passed this session of Congress.

Following the lead of Brazil in establishing dictatorship, it is now rumored Peru and possibly some other South American countries may turn Fascist.

Fight as much as he could against the anti-lunching bill, U. S. Senator Connally, this will probably concede it will eventually pass in Congress.

The Government blocked the shipment of 29 airplanes to China. It stopped the same shipment from going to Spain. Now they have disappeared and the public is wondering why and where.

Doctor-scientists of Johns Hopkins hospital claim to have discovered a serum for the cure of flu, grippe and pneumonia that averages 90 per cent efficient. It will be used largely this winter in CCC camps.

Rep. Maury Maverick, San Antonio, opened this session of Congress by insisting he would not be "bluffed, bulldozed or brow-beaten." Indications are he may step into Tom Blanton's shoes as the House's inquisitive member.

Recent survey made officially indicates President Roosevelt's popularity averages about the same today as when he was elected in 1936. While losing in some areas he has gained a little in others.

Notwithstanding the reported desire to balance the national budget it is the expressed opinion of many leaders in public opinion these may be another period of spending in the near future, manifest chiefly through issuance of Federal corporation stocks.

The report that Big Business has trumped up the general business recession is branded as a conspiracy by many leading industrialists. A representative of the Administration a few days ago told Wall Street where to head in; but now Congress has been given a tip to do something about taxes.

It came out a few days ago that President Roosevelt's message to Congress was published about a half hour before it was delivered in the presence of that body. It is customary to give out advance copies of such addresses to newspapers, and it is thought some one of these just pulled a "bonehead" releasing it unintentionally to the public.

Looks now like general business conditions rather than congressional or administration leadership may do most of the detaching in the special session of Congress. The much-wanted farm bill may have to actually be written on floor of Congress by members of both houses—and may then not pass before the regular session beginning in January.

Before House Numbering

Before houses were numbered, London's business streets were lined on both sides by a succession of gay signboards exhibiting an almost infinite variety of blue boars, black swans, red lions, flying pigs and the like. Even with these signs it was often hard to find one's destination, for the signs were often so badly painted that it would have puzzled a naturalist to make out the animal meant.

Can See Many Miles

From a point on the Trail Ridge road in Rocky Mountain national park in Colorado more than 100 miles of the mountain range can be seen.

Dr. J. A. Hill Will Speak To Scouts At Council Honor Court

Dr. J. A. Hill, president, West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon, will be guest speaker when Scouts and leaders from over the entire South Plains council come together for the first council-wide Court of Honor to be held at Lubbock High School Auditorium Friday night, December 3 at 7:30 o'clock.

Approximately 1500 Scouts and leaders are expected to take part in this mammoth demonstration of scouting. Scouts will be the whole show. Every rank of Scouting will be recognized as well as the Cubs in the younger boys' program and the Sea Scouts in the older division of the movement.

Men representing every district in the Council have an important part on the program in presenting the different awards. These men are the District Court of Honor Chairmen that promote and stimulate the advancement program in the districts. George W. Dupree, Council Court of Honor chairman, Lubbock, will preside.

Scouts and leaders are urged to invite their parents to this greatest demonstration of Scouting ever attempted on the South Plains. The various scenes and advancements are depicted in real life tableaux by Scouts.

WEST CAMP H. D. CLUB

The club met with Mrs. Luther Blakley Wednesday, Nov. 24. Roll call was answered by "What Can Cause an Accident in the Home." Time for recreation was spent by telling "The Funniest Accident I Ever Saw."

Plans were made for the club Christmas tree and program to be in the home of Mrs. Johnnie Williams Dec. 15. A miscellaneous shower was given for Mrs. Barton Dickinson, who recently moved out of our community.

The hostess served hot chocolate and sandwiches to Mesdames E. L. Smith, Ethel Eskridge, Oes Thompson, Joie Bright, Johnny Williams, B. Waller, and M. A. Snider.

Mrs. Oes Thompson received the hostess' gift. Mrs. M. A. Snider gave a report of the District recreation meeting held at Lubbock, Texas attending it from our club were Mrs. M. A. Snider and daughter, Wilma Louise, Mrs. Johnny Williams, Mrs. Luther Blakley and Mrs. E. L. Smith.—Reporter.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF TEXAS, AT LUBBOCK

The President of the United States of America, by the Marshal of the Northern District of Texas—Greeting: GEORGE W. PARKER, COMMANDED to serve J. N. Scott, R. A. Tipton and W. B. Arnold with the accompanying writs of habeas corpus, do hereby order by Honorable T. Whitfield Davidson, United States District Judge, in Cause No. 183 in and against Clarence Boyd Markham vs. J. N. Scott, R. A. Erickson, R. A. Tipton, Joseph C. Orr, J. E. Stetzel, W. B. Arnold and J. J. Alberg, by causing the same to be published in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper regularly published in Bailey County, Texas, once a week for six consecutive weeks.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and due return of this writ make, showing how you have executed the same. WITNESS, the Honorable T. Whitfield Davidson, Judge United States District Court, Northern District of Texas, and the seal of said District Court at Lubbock, Texas, this 23 day of October, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE W. PARKER, Clerk of said District Court. By Olive Fluke, Deputy. Publ. Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25, Dec. 2, 1937.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS AT LUBBOCK

