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Roosevelt, Governor of New York, born January 30, 1882, Albany, New York, graduate of Harvard and Columbia universities, elected to New York legislature in 1910, nominated for vice-presidential Governor of New York in 1929, re-elected in 1931.

A Plea for Reduction of Taxes and Bonds

(An Editorial)

Under the caption, "A Plea for Reduction of Taxes and Bonds," the Legislature's Committee on Organization and Economy has compiled a booklet of facts "published without prejudice for or against any department or agency of government, for the information of the people of Texas."

The people are vitally interested in cost of government—more interested than at any time in many years.

The voter's apathy and careless balloting in the past has been largely responsible for our excessive government cost. Our lack of interest in reduction of government expense is amply proven by the fact that legislators are seldom asked to vote AGAINST appropriations; we always plead with our representatives to vote FOR this or that outlay of money.

We must remember, before we deal too harshly with the "big boys" of government, that about 80 per cent of our taxes are spent, directly or indirectly, by county, school and city governments.

If we want our influence to be felt on July 23, vote for the man whose record promises honesty and economy in administering the affairs of his office.

Here is the introduction to the booklet compiled by the committee referred to above:

"The simple, inexpensive government on which, less than a century ago, De Tocqueville congratulated this country, has as its successor today a vast complicated mechanism of which the running expenses absorb almost one-fifth of the income, from all sources, of the American people. Government—national, state and local—costs the people of this country \$14,500,000,000 annually. This vast sum is collected and spent by 250,000 taxing units and supports an army of three million to five million

public employees. It represents a per capita burden of about \$117 annually, or to put it another way, government costs us between \$500 and \$600 per family per year. The federal government spends \$5,000,000,000 a year; the state governments more than \$2,000,000,000; city, county and other local agencies spend more than \$7,000,000,000.

"Not only the present volume of our governmental expenses, but the rapidity with which it has been achieved is alarming. Forty years ago the per capita cost of government in the United States was but \$13.56. Twenty years ago government spent but one-eleventh of the national income. Its cost has increased out of all proportion either to the increase of population or to the growth of the national wealth.

"Montesquieu, whose writings profoundly influenced the founders of our republic warned that 'the real wants of the people ought never to give way to the imaginary wants of the state.' Adam Smith, the father of political economy, wrote that public servants, when multiplied to an unnecessary number, may consume so great a proportion of the people's substance 'that all the frugality and good conduct of individuals may not be able to compensate the waste and regradation of produce occasioned by this violent and forced encroachment.' Apparently, we have heeded neither the great Frenchman nor the great Scotchman. Nor yet have we remembered Washington's admonition that we should preserve public credit by using it as sparingly as possible. In recent years we have allowed current expenses of government to reach almost unbelievable totals, and at the same time have tremendously increased our governmental debts. The present bonded indebtedness of cities, counties and other political sub-

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R. T. BADGER IS NAMED VICE-PRESIDENT OF LOCAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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ACTIVE IN CIVIC WORK HERE FOR MANY YEARS

Dr. Ira E. Woods, President, Outlines Booster Group's Program of Work

R. T. Badger, of the Yellow House Land Co., and outgoing president of the Littlefield Rotary club and an active worker in the interests of the city, was Tuesday elected vice-president of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Badger was selected for this important office in the interests of Littlefield and territory by the directors of the local booster organization.

All offices for the coming year, with the exception of that of vice-president, were filled as a result of the election which was held at the annual meeting of the chamber.

Mr. Badger has been active in the development of this city and section since the very outset of activity in the settling of this district, and brings to the chamber of commerce a wealth of information and experience which will prove highly valuable to the organization.

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School Term May Be Shortened To Seven Months

The possibility of seven months school, as against nine months, with the opening of the next school year, was discussed at a meeting of the Littlefield school board last Tuesday night.

Curtalement of the term will be necessary, it is pointed out, unless the funds of the district are sufficient through the prompt payment of taxes to enable the conducting of school for the full nine months term.

Carl Walker was elected caretaker of the Littlefield schools.

MRS. LONG DIES EARLY TODAY AT LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

CITY, DISTRICT MOURN PASSING OF BELOVED RESIDENT

This entire city and district was shocked and stirred with grief when it was learned that Mrs. Evelyn Long, aged 33, wife of George Long, proprietor of the Littlefield Variety Store, and a pioneer of this section, had passed away at 6:35 a. m. today at a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Long was ill several weeks, suffering from typhoid fever and complications, and was a patient at the hospital at Lubbock for about three weeks, during which time everything possible was done for her, including two transfusions of blood, but to no avail.

The deceased and her husband are numbered among the "old timers" of Littlefield.

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Equalization Board For School Meets

The Board of Equalization for the Littlefield Independent School District was in session Wednesday at the City Hall. Clint Griffin, T. M. Springer and W. H. Gardner served on the board.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL IS INCREASING FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN NATIONS, RACES

One of the great works which is being accomplished by Rotary International is the increasing of friendship between races and nations, according to J. S. Hilliard, secretary of the Littlefield Rotary club.

Mr. Hilliard was the representative of the Littlefield club at the annual meeting of Rotary International, held at Seattle, June 20-24. In addition to representing the local club, Mr. Hilliard also served as one of the sergeant-at-arms in connection with the conducting of the convention.

Mr. Hilliard said that the work which is being accomplished by Rotary in promoting a better understanding between races and nations was brought out at the convention by Sir Sydney Pascall of London, England.

CANDIDATE FOR CONSTABLE IS OLD RESIDENT

Jim T. Douglas, who is a candidate for the office of Constable of Precinct No. 4, is an old resident of Littlefield, having lived here most of the time since 1916.

He has been actively engaged in the real estate business, and has always been found to be a hard worker.

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land, the outgoing president of Rotary International, who has just completed a trip around the world. Sir Sydney, in addressing the convention gave a number of examples which illustrated the fact that Rotary is increasing the friendship between the races and nations.

The secretary of the Littlefield club said that the registrations at the Seattle meeting totaled 5200. While not the largest meeting which has been held by Rotary International, the attendance exceeded expectations.

Mr. Hilliard, in making the trip home, visited a number of cities, including Portland, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Pasadena and Long Beach. He attended a luncheon meeting of the Pasadena club.

Over Four Inches Of Rain Falls Here In Month of June

A heavy rain fell here Saturday measuring 60-100 of an inch, and again Tuesday night this section was visited by a shower, which was accompanied by some hail northeast of Littlefield, which did some damage.

