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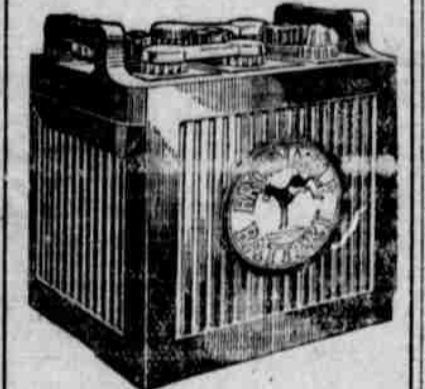
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FOR RENT—Furnished or unfurnished 2 room house. Close in. Gas, water, lights and garage. Phone 81. 36-2tc
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WANTED—Fresh eggs in case lots. Will pay a premium for quality eggs. Ben Porcher, 3 miles north and ½ mile east of Littlefield. 37-2tp

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FOR QUICK SALE—Will take \$250 cash for late 1929 model Chevrolet coach. See H. C. Hammett, Route 1, Anton, one mile north of Spade school. 37-2tp

FOR SALE—Chinchilla and New Zealand white rabbits. J. E. Chisholm, Jr. 37-16-c

MODEL T Ford 1925 touring car in good condition, good tires, for sale cheap. Day & Night Tourist Camp. 37-1tc

FOR SALE—Four-room house, cheap. W. H. Heinen. 37-2tc

FOR SALE—Teams and tools, and good farm well improved for rent. A. F. Jones, box 591, 2 miles N. E. of Littlefield, Texas. 37-1tp

FOR SALE—Subject to tenancy 100 acres of land right in Littlefield, and 200 acres about 1-4 mile north of town. No trade accepted but liberal terms to responsible party. M. H. Goldsmith, Austin, Texas. 26-1fc

FOR SALE—Don't order nursery stock until you get our new price list. Trees, Shrubs and Roses from 15 cents up.—"Frost Proof Plums" we specialize in western varieties. Lubbock Nursery, Route Six, Lubbock, Texas.

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FOR SALE OR TRADE—1928 2-door Buick sedan. C. A. Baird. 32-1fc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Seven room house and three 50 ft. lots adjoining First Baptist church on east. Fred Beisel.

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THE Subscription price to the Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News is \$1.00; that of the Lamb County Leader is \$1.50. We will mail both to your address for \$2.25. Why not subscribe now?—Lamb County Leader. 9-tfdh
STAR BARBER SHOP, Nothing over twenty cents. Four expert barbers. Fifty cent service for twenty cents. 606 ½ Broadway, Plainview, Texas. 36-4tc.

NOTICE

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

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors have called a meeting of the stockholders to be held in the City of Amarillo, County of Potter, State of Texas, at the principal office of the Company on the 10th day of February, 1931, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a mortgage or deed of trust to be called "general mortgage," or by such other name as may be determined, on all of its railroad properties now owned or hereafter acquired, to secure bonds to be hereafter issued in series, so much of such bonds as may be necessary to be used from time to time in paying or exchange for the bonds and other indebtedness of the Company, other bonds to be issued to be used for the acquisition, construction or extension of railroads, additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and for other lawful corporate purposes, each series of bonds to be issued to mature at such time and provide for the payment of such lawful rate of interest, to be tax free or not tax free, to be convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock as may be determined by the Board of Directors, and to contain such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by said Board, and such mortgage to contain such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the stockholders at said meeting.
33-8tc J. N. FREEMAN, Secretary.

Pep Paragraphs

A little daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Welty on December 10. The little girl was doubly welcome, as she is the first girl in a family of five boys. Little Jack, the youngest boy, says he is glad the baby is a girl so they will have some one to wash dishes.

Several families are moving from this community. The Middlebrook family is moving to a place near Shallowater.

The family of Ed Gerick is moving to West, Texas.

Ludwig Heitzman is moving to a place near Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Murphy were shopping in Levelland Saturday. of feed blown into her eye last week. It was quite painful, but on the particle being removed the injured eye functioned normally.

Misses Lucille Stengel and Elizabeth and Jean Lupton went to Levelland Friday afternoon. They met there Misses Katherine and Louise Lupton who came home from Tech. to spend the Christmas holidays.

J. E. Stengel went to Floydada on business Thursday.

A. G. Jungman exhibited in Levelland last Saturday the leopard he recently mounted. About a hundred and fifty persons viewed the gruesome animal.

Some interesting kodak pictures made by Mr. Jungman show the mounted animal in the foreground. Nearby Mr. Jungman stands holding the Littlefield Leader, carrying the account of the leopard tragedy. The pictures are so clear that the headlines of the paper may be distinctly read.

Ed Votipka from near Portales is moving to the Schumacher farm recently vacated by L. Heitzman.

Miss Laura Virginia Bills, who is attending the West Texas Teachers' College at Canyon is home for the Christmas holidays.

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Women's Interest - - Social Events

quickly. Then many beautiful gifts were presented to be-to-be in a unique manner. Following the program dainty refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate and angel food cake, were served following guests and club mem-

Miss Horn, J. P. Spinks, R. Hill, Misses Freddie Horn, Ruth Matthews, N. Evans, Eva Gertrude Chisholm, Memphis, Gladys Wales, Tomlin, Ruby DeLoach, Cor-

Wright, Ruth Courtney and Alta Anderson.

Miss Horn extended a hearty invitation to the Junior Study club members to be present at her wedding Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spinks.

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB

RECEIVES TWO NEW MEMBERS
The Woman's Study club met Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the club room. Twenty members and one visitor, Miss Evelyn Phelps, were present.

Mrs. Robert M. Walthall and S. T. Hodges were elected to membership in the club.

Mrs. Dorothy Anderson Palmer and Miss Catherine Anderson have donated several books to the library which are very much appreciated.

The use of the club room will be extended to the Junior club at any time they see fit to use it.

Mrs. B. M. Harrison led the lesson on Bible Lands; Mrs. Lena Howard discussed Christ in Prophecy; Mrs. J. M. Stokes read The Christmas Story Retold, a beautiful poem written by our own Mrs. Lena Howard.

LEGION AUXILIARY AIDS VETERANS

The auxiliary of Richard New Post, American Legion, conducted a sale at Hammons Brothers store to raise money in aid of the World War disabled veterans, and children of veterans. The local auxiliary sold candies, pies, dressed hens, eggs, preserves, and other items of food.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

HOSTESS TO O. E. S. OFFICERS

One of the prettiest parties of the Holidays was that given by Miss Lula Hubbard in honor of her O. E. S. officers and their husbands and wives at the home of Mrs. E. A. Bills, Friday, December 16.

The house was beautifully decorated with the O. E. S. colors combined with Christmas colors and bells. Progressive forty-two was the game of the evening. Mr. J. M. Stokes, winning high score for the men, received a lovely cigarette holder. Mrs. S. J. Farquhar, winning for the ladies, received a beautiful candle holder with a bottle of perfume as the candle. After refreshments, a beautifully decorated Christmas tree was unloaded. Each guest present received a toy of some kind.

Twenty-four guests were present and all reported having a very enjoyable time. Several officers were sick and could not be present.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY TO HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Chas. Touchon was hostess to the Presbyterian Ladies' auxiliary Monday afternoon in the church basement. Nine members were present and one visitor, Miss Mabel Moore. We are always glad to have visitors. Mrs. Hilliard led the devotional on the Promises Of Our Lord. So few being present, the Bible lesson was postponed.

Next Monday will be the quarterly

birthday party, and also the annual Rosebud party. Every member is urged to be present and bring a gift for your Rosebud. Mrs. Sadler will be hostess for the party.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Chas. Barber, E. A. Bills, Irvin Miller, J. S. Hilliard, Cloninger, H. B. Speck, A. P. Ament, Miss Lula Hubbard, Miss Mabel Moore and the hostess, Mrs. Chas. Touchon.

LAFF-A-LOTT CLUB ENTERTAINED AT AMHERST

Members of the Laff-A-Lott club met at Amherst Thursday in the home of Mrs. Tom Matthews. Gifts were distributed from a tree, and the afternoon was spent in sewing. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Earl White, Alf Wright, John Porter, Carl Smith, Floyd Wynn, Reda Evans, Saunders Mills, R. V. Armstrong, Jim Davenport, Luke Hargrove, Otis Jorgenson, and a guest, Mrs. C. H. Matthews.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH LADIES MEET IN CLASS ROOM

The ladies of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon in their class room for a prayer service and business hour.

In the absence of their president, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, who has gone for a brief visit to her old home town, Mrs. Joe Grizzle presided in a very able and pleasing manner.

Mrs. Walthall conducted the devotional, reading the beautiful story of the coming of the Christ child.

The true spirit of the happy season reigned in every heart, and rang in the glad tones of every voice, as the ladies planned their Christmas program. "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men," was the key-note throughout the evening, and many of the "little children" so dear to the great loving compassionate heart of our Savior, will be gladdened on His birthday by tokens of love and remembrance sent to their homes by those who find their sweetest joy in serving and honoring "The Prince of Peace."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

And again we come to the end of another glorious year. How fitting that on this the last Sunday, we take our places to offer our thanks to our heavenly Father for all his blessings, and to look into the coming year and set our faces to the task ahead.

Our Sunday services will be as usual.

9:45—Sunday school. A word to you men. We are going forward in the men's class. We need you. We must have fifty men in this class. Sunday school is not a place for women and children alone but a place for big manly men. Does that mean you?

11:00—Worship in song.

11:30—Morning sermon. Subject, Our face toward Jerusalem.

6:15—B. Y. P. U. general assembly in main auditorium.

7:00—Evening worship.

Through the kindness of the Lamb County Leader we will publish the

calendar for the whole month of January next week.

We call attention now to the Roll Call Wednesday evening, January 7. Plan now to attend this meeting. The revival at the Methodist church will be in progress, but as this service was planned some time ago, and is perfectly understood by the Methodist minister and congregation, there will

be no conflict. Let every Baptist attend the Roll call. This program will also be published next week.

Joe F. Grizzle, pastor.

Mrs. Jean Deane has returned to her home in Lamesa after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Orgain and Mr. Orgain.

The Season's Greetings

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We also desire to thank all our customers and friends for the happiness and success of 1930, which were made possible by your patronage and friendship, and we crave a continuance of that valuable asset, Goodwill, during 1931.

HAMMONS BROTHERS

During the glad season

we never fail to realize that it has been the patronage of our friends which has contributed to our success. To all we extend the Season's greetings, and say "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year."

RED & WHITE STORES

ROY T. SHOTWELL, Prop.



TO ALL who have favored us with their good will we esteem this occasion a priceless privilege to express our appreciation, and wish everybody a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THAXTON BROS. HARDWARE

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Just the same old greeting at the Yuletide season. But into those words go our sincere wish for your happiness, your health, and your prosperity.

We wish to take this opportunity to express again our appreciation to you who, through your co-operation and patronage, have made our business possible.

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Littlefield

THON PLUMBING CO.

Merry Christmas

Many Friends and Customers

whose patronage and friendship we hope to have. Season's Greetings, and wish you a MERRY and a HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

BADGER AUTO SERVICE

WITH JOY GREETING OF THE NEW YEAR

are wishing for you a Merry Christmas a happy, prosperous coming twelve. We thank you for your generous patronage. We hope your loyal support will continue for us to come.

RENFRO BROS. GROCERY

Littlefield, Texas



g you a Christmas and a New Year

ank you for your past patronage . . . and the happiness of retaining old friends and new ones.

WM. CAMERON & COMPANY

Our sincerest wishes for a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

many thanks for your co-operation and patronage during the year which is drawing to a close.

MOVING TIME SPECIALS

and after January 1 we will be in our new home location now occupied by the G & H Grocery, opposite our present store.

Watch our window signs for specials for this Saturday

BOB & WILL GROCERY & MARKET

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We Deliver



DAY & NIGHT TOURIST CAMP

W. MATTHEWS, Prop.

If all our Christmas wishes For your future come true You will have wealth, health and happiness And success in all you do.



We feel very keenly that our patrons are our partners, and that our success is but a reflection of your good will. To each and all we extend Christmas Greetings and good wishes for a prosperous New Year.

CHISHOLM'S STUDIO

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GOOD ROADS FOR 1931

In a great many states effort is being made to accelerate public works building as a cure for unemployment.

Roads are the leading factor in any program of this kind. Their construction gives work to thousands of needy persons at good wages—and the fruit of the work is returned many times over to states and communities. Good roads are not an expense but an investment which pays a high rate of dividends.

At present, particular attention is being paid to rural roads. It is a rare farmer who is assured of a year-round weatherproof artery of communication, between his farm and a main highway. Increased farm road appropriations not only remedy this, but provide an additional source of revenue to a multitude of farmers and farm employes.

New York, California and other states have pointed the way. A move is on foot to increase the federal government's appropriations. The farm-to-market road movement should take a long jump forward in 1931.

MOTHERS AND BABIES

Five thousand babies a day are born in the United States. About a hundred of each day's baby crop die before they are a month old. About fifty of the five thousand daily mothers die in childbirth. Most of these deaths can be prevented, if proper care is taken, according to medical and social authorities who have been studying the subject.

It would be hard to imagine a more useful work than the spreading of knowledge about the prevention of this unnecessary toll of deaths. That is being undertaken by a group of public-spirited men and women, who are establishing maternity centers in various parts of the country, to which any expectant mother can go and receive sound advice and help.

It will take a long time to get the entire population into the habit of making special precautions against the perils of childbirth. The human race has been having babies for a long time, and most people regard it as a natural process about which there is nothing special to be done. But it remains that in our civilized United States the death-rate in maternity is higher than it is anywhere in Europe, where the subject has long been treated as a serious one.

THE CHILDREN'S SEASON

Christmas is, of all times of the year, the children's season. The giving of presents to children at Christmas time is as old as Christianity itself, for it has begun by the three Wise Men of the East who came to Bethlehem, where the Child lay in the manger, bringing gifts.

It is easy to forget what it is that Christmas commemorates. It is easy to think of it merely as a holiday time, a time when there is a great deal of shopping to be done, when the stores are crowded and everybody is busy wrapping up Christmas packages, and the postmen are overloaded and grown-ups as well as children are looking forward expectantly to see what they are going to get for Christmas presents.

The spirit of Christmas is, or should be, the spirit of universal love, of good will between all mankind. Christmas marks the anniversary of the setting aside of the old laws of vengeance and hatred, of blind even justice regardless of mercy. We too often forget that. We forget that the message which the Heavenly host brought to earth eight nearly two thousand years ago was a message of love and joy. We meet and prosper that we should exchange presents among our loved ones, but the greatest joy of Christmas time comes from the joy we give the children. Joy for the children, even greater joy for the grown-ups. Whatever our own state of happiness or sorrow, we grown-ups owe it to ourselves, to the spirit and tradition which Christmas commemorates, and to the children themselves, to see that every one of them, at last, has a Merry Christmas.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

the treasure ship of olden times, so may Christmas come to you laden with all that will make for your happiness throughout the year.