CLARENCE BOYD MARKHAM, Complainant, vs. J. N. SCOTT, ET AL, Respondents, No. 183 in Equity. On motion of the complainant in the above entitled cause, by W. D. Girard, one of his attorneys, and it appearing to the court that the respondents, J. N. Scott, R. A. Tipton and W. B. Arnold, and each of them, are not inhabitants of nor found within this District, and have not voluntarily appeared herein, and that personal service on said J. N. Scott, R. A. Tipton and W. B. Arnold, and each of them, is not practicable because the residence and whereabouts of each of said defendants is unknown; it is ORDERED that said J. N. Scott, R. A. Tipton and W. B. Arnold, respondents, and each of them, appear, plead, answer and demur to the complaint, by the 13 day of December, 1937 and in default thereof that the court will grant the writ of habeas corpus and in default of that the court will proceed with process in said District.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this order be published in the MULESHOE JOURNAL, a weekly newspaper published at Muleshoe, in Bailey County, Texas, once a week for six successive weeks.

Dated, this 22 day of October, A. D. 1937. T. Whitfield Davidson, United States District Judge.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original thereof in my office. GEO. W. PARKER, Clerk By Olive Fluke, Deputy. Publ. Oct. 28, Nov. 4, 11, 18, 25, Dec. 2, 1937.

Sun Dogs

Sun dogs are mock suns or bright spots near the sun which appear when sunlight shines through a thin cloud composed of ice crystals floating in the atmosphere. They, like numerous other halos, are the result of the refraction of solar rays by these crystals, and may appear at all times of the year, because even in the warmest weather the temperature of the upper atmosphere is below freezing.

Buy it in Muleshoe.

SCHOOL EXECUTIVES MEET

The annual banquet and program of the West Texas School Executives association will be held in the ballroom of the Hilton hotel, Lubbock, December 8, 7:00 p. m.

The theme selected for discussion relates to "Evaluation of Public Schools Today," and will be discussed by a farmer-rancher, a business man, a college man, a public school superintendent

and by Dr. Woods, state superintendent of Public Instruction. HALF CENTURY CLUB MEET The "Half Century" club will meet with Mrs. Snow Davis Thursday afternoon of this week from two to four o'clock. All women over 50 years of age are invited to attend. Mrs. Beulah Carles will be hostess to club members at the next meeting, Thursday, December ninth.

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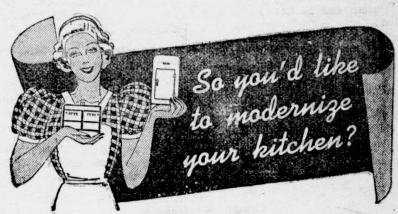


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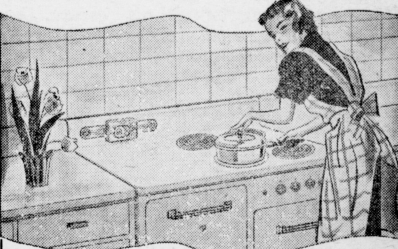
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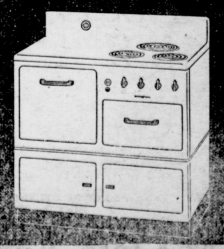


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LOCALS

- A. J. Humphrey of Lubbock was here last Saturday on business.
- Clay Beavers made a business trip to Silverton Saturday of last week.
- Irvin St. Clair made a business trip to Brownfield last Tuesday.
- I. W. Harden made a business trip to Clovis, N. M., last Tuesday afternoon.
- Miss Trannie Mae Russell spent Thanksgiving at Canyon visiting home folks.
- D. Cordova of Blum, in Hill county, attended to business and visited old acquaintances here Monday.
- Mrs. Will Harper, Mrs. Jim Cook, Miss Zoe McReynolds and Miss Naomi Harser stopped in Lubbock Monday.
- A son was born last Monday night to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Perez of Goodland.
- Mrs. Sam Aldridge of Farwell, attended to business and visited old friends here Monday.
- Lloyd Barron and Earl Cawley of Covington were here last Monday prospecting for a business location.
- Bill Garrett attended a football game at Amarillo Thursday afternoon of last week.
- Clyde Holland and Delma McCarty attended a W. P. A. school of instruction at Lubbock Wednesday evening.
- A marriage license was issued in Muleshoe Saturday of last week by J. J. Williams, county clerk to Miss Audrey Plaster and Robert W. Perry of Sudan.

