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... Funds for preliminary expenses of investigation and organization will be immediately raised and a building corporation will be perfected at the meeting on the 15th inst., according to the plans outlined by the committee. The further plans would then call for the procuring of the charter of the corporation and the making of an application for permit for the construction of line.

... While the application for permit is pending, it is probable that the preliminary cross section survey would be in progress and by the time the permit to build should be received, the engineers could furnish a complete estimate of the probable cost of constructing the road and putting it in actual operation.

... It is not thought likely that any opposition to the building of the line will be encountered. The only road that could possibly be affected by the building of the line would be the Santa Fe. As the proposed short line would only be a "feeder" line for that road, it is not likely that it would oppose the construction of the line. ...

YARDS CONSOLIDATED

Higginbotham-Bartlett and Whaley Buy Panhandle Lumber Yards
A deal was closed last week where-in the Higginbotham-Bartlett Company purchased the Panhandle Lumber Company yards at Anton and Amherst, and the Whaley Lumber Company purchased the Panhandle yards at Sudan and Muleshoe. It is understood that the Panhandle Company has also taken over yards belonging to the other two companies at different points in West Texas, the consolidation of these various yards being made as a matter of good business.

COTTON COMMITTEE MAKES AWARDS OF ACREAGE WINNERS

At a meeting held last week by the Cotton Contest committee, consisting of J. T. Elms, J. T. Street and T. P. Wright, awards were made in the acreage contest held here last year, as follows:
First prize, \$300: Chisholm—5 acres cotton; got 4,000 pounds of seed cotton, 1,470 pounds of lint.
Second prize, \$150: H. R. Lacey—5 acres cotton; got 3,980 pounds seed cotton, 1,413 pounds lint.
Third prize, \$50: E. A. Culp—5 acres cotton; got 4,440 pounds seed cotton, 1,247 pounds lint.

The contest was sponsored by the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, and the prizes given by the Yellow House Land Company, for cotton grown on Yellow House or Littlefield lands. There were about fifty entrants at the beginning of the contest, but on account of the unprecedented freeze most of them were put out of the contest by crop shortage. Those who finished stated their crops would have been much larger but for the freeze.

HOTEL IS SOLD

W. S. Simpson, of Roswell, Buys Out Whicker & Thomas, Assumes Management

A deal was closed last week between J. C. Whicker and R. S. Thomas of Littlefield, and W. B. Simpson, of Roswell, N. M., wherein the latter purchased the Littlefield Hotel, for the consideration of \$31,000 including some city property in Roswell.

Mrs. Simpson is in charge of the management as Mr. Simpson is representative of the Ajax Tire company and will not be in Littlefield regularly.

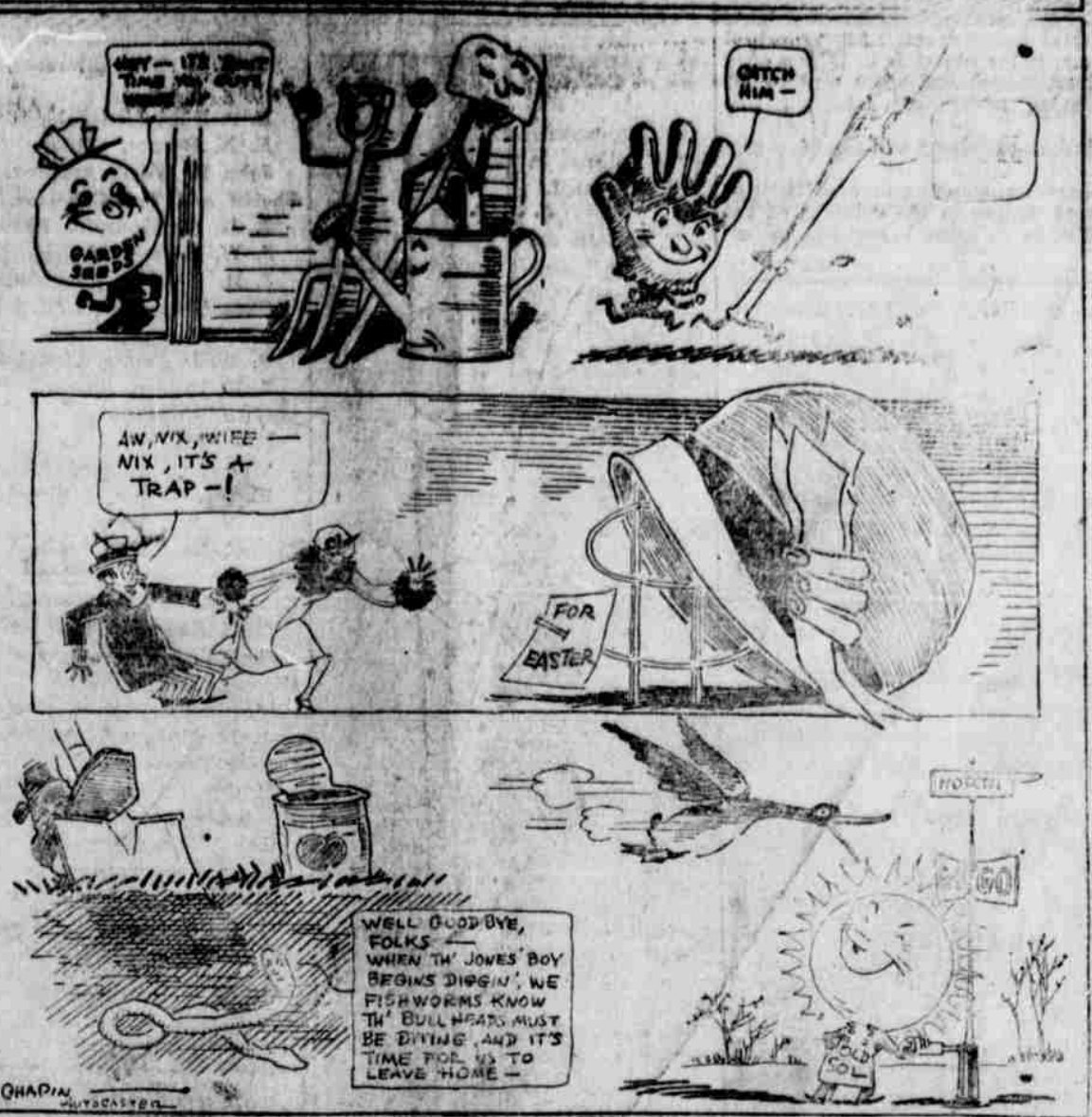
Mr. Whicker will retain his suite of rooms in the hotel for the home office of the Whicker Land Company.

TRUSTEE ELECTION

Messrs. Boone, Butler and Gray Have Expiration of Terms.

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SIGNS OF SPRING



THE PANHANDLE TELEPHONE CO., EXTENDING LINES

C. R. Singer, local manager for the Panhandle Telephone Company, addressed the Morton Chamber of Commerce last Monday night. Mr. Singer reviewed the efforts of his company to establish adequate telephone service in Cochran county and promised the installation of a local switch board in Morton within forty days. He also proposed strenuous efforts to connect the towns of Enoch and Goodland with the outside world by telephone.—Morton Monitor.

Further development being made by the Panhandle Telephone System, in connection with the Morton project, is a telephone system for Bledsoe. It is understood that this company has been granted a franchise to maintain and operate an exchange at each of these points. Five car loads of posts, copper wire, switch boards and other material to be used in establishing these new systems will arrive in the near future.

A gang of workmen are now at work on that end of the line and another gang will start from Littlefield in that direction within ten days, according to A. C. Hendricks, local manager of the Panhandle Telephone System.

REPUBLICANS TO HOLD A PRIMARY IN LAMB COUNTY

Plans of the Republican party to hold a primary election in Lamb County are being made. Last year the Republican party in Texas cast more than 100,000 votes in the general election and according to the Texas statutes their nominees for the various offices of the state, counties and precincts must be chosen within the party in the same manner as the Democratic nominees are chosen. Names of both state and county officers will appear on the ticket in Lamb County. The Republican primary will be held on Saturday, July 24, and the run-off primary, if any, on August 28, dates set for Texas primary elections.

E. M. Thomas, of Parker, is here this week visiting his son and transacting business. Patronize Home Merchants.

OLTON TRADES DAY Large Attendance of Citizens and Candidates There Saturday.

Olton held her first trades day last Saturday and it was attended by a large number of citizens from all sections of the county. Rev. L. L. Kyle, editor of the Olton Enterprise, was chief officiating functionary of the occasion.

It was the first opportunity the candidates of the county had enjoyed the meeting of public enmasse style, and most of them made speeches, telling of their aspirations, ability, etc. The merchants offered special inducements to buyers and a \$125 radio was given away.

THE BULA FOLKS TURNED OUT FINE TO GREET BAND

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce band went to Bula last Friday night and gave a concert to the people of that vicinity. They were greeted by a schoolhouse full of people who seemed to greatly enjoy the music of the band.

The meeting was just another one of these get-acquainted affairs that has been going on during the past few weeks. One of the enjoyable features of the evening was the program prepared by Miss Agnes B. Stanley, teacher of the Bula schools, in which a number of her pupils and the young ladies of the community took part.

There were readings by Herbert Watson, Mozelle Nordyke, Osie Calloway, Dennis Seifres, J. T. Cunningham and Miss Mary Lee Oakes, and some choruses by the young ladies, all of which were greatly appreciated by the Littlefield delegation as well as by their home folks. The young folks taking part in the program showed the effect of careful training by their teacher.

It is planned, when the weather gets settled, to have an all-day meeting with basket dinner on the ground, and the Littlefield band has been invited to attend. Director Harvey says, "We'll sure be there!"

GONE TO FORT WORTH

Prof. E. D. Parnell, accompanied by Floyd Hemphill, Wesley Robertson, Lloyd Chesher and Otis Elder, left Wednesday for Fort Worth where they will attend the Fat Stock Show.

Mr. Parnell is anxious for his boys to get some practice in stock judging before entering the contests soon to be held at Lubbock.

MAY ORGANIZE A DEMOLAY CHAPTER IN LITTLEFIELD

That a DeMolay organization of young men may be effected in Littlefield, if requirements can be met, is the statement of B. L. Cogdill, who recently has been in correspondence with Sam P. Cochran, of the Grand Council of Texas.

According to Mr. Cogdill, the DeMolay organization must be sponsored by some Scottish Rite body, such as a Commandery of Knights Templar or a Royal Arch Chapter, before such may become a fact.

It is stated that about thirty-five young men of the town already have signified their desire to become members of such an organization, and it is believed that nearly fifty might be obtained for the charter membership. Considering the young men from adjoining towns, it is believed that within a very short time such membership might be swelled to 75 or 100.

It is also a known fact that there are some twenty-five or thirty Royal Arch Masons in Littlefield—more than necessary to sponsor the junior organization. Two or three attempts have been made to get an organization of the Royal Arch established here, but it has gone by default. Now that there is a strong prospect of securing the DeMolay organization, it is being urged by several of the local Masons that the Royal Arch Chapter should immediately make application for a charter.

