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## Teachers Meet For County Is Here Friday

About 65 school teachers of Bailey county, members of the County School Board, district trustees and patrons will attend the Bailey County Teachers institute to be held here all day Friday in the District court room of the courthouse, according to M. G. Miller, county superintendent.

The address of welcome will be made by some local citizen, Miller said, after which an executive session of the county unit of the State Teachers association will be held.

Later there will be a program of discussion of various topics of interest in an educational way, and probably an address by E. Esten Day, deputy state school superintendent from Lubbock who is expected to attend.

At the noon hour teachers will be guests of Muleshoe business men at a luncheon to be held at the American Legion hall, ladies of the West Camp home demonstration club being caterers to the occasion.

In the afternoon the Bailey County Interscholastic league will be organized, various officials appointed, subject assigned and plans made for the holding of competitions will be selected.

## Musson Wins \$25.00 Reward on Tomatoes Given By Factory

H. E. Musson, prominent farmer a few miles west of Muleshoe last week won the \$25.00 reward offered by the Muleshoe Canning Co., for the first 10 tons of tomatoes delivered to their factory. Musson has been raising a large and excellent tonnage of tomatoes ever since opening his irrigated land and has been realizing top price financial returns from such products. He sells many of his first grade tomatoes to truckers who drive into the field for them.

The local canning factory to date has turned out 2,000 cases of beans and 1,000 cases of tomatoes. On account of season conditions, the factory has not been running regularly, only about half time; but it has given employment to from 25 to 35 women and five men during operation periods. The factory pays \$12.00 per ton for ripe tomatoes suitable for canning purposes.

It is estimated by those in touch with this particular crop that many times more tomatoes are being hauled out by trucks than are being sold locally. Truckers from distant points are paying from 1 1/2 to 2 cents per pound for the "white ripers" which they haul to distant markets in Texas, Oklahoma and other adjoining states, selling a good profit.

## Stars And Others To Twinkle, Frolic Friday Evening

Friday evening of this week, beginning at 8:00 o'clock, members of the local Chapter Eastern Star are sponsoring a 42-party at the Muleshoe High school auditorium, the public in general being cordially invited to attend.

An interesting and entertaining program is being arranged and refreshments will be served.

Members of the lodge serving on various committees and making preparations for the party are as follows: Mrs. Inez Bobo, chairman of the program committee, assisted by Mrs. Grace Morris; Mrs. Lucille Farrell and Mrs. W. E. Renfrow, refreshment; Mrs. A. W. Copley, Mrs. H. E. Schuster and Mrs. Jess Osborn, hospitality; Mesdames Virginia Weyer, Bonnie Isaacs and Doris Taylor, table; Mesdames R. L. Brooks and Finley White, chairs; Mesdames Mary Hart, Nancy St. Clair, Inez Bobo and Cleo Goins, tickets.

Tickets are now being sold and proceeds received from the party will be used to make payments on a piano for the Eastern Star.

A full evening of fun and entertainment is assured all who attend, according to report.

**PLEASD GUILTY ON COLD CHECK**  
R. W. Curry of Cochran county, was fined \$1.00 and cost, totaling \$2.25 on a plea of guilty of a charge alleging giving a worthless check, in Bailey County court in Muleshoe Monday.

More than 1,500 patented inventions are incorporated in the modern automobile.

**\$111,474.00 GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS RECEIVED**  
Officials of the Bailey County AAA office here announce receipt of 163 more government cotton parity checks for the 1939 program, totaling \$17,477.14, making a grand total of \$111,474 received to date.  
A total of about \$197,000 is anticipated for the 1939 payment.

## 31 Town Lots And 1,804 Acres Land Change Hands

Noticeable in real estate transactions during the month is the fact of 31 town lots having changed hands in Bailey county, the larger majority of such lots being located in Muleshoe. Many of these lots purchased during the past month are already in the process of being improved with residences and other types of buildings being erected on them. There was also a total of 1,804 acres of land to change hands last month, according to records at the County Clerk's office as follows: Josephine Roubinek to Lawrence J. Roubinek, NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of sec. 34, block W, 80 acres.

Muleshoe State Bank to Byron Griffiths, SE 1/4 sec. 50, block Y, W. D. & F. W. Johnson, subd. 160 acres.

Jim Cook, et ux to G. T. Maltby, NE 1/4 sec. 11, block X, W. D. & F. W. Johnson, subd. 160 acres.

J. F. Smith, L. P. Henning, lots 32 to 44, inclusive, block B, O. T. Muleshoe.

R. H. Kyrer et ux to H. G. Thompson, E 1/2 labor 4, league 112, Crosby county school land 88 acres.

L. A. Bigler, et ux to J. T. Gean, S 1/2 of sec. 12, block Z, W. D. and F. W. Johnson, subd., 320 acres.

C. H. Millspaugh et ux to J. A. Wimberly, lot 11 block 9, Warren addition, Muleshoe.

C. C. Browning et ux to Mrs. Ada Cantrell, SE 1/4 sec. 50, block Y, W. D. & F. W. Johnson, subd. 160 acres.

R. D. McCormick to Robert Simpson, lot 1 block 3, Townsite of Muleshoe.

E. R. Hammock et ux to Russell Craft, labor 22, league 186, Swisher Co. school land 177 acres.

E. K. Warren & Son to Cecil Spence lot 2, block 7, Warren addition No. 2, Muleshoe.

J. H. Keefe to J. E. Anderson, lot 10, block 33, O. T. Muleshoe.

J. H. Keefe to Claudia M. Hough lots 17, 18, block 16, O. T. Muleshoe.

S. W. Sanders, et ux to J. E. Anderson and E. L. Magby, lots 1 to 6, inclusive, block 3, O. T. Muleshoe.

Byron Griffiths and wife to E. R. Hart, SE 1/4 of sec. 50, block Y, W. D. and F. W. Johnson, 160 acres.

A. W. Coker, et ux to Pat R. Bobo, lots 1 and 2, block 6, Warren addition.

J. F. Stephens et ux to Janey A. Gowdy, tract out of section 39, blk. Y, 63.3 ac. x 316.6 feet.

Yellow House Land Company to R. L. Livingston, tract out of labor 5, State Capitol League 679, Abner Taylor, 192.8 acres.

J. W. Bowman et ux to Hazel Ann Mankameyer et al, NW 1/4 sec. 27, block X, 60 acres.

E. R. Hart to S. L. Rollins, SE 1/4 sec. 44, block Y, 160 acres.

J. H. Keefe to J. S. Horsley, lots 9 and 10, block 36, O. T. Muleshoe.

R. W. Cudd, et ux to Inez Kinchee, labor 11 league 178, Motley Co. school land, 177 acres.

E. K. Warren & Son to Frank A. Spring, lot 5, block 10, Muleshoe, Warren addition No. 2, Muleshoe.

J. H. Keefe to Stella L. Eason, lot No. 2, block 29, O. T. Muleshoe.



## WAR AT A GLANCE

Official announcement is made that 112 pursuit planes, 60 bombers, 14 observation planes, five artillery amphibians and three transports will be added to U. S. protection forces in the Honolulu islands.

Adolph Hitler has stated he would accept an armistice if proposed by President Roosevelt; but Roosevelt doesn't seem to warm up much to the proposition.

Japan has recalled her envoy from Germany.

Status of the European war from reports Monday indicate a diplomatic stalemate existing. Hitler encouraging the Nazis with the slogan, "Out of the Siegfried line by Christmas," is reported as being anxious for an armistice since he has gained Poland, his objective, and has gone so far as to suggest President Roosevelt to head a conference for settling Europe's problems.

Several U. S. senators have favored the suggestion, but Mr. Roosevelt has met all enquirers with "I have nothing to say."

The Allies apparently are waiting for winter to set in before making any further definite moves into Germany, on the theory that a winter seige without sensational land battles to bolster the morale of the Nazis will weaken their opposition greatly by springtime. Great Britain still declares there is no possibility of peace.

It has been announced that Russia will begin at once supplying Germany with additional arms ammunition and other war commodities on a large scale.

The Holland-America freighter Binnendijk was sunk last Sunday in the British channel, her crew of 41 being rescued by a British vessel. Authorities stated there were no mines in that area and cause of explosion is unknown.

Upon the heels of German-Russian collaboration in Poland northern Baltic states express fear of further Russian expansion with intention of taking in some of those smaller nations. Finland has already said she will fight as did Poland for her integrity.

The United States and Mexico have both sided for Poland, refusing to recognize conquests by force and will continue to maintain diplomatic relations with Poland through its government in Paris.

It is now reported Finland may feel the club of Russia, who is reported demanding military and naval bases in that country.

The U. S. Senate last Monday refused to vote on the cash and carry system, 65 to 26 without also voting on the Arms Embargo act.

Premier Daladier of France Tuesday in radio broadcast threw down the gauntlet of war to Hitler, declaring France was prepared to fight until concrete evidence of lasting peace became an actuality. Hitler has picked up the challenge, declaring England and France will never see Germany surrender. Apparently now the war is on.

**Hallowe'en Carnival Queen Crowning Is Planned Here**  
In a faculty meeting at the Muleshoe High school building Wednesday of last week, preliminary arrangements for 17th annual Hallowe'en carnival were made, the event to be held Friday night, October 27.

A steering committee of faculty members, including principals of the ward and high school will complete plans for the entertainment.

With such a large number of faculty members, it is hoped there will be many new ideas to give variety to the show.

As usual, the crowning of the queen will climax the occasion; and competition between the classes is expected to be very keen. Various classes of the high school will meet, probably this week for selecting contestants for the coronation. One representative from each class will be chosen and the one receiving the most votes by the date of the deadline will have the honor of being elected queen of the carnival.

Various classes and class sponsors will start planning arrangements for their booths and queens' thrones in the near future, according to report.

Proceeds of the carnival will go into the athletic fund to be used for play equipment and general miscellaneous expenses.

Six hundred thousand acres of Texas state school land has been ordered sold Jan. 2 under sealed bids. Most of it is located in the Big Bend country. Sale payments will spread over 40 years.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT TO MEET OCTOBER 23

A mass meeting is called to be held at the City Hall in Muleshoe, Oct. 23, beginning at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of reorganizing the local fire department and adding some other members to the list of fire huddles. The public generally is invited to attend this meeting.

Officers for the coming year will also be chosen at this time.

## \$35 Are In The Pot For Trades Day Next Saturday

There was a "whale of a crowd" in Muleshoe last Saturday, according to R. L. Eburn, generalissimo in charge of Trades Day event. Not only regular citizens from over this area, but the mass of humanity was considerably augmented by hundreds of cotton pickers and other harvesters who had come here to work for a while and were taking advantage of the occasion for laying in their weekly food and other supplies.

The disbursing committee found no one to answer for the \$10 award to be given away, so it will be carried over until Saturday of this week and added to this week's gift of \$10, making \$20 some good looking man or woman will receive of the total of \$35 to be given away.

