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LITTLEFIELD FRIENDS OF VICTIMS STAND AGHAST WHEN TEN BAYLOR LADS MEET A TRAGIC DEATH IN WRECK

Death stalked stealthily in the dim light of an afternoon sun Saturday at Round Rock, Texas, when a fast train on the I. & G. N., crashed into a bus from Baylor University, resulting in ten lives being taken out, ten sets of hopes being thwarted eternally, ten tragically ended, while others seriously injured some of which were survive the catastrophe.

Most of Baylor's University talent enroute to Austin where they were to meet the Texas Longhorns in a football game that night, hoping to win a previously lost game, were a happy rollicking bunch, bantering and joking with each other as the big bus that carried them pulled up over the crossing ways from Round Rock. Littlefield friends suspect that death was about the "blind" crossing, 22 miles of the trip had been completed when, in the twinkling of an eye, there was a swerve, a crash and a settling down over ten of which five others were more or less injured, one of whom is expected to die.

Apparently the driver did not see the oncoming train. It had a red light for the crossing, according to witnesses of the tragedy, but the bus heard it. In another moment there was a whirling, seething mass of machinery and human bodies on the cow catcher of the engine which could not stop for nearly 200 yards following the collision.

Some of the bodies were horribly mangled, almost beyond recognition. Some were identified by bits of clothing, pieces of jewelry they wore. In one fell swoop that the Baylor's athletic talent was wiped off, crushing hopes, blighting ambitions, defeating mighty prospects bringing untold grief to the families and homes of a countless number.

Stristland, Coach Ralph R. Wolf, J. R. Kane, Cecil Beane.

Fred Acree, with a broken back is the most seriously injured. The other four are expected to recover.

Crashes Bus

The top of the bus was crushed, as though it were an egg shell. Despite the force of the impact, the automobile was turned over. It was knocked almost in a complete circle.

Several eye-witnesses said that the driver, apparently seeking the train just before the bus reached the track jammed on his brakes, and attempted to turn parallel with the track; but that the bus skidded on the wet pavement and swerved directly into the train's path.

The train, the "Sunshine Special," stopped within half a mile of the crossing and backed up to the crossing. The train crew saw four men extricate themselves from the wreckage.

Part of the body of one man was wedged beneath the cow catcher.

With the exception of two of the injured who were started in an ambulance for Georgetown, the dead and injured were placed in the baggage car and taken to Taylor.

Green and Gold Remnants

About the shattered automobile were bits of green and gold cloth from the jerseys the Baylor players would have worn tonight as they entered the gymnasium at Austin. Bloody clothes and even more gruesome reminders of the tragedy were in evidence.

The inhabitants of this small town were shocked almost inarticulate by the crash, the second of its type within two years.

War Hospital

The stained waiting room of the depot resembled a war hospital with its bloody coats and quilts.

Uniforms of the men were kept in a locker room and friends were allowed to examine them.

Students from Texas University here and southwestern university at Georgetown, about 30 miles from Austin, gathered in great numbers. Many were intimate friends of the dead.

The Sunshine Special, late ten minutes, was detained an hour before it started with its load of death.

Round Rock townspeople and countrymen milled in silent throngs around the depot hours after the bodies had been removed.

Kelley, star punter, was mangled. The leg which used to boot the football far down the field was severed from the torso.

All the bodies were so mangled that identification was temporarily impossible.

Crash Predicted

A railroad telegraph operator, until Friday stationed at Round Rock, predicted the day he left, 24 hours before the crash: "There's going to be an awful accident at this crossing," according to a Round Rock merchant.

"Only a few weeks ago, a girl burned a house here and put Round Rock in the headlines in all the papers."

Meanwhile in Austin a cold and silent "gym" is ready for a basketball game which will not be played.

A BAND IS ORGANIZED IN BAILEY COUNTY

Music lovers of Muleshoe and surrounding communities have organized the Bailey county band with Oran A. George as director. Some of its musicians are experienced members and will enable them to furnish music for the public in the near future. The officers of the band are: T. C. Young, manager; B. F. Overstreet, chairman; H. T. Kennedy, secretary-treasurer; W. D. Newman, reporter.

All instruments except the bass drum and bass horn are owned by the band now. Those needed instruments will be secured as speedily as possible.

In order to be ready to boost Bailey county at once each member will furnish his own uniform.

OUT OF THE QUESTION

Doctor: "And how is Mr. Mulsaky this morning? Did he follow my instructions about dieting?"

"Indeed no! He says he'll never starve himself to death for the sake of livin' a few years longer!"

ALONG ABOUT THIS TIME OF YEAR

By A. B. CHAPIN



LFD. BAND WAS REORGANIZED AT MEETING SUNDAY

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce band, which has been status quo since the absence of Prof. Clayborne Harvey, was reorganized last Sunday afternoon with 16 members. It is understood there will probably be more than 20 to take part when the organization is finally completed.

E. C. Gatlin was elected business manager and secretary; "Slim" Robinson was made director, and Emil Timian authorized to act as librarian and property custodian. Meetings for practise will be held each Tuesday and Friday evenings in the old Lee theatre building, and there will also be a Sunday afternoon practise.

The boys are all enthusiastic regarding the reorganization of the band. Many of the old members are coming back in, and there will be several new additions, most of them being old experienced players who will be valuable assistance to the organization. It is stated by Prof. Robinson that the instrumentation will be better than ever before.

The boys are confident they can whip into form so as to be able to attend the next meeting of West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in the spring at Wichita Falls.

HORN IS WELL PLEASED WITH THE NEW REGENT

"A valuable addition to the band and one of the finest men in West Texas," were the words of praise of President Paul W. Horn, for Col. E. O. Thompson, of Amarillo, when he learned of his appointment to the board of directors of the Texas Technological college by Governor Dan Moody. His services will add much to the development of the school, Doctor Horn said. Immediately upon his hearing of Thompson's appointment Doctor Horn wired congratulations.

Doctor Horn also expressed himself as well pleased with the reappointment of Amon G. Carter, of Fort Worth, and R. A. Underwood, of Plainview, to their old places on the board. All three men will serve for a term of six years.

Just when the next meeting of the board will be held Tech officials do not know, but it is likely that it will be held in Austin during the special session of the legislature when the appropriations bills will be brought up.

HE HAS REASON

"I understand your husband can't meet his creditors."

Neighbor: "Well I don't think he cares to, from what he says."

DR. NORRIS IS FREE

Rev. J. Frank Norris, tried for the shooting of Dexter Chippis was given his freedom by the jury late Tuesday afternoon. The case was given to the jury at 4:40 p. m. and within 20 minutes they had returned a verdict favorable to Dr. Norris, according to information received by local fans over the radio Tuesday night.

Norris pleaded self-defense in shooting.

WHAT IS DOING IN WEST TEXAS

By West Texas Chamber of Commerce

PLAINVIEW—Hale county has added 16 fine registered bulls to its bull circles. The animals were brought from Ohio by Paul Huey, county agricultural agent.