A FEDERAL COURT ON THE PLAINS; JONES PROPOSES

A bill to create a new division of the federal district court for the northern Texas district was introduced today by Representative Jones, Democrat, of that state.

The measure would create, in addition to existing districts, a new division, which after next July, would embrace the following counties: Bailey, Lamb, Floyd, Motley, Dickens, Crosby, Lubbock, Scurry, Haskell, Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Dawson and Gaines. The proposed district would be known as the Lubbock division.

MRS. KNOX BUYS PARTNER

Miss Leafa Martin, who has been connected with Mrs. Edna Knox in the Style Shop, has sold her interest in the business to the latter and has returned to her home at Stephenville.

CITY PARK WILL BE BEAUTIFIED; GIVEN BY DUGGAN

One of the most outstanding pieces of work in the way of civic progress in Littlefield, is that of the city park development now under way.

The camp shed, previously used for tourists, has been moved away and all rubbish has been disposed of. The ground has been leveled off adding to the attractiveness of the plot.

In addition to the large number of black locust trees, which were set out at the beginning of Littlefield, and now are adequate in size to supply shade in the summer, 200 trees of the same variety recently have been set out. Water connections have been made with the city water mains to supply them with sufficient water.

A band stand will be erected in the near future, where the local band will render concerts to the public through the summer months.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan are donors of the plot of land to the city, of which the people are justly proud and a great effort is being made by the city officials and the people in general to make the park a bright spot for Littlefield. It is not very often that a city can fall heir to such a valuable and well-located plot of ground as is this spot. Its location represents an intrinsic value of several thousands of dollars from the donors, while to the public, its valuation for the purposes granted cannot be estimated. It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Duggan have had blue prints made, suggestive of various public buildings that may be located there in the future years—such as a public library, community hall, municipal structures, etc.—all of which were prepared by a landscape artist. In the hands of the city this spot should, in time become one of the beauty recreation places of Littlefield.

ELIMINATION CONTESTS

School Boys and Girls To Debate Next Friday Night.

Elimination contest in declamation and debate for the Lamb County Interscholastic League meet to be held in Amherst March 26 and 27, will be held at the high school auditorium Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

Senior boys and girls in high school, also senior and junior boys and girls in the intermediate grades will participate in the contests and elimination in each will be reduced to one.

Superintendent R. L. Speight also states that in all probability a practice debate will be held at this time. The topic for debate is "Resolved that the Child Labor Amendment Now Before the State Should be Adopted," the girls taking the affirmative and the boys the negative.

Everyone is invited to attend these contests, which promise to be of great interest, as the students taking part in these contests have received excellent training during this school term.

Kwichebellakia and smile.

North-Bound



The North Pole is the goal of Major Thomas G. Langhorne, who leads airplane expedition into the land of the midnight sun. The Detroit Aviation Society is sponsoring the flight which will hop off into the Arctic Regions from Point Barrow, Alaska.

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A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Pleasant words are as honeycombs, sweet to the soul, and health to the bones.—Prov. 16:24.

Praise begets emulation—goodly seed to sow among youthful students.—Horace Mann.

WANTED: MOTHERS!

Napoleon, when asked what France most needed, answered bluntly, "Mothers." It was a wise answer, and the need of America above all others is mothers. By which is meant not merely physical motherhood, but also and chiefly those moral and spiritual graces which make a mother the holiest thing on earth, for, nine times out of ten, it is the mother who atmospheres the home with moral and spiritual charm, subtle sometimes, but all-prevailing.

Almost without exception the nobler men and women of the world were greatly mothered. They caught the contagion of her character and unconsciously were molded thereby. From Cornelia, mother of Gracchus, down to the youngest madama who regards her first born as a jewel more precious than the fabled Kohinoor, the glory and strength of a nation rests in its mothers.

And, has any generation needed more sorely the mothering ministry than our own? Spartan mothers seldom fawned when opulence, ease and other creature comforts abound. Unless the mothers of prosperous America are spiritually alert the delusions of the day will possess them also and lure them into valuing overmuch the seeming happiness that money and pleasure purchase. The likelihood is that modern motherhood is far too indulgent, too willing to bear heavier burdens than the sons and daughters of the land may be spared much that is unpleasant and so miss the discipline of learning to do without and the sobering results that follow responsibilities. If the children of this generation are selfish beyond others, it is largely due to parental remissness.

America needs mothers—real mothers. The sordid stories of youthful folly, of wild drinking parties and wilder auto rides; of poor, pathetic forlorn figures paying the piper after the mad dance, and paying in fall; the host of foolish flappers and shallow sheiks, terribly sophisticated and amazingly base while still in their teens—such signify a lack of mothering, guidance, companionship, culture in the finer, nobler things.

Was that a mythical country only, where "all the young men were chivalrous and all the maidens chaste?" Or was it a land of matchless motherhood?

When a two-year-old debtor finally pays his bill the money seems like "pure velvet."

THE OLD TIME FIDDLER

Much has been in the newspapers recently regarding the old time fiddler, and Henry Ford has been more or less instrumental in adding to the popularity and publicity of the man who could make one's feet itch, no matter to what church they belonged.

The old time fiddler, however, is now the relic of a vanishing tribe. He is rapidly becoming the memory of a passing day. The time was when he was the person of chief interest at every community dance or public gathering; but withstanding the efforts to revive him, he grows scarcer every day, and with little probability that his sons will every carry on his fiddling.

tion still living, recall that there was a peculiar charm about that ancient manipulation of the violin. The soul of music was its melody and symphony, and this soul was extracted in lively renditions unlike any of the modern compositions. The classic may appeal to the devotees of culture in art, but if the ear—the heart—the emotions are the object of appeal, there is scarcely any melody that can surpass that of the Old Time Fiddler.

Eventually, "them as live by their wit" become candidates for elective offices or else go to work for the government.

LET GEORGE DO IT

A couple of weeks ago the directors of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce voted to hold a number of get-acquainted meetings with various rural sections around Littlefield. The first was held at Pep, and, aside from the band and its membership there were five business men from Littlefield who attended.

Last Friday night the local band went to Bula, where they found the schoolhouse packed full of people waiting to receive them; but outside the band there was no other Littlefield representative. The audience was exceptionally appreciative of the music from the band, but was plainly disappointed at the failure of the business men to be present.

The point is simply this: If these friendly junkets are to continue there should be a more representative body of local citizens comprising them. The band is ready to do its part, but if these meetings are to net the greatest results no business man can pass the buck and let George do it.

A marriage's worst enemy is not the eternal triangle, but the eternal wrangle.

MERCHANTS VISITORS

The Argus was honored by a call Monday from several of the leading merchants of Littlefield. They stated that they were in our little city for a social visit, and it is a spirit very much appreciated. Those composing the delegation were: Tom Barnes of the Barnes Mercantile Co.; T. S. Sales of the Quenod Dry Goods Co.; F. D. Arian of the Fair; E. E. Ellis of the Ellis Dry Goods Co.; G. M. Shaw of Shaw-Arnett Co. They are a jovial lot of fine fellows and the Argus trusts they will call again.—Amherst Argus.

Yes, they'll call again—maybe frequently when the weather gets warm. We recall that the day of their visit was a rather warm one, likewise these merchants were not very busy. Furthermore they were all thirsty. Shaw took a poll of the gang to see what they wanted to drink. Everyone of them wanted a malted milk. They then figured how much gas it would cost to take them a Amherst. The gas was less than the price of the malts, so they just framed up for Sid Williams to buy the drinks for them. Sid did.

Families are smaller nowadays. Parents seem to be getting tired of being bossed by so many children.

THE DEMOLAY

Recently considerable interest has been taken toward the organization of a DeMolay chapter for sons of Masons in Littlefield, and an article appears in this issue of the Leader setting forth the facts in the case.

Citizens who have witnessed the operations of this order for young men are enthusiastically regarding it. A finer order exists for the instilling of high and noble ideals in the hearts of young men, for the developing of many character and the attaining of real manhood than this order.

There already are some young men here who have such membership elsewhere and they are anxious to transfer if such a local can be formed in Littlefield. It is sincerely hoped by a large number of local Masons that such steps necessary will be taken to insure the organization.

PAVEMENT PICKUPS

Rue Roberts says the corkscrew is mute evidence that the day of the pull has passed.

T. S. Sales doesn't believe that opportunity knocks around with the other knockers.

Anybody can give advice, says Major Wade, but it is only the wise ones that can sell it.

After all, thinks Pat Boone, nothing on earth can move as rapidly as a thoroughly idle rumor.

How many Sunday automobile accidents are due to people hurrying to church, asks Rev. Duggar.

T. Wade Potter says that anything under glass gets hot readily—for instance, a man in a telephone booth.

Claud Ferrel says the way to make these new fangled dances unappal is to invent one wherein you step on your own feet.

The League of Nations is reported to receive a ton of mail each week. Dell Houk thinks they must have answered a real estate ad.

The speed of one's car, says W. W. Gillette, sometimes depends on whether one is bragging to a friend or explaining to a judge.

Harry Wiseman thinks a flyover left standing with its engine running always seems to be suffering from high blood pressure.

Professor Farnell says there is many a chap who thought he loved at first sight, but was cured when he took another look.

Dr. Simpson says that folk that get divorced inside of a year after getting married ought at least to be fair enough to give back the wedding presents.

Women are funny creatures, says F. M. Burlison. Many of them who never eat breakfast insist on having a breakfast room. That's to eat dinner in. The other meals they take in the kitchen.

Art. Chesher says, "This going over Niagara Falls in a barrel is old stuff. What we wanna see is some fellow walk across the Atlantic ocean on stilts." Perhaps Art will show that kind of a picture at the Palace some day.

John Pope got married last week. A few days ago he was talking with another young swain. "So far as I can see," sighed John, "it don't make much difference. I knew plenty of people whose marriage ceremony included the word 'obey,' and I know a lot of men from whose ceremony that word was omitted; but I've noticed that they all obey just the same."

Clayborne Harvey says he is looking for a guy who is so fast that he can knock on his front door, run around through the back door to let himself in, and then charge around to the front door just in time to smile and shake hands with himself and wish himself a Merry Christmas, a Happy New Year—and collect the Easter eggs.

E. C. Cundiff had a negro helper at the Palace cafe a short time ago. One day the dusky assistant dropped a platter containing some turkey. A smart young bystander remarked, "Well, the world has just seen four great catastrophes." "Four catastrophes?" queried Cundiff, "what are they?" "The downfall of Turkey, the breaking up of China, the overthrow of Greece, and the humiliation of Africa," was the reply.

MIXED SWEETS

Friend to newlywed: "Did you have waffles with honey?" Newlywed: "No she was too tired to eat up this morning."

Political Announcements

The Lamb County Leader is authorized to announce the following candidates for the respective offices to which they aspire, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election, the fourth Saturday in July, 1926.

