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MULESHOE — County Seat of Bailey County — TEXAS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1953

Morrison Motor Builds New Home

Construction has started on a building that will be the future home of Morrison Motor Co., Chrysler and Plymouth dealers here.

The building will go up on a lot 130 by 130 feet recently purchased from Lenua Bros. and will face the Plainview highway. The structure itself will be 50 by 130 feet and the balance of the ground will be used to display new and used automobiles.

It is estimated that the building will cost, with the cost of the lots, around \$37,500. It will be of brick and concrete block construction, with glass front and will be modernistic in style.

The company now occupies a building at the southwest corner of the square.

Frank Mooney New Owner of Conoco Station

Frank Mooney of Y. L. Community has purchased the Conoco Filling Station located on the Plainview Highway. Frank presently is living on a farm north of Muleshoe and will raise a few potatoes, but will spend most of his time operating the station. Frank has hired Sam Kennedy of Lubbock to act as assistant manager.

The station was formerly owned by Floyd Smith.

Roundup Plans Meeting Tonight

Plans for the annual Will Rogers Memorial Roundup will be started when members of the steering committee gather tonight for a session in the directors' room of the Bailey County Electric Cooperative.

Ray Franz, secretary for the group, has notified members to meet at 7:30. The group will tonight begin discussion on the program, methods of financing, and outstanding committee reports, he said.

Curtis Wellborn is chairman of the steering committee this year, succeeding W. M. Pool, Jr., last year's committee head.

DRILL TEAMS TO BE PICKED AT REBEKAH MEET

All Rebekahs are urged to be present at the meeting Tuesday, Feb. 10, as drill teams will be picked and practice will begin.

Texas Almanac, on sale at The Journal, Phone 7220, we deliver.

Traffic Control Measures Adopted



GRINNING PROUDLY Mayor Pro-tem W. T. Bovell and Fire Chief Bill Boothe stand beside Muleshoe's pride and joy, the new Dodge Fire Truck, just delivered. Volunteer Fire Department members are mighty proud of this additional fire fighting equipment as are all the citizens of this city. Note the Muleshoe insignia on the door. (Picture Courtesy Lubbock Avalanche)

Fire Destroyed Home At Enochs

Fire struck again in the Enochs community in the pre-dawn hours when the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kernell was consumed by flames. The fire occurred while the family was still asleep so they barely escaped with their lives and a very few articles of clothing.

Mrs. Kernell is a nurse at Cochran County hospital and Mr. Kernell is a farmer of the Enochs community. They have a daughter aged 8, and a son aged 4 years.

Two quilts are to be quilted Thursday afternoon in the Baptist Church at Enochs and guests are requested to bring gifts at the same time to be given later to the family.

VISITORS FROM JAL

Mrs. E. J. Calloway and children and Mrs. F. D. Whitmyer of Jal, N. M., are visiting in the home of Mrs. Calloway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hogan.

Hospital News

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Lawrence Luman on the birth of a son, Larry Don, born January 31, 1953. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lee Roy Hanson on the birth of a daughter, Margaret Elaine, born January 30, 1953. (Continued To Page 6)

Volunteer Fire Department Tries Out New Truck And Equipment

Muleshoe's new Dodge 2 1/2 ton fire truck scarcely had been gone over by the proud members of the Volunteer Fire Department before it had a chance to show what it could do in an actual fire.

Tuesday afternoon Bill Boothe and Houston Hart took the truck to a spot on the highway near Needmore and extinguished the blaze on a truck belonging to Schulte Auto Parts company. Only a half tank of water was used to put out the flames which covered the inside of the big truck.

The truck was ordered last summer by the City Commission and the body and equipment were fitted up by the Howe Fire Equipment Company of Indiana. It still has to undergo an inspection by the Texas Insurance Commission at Lubbock. It is believed the new equipment will help to reduce the fire insurance rate in the city.

The truck has a 500 gallon water tank, a foam fire extinguisher and a dry powder extinguisher. It will carry 1200 feet of 2 1/2 inch hose and 300 feet of 1 1/2 inch hose. It also has 2 reels of 200 feet each of high pressure hose, fog nozzles, and other standard equipment.

The truck was bought from the Arnold Morris Auto Co., local Dodge dealers.

Personnel Listed

There are nineteen members of the Muleshoe Volunteer Fire Department:

- Bill Boothe, chief.
- Houston Hart, treasurer.
- Clinton Bristow, secretary.
- Woody Lambert.
- Earl Ladd.
- Ira Robinson.
- H. L. McDaniel.
- L. S. Barron.
- Shorty Holmes.
- Roy Bayless.
- Paul Gardner.
- Ett Evans.
- Buddy Howard.
- Lowell Irvin St. Clair.
- Garland Kennedy.
- C. O. Jones.
- Elmo Evans.
- Myron Pool II.
- Herb Potter.

EARTH MAN DIRECTOR

Thurlow Branscum, of Earth was selected director of the State Association of Soil Conservation Districts at a meeting held in Mineral Wells, last week.

Mr. Branscum was one of five directors elected at the meeting to represent Zone 1, which includes the Panhandle and South Plains of Texas.

His term of office is for one year.

300 Local Cars Are Scotchlited

Three hundred cars around Muleshoe have been "Scotch-lited" by the JayCeers, Dr. B. R. Putman, president, announced today. He said they have two more rolls of the tape and will use this on any car whose owner applies for it. The JayCeers got one dollar for Scotchlighting rear bumpers, which makes the car clearly visible for more than a half mile at night.

The JayCeers are continuing with their Traffic Safety Program, which they have adopted as a No. 1 project.

Public Schools Week Designated By Commissioners

The week of March 1 through March 7, 1953, has been designated as Public Schools Week by the Bailey County Commissioners Court.

At its meeting this week the court, upon motion by Commissioner Robert Kindel, adopted a resolution to this effect and further urged every citizen to visit a public school during this period in order that they may become personally acquainted with the programs and accomplishments of the public schools.

Previously Gov. Allan Shivers had designated Public Schools Week and urged the people to take an interest in their schools.

"Cleanest Streets" Predicted As City Dads Put Sweeper Into Use

W. E. Young, Muleshoe street and water superintendent, predicts that with the placing of a new street sweeper in use the city will gain the reputation of having the cleanest streets instead of vice versa.

The new machine was accepted Tuesday by the City Commission and was immediately put into use, sweeping up the accumulation of paper, sand, gravel, dirt, and even bricks, coke bottles, beer cans and whatnot.

Purchased at a cost of \$8,880, the machine will pay for itself by lessening street cleaning labor bills, and will do an infinitely better job than a group of men could do with shovels and a truck.

The sweeper is known as the Elgin 81. It was made by the Elgin Sweeper Co., of Elgin, Ill., and gets its name from the name of the town and the fact that its capacity is rated at 81 cubic feet of dirt.

The machine was sold to the city by the Tom W. Carpenter Equipment Co., of Amarillo, territory distributors for the Rinehart Equipment Co. of Oklahoma City, which company will maintain service on the machine. F. M. Rinehart of the maintenance firm, the company service man, Neal Nation, and Dave Park of the Carpenter company were here to make delivery and to see that the machine is adjusted properly for best operation.

Under present conditions of the city streets, it was said, the sweeper will sweep about 4 to 5 miles an hour; under favorable conditions it will sweep about 8 miles per hour. Mr. Young said the sweeper will be used night and day for a while until the town is cleaned up, then there will be regular times for its operation.

A spray system is a feature of the sweeper. This consists of a 170 gallon water tank and 9 spray nozzles in front of the machine to keep down dust. Tuesday, Mr. Young said, the machine not only picked up paper but he found in the dirt box a large pasteboard box, large pieces of brick, bottles, cans, and even a long piece of two by four lumber.

Dirt and gravel will be dumped in low places on the street. The gravel will weight down the paper, which will rot when it becomes wet and in some places the city will gain all weather streets.

Life of a sweeper, said Mr. Rinehart, is placed at 12 years, however the company has many sweepers that have been in constant operation for more than 30 years. There is a 90-day warranty covering defective workmanship or materials.

MRS. TENNIE LAMBERT WITH SUE'S BEAUTY SHOP Mrs. Evelyn Autry announces a new operator for Sue's Beauty Shop. She is Mrs. Tennie Lambert, who moved here recently with the family from Idalou.

This addition will enable the shop to offer all old and new customers a more prompt service in the future.

The shop is located at 913 Avenue B.

GARNER FARM RECORD books on sale at The Journal.

The traffic safety committee of the JayCeers met with the Muleshoe city commission at their regular monthly meeting Wednesday night. Sike Watkins, chairman of the JayCeers committee, said the Commission agreed upon the following measures:

A stop sign and no U turn to be installed on an island erected in the center of Main Street and U. S. 87.

A no U turn sign to be installed at the intersection of Main and Avenue D.

Land Is Being Made Ready For Planting

In another week, probably all the land in this section will be "put up" and ready for planting. Rigs are running every daylight hour, even on Sunday in many instances.

Principally, the hurry is caused by the fear of blowing this spring when the high wind season starts.

But there is also the fact that since the wonderful snow of two weeks ago the ground is working perfectly and farmers are taking advantage of that fact.

The snow wet the ground to an unexpected depth. Many sections got more moisture than Muleshoe's recorded .82 inch. Farmers are hoping for another beneficial snow, though they would like to see it come without the disastrous icing conditions that caused so much damage to telephone and power lines.