SHAMROCK—A two story hotel containing 24 rooms is being erected here. Each room is to be equipped with hot and cold running water and will be heated by gas.

PAMPA—Brick work on the new Schneider Hotel has started, and the building will be ready for occupancy by May 1st, according to the contract. Several colors of brick are being used in the work.

JACKSBORO—The home of beef canning movement inaugurated by the County Home Demonstration Agent is showing increased interest on the part of farmers in Jack County communities. The Shannon Community came out 25 strong with halves of two beeves for a canning program. A number of rural citizens, in addition to those already served are planning to can beeves.

PAINT ROCK—Possibilities of Paint Rock as a summer resort and health retreat are to be exploited if a movement on the part of leading citizens goes through. The town believes its location near the banks of the Concho river make it an ideal spot for summer playground where swimming, fishing, boating and hunting can be had in abundance.

SPEARMAN—Contract for 24,397 yards of pavement to be constructed on these principal streets of Spearman has been signed by the city. The contract calls for a pavement construction of two and a half inches of Vitriified Brick on a four inch base. The price agreed upon is \$3.47 per yard, the deal representing an expenditure of approximately \$104,000.

YELLOW HOUSE IS NOW DRILLING AT THE 3190 FT. LEVEL

The drilling of the Yellow House well, located about 15 miles southwest of Littlefield, was resumed Monday at a depth of 3,190 feet, following the setting of string of six and five-eighths casing.

The setting of this smaller size of casing was occasioned by striking a stream of gypsum water which raised about 600 feet in the well, and coming from a bed of fine red sand. There was no salt water at all in this stream of water, it was said.

The drillers state it is yet impossible to tell whether or not they are yet out of the red bed, which is never supposed to be indicative of either gas or oil. When they get through that formation they will then begin looking for something of real value as suggestive of oil. It now seems to be their opinion that if "pay" is reached it will be below the present contract depth, which is 3,500 feet.

It was stated by driller Smith, Monday that no lime had been struck since the 1,850 foot level.

FARMER IS IN A FATAL ACCIDENT AT LEVELLAND

A sad accident which cost the life of one of our best and most highly respected citizens occurred at an early hour Monday morning, when H. Bockman, who resides in the west part of town, was instantly killed by a runaway team.

The scene of the occurrence was about three miles west of town near the farm of his son in law, G. T. Adams, a merchant of this place, and in sight of the home of another son in law, Roy Paulk, the latter family witnessing the tragic event.

From what can be learned it seems that Mr. Bockman had been assisting Mr. Paulk in hauling in his feed crop to town and had been driving Mr. Paulk's team. Saturday he kept the team at his home in Levelland, and on Monday morning hitched them up for another load. Just before reaching the house a piece of paper blew up against a fence and is supposed to have frightened the team, which began to run. The aged man was convinced he could not stop the runaways so attempted to leave the wagon, but was thrown under the wheels. His skull was crushed and he died instantly.—Levelland Herald.

HALF AND HALF

"How did you come out on your hunting trip?"

"Oh, we broke fifty-fifty."

"Well we shot two hunters and two rabbits."

W. T. C. C. HAS A BUREAU LOCATED FOR LEGISLATION

That the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will take an active part in the present legislature session, is the statement of President Arthur P. Duggan, made to a Leader representative this week.

Homer D. Wade, manager, is now in Austin, where he has established a bureau, to be maintained during the entire session of the legislature. Mr. Duggan said, and all members of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce who are in Austin during this session are urged to call upon Mr. Wade and present to him any matters worthy the attention of this regional organization and of the legislature.

There are several important matters in which West Texas Chamber of Commerce is vitally interested in. Among these is the survey for state tax equalization, several educational and judicial questions of paramount interest; the proposed weights and measures law; the state libel law; the Farrah cotton control law; various phases of railroad and freight matters.

It has been conservatively estimated that West Texas Chamber of Commerce has already saved the citizens of this section more than a half million dollars this year through the activities of its traffic department. Littlefield alone has been benefited to the extent of approximately \$25,000 in freight charge savings through the removal of the freight differential, which was brought about as a result of this organization's activities.

It is safe to say, declared Mr. Duggan, that West Texas Chamber of Commerce becomes more influential each year of its existence. The state at large has come to recognize its power and potency, and relies with unflinching confidence upon its integrity and ability for accomplishing the greatest amount of good in behalf of the citizenry of this portion of the state. This organization exists for no other reason than to be of benefit to its constituents and their various business interests, and this year it is accomplishing more than ever before in its history.

THE LEVELLAND GRAMMAR SCHOOL IS DEDICATED

The Levelland independent school board has received the new grammar school building just completed by the Leaverton Construction company of Lubbock. This is one of the finest buildings in West Texas, having an auditorium with a seating capacity of 1,000.

At present the enrollment of the school is upwards of 500, and will fill the new building to overflowing, but the people of this district are very prompt to take care of the ever increasing influx of new people and will erect a new high school building in the near future.

BORGER—Outlining a booster and advertising campaign to be launched this month, the local chamber of commerce directors at a recent meeting chose the slogan, "Buy it in Borger," as the initial move toward civic promotion and development. The Borger campaign is to extend two weeks.

Took "Ma's" Place



The youngest governor Texas ever had now sits in the seat which Ma Ferguson has held for two years. The youthful Dan Mooly took office January 18.

Worked and Climbed



Twenty years ago Lilly M. Mulsaky obtained a position as a typewriter at \$10 per week in the Bell Trust Co. of Chicago. By day, studying by night, she came last week when she made vice-president.

All but three of the larger cities of Texas have natural gas for fuel in their homes. Texas has more than 100 daily newspapers and approximately 1,000 publications in all.

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Groceries sold at Rock Bed Prices, Delivered at your Kitchen door.

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The increased patronage they will bring me cuts down my overhead so that with their use I can sell at even lower prices than heretofore.

Yours for Best Fresh Groceries, Lowest Prices, Attentive Service and Gold Bond Saving Stamps

HOUK
Grocery & Market
 Littlefield, Texas

THE PRIMARY SCHOOL

The Primary school is gradually growing larger and larger. However we do not have as many enrolled as we had this time last year. We have enrolled 82 since Christmas.

Some changes have been made in the First grade in order to make room for another beginner's class.

The Primary School needs a cot or lounge, pillows, quilt, two sheets, wash basin, bandages, medicated cotton, iodine and a few other things in order to take care of the children that get hurt or sick during the school hours. If any parents would like to donate these articles to the Primary school please see or phone Mrs. Bills. Come visit us!

Taken for the High School Wildcat.

RECIPE FOR POPULARITY

Take six large cups of smiles, one pound of jolly, and two ounces of sympathy, or preferably a larger quantity of one of the good imitations of sympathy, and mix thoroughly, beating into it as much air as possible to make light and fluffy; then add slowly while stirring a few drops of generosity for flavoring and coloring. Sift into the above mixture eight cups of good-fellowship, two of diplomacy, and one of secrecy. Add a pinch of study and continue to stir, folding into the mixture more air. Pour into a pan and bake in a moderately hot oven. When cool, cover with a thin frosting of good looks, and you have a very desirable dish.

