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## Sheriff's Department Makes Liquor Raid, Securing Fourteen Gallons Whisky; Two Arrests Are Made

Finis and Farley Hughes, brothers, residing three miles east and two and one-half miles north of Fairview on the J. C. Cooper farm, were taken into custody of Sheriff H. Sterling, Monday evening after he had captured what is thought to be parts of a still and 14 gallons of whiskey. The sheriff's inventory included a Dodge automobile and a .22 calibre rifle. The Hughes brothers' bonds were placed at \$2,000 on a charge of possession, manufacture and transportation of intoxicating liquor in the court of Justice of the Peace J. F. Vaughn.

Sheriff Sterling, accompanied by Deputy Jim Cook, Constable Shorty Bartley and County Attorney Pat R. Bobo, went to the farm late Monday afternoon and after a search uncovered 10 gallons of whiskey and arrested Finis Hughes, who was there at the time. At a later hour Sheriff Sterling and Deputy Cook returned and caught Farley Hughes as he was returning to farm with another keg containing liquor, according to report of Sheriff Sterling.

## MULESHOE AND MORTON SPLIT HONORS IN A 2-GAME SERIES

The Muleshoe boys' and girls basketball teams journeyed to Morton Friday night and both teams lost to the Morton teams by scores as follows: boys, 16-6; girls, 24-20. On Saturday night the Morton teams played Muleshoe return games at the high school gymnasium here, and the local teams retained by defeating them by the following scores: boys, 18-15; girls, 24-13. All games were hard fought and fast, and the local teams are showing up good as a result of their hard work-outs.

## Delegation Goes To Post Seeking Federal Relief

The larger part of the Government's machinery for loaning \$45,000,000 for seed, feed and fertilizer in drought and storm areas embracing more than half the United States will be ready to function Monday.

Dr. C. A. Wharton, secretary of the national drought relief committee, who will have direct charge, has received word that the field office at St. Louis would be opened on that day. The office at Memphis, Tenn., will also be open on that day. Offices at Washington and Grand Forks, N. D., are already open.

Shipments of printed voucher forms upon which the approved loans will be paid have been dispatched to the field offices. By the latter part of the week disbursing offices will be filling out vouchers on approved loans. With the exception of the voucher forms, all other collateral papers, including promissory notes and crop mortgage papers are in readiness.

Wharton said the department had no estimate as to the number of farmers who will receive aid. In Bailey County no effort has been spared to secure evidence to present to the State committee in an effort to aid for local farmers. School house meetings have been held over the county in order to get a more accurate estimate of actual conditions and letters from farms stating conditions as they exist have been sent to O. B. Martin, Colese Station, chairman of the Texas drought relief committee, together with data compiled by County Agent Fred S. Reynolds, showing evidence of need of relief.

"These letters tell a story of dire poverty and want," Mr. Reynolds stated, "and they are direct from the heart."

R. L. Brown, Neal Rockey, Judge J. E. Adams and County Agent Fred S. Reynolds attended a meeting at Post Wednesday at which time claims for drought relief in Bailey county were presented. Similar meetings are being held over the state and are designed to bring claims for aid from various counties.

## Appeal Made By Red Cross For Aid of Sufferers

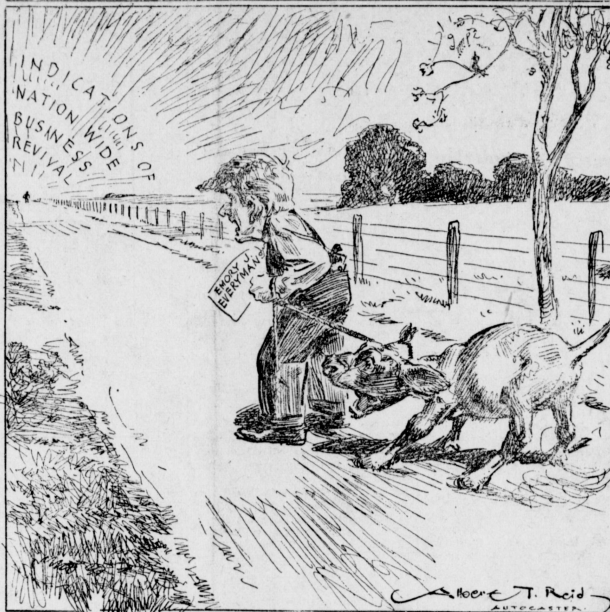
Mrs. C. C. Mardis, Bailey county chairman of the American Red Cross, is receiving bulletins daily from the American Red Cross association giving account of suffering and death here in the United States due to starvation. Communications received from some drought stricken areas are truly pathetic and one account especially tells of the death of a middle-aged man because he did not have enough nourishment to sustain life. Other accounts are of children who have not enough to eat, who spend the whole day at these conditions exist now in the cut and a piece of salt pork at the noon hour.