Leroy Holly received \$7, J. A. Warner, Jim White, Bernice Hogan and Mrs. E. M. Lovelady each received \$2.00.

Everyone is cordially invited to return next Saturday for fraternizing trading and possible cash benefits.

## Booster League Meet At Methodist Church Thursday Evening

Thursday evening of this week a Union Epworth League booster meeting will be held at the Methodist church in Muleshoe, a large crowd being expected to attend.

Representatives from Bala, James Amherst, Littlefield, Earth and Spade who compose this district, are expected to be present.

Miss Ethel Clair Rainey, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Rainey, formerly of Muleshoe but now residing at Amherst where he is pastor of the Methodist church, will give a talk on her visit to a National Booster Union League meeting held at Mt. Sequoyah, Arkansas this summer.

Members of the Littlefield department will have charge of the devotional.

A social hour will be enjoyed and refreshments will be served to those attending.

Prof. A. G. Dickinson will be in charge of recreation.

## FRANK MOORE DIES IN ALBUQUERQUE

Frank Moore, 43, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Moore, residing about 12 miles northeast of Muleshoe died last Sunday afternoon at a hospital in Albuquerque, N. M., of spinal tuberculosis which he had been suffering for about a year. He was well known by many citizens of Muleshoe and surrounding area.

Funeral service for the deceased was held Tuesday afternoon at Estancia, N. M., and burial made in that cemetery.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Hazel Moore, his parents, six brothers, Harvey, Robert and Marvin Moore living at Lavon, Seaborn, Millard and J. R. Moore, jr. residing east of Muleshoe, also one sister, Mrs. Ethel Montgomery, Estancia, N. M.

## JOHN ALFORD DIGS MANY SILOS

John W. Alford has just completed digging 18 different silos for Bailey county farmers, their capacity running from 85 to 2,000 tons each.

In doing this job he ran double shift of two men each, working both day and night, also using a 50 h.p. catapillar tractor and 5 1/2 yard crumple, removing 7,200 yards of dirt, or about 6,800,000 pounds of soil to make the trenches.

An unusual number of farmers went the trench silo end ensilage route this year because of the unexpected drought.

## CCC BOY CALLED FROM BAILEY

A CCC call was made in Bailey county Wednesday of this week, one boy from here being accepted.

There is now an estimated 25 boys from Bailey county enrolled in the CCC and stationed at various camps in Texas and other states.

Patrols home industries.

## General Rains Fell Saturday Over Area

Following an exception dry August and September, general rains prevailed throughout this western area last Saturday and Sunday night. The "pennies from heaven" falling in copious quantities totaled thousands of dollars in value to farmers in crop returns. Of special value was the rain to wheat farmers, whose lands had all been prepared, many waiting for moisture before dropping the pellets into the soil, while others had gone ahead and planted trusting to Nature to furnish the moisture in due time.

There was 1.28 inch of moisture fell in and around Muleshoe; and reports coming in the first of this week indicate that the county received a good rainfall, the quantity being sufficient to be of incalculable value to the farmers.

General reports are to the effect the rain extended as far east as Lubbock where 25 inch was reported north to Amarillo, 75 inch, and lighter into the Dalhart area. Rains were reported generous as far west as Albuquerque, N. M., and some precipitation on into Colorado. Reports of rain indicate it spreading as far east as Kansas City.

## Singing Convention Surpasses Others In Its Program

The Bailey County Singing convention was held at 7 L. Sunday, it being an all day session, beginning in the morning and continuing well into the afternoon, with one of the largest crowds of singers and music lovers present in the history of the convention.

The Young was re-elected president and Mrs. Cecil Davis was re-elected secretary of the convention.

The Liberty singing class won first place and received the loving cup which had previously been held by the Progress class winners since the last two conventions.

Large numbers of experienced song directors from various towns and communities of this section were present. The following quartets attended: Circleback, Fairview, Camp bell No. 1 and No. 2 from Hockley county, Clovis, Reed Quartet from Lamb county; Reed quartet from Cochran county; Muleshoe faculty quartet and the Muleshoe quartet.

At the noon hour a big basket dinner was served community style and everyone attending a basket of culinary delicacies enough for themselves and several visitors.

The next convention will be held at Circleback the second Sunday in April.

## Government Forecast Of 11,928,000 Bales Is Made

The Agriculture department, Washington forecast this year's cotton crop last Monday as 11,928,000 bales of 500 pounds gross weight.

The forecast of production, based on the condition of the crop, Oct. 1, was the first estimate of the season and compared with 122,380,000 bales forecast a month ago and 114,120 bales forecast two months ago. Production was 119,400,000 bales last year and the average production for the ten years, 1928-37, was 13,800,000 bales.

The condition of the crop on Oct. 1 was 68 per cent of a normal, compared with 70 a month ago, 66 a year ago, and 61, the average condition on that date for the ten years, 1928-37.

The indicated yield of lint cotton was reported as 235.7 pounds to the acre, compared with a forecast of 244.7 pounds a month ago and 223.7 months ago, 235.8 produced last year, and 190.8, the 1928-37 average yield.

The census bureau reported 6,686,715 running bales counting round as half bales and excluding linters, of this year's crop had been ginned prior to Oct. 1, compared with 6,577,109 a year ago, and 8,290,071 two years ago.

There have been approximately 270 bales of cotton ginned in Bailey county up to October 1, and about 90 bales ginned in Farmer county to that date. To the same date last year there were only 12 bales ginned in Bailey county and four in Farmer county. Cotton in this county is just now opening in earnest and ginning is swinging along in rapid manner.

The three gins in Muleshoe have turned out a total of 464 bales up to Wednesday noon this week.

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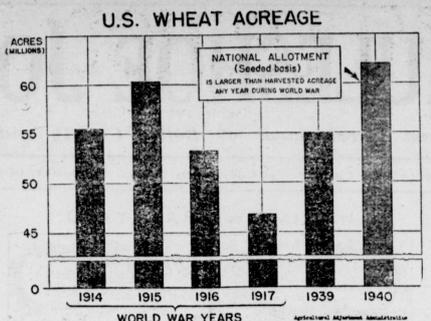
THE MINUET (POPULAR DANCE OF COLONIAL TIMES) GETS ITS NAME FROM THE LATIN "MINUTUS"—MEANING SMALL—ON ACCOUNT OF THE SHORT STEPS IN IT.

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1933 TODAY



## BAILEY CO. HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

By LILLIE GENTRY  
Home Demonstration Agent of Bailey County

Zane R. Carter Improves Bedroom

Among the interesting demonstrations being carried by 4-H club girls in Bailey county is the work being done by Zane Rhea Carter of Maple.

Zane Rhea has done a great deal of work on improving her closet. She has papered the inside, built shelves along one side and top, put in a rod for hanging garments and built a shoe rack.

Zane Rhea says I have enjoyed making dresser scarfs and pillow cases for my room. I am going to enter them in the linen show on Achievement day.

She says, "I think I shall like my bed very much which I intend to build on to the wall and drape with a bright print to match my curtains."

## WHEAT AND CORN FORECAST UP

The Agriculture department forecast places the probable yield of corn at 2,532,417,000 bushels and the winter and spring wheat at 739,445,000 bushels. Both grain forecasts are greater than a month ago.

People of Portugal spent over \$540,000 for German medicines in a year.

## Finger-Tip Gearshift On Steering Column In 1940 Ford Cars

Since the arrival of the new Ford V-8 for 1940, hundreds of people have called at the Muleshoe Motor Co., to admire these new creations of luxury, speed and comfort. Enriched by refinements made possible by the manufacture under a single unified management of five cars which virtually bracket the motor car market, these new cars present notable advances in styling, convenience and safety.

They are big, substantial and powerful in appearance. Body lines are pleasingly streamlined. Front end designs are distinctively modern, with low radiator grilles, long hoods and deeply rounded fenders. The trimly tailored interiors are big and roomy, with plenty of seat room leg room, elbow room and shoulder room.

Two V-8 engines are available, an 85 horsepower engine in the Ford V-8 and the deluxe Ford V-8, with a 60 horsepower engine optional in the Ford V-8.

Four Ford V-8 and five deluxe body types comprise the two lines. A new business coupe as well as a Fordor sedan, Tudor sedan and coupe are available in both. There is also a deluxe convertible club coupe with automatic top as standard equipment. Three color choices are available in the Ford V-8, six in the deluxe line.

An important new feature of the cars is a finger-tip gearshift mounted on the steering column under the two-spoke steering wheel. This provides increased room for driver and passengers in the front compartment. New Sealed-Beam headlamps are used on all types, providing greatly increased driving vision at night.

On the 85 horsepower cars, an improved spring suspension with a longer, more flexible front spring, and a torsion bar ride-stabilizer provide an exceptionally comfortable steady ride. Large double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers with self-sealing construction are fitted on all cars.

Comfort features are emphasized throughout the design. Seats are built for restful riding. Front seat backs are of new resilient type. Driver's seats are adjustable two ways—they rise as they are moved forward. Bodies are scientifically soundproofed, shutting out road noises. An "easy-shift" transmission, permitting speeds to be changed quietly; new design curved disc wheels and improved drums for the highly effective, quick-stopping hydraulic brakes also contribute to quietness.

The interiors of the cars appear in new decorative schemes. A pleasing color treatment in maroon and sand duotone distinguishes the interiors of the Ford V-8. In deluxe cars, window and door frames are finished in dark mahogany, hardware in rich maroon, knobs and escutcheon plates in sand, with striped mohair or broadcloth upholstery also in sand. In the Ford V-8, door and window moldings are in bleached walnut finish, handles are chrome-plated, with knobs and escutcheons in sand colored plastic. Upholstery is in taupe.

Instrument panels harmonize with the interior styling. Gages are grouped in front of the distinctive steering wheel. A grille for installation of radio speaker, glove compartment with lock, two ash trays and a cigar lighter are provided on the panel.

Other equipment supplied without extra cost on both the Ford V-8 and the deluxe Ford V-8 includes: Front and rear bumpers and four bumper guards; spare wheel, tire and tube; twin electric air horns; dual windshield wipers with single control; battery condition indicator; foot control for headlight beams, with

indicator on instrument panel, and dimming control for instrument panel lights.

Ford V-8 cars also have a sun visor, two ash trays and arm rests in the rear compartment of the sedans. A foot rest is supplied in the rear compartment of the Fordor sedan.

Additional equipment supplied on deluxe cars without extra cost include wheel bands, metal spring covers, two swivel-type sun visors, two tail lamps, ash trays in instrument panels and the rear compartment of sedans; arm rests at the driver's left and in the rear compartment of sedans and a robe cord in the deluxe Fordor sedans.

Mining Below Sea Level  
Cryolite, a mineral used in aluminum manufacture, is mined far below sea level in Greenland.

