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35 To Graduate From The Muleshoe High School This Year; Dates Are Set For The Final Programs

Muleshoe schools will be dismissed Friday, May 19, Supt. W. C. Cox announced the first of this week.

Commencement exercises have been set for Friday night, May 19, and a program, "Current Problems of the School," will be presented by members of the Senior class. The baccalaureate sermon is scheduled for Sunday, May 14 and Rev. Tony Dyess, pastor, Methodist church, Southland, will be the speaker.

Commencement exercises for those who will graduate from the seventh grade will be held Thursday afternoon, May 18, beginning at 2:00 o'clock. A program will be given by pupils, after which diplomas will be presented.

Final examinations will be given Monday and Tuesday, May 15 and 16 and there will be no school Wednesday, as teachers will be grading papers. Thursday May 18, pupils will return to school to correct examination papers and Friday, May 19, books will be checked in and

report cards issued.

Seniors expected to graduate this term are: W. H. Awtrey, Joe Bill Alsop, Leamon Carpenter, Edsel Bynum, Billie Black, Alred Coward, Haines Hayes, R. V. Ivy, Dwight Gage, Bobby Jones, Horace McAdams, Delbert Parsons, Odell Newton, Russel Quessenberry, Johnny Tucker, Paul Smith, Jack Woltman, Jack Welton, Wilma Atchison, Edith Barber, Minnie Mae Coffman, Wanda Farrell, Jo V. Goins, Glenn Kennedy, Valine Lawless, Alice Lowery Betty Ruth Moeller, Margaret Ryan, Helen Sharp, Dorothy Schuster, Geraldine Skeeters, Pearl Splan, Dorothy Terrell, Pauline Tiller, and Lucille White.

There were 42 seniors enrolled in school at the beginning of the year, but some have moved away, others dropped out and for numerous other reasons will not be in the group to receive their diplomas.

There are 28 members in the seventh grade class which are being taught at the high school building

DR. MEYERS, CANYON, SPEAKS TO P.-T. A. MONDAY NIGHT; ALL NEW OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED

The last regular meeting of this school year, of the Muleshoe Parent-Teachers association will be held Monday night of next week at the high school auditorium, beginning at 8:15 o'clock.

New officers for the ensuing year will be installed as follows: Mrs. Lud Taylor, president; Mrs. C. D. Gupton, vice-president; J. Clyde Taylor, treasurer; Miss Okla Mae Lawrence, secretary and Mrs. J. L. Alsop, historian.

Judge M. C. Miller will be leader at this meeting and the program to be presented is: Singing by the assembly. Invocation, Supt. W. C. Cox. Business conducted by Mrs. J. Clyde Taylor, president.

Installation of officers. Piano number, Mrs. Flaude Gallman. Dr. Meyers of West Texas State college, Canyon, will be present at this meeting and will be the principal speaker. His theme will be "The Forward Stretch."

Immediately following the meeting.

Gains & Elliott Open An Electrical Store In Jno. Deere Bldg.

Gains and Elliott, hardware merchants of Bovina, have established a branch house in the Sattler building, part of which is occupied by the John Deere representative, Muleshoe, where they will handle refrigerators and electrical supplies and accessories of various kinds.

C. R. Elliott, well known here as former head of the Productive Bank, will be in charge, assisted by W. H. Parsons, long time citizen and business man of Muleshoe, who will be special salesman for the new concern.

The firm has taken on sales agencies of a well known electrical refrigerator advertised elsewhere in this newspaper.

Modern inventions of an electrical nature have much to do with the ease, convenience and pleasant living of today. With the near advent of rural electrical conveniences in this community, there will be an increased demand for appliances of this type, and this new concern will doubtless find a welcome place in local business circles.

SEWING CIRCLE MEETING

The Sewing circle met with Mrs. W. C. Barber, April 19. Those present were: Mesdames Bruce Burrisson, J. J. Lawler, Johnnie Johnson, T. L. Desmond, J. L. Wallace, W. O. Barber, J. W. Barber, R. C. Howard, Mills Bartfield, J. A. McGee, J. E. Day, W. H. Awtrey, R. D. Gilliland, S. L. Rollins. Dominoes and Chinese checkers were enjoyed. Sewing, crocheting, and other needlework were also carried on. All enjoyed the afternoon. Our next meeting will be May 3, with Mrs. Mills Bartfield—Reporter.

ROBINSON SHOE SHOP MOVE: LAST WEEK

The Robinson last week moved his shoe repairing shop from the Gupton building into one of the Moeller building rooms just north of the King grocery.

PIONEERS ORGANIZE IN FARMER COUNTY

Plans are in progress for organizing a Farmer County Pioneer club at Bovina, Sunday afternoon, April 30. There will be speakers and music included in the meeting.

Old settlers are said to be much interested in the plan which means being together and talking of the hardships and blessings of the early days on the South Plains.

H. D. Councilites To Attend Canyon Short Course

Bailey County council met in the District court room in Muleshoe last Saturday, 27 voting members and visitors present.

Miss Janie Lou Garth of Bailey gave a report on the Panhandle Plains Dairy show at Plainview which Bailey county sent an exhibit on the consumption of milk and 20 entries in butter, milk and cheese to the show.

It was decided that the Bailey county garden show will be held June 24 at Muleshoe. Mrs. Dorman Chester was elected delegate to the district meeting of the Home Demonstration association to be held in Lubbock, May 6, 1939.

Plans were discussed for attending the Short Course at Canyon, May 17. Many of the women and girls of Bailey county are planning to attend.

Mrs. W. G. Kennedy gave a very interesting talk on her trip to Washington where she attended a conference composed of farm women from all over the United States who took as their topic of discussion "An Abundant Living for All."

Miss Lillie Gentry gave a demonstration on the selection and construction of dresser scarfs for the bed room.

LONGVIEW 4-H CLUB MEETING

In the meeting of the Longview 4-H girls club last week, how to arrange a dresser was discussed, Miss Lillie Gentry, agent, giving particular stress on situation of the light so as to obtain proper reflection. Practically all members were present.

EASTERN STAR WILL MEET TUESDAY

The Eastern Star organization of Muleshoe will meet in regular session at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening of next week. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected at this time and all members are urged to attend.

\$25.00 AWARDS ARE ATTRACTIVE

The usual crowd of congenial, vivacious bargain-hunting people attended the Trades Day event here last Saturday, besporting themselves in convivial manner among old acquaintances and acquiring new friendships. As usual, the habit of attending these merchandise events continues both infectious and contagious, the "disease habit" spreading more and wider each week, affecting other and more people of this trade territory. Every Saturday new faces, some of them total strangers to Muleshoe, are observed by the staid and steadfast old-timers who long ago acquired the laudable habit of visiting this county seat every week.

Cash awards in the sum of \$25.00, absolutely free and with no strings nor qualifications of any kind attached, were given to seven different guests as follows: E. A. Clark, \$10.00; Rev. M. D. King, \$7.00; Mrs. J. E. Burton, S. F. Johnson, J. L. Jordan and "Bud" Myers, \$2.00 each.

Another bunch of \$25.00 will be dispensed again next Saturday afternoon, and the invitation is extended by the Chamber of Commerce for everyone here last Saturday to return, each person bringing two or three more friends and neighbors with them to enjoy the day and partake of its benefits.

352 4-H Club Boys Now In Bailey Co.

There are now 352 4-H club boys doing such organization work in Bailey county, according to Finley White, county farm agent. This number is believed to be a state record for such county club organization where no special 4-H club agent is employed. Lubbock county, with an enrollment of 44 such club boys exceeds the Bailey county number; but that county has a special agent in charge of such work.

A large number of these club boys have already selected their individual projects and are developing them. Some have chosen crop projects while others made selections of hogs, calves and other livestock projects. Mr. White, director of club work, is highly enthused over the fine interest being manifested by the club members, and is personally to be congratulated for the remarkable number of lads enrolling and the esprit de corps that has generated among them.

R. V. V. club member, has been chosen by Mr. White as club spokesman for the 4-H club rally scheduled to be held at College Station during the Short Course meeting which is slated for July 5 to 8. There will be about 25 Bailey county boys to attend this meeting, and a delegation attendance of 3,000 boys and girls from all over the state is expected.

SENIORS TO GIVE A PLAY MAY 12

Members of the Senior class, Muleshoe High school will present a three act comedy drama, "That Girl Patsy," at the school auditorium, Friday evening, May 12.

Soil Conservation Bill Signed By The Governor

Governor O'Daniel Monday signed into law a bill setting up a statewide soil conservation program. The law authorized creation of soil conservation districts by farmers desiring to participate in the program. Compulsory land use regulations may be applied on a vote of ninetenths the landowners of a district.

The measure contained a state appropriation of \$103,000. Advocates said its enactment would make Texas eligible for a large amount of federal soil conservation aid.

It is stated by citizens of Bailey county that this new law is a highly desirable one, especially for farmers in sections where the land is of a sandy nature. Some farmers, it is declared, give little if any attention to the care of their land in winter and early spring months when wind and rain are both frequent and ferocious, resulting in much land-blowing onto neighbors farm property. Soil movement piling on other land where levels must be maintained is said to be especially inconvenient and costly to irrigation farmers who must conserve levels for water-flooding.

FARMER COUNTY GETS KEA

Information has been received by county officials at Farwell in Farmer county of an allocation of \$147,000 for construction of 274 miles of rural electrification lines in that county, also Castro and Deaf Smith counties.

Patronize home industries.

Muleshoe Wins Second Place Track Meet

Muleshoe High school won second place with 14 points in the annual Region One track and field meet held at Canyon Saturday of last week. Claude High school rated first with 19 points and Tell was third with a dozen points. Borger turned in 11, White Deer, Lubbock and Pampa 10 points each.

Matrin Oliver of the local high school won first in the 440 yard run; Clayton Hill, Muleshoe, second; Quannah, third; Follette, fourth. Time 52 seconds.

One boy from Claude High school won 18 points of the 19 accounted for in the first place winner.

Muleshoe won a close second in the mile relay, Lockney school being first. A close second was also won by the local school in the mile run, J. B. Young being the participant. White Deer placed first in this event.

Weldon Brooks Winn, who participated in boys singles in tennis, lost six straight matches. Other tennis winners, 6-1, 6-2, 12-12, for first place honors.

One regional tennis title brought to the South Plains, Jamie Ruth Deekard of Meadow defeating Nancy Binford of Vega in the girls' singles final. Other net winners went to Pampa and Follett.

Martin, Oliver, Clayton Hill, J. B. Young, Horace McAdams and Claud Riley will leave Muleshoe, Wednesday, May 3 for Austin, where they will participate in the State meeting. They will be accompanied by Coach C. R. Stevens. For the past few years Muleshoe High school has been represented at State.