District Judge 64th Judicial District. Charles Clements, Plainview. R. C. Joiner, Plainview.

Representative, 120th Dist. Col. R. F. Smyth, Plainview.

District Attorney. W. E. Humble, Floydada. Meade F. Griffin, Plainview. C. D. Wright, Silverton.

County Judge.

R. A. Binn, Littlefield.

E. N. Burrus, Olton.

John H. Wood, Amherst.

Sheriff and Tax Collector.

J. L. (Len) Irvin, Littlefield.

J. W. Horn, Littlefield.

J. B. (Bee) Patton, Olton.

Chas. Thompson, Littlefield.

County Attorney.

T. Wade Potter, Littlefield.

J. E. Dryden, Sudan.

County Tax Assessor.

S. M. Davis, Olton.

Walter O. Burford, Littlefield.

Roy L. Gattis, Littlefield.

A. S. Erb, Olton.

Commissioner, 4th Precinct.

Simon D. Hay, Sudan.

Commissioner, 3rd Precinct.

C. E. Strawn, Littlefield.

Carl C. Tremain, Littlefield.

County Clerk.

Marshall R. Cavett, Olton.

A. H. McGavock, Littlefield.

County Treasurer.

M. M. (Jimmie) Brittain, Littlefield.

Guy Willis, Olton.

W. H. Bohner, Olton.

Public Weigher, Precinct 4.

H. H. (Henry) Davis, Littlefield.

A. L. Porter, Littlefield.

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MORIE HARVEY, Sec'y.
The main objects of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce is to be a medium through which in general and the business particular of the town to co-operate in various ways to the farmers and country live in the adjoining ter-

Help the Farmers
In the past week the office of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce has been called upon by various farmers for information regarding the organization of various clubs among the boys and girls in the surrounding communities, in forwarding the marketing of their products, pointers on the best means in the production of such crops and the special attention to be given to this section. Since there is no

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county agent in Lamb County to take care of these things. It naturally stands to reason that the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce should function in this respect to the very best of its ability. This institution would like for the farming public to know that if at any time there is any way that it can be of any service to the farmer in any way that it is considered a special privilege.

Last Friday night, February 26, a group of citizens and the Littlefield band went to Pex to meet with the people who live in that community, purely for the purpose of becoming better acquainted and to stimulate friendship. A program was rendered which afforded some entertainment, and some good talks were made. After the meeting there was a general good feeling existing, and it was obvious that the meeting had accomplished its object as every one was shaking hands and greeting one another in a friendly "Howdy Bill" spirit. It is the intention of the business men of Littlefield to visit every community in the way, throughout the territory, not only one time, but repeatedly, and these business men insist that the people living in these respective communities attend the mass meetings of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce and especially the March meeting which is to be held Monday night, March 22, at the old Lee Theater building. Topics will be discussed at this meeting that will be of interest to every one present.

The Littlefield Chamber of Commerce is a democratic organization, for the sole purpose of stimulating a co-operative spirit between every person living in the territory and of making the country and the town a better place in which to live.

Buy it in Littlefield!

Camera Shy



A rare photograph of Senator George E. Williams, Missouri's camera shy representative at Washington. A visit with President Coolidge put him in a generous mood and he consented to "watch the birds" for the photographers. Take a good look—he may not let it happen again.

DIRECTORS MEETING

Discuss Several Matters of Interest To The Community.

At a meeting of the Directors, Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday noon, at the White Rose Cafe, it was decided to go to Whitharral tonight (Thursday) for a get-acquainted meeting with the people of that community. A committee was appointed to arrange for the delegation, cars for the band, and it is desired that there shall be a good attendance of Littlefield citizens.

It was decided that the mass meeting of the organization, which has been set for Monday, March 22, will

SPRING SHOWING

SHOES
New arrival in Ladies', Misses', Children's and Infants' shoes.

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Men's and Young Men's spring suits, Shirts, Hose, Hats, Caps and Extra Trousers.

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Take one look at this photograph. It is not pretty, to be sure, but it will convince any sensible man that all steel construction is the only safe construction for a motor car body.

That is why Dodge Brothers introduced the all steel body more than eleven years ago, and this year greatly improved and perfected it.

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The car will continue to be a "four". No reasonable buyer will be distracted from the issue of QUALITY by mere CYLINDER propaganda.

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Everybody's Doing It—Even Father Takes a Hand in Canning Nowadays

be held in the Presbyterian church. The matter of getting a full train of delegates to attend the annual convention of West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held at Amarillo, June 21, 22 and 23, was discussed, and a committee appointed to secure rates, accommodations and a list of the local boosters who would constitute the party.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

The State of Texas County of Lamb: WHEREAS, by virtue of an order of sale, issued out of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 14th day of December, A. D. 1925, in favor of Dickens County, Texas, against C. P. Smith, in case numbered 891 on the docket of said court, for the sum of SEVEN THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED, FIVE and 62/100 (\$7,756.62) Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, and costs of suit, which said judgment is also a foreclosure of a vendor's lien on the tract of land hereinafter described as such vendor's lien existed on the 14th day of March, A. D. 1922, I did, on the 6th of March A. D., 1926, at 5 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tract of land, situated in the County of Lamb, in the State of Texas, as the property

"Mexico," and the house decorated in Mexican style, proved very attractive and appropriate to the topic, which was directed by Mrs. Gillette in a very new and interesting manner.

Twenty members were served with chili and hot tamales.

REYNOLDS MOVES HERE

A. A. Reynolds, proprietor of the City Tailor Shop, has moved to Littlefield and has taken over the management of the business.

Mr. Reynolds comes from Idalou, where he was formerly with the Dean & Reynolds Mercantile Company.

LITTLEFIELD WILL HAVE FIRST CLASS BASE BALL TEAM

Since the opening of the base ball season players and fans in Littlefield are seen bringing out their gloves, balls and bats and much comment is heard concerning the professional players of the state.

Littlefield is going to have one of the best amateur teams on the South Plains, says local manager Carl Arnold. He also states that although not a salary man will be on the team the material in Littlefield and this vicinity is such in general that the local club has never had before.

A meeting will be held in the near future to organize the club, at which time arrangements will also be made to repair the ball park and put the diamond in condition.

The team will be composed of a large per cent of the old players, however some new material will be added, among which is Walter Burleson, an ex-league pitcher.

SPRING MUSIC FESTIVAL

Tickets Now On Sale For Artists' Program At Lubbock

Miss Nannie Thelma Wardlow, treasurer of the South Plains Music Teachers' Association, announced this week that tickets for the Spring Music Festival, to be held in Lubbock March 24, 25, 26 and 27, are now on sale, and anyone wishing reservations and tickets might secure them here through her.

The association is this year presenting some of America's greatest artists, namely, James Stanley, bass-baritone; Mme. Dorothy Wellen, dramatic soprano, in joint recital; Edwin Hughes, pianist, and Max Polikoff, violinist.

This is the third year of the musical activities of the association and it is the first time as many as four artists of such prominence have ever appeared at one festival in the entire state.

A great financial risk is made by the association in bringing before the public these artists. However, their knowledge from previous experience that the people of the South Plains are taking more interest in the musical development supplies confidence for their great undertaking.

METHODIST MISSION MEET

Women Discuss Mexico and Eat Hot Tamales and Chili.

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the home of Mrs. W. W. Gillette Monday afternoon for a social. The study for the afternoon was

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Claims the Right of Way. The final call. Absolutely going out of business. Fixtures for sale, building for rent, everything going, nothing reserved. Your big chance!

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1 lot Ladies' beautiful Dresses Closing out price—

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Men's Athletic Underwear
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We take this occasion to thank our many friends and customers for the good will and patronage afforded us during our stay here and assure you that it would be a great pleasure if we could be of any service to you in the future.

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MEN'S HATS

A Hat for every head—Closing out price—

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EXTRA! EXTRA!

150 Men's Up-to-Date Suits in a variety of fabrics **MUST GO** Regardless of cost.

MEN! Buy your Caps now at Closing out prices. The latest styles and patterns, closing out price—

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MEN'S WORK SHOES

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All Children's Shoes will go at this sale at closing out prices. You will buy too, when you see our Closing Out prices on these Shoes.

Specials for the Ladies' Monday.

The largest and most elaborate showing of silks ever in this city at closing out prices.

SPECIALS!

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A Big Sale with lower prices than ever witnessed on the Plains. No time to quote many prices. Come—They'll be **LOW**.

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All Men's Dress Trousers at closing out prices

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Dress Shoes and Oxfords at unheard of prices



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**EXPERT EXPLAINS
THE CONTROLLING
OF CUTTING ANTS**

R. R. Reppert, Extension Service Entomologist Discusses Advisable Practices.

The great number of letters reaching our office this fall, asking for methods of controlling cut ants, makes it evident that these insects are unusually numerous this season, and this article is published to meet a popular demand.

Cut ants build towns, evident because of the extensive mounds of earth, often thirty feet in diameter and several feet high. The dirt composing these mounds is taken from various cavities in the earth underlying to a depth sometimes as much as twenty or thirty feet. The new cavities are about as large as a person's head and connect with an older one by open passage ways.

The ant's damage, as all know, consists in their cutting off the leaves of various plants, which they carry into these subterranean cavities. They often defoliate an entire orchard or one town will destroy several acres of young cotton. The leaves are not used for food, but made into a pulp on which is grown a kind of fungus, or mold which itself constitutes the ant's food.

Queen ants, like queen bees, alone are able to lay eggs. The remainder of the population are workers. As in the case of bees, however, new queens may be produced from eggs, should the old queen be killed. Queens and young, as well as eggs, are confined to the main town so that in considering measures of control, no attention need be paid to the small

hills, often several hundred feet from the main town and connecting with it by long passages.

Carbon bisulphide, or highlife, is most widely used to kill cut ants. It readily vaporizes into a poisonous gas that being heavier than air sinks downward from one cavity to another. We prefer to open up the town to a well inhabited cavity. Such a cavity can often be located by a preliminary prodding with a wagon rod, through often this is not a sure test and digging may have to be done blindly. After a good cavity has been opened up, a pint of carbon bisulphide should be placed in an old paint bucket or shallow pan at the bottom, and the opening of the hole closed with boards and dirt thrown on top. All openings about the town should be tramped shut to prevent escape of the gas. Since the gas does not destroy the eggs, and since it is possible under certain conditions for new queens to be reared from these, a second treatment about three weeks later may be advisable.

Many people have claimed best results by setting fire to the gas after application. There are some advantages to this, but in our mind, the disadvantages are greater, and we prefer to place it without setting a match to it. If to be fired, one should be very careful; a matter that will suggest that great care in handling the material must be exercised, is that in the presence of fires or sparks, it is explosive.

Some have with success, instead of digging a large hole to a cavity used a two-inch auger with extension shafts, to drill into the town. After a large cavity has been found, a gallon or so of water is poured in to soak up the soil, followed by the dosage of carbon bisulphide. This is no doubt a good practice, but we suggest in cash the use of a length of gas pipe to be inserted in the hole, so the material may be poured directly to the bottom, and not absorbed into the soil along the sides as it runs down.

