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WEST TEXAS OFFICIALS HERE FOR BARBECUE

About 250 people who were to the chicken barbecue last Thursday noon, under the auspices of the local Chamber of Commerce.

Members of the executive committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, representatives from the West Texas Technological College and citizens from surrounding cities were the honored guests of the occasion.

E. A. Bills, president of the organization, presided at the barbecue following the big eats, which consisted of some 200 spring chickens, halved and barbecued to a golden brown, a la Littlefield style, served with ranch cooked beans and other good stuff to eat.

Ladies of the local Civic Club, introduced Arthur P. French, first vice-president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who extended formal welcome to the guests. Mr. Duggan is one of the prominent citizens of this section, and he spoke out of his heart full of pride and experience when he spoke of the wonderful growth of Littlefield, which he declared had never been equaled anywhere in West Texas.

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THE DARKEST DAY IN HISTORY

By A. B. CHAPIN



FIRE DESTROYS J. E. BRANNEN AND LITTLEFIELD SUPPLY CO. STORES. LOSS NEAR \$60,000

Wednesday night the Fire Deamon, with its long lurid tongues of livid flame, swept down upon Littlefield entailing a loss in property estimated at \$60,000, together with much other wreck, ruin and suffering of body and mind.

It is "Fire Prevention Week," and seemingly as if in mockery of the occasion, the rapacious flames were the more greedy, reaching out with their long red fingers to gather into their maw the hard earned substance of many years past.

The business concerns of J. E. Brannen, The Littlefield Supply Co., and Mrs. N. H. Walden are a total loss, while practically every other business concern located in the same block on Main street suffered more or less loss. The brick building, belonging to Arthur P. Duggan, its estimated value being \$10,000, with \$2,000 insurance. The walls that were left standing will have to be torn down to the ground and rebuilt, which it is understood Mr. Duggan will immediately do.

The stock of general merchandise belonging to J. E. Brannen was estimated by him to be around \$16,000, and there was carried on it \$13,000 worth of insurance.

The Littlefield Supply Co., carried stock amounting to around \$9,000, with \$3,000 insurance.

Mrs. N. H. Walden, had millinery and jewelry stock amounting to around \$2,000, with no insurance at all.

Notwithstanding the Fire Department responded quickly to the call, it looked for a while as if that entire block was doomed to the holocaust. The little chemical engine was without avail under the headway of flame already accrued. The wind was blowing briskly from the northeast, sweeping the flames directly across the tops of the other buildings in the block, the sparks often carrying for

little bunch of sheep to eat out the weed patches, and plenty of feed raised to carry all the farm stock through the winter season until grass comes again in the springtime.

two or three blocks before falling. At one time, when the roof of the Brannen room fell in, the flames shot heavenward, only to be caught in the sweep of the wind and thrown clear across the roof of the Lamb County Mercantile building. It was then that widespread destruction seemed eminent.

But by this time men had succeeded in making hose connections to fire plugs of the new city waterworks which are just being completed. Manager McCaskill, of the local light company, had the twin pumps working, and a double stream of water began playing across the roofs of the adjoining buildings and along the firewalls, thus confining the flames within the compass of their inception, and preventing further destruction being spread. Bucket brigades had been formed, tanks of water were being placed for assistance, connection of hose had been established with the big water tank at the Santa Fe station, and it was but a few minutes later until the fire was under control and further danger prevented.

The fire alarm was turned in at 9:20 p. m. Ten minutes later it was the opinion of citizens that Littlefield with her small fire fighting apparatus would be unable to handle the situation and an S. O. S. call was immediately sent in to Lubbock fire department who responded promptly, sending out a big LaFrance 75, which covered the distance in 42 minutes; but ere they arrived the flames were under control.

The origin of the fire is unknown, the first intimation being when an explosion took place in the Brannen store which burst out the front plate glass windows from the concussion. It is probable the fire originated in the southwest corner of that room near the oil tanks, but from what cause, will doubtless never be known.

The work of the local fire department is to be highly commended. To say that they worked like veterans is putting it mildly. They were heroic in their earnest endeavors to defeat the flames, thus saving the town from further destruction. Every man in the department was right on his job with all the zeal, courage and ability he could command. Cautious to a high degree, yet zealous to the extreme, they worked as a mighty machine to quench the maddening flames. Citizens here from other towns, where older and much longer

trained fire departments existed, spoke enthusiastically of the skill, courage and wisdom of the local fire boys in handling the situation.

It was Littlefield's first serious fire, and it made an indelible impression upon the citizens as to what might happen again. For 12 years the town has escaped serious conflagration, and but for the timely action of the fire-laddies, augmented by the earnest labors of hundreds of citizens, the loss Wednesday night might have been 20 times what it was. It is very much doubted if there is a single person in Littlefield now who regrets the ballot he cast some months ago for the new waterworks system.

But the fire Wednesday night did not result only in financial loss. There was also serious injury to some of the fire fighters. Six men were standing on the awning in front of the burning buildings when the front wall gave way, coming down with a crash. Three escaped unhurt. Ross White was caught under the debris, sustaining severe bruises, several lacerations and some broken ribs. E. G. Courtney, falling on his head and shoulders, suffered severe body concussion, together with a badly sprained wrist and more or less lacerations from head to foot. Jess York sustained a badly fractured left knee cap, broken right ankle, severe gash in limb, some broken ribs and other bruises and cuts about the body. As this newspaper goes to press the full nature and extent of his injuries have not yet been determined by the attending physicians.

Just what the financial loss to other business concerns has amounted to may probably never be known, tho it is generally being estimated that around \$5,000 will cover it. Early in the fire, when it seemed the flames could not be controlled, the fighters began carrying out goods and fixtures from adjoining stores. Safes, filing cabinets, adding machines, typewriters, etc., were taken from the Lamb County Mercantile building, the majority of goods was taken from the F. G. Saddler, Stokes & Alexander and the Fair stores. Other business houses were invaded and more or less goods taken to places of safety, to be later on returned when the climax of danger had been passed.

There are still four more days left of "Fire Prevention Week," and during these remaining days would be an excellent time for every business man and householder in the city to make

a careful survey of all fire hazards, removing all accumulated waste, examining flues and chimneys and taking any other necessary steps of a preventative nature. For after all, "the best way to put out a fire is to prevent it," and carefulness on the part of every citizen will go along ways toward preventing a recurrence of Wednesday night's disaster.

Don't be deceived by mail order houses. Trade at home.

With the enrollment of 1,000 students last week, the West Texas Technological College, at Lubbock, began its great future career of educating the youth of this section of the state. It is no exaggeration to say that few institutions have been opened under such favorable conditions as surround Texas' newest college. Speaking of these favorable conditions the Lubbock Avalanche, in a recent issue of that newspaper, had the following to say:

Four large dormitories, with total capacity of 300 students have been completed, two principal streets have been paved to the east edge of the college site, hundreds of new homes into which the students have been welcomed have been completed, and in fact Lubbock has made every possible arrangement for taking care of the new college and its students, as is reflected in figures from the city secretary's office showing that since January 1 building permits amounting to \$1,520,713 have been issued. This does not represent any of the money expended by the city for municipal improvements.

The administration building, before which the opening exercises will be held, has been completed at a cost of \$500,000 and is furnished throughout in light oak and is one of the most beautiful structures in the state.

LOCAL FIRM LEADS

Chevrolet Dealers in Littlefield Head List in Class.

The Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co., are smiling all over themselves this week. The cause of it all is the fact that they have just been advised that they lead every Chevrolet agency of their class in the Oklahoma zone for sales during the month of September, 31 cars and trucks being sold by this popular concern during last month.

Mr. Gillette states the only reason they don't sell more is because they can't get them delivered fast enough. Several are on the waiting list now.

BAPTISTS START A CAMPAIGN FOR NEW BUILDING

Rev. L. L. Cooper, educational and enlistment secretary, of the Baptist church, from Fort Worth arrived here Tuesday, and was met at the train by representatives of the church. Offices for the campaign, which will last about three weeks, have been opened in the R. C. Hopping building. They are the last suite to the right, and the phone number is 174.

Rev. Cooper is here for a big campaign of finance and enlistment service in connection with the building of the new Baptist church. An executive committee, consisting of W. O. Gray, G. G. Shirley, N. B. Gustine, J. F. Crow, C. Warhurst and R. C. Hopping, has been appointed as his intimate co-laborers in directing the work.

It is the purpose of the directors to conduct this campaign along lines of enlistment of funds and service in the building of the new Baptist church at Littlefield, construction of which has already been started, and to this end, the co-operation of all citizens of the town are requested. It is the statement of members that as soon as the basement is completed that work will begin on the superstructure. A loan of \$15,000 has been arranged for, to aid in the completion of the building, but it is necessary that the basement part be first finished and its cost provided for, before this loan will prevail.

The total cost of the new church will be between \$40,000 and \$50,000. It will be the first brick church to be erected in Littlefield, and, when finished, will indeed be a credit to the city.

WATSON GETS AT RATE OF \$1,000 ON STRAWBERRIES

One of the most concrete evidences of the productivity of this country is that of E. A. Watson, living on a farm one-half mile north of Littlefield.

From 1-25th of an acre planted in strawberries last spring, Mr. Watson sold \$32,000 worth in cash and his wife canned 16 gallons besides.

Had the ratio been maintained per acre, it would have meant the selling of \$800 worth of fruit, also the canning of 400 quarts. In all probabilities the ratio would not have been that large on the acreage proposition, yet the illustration serves to show the handsome returns that may be obtained from strawberries in this section.

As a matter of fact, this country is admirably adapted to the production of all kinds of fruit. The numerous small orchards in the vicinity of Littlefield, growing apples, peaches, pears, plums and apricots, together with fine grape vineyards, and the little plots of blackberries, strawberries, gooseberries, currants, etc., are a glowing tribute to the latent possibilities of fruit yet to be developed on the South Plains.

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It is built on the unit system, the Spanish type of architecture predominating.

The textile engineering department of the college will offer the regular course of study, and in connection with being headed by the ablest instructors available, is equipped with the newest type of machinery which has been installed at a cost of approximately \$75,000 with that amount of machinery donated to the college by manufacturers of textile machinery interested in the development of this industry in West Texas.

The Home Economics building was the first unit of the college completed, and has been equipped to meet all the requirements of the usual program of work established.

The stock judging pavilion is ample large to meet all the requirements of the livestock division of the college of agriculture until the dairy barn now under construction, has been completed.

The president's home was completed at a cost of \$30,000 and will be the scene of the first social meeting of the students, which will be held next Saturday evening when Dr. and Mrs. P. W. Horn will be hosts to the students.

In addition to this, the 2,000 acres of land owned by the school, is being put into cultivation, and will be used in an educational way for experimental and demonstration purposes.

West Texas has right royal reasons for being proud of her newest educational institution. Its value to the young people of this section, in the years to come is well nigh incalculable.

ALEXANDERS ARE HERE

Will Open Office In Down Floor Of Palace Theatre.

Messrs. C. W. and J. A. Alexander, of Pep have leased office space in the new Palace theatre, which they will occupy as soon as they can be turned over by the contractors.

Alexander Bros. have been handling a large body of Yellow House land in the Pep vicinity, where they have sold during the past year, about 30,000 acres. They are also the owners of the Pep townsite.

Judge's Josh

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See our line of Boys Wagons—various sizes. We have a nice line of Electric Toasters, Grills, Irons, Perculators, Table Stoves, Bulbs of all sizes, Fuses and Double Sockets.

Just received a nice assortment of Wm. Rogers 1847 and Community Silverware—Buffet sets ranging in price from \$15.00 to \$19.00. We also have all kinds of Steel Cutlery.

Stoves Are Coming

We have a big shipment of Heating Stoves, Ranges and Small Cook Stoves in transit. They will arrive soon, and will be priced right. Don't buy until you see them.

J. W. Robertson

Littlefield, Texas

LITTLEFIELD WINS 1ST SEASON GAME OVER LORENZO

Last Saturday morning, at the Lubbock South Plains fair, the Lorenzo Hyenas went down to defeat under the crushing onslaughts of the Littlefield Wildcats. It was Littlefield's first game of the season and a real demonstration of what may be expected by other teams contending for football honors. The report given by the Lubbock Avalanche is as follows:

Littlefield Offense Strong
The Littlefield offense was the most outstanding feature of the game. Their interference was good and counted for their many gains around the Lorenzo ends. Lacy, the big hunky fullback for the Littlefield team had the best block of any player that has yet played on the South Plains; his blocks were perfect and caved the ends of the Lorenzo each time they attempted to get to the Littlefield halves.

Passing Used Many Times
Passing was used by each club many times, however, the Littlefield team got away with passes better than the Hyenas'. It seemed that the Littlefield boys were better on passing than the Lorenzo eleven. The last touchdown made by the Littlefield club was made from a pass for forty yards and he ran for 30 yards for the touchdown and total gain of 70 yards on a pass.

Lorenzo Defense Was Strong
Lorenzo's defense was strong throughout the entire affray. Several times the Lorenzo eleven held Littlefield's club for downs forcing them to punt and give the ball over. At one time the Littlefield club liked about 4 yards for a touchdown and the Lorenzo club held them for downs forcing them to give the ball over which gave the Lorenzo club a chance to punt back to the mid-field.

Watson for Lorenzo Outstanding for the Hyenas.
Watson, a long lank roughneck lad, from Lorenzo seemed to have been the most outstanding player for the Lorenzo eleven. His generalship was good throughout the game until he was given relief by a fresh man in the last quarter. He was forced from the game by his coach and his teammates which indicated that his fighting spirit was the great force of the Lorenzo team.

The line-up:
Littlefield
Welch right end Fowler
Reaves right tackle Pate
Dillard right guard Courtney
Williams center Bennett
Ward left guard Harris
B. Ward left tackle Cruise
Brackeen left tackle Phipps
Watson quarter Beck
Aycock right half Staggers
W. C. Williams left half Wood
Hale full Lacey

Subs: Herrington, Meadow, Hale, for Lorenzo; Greer and Davenport for Littlefield.

Score by quarters:
Littlefield 6 6 0 13—25
Lorenzo 0 0 0 0—0
Officials—Honey, T. C. U. referee; Wilson, B. U. umpire; Lowery, T. C. U., headlinesman; Morris, S. M. U., field judge.

First Quarter
Lorenzo won the toss and chose to defend the east goal also to receive; Cruise kicked off to Watson on the Lorenzo 25 yard line and he returned it for 25 yards bringing the ball to the 50 yard line; Aycock gained 2 yards line play; Hale made 3 yards line buck; Watson to Welch pass incomplete, Watson punted out of bounds for 25 yards; Littlefield's ball on their own 20 yard line; Lacey gained 11 yards through Lorenzo line for first downs; Beck made one yard line play; Welch for Lorenzo went through and got Staggers for no gains; Lacey ripped through for 4 yards; Beck punted 35 yards and it rolled 10 yards to Hale; Lorenzo's ball on their own 25 yard line; Hale punted back to Beck for 35 yards who returned it 5 yards placing the ball on the Lorenzo 45 yard line; Beck to Staggers for 20 yard pass; Ball on the Lorenzo 25 yard line; Woods gained 5 yards; Lacey made it first down—Ball on the Lorenzo 15 yard line; Woods gained 1-2 yard; Staggers was held for no gain by Welch; Beck went for 25 yards around the Lorenzo left wing going within 4 yards of the goal line; Ball on the Lorenzo 4 yard line; Lacey 1 yard buck; Stager 2 yards line play; Lacey gained 1-2 yard line play; Stager failed to charge for first downs the ball went over on the Lorenzo 3 yard line; Hale punted to Beck for 25 yards and he returned for 10 yards; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 15 yard line; Watson for Lorenzo intercepted Lacey's pass but the play was called back as both clubs were off side; Woods 2 yard line play; Staggers around the right wing of Lorenzo for 13 yards making it first touchdown; Lacey passed to Beck incomplete for extra point score; Littlefield 6, Lorenzo 0.

Cruise kicked off the Watson on the Lorenzo 25 yard line and he returned to 31 yard line; Time out for Littlefield; Aycock 2 yards; time out for Littlefield; Watson to Aycock pass incomplete; Watson to Reaves pass incomplete; Hale punted for 30 yards to Staggers who returned for 10 yards; Ball on the Lorenzo 46 yard line; this ended the first quarter.

Second Quarter
Stagers 4 yards around left end on run; Lacy fumbled and recovered for 3 yard loss; Beck went for 16 yards on right end run bringing the ball to the Lorenzo 29-yard line; Stager 1 yard; Lacy to Staggers pass for 25 yards; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 4-yard line; Beck made it over for second touchdown with end run around the Lorenzo left wing; Lacy to Beck pass incomplete for the extra point. Score Littlefield 12, Lorenzo 0.

Lorenzo substituted Herrington for Williams; Cruise kicked off to Watson on the 30 yard line and he was downed in his tracks by Woods; Staggers intercepted Watson's pass giving Littlefield the ball on the Littlefield 49 yard line; Lacy around Lorenzo left wing for 6 yards; Lorenzo affixed penalty 5 yards; this gave the Littlefield team first downs; Ball on the Lorenzo 40 yard line; Staggers lost 1 yard when Williams for Lorenzo got him for a good tackle; Lacy to Phipps pass incomplete; Beck punted to Watson on the 30 yard line; Hale punted to Beck for 35 yards; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 36 yard line; Lacy 3 yards; Lacy 2 yards. Time out for Lorenzo's ball on their own 2 yard line; Hale punted back to Beck for 54 yards as it rolled; Littlefield's ball on their own 46 yard line. Lacy to Fowler pass incomplete; Beck ripped off 14 yards around right end; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 39 yard line. Both sides were offside. Brackeen was substituted by Meadow for Lorenzo. Wood tore off 6 yards thru line; time out for Lorenzo. Woods 3 yards; Lacey made it over for first down; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 30 yard line; Beck gained 7 yards; Littlefield was seen tripping and 15 yard penalty assessed them. Lacy to Staggers pass incomplete; Beck punted out of bounds for 20 yards; Hale punted back to Beck for 40 yards and Beck returned for 10 yards; this ended the first half. Score Littlefield 12; Lorenzo 0.

Second Half
Substitutes for Lorenzo: Williams for Herrington. Littlefield: Greer for Phipps. Littlefield offside on the kickoff; the ball was shoved back for 5 yard yard; Cruise kicked off to Hale on the 20 yard line; and he returned for 20 yards putting the ball on the Lorenzo 40 yard line; Hale 1 yard line play; Hale fumbled and recovered for a 11 yard gain; Lorenzo's ball on the Littlefield 47 yard line; Aycock 4 yards line play; Wood intercepted Williams' pass. Littlefield's ball on their own 40 yard line. Beck punted for 45 yards out of bounds; the ball was brought in on the Lorenzo 37 yard line; Courtney got through and got Hale for loss; Williams to Watson netted 10 yards; ball on the Lorenzo 27 yard line; Williams to Watson for 10 yard pass; ball on the 50 yard line. Williams to Reaves pass incomplete. Hale punted to Beck for 35 yards; Beck returned the ball for 5 yards; Littlefield's ball on their own 29 yard line; Lacy to Staggers for incomplete pass. Ward for Lorenzo threw Beck for 5 yard loss; Staggers gained 6 yards on left end run. Time out for Lorenzo. Beck punted for 40 yards to Williams who returned 10 yards; Williams to Hale pass incomplete; Aycock tore off 3 yards; Hale punted for 30 yards to Staggers who was downed in his tracks; Littlefield's ball on their own 30 yard line. Lacy to Staggers for 45 yards completed pass; ball on the Lorenzo 45 yard line; Lacy to Woods pass incomplete; Williams got Beck for no gain; Lacy to Wood pass incomplete; Littlefield off side 5 yard penalty; Staggers fumbled and Lorenzo recovered giving the ball to Lorenzo on their own 35 yard line. Both sides offside. Lacey intercepted Williams pass on the Lorenzo 40 yard line; Staggers plowed through for 5 yards; Meadow reached through and held Beck for no gain; Beck punted for 35 yards to Watson who was downed in his tracks; Lorenzo was on her own 3 yard line; Hale punted out of bounds 21 yards; Littlefield offside for five yards penalty Beck ripped through for 2 yards; Staggers went for 22 yards around left end. This ended the quarter with a score of Littlefield 12; Lorenzo 0; and the ball on the Lorenzo 8 yard line.