Want Cotton Classifier For Bailey Co. Bids Now In

Applications for a Federal cotton classifier for Bailey county will be made just as soon as blank application sheets are available, according to Finley White, county farm agent. There will be about 100 such classifiers appointed, White said, and it is expected something like 900 applications from various counties throughout the state will be made. Such classification if allowed for this county will be without charge.

In this connection, it is also stated that Extension officials are considering the advisability of a new classification of cotton to be known as "spinning quality or character" cotton. Grade and staple cotton classifications are already well established, and price is fixed on the length and condition of the lint. Spinning cotton would emphasize the strength condition of cotton, a factor of much interest to spinners. It is thought such a proposed classification would be valuable in retaining foreign markets.

MULESHOE TO ENTER MY HOME TOWN CONTEST

The Muleshoe school will have a representative in the "My Home Town" speaking contest, an annual feature of West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held at Lubbock July 15 to 17, according to Superintendent W. C. Cox. This will be the first time this school has entered such contest. The one to represent this town and school has not yet been chosen, Cox said.

To date there have been 80 towns entered in this contest.

Mrs. W. G. Kennedy Is Back From Washington Economic Council; Was Texas' Only Delegate

Mrs. W. G. Kennedy returned from Washington, D. C. Wednesday afternoon of last week where she attended the first and one of the most unique meetings ever held in the United States. It was a meeting where 25 farm women, 25 city home makers and 10 women representing labor interests, farm security movements, social conditions, were assembled from every state of the Union upon invitation of Secretary Henry Wallace of the Department of Agriculture. Mrs. Kennedy constituted the entire representation of Texas at this initial meeting.

Wallace, realizing the very important part women have in the economic welfare of American homes, as well as their influence upon national affairs had called them together for information and discussion regarding future plans of the New Deal.

It was readily agreed in round table discussion among the women and government officials that this

nation in general does not now enjoy an abundant living; that there are ample resources and means of developing better living conditions as witnessed by the innumerable inventions of the day, thus making it possible for every family to have more of the physical necessities conducive to pleasant living; and that there must be a symmetrical and well balanced forward movement, with no one factor in the lead—industry stepping alongside agriculture, interests of consumers responding to interests of producers in such equity as to hinder none; but help all.

The meeting was somewhat of an echo of another similar meeting held in Washington a short time ago when from the first regiments of laborious business interests, representing producers, manufacturers and consumers met with national officials in an effort to plan government means and methods of value to business. This meeting of (Please turn to back page)

SOLDIERS OF THE SOIL EADY TO FIGHT GRASSHOPPER SCOURGE IF COUNTY GETS INFESTED

Bailey county is all ready to "shoot," according to Col. Finley White in charge of the Soldiers of the Soil in the contemplated grasshopper war that may be necessary, though to date White says he has had no definite report regarding the probable influx of this biological enemy into the county.

Four hundred gallons of deadly poison and 400 sacks of bran are already in storage here as ammunition for the fight, if needed, and a few farmers have been making investigations of the terra firma nursery when orthopedic insects of stimulant properties came as result of their female ancestor making a cork screw of her proboscis like abdomen and laying the fertilized eggs in the earth for future germination.

Western farmers last year lost an estimated \$83,400,000 from these long rear-legged, tobacco-chewing little devils, while the war against them during 1938 is said to have saved \$176,000,000 worth of crops which would otherwise have been a loss had the campaign not been waged.

From the far southwest comes information that the first regiments of hoppers erupting from the egg pods of last year have already begun their forward march and citizens of that area are fighting them with the same grim determination they would use in resisting Hitler and his minions for should they invade this continent. Some sections recently reported the hoppers flying in droves that darkened the sun, the ground being literally covered with them, so that as they were killed, they were scooped up with shovels into bags for final incineration.

The federal government has appropriated \$3,000,000 through the Department of Agriculture for the destruction of hoppers, crickets and white-fringed beetles and states and counties everywhere through-out the nation are now being urged themselves for the fray.

It is sincerely hoped Bailey county will escape the mad rush of these hoppers; but in any event, White says farmers and ranchmen are ready for the scrap if it is forced upon them.

Standard Mail Boxes Will Be Required On Rural Routes

Ten years ago there were 18,034 miles of state highways being maintained by the State; today there are 21,870 miles of such highways. Ten years ago there were very few mail boxes on these highways, some of these boxes not being of the regulation type. In Bailey county such mail boxes were much fewer in number than now are and requirements of standardization were not so strictly adhered to. Today the Department requires both a standard mail box and standard support for the box, replacing thousands of old, ragged looking boxes and supports. These new supports are now easily moveable, enabling better shoulder maintenance of highways.

Rural mail boxes in this county on state and federal highways are all standard now, according to A. J. Gardner, local postmaster; but such is not the case on secondary roads traveled by mail carriers. There is plenty of room for improvement of mail boxes on the rural and star routes, Gardner said.

There are two rural and two star routes operating out of Muleshoe and serving hundreds of patrons. An inspection of these routes will be made sometime in May to check on condition of mail boxes, and where such are not meeting standard requirements a change will be required. Gardner suggested it a good idea for patrons who do not now have standard mail boxes to secure them as quickly as possible, thus saving an extra report and having to meet the requirements later on.

Charles Kal-Chek, Chinese generalissimo, sees peace with Japan is impossible until the Chinese have proven their liberty and independence.

Breakfast weather of cyclonic nature swept through four different states last weekend, the tornadoes killing 47 and injuring 170 people, while property damage is estimated at more than a million dollars.

Jennings & Priboth Open Modern Food Market Here

G. O. Jennings is back in Muleshoe, last week purchasing the grocery stock of Holt & Little which he moved into the new J. J. Blanchard building just completed next door east of Holt & Little. He has considerably enlarged the grocery stock, including installation of a meat market and new fixtures throughout.

Associated with Mr. Jennings is Melvin Priboth, a young man who has lived in this community for the past 25 years. For some time past he has been a prosperous young farmer, residing a few miles northeast of town; but recently disposed of his farm interests to embark in business here. The new firm will be known as the "Modern Food Market."

In the same building an ice-cream and cold drink stand has been installed to be operated by Miss Helen Sharp and her brother, J. B. Sharp. Miss Evelyn Jennings, daughter of G. O. Jennings, will also be associated with the business as sales lady.

Mr. Jennings was formerly located here in grocery and market business for about four years, selling out and engaging in the same type of business elsewhere for about a year and a half. Finally he decided that Muleshoe was really one of the best small towns on the South Plains and became anxious to return, resulting in the recent purchase and present partnership.

Formal opening of the store will be held Saturday.

One New Jersey company last year bought 100,000 worth of embryo eggs for vaccine purposes and will during the first six months of this year buy something like \$500,000 worth more for the same purpose. They are used largely in preparing vaccine for sleeping sickness of horses. It is stated their use may be expanded in other vaccine preparations. If so, a new market will be opened for eggs.



America's first farmer to collect an indemnity for crop failure from the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation was John F. Biggs above right) of Floyd county, whose 1529 wheat crop was ruined by the combined effects of fall drought, and wind.

Biggs is shown receiving from E. R. Duke, Amarillo, state crop insurance supervisor, a check for \$139.23 representing the value of 24 bushels of wheat. That was his interest in the insured production of 52.5 acres of a farm he operates for a Nebraska on a third-and-fourth basis. Biggs expressed his sentiments by using part of the check to take out insurance on his 1940 crop.

General News Over Texas And Other States For Week

The Magnolia service station on East Grand avenue, Clovis, N. M., George Skaggs, operator, was robbed of \$24 last Sunday night by a lone bandit who made good his escape.

Federal authorities are investigat-

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The Right Thing

By MARY ELLEN MACK
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FOR two weeks Anne Marie had been managing a house and family with one hand and the exacting position of stenographer to his Honor, the Mayor of Laboria, with the other. With her mother away visiting a sick relative, she rose to the brazen clamor of the alarm every morning at six, built a fire in the kitchen stove, started breakfast, called or hauled (as the case required) the family from their respective beds, dressed herself for work, and served breakfast at a rate of speed that left her breathless upon her arrival at the mayoralty office.

On arriving 20 minutes late, she felt more abused than ever to find that his Honor had already been there and had gone out after first inquiring for her. "And I haven't been late for months," she grumbled. "Isn't that just my luck?" She attacked the mails furiously and was interrupted by the ringing of the telephone.

SHORT STORY

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evening before and thus, indirectly, the source of this day's train of minor catastrophes. From its hidden lair, Anne's feminine perversity arose and she sniffed.

"Hello, this you, Anne dear?" It was Bob, her soon-to-be fiancé, and the cause of her being out late the

"Sure it's me. Who'd you suppose? You sound awfully disappointed."

"Oh, do I?"

"You certainly do. Say, what's the matter with you? Tired?"

"No, nothing's the matter."

"Well, I'm glad of that. Listen—I called you up to tell you that Tom McNair wants me to run down to Boston with him to see the game, Saturday, and he wants me to stay over Sunday. Do you mind?"

He had promised to take her riding Sunday and she had been looking forward to it all week as a heavenly relaxation from the everlasting grind. She was so disappointed she could have cried then and there, but anger and pride prevented, so instead she snapped out:

"No, I don't. Why should I?" She slammed the receiver on its hook and, her anger vented, flung her arms on the desk and, burying her face in them, wept the tears of the tired, the nervous and the distraught.

At home she prepared the evening meal like an automaton, and served it to her father, sister and brother, eating none of it herself. Leaving the dishes for Sixty to do or not to do, as she happened to see fit, Anne Marie sought the refuge of her bedroom and flung herself on the bed.

A horn honked out front and by a purely reflex action Anne Marie sprang up, then she lay down again. Let him honk. He needn't think she would let him in. He knew she didn't like him to blow his horn like that, and she was through putting up with things just because she was used to them. Then the door bell rang, but she paid no heed.

The next day was Saturday, and a half holiday. When Anne Marie finished at noon there was the familiar buff and blue car parked out front. Some one was in it, some one who saw her the minute she left the building and who, springing to meet her, caught her arm.

"Well, Miss Sults, I had to stay home from the game to see you, but I'm going to make it worth it." He made her get into the car and, without giving her a chance to say anything, chattered incessantly and inconsequently while he started the motor.

They drove through the traffic in complete silence, however. When they drove past her street through indignation compelled Anne Marie to ask in as icy a tone as she was capable:

"May I ask where you are taking me?"

"You may." Calm, so raddendly calm Bob could be.