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- Mrs. W. B. McAdams and daughter Miss Betty, were Amarillo visitors Friday of last week.
- Miss Helen Jones visited her sister Mrs. A. C. Hayes at Clovis, N. M., Sunday afternoon.
- Mr. and Mrs. Ned Craig attended to business and visited home folks at Lubbock Thursday of last week.
- W. D. Milroy, Jack Clements and R. G. McDonald of Farwell attended to business here Friday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Roden of Pampa, transacted legal business in Muleshoe Saturday of last week.
- Bill Broadhurst of Plainview, attended to business and visited various acquaintances here Monday.
- Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beavers and son Billy spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Calud Harrison at Childress.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Vaughan spent Thanksgiving at Clovis, N. M., with Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jennings.
- Mr. and Mrs. Irvin St. Clair and Dale Plummer were Brownfield visitors Sunday.
- E. C. Mitchell of Abilene, transacted business in Muleshoe last Monday morning.
- W. H. Attaway and family, formerly of Muleshoe but now residing at Friona were visitors here Sunday afternoon.
- Mrs. Dalte Plummer spent the weekend at Friona visiting home folks and friends.
- G. C. McAdams of Sudan, transacted legal business in Muleshoe last Tuesday morning.
- Albert Vaughan, of Lubbock, attended to business at the court house in Muleshoe, Tuesday.
- Mrs. Tye Young, Mrs. Courtland Paul and Mrs. Bob Kennedy shopped at Clovis, N. M., Saturday of last week.
- R. D. Fimmel of Lubbock and Byron Richardson of Slaton, attended to business here Friday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. "Lefty" McWilliams visited at Ralls and Idalou Thursday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate and two sons were Lubbock visitors Thursday of last week.
- Joe Bill Alsop made a business trip to Plainview Wednesday of last week and while there visited various acquaintances.
- Miss June Howard who has been employed at the local Government Cotton office for the past few weeks, left Monday for her home at Lubbock.
- Mrs. Courtland Paul of Oil Center, N. M., has been visiting in Muleshoe for the past several days with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Paul.

- S. T. Harrison of Memphis was here last Monday looking after his farm interests in southwest Bailey county, he owning about 3,000 acres of land.
- Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Childress returned to Muleshoe Saturday evening of last week from a business trip to Dallas.
- Mrs. Bill Garrett returned home to Muleshoe Friday of last week from a visit of several days with her sister, Mrs. Gene Brown at Refugio.
- Mr. and Mrs. Eudess Wagner and children of Dimmitt, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, Sunday.
- Dr. S. E. Goucher of Altus, Okla., and G. W. Gomer of Oklahoma City, looked after their land interests north of Muleshoe Saturday of last week.
- Roscoe Barton and Howard Carter returned Monday from Los Angeles, California where they spent the past year.
- Joel Lee sr., of Aspermont, attended to business and visited in Muleshoe the first of the week, returning home Wednesday.
- FOR Cash Rent: 150 a. farm, 4-room house, well, windmill, 75 a. in pasture, good barns. See R. L. Brown, Muleshoe.
- Miss Okla Mae Lawrence, teacher in the Muleshoe school, spent the Thanksgiving holidays at Perryton with friends and relatives.
- Judge M. G. Miller, Miss Mildred Miller and their mother, Mrs. Willie Miller, were Lubbock visitors Thanksgiving day.
- Mrs. L. S. Barron, daughter Miss Lela Mae Barron and Miss Rosa Renfrow were Clovis, N. M., visitors Thanksgiving day.
- Mrs. Delma McCarty and two sons, Misses Mildred Miller and Elizabeth Harden shopped in Clovis, N. M., Friday of last week.
- Mrs. A. E. Lewis, son Charles Gilbert and Miss Lucille Beatty spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents at Abilene.
- Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Patton of Ralls spent Thanksgiving in Muleshoe with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Robb sr.
- Mrs. W. B. McAdams has had as her guests for the past few days her mother, Mrs. Laura Buster, and sister Miss Ray Buster, of Clovis, N. M.
- Miss Margaret Ann Cook, who is attending Tech college at Lubbock, spent Thanksgiving here visiting home folks and friends.
- F. L. Daniels of Amarillo, transacted business in Muleshoe and in the southern part of Bailey county Saturday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alsop and son Loyd returned Sunday afternoon from Austin where they spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their son, Herschel Alsop and wife.
- Miss Mary Holt, student at McMurray college at Abilene, spent the Thanksgiving holidays here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt and friends.
- Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gardner, two sons Paul and Max and Miss Clois Hudson spent Thanksgiving at Hollis, Oklahoma with their parents and other relatives.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, daughter Helen and Miss Pearl Carter made a trip to Abilene Sunday to take Miss Mary Holt to resume her studies at McMurray college.
- Elmer Seery, resident of Parnier county, was arrested here and fined \$17 in Justice court Tuesday morning on a charge alleging violation of a high way law.
- Mrs. Laura B. Cox who spent several days here looking after her land interests north of Muleshoe, left Wednesday of last week for her home at Excelsior Springs, Mo.
- Miss Sybil Coker, student at West Texas State Teachers college at Canyon, spent Thanksgiving here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Coker and sisters, Misses Frances and Jaunita.
- Richard Smith who has been at Los Angeles, California, for the past several months returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week for a visit with home folks.
- E. H. Sellards, Austin and Glen Evans, Henrietta, geologists of State university, Austin, were here last week making extensive geological investigations in Bailey county.
- While doing your Christmas shopping this season, it will be a good idea to read the advertisements in this news paper. They will give you numerous suggestions and save both time and money.
- J. A. Harris, a few years ago employed here as butcher in the Heintzinger grocery, has purchased the grocery business of A. Stuart at Sudan, taking charge last week.
- Miss Twila Farrell who is attending Texas Technological college at Lubbock spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Muleshoe with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Farrell. She returned to the Hub city Sunday afternoon to resume her studies.