W. H. HEINEN

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HEALTH . . . HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY

best wishes for you on this Christmas day. losing of another chapter in the book of time, we written prosperity on each page. May you find a guiding light to success.

NIGHT SERVICE STATION

The Home of 24-Hour Service"



With so many
thankful for
can't count
sings,

we thank you
sincerely for you
them, and very
Happy Christmas

LITTLEFIELD
TAILOR

Hereford Business Man Enthused At Littlefield's Growth

Matt Gilliland, who is in the furniture and undertaking business in Hereford, visited Littlefield Thursday for the first time in five years.

Mr. Gilliland, who is very favorably impressed with this section, enthused greatly over the wonderful growth and development of Littlefield and this territory in the past few years. He said he never witnessed a city build up and grow like Littlefield has, in such a short time.

RAISE MONEY FOR MISSIONS

Money for foreign missions was raised through a Christmas tree sale which was conducted at Hammons Brothers by the Junior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church. Each member of the organization donated three packages, and they were sold from the tree.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker and baby daughter, Jane, left recently for Philadelphia, where they will make their home for the next few months.

You've been generous to us. Christmas would not be Christmas unless we generously acknowledged our debt and wished for you unbounded happiness and prosperity.

HOUK & PAGE

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MERRY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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Merry Christmas A Happy New Year

LITTLEFIELD VARIETY STORE

An Old Sincere Wish Ever New — A Merry Christmas to You

. . . from every member of this organization. They have worked faithfully to serve you . . . and at this glad season of the year join in wishing for you the most joyous Christmas . . . a day of ever increasing significance.

WE SINCERELY thank you for your patronage and wish you all a HAPPY NEW YEAR TOO.

FIRST STATE BANK

Littlefield Texas

AS THE NEW YEAR

FOLLOWS THE OLD . . .

Likewise our pledge of giving the best of service to our patrons continues through another year. With all sincerity we are thankful to each of you for the wonderful patronage sent our way. May you enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year is our wish for you.

GRAND DRUG STORE

"The Drug Store of Littlefield"

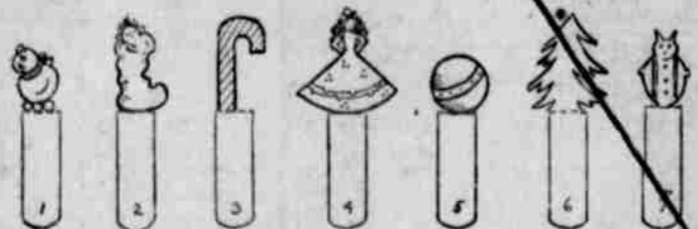


Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

Had we the skill of Shakespeare, it would be hard for us to find a better phrase conveying our emotions than this simple one that has been said so often.

G. & S. SERVICE STATION

**Santa
help**



COLOR him first; then cut out his toys and cut slits where dotted lines appear in his bag—and then, after pasting on thin cardboard, put each toy in its allotted place. The numbers will tell you where each belongs. **Jolly Old Santa**, when he is entirely cut from the page, would make a really splendid calendar, for see! there is room on the left of his cap for you to paste a small one. He would be stronger if pasted finally on cardboard.

PLANS ARE—

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pen, A. C. Pepper; first cock, C. O. Robbins; second cockerel, Zed Robinson.
 Barred Rocks: First cockerel, Ernest Vogel; second cockerel, Zed Robinson; third cockerel, Ernest Vogel; second young pen, second pullet, third pullet, Frank Lehman; third young pen, M. P. Hamilton.
 Rhode Island Reds: First pullet, production class, first young pen, production class, Ben Joplin; first hen, second hen, first young pen, second cock, first pullet, T. L. Kimmell; second young pen, L. L. Banks; second cockerel, F. W. Litche; third cock, A. Clark; first cock, Herman Gregg.
 White Leghorns: First cockerel, first pullet, third young pen, J. D. Lee; first hen, Ben Joplin; first young pen, first old pen, second old pen, first cock, R. L. Price; third

cockerel, F. B. Hindman; first hen, Ben Joplin; second young pen, M. G. Vinther; second cockerel, third pullet, Bill Williams; third young pen, second pullet, T. L. Kimmell, Jr.
 White Orpington: First pullet, first hen, second hen, first, second and third cock, first young pen, L. C. Gregg.
 Brown Leghorns: First young pen, Charlie Gardner.
 Cornish: First young pen, first cockerel, John Nance; second and third pullet, second young pen, M. G. Vinther; third young hen, second cockerel, third cockerel, J. W. Phillips.
 Silver Laced Wyandottes: First cock, Fred Duffy.
 Buff Orpington: First cockerel, first pullet, second pullet, Joe Pace; first cock, Frank Lehman.
 Ancona: First, second and third pullet, first cockerel, Joe Pace.
Sweepstakes
 Parti-Colored Class: Hen, first Rhode Island Red hen; pullet, first Barred Rock pullet; cock, first Rhode Island Red cock; cockerel, first Barred Rock young pen (cockerel); pen, first Barred Rock young pen.
 Solid Color Class: Cock, first old pen White Orpington (cock); hen, first old pen White Orpington (hen); pullet, first White Leghorn pullet; cockerel, White Wyandotte cockerel; pen, White Orpington young pen.
Male Champion
 White Orpington cock.
Female Champion
 Rhode Island Red hen.

**Young Men Injured
In Car Accident**

Johnny Stokes sustained a broken nose and cuts and bruises, and Lawrence Billings, a three-inch cut on the head, in an automobile accident Saturday night. The young men were attended by Dr. J. D. Simpson.
 The injured youths, and other young men, were riding in an automobile owned and driven by L. C. Strawn.
 The car was considerably damaged. The automobile was being turned out of the highway into Oklahoma avenue when it was struck by a car driven by a negro.
 An automobile owned and driven by Hubert Jackson turned over on the Olton road, eight miles from Littlefield, Saturday night, and burned. Jackson was accompanied by Bill Wingfield, and other friends.

LITTLEFIELD'S FIRST—

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Postoffice Is Established

One of the first jobs I had when I arrived in Littlefield was circulating a petition for the establishment of a post office. The postoffice was located in the townsite land office for over three years, and then moved to the brick building now occupied by the Yellow House Land Co.

I served as postmaster for five years, until I resigned and entered the service during the World War. Mrs. V. V. White (now Mrs. T. P. Wright) served as the first assistant postmaster. The first mail sack was brought in by horse team from Bartonite, about 25 miles due east of Littlefield, the carrier being paid for his services by public subscription. I was a "first class postmaster in a fourth class office," my friends said.

This postoffice, which was the only one between here and Lubbock, served a tremendous ranch country—easily 40 miles southwest and that far northwest of Littlefield.

**Revival To Open At
Methodist Church
Sunday, January 4**

A revival meeting will begin at the Littlefield Methodist church at 11 a. m., Sunday, January 4.

The Rev. Frank M. Neal of Amarillo, one of the general evangelists of the Methodist church, will do the preaching. He will bring with him a splendid choir director.

The Rev. Mr. Neal has been in evangelistic work for years. He was raised in Texas, and has held meetings in many states.

More complete announcements later. Everyone invited.
 R. B. Freeman, Pastor.

The tuberculous source of infection. Since it can not when she becomes the germs—unless tests are made—it is her with healthy care from outside sources. It is induced into a healthy body have been tuberculin to free from the disease.

Tomatoes, fresh, raw, and are a good source of vitamins and C. Include them very frequently in your menus. Give tomatoes to young children and even to babies.

Texas Utilities Co., Lubbock, spending \$450,000 on installation of the first unit of a new power plant near Abernathy.

Your Pal

TONIGHT (THURSDAY)
 (Midnight Show X)
 Also (6)
SATURDAY—
 Buddy Roosevelt
 "BREED O"
 Also Talking Com
Midnite Show Saturday Nite P
 Paul Whiteman
 "THE KING"
SUNDAY MATINEE & MONDAY
 Jackie Coogan and
 "TOM"
 Also Good
TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY—
 Milton Sills in
 Also Talking Com
PALACE equipped with WESTERN

**Negro Baptists
Of Littlefield To
Build Church**

The first negro church for Lamb county will shortly be erected in the negro section of Littlefield.

The lot was donated to the negro Baptists of this section by the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce.

C. O. Robbins of the Phillips 66 station, Phelps avenue, is acting as treasurer of the building fund, and as soon as the desired amount is received, the building, which will be 30 by 40 feet, will be erected.

AT METHODIST CHURCH

All services Sunday will be as usual. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. Leagues 6:45 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m.

We have plenty of stoves. You will keep warm, so don't fear the weather. Everyone welcome. Wishing one and all a Happy Christmas.
 R. B. Freeman, Pastor.

CITY LOANS

**On Residence or
Business Property
Low Rate of Interest
LONG TERMS**

INSURANCE

Of All Kinds

C. H. GROW

Office, South End Main Street

**FIRE
SALE**

Your response to our sale has been wonderful. In fact, so great that we have been unable to wait on everybody. But

FOR THE BALANCE of the SALE

we will have

MORE CLERKS BETTER SERVICE

STOCK BETTER ARRANGED

Don't Miss This Sale!

J. H. CAIN

DRY GOODS

Littlefield

**A Happy Christmas
And
Prosperous New Year**

is our sincere wish to every
 man, woman
 this section of
 South Plains

Yellow

ASK FOR

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LETTERS TO BOYS AND GIRLS

1019 W. 7th
Littlefield Tex

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a girl 11 years old. I want a watch, ring, a doll, and some candy. Don't forget to bring me some candy from the boys from Mack Harris.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 9 years old. I want you to bring me a doll wrist

watch, ring and some fruit, nuts, candy, and a new dress.
To Santa
Foron
Wanda Harris
Okmulgee Okla
Dec 12

Dear Old Santa,
Please bring me a fire truck, a train, cap gun some candy apple oranges nut bananas. Im away out here but im sure he can find me.
Love
Buddy Campbell.
907 N. Grand

Littlefield Tex.
Dec. 1930, 12
Dear Santa Clause,
How are you this year?
I am in the low third grade. Miss Matthews is my teacher, I sure do like her. I will only ask for one thing, and that is sweet little Tickle Toes. Santa Clause I want you to come to our church this year.
Love
Happy Dow

Littlefield, Texas
December 14, 1930
Dear Santa:
I have been a good boy. And have worked hard for two dollars this summer and fall. For Xmas I want a Cow Boy Suit, a automatic cap gun, and canda, nuts, apples, oranges, and bananas.
Your little friend,
Elray Tucker
P. S. I forgot to tell you, but I am a little boy about eight years old, and in the third grade.

Littlefield, Texas.
Star Rt. No 11
December 12, 1930
Dear Santa Clause:
I have been a nice boy and have did my best to make some money. I am a boy of six and in the first grade. I want you to bring me a little tractor, a little train, a stick horse, and plenty of candy.
Your own friend
Hubert.

Dear Santa,
I will not ask for very much.
I want an airgun, a toolchest, and a founpen.
Byron Key Lindley
My little brother Sam Edd wants a wagon airoplaine, train.
thank you
I am a good boy.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec, 12, 1930
Dear Santa;
I'm afraid you wont remember me this Christmas for I haven't been a very good boy.
But if you remember me, I would like to have a little tractor and grader, a mutt and Jeff book, a Teddy Bear, pair skates, pistol and caps, some pop corn, Candies and Fruits
I love you
Troy Davis
Littlefield, Texas

Littlefield, Tex.,
Dec. 9, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a little doll in a truck.
Please bring me a set of dishse.
Please bring me a table and some chair.
Please please bring the poor little girls and boys good things.
I hope you have a merry Christmas.

Amherst, Texas
December 10, 1930.
Dear Santa Clause,
I am a little girl five years old: I have been very good this year. I am going to start to school next year.
Please bring me a pair of garters, doll, doll bed and blanket, and set of A. B. C. blocks. I also want candies and nuts of all kinds.
Your little friend,
Willie Faye Byrd.

Amherst, Texas.
December 10, 1930
Dear Santa Clause:
I am a little boy three years old. My name is Edd Ralph Byrd. I have been a good little boy this year and would like to get candies and all car, doll, ball, and a watch. I also would lik eto get candies and all kinds of fruits and nuts.
Your little friend,
Edd Ralph Byrd.

Amherst, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930
Dear Santa:
Will you, please, bring a toy wrist watch, a doll bed, and some nuts and candy for me.
I am five years old, and have been a good girl.
Bring a doll that won't break for Linda Faye, also nuts and candy, she is one year old.
Be good to the Lamb County Leader folks for mailing my letter to you at the North Pole.
I love you so much,
Minnie Jean Matthews.

Ralls, Texas
December 18,
Dear santy I want a big doll and bring me a wool tam and a paperdoll book to cut out paperdolls out of. and santy I want soom candy and fruit and nuts. Dear santy I will clothes your truly
Odessa Wood
and dont forget my baby sister. Bille Jo.

Ralls, Tex
December 18,
Dear Santa Clause I want a big doll and a little paperdoll book to cut out of and I want you to bring me a wool tam and be sure to bring me soom candy and frut and nuts. and dont for get my little baby sister. Billie Jo and Mildred Wood.

Dear Santa Clause.
We want a doll each, one that we can play with that won't break.
We want some candy, nuts, apples and oranges and a box of sparklers.
Yours truly
Inez and LaVerne Adamson.

1019 W 7th St.
Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 17--1930.

Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little girl six years old.
I want you to bring me a doll, a tooth Brush, dress, furit, nuts and candy, Roberta. I Sallie Thomas Am a little girl 4 years old I want you to Bring me doll, tractor dress some candy nuts fruit.
I Billy Jo I want a tractor. doll and 2 little cars.
Roberta, Sallie Thomas.
Billy Jo Harris.

Anton Texas
Dec. 15, 1930

Dear Santa
We are good little boys so please bring me, "Gilbert," a tricycle and I, Calvin wants a teddy bear and a baby rater. Please dont forget to leave us a few candies and fruits
Your little friends
Gilbert & Calvin Bryant.

Dear Santa Claus.
I want a Cow Boy Suite, beebe gun, Bicycle, wagon, some fire crackers, Boots and a foot Ball.
I will be a good Boy.
Good bye to Santa Claus
Pryor Hammons Jr

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1930.
Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years old. I live six miles southwest of Littlefield. I want you to bring me a doll and some candy, apples, oranges and nuts. Dont forget the other little boys and girls.
Your little Friend
Gleneta Young.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1930
Dear Santa Claus;
I am a little girl five years old. I live three miles north of Littlefield. I want you to bring me a doll and some dishes. some candy, apples, oranges, and nuts. Dont forget my little play-mates Coonie and Buddy.
Your Friend,
Tommie Sue Sisson

Dear Santa Claus;
I want you to bring me a beebe gun some fire crackers, Cow Boy Suite, foot Ball, Boots and a tricycle. I have tried to be a good Boy.
Good bye Santa Claus.
Babe Hammons

Littlefield, Tex.
December 21, 1930
Dear Santa Claus:
I am eight years old. Please bring me a Bible, candy, nuts, and apples.