Last Quarter
Lorenzo sent in new man for Watson and he was caught talking and a penalty of half of the distance of the goal was given to Littlefield. Lacy went over for the third touchdown; Lacey failed to kick the goal for the extra point. Score Littlefield 18; Lorenzo 0.

Cruise kicked off to Williams who returned the kick for 15 yards to the Lorenzo 49 yard line; Lorenzo fumbled and Littlefield recovered; Lacy to Fowler pass incomplete; Staggers

went through for 4 yards. Lacy to Fowler pass incomplete; Littlefield's time out; Beck punted for 15 yards out of bounds. Lorenzo's ball on their own 34 yard line. Williams to Welch pass incomplete; Hale failed to gain around right end; Williams to Reaves pass incomplete; Littlefield tackling and penalty of 15 yards assessed against them after Staggers had received Hale's 30 yardpunt. Littlefield's ball on their own 30 yard line. Lacy to Fowler pass incomplete; Brackeen was sent in for Dillard in the Lorenzo line. Lacy passed to Woods for 40 yards and he went the other 39 yards for the fourth touchdown. Pate kicked goal for extra point making the score: Littlefield 25; Lorenzo 0.

Littlefield substituted Long for Courtney in the line. Lacey kicked off to Reaves on the 30 yard line and he returned for 18 yards to the Lorenzo 48 yard line; Williams gained 1 yard; Lorenzo backfield in motion, 5 yard penalty; Williams to Aycock pass incomplete. Littlefield sent in

Davenport to substitute for the Littlefield backfield. offside, 5 yard penalty failed to gain; Hale pun up and Herring recovered after several Littlefield fumbled it giving the Lorenzo ball and first downs on field 45 yard line; Reaves Gain; Reaves gained 1 yard to Meadow pass incomplete; punted 35 yards out of bounds; Littlefield's ball on the Lorenzo 40 yard line. Lacy to Staggers complete; Lacy to Beck plete; Lacy to Fowler plete; Beck punted straight on the 22 yard line; Hale Williams attempted a field Stagers was thrown for 2 Lacy to Staggers pass incomplete intercepted pass; Lacey Hale incomplete. This the game. Score: Littlefield 25; Lorenzo 0.



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THE LOSS OF \$250,000,000

Irregular attendance in the schools throughout the United States, according to estimates made by the Bureau of Education, caused the waste of approximately \$250,000,000 last year. The effectiveness of a school system depends on the regularity of attendance of the pupils enrolled as well as on such factors as the quality of instruction and the length of school term. A study of 72,120 country children in 70 counties of 10 states indicates the median number of days of actual attendance of these children is 141.7 days. Half of the children attended school less than 71-2 months, over one-fourth of the children attended considerably less than

5 months, and over one-eighth of them attended less than 3 months. Attendance in consolidated schools was slightly better than in one-teacher schools. The median daily attendance—79 and 60 per cent, respectively—was higher in schools providing nine month terms for their pupils than in those providing seven-month terms thereby indicating that longer terms usually mean better daily attendance. Pupils with less than 130 days of schooling averaged over 11-2 years below grade in reading and spelling ability.

Other studies show poorer attendance among younger than among older children. Many people expect this since the older children are more likely to attend school during bad weather. A more probable factor, no doubt, is the erroneous attitude of parents in considering it less serious for the younger children to miss school. Trivial excuses such as "went to town," "ran an errand," "got up too late," "had shoes repaired," etc., are worse than none. Closer co-operation between the teacher and parent should result in better attendance.

INEXPERIENCE

A young woman tripped up to the counter where a new clerk was assorting music, and in her sweetest tones asked, "Have you 'Kissed Me by Moonlight'?"

The clerk turned around, looked at her and answered: "It must have been the man at the other counter. I've only been here a week."

REAL ESTATE

If you want to **SELL** List your property with us. If you want to **BUY** See us for choice bargains. We have a fine list.

Bell Bros.
Hopping Building
Littlefield, Texas

DAIRY FACTS

CLEANLINESS QUITE IMPORTANT ON FARM

One of the things which should receive first consideration in dairy farming for the production of a high quality of milk or cream is cleanliness, with special reference to clean barns, clean milking practices and clean utensils.

It is very essential that the barn be kept clean. The manure should be removed at least once each day. Cobwebs and dust should not be allowed to accumulate. Whitewashing the interior of the barn at least once a year is a cheap means of improving the appearance and sanitary conditions. There should be plenty of fresh air, and flies should be kept out as nearly as possible. Some people have screened their barns against flies.

Before milking begins, the cow's udder and flanks should be wiped off, preferably with a damp cloth. The milking should always be done with dry, clean hands. It is a filthy habit to milk with wet hands, and it is a mistaken idea that milking with wet hands makes milking easier. As a matter of fact, in cool weather not only is it hard on the milker, but it also has a tendency to cause the cow's teats to become sore. It is well to strain the milk immediately through a clean cloth, or preferably, through a fine mesh gauze strainer.

All utensils which come in contact with milk and cream should be kept clean at all times. It is well to use pails with a partly covered top, because this keeps out 50 per cent of the dirt and other impurities which would otherwise get into the milk. Milk pails and other utensils should be free so far as possible from crevices where dirt may lodge and be hard to remove. Cream separators and other dairy utensils should always be cleaned properly immediately after use. The washing can best be done by first rinsing the utensils in cold water and then washing in hot water containing grease-free washing powders. This should be followed by rinsing in scalding water, after which they should be placed in the sun to dry.

Common Scrub Cows Can Be Graded Up Quickly

No experiment station has demonstrated more exclusively than the Iowa experiment station that common scrub cows can be graded up in a comparatively short time and that from ordinary scrubs, bred to registered sires, high producing herds can be established in a comparatively short time. Some years ago, the Iowa experiment station purchased some scrub cows from Arkansas. They were about as poor a lot of cows as one could find anywhere, although under good management as to feed and care they improved very rapidly in milk production. The production of milk and fat was probably fully 40 per cent higher after good feeding than it had been in their original homes, but even at that their average yield was only 188 pounds of fat and 4,634 pounds milk during the first year.

Don't Overfeed Calves

During First Two Weeks

Calves from the modern, highly domesticated dairy cow get too much nourishment in the first two weeks of their lives. That, as much as any one factor, explains why mortality rates are higher for calves, comparatively, than for other classes of stock.

Improvement in the digestive ability of the calf has not kept pace with the increasing richness of the milk. As a result a calf, if allowed free access to the cow for the first two weeks, will often overeat.

The best way to control this is to reduce the amount of milk given the calf at first. Increase the milk ration gradually as the calf grows older, and add a little alkali, such as sodium bicarbonate, to neutralize the acids formed by the excess of fat in the milk.

Dairy Notes

It's never too late to start keeping records on your cows.

A warm cow may not always be contented, but a contented cow is always warm.

It may not be necessary to feed grain after the calf has reached a year old if it is on good pasture.

A good ration may not make a poor cow profitable, but may make a lot of difference in the returns from a good cow.

The silo is indispensable for cheap milk production.

Start the new year right by keeping daily milk records and feeding each cow in proportion to her production and size.

A grain ration consisting of 30 pounds cracked corn, 30 pounds oats, 20 pounds bran and 10 pounds oil-meal makes an excellent mixture for calves getting mixed clover and timothy hay.

FAIR OFFICIALS WANT THE NAMES OF THE WINNERS

On account of officials receiving entries at the Lamb county fair failing to keep a list of the corresponding names, there remains many premium awards that are undeliverable, according to President J. J. Franks.

The list of awards is published below, and it is the desire of those who hold corresponding numbers to call for their awards. Mr. Franks states that premiums will be paid in proportion to amount of cash in the treasury for that purpose. It is hoped by the officials to be able to pay everything in full, but on account of excessive rains at and just previous to the fair time, and failure of some promised finances to come in, it has not yet been determined exactly how much funds will be available for this purpose.

Community farm exhibit, Olton.

Individual farm exhibit, 1st, R. E. Noel; 2nd E. N. Ray.

White corn, 1st, 21; 2nd, 27; 3rd, 29; 4th, 2.

Yellow corn, 1st, 24; 2nd, 18; 3rd, 31; 4th, 9.

Other varieties, 1st, 12; 2nd, 13; 3rd, 3; 4th, 9.

Single ear, 1st, 7; 2nd, 18; 3rd, 12.

Pop corn, 1st, 33; 2nd, 16; 3rd, 22; 4th, 19.

Bolls open cotton, 1st, 8; 2nd, 11.

Three stalks open cotton, 1st, 12; 2nd, 7; 3rd, 3; 4th, Littlefield.

One Gallon wheat, 1st, 1; 2nd, Littlefield; 3rd, 12.

Peanuts, one gallon, 1st, 9; 2nd, 7.

Peanuts, one-half gallon, 3rd, Sudan.

Red Maize, 1st, 10.

Higaria, 1st, 6.

Kaffir, 1st, 4; 2nd, 5.

Sheaf wheat, 1st, 9; 2nd, 8.

Hegaria bundle, 1st, 7; 2nd, 1; 3rd, 6; 4th, 23.

Milo maize-red, 1st, 8; 2nd, 51; 3rd, 3; 4th, 58.

White Maize, 1st, 47; 2nd, 27; 3rd, 7.

Kaffir heads, 1st, 21; 2nd, 44; 3rd, 10; 4th, 58.

Hegaria heads, 1st, 17; 2nd, 26; 3rd, 45; 4th, 56.

Sweet peppers, 1st, 24; 2nd, 62; 3rd, 15; 4th, 32.

Okra, 1st, 45; 2nd, 7; 3rd, 6; 4th, 51.

Turnips, 1st, 33; 2nd, 31.

Beets, 1st, 53; 2nd, 44.

Radish, 1st, 25; 2nd, 60; 3rd, 14; 4th, 12.

Tomatoes, 1st, 28; 2nd, 61; 3rd, 36.

Cabbage, 1st, 23; 2nd, 9.

String beans, 1st, 2nd, 26; 3rd, 10.

Dry beans, 1st, 1; 2nd, 8; 3rd, 54; 4th, 41.

Squash, 1st, 34; 3rd, 22; 3rd, 3; 4th, 66.

Kershaw, 1st, 69; 2nd, 70; 3rd, 67.

Pumpkins, 1st, 43; 2nd, 68; 3rd, 16; 4th, 4.

Watermelons, 1st, 58; 2nd, 18; 3rd, 30; 4th, 19.

Cantaloupes, 1st, 36.

Apples, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Olton.

Feterata, 1st, 50; 2nd, 55.

COMMON CAUSES OF FIRE

1. Matches and smoking.
2. Electricity.
3. Stoves, furnaces, boilers and their pipes.
4. Defective chimneys and flues.
5. Spontaneous combustion.
6. Lightning.
7. Sparks on roof.
8. Sparks from machinery.
9. Petroleum and its products.

These are the nine leading causes of fires, named in the order of amount of loss sustained. Nos. 1, 3, 4, 7 and 9 may be classed as "strictly preventable," and Nos. 2, 5, 6, and 8 as "partially preventable."

There are many miscellaneous known causes, but these common ones should have our attention first.

All fires start from simple causes.

Be proud of your home town.

Chili King Cafe

Where Everybody Eats

Try Our Plate Lunches
You Will Like Them
We sell CHILI, the best

V. A. VALLES, Prop

PARASITE MERCHANTS

The merchants who consistently refuse to advertise but who depend upon the overflow of business attracted to town by the merchants who do advertise regularly is a parasite upon the commercial life of the town. A town receives trade just in proportion as the merchants advertise but indirectly it is an advertisement for the town, thereby, helping every business in the town. Where the majority of merchants in the town advertise, little attention is paid the concerns who exist off the business attracted by advertisers, yet the time may come in the smaller towns when such concerns will be considered in their true light. An enlightened public can help by refusing to buy of non-advertisers. Merchants who advertise are the leading merchants of their towns and believe in the goods they offer and are certainly entitled to the trade. The growth of advertising has been due to the fact that the public can depend upon the goods offered, and the price on advertised goods is lower than imitations on account of the increased volume of sales caused by advertising. It pays to advertise.—McLean News.

SMART SAM SAW

"No one can tell me in this day and age that feminism hasn't a leg to stand on."

Generous Old Lady (using pay-station telephone for the first time)—

As you have been so nice and attentive my dear. I'm putting an extra nickle in the box for yourself.—Boston Transcript.

SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING

All those who want to take a course in these studies, phone

LOUISE MAGEE
No. 114 or High School Building, Littlefield

MATTRESSES

Let us make your old bed new—we have just opened a mattress factory in the old Allen tin shop building back of the Chili King Cafe.

Prices Reasonable
Quick Service Mattress Factory

S. E. McNeil, Prop.

PIRE PREVENTION WEEK!

The week of October 4th to 10th has been designated by the State Fire Insurance Commission as

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK

It is urged that everyone co-operate with the Commission, Fire Marshals and other state and city authorities, by investigating all fire hazards, inspecting their flues, and removing all trash and rubbish from around their premises, during this week.

Littlefield has been remarkably fortunate in the matter of loss by fire, and let us all work to maintain this good record.

J. T. STREET

The Pioneer Insurance Agency
Littlefield, Texas

Fire, Lightning, Tornado, Casualty, Hail, Life

A Friendly Reminder

This space is just to remind you of the Shoes that are build for Service, Comfort and Style, and the price within the reach of all. They are none other than the well known

Star Brand Shoes

They are sold on a guarantee that they are all solid leather, and there is nothing better for the money. They are made to fit the entire family, from the baby on up.

Our stock is complete. We can fit anyone, and at a saving in price of from 25 to 40 per cent, for anything in the same line.

Come in and fit yourselves, for the frost is due to arrive within the next two weeks.

... **J. E. BRANNEN CASH STORE** ...

Credit makes enemies; let's be friends"



COAL

Time to Put It In

As the season advances so does the price of coal. Each month it takes a rise in price. It is good business policy for you to lay in your coal now.

We have a good supply in our bins at present, but it is going out rapidly. There is no better coal ever came out of the earth than that which we handle. It is noted for its lasting qualities, its heat giving units and its complete combustion. You pay for no lignite, slate nor rock—but PURE COAL when you buy from us.

Phone in your order now—we can make prompt delivery.

Cicero Smith

LUMBER COMPANY

QUALITY Phone 8 SERVICE

HARDWARE

—In addition to our already complete line of Builders' Hardware, we are putting in a nice line of Shelf and Heavy Hardware that can not be surpassed in Littlefield.

—In our new stock you will find a choice assortment of Kitchen Equipment, Queensware, Glassware, Aluminum and Granite Ware, Pyrex, Table Silverware and Electric Appliances. We handle—

New Perfection and Kerogas Oil Stoves
Hot Point Electric Ranges
Fruit Jars, Cans, Tops and Rubbers
Guns and Ammunition of all Kinds

—We have a big stock of Galvanized Tubs, and Buckets, Iron Wash Pots, Churns and other Dairy Equipment.

—In the interest of your bank account it will pay you to visit our Hardware Department before making your purchases.

F. A. Butler Lumber Co.

Hardware Department

Real Service — In a Hurry
Littlefield, Texas

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

As the Editor Sees It

A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth.—John 1:14.
God offers to every mind its choice between truth and repose. Take which you please, and you can never have both.—Emerson.

JUST COMMON SENSE

Buying away from home is a habit which usually does nobody any good but the mail order house. Buying at home is a habit which does a world of good to the buyer, the merchant and the home town. Why cultivate a bad habit when it is just as easy to acquire a good one, and why continue a bad habit when there is a good habit which can easily be substituted.
Before the Littlefield stores became so numerous and so abundantly stocked there was some defense for the mail order concerns with their diversified stocks. There was a time when the mail order house was the only place where the resident of the small town and country could supply all of his needs. But today your home town stores can furnish all of man's needs and without delays, misunderstandings and uncertainty of satisfaction. Four essentials in buying are quantity, quality, favorable price and quick delivery. Your home town merchants set the standard in all four of these essentials.

There are men and women who go to larger cities to buy all or part of their wants. They argue that they can save money and obtain better satisfaction but brought down to the actual facts they usually admit that buying out of town is only a habit, and an expensive habit at that. They lose the leisurely shopping, the personal service and the realization of responsibility which characterize the local stores.

Big business buys its raw materials from the nearest source of supply. Every individual is a business in himself or herself. Thrifty buyers figure in the time, labor, transportation and market costs and buy accordingly.

TWO BUSINESS SYSTEMS

Old time business was built on the "Come and take it" idea. A man opened a shop and waited for customers to come, if he waited many years and he gave faithful service, they got used to his presence and did come. But it took too long a time for the present bustling days.

Modern business is built on the "Go get it" or soliciting system. The retailer buys of the wholesale concern that solicits his trade. He rarely bothers with people who don't care enough about his patronage to come around and ask about it. He feels that they are so out of line with the modern tendency, that they are not likely to be up-to-date and enterprising.

The public feels much the same way. They usually wait to see who will solicit their trade before deciding where to buy, especially in this true in a new country like this. Out here folks have their acquaintance to make and their trading habits to form. If a concern does not ask for their business, they are likely to conclude that it is out of the same game, or at least they forget its existence.

Soliciting business for a retail store from house to house might be alright, if it didn't cost so much. Newspaper advertising to a thousand or many thousands of people, while the solicitor is conversing with only one. Also, advertising is studied by people in their leisure time, when they sit down

to read a newspaper, so it approaches them at the psychological moment when they can be interested.

SCHOOL MARKS

Some of our school and college students feel the consciousness of a higher wisdom than the slow old timers possess. Hence, out of the superiority of their perceptions, they evolve the theory that it makes little difference how high marks they get, provided only that pass.

If 60 or 75 is a passing mark, they say, then that is just as good for their purpose as the 90 or 100. They are somewhat like the boy who declared he wouldn't worry if he never did make more than 25, because he intended to just run a ten cent store when he grew up. Also, many of these same pupils think they should select from their lessons the things that will be particularly beneficial in the kinds of career they want, and let the rest go, so far as they can, without actual flunking.

But with a new school year now just beginning, it is a good time for the pupils of the Littlefield schools to make a choice between such conceptions of their lessons and the ambition for higher scholastic achievement.

Social activities will come as fast as they want them in later years, but the swiftly passing and golden student days will soon be gone. Better make the best of them.

The value of lessons is not so much the things learned, as the discipline in learning them. Slack application must tend to enfeeble the mental powers rather than strengthen them.

THE HOME TOWN BOOSTER

This newspaper has an unflinching faith in Littlefield and Littlefield's future. It came here when the town was little more than a name, and has always been a factor in making it what it is today. It believes Littlefield is destined to be a much greater city than it now is, and that the majority of its citizens have an unflinching faith in its future.