Anyone who fools with rural route mail boxes conceivably could get into trouble. One farmer told The Journal his mail box support had been broken down, apparently by a motor vehicle.

A. J. Gardner, Muleshoe postmaster, said that any information as to the person or persons guilty of defacing or violating a mail box should be reported to him and this information will be treated as strictly confidential.

He quoted the Federal law on the subject, in Sec. 1304.4, Violation of Mail Receipts; Para. A. Destruction of letter boxes or mail: "Whoever willfully or maliciously injures, tears down, or destroys any letter box or other receptacle intended or used for the receipt or delivery of mail on any mail route, or breaks open the same or willfully or maliciously injures, defaces or destroys any mail deposited therein, shall be fined not more than \$1,000 or imprisoned not more than 3 years."

Phillips Is Building New Wholesale Plant

Phillips Petroleum Co. has begun the construction of a splendid new wholesale gasoline and oil plant in Muleshoe, expected to be completed in about two months.

The plant will go up on a 4 1/2 acre site the company recently bought on Plainview highway near the butane plant of Evans Bros., who are Phillips jobbers here.

Keith Lane, of Lubbock, the district Phillips salesman, who has been here inspecting the preliminary work, said the building will be 32 feet by 72 feet high, and an outside dock will be 6 feet wide and run the length of the building.

The building will house offices of Evans Bros. Oil Co. and provide storage space for the firm. It will be of Butler steel construction on a concrete base.

In the rear there will be four 10,000 gallon storage tanks and one 18,000 gallon storage tank for gasoline, Mr. Lane said.

Driveways in front will be gravelled to the highway.

The old location on "petroleum row", near plants of the Gulf and Texaco company on Clovis highway, it is understood will be or already has been sold.

BOSTITCH STAPLERS and Staples always on tap at The Journal.

A no U turn sign to be installed at the intersection of East First and Avenue B.

Avenue D to be declared a through street from West First to West Tenth and proper signs to be erected.

Avenue G to be declared a through street from West First to West Seventh and proper stop signs to be erected.

The JayCeers agreed to make a survey and report on the total cost of purchasing and installing stop and go lights at Main and Avenue B and Main and Avenue C. This report will be presented to the city commission at their March meeting.

The JayCeers will erect the stop signs and city employees will install the no U turns and stop signs on Main street. Hope was expressed that these measures will go into effect soon and that the congestion on Main Street will be relieved.

Violation Of Mail Boxes May Bring Trouble

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LOCAL MARKETS

Cream, lb. 62c

Eggs, doz. 36c

Lt. Hens, lb. 12c

H. Hens, lb. 16c

Hogs, cwt. \$18.50

Kafir, cwt. \$2.65

Maize, cwt. \$2.65

Wheat, bu. \$2.65

Hegari, cwt. \$2.65

New City Hall Looms For Muleshoe

A new city hall for Muleshoe may not be too far in the offing, city dads have revealed. In fact they have bought ad-

ditional land for it, a 40 by 140 foot lot, across the street from the present city building, on Avenue B, one half block

east of Main Street. Now, the members of the City Commission are studying several sets of plans for the building, Mayor Protem W. T. Bovell said.

More on this will be announced later. The Commission members themselves have not finally agreed on any one plan. The lot was bought from Houston Hart. It is the aim of the Commis-

sion is to turn the entire building now used for the city office over to the Volunteer Fire Department, which badly needs additional space. The boys are having to keep their new truck at the Arnold Morris Auto Co. until they gain more room.

Muleshoe's city finances have taken a turn for the better in recent years. The city has financed a new fire truck, street sweeper, purchase of the new lot, and will finance the new city hall building. There will be no bond issue.

And Sh-h! don't tell nobody, but a reduction in city taxes may not be many years away, unless something undreamed of by the city dads "flies in their face".

Earl Needham Tax Consultant Opens Office Here

Earl Needham of Hereford has opened a tax consultant office here in Muleshoe. His office will be located in the building with Clyde Bray Realtor.

Earl Needham was formerly in the employ of Allis Chalmers as General Accountant in charge of Expenditure Control.

He will specialize in tax problems and auditing.

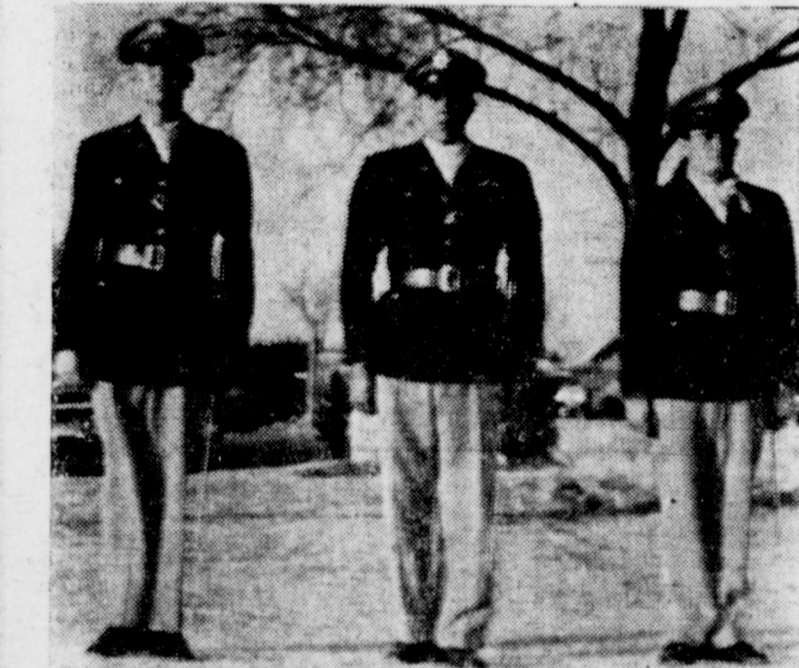
1201 Paid Poll Tax In County

Twelve hundred and one Bailey County citizen expect something to come up this year that they will want to have a voice in deciding. At least that is the inference, for that is the total of poll taxes paid in the office of Hugh Freeman, sheriff and tax collector.

Bill Boothe, office deputy, estimated that is slightly more than half of the number in the county who may pay poll taxes.

About twenty three hundred last year paid their poll taxes, since it was a general election year.

The figure above does not absolutely reflect the county's voting strength, for there are quite a few older persons who will be eligible to vote and there are always a few who become of age after January 31 who are eligible to vote.



Cadet Capt. Earl M. Ladd, Jr., right, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ladd of Muleshoe, is one of three New Mexico Military Institute cadets who will be graduated from the college division at the end of the present semester. Ladd, Cadet Lt. Col. F. S. Breckenridge, Jr., left, and Cadet Capt. Louis Chappelle are shown above being honored with a graduation review by the corps of cadets of N. M. M. I. All three will enter the Armed Forces shortly as second lieutenants of Armor. That is the branch of the Institute's Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

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SAND HILLS PHILOSOPHER SAYS—

Can't Understand Why People Need Any More Laws, Says He Has Plenty

Editor's note: The Sand Hills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm has a novel idea this week, but we doubt if he has a full understanding of his problem.

Dear editor: As everybody in Texas knows, the state legislature is now in session and I have been keeping up a little with activities in Austin and as far as I can tell things are movin' along at about the normal rate, all members made up their minds fast and voted unanimously the first day to appropriate money to pay their expenses, and while they may not be quite so harmonious on later topics, things still seem to be under control.



But I was readin' in a paper last night where already over 120 bills have been introduced, with more to come. What I want to know is: isn't law makin' subject to the same laws of supply and demand that cattle are? Where does the demand for so many new laws come from? Where's the fellow who hasn't got enough laws? As far as I can tell, I've personally got all the laws I need, and I can think of lots of people who have more than they need. I've got respect for law, all right, and I also like pecan pie, but it can be overdone. Readin' about so many new laws being proposed, I sat down and tried to think of a new law I could use, and I'll have to admit I can't think of a single one. Just not in the market for any more. Everything is going along all right out here at Muleshoe, can't tell people are any better or any worse than they were ten years ago when we had maybe 10 fewer laws than we got now. I don't suppose they'll follow my suggestion, but I've been speculatin' on what would happen if the Legislator just declined to pass any new laws this session, if they just met, talked, reflected on things, deplored the encroachment of government, reaffirmed their faith in democracy, appropriated whatever money they had on hand or comin' in, and held off on any new laws for the next two years. Personally, I don't believe the conduct of this community would be affected either way. Anybody bent on breakin' a law would still have plenty to break, and those sort of law-abidin' by nature would keep on bein' that way.

has any merit, you can take over, as this is as far as I ever go. Thinkin' is a big enough effort without havin' to follow it up with action.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

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J. M. FORBES Editor and Publisher

BABSON Discusses — Florida And Parking Space

Babson Park, Florida, Jan. 30—There appears to be the making of another very estate boom here in Florida, although I cannot believe it will run into any such proportions as did the one which started 28 years ago. Considerable Canadian money is coming here — also money from Texas and California.

BOOM DUE EVERY GENERATION

The bankers here say that a Florida boom, differing in "size" has come every generation. They say that those who lost money in the last Florida boom will not get caught again; but young ones, who are now around forty, were then too young to know what happened in the last boom. This younger generation, however, is now getting ready to try its luck at investing in Florida.

Already middle-aged people from the North are asking me what to buy. My first answer is to buy for cash only—not on mortgage—and to use the same common sense as they would use when buying land in their own home State. Second—buy something which they could use themselves or rent in case they cannot sell it. Third—buy something which they have first seen; then wait until they get back North again before making the actual purchase; that is, take time to think things over.