Taken for the High School Wildcat.

THE HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The high school Orchestra, which meets every Monday night at 7:00 o'clock in the high school auditorium, has had five rehearsals and is making much progress.

The orchestra is under the direction of Miss Magee, and there are twelve members: Verna Henson, piano; Miss Rives and Doris Williams, violins; Vesta Henson, Carmelita Baze and Edith Ratliff, ukeleles; Ralph Gillette and Curtis Heard, cornets; J. K. Baze and Travis Baker, clarinets; Amel Timian, trombone; and Lloyd Roberson, bass.

Those who desire to become members of the orchestra please be at the rehearsal on Monday night.

Taken for the High School Wildcat.

LIFE, OH MY!

Life is full of nothing but sorrow,
 Sorrow today and sorrow tomorrow,
 Sorrow for me all the day through,
 I'm wondering dear, if you're sorry too.

Pleasures are seldom,
 Joye are rare; but sorrows, my heavens; stay with me everywhere

When you're gone dear,
 My sorrows come,
 But when I'm with you sweetheart,
 I have none.

By Evelyn Smith
 Taken for the High School Wildcat.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

The Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church met in regular session last Sunday evening at seven o'clock, with Miss Bonnie Reeves as leader. An interesting program was enjoyed by all present.

The Juniors sprang a surprise during the evening with a "yell" to the Seniors, who responded with a song congratulating the Juniors for their enthusiasm.

Mrs. Jess York is leader for next Sunday evening.

GIVE SILVER TEA

A "Silver tea," was given last Saturday afternoon in the basement of the Presbyterian church by members of the Junior Christian Endeavor. Several of the parents were present to enjoy the affair. The silver contribution given at that time will go to the missionary work of the young people's department.

Refreshments of tea, cocoa and cake were served the guests and the members, as follows: Alice Lynn Street, Freddie Charles Bills, Eunice Smith, Anna Marie Harless, Gertrude Yohner, Jerom Wharton, Fay and Ray Smith, Dorris Gore, Eula Jane Lindley, Helen Rumbaek.

Miss Lula Hubbard has charge of the junior department work and is making excellent success of it.

RE-OPEN MECCA CAFE

The Mecca cafe, W. A. Valles proprietor, is this week moving into its new quarters in the F. G. Sadler brick, recently completed, and will be ready for service to the public next Monday morning.

Mr. Valles has in this cafe as fine a set of fixtures as may be found in any cafe on the South Plains. He states that in his new establishment everything will be first class and the service rendered his patrons of the very highest order possible.

HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE

About four o'clock Wednesday morning the residence and contents of the Ike Cravey property was entirely destroyed by fire.

According to information obtained, Mrs. Cravey had lighted the oil cook stove to heat milk for the baby, returning to bed during the interim. The kitchen door blew open fanning the flame from the stove and catching the wall paper, from which the house was soon in flames.

The property was partly protected by insurance.

Texas has approximately five thousand miles of electric power and light transmission lines.

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with here and there a touch of Spring
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The FAIR STORE
 Littlefield Texas

AUCTION

T. L. BRUCE, Auctioneer

We will sell at Public Auction, at the Jess Taylor farm four miles north and seven miles west of Littlefield, two miles south and three miles west of Amherst, six south and two miles east of Sudan, on

MONDAY, JANUARY 31st

the following described property, to-wit:

Hogs

- 3 Duroc-Jersey Sows with sucking pigs
- 1 Duroc Jersey Sow, weight about 225 lb.
- 1 Mixed breed Sow, due to farrow soon.
- 2 Poland China Gilts to farrow April 18.
- 2 Poland China Gilts to farrow April 1st.
- 4 Sow Pigs.
- 2 Duroc-Jersey Shoats, weight about 85 pounds each.
- 1 6-months old Duroc-Jersey Male.

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- 34 White Leghorn Hens.
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20,000 bundles of deheaded Cane to be sold in small lots to suit buyers.

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TERMS—CASH.

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- For the next largest number, -- 1,000 Gold Bond Stamps, EXTRA
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HOUK'S CASH GROCERY
 Gold Crown Flour
 LITTLEFIELD SERVICE STATION
 Yearly & Logan, Proprietors.

WEST TEXAS NEWS

A five mile extension is to be made by the West Texas Utilities company to serve a number of farm homes southwest of Clyde with electricity. Some 25 houses have agreed to have electric lights.

Work on the city hall

here is progressing nicely. When it is completed the building will hold offices of the mayor, city secretary and water department as well as housing equipment of the Haskell Fire Department. The city jail is also included in the building, occupying part of the ground floor in the rear of the structure.

STAMFORD—Nine of the 15 men named as Master Farmers of Texas

in the recent contest of the Progressive Farmer are men who live in the territory served by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Though the West Texas entrants in the contest were rather noticeably in the minority, more than 50 per cent of the winnings were carried off by the western section. The Master Farmers of West Texas came from the following counties: Comanche, El Paso, Medina (2), Hale, Kerr (2), Lubbock and Howard.

STAMFORD—Approximately a quarter of a million dollars annually will be saved by shippers of the South Plains section due to the activity of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in their behalf. This organization through its traffic department has successfully presented the Santa Fe differential cases to the Railroad Commission and as a result the South Plains shippers will be relieved from paying the western differential.

SAN SABA—A. W. Woodruff, pecan expert, and E. E. Risien & Son, nurserymen, of this place have contributed six fine pecan trees to the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for planting in front of the new headquarters building. The trees, scientifically grown by Risien, the world's only pecan breeder, are the "highest of highbrow" pecans, according to Woodruff. They will be set in front of the regional chamber's new building with fitting ceremony at an early date.

STANTON—Representatives from more than twenty-five Texas towns are expected to attend the first West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention of 1927 to be held here Jan. 25th. Delegates will be members from three Central West Texas District, large delegations coming from Big Spring, Midland, Colorado, Snyder, and Post. B. Reagan will be master of ceremonies. A number of prominent speakers have been secured for

the convention, with the general trend of the program along agricultural lines.

WICHITA FALLS—W. B. Hamilton, well known oil man and city builder of Wichita Falls, has been appointed general chairman for the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here May 16 and 17. Hubert Harrison, secretary of the Wichita Chamber, is now enroute for New York and Washington to do work in the interest of the convention. He will try to interest the National Geographic Magazine to devote an issue to the convention, and will undertake to secure a staff representative of the National Geographic Society to attend the big pageant, "The Congress of Nations."

JOURNALISM CLUB ORGANIZED

The members of the Wildcat staff were entertained at the home of the editor, Emma Lou Jones, last Wednesday evening at 7:30.

A Journalism Club was organized, electing the following officers: Emma Lou Jones, president; Verna Henson, Sec. and Treas.; Alta Anderson, Chairman Program Committee.

The purpose of the club is to study the art of news writing.