These conditions exist now in the State of Arkansas, over an area of 60 square miles. For most of the people in this area, all sources of credit have been exhausted, the future holds no hope for them and they in desperation, are appealing to the great charity.

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## The Fatted Calf is Waiting for the Prodigal

By Albert T. Reid



## Body of Lubbock Publisher Found After 20-Hour Search; Death Due To Exposure; Editor and Wife Safe

Lubbock, Jan. 20.—Ending a search of more than 20 hours, in which hundreds of persons and a dozen airplanes took part, the body of L. Herbert Quinn, 32, publisher of the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal, was found at 5:15 o'clock this afternoon on the Tom Ivey ranch, 75 miles southwest of Lubbock. Death resulted from exposure and fatigue.

Quinn was found face downward and it was thought he did not move after falling in the barren sand hill country of northern Yoakum county. The body was found by Hurley Sampson and Aaron Morris, cowboys on the Tom Ivey place.

It was located about a half-mile from the Ivey headquarters and 10 miles north of Plains.

About 10 minutes after the body was discovered a searching party of six cars and about 25 persons from Lubbock arrived at the scene and identified the body.

Charles Guy was in the party. Quinn was one of a party composed of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Guy, the editor of the Avalanche-Journal, who left Lubbock Sunday morning and for which a search was instituted Monday morning when Guy and Quinn failed to appear at the offices of the newspaper.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy were found suffering from hunger and exposure by a searching party Tuesday morning on the John Robertson ranch in Cochran county. They accompanied members of the party which found them to White Plains where, after notifying friends of their safety, Guy joined the party of searchers to continue the hunt for Quinn.

According to Guy, the automobile in which the three were traveling became sandbound Sunday afternoon. Quinn left the automobile to go in search of assistance. Mr. and Mrs. Guy waited throughout the evening for the return of Quinn. They waited at the car throughout Sunday night and all of Monday and Monday night. Tuesday morning while hundreds of searchers were conducting an organized hunt for the party, Mr. and Mrs. Guy walked to a windmill on the Robertson ranch where Mrs. Robertson provided them with food and escorted them into White Plains. There they communicated with Lubbock by telephone of their safety and gave what information they could regarding the whereabouts of Quinn.

Nearly 2,000 searchers, including eight airplanes and crews. Tuesday combed the open spaces in Cochran and Hockley counties for the trio. Five army planes, ordered to the

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## EDUCATIONAL WEEK AT THE MULESHOE BAPTIST CHURCH

This week is being observed as educational week at the local Baptist church, under the supervision of Rev. McCahay, pastor of the First Baptist church at Sudan.

Four courses of instruction are being offered, all correlative to B. Y. P. U. work. Three of the courses are based on the B. Y. P. U. manual graded for juniors, intermediates and seniors, while a fourth course for advanced students is being offered in a study of "Training in Church Membership."

Rev. McCahay is teaching the senior manual. Rev. C. A. Jotter, local pastor, is teaching "Training in Church Membership." Mrs. Shaw has charge of the intermediate course, and Mrs. A. W. Coker is instructing the juniors.

## FORD PUTS 17,000 MEN TO WORK AND CUTS CAR PRICES

The Ford Motor company last week put 17,000 men to work over the United States and this week announces a cut in price on its automobiles ranging from \$5.00 to \$48.00, according to Neal Rockey, local Ford dealer.

"This clearly indicates," Mr. Rockey continued, "that business is on the upward trend, since Ford is generally looked upon as a financial barometer of the United States. Mr. Ford's payroll is now \$500,000 per day, the lowest paid man in his factory, the floor-sweeper being paid \$7.00 a day."

Mr. Rockey believes that the future outlook for business is good, and that we have passed the "rock bottom" state in business depression.

## BAPTIST CHURCH ANNEX IS NOW READY FOR OCCUPANCY

The Baptist church annex, donated to the church by the Women's Missionary Union, of the church, which was started last week, is now completed. The new structure, a frame building is lighted and piped for gas and study classes being held at the church this week are occupying the rooms.

The total cost of the building approximates \$350, most of the labor being donated by church members. The ladies of the church prepared noon lunch for the workers throughout the course of the construction.