According to Z. W. Wells, official weather reporter for this district, the total rainfall for June measured four and three-thirty-fifths inches.

FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATION HERE IS BIG SUCCESS

SEVERAL THOUSAND IN LITTLEFIELD FOR DAY'S PROGRAM

Several thousand persons, many of them coming from a long distance, participated in Littlefield's Fourth of July celebration.

Additional interest was attached to the program in view of the fact that Trades Day, a monthly event in Littlefield, was observed in connection with the Fourth of July celebration.

The program for the day was sponsored by the Retail Merchants Association, the American Legion and the Littlefield band, of which Monte Bowron is the director.

All Littlefield stores were open throughout the day, because of the carrying out of Trades Day on the first Monday of each month. Large numbers of Littlefield residents and visitors took advantage of the stores being open to engage in shopping.

From every standpoint the joint observance of the Fourth of July and Trades Day was an outstanding success; in fact, it was the best celebration which has been held in Little-

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WE HOPE HE IS RIGHT

Charles G. Dawes, retiring from public life after nearly fifteen years of service which began with the War, included the reorganization of Germany's finances, a term as Vice-President of the United States, Ambassador to Great Britain, and culminated with the presidency of the Reconstruction Finance corporation, says that the nation has reached the turning point in the depression.

Mr. Dawes, who was and is a successful banker as well as a statesman, ought to know what he is talking about. He does not hold out any glittering promises to the foolish folk who still believe that the end of the depression will be heralded by the over-night resumption of full production in every industry and the skyrocketing of stock exchange prices to where they were three years ago. But he points out that people are beginning to use more electric current, that the small business and industries are showing gains in many lines, and he sagely reminds us that recovery from depressions always starts at the bottom and works up. The big maker of motor cars or radio sets or similar items can't be expected to get into full swing until the smaller industries have been back in production long enough to make a dent in the number of the unemployed and put the mass of the people in a position where they can again become customers for the products of the big industries.

The tragic thing about so many political hope chests this year is that they are filled only with hope.

How many of us in 1929 could have believed that a patch on the seat of a feller's pants would be the fashion in 1932?

Now the big conventions are over, the free-for-all is under way, and the paramount issue with us all is: Will Hoover prosperity come to an end on March 4, 1933?



EIGHT YEARS AGO IN LITTLEFIELD

(Exerpts from Lamb Co. Leader)

Miss Bertie Lee Burkhalter of Canyon has been appointed home demonstrator for Lamb county, according to a letter received by G. M. Shaw, from Miss Mamie Hayden, district home demonstrator.

Miss Patsy Lively of Seymour has been elected by the Littlefield school board to the position as teacher of the Home Economics department.

Postmaster W. J. Wade has application blanks for soldiers of the World War desiring to apply for bonus money under the recent law passed by Congress.

R. E. McCaskill of Electra was in Littlefield last week investigating the outlook for establishing an electric plant here.

After talking with a number of leading citizens he expressed himself as well pleased with the future prospects of the town.

H. S. Goertz of Hillsboro, Kansas, has moved here with his family, establishing residence on his land south of town, where he is making improvements.

G. M. Shaw and family are this week moving into their new home in the south part of town.

Carl Smith has accepted a position as manager of the Quick Service station.

JAMES V. ALLRED IS TO SPEAK IN LUBBOCK TONIGHT
 Attorney General James V. Allred, candidate for re-election, will bring his candidacy to Lubbock tonight. Mr. Allred is now serving his first term.

of speech," he pleads. Nevertheless, God's grace surmounts even this final unbelief and offers the pledge, "I will be with thy mouth and teach thee what thou shalt speak."

What marvelous words of encouragement are these! What a wondrous ally has the humblest child of God in all His service.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

BY REV. SAMUEL D. PRICE, D.D.

International Sunday School Lesson For Sunday, July 10.

THE CALL OF MOSES
 Exodus 3:10-15; 4:10-12
 Golden Text: Exodus 3:12
 At last Israel's time of training was nearing an end. They had come through bitter experience to see the futility of their own strivings and to turn in faith to Jehovah as the only hope of deliverance. In like manner Moses had passed through these long, lonely years of the testing desert experience, years which brought meekness, humility, and a tried and trustful faith. The hour of the divine call was at hand. Moses was to be God's instrument in a deliverance which would echo through the ages.

Now Moses has chosen: chosen to suffer affliction with the people of God rather than to enjoy the pleasures of sin for a season (Heb. 11:25). But still faith faltered; he doubted his own capacity. Humility is a grace of great beauty but may become a subtle peril when we are led to question God's way for us. Note the infinite patience of Jehovah. When Moses questions, "Who am I that I should go unto Pharaoh?" the reassuring answer is, "Certainly I will be with thee." To his second question as to how his divine commission is to be established before Israel the tender response comes, "Thus shalt thou say unto the Children of Israel I AM hath sent me unto you." Yet even in the light of this marvelous unfolding of the nature of God a lingering doubt remains. Moses, like many another of God's servants, looks at himself instead of looking at the Almighty One. "I am not eloquent, I am slow

Chevrolet Supply Postoffice Trucks

First of a fleet of 550 post office trucks complete with bodies, recently contracted for by the Federal Government with the Chevrolet Motor company, are to be delivered July 15. Chevrolet officials announced last week.

The trucks are to be delivered as follows:

- Boston, 68; Brooklyn, 40; Buffalo, 21; Chicago, 156; Cincinnati, 6; Cleveland, 20; Dallas, 3; Detroit, 49; Grand Rapids, 1; Indianapolis, 21; Jacksonville, 3; Milwaukee, 12; Minneapolis, 12; New York, 40; Omaha, 18; Philadelphia, 40; St. Louis, 30; and St. Paul, 10.

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FIRST MOVIES

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Installation

Breen, 16 years old, slipped out of all his life in a tugboat plying the river. He is tossed into the millstone which sinks to the bottom and the mother and the father, ignorant, undriven, he drags him in the friendly covered truck—out at dawn—and a tough gang of men beat and chase him, exhausted, tumbling doorway. Later, the door, slammed, and down—and he is

vitch and Mrs. Yartin were urging and helping the reluctant Lipvitch at the window. Suddenly the water stopped. Lipvitch, in the area, caught a glimpse of a boy's face at the broken window. The little man, he was a head shorter than his wife, struggled to command his voice. He did not look formidable in his black silk skull cap. His features worked convulsively.