Those present were: Verna Henson, Eva Gertrude Chisholm, Alta Anderson, Carmelita Baze, Alma Busher, Lora Arnn, Josephine Glenn, Sibyl Glenn, Tommie Killough, Misses Cooper and Busher. W. B. Phipps, James Smith and Mr. Lloyd Robertson.

At a late hour delicious refreshments were served.

It was greatly regretted that on account of the inclemency of the weather two members of the staff, Messrs. Ralph Gillette and Rex Matthews, were unable to attend.

Any high school student interested in Journalism will be permitted to join this club.

It is to meet every second and 4th Wednesday night.

The next meeting is to be held at the home of Alta Anderson, Wednesday, January 26.

Taken for the High School Wildcat.

SENIOR RINGS HERE

The Senior class rings have arrived at last. We had almost lost all hopes of ever getting them. The company

had made some mistake that detained them at the depot. We were all very glad to get them and think they are the "best looking rings ever."

Mr. Boles—"Ralph, why is it easier to push a baby carriage over bumps when the wheels are large than when the wheels are small?"

Ralph Bruce—"I don't know, Mr. Boles, I have never had the experience."

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—ON AUTOMOBILES

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The payments.

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The Roadster
\$525

Price includes balloon tires and steel disc wheels. Former price \$535 with balloon tires only.



The Sedan
\$695

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Advertising that does not show in its text or typography that it is paid for must be marked as an advertisement. All local advertisements remain in this paper for the time specified or until ordered out. All notices, it matters not by whom nor for what purpose, if the object is to raise money by admission fee or otherwise, is an advertisement and when sent in for publication must be paid for at the regular advertising rate per line for each issue printed.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Littlefield Leader will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Be thou faithful unto death.

Revelations 2:10.

All the scholastic scaffolding falls, as a ruined edifice, before one single word—faith.—Napoleon I.

THE MOVERS

People have moved, are moving and will always move. Some folks are never satisfied anywhere, with anything or anybody. Perhaps they will go east, perhaps they will go west—perhaps they don't know where they will finally go or what they will finally do, but they start out anyway. They get homesick for a drink from the old spring, they long for the old trees; or, perchance, being of another type, they want to get away from these very things out into another country where there are still newer faces and newer conditions. Unfortunately the most of them are not satisfied anywhere. They have moved all their life and will continue doing so until life ends.

Most of these people are to be pitied more than censured. Their nomadic tendencies are just an unfortunate condition of their mental makeup that often is never overcome. In consequence, they are never satisfied anywhere and never get ahead financially. They will always be renters, movers, tenants, pessimists and tailenders. They never have a contented home; never enjoy much of a bank account; never know what it is to have a well appointed farmstead. They are poor managers, generally the poorest type of farmers, and invariably add little to any community they happen to go to. Other and more thrifty farmers will move onto the places they vacated and make a success. They don't damn the country, cuss conditions and rail at everybody with whom they had any business dealings. But the man who travels on seldom learns of the welfare of his successor, and is snugly content with the thought that he sold out to another "fool" that will go busted in a few years.

Fortunately for every new country the third or fourth crop of settlers are generally the ones that stay. Perhaps they don't have so much of the pioneering blarney of their predecessors; but they have more of the stick-to-it-ive quality, and they remain successful and appreciated citizens, forming the very backbone and sinew of the country's future prosperity.

The other fellow moves on and on and on, generally never to be satisfied anywhere in this world—and probably not in the world to come.

The city marshal may have a better cure than the doctor for what ails some of our auto drivers.

ANOTHER "REFORM WAVE"

There is sweeping over the country at the present time a "wave of motoring reform" that is bound to interest drivers around Littlefield if in fact it doesn't come pretty close to their pocketbooks before it is finally settled. There are 42 state legislatures in session this winter, and reports show a vast number of them are considering bills which, if made into laws, would require every driver of an auto to carry personal indemnity, or liability insurance.

Some of the bills are very radical, demanding that every car owner take out a 10,000 liability policy when he gets a license tag, or give a security bond for that sum. Then if he was in an accident in which some one was killed or injured he would be liable for such damages as might be assessed against him. Or, if he damaged another's property that damage would be taken care of by his insur-

ance or security bond. Auto clubs are fighting the proposals in several states in which their membership is strong, and yet it is believed that a number of states will actually pass such laws.

That something should be done to curb the irresponsible motorist, who drives a rattletrap of a car and doesn't care how much injury he does another is admitted by all, but at the same time it seems unfair to work a hardship on others simply to get at this class of drivers.

There are two sides to the question, and, of course, the popular side is that of the motorist, instead of the law-makers and insurance companies. Personally we feel that anything tending to work a hardship on the honest, careful driver is unfair. However, it seems to be a pretty good time for every motorist to be on his guard, and to keep a close tab on his representative in the legislature.

Seeing is believing, but nearly every day we see some one we wouldn't believe under oath.

OUR HOLIDAY MONTH

November brings us a day of Thanksgiving, and December, the greatest holiday of all; but when it comes to numbers, February, shortest of all months, stands at the head of the list.

Littlefield people who keep tab on the weather are now all set for "Groundhog Day," on February 2nd. Whether there is anything in the forecast said to be made by his hogship each year we are unable to say. Every man is entitled to his opinion, and especially regarding the weather. But it starts February off with a holiday, even tho it isn't important enough to mean a day off from work. Then comes Lincoln's birthday, on Feb. 12th, always an occasion for essays and speeches in schools. And then the day when lovers come into their own and sweethearts get in some "heavy work"—St. Valentine's day, on Feb. 14th. Right on the heels of this comes Washington's birthday on the 22nd. And how many holidays of minor importance occur in the same month, we haven't time to count up.

The four mentioned are of more or less importance, and all are entitled to observance. But of the four we believe there is more interest locally in "Groundhog Day." For where is there a man who wants to shovel coal or carry wood, or sweep snow six more weeks when the groundhog is said to have it in his power to cut the winter short by that length of time, or keep it going if it suits his whim?

After all, about the only difference between dumb animals and dumb men is the latter have only two legs.

Now that McAdoo has declared he doesn't care anything for the presidency it's time for Al Smith to tell one.

WE MAY TRY ONE

We suppose everyone in Littlefield has read in a magazine some time or other something about these so-called "intelligent tests," where they give the readers questions to answer, just to see how smart they are. We've been thinking about conducting one for the residents of this community.

We would ask, for instance: "What would you do if you had \$400 interest or taxes to pay and nothing to do it with?"

"Why do politicians remember faces at voting time that they haven't seen since last campaign, and forget all their promises right after they have been elected?"

"How can a man hold his temper when he ought to be out bugging potatoes or picking cotton and a flivver

Dr. Frank Crane Says

LOVE IS IMPORTANT

Probably the most important crisis in any individual's life is when he or she falls in love.

This is the most intense experience to which humanity is subject.

It has more to do with the happiness of one's life, more to do with the making or unmaking of one's character than almost anything else.

Most of us do not live in our intelligence, but we live in our emotions. We live by sentiment. And the experience of falling in love stirs the deepest emotions of the human heart.