From New Year until about the middle of March, is the best time to attack the cut ants, since the colonies are at that time weaker, and individuals grouped together in the main town. A campaign of control can with profit be organized in every community suffering extensive damage. The element of numbers not only lends enthusiasm, but materials can be purchased more cheaply. On account of fire hazard, druggists are compelled to charge a seemingly high price for carbon bisulphide. If however, farmers and truckers will pool their orders, agreeing to take the material from the station on arrival the local druggist will doubtless be able to make a price that is much lower than could otherwise be obtained. Also, if a campaign is organized each person can profit by the success and failure of every one, including himself.

NIX-POPE

A marriage of interest to the people of both Littlefield and Lubbock was that of Miss Beulah Nix and John M. Pope, which took place at the Presbyterian manse, Saturday afternoon.

Marguerite Dugger played the wedding march from Wagner's Lohengrin, and the beautiful ring ceremony was used, with Rev. C. A. Dugger officiating. Only two of their personal friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Stone, were in attendance.

Beulah, who is generally known as "Bobby" by her friends, came to Littlefield from Lubbock about two years ago. First having charge of the bookkeeping at the P. W. Walker Grain & Seed Company, and for the past few months she has been with the Littlefield State Bank. She possesses a pleasing personality for which she is admired by all who know her.

Mr. Pope is one of Littlefield's most enterprising young business men. Since coming to Littlefield five years ago, he has been employed as bookkeeper at the Littlefield State Bank, at which work he was unexcelled in accuracy, later he was elected cashier and at a recent election of officers of that institution he was elected vice-president. He also has held positions with the State Bank at Happy, and the First National Bank, at Plainview. He also is a charter member of the Littlefield Masonic lodge.

They left immediately after the ceremony for Amarillo, returning to Littlefield Monday. They will make their home in the residence recently purchased by John Kling, in the south part of town.

We read in a New York paper that they're now making booze out of acorns. So we suppose "great soaks from little acorns grow."

The long-heralded demand of railroad workers for higher wages has culminated with filing by conductors and trainmen unions of demands for restoration of the 1920 schedule.

ed by the National Labor Board. These scales were the highest ever fixed in the history of rail-roading, and, according to the roads, would increase annual expenses of the car-

ries by something like \$500,000,000. The labor demand call for a reply from the carriers by the first of next month. Kwitcherbollin and some

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These new low prices set a new record of achievement in automobile history—one that establishes a new basis of motor car value, beyond question the greatest in the world.

Think of getting a beautiful, four-door Sedan for \$735—a Coach for only \$645—and other closed models at equally amazing new low prices which include speedometer, balloon tires, Duco finish, Fisher bodies, Alemite lubrication, and countless other fine car quality features.

No other closed cars offer equal value—gone at the price offer equal beauty, durability, comfort or performance, snap and power. Come in—one ride will convince you.

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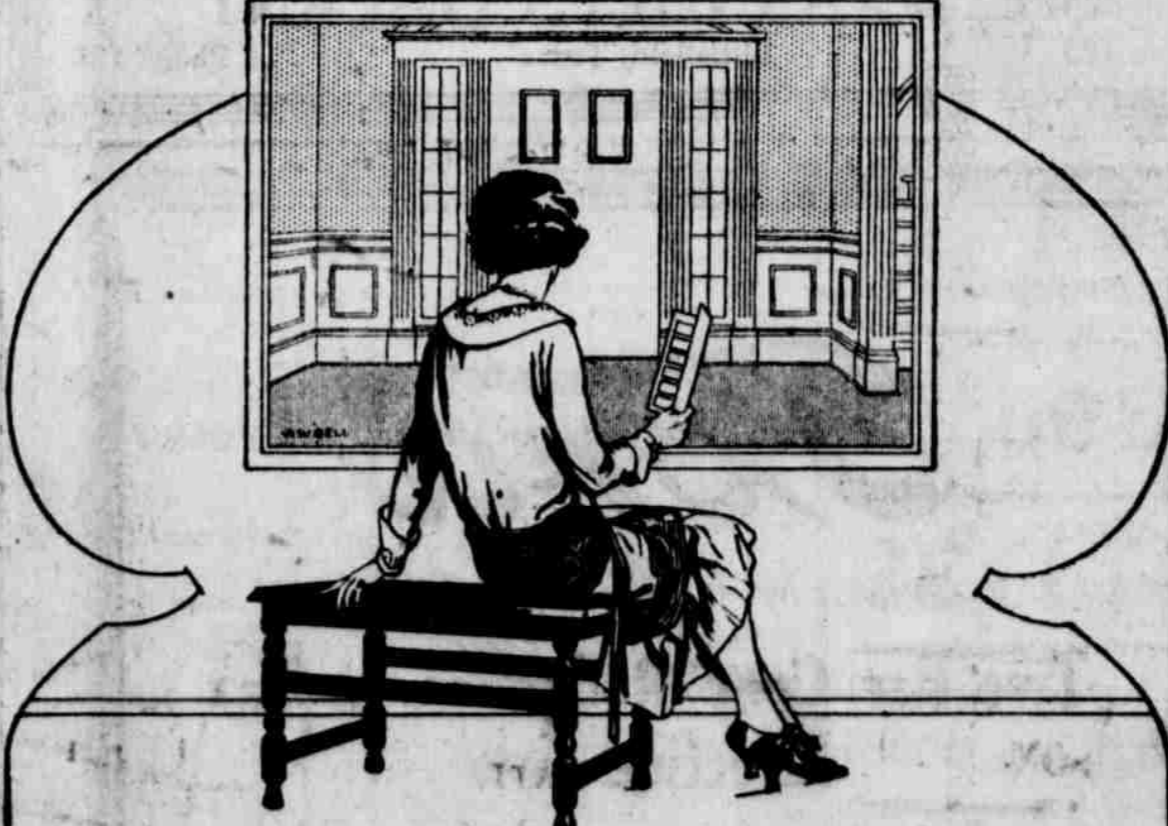


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Littlefield, Texas

Save the surplus and you save all the rest!

Anniversary Sale!

Continuing all next week. There were many eager buyers who attended our sale last week. Many compliments have been handed us on the way our merchandise has been reduced. We are pleased to announce that our first anniversary sale is one big success. Do your shopping next week!



Spring
Millinery
In All Its Glory
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Charming new Dress Hats, fashioned of new straw, satins, grosgrain and three tone ribbons, in many smart styles, including large picture hats and smart tailored models.

Anniversary Sale Price—\$5.00

Smart Sport Hats, distinguished by their chic simplicity and quality of workmanship and new felts and belting ribbons—a great variety of styles.

Anniversary Sale Price—\$1.98 to \$5.98.

WOMEN'S AND MISSES DRESSES

Featuring a group of attractive new Silk Frocks for wear now and right on through the season. All the latest edits of fashion are presented, with all the important details of the coming mode novelly featured.

The materials include Crepe de Chine, Flat Crepe, Georgette, Canton and Tafetta Silks. The colors include blue, green geranium, buttercup, rose, beige, mauve, honey-dew, gray and all other wanted shades.

For our anniversary sale we have made the following prices:

Dresses up to \$14.50 go at	\$9.75
Dresses up to \$19.75 go at	\$14.75
Dresses up to \$24.75 go at	\$18.7

See Our Spring Coats!

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Littlefield, Texas

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Ford

**Two Per Cent Reduction In Tax
Effective Now**

We Will Absorb Immediately on all Ford Cars the Two Per Cent Reduction in Tax Which Normally Does Not Become Effective Until Midnight March Twenty-Eighth. This Means That You Can Have Immediate Delivery of a New Ford Car and Take Advantage of the Two Per Cent Tax Reduction.

John H. Arnett Motor Co.

Fashion's Edict



Paris sends well dressed American women this clever plaid Kasha gown, to which a tan turban, shoes and stockings are a pretty complement. A red suede bag completes the picture.

Mrs. Ray Bellomy, from Stephenville, is in Littlefield and is assisting Miss Jessie Bellomy in the management of the cream department of the J. T. Bellomy Produce.

A. H. McGavock, this week had his garage, previously used for a resi-

CITY LAUNDRY

If you want your clothes white and clean, send them to us.

Particular pains taken with silk, wool and things that require care.

Flat work, 9c per pound.

Rough dry, 7c per pound.

Phone 150 and we will be glad to do the rest.

WE CLEAN 'EM

dence, moved to the front of his lot and additional rooms added converting it into a modern living room house.

Mrs. W. W. Gilette and children, Edwin, Gerald and Edna Vell, ac-

companied by Robert, made a trip to Witham

PROFIT BY EXAMPLE

Those who can spend are those who save, holidays are merrier and happier—if their vacations are more enjoyable—it is because they made them so by saving that they might have the money which suited their fancy.

PROFIT BY THE EXAMPLE OF THOSE WHO GET ALONG WELL, SAVE NOW THAT YOU MAY ENJOY THE FRUITS OF YOUR SAVING LATER ON

—WHY — PUT — IT — OFF!

Don't postpone prosperity. Don't aside that money can buy. Don't wait for it to patch the roof!

Come in and let us surprise you by telling you how little it takes to start saving, and how much profits those who have already started.

First National Bank
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There Is No Good Town That Is Without Good Electric Service

Texas Utilities Company Service is a community builder. It is what has been aptly called Essential Public Service. This means that the public can not get along without it under conditions of this day.

This service has been developed by the inventive genius of the American people. It has grown into an essential public service through the enterprise of American men and woman who have put their talents and means into machinery for supplying it.

The people who are supplying the service and the people who are using it to a very great extent understand that their interest in regard to it are the same—the best possible service at the lowest reasonable cost.

Whatever this company can do to help build up this community is a part of its job.

TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY
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"COURTESY AND SERVICE"

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words all religion is summed up; the Sermon on the Mount, adapted to the pastoral or village life of man, or passages from the teachings of St. Paul and other missionaries perfectly adapted to the virtues and vices, the strivings and the failures of a municipal life like ours.

"These historic elements of religion, carved out of thousands of years of hard human experience, are easily impressed on the hearts and minds of the young; they teach the young soul to recoil with adoration from the deeds which are lightly headlined in our daily press, lightly treated on the stage and in the movies, as if they were of the very smallest, instead of the very greatest, concern to the future of mankind."

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE

Farm Diversification.