"Vot iss! Vot iss!" He exclaimed excitedly. The boy looked harmless, frightened. "Will you come out?" Lipvitch screamed. "Or if you don't—I—call polize!"

"Papa, it's only a boy." Becca was again climbing through the window. "Here, boy, come out to us." She rapped and rattled the weathered sash.

"It's only a poy. Only a poy," Mr. Lipvitch announced, as if terribly disappointed. He greeted Johnny with a smile, and held out a scrawny hand to the strong fist of the boy who leaped up without effort, a ragged, desperate waif with wet hair and shining eyes. But Channon Lipvitch was triumphant. He had proven himself, with the help of circumstances. Be-

seed rolls and gulps of tears and lukewarm coffee, thrilled the company with sympathy grown quick through the age-long persecution of their race—a sympathy leading to monumental works of charity within the city. Tears coursed down his cheeks as he repeated, "My mother is drowned, my mother is drowned!" The "oy, oy, oy" of Mrs. Lipvitch and Mrs. Yartin punctuated the story. Mrs. Blumgarten, with large, wondering brown eyes, cried in sympathy, while Becca dried his clothes and sewed on buttons.

"You are staying by us, now," Becca spoke to Johnny, smiling, her face close to his. Tears welled in his eyes. He was terribly tired; kindness cut through him like a knife.

Johnny slept on a cot in a corner. He drifted off into oblivion, exhaustion and exaltation crowding back the events of the previous day and night. Day of bewildering complexity followed on his establishment in the family of Channon Lipvitch, as a cousin from the farm, for so Elkan Nesser, a malamud, advised. Slowly the river dimmed. Johnny Breen learned of synagogues and rabbis. He thought the whole world consisted of the river and the Ghetto, nothing else. Becca became a dominant force in the direction of his emotions. He burst out of his clothes, his strong body never tired. He could lift Becca high up so she might reach the top shelves in the shop; she was often needing things there, and then, suddenly, he refused to lift her, but climbed up himself and found nothing.

John had achieved a prime requisite for worldly success. He was known four and five blocks away as "Fighting Lipvitch." He became a celebrity, nothing less, elevated above the boys on the street; on a par, in fact, with young men four and five years his senior in point of age and a decade beyond him in worldly lore. The Grogan Gang, out for revenge, cruised the Ghetto. John Breen, with brass knuckle dusters in his pockets, a reckless light in his eyes, fought when there were no more than two or three, and took to his heels before a gang. He rather liked fighting, it added to his popularity. He began to absorb the philosophy of the Ghetto, the kindly brotherhood of those who live within the pale. He also absorbed a tremendous stock of self-conceit and confidence. Once he hit a rash young man such a terrific crack, the blow landed on his chin, that the victim lay for a half hour unconscious. The story grew by telling and the fame of John Breen took on added stature.

Fighting kept his mind alert and made him wary, while dim thoughts of things beyond the tenements, of wide avenues and great mansions, crossed his consciousness in dreams. John learned that millionaires were in the city, powerful, kindly and immensely rich, looking about for worthy daughters of Israel. He suspected that miles and miles beyond them lay vast territories unexplored.

A month in the Clothing Emporium—New and Second Hand—found John Breen part of a routine that included every phase of the business, that is, every phase of it but the receipt of wages. John lay awake at night reviewing the bitter struggle and worked the harder by day. He arose at five-thirty, an hour before



John Breen suddenly confronted by a crowd of toughs.

uffled, his feet at the end of a long, weary face assuming severity. It was an angry Lipvitch, certainly determined to correct the conversation. In the sleeping room, came and voices quieting down of running water about. "So, you told Shabbas?" He bristled more voluble than he usually replied.

"Don't be so sudden, me a liar. It's in my ear it splashing."

Lipvitch was right. If not in their ear by Ha, he was not stuffed up. He ever in his mind. "Vell," he said, "don't you? Dell me, sooch a splash on a strict man with the presence of visi-

fore one's family and friends, bravery is a virtue.

The Lipvitch Clothing Emporium—"New and Second Hand"—was not unlike the barge Cavalier, in shape, at least.

It was a nice little business, buying and selling. In the back, branching from a dark, narrow hallway with a splintered plank floor, were the work rooms lit by naked yellow gas jets and crowded during ten hours of the day with operators on pants and vests. Lipvitch took in piece work on the less difficult parts of manufacture, hiring his help from the tenements of the street. His stock did not spoil, he bought cheap and sold at a profit, even when protesting with vehemence that his loss was great.

Back of the two work rooms came the kitchen, small and dark, opening to the living room in the rear. At one side of this, back of a sink, to save plumbing, was the bathroom. And the back room, the home of the Lipvitch family, where they entertained their friends, ate their meals, and slept, stretched the full seventeen feet from party wall to party wall. Here father, mother, Becca and the twins, Muriel and Constance, the latter just able to walk, were sheltered.

In the living room there were two beds, covered by colored spreads by day and shoved against the wall farthest from the windows, to get away from the night air. Becca and the twins slept on one of these and Mr. and Mrs. Lipvitch occupied the other. With the advent of Johnny Breen a cot, from a nearby second hand store, was placed beneath one of the windows.

Channon Lipvitch, like the heads of many families preponderant on the female side, felt himself overshadowed by the growing impudence of Becca added to the volubility of Mrs. Lipvitch. A shrewd general in trade, he was limp in the hands of his wife and daughter. To him trade was art; it was life, and life depended upon the teeming, crowded multitude who swarmed and squirmed in the alleys of the town—it was a good place, this city, so full of customers always close at hand.

On the Saturday afternoon of Johnny's introduction to the city his reception in the back room of the Clothing Emporium took on the proportions of an event. Johnny's story, given amid greedy mastication of

Lipvitch, and in the dark, murky room he slipped on his trousers, and with shirt in hand, went to the littered tub.

In those mornings John worked hard and fast to get out on the street and then he idled about, until the coming of Lipvitch. The street was an endless show, a constantly changing tapestry with human figures hung on frames of brick.

As the mornings followed each other and his fame expanded, John Breen kept a wary eye for ruffians trudging to and from the river. His stay at the Clothing Emporium became more and more perilous. The Grogan Gang was "laying" for him. He avoided the river front and kept away from the Bowery. Once, on a Saturday night, walking with Becca, arm in arm, and deep in the mysteries of river lore, for John told her everything he could remember, he was suddenly confronted by a crowd of toughs.