It is doubtful whether any creative work is ever undertaken unless under the stimulus of his passion. We know that the finest in poetry, in music, and in literature owes to it its inception.

It is more important for a man rightly to pick out the kind of woman whom he is to love than to make any other decision. And it is well known that love plays the most important part in every woman's life.

Love has been responsible for most human happiness and for a great part of human tragedy.

There is no crisis in one's career where he needs to use more judgement and guiding intelligence than in this crisis.

Love is one of those inspirations that come from we know not what where. The Buddhists think that they can remember some occurrence in a former career. Perhaps that is as good an explanation of it as any. For when love comes it carries all before it.

It is curious to reflect that this matter is in the hands of the comparative young people. In other words, the decision of a subject that is most important in life does not depend upon the old or the mature, but upon the young and impulsive.

full of his wife's relatives drive up for a few day's visit?"

That's the kind of questions we are going to ask, and we'll leave it to you if the answers won't be more valuable than the answers to the questions the high-brow magazines ask.

Some time ago we made up our mind that when we grew too old to work we'll disappoint a lot of people by not loitering on the streets and bothering other people who have business to attend to.

LEAVE IT TO "MA"

A subscriber living out in the country asked our advice the other day about moving to Littlefield, and we told him to "let Ma decide it. By "Ma" we meant his wife, not our ex-governor. She will anyway, in nine cases out of ten.

In the first place it is very clear that no man ever reached the point where he could even think of retiring and taking it easy unless he had a competent wife. And a competent wife not only can, but will, man question like this for the good of the whole family.

Men seldom know what they ought to do. They either wobble around too much or else they stick to tightly to one spot. They need to be managed for their own good, and a good woman knows how to do it. The woman of the family can see a long ways ahead; as a usual rule she can decide better than a man whether a move will be for better or for worse.

So we still believe we are right when we advise the fellow who wants to quit work and "take it easy in town" to leave it to "Ma."

Nowadays it isn't the laws that congress doesn't pass that cause us to worry as much as the laws it does pass.

LITTLE LEADERS

It's all right for Littlefield boys to be boys, providing they will be men when they are men.

Littlefield citizens who live to be 100 years old may be treated to the novel sight of a banditless Chicago.

About the only thing in Littlefield that hasn't changed during the past few years of development is the restaurant gravy.

Our idea of a perfect citizen is the Littlefield man who is too busy heaving to the line to stop and put a chip on his shoulder.

It never would do for a Littlefield man to be as polite to his wife as he is to other men's wives. His own wife might drop dead.

For some time we have been waiting for some of Littlefield's musical inclined to write a song and call it "The Song of the Leaky Radiator."

We've often wondered what has be-

getting tired.

We long ago decided there isn't anything nicer than a pretty Littlefield girl who manufacturers her own blushes instead of digging them out of a powder box.

One thing most Littlefield men can not get their wives to believe is that they hate to be reminded of their faults as much as she hates to be reminded of her age.

If Littlefield girls ever get so finicky about selecting husbands as they are about selecting clothes, the marriage license clerks at our county court houses will only have to work about one day in a week.

Playing "keeps" on vacant lots seems to be the order of the day now among the boys. Perhaps they do not know that betting on marbles among boys is as much a violation of the law as gambling among men; but it is.

It's time to be thinking about those trees to be planted and of setting out some shrubbery about the home place. Send your order now to some reputable nursery. Let's make every home in Littlefield as pretty as possible.

Nearly 4,000 was the record of pardons issued by Ma during her governorship. She certainly made a hit with the lawless element, who are doubtless in the majority in hating to see her governorship terminate.

There is every reason to believe that Texas hens are growing in volume. With all the propaganda regarding diversification now going on and the numerous hatcheries being put in on the South Plains country, cackle berries ought to literally flow into the markets next fall.

Sitting at our office window last Monday morning we saw our first pair of robins this year. Tho we had a red hot stove going full blast inside yet they seemed comfy enough out doors. Whether it was "the first sign of spring" or a late sign of fall we will not attempt to discuss.

Never a week goes by but the Leader receives enough so-called "publicity" stuff to fill an ordinary waste basket—and that's where most of it

goes. The gall that some foreign advertisers have is astonishing, demonstrating that the old idea of getting something for nothing has yet been eradicated. Verily the "press agent" is gradually going into oblivion.

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Tim McCoy in—"Winners of the Wilderness." Comedy, "Motor Trouble."

MONDAY

Laura La Plant in—"The Beautiful Cheat." Western, "Let Loose."

TUESDAY

Jacqueline Logan in—"Footloose Widows." Comedy, "Alice on the Farm."

WEDNESDAY

Douglas McLain in—"Seven Keys Baldpate." Comedy "Pests."

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Boro Buzzings

... of Baileyboro community social last Friday night for the benefit of the All Team. The team brought suits. Recently been eleven new members of the Baileyboro...

... this week for Roswell, N. M. to start a revival. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brannen and family of near Portates, N. Mex. were visitors in Baileyboro Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Durham have gone to Memphis and Amerillo visiting friends and relatives. Bill Lewis of this community is visiting his mother and father in Amerillo. A. E. Menton, C. B. W. Allis, H. Shirley and G. L. Blackshearer were sight-seers and shoppers at Sudan Thursday. A group of geologists were here last week tracing an oil vein from Muleshoe.

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'The Government'



This youth, A. W. Gregg, 27 years old, directs the government's case against Henry Ford Company stockholders, in its suit to collect \$36,000,000 taxes. He is opposed by two former presidential candidates, Charles Evans Hughes and John W. Davis, for the defense.

Miss Stella Nichols was a business visitor at Muleshoe Friday. Miss Florence McGayhee of San Angelo is visiting her grand mother, Mrs. M. J. Harvey. Miss Grace Odom of Hereford is staying with her cousins Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Harvey and going to school here. W. R. Hairgrove and family are moving four miles south of Muleshoe. A. D. Powell will occupy the house where Mr. Hairgrove lived. A. P. Garth and son, Herbert left this week for Dallas. J. A. Swanner is moving back to Dickens county. Jack Henderson was on the sick list Tuesday.

The Bailyboro gin has ginned over 1,100 bales of cotton this season. G. J. Garth's married daughter has moved from Crosbyton to this community.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank, Littlefield, Texas, has been postponed from Tuesday, January 11th, 1927 to Tuesday, February 15th, 1927. The meeting will be held in the banking rooms of said bank at 4:00 o'clock, p. m., on the above date, at which time the election of officers and directors for the coming year will be held, as well as the dispatch of any other business that may come before the meeting. 39-4tc
 —RALPH DUNBAR, Cashier.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO RUN A NEWSPAPER?