The West Texas Chamber of Commerce which by the way has done more and is continuing to do more for the farmers of the South Plains than any other agency, is a great believer in diversification. The Cow, Sow and Hen campaign is being stressed by everyone interested in the development of the South Plains. And this is well because a one crop farmer is as a rule not a prosperous one. There should be a money crop and cotton will always be ours on the Plains, but there must be other crops, and there must be livestock in order to make the farming program balanced. But there are dangers to diversification as is true of all types

Luther Burbank, Famous Horticulturist



Here is the great "Plant Wizard," snapped while on an inspection tour of his wonder gardens at Santa Rosa, California. The world, to which he has given stoneless plums, seedless oranges, and a hundred other "fruits of his labors," is glad to hear he will not retire, nor will his gardens be sold as was reported.

of farming. Notice what the Farm and Ranch has to say under the heading, "Is Diversification a Cure All?" Many farmers have gone broke; diversification but there is no set rule or definition. A plan for one farm is not suitable for another, yet all should have a plan suitable to their needs. Diversification is the production of food and feed for home consumption on such a scale as will

provide as great a variety of fruits, vegetables and other foods for all year use and the keeping of enough livestock to provide meat, dairy and poultry products for the home use, and some to spare. Such a program, of course, calls for the production of feed for livestock and the varieties of feeds should be selected as nearly as possible with a view of increasing soil fertility. When these crops are provided for the diversification plan may be considered complete and the remaining acreage can be put in

some special money crop such as cotton, or in some section grain sorghums and other grains for which there is an established market.

The Rainfall Question.

A study of the rainfall sheet kept by the Lubbock Experiment Station would be of interest to any farmer, because the average over the period of years from 1911 to 1925 will be a pretty good index to what we will continue to get for the next few years. The sheet shows us that the months of November, December and January, are the dry months; and from March to October the rainy months. September is the month of heavy rainfall and January the lightest. The average annual rainfall over this period of years is 19.59 inches, but this varied from 31.8 inches in 1915 to 8.7 inches in 1917. The average rainfall by months is as follows: January .29; February .86; March .93; April 1.92; May 1.74; June 2.93; July 2.22; August 1.97; September 3.10; October 2.37; November .57; December .64.

It has very rightly been said that rainfall is our limiting factor in growing a crop on the South Plains. Our soils are as fertile and as deep as any to be found, and our seasons are long enough, provided the rain comes at the time the crop needs and does not hold off until the crop is about ready for maturity as was true of the season just past. Moisture then is the limiting factor of plant growth, and the thing that we have to guard most closely. This county gets plenty of moisture for a crop if it is conserved by a soil mulch and

the soil is broken in the fall and not in the late spring months as a lot of farmers do in this country.

Mr. Wells who lives in Bronco Acres and grows garden and truck crops has a good example of this thing. He has land there that was broken last fall that has plenty of moisture and that is loose and mellow enough to grow a crop now without a drop of rainfall. It has not been irrigated either for not a drop of water has been added since it was broken up in the fall. Other soils would be in similar shape if treated similarly and it is up to us to get the soils in shape earlier and thus conserve the moisture for the following year's crop. It has been proved that ten inches of rainfall is all that is needed to grow a crop to maturity provided a dust mulch is farmed and weeds are kept down to prevent them from sapping the ground of its moisture supply.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Luke Holcomb isn't as bashful as people say, he is! Luke swears he winked at a girl in the dark once.

James Foster and daughter, Miss Louella, accompanied by Bernice Hollingsworth, made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. A. E. White and son, Leo, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Staggers six miles east of Littlefield, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Blair moved into their new home in the northwest part of town, just recently purchased from W. A. Turner.

H. A. Littimore, district representative of the circulation department of the Star-Telegram, was here Tuesday from his home at Lubbock, on regular business for that popular daily.

Nearly All Ford Owners Will Read This

The John H. Arnett Motor Company has recently arranged a plan of service to the owners of Ford cars in this vicinity that will result in a great saving to these people as well as give them more satisfactory and longer service out of the cars they now own. Here it is:

Ford Cars Completely Reconditioned On Monthly Payments

We know that many people are unable to buy new cars and who will appreciate this revolutionary plan whereby they may have their old cars completely overhauled, new top and curtains, new tires, etc., and have eight months to pay the bill in easy monthly payments.

You will be charged for this work just the same as if you drove your car in and paid cash for any particular job. The same skilled workmen and equipment of our service department will do the work on your car on this new plan. What better time to have the work done than now—just before the new season when you will want your car so much?

- MOTOR OVERHAULED
- NEW INTERIOR
- NEW CURTAINS
- NEW TIRES

—in fact you can have your car put into as good shape as our Ford mechanics and equipment will allow. You don't have to pay a CENT down if you don't want to—and we give you eight months if you desire to pay for the work and material. You can have a practically new car for spring if you will take advantage of this service NOW!

John H. Arnett Motor Co.

LINCOLN FORD FORDSON
Littlefield, Texas

Guess What's in the Envelope!



President Coolidge knows and so does Miss K.A. Shea, the bearer, it's the chief executive's salary. She has been personally delivering \$5 to the White House each month for the past ten years.

52 Year Old Apple



An old farmer of Chardon, Ohio, owns the oldest apple in the world. It was given to his wife by Sheridan Bull upon his return from the Civil War. Hansen has possessed the apple for 52 years, by sticking cloves into it.

An undertaker bought a new car to increase his business—the first day he drove it he picked up several new customers.

Dodging aces will settle this election question. If our grand-grand children are born with bumps on, it's true.

PERSONAL ITEMS

W. S. K... the week-end in Canyon.

Mrs. F. M. Buleson and children, who have been quite ill are much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, accompanied by the latter's sister, Miss Hazel Morris, spent Sunday in Post.

J. G. Landon, of San Angelo, passed through Littlefield Monday enroute to his ranch in Cochran county.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lightfoot and

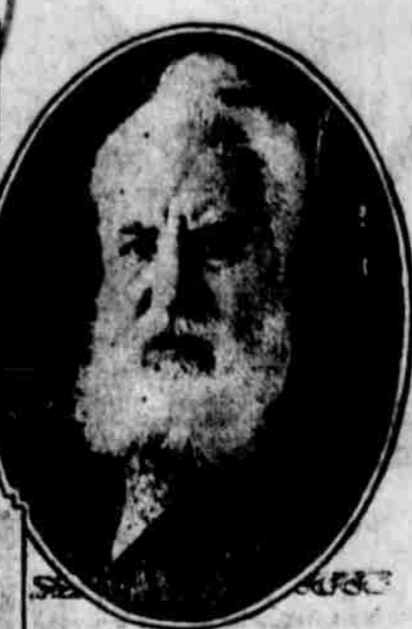
daughter, Miss Helene, will leave this week will make their future home in Amarillo.

Jess York, who has been quite ill for several weeks, was able to return to his work at the John H. Arnett Motor Company Tuesday.

Fred Schreier of Olton, was here Monday making a delivery of a large quantity of black locust trees from a grove on his farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Robertson and daughter, Miss Margaret Carroll, of Lubbock, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales Saturday.

Telephone's 50th Birthday Celebrated March 10th



Left: The first telephone. Above: Alexander Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone.

March 10th, 1876, marks the fiftieth anniversary of an important event. On March 10th, 1876, in a small garret workshop in Boston, Alexander Graham Bell uttered the first words ever transmitted over telephone wires. Using a small crude transmitter and a wire but a few yards in length, he said, "Mr. Watson, come here, I want you." His assistant, Thomas A. Watson, sitting at a receiver in another room, heard these words distinctly and hurried into the room to tell Bell that their tireless research had been rewarded.

Now the telephone is a national necessity, but at first it was considered a mere scientific toy and most people were inclined to scoff at it.

It remained for Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, to place the first stamp of public approval upon the telephone in June of 1876. Bell had taken his crude little invention to the Centennial Exposition at Philadelphia and had set up his exhibit in one of the booths. Late afternoon of the day when the judges were making a tour of inspection of the booths Dom Pedro entered the booth containing the telephone, just as the judges were about to pass it by with a glance of incredulity. Dom Pedro recognized Bell, whom he had previously met in Boston, and agreed to test the telephone.

As the incredulous judges looked on, their interest now aroused, Dom Pedro took his place at the receiver while Bell went to the transmitter. Suddenly Dom Pedro threw back his head, and with an amazed look on his face exclaimed, "My God, it talks!" The judges then took their turns at the re-

ceiver, testing it until late that night and next day the telephone was moved to the place of honor in the judges' pavilion.

Once the practicability of the telephone had been demonstrated the demand for instruments and service increased rapidly. Theodore N. Vail was made general manager of the telephone company, and he is the man who was largely responsible for the wide-spread efficient telephone system of today. Branches were opened in practically every state of the Union, and the formation of a real nation-wide telephone system was begun.

Many difficulties were encountered by the telephone pioneers. Improvements of the instruments, changes in the material used for wires, means of lengthening the range of long distance communication, construction of switchboards and central offices—all these problems had to be solved as they arose by the telephone engineers.

The two crude telephones of 1876 have grown into a nation-wide system of more than 16,000,000 telephones, approximately one for every seven people in the United States. This country, with but 6 percent of the world's population, has 61 percent of the world's telephones. Conversations are now possible from any part of the nation to any other part. The longest continuous circuit is from Catalina Island, off the coast of California, to Havana, Cuba, a distance of over 5,500 miles.

As a community develops, as its industries expand, the telephone company must be ready to take care of that expansion and development. Telephone engineers are constantly making surveys of business and social conditions of the country so that they may anticipate any demand for increased service.

The semi-centennial of the telephone is being celebrated this year all over the United States.

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FARM FACTORIES SHOULD BE RUN THE YEAR 'ROUND

By CLAYBORNE HARVEY Secretary, Chamber of Commerce

(This is the first of a series of articles on diversified farming which are to appear in the Lamb County Leader for several consecutive weeks, which are to be submitted by the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce. The object of the organization in having these articles published is not to attempt to dictate to the farming public regarding how their farms should be run, what they should plant, how it should be planted, etc., but to offer various suggestions that might prove as helpful hints and also to manifest a spirit of co-operation which exists on the part of the organization toward the people who live in the country surrounding Littlefield.)

The farm might be termed as a factory. Assuming that the farm is a factory and that the farmer is the operator, head of the department of production, sales, advertising and other departments of the factory. The first question that presents itself is, is it good business for a factory that is capable of producing an article that is demanded all the year 'round to shut down for several months, weeks or even days, as is the practice of the average farmer who grows only cotton and forage crops? Does the farmer not have a large amount of money invested in his plant and machinery, and does not interest on money soon pile up? Is it economical to have this large sum of money invested and not bringing in any returns? Does it stand to reason that a factory could go on operating year in and year out in this manner? If such a scheme is not practical with one kind of a factory, is it practical with any kind, provided it can make a product the year around that can be sold at a profit?

There is no factory that has materials, machinery and plant equipment that is useless, on hand. There

is no farm that should have a cow, a hen or a hog on it that does not pay its board. There are many cases where a farm has a cow or two that does not even make enough butter or milk for the table use of the family much less any to take to sell. A few days ago there was a certain Littlefield farmer in the office of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce who made the remark that where he had lived before he came to this country he had made his cows, alone completely feed his family; every time he bought a bill of groceries he brought enough butter and milk to town with him to fully pay for the bill of groceries. This could be done by every farmer in this country and when it is done we shall see the time when there will always be a little money in the country and there will be no one who has to borrow money at the bank to carry him and his family over until fall. Not only is it possible that there should be a class of dairy cows on every farm as described in the above, but hogs that could be depended upon and chickens to furnish good fresh eggs all the year 'round. Why is it not plausible that each and every farmer in this country could not adopt the motto, "Make the cow, sow and hen feed my family and pay current running expenses?" It is done in some places, why not here?

