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## REPRESENTATIVES GUNTER COLLEGE HERE FRIDAY NITE

Elders C. W. Watkins and J. A. Mencham, of Abilene were in Littlefield Friday night of last week and spoke at the Church of Christ, in the interest of the new location that is being sought for Gunter college. The meeting was well attended and there was present a representative committee from the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce to learn something of the proposed location plans.

It was stated by the speakers that between 1,000 and 1,200 acres of land was desired for the college site. About 100 acres of this will be retained for the location of the buildings of the college, the remaining portion to be divided into town lots and small acreage tracts. While here these gentlemen stated they had sold 120 of these lots at from \$1,000 to \$1,500 each and that another addition of 40 lots would soon be placed on the market among their church membership. There have also been several of the 10 acre tracts sold, three of which were placed that night, one each with Bob Pierce, Mrs. J. W. McCormick and Geo. C. Hughes. These lots are selling at \$2,750 each, with certain improvements placed on them, house included.

Several towns on the South Plains are bidding for the location of this college. It is stated that the college is a fully accredited institution of the junior class, and the change of location is expected to be made in time to use the new buildings for school next fall.

A telegram received Tuesday afternoon by W. A. McCormick states that the locating committee of the college will be in Littlefield next Friday night and asks that a mass meeting of the members of the local Chamber of Commerce be called so that the committee may present its plans for locating the college.

## TWO CARLOADS OF FARM IMPLEMENTS ARE SOLD HERE

Four carloads of farming implements have been shipped into Littlefield to local dealers during the past two weeks, practical yal of which have been sold out to new settlers recently moving into the country or to older located farmers who are planning an increased acreage in their farming operations this year.

It is stated by land men here that many hundreds of acres of virgin soil is being broken out this winter, and that the coming crops acreage will be several thousand acres larger this year than it was last year.

Oil and gasoline dealers says their sales to tractor owners, who are using this motive power in their farm operations are much larger than this time last year, while it is a known fact that several hundred head of horses and mules have been shipped into this section and sold to the farmers during the past two months. All of which indicates the progressive activity of the countrymen for the coming year.

## GROWING METHODIST CHURCH WANTS A NEW BUILDING

With the growing Sunday school and the increased congregations at the Methodist church, members of that denomination are beginning to seriously consider the erection of a new church building for their services.

It has been pointed out by several of the members not only the immediate need, but the growing need of the future. Several of the leading members have already expressed their desire for a new structure, possibly a basement unit to begin with, and it is understood that in the near future steps will be taken in that direction.

## CLASSIFICATION OF THE BLEDSOE SCHOOL IS GIVEN

Parents of Bledsoe are rejoicing over the accepted classification of this school as a four year high school, which has just been granted by the Department of Education.

The school has been in existence for years and owns a building costing approximately \$80,000.

## 2,977 POLL TAXES WERE PAID IN LAMB COUNTY

There were a total of 2,977 poll taxes paid in Lamb county this year, according to report of Tax Collector Len Irvin.

The payment by voting precincts was as follows:

1. Olton	506
2. Spring Lake	178
3. East Littlefield	169
4. Littlefield	1,015
5. South Sudan	326
6. Y. L.	18
7. North Sudan	179
8. Amherst	493
9. Fieldton	110
10. Sod House	20
11. South Olton	29
12. Bainer	32
13. North Pep	2

## MASONS WILL LAY CORNER STONE OF NEW COURT HOUSE

The corner stone of Hockley county's new \$150,000 court house will be laid with appropriate ceremonies under the auspices of Levelland Lodge No. 1236 A. F. & A. M. on Monday afternoon, February 21, the exercises beginning at 3 o'clock, according to an announcement made Tuesday by Thomas Robinson, Worshipful Master.

While a large delegation of visiting Masons will be present from all points in this section and will take part in the exercises, the principal address will be made by W. M. Adams, District Deputy Grand Master, of Brownfield.

On Monday evening after the cornerstone ceremonies, the local lodge will celebrate Washington's birthday in a gathering to which all Masons and their families will be invited. This will be held in the Lodge Hall and Revs. Z. B. Pirtle, W. H. Hughes and Judge Frank B. Potter will be the principal speakers. An interesting program in which the Order of the Eastern Star will have a prominent part is being arranged.

A large crowd of the citizenship of Hockley County is expected to attend the cornerstone exercises, as this is one of the customs that have come down through the mists of early history and bespeaks the pride of our people in the development of our public institutions. To Hockley county it symbolizes the dawn of the era of permanency and a progress which is no doubt without parallel in the history of this State. Just a little more than six years ago this county was organized with a population of barely 150 people. The ground upon which this magnificent temple of Justice now stands was in the midst of a large ranch without a human habitation for miles. Around it today stands a small city with its churches, schools, lodges, legion posts and other agencies of civilization, while dotting the landscape for miles around are fine farm homes and an agricultural country beyond the period of experiment, and is now recognized as perhaps the choicest of the South Plains, and the South Plains is pick of the great Southwest. Hockley county has every reason to be proud of its progress.—Hockley County Herald, Levelland.

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## POST OFFICE RECEIPTS SHOW INCREASE OVER 1927

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Texas leads the entire country in the gain in value of manufacturing, according to the Texas State Manufacturing Association. The state showed a \$300,000,000 increase in this line in 1927.

## Got His Eye on this Young Crasher

By Albert T. Reid



## ROAD-WORKING INCREASES BUSINESS OF SERVICE STATION AT AUTOISTS EXPENSE

"Every time it rains and they level the roads in this section my business increases," remarked W. S. Brandon, proprietor of the Littlefield Service Station, this week.

Not that Mr. Brandon was commenting upon his good fortune of business in any mercenary manner, but rather stating a fact commonly recognized by all automobile drivers.

Mr. Brandon has in his place of business a heterogeneous collection of articles he has taken from tubes and casings, they having been dragged up by the road workers in the process of working or smoothing out the roads following recent rains. Of course, this collection consists principally of tacks, and nails, but there are also screws and bolts of different kinds, pieces of wood ranging from good sized splinters to chunks a foot long, also several rods and pieces of iron varying from a few inches to more than a foot in length.

Apparently the process of dragging and scraping the highways digs up these various articles, many of which are picked up by passing cars, while the most of them probably become

embedded in the soft earth again to remain dormant and harmless until such a time as road-working is done again.

Every tire shop in Littlefield has a museum collection of articles taken from their customer's tires, and all agree that if the roads were worked more frequently their business of repair and selling new tubs and casings would be considerably increased.

In the State of Colorado a short time ago the highway commissioners arranged a giant electro-magnet which they hauled over the highways, the magnet operating just a few inches above the surface of the roads. On one stretch of 16 miles it is reported that 1,400 pounds of iron was taken up from the roadbeds, which meant a considerable saving to traveling autoists, and, incidentally considerable loss to the service stations. It has been suggested that such a magnet might be very reasonably operated in Lamb county, tho just how the service stations would take such an innovation is not known. At any rate what would be one person's gain would be another's loss.