"That's 'im! That's tha fightin' kyke!"

Set on from front and back he was unmercifully beaten, kicked and mauled, Becca, screaming, ran to the corner crying, "Moider, perlice!—moider!—perlice!" Her frantic screams were heard for a block and a cop, provisionally near, rushed to the scene in time to save John Breen from complete annihilation.

Becca supported him, carried him home, a bloody battered gladiator. Becca was his nurse, tended him, washed his cuts and bruises, and got raw beefsteak from Mrs. Yartin for his blackened eyes. She sat on his couch and cried over him, caressed him, her hero.

And so the months went by in a smother of smells and chatter and continuous struggle.

As the summer waxed to its fullest heat and high humidity thickened the air with oppressive damp, the Lipvitch family moved out of their back room into the rear area of the tenement. Here, with their mattresses close together, they lay gasping through the nights. John, prone on his back, gazed upward on clear nights at a slit of heaven. Frequent domestic arguments sounded back and forth down crowded light shafts and weird fancies filled John's mind as he fretted through the hot nights amid the close incest of the city slums.

ENGINEERS APPOINTED—
Appointment of two project engineers and one office engineer to handle plans and construction work at Muleshoe and Brownfield was announced by Guy R. Johnson, resident district engineer.

Harry N. Roberts was named project engineer at Muleshoe, to have charge of the construction work in Lamb and Bailey counties and also the surveys from Muleshoe to Farwell to the Deaf Smith county line.

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Bridge Tournament Sponsored by Little Theatre Thursday

A delightful bridge tournament was sponsored by the Little Theatre organization Thursday evening at the apartment of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooper, when both contract and auction bridge was enjoyed. In the contract games Mrs. C. L. Harless won high for the ladies, while R. A. Davis was awarded the high score prize for the men. Mrs. W. W. Gillette scored high in the auction games for the ladies, while Mr. LeMond received high honors for the men. Twelve tables were in play during the evening, at the close of which delicious refreshments were served.

Miss Veneta Seely Entertains With Slumber Party

Miss Veneta Seely entertained a group of young girls with a swimming and slumber party in honor of her guest, Miss Catherine Wendel of Slaton. The girls enjoyed a good swim and then later returned to the home of Miss Seely's parents, 717 LFD Drive, where various games were played and at midnight lunch was served to the following: Verna Bell Miller, Mary Duncan, Vera Foust, Mattie Middleton, Prudence Courtney, Olga Henson, Juandell Street, Fern Thornton, Aletha Fae Davis, Jewell Glover, Nell Hill of Stephenville, Frances Seely and the honoree and hostess.

BIRTHS

Arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Howard of six miles southeast of Littlefield Tuesday morning, June 28, a daughter, "Elsie Durelle." The little miss weighed 7 1/2 pounds. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Pinkerton of two miles north of Littlefield Friday morning a son, weighing nine pounds. He has been named, "Floyd Dwayne." couple of weeks' vacation with Mrs. Thomas' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whicker. Mrs. John Porcher, Sr., and son, Ben, left Saturday for San Augustine, Texas, where they will spend a week visiting relatives. Miss Dahlia Hemphill left Littlefield Saturday for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Burrows at Odessa, Texas. Mrs. J. E. Dryden and Miss Louise Green of Olton spent Monday in Littlefield the guests of Miss Ethyl Little. Mrs. Beve Flanigan, who has been in Littlefield for the past year, left Sunday for Sanderson, Texas, where they will make their home. Dwain Kennedy and Charlie Miller accompanied her as far as Rankin, where she joined her husband, and went on to Sanderson with him. Enroute home Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Miller visited in Tahoka and were accompanied to Littlefield by Mrs. N. J. Barton, who will visit her daughter, Mrs. Bob Miller, and family for a couple of weeks. Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Schrimsher of El Paso, newlyweds, are spending a week of their honeymoon with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Moody. Mr. Schrimsher, who is a brother of Mrs. Moody, is a sergeant in "C" Battery, 82nd Field Artillery, stationed at El Paso. Miss Nell Hill of Stephenville and Miss Virginia Teal of Bula are guests of Miss Jewell Glover.

POPULAR LITTLEFIELD GIRL WED



MRS. ROY WADE

Miss Ruth Courtney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Courtney of this city, became the bride of Roy Wade, son of C. E. Wade of Olio, Arkansas, Friday evening, at Clovis, N. M. Rev. Nichols, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiated with the ring ceremony, which was performed at the parsonage about 8 P. M. The bride was charmingly attired in an old rose ensemble suit with white accessories. The happy couple left Saturday evening on a brief wedding trip to Dallas, returning to Littlefield Monday night. They are now living in their beautiful new brick home on East Seventh street. Mrs. Wade is a graduate of the Littlefield High School, having graduated with the honor of valedictorian in 1924, after which she attended the

West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon. She is a very attractive and accomplished young lady with a charming personality, and a general favorite with the business people of the city with whom she comes in contact when carrying out her duties as a rural carrier clerk at the Littlefield post office. Mrs. Wade has been connected with the local post office for the past five and one-half years, previous to which she was employed by the First National Bank. The groom has been employed at the Littlefield post office for the past eight years, at present serving as the rural carrier on Route No. 2 out of this city is a man of the highest principles and character, and has a host of friends in this city and section.

Mrs. C. C. Clements Gets Car Won In Circulation Contest

Mrs. C. C. Clements arrived home Tuesday from a two weeks' trip to Nocona and Dallas. Mrs. Clements brought back with her the new V-8 Ford coach, which she won recently in the Leader subscription contest. Owing to the demand for new Fords being greater than the supply, the John H. Arnett company was not earlier able to deliver the car to Mrs. Clements.

R. E. Riley Returns From East Texas Trip

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Riley and daughter returned home the end of last week from an eighteen day visit in Fort Worth, Dallas, Glen Rose, and Tyler. Mr. Riley says it feels like spring of the year to get back to the cool breezes of the plains after sweltering under the heat in central and east Texas. "The people of this section of the state do not realize just how fortunate they are. Business conditions further east in Texas are not even to be compared with the local situation. Littlefield can rightly be fortunate at not having been more seriously affected by the widespread economic depression," said Mr. Riley.

Coterie Club Meets With Mrs. Williams

Mrs. Gertrude Williams entertained the Coterie Club Friday afternoon, as Mrs. E. G. Courtney was out of the city. A pleasant afternoon was spent in playing forty-two by nine members and three visitors, Miss Duffee, Mrs. Hardberger and Mrs. Jess Seale. Light refreshments were served and the club adjourned to meet with Mrs. G. S. Glenn July 8, in the home of Mrs. Leonard Wright.