There is no need talk about "putting Littlefield on the map," for all the country already knows it is on the map—it has had a conspicuous place there for the past three years, and it is going to remain there—forever.

Littlefield is already a great place in which to live. We doubt very much if a better place could be found anywhere. When everything is considered, no one can honestly say that any other town is a better place than Littlefield. For that reason, if you have any money to invest, invest it in Littlefield. It is safer at home than it is in any place else.
Every resident of Littlefield ought to be a booster for Littlefield and Littlefield enterprises. Owning real estate will go a long way toward making all citizens a booster for the home town. Buy or build a home—and grow with Littlefield and enjoy to the full all the benefits of being a Littlefield citizen.

HARVESTERS NEEDED

During the past week or ten days the call for harvesters has become quite insistent. The recent copious fall rains have made the feed grow thick, rank and tall, and now it is coming to maturity. Help is needed for its harvesting, and that help seems

Your Birthday

October 4-10

If you were born during October 4-10th, you have an extremely original mind, and your ideas are too far advanced to permit you to remain content in subordinate places. You have a capacity for doing great things—if you are permitted to work your own way. But if your ideas must be subordinated you are unhappy. You do not want to waste time over small details. You want to do the big things.
Your perceptive faculties are strongly marked and your habit of being guided by intuition and acting on impulses makes you quick of speech and decisive in action.

The faults of people born under these dates are few. They are inclined to be temperamental—their moods changing suddenly from hopefulness to melancholy. They are impatient, and have a habit of voicing opinions and advice when they are not asked for.

The arts and sciences are of the greatest interest to people born under these dates, and both men and women acquire proficiency in such pursuits when they devote their energies in those directions. The women make excellent buyers, office executives, and writers. The men become scientists, philosophers, artists, and politicians.

to be scarce.

Cotton is beginning to burst open. Farmers coming into town now report from two or three to fifteen or twenty bales ready for the picking. It will not be long now ere this country will look like a snow storm had struck it. Hundreds of pickers will be needed here for the picking.

It is generally anticipated that there would be plenty of laborers coming here from the drouth stricken areas of east and central Texas; but so far, they have failed to put in their appearance. Just why, no one seems to know. Perhaps they do not know it is getting picking time out here. Perhaps no one has sent out the word of needed help. At any rate some concerted action should be taken immediately toward bringing in the needed help for our farmers to harvest their bumper crops of grain, feed and cotton.

PAVING MAIN STREET

Seldom a day goes by but some citizen or some stranger coming in remarks what a nice looking town this would be if the Main street was paved. Many of these strangers fail to understand why a town like Littlefield, with its nice homes, magnificent school buildings, waterworks system, numerous brick business blocks and many others being builded, gets along with such disgraceful streets.

It has not been very long since hundreds of dollars were spent by the City Commissioners in grading and resurfacing Main street. Today it is just about as bumpy as ever before. Why not forever get rid of the bumps by laying the pavement? It is the understanding of the Leader that several weeks ago a petition asking for this pavement was circulated and sufficient names were obtained.

PAVEMENT PICKUPS

Our stenographer says any lawyer by the name of "Bills" ought to also be a good collector.

"You never have to advertise a mistake," declares J. T. Elms. "Your neighbors usually look after that part of it."

According to N. F. Ball there are enough magazines now being printed to enable one to keep up with everything else but their expense account.

T. Wade Potter says it isn't safe any more, now that we have so many autos, for a politician to put his ear to the ground.

Len Irvin says it sometimes looks as tho there were being almost as many murders committed as if there were a constitutional amendment against it.

Phelps Walker declares his idea of some reformers are those fellows who are itching to enforce the law, no matter how many laws they have to break in order to do so.

"Billie" Wardlow thinks the most appropriate place yet for a "Little theatre," would be Littlefield, and insists it will not be very long before we shall have one.

"In this day and time," asserts Floyd Sadler, "if you had all the wisdom of Solomon there are still some folks who would walk away from you and say you're talking through your hat."

It is said that last week Fred Hoover had a new man working in his meat market. A lady of rather esthetic nature stepped in one morning to buy some meat and was horribly shocked at overhearing the following conversation: "Step lively now, and get those orders out," said Fred to his new helper. "Break those bones in Mrs. Wilhite's chops and put Mrs. Johnson's ribs in the box." "Alright," replied the helper, just as soon as I have sawed off Mrs. Brown's let o' mutton, weighed Mrs. Smith's liver and caught Bill Tolbert's chicken.

BLONDE BESS OPINES.

Who says motherhood interferes with a woman's chosen career? I read in the paper the other night where a woman with a baby in her arms robbed a store.

LITTLE LEADERS

Any Littlefield father can tell you that his children know a great deal more than he does except when it comes to making a living.

After a Littlefield man has seen the world for about 50 years he knows that the fellow who spouts hot air isn't always a free-eater.

Speaking of the "big diamond mergers," the one that Littlefield is now most interested in is the one that brings the boys together for the World Series.

No wonder if there is a man in Littlefield who can tell what has become of the old-fashioned Punch-and-Judy shows that youngsters got a kick out of before the movies came along.

Our idea of the born pessimist is the Littlefield man who is always ready to remind you when the worst happens that he is the one who told you it was going to.

The way some of the young fellows around Littlefield drive, it would appear that they are flirting with the girls and courting with the undertaker.

There are some Littlefield women who are always figuring on what they are going to buy for themselves, and then when they do get the money, they go down town and spend it on the children.

It is our sincere opinion that there are several girls in and around Littlefield who are single today for no other reason than they simply couldn't stay awake while some fellow talked about himself.

We can stand for the man who says he never read wedding notices and obituaries, but our idea of the capital bone-head is the Littlefield man or woman doesn't read the ads. There are not many tho, of that class.

ED PURDY'S PHILOS

"These modern flappers may only be frail crafts on the seas of life because I've noticed the older they get the craftier they get."

LITTLEFIELD

HOTEL

AMERICAN

PLAN

Courtesy

and

Service



WHICKER

and

THOMAS

Proprietors

THE NEGRO ALIBI
The lawyer was cross questioning the old negro who was trying to prove an alibi. Finally he asked:
"Sam, do you know what an alibi is?"
"Yessah, boss, yessah," answered

Sam.
"Well, what is an alibi?"
"An alibi, boss, is proving you at prayer meeting whar you know you wasn't in order to prove dat you wasn't at the crap game whar you knows you was."

A COMPLETE LINE OF

Drugs And Drug Sundries

Toilet Articles, School Supplies and Notions

We spent an entire week in Dallas stocking up on choice Holiday goods, which are now arriving every day. It is not too early to begin making your selections. You should see the nifty new styles of colored and cut glass service sets we have just received.

We carry a complete line of the famous Parker Duofold pens and Pencils.

We are agents for Jacobs' and Elm's Candies.

Sadler Drug Store

"Quality and Service"

Littlefield

Texas

Model Grocery No. 2

We Buy Cream We Sell Groceries, Gasoline and Oils

We pay the highest price for your Country Produce
Let us serve you and your car.

JESS SEAL, Manager

Located at Tourist Park on R. Q. M. Highway



JUST WHAT YOU MAKE IT

—As true today as when you said, "Your home is just what you make it—and it is a stamp of YOU. It reflects you and your thoughts.

—Perhaps you are planning a new home—if you are a new settler in this new country, we know you are. You already have ideas of how you want it. Maybe you also have plans of it.

—Investment in a new home is a worthy endeavor. It is deserving of encouragement and support. A part of the service we render our customers is careful attention to detail.

—If you are ready to build and want helpful suggestions as to materials, cost of construction—or even plans, we solicit your patronage. We can supply you with building materials of all kind and no better quality to be found anywhere on the South Plains of Texas.

—Do not hesitate to confer with us—no matter how big or how small your building job may be. We guarantee our materials.

—We also carry a nice line of Hardware of all kinds—Stoves, Kitchen Utensels, Tin, Granite and Aluminumware, Plumbing Supplies, Gasoline Engines, Tools and Cutlery.

F. A. Butler Lumber Co.

Real Service

In a Hurry

AWARDS MADE TO WOMEN AT COUNTY FAIR AT SUDAN

Below is a list of entries and prize awards made in the woman's department, which Miss Ezra Grimes, county home demonstration agent, was in charge, at the recent Lamb county fair held at Sudan.

Cash prizes were only given in the sewer department and the first prize went to Mrs. Etta Rickard, of Sudan, for the best exhibit.

CLASS 14
Home Demonstration Club Work
1st club, Olton, Mrs. J. B. Patton, president.

2nd club, Sudan, Mrs. Porter Earle, president.

3rd quart canned products—1st prize, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton; 2nd, Mrs. P. Earnest, Sudan, and 3rd, Mrs. B. McNeely.

4 quart preserves or sweet pickles—Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton; and Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

5 quart pickles or relishes—1st, Mrs. C. T. Mason, Olton; and 2nd, Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

Jelly collection—1st, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton; and 2nd, Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

Braided rug—1st, Mrs. L. S. Kennedy, Olton; and 2nd, Mrs. W. A. Amherst, Sudan.

Made over garments—1st, Mrs. T. Childress, Sudan; and 2nd, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton; and 3rd, Mrs. L. Payne, Sudan.

Table cloth and napkins—1st, Mrs. Knox, Olton.

Wash dress—1st, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton; 2nd, Mrs. Ira Hammer, Sudan; and 3rd, Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Sudan.

Boy's suit—1st, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Sudan.

Dress with bloomers—1st, Mrs. A. Dacus, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. W. A. Amherst; and 3rd, Mrs. C. T. Mason, Sudan.

CLASS 16
Canned Fruits
Plumbe—1st, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

Pears—1st, Mrs. T. S. Edwards, Sudan.

Apples—1st, Mrs. J. T. Lenville, Springlake; 2nd, Mrs. L. B. Priddy, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

Peaches—1st J. T. Lenville, Springlake; 2nd, Mrs. L. B. Priddy, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. Clifton Reed, Circle

Back ranch.
Three fruits in display—1st, Mrs. J. T. Lenville, Springlake.

CLASS 17
Canned Vegetables
Tomatoes—1st, Vivian Walker, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. T. Lenville, Springlake; 3rd, Mrs. L. B. Priddy, Amherst.

String beans—1st, Mrs. J. R. Blessing, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. E. Martin, Sudan; 3rd, Mrs. W. T. Nelson, Sudan.

Corn—1st, Mrs. C. T. Mason, Olton. Okra—1st, Mrs. T. S. Edwards, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

Snap peas—1st, Mrs. L. B. Priddy, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Nelson, Sudan.

Turnip greens—1st, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. B. Patton, Olton.

Display—1st, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

CLASS 18
Pickles and Relishes
Chow Chow—1st, Mrs. J. L. Crosby, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. R. B. Eoff, Sudan; 3rd, Mrs. J. C. Pool, Sudan.

Sour Cucumbers—1st, Mrs. T. S. Edwards, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. C. Hall, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

Chili Sauce—1st, Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

Green tomato pickles—1st, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. Anna Mitchell, Sudan.

Tomato catsup—1st, Mrs. L. B. McNeely, Sudan.

Sweet pickles—1st, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. Clifton Reed, Circle Back ranch.

CLASS 19
Preserves, Butter, Conserve
Peach preserves—1st, Mrs. J. T. Lenville, Springlake; 2nd, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst.

Apple preserves—1st, Mrs. J. L. Lenville, Springlake; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Nelson, Sudan.

Grape preserves—1st, Mrs. J. L. Lenville, Springlake.

Apple butter—1st, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

Grape butter—1st, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst.

Plumb butter—1st, Mrs. J. C. Hall, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst.

CLASS 21
Jelly
Apple—1st, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan; 3rd, Mrs. Anna Mitchell.

Plub—1st, Mrs. J. B. Blessing, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. T. B. Priddy.

Grape—1st, Mrs. J. C. Hall, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. W. H. Horn, Sudan.

CLASS 22
White Embroidery
Cut work—1st, Mrs. W. O. Wright, Sudan.

Hardanger—1st, Miss Loreon Dyer, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. W. Ferguson, Sudan; 3rd, Mrs. H. G. Ramsey, Sudan.

Pillow slips—1st, Miss Loreon Dyer, Sudan.

CLASS 23
Colored Embroidery
Pillow—1st, Mrs. J. L. Crosby, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Wood, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. T. N. Childress, Sudan.

Lunch Set—1st, Mrs. R. L. Rone, Sudan, 2nd, Mrs. J. K. Kerr, Sudan; 3rd, Mrs. R. B. Eoff, Amherst.

Bed sets—1st, Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. H. Wood, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. B. E. Newby, Sudan.

Table runners—1st, Miss Loreon Dyer, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. J. M. White, Sudan; 3rd, Mary Davis, Sudan.

Child's dress—1st, Miss Loreon Dyer, Sudan.

Center piece—1st, Mrs. C. P. Overton, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. E. E. Ivey, Sudan.

Scarf—1st, Mary Davis, Sudan.

Towel—1st, Mrs. R. B. Eoff, Amherst; 3rd, Mrs. Etta Priddy, Amherst.

CLASS 25
Plain Sewing
Men's and Boys' Shirts—1st, Mrs. A. C. Dacus, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. W. G. DeLoach.

Boys Suits—1st, Mrs. G. W. Nichols, Sudan.

Little Girl's Dress—1st, Irene Atchison.

Button Holes—1st, Mrs. A. C. Dacus, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. G. W. Nichols, Sudan.

CLASS 27
Rugs
Braided rug—1st, Mrs. T. S. Edwards, Sudan.

CLASS 28
Crochet Pieces
Crochet—1st, Mrs. M. C. Marcey, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. S. E. Field.

Child's work—1st, Mrs. R. L. Rone, Sudan; 2nd, Bettie Lou Campbell; 3rd, Refa Beeler, Amherst.

CLASS 29
Cakes
Angel Food—1st, Mrs. Joe West, Sudan; 2nd, Mrs. Hickey, Amherst.

Devils Food—1st, Mrs. T. B. Priddy, Amherst; 2nd, Mrs. Joe D. West, Sudan.

A few classes were omitted because entries were not made in the department.

SURPRISES NEWLY WEDS
Friends Express Appreciation To Bride and Bridegroom.

A number of Littlefield people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hemphill, Monday evening at eight o'clock, for a surprise miscellaneous shower in compliment to Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Liles, ne Miss Birdie Lee Burkhalter.

The honor guests were the last to arrive and they were much surprised when Miss Wealthia Johnson swung open the diningroom doors and announced that they were to view the gifts, which were placed on the table, revealing many attractive and useful articles.

Candies and fruit were passed and

genial conversation furnished entertainment for the evening in which the following took part: Messrs. and Mesdames Dr. B. B. Liles, J. M. Stokes, Pat Boone, F. G. Sadler, A. G. Hemphill, Mesdames C. C. Burns,

W. G. Street, Lena Howard, E. L. Maxey, E. A. Logan; Misses Dablia Hemphill, Wealthia Johnson, Gladys and Ann Douglas; Messrs Carl Wallingham, A. P. Duggan, W. H. Estledge and Bill Kerr.

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and in any manner to hunt, take, capture or kill or attempt to hunt, take-capture or kill any of the wild game birds, wild fowls, or wild game animals protected by the laws of this state, from an automobile, an airplane, a power boat, a sailboat, any boat under sail or any floating device towed by power or sailboat," the penalty for so doing being a minimum fine of \$25.00.

BULA BREVITIES

Bula schools opened Monday Sept. 28, under the management of Prof. W. P. Davis, Miss Kate Neil and Miss Agnes Standlee. Every citizen of Bula is very proud of the teachers and we all expecting fine results.

Mr. and Mrs. Beress, accompanied by Mrs. I. E. Shattuck and Miss Kate Neil were in Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. G. C. Watson and Mr. J. I. Cunningham made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. Chas. Brown and family accompanied by Miss Winnie and Lois Thaw were in Lubbock Saturday attending the fair.

A number of young folks of Bula went to Pep Sunday afternoon. They visited the home of the Taxmist there and saw many interesting things.

HOW AND BY WHOM THE FIRE TAX IS PAID

Our waste of \$5 per capita per annum means that every man, woman and child pays \$5 a year for fire waste. That means that the man with the average family, his wife and three children—a family of five—pays \$25 a year fire tax. It is estimated that the cost of maintaining fire departments and water supplies for fire protection is as much more. This means \$50 a year to the average family. Now, if on some blue Monday in every

year a representative of the government were to come around and ask us each for our check for \$50 to pay our share of the national carelessness, then we should realize what we pay. But we do not realize that we pay it, because that tax is indirect. The big manufacturers and the big merchants know that this fire expense is a tax. They equip their premises with automatic sprinklers. They put in protective apparatus. They get the lowest insurance rate they can because it helps them to compete; but the man in the street, the ordinary man, does not know this fire waste is paid. Take wool, for example. Wool in the warehouses is insured—that is a tax. It is insured in transportation, and all the way along this fire tax is added to the cost, and when you buy a coat, you pay it. Every stock of goods that is insured carries this tax, and it is passed along to the ultimate consumer. The masses do not know that they pay it. They do not realize that when they buy a hat, or a pair of shoes, or a suit of clothes, or anything which goes through the regular channels of industry—production, distribution and exchange—they pay a tax. Not realizing it, they are indifferent to fires. They think the fire loss does not affect them.

CHANGE CLUB NAME

New Agent Adds Enthusiasm To Fieldton Membership.

The ladies of the Blackwater Draw club met October 2 at Mrs. Perry's and changed the name of the club to Fieldton. They reorganized and re-elected all of the officers.

Our new club agent was present and gave us an interesting lesson on our work next year. There were sev-

en present and one visitor. We chose the same colors, Gold and White, and flower, Shasta daisy. The council meets at the demonstration office the fourth Monday in October. Our members are Mrs. Pickrel and Mrs. Robinson.

Our club meets next time at Mrs. Crawford's, Friday October 23rd. Our lesson will be on "millinery."

—REPORTER.

AFTER COTTON PICKERS

Secretary Requests Farmer: Make Wants Known To Him.

This week numerous letters and telegrams are being broadcasted over the eastern and central part of the state asking for cotton pickers in this vicinity, according to T. Windsor, secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Windsor states that every effort is being made to secure the needed help for this section, and farmers needing extra hands during the fall harvest and cotton picking season should report to him at once.

COLE SELLS BRICK

E. E. Wenzel, of Kansas, Invests In Littlefield Property.

R. E. Cole last week sold the "Thompson Land Company" brick building, on Main street to E. E. Wenzel, of Pretty Prairie, Kansas.

Mr. Wenzel has been acquainted with the growing conditions of Littlefield for some time past, having owned a farm within three miles of this town, and in his purchase of this brick has secured some valuable property. It is now being occupied by the Fair Store and the Thompson Land Company.

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SOME INFORMATION ABOUT THE NEWEST LAWS ON HUNTING

If a hunter wants to shoot at a game bird or animal during the open season, he must step from his automobile to do the shooting. He must leave his car to shoot, even though he be in his own pasture.

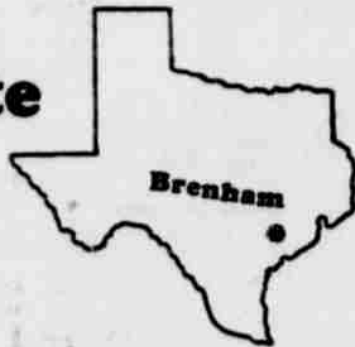
This statement was made by Turner S. Hubby, Game, Fish and Oyster Commissioner, in answer to a number of inquiries received at the department as to his construction of the new game law, which went into effect on September 1.