## HEINEN ERECTING A REAL UP TOWN FILLING STATION

W. H. Heinen has moved the buildings occupying the lot just opposite the old telephone office to the rear, and this week began construction of a real "up-town filling station."

The main office building is of brick construction, 12x20 feet, and there will be a triple driveway for the accommodation of customers. The structure will be fireproof throughout and brilliantly illuminated.

Gau & Vogel, of Amarillo, are the contractors, and state the building will be finished within 12 days. It has already been leased and will open for business as soon as completed.

## ROTARY CLUB TO HAVE ANNUAL MEET THURS. 23

The Littlefield Rotary club will have its annual meeting in the Presbyterian church, Thursday night, February 23, beginning at 7:00 o'clock. A committee consisting of F. G. Sadler, A. P. Duggan and R. S. Thomas has been appointed to arrange the program for the occasion, which will also include some out of town speakers.

## H. L. SNOW IS OUT FOR J. OF P. IN PRECINCT FOUR

In this issue of the Leader H. L. Snow makes announcement of his candidacy for the office of Justice of the Peace for the fourth precinct, subject to the action of the voters of the Democratic primary, July 28th.

Mr. Snow has been a citizen of Littlefield for more than two years past, now being engaged in the furniture business here. He is widely acquainted both in town and surrounding country and will no doubt command a good following at the polls.

Two years ago he was a candidate for this office, lacking only about three votes of election. He states he feels confident he can make an even better race this year and solicits the favorable ballots of the citizens of this precinct in this direction.

## VARIETY STORE MOVES

The Littlefield Variety store last Tuesday moved from its former location into the building recently occupied by W. C. Squires grocery and Mrs. N. H. Walden's ready-to-wear shop, where they expect to carry a still larger stock of goods.

## \$40,000 BUILDING BEING DONE HERE

Now that people are over tax paying they are beginning to use some of their overplus money for more direct personal pleasures and benefits.

Information obtained from the City Secretary's office shows there is now \$40,000 worth of building going on in Littlefield. The most of this in residence property. There is also reported some \$10,000 worth of other building that is to begin within the next two weeks. All of which is indicative of the prosperous condition of this little city.

## LAMB COUNTY HAS GINNED OVER 11,000 BALES COTTON

According to the figures given out by the Bureau of Census, Lamb county has ginned 11,877 bales of cotton prior to January 16. Some of the gins are still running throughout the county, and it is thought the total ginning will finally run to nearly 13,000 bales before the season closes.

Ginnings of other counties in this section are as follows:

Hockley	13,809
Terry	12,124
Crosby	32,296
Dawson	37,720
Floyd	7,478
Garza	20,229
Brisco	2,942
Lynn	36,417
Lubbock	37,331
The total for the state was 4,131,239, as compared with 5,111,443 bales at the same date last year.	

## LITTLEFIELD MASONS TO OBSERVE WASHINGTON DAY

In commemoration of the birthday of George Washington, the Masonic lodge in Littlefield will put on a special program at their regular meeting night, Wednesday, February 22nd.

Beginning promptly at 7:00 o'clock p. m., there will be work in the Master's degree; this to be followed by the birthday program.

The program will consist of addresses, vocal and instrumental music, including a male quartet, after which refreshments will be served.

Of course it is anticipated that all Mason members of the local lodge will be present, and all other visiting or resident Masons, not members of the Littlefield lodge, are not only cordially invited, but urged to attend this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Smith left Wednesday for Central, Nebraska, where they will make their future home.

## CONVENTION OF SINGERS TO MEET AT AMHERST, 19th

Lamb county, at Amherst, is to entertain the Plateau singing convention, Sunday, February 19, and every one is cordially invited to attend this great musical festival, according to J. E. Brannen, a member of the advisory board.

It will be a place for all lovers of song to enjoy themselves throughout the entire day, said Mr. Brannen. Many of the leading quartets of this section will be present, some of them having won national recognition through programs given over the radio.

One of the features of the day will be a big basket dinner at the noon hour, and everyone attending is asked to bring a basket of good things to eat—enough for themselves, a few friends and some who may attend without a basket. "Lamb county has always been noted for its hospitality said Mr. Brannen, "and the citizens of this county should endeavor to make this one of the greatest events of its kind."

Officers of the convention are L. L. Dunn, president; L. W. Jordan, vice-president; Zed Robinson, secretary; Joe Covington, L. L. Briscoe, Spurgeon Lang and J. E. Brannen, advisory board.

## E. N. BURRUS IS FOR RE-ELECTION AS COUNTY JUDGE

In this issue of the Leader appears the announcement of Judge E. N. Burrus, of Olton, for re-election to the office of County Judge, Lamb County.

Judge Burrus is one of the oldest and best known settlers of this county having moved here about 28 years ago. Previous to his election as county judge he had served the county as tax assessor for four years. He is now serving his second term as county judge.

He stated to a representative of this newspaper that during the past as a county official it has been his desire at all times to administer the affairs of his office in an equitable, efficient and business-like manner; that he has endeavored to be conservative in the expenditure of the people's money, and, if re-elected, believes, on account of his previous experience in this office that he will be the better qualified for future service than in the past.

## SCHOOL TAXES COMING IN GOOD SAYS COLLECTOR

More school taxes in the Littlefield Independent district have been paid up to date this year than during any previous year in the history of the Littlefield district, according to Tax Collector J. S. Hilliard.

January was the biggest month of collections, said Mr. Hilliard, and the books to February 1st show that out of the total assessment amounting to \$75,566, \$51,000, or, about 67 per cent had been paid. There has also been a considerable wiping out of the taxes that were delinquent for the years 1925-26.

The prompt payment of these taxes said Mr. Hilliard, will go a long way toward meeting some of the past indebtedness of the school occasioned by delinquency.

## LFD. OUTLAWS WINNERS

The Littlefield Outlaw cage team met the Olton team, supplemented by the coach and several players from Wayland college, Plainview, in a game here Wednesday night of last week. The concluding score was 30-23 in favor of Littlefield. This is four straight games the Littlefield lads have won from the Olton aggregation.

Friday night the Outlaws played the Amherst basketballers here in a game of 31-27 in favor of Littlefield.

The lineup for the Olton game was Mueller and Pool, forwards; Davenport, center; Stone and Lacey, guards; for the Amherst game the line-up was Wood and Mueller, forwards; Davenport, center; Stone and Ratiiff, guards.



**ATTEND COUNTY MEET**

A number of the teachers of the high school and grammar school attended the meeting of the Lamb county teachers association at Sudan, last Saturday.

Among the speakers of the afternoon were Prof. Clements, of Tech, Dr. Hill, of W. T. S. T. C., of Canyon, and B. M. Harrison, superintendent of the Littlefield schools.

Teachers from Littlefield attending the meeting were: Misses Lucille and Thelma Killough, Dahlia Hemphill, Nellie Dugger, Elsie Mitchell, Hazel Moore, Parilee Porter, Pauline Hardisty, Meslames Frances Lee Tolbert, and E. S. Rowe, N. A. Donges, F. O. Boles, J. E. Chisholm, and B. M. Harrison.