"Well, where?" decidedly belligerent.

"To be married, dear."

"W-h-a-a-?"

"Bob put an arm around her and she struggled to get away."

"Will you please stop this silly joke and take me home? I have an appointment at two."

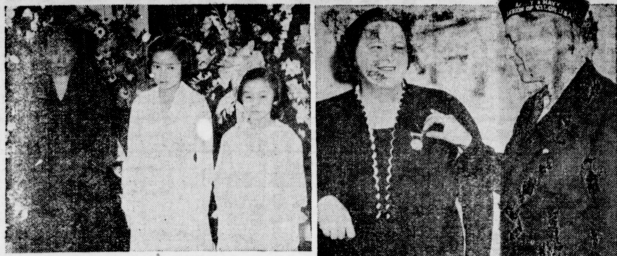
"I know you have, sweetheart. Didn't I make it for you?" Bob had stepped the car, and now had both arms around her, in spite of her none too desperate resistance.

"Now, I'll tell you all about it. In the first place this is no joke; I'm in deadly earnest. Secondly; you are temporary and I'm permanent on the temper. Thirdly, you are working yourself to death. Fourthly, and most important, I love you."

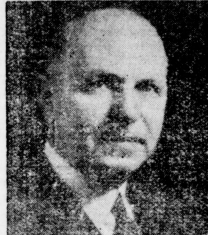
Just to show her, he kissed her and while she was thus rendered helpless, slipped a ring on the third finger of her left hand.

"Now, my lady, you're engaged. In less than an hour, you'll be married."

CAMERAGRAPHS



SAITO FAMILY AT RITES—Madame Saito, widow of Hiroki Saito, former Japanese Ambassador to U. S., and children, Sakiyo and Masako, at funeral services in Washington, D. C. Saito was one of most popular envoys ever assigned to this country.



HAIR NETS Come Back, and the man behind the scenes, stimulating 'swept' and 'swirl' hair-do's is Norvin H. Risher, New York importer. One out of every three hair-nets purchased is a Venio.



WHERE DID YOU GET THOSE GEPERS? In any way, this little lady sure has the right recipe for a smooth sports ensemble.



A TEAM WITH "EXPERIENCE": The debating team of William Jewell College, chosen to represent the United States in the International Contests abroad, were heard on the air in a way, this little lady sure has the right recipe for a smooth sports ensemble.

HUGE SILVER SHIPMENT which arrived in New York on March 31 is shown being loaded on trucks under heavy guard. On the same boat, somewhat overhauls being the silver shipment, was also a cargo of \$60,000,000 in gold.

What's Happening In Washington; Other Important Cities

Washington authorities say 600,000 more WPA workers may soon be dropped from the payroll.

Since the war in Spain has been settled, property formerly belonging to King Alfonso XIII has been returned to him by authorities.

U. S. Senator Minton of Indiana has been chosen Democratic whip of the Senate to succeed the late J. Ham Lewis.

Congressmen are now urging a complete repeal of the Silver act, while GOP adherents are again talking about the U. S. getting back on the Gold standard.

Washington officials are predicting nearly 6,000,000 farmers will operate their farms under AAA this year, being a larger number than ever before. AAA will distribute about \$760,000,000 in benefit payments this year.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, upon his return to America last week, was promptly recalled into government service to conduct an air survey to determine relative ability of the U. S., as compared with other nations in case of war.

Nearly a million pounds of cotton is now being used annually in housing, highway construction, irrigation, reforestation and in packaging cotton, wool, potatoes and other commodities, according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Commenting on the fact that business conditions make politics, not politics make business conditions, Roger Babson, widely known statistician, says the New Deal will be out of politics in 1940, and unless this nation is in war Roosevelt is licked, providing the GOP can produce a strong candidate.

BIG AGGI BOYS SPEAK AT WTCC ABILENE

Program for the agricultural conference, West Texas Chamber of Commerce at its annual meeting held May 15 to 17, inclusive, at Abilene, will include "The Winners and Agriculture," by Dr. M. L. Wilson, under-secretary Department of Agriculture, Washington; State Conservation Legislation," by H. H. Williamson, director Texas Extension Service, College Station; "Cotton Tariff," Walter S. Pop, Abilene; "Discriminatory Allotments," Hugo Haterius, Avoca. Clifford B. Jones, president, Tech college, will preside. The program will be held the 14th.

Dr. W. M. W. Splawn, Washington, chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission and former president of Texas university, will be the principal speaker at the convention's first

general assembly Tuesday morning. Col. E. O. Thompson, Texas Railroad Commission will speak Monday afternoon.

HOUSES AND ROOMS GREATLY NEEDED

WANTED: Houses and rooms! That was the distress call which went out from Irvin St. Clair Wednesday morning when he learned work was about to be started on construction of the REA lines in this vicinity.

It is stated there will be about 35 families here within less than two weeks for work on these lines, many of them bringing their folks with them, and housing facilities will be greatly needed. The Chamber of Commerce is actively interested in securing such accommodations.

St. Clair urges anyone in Mule-

shoe or residing nearby to promptly notify either him or R. L. Brown, secretary of any vacant residence or rooms they may have for rent.

STREET MEETINGS HELD SATURDAYS

The pastor of the local church, Assembly of God, announces that he, assisted by some of his members, is holding street meetings here each Saturday afternoon, beginning at 2:00 o'clock. The public generally is invited to attend these meetings.

He states such meetings are not of a doctrinal nature, but purely informative and inspirational, consisting principally of religious music and exhortation to greater spiritual activity among the people.

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100 Books And \$12 Is Study Club Receipts For Co. Library

The 1939 Study club entertained the Muleshoe Study club and other invited guests at the high school auditorium Tuesday evening for the purpose of securing books for a county library. Guests brought either a book or silver.

Entering, the guests were greeted

by Miss Lucille Beaty, president of the club, and Miss Stella B. Jackson. Guests were then escorted to a beautifully laid table with flowers and candies in the club colors of yellow and green, where they were served delicious punch, cakes and mints. Mrs. Finley White and Mrs. J. Clyde Taylor presided at the table.

After the guests were seated the following program was rendered: Glenn Rocky at the piano gave several musical numbers, followed by Attorney James A. Gowdy speaking on "Purpose of a Library."

Richard Smith sang several numbers, accompanied by Glenn Rocky at the piano. Prof. W. L. Crow gave a dramatic reading and Glenn Rocky closed the program with piano numbers.

Approximately 100 books and \$12 in cash were received.

BOY SCOUT CAMPOREE SLATED FOR SUDAN

Flaudie Gallman, Clay Beavers and Bert Renfrow attended a district meeting in Littlefield Tuesday evening of Boy Scout leaders and masters.

Wednesday and Thursday, May 12 and 13 a District Boys Scout camporee will be held at the park at Sudan. All members from over this district have a cordial invitation to attend, bring their tents and bed rolls to spend the night. Several from Muleshoe are planning to attend.

Friday and Saturday, May 6 and 7, a scout masters training course will be held at the Yellow House canyon and those from the local organization are planning to attend and take the course.

WEST CAMP CALLS TWO MEETINGS

Rev. Jim H. Sharp, Muleshoe Methodist pastor, will preach at West Camp next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30 o'clock, the meeting to be held in the school auditorium.

Tuesday night of next week the regular Community meeting will be held there. A good program is being prepared, according to C. E. Dotson, and everyone is invited to attend.

Horseback riding is coming back in England, and the number of schools has increased from 400 to more than 2,000 in less than five years.

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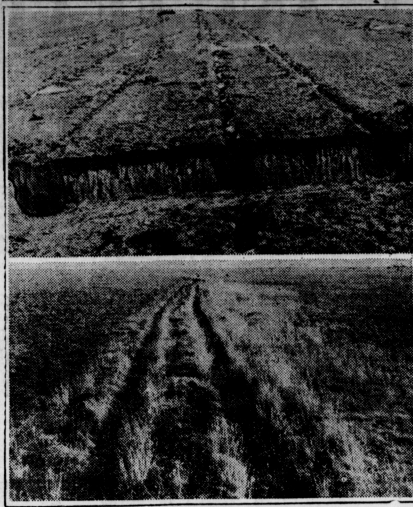
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TURKEY FED GRASSHOPPERS MAY ADD TO DIVERSIFICATION AND PROVE PROFITABLE VENTURE

Notwithstanding present market trend is for lower prices on turkeys than last year, when Thanksgiving and Christmas time rolls around, yet unfavorable economic conditions may be offset through efficient use of biological creatures threatening other crops, according to available information.

Wm. Simpson, Amarillo bond salesman, would introduce a new venture, being a combination of agriculture and husbandry, wherein he is said to be leasing four sections of land near Turkey, in Hall county for turkey grazing on grasshoppers. Simpson proposed to buy turkeys

by the thousands, placing them out at strategic points over both farm and ranch lands, the county to furnish him with 50 per cent of their appropriation which otherwise would be spent for poison, and the WPA workers who would have mixed it will be turned over to him for assistance in herding the gobbler-birds in the infested areas.

Grasshoppers are declared to be a palatable and nutritious diet for turkeys, and Bailey county farmers casting about for additional cash returns crops, may find this a new venture quite profitable, if—there appears to be plenty of grasshoppers here later on. They are just now beginning to hatch.

Progress News

Clubbers Study Spring Salads
The Better-Homemakers H. D. club of the Progress community met with Mrs. J. L. Gregory Tuesday of last week, the demonstration being on spring salads.

Mrs. J. J. Gross, Miss Ada Hogan and Elzada McMahan demonstrated two fruit and one vegetable salad. "When our grandmothers were young, salads were a luxury. Now they are included in our daily menu. In salads we get the minerals that are lost when the food is cooked. Salads are good for lagging appetites and a good vegetables salad peeps up any meal, while a good fruit salad makes an excellent dessert," they said.

To Give Minstrel
"The Negro Minstrel" show will be given at the Progress auditorium, Tuesday night May 2, by H. D. club. There will be a small charge of admission. Proceeds will go to the club. Everyone is cordially invited.

Several games were played. Visitors and members attending were: Mrs. Marie Dickinson, Mrs. Calloway, Mrs. Arthur Mitzelt, Misses Ada Hogan, Jerene Murrah, Elzada McMahan, Mesdames Jim Cook, J. L. Brooks, Carrie Wilhite, Katie McLaren, Tommie McLaren, O. Q. Holly, W. O. Holly, Eloise Gray, Addie Hallford, R. M. Waller, Dave Standefer, Fern Davis, J. J. Gross, Russell Bearden, L. R. Hog-

an, M. A. Springtube, Ross Goodwin, Charlie Swanson, Willie Culwell, Vernon Vinson, Tom Smith and the hostess, Mrs. J. L. Gregory. Punch and cookies were served to all present.