FLORIDA HAS A GOOD FUTURE

With the exception of the Pacific Coast and the Southwest, very few States can equal Florida for a winter climate. There is also a possibility of discovering oil in any part of Florida—this possibility, however, applies also to many other States. Therefore, in view of its comparable closeness to the big industrial centers of New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, and certain other States, Florida is especially well located for those retiring on pensions. Furthermore, the good roads, low living costs and tax advantage make Florida attractive. Hence, I believe there will be much activity here in the building of small homes.

This, however, does not mean that small homes in Florida or elsewhere are a good "speculation". As to agricultural land, I am not an expert judge; but I believe that every State has its advantages and disadvantages for farming. An experienced and hard working farmer with capital could do well anywhere; while a novice at farming will lose money anywhere. This also applies to raising fruit, or raising cattle, or raising chickens. I have seen more money lost in farming than even in the stock market—and this is saying much! If you buy land for farming be sure it is near a U. S. Experiment Station.

The Christian Science textbook will also be read. "Everything in God's universe expresses Him. He is all-inclusive, and is reflected by all that is real and eternal and by nothing else. He fills all space, and it is impossible to conceive of such omnipresence and individuality except as infinite Spirit or Mind. Hence all is Spirit and spiritual" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 311).

The Editor Says —

The stone mason said: Character still counts. The statement sort of stunned this writer for a while. It seemed so trite until we remembered he had inserted the word still, as if he had begun to believe all men do not think so. But we know Character Still Does Count and we are happy to repeat the sentiment to help reassure anyone who may have begun to doubt. In spite of any bad experience one may have had, character still counts: honesty, integrity, adherence to what one believes the right principles, an honest day's work, Golden Rule treatment of others, faith in one's fellows and in our constituted leaders. Character counts if for no other reason than that the fellow who has it approves of himself!

WHAT I WOULD BUY My first purchase would be a small home in an average, growing community, with as much land as I could afford. My building would depreciate from the day I bought it; but the land should appreciate. Such a home should lengthen my life, be a good hedge against inflation, and be easy to sell. The demands for such well-located small homes should increase. It, however, should be within a mile of a grocery store, church and post office, and in a good neighborhood.

"But what next should I buy?" you ask. Well, I would buy no acreage just because it seems "cheap" at ten dollars an acre, compared with a hundred dollars per acre in your own State! There is an awful lot of Florida land good only for holding the world together! You are probably not experienced enough to speculate in groves, pasturage or farm land. But here is a suggestion. Florida is growing fast. When motoring about, if you see vacant land adjoining a chain store, or factory, or filling station, or even a church, which land can be bought cheap, buy it. It will be needed sometime for parking or for a motel. Native Floridians are blind to this future demand for parking space. Furthermore, this applies to the old-timers of every State in the Union, including the community where, in my humble opinion, umn. Hence, I say that the "best buy" in every community anywhere, in my humble opinion, is vacant land located so it will some day be needed for parking space.

ALL ABOUT TEXAS in the Texas Almanac, on sale at The Journal. Phone 7220, we deliver.

Today's Meditation

ESTEEMING OTHERS

Gather up the fragments that remain, that nothing be lost. (John 6:12.) Read John 6:1-12. In Jesus' time, food was rarely plentiful in Galilee. It was natural that after the feeding of the multitude He would tell His disciples to gather up the fragments. If He were with us in the flesh today, He probably would tell us to do the same, and to gather up also the fragments of time which we so frequently waste.

A few years ago, a distinguished newspaper columnist died. In one of his last columns, he remarked on his failure properly to appreciate the preciousness of the common aspects of family life that he had earlier overlooked. He told how he had discovered during a long illness the tenderness, devotion, and utterly

selfless love of his wife as he had never known it before.

A mere fragment of time taken each morning for prayer and meditation can sweeten the entire day. A moment taken from the task to utter a brief word of commendation may bless and brighten another's life immeasurably. Such are the little things that are really big when the last chapter in our book of life is written.

PRAYER

Teach us, good Father, to gather up the loose ends of time at our disposal, day by day, and weave them into a pattern of gracious, Christian living. In the Spirit of the Master we pray. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Little things are often the big things of life.

Thomas A. Stafford (III.)

LAMB FARM BUREAU MEMBERS TO ABILENE

Lamb County is to have a large delegation at the farm bureau convention to be held in Abilene February 5 and 6. Included in the delegates named are: F. L. Shelby, Gerald Allison, George Wuerlein, E. K. Angeley, Harry Engelking, C. P. Montgomery, Dewey Hulse, Richard C. Rogers, Earl Parrish, W. O. Stephens, Doyle Tapley, and Kenneth Ray.

OFF TO WASHINGTON

E. J. Thomas left Tuesday for Tacoma, Wash., where he hopes to make his home in the future. E. J. will attend a photography school in Tacoma. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Thomas of Muleshoe. He has been helping his father in the slaughter house here for some time.

TO STOCK SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Pool, Jr., attended the annual Fort Worth Stock Show the first part of the week.

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MULESHOE

COURTHOUSE RECORDS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Jesse Moore to H. L. McDaniel, Lots 15 and 16, Block 15, Old Town of Muleshoe, \$10, and other valuable consideration.

NE corner of League 172, Sutton Brick P. Eldson, 354 acres out of County School Lands, \$21,143.17.

John Arthur Wasson, et ux to Bert Gooden, et ux to Glenn Willos, Lot 26, Block 2, Northwest Addition to Muleshoe, \$10.

H. O. George, Sr., et ux to Harold Duane Holley, Lots 3 and 4, and all SE 5' of Lot 2, Block 15, Old Town of Muleshoe, \$8,750.

J. W. Terrell, et ux to Floyd T. Kennedy, 6 acres of land out of Section 33, Block X, W. D. & F. W. Johnson's Subdivision, \$10, and other valuable consideration.

T. H. Murrain, et ux to Billy Frank Williams, Lots No. 4 and 5, Block 45, Old Town of Muleshoe, \$4500.

Julian E. Lenau, et al to H. G. Griffiths, Lot 15, Block 3, Lenau Subdivision to Muleshoe, \$1000.

C. C. Taber, et ux to E. L. Wills and Emer V. Wills, E-2 Section 100, Block A, \$10.

H. E. Thomas, et ux to Jim Hines, et ux, Lots No. 13 and 14, and S-2 Lot 15, Block 31 of Old

Parmer County News

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Parmer County Farm Bureau membership workers will begin an intensive farm-to-farm canvass February 17 to sign up new members, it was announced this week by Carl Schlenker, county membership chairman.

Quota for the spring membership drive is 550, Schlenker said. The membership total for Parmer County now stands at 527. About 30 other county Farm Bureau organizations over the state are also conducting spring membership campaigns.

The importance of the coming drive in this county was stressed by Bruce Parr, president of the county Farm Bureau.

"It is becoming increasingly important and necessary for farmers and ranchers to band together," President Parr said.

"Prices that the farmer receives for his produce are going down all the time, yet prices that he must pay for the goods and machinery he buys are on the increase. It's the old familiar squeeze.

"This is an age of organization, and the farmer cannot afford the luxury of being independent forever. He must sell his produce to organized processors; he must buy from organized groups. Labor and industry are organized, and the farmer has the choice of organizing or

Miss Determan, Mr. Duncan Wed At Saint Elizabeths Catholic Church

In a double ring ceremony Thursday, Jan. 29, Miss Dolores Determan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Determan, became the bride of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Duncan of Plainview. Officiating in the 11 o'clock ceremony at the Saint Elizabeth's Catholic Church in Lubbock was the Reverend Father Prindiville.

Lighted candles and large bouquets of white gladioli and white carnations tied with white satin ribbons formed a lovely setting for the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a black wool suit with elbow length, full accordion-pleated, bat wing sleeves underlined with white linen with black polka dots. She wore white accessories and carried a bouquet of white gladioli and hyacinths with long white satin streamers. Completing her attire was long white gloves.

For something old, she wore a small gold band ring from her grandmother, something new was a rhinestone choker, a gift from a friend, something borrowed, a pair of ear bobs, something blue, her mother's blue rosary which she carried.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Determan wore a blue suit

with a corsage or white carnations and black and white accessories.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Dorothy Glover who wore a gray suit with a white carnation corsage. Best man was Tony DeShazo. George Prigmore, organist, played nuptial selections.

Immediately following the ceremony, a dinner was served at the Chicken Village to a number of relatives and friends of the couple. The beautiful cake was cut climaxing the dinner.

For traveling, the bride wore a tan suit with brown accessories and a corsage of white carnations. After a short trip to New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan will be at home at 210 Roselawn in Plainview where he is employed.



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The Lesson-Sermon titled "Love" to be read in all Christian Science churches on Sunday will point out that the degree of one's love of God determines his health, happiness, and success.

The golden Text presents the theme with these words from Jeremiah, "Let him that glorieth glory in this, that he understandeth and knoweth me, that I am the Lord which exercise lovingkindness, judgement, and righteousness, in the earth" (Jeremiah 9:24).

One of the citations to be read from the Bible is this verse: "A man that hath friends must shew himself friendly; and there is a

brother's need and supplieth it, seeking his own in another's good. Love giveth to the least spiritual idea might, immortality, and goodness, which shine through all as the blossom shines through the bud" (Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy, page 518).

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CLINE'S MOVE PHOTO STUDIO TO BROWNWOOD

Cline's Studio, which has operated here the last two years, has been moved to Brownwood. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cline, owners, left Tuesday with the last of their studio equipment and household effects. ...