Don't forget my mother and daddy and grandma and granddad.
I have no brothers or sisters.
Yours truly,
Roberta Frances Biles.
P. S. I live at west first street, house number 515.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent great sorrow, and especially do we thank those who so tenderly cared for Mrs. Barton in her illness. We also thank those who sent such beautiful floral offerings. May you have just such friends to sustain you in your hour of sorrow.
Walker Barton
Mr. and Mrs. Acrey Barton
and relatives.

Trench Mouth Healed
Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Leto's Pyorrhea Remedy heals worst cases if used as directed. It is not a mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee.
Stokes-Alexander Drug Co.

the blessings of the passing year,
the greetings to friends far and
Christmas and a Happy New

Petroleum Company
F. Hargrove, Agent

Say
Christmas to You



to keep up our high standards of
courtesy, and to strive to please our
trons at all times.

CITY SHOE SHOP
J. A. Lilly, Prop.
Littlefield, Texas

has grown old with its burden of
Christmas it always is young."

eculiar something about this season of the year
to affect the entire civilized world; that makes it
er, more generous, beneficent, sympathetic, and
It is just such a spirit as this that prompts us to
not only that you will be able to share in fullest
iversal gladness that abounds, but that the season
ve as a forecast of many pleasant things in store
hout the coming year.

ADLER'S DRUG STORE
"Quality and Service"



Modern Beauty Salon

WISHES YOU A TRULY JOYOUS
CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

realize it has been the wonderful co-oper-
nd patronage of our friends and customers
have contributed to our success in 1930. We
ate the relationship that has existed be-
us in the past, and will continue in 1931 to
very best service possible.

you most heartily for your generous
nd confidence, and hope your loyal
continue for many years to come.

AND MRS. SAM HUTSON

SEASON'S GREETINGS



Nothing can equal in warmth the Christmas greet-
ings we extend to you—or our thankfulness for
your constant co-operation and kind friendship
during the past year.

FARMERS PRODUCE

Littlefield R. E. Biles, Mgr.



**MAY THIS CHRISTMAS
BE YOUR HAPPIEST—**

—and the coming years bring to you all the joys
that a friend could wish a friend.

For six years we have been extending our sin-
cere best wishes . . . each year with increasing
pleasure.

We believe in Littlefield—Lamb county, and
the South Plains, and it is a matter of great
pleasure to have the privilege of serving the peo-
ple of this city and district.



CUENOD'S DRY GOODS CO.



The Christmas Story Retold

The "Beautiful Gates" were opened
And each Seraph's head bent low
For a Saviour had been promised
And God's Holy Son must go.

For men were lost in the desert
Of sorrow and sin and shame
And only a Heavenly Shepherd's love
Could bring them home again.

Down to the rock-hewn manger,
In the Town of Bethlehem;
While the guiding star was shining,
God sent Heaven's fairest gem.

Then a virgin's heart was gladdened
With the sweetest joy of earth;
While Herald Angel sang to men
Of a glorious Saviour's birth.

And the wise men of the Orient,
Whose knowledge Herod sought;
To the cradle of the Christ Child
Their cherished treasures brought.

Through the solemn hush of midnight
Came a message sweet and clear;
That down through all the ages
Men's weary souls will cheer.

It was the sweetest of all stories
To the wandering shepherds told,
As they, on Judea's hilltops,
Guarded the gates of the fold.

A story of God's great mercy,
Of a love that will last for aye;
Until earth's dark night of sorrow
Shall end in perfect day.

When the "Gates of Light" swing open,
And we see the Crucified One;
May we all in God's bright Heaven,
Hear our Saviour's glad "Well done."

—Mrs. Lena Howard.



Many Attend Union Christmas Service

Regardless of the cold and snow last Sunday evening the union service at the First Baptist church was well attended. The choir was made up of singers from the different churches of the town and each of them seemed to be at their best. The choir was directed by Mr. Happy Jordan.

Miss Naomi Freenan read to the delight of the audience and doubtless many letters went back to the folks at home Monday morning to give Christmas cheer as a result of the reading.

Very much to the regret of the congregation was the announcement that Miss Sue Brannen was ill and would not be able to take her part on the program. Miss Brannen is an excellent reader, and is always willing

to assist on such programs when possible.

The last but by no means the least on the program was the address by the Rev. R. B. Freeman. Mr. Freeman is in his second year as pastor of the Methodist church, and stands willing and anxious to take part in all services for the betterment of mankind and the forward going of the Gospel of our blessed Christ. May many more such services be held in our town.

Thank Public

Regarding the Christmas mailing this year, we wish to state that it has exceeded all expectations. It was necessary that we stack sacks on the outside of the building in order that we might be able to work on the inside. Realizing that we have been severely handicapped on account of insufficient space, we want to thank the public for their patience during this rush.

—Post Office Force.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tunnell and J. W. Arnn, and W. W. Latham of Charlotte, N. C., attended the funeral of J. H. Arnn of Oklahoma City, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Tunnell, who died recently. Mr. Latham, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Tunnell, was visiting at the Tunnell home at the time the announcement of Mr. Arnn's death was received in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones, Jr., were overjoyed at being able to bring their little son, Tommy, home from the Lubbock sanitarium last week. He has been ill over six weeks. Though much improved he is still under the doctor's care.

T. P. Wright, who is taking treatments at the Scott and White hospital in Temple, Texas, is feeling much better. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is able to take some nourishment, and is getting stronger.

Mr. C. E. Willis, who has been in the Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minn., for some time, taking treatment, has returned home. His many friends will be glad to know he is feeling fine again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberson, accompanied by Mrs. R. L. Busher, are visiting Mrs. Busher's daughter, Mrs. Henry Ross, at Kerens, Texas. They will return to Littlefield after Christmas.

Miss Dixie Durfee, secretary of the J. C. Harris Hardware and Implement company, was in Hobbs, N. M., on business for her firm for several days, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hazel and daughter, Juanita, left Saturday for Cisco and Eastland to spend the holidays.

The Rev. Mr. Grizzle and Mrs. Grizzle attended the Lubbock Association Workers' council at Slaton recently.

Mrs. Stella Murphy of Lubbock spent Friday here visiting her uncle, George Buchanan, who is very ill at the residence of Ben Smith.

Mr. J. H. Ham of Altus, Okla., cousin of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ewins, is in Littlefield with his family, looking for a suitable business location.

Mrs. T. Wade Potter left Sunday for Fort Worth to spend the Christmas holidays. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Evelyn Phelps.

Santa's Airship

HA! Santa Claus is up to date;
He's sold his reindeer team.
He even thinks a motor car
old fashioned now would seem.
A brand new airship he has got;
the very latest thing;
And, oh! a gorgeous load of toys
old Santa's ship can bring.
And if, the night ere Christmas dawns,
you wake and rub your eyes,
And peer across the chimney tops
far down the starry skies,
Who knows? You may see Santa's
ship a-skimming thro' the air,
Just show'ring dolls and skates,
and drums on children ev'rywhere.
—The Gentlewoman.

doctor had said. "Rest and nourishment—that's all she needs."

But a difficulty soon arose. Harvey insisted that he would pay all.

"That is not sensible, Harvey," Freda told him. "It is just pride—or sentiment—which ever you like. I have plenty of money, and you have your way to make in business. Let me pay the bills."
"That is just pride, too," he retorted. But in the end they divided the account.

As Freda drove homeward Harvey sat beside her, wonderfully happy. And the funny thing was it was all so unreasonable. He had lost a night's sleep and given away a lump of money—strange doing for a business man always guided by his intelligence—and he was so absurdly happy over it.

"You know, Harvey," Freda said, when she drew up at her door, "I think you uttered a great truth tonight when you called me on the telephone."
She had nestled close beside him and her presence seemed to bewitch his memory.

"Did I?" he asked. "I don't remember. What did I say?"
"Can't you remember—dear?"
"No—dear."

"You said," and she faced him very coyly, "you said, 'Freda, I need you.'"
And the next moment Harvey Dane was behaving in the most emotional manner in all his young life.

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The First Christmas Card
The first Christmas card was published eighty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Howard of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones recently.

Miss Daisy Ross has gone to Lubbock to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thaxton of Levelland were in Littlefield on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Matthews made a business trip to Tulsa Thursday.

J. H. Hutson of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutson Saturday.

W. C. Thaxton and L. W. Jordan went shooting recently.

The temperature of the hot refrigerator, in the milk compartment, should be kept at or below 45 degrees Fahrenheit, if possible. Refrigerator is used to retard the development of bacteria in milk, and above this temperature, bacterial growth is



it has been our pleasure to participate in the growth of this city and we have also been our pleasure to see an increasing number of people.

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation of your patronage, and

Wish Everybody, Even

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

and

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Stokes & Alexander D

THE Rexall ST

"In Business For Your Health"



Your Co-operation and Good Will

---has been abundant

WORDS cannot express how much we appreciate the splendid co-operation extended us since we purchased the Lamb County Leader about five months ago.

WE HAVE been favored with a good volume of advertising and job printing, and the people of this city and district have actively assisted us by furnishing news. What better co-operation could any newspaper ask!

YOU have manifested your faith in us, and we, in turn, have endeavored to publish a good newspaper.

WITH such wonderful co-operation, we will enter the New Year determined to render better service from week to week. Always our aim will be to do our full share in building a great Littlefield—in aiding you in the further development of Lamb County and the South Plains.

WE EARNESTLY solicit a continuance of your co-operation, and extend to you the

SEASON'S GREETINGS

THE LAMB COUNTY LEADER

Morley B. Drake

Ethel M. Drake

MANY GOOD WISHES TO MY CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS



For this Christmas Season. May Prosperity and Happiness be yours for the coming year.

SPECIALS FOR CHRISTMAS AND THE REST OF THE WEEK

- FLOUR, 48 lbs., every sack guaranteed \$1.25
- BREAKFAST BACON, lb. 27c
- CHEESE, lb. 27c
- CHRISTMAS CANDY, mixed, lb. 20c
- Mixed, lb. 20c
- CAKE, 1 1/2 lb., Each 90c

CAMP DIXIE

1/2 Mile West on Highway No. 7.
E. M. BOTSFORD, Prop.

4-H Pantry Work

Some few years ago I heard an expression like this: "There are five lives and all one has to do is take a container from each shelf, and she has a balanced meal." It did sound wonderful and easy that I have tried to arrange my "five shelves" since.

It is wonderful, easy and true after the containers filled and on the shelves. There is much work and time in filling your containers. I realized for some time that I did not eat enough leafy vegetables and more especially in the winter because there were other things to eat better, and other things more plentiful too.

I wanted to use a well balanced diet every day through the year, as near as I could. I realized this could be done, by canning the surplus from our garden, much cheaper than from the shelves in the grocery stores. And I have for a long time wanted to can the many things I could see in the stores in tin cans. But there were many things I did not know how to can so they would keep. I did not have a pressure cooker and had never used one. And if I were to can these many things there were two things I needed very badly; a pressure cooker and information on how and what to can.

My husband gave me pressure cooker and sealer for a Christmas gift—as a time saver and to make my work

Box Supper Is Held At Spade School

A box supper, for the purpose of obtaining funds with which to purchase school ground equipment for the new Spade school, was held at the school last Thursday night. The women of the district prepared box suppers, which were auctioned, and Littlefield business concerns contributed articles which also were sold under the hammer. Col. M. L. Lynn, Littlefield auctioneer, and his clerk, Jim Harless, gave their services free in conducting the auction.

lighter, but we have found it makes us work more, too. Our home demonstration agent helped me to work out a canning budget—just how many quarts of the different classes of foods. She has always been willing and ready to give information when needed. We had a lesson on preservation of fruits and vegetables in our club work, which was a great help to me. It showed me how to start with my canning.

After my canning budget was made I was to can 372 quarts of food. My, doesn't that sound like oodles for two people for six months' time. By the good help and encouragement of my husband and our agent I have canned over 400 quarts. There were many times when it looked like there wasn't anything to can—I had to race with the chickens, wind and dry weather, but just a little beet tops, lettuce, radish tops, turnip greens and mustard soon fills a few more quarts.

I find I have a much greater variety than I thought I could possibly can any year much less a year like this. We find our living expenses are much less since we canned for there isn't much to buy. We have it at home, thank you.

I had my first look at a model 4-H pantry while attending short course at A. & M. college this summer. It surely was good looking. I have worked even harder since then to fulfill my budget.

When the canning is finished there are many other things to be done. I find we have so much canned foods we would never be able to eat them in six months if I didn't work out some menus. And many recipes to try out menus. And many new recipes to try out to find new ways to cook the same foods. So the recipe file was to be made.

It has meant much extra work every day and some nights, to get everything finished—so it has not saved much time. However, in my recipes, menus, etc., I feel that I will be repaid and it will give me much extra time this winter and even for years to come.

Our 4-H pantry work has not only affected us but our neighbors and friends as well. They have been very much interested—watching, helping waiting and wanting to know when I have finished so they may see everything that has been done. And there are more and more all the time who show interest and I think another year we can see some marked effects of this year's pantry for there are more who will want to can according to a well planned budget.

It has been much work, but pleasure too, and such good eating all winter and until garden comes again.

I have canned 95 quarts of leafy vegetables, including 14 varieties, 40 quarts starchy vegetables, including only three starchy foods; 75 quarts fruit including 10 varieties, 60 quarts protein foods including 4 varieties of meat, relish and pickles, 28 quarts of 11 varieties preserves, jams, jellies, 39 quarts 14 varieties; 50 quarts tomatoes and tomato juice, 40 quarts other canned foods including hominy, sea foods and whole wheat.

Our pantry will later have at least 250 pounds cured pork, over 200 pounds of beef, canned steak, roast loaf, stew, chili and potted meat—some corned and some dried, and canned English plum pudding.

Pantry contains—
Value\$321.80
Expense 20.50
\$301.30

French pancakes are often served for dessert. Make a batter consisting of 2 eggs, 1 1/2 cups of milk, 1 cup of flour, 1 teaspoon of sugar, 2 table-spoons melted butter, 1 teaspoon baking powder, and 1/2 teaspoon salt. Bake on a hot griddle in rather large cakes. When done, spread each one at once with a mixture of butter and any preferred jelly roll like a jelly roll, and sprinkle with powdered sugar. Serve immediately.

Under no circumstances should milk be placed in a refrigerator in an open pitcher, bottle, or other uncovered container. It should be tightly stoppered and should not be opened until immediately before use. If only a part of the bottle is used, the cap should be replaced.

Home Demonstration Women Building Hot Beds in Gardens

COLLEGE STATION—More than 200 hot beds have been built in the gardens of home demonstration club women in Northwest Texas, according to Miss Myrtle Murray, district agent in the Extension Service, who is helping to popularize the slogan, "Three feet square of hot bed per person for every family." Another slogan originating with a Floyd county woman expresses a determination for "Three green vegetables on the Christmas dinner table out of the home hot bed."