Mrs. M. M. Brittain Hostess to Ladies Auxiliary Tuesday

Mrs. M. M. Brittain was hostess to the Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary on Tuesday afternoon at the church. Mrs. Ray Jones, the president, presided during the meeting. The lesson was "Our Favorite Bible Chapter". Each member present gave her favorite chapter. The meeting was closed in regular form. The hostess served lovely refreshments to the following members: Mesdames C. E. Barber, E. A. Bills, A. P. Duggan, J. S. Hilliard, Ray Jones, W. O. Stockton, J. G. Singer, F. W. Wynn and the hostess.

Mrs. Aldridge Is Hostess to Club

Mrs. J. W. Aldridge was hostess to the Coterie Club, June 24th. A pleasant afternoon was spent in playing forty-two, with nine members and three visitors present, Mrs. T. P. Wright, Mrs. J. R. Coen and Mrs. O. P. Collins. Delicious refreshments were served and the club adjourned to meet July 1st with Mrs. E. G. Courtney.

MAYOR SALES ON TRIP TO DALLAS AND MCGREGOR

Mayor T. S. Sales left Tuesday for McGregor and Dallas. He was accompanied by Mrs. Sales' mother, Mrs. O. B. Gardner, who was returning to McGregor after an extended visit with her daughter. Mayor Sales will return late this week.

ALL DAY BARBECUE IS ENJOYED AT JAMES TABERNACLE FRIDAY

An all day barbecue and candidate speaking took place at James Tabernacle last Friday. Plenty of cats and a good time were enjoyed by the large attendance.

JUDGE AND MRS. C. H. CURL VISIT FRIENDS HERE; PICNIC TO BE HELD IN THEIR HONOR

Judge and Mrs. C. H. Curl and her brother, Mr. Stillman, Mrs. Stillman and Mrs. Curl's grandson arrived Tuesday for a visit with friends in Littlefield. They are now the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arnett at the ranch. Judge and Mrs. Curl formerly lived in Littlefield, and are numbered among the "old timers" of this section. Judge Curl was Judge of the County of Lamb for several years, and he and Mrs. Curl have many friends in Littlefield and district. They were enroute to their home in Washington after spending a month's vacation in California.

A number of old-time friends, including Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Duggan, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whicker, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Street, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Street, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Walker, and Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stockton, are entertaining the Washington visitors with a picnic at the Cundiff grounds Saturday afternoon. The Curl party will spend the weekend in Littlefield, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Duggan, and Mr. and Mrs. Whicker, and will leave for Washington the first of next week.

Amherst H. D. Club Entertains Husbands And Friends Friday

The members of the Amherst Home Demonstration Club combined business with pleasure when they entertained their husbands and friends with a lovely party at the home of Mrs. J. T. Graham Friday evening. Mrs. Graham, who is the wardrobe demonstrator for the club, gave a very complete report of her work and showed the guests her wardrobe and closet space provided for the wardrobe. All members present turned in their reports for the six months just past. Ice cream and cake were served to the following members and guests: Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Whitfield, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Harris, Mesdames J. L. Crosby, F. A. Loyd, Larkin Nix, Odette Fogle, Gail Stewart of Branbury, L. A. Daniels, Misses Mavis Terrill, Vend and Geraldine Young, Virginia Pointer, and Messrs. Coleman Terrill, Coy and Albert Ford. Mrs. Nix and Mrs. Fogle became members of the club. At the next meeting, which will be held at the Legion Hall, the Amherst Club will entertain the Sod House and Sudan Clubs. The subject will be "Communicable Disease." Visitors are always welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Pass Entertain the 1930 Bridge Club Friday

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pass entertained the 1930 Bridge Club Friday evening at their home on Phelps Avenue. The Fourth of July motif was carried out throughout the party and the entertaining rooms were adorned with red and white roses and daisies. Mrs. Ray Jones was awarded the high score prize for the ladies, and Dr. C. C. Clements won high score for the men. After the games an ice course was served to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Mallory Etter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Etter, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hopping, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dobbs, R. E. McCaskill, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Pass. Merchants get your pin tickets at the Leader office.

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may not be all that it should be, and
there are no doubt a few who are
still hoarding their money "in the old
sock," but such conditions do not al-
ter the fact that hundreds of thou-
sands of American citizens are daily
tuning up the old bus—or a new,
shiny one—for a long vacation trek
to the mountains, lake resort or sea
shore.
That is the report of the Conoco
Travel bureau, maintained in Denver
for the purpose of extending free
service to motor travelers throughout
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tion trips have been planned by
this organization so far this year, and
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summer vacation season.
Incidentally, the Conoco Travel
bureau, which is maintained by the
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set a record for trip services, ac-
cording to E. S. Karstedt, vice presi-
dent.

"This fact might be attributed both
to the growing popularity of this free
travel service and to an improvement
in general business conditions to the
point where Mr. and Mrs. Average
Citizen have been convinced that they
can afford an annual vacation trip,"
said Mr. Karstedt.

"The service extended by the Cono-
co Travel Bureau is of wide general
value, aside from the direct benefit
to the motorist," Mr. Karstedt point-
ed out, "in that it encourages motor-
ists to stop and shop throughout the
country, and because a large staff of
workers have been enlisted from the
ranks of the unemployed to handle
this service to travelers.

"At the headquarters of the Cono-
co Travel bureau in Denver, a staff
of 130 persons is maintained at this
time, marking state road maps for in-
dividual vacation trips, and supplying
innumerable pieces of literature de-
voted to scenic spots throughout the
country. Of this staff, more than 100
persons have been employed during
the past month, and the peak of the
travel season will not be reached be-
fore July 20. This staff of workers
does not include the thousands of
Conoco employees who serve motor-
ists at the more than 8,000 branches
of the bureau throughout the coun-
try—wherever the Conoco red trian-
gle is displayed.

Established in the spring of 1930,
the Conoco Travel bureau set about
to provide a free travel service that
would really be of aid to the motor-
ist, not only on helping him to plan
his vacation or business trip, by pro-
viding road maps and literature de-
voted to major scenic attractions, but
also to aid him en route by supply-
ing tourist camp and hotel informa-
tion, checking parcels, and generally
contributing to the convenience and
comfort of his tour.

