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LITTLEFIELD TO BE REPRESENTED AT INTERIOR PROTECTIVE LEAGUE MEETING

Littlefield will be represented at a meeting of the Interior Protective and Development association, which will be held in Lubbock December 29. Dr. Ira E. Woods, president of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, will head a group from this city which will attend the meeting.

Arrangements to have Littlefield represented were made at a conference here Monday with President Neville and Secretary Hardy of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce. The Interior Protective and Development association, originated in Greenville.

Seven directors from East Texas and seven from Central Texas have been selected and it is planned to elect seven directors from West Texas at the Lubbock meeting.

C. of C. Endorses Business School

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce went on record Tuesday as endorsing Webster's Business College, which will be established in Littlefield January 2 by Mrs. B. Webster, secretary to J. C. Hilburn, president of the First National Bank.

Littlefield has been without a business college, and it is felt that such an institution will be a valuable asset to this city and section.

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Christmas Cards Can Be Mailed At Very Small Cost

Christmas cards may be mailed under cover of unsealed envelopes for 1 1/2 cents postage, as advised by the Postmaster General.

As there appears to be some confusion on the part of the public with respect to the rate of postage on greeting cards, we are publishing below notice contained in the Postal Bulletin of Friday, November 25, relative to this matter:

"Printed greeting cards mailed under cover of unsealed envelopes are chargeable with postage at the third-class rate of 1 1/2 cents for each 2 ounces or fraction of 2 ounces, regardless of whether addressed for delivery through post-office boxes or general delivery, or by city or rural carrier; the 1 cent drop letter rate applicable at nonletter carrier offices does not apply to such cards in unsealed envelopes.

"Printed Christmas and other greeting cards in unsealed envelopes may bear a simple inscription not in the nature of personal correspondence, such as 'Sincerely yours,' 'Merry Christmas,' 'Happy New Year,' 'With Best Wishes,' etc., together with the name and address of the sender and of the addressee, without subjecting them to more than the third class rate.

"Greeting cards, sealed or unsealed, bearing written messages other than the simple inscriptions above mentioned, as well as all cards sent in sealed envelopes, are chargeable with postage at the first-class rate of 3 cents an ounce, or fraction of an ounce, except when the 1 cent drop letter rate applies."

District Court At Olton Reopened

District court opened at Olton this morning after having been adjourned last Monday on account of the severe weather and the "flu" epidemic. Trial of criminal cases is underway.

Urged To Pay Taxes Now . . .

Littlefield residents are urged to pay their city, state and county taxes at this time, in order that finances may be available for the conducting of the various divisions of government.

Attention is particularly directed to the fact that penalty and interest may be avoided by the payment of delinquent taxes prior to December 31 of this year.

Funeral Services Held Saturday For Pneumonia Victim

Mrs. Josie Gray, aged 48, wife of R. W. Gray of five miles south of Yellow House switch passed away Wednesday evening at nine o'clock, following an attack of acute pneumonia.

Deceased died quite suddenly, having only been ill three days, but owing to the fact that she had suffered from this disease twice previously, and being subject to asthmatic attacks, this is believed to have contributed to her death.

A daughter, Dalene Gray, ill with the same trouble, was taken to the Lubbock Sanitarium Saturday, and is

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CHILDREN WILL BE ENTERTAINED BY LEGIONNAIRES

Santa Claus To Distribute Fruit, Candy, Toys and Other Gifts

At the regular meeting of the local post of the American Legion Monday evening, plans were completed for a Christmas Party to be held on the evening of December 22 at 8 o'clock in the Legion Home.

All children of Littlefield who will not attend a Christmas tree elsewhere, or who will not have the privilege of enjoying Christmas otherwise, are invited.

The invitation does not only extend to children of ex-service men, but to all children of Littlefield.

A brightly decorated Christmas tree will be arranged, and Santa Claus will be present to distribute fruit, candy, toys and practical gifts to the little guests. A program is also being arranged.

The affair is being sponsored strictly by ex-service men, who are furnishing necessary funds to make this affair a success.

Those who have gifts to contribute are asked to leave them at the Littlefield Tailor Shop.

Boys and Girls! Write to Santa Claus; He Reads The Lamb County Leader

Boys and girls, tell Santa Claus what you would like him to bring you for Christmas.

One of the best ways to tell Santa all about what you would like to receive, is to write him a letter in care of the Lamb County Leader.

Many boys and girls wrote to Santa Claus last Christmas, and the kindly old gentleman did his very best to satisfy their every wish. You should now get busy and write to him your

wants this Christmas.

Santa Claus reads the Lamb County Leader, and in order to make sure that he receives your message, all letters written to him in care of the Leader, will be published in this newspaper.

The earlier you write to Santa Claus, the easier it will be for him to bring you what you want most. You should write today and mail or bring your letter to the Lamb County Leader.

URGES SIMILAR ACTION BY OTHER BOOSTER GROUPS

Other Institutions Cannot Serve West Texas Adequately

The recommendations of the joint legislative committee on efficiency and economy, relative to state-supported colleges, which was made public recently, has been received with much condemnation from many sources.

This section is particularly interested in the future of Texas Tech which did not escape in the recommendations which have been declared "drastic and radical."

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce Tuesday went on record as demanding "hands off" Texas Tech, particularly as regards the facilities for agricultural education.

The matter was brought to the attention of the chamber by Dr. Ira E. Woods, president, and the resolution was offered by Morley B. Drake, publisher of the Lamb County Leader, and seconded by J. W. Hale, secretary-manager of the chamber.

The resolution also called upon the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and Chambers of Commerce throughout West Texas to take simi-

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Christmas Tree And Program To Be Given By Eastern Stars

As announced by Mrs. A. H. McGavock, Worthy Matron of the Littlefield Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, the local order will sponsor a Christmas Tree and program to be presented Tuesday evening, December 20, at the Lodge rooms, for all Eastern Star members and their families.

Whether or not their membership is in the Littlefield Chapter, all Eastern Stars and their families are invited. Each member attending are asked to be responsible for gifts for his or her family. The members are to draw names from the secretary, Mrs. Rene Sellers.

All Eastern Stars in Littlefield and section are invited to be present regardless in what chapter they hold membership.

Billy June Chesher Taken To Hospital Monday Afternoon

Billy June Chesher, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chesher, was taken to the Lubbock Sanitarium Sunday afternoon, suffering from an affected ear and sore throat.

She was much improved Wednesday, and was brought home by her parents.

WHY PERMIT TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL TO BE WRECKED?

Amarillo Globe News—"We're going to fight. We believe in the things we're doing out here. And we believe this great section of the state will rally to our support."

An editorial, carrying the caption, "Another Bull in Our China Coast," published in the Lynn County News, reads in part:

"West Texas has had to fight for everything it has ever gotten at the hands of that bunch that came every two years to Austin. We had to fight ten years before we got the Tech. Now, after seven years of online service, during which time it has grown and prospered greatly, it is proposed not only to greatly curtail this great institution but also to practically kill the only other state college we

have in this vast western domain, the State Teachers College at Conway.

There was some sentiment in favor of a division of this state when the bill creating a West Texas A. & M. College was voted by the governor a dozen years ago. Newspaper reports at the time and since greatly exaggerated the sentiment for division held by the people of West Texas at that time; it is belied, but if the next legislature should adopt the proposal to strike down and destroy our schools, it is probable that there would be a cry of resentment and protest from this section that would ring up and down all the hills and hollows of Austin and Bryan and through all the plains of Navarrodachos and East Texas."

The Avalanche-Journal said, editorially, in part:

It is not quite clear to him who is well posted, just where the 'efficiency' angle comes in in the report of the Joint Organization and Efficiency committee of the Texas legislature which would make Texas Tech a liberal arts school and make all the educational institutions of this state subservient to the University of Texas and A. & M. College.