Besides providing fresh vegetables in freezing weather, hot beds have been found to hasten the early spring garden enough to permit profitable sales of early vegetables. Another feature has been cited by Mrs. R. A. Ritchie, Hubbard community home demonstration club woman in Stephens county. She will never be at the mercy of a drouth again, she declares, because she can water a small summer garden in her hot bed and protect it from heat also.

Many of these hot beds have been made from native stone in Young county, Miss Murray states, and a number in other counties from concrete. Some use ordinary glass windows although the practice is growing of using a non-breakable or easily mended glass on account of hail storms. These hot beds are built three feet wide with three feet of length for each person in the family.

Every county in Miss Murray's district has at least one hot bed, with Dickens county reporting 100, Young county 40 and Haskell county 33.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Dr. D. T. Jordan of Hawley, Tex., spent a few days in Littlefield this week visiting his son, Carl Jordan. Dr. Jordan was a guest of Dr. J. D. Simpson at Tuesday's luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce.

We wish to thank our customers and friends for their good will and friendship in the past, and say

It's more than Merry Christmas That we are wishing you. It's bright and Happy Every day The coming twelve months thru.

HOME BAKERY



May These Choice Blessings Be Yours—
Health - Happiness - Prosperity

These are our greetings to our friends and patrons at this glad season—not, however, without first pausing to thank you for your patronage in 1930, and to hope the same kind of relationship and support will continue in the future.

STREET & STREET

Insurance and Loans

Christmas New Year CAFE

bus season of the year

Thank our friends and patrons for their business and success which they made possible for us in 1930.

With that friendly spirit of good will and warm wishes for you the New Year and warm good will of a Merry Christmas.



HARRIS HARDWARE & IMPLEMENTS

GREETINGS

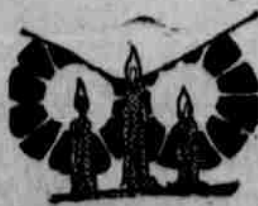
To the people of this community we wish a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. We also wish to take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation of your patronage and support in the past, and to express the hope that we may have the same pleasant relations in the future.

LITTLEFIELD HATCHERY

You Enjoy a Merry Christmas

May the New Year of 1931 make up to you for any disappointments 1930 may have brought you, filling your cup of cheerfulness—overflowing—is our wish.

EFFRIES MERCANTILE CO.



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

The Spirit of Christmas opens wide the doors of house and heart, spreads the welcoming feast, and lights the yule-log fire.

In that friendly spirit of good will, we send greetings, and wish for you the heartfelt peace and warm good will of a true

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And we wish to add that the same friendly co-operation which you have enjoyed from our bank will continue throughout 1931, and the years to come.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

GROCERY GUILD M-SYSTEM

We wish one and all a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous New Year. We also take this opportunity to express to you our appreciation of your past year's business, and to express the wish to serve you in 1931, and to make many new friends and customers.

Our aim is always to give you the most of the best for the least. As prices decline we immediately pass them on to the customer. Two stores for your convenience—M System, Grocery Guild. Check the prices below for your food requirements:

PRICES FOR SATURDAY ONLY

POTATOES 10 Pounds **17 1/2c**

SALMON A Real Pink No. 1 Tall 2 for 25c	SPINACH Libby's No. 2 Can 14c	PEACHES Hilldale No. 2 1/2 Can 16c	APRICOTS Rosedale, in heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 Can 25c
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MATCHES, Winner, 6 boxes 12 1/2c	PLUMS, Green Gage, No. 10 Can 47c
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FLOUR Snow White Satisfaction Guaranteed (Limit 5 Sacks) 48 Pound Sack **\$1.12**

PORK & BEANS, 3 cans 25c	PICKLES, Happyvale, Qt. Sour 25c
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SOUP Campbell's 3 Cans 29c	SUGAR Powdered or Brown 1 Lb. Pkg 10c	LYE Hudson 2 Cans 19c	PRUNES 5 Pounds 49c
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Shortening Swift Jewel 8 Pound Pail Limit one to customer **84c**

STEAK, per pound

HAMBURGER and CHILL, per pound

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In case of errors or omissions in local or other advertisements, the publisher does not hold himself liable for damage further than the amount received by him for such advertisement.

GOOD ROADS FOR 1931

In a great many states effort is being made to accelerate public works building as a cure for unemployment.

Roads are the leading factor in any program of this kind. Their construction gives work to thousands of needy persons at good wages—and the cost of the work is returned many times over to states and communities. Good roads are not an expense but an investment which pays a high rate of dividends.

At present, particular attention is being paid to rural roads. It is a rare farmer who is assured of a year-round weatherproof artery of communication between his farm and a main highway. Increased farm road appropriations not only remedy this, but provide an additional source of revenue to a multitude of farmers and farm employes.

New York, California and other states have pointed the way. A move is on foot to increase the federal government's appropriations. The farm-to-market road movement should take a long jump forward in 1931.

MOTHERS AND BABIES

Five thousand babies a day are born in the United States. About a hundred of each day's baby crop die before they are a month old. About fifty of the five thousand daily mothers die in childbirth. Most of these deaths can be prevented, if proper care is taken, according to medical and social authorities who have been studying the subject.

It would be hard to imagine a more useful work than the spreading of knowledge about the prevention of this unnecessary toll of deaths. That is being undertaken by a group of public-spirited men and women, who are establishing maternity centers in various parts of the country, to which any expectant mother can go and receive sound advice and help.

It will take a long time to get the entire population into the habit of taking special precautions against the perils of childbirth. The human race been having babies for a long time, and most people regard it as a natural process about which there is nothing special to be done. But it remains that in our civilized United States the death-rate in maternity is higher than it is anywhere in Europe, where the subject has long been treated as a serious one.

THE CHILDREN'S SEASON

Christmas is, of all times of the year, the children's season. The giving of presents to children at Christmas time is as old as Christianity itself, for it was begun by the three Wise Men of the East who came to Bethlehem, where the Child lay in the manger, bringing gifts.

It is easy to forget what it is that Christmas commemorates. It is easy to think of it merely as a holiday time, a time when there is a great deal of shopping to be done, when the stores are crowded and everybody is busy wrapping up Christmas packages, and the postmen are overloaded and grown-ups as well as children are looking forward expectantly to see what they are going to get for Christmas presents.

The spirit of Christmas is, or should be, the spirit of universal love, of good will between all mankind. Christmas marks the anniversary of the setting aside of the old laws of vengeance and hatred, of blind even justice regardless of mercy. We too often forget that. We forget that the message which the Heavenly host brought to earth eight nearly two thousand years ago was a message of love and joy. We meet and prosper that we should exchange presents among our loved ones, but the greatest joy of Christmas time comes from the joy we give the children. Joy for the children, even greater joy for the grown-ups. Whatever our own state of happiness or sorrow, we grown-ups owe it to ourselves, to the spirit and tradition which Christmas commemorates, and to the children themselves, to see that every one of them, at last, has a Merry Christmas.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

May the treasure ship of olden times, so may Christmas come to you laden with all that will make for your happiness throughout the year.

W. H. HEINEN

Feed Coal Grain Produce



HEALTH . . . HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY

Best wishes for you on this Christmas day. Losing of another chapter in the book of time, we write prosperity on each page. May you find a guiding light to success.

NIGHT SERVICE STATION

The Home of 24-Hour Service"



UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD

With so many
thankful for
can't count
sings,

we thank you
sincerely for you
them, and very
Happy Christmas

LITTLEFIELD
TAILOR

Hereford Business Man Enthused At Littlefield's Growth

Matt Gilliland, who is in the furniture and undertaking business in Hereford, visited Littlefield Thursday for the first time in five years.

Mr. Gilliland, who is very favorably impressed with this section, enthused greatly over the wonderful growth and development of Littlefield and this territory in the past few years. He said he never witnessed a city build up and grow like Littlefield has, in such a short time.

RAISE MONEY FOR MISSIONS

Money for foreign missions was raised through a Christmas tree sale which was conducted at Hammons Brothers by the Junior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church. Each member of the organization donated three packages, and they were sold from the tree.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker and baby daughter, Jane, left recently for Philadelphia, where they will make their home for the next few months.

MERRY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



all in simple rhyme. Sincere, hearty, true and cordial, to last as long as time.

J. W. PURSER

Successor to Key & Horn

SEASON'S GREETINGS

We take unbounded pleasure in extending to each and every one of you our sincere wish for a

Merry Christmas A Happy New Year

LITTLEFIELD VARIETY STORE

An Old Sincere Wish Ever New — A Merry Christmas to You

. . . from every member of this organization. They have worked faithfully to serve you . . . and at this glad season of the year join in wishing for you the most joyous Christmas . . . a day of ever increasing significance.

WE SINCERELY thank you for your patronage and wish you all a HAPPY NEW YEAR TOO.

FIRST STATE BANK

Littlefield

Texas

AS THE NEW YEAR

FOLLOWS THE OLD . . .

Likewise our pledge of giving the best of service to our patrons continues through another year. With all sincerity we are thankful to each of you for the wonderful patronage sent our way. May you enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year is our wish for you.

GRAND DRUG STORE

"The Drug Store of Littlefield"



Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

Had we the skill of Shakespeare, it would be hard for us to find a better phrase conveying our emotions than this simple one that has been said so often.

G. & S. SERVICE STATION

Women's Interest - Social Events

quickly. Then many beautiful gifts were presented to the hostess in a unique manner. Following the program dainty refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate and angel food cake, were served following guests and club members.

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB RECEIVES TWO NEW MEMBERS
The Woman's Study club met Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the club room. Twenty members and one visitor, Miss Evelyn Phelps, were present.

Miss Horn extended a hearty invitation to the Junior Study club members to be present at her wedding Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spinks.

LEGION AUXILIARY AIDS VETERANS
The auxiliary of Richard New Post, American Legion, conducted a sale at Hammons Brothers store to raise money in aid of the World War disabled veterans, and children of veterans. The local auxiliary sold candies, pies, dressed hens, eggs, preserves, and other items of food.

HOSTESS TO O. E. S. OFFICERS
One of the prettiest parties of the holidays was that given by Miss Lula Hubbard in honor of her O. E. S. officers and their husbands and wives at the home of Mrs. E. A. Bills, Friday, December 16. The house was beautifully decorated with the O. E. S. colors combined with Christmas colors and bells. Progressive forty-two was the game of the evening. Mr. J. M. Stokes, winning high score for the men, received a lovely cigarette holder. Mrs. S. J. Farquhar, winning for the ladies, received a beautiful candle holder with a bottle of perfume as the candle. After refreshments, a beautifully decorated Christmas tree was unloaded. Each guest present received a toy of some kind.

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birthday party, and also the annual Rosebud party. Every member is urged to be present and bring a gift for your Rosebud. Mrs. Sadler will be hostess for the party.

LAFF-A-LOTT CLUB ENTERTAINED AT AMHERST
Members of the Laff-A-Lott club met at Amherst Thursday in the home of Mrs. Tom Matthews. Gifts were distributed from a tree, and the afternoon was spent in sewing. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Earl White, Alf Wright, John Porter, Carl Smith, Floyd Wynn, Reda Evans, Saunders Mills, R. V. Armstrong, Jim Davenport, Luke Hargrove, Otis Jorgenson, and a guest, Mrs. C. H. Matthews.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH LADIES MEET IN CLASS ROOM
The ladies of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon in their class room for a prayer service and business hour. In the absence of their president, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, who has gone for a brief visit to her old home town, Mrs. Joe Grizzle presided in a very able and pleasing manner. Mrs. Walthall conducted the devotional, reading the beautiful story of the coming of the Christ child.

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The true spirit of the happy season reigned in every heart, and rang in the glad tones of every voice, as the ladies planned their Christmas program. "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men," was the key-note throughout the evening, and many of the "little children" so dear to the great loving compassionate heart of our Savior, will be gladdened on His birthday by tokens of love and remembrance sent to their homes by those who find their sweetest joy in serving and honoring "The Prince of Peace."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
And again we come to the end of another glorious year. How fitting that on this the last Sunday, we take our places to offer our thanks to our heavenly Father for all his blessings, and to look into the coming year and set our faces to the task ahead.

Our Sunday services will be as usual.

9:45—Sunday school. A word to you men. We are going forward in the men's class. We need you. We must have fifty men in this class. Sunday school is not a place for women and children alone but a place for big manly men. Does that mean you?

11:00—Worship in song.
11:30—Morning sermon. Subject, Our face toward Jerusalem.
6:15—B. Y. P. U. general assembly in main auditorium.
7:00—Evening worship.
Through the kindness of the Lamb County Leader we will publish this

calendar for the whole month of January next week.

We call attention now to the Roll Call Wednesday evening, January 7. Plan now to attend this meeting. The revival at the Methodist church will be in progress, but as this service was planned some time ago, and is perfectly understood by the Methodist minister and congregation, there will

be no conflict. Let every Baptist attend the Roll call. This program will also be published next week.

Joe F. Grizzle, pastor.

Mrs. Jean Deane has returned to her home in Lamesa after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Orgain and Mr. Orgain.

The Season's Greetings

TO OUR MANY CUSTOMERS

AMARILLO SCHEDULE SERVICE
By Franks & Graham Truck Lines
Littlefield Headquarters—Porter Produce
Phone 86

LITTLEFIELD TRUCK LINE

Littlefield -Daily- Lubbock
Phone 169 Phone 166

SHIP BY TRUCK



It is with appreciation and good will that we wish you A MERRY CHRISTMAS and PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR. We also desire to thank all our customers and friends for the happiness and success of 1930, which were made possible by your patronage and friendship, and we crave a continuance of that valuable asset, Goodwill, during 1931.

HAMMONS BROTHERS

During the glad season



we never fail to realize that it has been the patronage of our friends which has contributed to our success. To all we extend the Season's greetings, and say "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year."

RED & WHITE STORES

ROY T. SHOTWELL, Prop.



TO ALL who have favored us with their good will we esteem this occasion a priceless privilege to express our appreciation, and wish everybody a MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THAXTON BROS. HARDWARE

A MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR

Just the same old greeting at the Yuletide season. But into those words go our sincere wish for your happiness, your health, and your prosperity.

We wish to take this opportunity to express again our appreciation to you who, through your co-operation and patronage, have made our business possible.

Higginbotham-Bartlett Comp

Littlefield

PHON PLUMBING CO.

Merry Christmas

Many Friends and Customers

whose patronage and friendship we hope to have, Season's Greetings, and wish you a MERRY and a HAPPY AND PROSPEROUS NEW YEAR.

BADGER AUTO SERVICE

WITH JOY
ING OF THE NEW YEAR

are wishing for you a Merry Christmas a happy, prosperous coming twelve. We thank you for your generous patronage your loyal support will continue for us to come.

RENFRO BROS. GROCERY
Littlefield, Texas

g you a
Christmas and a
New Year



ank you for your past patronage . . . and the happiness of retaining old friends and new ones.

WM. CAMERON & COMPANY

Our sincerest wishes for a
MERRY CHRISTMAS
and a
HAPPY NEW YEAR

many thanks for your co-operation and patronage during the year which is drawing to a close.