During the first year of the Cono-
co Travel bureau's operation slightly
more than 26,000 such trips were
planned for motorists. With the view
to constantly improving its service,
new features were added, and the
service was advertised in newspapers
throughout the country, with the re-
sult that more than 67,000 motorists
called upon the bureau to plan mo-
tor vacations during 1931.

Success of the 1931 season prompt-
ed the bureau to prepare to serve an
even greater number of tourists this
year. It was fortunate that plans
were made in advance, for the open-
ing of the travel season saw an ava-
lanche of requests for trip services
that by June 10 had reached 73,000,
and this number was increased to
over 100,000 by June 20.

Anyone who travels by motor car
is eligible to call upon the Conoco
Travel bureau for a free trip service,
regardless of the distance traveled
or the route covered. Trips actually
planned by the bureau this year cov-
ered every state and province in
North America, and ranged from 500
to 10,000 miles, while the average is
approximately 3,500 miles each. Us-
ing this average as a basis, and con-
sidering that about 110,000 trips have
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before her marriage, was Miss Lydia Daugherty, daughter of Mrs. J. S. Daugherty.

SUDAN

After purchasing a Model T car to make the trip in, Bernice Brothers, Winford Wells, Joe Carter and Forrest Weimhold left last week for a month's encampment at Fort Sill, Okla., in the Citizens Military Training Camp.

Jimmie Aldredge, who taught in the Sudan High school last year, was elected to fill the position of principal in the Seagraves High school.

At a meeting the business men held recently, it was decided to organize a Chamber of Commerce for Sudan. R. E. Doss, of the Doss grocery, was elected president; Mr. Scott manager of the Whaley Lumber Co., vice-president, and Joe Salem of the Salem Dry Goods company was elected secretary and treasurer. The organization will meet every Monday night.

AMHERST

Candidates of Lamb county will gather in Amherst on Saturday, July 16, for an all-day speaking engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Duffy and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers Willett and their families entertained their guests, Mr. and Mrs. James Duffy and Miss Rosalie Hughes of Mangum, Okla., recently with a swimming party at the Littlefield swimming pool.

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Funeral Services Held Thursday for Fieldton Resident

Mrs. Calvin Patterson, aged 37, of three and one-half miles northeast of Fieldton, died Wednesday afternoon, June 29, about three o'clock in Dr. Pirtle's office at Anton, enroute to the Lubbock Sanitarium.

Mrs. Patterson was being rushed to Lubbock for medical treatment, but was so low when she reached Anton, that she was taken to the doctor's office, but died before aid could be applied.

Deceased had been under the doctor's care for paralysis for two or three months.

The remains were brought to Littlefield by Hammons Undertaking, who took care of the body until the funeral services Thursday afternoon, June 30, at three o'clock at the Church of Christ, Littlefield, when Rev. Verner Gregg officiated. Interment took place in the Anton cemetery.

Deceased has lived on the South Plains for eight years.

She leaves surviving her husband, and three sisters, Mrs. O. D. Yeager of ten miles northeast of Littlefield; Mrs. Jack Johnson of Burkburnett, and Mrs. Kirkpatrick of Enid, Okla.

Absentee Voting Began July 3

Monday of last week the Democratic committee met at Olton and arranged the ballot.

Absentee voting began July 3, and will continue for twenty days.

July 10.—First day to file second statement of campaign expenses.

July 14.—Last day to file second statement of campaign expenses.

July 18.—Tax collector delivers to county executive committee chairman list of voters.

July 19.—Last day of absentee voting.

July 21.—County clerk sends ab-

Candidate Speaking at Fieldton Friday

A political rally will take place at the Fieldton school building Friday night, July 8, at 8:30; Lum's Chapel, Friday night, July 15, and at Amherst Saturday, July 16.

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sente votes to presiding judges.

July 23.—First primary, also precinct conventions.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lamb County, Greeting:

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by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Lamb County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Olton, Texas, on the first Monday in August, A. D. 1932, the same being the 1st day of August, A. D. 1932, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of June, A. D. 1932, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court as No. 713, wherein A. T. Bontke is Plaintiff, and E. H. Flynn and F. L. Flynn are Defendants, and said petition alleging:

TO THE HONORABLE JUDGE OF SAID COURT:

NOW COMES A. T. Bontke, plaintiff in the above styled and numbered cause, and with permission of the court first had and obtained, filed this his first amended original petition, and complains of E. H. Flynn, F. L. Flynn, defendants herein, and represents to the court:

I. That plaintiff resides in Taylor County, Texas. That the defendant E. H. Flynn resides in Okmulgee, Okmulgee County, Oklahoma, and that the residence of F. L. Flynn is unknown to this plaintiff.

II. For cause of action plaintiff represents:

That heretofore, to wit, on or about January, 1929, he was lawfully seized and possessed of the simple title to lot Two (2) Block Seventeen (17) of the town of Littlefield, in Lamb County, Texas, as shown by the map and plat of said town, recorded in Vol. 6, page 500 of the Deed Records of Lamb County, Texas.

That thereafter on or about the same day the defendants unlawfully went into possession thereof, and ejected the plaintiff therefrom, to plaintiff's damage in the sum of One Thousand (\$1,000.00) Dollars.

Plaintiff alleges that he has been deprived of the possession of said lot for a period of about three years, and that the rental value of said property is \$500.00 per year. Plaintiff further alleges that by virtue of such ejection, this plaintiff has been unable to sell said lot, although he has had several purchasers for same and has entered into written contracts for the purchase of said lot only to be found that defendants have clouded the title to said property, which prevents plaintiff from giving possession to the purchasers, thereby resulting in a failure to consummate such sale, and that by virtue of being unable to sell said property plaintiff has been damaged in the sum of \$1,000.00.

Plaintiff further alleges that defendants have erected and possess

and maintain a house on part of said property, and have failed and refused to remove same.

WHEREFORE, plaintiff prays for the issuance and service of citation upon the defendants as required by law, and he prays that upon final hearing he have judgment for the sum of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars, and for a mandatory injunction removing said building above referred to, and for the right, title and possession of the premises, and for a writ of restitution, for costs of suit, and for such other and further relief to which he may be entitled either at law or in equity.

Cox & Hayden, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

The State of Texas, County of Lamb.

I, M. W. Etter, District Clerk in and for Lamb County, Texas, do hereby certify that the above foregoing is a true and correct copy of Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition filed in cause No. 713, styled A. T. Bontke vs. E. H. Flynn, et al., now pending in the District Court of Lamb County, Texas.