100 At Sunday School
Progress Sunday school was well attended Sunday with 100 members and several visitors present. All officers and teachers were present except one teacher. There are now 129 members of the Sunday school. Everyone is invited to attend.—Reporter.

YOUNG METHODISTS GIVE DRAMA AT AMHERST

A group of local young people presented a drama, "Symbol of the Cross," at the Methodist church in Amherst last Sunday evening. Prof. W. L. Crow directed the play the cast including Mrs. Wanda Thrall, W. H. Astrey, Horace Edwards, Wallace Solomon, Paul Gardner, Miss Dorothy Schuster and Miss Hazel Nelson.

Rev. E. C. Raney, pastor of the Methodist church, Amherst, was present at the Methodist church in Muleshoe a few Sunday nights ago when this same drama was presented here and, thinking it very good, extended to the cast an invitation to present it at the church of the neighboring town.

Others from Muleshoe who attended services in Amherst Sunday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Buford Butts, Connie Dale Gupton, Francis Gilbreath, Bobby Jones, Mr. and

Mrs. R. N. Edwards and Jack Barbour.

HALF CENTURIES SPEND HALF DAY ENJOYMENT

Mrs. Clara Young was hostess to members of the Half Century club at her home in their regular meeting Thursday afternoon of last week.

A delightful afternoon was spent by guests engaged in various entertaining games, sewing and chatting.

Members present were Mesdames C. C. Mardis, T. L. Eason, Alex Paul, Cora Givens, T. L. Snyder, J. E. Burton, Lucy Lane, Beulah Caries, Joel Lee sr., and A. P. Stone.

An all day meeting for club members will be held at the home of Mrs. C. C. Mardis Thursday of this week. A covered dish luncheon will be served at the noon hour.

TECH WILL RENT TANK FORMS TO PEOPLE

Lubbock, Tex., April 26.—Removable forms for building septic tanks suitable for sewage disposal from farm homes will be rented to interested farmers by the Texas Tech division of agriculture. The tanks, made of concrete, can be cast right into the ground and would be permanent equipment with no deterioration, according to Henry P. Clay, assistant professor of agricultural engineering.

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Editorial

Every Great Attempt is Glorious Even if It Fails

THE AMERICAN'S CREED

By WILLIAM TYLER PAGE

"I believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people; whose powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many sovereign states; a perfect union, one and inseparable; established upon the principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which American patriots sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

I, therefore, believe it is my duty to my country to love it, to support its constitution; to obey its laws, to respect its flag and to defend it against all enemies."

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
And he saith unto them, Why are ye fearful, O ye of little faith? Then he arose and rebuked the winds and the sea; and there was a great calm.
—Matthew 8:26

Faith is to believe on the word of God, what we do not see, and its reward is to see and enjoy what we believe.—Augustine.

SIT-DOWN SPANKING

To some people the action of a Philadelphia court in ordering CIO union to pay \$711,932 in damages caused to a factory during a sit-down strike may seem severe. But the anarchic actions which it now calls to account were intolerable.

Seldom, if ever, has a strike been attended by more wanton lawlessness than in the case in question. There was utter disregard for law and the rights of citizens as guaranteed by the Constitution of the United States.

For example, the factory was stormed by a mob of 8,000 persons who destroyed valuable machinery and wrecked the factory building, yet only 8 of the 2,500 workers in the factory were members of the union when the strike was called. Further, the court found that the non-union workers were brutally beaten and forced to sign membership cards in the union during the strike.

On the basis of these facts, therefore, the verdict of the court seems entirely in keeping with the crime. But most important is the brake this decision should place on the violent tactics of labor agitators. It would awaken them to the realization that the rights of workers and employers are protected by law, and that as long as the Constitution and the courts of America are preserved, there can be no disregard of these rights.

As such, it should be welcomed by organized workers as a curb on forces within the labor movement which have proved to be its worst enemy.

EAT THE SURPLUS

Vanished indeed are the heavy laden tables of our great-grandfathers. There used to be three and four kinds of meat and vegetables, all sorts of breads and jellies, and a large appetite on the part of all participants. Today, in this era of machine and luxury, we do not have the need of every and the craving for such large meals as they did in those days. Then the lunch-bus was full, for the laborer worked hours, the school children usually walked to and from which made for an increased appetite. The housewife did not have the electrical equipment which made her work more tiresome. All of this led to larger appetites than today.

We are informed that if we returned to the old-fashioned appetites of yesterday, our crop surpluses would be not so much of a problem. Less food is required for today's

type of living. There has been a great reduction in consumption since 1900 of wheat, corn, cattle and hogs. Of course, we must remember that there has been an increased appetite for fruits and vegetables. Whether it is true or not that increased appetites of the old-fashioned kind would solve the crop surplus problem, there are many Muleshoe folks who can well recall the days when the dinner table was laden twice as heavily and the body needed twice the amount of food.

PITY HIM

Pity the man who never makes a mistake; that man never learns. He goes through life entirely unaware of the remedy for a mistake. Henry Ford says he never has made a mistake, for any wrong thing he has done is the only way he could ever learn not to do it. This leads one to believe a mistake is a part of all education.

A mistake is a necessary part of our daily instruction; but to repeat this same mistake over and over again without learning to rectify and qualify is the biggest mistake of all.

You have heard the story of one Irishman who asked another: "What would it be Mike, if you fell out of the third story window of a hotel?" "An accident, of course," replied Mike. "Suppose you fell out of that window the second time, what would that be?" "Why, a coincidence, of course," he replied. "But suppose you fell out of that same window the third time, what would that be?" "Hell, that would be a habit," he replied. So it is that plenty of mistakes made in life have become habits; yet mistakes none the less.

Thank heavens, there is probably not a man in Muleshoe who has never made a mistake. Life in this town would be much less sweet if such a situation existed. Imagine living amid such perfection and self-satisfaction!

SMOKED OUT

There are all kinds of cigars on the market, the kind that you buy and the kind that somebody doesn't want and gives away. We have smelled all kinds, in our day, some whose aroma is good and some that let us with a slight nausea. Smoke from cigars is often aggravating when there is too much of it and especially in closed rooms.

When giving away your next Christmas cigars consider the recent accident caused when a man lost control of his auto and backed into a police car. Upon arrest it was found he was intoxicated with cigar smoke. Seems he hadn't smoked since the World War. On the day of the accident he had a toothache, drank a bottle of beer and smoked a cigar, which made him dizzy. The result was the accident and the arrest. The doctor who examined him said he was drunk on cigar smoke! Readers in Muleshoe may wonder if it might not have been the beer and then there are others who can

MOTOR MEMOIRS

BY M. O'HANE

THE BEGINNING
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LACK OF ROADWAYS FORCED EARLY RIDERS TO SEEK THE OPEN FIELD AND MADE RIDING A BONE SHAKING EXPERIENCE AUTO CONSTRUCTION HAS ADVANCED WITH ROAD BUILDING, AND TODAY'S CARS COMFORTABLY WHIZZLED BY MICHAEL VELVET, ARE AS SLEEK AND SMOOTH AS OUR SUPER HIGHWAYS.

recall certain cigars that would make an entire army smoke-drunk. But bear this incident in mind when you make out your Xmas shopping list next December!

GREED LAWS

Any state legislature may become the victim of personal greed if it isn't careful, and the Texas law-making body seems to be no exception. The vast "third house" hanging around the lobby of the state capitol building is indicative of the personal interest and hidden graft desired. Occasionally results of this third house breaks out from those halls and the public becomes the goat.

The law prohibiting dentists from advertising passed a couple years ago is monopolistic. The fair trade act seems to be another law of the same kind. The proposed optometry bill is a twin brother to the dentist's law—and there are other bills of similar type still in the hopper. They may all be classified by their earmarks of personal and selfish interest. Gov. O'Daniel vetoed the barber bill and is to be commended for that act.

Good business reasonably and equitably conducted is one of the things which has made this country great. Let it be continued. Keeping down taxes and keeping freak and selfish laws off our statute books will go a long way toward retaining our liberties.

MIGHT BE TODAY

Something in the late President Wilson's message to Congress back in 1918 has even greater application today than it did then.

"The Congress might well consider," President Wilson declared, "whether the high rates of income and profit taxes can in peacetime

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HOW THE GASOLINE DOLLAR IS DEFLATED BY TAXES (U.S. Average)

Taxes add one-third to the cost of gasoline, according to a survey made by the American Association of State Highway Officials. When the average motorist spends \$1 for gasoline he gets only 74¢ worth, the service station man has to hand the other 26¢ to the tax collector.

A woman came down stairs from over the Western Drug store the other day in a rather disheveled condition. At the foot of the stairs she met a friend who exclaimed: "My, you look like you had been in a fight!" "Yes," she replied. "I just had a tussle with a dentist, who beat?" It ended in a draw," she replied.

SNAP SHOTS

The man who advocates a dictator figures on him dictating to somebody else.

One of the duller kinds of home today is that where its members are trying to live within their income.

Kissing may raise the blood pressure and shorten life; but in a case like that whoinell would want to live to a ripe old age?

Kissing in the moles of Hollywood frequently last longer on the screen than marriage does out there off of it.

Today the woman who married a man to reform him has a daughter who drinks half of her husband's liquor to keep him from being a drunkard.

There are plenty of people today who don't give a damn who runs the government just so they can "ride" it.

Business may be picking up; but we haven't heard of any particular rush in the factories making cotton stockings.

No need of much worrying about a woman ever being president of the U. S. They have to be past 45 and no woman wants to admit that publicly.

Men who act like they thought they owned the town would generally have to do plenty of scratching for cash if they did and had to pay taxes on it.

Gas masks surely knocked a lot of the glory out of war, but most people's love for sparrows cools off considerably along about nest-building time.

Pavement Pickups

Glen Rocky suggests there are two tubes now very important in men's lives—"inner and radio."

Shorty Bartley says it doesn't make much difference how clean one keeps a jail, the inside never looks as good as the outside.

Miss Ann Franklin, manager, local telephone office, says if Aaron,

the ancient patriarch was living today, his name would be first in the telephone directory.

Ray Moore was up against it one day last week when a customer came in to buy a pair of shoes and insisted they must both shoes in the same key.

"What will it be today lady," said young Robb, met surgeon de luce in Beavers' market. "A little round steak?" "Well," she retorted "I'm not particular what shape it is, just so it's tender." Of course, she got it!