EGG ASSOCIATION

Various counties of West Texas are now planning and organizing egg associations, and the idea would be well for Littlefield and Lamb county—perhaps not a bad idea that it be sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

The season of warm weather will soon be here, bringing with it the fertile eggs that soon spoil. Infertile eggs bring much better market prices, but at this time of the year, the prices are alike for all. However, it will pay the farmers to look to the quality of their eggs this summer, and if they can do this in a co-operative manner it will be more effective.

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IF YOU make it a rule and practise to save a part of every dollar you earn or receive, you will have the feeling that your efforts are managed so that the value of your possessions is being constantly increased as the months go by.

THINGS THEN WON'T BE SO GLOOMY

APPLY GOOD OLD-FASHIONED THRIFT

Frequent Trips to the Bank and Not the Size of Deposits Are What Count.

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If you aren't in a hurry come in and see our Stationery, Toilet Articles, and Fine Soaps.

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vious to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but, if not, then in any newspaper published in the 64th Judicial District; but if there be no newspaper published in said Judicial District, then in a newspaper published in the nearest District to said 64th

PROGRESS OF AS AS MEASURED PUBLIC UTILITIES

and a look ahead which business men al-
planning of a year shows that Texas has been
It shows that the prospects for
during 1926 is good.

phase of the review and prospect is seen the
essential public services upon which growth
has depended.

of the telephone in this community is one of the
for development here and without which the
most year could not have been accomplished.
New Year this company is expect-
factor in the building of this community to
the people.

of the Panhandle Telephone system and the
community go hand in hand. Our aims and ambi-
sions are identical.

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Sudan, Anton, Pep, Morton, Lehman
Connections All Over the United States

Use the "Bill" in Your Building Use the 'Save' in Your Saving See Butler Lumber Co.

is thankful for the roof over his
who have bought the roofing for
our concern are especially thank-
reason to be, for they do not face
early replacement.

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to have the best grade of shingles
ands.

are only one item in our line of
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we have all the materials in first grade
priced as low as they can be had

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the kind of construction
desired.

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ck either horse or tractor pull plows
to meet the soil conditions of this
her deep or shallow plowing they
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built. That's the reason for Sand-

A. Butler Lumber Co.

In a Hurry

Judicial District, to appear at the
next regular term of the Justice
Court of Precinct No. 4 of Lamb
County, Texas, to be holden at the
Justice's office in Littlefield, Texas,
on the first Monday in April, A. D.
1926, the same being the 5th day of
April, A. D. 1926, then and there to
answer a petition filed in said Court
on the 14th day of December, A. D.
1925, in a suit numbered on the dock-
et of said Court as No. 63, wherein
Whaley Lumber Company is Plaintiff,
and E. L. Purcell is Defendant, and
said petition alleging as follows, to-
wit:

That Plaintiff is a private corpora-
tion duly organized and existing un-
der and by virtue of the laws of the
State of Texas, with its principal of-
fice and corporate domicile in the
City of Lubbock, Lubbock County,
Texas, with T. T. Garrett as Man-
ager and Agent for said Company in
Lamb County, Texas, and that De-
fendant is a resident citizen of Jack-
son County, Okla.

That heretofore, to-wit, on or about
the 6th day of April, A. D. 1924, and
during subsequent months, at the
special instance and request of De-
fendant, Plaintiff sold and delivered
to Defendant certain merchandise
consisting of posts, wire, staples,
consisting of posts, wire, staples,
nails, shingles, heavy casing and oth-
er materials for a well, fence and
other improvements to be erected by
Defendant, for which Defendant
promised to pay Plaintiff the sum of
\$294.90, and became liable and
bound to pay Plaintiff said sum.

That on May 5th, 1924, Defendant
paid on said account the sum of
\$11.75 and at subsequent times other
amounts aggregating in all the sum
of \$246.80, leaving a balance of
\$54.10 due on the principal of said
amount. That Plaintiff is entitled to
receive and Defendant is bound to
pay unto Plaintiff 8 per cent interest
on said account from April 24th,
1925; that the interest on said ac-
count to date amounts to \$9.65.

Plaintiff further shows to the
Court that said account was made for
material furnished to Defendant and
that Plaintiff is, therefore, liable for
Attorney's fees; that Plaintiff has
placed said account in the hands of
E. A. Bills, an attorney, for collec-
tion and has promised to pay him the
sum of \$15.00, which is a reasonable
and customary fee in a suit of this
kind.

That said account is just, past due
and unpaid and, though often re-
quested, Defendant has failed and re-
fused and still refuses to pay the
same or any part thereof except said
sum of \$240.80, leaving unpaid the
sum of \$63.75, for which Plaintiff
sues.

That Defendant be cited to appear
and answer this suit and that upon
the trial hereof Plaintiff have judg-
ment for its damages aforesaid, for
its debt, including interest and attor-
ney's fees, for costs of suit and for
such other relief, special and general,
in law and in equity, that Plaintiff
may be entitled to receive.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, and have be-
fore said Court, at its aforesaid next
regular term, this Writ with your
return thereon, showing how you
have executed the same.

Given under my Hand and the
Seal of said Court, at office in Little-
field, Texas, this the 2nd day of
March, A. D. 1926.

T. A. CHRISTIAN, Justice of the
Peace, Precinct No. 4, Lamb County,
Texas.
Mch 4, 11, 18, 25, 1926.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Lamb County—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon Mrs. R. H. Thompson, by mak-
ing publication of this Citation once
in each week for four consecutive
weeks previous to the return day
hereof, in some newspaper published
in your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if not,
then in any newspaper published in
the 64th Judicial District; but if there
be no newspaper published in said
Judicial District, then in a newspaper
published in the nearest District to
said 64th Judicial District to appear
at the next regular term of the
Justice Court, Precinct No. 4, Lamb
County, to be holden at the office of
the Justice of the Peace in Littlefield,
Texas, on the 1st Monday in April,
the same being the first day of April
1926, then and there to answer a
petition filed in said Court on the
29th day of March, A. D. 1926, in
a suit numbered on the docket of
said Court as No. 22, wherein Jess
Mitchell is Plaintiff, and Mrs. R. H.
Thompson and R. H. Thompson are
Defendants, and said petition alleg-
ing Plaintiff sues on open account for
the principal sum of \$21.90 with in-

terest at the rate of 6 per cent per
annum from February 5th, 1925, to-
gether with \$15.00 Attorney's fee,
costs of suit and general relief.

Herein Fail Not, and have before
said Court, at its aforesaid next regu-
lar term, this writ with your return
thereon, showing how you have ex-
ecuted the same.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND, at of-
fice in Littlefield, Texas, this the 2nd
day of March, A. D. 1926.

T. A. CHRISTIAN, Justice of the
Peace, Precinct No. 4, Lamb County.
March 4, 11, 18, 25, 1926

Barred Out



The School Board of Charleston,
Mo., passed a measure barring
married women from school, but
pretty Mrs. Laura Lair Hastings
is determined to finish her educa-
tion. So the fight is on. The row
will probably be a liberal education
for the Board, teaching them
about women who make up their
minds to do things.

BEAUTIFYING LAWNS

Cicero Smith Set Good Example For
Other Business Men.

While the residential sections of Lit-
tlefield are showing signs of civic ac-
tivity by setting out trees, planting
flowers and grass, one seldom expects
a business firm to take much interest
in making its premises more attrac-
tive, however Littlefield has one ex-
ception.

The Cicero-Smith Lumber Com-
pany has this week taken a step in
this direction by setting out some fine
specimen sycamore trees and laying
a plot at the front of the office where
a concrete curb will be built to in-
close a lawn where grass and flowers
are to be planted.

HAD FINGER AMPUTATED

J. C. Collins, ginner at Davanay
gin, who received severe injuries to
two fingers while at work a few
months ago, went to Lubbock Wed-
nesday where he had the fingers am-
putated.



Sometimes you
wonder why
Women are Nervous!



It is a scientific fact that
predominating wall colors
react on the nervous sys-
tem. Some distract and
irritate. Others are quiet-
ing and restful. With Acme
Quality No-Lustre Fin-
ish you get the desired
effect. On walls and ceil-
ings, its soft non-glaring
tones are always soothing.

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Quality product. Come to
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Littlefield, Texas.



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This is to announce to the buying public that
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Want ads., Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, Miscellaneous, etc. **RATES:** Classified, first insertion, 10c per line; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 7½c per line. Unless advertiser has an open account, cash must accompany order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Classified ads at 10c per line for first issue, and 7½c per line for each successive issue. Unless you have an account with this office, cash must accompany order, and all ads will be taken only for a specified time.

FOR SALE: Delco lighting plant including set of batteries in good condition, also small box house. A. P. Duggan. 44-tfc.

FOR SALE: Good 5-room farmed house with bath and lights, on rent payment plan. See Acree Barton at first house north Lutheran church. 46-3tp.

FOR SALE: One 15-27 Case tractor and one 12-20 Rumbly tractor. In first class condition. See D. D. Beisel at Beisel's Grocery. 45-tfc.

FOR SALE: Milk cows, mules, two row P. & O. tractor, also piano in good condition, one-half mile north west of school. J. A. Brewster. 46-2tp.

For Sale: A few fine Owen raised Rhode Island Cockerels. Mrs. Walter Burford. 46-2tc.

FOR SALE: 104 acres of land 3 miles of Littlefield, small house, well and windmill. 80 acres in cultivator fresh broke. Will sell for \$35 per acre, small cash payment and best of terms or night rent to right party. See C. C. Tremain at Littlefield or E. C. Ferguson, Snyder, Texas 47-2tp.

FOR SALE: Barred Rock eggs, \$1.00 per setting. Mrs. N. V. Wright 1-2 mile north of school. 47-13tp.

FARM FOR SALE: Unimproved, three miles north, nine miles east of Amherst. League 642, Labor 5, 191.2 acres, price \$26.00 per acre, \$1,402 will handle it. Will consider a good Ford truck as part pay, balance in equal payments of \$254.93, interest at 6 per cent. For information write Eugene Clark, Manitou,

Oklahoma, Route 1.

FOR SALE: A few choice sows, will farrow soon. Also a few sows and pigs. McDonald Packing Co., Lubbock, Texas. 46-2tp.

STRAYED: Or lost, one black heavy set house weighs about 1,100 pounds. Got out Monday night, February 22nd. Find promptly L. H. Albus at Pep, Littlefield, Texas. Will pay reward. 46-2tp.