The recommendation of the joint committee is a travesty, not only an educational one but also an unfair play to the people of this section.

"Utterly ridiculous" and "inconceivable" were terms used by Dr. Bradford Knapp, president, and CH-

ford B. Jones, board chairman, in expressing their reaction to a legislative committee proposal to reduce Texas Technological college to a liberal arts school.

"It is utterly ridiculous to think of giving up the fight," Doctor Knapp declared.

"That Texas would force West Texas students to travel entirely across the state to secure education in agriculture and technology is inconceivable," the chairman, of Spaz, said.

"The joint legislative committee on efficiency and organization, undertaking a reorganization of the state system of colleges, displays a singular lack of appreciation of certain very fundamental factors whose operation would be

irretrievably dislocated in such a ruthless scheme of organization as that which it has recommended."

The paragraph is the first in an editorial entitled "Undiscriminating 'Economy'" in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, which defends Texas Technological college as a technical as well as a liberal arts institution.

The committee's recommendation which would affect Texas Technological college, The Star-Telegram continued, "after the whole plan of that institution" and "would destroy the values which guided the state to the decision to establish the college."

West Texas' needs in technological education are "fundamentally different from those of other sec-

tions of the state served by the University of Texas and the Agricultural & Mechanical college," declared the Star-Telegram.

"Both of these colleges (C. I. A. and Texas Tech) render a special service, one which is not duplicated in the present educational system of the state, and one which could not be rendered adequately by any other institution now in existence.

"Such service as might be rendered by the A. & M. college, or the University of Texas, in replacement of the special services now rendered by Texas Tech, would be of the obsolete type which invariably would be marked with failure."

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Obituaries, cards of thanks, and resolutions of respect will also be charged for at the same rate.

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

A WORTH-WHILE PUBLICATION

One of the most interesting and instructive publications which it has been our pleasure to read and review in some time is "Your Postal Service," issued by the National Rural Letter Carriers' association. We received a copy through the courtesy of M. L. Garrett and Roy S. Wade, rural carriers who work out of the Littlefield post office. Mr. Garrett and Mr. Wade also distributed copies to all boxes on their routes. The publication gives a complete picture of the rural carrier service, much valuable information relative to the use by patrons of the service, many interesting sidelights, and brings a picture of Washington and the post office department to the farm. We feel that the National Rural Letter Carriers' association is deserving of unstinted and enthusiastic commendation on having produced such a worth-while publication.

FIGHTING THE RED COATS

Yankee farmers had trouble with King George's Red Coats about 150 years ago and it wound up in the utter rout of the outsiders. Connecticut is now having a little war of its own against another group of Red Coats—people in society who follow the hounds at fox hunting. The embattled farmers are proposing to meet the new menace by taxing every Red Coat in that state \$250, if the offender happens to be a citizen of that state, and \$500 if the hunter is an outsider.

The Connecticut farmers claim the fox hunters do enormous damage to their countryside, chiefly, however, in scaring away wild game. It is claimed that all wild game, except foxes which have been turned loose by the hunt clubs themselves in order to furnish sport, disappears wherever there is a club. The ordinary residents are deprived of their chance to get a deer or a wild duck, just because the hunter insists on winding his horn and making other loud noises that are inseparable from the chase of Reynard.

One farmer even claims that his herd of milch cows was stampeded by a recent hunt and that it took him two days to round up his herd again, meanwhile being out that amount of milk.

Whether Connecticut will succeed in passing its proposed tax or not, the question at least calls attention to the fact that Americans have quit the habit of shooting foxes and returned to the good old English custom of riding them down with a lot of dogs.

A Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

The cause of our present conditions are:

Wages have been so regulated by government agencies and labor organizations during the past century as to bring about a condition where there is more inducement for a man to work for the other fellow than to work for himself.

Until labor situations in the industrial world are so adjusted as to offer more inducement for a man to operate an enterprise of his own, thereby creating safe investment for capital and employment for the more unfortunate who not yet reached the ability to create an enterprise for themselves, we will have idle capital and idle labor and continue in the so-called depression.

I am a laboring man myself. There should be no regulation of wages; neither should there be regulation or guarantee of certain returns to capital. Supply and demand is the natural and only successful regulation of both capital and labor. Some of you wage earners will take exception to this statement, but remember that I say, "industrial world." The trouble is between the producers of commodities and the consumers of commodities, or from the time your cotton is picked until you buy it back for

consumption in the form of clothing and other products.

Just as long as there is more inducement for a man to work for the other fellow than to work for him-

self there will be idle capital and as long as there is idle capital there will be idle labor. Just watch the outcome for yourself before you criticize this statement.

H. C. Pumphrey.

When father decides it is time for his daughter to make her debut in New York, he knows he will be called upon to spend \$5,000. It used to cost twice as much to launch a girl into the sea of New York society.

New York City uses the long-distance telephone lines more and over greater distances than any other city in the world.

Nixon—How do you think a warmer climate would suit me, doctor?
Dr. Gibb—Heavens, man! That's what I'm trying to save you from.

EIGHT YEARS AGO IN LITTLEFIELD

(Excerpts from Lamb Co. Leader)

The Littlefield Furniture Co., under the management of Messrs. D. C. Houke and J. W. Yelverton, is a new concern open for business in Littlefield this week.

In order to secure a building, they bought out the grocery business of Arnold & Son. Monday the doors were closed while the invoicing was done, and practically the entire stock of groceries was sold at reduced prices on Tuesday and Wednesday.

C. D. Smith, one of the oldest garage men of Littlefield, this week closed a deal for Lot 1, in Block 29, just west of the Littlefield State bank, and as soon as plans and specifications can be arranged, will begin the construction of a 50x120 feet garage building on it. He has secured the agency for the Dodge automobile.

The Yellow House Land company this week began laying off of the new townsite of Whitharral, located 11 miles south of Littlefield, 12 miles north of Levelland, and 12 1/2 miles west of Anton. The townsite comprises 88 acres, and will be cut into business and residential lots, and

DIZZINESS

relieved by Black-Draught.
"I decided to take Theford's Black-Draught, as I had been having bilious spells," writes Mr. Chas. E. Stevens, of Columbus, Ind. "When I get bilious, I feel sleepy and tired and do not feel like doing my work. I get awfully dizzy. I know then that I had better take something. After I found how good Black-Draught is, that is what I have used. I guess it rids me of the bile, for I feel better—don't feel like I am dropping off to sleep every time I sit down. That, to me, is a very bad feeling. Now you can get Black-Draught in the form of a SYRUP, for CHILDREN."

Your Palace Theatre Presents

Tonight (Thursday) and Friday
Bret Harte's
"WILD GIRL"
Also Good Comedy and News
"THE JUNGLE MYSTERY"

SATURDAY MATINEE AND NIGHT
Tim McCoy in a good Western
"CORNERED"
Also Good Comedy and News

Saturday Midnite—Sunday and Monday
Sally Eilers and Ben Lyon in
"HAT CHECK GIRL"
Also Good Comedy and News

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY
George O'Brien in Zane Gray's
"THE GOLDEN WEST"
Also Good Comedy

placed on the market for sale. This week Pat Boone shipped 6,500 sheep to Colorado and New Mexico, receiving \$110.00 per head for them. Incidentally this is the best price ever paid for sheep in this part of the West. Last week J. P. White of the Yellow House ranch shipped out 6,200 head of sheep to Colorado.

