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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1953

Irrigation Day Program Features Many Experts

COACH KOEN BUILDS A FIRE

Four Civic Groups To Study Need For A Modern Gymnasium

Coach E. C. Koen of Muleshoe in the last few days has single handedly brought about an intense consideration here of the advisability of building a fine new gymnasium for the Muleshoe independent school district by his inspirational address which he calls "The Forgotten Citizens", and which he has delivered before the Lions Club, Junior Chamber of Commerce, and the Rotary Club.

He spoke last Wednesday at the Lions Club meeting, Monday night at the Jaycees meeting, and Tuesday addressed the members of the Rotary Club and guests.

By using the small, outmoded gym in the junior high school, the two man coaching staff, working until the shadows lengthen in the afternoon, have been able to bring physical education and instruction to 300 pupils out of 1400 enrolled here. This leaves some 1100 "Forgotten Citizens", whom it is impossible to reach with this exercise and game program.

Some 80 boys in one group are attempting to use the little gym and its truly small shower and dressing room at one and the same time, he said. And while there are 60 girls in one group, it is possible for the coach to instruct only 11 at the time; the balance of the group being also classed as "Forgotten Citizens."

Coach Koen paid tribute to the progressive spirit of the people of this district, manifest, he said, from the very earliest pioneer days, and to the fine city and countryside the people have built here. It is something, he said, of which to be proud.

But, he went on to say we have neglected our most valuable asset, our children insofar as their recreational and physical training are concerned. To build a fine gymnasium, equal to those to be found in our neighboring cities and towns, will cost money; but money is of little consequence, he pointed out, in comparison to the possibility of failure to bring the proper training to the youth of this community.

Clyde Holt had charge of the program. He presented Coach T. J. Bailey, who introduced the speaker. Coach Bailey said that he and Mr. Koen have worked very closely together, and that he sees more to admire in his associate with every passing day. He pointed out that Coach Koen is talented in many fields, is a good coach, an artist and teacher, a fine speaker, and a good man.

At the conclusion of the program, President Pool appointed D. L. Morrison, Clyde Holt, and J. M. Forbes to represent the Rotary Club on an inter-club committee that will begin meetings at once to consider the matter of a new gym. Noel Woodley represented the Lions club at the meeting. The Lions appointed Woodley and Sam Fox; the Jaycees named Willis Farrell and Murrell Brown. The Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce will name two members on the committee, which will meet at Woodley's call.

Four members of the Rotary Club of Littlefield were guests. D. L. Morrison, Jr., and Noel Woodley were other guests.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

The members of the State Board of Education have designated the week of March 1 through 7, 1953, Public Schools Week in Texas.

Our forefathers in their wisdom, recognizing the importance of education in the function and operation of a democracy established the public schools to make education available to all. As the years passed our laws were strengthened to make sure that all children of school age shared in this opportunity for public education. Today the importance of education is not a debatable subject. Our job is to see that children of this generation get the best possible education we can give them. By visiting the schools and familiarizing ourselves with the problems of teachers and students we can be in a more competent position to safeguard and advance the institution that is so American — the public school.

As Acting Mayor of your City, I urge the parents to see for themselves what the schools are doing. These public schools are YOUR public schools. You build them. You maintain them with your taxes. They are major factors in developing the character of your children. Visit them this week. See them in action during PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK.

W. T. Bovell
Acting Mayor

Public School Week Observance Plans Are Perfected In Meeting

A committee of local men and women Tuesday put the finishing touches on their plans for observance of Public Schools Week, March 1 to 6. Ray Griffiths, serving as chairman of a joint committee urged everyone to be enthusiastic about the observance in order that more citizens than ever will take an interest in learning more about their schools.

A public program will be a feature of this year's observance, and The Journal will announce details in the paper next week. It will be held in the high school auditorium with students as the principal actors.

Several programs will be held, one on each day, in the grades, when a program will be staged in each class room for the students and visitors who will come.

All these programs are designed to bring the patrons out in numbers, but school authorities and committeemen alike stress that the object is to get people to come to the class room and see what goes on under average conditions. No change will be made in the class routine because there are visitors, so everyone will gain a first hand knowledge of actual work in a class room.

Bake Sale At Piggly Wiggly

A bake sale will be sponsored by the first grade, taught by Mrs. Jack Obenhaus, Saturday morning at Piggly Wiggly.

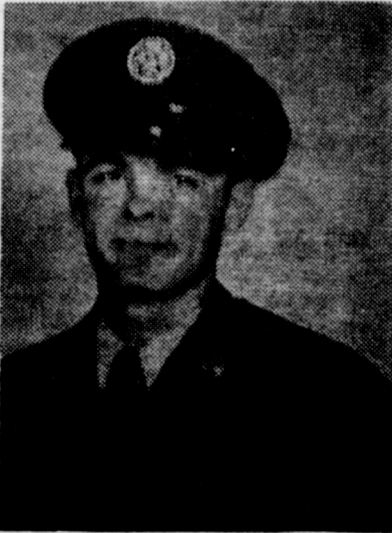
For good home baking see the ladies Saturday.

BANK AND POST OFFICE WILL CLOSE MONDAY

Next Monday, Feb. 23, will be a legal holiday for the Muleshoe postoffice and for the Muleshoe State Bank. The two institutions are observing Monday since Washington's birthday, a legal holiday, comes on Sunday.

Postmaster A. J. Gardner said the postoffice would operate as it does on Sunday. No windows will be open but mail will be placed in boxes. There will be no route delivery.

Kenneth Parsley Completes Basic



AIRMAN PARSLEY

Lackland Air Force Base—Kenneth G. Parsley, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Parsley, Muleshoe, and husband of Mrs. J. Ann Parsley, Muleshoe, is completing his AF basic airman indoctrination course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the world's largest air force base, site of the Air Force basic training, for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of AF's Officer Candidate School.

His basic training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specialized work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

Bula And Enochs Raised \$450.15 In Dimes Drive

(From The Buzzline, Bula school publication.)
In the Bula and Enochs communities, which are considered together in the March of Dimes drive, the entire campaign netted \$450.15. The annual rally at the school brought in \$383. Contributions at the gate ran from one to ten dollars. Cakes and pies sold and resold, a number of cakes going from twelve to over seventeen dollars. Before the activities were over, one could get a coke and even coffee at only auction price.

Boxes at the different business places in Bula and Enochs brought in \$67.15.

The seventh grade voted to give \$5.00 to the cause from money they earned selling sweets in the lunch room.

The quota for Bailey county was set at \$3,000. In meeting the quota, county officials have praised highly the manner in which our community contributed to the campaign.

Present at the meeting were two county officials from Muleshoe.

Canasta, forty-two, and checkers were played during the auction. The TV program continued until after 1:00 o'clock.

Local officials, Mrs. Simmons, Mr. Reynolds, and Mrs. McCall, have very favorably commended the community for its response to the March of Dimes drive.

MRS. BUCY BACK HOME

Mrs. Holly Bucy reports she is glad to be back home, although it's a little cooler here than where she has been visiting. Mrs. Bucy has spent the last several months with a daughter and family, Mrs. Whaley Storm in Siloam Springs, Ark., and another daughter and family, Mrs. A. E. Lenaburg, Enid, Okla.

LOCAL MARKETS

Cream, lb.	64c
Eggs, doz.	36c
Lt. Hens, lb.	14c
H. Hens, lb.	18c
Hogs, cwt.	\$20.25
Kafir, cwt.	\$2.50
Maize, cwt.	\$2.50
Wheat, bu.	\$2.10
Hegari, cwt.	\$2.50

School Leaders Are Reelected

Jerry Kirk was reelected superintendent of Muleshoe Public Schools at a meeting of the district board of education held Friday. Mr. Kirk is serving his first term as superintendent.

Mr. Kirk announced the resignation of George Glover as high school principal. Mr. Glover will continue the profession of teaching in his home state of Oklahoma. The superintendent expressed keen regret at losing Mr. Glover, who he said had been most cooperative with him and with the teachers. No successor has been named.

Troy Perkins was reelected as grade school principal. Bill Parker was reelected assistant principal for the first five grades.

Mr. Kirk said the board probably will elect teachers at its March meeting.

Kick-Off Dinner Gets Farm Bureau Drive Underway

The membership drive of the Bailey County Farm Bureau got underway Monday night with a dinner meeting at Gerald's Cafe. More than 50 persons turned out and will become a part of the teams who are organized to see that all farmers in the county are visited and invited to join the organization.

Hub King, secretary of the Terry County Farm Bureau gave a brief talk on the reason for the existence of the Farm Bureau in our Local and National life. Hub pointed out that the Farm Bureau was in a constant struggle to better the lot of the folks who live in the rural areas. He also said that the Farm Bureau is for a high net spendable income for the farmer. The local Farm Bureau is a democratic organization and acts only through the authority of its entire membership. He reminded those present that only 15 percent of the population of the nation are farmers and farm families, and that only a close knit farm organization can meet the needs of the farmer brought to the attention of local and national law-makers.

Hospital News

Mrs. Allen Guinn, a medical patient, is much improved. The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrill Redwine was in for medical care. She has been discharged.

Max Horsley, small son of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Horsley, was in for medical care. He has gone home.

H. E. Reeder was an accident patient. He has gone home.

Mrs. Roy Brashear, a medical patient, has gone home.

Coy Gabbert, small son of Mrs. Arch Gabbert was in a few days for medical care. He has been discharged.

Mr. James C. Finley is in for medical care.

Mrs. James Robinson of Hereford was a medical patient. She has gone home.

Mrs. James Hargett is in for medical care. She is resting well.

VISIT AT TURKEY

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lane, Mrs. Mildred Lambert and Judy visited with relatives at Turkey Sunday.

PAUL JONES VISIT IN MULESHOE

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones of Capitan, New Mexico, visited relatives and friends in Muleshoe over the week-end.

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Irrigation Day

Muleshoe, Texas
February 25, 1953

High School Auditorium

CONDUCTED BY: The Extension Service, Farmers Home Administration, Production & Marketing Administration and Soil Conservation Service, Rural Electrification Administration.

SPONSORED BY: The Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association.

— PROGRAM —

Presiding — D. B. Lancaster, Manager Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association.

MORNING SESSION

9:34 DOOR PRIZE.

9:35 YOUR CONSERVATION DISTRICT:

Henry Schuster, Committeeman.
Water Conservation District.
Muleshoe, Texas.

"The Continued Strength of our Nation is Dependent on Conservation."

9:45 FUNDAMENTALS OF PROPER WATER APPLICATION: Border and Row Irrigation.

Ivan D. Wood, Irrigation Specialist.
Denver, Colorado.

"Water and Soil Support Us—Let's Protect Them"

10:30 HUNGER SIGNS IN CROPS AND HOW TO CORRECT THEM:

M. K. Thornton, Extension Soil Chemist.
Texas A & M College.

"Farming is a Science — Let's Treat it That Way"

11:00 COMPARISON OF ELECTRIC POWER WITH OTHER TYPES OF POWER:

Lynn S. Ludlow, Irrigation Specialist.
REA, Washington, D. C.

11:30 BUILDING SOIL FERTILITY:

Lester Ewing, Farmer.
Denver, Colorado.

"Electricity is One of the Best Farm Tools — Use it Efficiently, says Willie the Wired-Hand"

12:00 Questions.

12:15 LUNCH HOUR FREE BARBEQUE FELLOWSHIP HALL METHODIST CHURCH:

Served by Muleshoe High School Seniors.

AFTERNOON SESSION

Presiding: J. K. Adams, County Agriculture Agent Bailey County, Texas.

"More Food, Feed, & Fiber For Defense"

1:30 IRRIGATION PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES:

R. V. Thurmond, Irrigation Specialist,
Extension Service, Lubbock, Texas.

"Our Population is Increasing at the Rate of Over 7,000 Net Daily—There are No Miracles Left to Feed the Multitudes"

2:00 Don Jones, Superintendent, Experiment Station, Lubbock, Texas.

"Our Kids Deserve a Break so Put on the Brake—Don't Pump the Well Dry Before Tomorrow"

2:30 QUESTIONS.

2:40 PANEL DISCUSSION—ADAPTABLE IRRIGATED PASTURE MIXTURES:

Leader — J. K. Adams, County Agricultural Agent, Bailey County, Texas.

Members — Farmers and Agricultural Agency Representatives.

3:30 CONCRETE PIPE INSTALLATION:

Andy Holt
Gifford Hill Western, Lubbock, Texas.

"Starting Right with Concrete Pipe."

3:50 SUMMARY — John Shanklin.

"We all Love Our Country and Our Children — Let's Save some of its Resources for Them."

2nd DOOR PRIZE — AT CONCLUSION OF MEETING.

Muleshoe Girls District Champs, Schedule Game With New Deal Sat.

The Muleshoe girls basketball team wound up the season last Friday night with a victory as well as capturing the district crown. The win Friday night over Levelland was sparked by Peeler with 17 points, Montgomery with 14 and Graves with 10. High point for Levelland was Alexander with 12 points. Final score, Muleshoe 41 Levelland 27.

The girls team has a record of 24 victories and 4 defeats for the season, losing only in tournament play. They won all conference games.

In a defensive game Monday night the girls played and defeated Whiteface 27 to 20. Graves led with 13 points.

The boys A team lost their final game of the season to Levelland 68 to 44. Allison had

13 points for the Mules while Israel was bucketing 19 for the winners.

The boys B team also lost to Levelland 47 to 33.

The girls team will journey to New Deal Saturday night for a game with the team that has defeated them in every encounter to date.

UNDERGOES SURGERY AT AMHERST

Mrs. Bob Chapman, formerly Pearlene Volkman, is in the Amherst Hospital where she is recovering from surgery which she underwent Monday.

She is doing fine and expects to return to Muleshoe in a few days where she will stay with her mother, Mrs. Dave Coulter.

Door Prize To Be Awarded

The door prize to be given at the annual Irrigation Day program next Wednesday, Feb. 25, will be awarded at exactly 9:34 a. m., according to announcement of D. B. Lancaster, manager of the Bailey County Electric Cooperative Ass'n., of Muleshoe, which is sponsoring the event.

The prize will be given just after the meeting is opened in the high school auditorium here.

A program that will prove educational and interesting has been arranged in cooperation with the Extension Service, Farmers Home Administration, Production & Marketing Administration, and the Soil Conservation Service.

Lunch will be served free by the Cooperative at 12:15 in Fellowship Hall for all who attend and it will be served by the Muleshoe high school seniors.

Bailey County's fourth annual Irrigation Day will be held in the Muleshoe high school auditorium the coming Wednesday, February 25. It will be an all day school, with the Bailey County Electric Cooperative serving lunch in Fellowship Hall at noon.