CLARENCE WILHITE SPEAKS AT THREE WAY

Clarence Wilhite spoke at the Three Way Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening, Jan. 25, in the absence of Rev. Moore, the pastor.

Second Looie



LT. BARNETT

Travis Barnett, a former employee of The Muleshoe Journal, grins broadly as he poses proudly in the uniform of an officer of the Army of the United States. Travis has completed the Officer Candidate School in Artillery at Fort Sill, Lawton, Oklahoma. Barnett entered the service shortly after Jan. 1, 1952. He and Mrs. Barnett expect to visit friends here in about two weeks when he and other graduates are handed their commissions as second lieutenants. ...

Jr. High Dime Goal Exceeded

All three classes of Junior High School went over the top in the recent March of Dimes drive, Troy Perkins, principal reports. Goals were set up for the three classes as follows: Sixth grade, \$37.50; Seventh grade, \$39.00; and Eighth grade, \$35.00, making a total of \$111.60. ...

OLD SLICK UNDERGOES DOGGONE TONSILLECTOMY

Old Slick, a dog belonging to Howard Cox, recently underwent a tonsillectomy, had his tonsils out, in Clovis Veterinary Hospital. Late reports are that his condition is reported to be satisfactory. For the longest time, his

owner said, old Slick had the hoarsest kind of a bark or howl, or however he expresses himself. He submitted to surgery without a whimper when the doctor informed him it was necessary, exhibiting a high degree of good horse sense.

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Rogers' bill was created to place a constant danger of felony conviction on all persons peddling narcotics to Texas' teenagers and high school students, and will place the most severe punishment ever constituted upon narcotics violators in Texas. The Senate Bill is entitled: "AN ACT making it unlawful to sell, give or barter or cause to be sold, given or bartered to any minor under the age of eighteen (18) years or to sell to another for delivery to such minor narcotic drug as defined in paragraph (14) of Section 1 of Article 725b of the Penal Code of the State of Texas, except as authorized by Chapter 3, Title 12 of the

Penal Code of the State of Texas; "Prescribing the penalty for conviction for violation of this act; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith to the extent of such conflict; And declaring an emergency."

WILLIAM MCKINNEY

Serving aboard the oiler USS Kaskaskia is William W. McKinney, seaman, U. S. N., of Muleshoe.

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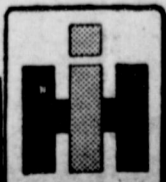
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2. LOST and FOUND
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4. HOUSES FOR RENT
FOR RENT: 2 room house on SE 3rd Street. Call 5619. 4-7-2tc.

FOR RENT or SALE: Three room house. Major Wood at Cone Elevator. 4-8-3tp.

5. APTS. FOR RENT
FOR RENT: 3 room modern apartment, unfurnished. 1408 Ave. E. 5-7-2tp.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment, nice. See at 1113 W. 9th. 5-7-1tp.

6. ROOMS FOR RENT
FOR RENT: Front bedroom. 1408 Ave. D. 6-7-2tp.

8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
FOR SALE: Helpy-Sely laundry, 20x30' building, 6 machines, good well on 150x250' lot with 1,000 gal. butane tank. Glenn Scott, Lazbuddy. 8-6-3tp.

FOR SALE: Some small cabins to be moved. See Carl Case. 8-6-2tc.

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8. REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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FARMS AND HOMES FOR SALE
● 160 acres good red land, good irrigation, some grass; house, 5 rooms and bath. \$7,000 loan at \$250 per acre.

● 80 acres, house, 6 rooms and bath, nice and level land, clean, 12 acres permanent pasture. Ford tractor and all equipment, feed grinder, 10 in. well. Possession. \$27,000 Cash.

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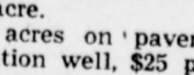
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● 26'x28' 4 room frame stucco to be moved. Six years old. 6 miles east and 1/4 miles north of Muleshoe. Priced right.

● 130 acres, electric pump, 10 in. well on 65 ft. setting. Loan \$6500.

● 100 acres dry land 3 mi. north of Amherst. \$70 per acre. No improvements except windmill. 1/2 minerals.

● 160 acres, 3 room and bath, 10 in. irrigation well, new well. Very level. 1/2 minerals, immediate possession. FHA Loan. A perfect quarter.

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

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FOR SALE: 1946 Hudson 2 door Super Six. Body and motor in good condition. \$250 cash. E. J. Thomas, Thomas Slaughter House. 9-7-1tc

FOR SALE: Ford semi-trailer truck. See Carl Case. 9-6-2tc.

FOR SALE: 1950 Pontiac eight, 4 door Sedan. A-1 condition. See Paul Gardner, Postoffice, or call 2790 after 5 p. m. 9-7-1tp.

FOR SALE: 1948 International Pick-up, 3/4 ton. Heater, new tires. Reasonable. Eddie Hall, 10 miles north of Muleshoe on Friona highway. 9-6-2tp.

FOR SALE: 1940 Dodge truck, '51 2-ton motor, 5 speed transmission, wench and headche rack. In top shape. Glen Scott, Lazbuddy. 9-6-3tp.

FOR SALE: 1950 model Chevrolet Pick-up. Good tires and good condition. See L. Northcutt, 5 miles west on Clovis highway. 9-7-2tp.

10. FARM EQUIP. FOR SALE

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FOR SALE: '51 Model Oliver 88 Tractor, with 4-row equipment, 14 mi. north, 1 west of Muleshoe. H. A. Harvey. 10-8-2tp.

FOR SALE: Allis-Chalmers 3-disk breaking plow, plowed 70 acres. Disks just rolled. Kenneth Precure, 8 mi. north, 6 east of Muleshoe. 10-8-2tp.

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15. FARM PROP FOR RENT
FOR RENT: 240 acres irrigated land, 1-3 and 1/4 rent with sale of machinery. Also 2 locker calves. See Roy Bryant at Ladd Pontiac. 10-6-3tp.

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16. MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE: Milk cows, 3/4 mi. west of Blondie Puckett Store. G. T. Maltby. 10-8-3tp.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Earl Sturgess on the birth of a son, Robert Earl, born January 11, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lester Tandy on the birth of a daughter, Brenda Kay, born January 29, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Worth Freeman on the birth of a daughter, Barbara Jeanene, born January 30, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Franklin Puckett on the birth of a son, Charles Lance, born January 11, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lee Brown on the birth of a daughter, Peggy Edith, born January 20, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Duke on the birth of a son, Joe Bailey, Jr., born January 5, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. George Carl Gross on the birth of a son, Larry Keith, born January 23, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Edgar Mills on the birth of a son, Jimmy Lee, born January 23, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Ersel Murray Lemons on the birth of a daughter, Carla Janice, born January 30, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Putman on the birth of a son, Jerry Sim, born January 31, 1953.

Club Nominates New Officers

A slate of officers and directors for another year was reported for the club's consideration at the meeting of the Rotary Club held Tuesday noon. Election will be in two weeks when other names may be placed in nomination from the floor.

J. M. Forbes was nominated to become president of the organization and other nominations are: Bob Gregory, vice-president; Ralph Mardis, secretary; M. G. Bass, treasurer; Directors, Myron Pool, E. O. Baker, D. L. Morrison, and D. B. Lancaster.

Woodie Lambert, cleaning establishment proprietor, resumed his membership and Cayle Reed became a new member. The club had 100 per cent attendance for the day and there were several visitors.

Joe Baker, teacher of English and history in the Muleshoe high school, was the speaker for the day, and brought the group up to date on the life history of Joe Stalin, the Russian dictator.

An early revolutionist, Stalin spent lots of time in jail before the successful uprising of 1917 when the Bolsheviks, led by Lenin, took over the government. Lenin, Mr. Baker pointed out, designated Leon Trotsky and Joseph Stalin to succeed him as leader, and Lenin died in 1924. Shortly after he came to power, Joseph Stalin liquidated those who opposed his absolute power, including his old friend, Trotsky. Stalin has ruled nearly 30 years with an iron hand.

Stalin, Mr. Baker said, has two great loves: Turkish coffee and the novels of Balzac. Malinkov, it is generally believed, is being groomed to succeed Stalin, but whether that will portend peace in the world is a question.

Mr. Baker is a graduate of Texas Tech with an M. A. Degree in Journalism. He was introduced by Supt. Jerry Kirk. Clyde Holt had charge of the program.

Lazbuddie News

Airman Clifford Cantrell, who is stationed at Tacoma, Wash., visited last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cantrell.

Mrs. Joy Morris and daughter, Martha Ann of Hereford spent the week end with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hunt.

Wayne Vaughn of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting in the home of his uncle, T. D. Vaughn.

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Note: The following story on a subject which directly affects the whole picture of Texas agricultural economy is by Glen Shelton, farm editor of the Wichita Falls Record News. His observations are especially appropriate at this time when Texas farmers are preparing for another crop year. . . . John C. White, Commissioner of Agriculture.

FUTURE OF TEXAS COTTON
The new red scourge of Texas' cotton lands is the pink bollworm. But there seems to be a dangerous tendency on the part of farmers to treat it casually. Farmers have been confronted with so many crises, droughts, other insects, floods, low market that they fail to see the forest for the trees. They quite understandably don't get excited every time some new "threat" is announced.

But, in my opinion this pink bollworm threat is something to get excited about. It is a real danger to the South's basic industry, and poses perhaps a bigger threat right here in Texas than anywhere else. It could quite conceivably put an end to our rich cotton industry. It is that bad. Entomologists readily agree the worms have multiplied many times over in the past two or three years.