- V. B. Watson, general supervisor for the rehabilitation division of the crippled children's department of education, Austin, visited Judge M. G. Miller and attended to business here Monday evening.
- LOST: Yellow horse colt about 5 months old, has white mane and tail, 9/8 brand on left shoulder. Notify Jim Cook, Muleshoe or L. P. Williams, 2406 Ave. T, Lubbock. 1tp
- FOR SALE: The Dallas Semi-Weekly farm News, regular subscription price for one year \$1.00, and The Muleshoe Journal, regular price \$1.50; both for \$2.00 per year anywhere in Bailey county. Apply at Journal office, 15-14th
- Toad Wagon left Friday morning of last week on a deer hunt in southeast Texas. He was accompanied home by his wife and two children who have been visiting at Refugio and other Texas points.
- Miss Gene Willman, who is attending Texas Tech college at Lubbock, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Willman in the Y. L. community.
- Dan Winn left Sunday afternoon for Waco to attend Grand Masonic lodge being held there this week. He was accompanied by Joe Covington and Joe Salem, Masons of Sudan.
- Miss Farnes Stewart, teacher in the Bailey school in the southern part of Bailey county, attended the Texas State Teachers association at Houston during the Thanksgiving holidays.
- Attorneys T. Wade Potter, Littlefield A. A. Wilson, Amarillo; W. D. Girard, Lubbock; Sam Aldridge, Farwell; J. E. Dryden, Sudan; A. T. Cole, Childress and Dwan Burkett, Dimmitt attended District court here last Tuesday.
- Allan Mathis, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mathis was returned to his home here the first of the week from a Lubbock sanitarium where he received medical treatment for several days on one of his eyes that was injured when he pulled a pair of scissors off of a table and they struck him. It will take several weeks to determine how badly injured his eye is, according to report.
- Among those from Muleshoe who attended the Clovis and Portales, N. M., football game played at Portales Thanksgiving afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Pat R. Bobo, Miss Twila Farrell, Mrs. K. K. Smith, Miss Margaret Gwyn, Mrs. Beulah Mothermal, Mrs. E. R. Hart, Mrs. B. W. Carles, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Taylor and son Buddy, Connie Gupton and son Connie Dale.
- Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weyer had as their guests Thursday of last week for a Thanksgiving turkey dinner Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Weyer, Mr. and Mrs. Yancey Henington of Big Square, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Weyer and family of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Weyer and two children of Muleshoe, Mrs. Cooper Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Morgan, Misses Gene and Jane Morgan, Mrs. E. H. Lamb of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Croddock of Amarillo.

TO NOMINATE CO OFFICERS

At the Chamber of Commerce meeting last Friday noon, President R. L. Brown named Cecil H. Tate, Neil Rocky and Dr. A. E. Lewis as nominating committee to suggest officials for the coming fiscal year of that organization, report to be made within two weeks.

B. C. Gilson and W. N. Davis, Dallas, representing the American Tobacco Co., gave a transcription program, reproducing some of the features of a recent radio broadcast for the Lucky Strike cigarettes, very much enjoyed by all present.

ELECT COUNTY COMMITTEE SOON

The county agent has received instructions that county and community committeemen to handle the 1938 Agricultural Conservation program are to be elected at an early date. It is reported election meetings for this purpose will be completed this week.

Although no details on the 1938 program have been released to the counties it is thought by County Agent W. C. Taylor that such information will be available to farmers during the month of December.

PARMER CO. OIL LEASES

Following recent geophysical investigations, a block of approximately 1,000 acres of land in the northwest part of Parmer county, adjoining Bailey has been leased by the Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. It is also reported that the Hunt Oil Co., of Tyler, Humble Oil Co., Sun Oil Co., Bunnell Oil Co., and The Texas Co., have also acquired acreages adjoining the Stanolind block for oil investigations.



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OIL NOTES

The Enochs oil test well, drilling in southwest Bailey county, was down 4,050 feet Tuesday afternoon and going good. A light vein of gas was struck at 3,800 feet.

Drilling is now in anhydrite. The crew is quite optimistic.

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Longview News

- Mr. and Mrs. Tom Monk of Mansfield, Okla., spent the weekend in the home of A. P. Barnett.
- Carl Essory, of Cozey, N. M., spent the weekend in the home of Joe Essary.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Carter shopped in Clovis, New Mexico, Saturday.
- Mrs. Lon Leverett of Sudan, spent Thanksgiving in the Carl Heard home.
- Mrs. E. W. Duke is visiting her sister in Big Spring.
- B. Whitte and family visited W. B. Wagon, Sunday.
- Robert Tuten visited in the D. R. Tuten home Sunday.
- The following were guests in the home of W. M. Pool, sr., Sunday in a family reunion: Ray Pool of Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pool and family of Kermitt; Harvey Pool of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Pool of Ploverman; Mr. and Mrs. Grady Davis and daughter of Lubbock; Albert Smith of Dallas, and W. M. Pool jr. and family of this place.—Reporter.

Progress News

- Singing was well attended here Sunday.
- Rev. R. B. Walden will not be here for his next regular Sunday service. He was sent to Westbrook and Rev. W. King was sent to this church.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gaston were called to the bedside of his brother-in-law who is seriously ill at Dalhart, Wednesday of last week. They returned home Sunday.
- Geo. Gross visited his brother at Lockney, Sunday.
- Mrs. Herbert Collins of Tucumcari, N. M., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Berger, this week.
- Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Harlan and son W. G., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Griffiths in Lubbock, Sunday.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kiasner of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hall of Lubbock, visited in the home of W. M. Gaston, Sunday.
- Most of the cotton fields in this community have been picked over and some the second time.—Reporter.
- Fighting Against One's Nature
Puritanism means fighting against one's human nature; consequently it is unpleasant.