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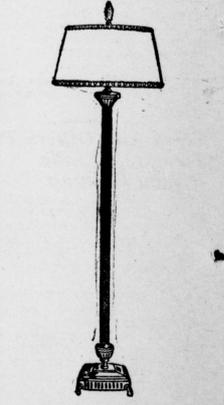
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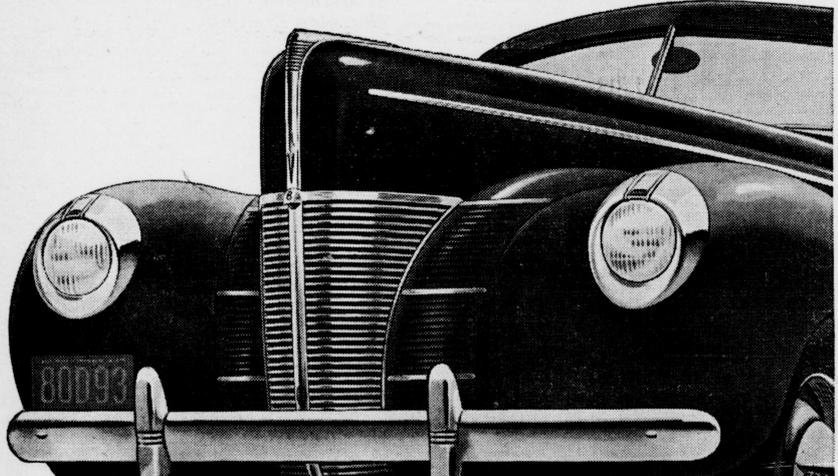
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WACO DIVISION  
J. M. HUBBERT  
VS.  
TEMPLE TRUST COMPANY  
NO. 236—IN EQUITY

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned has filed his application with the Clerk of the United States District Court in and for the Western District of Texas, Waco Division, for an order authorizing him to sell and convey to H. B. Mason all the East one-half (E½) of Section Thirty-five (35), Block B, Melvin-Blum & Blum Survey in Bailey County, Texas, containing 320 acres of land and in payment of said property said purchaser will surrender a guaranty claim against the undersigned of \$4491.29, and will assume the payment of taxes now delinquent on said land, amounting to \$274.49, and will also assume the payment of taxes accruing for the year 1939.

Said application will be heard by the Honorable Charles A. Boynton, Judge of said Court, after this notice shall have been published for a period of ten days, and any person interested in said Receivership Estate may contest this application.

WITNESS my hand at Temple, Texas, this 26 day of September, A. D. 1939.

H. C. GLENN as Receiver for Temple Trust Company, Temple, Texas.

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**MODERATION, THE NOBLEST GIFT OF HEAVEN . . .**

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**World Beer Consumption Gains As Moderation Movement Grows**

WORLD-WIDE consumption of beer and ale, which has been steadily increasing in the wake of temperance education advocating moderation and sobriety, reached a new post-war peak with the production of 196,000,000 barrels in the fiscal year 1938, according to preliminary figures collected by the League of Nations, at Geneva, Switzerland. The world increase of 2,000,000 hectolitres (1,700,000 barrels) over 1937 was due primarily to the estimated increase of 2,000,000 hectolitres in Europe, where temperance promotion and governmental advocacy of beverages of moderation have gained wide headway in recent years.

The United Kingdom, Germany, Austria and Japan were among the major countries producing more beer during the fiscal year 1938 than during the previous year. Other nations reporting increases were Bulgaria, Estonia, Greece, Hungary,

Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Netherlands, Poland, Sweden, Yugoslavia, Egypt, Morocco, Tunisia, Union of South Africa, Guatemala, Mexico and Peru.

The United States showed a slight decrease in the amount of beer produced. More recently the figures have turned upward again, indicating that beer production in this country follows the general business index.

Starting with the post-war period, during which wide-spread movements of temperance education were developed in many sections of the world, consumption of beer as a beverage of moderation has been on the increase. Even discounting the amount attributable to the return of legal beer in the United States, a world-wide gain of approximately 14 per cent is reflected in a comparison of the 123,000,000 barrels produced in 1920 with the 196,000,000 barrels produced last year.

**TEXAS AUTOMOBILE TITLE LAW NOW REQUIRES REGISTRATION OF AUTO AND ACCESSORIES PUT ON IT**

Effective October 1 a new law became active in Texas requiring the registration of automobiles, auto radios, tires and other accessories with the Department of Safety, intended largely as a measure to fight automobile thefts of various kinds.

Blanks of several different kinds have been provided tax collectors who will have charge of such certificate applications, the small fee going with the duty in no way being compensatory for the labor connected with it.

Attorney General Mann explaining the new registration creed has issued the following statement:

"Tax collectors of Texas are the designated agents for the Department of Public Safety, and will take the application at the tax collector's office. The application will be forwarded to the Department of Public Safety at Austin, and within 10 days the certificate of title will be mailed direct to the owner of the vehicle.

"A fee of 5c is charged for the certificate of title and is payable to the collector when the application is made.

"As a convenience it will pay every owner of a motor vehicle to

get his title as early as possible, while it is not compulsory that he secure the title at once, a person cannot sell or transfer an automobile without first obtaining title to same, and immediate attention would eliminate waiting 10 days to obtain title from the Department of Public Safety.

"The following information is required to obtain the certificate of title:

"The name and address of the purchaser and seller at first sale or transfer and transferee at any subsequent sale; The make of vehicle, body type, motor number, serial number.

"The number of the license plates currently assigned thereto and the state of issuance, whether in this or any other state;

"The names and addresses and dates of any liens on the motor vehicle, in chronological order of recording.

"If no liens are registered on the motor vehicle, a statement of such fact.

"A space for the signature of the owner and the owner shall write his name with pen and ink in such space upon receipt of the certificate.

and Mrs. Jack Lenderson was elected to take her place.

Mrs. Jack Lenderson was in charge of entertainment and she directed several mirth provoking games.

A delicious refreshment course consisting of vegetable salad served in bright green pepper halves, with buttered toasts and spicy black walnut cookies was served to the following: Mesdames Jack Lenderson, Fere! Little, Jess Mitchell, Buford Butts, J. H. Sharp, Dick Rokey, Finley Pierson, Miss Elizabeth Harden and Miss Marj! Gooch.

**West Camp News**

Sunday will be regular preaching day at the Baptist church. The hours are: Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., preaching at 11:00 a. m. In the evening there will be B Y P U at 7:30, and preaching at 8:30 o'clock.

H. C. Robertson and Virginia Ruth attended to business in Lubbock, Saturday.

Norma Jean Thomas and Joan Booth were visitors in the home of the latter's grandparents over the weekend.

Due to recent rains, cotton picking has been blocked, but the damage done the cotton will be overlapped by the ben fits to the wheat crop.

Mrs. H. H. Copeland who is in Mineral Wells for treatment, is improving nicely.—Reporter.

**OUR THANKS**

For the many kindly considerations, words and acts of sympathy and for the beautiful floral offerings occasioned by the death of our beloved son and brother, "Tommy," we express our most sincere appreciation. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sybert, Jimmy and Billy.

England has a campaign against highway advertising of hospitals.

**Needmore News**

**Improve Church Building**

There will be a box supper at Fort's chapel, Needmore, Friday night, October 20. The money will go for wiring the church house for lights. Everyone should come and bring a box. Work was completed on the church house last week. It was plastered on the inside and outside, and we wish to thank each and everyone who took a part in the work.

New teachers and church officers have been elected for the coming year.

We are sending a box to the Orphans home, Waco, Monday, Oct. 16. So every one should bring their donations Sunday.

There will be a dinner on the ground Sunday, Nov. 5. The church will also be decorated for the occasion. It will be the last Sunday in this conference year for Rev. Ellis Todd, pastor, so we do urge all members to be present.—Reporter.

**PROGRESS H. D. CLUB STUDY KITCHENWARE**

The Progress Home Demonstration club met with Mrs. Carrie White Oct. 3, to study "Use and Care of the Kitchen."

An interesting demonstration was given by the agent, showing several of the more necessary pieces of equipment. Two grades of each piece were shown, a cheap grade and a better one. The club was asked to compare the two grades at the end of the demonstration, and decided it is better to pay a few cents more and get kitchen equipment that will last longer, look nicer and be more sanitary, because it is more easily cleaned.

The next meeting will be with Miss Elzada McMahan Oct. 16. Everyone is invited.

Visitors present were Mrs. Sammie Taylor and Mrs. H. L. Lowery; Members attending were: Miss Ada Hogan, Elzada McMahan, Eunice Humphrey, Mesdames Lela Guiley, W. G. Kennedy, Ross Goodwin, E. W. Gray, W. L. Dickinson, J. J. Gross, Harold Mardis, Fern Davis, T. A. McLaran, Carrie Wilhite, M. A. Springstube, and the agent, Miss Gentry.

Refreshments were served to all.—Reporter

**OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE MULESHOE State Bank**

at Muleshoe, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 2nd day of Oct., 1939, published in the Muleshoe Journal, a newspaper printed and published at Muleshoe, State of Texas, on the 12th day of Oct., 1939.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts on personal or collateral security	\$241,251.37
Loans secured by real estate	4,870.52
Overdrafts	101.54
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	18,000.00
Other bonds and stocks owned	47,424.75
Customers' bonds held for safekeeping	4,600.00
Banking houses	10,900.00
Furniture and fixtures	2,150.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents	105,650.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$433,348.93</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	\$25,000.00
Income Debentures sold on note	12,500.00
Total Capital Structure	\$25,000.00
Surplus Fund	12,500.00
Undivided Profits, net	10,608.42
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	372,528.35
Time Certificates of Deposit	8,605.56
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	206.20
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	4,500.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$433,348.93</b>

We, E. R. Hart as President and Jesse M. Osborn, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. R. HART, President.  
JESSE M. OSBORN, Cashier.  
CORRECT—ATTEST:  
RAY GRIFFITHS  
HATTIE C. GRIFFITHS  
MARY E. HART  
Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Oct., A. D. 1939.  
(SEAL) WENZ F. BOBO  
Notary Public, Bailey County, Texas.

**Rhode Island's First Census**

The first census of the colony of Rhode Island was taken December 5, 1706, at which time the population was 7,181.

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**Yellow Jackets Scalp Indians Here Friday**

Friday afternoon of last week the Muleshoe High school football team, the Yellow Jackets, defeated the Morton High school Indians with scores of 14 to 0 on the Muleshoe field, before the largest crowd in Muleshoe football history.

The first score for the locals came early in the first quarter on a recovered ball by Standerfer, who made a beautiful 30 yard run for touchdown. Extra point gained between the uprights from the toe of Alwyn Chitwood.

In the second period, Oliver took the ball from scrimmage and scampered 20 yards to place the ball in the end zone, after which play, Chitwood repeated try for point to bring the ratio to 14 to 0 just before the half.

In the third period the visitors opened up with an offensive that puzzled the Jackets, who fell back before repeated passes, and end runs, to hold the ball on the one yard line for fourth down. In the ensuing play, Muleshoe kicked out of danger and held the Indians for downs without further threat to their own goal, the game ending as at the half 14 to 0 for the home boys.