**NEW PRODUCE HOUSE HERE**

The Homer Wilson Produce Store, Homer Wilson, proprietor, is opening this week in Littlefield. It is located in the Yeager-Chesher building, on Main street, opposite the Higginbotham-Bartlett lumber yard.

Mr. Wilson comes here from Hereford, where he was former owner of the West Texas Feed & Seed Co. He is an experienced poultryman, and solicits his share of this kind of business from this territory.

Mr. Wilson states he was attracted to Littlefield because of the progressive spirit of the town and its citizens, and wishes to be numbered among its most ardent boosters.

Buy it in Littlefield.

**Pep Paragraphs**

The Pep Petit basketball game of last Friday was close. The score was 26 to 29 in favor of Pettit. Hanley made 16 of Pep's points and Allison 10.

Another new Pep citizen, a baby boy born February 7th, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Silban. Pep and vicinity was blessed by good showers Saturday afternoon and night. These showers will greatly benefit the wheat in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greener visited Amherst and Littlefield, Friday. W. T. Jungman went to Littlefield, Sunday.

Mr. Hankins, of Littlefield, visited L. O. Bray, Sunday.

W. V. Davis and wife of Littlefield visited at the Allison home Sunday.

Next Friday night a meeting will be held at Pep for the purpose of establishing a community club. An account of Thursday's program is given elsewhere.

(Too late for last week)

The rain last Friday caused the cancellation of the Pep-Petit basketball game scheduled to be played at Petit on that day. It was played instead at Petit Monday. The game ended a tie 17-17, but in a five minute overtime period Pep scored three field goals while holding Petit scoreless. The final score was 23 to 17. At the end of the first half Petit was leading 13 to 0, but after a seven minute instruction from their coach the Pep boys came back strong in the second half, scoring field goals at will. Coker was high scorer for Petit making nine points, Allison and L. C. Hanley accounted for 22 of Pep's points, Allison shooting six field goals and L. C. Hanley five. A return game is to be played on the Pep court next Friday afternoon.

A small but important citizen arrived in the Pep community Saturday night in the person of a little daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Jungman. L. O. Bray went to Lubbock, Wednesday.

W. P. Lupton, of Tuyl, accompanied by his daughter, Jean, spent the weekend with his family at Pep.

F. S. Murphy, high school teacher, and coach accompanied the Pep team to Petit, Monday. J. E. Stengle also attended the Pep-Petit game.

Mrs. W. P. Lupton, principal of the Pep school, made a business trip to Levelland, Monday evening.

A meeting for the purpose of club organization has been announced at the Pep school for next Thursday night.

In an exercise written as part of his English work, a Pep high school boy wrote as follows on the benefit of such clubs: "Such clubs greatly benefit the farmers, for in the busy season they will not have to quit their work to take their produce to market. They not only benefit the farmer but they also benefit the consumers for they will be able to get their eggs fresher if they come from the farms daily. The clubs for the boys will arouse interest in better stock than they probably might have had in the past. Better stock means more money in the community."

Mrs. Greener, Mrs. W. T. Jungman, Mrs. Stengle, Mrs. Allison and Mrs. Lawrence Albus, attended the chapel program at the school Thursday afternoon. The program consisted of a song, "America," the salute to the flag, a short play and some readings.

Wednesday 25 bales of cotton were ginned at Pep, Thursday 12, and Friday, nine. More cotton than was estimated has been ginned here to date. The people here are about through picking cotton.

**LUBBOCK TO HOLD ITS C. OF C. ANNUAL MEET**

The annual meeting of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce will be held in the Hotel Lubbock, Friday evening and invitations have been extended to the president and secretary of the Littlefield organization, also to the editor of the local paper to attend.

Aside from the usual business features, there will be discussed a plan for advertising the South Plains country. There will also be an address by an expert on "City Planning."

**TO DEBATE IN LUBBOCK**

Lubbock, Texas, February 15.—William Sewell of Slatton and J. W. Jackson, of Lubbock, have been chosen as the representatives of Texas Tech in the intercollegiate debate with Baylor University scheduled to be held in Lubbock, February 16. The Lubbock Baylor Club is arranging to entertain the Baylor debaters and Dr. L. W. Courtney, the coach, during their visit to Lubbock.

We've noticed that the man who knows all about running everybody else's business never seems to get very far with his own.

**DOUBLE WINDOWS NEED CURTAINS**

**Two Openings Treated as One in Hanging Draperies.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Two or more living-room windows placed in a group are usually curtained as one unit. Depending on the height of the ceiling, and the appearance of breadth given by the group as a whole, they may have only enough side draperies to give the effect of a frame for the whole group, connected by a valance at the top of the window, or there may be a separate pair of side draperies at each window. In the latter case only one valance would be used, extending from side to side of the group. Great care would be necessary to see that the repetition of vertical lines in using individual hangings for each win-



Curtains for a Group of Two Windows in a Living Room.

down in a large group did not become monotonous or distort the lines of the entire room.

For a group of two windows, the curtains shown in the illustration, which was made by the United States Department of Agriculture, are very satisfactory. Each window has its own glass curtain, for convenience, but the two windows are treated as one in hanging the side draperies. The double window is framed by the drapery material and the formal, pleated, scalloped valance which carries the eye from one side to the other. In this case the draperies are rose in tone, and the glass curtains are ecru.

**W. M. U. MEETING**

Circles No. 1 and No. 2, of the Baptist church, met with Mrs. Roy A. Kemp Tuesday afternoon for missionary program and business meeting.

As the ladies entered each registered after which they guessed at the number of cherries in a small bottle, the cherries supposed to have been grown from the tree that little George cut down. Mrs. Kemp, the winner, was presented with a heart shape box of candy.

The following program was rendered:

- Devotional—Mrs. Lowrimore.
- Prayer—Mrs. Howard.
- Our National Highway Signs.—Mrs. Spurlock.
- Two Dangers to School Children.—Mrs. Lucas.
- The Desire for Happiness.—Mrs. Powers.
- True Patriotism.—Mrs. Connell.
- Temperance and Law Enforcement.—Mrs. Badger.
- The Immigrant.—Mrs. Boles.
- The Way of Holiness.—Mrs. Kemp.
- Prayer that our Nation may be Truly Christian.—Mrs. Howard.
- Song—America.
- Prayer.—Mrs. Gray.

Old and new business was disposed of, after which all the members enjoyed a social hour. Refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served to the following members: Mesdames W. Lowrimore, J. L. Pate, J. O. Connell, Jim Powers, W. H. Badger, H. F. Spurlock, Lena E. Howard, Pryor Hammons, F. O. Boles, J. H. Lucas, Happy Jordan, Roy A. Kemp, Sallie Strange, W. O. Gray, Z. K. Hall, E. Mueller, Gaines Dobbs.

It was such a pleasure to have so many present at this meeting. If we could only enjoy their presence at each gathering.

Circle No. 2 will meet with Mrs. Otto Jones, assisted by Mrs. Blalock, next Tuesday Feb. 21, 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. J. M. Stokes will teach the book which we are studying, "Today's Supreme Challenge to America."—Reporter.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday School, 9:45 A. M. Junior Department has charge of the closing program.