FOR SALE: Bermuda Onion, Sweet Potatoes, Cabbage, Tomato and Pepper plants. Write for prices. T. Jones and Co., Clarendon, Texas. 46-3tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Fordson and Oliver breaking plow. Will trade for mules, hores, cows or hogs. J. W. Porcher. 46-3tc.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: Good grade Poland China boar, 8 months old. H. W. Teeters, Broad Acres addition. 47-2tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE: The Dr. Pillans home, a warm and pleasant 5-room house; car house and good garden. Would take a good car in on sale. See Mrs. Pillans. 47-2tp.

FOR SALE: Kasch cotton seed, \$1.00 per bushel, 1,400 pounds makes 550 pounds sale Run two years. Claude Cranehead, Littlefield, Texas. Route A. 45-2tp.

FOR SALE: Two-room house 16 x 32 frame building three miles southeast of Littlefield. P. Smith. 45-2tp.

MISCELLANEOUS
Bring us your eggs, butter, cream and produce. We pay topprices. Squires and McCormick. 45-tfc.

COTTON SEED: Pure pedigree Kasch cotton seed, \$1.25 delivered. Write J. I. North, Merkel, Texas. Route 4. 44-4tp.

PHONE 134 for day police, or 170 for night police service. 24-1tfc.

Bargains in used cars of different makes. Cash or terms.—Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co. 52-tfc.

RHODE ISLAND HENS: Setting eggs \$2.00 per setting or 3 settings for \$5.00. We are using pedigree cockerels from one of the best egg laying strains of Reds in the United States. West Hill Poultry Farm, Littlefield, Texas. 42-tfc.

Carbon Paper and Second Sheets, at the Leader office. tf.

Decrease the "Bill in your Building. Increase the "Save" in your Saving. See D. A. Butler Lumber Company. 46-1tc.

WHICKER Land Co., Home office. Littlefield Hotel, Littlefield, Texas. Land Office, Bledsoe, Texas. Terminus of Santa Fe west from Lubbock. Fine cat-claw land. 17-1tc.

Bring us your eggs, butter, cream and produce. We pay topprices. Squires and McCormick. 45-tfc.

LUMBER: Direct from the mills to the builders anywhere, high grades, prompt shipments. Write us for prices. Louisiana Lumber & Supply Co., Massie Bldg., Amarillo, Texas. 36-tfc.

FOR TRADE

FOR TRADE: A dandy 40 acre farm, clear. Located in Atoka county, Oklahoma, for property here, also Ford touring car to trade for truck. George F. Price, 5 miles east of Littlefield. 47-2tp.

FOR TRADE: Bundle and headed feed for Ford or Chevrolet truck. See N. A. Vaughn, Yellow House Land Co., Littlefield, Texas. 47-1tp.

STRAYED

STRAYED: Red white faced cow, with long horns, has on steel yoke with spurs on top and saw teeth on throat, brand appears to be bar ON, on right hip. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for keep.—Albert Neuenschwander, Littlefield. 47-2tp.

WANTED

WANTED: Plain sewing, prices reasonable. Mrs. W. C. Squires, one mile west of town. Phone 65M. 38-tfc.

WANTED: Furnished house, four or more rooms. Mrs. J. Lacy at Ellis' store. 47-1tp.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: Two-room house, electric light and water. See W. W. Gillette. 43-tfc.

FOR RENT: Good two-room house. J. W. Porcher. 46-3tc.

Not Afraid



When Mrs. B. M. Halbert received news of her favorite granddaughter's illness she chartered an aeroplane and flew from San Angelo, Texas, to the bedside of the sick child in Decatur, Ill. The trip was made dangerous by storms and darkness but when asked about the flight she said she was "not afraid."

A. S. ERB OF OLTON OUT FOR TAX ASSESSOR

In this issue of the Leader will be found the announcement of A. S. Erb, of Olton, for the office of Tax Assessor, of Lamb County, subject to the action of the will of the majority voters in the Democratic primary to be held July 24th.

Mr. Erb is 42 years of age, and has been a citizen of Lamb County for the past 17 years, owning a farm near the county seat. He is considered one of the successful farmers and dependable citizens of that part of the county, and for four years was owner of the Olton Telephone System. He is a member of the Olton Chamber of Commerce and of the Community Council, stands high in the community of his home, and refers to any of his neighbors as to his character and ability to fulfill the duties of the office to which he aspires.

Mr. Erb states that he is not a politician in any sense of the word, having never run for office but once before, which was ten years ago before there was much settlement in

MRS. KENT DEAD

Mrs. Dudley Kent died Monday at her home on the Circlebark ranch, 20 miles west of Littlefield. Blood poison causing her death.

Funeral services were held Tuesday and burial was made in the Sudan cemetery.

DIED AT MORTON

Lib Dick, age 60 years, succumbed to pneumonia Sunday at Morton. Funeral services were held Monday where interment was made.

Stranger (winking)—Can you direct me to a drug store?
Villager—You're talking to one right now.

Instead of bribing a jury to disagree why not put a man and his wife on the jury.

ALONG LIFE'S TRAIL

By THOMAS ARLE CLARK
Dean of the University of Illinois.

PERFECTION

I USED to hold to the idea, when I was younger than I am now, that men and women were either good or bad—there was no middle ground. We were a good deal addicted to the revival meeting in our community during the winter months when farm work was slack, and when some old sinner became converted and took out church membership. I supposed that from that moment he had separated himself from all evil thoughts, acts, or intentions, and for the rest of his life lived a perfect life. Much as I still have faith in the efficacy of those old meetings, and their power to stimulate to the virtuous life, experience has taught me that no human being is either wholly good or wholly bad. There is no such thing as perfection.

There was an obituary notice in a country paper not long ago, of one of the local celebrities who had just passed to his reward. Among the list of virtues of which the departed had possessed it was stated that "He had been a Christian off and on for more than fifty years." There was no continuity in his profession, it seemed; sometimes he was serving the Lord and at others he devoted himself to Mammon. He wasn't perfect.

Cowley had just been caught in a raid by the police in one of the worst places in town. He admitted having been guilty of all the sins of youth excepting stealing, and this was not his first offense. He had intelligence and he was not lazy. His delinquencies amazed me.

"What do you do on Sunday?" I asked in an attempt to get at his character.

"I usually go to Sunday school, and church," he said, "and in the evening I've been attending Christian Endeavor."

He was a curious mixture of dissipation and religious fervor, and he was not illiterate or ignorant, and he seemed to be as true to form in one as in the other.

One of the worst rounders I ever knew was most faithful in his religious devotions immediately following his delinquencies. If he came home jagged, he was always sure to say his prayers before going to bed.

All I am meaning to say is that experience has taught me that each of us is a mixture of good and bad—of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde—and that there is no such thing as perfection either of evil or of good.

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ANYTHING BUT THAT

A young bride has sued for divorce on the grounds that her husband wiped his hands on the guest towel.

PALACE

THEATRE
Littlefield Texas

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Mary Pickford in "Little Annie Rooney." A ten reel picture you should not miss. Price 20 and 40c. Also comedy—"Sleeping Sickness."

SATURDAY

Buffalo Bill in "Quickerin Lightning" Comedy—"Taming of the Shrewd."

MONDAY

Viola Dana in "Along Came Ruth." A wonderful comedy drama, also comedy.

TUESDAY

Serial—"The Fighting Ranger." Western—"The Pionto Kid." Comedy—"Just In Time."

WEDNESDAY

Zane Grey's wonderful story "Light of the western Stars." Comedy "Lion and the Monkey."

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

D. W. Griffith's big picture "America" Eleven reels, don't miss it—20 and 40c. Also comedy.

OUR MOTTO: Better Than Ever.



Its All
In The
Making!

Those who know nothing of refining oil products seem to think that anything called Gasoline will answer their purpose, little dreaming that there are different grades on the market, and what those poor grades mean to their car.

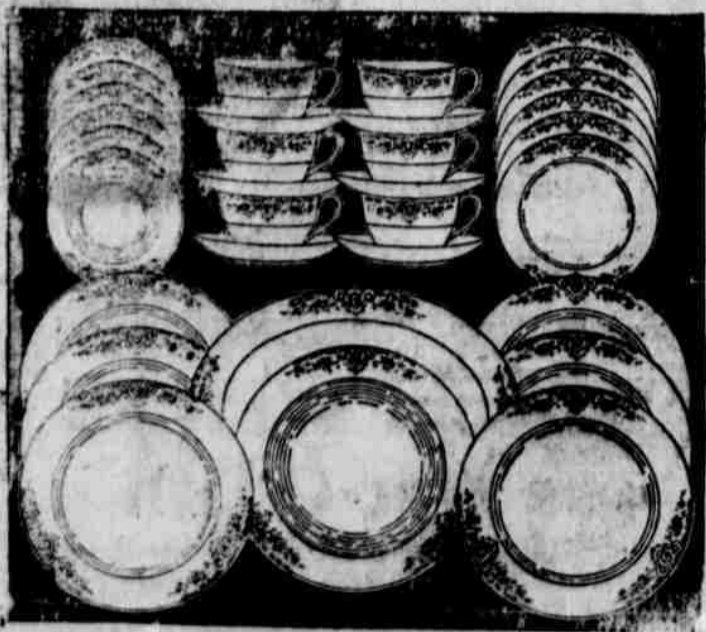
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Texas scenery and to improve highways leading to the natural wonders are now being worked out.

Amarillo—Steering committees for the annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held here in June have been appointed. Manager Porter A. Whaley and Assistant Homer D. Wade, were here recently and held conferences with the local committee. Attendance of not less than forty thousand was predicted by the officials.

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continuous increasing business. Advertiser's quality always gives through good service a dollar's worth for a dollar spent.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE NEWS
By E. D. PARNELL
of Littlefield School

Broom Corn

Several of the farmers in the community have decided to try Broom Corn this year in the community in order to carry out the idea of diversification to a greater extent. The farmers in this community that have grown this crop in previous years here have found it very productive and the only objection was that there was no market for the product after it had been raised. This objection can be offered to any crop in any year, but if a market has been assured then there are no reasons why it should not be grown to a limited extent, at least.

No crop is better adapted to drouthy lands than is Broom Corn. Good seed are important since poor seed that are mixed with Kaffir and Milo or that produce spiky brush may turn profit into loss. The best way to get good seed is to buy from a reputable dealer or grow your own seed. It requires only two pounds of seed to plant an acre, so it is economy to get the very best. The dwarf or semi-dwarf are the ones to grow, as they produce on less rainfall.

Broom Corn may be planted as late as May 10 in this section and do very well. It should always be planted three weeks later than corn-planting time. The cultural methods are about the same as for Milo and Kaffir. Broom Corn should be planted in 3 feet rows and about 6 inches apart in the row. The seed will have to be planted closer than 6 inches to begin with in order to allow for some seeds not germinating. The seed can be tested before planting and the per cent of germination determined. If you do not have time for that send the seed in to the school and the vocational agriculture class will be glad to perform this service for you.

Broom Corn appears to grow slowly at first and after it reaches a height of six inches it shoots up rapidly and is then out of danger of being choked by weeds. The crop then should be taken very good care of for the first few weeks.