The program will open at 9:34 a. m. when the Cooperative will award its first door prize.

The program will continue through the morning and afternoon with some of the outstanding agriculture speakers in the country to be featured on the program. A detailed outline of the program is printed in this paper.

Various agricultural agencies, including the Extension Service, Soil Conservation Service, PMA, Farmers Home Administration are cooperating with the Electric Co-op., in sponsoring this annual meeting, which it is hoped, will be bigger and better than ever.

A second door prize will be awarded at the end of the program.

Nuclear Fission Expert Talks To Muleshoe Lions

The Muleshoe Lions Club had an opportunity to get some information first hand on Nuclear Fission from Mr. Rhinehart of Sudan. Mr. Rhinehart, an expert on the subject, held his audience in a state of wonderment at the tremendous possibilities of the smashing of the atom and the development of atomic power.

All Lions are reminded again that Tuesday, March 10, will be the date of the issuing of the charter to the newly organized Lions Club in Bovina. All Lions and their ladies are urged to attend the affair.

Noel Woodley gave a report on the findings of the committee set up to help bring about a new gymnasium for Muleshoe.

Visiting guests for the meeting were, Fred Phelps, Sec. of the C. of C., Clovis, N. M.; Bill Streed, attorney from Littlefield; and the father of the speaker, Mr. Rhinehart, Sr.

Frona Victory Meeting Feb. 23

Farmer County Farm Bureau Officials extend a cordial welcome to the public to attend the "Victory Meeting" at Frona School Auditorium Monday night, February 23, at eight o'clock. Dr. S. M. Kennedy, Professor of Government and Assistant Dean of Arts and Sciences at Lubbock Technological College will make an illustrated talk entitled "Our American Heritage".

Winning teams of membership solicitors will be recognized and presented with awards as total results of the drive are tabulated. Following the program there will be soft drinks and coffee and donuts served to everyone.

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Family Shopping Festival



The Saturday Evening

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 LARGE BOX
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STEAK, lb. 69c
 CHOICE
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HENS, lb. 43c
 FRESH COUNTRY
Back Bone, lb. 53c
 BORDEN'S 12 OZ. BOX
Cottage Cheese 28c
 PAULGER'S ALL MEAT
FRANKS, lb. 49c
 CLEARFIELD 2 LB. BOX
CHEESE, ea. 96c
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 QUART BOTTLE
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BANANAS Lb. **12 1/2 c**
 CELERY, stalk 15c
 CAULIFLOWER, lb. 12 1/2c
 LETTUCE, lb. 12 1/2c
 ORANGES, lb. Texas 10c
 GREEN ONIONS, bunch 7 1/2c
 WALNUTS, lb. 39c
DRUMSTICKS Youngblood 1 Lb. Ctn. **89c**
 SNOW CROP 14 OZ. PKG.
SPINACH 19c
 SNOW CROP 10 OZ. PKG.
BABY OKRA 25c
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PEAS 12 1/2c
 SNOW CROP 4 OZ. CAN
ORANGE JUICE 12 1/2c
 FROZEN MAID 10 1/2 OZ. BOX
STRAWBERRIES **25c**

LARD

Wilson's
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COMSTOCK NO. 2 CAN
APPLES 25c
 MORTONS PINT BOTTLE
SALAD DRESSING 21c
 CARNATION TALL CAN
MILK 15c
 DEL MONTE NO. 2 CAN
SPINACH 15c
 DEL MONTE QUART BOTTLE
PRUNE JUICE 37c
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Poseley-Britton Vows Exchanged

Miss Patricia Poseley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poseley of Bison, S. D., became the bride of G. W. Britton, Bison, formerly of Muleshoe, in a quiet ceremony at the Spearfish Episcopal parsonage Saturday evening, Jan. 30, at 8:30 with the resident pastor officiating. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Milford Cooper of Bison.

The bride chose a beige suit with brown accessories. Her corsage was of pink and red rosebuds.

Mrs. Cooper wore a gray ensemble with a carnation corsage.

A life-time resident of Bison, the bride graduated from high school at Spearfish last summer. She is presently teaching in the Richland school. Mr. Britton moved to Bison from Snyder, Texas several years ago with the Birdwells and for the past year has managed the R. H. Odum ranch on Rabbit Creek south of Bison. The couple will make their home there and Mrs. Britton will complete her school term.

Epsilon Chi To Help Red Cross

The Epsilon Chi Chapter No. 1216 of Epsilon Sigma Alpha, met Wednesday evening, Feb. 11, in the Bailey County Electric Cooperative building, for a regular meeting and a Valentine party.

Hostesses were Misses Bill Ed Jones and Mary Fry. Eleven members were present.

The Chapter voted to help with the Red Cross drive in part of the residential section in raising the quota set for Bailey County.

Mrs. Herbert Griffiths was elected the delegate for the Texas "Woman of Distinction" from the Epsilon Chi Chapter.

Rush Season will be in April. Mrs. Sammy Allison is the Rush chairman and further plans will be announced later.

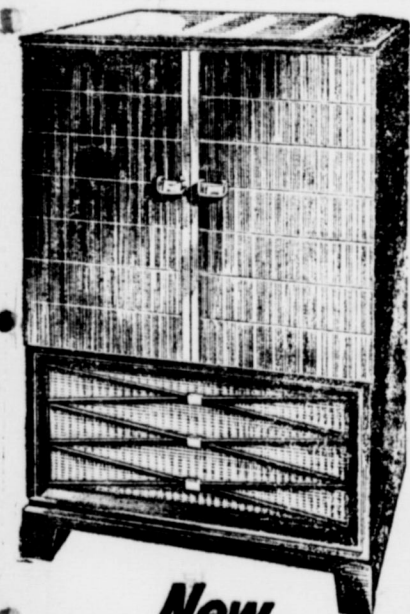
The executive committee is the nominating committee for the new officers to be elected soon.

A Mother and Daughter banquet will be on Founder's Day May 1, the place to be decided upon later.

Miss Mary Fry brought the program on "Kitchens".

After the meeting closed canasta and bridge were played. The meeting place will be announced later.

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Society News

By Mrs. Joyce Shafer

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Progress Church Has Family Supper

An all-family social night was enjoyed by members of the Progress Methodist Church Monday, Feb. 9. The delicious supper consisting of Mexican dishes with Fritos, salads, pie, coffee and Kool-Aid was served by members of the W. S. C. S.

The climax of the evening's entertainment was a film, "The Life of Mary Reed". It pictured the beautiful and unselfish story of a missionary to India who became a special worker in a leper colony, although she became a victim of the disease, she lived to be 86 years old. Her work was responsible for securing a hospital, decent homes, occupational help and a church for these victims of leprosy.

Many astonishing facts were revealed about leprosy or Hansen's Disease. Of the ten million people afflicted in the world, many are in the Southern States of our country. Many drugs have been developed for the treatment of leprosy and doctors contend that the disease can finally be controlled and eradicated.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for their flowers, sympathy, etc. during my illness. It is all deeply appreciated.

MRS. NELLIE DEAN

Half Century Club Entertains Guests

The Half Century Club met at the Fellowship Hall Thursday where they served a turkey dinner to several guests.

Decorations in the Valentine motif included three styrofoam hearts trimmed in red on the serving table. Pot plants decorated other tables.

Mrs. Hattie Rockey gave the history of the Half Century Club and Mrs. Howard Elliott and Blondie Ray showed motion pictures of some scenic trips made by local people. He also showed several social affairs and parties of the club.

Visitors present for the occasion were Mrs. Hertha Walker, Carl Case, Mrs. E. R. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ray and Dixon, Bill Moore, Minister and Mrs. Ebb Randol, M. E. Finley, Walter Witte, Mrs. Leota Wilterding, Miss Mildred Davis, I. W. Haney, Neil Rockey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gardner, Mrs. J. E. Lenau, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bobo, Miss Elizabeth Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young, Mrs. J. H. Young, George G. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elliott and Roberta, J. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Douglass, C. E. Briscoe, Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty, Mr. and

Mrs. Buford Butts and Patricia, Rev. H. W. Hanks and Mrs. J. J. Gross.

Members present were Mesdames Sarah Snyder, Rosa Wolard, Mary Finley, Lardie Paul, Sweetie Johnson, Hazel Farrell, Snow Davis, Lula Kistler, Hattie Rockey, Frances Williams, Jennie Panter, Beulah Carles, Laura Gilbreath, Sally Harden, Pete Witte, Daisy Engram, C. E. Briscoe, Clara Willman, Alpha Julian, Pearl Moore, Anna Moeller, Mattie Duke, Barbara Case, Mattie Haney, Annie Stevens, and Lois Schoenberger.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. L. Alsop on Thursday, Feb. 26.

MRS. WENNER HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Rev. and Mrs. Ernest L. Merriott honored Mrs. Merriott's mother, Mrs. F. L. Wenner, with a birthday dinner Sunday in their home.

All Mrs. Wenner's children were present except one son, Ralph, who lives in California.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Deltor F. Wenner, Mr. and Mrs. Reaford Wenner, Mr. and Mrs. Anceel L. Ashford, Ronald and Linda Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert F. Wenner, the Merriotts and Lonnie Dee and Virgel and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wenner.

Gleaners Class Has Banquet

The Gleaners Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church honored husbands of the members with a sweetheart banquet Friday evening, Feb. 13, in the church dining room. About 40 members and guests were present.

The Valentine motif was carried out in the table decorations of hearts and red candies. Plate favors were red hearts.

Arch Fowler was master of ceremonies for the evening. The welcome address was given by Mrs. Carol Wilson. B. A. Dalton gave the invocation.

Wayne Bristow entertained with a Valentine reading and Mrs. Verlin Greiner gave the story of the origin of Valentine's Day. Rev. A. W. Blaine brought a message on lovers of the Bible. Group singing was enjoyed by

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the group accompanied by Mrs. E. H. Kennedy at the organ.

LOCAL PEOPLE VISIT KNOTT'S BERRY FARM
George, Jean and Danni Maze, of Route 1, Muleshoe, recently

visited Knott's Berry Farm and Ghost Town in Buena Park, Calif. Knott's Berry Farm is one of the spots usually visited by tourists in Southern California. GARNER FARM RECORD books on sale at The Journal.

Official Memorandum

By

ALLAN SHIVERS, Governor of Texas

GREETINGS:

February 24, 1953, has been designated by members of the Texas Optometric Association, Inc., as "Optometry Day" in Texas, in the interest of the College of Optometry in the University of Houston.

All office income of Texas Optometric Association members in Texas on February 24, 1953, less laboratory costs, will be donated that day to the College of Optometry in the University of Houston, said funds being used to maintain and operate this new college of one of the major healing arts.

The College of Optometry of the University of Houston is the only college of its kind in the Southwest and is being largely maintained and operated by private funds through activities sponsored by the professional optometrists of Texas.

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Muleshoe

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THE MULESHOE JOURNAL, Thursday, February 19, 1952

1. PERSONALS

INCOME TAX PROBLEMS?
See
Earl Needham
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Real Estate Office

NOTICE: Every family should be protected by a Singleton Burial Policy. We write from birth to ninety years; Inquire or call Muleshoe Funeral Home, Home owned and operated. Dial 2860. 1-5-tfc.

PIANOS
Will have representatives in this vicinity shortly to dispose of two spinets, one studio and two upright pianos. These pianos must be sold at once to retire present obligations against them. If you want a bargain write, or phone Credit Department, McBrayer Piano Co., 217 West 6th, Amarillo, Texas. 1-11-3tc.

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HEDRICK COLLEGE OF BEAUTY:
Students tuition cash or terms as desired. 522 Main, Clovis, N. M. 1-10-3tp.

NOTICE: When you need belts, buttons, button holes, alterations or sewing, see Mrs. C. D. Julian. 3-9-3tp.

WANTED: Farm job for family. V. J. Oldham, Shady Rest. 1-9-1tp.

JOB WANTED: On farm driving tractor. Will take job monthly or yearly. Contact Jack Sliger at Robinson Boot Shop. 1-10-2tp.

2. LOST and FOUND

LOST, STRAYED or MISPLACED:
One Easy Flo Spreader. Reward. Iray Griffiths and Sons. 2-8-2tc.

FOUND: Bird Dog, owner can have by describing animal. Wiley Moore, Phone 2382 or 3430. 2-10-2tp.

3. HELP WANTED

SALESMAN WANTED: Wanted At Once, Rawleigh Dealer in Bailey County. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXA-270-F Memphis, Tenn. 3-10-6tp.

4. HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Modern 1 bedroom house. Wilson-Sanders Lbr. 4-8-1tc.

FOR RENT or SALE: 2 bed room home in Lenoa addition. See owner Sunday between 3 and 5 p. m., at only house east of Northside Church of Christ. 4-9-1tc.

5. APTS. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 3 room modern apartment, 1408 Ave. E. 5-9-1tc.

6. ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Front bedroom, 1408 Ave. E. 6-9-2tp.

8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 3 room house and garage. Near high school. Clarence Wilhite. 8-14-6tp.

FARMS AND HOMES FOR SALE



● 10 acres, located within one mile of town, on Clovis highway. No improvements. Priced to sell. \$3500. Terms.
● 320 acres improved land at Van Horn. Has one good well, with pump and motor and 32x40 Quonset barn. All in cultivation. Possession upon payment of \$15,000 down. Balance in 10 years at 5% A. steal.
● 320 acres good red land, located near Springlake, 200 in cultivation, one good 8" well. Fine large house and outbuildings. Balance in good grass. Priced to sell at \$225. Possession.
● 80 acres, irrigated. Close in. Cheap.
● 140x100 lot on Clovis Highway. We have plenty of land to sell. See Dave Aylesworth, at the Lone Star Trading Post in the Pool Insurance Building back of Bank in Muleshoe. Phone 5400.

DAVE AYLFSWORTH

The Man To See In '53

EMETTE CROSS
Real Estate

8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FARM PROPERTY

● 160 acres, good level land, 10 in. electric irrigation well, clean. Priced at \$250 per acre, \$20,000 cash will handle.
● 293 acres, good red land, 8 in. irrigation well, 4 room house. You will need to see this. Priced at \$165 per acre, good loan. This is a real buy at this price.
● 130 acres, on paving, 8 in. electric irrigation well. This is priced to sell at \$235 per acre.
● 80 acres, close in on paving, new 8 in. irrigation well. Priced \$36,000. 1/2 cash.
● 160 acres, 2-10 in irrigation wells, nice home, on the pavement. If you are interested in a real home, you will need to investigate this, possession immediately.
● 91 acres, red land, no improvements, has a good GI loan, priced at \$125 per acre for quick sale.
● 10 acres, on paving, 3 rooms and bath house, 7 in. irrigation well. Priced \$9,500. Has good loan.
● 25 acres, on paving, no improvements, good level land. If you are looking for a good building site, you will need to see this.
● 640 acres, 8 in. irrigation well, four room modern home. Priced \$125 per acre.