MOVING TIME SPECIALS

and after January 1 we will be in our new home location now occupied by the G & H Grocery, opposite our present store.

Watch our window signs for specials for this Saturday

BOB & WILL
GROCERY & MARKET

e 189

We Deliver



DAY & NIGHT TOURIST CAMP

W. MATTHEWS, Prop.

If all our Christmas wishes
For your future come true
You will have wealth, health and happiness
And success in all you do.



We feel very keenly that our patrons are our partners, and that our success is but a reflection of your good will. To each and all we extend Christmas Greetings and good wishes for a prosperous New Year.

CHISHOLM'S STUDIO

Lamb County Citizen

to Olton, and from here... A large crew of men... in Olton to work on the... ew local line will be run... on to Fieldton, 10 miles... and six west; and a local line... be in service from the Olton ex... ange east 12 miles to Halfway... he Granada theater has recently

made extensive improvements in their sound equipment, making their talking features much better. "A Scream in the Dars," was presented by the faculty of Olton schools last Thursday in their annual play at the high school auditorium. A good program and a large attendance were reported.

Christian. Introduction, O... Making Christmas Christ... Thadford; What Christmas... (a) A Time To Glorify... (b) A Time of Joy, Cloice Malone; (c) A Time of Peace, Myrtle Nance; (d) A Time of Worship, George Mealer; (e) A Time of Giving, Mary Kate Lightsey; (f) A Time of Witnessing, Inez Crow.

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ANTON

Anton's resident were awakened in the early morning of Tuesday of last week by the shots of the night watchman to discover the Gilbert gin on fire. It was a total loss.

It is reported that the Cotton Co-operative association here has received over 1000 bales of this year's crop, and expect to receive quite a few more before the season closes.

At the last meeting of the Chamber of Commerce it was decided that Anton needed a pound for loose stock for protection of the residents, who have feed exposed to the ravages of outside stock. R. T. Hammit, who is now the pound man, was elected to the job of impounding the stock, and he will charge for all stock he takes up.

Home Demonstration Activities

There were 275 women who entered the national canning contest from Lamb county. These women competed with women from 36 states. Mrs. Charles Reynolds of Olton won \$5.00 on a jar of meat, Mrs. V. M. Peterman of Rocky Ford won \$1.00 on a jar of snap peas.

There are 32 women in Lamb county entering the living room contest for 1931. These rooms will be scored early in January by Mrs. Barth Milligan and Mrs. Neil Duffy of Amherst.

We are particularly glad to have these women do the improvement at this time as it will give them an excellent opportunity to show what can be done toward making a comfortable and attractive room with what we have on hand and the wise expenditure of money.

Mrs. V. B. Pierce of the Lums Chapel community is going to refinish and improve her entire house. This will be Mrs. Pierce's outstanding club work for the year. It will be a demonstration that will not only benefit that community but the entire county and many near by.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB MEETS

The Friendship Club met at Friendship church Friday, December 12. We quilted a quilt for an orphanage, exchanged some patterns, and attended to some other business.

Fifteen members and five visitors were present.

Our next meeting will be at Mrs. Harvey's January 9, 1931. Visitors are invited.

—Reporter.

AMHERST

The Parent Teachers' association had a very interesting meeting at the school building Thursday, December 10. After an interesting program a short business session was held, in which it was decided that the first Thursday in each month will be the regular business meeting date. On the third Thursday in each month an evening program will be held.

Mayor E. B. Luce, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is doing nicely, and it is expected he will be able to be home for Christmas.

The local public school, closed here last Friday for Christmas vacation, and will reopen Monday, December 29.

RUBY CLUB WILL MEET WITH MRS. JOHN MOODY

The Ruby home demonstration club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Moody on January 1, and all members are urged to be present. We will get our year books that day. Miss Ruby Mashburn will be with us. We want to make our club a better one next year.

—Reporter.

LUM'S CHAPEL

(Too Late for Last Week)

The people are trying to finish gathering their crops despite the weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiston Holmes and baby of Amarillo are visiting his father, O. A. Holmes.

Mrs. Grace Carey gave a slumber party Saturday night. There were six girls present.

Misses Lois Hodges and Valarie Humphries, and Mrs. Carey, took dinner with Miss Mary Kate Lightsey, Sunday.

Misses Marie Banks, Inez and Myrtle Nance, and Cloice Malone visited Miss Iris New, Sunday.

Mrs. Nance is improving slowly. Miss Sudie Lightsey took dinner with Miss Inez Crow Sunday.

There will be a Christmas tree here, Wednesday night, December 24. The program will begin at 7:00 p. m., promptly. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Malone took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges Sunday.

Vaneta Hodges and Essie Lou Malone visited Dorothy James Sunday.

Annie Mae Malone visited Melba Holmes.

B. Y. P. U. program Sunday, Dec. 21: Subject—Mak

GREETINGS

CO.
Greasing

MOBILES!

First class manner
LOW COST

TOPS UPHOLSTERING
DUCCO PAINTING

Your Wreck

BENDER & BODY WORKS

Court House 1001 Avenue H
LUBBOCK, TEXAS
"Living With The South Plains"

**CHRISTMAS COMES BUT ONCE A YEAR
BUT ITS FRIENDLY SPIRIT IS EVER NEAR**

Your patronage has proved that to us and we are as grateful for it as we are sincere in wishing you happiness equal to ours.

B. & M. CASH GROCERY

WE CLOSE SUNDAYS

Happy Christmas

Start the P

Our Greeting to You

We are thankful for our business relations during the past year, and feel it is but a reflection of your good will and patronage.

It is our sincere wish that the coming year may, through your co-operation and friendship, be filled with those pleasant relations which have been our privilege during the year which is now drawing to a close.

Our good will and best wishes are yours throughout the Yuletide season and the coming years.

Tex Utilities Co.

Littlefield, Texas

Greetings of the Season

LITTLEFIELD

1930

LITTLEFIELD SEEN AS RAIL, DISTRIBUTING C

Sadler Is Elected As Chamber of Commerce Head

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ROBBERS CHOOSE THEIR LOOT; ESCAPE AFTER ENTERING LOCAL GAS STA

Robbers were successful in
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Sunday morning.

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touched.

SHERIFF-ELECT G. R. CRIM NAMES DEPUTY, JAILED

Sheriff-elect G. R. (Bob) Cr
who will take office January
nounced Wednesday that Bob
formerly of Paint Rock,
county, will be head deputy,
T. L. (Tom) Matthews, will
and bookkeeper in the s
fice.

Mr. Miller, whose com
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comes to the law enforce
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est of recommendations. He
an officer for 27 years, eigh
of that time sheriff of Concho
Mr. Matthews has resided in
field for many years, and is well
known and highly regarded by the
residents of this city and county.

HIGHWAY PROJECTS TO BE FOSTERED BY BOOSTER GROUP

HIGHWAYS TO PORTALES AND HALE CENTER IN PROGRAM

Particular attention will be given by the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce to the development and improvement of roads serving Littlefield.

One of the projects will be the development of a road, which will connect with the Hale Center highway at the Lamb county line. A special committee consisting of Pat Boone, J. E. Brannen and J. H. Hilbun, was appointed at Tuesday's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to take immediate action toward bringing about the construction of this road.

J. E. Brannen has done considerable work in the bringing about of a good highway between Littlefield and Portales.

A proposal was made at Tuesday's luncheon that metal signs be erected designating the routes leading to Littlefield. Action on this matter will probably be taken in the near future.

Littlefield Hunters Return Successful From Deer Hunt

Hary W. Wiseman, Charles Harless and A. M. Dunagin returned Friday from a deer hunt in Real county. They brought back two bucks, one a 10-point, the other a six-point.

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National Guard Unit For Littlefield Urged

Death Takes Wife Of Local Lawyer

Mrs. Walker Barton, 37 years of age, and the wife of a Littlefield attorney, died Saturday. She had been ill for some time.

Mrs. Barton, whose maiden name was Viedella Goodman, was reared and lived for some time in Stephenville, Erath county, where she and Mr. Barton married. They later moved to Bertram, Burnett county, where Mr. Barton practiced law until coming to Littlefield about four months ago. Mrs. Barton has been in ill health for some time, and it was mainly in the hope that this climate would improve her health that Mr. Barton brought her to the South Plains.

Surviving Mrs. Barton, in addition to her husband, are two children, Robert Dale, aged 9, and Ivadell, aged 7; her father, Ben Goodman, and brother Grady Goodman of Stephenville, Tex. Mr. Barton, Mr. Goodman and Mrs. and Mrs. Acree Barton accompanied the remains Saturday to Bertram, Texas, and burial took place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 in Shady Grove cemetery, about seven miles from Bertram.

Hammons Brothers had charge of arrangements here. Mr. Barton will remain in Bertram until after the new year. The children, Robert Dale and Ivadell Barton, will make their home with Mr. Barton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Barton of Bertram.

PEACE STRENGTH UNIT WOULD GIVE THIS CITY ARMORY

PROPOSAL IS ENDORSED BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The necessary steps are being taken toward the establishing of a National Guard unit in Littlefield.

E. L. Smith, who lives southwest of Littlefield, addressed a luncheon meeting Tuesday of the Chamber of Commerce, asking that body to go on record as favoring the establishment of a National Guard unit for this city and district. The chamber voted in favor of the project.

Mr. Smith said that the establishing of a National Guard company in Littlefield at peace strength would automatically bring about the building of an armory. He also said that it would put approximately \$1200 in circulation annually, and that members of the unit would have several weeks in camp each summer free of all charge.

J. E. Brannen, and Dr. R. M. Walthall, commander of Richard New Post of the American Legion, spoke in favor of the establishing of the National Guard company. Dr. Walthall said that he felt safe in saying that the local legion post would give its wholehearted support to the project.

Mr. Smith will take up the matter with the post in the immediate future.

Postoffice Here Is Busy Place

The busiest place in Littlefield at this time is the postoffice.

"It was necessary that we stack sacks on the outside of the building, in order that we might be able to work on the inside," said Mr. Brannen.

"We have been seriously handicapped on account of insufficient space, and we want to thank the public for their patience during the rush of Christmas mailing," he said.

Mr. Brannen reported that the "last minute rush" was greater this year than last year, and that the local office sold more stamps and registered more packages Monday than on any day in the history of the Littlefield postoffice.

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Retiring der as Ren- able

R. E. McCaskill, who has served as president of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce since last summer, Tuesday tendered his resignation. He is succeeded by F. G. Sadler.

Mr. McCaskill, who has been very active in civic affairs, is partially retired to others the work he has done. This action has been taken by the Chamber of Commerce on the advice of an

it recent large project in Littlefield. Mr. McCaskill has been active in effort to bring about the construction of the proposed T. & P. N., obtaining favorable action on the matter by the Interstate Commission.

Chamber of Commerce Tuesday that a resolution of appreciation be prepared and handed to

kill was elected to the directors of the chamber, G. Hazel, who is spending part of his time at

Mr. Sadler as member placed at organization a man in active in Chamber of Commerce civic work in Little-

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Delivers More Than 75,000 Bales To Cotton Co-operative

More than 75,000 bales of 1930 cotton have been delivered to the receiving agents of District No. 2 of the Texas Cotton Co-operative association.

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Littlefield's First Christmas Was Community Affair

By C. J. DUGGAN
I arrived in Littlefield on the afternoon of December 5, 1912. My brother, Arthur P. Duggan, drove the old Buick car, and I had the job of opening the 21 gates between here and Lubbock. The railroad was not built at the time, and there was only one residence in Littlefield. It was occupied by the late B. F. Smith, and was located where Dr. W. H. Harris' home now stands.

The first night I slept on the ground in a tent located about 75 feet west of the company farm house, which is now occupied by J. J. Eagan. The townsite and land office of two rooms was being built on the site now occupied by the M System, at the southwest corner of Phelps avenue and Second street.

Lumber was being hauled for the erection of the Littlefield hotel. There was only one windmill, it being located at the company farm. About

100 feet north of the tent where I slept, was a one-room shack with a tent adjoining, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Burge and small daughter, Rebecca.

Community Christmas Dinner

There were five women in the entire community, and all agreed to put their dinners together for Christmas day. The dinner, which consisted of turkey and all the trimmings, was served in the Burge shack. There were twenty-two present for this sumptuous meal, including two babies and one old negro man. The only persons now living in Littlefield, who were present for this meal are Ben, Bob and Carl Smith, and their sisters, Mrs. Effie Wharton, Mrs. L. A. McKnight, and Mrs. Gladys James. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Duggan were in Lubbock for the day. After the meal we took kodak pictures, and a number of us went rabbit hunting through about six inches of snow.

That evening the three Hensley brothers, who were working on the Littlefield hotel, furnished violin, guitar and banjo music in the tent, where we all gathered.

There have been many happy Christmas days spent in Littlefield since that time, but none could compare with that first Christmas.

A short time after I arrived in Littlefield a house, what is now the two west rooms of the J. J. Eagan place, was moved to its present location from South Camp, 18 miles distant, making the second house for Littlefield. It was later occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan and family. The first church service was held in this house. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Mr. Waggoner, Methodist pastor of near Redland, N. M.

The first Sunday school was organized and held in the Land Office, and church was also held there for

some time. The first public school was conducted in what is now J. E. Brannen's residence.

The first baby born in Littlefield was Inabelle Wharton, daughter of Mrs. Effie Wharton.

The townsite of Littlefield, part of the LFD ranch of 300,000 acres, was named after the owner, George W. Littlefield. The closest house to Littlefield at that time was the two-room unpainted box house, known as East Camp, located near where the concrete silos are situated now, about five miles southeast of town. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Clark and baby, Roscoe, now living in Lubbock, occupied this house, and they participated in Littlefield's first Christmas dinner.

This house has since been moved and is now occupied by C. O. Roberts. The closest farm was J. Frank Norfleet's, about 17 miles east of town. (Continued on last page)

Picture
Theater

This picture is the feature attraction at the Palace theater Christmas eve midnight frolic, and for Christmas day and Friday.

"Morocco" is the story of a turbulent, fierce, all-consuming love; the story of a man and a woman. There is another man in the story, a polished sophisticate.

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For these three characters Paramount has picked three outstanding actors. Gary Cooper, happy-go-lucky soldier of fortune, private in the French Foreign Legion, where every

man's past is his own secret. Marlene Dietrich, ravishingly beautiful, the toast of the Continent, playing her first American screen role. And Adolphe Menjou, known and admired by screen fans everywhere.

"Morocco" is an unforgettable love story. Not the inconsequential sentimentality of boy-and-girl courtship, but love that is vital, soul-stirring, real. It is the story of a ruthless, unreasoning, magnificent fervor, dwarfing all other emotions.

Every great production is more than a human drama told in pictures. Back of that drama is an intangible fascination of locale, an amazing realism of setting, a fusing of the forces of nature and of life to lift a picture to greatness.