C. L. Meyner, H. T. Doods, and J. H. Lewis of Royston, have purchased the Porter Grocery, taking charge this week.

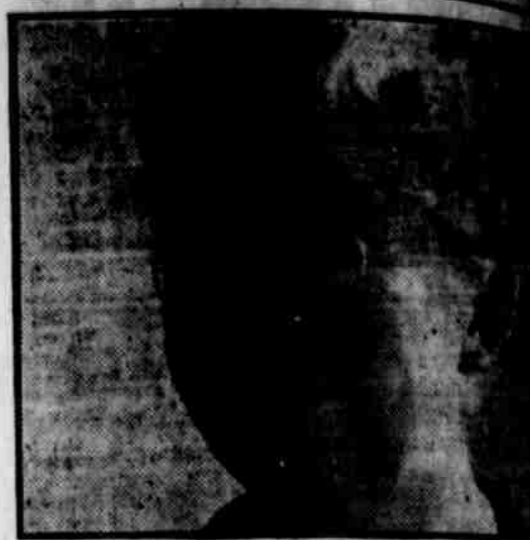
The Commissioner's Court, in session last Monday, issued an order for the incorporation of Amherst, following the presentation of a petition signed by H. K. Miller and 25 other citizens of the locality. The election date has been set for January 19th, and will be held for a commission form of government, and at the same time votes will be taken for the election of a mayor and two commissioners.

W. M. Webb and M. L. Craig have been appointed judges, and Mrs. B. C. Linn and L. M. Combs, clerks to hold the election.

At a business session of the Baptist church held Sunday, Rev. W. B. Phipps of Mountair, N. M. was unanimously called as pastor for full time.

For **ACHES and PAINS**
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Penetrates! Soothes!
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SHE doesn't look seventy. Nor feel that old. The woman who stimulates her organs can have energy that women half her age will envy!

At middle-age your vital organs begin to slow down. You may not be sick, simply sluggish. But why endure a condition of half-health when there's a stimulant that will stir a stagnant system to new life and energy in a week's time?

This remarkable stimulant is perfectly harmless. It is, in fact, a family doctor's prescription. So, if you're tired of trying every patent medicine that comes along, tell the druggist you want a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin. Take a bit of this delicious syrup every day or so, until you know by the

way you feel that you are again active, and your blood is poison-free.

Men, women, and children are run-down, who tire easily, suffer from headaches, are soon straightened when they get this preparation of pure pepsin, senna, and fresh laxative (Syrup pepsin is all the bowels need, and you do not need the very bad habit of always taking cathartics.)

Keep a bottle of Dr. Caldwell's syrup pepsin in the home, take a stimulating spoonful now and then. It is all that many people ever take to keep strong and vigorous, and always free from constipation.

YOUR BOY OR GIRL...

Why not, this Christmas, give that boy or girl something that will be of benefit to them throughout their entire life? A scholarship in Webster's Business College presented at Christmas would be just such a present, and to induce you to make this choice we are making a—

Special Christmas Offer

Of a Combined Course in Bookkeeping, Typing and Shorthand for the very nominal sum of

\$50.00

This Offer Is Extended Up To and Including December 24

Webster's Business College will open in Littlefield January 2, 1933. Those wishing to enroll may do so by interviewing Mrs. D. Webster at the First National Bank in this city. Classes are being arranged now and you are asked to make your plans known to Mrs. Webster so that all arrangements may be completed by January 2nd.

THE LITTLEFIELD CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

went on record Tuesday as endorsing Webster's Business College wholeheartedly and to the fullest extent, offering that organization's full co-operation in any capacity that it may be able to serve to further the advancement of this latest addition to Littlefield's educational institutions.

Webster's Business College

Jake De' Cake (You Can Fool Some Of The People & Etc. By M.B.)

Panel 1: I ASK FARMER GREEN IF I COULD DO SOMETHING ON TH' FARM AND HE SAID I COULD DRIVE TH' DUCKS TO WATER. GIT UP, INGAGI!

Panel 2: FATHER WAS ONLY KIDDING YOU, MR. DE CAKE. YOU DON'T HAVE TO DRIVE DUCKS TO WATER. THEY'LL GO THERE BY THEMSELVES.

Panel 3: HOW DID YOU LIKE MARCHING TH' DUCKS TO THE POND, JAKE? NOW DO YOU WANT TO GO WITH ME TO TAKE SOME HOGS TO MARKET?

Panel 4: SAY, YOU CANT FOOL ME TWICE IN TH' SAME DAY? ANY BODY KNOWS THAT PIGS DONT GO SHOPPING.

THE OTHER MA

BY M. PRES

Pauline, sentimental, and loving love, be- and marries Dennis. She will continue unchanged the years. On her wed- she awakens, with a notion that maybe love a thought buried in her letter from her closest friend, the night before. Barbara who had been the mother of a child but now divorced and which some of her friends understand. Between Den- Barbara is a seeming wall of alike by both. Six months Pauline's wedding, Barbara a short stay. During this Pauline confesses to Pauline is a man she really loves, refuses to tell his name. Bar- suddenly to go home and insists Dennis drive her to the. Irritated, Dennis drives, and they are in a crash, escapes injury but Dennis' ken. As he returns to con- he learns who the man is Pauline loves. It's himself. . . .

ON WITH THE STORY.

an hastened to reassure her. dy killed, miss, nothing to be about. Just a bit injured and hospital. My orders were to come now."

he flew upstairs. She was generous of what she was do- hat and coat—any hat, any word to the maid—"It's the how she loved calling Den- master—"he's been hurt—the show."

she was downstairs again. "hurry, hurry," she implored the car moved off down the road. Pauline began slowly to regain control. "How did it happen? and is such a wonderful

"Collision at the crossroads. No body," seems to know whose fault it was."

Pauline hardly heard. "How is he hurt? His arm—leg? Where is he hurt?"

"I couldn't say, miss." Why would he insist on calling her miss when she was Dennis's wife? It was not dignified. "My orders was only to fetch you and to say it was not serious."

"I see." She sat staring before her with blind eyes, her hands clasped in her lap.

"Dennis!" Pauline was down on her knees beside him, sobbing broken-heartedly.

Barbara put an arm round Pauline and lifted her to her feet.

"You must control yourself. They won't let you stay here at the hospital if you make a scene. He's all right, I promise you. Pauline, you know I would tell you the truth."

"I know—but he might have been killed. How did it happen? It could not have been Dennis' fault, he's such a careful driver."



"Dennis!" Pauline was down on her knees beside him, sobbing broken heartedly.

Suppose he were dead and they were afraid to tell her? To be a widow when she was only so recently a wife. All her pretty frocks would be quite useless—she would have to wear black. All sorts of incongruous thoughts kept tumbling over and over in her dazed mind. She turned sharply to the man beside her.

"There was a lady with him—Mrs. Stark—was she hurt, too?"

"Just a shaking, miss—I saw the lady myself—she was very distressed, naturally, but not hurt, I should say. She moistened her dry lips.

"How much farther is it?"

"Just around the corner by that red building—the one with the weathercock on it."

When the car stopped she stumbled out blindly, evading the officer's proffered hand. Up the steps to the big open door. "Where is he? I am Mrs. O'Hara. My husband has been hurt. Where is he?"

The maddening waiting, the formalities! Pauline had worked herself into a frenzy by the time someone said, "Please come this way"; and at last she was in a small room with a single bed. There was a smell of drugs in the air, and the polished floor felt hard to her feet. Silly to think of small things like that at a moment when her whole being should have been concentrated on the man lying there—his head bandaged, his eyes closed.

"Dennis!"

He did not move or seem to hear. Someone standing in the window turned, came forward. Barbara, of course.

to have forgotten me," she added slowly.

Barbara did not answer.

It was a month before Dennis was allowed to be taken home. Pauline fretted and worried, but Dennis himself aided and abetted the doctors.

"My dear child, it's far better to leave me where I am. You'd only wear yourself out if I were at home."

"He didn't say he was anxious to get back home," Pauline told Barbara afterward, almost in tears. Barbara had stayed on during Dennis' illness—reluctantly, it is true, and only after Pauline had begged and implored of her not to go.