Dr. Matthews came near "getting in duteh" the other day when a young lady came into his office for examination. After talking with her some time and diagnosing her symptoms, the M. D., concluded there was nothing much the matter with her, and suggested a little sun and air. "What," she exclaimed. "How dare you, doctor. Why, I'm not even married."

Some years ago a famous vice-president suggested what this country needed most was a good five cent cigar; but E. R. Hart arises to state that in his opinion what the country needs most is more men like Louis Mayer, movie magnate, who get over a million dollars a year and then give more than \$900,000 back to Uncle Sam.

John N. Dick, New York City, who is here visiting relatives, called at the Journal office the other day, and during the course of conversation said he once operated a linotype. Then he told us how he came to quit. He had set an item about a prominent man being out again after having been laid up in bed with a "cold" for a week; but through a typographical error, an "e" slipped into the word instead of an "l," making it read "laid up in bed with a 'coed' for a week. That's when he quit!

LEAGUERS ATTEND RALLY AT EARTH

An Intermediate Epworth League rally was held at the Methodist church in Earth Sunday.

A group of members from the local league attended and participated on the program, among them being Helen Holk, Mary Frances Jordan, Betty Nell Hayes, Juanita Farrell, Paul Gardner, Gayetta Farrell, Billy Pierson, Frank Dee Foster, Barbara Mae Morris, Betty Jo Jordan, Jack Givens, Mary Sue Osborn, J. B. Sharp, Theresa June Pierson and Wilbourn Harbour.

Those from Muleshoe who furnished cars to take the leaguers to the rally were: Alvin Farrell, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Pierson, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt and M. and Mrs. Givens.

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WEEKLY LAY SERMON THE ILLUMINATED SEA

By JESS MITCHELL

One night, several years ago, I stood on the forward end of a pier at Long Beach, California and looked out over the dark ocean. Suddenly there appeared a streak of light in the distance, traveling came nearer, it grew brighter, then as it traveled on, finally disappeared entirely. I asked an old fisherman standing near by the explanation of that peculiar phenomenon, and he said it was a whale covered with phosphor, swimming out there. I learned later these tiny crustaceans have the habit of attaching themselves to leviathans of the deep. Herman Melville, in a very in-

teresting book I have in my library, gives some wonderful descriptions of ocean phosphor and tells of a sperm whale, whom sailors had named "Moby Dick" because he was so large, so many whalers had attempted to catch him, but failed, and because the upper part of his body was completely covered with these phosphori. He must have been a hundred or more years old. As long as anyone could remember he had been swimming backward and forward in the Atlantic ocean, leaving a streak of light in his pathway everywhere he went.

Job, the ancient patriarch, once said something about these huge

leviathans as they swam across the deep, remarking, "He maketh a path to shine after him." I have no idea what kind of sea monster he had reference to, for there were some huge ones in those days that are now extinct; but the significance of his expression about a shining pathway has always clung to me as being of much importance.

Perhaps not many of my lay sermons readers have ever traveled much of the ocean, some may have never even beheld the sea, and the descriptions I am about to give of the wondrous manifestations of those liquid depths may be somewhat new and strange. In my youthful days I spent much time on the sea and have visited many ports of entry on both the Atlantic and Pacific, as well as having crossed the Gulf of Mexico several times. It was all a wonderful experience I shall never forget. Often I stood at the taffrail of the vessel on which I was sailing and witnessed the illuminated phosphorescence in its wake. I have looked across the billowy deep, fascinated with the crimson sea and the inflorescent waters. There were times when the entire ocean presented a splendor likened unto a great conflagration, dazzling colors of bright red being manifest from every direction as though we were sailing upon the bosom of liquid fire.

Sometimes the ocean reminded me of an inverted firmament with all the starry points of the heavens bioted out, yet there was a strange illumination from some unknown source as the phosphori of the animalcule kingdom insectivora played and flashed in their natural elements. As I contemplated these almost microscopical entities, they sometimes set me to serious thinking. I learned long ago there is nothing trivial in this old world; everything has its place and its use. I don't know much about the use of crustaceans and copepods, for I am not a skilled scientist; but I do know enough about them to draw an interesting lesson from their shining.

Everything in this world is in motion; nothing is static. The worlds are in motion, constantly going on in forward manner. Indeed, scientists tell us the entire universe appears to be enlarging as it travels onward. Time itself is moving onward, so is eternity. It is impossible for anything or any of us to ever stop for the infinitesimal fraction of a second, and, as we travel forward, our influence keeps pace with us.

Some folks have gained the idea, because they are "little folks," comparatively speaking, their influence does not amount to very much; but they are mistaken. I do not believe there ever was a soul born into this world but has manifested some influence upon their fellow beings and upon those of the future. I have studied history and human nature; I have looked into many lives, and I fail to find a single exception to this rule. The life of every person has something to do with some one else's eternity. Everyone is making a pathway for some one else to follow in. It may be a dark pathway or it may be an illuminated one. Fathers and mothers make pathways for their children; they are effected in their natures and characters by their antecedents. Their courage or cowardice, their purity or depravity of ideals is much the result of those who traveled before them.

Some years ago I stood at a distinct point on the heights of the Black Range mountains above Silver City, New Mexico, which marked the continental divide. It was the western back bone of this nation. On that apex there was a sharp pointed rock jutting upward where, if a drop of rain had struck it squarely in the center, one half of that rain drop would have flowed westward into the Gila river valley, eventually finding its way into the Pacific ocean, while the other half would have flowed eastward into the Mimbres river, finding its way at last into the Atlantic ocean. As I stood there contemplating the finality of that drop of rain, I thought how true that is with human nature, for every word or action from us is for weal or woe, for good or bad, and very seldom is that influence split for both. Invariably it results directly one way or another. We are all planting trees or shrubs, flowers or weeds in the world's garden from which those who come after us must pick the fruit.

Some years ago I stood amid the spindles of a great cotton factory in the East. The whistle had already blown, and most of the workers had left their spindles and looms and gone home. There was one elderly woman left behind. She was still busy at her loom. Stepping up to her I asked, "What are you doing?" "Oh," she replied, "I am threading up my loom for tomorrow, for my daughter will weave here in my stead." It flashed over me suddenly how significant was that reply. She was anxious for the success of the youthful weaver of tomorrow and was endeavoring to get her started off in the proper manner.

Influence, made up of hundreds of apparently trivial incidents, is such a mighty thing it can not be measured as to potency and importance. Most of us do not even stop to contemplate its magnitude. We just go on living thoughtless and re-

Sleeping Sickness Is Prevented Now By Vaccination

College Station, April 26.—Sleeping sickness, or encephalomyelitis, constitutes a serious threat to the horse and mule industry of Texas, but research has developed a chick embryo serum that is very effective as a vaccine, according to Roy W. Snyder of the Texas A. and M. College Extension service. It is transmitted by biting insects, such as mosquitoes and ticks.

It has been found that a large number of animals and birds are affected by the disease. These include, besides the horse, cattle, sheep, goats, dogs, rats, gophers, chickens, pig-iron, ducks, and vultures. Dr. Schoening says man also has been found to be susceptible.

The danger period occurs in the late spring and early summer, when mosquitoes are most active. Since the serum is effective for six months or longer, vaccination in May or June usually carries immunization through this period. Approximately 75 per cent of animals are either immune or do not take the disease.

gardless of its results; but as we all travel across the great sea of life we carry with us our shadows or illuminations. No doubt about that; and with all the future effects, it was the burrowing of a single crawfish in the dam that years ago started the great flood at Johnston, ultimately destroying thousands of lives and multiplied thousands of dollars worth of property. So every little human deed or act has a significant influence of mighty future results.

It is always inspiring to recall the path of foam in the wake of a human craft—one that is a gleam with the iridescence of kindness and is rolling onward brilliant with illumined by sympathetic helpfulness. Illuminated tears that have been dried by sympathetic helpfulness.

There are some folks who can never encounter discouragement without trying to give up. They can never behold suffering without trying to alleviate it. In their faces and language, in their spirit and desire they are always shedding the light of helpfulness upon their fellow creatures.

Some seem to think life is very brief; but in this they are mistaken, for while one's residence on earth may be 30, 40 or 60 years, yet long after they have been transferred to some other clime their influence continues to be manifest itself for helpfulness or harm. No energies of life are ever wasted. A single good word, kindly act or cheerful smile continues to live on and on long after the giver has expired from the stage of earthly existence. The influence of those who live 100 or 200 years ago is still manifesting itself in the hearts and lives of those living today. We living today, are all following somebody's example, either in right or wrong directions.

The Almighty sometimes makes giant thunderbolts out of mere sparks, and sometimes the most insignificant little words or deeds catch fire in the lives of others and launch out with such flame and power that they run throughout the eternities of forever. There are innumerable illustrations of this fact; but the most potent one I know of was that of a peasant of Galilee, named Jesus, who made his so fascinating and enchanting the world he was worshiped him ever since. It was 1900 years ago his luminous life was launched amid the sheep-herders of Bethany and the chanting of angelic hosts. His lifeboat surged out amid the roughest seas of time, billows of wrath cossing in an angry mood. Hurricanes of woe smote it. There were whirlpools of despair innumerable; but amid it all it finally became anchored to the celestial wharves of eternity. In the wake of that magnificent life and in the example thereof sprang up an indescribable phosphorescence of smiles. Human hearts were filled with a joy unexpressable. Souls were illumined with an indescribable hope, lives were inspired with an unfulfilled desire as that divine wave of irradiated goodness swept over them engulfing their ambitions and ideals.

The Good Book says the Son of God came that we might have life, and have it more abundantly. "People do not come to me that they might have life, but that they might have it more abundantly. I think more of his example. A living Christ means much more to me than a dead Jesus. Too often his physical sacrifice is lauded by would be theologians, when it is the marvelous inspiration of his teaching, the beautiful ideals of his living, the magnificent example of his earth-life that is of most importance. So in this night of world darkness there is a monopolization of the divine phosphorescence illumined by the Christ-life which teaches, that there is no other life can be. People sailing across the seas of this world will ever catch that illumination guiding their life-crafts over the uncharted ocean of time until it finally beckons them to the immortal harbor in the Port of Celestial Paradise eternal.

Why not admit it? Criticism makes one mad.

Sales in The Stores Yield \$16,516 In Hidden Taxes

Families of Bailey county pay \$165,516 in hidden taxes annually on their retail purchases alone, a survey by the National Consumers Tax commission shows.

This burden, the report stated, is paid as a concealed part of the price of food, clothing, fuel, medicine and other daily purchases.

The commission is a non-political organization of women combatting through local study groups "unnecessary taxes that penalize consumers by increasing the cost of living."

Groups are active in more than 400 communities in the Texas drive.