What is the history of this dangerous cotton insect? Well, in 1916, a Mexican cotton grower found an odd kind of worm in his fields. He thought at first it might be the small "grub" of the boll weevil. But he wasn't sure. This particular worm had a pinkish tinge; the well-known weevil grub was distinctly white in color. So the Mexican grower gathered

a handful of infested bolls and sent them to insect experts in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. There the worm made startling news.

Far from being a weevil grub, it was, without doubt, the dreaded pink bollworm, the same worm that had long been ravaging cotton in other parts of the world. This was its first recorded appearance on the North American continent. How did the pink bollworm get into Mexico? No one is sure. But the best guess is that it came from Egypt where the pest had abounded for years. Egyptian planting seed had been imported into Mexico in 1911, and there's little doubt the pink bollworm moved with it.

The pest kept moving, right up through Mexico and across the Rio Grande River. In 1917, one year after it was spotted in the Laguna district of Mexico, it was found in fields near Hearne, Texas. Here, again, the worm apparently was brought into a non-infested area in seed shipments. That was about 35 years ago.

Since then, despite intensive quarantine and control measures, the pest has fanned out westward into New Mexico, and Arizona, northward into Oklahoma, and eastward into Louisiana. In all, it now occupies at least 261 counties in which farmers plant a total of about 12 million acres of cotton.

J. W. Callaway, of Corpus Christi, in 1950 had a field of late planted cotton. Before the crop could reach maturity, the pink bollworm infestation reached 90 per cent. He had to destroy the entire crop. This story clearly points up the potential destructiveness of the insect. In 1952 the pink bollworm cost us \$34.6 million. In 1942 only about 75 counties were infested. By 1952, the number had jumped to 261. Is that a threat to the cotton industry, or isn't it?

Last year, entomologists found the pink bollworm had doubled and tripled in the Vernon, Wichita Falls, Knox and Haskell County area. The same occurred in many other areas of the state. If I were a cotton farmer, a ginners or a cotton oil mill man, I would be concerned.

The cotton business has lost enough of its value the past 10 or 15 years. If the bollworm joins the boll weevil as a force of cotton destructiveness, then we might as well forget the rich crop that made the South and the great empire that it is.

—Glenn Shelton

FARM LABOR OUTLOOK
Slightly less available farm labor at a slightly higher price! That is the forecast of the United States Department of Agriculture for farm help during 1953. The statisticians strike an optimistic note, however, by adding that the labor supply is expected to be sufficient, on the whole, to keep arm production at high levels.

The number of workers employed on farms has decreased steadily during the past 15 years. At the same time, labor requirements have also declined because of rapid gains in farm mechanization. The result is that output per farm work now is the greatest on record. Further progress in mechanization and other advances in technology should lower labor requirements. Even so, the problem of replacing some workers must be met if high production is to be maintained.

Prospects are that wages paid farm workers this year may rise less than 5 per cent, as compared with a rise of about 7 per cent in 1952. The extent of the rise will vary according to the net losses of farm workers to industry in certain areas, and to the Armed Forces.

Although only a nominal increase in the net size of the Armed Forces is predicted in 1953, the rotation of service personnel will create labor problems for some farmers who lose men needed as replacements in the corps.

The farmer also faces the continued threat of losing laborers to nonfarm employment because of higher wages or improved working and living conditions. It may be good business for farmers in need of help to be on the lookout for potential year-round workers and to train them. Difficulties also may be experienced in getting adequate supplies of seasonal workers in some areas this year. The Texas farmer has had plenty of experience in this line. Due to constant policy changes, or often inadequate agreements, the supply of available bracero labor varies

About 300 Farm Bureau Members Attend Meeting

The Bailey County Farm Bureau met Thursday night in the high school auditorium and was attended by about 300 persons.

The main speaker for the event was Sam Allen, of Lamesa, alternate state director for that vicinity. The main topic of Mr. Allen's talk was the importance of the Farm Bureau as a voice for agriculture as a whole on the State and National legislative levels. Mr. Allen pointed out that the farm bureau, although a minority, but representing as many farm families as it does carries a tremendous weight in influencing agricultural legislation.

Allen emphatically stated that the farm bureau in its entire history has never asked for any legislation that would be detrimental to any other segment of the nation.

Mrs. Juanita Short of the Social Security Administration in Lubbock gave a short address on Social Security as it applies to farmers.

"Hub" King, Secretary of the Terry County Farm Bureau told the audience of the services the bureau in that area is rendering its members. Other guests included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tillson of Meadows, Texas, State Director of District 2; R. J. Buchanan of Lubbock, field representative of District 2 and Cotton John of KGNC, Amarillo. Cotton John made several recordings of the meeting.

A resolution was passed to raise the membership dues from \$7.50 to \$10.00.

The board of directors and membership chairmen will meet in the farm bureau office Wednesday.

greatly from year to year. A good flexible policy on labor importations from Mexico is the hope and goal of many people in Texas.

Feb. 4, at 1:30 p. m. to make plans for the annual farm bureau meeting which will take place some time in March.

VISITOR FROM ILLINOIS
Visiting recently in the Neil Rockey home was his cousin,

Mrs. May Rountree of Nora, Ill., near Chicago.

GUESTS FROM TULIA
Mrs. Olga Weeks and son, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Weeks of Tulia visited Sunday with relatives here.

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Stewart, from Birmingham, Alabama, is regarded as probably the most outstanding challenger for the world's championship held for 14 years by Mildred Burke of Los Angeles. She is holder of the Texas women's wrestling championship, has never been defeated in a title match. The beautiful blond some day will get a shot at la Burke's crown, and she could

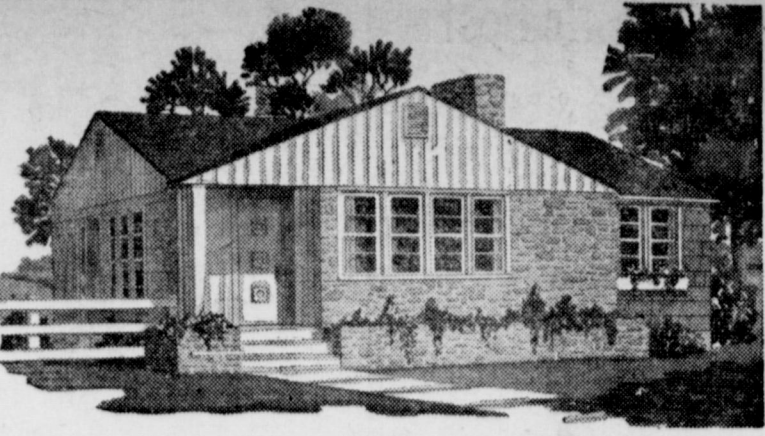
HAS NEW SON

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gross became the parents of a boy January 23. He was named Larry Keith.

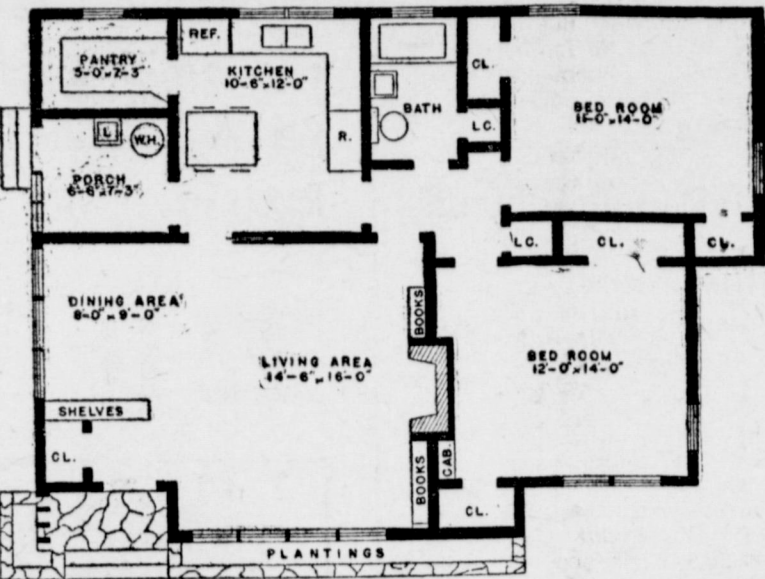
ENJOYS FISH FRY

Children of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross gathered in their home Sunday for a fish fry. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gross of Port Lavaca, Mr. and Mrs. George Gross, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Davis, Mrs. Arnold Gross and two boys, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roebuck.

wear it gracefully. Ethel Brown, five feet, three inches of dynamite, also has eyes on the big title. She has no fear of the sister wrestlers who have been in the game longer, and she never backs away. It is due to be a rough game the girls play. For once themen take a sort of back seat, but four of them will be on hand to supplement the "woman's hour."