## COUNTY COURT

The case of Joshua Blocker vs John Skipworth tried in County court Tuesday before Judge J. E. Adams in a suit for rent resulted in the jury returning a verdict for Skipworth, the defendant.

## Business Return To Normalcy In 1931 Predicted

A general movement of prosperity is now prevalent all over the United States, according to exchanges arriving each day.

The bond market in the opinion of investment bankers offers the best evidence of the change in sentiment. Prices of investment securities rising steadily throughout the first half of January, have improved so substantially that many observers are in this movement the first signs of the general financial and industrial recovery which has been predicted for 1931.

Some bonds have not only regained recent losses, but have surpassed their 1930 high. The upturn has been strongest in high grade issues, but one of the encouraging signs, is the pickup in second grades and foreign. Hog prices are remaining firm. Cotton is going up a little. Thousands of men are being put back to work by the eastern manufacturers and railroads.

Many towns and cities are putting on drives to see that all unemployed shall be found jobs, and have been very successful in their efforts. When it is made possible for the man who works to have a job it is made possible for him to buy food and clothing for his family, and so helps all business, including that of the farmer.

To a large extent the return of business normalcy in 1931 depends upon the individual. If citizens approach the new year with confidence in the country and community in which they live, and in each other, it has been predicted that business will start gradually and by the end of the year be "normal and profitable."

Local conditions are showing a steady uprise. The general outlook and consensus of opinion are to the effect that 1931 is going to be a good year for Muleshoe and Bailey county. Already there is some building activity manifest. Additions to local business houses, new Sunday school rooms at the Baptist church, a few new residences under actual construction, and reports of plans for other new buildings, both business and residential are being circulated.

The building of highways and new county roads are being discussed by the county commissioners.

Each week numerous prospectors, both for business and farm locations are in Muleshoe, and several deals have been consummated, according to reports. Some of them being cash transactions.

## HENNINGTON ATTENDS RED AND WHITE CONVENTION

H. C. Hennington, proprietor of the Hennington Cash Grocery, this city, left Sunday for Denver, Colo., to attend a convention of the Red & White Stores below held here Monday and Tuesday of this week.

According to Mr. Hennington, this convention will include delegates from seven different states, and a big program has been prepared for their entertainment. Prominent speakers will be present from the different states, and a big banquet is to be extended them Monday evening.

The principal purpose of this meeting is to discuss the opening of new territory. Mr. Hennington said, The Red and White Stores are now preparing to open wholesale houses in Lubbock and three other prominent Texas towns.

Do your trading at home.

## Leaves White House



George Akerson, chief secretary to the President, who has been named to the position with a motion picture theater company.

## Science's Attack On Soil Depletion Given In Report

College Station, Texas, Jan. 21.—The growth in Texas of science's counter attack against soil loss and depletion of soil fertility by erosion, fourth enemy of the land, is told in a report on terracing in this state compiled recently by M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer of the Texas A & M college extension service. Up to Jan. 1, 1921, a total of 4,600,000 acres had been terraced in Texas. Mr. Bentley shows in his summary of the work which was outlined before the recent soil conservation conference held at Waco on call of Governor Dan Moody.

A total of 919,215 acres was terraced in Texas in 1930 as compared with 609,655 acres in 1929. The long step forward in this work is emphasized in comparative totals for these latter years with the total of 56,486 acres terraced in 1916.

Twenty-five Texas counties each have 50,000 or more acres of terraced or contoured, the report shows. Runnels county leads the list with a total of 181,213 acres and Jones county is second with 152,570 acres.

Some terracing has been done in 202 of the 254 counties of the state, exclusive of rice levee work and borders for irrigation.

One of the recent developments in terracing work is the rapid increase in the number of county tractor and grader outfits used in the past two years. During 1929, according to estimates of Mr. Bentley, only twelve or fifteen counties showed use of the big outfits for terracing while in 1929 they were used in about forty counties and in seventy-five or more counties in 1930.



Frank R. McNinch of North Carolina, appointed by President to the Federal Power Commission. He was a Bryan Democrat until 1928, now a Republican.

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.—I Cor. 10:12.

Who dares to say that he alone has found the truth?—Longfellow.

A GOOD RESOLUTION

It isn't too late to make a few good resolutions, no matter how many of those made a year ago were broken or badly bent.

We want to suggest that you resolve right now to be contented with your lot and your surroundings. Resolve to be satisfied, and not to believe that you are making a mistake by remaining where you are.