"The act of shooting from a car in a proper locality is not in itself a violation of the law," Mr. Hubby continued. "If the hunter shoots only at a rabbit or at some other bird or animal that is not protected by State law, he violates no statute, unless of course, he be shooting on a public road. The latter offense, however, is covered by the general statute, and our department is not charged with its enforcement.

"As has always been the case, one may not hunt outside of the county of his residence unless he has with him a hunting license. He may not hunt anything—rabbits or other non-game animals or birds, or animals in season. The fact that he is out in the woods and carrying a gun has long been considered prima facie evidence that he is engaged in hunting."

The section of the law to which Mr. Hubby referred declares that it is unlawful for "any person at any time

Concrete Streets in TEXAS



Can you say as Mayor A. A. Hacker of Brenham, Texas, says: "We are proud of our streets. About four years ago we paved all the principal ones in the business district with Portland Cement Concrete, 7 inches thick. There has been practically no expense for maintenance, and it seems to me as though the Concrete gets better with years."

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Many Texas cities and towns are paving with Concrete because like Brenham they have learned its outstanding advantages through experience.

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Our Booklet R-4 tells more about Concrete streets and the experience of many towns which know the profit of having invested in permanent pavement.

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Learn how quality is attained with modern production methods! This week we are making a special photographic exhibit illustrating the precision methods by which quality is achieved in the manufacture of the modern motor car.

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The exhibit consists of 40 remarkable photographs of the most interesting processes in modern automobile manufacture. It will provide the same interesting knowledge that you would get by taking a trip through the plants where Chevrolet cars are built. Each picture is accompanied by a full description of the operation it illustrates. It is an exhibit of unusual interest and value. Bring the children.

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Angry wife:—I am going out and get a job and earn my own money. I will take no orders from any man."
 Husband:—Then don't get a sales job."

DUMB DAN AGAIN

Gossip:—"And they picked Pete up in a state of collapse."
 Dumb Dan:—"What part of the country is that in—you know I was never very good at geography?"

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DENVER & SANTA FE FILE BRIEFS FOR RY. BUILDING

The brief of the Burlington and Santa Fe railroads, both seeking certificates of convenience and necessity to construct extensions into the South Plains section and each opposing such a grant to the other, were filed Friday with the Interstate Commerce Commission.

In each case the brief contains an argument for the road by which it is submitted as well as a counter argument as to why the other applicant should be denied.

The brief of the Fort Worth and Denver South Plains, which is the Burlington subsidiary seeking extensions of its lines from Estelline to Dimmitt and Silvertown to Lubbock, with connection at or near Plainview, is signed by Bruce Scott, G. H. Wharton and J. H. Barwise Jr., and points out that the short mileage to Fort Worth from all important points in the South Plains will be over that line. The mileage to Fort Worth, so given is Plainview 326; Lubbock 359 and Lockney 315. The lines proposed, it is contended, do not parallel existing lines of the Santa Fe and the latter road has no vested right to the traffic of the South Plains.

Stress is laid on the fact that the South Plains is entitled to better railroad facilities and to the fact that the Burlington system is strong enough not only to afford this service but to maintain it through the lean years which may come at first. The Burlington, however, urges that it would be unfair to grant it a certificate for only part of the extensions it wishes to make and that it should be given the privilege to build both lines.

"Fort Worth," says this brief, "is the only nearest city to this territory capable not only of caring for the products of the South Plains, but supplying the inhabitants there with the necessities of life and in justice both to this territory and the city a short line railroad should be allowed for handling the business between these points."

The contention is made that bad train service exists and that the Santa Fe lines, primarily are designed to route traffic northeast from the South Plains and Southeast to the Texas ports. The fact that the area of the South Plains is larger than eight

eastern states is stressed and also that 90 per cent of this territory is subject to cultivation, although not more than 30 to 40 per cent developed now.

It is urged that the Santa Fe should not be permitted to book this extension and that it now has 188 miles more than the Burlington will have if both the extensions sought are built. The nub of the objection raised by the Santa Fe, it is claimed, is that the Burlington is a prosperous road and capable of giving real competition to resident in the South Plains.

The brief of the Pecos and Northern Texas Santa Fe subsidiary seeking right to build from Linder to Silvertown and Plainview by Attorneys Less F. English, G. B. Ross, H. C. Pipkin, and T. J. Norton with Gardner Lahtrop, general counsel. It sets out that there are three propositions of law, designated as follows: That section 1 of the transportation act does not authorize the commission to grant a certificate for construction of a railway into a region where a road is now operated and is taxed only 50 per cent of its capacity to handle traffic; that section 1 does not permit the commission to authorize a stranger carrier to provide an additional service which might be necessary in the South Plains against a carrier already in the field; and that Congress by section 15 (4) did not intend that a carrier already having reasonably direct communication with another should be permitted to make such construction as the Burlington proposes in the South Plains, thus stripping the other of the initial haul on freight.

The argument in the brief undertakes to settle these questions to the satisfaction of the Santa Fe.

The contention that Ft. Worth, Dallas and Wichita Falls are the natural markets of the South Plains area is disposed of by the claim that this is advanced by jobbers desirous of securing the South Plains advantages which other jobbers now have and that "Fort Worth and Dallas are only self-styled markets, since the products of the South Plains seeks markets elsewhere."—Ft. Worth Star-Telegram

PROBABLY HANGING ON LINE

Sheriff Frampton stated this morning that he is offering \$50 reward for the capture of the whereabouts of Perry.—From Lawton (Oklahoma) Constitution.

W. M. U. RECEIVE NEW MEMBERS IN CHURCH SOCIETY

The members of the Women's Missionary Union and the new members of the Baptist church met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. P. Phipps, Wednesday morning at ten o'clock, and home of Mrs. E. Mueller, in response from there they went in cars to the to an invitation to an all-day get-acquainted meeting.

The receiving rooms were decorated in dalias, in a variety of colors, and a large vase of the chosen flower adorned the center of the dining table.

The morning hour was delightfully spent in conversation, and at the noon hour a menu, consisting of pressed chicken, salads, sandwiches, ice tea, hot chocolate and various other delicious edibles, was served cafeteria style.

Following the luncheon hour, Mrs. Lena Howard conducted a very interesting and instructive Bible contest, wherein each guest participated.

Kodak pictures were made on the lawn, where the flower garden, in a colorful array, made a picturesque scene.

At 3:30 o'clock, after singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," and each guest being given a bouquet of flowers by Mrs. Mueller, the following guests departed: Mesdames J. F. Crow, E. F. Laurimore, H. A. Brewster, I. M. Parker, J. C. Baker, G. G. Shirley, D. B. Roberson, W. O. Gray, Vernon Lane, Tollie D. Gray, J. T. Marchbanks, F. G. Sadler, F. O. Boles, E. K. Hall, H. W. Sewell, T. A. Henson, L. W. Jordan, G. C. D. A. Gaddy, J. E. Barnes, M. J. Smith, Acree Barton, J. P. Jordan, Loyd, W. M. Pool, A. E. White, R. L. Speight, J. M. Stokes, Wm. Laurimore, F. M. Stanford, M. L. Rogers, H. L. Teague, J. G. Harrell, and the following children: Vernon Dale Lane, Pats Mary Gray, Bobby Barnes, Jackie Gaddy, James Mitchell Stokes, Lois Rogers, Frances Amelia Barton, Ray Rogers, and Marston Speight.

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The order states that hats and shirts will be the only uniform necessary.—McAlester (Oklahoma) News-Capital.

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You will also find at our yard the very best grades of Lumber for all kinds of building purposes. We will be glad to furnish you with plans and estimates on any kind of building you may desire. Call and see us.

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Ladies wool Dresses made of navy blue Poirat Twill, embroidery trimmed, \$15.00 value, opening special.....\$10.00
 Sport Dresses, everyone new and snappy \$15.00
 Silk Dresses, a beautiful array of the newest with circular skirts, long sleeves, all beautifully trimmed, open sale price.....\$15.00 to \$30.00
 Ladies Gingham Bungalow Aprons, regular \$1.25 value, special this sale.....98c
 Ladies long sleeve Gingham Dresses, assorted patterns, all nicely trimmed, regular \$2.50 value, special.....\$1.98
 Ladies Outing Gowns, made of good quality Outing Flannel, hemstitched neck, trimmed in blue, special.....98c
 Heavier Gowns in fancy Outing Flannel, trimmed with fancy tape, special at.....\$1.50
 Outing Flannel Children's Pajamas, in sizes 10 and 12, finished and trimmed in pink and blue, a bargain at.....\$1.50

LADIES FUR TRIMMED COATS

Fine quality materials, silk lined, coats with fur collars, and some with sleeve fur trimmed, special at.....\$35.00
 Another lot of fine Coats, fur trimmed, a good assortment of sizes and styles \$25 to \$27.50
 A few Princess Coats at.....\$39.50 and \$49.50
 Cheaper Coats at.....\$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50
 Children's Coats, choice from.....\$5.00 to \$15.00

SWEATER DEPARTMENT

All wool Coat Sweaters, heavy knit, used by men and women, boys and girls—comes in all colors, the biggest Sweater value on the market, opening sale price.....\$4.50
 Men's office Coat Sweaters, each.....\$3.00
 Standard shape knit, all wool, heavy Coat Sweaters, any color, special opening price.....\$8.95

BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

64x76 plain gray and tan Blankets, good weight, regular \$2.50 value, opening sale price \$1.95
 64x76 fine plaid cotton Blankets, you must see this blanket to appreciate it, opening sale special.....\$3.45
 66x80 heavier plaid Blankets, beautiful shades and plaids, a regular \$5.00 value, opening sale special.....\$4.45
 Large Comforts, cotton filled, good linings, opening sale special at.....\$3.50, \$3.95 and \$4.95



MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Felts and Street Hats in assorted bright shades.....\$2.50 \$3.50 \$4.50
 Trimmed Hats, a beautiful assortment bought for this opening sale, values up to \$9.00, special.....\$5.00

OPENING SALE

of the CUENOD'S DRY GOODS CO. continued with added Extra Specials

We were both surprised and gratified at the cordial reception accorded us in our OPENING last Saturday. It was far beyond our most sanguine expectations. It proved to us two things—the excellent spirit of the people of Littlefield and surrounding country and the fact that they genuinely appreciated the fine stock of high grade merchandise which we have brought here.

All day long our store was crowded almost to the limit. We had engaged several extra clerks for the occasion, but even those were not sufficient to accommodate the desires of our many customers who came to visit us for the first time.

For the benefit of those who did not get to participate in our big opening bargains, we are continuing this sale for another week—and with other added bargains. Read the list below—there are many things contained in it you will want.

We crave the opportunity of serving you. We want to make your acquaintance. We want you to learn the excellence of our goods and the reasonableness of our business dealings. Our sincere wish is that this opening and get-acquainted sale will be but the beginning of long years of friendly business relations.



DRESS GOODS AND PIECE GOODS DEPARTMENT

54 inch French Flannels in wanted shades, regular \$3.50, opening sale, yard.....\$2.95
 44 inch all wool Crepe, in bright shades.....\$1.95
 36 inch Suiting, prices ranging \$1.00 to \$1.75
 36 inch Cotton Suiting, in small checks, opening sale price, per yard.....29c
 36 inch guaranteed Dress Linens, fast colors, per yard.....\$1.00
 40 inch Crepe de Chine.....\$1.25 and \$1.50
 40 inch Canton Crepes in black, pansy, pencil blue, brown shades, yard.....\$3.50 and \$3.95
 Black Satine at.....25c, 35c, 50c

32 inch width Dress Gingham, fall patterns, per yard.....20c, 25c, 30c
 36 inch Brown Domestic, light weight, special per yard.....9c
 Our brand 36 inch Bleached Domestic, special per yard.....13c
 27 inch dark Outings, special, yard.....18c
 36 inch light and solid Outings, special, yard 25c
 We have thousands of articles that we are unable to mention. Come and pay us a visit—we are always glad to show you.

WE SELL FOR CASH ONLY

We Have No Books, Make No Tickets, Therefore Eliminating Extra Expense, Hence The Saving To The Public
PAY CASH AND SAVE MONEY

PHOENIX HOSE FOR LADIES

Just unpacked new case of Phoenix Hose, direct from factory, consisting of all the wanted shades in Chiffon, as well as the heavier Silks—moderately priced—see them.

CUENOD'S DRY GOODS CO.

HART SCHAFFNER & MARX SUITS

Offered During this Opening Sale at a Sacrifice
 \$50.00 Models, will go at.....\$39.50
 \$42.50 and \$45.00 Suits will go at.....\$34.50
 \$37.50 and \$40.00 Suits will go at.....\$30.00
 \$35.00 Suits will go at.....\$27.50

ALL WOOL GUARANTEED SUITS

\$30.00 all wool fine Serge.....\$22.95
 \$40.00 all wool fine Serge.....\$29.50
 \$30.00 all wool Suiting, mixed.....\$22.95
 Young Men's Suits with two pair pants.....\$25.00
 Boys gray wool Suits, two pair knickers.....\$12.50

MEN'S WORK CLOTHING

Fincks "Detroit Special" high back, heavy union made Overall, special per pair.....\$1.95
 Union made blue Overalls, suspender bag, \$1.85 Coat to match above
 Boys blue Overalls, made like Daddy's \$1 to \$1.25
 Men's blue work Shirts, the best on the market today for \$1.00, opening price.....89c
 Extra heavy blue coat Shirts, two pleated pockets.....\$1.50
 Men's Fincks snag-proof khaki belt pants, special per pair.....\$2.95
 New E. & W. Emory Shirts for men in the new patterns, moderately priced from.....\$2 to \$5

SHOE DEPARTMENT

Shoes for Men—as Good as the Best
 Howard & Foster Men's Shoes in Oxfords and high tops, in black and tan kid, in tan calf, oxfords, etc. Howard & Foster's shoes are the best value by far of any shoes selling from \$10.00 and over. We are offering them for opening sale, per pair.....\$8.45
 W. L. Douglas light tan Oxfords, \$8.00 values for.....\$7.45
 W. L. Douglas light tan Oxfords, \$5.50 values for.....\$4.95
 \$2.50 Men's dark Elk scout or outing shoes, opening special, per pair.....\$1.95
 Children's Shoes and Oxfords.....\$1.50 to \$5.00
 Felts and House Slippers.....\$1.00 to \$2.50
 Pretty colored kid leather pumps with two straps, special at.....\$6.95
 Children's school and dress shoes at a liberal discount during this sale.



MEN'S HATS

Rothschild young men's Hats, silk lined, late shade of tan and gray.....\$5.00
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 Young Men's Caps made of fine quality, all wool materials, in the wanted light shades and the correct shapes from.....\$1.50 to \$3.00
 Boys' Caps.....\$1.00 to \$1.50

Natural Crossing in Oats Is Very Small

Experiments Show One Per Cent in Iowar Variety.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It has long been recognized that when two varieties of corn are grown in rows side by side a certain amount of natural crossing takes place. A row of white corn growing next to a row of yellow corn, for instance, will produce ears that have numerous yellow kernels. Also it has long been a general belief that the so-called close-fertilized cereals, like wheat, oats and barley, very rarely cross naturally; that is, a row of white oats, for instance, growing beside a row of black oats would produce white kernels only. Artificial methods of crossing the two kinds of oats were necessarily resorted to when plant breeders desired a cross. Seedsmen, therefore, have grown plants of one strain of oats next to plants of another strain, feeling assured that each seed plant would remain pure.

Such is not the case, however, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. Experimental work with oats at the Akron (Colo.) field station has shown that without doubt natural crosses do occur in oats the same as in corn, although to far less extent. The extent of natural crossing in oats varied with the different varieties. It was greater in some selections than others from the same variety. The greatest percentage of natural crosses was observed in the Iowar variety, in which an average of nearly 1 per cent of crosses was found. The natural crossing of oats is so small that it is of no particular significance to the average farmer even though he does grow his own seed oats. It is of importance, however, to the cereal investigator and nursery seed producers. The need for formulating better methods in plant and nursery technique in conducting experiments with oats is apparent if the factor of natural crossing is to be eliminated.

Minerals Assist Chicks in Building Framework

The science of feeding growing chicks has developed by leaps and bounds during the last few years. The discovery of vitamins and their relation to poultry feeding, the importance of clean yards and plenty of green feed have made the business of growing poultry more economically successful. During the last few years more attention has been centered upon the importance of a new element in the ration for growing chicks—minerals or inorganic material. Minerals supply three distinct functions in the chick's ration. They go to build bone, which is the framework of the future pullet or cockerel. A good skeleton is one-half the battle, because on it must be attached the meat and in it must be carried the organs of reproduction, which produce the marketable product, the egg.

Minerals also have been found by scientific tests to aid materially in the digestion of other foods. Lastly, minerals have been found to exercise a very definite relation in building up a natural resistance and immunity against disease.

This is probably accomplished by keeping the birds in perfect physical condition.

Using Rape as Pasture for Cattle and Calves

Rape may be used as pasture for cattle but there is danger of bloat. This danger is not so prevalent at first because the animals usually have to acquire a taste for the plant before they will eat large amounts of it, but when they have become accustomed to it the danger of bloat is always present. Milk cows being pastured on rape are usually given a heavy feed of grain before being turned on the field so they will not eat so much of it. Plenty of salt should also be furnished animals that are feeding on rape. It would not be wise to pasture young calves on rape because of the danger of bloat and also because they pull up many of the plants, causing a great deal of waste. The best way to feed rape to cattle is to cut it and then feed it to prevent waste.

FARM FACTS

Watch the watermelon vines for anthracnose.

Lime scattered on the fields makes a good foundation for the whole farm.

Watch cornfields for root and ear rot. Select healthy stalks for seed corn.

After crops are laid by make a trip to good farms to see how they are doing things.

Tests show that scrub hogs require 25 per cent more feed than pure breeds to make 100 pounds of gain.

Removing the harness at noon and washing the work horse's shoulder with cold water adds to his efficiency.

Next Door to Heaven

By DUFORD JENNE

(© 1923, Western Newspaper Union.)

"O JUNE, dear, isn't it Hades to be poor!"

June looked with her wise, motherly eyes at the slender rain-bedraggled girl who stood in the middle of the room. Even the dampness of the rain clinging to her could not destroy the picture she made—the thick, cloudy dark hair, deep brown eyes, the faint hint of rose in her cheeks.

"Oh, I don't know, Mary. I guess it's not just being poor that makes all the trouble!" June answered.

Mary slipped into a chair. "I say it is! Look at me! One of my rubbers leaks—and my shoes went squash! squash! all the way home. And I'm cold, homeless, and lonely. All I need is money, and I would be happy as a lark!"

"But you earn enough as a stenographer to—"

"Pooh! What's that! a pittance!" "Now if you would only marry Mr. Wilkinson—"

Mary's eyes softened. "I do love him, June, but what would it mean? A little flat, watching the money all the time, counting the pennies—and pennies are such small trash!"

"Would you marry a man for his money?"

"Nary a bit of it, Junetime, dear; but those who have the cash are the happiest—don't tell me different!"

June laughed. "No, I won't; but remember my work brings me in touch with those who have money!"

"Sure!" Mary's eyes grew bright. "Say, June, when you take your vacation next week why don't you let me substitute for you—take your position as secretary to Mrs. Clernon; and give me a chance to live for a little while in a lovely home?"