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bookcases which surround the fireplace. This house can be built rather cheaply because of its plain roof, simple lines and easy frame construction. To increase the economy, we have arranged the bathroom and kitchen on the same wall, and the drains from the bathroom fixtures on one wall. There is an absolute minimum of plumbing required to serve both kitchen and bathroom fixtures. Something else which will keep the construction cost down and also keep maintenance at a minimum is the use of double coursed, prefinished cedar shingles. We suggest you use these on all walls except the front, where brick or masonry is shown. You can obtain blueprints for this The Muleshoe Journal Farm & Ranch Plan No. 5029 and a handy list of materials by which you can figure your construction cost accurately. Send \$1 to Building Editor, Farm & Ranch, Southern Agriculturist, Dept. L-36, Nashville, Tenn. Order by number, Plan No. 5029. Blueprints are adequate for any farm carpenter or for any farmer handy with

Three Way Class To Present Play

The Junior Class of the Three Way high school is presenting a four act comedy-drama, entitled "An Arizona Cowboy", Friday, Feb. 20, in the Three Way gymnasium. Those participating are Mickey Sowder, Will Pierce, Don Lowe, Curtis Smith, Jimmy Miller, Keith Price, I. V. Pierce, Gail Arnn, Shirley Reeves, Gail Millisap, Pauline Hodnett, and Ann Cole. The play will begin at 7 p. m. and admission will be 15 for children and 35c for adults.

Roberts Pastor At Lazbuddie

Rev. C. K. Roberts is the new pastor of the Lazbuddie Baptist Church at Lazbuddie. He and Mrs. Roberts have moved into the church parsonage and have taken over their work in that community. For four and one-half years Rev. Roberts was pastor of the Baptist church at Shallowater.

Their daughter, Miss Lois Roberts, is a teacher in the Buena Vista high school at Imperial, Texas.

ATTEND FUNERAL HELD AT CACHE, OKLA.

Mrs. W. W. Smith and Mrs. D. R. Aylesworth and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Jewel Gray, held at Cache, Okla., on Monday, February 2. Mrs. J. E. Lovelady and son, Steve, of Amarillo, came home

with the family to Muleshoe. She went back to Amarillo with Rufus Aylesworth, who is moving back to go to work again.

MOVE TO BRADY

Mrs. A. Schroeder and Miss Esther Schroeder moved to Brady to make their home this week. They will join the J. E. Mills family, who recently traded a farm near Muleshoe for a Brady Motor Inn. Mrs. Mills visited here briefly first of the week.

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H. D. Club Enjoys Kidnap Breakfast

A kidnap breakfast, sponsored by the finance committee of the Progress Home Demonstration Club, was held at the home of Mrs. George Stotts on Wednesday, Feb. 4.

A very enjoyable time was had by all.

Present were Mesdames Gordon Murrah, Odell Logan, Edward Little, Alfred Patterson, O. C. Thomson, John Thomson, Manuel Self, Wilbur Thomas, Ray Quisenberry, T. Haley, Alfred Davis, Harold Mardis, Joe Simmacher, G. T. Maltby and the hostess.

VISITORS FROM PORT LAVACA

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gross and Beth of Port Lavaca, Texas, spent the week end in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gross.

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Society News

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Eastern Stars Have Guests

A regular meeting of the Muleshoe Order of Eastern Star Chapter No. 792 was held Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, in the Masonic Hall with Mrs. Viola Layne, worthy matron, presiding.

Invitations were read from Hale Center, Floydada and Gainsville Chapters inviting the Muleshoe Chapter to attend their Friendship nights, but because of the distance Muleshoe will not attend.

Visitors were present from Clovis and Amarillo.

At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by Elizabeth Harden, Mesdames A. J. Gardner, Roy Bryant and F. H. Davis.

SPECIAL CLUB MEETING PLANNED FOR TUESDAY

The Progress Home Demonstration Club will meet all day in the home of Mrs. Arnold Gross at 1201 W. 13th in Muleshoe next Tuesday, Feb. 10, for an all crafts work day.

Everyone is to bring a covered dish for lunch and anyone who is interested is invited to attend.

Mrs. Nowell Hosts West Camp WMU

The West Camp W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. Virgil Nowell Monday, Feb. 2, at 2:30 p. m. for a special program and social meeting. Each officer gave a brief summary of her duties.

A social hour followed and refreshments of sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, tea cakes and coffee or tea were enjoyed by nine members and visitors, Mesdames Leldon Phillips, Elton Vaughn, T. P. Kittrell, R. B. Taylor, J. W. Lee, O. W. Fair, and Guy Austin.

TEL Class Meets In York Home

The T. E. L. Class of the First Baptist Church met February 3 in the home of Alma York in a business and social meeting.

The meeting was under the direction of Mrs. Allene Dyer and was opened with prayer by Mrs. Presta Hale.

Mrs. Beulah Motheral brought the devotional from Ephesians followed by a sentence prayer.

Minutes were approved and several reports were given. The meeting was then dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Henry Harvey.

Lovely refreshments of "Gone With the Wind" salad, coffee and cocoa were served to visitors, Mesdames Ross Glaza, Wilma Gilbreath, Henry Harvey and members, Mesdames Bessie Harlan, Lois Shook, Allene Dyer, Emile Snow, Presta Hale, Mary Evans, Claudia Hinkle, Birdie Paul, Mary Finley, Beulah Motheral and the hostess, Mrs. York.

W. S. C. S. Plans Conference

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met in the sanctuary Monday, Feb. 2, at 2:30 p. m. for continuation of the study, "These Rights We Hold". The opening song was "The Church's One Foundation."

The leader, Mrs. H. C. Holt, brought the devotional from the book of John, "The Truth Will Make You Free", closing with a prayer.

"Freeing the Mind" and "Industrial Freedom" were discussed in question and answer form with emphasis on "Only the Gospel of Christ Makes Man Fully Free." Five articles of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights of the U. N. were read.

The lesson closed with prayer by Mrs. I. W. Haney, the president, Mrs. F. B. Pierson, presided during the business session.

The schedule of events of the South Central Jurisdiction Conference of the W. S. C. S. meeting in Amarillo, February 17, 18, 19, and 20 was read. The World Day of Prayer will be observed February 20.

Present were Mesdames I. F. Willman, R. O. Gregory, F. B. Pierson, I. W. Haney, H. W. Hanks, Roy Bayless, H. Jay Wyer, George Chambliss, H. C. Holt and Arnold Morris.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE IS SET IN BORGER

Borger will be host to the annual conference of District 183, Rotary International, on March 5, 6, and 7. All clubs of the district will have representatives at this conference, all new officers and directors being expected to attend the various sessions.

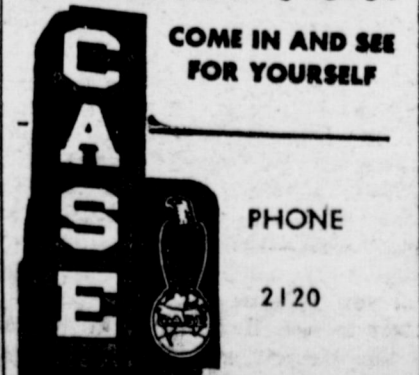
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Mrs. Epps Is Host To Garden Club

The Muleshoe Garden Club met in the Legion Hall Monday evening, Feb. 2, in their regular monthly meeting. Hostess was Mrs. Jack Epps.

A film on "The Story of Roses" was shown to the group. Everyone is asked to come at 1:30 p. m. to the March meeting to begin work on the Legion Hall grounds.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served by the hostess to a guest, Mrs. Mason, and members, Mesdames Red Wright, Roy Whitt, Bill Moore, Roy Jordan, E. O. Baker, Robert King, Jack Lenderson, Jack Epps, and L. S. Barron.

Classroom Teachers Enjoy Films

The Muleshoe Classroom Teachers met in the Home Economics Department of the high school Friday evening, Jan. 30. Mrs. John Watson presided during the business session.

Mrs. H. G. Burchett, program chairman, introduced Misses Evelyn Jones and Mildred Boone, teachers of the Lubbock public schools, who showed films of the Scandinavian countries. Mrs. Burchett and Miss Jones made a tour of these countries during the summer and brought back some very interesting scenes. Miss Jones' comments and explanations of these pictures were very enlightening and entertaining.

Refreshments were served after the meeting adjourned. Guests were Misses Evelyn Jones, Mildred Boone, Bill Ed Jones, and little Jacqueline Castle. Members attending were Mesdames Ed Johnson, Radie Boone, Mabel Dowell, Leroy Johnson, Robert Sanders, Christine Rutherford, Jeanette McDonald, Jerry Kirk, Paul Gardner, H. G. Burchett, John Watson, D. B. Lancaster, and Misses Alice Rowan, Mary Fry, Effie Childress, Zeffie Childress, and Lillit William.

ATTENDED FUNERAL IN SAN ANGELO

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brashear returned from San Angelo Sunday morning after attending the funeral of his brother, Henry Brashear, 56, 26 year resident of San Angelo. Mr. Brashear is survived by 4 other brothers, 7 sisters, his wife, 2 sons, 1 granddaughter, and his mother.