The Muleshoe High school girls pep squad, dressed in their costumes of black shirts with white blouses, lent their colorful array and zestful yells to the occasion during various quarters. At the half of the game the group marched on the field, led by their pep leaders who were distinguished by carrying large new megaphones, and gave several yells and sang songs. One outstanding feature was when the girls made the formation of a large "M" and waved large tassels made of colors of gold and white.

**Statistics**

First downs: Muleshoe 6; Morton 8.

Average punts: Muleshoe 33 yards Morton 15.

Passes attempted: Muleshoe 4; Morton 6.

Passes completed: Muleshoe 1; Morton 2.

Penalties: Muleshoe 90 yards; Morton 15.

**Lineup—Muleshoe**

Oliver, re; A. Chitwood, lt; Dee Chitwood, rt; Warren, lg; Vaughn, rg; Hill, le; Baker, c; Standerfer, E; Haun, fb; Long, sb; Riley, qb.

**Substitutes:** Gaston, Rogers, McNutt, Harlan, W. Standerfer, Hammons, Walker, Gordon, Johnson, Thomas, Clark.

**Lineup—Morton**

Browning, c; Whitman, lg; Graham, rg; Reynolds, rt; Brunson, lb; Cooker, le; Little, Jack, re; Bond, lb; Bruitt, rt; Baker, fb; Lytle, Rd, qb.

Officials: Referee, Edelman, Pri-

ona; Head linesman, Baker, Muleshoe; Umpire, Moore, Muleshoe; Time keeper, Parsons, Muleshoe.

Friday afternoon of this week, October 13, the Yellow Jackets will play their next game here with Anton. Other games scheduled to follow are:

November 3, 8:30 p. m., Melrose, N. M., at Melrose.

November 17, 8:30 p. m., Littlefield at Littlefield.

**General News As Reported From Over The U. S.**

Lamb County REA has been allotted an extra \$120,000 government funds for construction of its third unit of 158 miles of high line to accommodate 335 more members.

Formal installation of Dr. Homer P. Rainey as president of the University of Texas has been set for the morning of Dec. 9. The public will be invited to attend.

Attorney General Garland Mann is in receipt of a check for \$400,000 representing a compromise of four cement companies involving more than a million dollars in a suit brought against them by the State.

Gov. A. B. Chandler of Kentucky has resigned that position to be succeeded by Lieut. Gov. Keen Johnson who in turn appointed Chandler as U. S. Senator to succeed the late M. M. Logan who died recently.

Senator Joe Hill has filed an injunction suit in District court at Austin enjoining the State from paying \$1,338,000 borrowed money to a Dallas bank, on the plea such borrowed money at that time was an unconstitutional act and that old age pensioners should have it.

The three U. S. mints located each at Philadelphia, San Francisco and Denver, during September coined 2,704,503 half dollars, 6,424,503 quarters, 8,230,503 dimes, 30,473,503 Jefferson nickels and 64,840,500 pennies, or a total of \$5,451,148 worth of coins.

Gov. O'Daniel early this week polled members of the Texas legislature to determine whether a special session to consider temporary additional financing for social security, including old age pensions, teachers retirement, blind, and dependent children should be held.

The National Association of Broadcasters is reported to have taken steps which will bar Rev. H. A. Roth, Arthur Damron, W. M. Moore and M. G. Bass. Members of the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Harper Thursday afternoon of this week.

Scripts from others will be required in advance of air use, it is said.

**CLUB STUDIES STRONG TEXAS PERSONALITIES**

Meeting of the Muleshoe Study club was held at the library in the court house, Thursday night, of last week.

The program was on the subject, "Personalities of Texas," and was conducted by Mrs. Clay Beavers, who gave a short history of Texas and then introduced the members who gave two minutes talks on the following Texas persons:

Walter Prescott Webb, author, by Mrs. Charles Lenar; Anna George, musician, by Mrs. James Beavers; David Guion, musician and composer by Mrs. Pat Bobo; Bonnie McLeary, artist and sculptor, by Mrs. Ray Moore; Frank Reaugh, artist, Mrs. Frank Spring; George W. Truett minister, by Mrs. Vance Wagon; John Nance Garner, statesman, by Mrs. Cecil Tate and the late Stephen F. Austin, "Father of Texas," by Mrs. Julian Lenau.

After a short business meeting was held, refreshments were served by the hostess, Mrs. K. K. Smith, who presided for Mrs. A. J. Gardner who was unable to attend.

**IMPROVING BAPTIST S. S. ROOMS**

Considerable improvement is being done this week on the basement of the Baptist church here, clearing away some old work and making room for more attendants, according to Rev. F. B. Hamilton, pastor.

Former location of the old stairway leading to the basement has been obliterated, two new class rooms have been added, and there has been other remodeling and interior finishing done.

Rev. Hamilton states the church is in a flourishing condition and stepping forward in a very wholesome spiritual, as well as financial and numerical, way. More than \$4,000 expenses having been raised and cleared during the past year.

Average Sunday school attendance for the past year was 165 per Sunday and the goal has been set for an average of 200 pupils this year. During the past year, there were 76 additions to the church membership, bringing the present total up to 346.

**NEEDLECRAFTERS EAT SEW AND VISIT**

Mrs. Jessie Wright was hostess to members of the Needle Craft club at her home Thursday afternoon of last week.

Guests spent an enjoyable time sewing, doing numerous kinds of fancy needlework and visiting, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames H. A. Roth, Arthur Damron, W. M. Moore and M. G. Bass. Members of the club will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Harper Thursday afternoon of this week.



# EDITORIAL AND FEATURE PAGE



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## Editorial

Every Great Attacker to Obedient Even If It Falls

### A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Thou shalt fear the Lord thy God; him shalt thou serve, and to him shalt thou cleave, and swear by his name.—Deuteronomy 10:20. Fear is implanted in us as a preservation from evil; but its duty, like that of other passions, is not to overbear reason, but to assist it.—Thomas a Kempis.

### OUNCE OF PREVENTION

Prevent crime! Prevent auto accidents! Prevent cancer! Prevent war! Now to prevent fires! Through schools and civic organizations, press and radio, the nation spends one week being made aware of the national fire debt and the ways and means of cutting costs in life and belongings due to demon fire.

Insurance companies warn and suggest methods and procedure to take in homes and buildings to cope with the evil. To clean all rubbish from basements and attics before it appeases the appetite of licking flames. Harbor no arsenal of loose matches for young fingers to strike. Clean furnace pipes before starting winter fires and watch for combustion and gasoline fumes. Tend to electric connections and appliances.

The fact that you have never had a fire of a serious nature doesn't mean you can ignore the subject and rest safely on your asbestos mattress. Begin at the top of the house and go to the bottom, look inside and outside, check and double check. Pass the word along to family and neighbor and cooperate to make Muleshoe safe from carelessness and negligence.

Yes, this is Fire Prevention week in Texas. Let every citizen do his or her part!

### STREAMLINE FARMERS

The countryside is rapidly becoming civilized, and may become civilized. I read the other day where 45,000 farmers were now using electricity for lights and power, where just a few years ago very few enjoyed this modern blessing.

Instead of buggies, hacks and wagons, automobiles, trucks and tractors are rapidly coming into vogue. The new baby tractors coming out this year are going to back horses and mules clear out of the barnyard—and they won't be long in doing it, either.

The old oak bucket long ago disappeared and now the hand pump is being superseded by electric motors, gasoline and diesel engines for pumping water. Even those farmers who looked upon the Lord to furnish wind for their windmills are losing the habit.

Just how all this is going to affect humanity, is quite a question. I can recall some very fine children that grew up into excellent men and women under vision of the coal oil lamp and the coal stove. Will modern electricity, gas heat, refrigerators, dish-washing machines, etc. produce as good or will there be any effect either way? That's quite a question!

### A SALUTE

This month, just 447 years ago on the twelfth day, a gentleman named Columbus discovered what is commonly believed by her inhabitants, to be the greatest country on this globe.

There aren't many to dispute her supremacy though various historians have tried to convince us that

Columbus shouldn't be given full credit for discovering her. Whatever her correct data, we are mighty grateful that Columbus didn't give us over to the Indians and wash his hands of the whole affair!

Sometimes when as a nation we act unwisely and greedily, unappreciative and childish, we are glad Columbus can't see what we are doing with this glorious gift, but perhaps he knows of our weaknesses and trusts in our common sense winning out, so that eventually we will really amount to something bigger and better.

Let us not, as a grateful people, let him down by being unworthy of his discovery. Make it possible for the date of October 12th to hold up her head in pride and dignity.

### WINTER'S COMING

We read in a down east Texas newspaper the other day where squirrels of the piney woods were storing away nuts in their tree dens and peckerwoods were putting away acorns in their holes they had pecked out. Birds of different kinds are gradually putting on their feathered overcoats for winter and all members of the animal kingdom are thickening their furs for colder weather.

Some farmers had foresight enough to dig trench silos which they filled with ensilage, while their wives were loading pantries and cellars with canned foods of various kinds, yet there are some folks who never think of putting anything away for rainy, sandy or drouthy days. Are they improvident? Perhaps not, after all—so long as WPA exists!

IT SOUNDS GOOD Through market reports and trade letters this editor understands that the month of September was one of our best business months of the year. Crop money is being put into circulation and retail merchants encourage us with reports showing a decided increase in sales.

Muleshoe spirits rise as they tell us the fall and winter season will not let us down. Fall goods are moving in all sections where merchants push them through advertising. It all sounds good to this editor who furnishes the ink that advertises the merchandise that increases the sales that moves the business that Jack builds.

Jaunty Journalettes What most Muleshoe men see is just what they are looking for. Think about it! The Muleshoe man who expects much of others generally expects but little of himself.

Fall is that season of the year when Bailey county housewives quit taking a chance on cantaloupes and start gambling on coal. Just because Hiller doesn't swear, smoke nor drink, doesn't mean that he is a good example for Muleshoe youngsters.

One good diet exercise for some Muleshoe people would be just to sit at the table and turn one's head from side to side.

Age doesn't necessarily mean that one is full grown. We happen to know more than one man and woman in Muleshoe who is grown physically, but still quite childish mentally.

## TRUTH about ADVERTISING

By CHARLES B. ROTH

JUST WHAT IS GOOD WILL? A FEW months ago, according to that beguiling writer, Bruce Barton, a large factory caught fire. It burned to the ground. Sirens shrieked. Crowds milled. Firemen fought the flames. Newspaper reporters scurried here and there after stories. Consternation reigned. Amid all this confusion the most serene man in sight was the president of the factory, he who should have been the most excited. Alighting from his car, he strolled over to where that which he had spent years in building was becoming a total loss. He was calm, at ease, undisturbed.