Resolve to keep in mind the fact that Muleshoe and the territory around it is pretty much what you yourself make it. If you are contented, it encourages your neighbor to be satisfied.

Wouldn't this be a great world if all the reformers tried to be as good as they advise everybody else to be?

THE DIFFERENCE

We have been wondering how many of our subscribers have thought of some of the difference between a city daily and a country weekly newspaper. One great difference is this: In order to get your name in a city paper you have to shout your wife, get fered to death by a flivver, marry a movie star, predict the end of the world or do something else sensational.

What we need is a child labor law to keep them from working their parents to death.

STAND BY YOUR TOWN

Any man who lives in a given town ought to have appreciation enough for the place of his residence to live for it. He ought to be anxious to advance the community; to have respect for the great power that protects him with the advantages of advanced civilization and makes impossible for him to achieve results.

Advertising your business builds it up and adds to it. And advertising your troubles will do the same thing.

High-Hatting the Wits. Often one goes home to dinner with friends who walk into their own houses as though they were walking into a hotel dining room.—American Magazine.

Jaunty Journalettes

The Muleshoe fellow who keeps his nose to the grindstone six days in the week may not be a hero, but he's a darned good husband and dad.

The only thing more pleasant to a Muleshoe woman than getting the dress she wants, is getting the dress some other woman wants.

Why is it that when you tell a Muleshoe woman she is not looking well she will look triumphantly at her husband.

If a Muleshoe woman finds out ten things her husband was keeping from her it is safe to bet that she guessed nine of them.

When a Muleshoe boy gets too old for his mother to wash him, his neck and ears never get a good washing until he falls in love.

The medal goes to the Muleshoe boy who, in using the word "diadem," wrote, that people who drive onto a railroad crossing diadem sight quicker than those who stop, look and listen.

The worst hen-pecked man in Muleshoe is the one whose wife makes him drink two or three cups of coffee before going to bed so he won't go to sleep while she's telling him what's what.

Progress News Notes

The Home Missionary met Monday with Mrs. W. C. Brown with five members and one visitor present. Our president being absent, the vice-president called the house to order by reading the 12th Psalm.

The Sunday school elected officers for the coming year last Sunday. Mr. Lindsey, superintendent; Mr. Actkinson, assistant superintendent; Mrs. Carence White, treasurer.

Rev. Peacock preached a very fine sermon both morning and evening. There were 74 in Sunday school Sunday.

Mary Snyder is confined to her bed with a case of the flu.

Emil Wellsonda and Henry Peterson of Nebraska City, Nebraska, is looking after business interests in this section.

Bud Morris and family of Alken were visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Johnson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Actkinson.

Miss Fama Newman of House, N. M., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lindsley and Bill Fowler were shopping in Portales Saturday.

Emil Willsondt, Will Kennedy and Henry Peterson were business callers in Portales, N. M., Monday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Parker is on the sick list this week.

T. L. Snyder is very low at this writing.

Emil Wellsondt spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Fenton.

Mr. and Mrs. Actkinson entertained a bunch of young folks Sunday.

Lois McDorman Ruth and Della Brandon visited in the Jess Murrah home Sunday.

Rev. Peacock and family were shopping in Plainview, Monday.

HI-LEAGUERS OF M. E. CHURCH ENTERTAINS INTERMEDIATES

The Hi-Leaguers of the Methodist church entertained the members of the Intermediates B. Y. P. U., with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gaede, six miles north of Muleshoe, Monday evening.

Many interesting games were played and a good time was enjoyed by all, until a late hour, when refreshments of sandwiches, cocoa and cookies were served to the following:

- Mr. and Mrs. Good Harden, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Gaede, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gaede, Ruby Sterling, Dorothy Rice Neva Douglass, Bernice Arnold, Mary Frances Willis, Marguerite Hicks, Rheta Wilemon, Clymena Peters, Florene Koons, Hazel Nelson, Betty Nelson, Twila Farrell, Beth Mardis, Lillian Roach, Eva Harper, Charlene Morris, Dora Nell McCarty, Ruth Becker, Ray Eckler, L. S. Barron, Roy Wilemon, Alvis Hobbs, Cloyd Sketers, Woodie Glasscock, Horace Holt, Buddy Morris, Junior Winn, George Woods, Justin Danner, W. B. Hicks, and Alvin Farrell.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Following is the Senior B. Y. P. U. program for Sunday evening, December 25, meeting at 6:30 o'clock at the church auditorium.