A lawyer charges a man \$10, for ten minutes conversation—the man insists on paying it. The doctor charges \$1.00 for a prescription and the patient says "Oh Pshaw—is that enough?" An undertaker conducts a funeral and charges \$100 and he is just perfectly lovely with everybody inside and outside the family. A man buys a gold brick and apologizes for not having bitten sooner. An editor walks a mile in the hot sun to get the facts of a sudden death or

wedding, or social function and spends three hours writing it up and tells lies and praises people till he hates himself. Then if he makes an insignificant omission or error or charges 5 cents straight for three extra papers he is a stingy cuss who never gets anything right and charges four times the price of the city papers, twice as large. In short, he is a confounded most-any old thing and ought to be run clean out of town. Talk about the ice man. How would you like to run a newspaper?
 —Exchange.

THREE BALL GAMES

Last Friday evening the Littlefield basketball fans were treated to three games. The second team of high school boys played the grammar school boys with a resulting score of 10-18 in favor of the high school. Sparky Burleson of the grammar school was the star of the game. The grammar school girls played the first team of the high school girls, losing about 20 points to their opponents, but showing splendid team work throughout the game. The first team of the high school boys played the Lockney team with a resulting score of 18-28 in favor of Littlefield. The game was hard fought throughout both teams showing flashes of good basketball. Littlefield players were: Baze, Christian, Davenport, Womack, and Mueller. Cooper was the outstanding player for Lockney, playing a fast and accurate game. The second game with Lockney was played Saturday night with a resulting score of 21-25 in favor of Littlefield. Two of Littlefield first players were unable to play in the game, making the game closer all the way through. A number of times during the game the score was tied, and the outcome was in doubt until the last whistle blew. The Littlefield high school girls went to Sudan Tuesday afternoon losing the game to Sudan by a score of 21-35. Two games are scheduled with Amherst for Friday and Saturday nights.

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- 1—To own a bit of earth gives a feeling of independence.
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- 6—Its enterprises and common sacrifices give the children sturdiness of character.
- 7—The American home is the source of our material well-being.

I wonder which would drop from exhaustion first if a real estate agent and a motor car salesman tried to make a sale to each other?

Now that the freight differential has been removed from Littlefield shipments, it is doubtful if Superintendent Anton ever will feel that the Santa Fe is able to replace the old smoky coal oil lamps of the local depot with the electrically illuminated variety, and the old Canyon boxed depot, which was so generously wished off on us, will probably remain indefinitely.
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- Neck Band Shirts, Men's sizes, at½ Price
- Special lot of Spring Dress Materials, consisting of Prints, Suitings, Challis, Etc. at per yd.39c
- Lumber Jacks and all Sweaters at½ Price
- Men's Heavy Woolen Work Sox 50c grade Special at per pair39c
- Boys' Flat knit Unions, size 6 to 14, very special, per suit69c
- Outing Flannel, 27 inch, light and dark colors, special per yard13c
- Rayon Bloomers, light colors, sells regularly at \$1.39, your choice at \$1.19
- Grey Blankets 64x76. Good quality double blanket, with pink and blue striped borders, your choice at \$1.69
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Chamber of Commerce Activities

By E. C. GATLIN

The people of the Littlefield trade territory should, we think, feel rather proud of the new 36,000 egg incubator that has been installed and is now working in the Heinen Building. This is the most modern incubator that money can buy; perhaps the best one in all West Texas. Manager Neunschwander states that he is planning to set eggs from all the most prominent breeds of chickens over the country.

How about that county agent? It is up to the farmers and business men of the county to get one. Show us a prosperous East Texas county that does not have one. Through experience they have learned that an agricultural agent is worth many times what the county puts out for his salary.

The International Harvester Co. has promised to send their advance man to Littlefield some time in February to determine whether or not they will hold the Short Course here. The Short Course is put on by men who have made a study for years of the subjects that they speak on. The I. H. C. Co., put these programs on free to the public. They pay the expenses of the speakers and furnish motion picture machines to illustrate the talks. Our problem is to convince the advance man that this is the best town in the state to put on such a program.

METHODIST MISSIONARY

The Methodist Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. H. Gardner, with Mrs. W. B. Thorpe and Mrs. Gardner as joint hostesses.

Various Bible games were played at the close of which, refreshments of tea, sandwiches and home made candy were served to the following members: Mrs. E. G. Courtney, Mrs. J. R. Cook, Mrs. Star Halle, Mrs. H. P. Madry, Mrs. E. H. Williams, Mrs. Roy Arrn, Mrs. Carl Arnold, Mrs. A. G. Hemphill, Mrs. W. W. Gillette, Mrs. Luther Kirk, Mrs. W. P. Kirk, Mrs. A. P. Lee, Mrs. George Glenn, and Mrs. Thorpe and Mrs. Gardner.

The Society will meet with Mrs. W. W. Gillette next Tuesday evening.

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. A. Bills. They were then divided into groups and called on the sick and strangers, returning to Mrs. Bills' at five o'clock where refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. C. A. Dugger, Mrs. A. P. Duggan, Mrs. W. G. Street, Mrs. W. O. Stockton, Mrs. T. T. Garrett, Mrs. Jess Mitchell, Miss Lula Hubbard and the hostess.

The auxiliary will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. A. C. Chesher.

ALBERT DESEN DEAD

Albert Desen, nearly 13 years old, son of Mrs. Mary Desen, died last Monday of pneumonia, at the home of his uncle, Will Koke, residing eight miles southwest of Littlefield.

The remains were prepared for burial and shipped by the Burleson-Mason Undertaking Co., to Bartlett, Texas. They were accompanied by O. H. Weige.

BOY SCOUTS PROGRESSING

The Boy Scouts are going strong. They have about forty members. The Parent-Teachers Association has asked them to put on a demonstration of their work and play before the meeting Friday afternoon February 4th. The boys are all making fine progress in their Scout work and are anxious to make a good showing that afternoon. Regular meetings are held in the Highschool gym, each Monday night at 7 o'clock.

JUNIOR ENDEAVOR MEET

For January 30th

Music.
Scripture Lesson—John 21:15-17.
Leader, Dorris Gore.

What work is the Near East Relief trying to do?—Eunice Smith.
Why should we seek to help orphans?—Helen Rumbach.

How would Jesus have helped orphans had he lived today?—Ruby Joseph.
Scripture references, Music. Mispah.

PAY AUTO LICENSE

Up to date owners of 766 automobiles and 190 trucks have paid the 1927 license on same, according to Sheriff Len Irvin.

Irvin states that such license positively must be paid before the end of January or the owners will be made to suffer the penalty of failure.



MISS SUSAN LANDON
Educational representative of Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association.

FARM BUREAU TO HAVE SPEAKERS HERE THURSDAY

J. C. Cogan and Miss Susan Landon, the Texas Farm Bureau Cotton Association, educational representatives of the county, will be in Littlefield Thursday, January 27th, for two meetings.

These meetings will be held in the school auditorium, the first at 1:30 p. m., and the second at 7:30 p. m., the same evening. They will return here the following Saturday, and at a meeting to be held at 1:30 o'clock that afternoon, a county bureau will be organized. Other meetings to be held throughout the county by these representatives will be as follows:

- Sudan, Friday, 9:00 a. m.
- Amherst, Friday, 1:00 p. m.
- Olton, Friday night, 8:00 p. m.