Charles Roth

A newspaper man spied him, asked him why he was so calm, he was not concerned. He explained that the loss was fully covered by insurance and that, besides, the most valuable asset of the business hadn't even been touched by the fire. "To what asset do you refer, Mr. Burlingame?" "Why, to our good will. We can build a new factory—now we'll have to. We can buy new machinery—better machinery than was in the old plant. As long as the good will of a business is intact, nothing else matters," he concluded. He was right. The most impor-

Most Muleshoe women before marriage are willing to trust their proposed husbands with their lives; but after marriage many of them prefer to handle the pay check personally.

After driving around some South Plains towns we have come to the conclusion it would be much easier to mark the spots where one can park than where they can't; but such is not the case in Muleshoe—especially on Trades Day.

### Pavement Pickups

Ray Moore suggests these new style dresses certainly show good form.

Irvin St. Clair says if Congress don't repeal the Embargo act he is thinking of erecting a factory in Muleshoe for turning out implements of war, principally flat-irons and rolling-pins.

Dr. Green told a good-looking young lady patient the other day she had "acute appendicitis." The young lady blushing replied: "Oh doctor you flatter me so!"

Dr. Matthews suggests Muleshoe is foolish to depend upon folks moving in here to increase the town's size. "Why," he declares, "if husbands and wives would do their duty by each other, the population could be doubled in just a little while."

Newspapers now days contain considerable publicity regarding various generals taking part in the European war; but "Ekeet" Skeeter says the most popular general that could visit this section now would be General Rain.

Homer Henington was on the "lit" the first of this week. He said he ate some German potato salad with French dressing on it for supper the night before forgetting they were at war, and that morning his tummy felt like it was being bombarded on the "western front."

Some one suggested to Preacher Jim Sharp the other day that Eve didn't realize she was naked until she ate the apple, and Shap replied he thought several times some of the women who came to his church last summer should have eaten more apples.

Judge M. G. Miller suggests that women who have any appreciation at all for their husbands should be careful about divorcing them when this fall term of District court rolls around, for such an act on their part will take them right out of the second draft and put them into the first, if the U. S. decides to get into the European war.

A Muleshoe grocery clerk was telling an experience a few days ago:

He said: "I bought a wooden whistle, but it was wooden whistle. So I bought a steel whistle, but steel it was wooden whistle. So I bought a lead whistle, but steel they wooden lead me whistle. So I bought a tin whistle—now I tin whistle."

### SNAP SHOTS

Ashes of love are found in most divorce cases.

Joe Louis now knows what a Pastoral call is!

The modern father describes a pedestrian as a man with a wife, daughters, two sons and a car.

There is an abundance of things except those folks who have profited from their own mistakes.

After a family fight, the next kind easiest to start is the church fight.

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## WEEKLY LAY SERMON AMERICA, THE DECIDING NATION

By JESS MITCHELL

Today we celebrate "Columbus Day" in recognition of the gallantry of that Genoese who discovered America 447 years ago, and I am reminded of the fact that the start of empire, of opportunity, of ennobling manhood, of greater liberty, intelligence and more equitable justice has always been in a westerly direction ever since history began recording the acts of men.

The Bible tells us in Deuteronomy that God said to Moses "Lift up thine eyes westward." Nearly 450 years ago Christoforo Colombo, son of a wool-comber of Genoa, Spain, had the urge to find a shorter passage of travel for merchantment to India, and going westward discovered America. A prominent eastern editor one time became famous because of his admonition: "Go west, young man, and grow up with the country." Multiplied thousands of people in Oriental countries during the past 400 years have much bettered their social, religious, financial and physical conditions by going west—crossing the Atlantic ocean to America where they have

found equal opportunity with others in working out and accomplishing the details of their various lives.

It was one of the high points in world history when Columbus made the discovery of another continent in the western seas, yet he never received due credit for his adventurous exploit. To the very day of his death he was maligned and denigrated. So I have often observed many other folks have never been given due credit for their noble acts in life until after they are dead.

The Apostle Paul, on that day in June when he was decapitated, had no idea the effect of his preachings and writings twenty centuries after his death. Martin Luther never dreamed the echo of his hammer blows, as he nailed his Latin theses against the Wittenberg church door would echo on into eternity. Ell Whitney had no idea the added wealth his cotton gin invention would bring to the southern part of this continent, nor did Cyrus McCormick know what his reaper would mean to the wheat fields of Kansas and other western states.

When the Island of Manhattan was sold to the Dutch for \$24.00, no one could foresee that someday it would contain the City of New York, the world's greatest metropolis. Even so there are many lesser events in human life's relatively of as great importance, but for which the doers get little or no credit.

There are many ultra-religious people who today believe that the finding of America was essentially a religious discovery. Atheism, infidelity nor vagabondism had nothing to do with it. Columbus was a devoutly religious Catholic; a whole-some Christian gentleman. On that memorable voyage there were prayers uttered and psalms sung every morning and evening by the entire crews of those three vessels making that eventful journey. All those seamen trusted implicitly in divine providence to give them a successful trip, as did most of the colonists who began settling the eastern shores of this newly found continent a few years later.

Recently America has been called "The melting Pot" of nations, and there are some folks who staunchly believe that statement. I don't know how much the Apostle Paul knew about physiology and chemistry; but I do know that if you stand in a row an Englishman, an Irishman, a Spaniard, a Bohemian, a Frenchman, a Chinaman, and a representative of all other nations and let a chemist take a sample of blood from the right arm of each of these, they will all have the same characteristics, for it would be red, complex, fibrin, globulin, chloirin, and containing sulphuric acid, potassium, phosphate of magnesia, and so on. There would be at least three types of this blood as recognized by scientists today for transfusion purposes; but in its essential constructive elements it would all be exactly the same.

So, many people readily believe the statement of St. Paul, as he stood on Mars hill that memorable day away back in the history of early Christianity, and declared that "God hath made of one blood all nations." Chemists of today who know what they are talking about tell us the blood of animals, of fish, of insects, or serpents, may all vary more or less according to their genera, and that none of it is like human blood. Human blood in its fundamental composition is essentially different from the blood of any other living creature, yet in such basic ingredients, regardless of race or color, it is all alike.

Coincidences of the five different human races may differ as the result of climate, education or habits. The Caucasian may have the oval face and small mouth; the Malay, the projecting upper jaw; the Ethiopian, the retreating forehead and large lip; the Mongolian, the flat face and olive hue; the American Indian, the copper-colored complexion; but the blood composition is all the same and indicates they all had the same origin. Darwin, in his "Origin of the Species" more than a hundred years ago recognized that fact, and every physiologist who has studied human bodies; every psychologist who has studied human disposition; every in taphysician who studied human mentality; and every biologist who has made a critical study of the application of religion to the human race, agrees that their reaction, in sum and substance generally speaking, are quite similar.

There are many folks who think this may all mean something quite important. Personally, I am not so strong in the belief of divine revelation as are some other folks, yet I do insist in a full belief in the final and infallible results of the operation of the Laws of Nature as set in motion by the Omnipotent Creator. There are entirely too many vitally noticeable and noteworthy incidents in the operation of these laws for me to even think otherwise and to believe contrary to the fact that behind all creation there is an infinite purpose. That purpose is being gradually worked out in this world of ours according to a divine plan, and there is nothing we can do to absolutely defeat it. We may hinder or delay it by our action and attitudes; but no earthly creature nor organization of such creatures can ever negate the plans of Omnipotence to the point of defeating them.

It is the belief of many that America is destined to play a very important part in the divine economy of world civilization in the humanizing and purifying of mankind; the elimination of selfishness, establishing of liberty, equity of existence and relative justice for all human beings. Past history, present conditions and future outlook so indicate. Many of the better informed citizens of this nation believe that the mingling of all races of people who come to live in America, under proper tutorage and training will, in time, produce the most magnificent race of people the world has ever known, and that coming race will mean the triumph of the church over war, though it may not be recognized as such when it finally arrives.

It is the theory of many to admit to this country the best of French and German blood. Let them intermarry one with the other and call one child Alsace and the other Lorraine. It will stop their perpetual quarreling over here and set a good

### AUTOS BRUISED AND BENT WHEN THEY COLLIDE

Monday afternoon about six o'clock, Elton Parsons and Myron Bayless had the misfortune of having a car collision at the street intersection on the corner northwest of the high school building in the west part of Muleshoe.

One car was going west and the other south when they collided. Both automobiles were slightly damaged, having bent fenders, bumpers, radiator grills and broken head lights.

A wrecker from a local garage was called to take one of the automobiles to a local garage for repairs. No one was injured in the collision, according to report.

### SCHOOL GLEE CLUB NOW ORGANIZED

H. E. Williams, music teacher has recently organized a Glee Club. Officers were elected for the coming school year, as follows:

Nona Faye Johnson, chairman; Billie Joan Damron and Etha Mae Oliver, librarians; Ruth Menefee, pianist.

The group will sing two-part harmony.

Those singing soprano are: Gloria Gowdy, Mary Dennis, Pauline Tolver, Lois Howard, Etha Mae Oliver, Juanke Brooks.

Alto's are: Doris Churchill Billie Joan Damron, Nona Faye Johnson, Lela Mae Barron, Betty McAdams.

example for their own folks back in the old countries. Let the hot-blooded Spaniard unite with the cold-blooded Polander; the romantic Italian with the matter-of-fact Norwegian; teach them all the fundamental principles of Americanism, educate them in our manners and customs, and in 100 or 150 years we will have here a race of people which in stature, in purity of complexion, in liquidity of eye, in gratefulness of pulse, in dome-brow, in taste, in intelligence, in morals, in loyalty to our fundaments of life and living, will be superior to anything the world has ever known. Then there won't be any Irish nor Bohemians nor Scandinavians nor Germans nor French nor representatives of any other foreign nation; they will all be simon pure Americans!

Make America a national laboratory where all foreign bloods are intermingle mixed up an race prejudice and race antipathies will have to perish. Almighty God has nothing but righteous indignation for national selfishness, and so long as America does not do her utmost toward extinguishing such feelings and such attitudes, just that long will God's plan be held in abeyance.

Intermarriage of families and intermarriage of members of the same nations is more or less depressing and crippling to its participants. It is a practical of science that the union of similarities weakens, while the union of contrasts strengthens. For instance: show me a better combination of blood than that of the Scotch-Irish. The union of their two fundamental natures, and accumen makes for the very highest order of rugged intelligent humanity. I certainly believe in purity of blood for family reasons as strongly as anyone; but I also know that no one race has any monopoly on blood purity. The diffusion of pure bloods, their intermingling in marriages always tends to strengthening of mental and spiritual characteristics. Marriage outside of one's own family and one's own nation is invariably a mighty gain.

For ought I know, the time may come in future years when America has become so assimilated and solidified in its particular nationality, its ideals and aspirations, this country may, in turn, furnish immigration back to the other countries across the oceans to correct the erroneous ideals of government today being fostered there.

It is indeed no vain picture to look forward to the final consummation of this suggested ideal of people and their nation. For centuries past peace-loving people have been looking forward to the time when the "lion and the lamb will lie down together." They will never do it. It is not their nature and the Creator is not changing any animal natures to our notice; but the time may come when "swords will be beaten into plow shares," and that great change of weapons into agricultural implements may take place right here in America.