11:00 A. M., Sermon theme, "The road that leads to the City," Isa: 35. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m.

Sermon, "The Patience of Job," 7:30 P. M.—ROY A. KEMP, Pastor.

Some of the oil used for lubricating watches, clocks and other delicate instruments is obtained from the head of neat's foot oil are used.

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It may be your home, the home of a friend, neighbor—one can never tell whose home may next.

**IT PAYS TO BE PREPARED**

The total loss of HOME would be a staggering blow to us. It would mean "out in the cold" and with no money to rebuild. But for a very small sum you may have the protection that will mean the prompt rebuilding of your family nest, should you meet in misfortune the fiery fingers of conflagration. It's always better to be safe than sorry.

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These seed are the famous Summerour strain of Norcross, Georgia

Price on car, per bushel ----- \$1.40

Price after unloading, per bushel ----- \$1.50

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Take stock of what you need once in a while—remember we are always ready to serve you economically.

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The **Rexall** Store

"In Business For Your Health"



# TWO WEEKS OF BARGAINS

**SALE STARTS SATURDAY  
LASTS TWO WEEKS**

In this Two Weeks Bargain Sale there will be found numerous bargains in late Winter and early Spring Dry Goods for the entire family. They are being offered with the idea of giving special values to our customers. All the Winter items listed are suitable for several weeks of

**SALE STARTS SATURDAY  
LASTS TWO WEEKS**

present seasonable service, while the Spring items will appeal to those who desire early purchases at money-saving prices for the coming season. Also, you will find many staple articles of quality merchandise listed here that are desirable for year 'round use, and all at a considerable saving in dollars and cents. Do not fail to take advantage of this sale!



## YARD DRESS GOODS

Dress and Underwear Voiles: Our stock contains a full range of solid colors, 40 inches wide. Your choice per yard .29  
Other Voiles per yard .50 and .75  
Dress Linens, the season's best colors, also. Prints that sell for \$1.50 per yard. These are sponged and shrunk, and all grouped to sell at per yard .98  
All Woolen Dress Material marked at a discount of 20 per cent  
36-in Herring-bone Stripe Sateen in light colors. Sells regularly at 35 cents per yard, specially priced at per yard .29  
Rayon Dress Fabric, light and dark colors, washable, regular 35 cent value, at yd. .29

## DRESS PRINTS, GINGHAM, ETC.

A few patterns of Dress Prints, mostly light grounds, 36 inches wide, 6 yards for \$1.00  
36-in. Challies, a material for curtains or comfort coverings, soft finished, without starch. Special per yard .16  
Cross Bar Marquisette for draperies, 36-in. wide, white only. In this sale we offer this at per yard .10  
3 pieces Percalé, a good material for quilts to go per yard at 8 1/3c  
Oil Cedar Calico, solid or figured, per yard .15  
Dress Prints, 36-inches wide, a large shipment of new Spring patterns, going at per yard .25  
New Dress Gingham, solids, checks, plaids, prints—all the wanted patterns at per yard .50

## SALE OF TOILET GOODS

Lux Toilet Soap, 10c grade, per cake .7c  
Palmolive Toilet Soap, 10c grade, per cake .7c  
Hinds Honey and Almond Cream 50 cent size, 3 bottles for \$1.00  
Hinds 10c cream, 3 bottles for .25c  
25 cent size Mentholatum .19c  
Toilet Goods—Advertised Brands  
Dental Creams, 50c kind—Ipana, Squibbs, and Pebeo, special per tube .39c  
Lov-me Face Powder, 85c size, per box .69c  
Black and White cold Cream, per jar .19c  
White Vaseline 15c size, per jar .11c  
Blue Seal Vaseline (Petroleum Jelly) 10c size, per jar 7c  
Egyptian Talcum, a Palmolive product, delicately perfumed, 25c quality, .19c  
The 25c Talcums, "Mennens," "Lov-me," "Mary Garden," "Marcelle," etc., at .19c  
Black and White Lip Stick, .21c

## Yard - Goods - Specials

36-in. "Pepperill" Pillow Tubing, the old reliable "Pepperill," 3 yards for \$1.00  
58-in. White Table Damask, colored borders, special per yard .69  
36-in. Outings, solid, stripes and plaid patterns, special at 6 yards for \$1.00  
36-in. Bleached Domestic, finished soft and without starch, for household use, regular 15 cent grade, special 8 yds. for \$1.00  
36-in. Brown Domestic, good soft quality for household use, very special at per yard .10  
Heavy Striped Shirting, good material for work shirts or childrens play suits, 6 yards for \$1.00  
Blue Shirting, "Everett" brand, mill ends, 2 to 10 yards per piece, a 20 cent material, for per yard .15



## Dresses and Coats

FOR WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN

Ladies Silk Dresses, pretty range of colors, all sizes, crepe and georgette, priced at \$9.95  
Special buy of Spring Coats, "Poiret," sheer trimmed with baby seal, special each \$9.95  
Children's Winter Coats, late arrivals, sizes 4 to 14, values up to \$8.50, to close out, at \$3.95  
Children's Wash Dresses, assorted sizes, made of prints with bloomers to match, sell regularly at \$1.00 per suit. During this special sale they are priced per suit at .69

## LADIES AND CHILDREN'S HOSE

Children's Ribbed Hose, black, brown, bisque and cardboard colors, sizes 6 to 10, priced per pair .35  
Ladies Artificial Silk Hose, colors and black, specially priced, pair, .42

Beautiful New Spring Millinery Now Arriving Weekly

Spring Styles in Virginia Hart Dresses . . . . . \$1.95

## Suits for the Men

One group of 10 Men's Suits, values up to \$40.00, to close out at

**\$17.50**

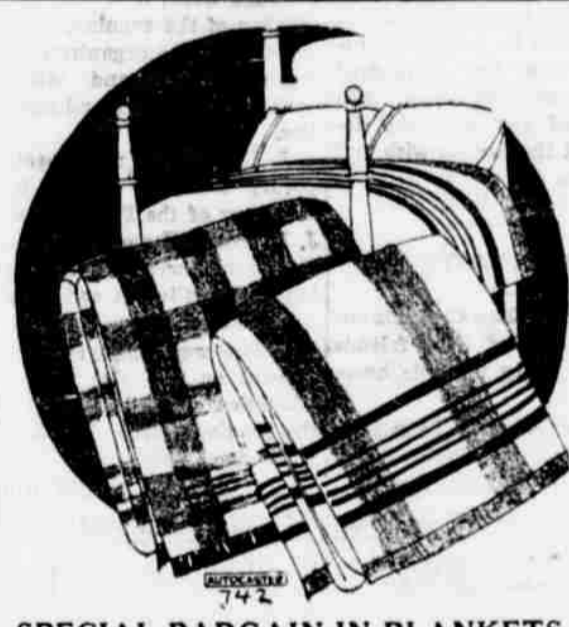
Spring Suits made by Hart, Schaffner & Marx, and Curlee brand are now ready for your inspection. They are priced within your reach!