"Every-day shoppers, whether they know it or not, carry a major share of the local, state and national tax burden," Mrs. K. C. Frazier, president, said in the report. "Hidden taxes, increasing the cost of even the necessities of life, produce 63 per cent of all tax revenues. The taxes are levied first against producer, manufacturer, shipper and distributor and then passed on to consumers."

The report, which said NCTC study groups in 3,900 communities have added their forces to the crusade, pointed out that the local hidden tax figure concerns retail sales only and does not include many other taxes, hidden and direct, that families here have to pay.

The analysis, directed from the NCTC headquarters in Chicago, was based on total retail sales in the county of \$1,061,000 as reported by the U. S. Bureau of the Census.

BASEBALL FANS TO GET RARE TREAT AT SUDAN SATURDAY

Plenty of baseball showmanship will be displayed in Booster Park at Sudan Saturday afternoon when the Sudan Sluggers play the famous Israelite House of David baseball

team which is beginning its sixth season on the road.

Sudan will have a well balanced club to pit against the visitors, according to Ves Terry, manager. Practically the same players who threw a scare into the Lubbock Hubbers last Friday in a 6-3 contest, will be in the lineup.

Not being superstitious, the Israelite squad is composed of 13 veteran players all of whom are in good standing with organized baseball. Included in the roster is Andy Anderson, who has been with the team 12 years and is the original long haired player and "Pepper Game" artist. John R. Tucker, manager, has been with the team sixteen seasons and with "Doc" Tally, who has been with the club 26 seasons, with Andy, make up the famous "Pepper Game" trio which will put on their exhibition at Sudan Saturday afternoon.

Game time is 2:30 Saturday afternoon at Booster Park in Sudan.

MISSIONERS MEET WITH MISS OLETA MOORE

Members of Circle No. 2, Methodist Missionary society met in a social meeting at the home of Mrs. S. C. Beavers, with Miss Oleta Moore hostess, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Jim Sharp gave the first chapter of the study book, "The Church in India." Mrs. R. N. Edwards displayed some very instructive posters depicting life of the people of India. After which enjoyable games were played, and refreshments were served to Misses Hazel Nelson, Marie Gooch, Elizabeth Harden, Mesdames Dick Rockey, Woodrow Gaede, Clyde Holt, Perel Little, Irma Mitchell, Gale Holt, Frank Taylor, Bud Holderman, A. J. Gardner, S. C. Beavers, J. H. Sharp, Buford Butts, R. N. Edwards, Flaude Gullman, Finley Pierson, and Jim Burkhead.

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LOCALS

- George Harris, former Muleshoe citizen now residing at Mena, Ark., returned here Monday evening to engage in carpenter work.
- Mrs. J. C. Hart of Wilson community, is in a Littlefield hospital where she went for a major operation.
- J. T. Gilbraeth and Irvin St. Clair returned to Muleshoe the latter part of last week from a business trip to various points in East Texas.
- Miss Stella B. Jackson and Miss Oleta Moore attended the Regional athletic meet in Canyon Saturday of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. John Bickle and Miss Elizabeth Harden visited in Littlefield Sunday afternoon with Miss Helen Jones.
- FOR SALE: 2-room house, 2 lots, rents for \$8.00 per month. Cheap for cash. See E. Lane at Taylor's Barber shop. 1tp
- Mesames Buford Butts, Minnie Lomlnack, Good Harden and Sallie Harden were Clovis, N. M., visitors Saturday afternoon of last week.
- FOR SALE: O. I. C. Weaning Pigs from pedigreed boar. Jess Mitchell farm
- Woodroe Lambert, who is employed at a tailor shop in Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting home folks and friends.
- C. M. Humphries, C. M. Heigh and Jess Carter of Amarillo were here the first of this week looking after business interests.
- Mrs. Tye Young, Mrs. Chester Anderson and Mrs. Morris Childers spent Friday afternoon of last week in Littlefield with Miss Helen Jones.
- J. M. Gay of Sudan, attended to business and visited various acquaintances in Muleshoe Friday afternoon of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. Good Harden, Mrs. Minnie Lomlnack and Mrs. H. Ferguson attended the Farmer County Singing convention held at Parwell, Sunday afternoon.
- Miss Marie Goch visited her brother in O'Donnell and friends in Lubbock last weekend. Enroute here Sunday evening she visited Miss Helen Jones at Littlefield.
- Mr. and Mrs. Will Harper returned home to Muleshoe Tuesday afternoon from Waco where they had been at the bedside of her sister, who was very ill.
- FOR SALE: Acala Cotton seed, from 1-1-32 & 1-1-16 in, staple, gov. graded, \$1.00 per bu. sacked, cleaned. H. M. Gable, 10 ml. N. E. Muleshoe 3-14tp
- Mr. and Mrs. Russell Craft, Mrs. Mattie Woods and Miss Lois Link, teachers in the Baileyboro school, were in Muleshoe on business Saturday afternoon of last week.
- The Baileyboro school in southern Bailey county closed Friday of last week. Rev. Jim H. Sharp of Muleshoe delivered the closing address at a program there Friday night.
- Mrs. Jessie Wright, the first of this week, began construction of a new modern residence in the west part of Muleshoe, located on the same street as the high school building.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, daughter Frances Jewell and son, R. E., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Flaude Gallman, spent Sunday viewing the sights at Pala Duro canyon, east of the city of Canyon.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Border left Sunday for Oklahoma City, being accompanied as far as Chickasha by Mrs. Jim H. Sharp, who stopped off there to visit her daughter, Miss Ora Sharp, who is attending college.
- MOVED my shoeshop into the Moeller building.—IKE ROBINSON.
- Roy Elrod, Perel Little and Clifton Griffiths attended a convention of ex-aggies and prospective students of A. & M. college held at the Hilton hotel in Plainview, Thursday evening of last week.
- Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Holt, daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox and Wayne Wallace attended a meeting of the Panhandle Refining company employees and dealers held at Plainview Thursday evening of last week. About 300 guests of the company were present.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ingram and daughter of Texaco, N. M., were here Wednesday visiting their other daughter, Mrs. C. O. Jennings. He was a former engineer on the Santa Fe system when that railroad, line was run through Muleshoe about 26 years ago.
- Mr. and Mrs. Nell Rockey attended funeral services in Sterling, Oklahoma, Friday of last week for his youngest sister, who died of heart failure. They were accompanied on the trip to Oklahoma by their daughter, Mrs. Howard Elliott and little daughter of Lubbock.
- Miss Helen Jones, because one of her crutches slipped on a hair pin, Thursday morning of last week sustained a broken limb above the knee. That afternoon she was taken to a Littlefield hospital and the fractured member treated and placed in a cast. It is stated she is recovering nicely; but it will be a couple of weeks before she can return home.
- Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Glasscock and family have had as their guests for the past several days two of his sisters, Mrs. Ada Murphy of Birmingham, Alabama and Mrs. H. R. Ingram of Oneonta, Alabama, two nephews, sons of Mrs. Murphy, Conrad, Howard and wife of Birmingham. Judge Charles Ingram of Vega, visited here with the group Tuesday, Mrs. Ingram of Oneonta being his sister-in-law. The party, accompanied by Mr. Glasscock, made a trip to Denver, Colorado, to visit a sister, the women from Alabama had not seen in 42 years, returning here Monday evening, Wednesday morning the Murphys and Mrs. Ingram left for their homes in Alabama, going via Calisbad cavern, New Mexico, Austin and other South Texas points to view various places of interest.
- Mr. and Mrs. John N. Dick of New York City had to travel about 10,000 miles to finally arrive at the unique rosebud flavored municipality of Muleshoe, and are now sitting with Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Copley and the twins, whom they had not seen for the past 20 years. Mrs. Dick is a cousin to Mrs. Copley. Leaving New York City they have been on a tour throughout the west to the Pacific coast, viewing the wonders of Fred's Fair, coming back through Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam, Bryce Park, Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, Meteor Crater, and numerous other scenic wonders of

FARM TOPICS

FIND GRASS TONIC FOR ANIMAL LIFE

Nature's Gift Ranks With Sunshine, Air, Water.

By O. T. Kistler, Extension Poultry Specialist, Massachusetts State College.

Poultrymen are going back to nature as a result of recent findings in scientific laboratories. We have found that short tender grass is one of nature's greatest gifts to animal life, ranking in importance with sunshine, air and water.

Chickens and turkeys which receive a liberal quantity of finely-cut tender grass every day throughout the growing period, in addition to a well-balanced grain ration, appear to develop a resistance to certain diseases and parasites. They usually grow more rapidly and consume less grain than do birds reared on a grass-free diet.

The cultivated grasses, such as oats, barley, Sudan, wheat, and rye, when grown on fertile soil, are high in protein. It is estimated that 15 ml. of the known vitamins except D. Use of oat plants as much as possible during the year is recommended since these plants are palatable, easily grown and yield a high tonnage.

Where time does not permit cutting and feeding the grass daily, the next best practice is to range in the grass available for the birds to range in during the growing period. A combination of the two systems gives excellent results. The main point is to feed the grass when it is young and tender.

The growing of green feeds for poultry seems to offer a way of reducing growing costs and building healthy, vigorous bodies capable of resisting disease and giving greater performance. Because of the saving in grain feeding, good pasturage is now considered to be the most valuable feed crop grown on the poultry farm.

It Takes Time to Clean the Range for Chickens

Clean range for young chickens is good insurance, according to H. L. Shuder of the United States Department of Agriculture. "Clean range," however, does not mean mere neatness and removal of scraps and refuse. Time is the main "cleaning" factor—and it takes 2 years to make a range clean enough to be safe.

Shuder defines a clean range as "one that has been free of chickens for at least 2 years and one on which poultry manure has not been spread." In 2 years, poultry parasites will die for lack of a chance to multiply. A clean range, free of parasites, gives young chickens a chance to grow without a handicap. An ideal range, Shuder adds, also supplies plenty of shade for the hot summer months and an abundant supply of succulent green feed and fresh water that is not contaminated by parasites.

Calves on Wire

The big problem with little bossy is to keep her dry and out of drafts until she gets well accustomed to this strange world. A wire floor in the calf pen is the way in which to keep the baby dry, says Hoard's Dairymen. Use one-half inch mesh screen on 2 by 4 or 4 by 4 frames. Use No. 9 wire stretched both ways every five inches underneath the sandscreen. The frames should be made in sections about 3 feet square so that they may be removed for cleaning.

Agricultural Notes

Alfalfa cut before the blossom period is likely to winterkill.

Good grain storage on the farm is the first step in conservation.

Milk proteins and vitamins are especially needed for good hatchability.

Common salt is the only mineral that is almost always lacking in feeds.