Subject: "The Challenge of Unfinished Tasks." Leader: Miss Floy Beller. "Achievements in Africa, Argentina and Brazil," Mrs. Early Joiner. "Achievements in Chile, China, Italy and Hungary," Mrs. Louise White. "Achievements in Japan, Jugo-Slavia, Mexico, Roumania and Spain," Mrs. Mary Hart. "The Unfinished Tasks," Truman Roberts.

"Our Task," Miss Mildred Miller.

NOTICE

On the 9th day of February, A. D. 1931, the Commissioners Court of Bailey County Texas will receive sealed bids on the County and School Depository for the years 1931 and 1932. The Court will not select the depository for schools with more than 150 scholastics. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. —J. E. ADAMS, County Judge. Jan. 15, 22, 29, Feb. 5, 1931.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT Of the Financial Condition of the Blackwater Valley State Bank

at Muleshoe, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December 1930, published in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper printed and published at Muleshoe, State of Texas, on the 22 day of January, 1931

Table with columns: RESOURCES (Loans and discounts, collateral security, real estate, overdrafts, other bonds and stocks, banking house, furniture, cash in bank, etc.), LIABILITIES (Capital Stock, surplus fund, undivided profits, etc.).

Table with columns: TOTAL (215,282.25) and LIABILITIES (Capital Stock, surplus fund, undivided profits, etc.).

Table with columns: TOTAL (215,282.25) and LIABILITIES (State of Texas, County of Bailey, We, E. R. Hart, as President, and J. E. Aldridge, as Cashier, etc.).

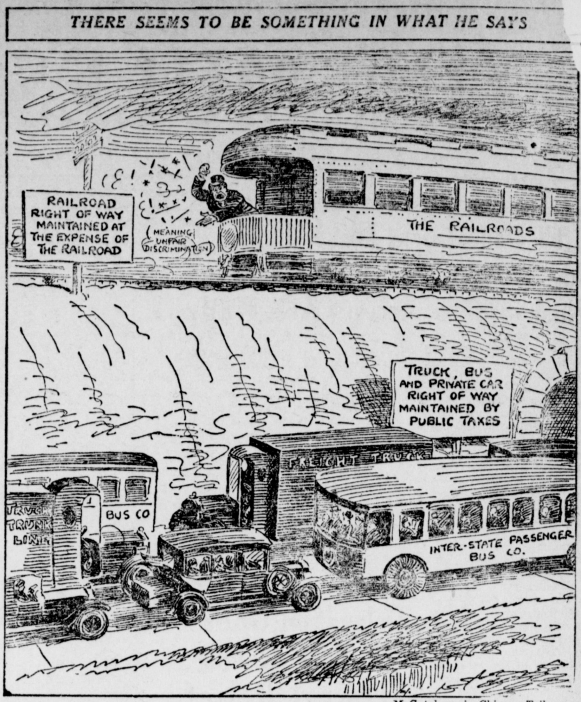
CORRECT ATTEST: RAY GRIFFITHS, G. A. ANDERSON, S. E. MORRIS, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of January, A. D. 1931. (SEAL) OPAL MORRIS, Notary Public, Bailey County, Texas.

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McCutcheon in Chicago Tribune.

MISS WILEMON ENTERTAINS

Miss Rheta Wilemon entertained a number of her friends with a birthday party at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wilemon, Thursday evening of last week.

Miss Wilemon was the recipient of many nice gifts. Many games were played, and a very enjoyable evening was spent, at the close of which, refreshments of cake and hot chocolate were served.

The duiler the visitor the longer he or she stays. Buy it in Muleshoe.

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JANUARY SPECIAL OFFER FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM and FORT WORTH RECORD 6-FULL MONTHS-6 The regular price of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram for six months is \$5.00, seven days a week, including the big Sunday issue. Send us your name and address carefully written, together with \$3.75 and we will enter your subscription for six full months to the MULESHOE JOURNAL (weekly) and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram (daily, including the big Sunday issue.) This represents a combination saving on these two newspapers for six months subscription. In other words, you save \$1.25 on your six months subscription to the daily Star-Telegram and during that period get your home county paper, The Journal FREE. Or, if you prefer, send us \$4.00 and we will enter your subscription to the Star-Telegram (7 days a week) for six months, and send you the Muleshoe Journal (weekly) for one year. If living outside of Bailey County, in Texas, send \$4.50 for this combination offer. This offer applies to either new or renewal subscribers. The above offer applies only to subscriptions taken in Bailey County. Outside of Bailey County, in Texas, add 25 cents to above offer to cover extra postage. ACT NOW! THIS OFFER GOOD ONLY DURING THE REMAINDER OF JANUARY Mail your subscriptions to-- The Muleshoe Journal MULESHOE, TEXAS

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### MULESHOE HATCHERY

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So for your health's sake, let a little fresh air in.