CITY PROPERTY

● A nice two bedroom home, on pavement. This is a real buy at \$6,800, good loan.
● A three bed room home, well located, price \$7,500, has large loan.
● Two, 2 room houses, priced at \$2,500.
● Two bedroom home, on paving, well located. For quick sale \$6,500.

CASH LEASES

● 160 acres, good clean land, 8 in. irrigation well, \$30 per acre.
● 160 acres, buy equipment and rent third and fourth, 2 irrigation wells.

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FARM PROPERTY

● 26x28 1/2 4 room frame stucco to be moved. Six years old, 6 miles east and 3/4 miles north of Muleshoe. Priced right.
● 130 acres, electric pump, 10 in. well on 65 ft. setting. Loan \$6500.
● 100 acres dry land 3 mi. north of Amherst. \$70 per acre. No improvements except windmill. 1/2 minerals.
● 160 acres, 3 room and bath, 10 in. irrigation well, new well. Very level. 1/2 minerals, immediate possession. FHA Loan. A perfect quarter.
● 160 acres level land, 14 inch pump 3 years old. Water setting 70 ft. 4 room house and pressure pump. On pavement. 1/2 minerals.
● 177 acres dry land in irrigation belt, 3 room tenant house. On pavement.
● 80 acres perfect land, 2 wells, dark red land, southeast of Portales, 20 acres in hay, nice out buildings, 4 room house modern. \$16,500.
● 20 acres close in, an ideal location to build. Priced right.
● 26 acres with well, four room house, very close in, immediate possession. Te most reasonable acreage in this area.
● 1 acre with 2 bedroom house, modern, pressure pump, large loan.

CITY PROPERTY

● 3 rooms and bath on 50 ft. lot, apt. with bath on three lots. Priced to sell!
● 3 room and bath on 50 ft. lot. East front on paving, \$4,000.
● New 2 bedroom, carpeted home in choice location. Immediate possession.
● 2 bedroom home on 11th St., face east, 50 ft. lot, \$3250. We have buyers — Do you have property to sell?

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GRADY CHILDRESS
Center, Colorado
Star Route

8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FARMS AND HOMES FOR SALE

● 80 Acres, 6 room and bath, 10 in. irrigation well, air clean. Ford Tractor with equipment at \$29,000 cash.
● 160 Acres 5 room and bath, 8 in. irrigation well, some grass, red land, all listed at \$250 per A.
● 35 Acres, 3 room house, 8 in. irrigation well, \$10,500, will carry some, close in.
We have lots of places for sale. See us before you buy. Also nice homes in town

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● A good 80 acres on paved road, close to town, good improvements, good irrigatin well. Can be bought worth the money, \$30,000. Come see this farm.
● We have some more good 80 acre farms close in, some good 160 and larger farms. We have any size farm that you would want and some good small ranches, so don't fail to see us for we sell them and get more to sell.

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C. E. BRISCOE
Muleshoe
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FOR SALE: \$3250 buys new 2 bedroom home completely modern. Floor furnace, blinds, and built-ins. Theron West. 48-tfc.

● 293 acres, 8" 3 stage irrigation well, 160' setting, priced \$190 per Acre.

● 320 acres level dry land, good cotton land, \$100 per Acre.

● 350 acres, all in wheat. This is a good level tract; all going at \$80 per acre, except 1/4 mineral reserved.

● 80 acres, a perfect tract for irrigation, No. 14, 10" electric well. Located on pavement, must sell.

● 1062 acres stock farm in Bailey Co., priced \$37.50 per Acre. 1/2 minerals reserved.

● We have stock ranches located in Denton and Lampassas, Texas.

● 21 Unit Apartment Hotel, Port Isabel, Cameron Co., Texas. Very popular resort. Gateway on new causeway to Padre Island, \$1,200 monthly income, expense \$670; price \$85,000. \$35,000 will handle deal.

● 320 acres good clean land. Located on pavement, improvements: Extra nice 3 bedroom home. Irrigation well and shed, good net wire fence.

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8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

WILL TRADE: 2 bedroom home and two lots located within 4 blocks of Simmons College in Abilene, for down payment on farm. C. H. Pettis, Box 276, Andrews, Texas. 8-11-3tp.

9. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

FOR SALE: '53 Chevrolet, 210-4 door, radio, signal lights, gas and oil frams, 2 tone green. \$2350 cash. Howard Griffin, Ave. J and W. 2nd. 9-9-2tp.

FOR SALE: Privately owned 1948 3/4 ton Chevrolet Pickup Good tires, heater, radio, signal lights, good mechanical condition. Inquire at Robinson Shoe Shop. Must Sell. Real Bargain. \$750. 9-9-1tp.

10. FARM EQUIP. FOR SALE

1 LAI 1948 Case tractor, recently overhauled; 1 1948 Hancock Terracing Machine. See Bud-die Blackman, 1112 Ave. E. Pho. 7179. 10-46-tfc.

11. SWAP

FOR SALE: New L. A. Case tractor full equipment. Butane, power lift, etc. Also new D. C. \$2500. See S. E. Goucher, Pho. 6261. 11-10-3tp.

13. APPLIANCES FOR SALE

USED REFRIGERATORS—Montgomery Ward and Coldspot electric. Bargains. Harper Appliance. 13-10-3tc.

15. FARM PROP FOR RENT

CASH RENT: 100 acres 1 1/2 miles east of Muleshoe, 8 in. electric irrigation well, 4 room modern house. S. D. Cements, Phone 5680. 15-10-2tp.

FARM FOR RENT: 160 Acres with sale of equipment, 2 mi. south, 1 1/2 west of Stateline Farms. Olin L. Dutton. 15-9-1tp.

16. MISCELLANEOUS

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16. MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE: Grocery stock and fixtures, building for lease. See Alvin Krieger, Shady Rest Gro. 16-10-4tc.

FOR SALE: 35 tons of baled alfalfa, 10 miles north of highway 70 on Sudan highway, 1 mile east, 1/2 north. Alfred Scott. 16-9-3tp.

FOR SALE: 3 670-15 tires, practically new, \$10 each. Also 1 1/2 ft. cabinet unit. Howard Griffin, Ave. J and 2nd St. 16-10-3tp.

WANTED: Used Butane Ensign System. Jack Hough, Route 2, Muleshoe. 16-10-2tp.

FOR SALE: Cotton Seed, second year improved Macha, cleaned, treated, well matured, handled with care at gin. Seed carried over from 1951 crop. \$2 per bushel at farm 8 mi west 2 south of Hale Center. E. R. Lindsey. 16-11-4tp.

FOR SALE: Used windows and frames. See Ira Thomas at Cone Elevator. 16-9-2tp.

Thomas Cobb In Germany

WORMS, GERMANY — Thomas G. Cobb, son of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Cobb, Route 3, Friona, has been promoted to corporal while serving in Worms, Germany, with the Army's 67th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion.

A gunner in Battery A, he entered the Army in July, 1950 and received basic training at Fort Ord, Calif., before arriving overseas in September, 1952.

In civilian life, Cobb was engaged in farming.

WEEK END IN DALLAS

Mrs. M. F. Green and sons, Bill and Bob, visited in Dallas over the week end.

TO ARIZONA

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Sr., and their little grandson, Mike, left the first of the week for Tucson, Ariz., where they expect to spend the next several weeks.

Joe Harris Serving In Pacific Fleet

FAR EAST — Serving aboard the fleet oiler USS Taluga is Navy Lt. Joe M. Harris, Supply and Disbursing Officer, son of Mrs. Troy Calvert of Enoch.

As a unit of the mobile logistics support forces for the Pacific Fleet, the Taluga is engaged in transporting and transferring oil to ships aiding the UN forces fighting in Korea.

Replenishment at sea enables ships to remain away from port almost indefinitely. It is for this reason that transfer of her secondary cargo is of equal importance to the ships which see her coming. This secondary cargo is mail, movies and fleet freight, all helpful in maintaining high morale in the fleet.

BOSTITCH STAPLERS and Staples always on tap at The Journal.



"EYES" OF TEXAS—Members of the Texas Optometric Association have pledged \$100,000 towards the establishment, maintenance, and operation of the College of Optometry in the University of Houston, the only college of its kind in the Southwest which trains professional optometrists. February 24th has been proclaimed by Governor Allan Shivers as "Optometry Day" in Texas when all fees of professional

optometrists in Texas will be donated to the University of Houston College of Optometry. Shown with Governor Shivers when he signed the proclamation are Dr. Charles Stewart, Dean of the College of Optometry; Dr. J. Herman Thomas, Fort Worth, President of the Texas Optometric Association; Dr. W. L. Cheatham, Houston, Chairman of the College Committee and Dr. Wes Petley, Lubbock, Fund Chairman.

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Style Show Plans Well Underway

Committees have been formed and plans are being made for the annual spring style show which is to be held at the Fellowship Hall March 27, at 8 p. m. This style show is sponsored each year by the Los Planos Study Club with the city clothing stores participating. Decorative arrangements are contributed by other firms. On the planning committee are Mesdames Willis Farrell, Sam Damron, and Bernard Phelps. This year's show promises to be a very good one.

H. D. Club Plans Friendship Quilt

The Enochs H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. Ray Spence on Feb. 12. Seventeen members and their agent, Mrs. Dian Reed, were present. The last meeting was postponed because of the severe snow storm on January 22. Mrs. Reed gave a demonstration on landscaping and on proper foods for a balanced diet. The club regretfully accepted the resignation of the president, Mrs. Roland Gibson who has recently accepted a position in a Littlefield bank. Mrs. Ray Spence was selected as the new president. The next meeting is to be held in the home of Mrs. T. A. Thomas on February 26. Mrs. Jerome Cash will give a demonstration on "Choosing and Planting Roses". Each member is requested to bring a thimble and needle as plans have been made to quilt a quilt of blocks pieced earlier. They also plan to select a pattern for a friendship quilt and begin work on a series of blocks to be presented to each member on her birthday. In this way, each member is to receive enough blocks for a quilt top as a birthday gift with the name of each member. A training course on advanced dress making which begins in March and is to be held in Muleshoe was announced by Mrs. Reed. This course is a prerequisite to any tailoring school which may be offered in the future. Mesdames L. G. Harris and M. J. Gibson plan to attend the

Mrs. Mitchell Leads Class Study

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the Progress Methodist Church on February 5. The topic of the program was part of the study course on Africa led by the teacher, Mrs. George Mitchell. The devotional was led by Mrs. Carrol M. Jones. Parts given were "Religions of Africa" by Mrs. O. S. Richards, "The Hold of Mother Earth on Africa" by Mrs. John W. Thomson, "Education in Africa" by Mrs. Troy Atkinson, and "Africans on Safari" by Mrs. A. L. Cooper. The meeting was concluded by a brief business session.

Christianity In Africa Is W. S. C. S. Study

The Progress Methodist W. S. C. S. met Thursday, Feb. 12 for their regular meeting. Mrs. G. Y. Mitchell, the teacher, held a short devotional and then introduced the topic. The rest of the program was as follows: "Africa on Safari", Chapters 4 and 5, Mrs. Carroll M. Jones; Questions and discussion of the "Christian Homes in Africa", Mrs. W. Y. Mitchell; "Communism versus Christian Communities in Africa", Mrs. Byron Gwyn. Questions and discussion of the latter topic, and a short business meeting completed the program. All church members are reminded to attend the special "Week of Dedication" service on Feb. 20 at the church, starting at 7:30.

VISITED IN HOBBS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bethany and grandson, Bill Mason of Amarillo visited here Saturday as they were enroute to Hobbs, N. M. Elizabeth Harden accompanied them to Hobbs where they visited Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Harden. While in Muleshoe they visited Mrs. I. W. Harden.

Texas Home Demonstration Association in Lubbock on April 30.

Progress Club In All Day Meet

24 Progress H. D. Club Leather, glorified glass painting and sewing are more fun when working with someone else. That is the verdict of the Progress Home Demonstration Club. They met with Mrs. Arnold Gross Tuesday, Feb. 10, all day and although the weather was stormy those who ventured out enjoyed the day. Each one brought a covered dish for the lunch served at noon. Albert Davis and Kenneth Burton were guests for lunch. The afternoon was spent in the work room painting, making billfolds and sewing, not to mention the visiting. They left with the avowed intention of meeting again in the not too far distant future. Those attending were Mrs. Walter Witte from the Muleshoe Club, Mrs. Barbara Burton, who gave instructions and members; Mesdames Alfred Patterson, Albert Davis, Wilbur Thomas, Roy Quesenberry, George Stotts, and Glenn Maltby.

FFA Sweetheart Banquet Is Held

About 88 attended the F. H. A. Sweetheart Banquet Saturday night, February 14. It was a gala affair as the couples participated in the Grand March and were served buffet style. The mothers did a grand job in serving which is deeply appreciated. After everyone had his plate, Mr. Upton gave the invocation. We had a very nice meal which was followed by the program. Lou Ann Agee sang "Somebody Loves You", accompanied by Bertha Shanks. Following were Eugene Burhman playing a piano solo, a solo sung by Carol June Burhman, accompanied by Eugene and Grady Glenn of Lubbock played several piano selections which the audience enjoyed very much. Afterwards we all stood and sang "Let me Call You Sweetheart".

Church Group Met Thursday

A nice time was reported by all when a group of young people from the Church of Christ met in the home of their Bible teacher, Mr. Jim Baker and his mother on Thursday night. After playing several games and having a contest in modern art, refreshments of sandwiches, punch, cookies and candy were served to: Jean Gammon, Johnny Gammon, Phil Province, Wanda Cherry, Wanda Clements, Paula Province, Evelyn Upton, Mary Woodard, Delores Lowe, Ruby Carney, Beverley Gilbreath, Frances Hall, Hugh Otwell, and Gene Paul Jarman.

Sanders Hosts Lumber Group

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Jr. of the Willson-Sanders Lumber entertained owners and employees of associated yard at a banquet served in Fellowship Hall here last Saturday night. Ladies of the Wesleyan Guild served the meal. The Valentine theme was carried out in the table decorations. Dinner music was provided by Lloyd Alsop, Gerald Priboth, Billie Don Barbour and Morgan Locker. Special numbers were given by LaVon Copley and Don Copley, and Elva Lee Shofner. A special movie "Key to Home Decorating" was shown and selection of paper for a five room house was demonstrated by Mrs. Sanders. Out of town yards represented were Willson & Young of Spur; Willson & Son, Floydada; Builders Mart, Floydada; Willson & Son, Dimmitt; Willson & Son, Quitaque; Nichols Lumber, Tulsa; Willson & Son, Silvertown; Sanders Lumber, Earth; Willson & Waldrop, Plainview; Willson & Simon, Levelland; Willson & Bell, Crosbyton.