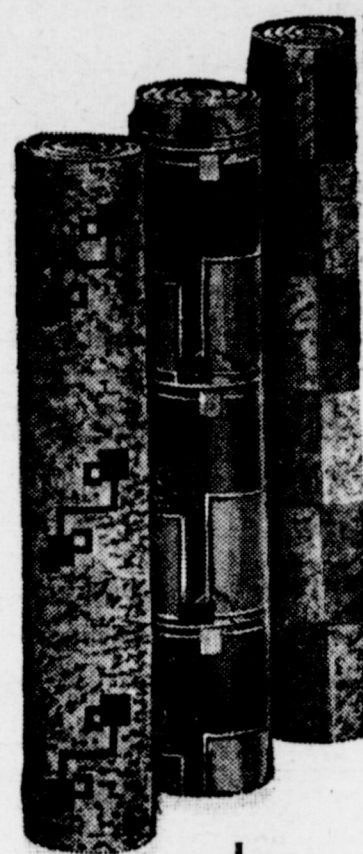
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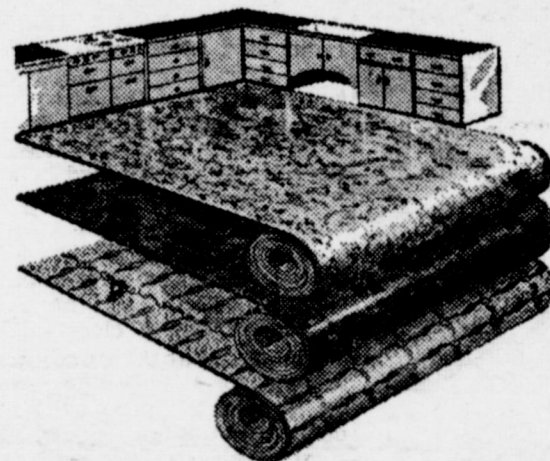
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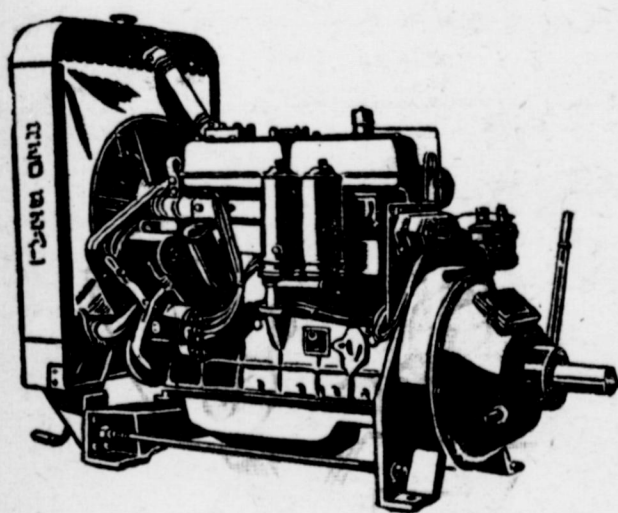
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Rainbow Girls Install Officers

The Rainbow Girls of Muleshoe Assembly held their installation of officers at the Fellowship Hall Sunday afternoon. Installing officers were: Worthy Advisor, Billy Faye Graves; clerk, Bobbie Collins Harris; recorder, Jeri White Toten; and drill leader, Jo Addine Waggoner Mayhugh.

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er, Lou Ann Logan; treasurer, Shirley Mattheison; love, Paula Providence; religion, Patricia Morgan; nature, Helen Stovall; immortality, Charlene Graef; fidelity, Darla Myers; patriotism, Ginger Gaede; service, Jean Louise Gammon; outer observer, Mary Carpenter, choir director, Marian Harris and the choir.

Mrs. Jewel Strong was installed as mother advisor and the following Masons and Eastern Stars were installed as the advisory board: John Thomson, W. T. Bovell, Johnnie Johnson, Buck Creamer, Mrs. Viola Layne, Mrs. Wynnie Dunn, Mrs. Margaret Epps, Mrs. Ruby Cox, Mrs. Mary Farley, and Mrs. Lorraine Hinkson.

Jana Beth of Earth was recognized as grand religion and her mother, Mrs. Gladys Laing, grand visitor, was recognized. Mrs. Wynnie Dunn, grand matron of the Eastern Stars was introduced.

Half Century Club Elects Officers

The Half Century Club met in the home of Mrs. Pete Witte Thursday, Jan. 29, in their regular meeting.

Plans were completed for the turkey dinner to be held in the Fellowship Hall on February 12. Several group songs were directed by Mrs. Clara Willman.

Mrs. Moeller was elected president. Mrs. Sweetie Johnson be-

came vice-president, and Mrs. Pearl Moore will be the new secretary. On the telephone committee are Mesdames Pete Witte, Mary Finley and Snow Davis.

Refreshments were served to those present who were two visitors, Mrs. J. W. Fowinkle, Mrs. Witte's aunt, and Mrs. May Rountree of Nora, Ill., cousin of Mr. Neil Rockey, one new member, Mrs. C. E. Briscoe, and members, Mesdames Mattie Duke, Lula Kistler, Jennie Panter, Sweetie Johnson, Clara Willman, Beulah Carles, Birdie Paul, Laura Gilbreath, Daisy Engram, Lois Schoenberger, Snow Davis, Annie Stevens, Sally Harden, Frances Williams, Pete Witte, Hattie Rockey, Mary Finley, Anna Moeller, and Pearl Moore.

After the turkey dinner which will be held February 12 at the Fellowship Hall, the next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. J. L. Alsop on Thursday, Feb. 26.

Pollyanna Club Has Entertaining Financial Plan

A discussion on the effects of alcohol and narcotics on youth was the program for the West Camp Pollyanna Club when they met Wednesday, January 28, in the home of Mrs. Guy Austin. Mrs. Woodrow Couch presented the facts on the subject and led in the discussion.

The hostess read "Beattitudes for Homemakers" and "Mr. Ford's Wife is Different" by Corey Ford for opening exercise. The president, Mrs. Olen Dutton, presided at the meeting. Ten members were present and answered roll call by telling a way to make money for the club.

Many money making ideas were discussed and two methods were adopted by the club. Mrs. Woodrow Couch volunteered to make an apron, then the members are to sew a patch on the apron when they have an anniversary or birthday containing a penny for every year they have been married or for every year they are old. At the end of the year the members will guess the number of pennies in the apron and the one who guesses the nearest gets the apron; but the money goes into the treasury.

Also, a cake is to be baked with a dime in it. The members are to pay a dime for each slice of cake and the one who gets the slice with the dime in it is to bake the cake for the next meeting. This plan will be used for the next four meetings. Mrs. Seaborn Busbice will bake the first cake.

Mrs. Woodrow Couch and Mrs. Olen Dutton gave the council report. Mrs. Bert Williams led the members in a game. After the meeting the hostess served delicious refreshments of spiced apple juice and cookies.

The agent, Mrs. Dian Reed, will be present at the next meeting which is to be at Mrs. Seaborn Busbice's on February 11. She will present the program on "Choose and Plant Screening Shrubs."

VISITED IN QUANAH
Mrs. E. E. Holland visited last week in the home of Mrs. G. M. DeVoll and Mrs. Effie Davis of Quanah.

Mrs. Edwards Is Honored At Tea

A gift tea was given in the home of Mrs. R. L. Jones Saturday, Jan. 24, honoring Mrs. George T. Edwards, nee Miss Margaret Ann Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson.

Hostesses were Mesdames R. D. Precure, Connie Gupton, Jack Cox, Harold Wyer, W. B. McAdams, Walter Witte, Joe Damon, Tye Young, Henry Clements, R. L. Brooks, R. L. Jones and Miss Nell DeShazo.

In the receiving line was the honoree, Mrs. Edwards, her mother, Mrs. George Johnson, and Mrs. E. W. Johnson, aunt of the bride.

Arrangements of pink carnations on the guest table and throughout the house formed a lovely setting for the occasion. The bride's table, covered with a pink net cloth over pink taffeta was enhanced by a centerpiece of white carnations separated from flanking white candles by hucks. The silver tea service and the small individual pink cakes topped with white wedding bells with the large pink satin bow and white wedding bells completed the decor.

Registering the guests was Mrs. Owens Dunnahoo, Mrs. Jimmy Reece served the cakes and William Ed Jones presided at the tea service. Pink mints and nuts were also served.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. W. C. Cox of Munday, Mrs. Curtiss Spivey, Sudan; Mrs. Jimmy Reece, Comanche; Mrs. Owen Dunnahoo, Roswell, N. M.; and Mrs. R. L. Brooks, Lubbock.

Three Way WMU Meets At Church

The Three Way W. M. U. met with seven members present Tuesday, Jan. 27, at 2:30 p. m. Presiding over the meeting was Mrs. Clara Ellis, president.

At 4 p. m. the R. A. S. G. A. and the Sunbeams met with five R. A. S. 2 sponsors, 8 G. A. S. 2 sponsors, and 7 Sunbeams and 2 sponsors.

After the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Brinker and other helpers.

VISITORS FROM OKLAHOMA

Miss Cleo Stiles and Mrs. Ted Hand and Jana Kay of Hedrick, Okla., visited over the week end with the Chick Otwells.

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Mrs. James Manasec and Mrs. Jim Chilton of Elida, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rutherford over the week end.

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A bill that has been introduced in the Texas Legislature would give cities the exclusive control of drilling of water wells and operation thereof in the corporate limits. It is sponsored by Rep. M. O. Bell and is known as House Bill No. 54.

In Muleshoe, for instance, there are quite a few private wells, now being operated by electric pressure pumps. Presumably the new legislation would regulate such as these.

A copy of the bill has been forwarded to The Journal by Rep. Jesse M. Osborn, of Muleshoe.

Not only would the bill regulate drilling in corporate limits

but the "production of water therefrom within corporate limits within one mile of the corporate limits for the purpose of preventing waste of the underground waters underlying said city and to protect the public health."

The bill would give to municipalities the power to adopt ordinances to define and prevent waste and to control and regulate the drilling and operation of such water wells.

The bill would amend Art. 1175 of Title 28, Revised Civil Statutes

of Texas by adding a new section.