If you must have a fire to dress by, have it in another room. If you live in a small apartment and sleep in your living room, turn out the fire and raise the windows when you go to bed.

## Water Heaters Without Flue Pipes Are A Menace

Many gas appliances, including some well-constructed room heaters, are safe to use without flue connections in WELL-VENTILATED rooms. However, it is advisable that all appliances using gas in considerable quantities should be connected with flues, for even the most efficient types may produce poisonous gas when the flame is first lighted.

If your water heater—or any other kind of a heater—is in the bath room, turn it out when you are ready for your bath. It requires approximately 10 cubic feet of air to supply sufficient oxygen to burn one cubic foot of gas—and there usually is little or no fresh air coming into the average bathroom.

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West Texas Gas Company places a higher value on the health, safety and good will of consumers than upon any revenue it might derive from gas that is not properly used.

## West Texas Gas Company

### BODY OF LUBBOCK PUBLISHER IS FOUND; DEATH BY EXPOSURE

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hunt from Fort Sill, Okla., joined the searchers Tuesday morning. Three private planes already had been engaged and Dorrance D. Roderick, publisher of the El Paso Herald and Times, was expected to augment the aerial force by one Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy and Quinn left Sunday to glimpse antelope reported in Cochran county. They last were seen Sunday afternoon by Fred Snider, prominent ranchman of Lubbock, who directed them to a point of the highway where he suggested antelope might be seen.

Automobiles and cow ponies carried searchers over wide areas of Cochran and Hockley counties Monday and Monday night.

An appeal to members of the West Texas Press Association to give all possible assistance in the search was broadcast by W. S. Cooper of Colorado, president of the association. Guy is vice president of the organization.

No alarm was felt in Lubbock Sunday night by friends and relatives when the trio did not return, as it was presumed they had decided to

spend the night at some convenient ranch house and proceed home early Monday morning. When, however, they did not appear Monday morning relatives and business associates became apprehensive. There were checks at the newspaper office for Quinn to sign and Guy, as editor of the paper, had made no provision for his paper's editorial column, "The Plainman," and editorial page matter. Dr. Sam Dunn, whose wife is a sister of Mrs. Guy, procured a plane and set out on a search for them in Hockley and Cochran Counties. He returned Monday at dusk without any clew. Then alarm became general in Lubbock. A systematic search was organized Monday night. Sixteen carloads of people hastened into the border counties, searched all night over the prairies and pastures and penetrated into the brakes.

In the meantime, Mayor Clements of Lubbock issued an appeal for all auto owners to assemble at the Lubbock County courthouse at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning, form into squads and prepare to search every foot of over the border into New Mexico.

Guy has been editor of the two Lubbock papers for six years and has been identified with various South Plains civic activities.

Quinn has been publisher of the Avalanche-ournal since Roderick went to El Paso to become publisher of the Herald and Times. He was to have been married within two weeks to an Indiana girl, according to statements by intimate friends here.—Fort Worth Star Telegram.

### SENIOR B. Y. P. U. PRESENTED PROGRAM AT HUB CITY SUNDAY

Upon the requests of members of the Baptist young people at Hub City, 20 miles north of Muleshoe on the Priona highway, the Senior B. Y. P. U. of the local Baptist church presented a specially prepared instructive program at that place last Sunday evening, the program aimed to help members there in organizing and carrying on B. Y. P. U. work.

The group from the local Baptist church who attended the meeting numbered 14.

### YL News Items

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Richardson and daughter of Hollis, Oklahoma, came Saturday for a visit with Lloyd Quesberry and family.

Ernest Lovelady was in Amarillo, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Guiley and children and Mr. and Mrs. Byron Durham were in Clovis, N. M., Saturday.

J. O. Crawford had relatives from Childress visiting him last Saturday.

Tom Johnson, Audie Myers and Miss Frances Evans visited friends in Clovis New Mexico, Sunday.

Mrs. H. E. Lindsey and Mrs. L. R. Sims were in Clovis, New Mexico, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Durham visited J. J. Head and family of Bovina, Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Feazel and sons, Boyd and Joye of Lubbock, visited her sister, Mrs. A. S. Trawek and family, Saturday and Sunday.