## Overall for Men

Men's Blue Overalls, regular \$1.50 value, for \$1.10

## SHIRTS FOR MEN AND BOYS

Men's blue Work Shirts, a good \$1.00 seller, stiple stitched, coat style, all sizes, special each .89  
A few size left in Men's Khaki O. D. Wool Shirts to close out, each, at .24.49  
Special on Boys Shirts. Pretty washable Madras, etc., sizes 8 to 14, our \$1.25 kind, special at .98  
"Pool" fadeproof Shirts in all the new patterns, priced special \$1.35 to \$2.95



## SPECIAL BARGAIN IN BLANKETS

Double Cotton Blanket, tan and grey plaids, 64x76 inch size, only about 50 pairs of these left, to go at—

**\$1.79 per pair**

## UNIONS FOR MEN AND CHILDREN

Children's Unions . . . . .69  
Children's E. Z. Unions, \$1.00 values . . . . .89  
Men's Winter Unions, heavy quality, sell at \$1.50 suit, now \$1.29  
Men's Winter Unions, \$1.25 kind. The remainder of our stock goes, per garment .98  
"Haynes" Athletic Unions, summer weight, sizes 36 to 46, per garment, . . . \$1.00  
A full run of sizes in little-boys athletic Underwear, summer weight, sizes 4 to 14 at per suit . . . . .50

## BLOOMERS FOR WOMEN AND MISSES

Ladies Rayon Bloomers, good heavy quality, light colors, pair . . . . . \$1.00  
Ladies Bloomers, assorted colors, per pair . . . . .49  
small, medium and large sizes "Carter's" Rayon Bloomers, colors, baby blue, flesh, orchid, peach, nude, and coral. Our best number \$1.75 grade per pair . . . . . \$1.59  
Ladies Winter Unions, "Carter's" make, low neck, no sleeves, knee length, a very pretty garment, special at .98

## SOME OTHER BARGAINS

3 pieces solid color Georgette Crepe, 40 inches wide, colors, orchid, coral and Monkey skin. Very special at \$1.49  
Cotton Bats—3-pound Cotton Bats, stitched, special . . . . .59  
Men's White Handkerchiefs 6 for . . . . .25c  
Good Quality Men's Canvass Gloves, 2 pairs for 25c or 9 pairs for \$1.00  
Irontex ready hemmed Sheets, 81x90 inches, \$1.25 grade. Four dozen to go for each 90c

## SPECIALS IN SHOES

"Red Goose" School Oxfords for girls, black, brown and combinations. \$4.50 to \$5.85 values at . . . . . \$3.85  
\$3.50 and \$4.25 values at . . . . . \$2.95  
Advance styles in Ladies patent, satin and honey beige straps and pumps at a liberal discount. Prices range from \$4.50 to \$7.95  
One special lot of Men's Dress Oxfords, tan and black, for \$3.95  
Howard and Foster \$10.00 Dress Shoes, \$8.45 and \$8.50 values going at \$7.45  
New shipment of famous "Friendly Five" Dress Shoes for \$5.00  
New shipment of "Thorogood" Work Shoes for men and young men, guaranteed service. Priced at \$2.50 to \$5.00  
Ladies Shoes, odd sizes, displayed for your convenience on a table, values up to \$8.50, per pair . . . . . \$2.49  
New Spring shipment of the famous "Friendly Five" Shoes for Men—"they shine"—special per pair . . . \$5.00

## JIFFY PANTS

Jiffy Pants, flesh with blue trimmings, a splendid garment .25  
Kleinert's and Hickory Jiffy Pants, 50 cent quality for . . . . .43

# CUENOD'S DRY GOODS COMPANY

"Where Quality is Higher than Price"

Littlefield, Texas

Men's and Boys' Overcoats at 1-2 Price

Royal Society Package Goods Spring Numbers

ALL SWEATERS Men's, Ladies, Girls and Boys sweaters, we are offering at actual COST! Ties and Hose for Spring Special, 50c to \$1.50



## MUNICIPAL COURT COLLECTS \$104.50 IN GAMING FINES

If gambling has become a popular perversion in and around Littlefield, at least some of the gamblers are paying for the unlawful privilege, as, according to the city docket, the sum of \$104.50 has been collected in gaming fines in the Municipal court since February 1st.

The latest contribution came last Monday morning following a raid made in Littlefield by Sheriff Len Irvin and City Marshal Fred Hoover, about 4:30 o'clock Sunday morning, wherein five young men came into the toils of the law, contributing \$11.70 each to the welfare of the city treasury.

In reporting this raid of the officers the Leader fully realizes no news story is complete without giving the names of all parties participating, but in deference to the young men arrested for this law violation, some of them coming from prominent families of Littlefield, their names are withheld from publicity at the suggestion of the officers in the hope that they will not again be guilty. However, the records of the Municipal court are public property and open to the inspection of any one who desires to acquaint themselves with full knowledge of the event.

### A SLUMBER PARTY

Misses Lydia and Ellen Crockett entertained a number of their friends with a slumber party at their home Saturday night.

The party was followed by a midnight lunch and a waffle breakfast

Sunday morning, enjoyed by the following guests: Misses Josephine Glenn, Bernice Wales, Sibyl Glenn, Pauline Courtney, Fern Thornton, and Doris Williams.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Believing "The world is too much with us, getting and spending we lay waste our powers," I will preach on Heaven, "The Gates to the City" at one service Sunday.

Our visitors increase in numbers, and we ask them to stay and get acquainted with the members after services.

Young people from the ages of 12 to 15 were invited to meet promptly at 6:30 with the Intermediate League Seniors at the same hour. Juniors 3:00 o'clock. Song service begins at 7:30. Study Class, Wednesday.

—GEO. E. TURRENTINE, Pastor.

### PEP ORGANIZES A CLUB

The meeting held at Pep for the purpose of organizing a community club was attended by a representative crowd.

Judge Cope, who was the principal speaker of the evening, explained the object of these organizations, County Agent Debnham and other visitors spoke on club work and related activities.

J. E. Sttengle was appointed temporary chairman and F. S. Murphy secretary of the Pep Community club. J. F. Gerik, Herman Greener and W. T. Jungman were appointed a committee on Constitution and by-laws.

The talks made by the various speakers were enjoyed by everyone present as was also the singing of "America" by the school children and the readings given by Louise and Katherine Lupton.

## PERSONAL ITEMS

J. T. Street was in Lubbock on business, Friday.

Haskin Stewart left Tuesday afternoon on an extended trip to Pampa.

Mrs. A. P. Duggan made a trip to Plainview, Saturday.

Miss Mabel Engleman spent the weekend with relatives in Tulia.

Mrs. T. Wade Potter has been on the sick list for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone were in Lubbock, Tuesday.

Mrs. A. P. Duggan and Mrs. J. S. Hilliard were in Lubbock, Friday.

Chess Busher left Monday night for his home in Winters.

Mrs. T. P. Wright and son, Tilden, were Lubbock visitors, Saturday.

G. S. Glenn is in McAloo on business this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hendricks, of Lubbock, were in Littlefield on business, Tuesday.

L. E. Preer, of Rotan, spent Sunday with A. L. Henderson and family near Littlefield.

Pat Boone, Jr., who has been suffering from the measles, is now able to be out again.