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1 tablespoon steak sauce
4 eggs cooked unseasoned
1/2 cup chopped pimentos
1/4 cup chopped green pepper
TO MAKE CHEESE SAUCE: Simmer Carnation and salt together in saucepan over low heat to just below boiling point. Add cheese and stir until thickened and smooth (1-2 minutes). Stir in mustard and steak sauce.
THEN, pour over macaroni, pimento and green pepper in buttered 8-quart casserole. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) 25-30 minutes.
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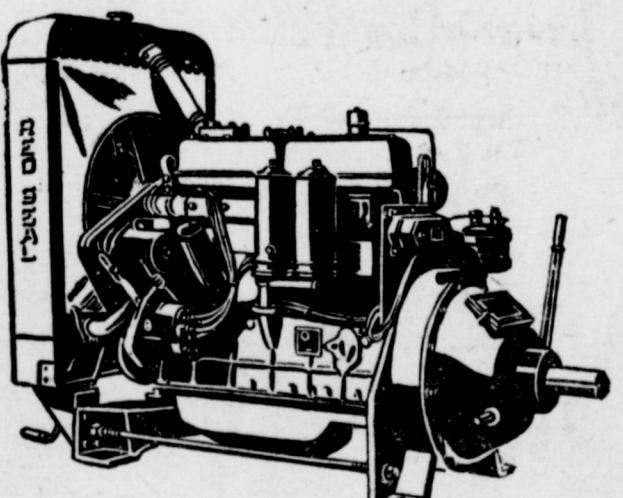
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Future Farmers Observing Their Silver Anniversary This Week

The largest farm boys organization in the world, the Future Farmers of America, which has grown to a membership of 350,000 in 25 years will highlight National FFA week February 21-28 with Silver Anniversary celebrations. FFA Week is observed traditionally during the birthday week of George Washington, America's first scientific farmer. It was more than a century after his death that many of his agricultural practices, such as contour planting, crop rotation and

other soil conserving methods, were put into general use. The 40,000 Texas Future Farmers are high school age boys enrolled in vocational agriculture courses where they study practical, scientific methods of farming and receive leadership training. Each boy is required to have a supervised farming program of livestock, poultry or crops under the direction of a vocational agriculture teacher who is an agricultural college graduate.

Programs Are Planned

Members of the Texas FFA, who make up almost one-eighth of the total FFA membership, will join with other Future Farmers in each of the 48 states, Hawaii and Puerto Rico to observe National FFA Week and their 25th anniversary with special programs, radio and television appearances, movies, demonstrations, skits, newspaper stories, and father-son banquets, according to an announcement made by Vannoy Stewart, state FFA adviser.

In their farm training, Future Farmers study new technical farming processes and problems which will confront them when they become full-time farmers, and then put their training into practice on their school and home farms. The boys participate in area and state judging contests in dairy, meat, dairy products,

livestock, and poultry. Each Future Farmer is given the opportunity to work for three degrees which are Chapter Farmer, Lone Star Farmer, and American Farmer, the highest degree awarded by the FFA.

The leadership training which Future Farmers receive in the FFA organization prepares them to take part in public meetings, speak in public and to preside at meetings. As part of their leadership training, teams from Future Farmer chapters take part in radio broadcasting, chapter conducting, FFA quiz and farm skill demonstration contests at area and state meetings. The boys also compete for state and national awards in public speaking, farm electrification, farm mechanics, soil and water management, and farm safety, and for scholarships to agricultural colleges.

A Complicated Business

Texas Future Farmers are continuously being taught that a farmer is the operator of a highly complicated business and that he must be highly trained in more phases of endeavor than in most any other occupation. In caring for their investments valued at more than 14 million dollars, the FFA boys are receiving very good training for becoming the experts they must be if they want to be successful farmers.

The Texas Future Farmers own beef cattle valued at more than three million dollars, have over two million invested in dairy cattle, and two million in swine. Their poultry projects are worth around \$800,000 and their turkey projects are worth about \$230,000. They have invested more than \$570,000 in sheep and goats.

Last year, the Texas FFA members planted 15,000 acre of corn and 25,000 acres of cotton. Other projects include raising horses, rabbits, wheat, oats, forage, fruit, potatoes, melons, vegetables, and peanuts.

SELECTED BRIEFS

A woman flees from temptation, but a man crawls away from it in the cheerful hope that it may overtake him.

A wedding ring is like a tourniquet—it stops your circulation.

The Average Man is proof enough that a woman can take a joke.

—Santa Fe Magazine

BARNETTS VISIT HERE

Second Lt. and Mrs. Travis Barnett spent from Sunday to Tuesday here with friends before going on to Fort Hood, Texas, where he is to report to the Second Armored Division for duty. Barnett recently graduated from the Officers' Candidate School in Fort Sill, Okla.

John H. Henry Hurt In Mishap

Seaman John R. Henry, 20, of Muleshoe, was seriously injured last Tuesday in a mishap that occurred on a slippery street in Portsmouth, Rhode Island. Seaman Henry is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Henry of Progress community, who flew to Rhode Island to be with him.

Henry and two other sailors from the US Destroyer Wadleigh were passengers in a cart that skidded on the snowy pavement and struck a utility pole. Henry, riding in the back seat was thrown from the car and sustained a spinal injury.

Lazbuddy News

The Lazbuddy basketball team defeated the Adrian girls 54-37 and the Adrian boys defeated the Lazbuddy boys 73-57. Bar-Hinkson was high point girl.

Mrs. C. C. Graef is keeping the children of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mitchell as Mrs. Mitchell is recovering from surgery which she underwent last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Griffin, Alice Griffin and Jerry Lawson of Lubbock, Mrs. E. R. Lawton and Janice, and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Embry and family visited Sunday in the James Welch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mangrum are visiting in Lawton, Okla., and points of interest in Arkansas.

The elementary school are enjoying some new playground equipment which was recently acquired.

Classing Office For Plainview Asked By Farmers

District 2 of the Texas Farm Bureau Federation has adopted a resolution asking for the establishment of a cotton classing office at Plainview.

In a called meeting at Lubbock Friday, representatives from 22 counties discussed the cotton program, with emphasis on cotton classing services.

The resolution will be sent to Rodney Whittaker, USDA; John L. McCollum, Dallas area supervisor, F. M. Rhodes, director of the cotton classing board at Washington, Secretary of Agriculture Benson and Texas Congressmen. It was presented by a resolutions committee comprised of Julian B. Smith, Hale County; E. L. Turner, Floyd; Hub King, Terry; Verney Towns, Bailey; and O. C. Thomas, Crisby.

Enochs News

Several in the Enochs community have been very ill.

Mr. Kelly, father of Mrs. E. N. McCall, suffered a stroke recently and has been in the hospital. He is now in the home of a daughter.

Matt Speck, 78, has also been very ill. He is a long time resident of the community. Mr. Speck suffered a stroke several months ago and is still very ill. He is the father of Mrs. James Betts of Morton and Mrs. Amos Dane and Mrs. J. O. Dane of

Enochs. The elder Mr. Sullivan has been ill for some time.

Ray Spence received a broken collarbone on Wednesday, Feb. 11, while assisting in roping a horse on the farm of T. A. Thomas of near Enochs.

Lathy Speck of Enochs celebrated his 80th birthday quietly at her home February 9. He and Mrs. Speck have been residents of the community almost 30 years. They have one daughter, Mrs. Carl Kernell, who is employed as a nurse at the Cochran County Hospital at Morton. They moved here from Rochester, Texas.

Mrs. Robert White of Lubbock is spending a two-week vacation in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Noll. Robert is stationed at San Diego, Calif., in the U. S. Navy. He has just completed basic training.

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RETURNED MONDAY

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Awtrey returned Monday from Hot Springs, N. M., where they spent a week vacationing and taking the baths.

TO SAN ANTONIO

Mr. and Mrs. Deon Awtrey, Ronald and Sharon spent the week end at San Antonio visiting friends.

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VALUE OF GRASSLAND FARMING

If you were going to put a price on Texas' tremendous acreage of grassland, how would you determine its value? It would be impossible, for our grass is a priceless commodity. Without improved grasslands, this nation would have a less total amount of food. Our diets would include less milk, butter, cheese and meat. Our overall production of all farm commodities would experience an alarming drop.

The term "grassland farming" is not a new one, but it is a factor often neglected when compiling statistics on the agricultural wealth of Texas. This state has more than 100 million acres of grass forest and pastureland and much of it is improved. The farmer who is a good manager can double or triple production on hundreds of thousands of these acres through liming, fertilization and reseeding with more productive grasses and legumes.

These improved grasslands can be invaluable when made a part of the crop rotation system. Tests show that land

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planted to legumes and grasses for a year help assure a longer period of maximum production on cultivated crops. No schemes have yet been devised for agriculture that will maintain soil organic matter better than plans based on adequate proportions of grasses in crop rotations.

Experiments have shown that on much land, improved forage crops can produce as much livestock feed per acre, at lower cost and with less labor, than corn and other feed grains. In North Carolina, for example, on land capable of producing 50 bushels of corn per acre, improved pastures produced the feed equivalent of 87 bushels of corn. Wheat yielded the feed equivalent of 30 bushels of corn. Oats and barley yielded the feed equivalent of 24 bushels of corn.

Even more conclusive evidence of the worth of grassland crops is the fact that returns per man hour of labor were calculated at \$23.09 from improved pastures, as compared with only \$5.81 from wheat, \$3.69 from corn and \$2.79 from oats. Studies in the middle-western states have shown similar results.

Grassland agriculture can make enormous contributions to increased food production during times of national emergency. The idea that farmers must plow up good grasses and plant more row crops because of crisis is a false concept. When we achieve a better and more productive balance between crops and grasses, we can look forward to greater production for longer periods of time.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

In present day living wisdom needs to be as devoutly sought from God as it was in Old Testament times when Solomon prayed "Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad; for who is able to judge this thy so great a people?" (1 Kings 3:9). This thought is stressed in the Lesson-Sermon entitled "Mind", which will be read in Christian Science churches next Sunday.

Continuing in the vein that wisdom is God-bestowed is this citation from the Christian Science textbook, "All substance, intelligence, wisdom, being, immortality, cause, and effect belong to God. No wisdom is wise but His wisdom; no truth is true, no love is lovely, no life is Life but the divine; no good is, but the good God bestows" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 275).

The Golden Text is from Psalms "Great is our Lord, and of great power; his understanding is infinite" (Psalms 147:5).

State Inspects 1000 Meat Samples

AUSTIN, Feb. 17—Spot checks of meat markets by the State Health Department meat inspectors insure Texas housewives that when they buy a pound of hamburger they're getting a product whose contents have been carefully defined by state law, declared Dr. Geo. Cox, State Health Officer.

In revealing that more than 1,000 meat samples were collected last year for laboratory analysis from all sections of the state, Dr. Cox says that the food and drug inspectors have been ordered to increase the frequency of their inspections of community butcher shops in an effort to curb the sale of horsemeat as hamburgers.

By state law, hamburger is defined as "chopped or ground fresh beef, with or without the addition of beef fat as such, and with or without seasoning, and shall contain not more than 30 per cent fat."

GUEST FROM ARLINGTON

Mrs. J. H. Young of Arlington, Texas, is visiting in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young.

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How We Finance Rural Roads

Editor's note: This is another of a series of articles presenting information gathered by the Highway Policy Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Funds for the building of Farm-to-Market roads come from two sources. They are (1) a monthly allotment of \$1,250,000 or \$15 million per year from the state general fund and (2) money not needed to pay off county or district road bonds from the Bond 000 diverted directly from that fund to counties for lateral road road construction.

Diversion of \$1,250,000 monthly from the general fund for Farm roads is authorized by the Briscoe-Colson bill enacted by the last Legislature.

As explained in an earlier article, the bond assumption fund was created from one cent of the 4 cent per gallon gasoline tax. Since maturities of road bonds now amount to what is collected from four-tenths of a cent of this tax, approximately six-tenths is available for Farm roads and for other types built by the State.

According to the statement of the Texas Highway Department, for the year ended August 31, 1951, receipts to it for building Farm roads amounted to \$20,949,528.50.

The State contemplates eventually the construction of 35,000 miles of Farm-to-Market roads. As of August, 1951, there were 20,691 miles of Farm roads built and maintained by the State. This does not include hard-surfaced roads built by counties.

The Art Of Living

Lud Taylor and Rev. H. W. Hanks each clipped an article from a different source and both thought it would bear repeating in The Journal. We think so, too, and here it is:

THE ART OF LIVING

Someone has sent me a clipping that has passed from hand to hand for many years. I don't know who its original author was, but what he had to say should be read by everyone. The clipping is headed "Something to Think About" and undated, it reads:

"In 1923, a very important meeting was held at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago. Attending this meeting were nine of the world's most successful financiers. Those present included:

Independent steel company; "The president of the largest utility company"; "The greatest wheat speculator"; "The president of the New York Stock Exchange"; "A member of the President's cabinet"; "The greatest 'bear' on Wall Street"; "The head of the world's greatest monopoly"; "The president of the Bank of International Settlements."

Certainly we must admit that here were gathered a group of the world's most successful men. At least, these were men who thought they had found the secret of making money. Thirty years later, this is what had happened to each of them:

"The president of the largest independent steely company—Charles Schwab—had died a bankrupt and lived on borrowed money for five years before his death."

"The head of the greatest monopoly company—Samuel Insull—died a fugitive from justice and penniless in a foreign land."

"The greatest wheat speculator—Arthur Cutten—had died abroad, insolvent."

"The president of the New York Stock Exchange—Richard Whitney—had served a term in Sing Sing penitentiary."

"The member of the President's cabinet—Albert Fall—had been pardoned from prison so that he could die at home."

"The greatest 'bear' in Wall Street—Jesse Livermore—had died a suicide."

"The head of the greatest monopoly—Ivar Krueger—had died a suicide."

"The president of the Banks of International Settlement—Leon Fraser—had died a suicide."

"All of these men learned the art of making money, but none one of them learned how to live". This unknown author has pointed a great moral for us all. The important thing in living is to learn how to live. Living is an art and each of us must master for himself the art of living".