All farmers throughout the country are especially invited to attend these meetings, according to county representative J. W. Hammock, of Sudan. The school children are also wanted, as Miss Landon has some special information she desires to give them.

Mr. Hammock states that the Farm Bureau is in a more flourishing condition in Lamb county this year than

ever before since it was organized. He says they are saving thousands of dollars to its members, and that these meetings to be held by Mr. Cogan and Miss Landon will be of vital interest to all citizens.

WOMEN'S STUDY CLUB

The Women's Study Club met Tuesday afternoon, January 19th, with Mrs. Frances Tolbert.

Mrs. Charles Harless is giving lesson on "China," W. G. Street, Mrs. A. C. Cogan, J. M. Stokes and Mrs. E. C. assisting. Miss Doris Williams read the members with a reading.

Mrs. John Arnett was the member.
A "Flapper Contest" will be held by the Club in the near future.

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The hats in this group of lustrous velvet, satin, and combinations of velvet and satin. The new high crown is featured with becoming brims for every type. Metallic trimming is used to advantage on black, while flowers and buckles are used on blue, tan, green, honey and red.



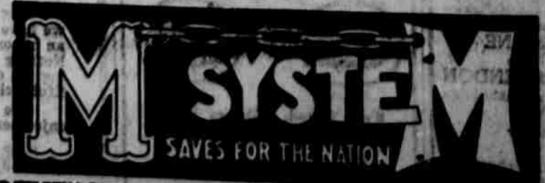
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With two stores in Littlefield we have increased our buying power. Most of our Merchandise is bought direct from the Manufacturer and does not come through the Jobber, so we are able to give our Customers the difference.

- Dry salt meat, per pound19c
- 8 pound bucket lard (one to customer)98c
- 16 pound bucket lard (one to customer) \$1.92
- Tomatoes and Vegetable soup per can08c
- Potted Meats per can04c
- Sandwich Spreads per can09c
- 6 Boxes 5c Matches18c
- 6 Boxes 10c Matches21c
- Lettuce per head7½c
- Oranges per dozen, popular sizes24c
- No. 2 Tomatoes per can09c
- 3 lb. can Maxwell House Coffee \$1.41

These prices are good at both stores for Saturday. Come and your supplies!



JONES BROTHERS,

Proprietors

WITH ROBBERY
 arrested Tuesday
 charged with
 depot. In lieu
 in the county

CACTUS CLUB MEET

The Cactus club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. G. Courtney. Several interesting games were played at the close of which refreshments of

sandwiches, angel food cake and French coffee were served to the following: Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, Mrs. J. C. Barnes, Mrs. A. G. Hemphill, Mrs. J. C. Houk, Mrs. J. R. Cook, Mrs. D. C. Houk, Mrs. W. W. Gillette, Mrs. A. C. Barton, Mrs. S. J. Parker, Mrs. W. H. Gardner, Mrs. Charles Harless and Miss Vivian Courtney.

HALE COUNTY GINS 35,529 BALES OF COTTON THIS YR.

Hale county gins have turned out a total of 35,529 bales of cotton to the present time and many ginner estimates that the county production for 1926 will exceed 45,000 bales. Ginnings at Plainview are 8,630; and other localities in the county are: Hale Center, 7,356; Abernathy, 6,118; Petersburg, 4,348. Other gins in the county brings the total up to 36,529.

Swims to Fortune



George Young, 17 year old Canadian swimmer, who by his great feat in the Catalina channel swim won \$25,000, is now besieged with theatrical, movie and athletic offers which promise to net him a fortune, far beyond his wildest dream.

The R. C. Malone Gin company, of Plainview holds the county record in having turned out 3,210 square bales.

FIGHT HOG CHOLERA IN HOCKLEY COUNTY

An epidemic of hog cholera has swept Hockley county the past few weeks, and in several localities has destroyed small herds. A Lubbock veterinary is vaccinating hogs over the county trying to control the disease, and it is thought that in a few days it will have been eradicated.

YUCCA CLUB MEETS

The Yucca Club met last Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leet I. Austin. Several games of "42" were enjoyed. Mrs. H. J. Gibbs winning high score. At the close of the evening

Want Ads.

Want ads, Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, Miscellaneous, etc. RATES: Classified, first insertion, 10c per line; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 7 1/2c per line. Unless advertiser has an open account, cash must accompany order.

MISCELLANEOUS

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Seed barley, about Feb. 5th.—P. W. Walker Grain & Seed Co. 41-tfc

FOR SALE—Typewriting paper, yellow second sheets, carbon paper, scratch pads in odd sizes. Leader office. dh-tf

FOR SALE: 2 incubators practically new, each 180 egg size. Cheap. Mrs. Maude Foster. 41-2tc

FOR SALE: Seed barley, about Feb. 5th.—P. W. Walker Grain & Seed Co. 41-tfc

FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE: Good work mule for bundle feed. See Cap Stewart, at the Heinen Wagon Yard, Littlefield, Texas. 39-2tp

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Rear of our store for business or storage. Squires & McCormick. 41-2tc

STRAYED

STRAYED: black and white spotted pig about six weeks old, at my place 4 miles south of Littlefield on route A. Bernard Greuel. 41-2tp.

ing refreshments were served to the following members: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lucas, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blalock, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gibbs, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harless, Mr. and Mrs. Star Hailo, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Long and the host and hostess.

AT THE CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH

The Small Church With A Large Purpose
 Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
 Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.
 Women's Missionary Society, Monday afternoon.
 W. B. Thorpe, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

The First Presbyterian church, the "home folks church," extends a cordial welcome to all worshipping Christians to come and worship with us.
 Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
 Morning worship 11:00 a. m.
 Junior Endeavor 3:00 p. m.
 Sr., Christian Endeavor, 7:30 p. m.
 Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.

BAPTIST SERVICES

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
 Preaching at 11:00 and 7:30 p. m.
 E. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:00 p. m., followed by a business meeting. Please be on time.
 W. M. U. meets Tuesday at 3:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study every Lord's Day, beginning at ten o'clock. Preaching services upon announcement until regular pastor is secured.

Church of Christ

Cor. 9th & Park Ave.
 Preaching at 11:00 A. M. on every Lord's day. Everybody invited.

Whitharral.

Sunday school each Sunday. Everybody invited to attend and take part. Preaching twice each month, at 3:00 p. m.

Progressive Christian Church

Meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock in church building for Bible Study.

LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Morning Services, German—First and third Sunday in month, at 10:00 a. m.
 Evening Services, English—Second and fourth Sunday in month, at 8:00 p. m.
 Bible class every Wednesday night.
 Bible school Saturday mornings at 9:00 o'clock.
 —C. E. AHLBRAND, Pastor.

PRES. HORN APPEARS IN "SOUTH PLAINS SUIT"

President Horn of the West Texas Tech college displayed a "home talent" suit for the first time at the Rotary club meeting in Lubbock last Wednesday.

The suit, which is entirely made of South Plains cotton, was spun by the students of the Tech textile department and was woven into a nice pattern.