Misses Lydia Crockett, Bernice Wales, Sibyl and Josephine Glenn and Mary Turner were Lubbock visitors, Sunday.

Gus Shaw, of Lubbock, was in Littlefield and Amberst on business, Saturday.

Ralph Gillette, of Abilene, spent last weekend with relatives in Littlefield, returning Tuesday.

### LITTLEFIELD GETS BLIZZARD

As the Leader goes to press, Littlefield and the entire South Plains country is in the grip of a blizzard, blowing from the northeast, accompanied by snow. Already probably two inches have fallen, if it were on the level, but it is drifting considerably, in some places the snow being piled a foot high.

Last Saturday night there was about three-quarters of an inch of

rain fell in this section, and again last Monday there was rain and snow. All of which will be of great value to growing wheat which is now in good condition.

About 62 per cent of pure-bred live stock is marketed directly for meat purposes.

Low ceilings for hoghouses save heat and lumber. But don't overlook the necessity of ventilation—and sunshine.

Two liters of not less than seven eggs each, raised to maturity each year, more than double average profits from hogs.

The ewe with twin lambs should produce much more milk and consequently needs more feed than is best for the ewe that is feeding only one lamb.

Fresh coffee stains may be removed from tablecloths and white goods by pouring boiling water on them from a height of 2 or 3 feet. Stretch the part stained over a tub which will catch the water. The traces of the stain can easily be removed by washing with soap and water. If the stains are on wool material, sponge with cold or warm water. If a grease spot the cream remains after the soap is dried, remove it by using one of the grease solvents, such as gasoline tetrachloride, chloroform, naphtha, or benzol. Old stains require the use of special chemicals.

The value of mineral products of Texas exceeds \$325,000,000.

The Leader for printing.

### Catcher-Boxer



Jack Smith, catcher, with the New York American League baseball team, who is training for heavyweight boxing bouts, Smith is under the management of Eddie Jolly, scout of the Chicago Cubs.

# MOVED

This notice is to advise our many friends and customers that we have moved our stock of variety goods from former location into the Building recently vacated by

**W. C. SQUIRES GROCERY STORE**  
and **MRS. N. H. WALDEN**  
which is located just two doors south of the  
**"M" SYSTEM GROCERY STORE**

In our new location we will have better opportunity enlarging our stock of general and variety goods, and them better display and of furnishing better service our customers.

**Littlefield Variety Store**  
Call and See Us at Our New Location!

## BUSINESS MEN ARE BROADCASTING FOR TRAINED HELP



Yet, hundreds are walking the streets hunting employment. Why does this condition exist? BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT QUALIFIED. Business men demand training and efficiency. You cannot get by without it these days. This school is the connecting link between you and a good business position which we secure for you.

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(An Accredited School)

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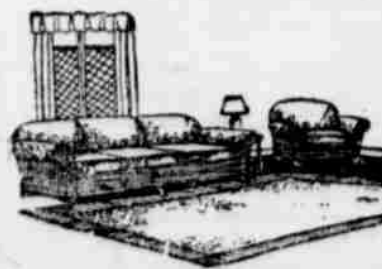
# NOW ARRIVING—NEW SPRING FURNITURE

For the past two weeks we have been receiving shipments of crisp, fresh new Furniture—Furniture that will delight the eye and gladden the heart of any householder.

Our buyer this season has shown exceptional artistic taste in the varied and numerous selections he has made. We simply can't begin to tell you of the beauty and merit that awaits your investigation of the mammoth stock our store now contains—you must see it to fully appreciate it.

### SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK

Two piece Overtuffed Living Room Suite, with Jacquard Velour upholstery—the best buy in town, for ..... \$95.00



You are sure to want it if you see it!

REMEMBER—we can outfit any home, no matter how large or how small. We have numerous suites for harmonious room matching, or we have a large assortment of odd pieces, and all at a range of prices to accommodate your desire. Call and see us!



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LITTLEFIELD,

TEXAS

# NEW PRODUCE MARKET In Littlefield

Opening Saturday, February 18th

We want you to come in and inspect our produce store.

We want to get acquainted with you, whether you sell

us your produce or not.

OUR PLEDGE IS—

Highest Market Prices to all in Cash for—

**Cream, Poultry, Eggs and Hides**

**HOMER WILSON, Producer**

Located in Yeager-Chesher Building on Main Street, across from Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co.

LITTLEFIELD,



**P YEAR ALREADY SETTLES THE DESTINY MANY MEN AND MAIDS, YET THERE ARE HT MORE MONTHS FOR CONSIDERATIONS**

arly two months have gone by which time many fair maids of section have taken advantage ap year to propigate plans for e life, while several bachelors intown and country, are remain- tatus quo, so to speak, in antici- n that sometime during these ve months their future fate may t and their estate established. is already reported that several clors of this section, who hither- ve been unable to make perma- feminine connections, are now ing their stuff with a complacent indicative of the fact that worry them is a thing of the past. Aut- ble dealers declare business is furniture merchants claim

plenty of prospects, while local lum- ber dealers are being besieged for all kinds of estimates and designs of cozy cottages built for two, but capable of such elasticity as will handle family conditions in the years to come, tho a few have declared that the far fu- ture shall be no different than the near, as though the "companionate" bee had been buzzing in their beans. One young man, whose policy has always been to "love 'em all and marry none," admitted in the post office lobby the other day that he was "caught." Still another who had declared he would accept the first pro- posal that came his way, coyly admit- ted he had received three already. Seemingly there was a tone of regret

in his voice that he had so quickly ac- cepted the first, as though the faster they came the better they were. Yet another of these Beau Brummels said it was his plan to accept all of them, and then right at the last, perhaps just a few days before Christmas, he would make final decision, thus elim- inating the suspense of all others and saving him considerable Santa Claus change in the deal.

One of Littlefield's more prominent bachelors has divested himself of the statement that he expects to accept only that woman who is anxious to marry and willing to make the living. He argues that such a procedure is nothing less than proper. "Why," he said, "when we men propose, we al- ways have to assume the necessary financial burden that goes along with marriage, so why should not the woman also, if she is going to take the initiative?"

Local stationery dealers say they are this year selling more high priced and highly perfumed box stationery than at any time during the past quadrennium, while clerks in the local postoffice insist that it is all passing through the mails properly directed and addressed. Perhaps, like employ- es in telephone offices, they might furnish considerable information; but they steadfastly refuse to do so.

In a drug store the other day over a couple of chocolate sundaes at a round table, a winsome miss mustered up courage to ask the gentleman who was with her if he had yet "accepted." Sad to say he had, and, for a moment she showed her disappointment. Then he, grasping the hint, betrayed first a puzzled expression then one of understanding. According to the brake- man on the soda fountain, who had been carefully eavesdropping, they lingered over the sundaes long enough to have made all family arrangements for the first two years, and he insists there was a perfect mutual understand- ing when they finally departed.

Still there are others who are look- ing forward in anticipation to what the year may bring them, and much may happen in eight months time.