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Area Farmers Recommend Changes In Government Cotton Classing

Cotton farmers of this area have been dissatisfied, in many instances, with grading of their cotton. In response to numerous requests, Farm Bureau Leaders of District 1 have held two meetings in an effort to find a suitable solution to the problem. Last Thursday, Bruce Farr and Truman Kent, of Parmer County attended the first meeting in Lubbock where various complaints were heard and considered. Also in attendance were cotton experts from Washington and Dallas. Saturday, Bruce Farr, Earl Stevenson, and Troy Fuller were in attendance when the following findings and resolutions were adopted by the group representing 22 counties:

Whereas one classing office, (The Lubbock Classing Office) classes sixty percent (60%) of the cotton produced in the State of Texas as compared with forty per cent (40%) being classed by at least nine (9) other classing stations.

Whereas, the current government loan price scale is based on middling grade and 15-16 inch staple, the cotton produced in this area averages 7-8 inch staple or below, 60% of such cotton is spot cotton, 40% of that 60% being light spot.

Whereas, the current government loan price scale does not recognize light spots nor middling plusses, and market prices of said light spotted cotton and middling plus cotton is considerably higher than plain spotted cotton.

Whereas the cotton producers in this area are thoroughly dissatisfied with existing circumstances and conditions surrounding the Lubbock cotton classing station.

Therefore, be it resolved that:

1. Another cotton classing office be placed in Plainview, Texas, free and independent of the Lubbock Office and staffed by personnel not drawn from the Lubbock office.

2. A price loan scale be set up and approved by commodity Credit Corporation and placed in effect for the 1953 cotton crop to include split grades of cotton such as light spots and middling plusses.

3. Government loan price scale be based upon low middling grade and 7-8 inch staple.

4. Lighting and humidity conditions be provided and standardized in all classing stations in low humidity areas to include proper conditions of samples prior to classing.

5. A school of instruction located preferably at Texas Technological College, to train capable and qualified cotton classers for the future be established, and that the present quality of cotton classing be raised through better working conditions, increased pay, etc., etc.

Study Grain Losses

Also under study by Parmer County Bureau Officials and district leaders is the situation existing with many grain producers in this area as a result of the CCC seizure of elevators last year when shortages were found to exist. An effort is being made to recover heavy losses incurred by farmers who had grain in the loan and some who had grain in open storage in the affected elevators at the time of confiscation.

Mrs. St. Clair On Workshop Program

Workshops in Dumas and Plainview on Feb. 26 and 27 for the 7th district of the Texas Federation of Women's clubs are scheduled so that every woman in the district can attend one of the meetings, according to Mrs. O. M. McGinty, of Spur, district president.

In Dumas on Thursday, Feb. 26, the meeting will be at the Presbyterian church with registration at 10 a. m. Luncheon is at the Sneed Hotel, with Mrs. W. R. Rutherford of Dumas presiding.

In Plainview on Friday, Feb. 27 registration is at 10 a. m. at the Green Room of the Hilton Hotel with luncheon at the hotel with Mrs. A. E. Boyd, Plainview presiding.

Mrs. McGinty will preside at both sessions, and the following panel on national defense will be on both programs, directed by Mrs. R. B. Jones, chairman of the department from Plains: Mrs. C. A. Carlton, Borger; Mrs. Irvin St. Clair, Muleshoe; Mrs. Urlin Streu, Hereford; Mrs. Paul Bryant, Canadian; Mrs. Albert Morrow, Morton; and Mrs. Carroll Smyers, Lubbock.

Other interesting discussions and films will be on the agenda for the workshops throughout the two days.

Mrs. J. W. Walker, of Plainview will give a summary of the workshops on both days. Adjournment is scheduled for 3:30 p. m.

Reservations for the Dumas luncheon at \$1.75 should be made with Mrs. W. R. Rutherford, P. O. Box 7, Dumas by Feb. 21, and for Plainview, at \$1 with Mrs. A. E. Boyd, 715 Denver, by Feb. 23.

Mrs. Allison Hosts Social Club

The Pleasant Valley Social Club met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Oscar Allison.

Delicious refreshments of angel food cake, ice cream and strawberries were enjoyed by the members.

Present were Mesdames R. L. Roubinek, Doyle Turner, Gerald Allison, George Wuerflein, Harold Allison, Leroy Hicks, Jerry Angeley, Charles Shaw, E. K. Angeley, and one visitor, Mrs. Bonnie Haberer.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gerald Allison Wednesday, Feb. 18.

W. S. C. S. Plans Day Of Prayer

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the church sanctuary Monday, Feb. 16, at 2:30 p. m. to continue the study of "Human Rights."

The opening song was "There's Power in the Blood". The devotional was from the verse, "Proclaim liberty throughout all the land unto all inhabitants thereof" which is found in Leviticus.

Questions asked to emphasize the lesson were "What is the writing on the Liberty Bell?" and "What is the writing on the Statue of Liberty?" After silent meditation, Mrs. Holt led in prayer.

A round table discussion was held on "Negro Americans" with Mrs. H. Jay Weyer as leader. Two stories, "A Place to Belong" by Margaret Steward, told by Mrs. O. N. Jennings and "The Sun is Out" by Marion Cuthbert, told by Mrs. A. C. Gaede. A prayer by Mrs. Hanks closed the lesson.

The president, Mrs. Pierson, conducted the business session. Officer report forms were given to the officers.

Plans were made for the quarterly covered dish luncheon to be held Monday, Feb. 23, at 10:30 a. m. in the Fellowship Hall. Reports will then be heard from those who attend the conference in Amarillo.

In the afternoon, bandages will be rolled.

Present were Mesdames Beulah Carles, Lucy Layne, H. Jay Weyer, H. C. Holt, H. W. Hanks, A. C. Gaede, I. F. Willman, O. N. Jennings, C. R. Farrell, H. M. Shofner, Roy Bayless, F. B. Pierson, Arnold Morris and little Claudia Huber.

The World Day of Prayer will be observed Friday, Feb. 20, at the church beginning at 2:30 p. m.

NEW SCOUT DISTRICT

The South Plains Scout Council has realigned the territory it serves. Bailey County has now been placed with Lamb, Cochran, and Hockley Counties in District 5, and the district will be served by a professional staff member out of Levelland.

was adopted. About 3 enjoyed the occasion immensely.

EASTERN STAR MEMBERS VISIT IN PETERSBURG

Members of the Muleshoe Eastern Star attended friendship night at Petersburg Monday, Feb. 16. Those attending were Wynne

Dunn, Viola Layne, Billie Mathis, Ada Thompson, Mary Farley, Bertha Johnson, and Jewell Strong. Billie Mathis went as an honored guest and filled the station of conductress.

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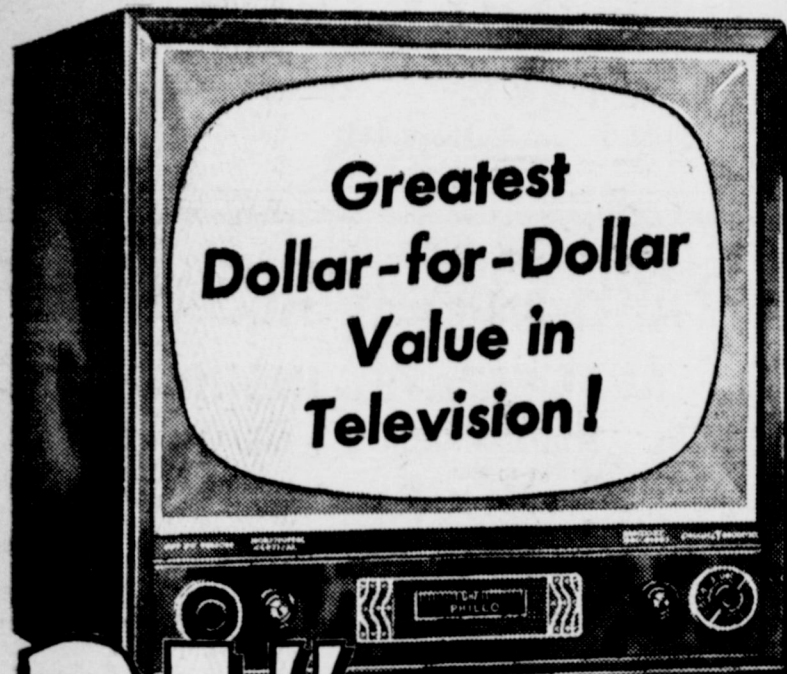
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Sanders Lumber Co. Presents Program At Club Meeting

The Muleshoe Study Club was entertained by the Sanders Lumber Co., Thursday evening, Feb. 12, when an interesting program was presented on wallpapers and coverings.

A movie "Background for Home Decoration", was shown by Al Ratliff and Ira Robinson. Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Sr., and Mrs. H. S. Sanders, Jr., then gave a demonstration on wallpapers for three five room homes and special rooms. Other wall coverings were also shown.

Attending were members and visitors, Mesdames Glenn Dunn, H. L. Blackburn, Mabel Dowell, Alf Stovall, Muri Wilson, Raymond Franz, J. M. Forbes, Walter Witte, A. J. Gardner, Julian Le-nau, Howard Elliott, Pat Bobo, Morris Childers, H. D. King, Woodie Lambert, Bill Connell, R. L. Mayo, Lila Pence, Houston Hart, M. F. Green, Mary Hart, Ola Ragsdale of Baileyboro, Buck Ragsdale of Baileyboro, W. L. Shafer of Sudan, Miss Mildred Davis, and the hostesses.

B-Hi-U Enjoys Valentine Party

The B-Hi-U of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a Valentine party Thursday evening, Feb. 12. Games in the Valentine motif were under the direction of Mrs. John Watson.

The refreshment table was covered with a Valentine cloth. Refreshments of heart-shaped sandwiches, white heart cakes trimmed in red, mints and red punch were served by Mrs. Clinton Briscoe assisted by Mrs. Eddie Lane and Mrs. D. L. Morrison.

After the games and refreshments, the B-Hi-U constitution

REBEKAH NEWS

Rebekah Lodge No. 160 Rebekah Lodge No. 160, Needmore Lodge sponsored a Valentine party.

The Needmore Rebekah Lodge met in due form last Tuesday night, after business was over. Everyone enjoyed themselves by Western Music furnished by James Meason, John Fried and Jackey Henderson.

Two comical talks were given by Jessie Robinson. Refreshments of coffee, ice cream and cookies were served.

Several games were played. A nice crowd attended and everyone present received a nice Valentine.

Reporter, James Mitchell

ODD FELLOW NEWS

Needmore Lodge No. 33 Roy Brashear of Muleshoe, was elected by Needmore I. O. O. F. Lodge to represent them in the grand session to be held at Ft. Worth March 14 through the 17.

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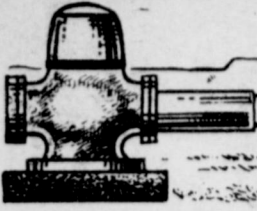
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NOTED SPECIALIST COMING

Ivan Wood, Grass Roots Teacher To Address Irrigation Day Crowd

Ivan Daley Wood, irrigation research engineer, of Denver, Colo., who will be one of the principal speakers on the program for Irrigation Day here, February 25, was selected to receive the John Deere Gold Medal for 1953 by the American Society of Agricultural Engineers. It was said that this award gives recognition of a great "grass roots" teacher.

Those who attend the program planned here next Wednesday will have the opportunity to hear the famed engineer talk.

Ivan Wood was born in 1888, at La Platte, Nebr. In 1912 he received his B. S. in agricultural engineering, one of the first in the U. S. to be graduated with this degree. A year later came the master's degree.

In 1914 he became extension engineer of the Nebraska agricultural extension service, something new in Nebraska and almost new anywhere. His mission was to carry the work of the experiment station to farmers by means of practical demonstrations and by schools of instructions. His methods were adopted by many States.

For a year, Wood was chief of engineering, Plains Shelterbelt Project, an activity which involved surveys of shelterbelt strips in 6 States, planning and irrigation of nurseries, surveys and experiments in water conservation measures. Meanwhile there developed the great drought that started in 1934, peaked in 1936, and ran into 1937.

Aided by grants from the Public Works Administration, Wood focussed attention of the Extension Service on alleviation of the drought by means of pump irrigation. Farmers affected were familiar only with dry-land methods and their guidance in pumping and irrigation was achieved by hundreds of meetings and demonstrations with aggregate attendance exceeding 40,000.

During all this, Wood stayed with the State and the University of Nebraska. It was in 1940 that

MARILYN GUPTON GETS LEADING ROLE IN PLAY

Canyon, Feb. 13. — Marilyn Gupton, Muleshoe freshman, has been assigned one of the leading roles in the spring production of the Branding Iron Theatre of West Texas State College. The three-act comedy drama is named "The Young and The Fair" and will be presented March 2 and 3.

Miss Gupton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gupton, 1112 W. 3rd St., Muleshoe.

Our Honor Roll

New subscribers to The Journal this week are:

Remund Dorsey, Goodnight, M. E. Simons, City, Otto Lingnan, Friona, J. A. Campbell, City.

Old subscribers who have renewed their subscriptions to The Journal this week are:

Rufus Gilbreath, City, Forrest W. Jones, City, Buford Butts, City, J. L. Alsop, City, Will Harper, City, H. S. Sanders, Cr., City, Jim Cox, City, Jack Cox, City, Water Ramm, City, Johnny Johnson, City, Dr. A. E. Lewis, City, C. A. Barnett, City, Mrs. Vera Colson, City, Finis Kimbrough, Route 1, Bernice Bickel, Route 1, Glenn Stiles, Star Route 1, F. L. Wenner, Route 1, L. R. Sims, Star Route 1, W. E. Meyers, Route 2, George Stotts, Route 2, O. C. Thomson, Route 2, G. E. Redwine, Route 2, L. L. Slayden, Route 2, S. L. Jackson, Route 2, J. T. Toombs, Morton, W. F. McGee, Ft. Worth, Jack Lowe, Baileyboro, Ernest Kube, Farwell, Shirley Kizer, Lubbock, E. R. Hart, Kansas City, Mo, Al Cassidy, Route 1, R. H. Dorn, Lawton, Okla, Don Jackson, Corpus Christi, Wynne's Press Clipping Bureau, Livingston, N. J., Mrs. Essie Plunket, Bowie, Tex, W. I. Plunket, Baileyboro.

Harbin Guernsey Produces 12,001 Pounds Of Milk

Peterborough, N. M. — A registered Guernsey cow, Bluff View Philosopher's Bona, owned by Ralph Harbin, Muleshoe, Texas, put 12,001 pounds of milk and 624 pounds of butterfat into the country's breadbasket. This is according to the official Herd Improvement Registry record released by The American Guernsey Cattle Club. "Bona" was a senior three year-old and was milked 730 times while on test. Guernsey cows on official test have steadily increased production over the years. The average cow in the United States produce

only about one half as much as the average purebred Guernsey on official test.