She said now in answer—to her friend's words: "Work means everything to a man like Dennis—it includes you and his home and everything else."

Pauline reflected, then she sighed. "I suppose you're right," she said at last. "You understand men so well."

Barbara flatly refused to visit Dennis in the hospital, though Pauline protested that he would think it unkind.

Barbara laughed, "You flatter me," she said mockingly. "Besides, I hate illness and hospital wards—the smell of drugs always makes me feel sick."

Pauline's eyes grew wistful. "Wouldn't you come and see me, then, if I were ill?" she asked.

"You're different."

"Why?"

Barbara frowned: "Well, for one thing, you rather like me, don't you? Whereas Dennis—"

Pauline broke in eagerly. "But he doesn't, he doesn't! He's asked after you ever so many times since the accident."

"That's very kind of him."

"If you two could only be friends!" Pauline said for the millionth time. Barbara threw a cigarette end fireward.

"Dennis and I can never be friends," she said positively. "And what does it matter? No doubt it's all my fault."

Pauline shook her head. "No, I think Dennis is as much to blame as you are," she admitted. "It's such a pity, because you're a darling, and he's really rather a nice man, you know, Barbie."

Barbara laughed.

It was in the middle of the week that Pauline announced that Dennis would be home on Friday.

There was a moment's silence, then Barbara said calmly, turning the page of a book she was reading: "What a pity! I shall have to go to town on Friday."

"Barbie! Can't you put it off? I wanted to celebrate. I've asked Peter to dinner."

"I'm sorry, but I've promised to lunch and go to a theatre with Captain Barnett."

Pauline got up and came to sit on the arm of her friend's chair.

"I wish you wouldn't go out with that man, Barbie."

"Why dear soul, why ever not?"

"He's married."

"Well, that's his misfortune, not his fault."

"Do you think marriage is a misfortune, then?"

"Yes, in nine cases out of ten. It was in mine—it is in Jerry's. You, I dare say, will be the great exception that proves the rule."

"I wish you weren't so cynical."

"Life—my sort of life, at least—makes one cynical, so don't worry your little head about me. I'm quite happy in my own way."

There was a short silence; then Pauline asked almost shyly: "Is Jerry Barnett the man you—you said you cared about?"

Barbara laughed. "Jerry? Good heavens, no! He's not my sort. We're good friends, but I couldn't fall in love with a man who only talks about horses and dogs."

"And you really mean to go on Friday?"

"I've promised."

"It's because she doesn't want to meet Dennis," Pauline thought bitterly, when Barbara had left. "I know that's what it is. Why do those two dislike each other so much, I wonder?"

Then suddenly a bright idea came to her. If Dennis was well enough to come home on Friday, he would be well enough to come home on Thursday. Barbara should not know.

and Pauline for Thursday. She had a confidential headache.

"Nothing much," who went to her room a her with solicitude. "It's the headache I get when I know a portion lies before me. Leaving a comfortable room, for instance, and moving on. All my life I seem to have been moving on," she added rather drearily, and then as she saw the concern in Pauline's eyes, she sat up with sudden energy. "Don't take any notice of me. Send me a strong cup of tea and leave me in peace till tea time; then I'll be down, clothed and in my right mind."

Continued Next Week

Eat Your Fill, Put Little In The Till

— AT —

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NOTHING OVER 25c

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

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At Grand Drug Store

CHRISTMAS JEWELRY

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"It was at the crossroads," Barbara explained. "It's always hard to say who is to blame. The man driving the other car wasn't hurt at all."

In her heart Barbara knew quite well Dennis had been to blame. When she had warned him that he was driving too fast, he had deliberately accelerated instead of slowing down. She helped Pauline to a chair, not a very comfortable one, and stood beside her waiting for her sobs to cease.

Pauline took her hands and pressed it.

"I'm so glad you were with him, Barbie," she sobbed. "I'm sure things would have been much worse if you hadn't been there."

Barbara drew her hand gently away.

"I think they are bad enough as it is," she said.

She looked across the room at Dennis. He was so white, he hardly seemed to breathe. Supposing he had been killed?

Pauline had ceased sobbing, but her breath kept coming in little gasps. She got up and crept close to the bed.

"Dennis," she whispered again, but he did not hear her. She bent and softly kissed his cheek. She turned again to Barbara, tears raining down her cheeks.

"Will they let me take him home?"

"I think it would be very unwise my dear."

At that moment Dennis stirred a little and flung out a hand. Pauline seized it and covered it with kisses.

"Darling—darling!"

He opened his eyes. They were clouded still and far away. They searched her face without recognition; then his lips moved slowly. Pauline bent to catch what he said. "Barbara?" The name was unmistakable.

Pauline answered at once: "Not hurt. She's all right, quite all right."

"Yes." The faintest word of satisfied assent; then his eyes closed again.

Pauline turned to Barbara. "He wanted to know how you were. Isn't that like him? So unselfish. Oh, are you sure he will be all right?"

"Quite all right, dear. Look, I think he's asleep now."

Suddenly Pauline spoke slowly. "I don't believe he recognized me just now. I don't believe he even knew who I was."

"I don't suppose he did," she said evenly. "He was only half conscious, you know."

Pauline raised tragic eyes.

"But he asked for you, he knew your name—he hadn't forgotten that you were with him, though he seemed

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FARM NEWS

FARMERS GATHER IN WASHINGTON AND ORGANIZE FIGHT FOR RELIEF PROGRAM

Outstanding action was taken by the Farmers National Relief conference, which assembled in Washington from all sections of the nation to present a farm relief program to congress.

Resolutions demanding government price fixing for agricultural products and a "five hundred million dollar appropriation to aid the distressed for population," were vociferously approved by the conference. The 250 delegates also shouted endorsement of a resolution holding there is no surplus production of agricultural commodities.

The convention advocated defeat of any legislation based on the theory of surplus production.

While millions of our population are undernourished through loss of purchasing power," the resolution said, "the acceptance of the surplus theory is a crime against society."

All day long the farmers who came to Washington from 26 states in automobiles and trucks debated a list of legislative proposals presented by the resolutions-committee. These included a moratorium on agricultural debts and a demand that congress declare illegal all foreclosures, seizures of property and evictions. Leaders said they were assured of a doption.

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A special committee was appointed to start shopping for prices two months before the respective Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter markets close next year.

Farmers Organize In Fight For Better Prices For Turkeys

"We won't sell our turkeys at six cents; we'll take 'em home and can 'em first." was the unanimous verdict of the turkey growers of Lubbock county who met recently in the office of O. G. Tomlinson, county agent, for the purpose of pooling and selling their turkeys. A total of 2,686 birds were listed for sale in the Christmas market.

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RETURNING TO FARMS

Wood Netherland, president of the Federal Land bank of St. Louis, said that the swing "back to the farm" has reached such proportions that within a month the farm population will be "nearly as great as at any time in our history."

BLUE BONNET

By Mrs. C. M. Crawford

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brantley and Miss Bennie Jene Willis of Wellington visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Harris Brantley and family.

Mr. B. B. Powers of Berger visited Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Marlin last week.

Mr. G. A. Benefield had his tonsils removed at Plainview hospital last week. He is improving nicely.

G. D. Hall from Memphis, Texas, visited with his son, Homer Hall of Sudan, and daughter, Mrs. W. P. Davis of Amherst, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Wright were in Lubbock last Thursday.

H.M. and Mrs. Johnie Graham spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Terrel.

BLUE BONNET CLUB

Twelve members were at our meeting last Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. W. T. Atlanay, whose living room was beautifully decorated with pot plants and Christmas decorations. Business was first in order. The new President, Mrs. Chas. Crawford, appointed Mesdames W. E. Logan, Harris Brantley, Edgar Wright, O. L. Williams, W. L. Atlanay and G. A. Benefield as the committee to act for various causes in 1933.