"Morocco" has those things. Its surging romance is portrayed against the sensuous, colorful background of North Africa, in Morocco, a city of weird masonry, twisted uneven streets, veiled women, swaggering Legionnaires; seething with unrest and hate; peopled by a cosmopolitan collection of human beings, turbaned tribesmen, smartly tailored officers, richly gowned women, tipsy soldiers, the wealth and scum of the world. Back of it all lies the cruel, relentless, mysterious Sahara, its parched, searing breath all but felt.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Lubbock Man Could
Hardly Get Around
At Times, He Said

Before Taking Argotane Lofitis Had Suffered 10 Years From Rheumatism

"Before I started taking Argotane at times I was so badly crippled up with rheumatism I could hardly get around, but it's different with me now," said H. P. Lofitis, a well known farmer living on rural route 5, Lubbock, Texas, recently.

"I had been in a bad fix for going on ten years," continued Mr. Lofitis. "Of course, not so bad all the time as I have been for the past two years, but enough to make me suffer a lot. My legs pained me so at times, I could hardly get any sleep for the agony I suffered. Then, about five years ago stomach trouble set in, and nearly everything I ate disagreed with me, and I suffered a lot with gas and bloating finally got so I lived mostly on light diets but that didn't seem to help me any and I got awfully weak and run-down. This rheumatism and stomach trouble caused me a lot of worry because I wasn't fit to do my work as I really wanted to. I had tried all kinds of medicines, and treatments without being helped any and got so I never expected to be well again.

"Then I read about Argotane and saw a statement by a man I knew so I decided to give Argotane a trial and I'll never forget how that medicine started right in to help me—it was simply wonderful and I could hardly believe it myself. I hadn't finished the first bottle until I was feeling a lot better so I kept on taking the medicine and now my rheumatism is not only completely gone, but all my stomach trouble as well, and I can sit down to the table now and eat as big a meal as anybody else. I am just thankful to be free from my troubles that I can't say too much in praise of Argotane."

Genuine Argotane may be bought in Littlefield at the Eagle Drug Store.—Adv.

Automobile Licenses
For 1931 Available

Automobile tags for next year are on sale. "You must have them before February 1" is the announcement made by Sheriff Len Irvin.

Numbers for Lamb county for 1931 will run from H-4-1601 to H-4-5400 for passenger cars, and 137-226 to 138-225 for trucks. The tags are of entirely different design this year, the color scheme being black plates with white numbers.

Fees this year are the same as last, being about a 50 per cent reduction from years previous to 1930. Licenses for Fords cost from \$4.20 to \$9.36, depending on model, which have different weights and types of body. Chevrolet fees will be \$4.48 to \$10.08, also depending on body type and model. Other makes will be practically the same as last year, rates depending on types of body, weights and models.

A new ruling in Texas permits the 1930 plates to be used without penalty until January 31, after which a penalty of 20 per cent will be charged for the new licenses.

As heretofore, a headlight certificate will be required to procure license plates.

MRS. M. M. BRITAIN
ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE

Those who had the pleasure of being guests of Mrs. M. M. (Jimmie) Britain when she entertained the Senior Bridge Club recently, have a new conception of the true meaning of the term "domestic science."

The rooms were tastefully decorated with the glowing colors of the Yuletide. Shaded electric lights played softly over the pretty tables, where every feature was in perfect harmony, place cards, covers, refreshments, etc. And if one may judge by the merry voices and happy laughter, the spirits of the guests were as gay as the Christmas colors.

And those refreshments—I wish I might describe them, but your reporter, not being a culinary artist like the

Pale
and Weak

"I think Cardui is a wonderful medicine, for I improved greatly after taking it," says Mrs. A. W. English, of R. F. D. 4, Roanoke, Va. "When I was just a girl of 13, my mother gave this medicine to me, and it did me a great deal of good. I was weak and run-down. After I had taken Cardui awhile, I felt much better. "In 1924, my health was poor. I felt miserable, and hadn't enough strength to do my housework. It took all my willpower to keep up. I was pale and weak. "I got Cardui again and took it. My improvement was wonderful. I can recommend Cardui to others, for my health was so much better after I had taken a course of the Cardui Home Treatment."

CARDUI
Helps Women to Health
Take Theford's Black-Draught for Constipation, Indigestion, Bloatingness. Only 1 cent a dose.

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CLUB CAFE

THANK EACH

gladly take this opportunity to thank each for the many favors and courtesies shown during the year just ending . . . and we, with pleasure, pledge ourselves to your service during 1931 in any way possible.

May you enjoy a Merry Christmas
And Happy New Year

COURTNEY & MYRICK

MEETINGS AND BEST WISHES

ded to you during the Yuletide season and each day of the coming year. May we take this opportunity to thank each of you for the many courtesies extended us during the past year.

CICERO SMITH LUMBER CO.

L. K. WHITAKER, Manager

MERRY CHRISTMAS

TO OUR PATRONS AND FRIENDS

We are saying it in person to all of you that we have the pleasure of meeting—and to be sure we have not missed any of our friends, we say it here to you, personally:

"A Merry Christmas"

GARLAND & WHITE AUTO SUPPLY

B. D. Garland

J. White

WE EXTEND OUR
SINCERE THANKS
TO YOU---

For your loyal support and favors shown us during the past year. We are at a loss to find words that will justly express our sincere wishes for you other than to wish you

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND
A Happy and Prosperous
New Year!

JONES BROS. MOTOR CO.

Oakland — Pontiac

CHRISTMAS TURKEY DINNER

Served Family Style for Only

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Weekly Rates, 3 Meals Daily, \$7 per Week

LITTLEFIELD HOTEL DINING ROOM

A Very Enjoyable Christmas

—and many, many, years of health and happiness;

That's My Wish for You

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Low Interest Rate, Monthly or
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Your business will be appreciated!
Pioneer Insurance Agents
LITTLEFIELD,

MERRY
CHRISTMAS

It is with real pleasure that we extend our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and Happy Year.

And at the same time may we thank you for your cooperation during the past year.

The helpful spirit which you have shown has inspired us to our best to keep your gas good.

WEST TEX
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LETTERS TO BOYS AND GIRLS

1019 W. 7th
Littlefield Tex

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a girl 11 years old. I want a watch, ring, a doll, and some candy. Don't forget the girls and boys. Love from Wanda Harris

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl 9 years old. I want you to bring me a doll wrist

watch, ring and some fruit, nuts, candy, and a new dress.
To Santa
Foron
Wanda Harris

Okmulgee Okla
Dec 12

Dear Old Santa,
Please bring me a fire truck, a train, cap gun some candy apple oranges nut bananas. Im away out here but Im sure he can find me.
Love
Buddy Campbell.
907 N. Grand

Littlefield Tex.
Dec. 1930, 12

Dear Santa Clause,
How are you this year?
I am in the low third grade. Miss Matthews is my teacher, I sure do like her. I will only ask for one thing, and that is sweet little Tickle Toes. Santa Clause I want you to come to our church this year.
Love
Happy Dow

Dear Santa Clause,
I have been a good boy. And have worked hard for two dollars this summer and fall. For Xmas I want a Cow Boy Suit, a automatic cap gun, and canda, nuts, apples, oranges, and bananas.
Your little friend,
Elray Tucker
P. S. I forgot to tell you, but I am a little boy about eight years old, and in the third grade.

Littlefield, Texas
December 14, 1930

Dear Santa:
I want you to bring me a doll, a tooth brush, dress, furit, nuts and candy, Roberta. I Sallie Thomas Am a little girl 4 years old I want you to Bring me doll, tractor dress some candy nuts fruit.
I Billy Jo I want a tractor. doll and 2 little cars.
Roberta, Sallie Thomas,
Billy Jo Harris.

Littlefield, Texas.
Star Rt. No II
December 12, 1930

Dear Santa Clause:
I have been a nice boy and have did my best to make some money. I am a boy of six and in the first grade. I want you to bring me a little tractor, a little train, a stick horse, and plenty of candy.
Your own friend
Hubert.

Dear Santa,
I will not ask for very much.
I want an airgun, a toolchest, and a founpen.
Byron Key Lindley
My little brother Sam Edd wants a wagon airopaine, train,
thank you
I am a good boy.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 12, 1930

Dear Santa;
I'm afraid you wont remember me this Christmas for I haven't been a very good boy.
But if you remember me, I would like to have a little tractor and grader, a mutt and Jeff book, a Teddy Bear, pair skates, pistol and caps, some pop corn, Candies and Fruits
I love you
Troy Davis
Littlefield, Texas

Littlefield, Tex.,
Dec. 9, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a little doll in a truck,
Please bring me a set of dishs.
Please bring me a table and some chair.
Please please bring the poor little girls and boys good things.
I hope you have a merry Christmas.

Amherst, Texas
December 10, 1930.

Dear Santa Clause,
I am a little girl five years old. I have been very good this year. I am going to start to school next year.
Please bring me a pair of garters, doll, doll bed and blanket, and set of A. B. C. blocks. I also want candies and fruits of all kinds.
Your little friend,
Willie Faye Byrd.

Amherst, Texas,
December 10, 1930

Dear Santa Clause:
I am a little boy three years old. My name is Edd Ralph Byrd. I have been a good little boy this year and would like to get candies and all car, doll, ball, and a watch. I also would lik eto get candies and all kinds of fruits and nuts.
Your little friend,
Edd Ralph Byrd.

Amherst, Texas,
Dec. 13, 1930

Dear Santa:
Will you, please, bring a toy wrist watch, a doll bed, and some nuts and candy for me.
I am five years old, and have been a good girl.
Bring a doll that won't break for Linda Faye, also nuts and candy, she is one year old.
Be good to the Lamb County Leader folks for mailing my letter to you at the North Pole.
I love you so much,
Minnie Jean Matthews

Ralls, Texas
December 18,
Dear santy I want a big doll and bring me a wool tam and a paperdoll book to cut out paperdolls out of. and santy I want soom candy and fruit and nuts. Dear santy I will clothea your truly
Odessa Wood
and dont forget my baby sister, Billie Jo.

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl six years old. I live six miles southwest of Littlefield. I want you to bring me a doll and some candy, apples, oranges and nuts. Dont forget the other little boys and girls.
Your little Friend
Gleneta Young.

Ralls, Tex
December 18,
Dear Santy Clause I want a big doll and a little paperdoll book to cut out of and I want you to bring me a wool tam and be sure to bring me soom candy and frut and nuts. and dont for get my little baby sister, Billie Jo and Mildred Wood.

Dear Santa Clause.
We want a doll each, one that we can play with that won't break.
We want some candy, nuts, apples and oranges and a box of sparklers.
Yours truly
Inez and LaVerne Adamson.

1019 W 7th St.
Littlefield, Tex.
Dec. 17—1930.

Dear Santa Claus.
I am a little girl six years old. I want you to bring me a doll, a tooth Brush, dress, furit, nuts and candy, Roberta. I Sallie Thomas Am a little girl 4 years old I want you to Bring me doll, tractor dress some candy nuts fruit.
I Billy Jo I want a tractor. doll and 2 little cars.
Roberta, Sallie Thomas,
Billy Jo Harris.

Anton Texas
Dec. 15, 1930

Dear Santa
We are good little boys so please bring me, "Gilbert," a tricycle and I, Calvin wants a teddy bear and a baby ratler. Please dont forget to leave us a few candies and fruits
Your little friends
Gilbert & Calvin Bryant.

Dear Santa Claus.
I want a Cow Boy Suite, beebe gun, Bicycle, wagon, some fire crackers, Boots and a foot Ball.
I will be a good Boy.
Good bye to Santa Claus
Pryor Hammons Jr

Littlefield, Texas
Dec. 15, 1930.

Dear Santa Claus:
I am a little girl five years old. I live three miles north of Littlefield. I want you to bring me a doll and some dishes, some candy, apples, oranges, and nuts. Dont forget my little play-mates Coonie and Buddy.
Your Friend,
Tommie Sue Sisson

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a beebe gun some fire crackers, Cow Boy Suite, foot Ball, Boots and a tricycle. I have tried to be a good Boy.
Good bye Santa Claus.
Babe Hammons

Littlefield, Tex.
December 21, 1930

Dear Santa Claus:
I am eight years old. Please bring me a Bible, candy, nuts, and apples.

Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a beebe gun some fire crackers, Cow Boy Suite, foot Ball, Boots and a tricycle. I have tried to be a good Boy.
Good bye Santa Claus.
Babe Hammons

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I want you to bring me a beebe gun some fire crackers, Cow Boy Suite, foot Ball, Boots and a tricycle. I have tried to be a good Boy.
Good bye Santa Claus.
Babe Hammons

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Good bye Santa Claus.
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I want you to bring me a beebe gun some fire crackers, Cow Boy Suite, foot Ball, Boots and a tricycle. I have tried to be a good Boy.
Good bye Santa Claus.
Babe Hammons

Don't forget my mother and daddy and grandma and granddad.
I have no brothers or sisters.
Yours truly,
Roberta Frances Biles.
P. S. I live at west first street, house number 515.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent great sorrow, and especially do we thank those who so tenderly cared for Mrs. Barton in her illness. We also thank those who sent such beautiful floral offerings. May you have just such friends to sustain you in your hour of sorrow.
Walker Barton
Mr. and Mrs. Acrey Barton
and relatives.

Trench Mouth Healed
Your friends dare not say so but your sore gums and foul breath don't make folks like you any better. Leto's Pyorrhoea Remedy heals worst cases if used as directed. It is not a mouth wash or paste, and is sold on a money back guarantee.
Stokes-Alexander Drug Co.



the blessings of the passing year, the greetings to friends far and Christmas and a Happy New

Petroleum Company
F. Hargrove, Agent

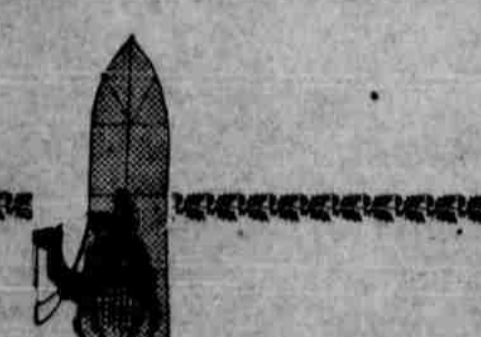
Say
Christmas to You
to keep up our high standards of courtesy, and to strive to please our patrons at all times.

CITY SHOE SHOP
J. A. Lilly, Prop.
Littlefield, Texas

has grown old with its burden of Christmas it always is young."

peculiar something about this season of the year to affect the entire civilized world; that makes it more generous, beneficent, sympathetic, and It is just such a spirit as this that prompts us to not only that you will be able to share in fullest universal gladness that abounds, but that the season are as a forecast of many pleasant things in store about the coming year.

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"Quality and Service"



Modern Beauty Salon
GIVES YOU A TRULY JOYOUS CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

realize it has been the wonderful co-operation and patronage of our friends and customers have contributed to our success in 1930. We value the relationship that has existed between us in the past, and will continue in 1931 to give you the very best service possible.
Thank you most heartily for your generous confidence, and hope your loyal patronage will continue for many years to come.