226,552 Helped By Red Cross

AUSTIN — A total of 226,552 Texans have been helped by the Red Cross between July 1, 1951, and June 30, 1952, a report to Governor Allan Shivers showed this week.

The report also revealed that much of the Red Cross aid was necessary because of disasters which struck various parts of the state. The Red Cross and the State Division of Defense and Disaster Relief worked together in these disaster areas, along with members of other state and private organizations.

On all, the Red Cross spent \$1,154,698 in financial assistance during the year. This help was given to members of the armed

forces, veterans and civilians and their families. In addition, 285,797 instances occurred in which individuals and families were given general information and other limited services. The Red Cross provided families with food, clothing, shelter, medical and nursing care during 13 disasters which occurred in 17 counties. The organization also furnished long-term aid for extended medical care, rebuilding, and new job training, the report showed.

GARNER FARM RECORD books on sale at The Journal.

MULESHOE MEN PURCHASE POLANDS AT PLAINVIEW

Forty-five head of registered Poland China swine brought consignors an average of \$65.30 in the annual sale of the Panhandle Plains Poland China Breeders Ass'n., held in Plainview Saturday.

Buyers included Vannoy Tip-ton, James Wedel, and G. L. Splawn, all of Muleshoe.

NOTICE TO FARMERS GOING TO ATTEND THE IRRIGATION SCHOOL

Fill in the following questions so that we will know how many folks to prepare for.

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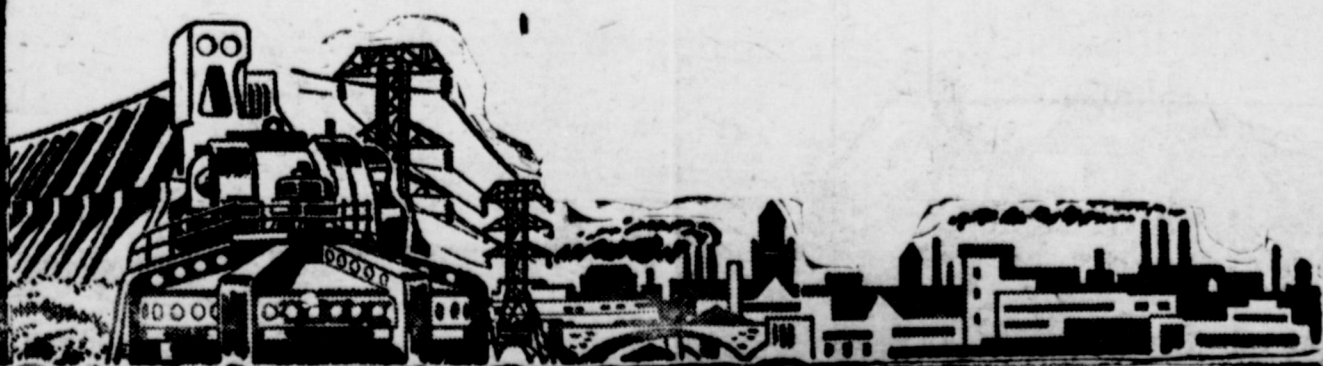
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Leo Powell to Anthony Jesko, Lot 40 in Block 2, Northwest Addition to Muleshoe, \$121.85.
 W. Q. Casey, et ux to E. F. Holland, et ux, Lot 12 and N-2 Lot 11, Ladd's Subdivision of Block 6, Hillcrest Addition No. 2, \$522.50.
 Cecil Evanson, et ux to Byron McCracken, et ux, N-2 of SE-4 Section 11, Block Z, \$20,397.25 and other valuable considerations.
 L. V. Phillips, et ux to G. D. Webb, S-2 of SE-4 Section 11, Block Z, \$19,000.
 G. G. Young, et ux to Donald L. Bernard, et ux, Lots 18 and 19, McCains Addition to Muleshoe, \$700.
 James M. Shuttlesworth, et ux

to J. W. Witherspoon, Lots 9, 10 and 11, Block 36, Old Town of Muleshoe, \$3,200.

L. A. Purcell, et ux to City of Lubbock, Underground water in and under and that may be produced from all of Leagues 173, 174 and all of League 172 Sutton County School Lands, excepting Labors 3, 4 and 25 and also 354 acres out of the NE corner of said League 172, being Labors 1 and 2 thereof. All of what is known as the A. A. Kuehn Survey 2, Block R; Sections 5 to 11, both inclusive; 16 to 22, both inclusive; 27 to 33, both inclusive; 38 to 44, both inclusive; 49 to 55, both inclusive; 64 to 68, both inclusive; 77 to 79, both inclusive; 89 to 92 both inclusive, all situated in Block A; Sections 1 to 4 inclusive of Block O of the T. H. Jones Survey; all of the above described land being situated in Bailey County Texas, \$10 and other valuable considerations.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Bobby Joe Steward of Muleshoe, to Miss La Wanda Jean Nelms, also of Muleshoe. Issued February 4, 1953.

BIRTHS REGISTERED FOR JANUARY, 1953

Barbara Ann Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob C. Robinson, colored, born January 1, 1953.

Joe Bailey Duke, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Duke, born January 5, 1953.

Two Trustees To Be Elected

An election to select two members of the Muleshoe independent school district board of trustees will be held here on the first Saturday in April, which will be April 4.

Terms of Jack Lenderson and Bert Seales will expire. The Journal has not learned whether they will offer for reelection.
 Other members of the board are Dee Warner, John Sowder, David Anderson, Jeff Peeler, and Verney Towns.

Allan Jay Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Roberts, born January 9, 1953.

Charles Lance Puckett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Puckett, born January 11, 1953.

Robert Earl Sturgess, son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Sturgess, born January 11, 1953.

Peggy Edith Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Brown, born January 20, 1953.

Cheryl Lorene Gable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Gable, born January 21, 1953.

Brenda Kay Redwine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerrel O. Redwine, born January 21, 1953.

Larry Keith Gross, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gross, born January 23, 1953.

Jimmy Lee Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Mills, born January 23, 1953.

Donald James MacAllister, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neal D. MacAllister, born January 27, 1953.

Carla Janice Lemons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ersel M. Lemons, born January 30, 1953.

Barbara Jeanene Freeman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence W. Freeman, born January 30, 1953.

Margaret Elaine Hanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Roy Hanson, born January 30, 1953.

Larry Don Luman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy L. Luman, born January 31, 1953.

Jerry Sim Putman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryce R. Putman, born January 31, 1953.

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Les Ewing, Famed Colorado Farmer, To Address Irrigation Day Crowd



LES EWING

Les Ewing, an irrigation farmer of Fort Lupton, Colo., who has given special attention to soil fertility building practices, will speak at Soil Building Meetings scheduled by the Texas A & M Agricultural Extension Service in South Plains counties February 23 to 28. He will be on the Soil Fertility Building Program in Muleshoe on February 25.

Learning from experience, Mr. Ewing now knows that organic matter in the soil is the key to high yields. Rotation which includes grasses and legumes, plus barnyard manure, are used to maintain organic matter at a high level. This combination,

three years have averaged 23.8 tons per acre and yields of 500 to 600 lbs. per acre of clean wheat grass seed are harvested. These production figures are fully one-third more than the averages for the Fort Lupton community. Texas irrigation farmers will be interested in Mr. Ewing's soil fertility building program as the same practices he carries out on his Colorado farm can be profitably used on most irrigated farms in the South Plains of Texas.

In addition to being a top notch farmer, Mr. Ewing serves on the Farm Advisory Committee of the USDA Potato Experiment Station at Greeley, Colo., is Chairman of the Conservation Committee of the State Agricultural Planning Group, and is active in other community organizations. The Agricultural Department of the Burlington Lines is sponsoring Mr. Ewing's appearance at the Texas meetings and is cooperating with special committees of farmers, representatives of chambers of commerce and the Agricultural Extension Service at each of the towns in arranging for the Soils Building Day Programs.

RAIN, RAIN, GO AWAY!



Who said, "Rain, rain, go away!" This pretty miss is eager for showers, so she can don her smart cotton raincoat by Lawrence of London. The Wellington Sears cotton fabric is sand-colored, and black is used for the trim on the coat and for the dashing beret. The cotton fabric is water-resistant and wind-resistant. The National Cotton Council reports.



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"Free Chick Day" At Jones Farm Store Next Sat.

Next Saturday, Feb. 21, will be Free Chick Day in Muleshoe when the Jones Farm Store will give away 25 cockerels. Only adults may participate in the event, and the store will open at 9 a. m. sharp.

According to Chief Jones, owner of the store, the chicks will be given away as part of a nation-wide program sponsored by Purina Dealers in order to encourage more "backlot chicken flocks."

"A lot of folks would like to raise a few chickens for home consumption; it's easy to raise a healthy flock, following the program we have," Chief Jones said. "We are asking all those coming for free chicks to bring a box or container for the birds," he said.
 Because of the limited number of chicks to be given away, it will be a case of first come, first served.

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Irrigation Here Has Had Rapid Development

First Wells In County Drilled As Early As 1912

By J. K. ADAMS
County Agent

Irrigation began in Bailey county in 1912 on a small scale with slow motion steam power but has advanced rapidly, especially since the year 1937 and the advent of the more efficient gasoline engine.

During 1948 and 1949 the Bailey county farmers had decided that electrical power for irrigation has many advantages over other types of power and REA alone has installed 127 irrigation units using electric motors. Private utility furnishes power for 41 more wells and the balance of approximately 150 wells are powered with gasoline engines with the exception of a few diesel powered units. Bailey county has more than one-half of her irrigation wells on electricity, this is undoubtedly much higher

proportion than can be found in any county on the Plains.

Total irrigated area in the county covers about 100 square miles and has slightly over 3 irrigation wells per square mile. Water is applied to approximately 68,000 acres annually. The underground formation gives up water rapidly and the number of wells that produce in excess of 1500 gallons per minute in Bailey county are in greater numbers than in any other county in the High Plains irrigation area. Since the average number of acres being watered per well is only 225 acres and the wells are such high producers, there is great emphasis on alfalfa hay production.

There is an estimated 12,000 acres of this crop in the county at the present date. Over 95% of all wells in the county will be found within a radius of 25 miles of the city of Muleshoe and all these wells are in a fan shaped area extending north, east and west of the metropolis.

In answer to the grave concern over the water table in the area one might single out the fact that 14 representative wells in the county showed a rise of 7.7



J. K. Adams

feet per well in 1941 after a season of heavy rainfall. From 1943 to 1948 the decline was only .8 to 3.8 feet range.

Farmers of the vicinity reported that one week following the heavy rains in May, 1949, the wells that were 23 feet to water had been replenished until the water level was only 16 feet from the surface.

The introduction of low cost irrigation to the area has had a stabilizing influence on the pioneer farm population and has brought about an influx of farm families from other areas resulting in an ever increasing density of population.

Over fifty thousand acres of land is devoted to cotton and grain sorghum under irrigation in an average year. About three thousand acres goes into small grain production, another thousand to vegetables including Irish potatoes, green beans, onions, tomatoes, lettuce, watermelons, and cantaloupes. Bailey county farmers are proud of their six ton per acre alfalfa production. The local banker produced 1155 lbs lint cotton per acre. Bill Miller, local Irish potato producer, boosted his yields of spuds from 10 sacks per acre up to present 300 sacks. This was accomplished on a 77 acre patch of spuds.

The introduction of the automatic hay baler, the mechanical cotton harvester, the grain sorghum combine and the Irish potato harvester took much of the drudgery out of our irrigated farm operations. The use of the siphon tube has made water distribution easier and more uniform.

Probably the greatest hazard confronting the irrigation farmer in the Bailey county area is the unnatural situation of being able

to realize more annual cash from full time cash crop farming as compared to a sound livestock program in conjunction with the cash crop system.

This is most likely a temporary situation which will catch the farmers short of livestock needed to rapidly grow in the livestock business. Another problem is the noxious weed problem: Johnson grass and bindweed seriously hamper production on many farms. The porous nature of the soil and sandy top-

soil must be handled with caution.

The county agent of Bailey county rations his time so that the irrigation farmer will get a liberal share of the county agents services in building up the best and soundest foundation livestock program. Farmers will be assisted in laying out their irrigation systems. The latest and best methods of weed control will be made available to the farmer as well as scientific use of their irrigation water.

Parmer Bureau Drive Date Set

Parmer County Farm Bureau directors and officers have been busy the past several weeks preparing for the 1953 membership drive which begins Tues., Feb. 17, according to local officials. Monday night, Feb. 16, about thirty five selected workers and their wives, and guests from the various communities will gather at Bovina Legion Hall where the 4th annual Kick-Off Banquet will be held, with the Half Century Club serving the meal.

Guest speaker this year will be Mr. Jake Fulford, Meadows, Texas, President of Terry County Farm Bureau. Mr. Fulford is a successful farmer of that area and reportedly an interesting and informative speaker in Farm Bureau circles.

Following the meal and entertainment, community chairmen will present teams of workers with the list of farmers whose dues are not paid past April 1st. Tuesday morning these men and women will be out working with the intent of contacting every Parmer County resident by nightfall.

The same awards for top soliciting teams will be awarded as last year, with the additional provision that women working with top teams will be awarded cash in the amount of the value of prizes presented to men. These range from \$10, \$7.50, etc. on down. Checks are being received daily at the office in Friona, and these payors name will be credited to the team working in that block Tuesday. "If you want to save your team a little work and driving, go ahead and send your

check in", says Carl Schlenker, Drive Chairman.

Feb. 23, Monday night, the annual Victory Meeting will be held in the Friona School Auditorium, where prizes will be awarded as team winners are recognized. Appearing on the program will be Dr. Bill Davis, Head of the Department of Government of Texas Technological College. He will make an illustrative talk entitled, "Our American Heritage". Light refreshments will follow

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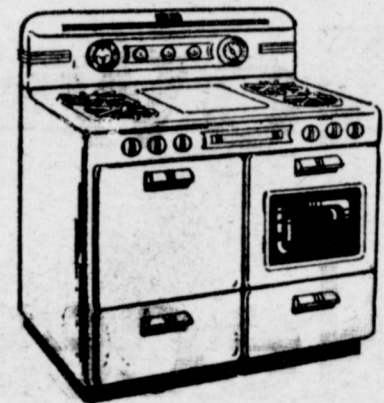
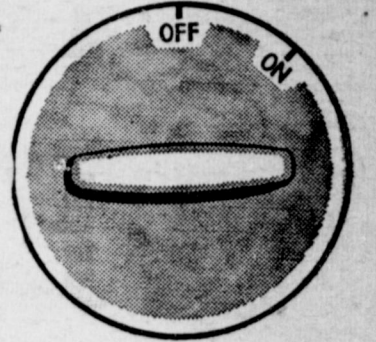
OSCAR DAVIS FAMILY MOVE TO LEVELLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar H. Davis and children, Melvin, Nanell, and Denise have moved from Maple to Levelland, where Mr. Davis is teaching Math and science in

the sixth grade at East Ward School. For the past year and a half he had been teaching in the Three Way School. Previous to that Mr. Davis taught Math for three years at Muleshoe junior high school.