WEEKLY LAY SERMON WORKERS VS. "WORKERS"

By JESS MITCHELL

For a long time there have been at least two generally recognized classes of people in the world; but this writer very much doubts if this common classification is now entirely proper and correct. "Labor and Capital" have for years past been common divisions of humanity; but more recently it appears that "Workers and "Workers" would be a more appropriate division.

During the past four or five years there have been plenty of "workers" of the government. Some have done so with the simple idea of "passing the buck" because they thought this system easier and cheaper on themselves, while others have, because of existing economic conditions, been forced in their contribution, and then endeavored to secure for themselves, their personal or community interests, all that was possible from the "National Gravy Train" as it rolled through the country.

In recent years the "worker" has become a kind of "sacred cow" in America, being worshipped by self-centered and selfish aspiring individuals as the source of all virtue, which virtue has become synonymous to votes. Whether he actually works or not, he must be provided with food and clothing, electricity, money to pay his debts and buy automobiles and tractors, in some instances with an entire home outlay. He has become the inspiration of poetry, literature and oratory galore, the center of sentimentalities, and eulogized as the arbiter of destiny, the foundation of justice and the keystone in the arch of modern civilization.

Human justice has been a pet theme of public speakers, regardless of whether the subject under discussion was entitled to it or not. Much has been made of the political contention that the "workers" is the exploited victim of the idle rich and that Entrenched Greed has gained complete control of the "workers" property, money, labor and even lives; though little is said or done to identify this alleged Greed or decapitate its Hydra-headness.

Several years ago U. S. Grant paraphrasing an expression of Karl Marx, declared: "Whatever there is of greatness in the United States is due to labor. The laborer is the author of all greatness and all wealth." That statement is quite true; but most people have failed to realize that Grant said ALL labor. That is a self-evident fact, just as true as the fact that all heart rises, all water runs down hill and all apples fall to the ground because of the law of gravitation. So ALL labor, which embodies both the physical and mental kind, is the author of all greatness and all wealth." Real workers generally recognize this fact; but the "workers" seldom understand it. Folks of affluence, financial competence and sincere labor habits understand the rigorous drain of mental endeavor; but such recognition is beyond the ability of the "workers."

"Workers" apparently have an idea that actual work is a monopolistic burden heaped upon but one class of people—those who manipulate machinery, swing hammers, steer wheelbarrows, etc. They do not understand or else fail to recognize there is also a class of wealth creators, who are also workers, and without whom they would not even have their own jobs. It goes without saying, before any

one can work there must be something at which to work. Some one must produce a logical, workable idea before an invention can be made, before other workers can improve the idea, make the machinery for its manufacture, finance its production, organize for its expansion, direct its selling and proceed with its installation. The initial and all-important beginning of practically every big enterprise furnishing labor to hundreds of others began in offices, in the studies of private homes; was proven at desks and drafting boards, mostly regardless of union hours, and by men no proletarian ever classed as a "worker."

The brain has created far more of this world's wealth than has the brawn. The brains of a few have often furnished work for hundreds of brawny men, the most of whom were lacking in the essential cerebrum cogitations necessary to produce their own jobs. There are entirely too many proofs of this statement to even question its truthfulness. Oil, for instance is natural wealth that belongs to every property owner under which it lies; but it took men like Rockefeller to make it worth anything to the masses and to provide jobs for thousands in producing, refining and disposing of it. The automobile has become one of our greatest national assets; but it took a Henry Ford, a Chrysler and dozens of others of mental acumen and inventive ingenuity to develop its direct and allied productions until today millions of men and women receive employment through the at least 32 direct new trades and businesses it opened up when it usurped the wagon and buggy. If there had been no Franklin, Edison, Tesla, Steinmetz, no General Electric, Westinghouse or a dozen other similar concerns, how many would today be producing wealth from electricity? If there had been no Jimmy Watts, no Cyrus McCormick, no Eli Whitney, no Orville Wright, no Lee DeForest, how much wealth would have been produced in these representative lines today? The same is true in the realm of science, chemistry and a dozen others that might be named.

Certainly the idea of arraying Capital against Labor is not only erroneous; but fallacious, for in the final analysis Capital is accumulated Labor, and generally labor of both mental and physical kind. Most capitalists of today, are, or at least have been, workers. They carry in their hands the scars of previous physical labor. Some have been crippled for life because of their previous physical labor and must now devote their entire efforts to the mental kind. Capital cannot create itself. The dictionary defines capital as "an accumulation of the products of past labor capable of being used in the support, present and future labor."

The amount of capital may be large or small; but the definition remains true, nevertheless. Big business cannot possibly be financed by a few. The bulk of American capital is often the aggregation of small capitals. For instance, the American Telephone and Telegraph represents nearly 800,000 people who have contributed their small capitals toward this giant organization. The Standard Oil Co., of New Jersey is financed by more than 120,000 capitalists a large percent of whom earned their capital

What's Happening In Washington And Other Cities Of Importance

Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight boxing champion, underwent an appendicitis operation in New York city last Monday.

Gene Tunney abdicated heavyweight pugilist, is now a director of a bank in New York. He also holds directorship in several other corporations.

About 1,200 workers in the Ford assembly plant at St. Louis went out on a strike Wednesday of last week. Enough workers remained and sufficient recruits were gained to keep the work going on.