AND MRS. SAM HUTSON

SEASON'S GREETINGS

Nothing can equal in warmth the Christmas greetings we extend to you—or our thankfulness for your constant co-operation and kind friendship during the past year.

FARMERS PRODUCE

Littlefield R. E. Biles, Mgr.



MAY THIS CHRISTMAS BE YOUR HAPPIEST—

—and the coming years bring to you all the joys that a friend could wish a friend.

For six years we have been extending our sincere best wishes . . . each year with increasing pleasure.

We believe in Littlefield—Lamb county, and the South Plains, and it is a matter of great pleasure to have the privilege of serving the people of this city and district.



CUENOD'S DRY GOODS CO.



The Christmas Story Retold

The "Beautiful Gates" were opened
And each Seraph's head bent low
For a Saviour had been promised
And God's Holy Son must go.

For men were lost in the desert
Of sorrow and sin and shame
And only a Heavenly Shepherd's love
Could bring them home again.

Down to the rock-hewn manger,
In the Town of Bethlehem;
While the guiding star was shining,
God sent Heaven's fairest gem.

Then a virgin's heart was gladdened
With the sweetest joy of earth;
While Herald Angel sang to men
Of a glorious Saviour's birth.

And the wise men of the Orient,
Whose knowledge Herod sought;
To the cradle of the Christ Child
Their cherished treasures brought.

Through the solemn hush of midnight
Came a message sweet and clear;
That down through all the ages
Men's weary souls will cheer.

It was the sweetest of all stories
To the wandering shepherds told,
As they, on Judaea's hilltops,
Guarded the gates of the fold.

A story of God's great mercy,
Of a love that will last for aye;
Until earth's dark night of sorrow
Shall end in perfect day.

When the "Gates of Light" swing open,
And we see the Crucified One;
May we all in God's bright Heaven,
Hear our Saviour's glad "Well done."

—Mrs. Lena Howard.



Many Attend Union Christmas Service

Regardless of the cold and snow at Sunday evening the union service at the First Baptist church was well attended. The choir was made up of singers from the different churches of the town and each of them seemed to be at their best. The choir was directed by Mr. Happy Jordan.

Miss Naomi Freeman read to the delight of the audience and doubtless many letters went back to the folks at home Monday morning to give Christmas cheer as a result of the reading.

Very much to the regret of the congregation was the announcement that Miss Sue Brannen was ill and would not be able to take her part on the program. Miss Brannen is an excellent reader, and is always willing

to assist on such programs when possible.

The last but by no means the least on the program was the address by the Rev. R. B. Freeman. Mr. Freeman is in his second year as pastor of the Methodist church, and stands willing and anxious to take part in all services for the betterment of mankind and the forward going of the Gospel of our blessed Christ. May many more such services be held in our town.

Thank Public

Regarding the Christmas mailing this year, we wish to state that it has exceeded all expectations. It was necessary that we stack sacks on the outside of the building in order that we might be able to work on the inside. Realizing that we have been severely handicapped on account of insufficient space, we want to thank the public for their patience during this rush.

—Post Office Force.

MANY GOOD WISHES TO MY CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS



... for this Christmas Season. May Prosperity and Happiness be yours for the coming year.

SPECIALS FOR CHRISTMAS AND THE REST OF THE WEEK

- FLOUR, 48 lbs., every sack guaranteed \$1.25
- BREAKFAST BACON, lb. 27c
- AM CHEESE, lb. 27c
- CHRISTMAS CANDY, mixed, lb. 20c
- Mixed, lb. 20c
- SAKE, 1 1/2 lb., Each 90c

CAMP DIXIE

One Mile West on Highway No. 7.
E. M. BOTSFORD, Prop.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tunnell and J. W. Arnn, and W. W. Latham of Charlotte, N. C., attended the funeral of J. H. Arnn of Oklahoma City, a brother-in-law of Mrs. Tunnell, who died recently. Mr. Latham, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Tunnell, was visiting at the Tunnell home at the time the announcement of Mr. Arnn's death was received in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Jones, Jr., were overjoyed at being able to bring their little son, Tommy, home from the Lubbock sanitarium last week. He has been ill over six weeks. Though much improved he is still under the doctor's care.

T. P. Wright, who is taking treatments at the Scott and White hospital in Temple, Texas, is feeling much better. His many friends will be glad to learn that he is able to take some nourishment, and is getting stronger.

Mr. C. E. Willis, who has been in the Mayo clinic, Rochester, Minn., for some time, taking treatment, has returned home. His many friends will be glad to know he is feeling fine again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberson, accompanied by Mrs. R. L. Busher, are visiting Mrs. Busher's daughter, Mrs. Henry Ross, at Kerens, Texas. They will return to Littlefield after Christmas.

Miss Dixie Durfee, secretary of the J. C. Harris Hardware and Implement company, was in Hobbs, N. M., on business for her firm for several days, returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Hazel and daughter, Juanita, left Saturday for Cisco and Eastland to spend the holidays.

The Rev. Mr. Grizzle and Mrs. Grizzle attended the Lubbock Association Workers' council at Slaton recently.

Mrs. Stella Murphy of Lubbock spent Friday here visiting her uncle, George Buchanan, who is very ill at the residence of Ben Smith.

Mr. J. H. Ham of Altus, Okla., cousin of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evins, is in Littlefield with his family, looking for a suitable business location.

Mrs. T. Wade Potter left Sunday for Fort Worth to spend the Christmas holidays. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Evelyn Phelps.

Santa's Airship

HA! Santa Claus is up to date;
he's sold his reindeer team.
He even thinks a motor car
old fashioned now would seem.
A brand new airship he has got;
the very latest thing;
And, oh! a gorgeous load of toys
old Santa's ship can bring.
And if, the night ere Christmas dawns,
you wake and rub your eyes,
And peer across the chimney tops
far down the starry skies,
Who knows? You may see Santa's
ship a-skimming thro' the air,
Just show ring dolls and skates,
and drums on children ev'rywhere.

—The Gentlewoman.

doctor had said. "Rest and nourishment—that's all she needs."

But a difficulty soon arose. Harvey insisted that he would pay all.

"That is not sensible, Harvey," Freda told him. "It is just pride—or sentiment—which ever you like. I have plenty of money, and you have your way to make in business. Let me pay the bills."

"That is just pride, too," he retorted. But in the end they divided the account.

As Freda drove homeward Harvey sat beside her, wonderfully happy. And the funny thing was it was all so unreasonable. He had lost a night's sleep and given away a lump of money—strange doing for a business man always guided by his intelligence—and he was so absurdly happy over it.

"You know, Harvey," Freda said, when she drew up at her door, "I think you uttered a great truth tonight when you called me on the telephone."

She had nestled close beside him and her presence seemed to bewitch his memory.

"Did I?" he asked. "I don't remember. What did I say?"

"Can't you remember—dear?"

"No—dear."

"You said," and she faced him very coolly, "you said, 'Freda, I need you.'"

And the next moment Harvey Dane was behaving in the most emotional manner in all his young life.

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The First Christmas Card
The first Christmas card was published eighty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Howard of Dallas visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones recently.

Miss Daisy Ross has gone to Lubbock to spend the Christmas holidays with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Thaxton of Levelland were in Littlefield on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Matthews made a business trip to Tulla Thursday.

J. H. Hutson of Hereford visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutson Saturday.

W. C. Thaxton and L. W. Jordan went shooting recently.

Littlefield Scouts Aid City's Needy

The Littlefield Boy Scouts are doing their share to make Christmas enjoyable for the needy of the city.

They are delivering boxes consisting of groceries, toys, dry goods and medicines.

The boys are working under the direction of Scoutmasters Morris Morgan and Eugene Latimer, who are being assisted by committeeman F. G. Sadler.

Business firms who had contributed to the boxes up to Tuesday night included Ellis & Ware, Cuenod's Dry Goods Co., Bob & Will Grocery and Market, and Sadler's Drug Store.

Contributions were received throughout Wednesday.

Boy Scouts who contributed to the boxes were: Emery and Carson Glass, Cecil Hall, Jack Harvey, Linton Smith, Aclie Bates, Strauss Atkinson, Bobbie McCaskill, William Aldridge and Dick Barber.

The temperature of the boiler should be kept at or below 15 degrees Fahrenheit, if possible. Refrigerator is used to retard the development of bacteria in milk, and above this temperature, bacterial growth is



it has been our pleasure to witness the growth of this city and it has also been our pleasure to see an increasing number of people.

We take this opportunity to express our appreciation of your patronage, and

Wish Everybody, Ever

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

and

A HAPPY NEW YEAR

Stokes & Alexander L

THE Rexall ST

"In Business For Your Health"

Your Co-operation and Good Will

----has been abundant

WORDS cannot express how much we appreciate the splendid co-operation extended us since we purchased the Lamb County Leader about five months ago.

WE HAVE been favored with a good volume of advertising and job printing, and the people of this city and district have actively assisted us by furnishing news. What better co-operation could any newspaper ask!

YOU have manifested your faith in us, and we, in turn, have endeavored to publish a good newspaper.

WITH such wonderful co-operation, we will enter the New Year determined to render better service from week to week. Always our aim will be to do our full share in building a great Littlefield—in aiding you in the further development of Lamb County and the South Plains.

WE EARNESTLY solicit a continuance of your co-operation, and extend to you the

SEASON'S GREETINGS

THE LAMB COUNTY LEADER

Morley B. Drake

Ethel M. Drake

4-H Pantry Work

By Mrs. L. L. Massengill, Littlefield
Some few years ago I heard an ex-
pression like this: "There are five
ives and all one has to do is take
ontainer from each shelf, and she
a balanced meal." It did sound
wonderful and easy that I have
ted to arrange my "five shelves"
since.

's wonderful, easy and true after
t the containers filled and on
ves. There is much work and
nt in filling your containers.
I realized for some time that
not eat enough leafy veget-
and more especially in the win-
because there were other things
eased better, and other things more
plentiful too.

I wanted to use a well balanced diet
every day through the year, as near
as I could. I realized this could be
done, by canning the surplus from
our garden, much cheaper than from
the shelves in the grocery stores. And
I have for a long time wanted to can
the many things I could see in the
stores in tin cans. But there were
many things I did not know how to
can so they would keep. I did not
have a pressure cooker and had never
used one. And if I were to can these
many things there were two things I
needed very badly; a pressure cooker
and information on how and what to
can.

My husband gave me pressure cook-
er and sealer for a Christmas gift—as
a time saver and to make my work

**Box Supper Is Held
At Spade School**

A box supper, for the purpose of
obtaining funds with which to pur-
chase school ground equipment for the
new Spade school, was held at the
school last Thursday night. The wom-
en of the district prepared box sup-
pers, which were auctioned, and Lit-
tlefield business concerns contributed
articles which also were sold under the
hammer. Col. M. L. Lynn, Littlefield
auctioneer, and his clerk, Jim Harless,
gave their services free in conducting
the auction.

lighter, but we have found it makes
us work more, too. Our home demon-
stration agent helped me to work out
a canning budget—just how many
quarts of the different classes of
foods. She has always been willing
and ready to give information when
needed. We had a lesson on preserva-
tion of fruits and vegetables in our
club work, which was a great help
to me. It showed me how to start
with my canning.

After my canning budget was made
I was to can 372 quarts of food. My
doesn't that sound like oodles for two
people for six months' time. By the
good help and encouragement of my
husband and our agent I have canned
over 400 quarts. There were many
times when it looked like there wasn't
anything to can—I had to race with
the chickens, wind and dry weather,
but just a little beet tops, lettuce,
radish tops, turnip greens and mus-
tard soon fills a few more quarts.

I find I have a much greater vari-
ety than I thought I could possibly
can any year much less a year like
this. We find our living expenses
are much less since we canned for
there isn't much to buy. We have it
at home, thank you.

I had my first look at a model 4-H
pantry while attending short course
at A. & M. college this summer. It
surely was good looking. I have work-
ed even harder since then to fulfill
my budget.

When the canning is finished there
are many other things to be done. I
find we have so much canned foods
we would never be able to eat them
in six months if I didn't work out
some menus. And many recipes to try
out menus. And many new recipes
to try out to find new ways to cook
the same foods. So the recipe file
was to be made.

It has meant much extra work every
day and some nights, to get every-
thing finished—so it has not saved
much time. However, in my recipes,
menus, etc., I feel that I will be re-
paid and it will give me much extra
time this winter and even for years
to come.

Our 4-H pantry work has not only
affected us but our neighbors and
friends as well. They have been very
much interested—watching, helping
waiting and wanting to know when I
have finished so they may see every-
thing that has been done. And there
are more and more all the time who
show interest and I think another
year we can see some marked effects
of this year's pantry for there are
more who will want to can according
to a well planned budget.

It has been much work, but pleas-
ure too, and such good eating all win-
ter and until garden comes again.
I have canned 95 quarts of leafy
vegetables, including 14 varieties, 40
quarts starchy vegetables, including
only three starchy foods; 75
quarts fruit including 10 varieties, 60
quarts protein foods including 4
varieties of meat, relish and pickles, 28
quarts of 11 varieties preserves, jams,
jellies, 39 quarts 14 varieties; 50
quarts tomatoes and tomato juice, 40
quarts other canned foods including
hominy, sea foods and whole wheat.

Our pantry will later have at least
250 pounds cured pork, over 200
pounds of beef, canned steak, roast
loaf, stew, chili and potted meat—some
corned and some dried, and canned
English plum pudding.

Pantry contains—
Value \$321.80
Expense 20.50
\$301.30

French pancakes are often served
for dessert. Make a batter consisting
of 2 eggs, 1 1/2 cups of milk, 1 cup
of flour, 1 teaspoon of sugar, 2 table-
spoons melted butter, 1 teaspoon bak-
ing powder, and 1/2 teaspoon salt.
Bake on a hot griddle in rather large
cakes. When done, spread each one
at once with a mixture of butter and
any preferred jelly roll like a jelly
roll, and sprinkle with powdered sug-
ar. Serve immediately.

Under no circumstances should milk
be placed in a refrigerator in an open
pitcher, bottle, or other uncovered
container. It should be tightly stop-
pered and should not be opened until
immediately before use. If only a
part of the bottle is used, the cap
should be placed.

**Home Demonstration
Women Building
Hot Beds in Gardens**

COLLEGE STATION—More than
200 hot beds have been built in the
gardens of home demonstration club
women in Northwest Texas, according
to Miss Myrtle Murray, district agent
in the Extension Service, who is
helping to popularize the slogan,
"Three feet square of hot bed per
person for every family." Another
slogan originating with a Floyd coun-
ty woman expresses a determination
for "Three green vegetables on the
Christmas dinner table out of the
home hot bed."

Besides providing fresh vegetables
in freezing weather, hot beds have
been found to hasten the early spring
garden enough to permit profitable
sales of early vegetables. Another
feature has been cited by Mrs. R. A.
Ritche, Hubbard community home
demonstration club woman in Steph-
ens county. She will never be at the
mercy of a drouth again, she declares,
because she can water a small sum-
mer garden in her hot bed and protect
it from heat also.