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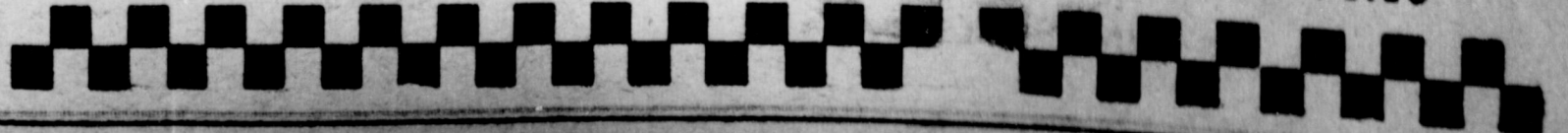
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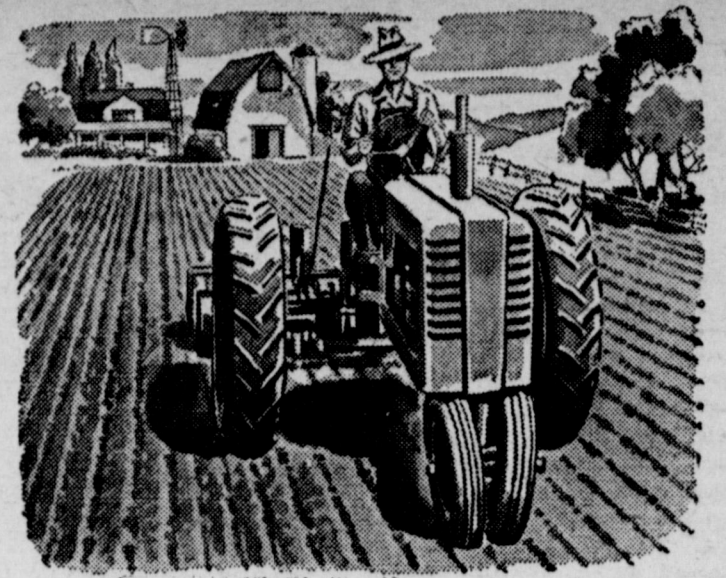
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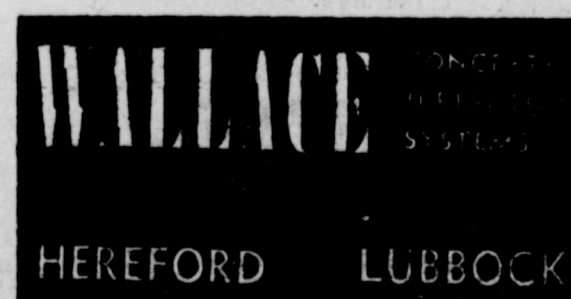
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Pollyanna Club Loses President

An enjoyable time was had by the members of the West Camp Pollyanna Club when they met Wednesday, February 11, in the home of Mrs. Seaborn Busbice. Fifteen members and three guests were present. The guests were Mrs. Dian Reed, the Agent, Mrs. Ester Murray, and Mrs. Ernest Kube.

The president, Mrs. Olen Dutton, presided at the meeting. The hostess read "A Soliloquy" for opening exercise. The secretary, Mrs. Austin Jones, called the roll and members answered by giving a household hint.

The Club elected Mrs. Woodrow Couch as delegate to the Texas Home Demonstration Association District meeting at Lubbock on April 30. Mrs. G. T. Maitby was nominated by the Club to be a candidate for reelection to the office of T. H. D. A. Chairman

for the county.

Mrs. Olen Dutton tendered her resignation as president to be effective as of the next meeting since she will be moving from the community. The Club accepted her resignation. Mrs. Dutton has been a very wonderful president and Club member and the members are very sorry she will be leaving. Her successor has not been elected as yet, so the Vice-president, Mrs. Roy Whitt, will preside at the next meeting. Following the business meeting, Mrs. Bert Williams who is the recreation chairman led the members and guests in a game of "Zip".

Mrs. Dian Reed then presented the program on "Choose and plant screening shrubs". After Mrs. Reed's talk, the members consulted her on specific problems of landscaping that they were in question about.

The agent conducted a poll of the members and guests to find how many ate a well balanced breakfast. Eight women ate good breakfasts, six were only fair,

and four were poor. Mrs. Reed then showed charts that told what were good breakfasts and what were poor. She will later take another poll to see if the women have improved their breakfast menus.

The hostess served delicious applesauce fruit cake with whipped cream and coffee or iced tea. Mrs. Everett Roark received the piece of cake with a dime in it, so she will bake the cake for the next meeting.

On February 25, the Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Everett Roark. Mrs. Roark will be in charge of the program which will be "Choose and plant roses".

FOR HIRE!

The Progress Baptist Church has seven Deacons and Training Union Directors, for hire as Baby Sitters, as from .25c to .50c per hour.

Proceeds to go to Y. W. A. Girls Auxiliary to buy a piano for church. For information see Sunday School Superintendent.

Texas Heart Drive Is Underway



In a state-wide appeal for all Texans to support the current Texas Heart Fund, honorary chairman Governor Allan Shivers pointed out that diseases affecting the heart and circulatory system caused 763,000 deaths in a single year and have disabled millions of Americans, many of them Texans. In a specially prepared proclamation, Governor Shivers said, "These diseases are recognized as the most important medical problem affecting the life and health of citizens in

this community and throughout the nation.

"The month of February is sponsored each year by the American Heart Association and its affiliates to focus public attention on the medical, social and economic aspects of this leading health problem, and to secure the fullest cooperation of the people, science, government, health agencies and social agencies, in devising means to combat this menace," the governor said.

Classes Honor Jacqueline Ray

The Three-Way-W. M. U. met for Bible Study Monday, Jan. 9, at 2:30 with six members present. The study was from the book of Ester.

At 4 p. m. the auxiliaries met. The R. A.'s and G. A.'s met together. Mrs. Dorothy Neutzler spoke to the group on "Lo, I am With You", a mission study book. Eleven were present with two sponsors.

Mrs. Ellis then took the group to see Jacqueline Ray who was injured by a car and is having to stay in a cast. Some took gifts and they sang songs.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The W. M. U. is happy to have the children come to the meetings. They come from school and those who do not live close are taken home by sponsors.

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P. T. A. Sponsors Basketball Game

The Lazbuddie P. T. A. sponsored a basketball game last Friday night. The men dressed like women and the women dressed like men.

On the masculine team were Messrs. James Welch, Clayton Graef, Jack Smith, D. E. Ivy, Jimmie Ivy, Ward Dukes, Melvin Howard, Denton Thompson, Calvin Clark, Ben Foster, Virgil Teague, Warren Hines, F. L. Oliver, Douglass Gonsler, Ronnie Smith and A. J. Jesko.

Ladies participating were Reta Welch, Joy Wilterding, Wenona Thorn, Phyllis Thompson, Virgia Mason, Bessie Clark, Billie Embry, Mrs. Thomas, Edith Graef, Frances Oliver, Lillian Smith and Mrs. Ward.

A large crowd attended and everyone enjoyed an evening of fun.

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Kernell Family Receives Shower

On Wednesday, Feb. 4, several club members met in the Enochs post office and quilted a quilt for the Carl Kernell family. Two other quilts were completed the following day at the Enochs Baptist Church.

The three quilts were present-

ed in a shower the same afternoon to the Kernells, whose home and its entire contents was recently destroyed by fire. The family has begun house-keeping again near Enochs and they wish to thank all their many friends and well wishers who have assisted them in being able to do so.

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Thousands of formerly non-productive acres of farmland from Mississippi to California are now being planted and irrigated with Quest canvas pipe. From deep well pumps, from ditches, spillways and reservoirs; from lakes and rivers, Quest canvas pipe carries water uphill or around obstacles to fields that were impossible to irrigate before.

Starting as an experiment for a few farmers in Lubbock County, Quest canvas pipes has caused the A. E. Quest & Company of Lubbock to expand their plant three times. Today, canvas for 18 miles of pipe is ordered at one time so that special weaves and treatment may be obtained. Three hales of cotton go into the manufacture of every mile of Quest canvas pipe.

The Lubbock company manufactures two different types of canvas pipe to solve every irrigation problem. Both types are of lock-stitched four-seam construction. Mainline lengths pipe water to the fields. Distributive lines with patented sleeve outlets send

the water down the crop rows. Used together, they convey water from the source to the plants without loss from evaporation or seepage.

Distributive lines of Quest canvas pipe are often used when concrete or metal pipe are used for main lines. Special Quest canvas pipe is designed for watering land with borders and terraces, with larger sleeve outlets spaced either 15 or 20 feet apart.

Farmers and ranchers agree that Quest canvas pipe is the economical, convenient way to irrigate. Its low cost and durability plus its easy handling have added to profits from farming and ranching in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and throughout the West.

Navy Recruiter Here Friday

The U. S. Navy recruiter from Clovis will be in Muleshoe at the local Post Office on Friday, February 20, 1952. He'll be there from 11:00 a. m. until 12 noon. Anyone desiring information is asked to contact him at that time.

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Farm Bureau Queen Contest Is Announced

The Texas Farm Bureau will give recognition to the beauty, charm and vivaciousness of farm and ranch girls this year by sponsoring a state wide Queen Contest, according to President J. Walter Hammond.

Top prize for the winner who will be selected in November at the annual convention in Mineral Wells is an all-expense paid trip to the national convention in December in Chicago. The Farm Bureau will also pay the expenses of a matron escort.

The board announced that the contest will be an "honest-to-goodness" Queen Contest and not just a bathing beauty competition. The entrants will be judged on three main points: (1) appearance, (2) poise, and (3) personality.

Purpose of the contest is to give the young ranch and farm girls and other young people an opportunity to become better acquainted with the principles of the Farm Bureau organization.

After County Farm Bureau Queens are chosen they will compete in district eliminations. One girl from each district will compete at the state convention for state beauty crown.

Here are the rules as approved by a special Queen Contest committee: To be eligible a girl must be: (1) daughter or sister of a farm Bureau member, (2) single, (3) sixteen years of age by Sept. 1, 1953, and not over 22 on Sept. 1, 1953. Counties must have over 25 Farm Bureau members, and must sponsor a contest before a girl from the county can enter the district eliminations.

Daughters of state directors, employees, county officers and county directors are not eligible to enter this contest.

District winners will receive beautiful watches and an expense-paid trip for the girl and attendant to the state convention. The state Queen and her matron escort will be allowed \$500. expenses to attend the national convention.

Smith Adds To Shorthorn Herd

Don Smith of Muleshoe has added to his herd by the purchase of Star, Wenner's Clare 7th, Avis 3rd, Princess Helen 25th, and James from F. L. Wenner and Sons, Muleshoe.

The animals are purebred Milking Shorthorns and the record of the transfer of ownership has been made by the American Milking Shorthorn Society at Springfield, Missouri.

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Parmer Permit Rules Announced By Committeemen

Parmer County Water District Committeemen, following a meeting Monday, announced the following standing rules for well permit application approval:

1. Applicant must be present when each committee man signs.
2. Application must be made in name of land owner (his legal representative may sign, indicating that he is authorized to do so).
3. Application should be typed or printed when presented to first committeeman.
4. Well driller or contractor should help applicant fill out application.
5. Distance between proposed well and existing well, or adjoining well site should be measured when distance is under 600 yards.
6. High points on all adjoining quarter sections should be known and indicated.
7. Provide correct legal description of land.
8. If application is for a well closer than one fourth mile to existing well or adjoining high point, affected party should accompany applicant to interview first committee man.

The committee, for the convenience of applicants will be on hand at the community cotton meeting scheduled for the next two or three weeks. It is hoped that this will expedite issuance of permits that are urgent.

Parmer County Committeemen are: Tom Caldwell, D. B. Ivy, C. V. Potts, Bruce Parr and Raymond Euler.

Lazbuddie F. F. A. Plans Stock Show

The Lazbuddie chapter of Future Farmers of America is sponsoring a community livestock show which consists of F. F. A. and 4-H Club boys projects. This show will be held Saturday, Feb. 28.

The showing and judging will begin about 9 a. m. Saturday. Ed White, agriculture teacher of Muleshoe high school, is to be the judge.

A shotgun will be given away Saturday afternoon. Anyone wishing to purchase a ticket on the gun may contact any member of the Lazbuddie F. F. A.

Refreshments will include sandwiches, candy, pops, cakes and cigarettes will be sponsored

by the F. F. A. boys and the F. F. A. girls.

Equipment on display will be from Muleshoe businesses. Everyone is invited to attend this livestock show and exhibit.

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JON ANN THOMSON HONOR ROLL AT WTSC

CANYON, Feb. 10 — Among the 46 students at West Texas State College who were named to the fall honor roll was Jon Ann Thomson of Muleshoe.

Miss Thomson made the roll with a 2.93 grade point average.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomson of Muleshoe.