The value of the crop will depend on the proper method of harvesting and that at the right time. This is some time between the beginning of

the bloom and until the seed are in the early dough stage. This can be determined by a close examination of a few heads. When the natural pea green extends from the tip to the base and to the center of the head the harvesting should be done at once. If harvesting is delayed until the seed are hardening the brush will be of little value, this being done only when seed are being grown for planting.

Dwarf Broom Corn is harvested by jerking the heads from the standing stalks. As it is harvested it is placed in piles on the ground. There are two methods of threshing or curing the brush. One is to remove the seed at once and cure the green brush under a shed. The other is to cure the heads in the field and then thresh them. No part of Broom Corn growing is of more importance than the proper curing of the brush, since its value depends on its retaining its natural green color. It should be cured where neither rain nor the rays of the sun can come in contact with it to bleach it. An open shed is best for this purpose. Rick curing is practiced in some sections of limited rainfall. This method is not as good as the shed curing but the heads can be stacked this way and by covering them with kaffir stalks to protect them from the weather they will cure very well. It cannot be rick cured after the seed have been removed as the brush packs too close and will mold, thus ruining its sale value.

The brush should not be baled until it is thoroughly dry. It will pay to bale the poor brush separately from the good. If they are mixed you will likely get a poor price for all of it.

Poor Cotton Seed

Last year a lot of the farmers were "stuns" on the purchase of cotton seed. There will be a lot of others get this same treatment this year and the next. You will find fakery in any business and it would be well to investigate the source of the seed you are planning to buy before spending hard earned money for them. Seed brot here from below the Caprock will not do as well as acclimated seed either, and it is well to take this into consideration when buying.

It will be best to test your seed before planting, too, as the early freeze made a lot of bollie seed and these seed will not germinate. If you do not have time to test your seed send them to the high school and the agriculture class will do this service for you free of charge.

WHY WEST TEXAS NEEDS MORE HOGS

Texas has many natural advantages for the production of swine, but according to past reports these advantages have failed to materialize in a financial way. In 1924 the U. S. Department of Agriculture credited Texas with 2,164,000 hogs and valued them at \$17,126,000, while in 1909 Texas was credited with 3,304,000 hogs, which were valued at \$18,502,000. Texas records show a decrease in the production when they should show an increase in the 15 year past, and also shows that Texas has failed to take advantage of her resources as smaller states, like Iowa, Illinois, Nebraska, and Missouri, which are the leading states in the number of hogs produced, have done.

The climate is such that two litters of pigs may be raised in one year while the northern states can only handle one to advantage, due to the long cold winters.

Feed which is suitable for them can be raised cheaply, corn and alfalfa both being suited to a large area of the state, and the two furnish an ideal combination for bringing the hog to market in the shortest space of time, and with the most desirable "porker" points.

The hog when raised for meat, produces a greater return than either beef or sheep. The feed which is used is more expensive than that of many other animals, but his period of reaching a suitable stage for butchering is much shorter.

The manufacturing plants that are in operation in Texas are forced to import hogs from Oklahoma and other states in order to keep in operation. The returns then are going to the other states when they should go into the coffers of our own state.

Then the often reiterated reason that the farmer needs as many sources of income as he can possibly manage is sufficient reason in itself for more home production. The risk for him is not so great because he can much better control the conditions which surround his animals than he can those which surround his plants.

We can readily see that Texas needs more hogs. She has the natural and other conditions which make it possible for her to increase the

production of swine. When she begins activity along this line where will it place her in relation to the rest of the state? Does any state have the advantage of Texas in climate? Size? Attitude? Feed products? Is there any reason why Texas should not be a close rival to the foremost state? And is there any reason why West Texas can not be the leading section in Texas in hog production, with the co-operation as we are receiving from the Chambers of Commerce and the Banks?

BUCK WILL GET EVEN

A former subscriber to the Tribune failed to pay his subscription when it expired, and his name was removed from our mailing list. Then he got sore, and still owes us \$3.00. That's

all right, we could sue him and get judgment. But we prefer to bid our time. Some day we're going to write the man's obituary and it's going to be damn short.—Fowler Tribune.

TRY AND GET IT!

"I think, young man, you have a lot of nerve to ask to marry daughter when you're only earning \$30 a week. That won't pay your rent." "Rent! You don't mean to say you'll charge Gladys and me rent?"

MORE FOR LESS

Farmer to young man from the city: "You want big pay for someone who has never done any farm work."

"Well I figure it will be worth more because it'll take me longer."

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

W. H. Bell made a business trip to Panhandle Saturday.

Chas. C. Harlan made a business trip to Seagrave Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Johnson spent the week-end in Canyon.

J. H. Arnett left Friday for a business trip to Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan returned Tuesday from a trip to Austin.

John Kling left Saturday for a trip to the Rio Grande valley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Badger spent the week-end in Lubbock.

Pete Houston was here Thursday from the Scrapeout ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Whicker made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Maxey is reported quite ill at her home this week.

V. A. Valles spent several days in Panhandle on business last week.

Sam P. Chitwood, of Goodland, was transacting business in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. S. J. [unclear] has as her guest Miss Carrie Smith, of Friona.

J. M. Carruth was here on business Saturday from his home at Sudan.

H. B. Davis, Jr., of Lubbock, transacted business in Littlefield Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Chesher made a trip to Amarillo and Panhandle last week.

Miss Agnes Stanley, who teaches in the Bula school, was in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. B. B. Liles accompanied by Mrs. Jimmie Brittain, made a trip to Olton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mueller and son, Herbert, returned Thursday from a trip to Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Arnett were here Saturday from their home on South Spade ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Earnest, from their home on the Scrapeout ranch, were in Littlefield Thursday.

Messrs. J. C. Whicker and R. S. Thomas made a business trip to Roswell, N. M., Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Demons, of Lubbock, was the guest of Miss Gladys Douglas during the week-end.

"A Breach of Promise Case," a home talent play, will be presented at Bula, Saturday evening.

Maple Wilson, of Lubbock, passed through Littlefield Tuesday enroute to his ranch in Cochran county.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas, accom-

panied by Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Steen, made a trip to Lubbock Friday.

Rev. H. L. Kyle, publisher of the Olton Enterprise, occupied the pulpit at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Miss Elsie Storey, who has been on special nursing duty on the Circleback ranch, has returned to Littlefield.

M. D. Lacy, field agent for the Yellow House Land Company, returned this week from a business trip to Marble Falls.

Lee Bagley, manager of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, at Sudan, was transacting business in Littlefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur O. Stockton returned the latter part of last week from a trip to Abilene and other points in that section.

H. W. Middleton and son, Toll, of Idalou, visited in the home of their brother and uncle, respectively, J. J. Middleton, Thursday.

Mrs. T. P. Wright and son, Tilden, visited in the home of the former's brother, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hunsate, at Lubbock Sunday.

W. H. Gardner and niece, Miss Mamie Burke, spent the weekend with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Burke, who live fourteen miles east of Littlefield.

Mrs. J. D. Simpson is visiting in the home of Mrs. G. W. Simpson in the Whitharral community this week. Allen Robertson made a business trip to Panhandle Saturday.

Deuce Bivins, who is attending the Texas Tech. college, at Lubbock, spent Sunday here with his mother, Mrs. Hessa Bivins.

Among the Littlefield people attending the first trades day at Olton Saturday were: Jimmie Brittain, J. L. Irvin, Jess Mitchell, E. A. Bills, R. M. Smith, Charles Thompson and J. W. Horn.

The following party enjoyed a picnic near the Yellow House ranch Wednesday evening of last week: Misses Mary Reid, Louella Foster and Frances Sanders; Messrs. Armon Logan, Earl and Ross White, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Holland.

THE POLITICAL CALENDAR FOR ELECTION YEAR

Following is a political calendar for the present election year, tracing each step of the election by probably over 1,000,000 qualified voters of Texas' officers for the two years ensuing:

June 7. Last day for filing by candidates for state offices of applications for place on the ballot. Candidates file applications with chairman of state executive committees.

June 14. State executive committees meet and certify names of candidates for nomination to county clerks.

June 19. Last day in which candidates for county or precinct office may file application with county chairman, and pay their assessment and election cost.

June 21. County executive committees meet at county seat and determine by lot, order in which names for each office shall appear on the ballot.

July 12. Primary committee of each county executive committee and chairman, shall meet and make up ballot in accordance with the list prepared June 21.

July 24. Primary election day.

July 29. Last day for election officers to make return.

July 31. County conventions to certify returns and elect delegates to state conventions. One delegate for each 300 voters. Delegates, also to be elected to district conventions.

August 9. State executive committee shall meet and canvass the returns for all state offices and announce nominees. In cases where no nominees are secured, names of two highest in each race shall be certified for the ballot of the August primary.

August 24. Second primary.

August 29. Last day for returns by election officers.

August 30. State executive committee shall meet and certify nominees for second primary.

September 7. State convention shall be held to declare nominees for state offices, and to certify nominees to secretary of state. Date of convention is "Tuesday after the second Monday after the fourth Saturday in August."

November 2. General election.

November 8. County Commissioners shall open returns and declare results and certify to secretary of state.

December 18. Secretary of state shall count returns and the governor shall deliver certificates of election to persons receiving the highest number of votes. This applies to all except governors and lieutenant governor. For these offices the secretary of state hands the returns over to the house of representatives, which

canvasses the returns and declares the results.—Here

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We are glad to report in this community is at the last writing.

Rev. O. E. Dickson's appointment in the day. He preached a sermon, which was a crowd. He was a dis Cochrans home.

A good singing afternoon with a large including visitors from Littlefield, Yellow House places. We always invite and invite them.

Desmon Wren, of his brother, Fred sister, Mrs. Fred New Mr. and Mrs. Boyd home of Willie Tyrone M. C. Jackson spent Enochs last week. Panopied upon his return his daughter, Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Niles ral, were guests in and Mrs. Doss Maner V. M. Brown trans in Amherst, Saturday.

ELECTION TRUSTEES NOW DIS

There has been a law regulating school trustees, according to the law furnished by the Rice and County Sent mon school districts an ent school district have 500 scholastics accord approved census.

Under the new law (Revised Statutes) the prepared by the County to the election officers, to hold the election ed by the school trust fore. The trustees th not hold the election.

If any person desir be placed upon the candidate for school tr common school district pendent district having scholastics, he should ton request to the LEAST TEN DAYS ELECTION (and no one have his name printed complied with, or unless voters request in writing name be printed.

The ballots are then printed by the county delivered to the persons hold the election, at least five the election other cant the ballot boxes niched by the counties.

The election officers turn to the county certify the result in the nor as now required by returns shall be can commissioners' court. the presiding officer tenesses should be sent India, in order that deliver the election

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. daughter, Mildred, from Littlefield, but who now ran, spent Sunday in the and Mrs. James Foster in addition.

The Use of an Implement Counts!

If you bought an implement to keep in a shed all the time, you wouldn't care how it was made nor who made it.

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