**TEXAS BUSINESS OUTLOOK IS O. K. SAYS B. NICHOLS**

Austin, Texas, Feb. 15.—There were 259 charters granted to new en- terprises in the state of Texas during January, according to figures obtained by Bervard Nichols, assistant in charge of index numbers in the Bu- reau of Business Research of the Uni- versity of Texas. Mr. Nichols, who edits the monthly Texas Business Re- view issued by the Bureau, says that the number of charters issued during the past month is nearly double the number issued during January, 1927. The number compares favorably, though, with 161 charters granted in December, Mr. Nichols says.

"Capitalization of the 259 corpora- tions amounted to \$23,147,000 against \$6,807,000 for the 131 companies chartered in January, 1927," accord- ing to Mr. Nichols.

There were also fewer commercial failures in Texas during the first month of the year than for any Jan- uary since 1920. There were but 66 insolvencies having a total liability of \$1,571,000, compared to 134 failures involving \$2,348,000 in January, 1927. "An increase in the business mortality rate from December to January is a normal movement and a comparison of the two months should be made from that standpoint. However, com- panies going into bankruptcy averag- ed larger. During January the aver- age liability per failure amounted to \$24,000, whereas the average loss was but \$12,000 in December and \$18,000 in January, 1927. No bank failures were reported."

**TECH WILL HAVE ENTRIES AT S. W. FAT STOCK SHOW**

Lubbock, Texas, February 15.— Professor W. L. Stengel, of the animal husbandry department of Texas Technological college announces that the school will enter three breeds of barrows in the Southwestern Exposi- tion and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, March 10 to 17. The breeds entered will be duroc jersey, poland china and tamworth. The only other entries will be two ram lambs in Hampshire sheep.

Last year Tech won first in both duroc jersey and tamworth champion barrows and also first in tamworth pen of barrows and first, second and third in tamworth heavy barrows.

Mr. Stengel will act as superintendent of the swine division of the Exposi- tion, a position he has filled for a good many years.

The value of the Texas cotton crop averages approximately as much as all the gold, silver, zinc, lead and copper in the United States.

Texas now has more than 600,000 telephones.

**ARRANGEMENT OF COOKING CENTER**

**Equipment Placed to Avoid All Unnecessary Steps.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

In the ideal kitchen arrangement the equipment is placed so that one moves with the fewest possible steps from one task to the next. There will be a definite center for each type of work—a food preparation center, a cooking center, a service center, and a clear-away and dishwashing center. To some extent these centers may coincide or be placed very near each other. For example, the food prepa- ration center must be fairly close to the sink, which is the main piece of equipment in the dishwashing cen- ter.

One of the best ways to arrange a kitchen so that these various require- ments will be met is to plan a pass closet in the wall between the kitchen



Cooking Center Near Dish Washing Center.

and dining room in such a way that the sink is at right angles to it on the outer wall of the kitchen, so there can be plenty of light from a window either directly over or very near. The pass closet will have shelves for dishes, which can be put away as fast as they are washed, to be taken out on the dining-room side. It will have a counter below the shelves, and thus become part of the cooking center, with the stove next to this counter, so that the housewife can stand prac- tically in one spot to handle foods as they are made ready to go into the oven, or as they are taken from it.

The illustration, which was made by the United States Department of Agriculture, shows how easily this ar- rangement can be carried out in a relatively small space.

**Can Pickled Beets**

Pickled beets, which contain a high proportion of vinegar, are easy to can and may be processed in the water- bath canner. For pickling, select young tender beets of uniform size; cook and peel them, and pack in a mixture of hot vinegar and brown sugar in the containers. Process the pickled beets in the water bath for 30 minutes. Beets canned without vinegar should be processed in the steam-pressure canner at 240 degrees F. for 40 minutes if packed in quart glass jars, or for 35 minutes if in pint glass jars or No. 2 and No. 3 tin cans.

**THE YOUNG LADY ACROSS THE WAY**



The young lady across the way says she likes Mendelssohn's wedding march best, though of course Lohengrin also was a very fine composer.

(By Matthew Newman for Republic.)

**TECH HAS 1,620 STUDENTS**

Lubbock, Texas February 15.—The total enrollment for the present term in Texas Technological college has reached 1620 at the last report from the office of the registrar, E. L. Dohoney. This is a very substantial increase over the enrollment at this time last year.

One of the nicest ways of serving Jerusalem artichokes is en casserole. They should be pared and placed in a baking dish either whole or sliced. Cover closely and bake in a slow oven until done, or about one-half to one hour. Remove the cover of the bak- ing dish toward the close to dry out excess moisture. Season with butter salt, and pepper. If liked, add grate- ed cheese or buttered crumbs or both.



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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.

## HOME-TOWN CHANCES

We frequently hear the complaint voted by younger residents of Littlefield that they are fed up with the small town and that they long to get out into the world where they can do things and enjoy life to the fullest. We suppose that only experience can teach them the disappointments the outside world holds in store for many of them. Sometimes the only way to convince the growing boy or girl is to let them go their own way and learn for themselves.

While those who have gone through the same thing can sympathize with the boy who isn't satisfied with his home town, they know nevertheless that when all things are weighed and considered opportunities in it are far greater than they were a generation ago and, as far as happiness and contentment are concerned, still greater than in the larger places into which they want to drift. We have the auto, the radio, the picture show the same as boasted by the large cities. But along with that we have something that the big city is usually short on, and that is genuine sociability and the friendship of those about us, we may not live as "fast" as they do in the big cities, but we are due to live a little longer. And that means something.

Of course, not all of our boys and girls can remain in the old home town. No one expects them to. But those who do take advantage of the opportunities and find a life-work here at home are not going to regret it in later years. There's still a chance to grow up and amount to something in the old home town, and the boy who is seeking real happiness will try to work into that chance. There's always plenty of time to go elsewhere when you can't make good at home.

The report that Trotsky is coming to the U. S. ought to give us a chance to see how well our immigration laws work.

## ANOTHER PREDICTION

Now that water power is coming into more general use and electricity is so cheap in many communities that it can be used for heating as well as lighting, some writers are predicting that the day is not far distant when coal will be scorned as fuel. They predicted the same thing about gas a quarter of a century ago and in more recent years they've had crude oil replacing coal.

All of which reminds us that not many years ago we were somewhat alarmed at the prophecies that our coal supply could only last 100 years or so, and then humanity would be in for a good long shiver.

But so many of these terrible problems have been solving themselves naturally and casually, like the water power of the country is going to solve any possible shortage in coal, that we have reached the point where we don't worry as much as we used to. It takes more to frighten us now than it took to frighten our forefathers.

It begins to look as though the greatest heat at Houston next June will not be generated by the sun.

## THE BUILDING OUTLOOK

Business and financial writers are assuring us that prosperity is apt to be "spotted" throughout the year. By that they mean that some sections are due to have more than their share of prosperity, while other sections are going to find business lagging.