It is no vain thought to look forward to the time when this great super-race of Americans will become an actual fact. All the microscopes of our laboratories and all the telescopes of our observatories will be dedicated to learning more of the Creator's acts elsewhere in the universe. All the lakes will become baptismal fonts, all the mountains become altars of praise; all the valleys become amphitheaters of music; universal peace shall prevail and the ideal of Almighty God will have been perfected in the lives of his creatures in the God-dedicated continent of America.

A Peter Paul League has been formed in England to raise funds to Great Ormond Str at Childen's hospital, in London, the largest in the world, which was donated by Sir James Barrie.

## HARVEST TIME IS HERE!

As farmers of this area begin harvesting grain and picking cotton, they are sure to find many needs. Cotton barges must be built or repaired. Hay Frames will be needed, Bins and Cribs of various kinds will come in demand for storing grain. Sheds, too, will be required for additional use.

### 'Grab Time's Forelock'

And, it won't be long now before Hog Houses, Chicken Houses, Barns and Sheds used for housing stock of various kinds will need repairing and making comfortable for livestock this winter.

The wise farmer is the one who looks ahead to all these needs and makes ready for them in due time. Neglect or Delay may mean financial loss unnecessary.

REMEMBER—we have everything needed for any repair or new building or improvement.

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Clarence Goins, MULESHOE, TEXAS Manager

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Muleshoe, Texas  
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The system of Paying Cash and Carrying Groceries away with you has been in successful operation in business so long President Roosevelt is now trying to adopt that system to national bartering.

Of course, he has reference to selling war munitions to belligerents across the ocean; but don't forget that Food is also a war necessity, for soldiers can't fight without the strength wholesome food supplies. A hundred or more years ago Napoleon declared "An army travels on its belly."

But Food is also a greatly needed Peace-time commodity, and people who trade at Red and White stores on the Cash and Carry basis, not only get the very best of Food, but enjoy considerable savings in their purchases.

REMEMBER—REGARDLESS OF PROFITTEERING PRICES WE CONTINUE TO SELL YOU FOODS THE CHEAPEST

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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF MULESHOE STATE BANK MULESHOE, TEXAS

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, OCTOBER 2, 1939

ASSETS	
Loans and Discounts	\$170,480.54
Bonds, Warrants	47,424.75
Bills of Exchange-Cotton	1,884.85
Bank Bldg., Furn. and Fixtures	12,150.00
Customers Bonds-Safekeeping	4,500.00
Other Real Estate	1,000.00
Overdrafts	101.54
Govt. Bonds	18,000.00
Govt. Wheat Loan	73,746.50
Cash & Exchange	106,950.75
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$433,348.93</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock (Common)	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus, (earned)	12,500.00
Undivided Profits	10,908.42
Custom rs Bonds-Safekeeping	4,500.00
<b>DEPOSITS</b>	<b>381,340.51</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$433,348.93</b>

The Above Statement is Correct—Jesse M. Osborn, Cashier

**Muleshoe State Bank**  
MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION  
MULESHOE, TEXAS

## WANTED!

Black Eye Peas, Crowder Peas  
Cream and other kinds of Peas  
Also Pinto Beans

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VIA **Santa Fe** **ROUND-TRIP**  
Excursion Fares are  
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Season Limit Tickets

First-Class: 1 1/2 of one-way first-class fare.  
Coach-Class: 1 1/2 of one-way coach fare.  
Tickets on sale Oct. 5 to 22. Limit Oct. 24.

Week-End Tickets

First Class: One-way first-class fare plus 25c  
Coach-Class: One way coach fare for round trip.  
Tickets on sale each Friday and Saturday. Final return limit Tuesday following date of sale.

For Tickets and Details—

See your local Santa Fe Ticket Agent or write—  
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General Passenger Agent  
Amarillo, Texas.

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PHONE 111 MULESHOE, TEXAS

# LOCALS

● Earl Menefee of Amarillo, attended to business in Muleshoe Friday of last week.

● FOR SALE: English White Leghorn Pullets, 50c each, Dock Wallace, at R. B. Dennis place. 38-2tp

● Virgil Bryan and C. L. McOlliver of Roswell, N. M., were here last Friday looking for farm land.

● WILL the man who borrowed my farm level please return it? J. F. Starkey 38-1tp

● G. D. Kersey of Slaton was here Friday of last week prospecting for land.

● Mrs. Lilia Melendy spent the weekend in Amarillo visiting Mrs. Grant Combs and other friends.

● L. D. Sanderson, trustee of the Goodland school, attended to business in Muleshoe Monday afternoon.

● Finley White, Bailey county farm agent and Miss Lillie Gentry,

county home demonstration agent attended a district meeting of agents in Lubbock, Monday.

● Sheiff Earl Booth of Farwell, attended to business at the court house in Muleshoe Tuesday morning.

● Mrs. Morris Childers and Mrs. Strather Walker were Amarillo visitors, Tuesday.

● G. V. and C. E. Christopher of Hale Center were here last week prospecting for desirable farm land.

● H. L. Body of Lubbock was here Thursday afternoon of last week on business.

● Joe Farris has recently accepted a position at the Muleshoe State Bank.

● J. M. Strawn of Trent, was here Friday of last week looking after property interests in this county.

● Miss M. rel Stephens spent last weekend in Plainview with home folks.

● FOR SALE: Cow Paed, 1 cent per bundle. See Josh Blocker, Progress, Texas. 37-3tp

● FOR SALE: 8 good Milk Cows, priced low. Also 4-wheel trailer. H. S. Gibson, 1 mi. E. 2 1/2 mi. S. of West Camp. 38-2tp

● Miss Jewell I. Sparks, teacher in the Wilson school, attended to business and visited in Muleshoe Saturday afternoon of last week.

● The Baileyboro school in Bailey county dismissed Friday of last week for pupils to participate in the harvest and cotton picking.

● Miss "Duckie" Beller, residing a few miles northeast of Muleshoe, underwent a major operation in a Clovis, N. M., sanatorium, Monday.

● Bill Sutton, formerly of Muleshoe but now residing in Colorado, has been here for the past few days on business and visiting.

● WANTED: Improved land having buildings on it to list for sale. I have buyers. R. L. BROWN, Muleshoe. 37-2tp

● Frank Spring made a business trip to Oklahoma City, Okla., the first of this week to attend a Chevrolet dealers, meeting.

● Mrs. E. C. Smith of Clovis, N. M., visited in Muleshoe this week with her sister, Mrs. Julian Lenua and friends.

● The Watson school in southern Bailey county dismissed Friday of last week for the harvest of fall crops.

● Fred R. Voches of Silverton was here Friday of last week looking after his land interests in this county.

● Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bayless left Monday morning for Oklahoma City, Okla., to spend this week attending a Chevrolet convention.

● Roger Harvey, principal of the Watson school in Bailey county, transacted business in Muleshoe, Saturday afternoon of last week.

● Mr. and Mrs. Finley White were in Lubbock on business Monday. She visited Mrs. R. B. Dennis who is seriously ill in a hospital there.

● J. H. Kearns of Amarillo, attended to business and looked after his interests in the Muleshoe elevator, Saturday of last week.

● H. C. Harding of Amarillo, manager of the V. V. N. ranch, near Muleshoe, was here on business Monday.

● Mrs. Dora McCarty of Lubbock, attended to business and visited various friends in Muleshoe the latter part of last week.

● Miss Doris Hamilton, Miss Lola Dunham and Miss Dorothy Murchison were Clovis, N. M., visitors, Sunday afternoon.

● Mrs. Earl Ladd and two sons, accompanied by her brother, C. M. Cooper and wife, spent the weekend at Turkey visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. Cooper.

● Roy Bayless of Muleshoe, preached at the Methodist church at West Camp Sunday evening, several from here being present.

● Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lenua were Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday evening.

● Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Weidensch and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lender-son were Clovis, N. M., visitors Sunday afternoon.

● Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Murrah of Wichita, Kansas, have been visiting here for the past several days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Murrah, and friends.

● Miss Mar. e Gooch spent the weekend in Lubbock and O'Donnell visiting friends and relatives, returning to Muleshoe Sunday evening.

● Judge M. G. Miller accompanied by L. S. Barron, returned Saturday night of last week from Austin where he obtained additional stat money for the Y. L. school district.

● Miss Florence Stone who is attending Texas Tech college at Lub-

## OTY MAY SEE ON PAST TAXES DUE

Beginning today, Oct. 12, and continuing for the next 10 days or until Oct. 22, citizens and property owners of Muleshoe owing past due taxes may pay them without penalty or interest, according to Dr. A. E. Lewis, mayor, who further states that after that date not only penalty and interest may be added but suit for collection may have to be entered.

Mayor Lewis states the City now has several pressing obligations coming due in the near future, occasioning an immediate need for money. There are between \$7,000 and \$8,000 in taxes delinquent and past due, and a consistent effort will have to be made for such collection.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Argus of Lawton, Oklahoma, were here the latter part of last week looking after their land interests in Bailey county.

● Miss Betty Ruth Moeller, who is attending Texas Technological college at Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna F. Moeller, and friends.

● Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Argus of Lawton, Oklahoma, were here the latter part of last week looking after their land interests in Bailey county.

● Mrs. Adilia Harrison, teacher in the Spring Lake school, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Beavers, and friends.

● Bobby Jones, student at West Texas State College, Canyon, spent the weekend here visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Jones, and friends.

● Daitz Plummer, of the St. Clair Variety store, is this week erecting a three room cottage on lots located just south of the old bank building here.

● Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Renfrow have had as their guests for the past several days his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Renfrow, brother Samuel Renfrow and Clifford Halcomb of Wilke, Oklahoma.

● FOR SALE: New, strong 2-wheel Trailer, well built and painted, large enough to haul 2500 lbs. cotton, one extra wheel and tire—at L. Horrieberger's farm, 12 mi. E., 3 mi. N. Muleshoe. 38-2tp

● A marriage license was issued in Muleshoe Sunday morning by J. J. Williams, county clerk, to Miss Beverly Ferguson and Jack Miller of Wichita Falls. The couple was married here by R. J. Klump, justice of the peace.

● Members of the Half Century club will meet at the home of Mrs. Joel Lee on Thursday (today) of this week. The regular meeting was postponed last week due to a funeral being held in town.

● Mrs. R. B. Dennis of near Muleshoe was taken to a Lubbock sanatorium the latter part of last week for medical attention. Information received here Wednesday was that her condition was very critical.

● A. J. Gardner, who has been in a Lubbock sanatorium for the past several days receiving treatment for pneumonia, was brought to his home in Muleshoe Saturday of last week.

● Miss Rosa Renfrow, who is attending Texas Technological college Lubbock, spent the weekend in Muleshoe visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Renfrow and friends. She returned to the Hub city Sunday evening.