With more than three-fourths of the members of M. E. Church, South voting in favor of consolidation with the M. E. church and Protestant Methodist church, it is now considered that alliance is definitely assured. Final approval will be made at General conference next spring.

There are 107 different proposed amendments to the national constitution according to report from Washington, 13 seeking to make war declaration impossible without popular vote, 32 changing the national court setup, 10 effecting changes in national election laws—and numerous others.

Delayed by an abscessed tooth from his usual Thanksgiving trip to Warm Spring, Georgia, President Roosevelt left last Saturday on a brief fishing trip to Miami, Florida where he will peruse piscatorial advocating while Congress wrestles with some of the economic measure he left behind for the Senate of his assistants accompanied him on the trip.

MRS. M. J. HARVEY HONORED

Mrs. M. J. Harvey was the honored guest at a reunion held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young in the Baiters community last Sunday, 82 persons being present including two of her sons and a daughter, 12 granddaughters, 20 grandsons, three great-granddaughters and a great-grandson. Others attending the reunion were:

Will Twigg and children, Grandford, Fla., Melvin, Marie, Pearl, G. W. Bettie Jean, David Lee, Opal Shepherd and son, Herman; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Twigg; and three daughters of McAllen; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harvey, Freda and Rudolph Harvey of Newberry; Clara Harvey of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Harvey of Watson; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Harvey and four sons, Muleshoe; Mrs. Hope Plannigan, son and daughter of Needmore; Mr. and Mrs. Knight and daughter and nephew, from Macon, Oklahoma; Ben Westberry of McAllen.

DR. W. A. JACKSON IS DEAD

Dr. W. A. Jackson, 47, head of the Department of Government, Tech college, Lubbock, died suddenly last Tuesday from heart failure.

He had previously been in excellent health. Medical diagnosis revealed stoppage of one or more blood vessels of the heart as the cause of death. Every known method available was used in an effort to revive him.

Of eight Tech instructors who have died since the college was founded in 1925, six have died suddenly and unexpectedly.

By working for this corporation, and are still working for it. The same is true with numerous other corporations and large business organizations. In fact, the real dividing line between Capital and Labor is not there; but it does actually exist BETWEEN THE KIND OF LABOR THAT WORKS AND SAVES, AND THE KIND THAT DOES NOT! The real dividing line lies between the workers and the "workers"—the folks who have helped America become what it really is today and those who deliberately, through ignorance have contributed toward its confusion and destruction.

The safety, stability and continued progress of America is contingent upon the working element of its citizenship and is fair, honest and unbiased by scheming politicians, conniving labor agitators and soap-box orators of communistic tendencies. This thesis is in no sense a plea in behalf of the wealthy of this nation; but this writer certainly does not approve of those who seek to provoke hostility against established institutions, excite war between the rich and poor and endeavor to convey the idea that all laborers are oppressed slaves in a country where wages paid are the highest at any nation of the globe and living conditions, generally speaking, are far above those of any other established government.

The true friends of America are those who recognize the rights, justice and privileges of all classes of its citizens; who contribute to the fact that capital cannot continue to exist without competent, satisfied and prosperous labor any more than can contented labor exist without agitated and productive capital.

Some one, in poetical style, has well said, and we believe it applies equally to the mental and physical worker: "Work for all who can work; To each the fruit of his work; Help for all who can't work; Hell for those who won't work."

"Father of History" Herodotus, the Greek historian, has been called the "Father of History."

GUESS WHICH IS FASTER!

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General News Over Texas And Adjoining States For The Week

It is anticipated that approximately 35,000 Texas teachers will come under the state retirement plan this year.

English Field airport administration building at Amarillo burned last Monday night, the loss being estimated at \$65,000 and cause unknown.

Albert Sidney Burison, 74 died Wednesday of last week at his home in Austin. He was postmaster general in the cabinet of President Woodrow Wilson.

Contract has been let for construction of 48 more new houses on government farm tracts in the Ropesville, Haskell county project. The project is said to be proving quite successful.

Texas liquor business furnished three-fourths of the funds to pay the October debt on permits, according to report from Austin, \$462,920 received from that source applying to such payment.

Deaf Smith county this week received another REA allotment of \$45,485 to provide for wiring and plumbing loans to 51 customers, bringing the total federal funds received to date to \$299,485.

Vice-president John Garner has been invited to be the principal speaker at the Texas Jackson Day Democratic dinner to be given in Dallas January 3, according to report. All Democrats who have contributed as much as \$25 toward the party fund will be invited to attend the feast.

TUESDAY WAS TAX DEAD LINE

Last Tuesday night marked the dead line for payment of the first half of property taxes and escape penalty unless such taxes are paid in full by Jan. 31.

Those who were fortunate in paying the first half of their taxes by last Tuesday night may pay the balance or before next June 20 without penalty or interest.

O. E. S. MEET TUESDAY

The next regular meeting of the local chapter of Eastern Star organization will be held Tuesday night, December seventh, at the usual hour. All members are urged to attend.

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SNOW FRIDAY NIGHT

The first white norther of the season visited here Friday night of last week.

Accompanied by strong wind, snow came in scurrying about everything until Saturday morning when practically all was melted away by noontime.

REED GETS AUTO INJURY

A. M. Reed, Colorado, former Bailey county citizen, received serious internal injuries Monday of last week, according to information received here last Saturday, when the truck in which he was riding collided with two other cars.