Witness my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Olton, Texas, this

the 29th day of June, A. D. 1932.

(Seal) M. W. Etter, District Clerk, Lamb County, Texas. Herein Fail Not, and have you before said Court, at its aforesaid next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given Under My Hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Olton, Texas, this the 29th day of June, A. D. 1932.

M. W. Etter, Clerk, District Court, Lamb County. (Seal) 13-4c

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Prices LOW AS POSSIBLE

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A SIMMS STATION

Conveniently Located to Serve You

We have opened a Simms Station at Phelps Avenue and Highway No. 7, Opposite the Depot, and will appreciate your business. Good Products and Square Deal Service.

Simms Gasoline - Simms Motor Oil
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We have moved the wholesale office to the Simms Service Station. Warehouse and Tanks at Old Location.

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run the risk of blowouts, stone bruise, and the host of other things that tend to tire costs up, when a National Tire, insured against all of these costs no more? We shall be glad to discuss with you your tire problems.

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In the Famous Littlefield-Levelland Section of the South Plains

LARGE NUMBER OF 100 PER CENT FARM TRACTS
 A FEW IMPROVED FARMS

Splendid combination acreage in any size tracts right in the center of development, surrounded by farms and plenty of feed, at prices and terms that will appeal

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A FEEDER-BREEDER PARADISE

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LITTLEFIELD TEXAS

ROOSEVELT IS DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINEE

JOHN N. GARNER IS CHOICE FOR VICE-PRESIDENT

SELECTION OF TEXAN IS UNANIMOUS BY CONVENTION

The Democratic party Friday night nominated Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Governor of New York state, for the presidency of the United States, after what threatened to be a long drawn out deadlock had been overcome.

The fourth ballot gave Governor Roosevelt 945 votes, or 169 more than the necessary two-thirds majority required for nomination. Roosevelt's gain was steady, the count being 666 1/4 in the first ballot, 677 1/2 in the second and 682 75/100 in the third.

Governor Alfred E. Smith, who had been heralded by many political prognosticators as the probable "dark horse", drew a count of 201 1/4 on the first ballot, descending to 194 1/4 on the second and 190 1/4 on the third.

Texas' "favorite son", John Nance Garner, held the indivisible support of his adherents through the first two ballots with 90 1/4 votes, gaining to 101 1/4 in the third.

The apparent deadlock was averted when Speaker Garner released his own state's delegates, which action was quickly followed by California's aggregation, headed by William Gibbs McAdoo, the two states adding to the Roosevelt column 90 votes, more than enough to total the two-thirds majority for nomination. This action came late in the day Friday, preventing an apparent recurrence of the Thursday night all-night session.

The official count gave Roosevelt far more than the two-thirds majority required, the tally being:

- Roosevelt—945.
- Smith—190 1/4.
- Baker—5 1/2.
- Ritchie—3 1/2.
- White—3.
- Cox—1.

Age 50, Franklin D. Roosevelt comes from a distinguished lineage. The impetuous Republican president, Theodore Roosevelt, was his fifth cousin.

His political career opened in the New York legislature and carried him to the vice-presidential nomination in 1920.

Twenty-two years ago the Democratic presidential nominee was preparing to stump his state for a place

DEMOCRATIC VICE-PRESIDENT NOMINEE



JOHN NANCE GARNER

John Nance Garner, the Speaker of the House of Representatives was born on a ranch in Red River County, Texas, November 22, 1869. He went to country schools, studied law, was admitted to the bar in 1890, was a member of the Texas House of Representatives from 1898 to 1902 and was elected to Congress from the 15th Texas district in 1903, serving continuously since then. He was married in 1895 to Ettie Rheiner. He was elected Speaker of the House in the present Congress.

In the New York state senate. John E. Mack, the same Mack that nominated him at Chicago, at that time the leader of the party in Dutchess county, New York, induced young Roosevelt to enter politics, and his guess at Roosevelt's ability was in no wise amiss, for, when the ballots were counted, Franklin D. Roosevelt was a state senator.

Since 1910, Roosevelt has never been out of the political limelight, although four years of this time were spent on the side-lines recuperating from an almost fatal attack of infantile paralysis.

The Democratic nominee was born in the same house in which he still lives, at Hyde Park, Dutchess county, New York, on January 30, 1882. He is a graduate of Harvard and Columbia Law School. He married his sixth cousin, Anna Roosevelt, daughter of former President Roosevelt's brother, in 1905; they have five children.

Nominee Roosevelt served in the New York legislature, was assistant secretary of the navy under Pres-

ident Wilson, was Democratic nominee for vice-president in 1920, and was first elected governor of New York in 1929, and was re-elected in 1931.

Garner Nominated Vice-President Texas Democrats succeeded Saturday in nominating John Nance Garner for vice-president of the United States, after shifting their solid support from the Texan to Roosevelt on Friday.

Without a break the states endorsed Garner or remained silent until Iowa nominated M. A. Tinsley of Council Bluffs, a favorite son and war hero. After the roll call Tinsley withdrew in a gracious speech and moved the nomination by acclamation of Texas' favorite son, starting a landslide surpassing even that of the previous day given the presidential nominee. As a matter of fact, this was the only time that the Democratic convention was entirely in harmony. When permanent chairman T. J. Walsh saw that the Garner demonstration would assume landslide proportions, he graciously and quietly vacated his high seat and in his place appeared the stately figure of the junior Texas senator, Tom Connally, of Marlin, who had previously championed the interest of the Lone Star delegation in his Garner-for-president nominating speech. Senator Connally placed the motion of unanimous approval and declared his friend, the tawny Texas son, the vice-presidential nominee, starting a Garner demonstration in which every state delegation participated. Before the huge demonstration had been concluded, and as the convention awaited patiently the aerial arrival of presidential nominee Roosevelt to make his acceptance speech, Sam Rayburn of Texas read a telegram of acceptance from Speaker Garner, in which he predicted victory in November with restoration of power to the people.

Seek Municipal Power Plant Here

A heavily signed petition has been presented to the City Commission asking that body to sponsor a municipal power plant.

The petition was signed by business men and a large number of the other residents.

The petition sets out that such a plant is asked with the idea in mind of giving the city a new source of revenue, in order that reduction in taxes may be effected.

Those signing the petition agreed to support such a plant at a reasonable rate for electrical current for such time as is required to pay for the necessary equipment.