● Temperature at Muleshoe dropped to 35 degrees Monday night. Plenty of citizens here "pulled cover" while others began thinking what they had done with their summer "waxes" when they arose Tuesday morning.

● James K. Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walton, Jr., residing at the government bird reservation south of Muleshoe, has taken the "Social" pledge, a social organization at Tech college, Lubbock, where he is an arts and science senior.

● Come and see our home raised Fruit and V getables before you buy. Bring in your home raised stuff. Sold here on commission.—MURRAH'S GROCERY, located first door west of Consumer's Oil Station, Muleshoe, Texas. 37-2tp

● Among those from Muleshoe who attended the Bailey County Singing convention held at Y. L. Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Tye Young, son Jack, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. "Shorty" Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Morris, Mrs. Beulah Carles and Judge M. G. Miller, Miss Elizabeth Hardin and Mrs. Sally Hardin.

● Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Loy F. Barber, who formerly resided at Muleshoe several years ago, but had been living in a sanatorium will undergo a major operation, Sept. 25, following held there the following day. She will be well remembered by several old timers of Muleshoe.

● Buy it in Muleshoe!

## GILBREATH & SON HAVE FINISHED NEW BRICK

J. T. Gilbreath & Son last week put the finishing touches to their new brick business building which has been under construction for the past month. The building is 58x80, of brick and tile construction, being fire proof throughout. It is well located and will be a valuable addition to the mercantile section of Muleshoe.

It will be used as a warehouse for the storage of feed, grains of various kinds, cottonseed meal and other similar materials, forming an adjunct for storage of such commodities in connection with their grocery business here.

● Mrs. R. B. Dennis died Wednesday afternoon at a Lubbock hospital

## Gas Gas All Time

Mrs. Jas. Miller says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even seemed to press on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never feel better!"

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That's what you get at the Panhandle Service Station—and it makes your car snap into the job like new.

With the coming of Fall time, let us "round-up" your car and make it winter-safe. Our service will give comfortable driving during severe weather.

GET IT DONE NOW!  
It's already been snowing in northern states!

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● Such a tract insures grassy lawn, beautiful flow r garden and DELICIOUS vegetables and other trunk of all kinds for home use and sale on a good market.

● These tracts are of the most desirable suburban location, adjoining paved U. S. Highway and close in to Muleshoe.

● Ten acres will furnish more than a living for the average family . . . and oodles of enjoyment.

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On Friday and Saturday of this week, we are hanging on a SPECIAL RACK in our shop several extra nice numbers in Fall and Winter Garments.

These Dresses or Costume Suits will only be offered for these two days only and will be PRICED TO SELL for CASH only—no exchange or refunds.

Your Opportunity

This is your opportunity to really obtain your Fall and Winter Wardrobe. You should not fail to take advantage of it!

Beauty Service

Our Beauty Salon is at your service, too. Three licensed and experienced operators available using only the best of supplies in a big, roomy shop. Come in and visit us!

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For quick relief from the misery of colds, ta-666 Liquid - Tablets - Salve - Nose Drops

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We have in West Texas and Bailey County, in its people and in our business that

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SATURDAY

October 14

It may be you who will be given \$20, \$7, or \$2—

Better be here!

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YOU can make all sorts of exciting new dishes on one of these marvelous new Gas Ranges.

Broiling's a cinch with the smokeless broiler. Ovens have a whole new bag of tricks. They give higher heat than ever before—and hold a lower temperature as well.

You can make vegetables more delicious the "waterless" way on the simmer burners.

Visit your dealer and see these handsome new Gas Ranges. They are so sparkling, smart, modern. He will be glad to show you the many different models.

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**Free!—Oriental Tea**  
Will Be Served to Our Patrons  
—AND—  
**FREE AWARD OF FACIALS AND CREAMS**  
**Tuesday, October 17th**  
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**SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY BUYING**

FLOUR	Guaranteed, 48 pounds	..... \$1.30
	Guaranteed, 24 pounds	..... .69
BANANAS, per doz.	..... 13 MATCHES, per carton	..... .30
ORANGES, per doz.	..... 12 SALAD DRESSING, qt.	..... .22
<b>SUGAR, cloth bag, 10 pounds</b>		<b>.53</b>
CONCHO TOMATOES, 3 No. 2 cans		..... .25
K. C. BAKING POWDER, 25-oz. can		..... .30
<b>COFFEE, "Old South,"</b>		<b>.20</b>
Vacuum packed, 1 pound can		..... .10
CATSUP, "Wapco" brand, 14-oz.		..... .10
PEACHES, sliced or halves in syrup, No. 2 1/2 can		..... .15
MACARONI or Spaghetti, 2 packages		..... .05
SYRUP, one-half gallon		..... .30
MAGIC Washing Powder, per box		..... .30
ROUND or LOIN STEAK, per pound		..... .23
EACON, "Laurel" brand, sliced, per pound		..... .22
SAUSAGE, per pound	..... 12 DRY Salt Bacon, lb.	..... .09 1/2

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For Seasonable and Economic Reasons over which none of us have any control, but which may effect us adversely in a financial way if we delay buying needed merchandise.

**WOMEN'S COATS** all new styles, trims and color-UNION SUITS for Men, sturdy built, heavy fleeced, each ..... 79  
SWEAT SHIRTS for Men, each ..... 69 and 79  
SWEATERS, one group, wool and part wool for children and larger sizes, values up to 98c, CLOSING OUT, each ..... 49  
TOWELS, "Cannon" 20x40-in. bath size, soft, absorbent, each ..... 15  
MIXING BOWLS, crystal glass set of four from 5 to 8-in size set 25  
TABLEWARE, Crystal set, butter dish, sugar, creamer salt pepper all for ..... 39  
POLO SHIRTS for Boys, long sleeves for warmth, each ..... 25  
WOMEN'S SLIPS, rich rayon, panne satin and taffeta, rose 49  
MEN'S Dress Socks, handsome rayon patterns, pair ..... 10  
MEN'S Work Socks, heavy cotton, reinforced heel and toe, pair 10

**BLANKETS** double cotton, good size, fancy colored stripes, each ..... **\$1.00**

BLANKETS, part wool, heavy saeten bound, each ..... \$1.59  
FANCY Indian Blankets, warm for the bed or excellent for covering and protecting that new car upholstery, \$1.49 and \$1.69  
JACKETS, Men's makinau, extra warm, all wool each, \$4.95 to \$7.95  
UNION SUITS, for Children soft fleeced, each ..... 49  
SWEAT SHIRTS for Men, sturdy built, heavy fleeced, each ..... 79  
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**Be Corseted for that 1940 Figure**



THE "NEW 1940 FIGURE"—Lord & Taylor adaptation of the Mainbocher corset. At left is the short version for younger women who want the suggestion of the wasp waist in their wardrobe, while at the right is the revolutionary long corset which trims the waist with a high bust and rounded hip effect for the young matron.

WAR crises and zero-hours may have the universe 'on edge' but the world of fashion is concerned chiefly with the "hour glass" corset which holds the spotlight in the news just now. Mainbocher focused the spotlight which started the ravishing, revolutionary trend. It was an edit from Paris, the corseted figure! Others joined forces with the famous designer. All fashion dictates point to the silhouette.

Lord & Taylor, large New York department store, have recreated the original, authentic feature, and offer its adaptation as the "New 1940 Figure" for rounded hips, high busts, small waistslines. Light, and easy to wear, the inspiration of the new 1940 figure reminds the waistline. It's the sensation of the Autumn openings and the main topic of conversation with fashionable women.

**Foreign Niche At The Fair**



In the Latin-American Court on Treasure Island nations to the south of United States have provided California World's Fair visitors with all the color and romance of their respective countries. At the right are lovely señoritas of the Mexican Pavilion. At the left is the El Salvador Pavilion, featuring one of the best marimba bands in the world.

teeth. Since certain nations lack money and need credit and gold seems to be the goal, perhaps it is well we tighten our grasp.

**RED CROSS MEETS HUMAN NEEDS**

There is not a desperate situation arising but that the American Red Cross does not immediately open its arms for the emergency. Preparations are being made to

open stations to make bandages for the wars wounded.

The Red Cross plays its part by receiving and contributing supplies for medical and hospital service to both sides of the firing line. The acts of mercy show no favorites and both sides are cared for by this organization.

People in Bailey county should be generous and willing to assist the Red Cross when they call. It won't be long now!

**Length of Greece**  
Greece looms large in history, but a trip from one end of Greece to the other is no longer than from Boston to New York.

**Natural Resins From Trees**  
All the natural resins are secretions from trees, and come mainly from tropical countries.

**Horse Races Old in Liverpool**  
Liverpool has had horse races of one kind or another for nearly four hundred years.

**Gaelic Is Used**  
Gaelic is the spoken language of the Hebrides islands, off the west coast of Scotland.

**Width of Chile**  
Chile is 250 miles wide at its widest extent.

**Mention of Calvary in Bible**  
Although Calvary is one of the most sacred and important sites in Christendom, says Collier's Weekly, it is mentioned only once in the entire Bible—in St. Luke 23:33.

**303 Days of Sun**  
At Vevey, Switzerland, they have 303 days of sunshine every year. Figs grow in the open and the oldest inhabitant has never seen a fog there.

**Mary's Little Lamb**  
To make one pound of adrenalin, a powerful heart stimulant, the glands from 100,000 lambs are required. More than 85 products and by-products are made from the lamb.

**Vertebrae of Sloths**  
Sloths are the only mammals that depart from the rigid standard of seven neck vertebrae. One species of sloth has nine neck vertebrae, one has seven, and one has only six.