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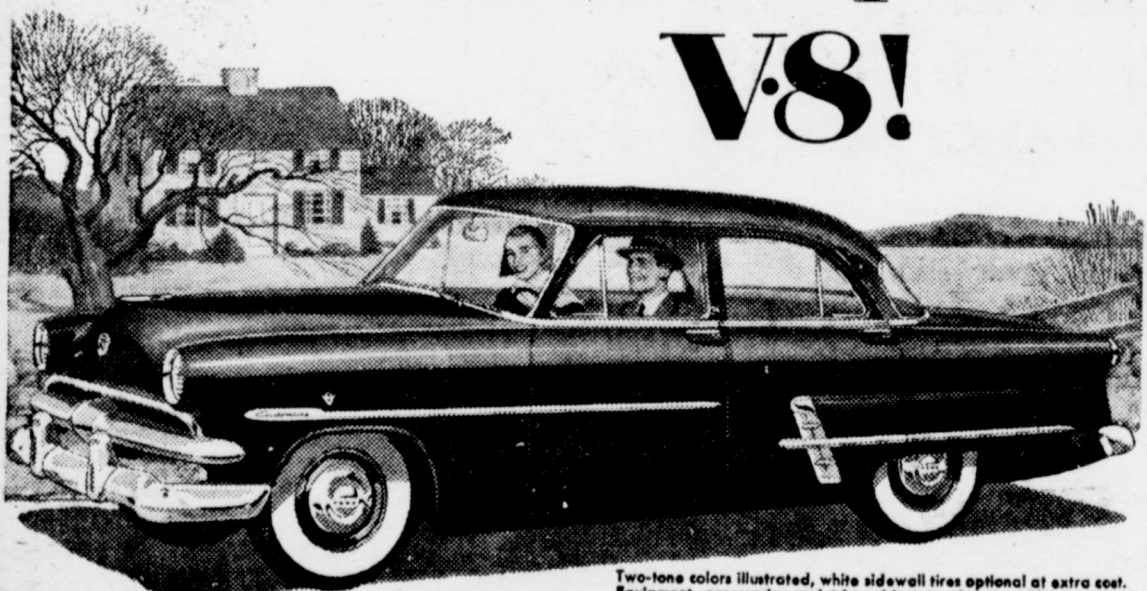
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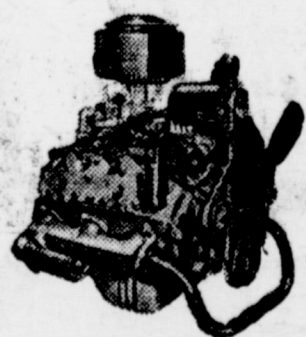
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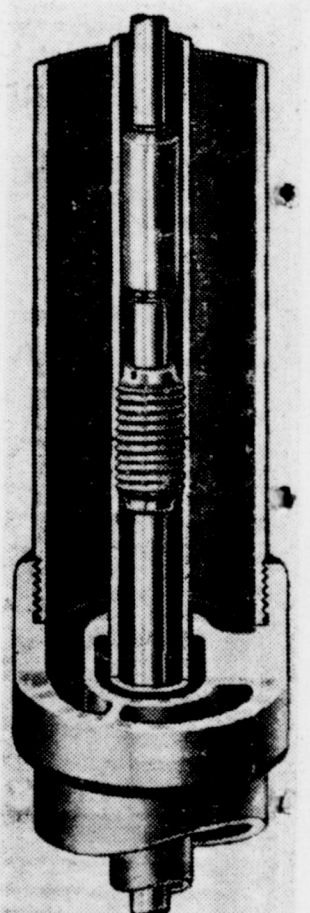
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The South Plains of Texas, comprising 20 counties went in to the spotlight in national cotton production in dramatic fashion in 1952, figures released by the Bureau of the Census reveals. Surprising was Hale County (Plainview) landing in second place among counties of Texas. Hale County produced 206,134

bales. Lamb County was third with 176,503 bales and Hockley County fourth in Texas with 162,963 bales. These counties all rushed by Hidalgo County in the Rio Grande Valley, which fell to fifth place with 157,916 bales after leading in 1951 with 277,417. Irrigation is the answer to this tremendous production, in which Bailey County shared. In Hale County, for example, rainfall was only 10.98 inches even less, and in Bailey County even less. Bailey County's production in the latest report was placed at 46,006 bales, as compared with a production of 41,877 bales in 1951. Farmer County, our neighbor

to the north, had a production this year of 34,630 bales, against a production of only 8,295 for 1951. Bailey and Farmer county saw new gins spring up last year and others are in sight for 1953.

WELL-BALANCED!



A well-balanced girl is pretty Allyn McLeslie, new Warner Bros. star who is featured in "Where's Charley?" The attractive dancer stays in tip top condition by taking her limbering up exercises in a trim cotton terry cloth outfit. The terry cloth shorts and shirt are separate.

Auto License Tags On Sale

Motor vehicle license tags for 1953, are now on sale in the office of Hugh Freeman, Bailey County tax assessor and collector, Bill Boothe, deputy, announced today. Mr. Boothe said the numbers this year will begin at AZ 5400 and will run to AZ 7999. License tags may be placed on the vehicle at any time now, but must be affixed by April 1, 1953. Commercial vehicle license tags also are for sale in the tax office.

Ivan D. Wood On Soils Program



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Ivan D. Wood, nationally recognized irrigation specialist, is scheduled on the Soil Fertility Building Program in Muleshoe Feb. 25.

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Cast Rehearses For Senior Play

A cast which is to present the annual senior play was selected last Friday and has begun rehearsals. "The Campbells Are Coming" is the play selected and it will be given March 10.

There are ten characters in the cast, as follows:

- Ma Brannigan, Jo Ann Hale, Catalpa Tapp, Jeanne Clem.
- Betty Brannigan, Betty Morgan, Dick Brannigan, Roald Johnson.
- Bildad Tapp, Klel Quesenberry, Cyrus Scudder, Bob King, Jeffery Scudder, Bruce Simmacher.
- Kaye Brannigan, Anita Broyles, Kingston Campbell, Keith Gaede.
- Mrs. Augusta Campbell, Mamie Freeman.

Irrigation Day Pasture Panel Being Planned

A panel discussion on irrigated pastures is in the making for the annual Irrigation Day program to be given here Wednesday, Feb. 25.

County Agent J. K. Adams said he is contacting several local men who have had outstanding success with these pastures and hopes to have an informative round table on the subject as a feature of the program.

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Lazbuddy News

Mrs. Trixie Kyle is here for a month's visit with Mr. and Mrs. Rhiney Steinbock and her sister, Mrs. Demp Foster.

A pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. Ronald Brown was given in the home of Mrs. Buster Morgan Tuesday, Feb. 3.

A pink and blue shower was given Tuesday, Feb. 10, in the home of Mrs. Henry Ivy honoring Mrs. Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Embry visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright and Betty Jean last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese Wilterding visited Friday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ivy.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mangrum is her sister and family of Los Angeles, Calif.

The Lazbuddy basketball team played the Friona team Tuesday night. The Friona and Lazbuddy girls were tied at 44 points at the end of the game and after two extensions, Friona led 46-44. The Lazbuddy boys lost by a score of 51 to 37.

Mesdames E. R. Lawhon, Chester Embry and James Welch were in Lubbock Tuesday.

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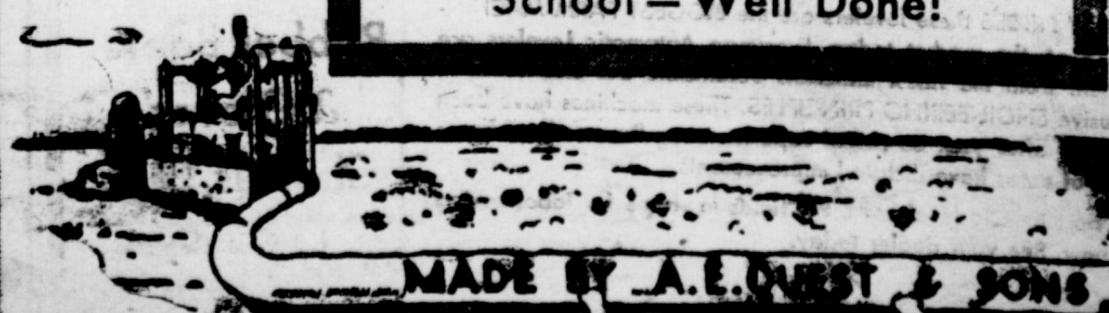
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BABSON Discusses —
Korea

Babson Park, Fla., Feb. 13 — It may be out of place for me — a mere statistician, to discuss Korea. I have visited — Japan, China, and the Philippines; but have never been to Korea. One of my experts, however, leaves this month on a round-the-world trip and will later bring back a report which I will pass along to my readers.

IMPORTANCE OF HISTORY
Here at my winter headquarters I have a library of over 10,000 volumes, some of which were published previous to 1760. While here the past month I have spent much time reading the history of the modern world, which dates back to the Roman Empire. There are two outstanding facts: (1) Some one nation was always the "top dog". (2) That nation was usually at war with some other nation which was attempt-

ing to tip over her "apple-cart." The Roman Empire started with good leaders and the best intentions, but it was continually at war. These wars were not to seek more power, but to prevent other nations from seizing the power which Rome then held. Every high school student who has studied "Caesar" knows the story. Finally, Rome was economically exhausted with these continued conflicts, and the Roman Empire collapsed. Later, the Spanish Empire took the leadership and went through the same experiences. Then the French took the ball.

REMEMBER THE BRITISH
Following Rome, Spain and France, England became the world's greatest power. She held this leadership until the first World War. Her battle cruisers were in every large port and she policed the world, and was usual-

ly fighting somewhere. She just had to do this to hold her position. England also was rich and did the world's banking, insurance and shipping. The English Pound Sterling was then the world's universal currency, as is our Dollar today. Germany, however, then looked with envious eyes upon England, as Russia is now jealous of us. In her endeavor to continue as "top dog", England went to war against Germany in 1914 and in 1940. These last two wars bled England so that she is now a second-rate power. There now is little hope of her getting strong again.

WHAT ABOUT THE U. S. A.?
The United States is now the richest and most powerful nation of the world. We have taken the world leadership from England. But with this leadership come responsibilities. We must police the world. We are like a boy who is the gang leader. In order to so remain, he starts no fights; but if some other boy starts a fight with him or with any member of his gang, he must fight that upstart. Otherwise, he is no longer a leader. His influence is gone. This is the situation which the United States has gotten into. We should blame no one. It just happened.

Unfortunately, we are like the man who had the "bull by the tail." He was asking himself: "Shall I let go or hang on?" If we are to defend our position of leadership we must continue to fight in Korea and wherever we are challenged. This means we must "hang onto the bull's tail"; but this is and will continue to be an unhappy position. On the other hand, if we swallow our pride and withdraw from Korea we become a second-class nation.

WE CAN EXPECT NO PEACE
I have a strong feeling that the Chinese will get tired of the fighting. Then Eisenhower will work out some kind of temporary peace with Russia which will "save face" all around. But it will be only temporary. Russia does not want World War III so long as Stalin lives; but she is determined to worry us and bleed us economically so long as she can do so.

Mothers, sisters and sweethearts are very anxious to end the Korean War. I think this will be done with honor. But I further forecast that, within a year after

SAND HILLS PHILOSOPHER
Says Drop In Cattle Prices Nothing Compared With Drop In Fishing

Editor's note: The Sand Hills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm has run across some odd news, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:
I've been readin lots in the newspapers lately about the big problems confrontin President Eisenhower, and up on the top of the list of course is the serious problem of fallin farm prices, especially cattle prices.

But I was out here on my Johnson grass farm the other afternoon when I noticed a newspaper caught in the branches of a tree and while I was walkin toward it I got to speculatin if I could reach it without tip toin, there are some people who would even climb a tree to get hold of a newspaper, others who would even pay out hard earned money to subscribe to one, but I like to keep things in balance and am perfectly willin to read nearly any paper if it's in easy access and I can get hold of it without goin to any trouble, and when I found out it was in arm's reach and not caught too fast, I pulled it down and rested a while in the sun and fell to readin it.

I can now announce President Eisenhower is in for more trouble than he ever suspected. Not only are cattle prices and farm prices fallin, not only is the world situation tense and nerve-rackin, not only are taxes from a previous administration high and the budget unbalanced and the solutions almost ungraspable but accordin to this newspaper the fishin problem has gotten critical.

An expert has made a national survey and discovered that the "increase in fishing pressure has brought a decrease in the average catch per

the Korean peace, trouble will break out elsewhere. We all must expect our sons to be sent to fight somewhere at some time. The sooner we get used to both worries and taxes, the better for all concerned.

fishing trip." In fact the expert has found, "the average catch nationally has dropped to well below one fish per hour."

I do not know how the expert arrived at his figures, I know he didn't ask me how my luck has been, and while I personally have never fished by the hour or gauged my success by the number of fish I caught, personally any fishin trip is successful if it doesn't turn cold or rainy at the time; with a tractor stand-in ready, catchin fish is one of the poorest ways I know of judgin the worth of goin fishin, the same as where you go out of earshot of a naggin woman; at any rate, to get on, you can see havin this drop in the number of fish bein caught thrown in Eisenhower's lap right on top of fallin cattle prices, fallin cotton prices, fallin wheat prices, etc., is more than he's entitled to receive. Personally, my sympathies are with him. He didn't have a

thing to do with it or the fallin prices either and he's entitled to a fair chance.

A President can survive the wrath of the cattlemen, maybe the price will go back up next month, but you get the fishermen upset and there are shoals ahead. What this country needs is fewer experts, or experts who know how to keep their mouth

shut. I'll tell President Eisenhower right here, I don't care how far down the catch per hour drops, he can count on me and Herbert Hoover and Roy Jordan to keep right on fishin.
Yours faithfully,
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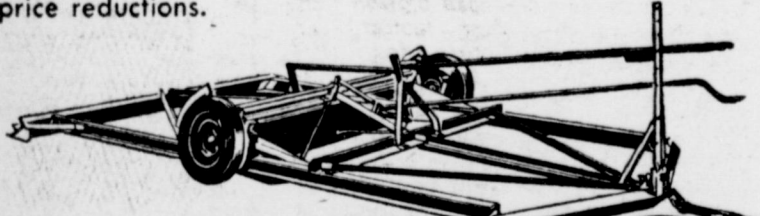
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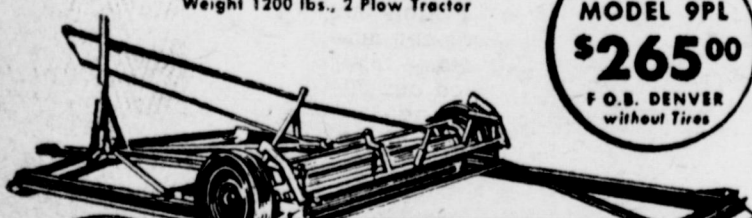
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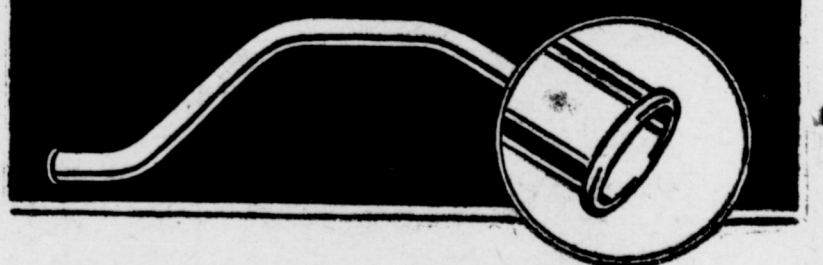
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