Mrs. W. E. Logan will be demonstrator in farm food supply next year; Mrs. Chas. Crawford, wardrobe demonstrator and Mrs. Harris Brantley, yard demonstrator. The remaining women will be co-operators. We had one new member to enroll, Mrs. Harry Brantley, and we know she will be a good member. We expect all who intend to do club work with us to come to the next meeting.

The aim of each club in Lamb county was to reach eighty-five percent of the women in the county and help them in every way possible, and on a close check-up, our club has done that, if not more, for which we are proud.

Our president, Mrs. W. E. Logan, and Mrs. E. L. Yarbrough, our secretary, were presented with a pretty friendship quilt top each, this being from the club and a token of appreciation for their faithful work the past year. In all the excitement, "Santa Claus" sprang up from a corner in the room with a box of gifts, one for each lady. Before we were all through, the hostess arrived and was serving us hot chocolate, peaches and whipped cream and cake. No need to say we enjoyed the afternoon. The next meeting will be announced later.

The Littlefield High school boys basketball team and the Littlefield High Kitties expect to match games for this Friday night, either at home or on the floor of some neighboring school.

L. W. (Happy) Jordan led the students in a sing song at the chapel hour Tuesday. This program was such an outstanding success that it is planned to carry out a similar program in the near future with Mr. Jordan as leader.

The six weeks examinations for

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ANTON

The Anton Band will present the play entitled "The Greater Law" on Friday night, December 16, in the High school auditorium.

This a play of the far north and contains plenty of action, and under the direction of Alvis Ellis.

Recently a burglar broke his way into the Santa Fe depot here and took about \$6.00 in cash. The same night the high school building was entered by breaking out some window lights but nothing was missing.

"Chicago in June" is the slogan of the Anton Gypsy Band, the official West Texas Chamber of Commerce musical organization. The band officials are planning to send the unit to the World's fair in Chicago, and the support of West Texan's in the move is being sought. At present the band, directed by Jimmie Thornhill and Jimmie Ellis, is engaged in appearing in concerts and plays in several towns of this section. Appearances have been made at Sudan, Amherst, and Anton, in plays, and the December program calls for programs at Meadow, Hodges, and Ralls.

Business conditions at Anton are very good and farmers are paying off their obligations to the Anton State Bank, L. W. Clark, president, said.

"Farmers are paying off their obligations very well," Mr. Clark said. "A lot of them are carving cotton awaiting a higher price. I expect we have 2,000 bales or more on the yard."

"We have gone through a lot in our section but we are coming out of it all right. There are more cows in our part of the country than ever before."

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS ITEMS

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The six weeks examinations for

the second grading period are underway in the Grammar school and High school this week. (Needless to state the students enjoy such exercises.)

The play sponsored by the Home Economics department, "The Little Clodhopper," was postponed from Monday night, and will be presented some time next week.

Coach J. O. Morgan of Texas Tech has called a meeting for Saturday at Lubbock to divide this district into quadrants for basketball competition. The schedule will be arranged by Mr. Morgan, F. O. Boles, principal of the Littlefield High school, and Superintendent Rogers of Lamesa.

New York City has a high school in which more than 10,000 students are enrolled.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. of twelve miles south on Monday, November weighing nine pounds.

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South Plains Is "Real Grape Area" Says County Agent

Grapes, cherries, dewberries and strawberries are fruits which do well in this section, and which should be produced in greater volume, according to D. A. Adam, county agent.

Grapes do especially well in this section, Mr. Adam reports.

"The South Plains is a real grape country," he says.

More than 60 persons attended a grape field day which was held in this county recently.

RED HOT SPECIALS Saturday At The Cotton Belt Grocery



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For the Kiddies' Holiday Fun!

Christmas would not be complete for the youngsters without a few firecrackers, torpedoes, etc. We have them.

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Christmas Gift Suggestions

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- Many nice gift items are now on display throughout the store. Let us help you in making your selections.
- Woolen Robes for men, women and children.
 - Ladies' Silk Robes in attractive colors.
 - Bedroom Shoes for all members of the family.
 - Large assortment of gift things for baby.
 - Lingerie for ladies. Dainty pink underthings.
 - Silk Underwear, Scarfs, Ties, Shirts, Billfolds, Hats, Hose Etc. for Men and Boys.

- Genuine Leather Bags and Cases.
- Bed Spreads, Linen Sets, Towels, Bathroom Ensembles, Scarfs, Covers, Etc.
- Blankets make ideal gifts.
- New shipment of Rollin's "Run-Stop" Hose. Sheerest Chiffon, semi-service weight. Outsize hose in semi-service and service weights.

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SOCIETY.

Members of Junior Study Graciously Entertained Bridge Wednesday, Dec. 7

The most enjoyable social season was the bridge Wednesday evening at the beautiful home of Mrs. T. Wade Potter, members of the Junior Study Club were graciously entertained by the Woman's Study Club. A suggestive of the Christmas were featured throughout, including the talleys bridge accessories. Games were arranged for the evening and Mrs. Wade scored high, and was presented with a prettily designed

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Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCarson Entertain

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McCarson, eight miles southwest of Littlefield, was the scene of a delightful party and shower Wednesday evening, December 7, in compliment to Mrs. Buster Claunch.

A host of friends and relatives were present, and many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the honoree.

JUNIOR STUDY CLUB TO ENTERTAIN WITH CHRISTMAS PARTY

The members of the Junior Study Club will have their annual Christmas party Tuesday evening next, in the form of a "kid" party, when they will wear "kid" clothes, and play "kid" games throughout the evening.

CHURCHES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Sunday, December 15

Sunday School as usual at 9:45. There will be no church services Sunday but plans are underway for a special Christmas program and service, details of which will be announced in the Leader's next issue.

O. E. S. TO SEND CHRISTMAS BOX TO O. E. S. HOME

The members of the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star are making arrangements to send a Christmas box to the Eastern Star Home at Arlington, Texas. Mrs. J. G. Singer and Miss Lulu Hubbard compose the Committee in charge of this work. According to Miss Hubbard, a Christmas box is sent each year by this Chapter, and one will be sent this year to reach the home for Christmas.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday, December 18th

We begin the day's worship promptly at 9:45 with the Sunday School, the seven departments in their own morning devotional exercise.

11:00 a. m.—Mr. L. W. Jordan will lead both choir and congregation in a program of gospel songs. Join with the singers. It will prepare you for the morning service.

11:25—Sermon, "A World Savior."

8:15—B. T. S. 7:15—Evening worship. The evening subject will be, "God's Unspeaking Gift."

For the years gone the mind of our people have turned back to the night in Bethlehem, when Shepherds made their way through the narrow streets of the little village and found the babe in the manger, and once again

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this season approaches. Once again we need to ask ourselves the question, "What do I know about this babe, did he come to bring peace on earth? Is he the savior of the world? Is he my Savior?" Come, let's sit down together and study the Babe of Bethlehem.

Joe F. Grizzle, Pastor.

THE METHODIST CHURCH December 18, 1932

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.—Floyd Hemphill, Superintendent. And let me say that you have a young man whose interest is to build a great Sunday School in your town, and with your help it will be done—come out and help build this school.

Proaching at 11:00 a. m. Subject: "The Great Gift—and the Giver." Also we will have our services at 7:15 p. m. Come and worship with us.

P. W. Gates, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST 303 E. 8th Street

10:00 a. m.—Bible study.
11:00 a. m.—"The Laughing Fool"
7:00 p. m.—Training classes.
7:45 p. m.—"The Self-made Fool."
8:00 p. m.—Monday Ladies' Bible Class.