At the time of the accident he was accompanied by his son, L. A. Reed, and wife. They had been to Sweetwater on business. The elder Reed was thrown about 15 feet from the truck by the impact of cars, the other occupants of

the truck receiving only minor injuries.

Medical attention was given as soon as available and it is now thought Mr. Reed will recover.

FRANCIS GABLE, 4-H CLUB BOY GROWS BALE PER ACRE

At least a bale of cotton per acre is the yield being harvested this year by Francis Harold Gable, a first year 4-H club member of Y. L. community. Harold planted pure seed of a variety having good staple and has produced a high quality cotton by proper cultural methods.

Realizing there is always room for improvement, this boy is striving to further improve his variety of cotton by seed selection. Aiming toward uniformity of bolls, Harold selected all well-matured bolls which opened early and which contained five locks. The seed from this cotton will be used for planting next year.

FOOD

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We offer for special Saturday buying a well balanced menu for the entire family, beginning with breakfast and running through the three meals of the day. The prices are also "well balanced." People who buy food here have money left for other purchases. Come see us!

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- PRUNES, gallon30
- IRISH SPUDS, 10 pounds19
- TOMATOES, 4 cans for29
- ENGLISH WALNUTS, pound19
- APPLES, per peck29
- LETTUCE, per head05
- OATS, "Mothers," pkg.,25
- SUGAR, 10 pounds53

MARKET SPECIALS

- BACON, sliced, pound35
- CHEESE, American, per lb.29
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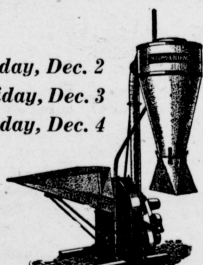
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THE REST OF THE RECORD

By James V. Allred
Gov. of Texas

ONE OR TWO-HOUSE LEGISLATURE?

Austin.—Judging from my mailbox the most popular question of the month is this: "Would the one-house legislature remedy the evils of the present two-house system?"

A great majority of those writing me think it would. Others while admitting the deficiencies of the present legislature ask pertinent questions about the unicameral one-house legislature. Senator George Norris of Nebraska, father of the unicameral plan, has answered these questions in a speech printed in the Congressional Record.

The questions given below are typical of those in letters to me. The answers are those of Senator Norris as taken from his speech.

1. Isn't the one-house legislature more representative of the people than the present system?

"The adoption of a one-house legislature is a progressive step toward greater democracy. The idea of the present two-house legislature was copied from England. One of these branches—the House of Commons represented the common people; the other branch—the House of Lords—represented the aristocracy, men of wealth. The original idea was that the aristocracy needed a house of lords to protect one class against the inroads of another. It has no place in a democratic form of government where class distinction has been abolished. The great wonder is that it has been maintained so long in a democracy like ours.

"The two-house legislature must be condemned as out of date and permitting the control of legislation by special interests which through the instrumentality of shrewd paid lobbyists are able to defeat the will of the people at every session of a legislature consisting of two houses."

2. Isn't it easier for the lobbyists to control a one-house legislature than both the house and senate?

"The reverse is absolutely true. The professional lobbyist would find his occupation gone, because his success depends upon his ability to assist the unworthy legislator to make such a record that his constituents cannot easily determine just what it is. This is also shown by the fact that in any attempt to adopt a one-house legislature, the proposition is always bitterly fought by trusts, monopolies, lobbyists, and special interests.

"In a one-house legislature, where one member of the body has the right to secure a roll call on every vote, it is impossible for anything to be done in secret. Every act of the legislature and every act of each individual must be transacted in the spotlight of publicity.

"In a two-house legislature, with its necessary conference committee, all kinds of opportunities are offered to perform public business in secret and to cover up the record so the people will not know just who is to blame for the defeat of good laws or for the inclusion of jokers.

"In a one-house legislature, the faithful servant would find his record understood by his people, and it would be impossible for the unworthy legislator to cover up his tracks. No legislation will take place in the dark. There will be no item of legislation without a public record. Legislative matters will be so simplified that the ordinary person will see through them and understand them perfectly. The people would be able, without any difficulty to punish and reward according to the record."

3. What are the evils of the free conference committee under the present two-house system and will the unicameral plan remedy such evils?

"A bill to become law in a two-house legislature must pass both branches in exactly the same form. Where there is a disagreement between the two houses, it is referred to a conference committee. This committee is more powerful in all matters referred to it than either house.

"Its meetings are held in secret; there is no such thing as a roll-call vote; and there is no record of its proceedings. A bill once referred to a conference committee, cannot become a law unless it is agreed to by a majority of the conferees representing each house.

"Thus, it is within the power of the committee, in secret and without a record vote, and without any public record whatever, to absolutely prevent legislation, and to kill or to modify, at its pleasure, any proposed legislation within its jurisdiction.

"If a report is agreed to, it is then reported to the house and to the senate, and the bill thus reported cannot be amended. It must either be accepted as a whole or rejected in its entirety. Thus, members of the senate and the house are compelled, without an opportunity to offer amendments, to vote for or against the conference bill as a whole. In order to get the good they must accept the bad. If they think the bad predominates, then, in order to reject the bad, they must likewise reject the good.

(Note: The outstanding example of this evil occurred in 1933 when the free conference committee tacked on the departmental appropriation bill the rider authorizing race track gambling which had not been considered.)