Many of these hot beds have been
made from native stone in Young
county, Miss Murray states, and a
number in other counties from con-
crete. Some use ordinary glass win-
dows although the practice is grow-
ing of using a non-breakable or eas-
ily mended glass on account of hail
storms. These hot beds are built
three feet wide with three feet of
length for each person in the family.

Every county in Miss Murray's dis-
trict has at least one hot bed, with
Dickens county reporting 100, Young
county 40 and Haskell county 33.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy
New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Dr. D. T. Jordan of Hawley, Tex.,
spent a few days in Littlefield this
week visiting his son, Carl Jordan.
Dr. Jordan was a guest of Dr. J. D.
Simpson at Tuesday's luncheon of the
Chamber of Commerce.

We wish to thank our customers and friends for
their good will and friendship in the past, and say

It's more than Merry Christmas
That we are wishing you.
It's bright and Happy Every day
The coming twelve months thru.

HOME BAKERY



May These Choice Blessings
Be Yours—

Health - Happiness - Prosperity

These are our greetings to our friends and
patrons at this glad season—not, however,
without first pausing to thank you for your patronage in 1930,
and to hope the same kind of relationship and support will con-
tinue in the future.

STREET & STREET

Insurance and Loans

Christmas
New Year
CAFE

ous season of the year

Thank our friends and patrons
for the business and success which they
made possible for us in 1930.

With a friendly spirit of good will
and wishes for you the
best and warm good will of a
Christmas.



MORRIS HARDWARE & IMPLEMENTS

GREETINGS

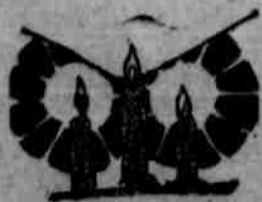
To the people of this community we wish a Merry Christ-
mas and a Happy New Year. We also wish to take this oppor-
tunity to express our sincere appreciation of your patronage and
of the friendly spirit of good will which has made possible for us
the success of the past, and to express the hope that we may
continue to have the same pleasant relations in the future.

LITTLEFIELD HATCHERY

You Enjoy a Merry Christmas

May the New Year of 1931 make up to you for any ad-
versity that 1930 may have brought you, filling your cup of cheerful-
ness overflowing—is our wish.

EFFRIES MERCANTILE CO.



CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

The Spirit of Christmas opens wide the doors of house and
heart, spreads the welcoming feast, and lights the yule-log fire.

In that friendly spirit of good will, we send greetings, and
wishes for you the heartiest peace and warm good will of a true

MERRY CHRISTMAS

And we wish to add that the same friendly co-operation which
you have enjoyed from our bank will continue throughout 1931,
and the years to come.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

**GROCERY GUILD
M-SYSTEM**

We wish one and all a very Happy Christmas and a Prosperous
New Year. We also take this opportunity to express to you our ap-
preciation of your past year's business, and to express the wish to
serve you in 1931, and to make many new friends and customers.

Our aim is always to give you the most of the best for the least. As
prices decline we immediately pass them on to the customer. Two stores for
your convenience—M System, Grocery Guild. Check the prices below for
your food requirements:

PRICES FOR SATURDAY ONLY

POTATOES 10 Pounds **17 1/2c**

SALMON A Real Pink No. 1 Tall 2 for 25c	SPINACH Libby's No. 2 Can 14c	PEACHES Hillsdale No. 2 1/2 Can 16c	APRICOTS Rosedale, in heavy syrup, No. 2 1/2 Can 25c
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MATCHES, Winner, 6 boxes 12 1/2c	PLUMS, Green Gage, No. 10 Can 47c
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FLOUR Snow White Satisfaction Guaranteed (Limit 5 Sacks) 48 Pound Sack **\$1.12**

PORK & BEANS, 3 cans 25c	PICKLES, Happyvale, Qt. Sour 25c
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SOUP Campbell's 3 Cans 29c	SUGAR Powdered or Brown 1 Lb. Pkg 10c	LYE Hudson 2 Cans 19c	PRUNES 5 Pounds 49c
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Shortening Swift Jewel 8 Pound Pail Limit one to customer **84c**

STEAK, per pound

HAMBURGER and CHILI, per pound

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GOOD ROADS FOR 1931

In a great many states effort is being made to accelerate public works building as a cure for unemployment.

Roads are the leading factor in any program of this kind. Their construction gives work to thousands of needy persons at good wages—and the cost of the work is returned many times over to states and communities. Good roads are not an expense but an investment which pays a high rate dividend.

At present, particular attention is being paid to rural roads. It is a rare farmer who is assured of a year-round weatherproof artery of communication between his farm and a main highway. Increased farm road appropriations not only remedy this, but provide an additional source of revenue to a multitude of farmers and farm employes.

New York, California and other states have pointed the way. A move is on foot to increase the federal government's appropriations. The farm-to-market road movement should take a long jump forward in 1931.

MOTHERS AND BABIES

Five thousand babies a day are born in the United States. About a hundred of each day's baby crop die before they are a month old. About fifty of the five thousand daily mothers die in childbirth. Most of these deaths can be prevented, if proper care is taken, according to medical and social authorities who have been studying the subject.

It would be hard to imagine a more useful work than the spreading of knowledge about the prevention of this unnecessary toll of deaths. That is being undertaken by a group of public-spirited men and women, who are establishing maternity centers in various parts of the country, to which any expectant mother can go and receive sound advice and help.

It will take a long time to get the entire population into the habit of taking special precautions against the perils of childbirth. The human race has been having babies for a long time, and most people regard it as a natural process about which there is nothing special to be done. But the remains that in our civilized United States the death-rate in maternity is higher than it is anywhere in Europe, where the subject has long been led as a serious one.

THE CHILDREN'S SEASON

Christmas is, of all times of the year, the children's season. The giving of presents to children at Christmas time is as old as Christianity itself, for it was begun by the three Wise Men of the East who came to Bethlehem, where the Child lay in the manger, bringing gifts.

It is easy to forget what it is that Christmas commemorates. It is easy to think of it merely as a holiday time, a time when there is a great deal of shopping to be done, when the stores are crowded and everybody is busy wrapping up Christmas packages, and the postmen are overloaded and grown-ups as well as children are looking forward expectantly to see what they are going to get for Christmas presents.

The spirit of Christmas is, or should be, the spirit of universal love, of good will between all mankind. Christmas marks the anniversary of the era, the setting aside of the old laws of vengeance and hatred, of even justice regardless of mercy. We too often forget that. We forget that the message which the Heavenly host brought to earth eight nearly two thousand years ago was a message of love and joy. Be cheerful and proper that we should exchange presents among our dearest loved ones, but the greatest joy of Christmas time comes from what we give the children. Joy for the children, even greater joy for us. Whatever our own state of happiness or sorrow, we grown-ups owe it to ourselves, to the spirit and tradition which Christmas commemorates, and to the children themselves, to see that every one of them, at least, has a Merry Christmas.

SEASON'S GREETINGS

On the treasure ship of olden times, so may Christmas come to you laden with all that will make for your happiness throughout the year.

W. H. HEINEN

Feed Coal Grain Produce



ALTH... HAPPINESS and PROSPERITY

Best wishes for you on this Christmas day. In losing of another chapter in the book of time, we have written prosperity on each page. May you find a guiding light to success.

IGHT SERVICE STATION

The Home of 24-Hour Service



With so n... thankful fo... can't cou... sings, we thank yo... cerely for ya... them, and v... very Happy C...

LITTLEFIELD TAILOR

Hereford Business Man Enthused At Littlefield's Growth

Matt Gilliland, who is in the furniture and undertaking business in Hereford, visited Littlefield Thursday for the first time in five years.

Mr. Gilliland, who is very favorably impressed with this section, enthused greatly over the wonderful growth and development of Littlefield and this territory in the past few years. He said he never witnessed a city build up and grow like Littlefield has, in such a short time.

RAISE MONEY FOR MISSIONS

Money for foreign missions was raised through a Christmas tree sale which was conducted at Hammons Brothers by the Junior Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church. Each member of the organization donated three packages, and they were sold from the tree.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker and baby daughter, Jane, left recently for Philadelphia, where they will make their home for the next few months.

You've been generous to us. Christmas would not be Christmas unless we generously acknowledged our debt and wished for you unbounded happiness and prosperity.

HOUK & PAGE
 J. C. Houk R. L. GROceries
 First Door North of Home Bakery

MERRY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

all in simple rhyme. Sincere, hearty, true and cordial, to last as long as time.

J. W. PURSER

Successor to Key & Horn

SEASON'S GREETINGS

We take unbounded pleasure in extending to each and every one of you our sincere wish for a

Merry Christmas A Happy New Year

LITTLEFIELD VARIETY STORE

AS THE NEW YEAR FOLLOWS THE OLD

Likewise our pledge of giving the best of service to our patrons continues through another year. With all sincerity we are thankful to each of you for the wonderful patronage sent our way. May you enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year is our wish for you.

GRAND DRUG STORE
 "The Drug Store of Littlefield"

An Old Sincere Wish Ever New — A Merry Christmas to You

... from every member of this organization. They have worked faithfully to serve you... and at this glad season of the year join in wishing for you the most joyous Christmas... a day of ever increasing significance.

WE SINCERELY thank you for your patronage and wish you all a HAPPY NEW YEAR TOO.

FIRST STATE BANK

Littlefield Texas

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

Had we the skill of Shakespeare, it would be hard for us to find a better phrase conveying our emotions than this simple one that has been said so often.

G. & S. SERVICE STATION

Women's Interest - Social Events

quickly. Then many beautiful gifts were presented to be in a unique manner. The program dainty refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate and angel food cake, were served following guests and club mem-

Miss Horn, J. P. Spinks, R. Hill, Misses Freddie Horn, Mrs. Ruth Matthews, N. An, Eva Gertrude Chisholm, Memphis, Gladys Wales, Tompkins, Ruby DeLoach, Cor-

Wright, Ruth Courtney and Alta Anderson.

Miss Horn extended a hearty invitation to the Junior Study club members to be present at her wedding Wednesday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spinks.

WOMAN'S STUDY CLUB RECEIVES TWO NEW MEMBERS

The Woman's Study club met Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the club room. Twenty members and one visitor, Miss Evelyn Phelps, were present.

Mrs. Robert M. Walthall and S. T. Hodges were elected to membership in the club.

Mrs. Dorothy Anderson Palmer and Miss Catherine Anderson have donated several books to the library which are very much appreciated.

The use of the club room will be extended to the Junior club at any time they see fit to use it.

Mrs. B. M. Harrison led the lesson on Bible Lands; Mrs. Lena Howard discussed Christ in Prophecy; Mrs. J. M. Stokes read The Christmas Story Retold, a beautiful poem written by our own Mrs. Lena Howard.

LEGION AUXILIARY AIDS VETERANS

The auxiliary of Richard New Post, American Legion, conducted a sale at Hammons Brothers store to raise money in aid of the World War disabled veterans, and children of veterans. The local auxiliary sold candies, pies, dressed hens, eggs, preserves, and other items of food.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year—Eagle Drug Store.

HOSTESS TO O. E. S. OFFICERS

One of the prettiest parties of the Holidays was that given by Miss Lula Hubbard in honor of her O. E. S. officers and their husbands and wives at the home of Mrs. E. A. Bills, Friday, December 16.

The house was beautifully decorated with the O. E. S. colors combined with Christmas colors and bells. Progressive forty-two was the game of the evening. Mr. J. M. Stokes, winning high score for the men, received a lovely cigarette holder. Mrs. S. J. Farquhar, winning for the ladies, received a beautiful candle holder with a bottle of perfume as the candle. After refreshments, a beautifully decorated Christmas tree was unloaded. Each guest present received a toy of some kind.

Twenty-four guests were present and all reported having a very enjoyable time. Several officers were sick and could not be present.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY TO HOLD BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Chas. Touchon was hostess to the Presbyterian Ladies' auxiliary Monday afternoon in the church basement. Nine members were present and one visitor, Miss Mabel Moore. We are always glad to have visitors. Mrs. Hilliard led the devotional on the Promises Of Our Lord. So few being present, the Bible lesson was postponed.

Next Monday will be the quarterly

birthday party, and also the annual Rosebud party. Every member is urged to be present and bring a gift for your Rosebud. Mrs. Sadler will be hostess for the party.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Chas. Barber, E. A. Bills, Irvin Miller, J. S. Hilliard, Cloninger, H. B. Speck, A. P. Ament, Miss Lula Hubbard, Miss Mabel Moore and the hostess, Mrs. Chas. Touchon.

LAFF-A-LOTT CLUB ENTERTAINED AT AMHERST

Members of the Laff-A-Lott club met at Amherst Thursday in the home of Mrs. Tom Matthews. Gifts were distributed from a tree, and the afternoon was spent in sewing. Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Earl White, Alf Wright, John Porter, Carl Smith, Floyd Wynn, Reda Evans, Saunders Mills, R. V. Armstrong, Jim Davenport, Luke Hargrove, Otis Jorgenson, and a guest, Mrs. C. H. Matthews.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH LADIES MEET IN CLASS ROOM

The ladies of the First Baptist church met Monday afternoon in their class room for a prayer service and business hour.

In the absence of their president, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, who has gone for a brief visit to her old home town, Mrs. Joe Grizzle presided in a very able and pleasing manner.

Mrs. Walthall conducted the devotional, reading the beautiful story of the coming of the Christ child.

The true spirit of the happy season reigned in every heart, and rang in the glad tones of every voice, as the ladies planned their Christmas program. "Peace on Earth, Good Will to Men," was the key-note throughout the evening, and many of the "little children" so dear to the great loving compassionate heart of our Savior, will be gladdened on His birthday by tokens of love and remembrance sent to their homes by those who find their sweetest joy in serving and honoring "The Prince of Peace."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

And again we come to the end of another glorious year. How fitting that on this the last Sunday, we take our places to offer our thanks to our heavenly Father for all his blessings, and to look into the coming year and set our faces to the task ahead.

Our Sunday services will be as usual.

9:45—Sunday school. A word to you men. We are going forward in the men's class. We need you. We must have fifty men in this class. Sunday school is not a place for women and children alone but a place for big manly men. Does that mean you?

11:00—Worship in song.
11:30—Morning sermon. Subject, Our face toward Jerusalem.

6:15—B. Y. P. U. general assembly in main auditorium.
7:00—Evening worship.

Through the kindness of the Lamb County Leader we will publish the

calendar for the whole month of January next week.

We call attention now to the Roll Call Wednesday evening, January 7. Plan now to attend this meeting. The

revival at the Methodist church will be in progress, but as this service was planned some time ago, and is perfectly understood by the Methodist minister and congregation, there will

be no conflict. Let every Baptist attend the Roll call. This program will also be published next week.

Joe F. Grizzle, pastor.

Mrs. Jean Deane has returned to her home in Lamesa after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Orgain and Mr. Orgain.

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