JULY FOURTH—

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field for some time.

One of the especially good features of the day was the fact that there was something to interest everybody. The program included a parade just before the opening of the rodeo and horse racing, band concerts, candidate speaking, the awarding of \$40 in cash as Trades Day prizes, a baseball game, a water fight put on by the Littlefield fire department, and a street dance as the concluding feature of the day's program.

The horse racing and rodeo was a special feature of the day, in addition to the program planned by the merchants, Legion and band, and was under the direction of Homer Smith, Dr. R. S. Tanner, Col. J. W. Horn, and Everett Whicker. While there were not a large number of entries the horse racing and rodeo program attracted much interest and should have the effect of increasing the interest in good livestock in this section.

The sides in the water fight were captained by two brothers, Sid and Jake Hopping. Jake says that his side won the victory and Sid says that Jake is a—well, Sid thinks Jake would make a better county clerk than a captain in a water fight.

Candidate speaking was in progress throughout the afternoon. Talks were made by candidates for state and district offices, and for county offices. Among the speakers were J. N. Johnston of Floydada, candidate for rep-

resentative, 120th district; A. B. Martin, of Plainview, candidate for re-election as associate justice court of civil appeals; C. V. Terrell, candidate for re-election as railroad commissioner; M. R. Avery of Dimmitt, candidate for state representative; Meade Griffin of Plainview, candidate for re-election as district attorney; Charles H. Dean of Dimmitt candidate for election as district attorney.

A number of candidates were not present. Travis Dameron of Hereford spoke in behalf of Governor Sterling; J. H. Hankins of Lubbock, in behalf of Tom F. Hunter of Wichita Falls, candidate for governor; Dan Power of Lubbock, in behalf of Mrs. Ferguson, candidate for governor and E. A. Bills in behalf of Arthur P. Duggan, candidate for state senator.

CANDIDATE FOR—

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er, and boosting to the interest of Littlefield and its trade territory.

Mr. Douglass is endeavoring to see all the voters of the precinct, but should this not be possible, he makes the following statement: "If elected to the office of Constable, I will fill the office to the very best of my ability, and will render courteous and efficient service to all. Due to my lengthy experience dealing with the public, I feel well able to fill the post which I seek. I shall appreciate very much the support and influence of my friends, and others, who, after

R. T. BADGER—

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ganization and to this territory.

J. W. Hale, secretary of the chamber, was re-elected.

Program for Commerce A program for the year of commerce for the county outlined by Dr. Ira E. Wood, at the meeting of the chamber the same day and again at the luncheon the chamber the same day.

Dr. Woods said that a program for the year will be developed in connection with a definite program that a definite program be carried out.

A complete announcement of the chamber's program for the year will be made in next issue of the Lamb County Leader.

At the luncheon were presented by D. A. county agent, and Miss burn, home demonstration lining what they have in carrying out their work of the county agent home demonstration record as in favor of which is being carried by Adam and Miss Maiburn.

investigating my character etc., see fit to cast their

Democrats who Helped Make Wheels Go Around At Chicago



Upper left: Sen. Wm. A. Barkley, Ky., who made Democratic keynote at the Chicago convention; Upper right: Alfred E. Smith, New York, and William G. McAdoo, former bitter enemies. Lower left: J. J. Walsh, Executive chairman, Nat'l Comm. and (next): Sen. Tom Walsh, Mont., who battled for the permanent chairman of the convention. Lower right: Roosevelt leaders, left to right: Arthur Mulen, Neb., floor leader; John E. Mack, N. Y., organizer, and James E. Farley, N. Y., campaign manager.

A PLEA FOR REDUCTION—

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divisions of Texas alone is equal to about three-fourths of the bonded debt of the United States in 1915.

"Governmental expenses have imposed an almost insupportable burden upon private enterprise and at the same time the ability of the latter to bear this burden has been impaired by competitive activities on the part of government. Almost every field of endeavor has been invaded by government agencies. Practically every trade and every profession is represented in the growing army of public employees. For men and women of the most diverse talents and abilities the public service offers training public employees, which advertisements contain such statements as the following: 'Pick the job you want, I'll help you get it.' 'You don't have to worry all the time about lay-offs or being fired. Hard times do not affect the government employees and he gets an average of \$200 a year more than other workers.' 'Government positions; splendid salaries, mechanics, people with ambition to be managers, inspectors or experts of any description are invited to exchange the hazards of private enterprise for the security of employment by the one 'business' which grows, flourishes and 'pays off' regardless of general conditions.

"Within the last two years there has been a general shrinkage of property values, attended by a deflation of prices of all products. Private citizens have been forced to reduce their household expenses because of the reduced purchasing power of their earnings. But no one could guess from a study of public expense we were not passing through a period of unprecedented prosperity. Our national, state and local governments, far from needing to employ for themselves an increased share of the income, they are required to enlarge their contributions to government.

"We are perilously close to the limit of our resources for government expenses, if indeed we have not reached the limit. The paramount question before us today is: How shall we reduce governmental debts? It confronts us in respect of every branch of government—district, municipal, county, state and federal. It must be answered, and speedily, if private enterprise is to be preserved and public credit maintained."

Youngest Delegate



Mary E. Ball, LeFlore, 22, and William P. H. ... Arizona, Tex., 22, youngest delegates to the Democratic convention, found time to greet the delegates before the battle began.

LOUISIANA TO VOTE

The Louisiana legislature voted to submit the state law to a referendum of the next November 8th.

Charter No. 12824 Reserve District No. 11

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK

of Littlefield, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 30, 1932

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$144,464.56
Overdrafts	2,052.10
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	7,411.92
Banking house, \$20,000; Furniture and fixtures, \$9,618	29,618.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	10,000.00
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	13,523.69
Cash and due from banks	16,451.41
Outside checks and other cash items	1,225.53
Other assets	155.78
TOTAL	\$224,902.99

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided profits—net	1,087.10
Due to banks, including certified and cashiers' checks outstanding	1,705.58
Demand deposits	185,317.14
Time deposits	1,793.22
TOTAL	\$224,902.99

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LAMB, ss:

I, C. O. Stone, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. O. STONE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1932.

A. G. HEMPHILL, Notary Public.
Lamb County, Texas.

CORRECT—Attest:

- J. C. HILBUN,
- J. T. ELMS,
- W. C. THAXTON, Directors.

(Seal)

INVESTIGATE—Then Vote: Herbert C. Martin for County Attorney THANKS!