President J. A. Hill, of the West Texas Teachers college, at Canyon, told Dr. Horn and the Rotarians that he would be willing to wear a Tech suit in Canyon, if he could get one made like it.

LEVELLAND GETS LIGHTS

A contract has been entered into between officials of Levelland and representatives of the Texas Utilities Co., for the installation and maintenance of 14 lights in the business section of the town.

The lights are to be of 100 candle power and of the pole and bracket type.

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Ed Aryan was a Lubbock visitor Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Foster was a Lubbock visitor Friday.

John Porter made a business trip to Abilene Friday.

Jess Seale made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. F. M. Burleson was shopping in Lubbock Monday.

R. C. Hopping of Lubbock was a Littlefield visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hendricks were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker were in Lubbock on business Friday.

J. C. Whicker and R. S. Thomas made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Misses Louise McGee and Esther Cooper spent the week end in Lubbock.

Mrs. Jack Porter, of Quitaque, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Ellis this week.

S. N. Vaughn of Ft. Smith, Ark., was transacting business in Littlefield Thursday.

Frank Leache, of Claude, Texas, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Corrie Leache, this week.

J. M. Blessing left Friday for Fort Worth, where he was called to attend the funeral of his father.

Mrs. Eula Long, was taken to Lubbock Friday where she underwent a major operation in a hospital there.

John W. Blalock returned Friday from a several days business trip to the south part of the state.

M. L. Mason, mayor of Post, was looking after business interests here the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales accompanied by Frank Leache of Claude, were in Lubbock on business Tuesday.

Pryor Hammons was able to return to his duties at the Burleson-Mason company Monday, following a brief illness.

A. S. Page, inspector of post office equipment, was here this week securing bids on room and equipment for the postoffice.

Homer Hall, of Slaton is the new manager of the Barnes Mercantile, taking charge of the business the first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker are this week moving into their recently purchased home north of the Presbyterian church.

G. M. Shaw, who is travelling for a Wichita, Kansas wholesale dry good house, spent Sunday in Littlefield, with his family.

Mrs. T. S. Sales left Tuesday night for McGregor where she will spend a week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Gardner.

Pryor Hammond made a trip with the ambulance to Lubbock Monday, where he took Mrs. Eva Janes, cook of Mrs. A. P. Duggan to a hospital for treatment.

W. K. Arnett, who has been very ill for the past week in a Lubbock hospital has returned to Littlefield and resumed his duties with the Littlefield Grain Co.

R. H. Black, who has been looking after collections and notes of the Barnes Mercantile, for the past two weeks, returned to his home in Fort Worth Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wills and family, living six miles north of Littlefield, left Friday for Abilene, where they will place their daughter, Miss Odessa in a hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Corrie Leache has received announcements of the marriage of her son James D. Leach, of Galveston, to Miss Lily Smith, Angleton, January 8th, at the 33rd street Methodist church, Galveston.

Mrs. A. P. Duggan, who has been spending the past week in Austin, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. David C. Gracey, returned Sunday evening.

She reports her small grand daughter, who has been very ill greatly improved.

Miss Dorris Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams, returned from Lubbock Friday where she had been undergoing treatment for loss of hearing caused from a severe attack of "flu". She is reported as greatly improved.

Several friends of J. Frank Norfleet, farmer sleuth of Hale Center, who is well known here, have expressed themselves in no uncertain and unfavorable terms regarding the pardoning of W. B. Spencer, by Ma Ferguson. Spencer was serving an eight year term for swindling Norfleet.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Thurman, who have been visiting several days with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones, left Monday for Kalamath Falls, Oregon, going via Los Angeles, California in automobile over the southern route. Mrs. Thurman is a sister to Mrs. Jones. They will make their future home at Kalamath Falls.

NEW MEMBERS ARE INITIATED INTO FIRE DEPARTMENT

At a meeting of the Littlefield Fire Department held Wednesday night of last week the following members were duly initiated: R. E. McCaskill, C. E. Ellis and J. T. Street as active members; E. C. Courtney, H. W. Wiseman, A. R. Hendricks and E. S. Rowe as honorary members. Those taken as active members were put through a very nice program of previously prepared ceremonies, as a result of which, according to report, all three will swear that billy goats eat bananas.

Following the initiation there was a feed and speakfest. Shief H. C. Arnold, during the course of his remarks, called attention to the fact that the Department was often hindered by the people generally rushing in and getting in the way of the fire boys and hindering in their work. It was stated that the boys have had good training, know their various places and duties to be performed, and would be able to accomplish more and better results if outsiders would stand out of the way unless called to assist by some member of the department.

R. E. McCaskill gave some valuable information regarding the handling of "live wires" during a fire, following which there was a general discussion by all present on topics of mutual interest to the Department.

The honorary members appointed to serve as police during a fire, keeping cars from running over the hose lines, holding the crowds back beyond the danger line and watching for thieves.

The Littlefield Fire Department is now composed of 25 active members and seven honorary members and maintains regular practice service. A driver is now employed to sleep with the truck each night and who is ready for quick response to any alarm turned in.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM For January 30th

Topic—Missionary Meeting—"The Sermon that put shoes on the Gospel." Songs—

Meeting place of the Association—By L. G. Tomleson. The opening session. By Walter Gray.

Carey preaches the Sermon. By—Fay Carpenter. Poem (Your Money)—By Minnie Beth Butler.

Bible background of the Text, in three parts first part by Lloyd Robinson.

Carey's Climax—By Mary Lee Carpenter. The Outcome—By Embert Mueller. Dr. Fuller Co-operates with Carey. Nothing stirs hearts like a story.

A great Missionary Hero like Carey By Tommie Killough. always captures our hearts.

Study with us, tonight, the Sermon that hit the mark! An epoch in Christian History. 6:30—Great Story—In B. Y. P. U. Come Early—Bring someone with you —Contributed

The Judge's Joke

THE MAN WHO MARRIES FOR LOOKS GENERALLY GETS THEM WHEN HE COMES HOME LATE.

Edwin Legrand Sabin



Here is the author who will entertain readers of this newspaper for the next twelve weeks with his gripping new western story, "Clay Chimney Trail," which starts in this issue. Former books by this great American writer are "Circle K," "The City of the Sun," "Bar B," and "White Indian." You will enjoy "Clay Chimney Trail." Read the first instalment this week.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend thanks to the people of Littlefield for the beautiful flower offering sent by them to Sweetwater, at the death of Mr. Simpson's brother, Edgar Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Simpson. 41-1tz.

MODERN WOODMEN MEET

There will be a meeting of the Modern Woodmen, Camp No. 12487 to be held Wednesday night, Feb. 2. All old members are asked to be present as there is important business to transact, according to Deputy Marion Smith.

LOST OR STRAYED
"I see where the bank is looking for a cashier."
"I thought they hired one last week?"
"That's the one they are looking for!"

OBLIGING
Father entered university found the music master daughter.
"I say! Is this what I found?"
"No sir, I do this for!"

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