7:00 p. m.—Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.
Come and be with us.
Roy J. Clark, Pastor.

PERSONALS

Lloyd Springer, who has been in Honolulu for the past four or five months, arrived home Wednesday of last week, and will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Springer of four miles east of Littlefield, until after January 1, when he will go to Los Angeles, California.

Miss Catherine McCarter and Beverly Warren of Plainview spent the week end in the S. J. Etter home, guests of Mrs. Juanita Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Etter of Roby spent the week end here visiting Mr. Etter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Etter, and other relatives.

Miss Addie Mae Hemphill returned home Sunday from Odessa, where she had been visiting her sister, Miss Dahlia Hemphill, for the past two weeks. Miss Hemphill is a member of the Odessa school faculty.

Miss Ethel Little returned Tuesday from Post, where she had been visiting friends since Sunday.

Mrs. W. E. Lowe has been ill since Sunday with "Flu," but is somewhat improved.

Patty Lou and Gean Isbell, children of Mr. and Mrs. Zack Isbell, are victims of the "Flu."

Mrs. Pat Boone has been substituting as teacher in the high school in the absence of her sister, Miss Lillian Hopping, who has been ill with the "Flu."

J. O. McCarson of Elbert, Texas, spent last Tuesday with his niece, Mrs. Jannie Phipps.

Mrs. L. W. Jordan is substituting in the Primary department of the Lit-

tlefield schools this week for Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, who is ill with "Flu." Mrs. W. C. Owens of Brownfield, Texas, was the guest Tuesday of Mrs. Jannie Phipps.

Misses Blanche Brannen, Naomi Whitaker and Ina Belle Wharton spent the week-end with their parents here.

Miss Nora Belle Grizzle, who is attending Wayland college, Plainview, is expected home Friday for the Christmas vacation. She will return to her studies January 2.

Mrs. Velma Jane Hopping arrived Tuesday to spend a week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith.

Transient Workman Dies Suddenly At Farm Near Bula

Charles Lewis, about 40 years of age, a transient workman, whose home address was unknown, died suddenly about 4:30 P. M. Wednesday, December 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burl of near Bula.

Efforts to locate his relatives proved fruitless. Interment took place the following Thursday afternoon in Littlefield Cemetery, with Hammons Undertakers in charge of arrangements.

MANY ILL WITH "FLU"

Among those reported ill with "Flu" this week are Carra Lou Stone, Ben Porcher, Jack Wayland, Mrs. Lillian Hopping, Eugene Willis, Floyd Hemphill, Mrs. T. J. Watson, Joe Wells and children, Tim Walker and two children, Mrs. M. E. Lowe and Mrs. Bill Hall.

Floyd Hemphill returned to his duties as English teacher in the high school about ten days ago after being ill, but took a relapse Saturday last, and has been real ill since.

Most elevators in New York City are operated at a speed of a floor a second.

Presence of the pine... strip along Grande, in the vicinity of... may cause a request to the legislators to have the acreage declared a non-cotton area.

Mexico territory along this same strip is also infested by the worm, but to a lesser extent.

To obtain the desired results it would therefore be necessary to have Mexico take similar action to that which is suggested for the Texas legislature.

Senator-elect Arthur P. Duggan and Joe W. Hale, secretary manager of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, recently joined a party of legislators in making an investigation of the infested area. The party was the guests of the Alpine Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Duggan was accompanied by Mrs. Duggan.

AN ODE TO BEAUTY

Oh diamond-decked, ice-laden
Thy beauty is entrancing—
Thy trees, their gray, bare arms
Locked in Winter's fast embrace
Possess an elegance enhancing.

Thy distant, snow-capped peaks
Peering through the purple haze
Unfold sublimest grandeur.

Thy crystal-coated soil
Crackling 'neath our feet
Rings forth resplendent glory.

Ah, mortal man, though drunk on nectar
From nature's beauty pressed,
One lesson thou must learn:
This earth, her dazzling rapture
Will ere long pass away
God and His celestial beauty
Are eternal—seek them while ye may.

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Extra Heavy Double Cotton Blankets, large size, during this Christmas sale, per pair **\$1.15**

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Special During Our Christmas Sale.

Number A Tub, only **25c**
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Seaman Rural High School in Kansas hasn't lost a football game in seven years.
Colgate's great football eleven is the only team in the country of any importance which went through the season without being scored upon.
No team was able to score more than one touchdown against Auburn during the past season.
Connecticut State didn't win a game during the season.
Cooper Union didn't score a point during the football season.
Drake scored more points against Simpson in its first game than it did during the remaining seven games.
The University of Missouri didn't score a point until its fifth game and then lost that one.
Norwich scored six points all season.
West Liberty Teachers' College rolled up a total of 258 points to its opponents' 24.

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TODAY and TOMORROW
FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE

KATHARSIS G. O. P. got it
The ancient Greeks had a word, "katharsis," meaning a thorough cleaning out which might apply to the human system or to a hog pen or to a political party.

There is nothing that every human organization needs so badly, every once in a while, as a complete "katharsis." It is the inevitable tendency of all organized groups, once they achieve power, to become arrogant and to lose sight of the primary purpose for which they were organized. That is true of religious, political, financial and all other classes of human organizations.

All human effort to be effective must be organized. But all organizations must be reorganized every once in a while. The old leaders must be deposed and fresh blood taken into the councils, and any organization which does not do this voluntarily is sooner or later forced to do it by pressure from without.

That, it seems to me, is what has just happened to the Republican Party Organization in America. The time has come for re-organization. Under of two-party system the public welfare is best served by the best organized party, which ever it may be. The remedy for the ills of the Republican party is the old Greek one, "katharsis."

TRAVEL and metal mike
I am writing this just an hour or so before sailing on the Italian Liner Rex for my first visit to Europe. Sixty-two is still young enough for a man to go adventuring, if he has the spirit of adventure in him, and I never got over that.

I am very curious to see whether the foreign cities and peoples that I have read about and studied about all my life look anything like the way I have pictured them. I have knocked about the American Continent and up and down the coasts in ships a great deal but never before had both the time and the opportunity to cross the ocean.
What particularly interests me is

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the ship on which I am coming back, the Conte De Savoia. This is the first big ship to be equipped with gyroscopic stabilizers, invented by my old friend, the late Elmer Sperry. A gyroscope is a hard thing to explain in words. It is hard enough to understand it when you see it working. It is, in effect, a fly wheel so suspended that the axel can tip in any direction. Sperry discovered that a gyroscope always tries to put itself in a position where the axel is pointing to the center of the earth. Out of that discovery came the gyroscopic compass, which always points to the North Pole instead of the magnetic pole as the ordinary compass points. Then came the automatic steering device in which the gyroscope keeps the ship's rudder true to the course. Every really important ship in the world is now steered by "metal mike" as the sailors call it.

This same power of the gyroscope is now being used to keep the ship from rolling in rough water. It works well on small craft, and I will tell you later how it works on the first big ship to which it has been applied.

District Court Disposes of Large Number of Cases

Many cases were disposed of in the District Court last week, and the Grand Jury made a quick job of its work, completing in less than two days. It will meet again on January 19.
The following cases were disposed of.