June looked at the winsome face of her friend, and the older girl's eyes grew tender. "You shall, little dreamer, have the opportunity. Can you arrange your own work?"

"I have two weeks coming to me for my vacation and I'll take it now. I told Ted I would spend some of the time with him, but he can wait. O, June, if I didn't love lovely things so, I would marry him and take a chance!"

"You forget that the only loveliness that abides is the loveliness of things unseen!"

"Ah, how sweet and poetic that sounds, dearie, but put it beside a platter of ham and eggs, and 'ham and eggs' goes further!"

June shook her head. "You have much to learn."

"But, June, you're not married—Oh, please forgive me!" Mary begged, the laughter fled from her voice. She had forgotten that the lad whom June was to marry never returned from over the seas where the khaki legions went.

When Mary, on the next Monday, found herself in the attractive library of the Clernon mansion, she admitted to herself that she was just where she would like some day to be, with the happiness that money can buy all about her.

She found Mrs. Clernon gracious and kind, and quickly made friends with Mr. Clernon, whose grave eyes seemed to find something amusing in her quick answers and girlish philosophy of life.

Then, one evening Mr. Clernon asked her to help him with some important messages; and in that hour with him she learned why his eyes were so grave and tired. The fate of a great business was in his care; she could see he faced—responsibilities galore.

She sensed at first, then saw clearly the responsibilities that Mrs. Clernon, also a woman of wealth, was forced to carry; and then, one evening, she heard them planning some way to get away together for a month.

"Marvin, let's go somewhere together—to some simple little place where I can have you all to myself!" Mrs. Clernon said.

"And where I can have you!" Mr. Clernon said gently. "We'll do it!"

Mary let the book she was reading sink into her lap. They were trying to get away from the very things that she was trying and longing to have!

"The loveliness that abides is the loveliness of things unseen," Mary thought to herself as she repeated June's words. "June knows. She'll never have the boy she loved; but she's got something that will never grow old and die as he would if she had married him. How happy she is in that knowledge. And these people—they aren't happy because of what they have here, but what they have in their hearts! I wish—"

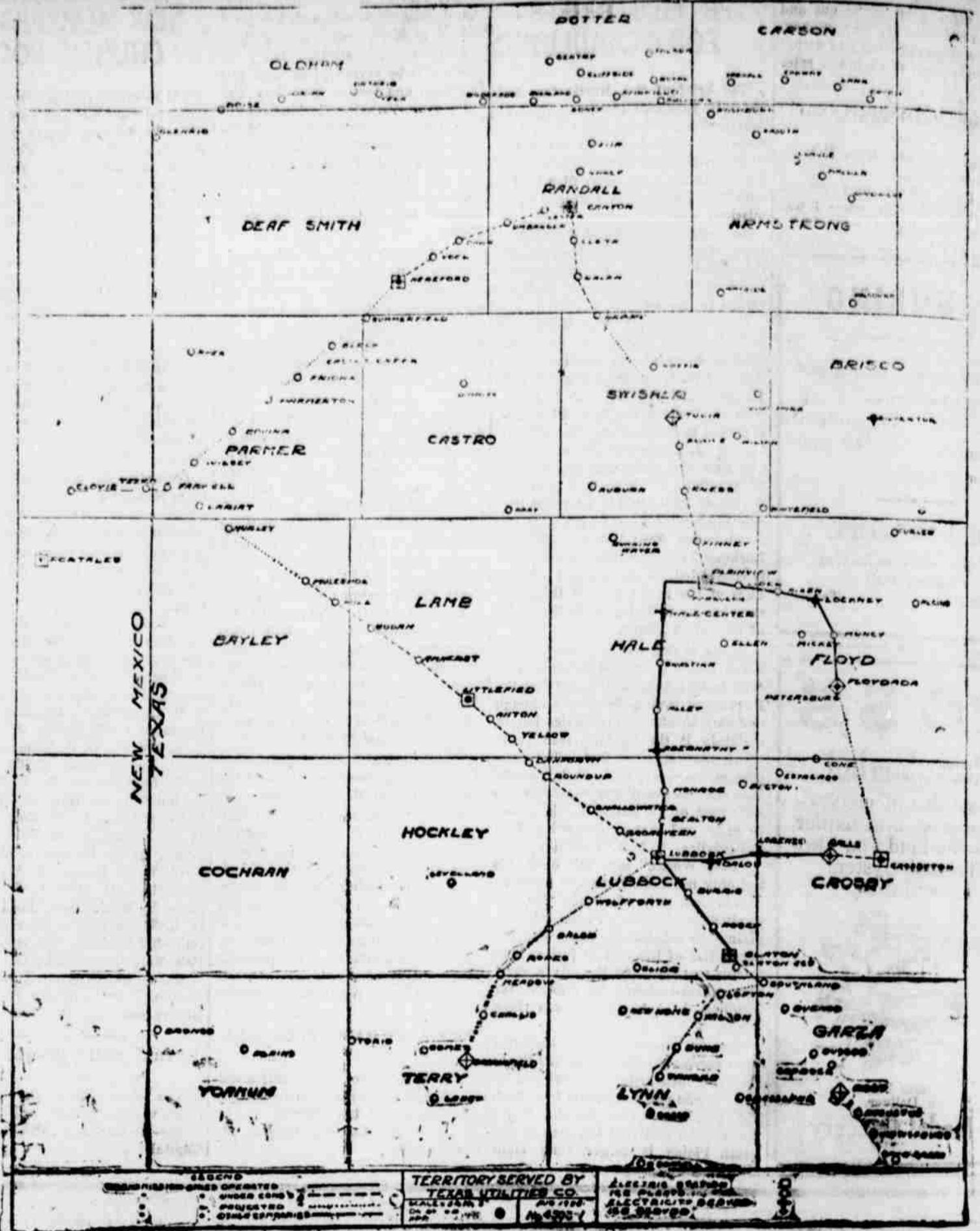
She stole downstairs to the telephone alcove, a new and delicious something warming her to the heart as she thought of what she was to do.

In answer to her call, a clear, manly voice spoke her name with a tenderness that thrilled her.

"Ted, do—do you suppose you could—find a little flat—for two—for the first of the month?"

She heard a gasp, then the clear voice rang with the happiness of understanding joy. "Find it? Mary, I should say I could! And it'll be right next door to heaven!"

Mary hung up the receiver lest too much be said for others to hear, and smiled as she thought: "Next door to heaven! I guess that's just as close as a multi-millionaire can get—and perhaps closer!"



Electric Map Prepared for use of Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company, Shows Contemplated Plans for Inter-Connecting Towns in the Territory Served by Constructing Approximately Five Hundred Miles of Transportation Lines.

Texas Utilities Company has caused to be prepared a utility map, a copy of which is published in this issue of the Lamb County Leader, Littlefield, Texas.

The map shows contemplated plans of owners and operators of Texas Utilities Company to develop territory by acquisition of electric properties as an entirety, as well as by construction of transmission lines and distribution systems.

The owners of Texas Utilities Company have recently organized a corporation under the laws of New Mexico known as New Mexico Utilities Company and at the present time the New Mexico company owns and operates the electric plant and system recently acquired from the city of Portales, New Mexico.

The officers and managers of Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company are the same persons, or selected from the same group of individuals.

I. R. Keelo, president of Texas Utilities Company has been identified with and actively interested in the management of Texas Utilities Company since the date of its organization in 1915, and is president of the New Mexico Utilities Company. J. B. Scott, district manager of Texas Utilities Company at Plainview has been identified with the Texas Utilities Company's management since the date of the organization of the company, and is secretary of the New Mexico Utilities Company. R. E. McCaskill has also been identified with the company since its organization and is the manager in charge at Littlefield at this time. E. S. Billings, chief engineer of the Texas Utilities Company and the New Mexico Utilities Company has been chief engineer for the Texas Utilities Company since the date of its organization, and has been in charge of the building program and supervising the operations of the company since the date of its organization in 1915. Texas Utilities Company management is not only experienced in the management and operation of utilities in the west, but in a number of other states. This company is a pioneer in the development

of the utilities industry in west Texas and has recently entered into the business of developing the electric industry in east New Mexico.

EXPLANATION OF MAP

The map shows electric service supplied at the present time; transmission lines under construction; additional transmission lines to be constructed, ice service and contemplated acquisitions, additions and extensions as follows:

TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY ELECTRIC SERVICE

Texas Utilities Company at the present time is supplying electricity to the following cities and towns in the State of Texas:

- Hereford, Deaf Smith county; Canyon, Randall county; Plainview, Hale county; Hale Center, Hale county; Abernathy, Hale and Lubbock counties; Lockney, Floyd county; Floydada, Floyd county; Crosbyton, Crosby county; Ralls, Crosby county; Lorenzo, Crosby county; Idalou, Lubbock, Lubbock county; Slaton, Lubbock county; Silvertown, Briscoe county; and Littlefield, Lamb county.

Transmission Lines Under Construction at the Present Time

Texas Utilities Company has under construction at this time additional electric transmission lines as shown by said map of 169 miles connecting the following cities and towns:

- Hereford to Canyon, 31 miles; Canyon to Happy, 21 miles; Plainview to Kress, 14 miles; Lubbock to Meadow, 28 miles; Lubbock to Littlefield, 38 miles; Slaton to Southland, 9 miles; Sudan to Littlefield, 18 miles; Ralls to Crosbyton, 10 miles.

In other words, barring unavoidable delays the Texas Utilities Company should have approximately 300 miles of electric transmission lines completed and in operation during the present year.

Additional Transmission Lines to be Constructed by Texas Company

In addition to the transmission lines under construction as above indicated, Texas Utilities Company contemplates the construction of additional transmission lines as shown by the above mentioned map of approximately 100 miles as soon as such lines can be built connecting the following cities and towns:

- Hereford, Deaf Smith county, to Sudan, Lamb county, via Summerfield, Castro county, Bovina, and Farwell, Farmer county, and Mulshoe, Bailey county.

Texas Utilities Company Ice Service

Texas Utilities Company manufactures and sells ice at wholesale and retail, and at the present time is supplying ice to a number of communities, including the following cities and towns:

- Hereford, Dawn, Umbarger, Canyon, Happy, Tulia, Kress, Plainview, Lockney, Floydada, Hale Center, Abernathy, Idalou, Lubbock, Lorenzo, Ralls, Burris, Crosbyton, Posey, Slaton, Southland, Wilson, Post, Ropes, Olton, Meadow, Brownfield, Seagraves, Levelland, Shallowater, Dimmit, and Silvertown.

It might be of interest to note in this connection that Texas Utilities Company is building for the purpose of taking care of the ice requirements in its territory as well as transmission line service, and for that purpose has constructed eight new ice plants during the year 1925, and is planning to build additional plants during the coming season, including the construction of an ice plant at Littlefield. Texas Company also owns ice storage houses at Tahoka, Lynn county and Lamesa, Dawson county.

New Mexico Utilities Company

As indicated on the above map, proposes to construct approximately 30 miles of transmission lines as follows:

- Clovis to Portales, 15 miles, and Clovis to Farwell, 12 miles. Clovis and Texico Utilities

A glance at the map shows the plan of New Mexico Utilities Company to inter-connect its Portales Utilities with the Utilities now being operated in the city of Clovis, New Mexico, by the municipality and with the Texico and Farwell properties now being operated by the State Line Utilities Company. New Mexico Utilities Company entered into a contract with the city of Clovis on September 10th to purchase the utilities now being operated in the city of Clovis by said city.

Briefly summarized the transmission lines of Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company approximately 500 miles will, when completed, connect Portales, New Mexico, as follows:

Transmission line will run from Portales to Clovis, New Mex., and from Clovis to Southland via Farwell, Texico, Mulshoe, Sudan, Amherst, Littlefield, Anton, Shallowater, Lubbock, Slaton and Southland.

The said city of Portales will also be connected with Southland, Texas, over the transmission lines running through the following cities and towns:

- From Portales, New Mexico, via Clovis, Farwell, Texico, Bovina, Friona, Hereford, Canyon, Happy, Kress, Plainview, Hale Center, Abernathy, Lubbock, Slaton and Southland.

In addition to the transmission line loop above described the plants and systems will also be connected by transmission lines as follows:

Commencing at Plainview and running through the towns of Lockney, Floydada, Crosbyton, Ralls, Lorenzo, Idalou, Lubbock, Slaton and Southland.

According to the building program for installing generating capacity the Texas Utilities Company and New Mexico Utilities Company will have installed by the end of the year 1926 sufficient capacity in generating units to take care of double the amount of the present requirements of the territories served by these two companies.

NOTICE OF SALE

The State of Texas, County of Lamb. Whereas, by virtue of an order of the District Court of Lamb County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1925, in favor of J. W. Winfield, in cause No. 854 on the docket of said court for the sum of six 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 said vendor's lien was levied on the 11th day of September A. D. 1922, I did on the 3rd day of September A. D. 1925, at 6 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tract of land, situated in the County of Lamb, Texas, as the property of J. W. Winfield, to wit: 116.28 acres of land, the North one-half of Block No. Eighteen, (18) Lamb County School Lands, situated in the County of Lamb and State of Texas, as shown by the plat of the subdivisions of said land, recorded in Volume No. 3, page 380 et seq. Deed Records of Lamb County, Texas, and on the 6th day of October A. D. 1925 being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of ten o'clock a. m. and four o'clock p. m. on said day, at the court house of said County of Lamb, in Littlefield, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said J. W. Winfield, as it existed on the 11th day of September A. D. 1922, to said property.

Dated at Olton, Texas, this the 3rd day of September A. D. 1925.

LEN IRVIN,
Sheriff, Lamb County, Texas
Sept. 10, 17, 24, Oct. 1.

Help keep Littlefield clean!

DANGER IN IMPROPERLY INSTALLED RADIO

Recently the writer has noticed several radio antenna, the installation of which to say the least, was, and is dangerous. The "lead in" being installed without any protection from lightning, thereby endangering the entire radio equipment, including the receiving set, the home or other building in which it is installed, and perhaps the life of the operator. Quite recently the press carried a news item of a man being killed by lightning when tuning in on his radio set.

No radio set should be installed without this class of protection. A lightning arrester costs but a dollar or two and should be used on every antenna; to leave them off the installation is taking too much of a risk that can readily be avoided, a danger that you cannot afford to indulge in, and especially at this time when lightning is quite prevalent. How about yours? Is it protected? Or do you run the danger of burning your home at any time as a result of neglecting this important and necessary protection, which is one of the requirements of the National Electrical Code, for the installation of radio.

NOT THAT BAD

Bride: "Richard ate something for lunch yesterday that made him awful ill."

Friend: Croquette?

Bride: Oh no—but he's awful sick.

JERSEY CATTLE FOR SALE

We have a nice assortment of young Jersey cattle to offer at all times. Will have an all-day auction sale on November 7th.

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MRS. SHIRLEY ENTERTAINS

Mrs. G. G. Shirley was a delightful hostess to her Sunday School class, of the Methodist church, with a party Friday evening, at her home.

Various games were played and music was furnished by several guests.

Refreshments consisting of hot chocolate, cakes and sandwiches were served to the following: Misses Sibyl Sanders, Alta Anderson, Verna Henson, Maurine Phillips, Fern Hoover, Mercedes Allen, Marguerite Pate, Opal Ramsey, Judie Lou and Virginia Harrell, Helen Gholston, Louise and Gertrude Chisholm, Inez and Elizabeth Brewer, Esther Gilbert; Messrs. J. K. Baze, Earl Phillips, Johnnie Ferrell, Ceburne Smith, Chas. Glenn, Chester Pate, Alden Roberts, Howard Harrell and Clenton Rogers.

MRS. ROBERTS ENTERTAINS

Mrs. R. D. Roberts entertained a number of the younger set at her home, Saturday evening.

A very pleasant social hour was spent at the conclusion of which refreshments, consisting of hot chocolate, sandwiches and fruit, were served to the following girls: Addie Mae Hemphill, Thessa Boatwright, Lois Greene, Vesta Henson, Roystella Payner, Lorena Barnes, Maurine Dow, Lucille Emanuelson, Ellen Crockett, Pauline Courtney and Fern Thornton; boys, Bill Arnn, W. P. Phipps, Garland Ramsey, Kenneth Garrett, Robt. Sanders, Wilburn Phillips, Norfleet Gillette, Gayle Spann, Harold Phillips, Ferrell Burford and Parker Burford.

LOOKED GUILTY

A school board was visiting a school and the teacher was putting her pupils through their paces in history.

"Who signed the Declaration of Independence, Robert?" she asked, turning to one boy.

"Please, m'am, 'twas me, whimpered the youngster.

The teacher in disgust, told him to take his seat, but an old tobacco-chewing member of the board was not satisfied. He grunted, took a long shot at the cuspidor and said:

"Call that thar boy back. I don't like his manner. Dang'd if I don't believe he done it."

AT THE CHURCHES

METHODIST SERVICES
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.
—Silas Dixon, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES
The First Presbyterian church, the "home folks church," extends a cordial welcome to all worshipping Christians to come and worship with us.

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
H. J. JORDAN, Pastor.

BAPTIST SERVICES
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 and 8:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8:30 p. m., followed by a business meeting. Please be on time.
W. M. U. meets Tuesday at 3:00 p. m.

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

LUTHERAN SERVICES
English service every 1st and 3rd Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
German service every 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday at 10:30 o'clock.
A hearty welcome is extended to all.
C. Scheiderer, Pastor.

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Preaching at 11:00 A. M. on every Lord's day. Everybody invited.

Whitharral.
Sunday school each Sunday. Everybody invited to attend and take part. Preaching twice each month, at 3:00 p. m. Rev. W. B. Phipps will preach every fourth Sunday and Rev. Silas Dixon every second Sunday at this hour. Everyone invited to attend these services.

Progressive Christian Church
Meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the Grammar school building for Bible study.

LITTLEFIELD vs. RALLS

Locals Confident of Victory in Game Here Saturday.

The Littlefield high school foot ball squad will play the Ralls high school squad here Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The local lads are confident of a good game and are in fine spirits as a result of their victory over the Lorenzo squad, at Lubbock Saturday.

Season tickets are being sold this week, which will admit the holder to all football games of the season. Tickets are being sold to those out side of school for \$1.25 and student tickets are being placed at 75 cents.

Let everyone in Littlefield make an effort to attend the game Saturday and keep up the morale, which will be of great benefit to the boys in establishing the high record to which present indications point.

Blackwater Draw

Health in this community is good. We are having some fine weather now to gather our crops.

Miss Agnes Dunlap has gone to Lubbock to visit her sister for a few days.

Mrs. L. L. Lynch of Sudan, is visiting her mother, Mrs. H. W. Qualls this week.

Mr. Green has moved into his new home.

Mrs. Auval Blair, of Amherst, visited her mother, Mrs. Willis, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirt visited Mrs. Willis Sunday.