### Want Ads

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Carbon paper, second sheets and scratch pads at Journal office.

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL pay \$500.00 reward for the arrest and conviction of anyone caught stealing livestock from the Halsell Cattle Co.—Ernest Huffman, Foreman. 51-4tc

HEMSTITCHING! Muleshoe Hemstitching and Sewing Co.—Mrs. H. A. Douglas, Prop. 51-2tp

AGENCY for Royal portable typewriters. Best on the market today. Let us demonstrate one to you. Muleshoe Journal. dhtr

BAILEY CO. CEMETERY NOTICE

Anyone wishing to purchase a lot should see John Burton, Supt. Any party in charge of a body must present burial certificate to Mr. Burton by order Board of Trustees.—Mrs. J. E. Burton, Sec'y. 49-1tc

### SHERIFF'S SALE

THE STATE OF TEXAS) COUNTY OF BAILEY)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Bailey County, on the 6th day of January 1931, by L. L. Alsop, Clerk of said Court for the sum of Five Thousand, One Hundred Seventeen and 10/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of J. C. Whaley and Laura Josephine Jones in a certain cause in said Court, No. 524 and styled J. C. Whaley and Laura Josephine Jones vs. W. P. Davis, et al, placed in my hands for service, I, H. Sterling as Sheriff of Bailey County, Texas, did on the 6th day of January 1931, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Bailey County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Labor No. 5, League No. 110, Crosby county, 160 Acres of Land in Bailey County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of W. P. Davis, and that the first Tuesday in February 1931, the same being the 3rd day of said month, at the Court House door of Bailey County, in the Town of Muleshoe, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of said W. P. Davis.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper published in Bailey County, Texas.

Witness my hand, this 6th day of January, 1931.

H. STERLING, Sheriff Bailey County, Texas. January 8, 15, 22, 1931

### TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE PECOS AND NORTHERN TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Amarillo, County of Potter, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 10th day of February, 1931, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage" or by such other name as may be determined on all its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series, so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in paying or exchange for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.

J. N. FREEMAN, Secretary. Nov. 28, Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1930; Jan. 2, 9, 16, 23 1931.

### BAPTIST W. M. U.

The W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. H. A. Eckler Monday afternoon with 10 members present. We had one new member, Mrs. Jim Cook, who we were glad to welcome into our society.

Mrs. L. S. Barron, our president, read 1st Timothy, second chapter, for the devotional. We need to pray more for the ones in authority, that they may lead in the right way.

Mrs. Ray Griffiths had charge of the Missionary lesson, the subject being, "The Unfinished Task." The lesson was unusually interesting.

After a short business session we adjourned to meet next Monday at 2:30 o'clock at the home of our pastor, Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Joiner, for a business and social meeting. Mrs. T. H. Holland and Mrs. J. B. Roberts will assist Mrs. Joiner. All ladies are cordially invited to attend.—Reporter.

### Causes of Mildew

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# 1931


The year 1930 is now past history, and we have before us 12 new months in which to write the history of our life, our town and our community.

Notwithstanding more or less unfavorable financial conditions, the past year has been a very pleasant period with us, and we are now looking forward in optimistic vein for an even better, happier and more prosperous year for all.

As we step upon the threshold of the New Year we take advantage of the opportunity of extending one and all a cordial invitation to become regular visitors to this bank during 1931. It is our desire that we may be of real service to you, and that we may all work together for the betterment of ourselves and the town and community as a whole.

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STATED MEETING of Muleshoe Chapter, No. 792, Order of Eastern Star, first Tuesday in each month. Visitors cordially invited.

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**LOCAL HAPPENINGS**

R. M. Bradley of Wichita Falls was here last Friday.

Mrs. Clara Beavers spent Wednesday in Farwell and Clovis, N. M.

E. H. Wood and son, George, spent Sunday with relatives in Tahoka.

A. P. Stone and A. V. McCarty, Jr., were in Sudan, Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wilmon were Clovis, N. M. visitors Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hutto and children were over from Sudan, Sunday.

Mrs. Jay Wire was shopping in Clovis, Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan B. Mardis of Hereford were here Sunday.

Frances Miller of Sudan was looking after business here Thursday.

J. R. Stegall of Amarillo, was in town, Friday.

J. H. Lucas, of Littlefield was a business visitor here Friday.

R. L. Brown was reported on the sick list this week

Emil Welsandt of Talmadge, Nebraska, is here this week.

Judge W. P. Walker of Crosbyton was here Wednesday of last week.