- Lou Ida Harp vs. Freeland Harp, divorce granted.
- Pat Washington vs. Jewell Washington, divorce granted.
- Mildred Covey vs. Beauron Covey, divorce granted.
- Vada Tester vs. Ada Calloway, divorce granted.
- Mattie Emberton vs. Evert Emberton, divorce granted.
- E. L. Winston vs. Fern Hoover, injunction made permanent.
- Lila Conatser vs. Loyd Conatser, divorce granted.
- E. J. Taylor vs. C. E. Townsend, judgement for plaintiff.
- Gladys Sullivan vs. W. E. Sullivan, divorce granted.
- Georgia B. Farris vs. W. R. Farris, divorce granted.
- Jay W. Griffin vs. Margaret Griffin, divorce granted.
- Walter E. Scott vs. Lucille Scott, divorce granted.
- Thelma Sharp vs. Elam B. Sharp, divorce granted.
- Joe A. Gibson vs. J. T. Dent, dismissed on motion of defendant.
- Robt. M. Wathall et al vs. H. H. Toombs, continued by agreement.
- H. W. Crews vs. Sweetwater Cotton Oil Company, plea of privilege filed.
- W. E. Young vs. Ethel Young, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.
- Claude Heckendorn vs. Catherine Heckendorn, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.
- Ethel Young vs. William E. Young, dismissed at cost of plaintiff.
- John W. Blaylock vs. J. C. Hillbun, set for Dec. 21.
- Aron Tomes vs. Amherst School District, set for Friday first week.
- Haughton Brownlee et al vs. D. D. Skelton, et al, judgement for plaintiff.
- J. H. Moore vs. Amherst School District, set for Friday first week.
- Bonnie Hudnall vs. D. C. Hudnall, dismissed on motion of defendant.
- Ethel Little Jordan vs. Carl Jordan, divorce granted.
- G. W. Washington vs. Sylvia Washington, divorce granted.
- Watson Welsh vs. Florence Welch, divorce granted.

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NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR SPECIAL LAW

Notice of intention to apply to the Legislature of Texas, which will convene in January, 1933, for the passage of an Act or Acts authorizing Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase or lease the properties now owned, or hereafter acquired by Clinton-Oklahoma-Western Railroad Company, of Texas, Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas and North Plains and Santa Fe Railway Company.

The undersigned will apply to the Legislature of Texas, which will convene in January, 1933, for the passage of an Act or Acts, authorizing the Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company to purchase or lease the railroads or other property now owned, or hereafter acquired by Clinton-Oklahoma-Western Railroad Company of Texas, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned or hereafter acquired by Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway Company of Texas, and to purchase or lease the railroads and other property now owned or hereafter acquired by North Plains and Santa Fe Railway Company, such lease or leases, if executed, to include the branches and extensions of such railroads, and each of them, that may be hereafter constructed.

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- CLINTON-OKLAHOMA-WESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY OF TEXAS**
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By (Signed) W. B. Storey, President.
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Economic Problems and Outlook for Future

to the Leader)
Texas, Dec. 14.—Before
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problems presented by
debts, tariff barriers,
restrictions must be
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clared Dr. F. A. Buechel, statistician in the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, in his monthly survey of business conditions.

Dr. Buechel's analysis follows: "Restoration of commodity prices to a higher level, re-employment of those out of work, and the re-vitalization of the entire industrial and financial structures of the leading industrial nations require that effective and speedy action be taken upon these fundamental problems.

"Marcus Nadler, professor banking in New York University, states that three principal lines of procedure appear open to the various governments in formulating their economic policies during the coming months.

"First, the adoption of inflationary currency and credit policies. Such a policy would undoubtedly result in an immediate sharp upswing in business accompanied by a rapid contraction in the number of unemployed. In the long run, however, such policies are bound to fail and in the end lead to depreciation of the exchanges and economic chaos.

"Second, the continuation and accentuation of the present policies of economic nationalism and self-sufficiency. Such policies would necessitate serious economic readjustments, accompanied by an increase in the number of foreign bond defaults and by further exchange and trade restrictions. It might eventually result in an economic system in which each nation would be economically self-sufficient (with the exception of a few raw materials.) Such a system would tend to press on the standard of living and the revival of industry and commercial activity would be very slow. It would mean a reversion to the economics of the Middle Ages.

Solution of Problem Offered.
"The third procedure, and the one which appears to the writer to be the sanest, is the adoption by all countries of a policy of economic common

sense based on realities. Such a policy involves the economic solution of the war debts problem, the scaling down of tariff walls, the arrangement of temporary settlements with governments in default, the funding of short term debts, and the co-operation of the central banks with the view of eliminating the various foreign exchange restriction. Such a procedure would require sacrifices on the part of all but it would lay a firm foundation for economic recovery throughout the world.

"Which procedure the various countries will follow is impossible to foretell. The first leads to inevitable chaos and the second would set back the clock 500 years. The third would be a rational attempt to liquidate the economic disasters of the war and post-war period and aid the world to a new start."

"A report recently submitted by a committee headed by Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors corporation, composed of business men, farm leaders, labor leaders, and economists, contained the following recommendations:

"First, that elected representatives of the American people recognize the problem of inter-governmental debts as a non-partisan issue to be settled strictly in the interests of the United States; second, that Congress authorize, by recreation of the world war Foreign Debt Commission or otherwise, such reconsideration and readjustment of debt funding agreements as would best advance the interests of American trade and promote prosperity; third, that Congress extend the moratorium for a sufficient period of give time for these negotiations.

"Among the factors which have contributed to the changed capacity of foreign debtors to pay (not to mention the Lausanne settlement), the report emphasizes the following:

"First, the decline in wholesale prices which means that to pay every thousand dollars of the debt as originally funded our debtors must now sell half as much again in commodities; second, reduction of foreign trade of debtor nations to 60 per cent of the 1929 level because of tariff barriers and low prices; third, transfer difficulties in buying American dollars to meet debt payments in a demoralized exchange market; and fourth, the difficulties of national finance in debtor countries whose revenues are now being obtained only with the greatest difficulty from already overtaxed people."

NOTICE OF CONSTABLE'S SALE

The State of Texas
County of Lamb

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 14th Judicial District Court of Dallas County, on the 6th day of September, 1932, by J. Balie Finks, Clerk of said Court, for the sum of Three Hundred Forty-Two and 10/100 (\$342.10) Dollars and costs of suit, under a foreclosure of a vendor's lien, in favor of the plaintiff in a certain cause in said court, No. 99641-A and styled American Mortgage Corporation vs. Arthur F. James and wife, Ida C. James, placed in my hands for service I, Fred Hoover, Constable Precinct No. 4, Lamb County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of October, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lamb County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Lot No. 10, in Block No. 7, in the Yellowhouse Addition to the original town of Littlefield, in Lamb County, Texas, and levied upon as the property of Arthur F. James and wife, Ida C. James, and that on the first Tuesday in January, 1933, the same being the third day of said month, at Court House door of Lamb County, in the town of Olton, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M. by virtue of said levy and Order of Sale, I will sell the above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash to the highest bidder, as the property of Arthur F. James and wife, Ida C. James.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lamb County Leader, a newspaper published in Littlefield, Lamb County.

Witness my hand this the 12th day of October, 1932.

FRED HOOVER
Constable Precinct No. 4, Lamb County, Texas. 35-3tc

NOTICE OF CONSTABLE'S SALE

The State of Texas
County of Lamb

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 14th Judicial District Court of Dallas County, on the 3rd day of August, 1932, by J.

Balie Finks, Clerk of said Court, No. 99647-A for the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars and 00/100 (\$700.00) and costs of suit, under a foreclosure of a Deed of Trust, in favor of the plaintiff in a certain cause in said Court, No. 99647-A and styled American Mortgage Corporation vs. Gaston Patterson and Mollie Patterson and A. H. McGavock, placed in my hands for service, I, Fred Hoover, as Constable Precinct No. 4 of Lamb County, Texas, did, on the 12th day of October, 1932, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Lamb County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

The South half of Lots Nos. 30, 31, and 32, in Block No. 86, of the original town of Olton, Lamb County, Texas, and levied on as property of Gaston Patterson and Mollie Patterson and A. H. McGavock, and that on the first Tuesday in January, 1933, the same being the third day of said month, at the Court House door of Lamb County, in the town of Olton, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale, I

will sell the above described Real Estate at Public Vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder as the property of Gaston Patterson and Mollie Patterson and A. H. McGavock.