Twenty-eight degrees above zero is the temperature at which eggs freeze.

The 1937 American cotton crop was 18,700,000 bales, the largest on record.

Wheat raised in Argentina in the 1937-38 season weighed nearly 6,000,000 tons.

Dairy cows need many minerals. Fortunately, the usual combinations of feeds supply most of them.

Our Reading

Jud Tunkins says you have to read a lot to learn things, and then read a lot more to find out which of 'em was true.

that famed region—finally landing in the metropolises of Bailey county. They are greatly impressed with this prairie area, and it was intimated by A. W. they might be onto some of this fertile region ere they point the nose of their car again toward the Far East.

Joyland Jottings

Mr. and Mrs. Acle Danniell were called to Canyon Saturday on account of the death of his uncle. Dafus Simmons and wife visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Dorman Chester.

Add Bellar happened to a serious accident when he got his foot caught in a power lift on his tractor Friday of last week. He was taken to a Littlefield hospital where several stitches were taken. He is getting along nicely.

The Joyland club is sponsoring a buzz party at Fairview school house Saturday night, April 29. There will be games played and prizes given by merchants of Sudan and Muleshoe. Everyone is invited and bring some one with you.

There was a good crowd at Sunday school and church Sunday morning, but Rev. Cole was sick and unable to fill his regular appointment.

H. D. Cdbub News

The Joyland club met Friday, April 21, at the home of Mrs. J. F. Nettles with five members, four visitors and our agent, Miss Gentry present.

The club was called to order by the president. The District meeting was discussed. There will be two from this club to attend, it being

held May 6 in the Lubbock hotel. Mrs. Dorman Chester will go a Council delegate for Bailey county and her expenses will be paid Mrs. Inez Bellar will go as one of the skit characters.

Miss Gentry gave a good demonstration on kitchen space. Delicious refreshments of cake and kool-aid were enjoyed by all. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. D. Chester.—Reporter.

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America's Gift To The Queen



WHEN they meet in Washington in June, Queen Elizabeth of England and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt will wear summer-weight wool dresses—the Queen's a gift from the wool growers of America, and Mrs. Roosevelt's from growers of the British Empire. Material for the Queen's dress, woven from the finest virgin wool from the 34 wool growing states, is shown here being given to Captain Irving of the S.S. Queen Mary for delivery to Buckingham Palace. Left to right are Senator Clark of Idaho, Senator Schwartz of Wyoming, Captain Irving, Christopher Kemble, representing the British Consul General, and G. W. Cunningham, Secretary of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association. Simultaneously, Mrs. Roosevelt announced that her dress will be of light weight summer wool in a shade called "Azuro Blue" and that the Queen's, also light weight, will be in a new color called "Queen's Blue."

Mrs. Roosevelt (lower right) shows samples of the dress materials to Miss Prunella Wood, famous New York fashion writer.

Heroine Re-Enacts Rescue



BIG SPRING, Tex.—Mary Elizabeth Davis, 19-year-old heroine, re-enacts the rescue of her brother, Vyrion, which won her the President's Medal and the Life Saving Certificate of the American Red Cross. Gas fumes overcame her brother while rabbit hunting and killed his dog. Mary dragged the boy from the gased area, applied first aid learned from the safety training of her father's employers, the Continental Oil Company. Publicly commended and honored, Mary here shows photographers of Look Magazine how she did it.

134 BIRTHDAY CANDLES TO HONOR CRAFTERS
Members of the Needle Craft club met in an all day session at the home of Mrs. Jessie Wright, Thursday of last week. Birthday anniversaries of four members of the club, Mrs. Will Harper, Mrs. J. L. Alsup, Mrs. Jim Cook and Mrs. Walter Witte were celebrated.

Romance

By MARCIA DINSMORE
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WNU Service.

UPON her arrival in Caesar, Wyoming, Lorraine would become a librarian, with a neat little round of daily duties to perform. Back home she had been a librarian. But here on the train, for the glorious space of four days, she was a poet.

SHORT STORY
The young man who shared her section had been very solemn about it, and had read some of her verses with appreciation. But because of a twinkle in his eye, she was not quite sure that he meant all he said.

Life was a very serious matter to Lorraine at twenty. And she had learned, to her sorrow, that she was very credulous. Ever since she could remember, people had told her strange tales of one kind or another. And she had always believed them. She never could understand that words spoken with a serious and intent face might not be true. But when she believed them, every body laughed at her. And above all things in the world, Lorraine hated to be laughed at.

"I suppose"—it was the young man speaking—"that you'll find the Wild West inch deep in cowboys and buffaloes."

Lorraine flushed, a faint, becoming pink. But, inwardly, she was pleased. Perhaps she was becoming less gullible, beginning to recognize tall stories from the truth.

"I've never been West before," she smiled. "But I do know better than that. There aren't any more cowboys, or anything. There's nothing romantic about the West, now."

"Don't you believe it!" he leaned forward, in earnest, now. "There's romance everywhere, particularly in the West. Oh, some of the good old institutions are gone, of course, but there are others to take their places. You only have to look at the front page of a newspaper to know that we more than equal the roaring forties now and then."

The next evening Lorraine was bending over her book, completely absorbed in her work. Along her veins was running a thrill of excitement. Just on the edge of her mind, she felt, was her poem, the great poem which was to make her famous.

"Hands up!"

With a start Lorraine opened her eyes and looked straight into the unfamiliar muzzle of a revolver. Behind it was a man, his face masked by a red bandanna. Only his slits of eyes were visible.

She wrenched her eyes from the threatening weapon to glance at the young man opposite her. He had his hands high in the air. But as she looked he met her eyes and grinned. Noiselessly his lips formed the word "camera!"

Color flamed in Lorraine's cheeks. She had been fooled again. It was just a movie stunt and they were all acting.

"Kindly let me alone!" she snapped. "Can't you see that I'm busy?" And once more she bent over her paper.

The young man opposite her sprang suddenly forward toward her own particular hand. At the same moment a shot sang above her head, and a shower of glass fell about her. There were shouts all through the car. A wild scramble, then hoof beats receding in the distance.

Lorraine sank back in her seat, white faced. A real hold up, not a movie fake! If her friend had not saved her, she would have been shot to death. She had risked a real bullet because she feared ridicule.

"My dear young lady, you are the bravest person I have ever seen." A white haired man was bending toward her. "We were all paralyzed with surprise. Of course the bandits counted on that."

"Yes, and you spoke just at the right moment," chimed in another. "You made us ashamed of our cowardice. As it is, we got two of them."

Across their shoulders, Lorraine met the eyes of the strange young man. He looked deeply disturbed, and she knew why. The word he had spoken to her when he had almost meant her death.

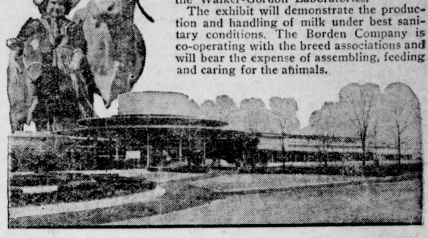
But Lorraine smiled at him, whitely, in reassurance. "Romance," she told him ruefully, "is not dead."

Dark Paint More Durable
The dark are more durable than the white or lighter tint paints. Either the pure or the natural iron oxide makes one of the most durable pigments known. Since its color is red, its use is confined to barrel buildings. However, it is relatively cheap and generally can be bought in silico powder or paste form, the latter being more easily mixed and providing a more uniform coating.

Propelling Power of Whales
The propelling power of a whale is enormous, and no accurate estimate can be made of it. One instance is recorded of a blue whale that towed a steamer, by the harpoon rope, for 24 hours, in spite of the fact that the ship's engines were in reverse.

Pure-Bred Cows Going to World's Fair

This photograph shows the partly completed building which will house the "Dairy World of Tomorrow" at the New York World's Fair in 1939. In it the five pure-bred associations—Ayrshire, Guernsey, Holstein-Friesian, Jersey and Brown-Swiss—will each have 30 outstanding specimens of their breed on display for the entire duration of the Fair. These animals, selected throughout the United States and Canada, are chosen for outstanding merit. They will be milked three times a day on a Rotolactor similar to the one developed at the Walker-Gordon Laboratories.



The exhibit will demonstrate the production and handling of milk under best sanitary conditions. The Borden Company is co-operating with the breed associations and will bear the expense of assembling, feeding and caring for the animals.

MRS. GAEDE HOSTESS TO MISSIONERS
The Women's Missionary society, Methodist church, met Tuesday in an all day session at the home of Mrs. A. C. Gaede north of Muleshoe. Mrs. A. C. Gaede, Mrs. H. C. Holt, Finley Pierson, Mrs. I. W. Haney, Jim H. Sharp, Claud Farrell, Francis Gaede, Pauline Cosby, H. O. Barbour and R. C. Kennedy.

A MESSAGE

To All Of The Business Concerns In Muleshoe

WHAT ADVERTISING IN THE JOURNAL CAN DO FOR YOUR OWN BUSINESS—

- Sell more goods.
- Create favorable impressions—build public good will.
- Create a demand for goods people would not otherwise desire.
- Sell the public on values, offered by your store.
- Increase public respect for the value of the store to the community.
- Educate public to new styles and kinds and classes of merchandise which can be had at your store, also to new uses of merchandise.
- Inform public where merchandise they have heard or read about can be secured.
- Protect your customers from buying inferior or old style goods.
- Establish leadership for your store in your retail field. Keeping your store constantly before readers will make them think of yours as the leading store in your field.
- Keep down new competition.
- Enable you to reach new families not now customers of the store.
- Keep your old customers sold on your store and
- Draw trade to your town instead of letting it slip away to rival towns.
- Keep your sales people informed of merchandise and store's policy.
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AGRICULTURAL BRIEFS

By FINLEY WHITE
Bailey Co. Farm Agent

It is entirely possible that with the coming of Spring a young man fancy turns to love; but with a bunch of farmers planting means good lister plants, planter boxes and planting seed. Evidences of Spring can already be seen on a number of farms in Bailey county. Some sudan, corn and a little cotton have already been planted. If the seed don't freeze in the ground they may come up. We hope those who have planted cotton already using their inferior seed for this first planting so they'll have good seed for the last two or three plantings.

Castor Beans

Farmers of Bailey county have signed up to plant 200 acres of castor beans this year. The latest dope on these bean seed is they are to be delivered to the county some time this week. When the seed arrive each farmer who asked for seed will be notified to come in and get them.

The only dope we have on the cultivation and harvest of beans is as follows: The seed bed is to be prepared as though you were going to plant cotton or corn. Planting should be done as early as possible after all danger of frost has passed. The depth of planting is from 1 1/2 to 3 inches, depending upon the moisture condition at planting time. Best results are obtained from planting in 42 inch rows with the seed spaced about 42 inches in the drill.