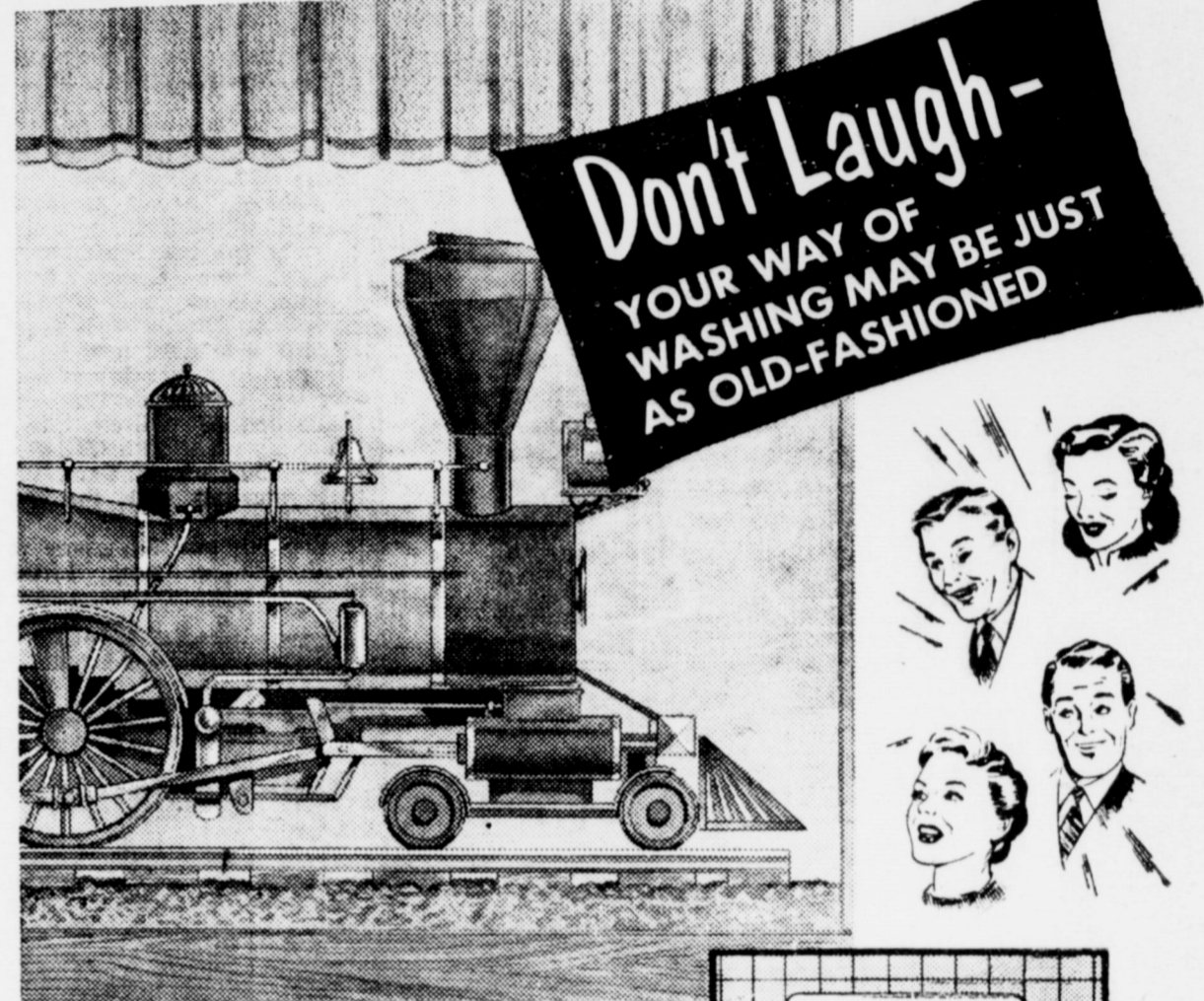
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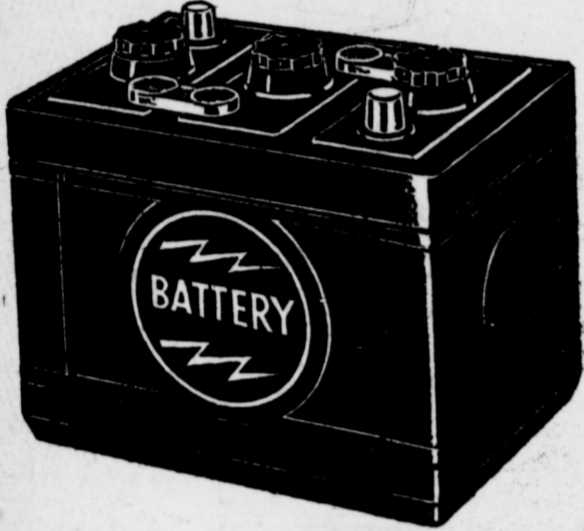
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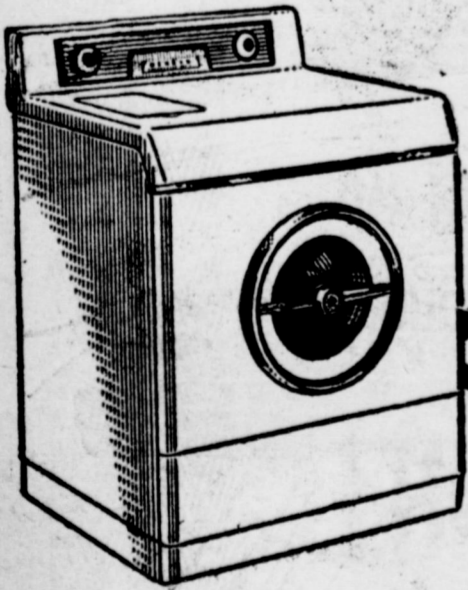
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Muleshoe Teams Win Over Littlefield In Conference Games

The Muleshoe basketball teams made a clean sweep of all three games played at Littlefield last Tuesday night. The Boys B squad came through with a 31 to 29 victory while the Boys A squad toppled the Littlefield A squad in a thrilling contest 52 to 51. The girls team swept to an easy 59 to 34 triumph. High point man for the night in the A game was Jimmie Clyde Holt with 17 points, while Littlefield's Roden garnered 12. High scorers for the girls were Jean Montgomery with 31 points, Peeler with 15 and Graves with 13.

Last Friday night the Muleshoe fives had to be content with one win out of three contests. Both boys teams were beaten by Levelland, the B squad taking it on the chin 29 to 23, and the A boys being trampled to the tune of 72 to 49. High point man for the night was Isreal of Levelland with 27 points. Turner dropped 12 points through the bucket for the Mules.

The Muleshoe girls fared better with a 48 to 34 victory of the girls of Levelland. High pointer for the game was Alexander of Levelland with 19 points. High scorers for the Muleshoe team was Norma Graves with 18 points, Montgomery with 17 points and Peeler with 13 points.

Muleshoe boys now have one victory and two losses in conference standings. The conference struggle will continue next Tuesday night with Littlefield at the Muleshoe gym. Game time at 6:15 starting with the boys B squad.

The 8th and 9th grade teams will compete with Littlefield

next Monday night starting at 6:30.

Lineups for the game between the Faculty and the Exes last Tuesday night were as follows: for the Faculty, Kirk, Parker, Wimberly, Baldwin, Alsop, Daily, Perkins, Hicks, Adams, Gray, Jones and Barber. Kirk was high point man of the Faculty with 9 points. On the Exes team were Waggoner, Gaede, Barber, Nickels, Byrd, Colson, Harvey, J. Gaede and Kimbrough. Byrd led the Exes with 7 points. The Exes won the game 35 to 30.

Charlie Watson At Funeral For Old Saddle Mate

Charlie Watson, of Muleshoe, received a message telling of the death of a boyhood pal, Bill McKee, at Frederick, Okla., on Monday, February 2.

In their correspondence with each other the two old friends always addressed their letters "Dear Old Saddle Mate."

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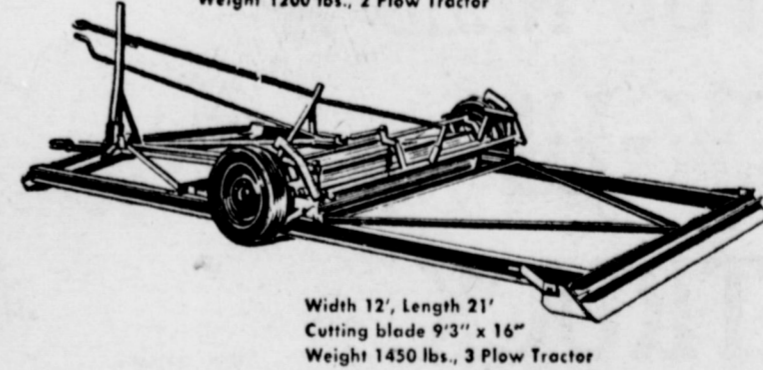
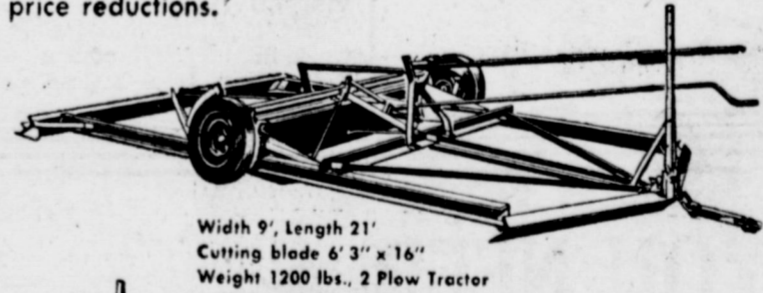
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