And in compliance with law I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Lamb

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Funeral Services—

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reported as improved. A son, R. W. Jr., also ill with pneumonia at their farm home, is making progress toward recovery.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Hammons Undertaking Home at Littlefield by Rev. Joe F. Grizzle, pastor of the First Baptist Church here and interment took place at the Littlefield cemetery.

Deceased had been a member of

the Christian church for a number of years.

She and her husband and family have lived in their present location for the past year and a half.

Deceased is survived by her husband, R. W. Gray, and two sons, R. W. Jr., and Edwin Brooks, and a daughter, Miss Dalene, all at home, and a daughter, Mrs. F. M. Brown, of Clarendon, Texas, and three sisters, Mrs. Mattie E. Taylor and Mrs. W. T. Ward of Seymour, and Mrs. H. F. King of Kress, Texas.

A number of out of town relatives and friends were present for the funeral, including Mr. and Mrs. Brown of Clarendon and Mrs. Taylor of Seymour.

GIFT HINTS

- For Santa Claus ROLLER BEARING COASTER WAGONS FOOTBALLS BASKET BALLS BASEBALL GLOVES AIR GUNS TOY BROOMS FLASHLIGHTS JACK KNIVES U. S. STAINLESS ENAMELWARE

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Do Christmas Mailing Early, Post Office Urges

During the Christmas holiday time the volume of mail increases approximately 200 per cent, according to a bulletin received from the Post Office Department by Acting Postmaster Homer Hall.

This bulletin gives complete instructions for Christmas mailing, and urges the public to mail early in order to facilitate rapid handling of all mail matter by post office employees.

will not only make it certain that they are received before Christmas Day, but will be a great aid to your postal service and to postal employees and enable them to spend the Christmas holiday with their families.

The bulletin points out that all parcels must be securely wrapped or packed. Strong paper and heavy twine are recommended.

The bulletin also says:

"Addresses should be complete, with house number and name of street, post-office box or rural-route number, and typed or plainly written in ink. A return card should be placed in the upper left corner of every piece of mail. If a tag is used, the address and return card should also be written on the wrapper for use if tag is lost, and a copy of the address should be inclosed inside the parcel."

FREE ATHLETIC SHOW SCHEDULED

The Athletic show, which was to have been staged Monday night under the auspices of the Littlefield Athletic club, was postponed until Thursday night, December 22, on account of the cold weather.

There will be a free show at the club's headquarters, former Bumpass Laundry building, Monday night, December 19. There will be 20 rounds of boxing exhibitions between club members, wrestling, weight lifting, and general athletic training methods demonstrated.

Chamber of Commerce

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lar action to that of the Littlefield organization.

West Texas is an agricultural and ranching section which is being developed at a rapid rate and can better be served by Texas Tech than by A. & M., according to those who addressed the chamber. Destroying Texas Tech would be taking action of an immensely detrimental nature to West Texas—action that would be against the best interests of the farmers and ranchers, in fact, the entire population of this section of the state.

The report of the legislative committee declares that all technical courses, including equipment, should be removed from Texas Tech to the Agricultural and Mechanical College at Bryan, said by the committee to be more suitable for such courses, especially because the Tech is located in an agricultural and dairy section. The textile building of the Texas Tech should be utilized for liberal arts, it was pointed out. The report goes further and declares that 37 members of the faculty should be dispensed with.

PEP PARAGRAPHS

By Mrs. G. C. Keith Several cases of "Flu" have been reported this week, most of them being school children.

Messrs. J. Albus and J. E. Stengel spent Sunday afternoon at the teaching.

Messrs. A. G. Jungman and G. C. Keith were business visitors in Levelland Saturday.

Friday afternoon unknown parties broke window lights and otherwise destroyed property at the Pep gin office. A court of inquiry is to be held Tuesday.

Mr. M. A. Burt has been reported as being on the sick list.

Mr. Raymond Watipka has had his cousins from Slaton as his guests this week.

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Turkey raisers realizing the advantage it is to bring their turkeys to Littlefield, where a dressing plant is located, brought their birds from far and near to this produce center for the Christmas market, which opened here December 3.

Turkeys were brought to the several produce companies here from Olton, Sudan, Earth, Enochs, Whitarral, Bula, Muleshoe and various other towns and communities in this territory.

During the Christmas market three car loads of turkeys, totalling about 60,000 pounds, were dressed and shipped by the Littlefield Poultry & Egg company for the New York and other Eastern markets.

Other produce companies here who handled considerable turkeys on the Christmas market were Porcher Produce and Watson Produce Co., the latter taking the turkeys they bought to the local plant to be dressed and shipped, while Porcher Produce shipped their turkeys direct.

Turkeys handled at the local dressing plant brought to the farmers of this territory \$4500, and \$700 was paid out in wages for the period from December 7th to December 14th for turkey pickers and extra labor during the week.

Wow! Speed Now!

Folks, I've been keeping quiet lately; haven't been saying a word. In fact, I've been so meek and mild that my wife has been looking on me with suspicion. And, think of that, we've been living together for more years than my wife likes to admit, and yet when I get awful quiet she wonders what devilment I've been up to.

But I've been sort of busy; got a brand new J. B. Hammer Mill down at my place, all coaxed, primed and rarin' to go. This new J. B. has a capacity of three tons per hour; just twice the capacity of the old mill. That's a heap better, isn't it? Come down and try out this new outfit.

Yes, I'm still turning out that good corn meal and whole wheat flour. Here's a red hot tip: I pay the farmers better prices for their corn than they can get elsewhere. Yes, there is a Santa Claus.

And don't forget, these cold days, that Alamo coal is good "Flu" medicine; knocks chills and beats pills.

Yours truly, J. T. Bellomy, (Adv.)

GINNING REPORT

Approximately 19,260 bales of cotton had been ginned by the several gins in Littlefield and immediate vicinity up to Wednesday of this week. This includes the McDonald gin located six miles north of Littlefield and the Yellow House gin located five miles east. On account of the fine cotton picking weather enjoyed this season the larger part of the cotton has been picked.

RED HOT SPECIALS Saturday At The Cotton Belt Grocery

SUDAN

The three local gins had ginned 4,642 bales of cotton up to the middle of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Renfro of Littlefield moved to Sudan last week to take charge of the Renfro & Morris Grocery. Stanley J. Doss has been managing the local store since its opening, but has moved to Olton to get ready to take over the office of County Clerk January 1.

The marriage of Miss Zella Thompson and Billy Lee Bowling took place at Clovis, N. M. December 3. Mrs. Marvin Thomas, sister of the groom, and Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Marve Bowling, mother of the groom, and Mrs. Thompson, mother of the bride, accompanied them and witnessed the ceremony.

Mrs. Bowling is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of the Friendship community and is very popular among the younger set. The young couple will make their home at the Bowling farm in the Friendship community.

Miss Anglee Foust became the bride of O. B. Workman at Clovis, N. M. December 1, the pastor of the First Baptist Church of that city officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Foust, while Mr. Workman is the youngest son of Mrs. M. F. Workman of Friendship community.

Mrs. Foust, mother of the bride, Janey Mae and W. L. Foust, Ethel Alexander, and Allan Beal witnessed the ceremony.

The newly weds are at home in the Friendship community.

Plans are underway by the citizens of Sudan to pave Main Street with caliche, put in curbing and many other improvements. It is expected that the work will start soon after the first of the year, which will provide citizens of Sudan and territory, who have no means of income, with work.

At a meeting of the City Commission Monday night of last week, Rev. Sam A. Thomas, local Methodist pastor who recently moved here from Dimmitt, explained how Dimmitt had secured money from the relief fund



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