M. D. Ross was in Plainview on business Wednesday.

Frank Hickman and mother, Mrs. Nannie Hickman, were here Saturday from Crosbyton.

Miss Thelma Clark, of Post, has accepted a position with the Gulf Refining Co., at this place.

Mrs. W. H. Kistler returned home Sunday from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. D. Thomas at Farwell.

Miss Beth Mardis visited her brother, Ivan B. Mardis, in Hereford, Saturday.

Wayne Wallace and Earl Hamblin returned Friday from a trip to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. McCarty, Sr., of Lubbock, spent the weekend with their sons, Delmar and A. V. McCarty, Jr.

Miss Juno Gasscock who is attending school in Farwell was home for the weekend.

Miss Nellie Brown of Quitaque, who is teaching school at Wilson spent the weekend with Miss Mildred Miller.

Mrs. G. C. Danner visited her sons, Damon and Curtis in Farwell, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Wilmon and daughter, Georgia, made a business trip to Amarillo, Saturday.

Miss Lyndell Gaddy was guest of Miss Edna Disney of Portales last weekend.

W. F. Cogdill, real estate agent from Priona, was a business caller in Muleshoe Wednesday.

T. C. Carmen and M. Jenkins, of Amarillo, were here on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Tate were visitors in Plainview Monday afternoon, returning home Monday night.

Rev. W. B. Hicks, A. C. Gaede, A. A. Peacock, Jeff White and Coy Burkhead attended the District Sunday School meeting in Plainview, Monday.

W. B. Humphries and J. H. Riddle of Dallas who have been auditing the County's books left Saturday for Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Hollis, of Wink, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Delma McCarty and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. McCarty, Jr.

Miss Aene Shuman and Mr. Charles Reid, of Creston, Iowa, spent several days last week in the T. G. Caddy home.

Mrs. Joe March and little daughter, Doris, and Mrs. L. E. Ragsdale, of Farwell, were in Muleshoe, Saturday visiting friends and relatives.

County Agent D. E. Adams, of Lamb county, was here Monday assisting Bailey county's farm agent, Fred S. Reynolds, in some demonstration work.

Miss Kathryn Hobbs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hobbs last week. Miss Kathryn is attending school in Plainview and was exempt from the examinations.

B. B. Peebles and Tomas Shirley of Bowie, were prospecting in Muleshoe last week. They seemed to be favorably impressed with the shallow water area.

M. H. Reed and J. A. Badger of Austin, were callers in Muleshoe last week. Both have large interests in the South Plains and are big boosters of this section.

Misses Bernice Gray and Lyndell Gaddy and Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Stegall had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Keith Stegall, Monday. Entertainment was offered later with the raido and bridge games.

Mr and Mrs. John Gaede left Saturday for Baileyboro, where they are making their future home. He called at the Journal office and ordered a subscription to follow him to his new location.

A. Horn and son, of Powell, Wyo., were prospecting in the Blackwater valley last week and purchased a 120-acre tract of shallow water land. They expect to return to this section to make their home at an early date, and are planning to drill a well and do some intensive irrigation farming.

**APPEAL MADE BY RED CROSS FOR AID OF SUFFERERS**  
(Continued on last page)

The Red Cross, a purely charitable organization, has no source of income other than through free will donations on the part of charitably inclined people of the United States, in localities that have not been stricken as have some of our more unfortunate sections. While people over the country are responding to its appeals for aid, there still remains hundreds of hungry American people who are dependent on the organization for sustenance during the remainder of the winter, some of whom have received no aid as yet. A great appeal is being made for coal to keep them warm during February, the hardest of the winter months.

Right here in Bailey county there is suffering that few of us have dreamed of, Mrs. Mardis said, and appeals have been made to the National Red Cross association for aid. The National association is going to respond, but it

can only match dollar for dollar as it is raised locally.

The people of this town and community who are in a position to do so, are urged to take more interest and give more freely to the Red Cross—the great organization of mercy which has no "axe to grind" other than the alleviation of suffering mankind.

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**BIRTHDAY PARTY**

Joe Bill Alsop was the host at a birthday party given at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alsop, Wednesday evening of last week.

Each little guest came bringing a present in honor of Joe Bill's birthday. Many games were enjoyed, and at the close of the afternoon, refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served.

**T. L. SNYDER PASSES**

Word was received at the office just before publication, death of T. L. Snyder, 66, 101 resident of Bailey county, who has been suffering with a chronic ailment for the past two weeks.

He came at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Wednesday at his home 10 miles west of Muleshoe.

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