Good for Sore Throat

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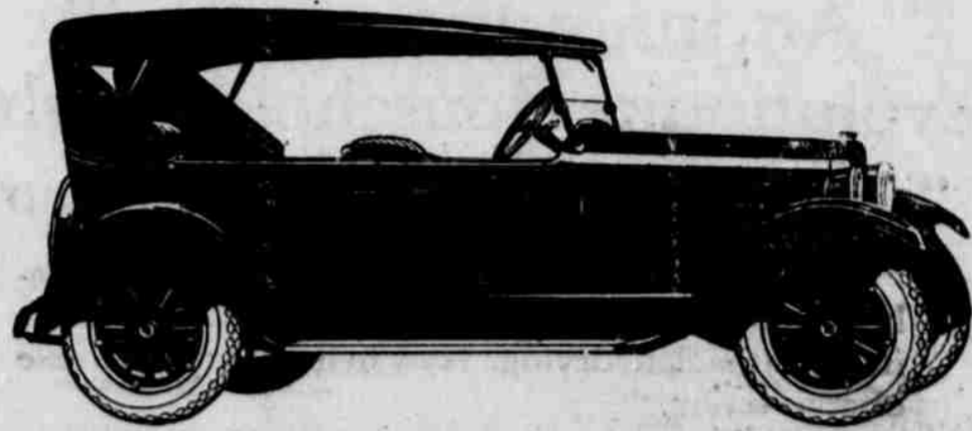
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THREE MORE MILES

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"One of your relatives," said he. "Quite right, said she "by marriage."

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Last spring when you hung it away you thought you would "One day soon" send it to be cleaned—pressed—and have it ready for fall wear.

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THE WEST TEXAS C. OF C. MEETS IN AMARILLO IN JUNE

At the meeting of the Board of Directors, West Texas Chamber of Commerce held in Lubbock last week, June 21, 22 and 23 were the dates decided upon for the next annual meeting of that organization which is to be held next year at Amarillo. Col. Ernest Thompson, of the host city was present, and stated to the board that Amarillo had already begun making preparation for this coming event, which they were endeavoring to result in the greatest meeting yet ever held in the history of this body.

E. Q. Lee, of Cisco, is president of the organization, presided over the meeting with manager Porter Whaley and assistant manager, Homer D. Wade and the following members in attendance:

W. D. Cline, Wichita Falls, vice president; R. W. Haynie, Abilene; Rufus Wright, Sweetwater A. B. Spencer, Crosbyton; R. L. Penick, Stamford; A. M. Bourland, Vernon; O. P. Thannem, Snyder; Percy Ralls, Ralls; V. A. Robinson, Post City; E. O. Thompson, Amarillo; C. S. Guinn, Dalhart; F. W. Kenney, Quanah; C. E. Jones, Spur; Amon G. Carter, Fort Worth; Fred W. Turner, Santa Anna; O. D. Dillingham, Ranger; O. P. Rutledge, Floydada; C. W. Frye, Abilene; R. A. Underwood, Plainview; J. D. Hamlin, Farwell, and Walter S. Posey, Lubbock.

Upon motion of W. D. Cline, of the Wichita Falls chamber of commerce, and at the suggestion of Homer D. Wade, the committee went an exhibit at the sequicentennial exposition to be held at Philadelphia in 1926. Manager Whaley, in speaking in favor of such an exhibit, said, he felt sure that in the neighborhood of \$40,000 could be raised to finance the exhibit, which he regarded as a very important one.

West Texas, he declared, could cooperate with all of Texas, if all sections wanted to participate, but if they did not want to do so, then they could arrange an independent exhibit.

Manager Whaley announced the appointment of E. H. Whitehead as publicity agent for the chamber, stating that for the present he will be stationed at Cisco, to be near President Lee whose home is there.

The annual financial quota for the chamber is being rapidly subscribed, according to Whaley and will approximately \$80,000 this year, an increase of \$20,000 over last year's finances. He reported a heavy movement of immigrants to west Texas and stated that the exhibit department of the west Texas chamber of commerce was preparing to operate at various towns in the cotton regions of east Texas and the cotton states to show the growth of this region and the rapid growth and development of its cities and towns.

Two additional congressmen will probably be given Texas, according to Homer D. Wade who reported that a reappointment of congressmen for the various states would soon be in order, and that under it Texas would be shown entitle to the additions. Because of the shifting of the population of Texas in recent years, the two new congressmen might come from West Texas, Wade said.

Olton Occurrences

Olton has been forging to the front quite a bit during the past few weeks. Several farms have been sold in this vicinity and quite a number of town lots changed hands. There are also several new houses under construction.

The new theatre building here will soon be finished. Workmen are now doing the interior.

The Connor & Campbell Lumber Company of Winsboro have bought lots here and expect to put in a lumber yard within the next month.

Mrs. L. C. Howard, H. L. Kidd, and Art. Edwards have recently completed residences here.

Len Irvin has bought lots here and expects to soon begin building a residence into which he will move his family from Littlefield.

Fred Pilley has recently sold some of his land to some Oklahoma people who expect to soon move here.

The Guaranty Abstract Co., now have their office in the court house.

Olton crop conditions are good this year. There has been plenty of rain. Some of the wheat of this section was destroyed or damaged by hail, but the cotton and feed crops are all fine.

A South Carolina colored man sent a message to an acquaintance in North Carolina. "Sam, I heard you is dead. If you is, telegram me, if you ain't, send me \$10."

The recipient who had about recovered from a recent gun wound, wired back: "I is dead, your \$10 will be applied to a coffin."

CLERGY, GOOD FIGHTERS

What does the world need? Thousands of preachers, standing on the shore of time and peering into eternity with the strong authority that their vacation gives them try to answer the question:

Here are a few answers made in the pulpit of New York last Sunday: The Reverend Henry Howard: The Bible is now on the shelf, not enough family prayers. Not enough religion in schools—time proves it.

Reverend C. Everett Waggoner, Methodist Episcopal: Too much preaching of Hell fire. Too much parading of wickedness instead of talking about goodness. Too much tempting listeners by describing in detail the things that the wicked do.

Rev. Dr. Sookman: Too much shifting about from place to place. Too much roaming. The people becoming nomadic, can't settle down.

Rev. Dr. S. E. Young, says voters neglect their duty. They could make this Republic anything that they chose to make it if they would take the trouble to do it. Perhaps that is solemn truth.

Rev. John Roach Stratton, who would willingly help lynch our modernists if his conscience would let him, says we need more revivals. That's proved by the fact that there were ten thousand murders and only a few hangings and electrocutions in this country last year. He saw two holdups in Chicago in one short visit.

Rev. Paul C. Warren: We need modern prophets to interpret the old truths in the pew and in the pulpit. More purity of heart and strength of

SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by Stokes & Alexander Drug Company

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"In Business For Your Health"

conviction will bring the millennium. But the Rev. Charles Francis Potter, prominent Unitarian, says he needs a brand new religion, and proves his sincerity by resigning from his job. It is very enlightening to read twenty or thirty sermons a week.

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"Maizie has a character part in the new show at the Frivolity." "I don't see how she is going to get away with it," commented Maizie's very dearest friend. "She lost her little character she had long ago."

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THURSDAY

Jack Holt, Lois Wilson and Noah Berry in "The Thunder Herd." Also Aesop's Fables.

FRIDAY

Constance Talmadge in "Go Fish." Also Two Reel Comedy.

SATURDAY

Pete Morrison in "Black Gold." Comedy, "Shipwrecked."

MONDAY

Elnor Glynn Story in "The Reason Why." Also Comedy.

TUESDAY

"Rider of the Plains." Western, "Looking up Jim." Comedy, "Keep Moving."

WEDNESDAY

Don't Miss, "Contraband." Fables, "Paramount Waves"

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**TECH. MATADORS
 WIN FIRST GAME
 OVER McMURRY**

The Tech. Matadors held the Mc-
 Murray Indians, of Abilene in a 6-0
 game at the Lubbock South Plains
 fair last Saturday afternoon, in the
 presence of nearly 5,000 football fans
 who gathered to witness the game.
 It was a case of stone wall fighting
 all the way through, the teams appar-
 ently being evenly matched. Notwith-
 standing McMurry's team had played
 two previous games, and had on their
 squad men who had been plying col-
 lege football for two and three years,
 yet the Tech bunch, all of them boys
 just coming from high school, with
 never a game yet played, and only a
 few days of actual practice together,
 held their opponents at every stage
 of the playing. Not until the very
 last of the game was either side able
 to make any scoring gains, and that,
 a goal kick, from the Matadors came
 about a second after final time was
 called and did not count.

Following the game, the Tech. co-
 eds staged a monster parade over the
 gridiron, with plenty of yelling, band
 music and banners, showing their
 loyalty and interest in the "home col-
 lege team."

The receipts for the game were
 turned over to the college athletic
 fund, and will mean considerable to-
 ward starting that department out on
 a firm financial basis.

SPECIAL O. E. S. MEET
 Deputy Grand Matron From Snyder
 Here For The Work.

The Order of the Eastern Star met
 in special session Wednesday, Septem-
 ber 30th, with Mrs. Baze, the Worthy
 Matron, presiding.

This meeting was called for the
 purpose of exemplifying the work for
 Mrs. Brown, the assistant deputy
 grand matron, from Snyder.

Mrs. Brown commended the chap-
 ter on the rapid development it had
 made since her last visit and praised
 the officers for the capable and effi-
 cient manner in which they did their
 work.

When you know any news of inter-
 est, tell the editor, so it can be passed
 on to others.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR MEET
 State Field Secretary Will Be Here
 For the Occasion.

Jack Huppertz, State Field Secre-
 tary for Christian Endeavor will be
 in Littlefield all day, October 14th, to
 hold conference with Christian En-
 deavor workers. On that night there
 will be a rally held in the Presbyter-
 ian church, to which every member
 of any young people's society in Lit-
 tlefield and vicinity is invited.

The local Christian Endeavor, both
 senior and junior branches, is plan-
 ning for a large day. Supper will be
 served by the seniors in the basement
 of the Presbyterian church, and the
 juniors will have a plate for every
 one attending.

Arthur Mueller is putting a lot of
 pep into the singing, so turn out for
 these conferences and the rally at
 night.

LADIES ORGANIZE CLUB

At a meeting of the young ladies
 of Littlefield, held Monday evening at
 LaNell confectionery, for the purpose
 of organizing a town basket ball team,
 fourteen were present and several
 who could not attend submitted their
 names for membership.

A club was organized, out of which
 a team will be chosen and a meeting
 will be held at LaNell tonight (Thurs-
 day) for the purpose of making ar-
 rangements for regular practice dates.

The following officers were elected:
 Miss Nell Ruth Earnest, president;
 Miss Lil Bowman, secretary-treasurer
 and Mrs. A. H. McGavock, captain.

Little Miss Billy Moore Smith,
 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hilburn
 Smith, was chosen mascot.

THE LITTLEFIELD MEMORIAL

Noted Sculptor Engaged To Prepare
 The War Statute

The Littlefield Memorial Archway
 for the University of Texas boys killed
 in the World War will be erected
 at the south entrance to the Universi-
 ty campus within two years, according
 to H. A. Wroe of Austin, executor of
 the George W. Littlefield estate.

The statutes which are to adorn the
 archway are being designed and cast
 in New York City at a cost of
 \$250,000 by Pompeii Coppini, a
 Texas sculptor.

**DAIRY
 FACTS**

**INCREASE PROFITS
 BY CROWING FEED**

The dairy farmer who can raise all
 or a big proportion of the feed for his
 dairy cows has a distinct advantage
 over the dairyman who has to pur-
 chase his feed, according to Prof. J.
 B. Fitch, head of the dairy depart-
 ment at the Kansas State Agricultural
 college. His feed will be cheaper, giv-
 ing him greater profits on his milk
 products, and he has the chance of
 getting market prices for his surplus
 feed.

Alfalfa is the best hay for dairy
 cattle, Professor Fitch stated. In sec-
 tions where alfalfa cannot be grown,
 sweet clover is being used to great
 advantage. Soy beans and cowpeas
 are being used in some sections, both
 as a hay crop and protein substitute.

Corn or "cane" silage is the best
 and cheapest feed with which to sup-
 plement legume hay. As to the use
 of corn, "cane," or kafir as a silage
 crop, Professor Fitch recommends the
 one which will give the largest yield
 with the greatest degree of certainty.

For higher production it is neces-
 sary to use grain in addition to the
 bulky feeds. Kansas produces corn,
 oats, barley, kafir, "cane," and wheat,
 all of which may be used in a dairy
 ration. Bran is another popular con-
 centrated feed because of the large
 amount of wheat milled. Linseed oil-
 meal and cotton-seed meal are both
 used as concentrated protein for high
 producers.

Besides the natural pasture crops,
 the use of wheat and rye for pasture
 is very extensive. Sweet clover and
 sudan grass, both of which are rela-
 tively new, have also become very
 popular as pasture for dairy cattle.

**Future of Dairy Herds
 Depends on Heifer Care**

Declaring that the future of the
 dairy herd depends a great deal upon
 the care given the heifer calves which
 will be the cows of tomorrow, H. M.
 Jones, dairy extension specialist at
 South Dakota State college points out
 that the usefulness of many a good
 cow is impaired by neglect or mis-
 treatment as a calf.

"Feeding is of prime importance,"
 he says. "On well-managed dairy
 farms, regularity in feeding is the
 rule, and the pails used for feeding
 calves are as clean as those into which
 milk is drawn for human use. The
 best insurance for the health of the
 calf is cleanliness in quarters and
 feeding pails."

Raising the calf on whole milk is
 not economical, according to Jones,
 but it is necessary that the whole milk
 be fed for at least the first two or
 three weeks of the calf's life. After
 that, he suggests a gradual shifting of
 skim milk plus a grain ration of
 ground oats and corn. The cause for
 an "undersized" cow, he says, can usu-
 ally be traced to too scanty feeding
 during the early period of her life.

**Butterfat and Feed Are
 Most Important Items**

If a cow receives sufficient nutrients
 to maintain her body weight, the per-
 centage of fat cannot materially
 change for any considerable period of
 feeding or by supplying any particu-
 lar kind of feed. Cows that are great-
 ly underfed may produce milk some-
 what lower in fat percentage than
 normal. All experiments conducted
 up to the present time show that there
 is no positive evidence of any contin-
 ued direct effect of a feed in stimulat-
 ing milk production or increasing the
 percentage of fat. No kind of feed or
 care will cause a Holstein to give milk
 rich in fat like the Jersey. However,
 a cow may be fattened before freshen-
 ing and caused to milk off this body
 fat in the first month of lactation,
 thereby raising the percent of butter-
 fat in her milk.—From Colorado Ex-
 periment Station Bulletin 285, "Make
 the Dairy Pay."

Dairy Notes

Sometimes cow-testing shows that
 the cow you think is a "poor stick" is
 being milked.

See that the pasture fence is in
 good condition for the summer, mak-
 ing necessary repairs.

Freshen up the premises with white-
 wash—all buildings and fences which
 have not been painted.

The cost of producing milk may be
 reduced by using pastures. The feed
 cost is generally the biggest expense
 item in producing milk.

See that the salt boxes in the pas-
 tures are kept well filled. Milk cows
 need more salt when on green pastures.

Continue to feed liberal grain ra-
 tions to the cows in milk especially
 fresh green grass is very watery and
 contains little food value.

The feed and care given the dairy
 cow will bear a rich harvest all
 through her coming lactation period.
 It will help her to start well and that
 means she will continue well, if you

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The ladies auxiliary of the Pres-
 byterian church met Tuesday after-
 noon at the home of Mrs. G. B.
 Richardson.

A very interesting mission study
 from the new mission book, "From
 Over the Border," was conducted by
 Mrs. E. A. Bills and the devotional
 was led by Mrs. Richardson.

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 per acre due the fifteenth year—six per cent interest on deferred payments.

—In this proven new agricultural country that is now attracting such wide attention, a man with
 small means can easily buy and pay for a home. After the first payment is made, the annual crops
 received from off the land insure all future obligations. There is no reason for anyone being a
 hireling to some landlord when a home of their own may be secured so easily.

—Write or see us for further detailed information.

Ellwood Farms Company
R. C. Hopping, Sales Mgr. Littlefield, Texas

GUN CLUB SHOOT

Make Plans For Thanksgiving Turkey Shooting.

The Littlefield Gun Club held their weekly shoot south of town last week, and at the end of 25 shots three members were tied and in the shoot off of ten extra shots, Harry W. Wiseman was high man.

The gun club will shoot each week and any one wishing to join may do so by registering with E. C. Cundiff.

This club will hold a turkey shoot the week before Thanksgiving, and probably a competitive shoot some time next month with some adjoining town.

Scores as follows: Charles Harless 22 out of 35; E. C. Cundiff 26 out of 35; H. Richards 23 out of 35; R. W. Steen 24 out of 35; H. W. Wiseman 28 out of 35; C. E. Ellis 5 out of 10; and Ross White 10 out of 25.

Dark Walls Absorb Light

For kitchen walls, light colors are cheerful and clean in appearance and have the added value of diffusing the light so as to brighten the dark corners.

Soft Velvet Hats for Tiny Ladies



All the fall millinery needs of little girls have been well provided for in hats of felt, velours, silk and velvet. Little fashionables may wear soft velvet hats, like those shown here, for occasions that call for dressy headwear, or they may choose plainer hats in fine felt or velours, with ribbon trimming.

Fight Weeds for Vegetable Garden

Often Becomes Unsightly Weed Patch Rather Than Productive Spot.

It is too often the common fate of the summer garden in North Carolina to become an unsightly weed patch rather than a productive spot adding to the health and income of the family.

"We should not allow this to occur," says Glenn O. Randall, extension horticulturist for the North Carolina State College of Agriculture. "Fresh vegetables form a rich and cheap source of those protective foods so badly needed in the daily diet. These foods are needed just as badly in the hot weather of mid-summer as in the vigorous days of early spring, and it is possible to have a continuous supply of succulent vegetables during hot weather."

Shallow Cultivation.

To do this, however, Mr. Randall suggests that the growing vegetables must be given shallow cultivation frequently enough to maintain a thin soil mulch and to kill weeds and grass. Then, too, the refuse from the spring vegetables must be cleaned out if disease was present or composted if free from disease and the space occupied by this refuse planted to a succession of vegetables.

Some crops that will withstand the hot weather are snap beans, lima beans, sweet corn, cabbage, tomatoes, New Zealand spinach and cucumbers. It is hardly possible to have a good supply of the salad crops or "greens," such as lettuce, as they will not thrive in hot weather; but New Zealand spinach will help to supply this need.

Late Cabbage Planting.

Mr. Randall states that it is now time to plant seed for the late crop of cabbage, such as the Succession and All-Season varieties. Plants for a late crop of tomatoes should also be set out, using, preferably, the wilt-resistant varieties.

"Remember," says Mr. Randall, "the consumption of green vegetables every day serves as a protection against sickness by aiding in maintaining the vitality through the hot weather of mid-summer."

Making of Soft-Meated

Fowls Out of Cockerels

The making of large, soft-meated fowls out of cockerels that ordinarily would be sold on the market as stags is the real reason for caponizing cockerels. Caponizing also tends slightly to increase the weight of the birds.

When birds are ten to twelve weeks old they are ready for caponizing, although it may be done earlier than this depending upon their weight. They may be caponized as soon as the sex can be distinguished easily.

After birds have been caponized they should be kept separate from the other fowls until the wounds are healed. No roosts should be provided, as the less flying and jumping they do the sooner the wound will heal. The yard into which the capons are put should provide them with shelter, food and water, and they should be kept quiet. They seem to be little inconvenienced by the operation and water and soft feed mixed with sweet skim milk can be given them immediately.

Birds to be caponized should be starved from 24 to 36 hours. Caponizing is not a difficult operation, but in order to secure the best results, an experienced operator should be employed.

Silo Supplies Roughage

Needed on Dairy Farms

That the average dairy farmer is bound to be short of roughage this year is the general opinion of men in touch with the situation. To prevent his shortage, Iowa State college suggests that the silo offers one of the best ways of stretching out the hay supply.