A McCormick-Deering plate No. 1892 is recommended for planting. On cultivation is usually all that is necessary for beans since they grow quick rapidly and soon cover the ground with plenty of shade.

The harvesting of beans is some what like knife heading maize. There is usually two harvestings necessary. The early "heads" mature before the later ones are grown and should be harvested as soon as possible after maturity. The later crop will stand till frost this fall.

A co-op. thrasher will be placed at Muleshoe to thrash the crop this fall at the only expense to the thrasher will be "feeding" the thrashers.

Feeder-Breeder Movement
Texas farmers are awaking to the fact they are shipping out feeder lambs, pig sand calves, that should be fed right here in Texas. These same farmers, who produce a bulk of these lambs, pigs and calves, also produce feed, grains and roughage in sufficient quantities to finish out these feeders. They are rapidly awaking to the fact that the best way to market feed stuffs is thru livestock. If you haven't tried this happy combination you should. You'll be agreeably surprised at the results you get.

AAA Notes

Even if we haven't received our 1939 pay checks we are already at work on our 1939 set-up.

This week we will mail to each 1939 farm-operator a statement showing the exact number of acres of feed and soil conserving crops necessary for the farm to have in order to draw the most money possible under the 1939 program.

Cotton allotments for 1939 have already been mailed out.

Those of you who are operating a farm in 1939 that has been subdivided or combined with another farm for this year will not receive your allotments this week. All subdivided and combined farms have to be approved at College Station before we can release the final allotment figures. Our splits and combinations are now at College Station for approval, and as soon as they are returned to us we will notify the producers of their acreages.

4,000 ACRES OF PAYMASTER COTTON TO BE PLANTED

There will be about 4,000 acres of Paymaster cotton planted in Bailey county this year, according to available information.

This particular brand of cotton seed is readily available from nearby dealers and some seed will be obtained locally. There is a demonstration growing farm of this particular variety near Lockney where the Kekchi strain is being grown especially because of its rapid growth and quick maturity even in cool weather.

Last year some counties of the South Plains adopted Paymaster cotton as the one and particular variety to be planted, and it will be a favorite this year among many other planters.

SMITH-LEVER ACT WILL BE OBSERVED

National, state and county-wide ceremonies have been scheduled in observance of the signing May 8, 1914 of the Smith-Lever act that created the Extension service on its present basis.

The national observance will be held May 8 and the Texas participation will be May 9, while counties holding such meetings will do so at their convenience near these dates.

In Bailey county women clubs and 4-H clubs will observe the occasion as their respective meetings are held.

BAILEY CO. HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

By LILLIE GENTRY
Home Demonstration Agent of Bailey County

Two-Story Omelets

To make the fluffiest of fluffy omelets, use fresh eggs at room temperature. A pinch of salt added to the whites before beating, will result in a little more foam. A bit of cream of tartar, or a half teaspoon of lemon juice added to the whites when the beating is well along, will also help to hold up the fluff. For a full-bodied omelet, a tablespoon of hot milk per egg should be added to the beaten yolks.

Fruit or vegetable juices can be substituted for milk in omelets, she says. For example, the acid of tomato juice helps to hold up the egg foam and makes it more tender; and the red color of the tomato gives the omelet a pink cast.

An unusual omelet of Chinese origin is made by using a half cup of mixed shredded raw vegetables such as onion, green pepper, and celery to each egg. The raw vegetables will be quick-cooked, oriental fashion, in the omelet.

The addition of a tablespoon of peanut butter for each egg adds a distinctive rich flavor and gives body. The peanut butter must be blended thoroughly with the egg yolks before these are folded into the beaten whites.

Muleshoe Appliance Company Will Sell The Frigidaires

The Muleshoe Appliance Co., C. R. Elliott, manager, this week announce the sales agency for Frigidaire refrigerators, a General Motors Sales Corporation product using the new "Meter-Miser," a recent electrical development providing uniform low temperatures, high humidity and eliminating moisture-robbing air circulation, and without adding a single moving part to the mechanism. This foods are kept naturally moist and vitally fresh longer than before, says Elliott.

A very complete line of this particular refrigeration will be found at their place of business, they emphasizing the Special, Master and Cold-Wall series. Mr. Elliott calls special attention to the Cold-Wall type, the cabinet being ingeniously arranged for greatest efficiency, containing a solid self divider known as the "Dew-Fresh-Seal," eliminating circulation and providing a tight seal on all sides.

Concealed coils in the walls add much to the cooling function and elimination of heat. There is also the standard freezing unit, providing plenty of ice cubes and extra cold storage compartment. The Meat-Tender is scientifically designed for greatest efficiency and located under the super-freezing unit in such a way that juices and other freshness is maintained.

MRS. W. G. KENNEDY BACK FROM WASHINGTON, D. C. ECONOMIC COUNCIL

(Continued from page one)

representative women from all over the United States was complimentary to the first meeting in that it approached the same questions and conditions from the angle of the interests of homes, wives, families and society in general. Mrs. Kennedy declared its results are sure to be far-reaching and productive of favorable reaction in general.

That state officials made no mistake in selecting Mrs. Kennedy as the representative of Texas in this important meeting is vouched for in her numerous past activities for home improvements and greater benefits to womanhood. For several years past she has been one of the leading home demonstration women of Bailey county; has served as president of her own community club; president of the County council, and it now district vice-president of the Texas Home Demonstration association.

Last year Mrs. Kennedy appeared on the A. & M. Farmers' Short Course program, the Short Course program at West Texas State Teachers college, Canyon, and the Farmers co-operative meeting held at Plainview. Her wide experience in dealing with such problems as were discussed at the Washington meeting eminently fitted her as Texas' representative to the national council held April 13 and 14.

MULESHOE-FAIRVIEW PLAYGROUND GAME

Muleshoe Grammar school junior boys playground baseball team played a fast and furious match game with the boys team from Fairview school here Friday afternoon of last week. The results of the game was seven and 10 in favor of the visiting team.

The lineup of players and their positions of the local team was: Garland Kennedy, catcher; H. Douglas Jr., pitcher; Denton Beardon, first base; Robert Crawford, first short; J. R. King, second base; Buren Robinson, third base; Lowell Irvin St. Clair, second short; Marshall Oliver, first field; The Bayless, center field; and A. L. Murrach, third field.

Rockey Erects Fire Proof Building For Cross Roads Cafe

Neal Rockey, local auto dealer, is constructing a fire proof building on State Highway No. 7, which, when completed, will be occupied by the Cross Roads cafe, now located at the corner of Highways No. 7 and 214. Sylvian Robinson is contractor on the job.

The building will be 26x40 feet size, of brick, tile and stucco construction and painted white both in and outside, and will furnish much needed enlarged space for the cafe owners.

The building on the corner is to be moved elsewhere when the new quarters are completed, and Mr.

Rockey is contemplating erecting on that corner a larger building which will be used for filling station service.

The location of this new building and the one contemplated is considered one of the best locations in Muleshoe for business of this kind, especially in catering to the tourist trade.

Fride's Purge

Fride's purge was the name given to the act of Colonel Fride and his troopers who forcibly ejected from the house of parliament in 1648 the Presbyterian majority of the Long parliament who favored reconciliation with the king, Charles I. The remaining members came to be known as the Rump parliament.

ANNOUNCING!

FORMAL OPENING OF THE MODERN FOOD MARKET

Having decided Muleshoe is one of the best small towns and business points on the South Plains and that it is really "our home," we have purchased the Grocery stock of Holt and Little. Melvin Priboth is with me.—G. O. Jennings.

This stock has been considerably enlarged. Market facilities added, and we invite all our friends and customers, as well as many new ones, to visit our new store in the—

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Maxwell House, .73	Folgers, .48
PEACHES .15	PICKLES, qt. .13
White Swan, No. 2 1/2 can	Sour or Dill
Baking Powder .29	Armour's Milk .19
K. C. 50-oz. can	3 tall cans of 6 small cans
COMPOUND .40	JELLO .05
8 lbs, 75c; 4-lbs	Assorted Flavors
Grape Nut Flks. .25	SOAP FLAKES .29
3 Packages for	"Big 4" pkg.
SOAP .25	PRUNES .25
Lifeguard or Lux, 4 bars	Gallon Cans
PEACHES .35	MATCHES .19
Gallon Cans	6 large boxes
CORN, No. 2 can .23	MOTHERS OATS .23
PORK & BEANS, 1-lb. can .05	SOAPS, 5 bars .18
PINEAPPLE, No. 2 can .15	OXYDOL, 25c size .19
CATSUP, 14-oz. bottle .10	BROOMS, each .25
SALMON, pink .10	SALGEM, 10-lbs. .49
ALL BRAN, pkg. .10	MUSTARD, quart .10
COCOA, 2-lb. box .16	PEANUT Butter, qt. .25
CRACKERS, 2-lb. .13	POST TOASTIES, 3 for .25

MARKET SPECIALS

CHEESE .20	BEEF ROAST .17
American, per pound	Choice Cuts, per lb.
CHEESE .15	BACON .23
Square Print, lb.	Delicious, fancy sliced
BOILED HAM, pound .39	BOLOGNA, pound .11
HAMBURGER, 2-lbs. .25	PORK CHOPS, pound .16
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MULESHOE CLEANERS ENLARGE QUARTERS

The Muleshoe Cleaners this week occupied their enlarged building, giving about one-third more space for machinery location and service purpose.

A concrete floor about 30 feet square has been laid over the machinery division and a new electric steam iron installed.

Leonard L. Lusk an experienced cleaner from Memphis became the new manager last week.

APRIL SPECIALS!

HAND LOTION, full pint	... 39
PURSANG, 6 bottles	... \$5.00
McKESSON'S Tooth Paste 2 tubes35
McKESSON'S Shaving Cream 2 tubes33
MINERAL Well Crystals full pound69
O. R. O.	.67
Large Size Bottle	Guaranteed Poultry Remedy
KOTEX, all sizes20
KLEENEX, Large28
AIR MAID HOSIERY	... \$1.00

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Thursday, April 27
Dennis O'Keefe, Cecilia Parker
"BURN 'EM UP O'CONNOR"
Friday and Saturday, April 28-29
The Jones Family in
"DOWN ON THE FARM"
Saturday night preview, April 29
Sunday, April 30, Monday, May 1
Love a la carte in—
"SAY IT IN FRENCH"
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
May 3, 4 and 5
Kay Frances, Humphrey Bogart
KING OF THE UNDERWORLD