**TREASURER'S QUARTERLY REPORT**

Report of Helen Jones, County Treasurer of Bailey County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from July 1, 1939 to Sept. 30, 1939, inclusive:

<b>GENERAL FUND</b>	
Balance last report	\$ 523.33
To Amount received during Quarter	7,245.49
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A"	5,684.15
Amount to Balance	2,684.58

Balance	7,768.73	7,768.73
Balance	2,684.58	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND</b>	
Balance last report	14,575.62
To Amount received during Quarter	2,032.10
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B"	7,202.89
Amount to Balance	9,588.83

Balance	16,789.72	16,789.72
Balance	9,588.83	

<b>JULY FUND</b>	
Balance last report	3,031.48
To Amount received during Quarter	658.23
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C"	12.00
Amount to Balance	3,675.71

Balance	3,687.71	3,687.71
Balance	3,675.71	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 1 FUND</b>	
Balance last report	733.78
To Amount received during Quarter	838.23
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "D"	832.00
Amount to Balance	440.01

Balance	1,272.01	1,272.01
Balance	440.01	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 2 FUND</b>	
Balance last report	900.37
To Amount received since last report	17.50
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "E"	782.47
Amount to Balance	155.40

Balance	917.87	917.87
Balance	155.40	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 3 FUND</b>	
Balance last report	1,936.49
To Amount received during Quarter	1,002.40
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "F"	2,531.19
Amount to Balance	497.70

Balance	2,938.89	2,938.89
Balance	407.70	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE PRECINCT NO. 4 FUND</b>	
Balance last report	302.75
To Amount received during Quarter	1,042.77
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "G"	868.46
Amount to Balance	477.06

Balance	1,345.52	1,345.52
Balance	477.06	

<b>COURT HOUSE AND JAIL FUND</b>	
Balance last report	7,482.59
To Amount received since last Report	650.23
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "H"	6,000.00
Amount to Balance	2,133.22

Balance	8,133.22	8,133.22
Balance	2,133.22	

<b>GENERAL "SINKING" FUND</b>	
Balance last report	821.89
To Amount received during Quarter	86.91
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "I"	330.00
Amount to Balance	378.80

Balance	708.80	708.80
Balance	378.80	

<b>ROAD AND BRIDGE "SINKING" FUND</b>	
Balance last report	886.69
To Amount received during Quarter	478.88
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "J"	550.00
Amount to Balance	823.48

Balance	1,373.48	1,373.48
Balance	823.48	

<b>IMPROVEMENT "SINKING" FUND</b>	
Balance last report	1,733.56
To Amount received since last Report	43.23
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "K"	1,357.50
Amount to Balance	419.29

Balance	1,776.79	1,776.79
Balance	419.29	

<b>COURT HOUSE AND JAIL "SINKING" FUND</b>	
Balance last report	5,198.32
To Amount received during Quarter	389.96
Amount to Balance	5,588.28

Balance	5,588.28	5,588.28
Balance	5,588.28	

<b>ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 "SINKING" FUND</b>	
Balance last report	789.06
To Amount received since last Report	6.91
Amount to Balance	795.97

Balance	795.97	795.97
Balance	795.97	

<b>RECAPITULATION</b>	
Jury Fund, Balance	3,675.71
Road and Bridge Fund, Balance	9,588.83
General County Fund, Balance	2,684.58
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 1, Balance	440.01
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 2, Balance	155.40
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 3, Balance	407.70
Road and Bridge Fund, Prec. No. 4, Balance	477.06
Court House and Jail Fund, Balance	67.64
General Sinking Fund, Balance	2,133.22
Road and Bridge Sinking Fund, Balance	378.80
Improvement, Sinking Fund, Balance	823.48
Road District No. 1 Sinking Fund, Balance	419.29
Court House and Jail Sinking Fund, balance	785.97
	5,588.28

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Bailey. Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Helen Jones, County Treasurer of Bailey County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

HELEN JONES, County Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9 day of October, 1939.

J. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk, County Court, Bailey County, Texas.

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**COLD STORAGE MEET FOR STOCKHOLDERS**  
All subscribing stockholders of the proposed cold storage plant to be located in Muleshoe, and all others interested in such project are urged to attend a meeting to be held at the Court house here Saturday afternoon, beginning at two o'clock. At that time it is intended to complete the organization and have election of officers, also discussion of other business in connection with the project.

Scotland has a housing shortage.

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**PALACE THEATRE**  
MULESHOE, TEXAS  
Thursday and Friday, Oct. 5-6 Annabella and Robert Young in "BRIDAL SUITE"  
Saturday, October 14 Richard Greene in—"HOUND OF THE BASKERVILLES"  
Saturday night prevue, Oct. 14 Sunday and Monday, Oct. 15-16 Johnny Weissmuller in—"TARZAN FINDS A SON"  
Tuesday, Wednesday, Oct. 17-18 The Ritz Brothers in—"THE GORILLA"  
Thursday and Friday, Oct. 19-20 Ann Sheridan, Dick Powell in—"NAUGHTY BUT NICE"

**Advised by the Principal**

By JANE OSBORNE  
(M.C.H.R. Syndicate)  
(M.C.H.R. Service)

MARY DAWSON went timidly into the principal's room to sign the time chart that first day of her career as teacher in Public School No. 78. As she approached the table a young man drew back to let her precede him.

"Thank you," said Mary, and as she looked at him all she noticed was that he had red hair. "I didn't know there were any men teachers here," she observed at recess to one of the younger teachers whom she had met in the playground. "I saw one when I was signing in this morning—youth—with red hair—what grade does he teach?"

"That's Dick Mendham—teaches eighth-grade boys. There are three of 'em—if you call 'em men—never seem like real men to me. But they have to have 'em to teach the big boys—they're such a rough crowd in a neighborhood like this." Later Mary Dawson realized that this young woman's attitude toward the men teachers at No. 78 was characteristic of the attitude of the other women teachers there, who passed Mr. Mendham and the other two men in the corridors with amused or disdainful frowns.

After Mary had been teaching for a month or more Miss Graham, the principal asked her to stop in her office after school to see about report cards. It was a small matter soon arranged and then Miss Graham asked Mary to sit down and have a little chat. Miss Graham asked Mary how she liked her work. Mary said she liked to teach, though she was doing it to make a living.

"I'll give you a piece of advice," said Miss Graham, who was 50. "Snap out of it as soon as you can. Once the system gets you it will be hard to get out. You'll put off the idea of marriage because every year you'll look forward to a little more money the next. Then you'll begin to count the years to your retirement with a nice annuity the rest of your life. Now my advice to you is to marry your best young man soon—before you get obsessed with this idea of yearly increase and eventually retirement."

"But suppose I haven't a young man," said Mary smiling.

"Marry the first man that asks you—providing he's decent. Don't wait for a man who can guarantee a yearly increase and an annuity in your old age." "I'll remember what you have said," said Mary with a little blush, and would have said more but Miss Graham interrupted her.

"Don't go away," the principal was calling good naturedly—then in an aside to Mary—"There's poor Mr. Mendham—scared off because you're here. Somehow men teachers never seem like real men." Then raising her voice: "Come right in Mr. Mendham. I want to show you the new report cards."

Mary hurried out of the principal's room, tingling with a deep sort of resentment. It wasn't because of what Miss Graham had said about marriage. Undoubtedly she had given good advice. It was because of what she had said about Mr. Mendham. Mary herself liked Mr. Mendham and respected him.

One day she was leaving the school at the same time that Mr. Mendham passed out of the teachers' entrance, and because Miss Graham was standing by, Mary waited for him and asked him if he would walk with her—since they both went in the same direction. A few days later when he had walked home with her she asked him to come into tea at her boarding house. It was four o'clock and her boarding-house keeper, who was an English woman, always had tea in the little parlor.

A month later Mary found herself evering after dinner eagerly waiting for Dick Mendham who had invited her to go to the theater with him. Mary wondered why she was so feverishly eager for the time of his arrival to come. Then as she walked beside him and later sat beside him in the subway going to the theater she reflected to herself that he looked much more attractive away from school. And coming back after the theater that night Richard Mendham asked Mary to be his wife. Mary accepted him at once.

"I never dreamed that you would have me—at least not right away," Dick told her, and Mary was wondering how much Miss Graham's advice had had to do with her quick decision. He was the first man who asked her, and she had accepted him. They planned to be married in the summer after school was over and Dick told Mary that he would never consent to her teaching after they were married. He himself was giving up teaching when the summer came. He had a position waiting for him in a book-publishing company and had been teaching for two years to fit himself for this work. His uncle was the president of the concern.

In June Mary announced her engagement to Miss Graham. "Not Dick Mendham," said she, amazed. "What made you accept him?" "You did," said Mary, her eyes glowing. "You told me to accept the first man that proposed. And I want to thank you for your very good advice."

**Spring Eulogizes On Chevrolet Modernity Of 1940 Models**

Frank Spring, manager of the Valley Motor Co., returned from Oklahoma City Tuesday night, where they attended the annual Chevrolet Sales convention and inspected 1940 model Chevrolets.

Mr. Spring, in commenting on the new car said, "Car buyers everywhere are going to get a real surprise when they see this new Chevrolet. It's an unbelievable value. The car is four and one-quarter inches longer than last year's model—bigger inside as well as outside. It's the most beautiful low-priced car ever designed."

First showing of the 1940 Chevrolet will be made October 14 at the Valley Motor Co. building here.

A cordial invitation is given by Mr. Spring to everyone in this vicinity, to come in Saturday and see the new car.

"From every desirable motor quality, including beauty, performance, economy of operation, and safety, the careful automobile buyer will find the new 1940 Chevrolet entirely to his liking," Spring concluded.

**Progress News**

Several from here attended the singing at Y L Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Lambert of Shallowford visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. M. V. Stovall, Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. W. B. Harlan shopped in Clovis, New Mex., Friday of last week.

Mrs. Louise Mills of Snyder returned to her home Sunday, after spending two weeks in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Schroeder.

Among those attending the football game Friday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Stander, W. B. Harlan, and Mrs. W. M. Gaston and sons.—Reporter.

**MAPLE 4-H CLUB NAME OFFICERS**

The Maple 4-H club met October 5, at the school auditorium.

Miss Lillie Gentry gave a demonstration on choosing accessories for the bedroom. No one likes a dresser with a lot of accessories. You should have as few accessories on the dresser as you can, she said.

The following officers were elected for next year: President, Josephine Toombs; Vice-president, Joy Flaniken; Secretary-Treasurer, Verleene Vanlandingham; Reporter, Lena Mae Fleming; Song Leader, Ruth Shaw; Game Leader, Jane Toombs; Garden Demonstrator, Lena Mae Fleming, and Rena Mae Fleming. The clothes demonstrator will be elected at the next meeting.

The following members were present: Joy Flaniken, Frances Dupler, Annie Mae McWatters, Josephine Toombs, Lena Mae Fleming, Rena Mae Fleming, Verleene Vanlandingham, Jane Toombs, Opal Ball, Ruth Shaw, Evelyn Mae Johnson. Mrs.

Finch, the sponsor and Miss Lillie Gentry. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Finch, October 19.—Reporter.

**CONTINENTAL OIL CO. SPEND \$1,500,000**

Beginning Nov. 1, the Continental Oil Co. will expend \$1,500,000 on a building program enlarging and improving their manufacturing capacity, according to information, received here by R. L. Brooks local dealer.

It is also understood an additional

\$250,000 will be spent in revising of various other systems connected with the production end of the business he said. Approximately 200 men, all home labor, will be employed during construction period.

Spots on Panther Fish The panther fish has a striking pattern of black polka dots on a pale surface.

Ecuador Owns Galapagos Islands The Galapagos islands off the west coast of South America belong to Ecuador.

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COFFEE 1 pound can	.26
COFFEE 2 pound can	.51
TOMATO JUICE, one-half gallon	.19
PINEAPPLE JUICE, 3 cans for	.35
MILK ARMOUR'S 3 tall cans for ARMOUR'S 6 small cans for	.20
CORN, "Del Monte" brand 2 No. 2 cans	.25
BREAD, 3 loaves for	.25
VANILLA WAFERS, per pound	.12 1/2
MATCHES, "Diamond" brand, per carton	.19
IRISH POTATOES, No. 1 quality, 10 pounds	.19
STEAK, Round or Loin, It's good, pound	.20
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