"While silage will not entirely take the place of legume hays in the ration of the dairy cow," says John M. Shaw, of the dairy husbandry department, "experimental work has shown that it will save considerable hay and at the same time will reduce the cost of milk and butterfat production."

"There is still time to build a silo and have it ready for filling this fall, and there is probably no more profitable investment which a dairyman can make."

Harvesting Broom Corn

Broom corn is ready to harvest when the seed is in the milk stage. It is customary to "table" the corn first, that is, bend the tops of the adjoining rows over so the heads lie in a horizontal position, crossing each other, just high enough to make cutting easier. When the heads with a foot or two of the stalk attached are removed they are piled, then hauled to a stripper or thresher, where the seed is removed. The brush is then cured and baled for sale.

Various Pastures for Feed

To determine the number of head of live stock that can be kept on one acre of various pastures, to learn the length of time that each pasture will afford a good quality of feed, to find the relative gains made by the live stock and to work out a rotation which will include a pasture that will furnish good feed during the hot summer months, is the fourfold purpose of a forage crop experiment now in progress at South Dakota State college.

LITTLEFIELD GETS PUBLICITY

Local Talent Broadcasts Program Over Amarillo Radio.

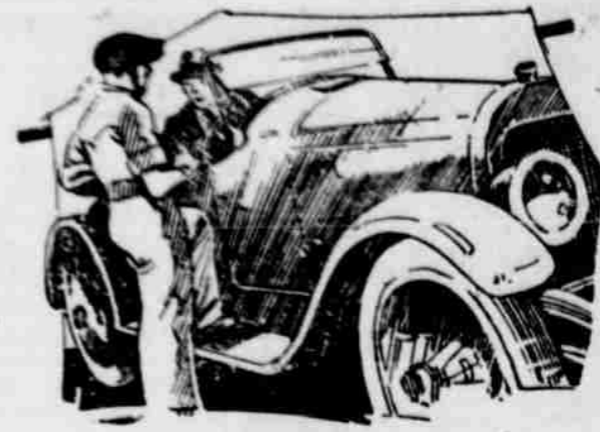
Littlefield is proud to claim the distinction of being represented by a number of her local people whose

program was broadcast over station WDAG, Amarillo, Monday evening and to be the first group of out-of-town musicians to appear for a program from that station.

The opening numbers of the program were rendered by Miss Nannie Thelma Wardlow, pianist which was followed by a short talk, on Littlefield,

by G. E. McCelvey in which he talked of the rapid and substantial growth of Littlefield and the surrounding territory. Mrs. McCelvey sang two beautiful selections, "I Passed By Your Window," and "Dawn," which were accompanied by Mrs. A. P. Duggan at the piano.

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He will make a careful test of your eyes and fit the Genuine Hawkes Glasses at regular prices.

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CAUTION! Beware of Peddlers and Fakers—the Genuine Hawkes Glasses are never peddled.



Money Spent For INSURANCE Is An Investment

—Whether for Life or Fire Insurance, money expended in this wise should never be charged on the debit side of the ledger—for it is invariably a good business investment.

—For the comparatively small amount insurance costs, no man can afford to be without it. Both property and life should always be kept well insured.

—We have known instances where fire has reduced a man to poverty, and within a very short time afterward he died, leaving his family penniless. Insurance would have averted such a calamity.

—We represent leading strong companies of America. Better drop into our office immediately and talk the matter over with us.

A. G. HEMPHILL

State Bank Bldg.

Littlefield, Texas

The Texas Utilities Company

It Supplies Light and Power Without Effort on Your Part

That is one of the reasons why service of electricity is growing so fast. It meets the definition of "an essential public service."

No community that expects to grow can get along without electric light and power. No community can grow unless its electric service grows ahead of it to make its growth possible.

Supplying electric power and light is not selling a commodity. It is doing service. This service must be ready every minute of the day. It must be ample to meet all demands. It must be supplied to all alike.

These things about this service lend it the great public interest that attend it. They are the things that make it desirable for the community and its people and electric utility management to understand each other fully and be perfectly frank with each other.

This company seeks that kind of co-operation with the people that it serves.

The TEXAS UTILITIES CO.

R. E. McCASKILL, Manager

Littlefield, Texas

"COURTESY AND SERVICE"

Unworthy Citizens
 that can give up essential lib-
 erty to obtain a little temporary safety
 never neither liberty nor safety.
 Benjamin Franklin



HOME DAIRY

All Sanitary and Wholesome Products

Popular Prices
 Service our Specialty
 Please Help Us By Setting Out Your Empty Bottles.

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 One mile east of Littlefield

—GO TO—
LITTLEFIELD WRECKING CO.
 —for—
USED CAR PARTS
 Nearly All Makes of Cars
 Many Parts Good as New
 Located on East Side of Town

GOLD STAR CAFE

 Regular Meals and Short Orders
 Menu & Service You Will Always Appreciate
Mrs. Maude Foster
 Proprietor

Home Killed Meats Range Raised
THE STAR CASH MARKET
 FRED HOOVER, Proprietor
 Where Quality Tells and Price Sells
 Littlefield, Texas



Grandma Walked
 Consider your life with Grandma's as to ease, comfort and convenience. The urgent need of even a yard or two of calico entailed no end of trouble for her—whereas—you today—with a telephone in your home have available the greatest step-saver ever perfected by man.

Running a home—or a business—should be done in the most efficient and labor-saving manner. The telephone is essential. Either in the home or place of business you are cheating yourself if you fail to take advantage of the efficient methods a telephone makes possible. The cost is so small that it cannot be considered a luxury.

Panhandle Telephone System
 Littlefield, Amberst, Sudan

PERSONAL ITEMS

W. L. Mason and wife, of Post, were here Sunday visiting friends.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Moline row-binder. Terms. Arbie Joplin. 25-1tp

Mrs. Pryor Hammon is spending a few days in Post visiting relatives.

Misses Lillian and Alma Busher attended the fair at Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Ezra Grimes, made a trip to Spring Lake Wednesday in the interest of her work.

Judge and Mrs. E. A. Bills have moved into the new residence of J. T. Street.

LOST—4 head of sheep, one registered number 42029. Reward. R. A. Kelm, Littlefield, Texas. 25-3tp.

Misses Katherine Greer and Frances Sanders, Messrs Luther Hargrove and Ross White made a trip to Plainview Sunday to take Earl White, who spent the week-end here with home folks. He is attending Wayland college.

THOUGHTLESS OF HER

Father—Who was here to call on you last night?
 Daughter—Only Myrtle, father.
 Father—Well, tell Myrtle she left her pipe on the piano.

Wisdom From:
 Prefer diligence before business, lest you esteem rust above the bright brass.—Plato.



**FRESH BREAD
 HOT ROLLS
 AND PIES**
 Whole Wheat Bread
 Every Thursday.
The Littlefield Bakery

Annabel Hopping and a Bell-Hop

By R. G. STOTT

(By 1926. Western Newspaper Union.)

BILL dreamed. He dreamed all the time. Early and late. In season and out. It hurt his standing with the management. It got under the skin of the "Captain." It brought him twice late for drill. It once canned him, but his Irish smile got him back on the bench.

Bill was a bell-hop. He was a good bell-hop. He could smile when a wealthy lumberman from the nearby mountainous timberlands slipped him a dime which should have been a quarter.

Bill smiled himself out of the giant hotel. He smiled himself into a huge concern—the largest lumber works in Tacoma. And in doing so he smiled himself into a long series of difficulties. For the distinguished J. H. Wade had fallen hard for that smile.

"Bill, we can use you," he declared. "We can make a great lumberman out of you."

But the great J. H. Wade, who shipped to a hundred ports, did not take the necessary time, thoroughly to understand Bill. And as a matter of fact he shot him into an office cage with some young fry and spoke hurriedly to an office foreman and left Bill to work out an industrial career.

Poor Bill! In a week he had that foreman in a cold sweat. He had failed to grasp the very first principles of the business details assigned him, and in three days he was working in the shipping department under the general heading of "Unskilled Labor."

Here Wade, the commercial genius, found him—asleep. Bill had worked until his slender frame could bear no more burdens. He had hidden between tall stacks of lumber. Here a little later the great Wade cursed him and sent him out into the cruel world. Even the wonder smiles failed.

Bill still dreamed. He dreamed in a nice room in a rival hotel. He dreamed to the tune of about eight dollars a day, little thinking of the scant three hundred that rested in the savings bank. He dreamed of the days when he would be of age—three long years. He dreamed his one own dream—the one he had never confessed to anybody.

One night he met a wonderful girl. She danced much better than anybody he had ever seen.

Then she asked Bill to take her out to dinner. Little by little they became most intimate friends, and little by little—or big by big, Bill's three hundred was getting down on its last legs.

"You've never asked my first name, Bill," she said very coyly one evening between fox-trots.

He smiled—and dreamed. "Not likely, too, either. Your last name is bad enough. Same as the big bum who hired me and then fired me. I like you, but I'd rest easier if your name wasn't Wade. Gosh, I'd croak if you happened to belong to any of the same family-tree. They're nuts!"

She patted his hand gently. "Don't discard me because of that—no danger."

Bill felt happier and the smiles came back. "Bill, you once told me you'd tell me your dream. Let's have it tonight—then I'll let you take me out and buy me lots of candy and lots of flowers."

"Not so good, honey-girl." He drew himself up to his best proportions. "I've fallen for you, Annabel Wade. And I'm going to give you the low-down tonight. I—I'm down to my last X—my last tenner. I have been living on a taller bluff than the city of Tacoma is built on. I've grinned and I've grinned, and I've dreamed, and I've spent. Tomorrow I'll take any old job that comes my way."

She caught both his arms. "Oh, you're broke, aren't you? Oh, I'm so happy. I—"

He removed her hands from his sleeves.

"I guess I don't follow you! Most of the money went on you. And now you have the nerve to—"

"I have the nerve to tell you the whole truth. I'm the daughter of the great J. H. himself. I worked in one of his offices because I am not ashamed to work in vacation time. I want to be worthwhile—as dad is. I liked you at first and found out where you had gone. Then I decided to make you spend all your money—on me, if necessary. Because—Oh, Bill—because! And I've told dad all about you—and about me. And he's sending a freighter to London with hops next week. And you are going—and you're going to stop this silly dreaming and spending and get ready to make a living. You smiled yourself into dad's heart and he's forgotten all your mistakes and given you your chance—your chance to make a man of yourself."

Now to conclude truthfully, Annabel was only seventeen, and when Bill made the first trip over the pond, he left only a picture of his smiling face.

But you have heard of Bill Hastings, the hop king? Well, he claims he got his bell-hopping, but his biggest program came from Annabel-hopping.

Clock Has Lasted Long
 The oldest clock still in working order regulates the time for the French city of Rouen. It was built by Jehan de Felaino in 1386, and a pendulum was added in 1714. It strikes the hours, half-hours, and quarters with unfailing regularity and keeps excellent

BAPTIST LADIES TO BUY BIBLES FOR THE SCHOOL

The Woman's Missionary Union, of the Baptist church, met Tuesday afternoon in regular session at the home of Mrs. Acree Barton, with twenty-two ladies present.

The Bible study was taken from the book of Genesis, which was ably led by Rev. Phipps, and was followed by a business session, wherein an annual report was read by Mrs. G. G. Shirley, the secretary, and quarterly reports read by the treasurer, social and service chairman, and all approved and adopted.

At the resignation of Mrs. Wm. Hay, industrial chairman, Mrs. Henson was elected to succeed her in that capacity.

The discussion of buying a Bible for each class room in the school, which was a subject before the closing of school last year, was resumed and a committee composed of Mesdames McCaskill, Speight and Phipps, was appointed to buy them. It was also decided to send \$10.00 to the Baylor college endowment fund.

The secretary's report was as follows: Foreign missions, \$10.00; Home missions, \$625.00; Wayland college at Plainview, \$10.00; Louisville Training School, \$10.70; Lottie Moon Christmas offering, \$2.10; Home mission thank offering, \$13.00; Baylor college endowment \$10.00; Buckner Orphan's Home box valued at \$50.00; White Cross cash \$25.00; city missions \$40.00; local church, \$53.96; district expense fund, \$6.75; subscriptions to Baptist periodicals, Royal Service 12; Baptist Standard 7; and Home and Foreign Fields 3. Mission Studies, Classes held 3, certificates received 18 and sales received 22.

GOODLAND OFFICE OPEN

Harry Barber Receives Appointment As Postmaster.

Supplies were received this week for the Goodland post office, located about 40 miles southwest of Littlefield. Harry Barber also received his commission as postmaster.

The new office will be located in the Shaw-Arnett store, and will be supplied with mail from Littlefield three times a week.

Poverty-Stricken Mexico

Although Mexico has a population of 14,000,000, only 3,000,000 have sufficient funds to buy comparative luxuries.

A SPLENDID FEELING

That tired, half-sick, discouraged feeling caused by a torpid liver and constipated bowels can be gotten rid of with surprising promptness by using Herbine. You feel its beneficial effect with the first dose as its purifying and regulating effect is thorough and complete. It not only drives out bile and impurities but it imparts a splendid feeling of exhilaration, strength, vim, and buoyancy of spirits. Price 60c. Sold by

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CITY TAILORS
 YOU'LL FIND US BETTER

You will need a new Winter Overcoat and Suit. Let us order you a custom made. We guarantee to fit and please you.

We will also clean your old ones by the Dry Cleaning process. We can make them look like new.

A trial will convince you.

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 J. H. POPE, Prop.
 Phone 48----- Use It

O. K. Transfer
 SMALL OR BIG HAULS
 EXPRESS, FREIGHT OR BAGGAGE
 Phone 22, or Leave Order with Butler Lumber Co.
O. K. Yantis
 Littlefield, Texas



DEERING—THE STANDARD TWINE FOR ONE-HALF CENTURY

The outside cover of the ball is specially trussed to guard against tangling, thereby insuring you the use of every foot of the twine.

For Sale By
Blair Implement Co.
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IMITATION GRAPE—NOT GRAPE JUICE
Favorite Beverage
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West Texas
 For sale at all Soda Fountains, Restaurants, Cold Drink Stands
 Once You Try It You'll Always Like It
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Make This Bank YOUR BANK

—The better the opportunity is that comes to you, the more inquisitive it usually is about your bank account. Plan to have more money in the bank for your own needs this year. We are here to help you prosper.

The Littlefield State Bank
 LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

R. E. COLE PAYS \$6,000 FOR LOTS AND WILL BUILD

R. E. Cole last Saturday closed a deal for the two lots just across the street south of the Ford garage, one of them now being occupied by the Fred Hoover market and a barber shop.

About ten years ago J. S. Williams, of Paris, was sightseeing in this country. The land office of the Littlefield properties was then located on these two lots, with Arthur P. Duggan in charge. Mr. Williams came into the office and asked how much he would have to pay for these two lots if he decided to buy them. Mr. Duggan told him \$475.00 for the corner lot and \$450 for the one next to it. "Alright," he said, just make out the deeds to my two neices at Paris. I am going to make them a present of these two lots with instructions to hold them until Littlefield becomes a real sure-nuf town.

Evidently Littlefield has arrived at that point, for last Saturday they sold to R. E. Cole for \$6,000 net. Cole expects to gain possession of the lots within the next 45 days, and will then begin the erection of a brick building covering them entirely, and which will be 50x125 feet, cut into four rooms. Two of these rooms will be 24x70, facing on Main street, while the other two will be 27 1/2x50 feet facing on the side street toward the Ford garage.

FREE FOR FOOTBALL

Dads and Mothers Will Be Admitted To State Games.

Out of town parents who are visiting the University of Texas at Austin on Dads' and Mothers' Day, November 14, will be admitted free to the football game between the University and the University of Arizona thru the courtesy of L. T. Belmont, director of the University Athletic Council.

The request for this attention was made by the Dads' and Mothers' Association of the University, through its executive secretary, Mrs. Joe Gilbert, of Austin.

A large attendance of out of town parents as well as those from Austin is expected on that day when an all day program will be provided for their entertainment and further acquaintance with the University.

Buy it in Littlefield!

TO OPEN ROCK QUARRY

T. F. Moffet Leases Tract From Whicker & Thomas.

A deal was closed Tuesday, whereby Messrs. J. C. Whicker and R. S. Thomas have leased to T. F. Moffett, of Breckenridge, about 30 acres of land, located six and a half miles southwest of Littlefield, on the main highway to Pep.

This tract of land is said to be nearly solid rock—one of the finest quarries of limestone to be found anywhere in West Texas, and will be invaluable to the highway and commercial interests of this section.

Mr. Moffett is a contractor and has had several years experience in handling rock and rock products. He proposes to immediately open the quarry, installing two big rock crushers, put in a cement block machine, build the necessary houses required for handling the business, also homes for his workmen, of which he will employ about 25.

PAINTS DROP CURTAIN

Artist From Denver Begins Decorating Of The Palace.

Halle J. Hanson, artist from the Denver Scenic Studios, Denver, Colorado, is here this week painting the drop curtain for the new Palace theatre, which it is now thought will be ready for occupancy about March the 25th of this month.

That Mr. Hanson is a real artist in his line is clearly evidenced from the character of work being done on this stage. The curtain is 26x15 feet, painted in red silk velour drapery style, with inspiring mountain scene taken from the Columbia highway in the center. It is a work of art fit to adorn any modern play house.

THIS WEEK'S BARGAINS

Furnished dwelling renting for \$60 per month, for sale cheap.

Business lot worth the money.

One acre tract cheap for cash.

New five room house, bath, sewerage, for less than market value, on terms.

25-ltc. C. J. DUGGAN, Phone 80.

Advertising paves the way for salesmen and overcomes sales resistance. It is the barrage fire in advance of the sales force that puts the buyer in a receptive mood, breakdown barriers and makes it possible for the salesman to sell his merchandise more quickly.

METHODIST WOMEN MEET

Tell Experiences in Raising Money For Society.

The Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. F. Greer, in Broadacres addition, with Mesdames Burns and Gillette as joint hostesses.

After the business session each member presented a dollar and read an original rhym explaining how she had earned the contribution for the society treasure, followed by delicious refreshments.

The next meeting will be a mission study at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and all members are urged to attend.

Buy it in Littlefield!

ED PURDY'S PHILOS

Men are getting smarter and smarter. Scientists dig up a bone in Siberia and tell how old it is. I'll bet the time will come when they can tell how much pork was a pound, a hundred years before, by just glancing at an old spare rib.

The Leader for printing.

PREVENTS INFECTION

The greatest discovery in flesh healing is the marvelous Borozone, a preparation that comes in liquid and powder form. It is a combination treatment that not only purifies the wound of germs that cause infection but it heals the flesh with extraordinary speed. Bad wounds or cuts which take weeks to heal with the ordinary liniments mend quickly under the powerful influence of this wonderful remedy. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by

Draughon's Business College
Abilene & Wichita Falls, Texas

A Good Position—a big salary is what counts on the road to success. We quickly train you for a good position in a bank, wholesale house, mercantile establishment, and the like, and secure position for you. Coupon will bring SPECIAL information Mail it today.

Name Address

SAY, MR. FARMER!

IS YOUR PLOW READY FOR WORK?