"It must be understood in consider-

"Nation's Fair" Their Objective



Mrs. Vincent Astor
Winthrop W. Aldrich

NEW YORK (Special).—Mrs. Vincent Astor, society leader and civic worker, has been appointed chairman of a National Women's Advisory Committee for the New York World's Fair of 1939. Winthrop W. Aldrich, Chairman of the Chase National Bank, is heading the men's National Committee. Together they will enlist more than 10,000 committee workers in a nationwide campaign to arouse interest in and create support for the New York Fair. Grover Whalen, President of the Fair Corporation, has announced that State Chairmen will be named later and that every state will be brought into active participation in the New York Fair, making it truly national.

1939 World's Fair Has New Ideas About Amusement Features

NEW YORK, (Special).—"Only seeing will be believing," says President Grover Whalen of the New York World's Fair 1939 Corporation, as he tries to envision what the "Fair" planning more than two years in advance, in the way of facilities for recreation, entertainment and amusement.

"Every man, woman and child in the United States, he says, has an interest in the 1939 Fair and to some degree or other has a part in the building of that Fair. The exposition, therefore, will surpass all previous fairs, not only in the demonstration of the wonders of the world or of the progress of life and the projection of the World of Tomorrow, but also in providing the utmost variety of entertainment and amusement for every man, woman and child.

The entire world will be tapped for every amusement possibility. The tireless modern machinery of the show—the stock-in-trade relics of the amusement world of yesterday—will give way to a new and modern standard of excellence. The plan of the New York World's Fair has anticipated the requirements for entertainment and is making them a part of the general scheme of the Fair, rather than allowing them to spring up as an appendage or an afterthought. Even the tiny children will have a playground reserved exclusively for their own use.

Eve's Epigrams

When they begin to "Honey" each other, both know there's a sting in it some where.

Henry V's Coronation
Henry V's coronation, being in Lent, the banquet consisted of many fish courses, with brown, pickled boar's flesh, being the only meat.

ing this question, that special interests, corporatism and monopolies are not as a rule interested in securing the passage of legislation. They are almost universally interested in preventing legislation—which in one way or another regulates their activities and prevents injustice by means of monopolistic control.

"In order to prevent passage of legislation it is not necessary to control both the house and the senate. It is only necessary to control one house, or to control the conference committee, or to control members of the conference committee from either house.

"Nothing of this kind could happen in a one-house legislature for there will be no such thing as a conference committee."

4. Would the unicameral system be less expensive to the taxpayers than the two-house system?

"There are a hundred different ways and means by which the one-house legislature will be much less expensive than a two-house legislature. We could increase the individual salary of the member and yet in the aggregate save a great amount of money in salaries alone. Logrolling, delays, and deadlocks (which are expensive procedures) between the two houses cannot occur. What do you think?"

Apples Take To Taffy



TAFFY apples are childhood's own autumn tradition. These little girls are being introduced into the solemn rite of dipping apples into sweet, chewy caramel syrup. Jonathan and Delicious apples, varieties known throughout the world as the perfect eating apples, are ideal for this purpose. The best of the season's crop from Washington state are now on the markets. The following recipe for taffy apples will coat six large apples:
1 cup granulated sugar
1 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup evaporated milk or cream
1/2 cup boiling water
2 tablespoons butter
2 Jonathan apples
6 wooden skewers

Melt one-half cup of the granulated sugar over a direct flame. Add the boiling water and cook to a smooth syrup. In a separate pan cook the milk or cream with remaining sugar and butter to the soft ball stage or to 236°. Combine the two syrups and cook until drops of syrup will form a hard ball in cold water or to a temperature of 250°. Cool the syrup to lukewarm. Place apples on skewers and twirl them in the caramel syrup. Dip them immediately in ice water to harden the caramel.

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While our national representatives are fighting tooth and claw over the "Antilynching" bill, it would be awful to read in the papers where some one in Mulshoe or elsewhere in Bailey county had been lynched because they didn't buy their groceries at Henington's.

That will probably never be the case; but plenty of people's appetites and pocketbooks get lynched every week by the Laws Of Craving and Demand when they do not get enough to eat because of Excessive Costs.

Henington is very humanitarian. He believes in the spirit of "live and let live." Therefore he supplies his patrons with the very Best at Lowest possible price. If you haven't been trading here, you have certainly been missing a treat for your appetite and pocketbook.

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THE RED AND WHITE STORE
Mulshoe, Texas

Santa Fe spends 125 million .. in Eleven States!

The Santa Fe, in 1936, paid out more than 125 millions of dollars for materials and supplies, fuel, wages and salaries, and other items of operating expense, in the eleven states in which it operates. The amount assignable to each state was as follows:

Illinois	8,600,282	Louisiana	137,989
Iowa	1,086,406	Colorado	4,865,701
Missouri	8,197,033	New Mexico	15,111,396
Kansas	27,069,366	Arizona	12,919,152
Oklahoma	9,606,664	California	21,251,768
Texas	16,216,061	Total	\$125,061,818

From 1927 to 1936, inclusive, the monies disbursed by the Santa Fe in these states for operating expenses totaled \$1,350,499,728.

This average annual expenditure of more than 135 millions of dollars over the past decade, devoted entirely to the purchase of goods and services, has been of inestimable value in promoting local industry and trade, and in providing varied employment for thousands of persons, throughout Santa Fe territory.