If it is an Oliver, we carry a full line of parts. Come in and talk with us about it. We handle

SPRINGFIELD WAGONS

Better see us before buying a wagon

Duncan & Pennington

Near Davanay Gin

Littlefield

We Carry Massy-Harris Row Binders

Texas

THE LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER \$1.50 A YEAR

BLED SOE

The Coming Town of West Texas

Bledsoe, located at the terminus of the new Santa Fe extension out of Lubbock, is destined to become a city of 5,000 population within five years time. City lots are now selling rapidly, and building has already begun. There is now a big demand for farm lands in that vicinity.

The Landon Lands

Comprising some 18,000 acres of as fine virgin soil as may be found anywhere in West Texas, is now on the market, surveyed into tracts of 123 acres each, and selling rapidly. This land adjoins the town of Bledsoe. Prices range from \$30 to \$35 per acre, on good terms, and will be double this value within twelve months time. Now is the time to select your home in this choice new country.

The following letter, written by R. J. Murray, general agent for the Santa Fe system speaks for itself. Read it!

R. J. MURRAY

General Agent

WEST TEXAS TOWNSITES AND LAND

212 Leader Building

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

October 7, 1925.

Mr. J. C. Whicker,
Whicker Land Company,
Littlefield, Texas.

Dear Mr. Whicker:

I note with interest and pleasure the fine success that you are having in selling the Landon farms adjacent to our townsite of Bledsoe. This is particularly gratifying to me because I know that you are worthy of success and your proposition is one of merit.

I believe that Bledsoe, in six months, will make a population of 5,000, and in my opinion, Bledsoe will be one of the largest concentration points for wagon cotton in Texas. I base my belief on the fact that surrounding Bledsoe is a rich, cat-claw, red, sandy loam land, peculiarly adapted to the raising of cotton, corn and feed stuff.

You may be interested in knowing that we have made arrangements to place a bank in Bledsoe just as soon as we can get a charter, and that we are making arrangements to build a brick school building sufficient to take care of all school needs. We have also been advised that a highway will be built into Bledsoe through your land from the East and probably a highway will be built along the railway from Lubbock to Bledsoe, and then from Bledsoe to Roswell, New Mexico.

In my opinion, all of the land suitable to cultivation, priced reasonably and upon good terms, in a radius of five or six miles of the railway will be sold this year.

Yours truly,

(Signed)

R. J. MURRAY, General Agent.

For further information regarding choice land in this new country write or call on the

Whicker Land Company

Littlefield, Texas

Bledsoe, Texas

GATES TIRES



The place to buy them

CITY GARAGE
LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

FURNITURE

Everything for the New Settler

We specialize in furniture needs for the folks just moving into this new country. At our store you will find everything needed to begin your housekeeping in this new section—and at "live and let live prices."

The general assortment of furniture we carry covers both the staple and finer kinds. We have everything in home equipment from the finest parlor to the plainest kitchen, and at prices that prove you are getting your money's worth.

LITTLEFIELD FURNITURE COMPANY
N. B. GUSTINE, Proprietor

Blacksmith and Machine SHOP

All Kinds of Blacksmith & Woodwork
Equipped for Machine Work of Any Kind
Have Largest Turning Lathe on South Plains
Oxy-Acetylene Welding
Auto Batteries Repaired & Recharged

ALL WORK TO YOUR SATISFACTION

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Texas

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 Delco light plant, cheap,
 will take in Ford road-
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 Mexico, for property in
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 Address, Leader office.

L. C. Smith typewriter,
 in good condition. Will sell
 cheap. Leader office. 19tf

160 acres, near Spring
 Lamb county. Write R.
 Kearney, Mo. 23-5tp.

for day police, or 170
 police service. 24-1tf.

Two 11-acre tracts, five blocks from school houses. \$1500. each. E. C. Cundiff. 16-tf

FOR SALE: Classified ads at 10c per line for first issue, and 7 1/2c 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: 2 residences, 3 rooms each, one extra nice finished. Also 2 room house completed in about a week. L. R. Crockett. 24-tfc.

WANTED

WANTED: Clean cotton rags. Buttons, hooks and other metallic substances must be removed. Leader Office. tf

WANTED: To lease sod land broken this summer to plant wheat on. Will turn land back to owner as soon as wheat is threshed.—P. W. Walker Seed and Grain Co. 23-1tf.

WANTED—Girl or woman to do house work. Apply to G. M. Shaw, at Shaw-Arnett-Tolbert Co. 23-1tf. PLACE your orders early for Holiday and Christmas greeting cards. The Leader has a nice line of samples.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—The Leader will run free of charge advertisements in this department for those who want to exchange pure bred sires with Lamb county farmers. If you have used your sire until you desire to change, and will exchange him

with some farmer in the county, send us the facts and we will advertise him for you free.

MISCELLANEOUS

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

Cream, 43c.—Fulkerson & Bellamy. 25-1tc.

Carbon paper at the Leader office.

TYPEWRITING for the public. Lorena Barber, at C. J. Duggan's office. 13-tfc

Green's Cafe—where Littlefield eats. 17-tfc

You should see the crops around Bledsoe, Texas.—Whicker Land Co., Littlefield. 17-1tc

HEMSTITCHING and piecing—Mrs. John Blair. tf

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

IF YOU need any light bulbs try J. W. Robertson. Every bulb guaranteed. 51-tfc

LEGAL BLANKS: Chattel Mortgage, Vendor's Lien and Promissory Notes, at Leader office. tf

Cream, 43c.—Fulkerson & Bellamy. 25-1tc.

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

BUILDERS Lumber and Hardware shipped direct from the mill to your station. Let me quote you prices. Acree Barton, 1st house north of Lutheran church, Littlefield, Tex. 25-8tp

SEE our Massy-Harris Row Binders before buying—Duncan & Penning-Littlefield. 20-tfc

CALUMET Baking Powder 15c per lb. Why 35c. Porter's store. 21-tfc

OUR AUTO repair shop is now open and ready for service. We have first class workmen and skilled mechanics.—Littlefield Service Station. 24-tfc

Cream, 43c.—Fulkerson & Bellamy. 25-1tc.

LUM'S CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wren have returned from east Texas where they have been visiting. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Wren's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Attaway.

Rev. Harralson, from Wayland college, preached here Sunday afternoon. A preacher-boy, 15 years old, from Wayland college also delivered a fine sermon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Jackson were the proud parents of a fine baby boy, arriving September 27th.

Vastine Pierce and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Doss Maner Sunday.

Misses Lena and Ola Reed were shopping in Littlefield Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Lum is seriously ill.

Ralph and Earl Bryant are working in Littlefield this week.

After Sunday School Sunday Miss Alberta Hodges' class rendered a very interesting program. Each teacher is to prepare a program for their class. The senior class will give a program next Sunday.

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medium carries more than a negligible degree of these highly-desirable qualities. No other medium lends the news and part of the process of keeping readers posted. It is exceedingly valuable news to the careful housewife interested in making the family income go as far as possible.—Publishers Auxiliary.

OUR PRIZE POEM

There was an old man from Perth
 Who was born on the day of his birth;
 He was married, they say,
 On his wife's wedding day,
 And he died on his last day on earth.

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK!

October 4-11

Littlefield has had very few fires. This is due to the extreme caution exercised by our citizens.

The Littlefield Fire Department urges every one to continue this extreme caution that we may maintain our good fire record of the past 12 years.

THE WAY TO PUT OUT A FIRE IS TO PREVENT IT!

We Sincerely Ask The Co-operation Of All Littlefield FIRE DEPARTMENT

I AM YOUR CREDIT

Make me what you will. I shall reflect you as clearly as a mirror throws back a candle beam.

I shall be strong and beautiful if you build me right and guard me carefully or I shall be a sight to turn the eye from if you neglect me. I shall rebound to your honor and strength if you treat me right, or I shall be a millstone about your neck if you abuse me.

I shall precede you in far places and I shall remain behind you and be an honor to your memory or I shall be a blot on your name long after your face is forgotten.

I am your friend and helper every day—your tower of refuge in time of misfortune.

I am your CREDIT. Build me right and keep me right by settling your obligations promptly.

THE BEST MEDIUM

People go to theatres to be entertained; not to read advertisements. An advertisement thrown on a screen is more apt to be an annoyance than an appeal. Billboard advertising cannot tell much of a story. A majority of those who see it pass so swiftly that they catch only a few words. Rarely does anyone stop his automobile to read a billboard ad. Dodgers and circulars east around promiscuously or jammed into mail boxes, end up usually as street litter or suffing for wastebaskets. Less than half the riders in street cars and busses ever read the ads that are carried overhead or in end space. Eight of every ten of these riders are engaged in conversation or in reading newspapers. Advertising by electric signs is efficacious only at night. Direct mail advertising has some considerable advantages when done properly, but a large proportion of it receives no attention.

All the above mentioned mediums combined do not reach as many readers as do the local newspapers. Every successful merchant prefers newspaper advertising. It is the only medium that gets his publicity into the homes. Newspaper advertising carries a considerable amount of the good will, authority and prestige of the newspaper in which it appears. No other

SEE—

This is a

Plot of the

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M. Addition

1 1-4 Miles from Main street of Littlefield, on the Roger Q. Mills Highway, which is to be a hard surfaced road in the near future.

These building sites have a footage of one acre facing this highway, and two acres deep, making a very desirable plot for a good home, where one may enjoy an orchard, garden, truck patch and poultry.

The owners stipulate in the deed that there is not to be a home costing less than \$2,000 constructed on these lots. So you need not fear from being surrounded by "shacks."

Considering the reasonable price and excellent terms offered, there is no doubt but these acreage lots will sell rapidly. Better get yours while the choice is good.

For further particulars, see

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The Blalock Co. office
 Littlefield, Texas

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WEST TEXAS NEWS

Stamford.—B. M. Whitaker, exhibit manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will open the exhibit program of the organization at the East Texas Cotton Palace at Athens October 5. Seven regional fairs are included in the itinerary of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit program this year and the exhibits will advertise West Texas resources to over two and one-half million people.

Graham.—Young county voted \$400,000 road bonds for the purpose of constructing over 30 miles of state highway in Young county. This sum will be matched by state and federal aid making a total of \$800,000 to be spent on county highways. Three previous elections failed.

Alpine.—Fifty thousand pounds of Candellia wax were shipped from here to New York by one firm. This is the largest single shipment made in months. The wax comes from a wild plant here and is used in manufacture of rubber.

Artesia, N. M.—A new modern 4-story hotel is under construction here to cost \$150,000. The hotel will have fifty rooms and will be one of the best in New Mexico. It is needed to accommodate the oil men here.

Slaton.—Surveys and field work are completed and construction is to begin at once on the surfacing of the Lubbock-Slaton highway. The highway will be 16 feet wide and will be constructed of caliche rock. The project will cost a total of \$200,000.

Roswell, N. M.—A silver fox farm is a new industry near here. It is located on the Roswell-El Paso highway near the Mesalero reservation. The farm will start with fifty pair of foxes and will be increased to 300 pair. H. H. Reid who is interested in a number of such farms in Colorado is in charge of this farm.

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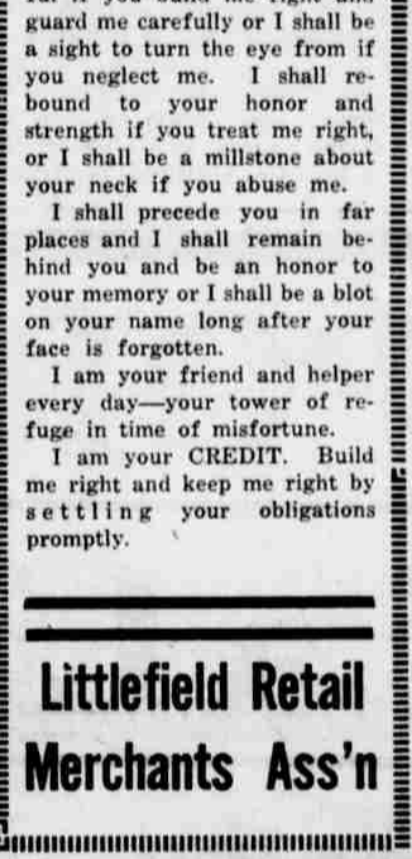
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Wealthia Johnson made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

L. P. Scheh, of Pep, was transacting business in Littlefield Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Harvey attended the fair at Lubbock Saturday.

J. M. Hughes attended the fair at Lubbock Saturday.

George Jake Landers is reported very ill, at R. C. Hopping's home.

Luther Hargrove attended the fair at Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. Maude Foster made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Tollie Gray made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Stanford Arnett made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Dr. R. H. Perkins and Dr. J. L. Lockhart made a trip to O'Donnell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Parnell attended the McMurray-Tech. football game at Lubbock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Q. Barnes accompanied by Mrs. T. W. Barnes made a trip to Amarillo the first of the week.

V. C. Walden was called to Lubbock last Saturday on account of the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. Hilton Moore, of Post, who is now in a Lubbock sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cundiff made a trip to Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Grace Brannen returned Tuesday from a brief trip to Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal A. Douglass, J., and little daughter, Sarah Hughes, of Lubbock, spent Sunday here.

Ray Jones left Thursday for Hot Springs, N. M., for a visit with home folks, returning home Tuesday.

Jo Ann, little daughter of Jess Parker, is very ill this week with pneumonia and appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. White and son, Harry, attended the fair at Lubbock Friday.

Miss Dorothy Anderson, of Santa Fe, N. M., spent the week-end here with her father, Dr. W. H. Anderson.

E. E. Grisham, of Wirt, Oklahoma, was here Saturday looking after property interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Jefferies returned Friday from a trip through New Mexico.

Burley Wright attended the McMurray-Tech. football game at Lubbock Saturday.

Miss Frances Sanders has accepted a position with the local Retail Merchants Association.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robinson passed through Littlefield Saturday enroute to their home near Baileyboro, after attending the fair at Lubbock.

WANTED: To buy 30,000 pounds of Sudan seed. Must be free from Johnson grass. P. W. Walker Grain & Seed Co., Littlefield, Texas. 24-tfc.

Mrs. A. J. Barton is visiting in Munday this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Harvey made a trip to Plainview Sunday.

Mrs. C. F. Shannon and sons, W. T. and Wesley, left Thursday for a several weeks visit in Chillicothe.

Dick Dean was called to Post last Saturday on account of the sickness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Davanay returned here last Friday from Wichita Falls. Mr. Davanay is steaming up his gin this week for the fall cotton crop.

C. L. West, of Abilene was here Tuesday. He is opening a public accounting office in Lubbock.

T. J. Sisson, living a mile and a half from Littlefield, is reported to have raised an immense turnip crop this fall. The Leader hopes to have a full story of it next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark, of Mt. Calm, passed through Littlefield Monday enroute to the Bridges ranch, where they will make their future home.

Neoma Gilly, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gilly, was able to return home Saturday after spending several days in the sanitarium here.

WANTED COTTON PICKERS—Two families to pick a bale a day each. Will furnish a house to live in. See Arbie Joplin. 25-tp.

J. E. Brannen and family attended the singing last Sunday at Oklahoma Lane, in Parmer county. J. E. says the music was good and the chicken fine.

W. W. Waldrop, of Dickens City, was here Monday.

Miss Bobby Nix spent the week-end in Lubbock visiting relatives.

B. T. Dickson, who has been in the sanitarium here was able to return to his home at Amherst, Saturday.

B. G. Warwick, county attorney of Dickens county, was here Monday on business.

Pat Boone attended the McMurray-Tech. football game at Lubbock Saturday.

Messrs. J. T. Couch, J. C. Fowler and J. E. Walk of Healdton, Okla., were here last week prospecting. Mr. Couch purchased a tract of land on the Spade ranch and is contemplating moving here in the near future.

We think the Littlefield fellows were very thoughtful in spreading a feed for the press boys and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce officials yesterday. That Gus Shaw is right there with the barbecued chicken, and when it is announced that this is on the program, there is no need to ask twice. They all want to go.—Lubbock Avalanche.

If anybody thinks Secretary Windsor isn't on the job, they have another think coming. If you haven't yet got acquainted with him, you will find him in E. S. Rowe's office, where the Chamber of Commerce is temporarily domiciled. But the big question is are you lending him your assistance in town building and community development? Might as well fall in line and get busy, for he is planning some big things and your help would be appreciated.

LAMB CO., TAKES FOURTH PLACE AT LUBBOCK FAIR

The Panhandle and South Plains fair, held at Lubbock last week, is generally conceded by all visitors to have been the best yet held, both as to exhibits and attendance.

Graza county was awarded first prize in the county exhibits, receiving a total of 937 points out of a possible 1000. Dallam county, on the North Plains, came in for second winning with 917 points to its credit, Crosby county won third, Lamb county fourth and Gaines county fifth. There were also good exhibits present from Hockley and Cochran counties.

There were also good individual exhibits shown from several towns of this section, as well as exhibits from some of the adjoining counties in New Mexico, Roosevelt county, especially making a good showing.

There were some especially fine exhibits of live stock shown. The women's building was full of attractive displays, while there was a good showing of commercial lines from both Lubbock and surrounding towns and cities. The crowds attending the fair were estimated to average close to 20,000 daily, with a much larger attendance on Saturday.

The giving away of four automobiles, fire works, balloon ascensions and football games were special features attracting many from a distance as well as nearby.

ZEIGFIELD SCORNS PAINT BEAUTY FROM OFF STAGE

Old fashioned dads who spanked their daughters for using rouge would have chuckled in glee to hear Florenz Zeigfield here to open the Chicago run of "Kid Boots," tell what he thinks of pretty painted faces.

What he thinks is this: There are no pretty painted faces! Faces can not be pretty when smeared over with paint, this master critic of American girl beauty, declares. The only time Florenz Zeigfield will forgive make-up is on the stage, or when so skillfully applied that it defies detection.

His chorus girls have been told by Mr. Zeigfield to remember his wishes while in Chicago, and to go easy on the war paint.

The most beautiful girl, Mr. Zeigfield reiterated, is clean, sweet and wholesome looking. Next winter, probably in February, he's going to stage a beauty contest of his own at Palm Beach to prove his contentions.

It will be open to girls of the world. There will be no commercialism, which according to Mr. Zeigfield, makes the annual Atlanta City display a farce, and the judging of the beauties will be done in private by a committee of experts.

The winner will be Miss United States and real jobs will be open to the runnersup. Nice girls, said Mr. Zeigfield, do not enter competition in beauty contests where they are paraded like cattle, and it's girls with the nicest manners and the cleanest souls who are the really beautiful, says the glorifier of the American girl.

The prettiest girls, Mr. Zeigfield says he has decided, are to be found among the ranks of working women.

OLD FASHIONED EDITOR

The editor is just a bit old-fashioned. We are so old-fashioned that we still believe in the old-time modesty. There is much more freedom than in any preceding generation in this country. This freedom does not always connote immodesty. Nevertheless, there are far too many evidences of not only destructive of mod the young people of this day. There was nothing wrong perhaps in the old-time dance. The present day dance may work no harm to many who participate. But we are old-fashioned enough, nevertheless, to be shocked by the public demonstrations of amorosness that are frequently given on the dance floor. We believe that the close contact of the male and female in the modern dance is not only destructive of modesty but is terribly dangerous to the morals of those engaged in this form of pleasure. The public dance as usually conducted in this day is no credit to the community which tolerates it. We believe that it should be frowned upon by all good people and that we should warn our young people of the dangers lurking in it rather than encourage them to indulge in it. This may be old-foggeyism, but we believe that such old-foggeyism is necessary to preserve the highest morals and the highest type of character among our young people. We don't even like the public hugging and kissing that is demonstrated in every picture show and tent show that is operating in this country. We wish that America might return to old time habits of virtue and modesty.—Lynn County News.

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