## Political Announcements

- FOR TAX ASSESSOR  
Roy L. Gattis.
- FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
FOURTH PRECINCT  
Ellis J. Foust.
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY  
T. Wade Potter.
- FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT  
CLERK  
A. H. McGavock.
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER  
M. M. (Jimmie) Brittain.
- FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
PRECINCT THREE  
C. E. Strawn.
- FOR SHERIFF AND TAX  
COLLECTOR  
J. L. (Len) Irvin.
- FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER  
PRECINCT FOUR  
A. L. Pacter.
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE  
Simon D. Hay  
E. N. Burrus.
- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE  
PRECINCT FOUR  
H. L. Snow.

But on one thing they are agreed, and it is something that ought to interest everyone around Littlefield who have dreams of sometime owning their own homes. They agree that the cost of building this spring and summer is going to be lower than for several years.

Competition in building materials is said to be growing keener as spring draws nearer, while labor is going to be easy to secure since there is more than a normal amount of unemployment.

Considering these reports, it seems to be a good time for those who have long contemplated building to go at it in earnest. Real estate values in this section are not going to slump. Ground here will always be worth as much as it is now, and each new house erected will serve to make it still more valuable.

So, with this fact in mind, and the additional knowledge that it may be a long time before building material can be had at present prices, it would look as though the prospective homeowner who doesn't make his dream come true this spring or summer is going to miss a mighty fine opportunity.

German carp and German submarines continue unpopular, but German sauerkraut retains its friends.

## RURAL RECREATION

Although farm life affords ample opportunity in its ordinary workings for plenty of physical exercise, there is as distinct need for recreational activities in the rural sections as in the cities.

While from an educational standpoint no one doubts the wisdom of the consolidated school system, where pupils for miles around assemble for one central point in a building or group of buildings for their teaching yet for every other purpose that a school building is used, the farmer and his family are seriously handicapped.

A movement is now on foot among a group of citizens residing about six miles southwest of Littlefield to erect a community building. They state they have no place at all in their community for social and church gatherings, and it is not always convenient nor desirable for them to come to town for these events.

## Dr. Frank Crane Says

LEARN FROM ELBERT GARY'S LIFE

The death of Judge Elbert Gary attracted attention to one of America's most picturesque figures. He drew attention to another one of those remarkable careers so characteristic of America. From a poor boy working for a few dollars a week to a multi-millionaire and to the head of probably the largest corporation in the world.

Judge Gary never discovered anything new. In his resume of the elements of character, we are struck by his emphasis upon the old-fashioned virtues. About all the virtues there are are old-fashioned. There has never been discovered any substitute that was workable for being honest and upright.

Gary's Ten Commandments of Success which he formulated for a man with a reasonably healthy constitution and average mentality, are as follows:

1. Be honest, truthful, sincere and serious. Being slippery and tricky may gain you temporary advantage, but in the long run will be your undoing.
2. Be considerate of others. Don't try to get ahead by pulling somebody else down. The more progress you make the less you will want to take advantage of others.
3. Guard your health, both morally and physically. The main thing to rely upon in a crisis or an emergency

These people are to be commended in their effort to supply their local needs. A building centrally located in their community, where they may have their social and literary gatherings, preaching, Sunday school, farm meetings, political speakings, etc., where they may step aside from the regular routine of life and enjoy wholesome relaxation is of benefit to both body and mind, and the best known means for promoting neighborliness and good citizenship.

This may go down as the year of the great war—between low-priced cars.

## LEARNING FROM FORD

The Littlefield man who knows how to profit by the examples of others can find something of value in the way Henry Ford has just finished scrapping the 199 wartime ships he recently bought from the government.

He paid \$1,697,470 for them, and now that he has finished the most complete job of salvaging the world has ever seen it is estimated that he made something like four times that sum out of them.

Pieces of wood too small for use were sawed for kindling; the sawdust was sold for covering the floors of meat and fish markets. Nails and rivet heads were melted down and the big rope cables unstranded and made into twine. Paper was ground up and made into cardboard for shipping containers and broken glass was melted and run out into new sheets.

Everything was saved on every boat but the squeak of the windlass, and when the job was done we had the best evidence ever offered to prove the truthfulness of the old adage that if we waste not we will want not.

A Florida man is trying to produce a combined lemon and apple. Isn't that the fruit Eve handed Adam?

## RAT CAMPAIGN

Farmers, members of boys and girls 4-H clubs, members of vocational agricultural courses in rural high schools and in some cases, entire townships and counties in various states are taking their rat tails seriously.

Members of the Milford, Ill. vocational agricultural class, for instance, recently chose up sides and started in earnest pursuit of the slinking rodent. The goal set for the hunting season is 5,000 tails, whereupon the losing side will play host to the visitors. If the goal is reached, they will have saved the farmers of their community \$10,000, as government surveys show that every rat costs his unwilling host \$2 per year.

A rat extermination campaign in this community would be a good thing for the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce to sponsor.

You don't need to tell the pedestrian who has to cross the street that this is Leap year.

Prohibition may have removed one nail from the saloon, but it placed one more on the political fence.

is being in fit condition.

4. Get an education. Know the fundamentals, such as arithmetic, spelling, grammar, geography and history. Also get all the technical education you can.
5. No matter how much natural ability you have, it must be stimulated by persistent efforts to improve the mind and store it with useful information. A good memory is of incalculable benefit.
6. Have clean habits of life and select the right companions. You should know men of experience and higher rank than yourself. Nothing saps character like undesirable companions who are only bent on self-indulgence rather than self-improvement.
7. Be ambitious honorably and back this ambition up with energy, persistence and thoughtfulness. "I have had to fight steadily against laziness all my life," he says.
8. Be loyal to employers, friends, and country. A reputation for loyalty induces people to give you positions of trust and responsibility.
9. Cultivate stability. Don't be a rolling stone.
10. Most important of all: Observe the Golden Rule. This gets you further in the long run than any other maxim of life.

## LITTLE LEADERS

If one ever saw a Littlefield man in a bathing suit, then they would understand why they wear long pants.

If the cost was as little as the clothes Littlefield girls wear we could think of pennies and nickels as money.

We don't know about a five-day week, but a five-day weekend would sure prove popular around Littlefield.

From the way they go at it, some Littlefield girls consider powdering their nose as important as scratching a bite.

What has become of the old-fashioned Littlefield man who always wanted to settle his arguments with his fists.

We have noticed that the Littlefield fellow who gets stuck on a second-hand car seldom sticks to facts when he's trying to sell it.

The main reason why living cost-Littlefield citizens more than it used to is because they're not living like they used to.

The only difference between the old days and the new around Littlefield is that people used to travel 20 miles to get to church on Sunday and now they drive 50 miles to get away from it.

No Littlefield married woman has ever been able to understand how a bachelor can get dressed with nobody around to find his clean shirt, collars, and socks, and show him where he left his hat.

## JUNIOR PARTY

The Junior Endeavor society of the Presbyterian church entertained the Junior Epworth League with a Valentine social in the church basement, Monday afternoon.

The room was decorated with red hearts, and the center piece on the table was a large heart shaped box filled with gifts. Red ribbon streamers extended from the box to the edge of the table where the end was tucked under a small red heart on which burned a small red candle.

Each child blew out a candle and then pulled the ribbon and drew a valentine.

There were 30 members and guests present, besides the Juniors League Superintendent, Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Lakey, Mrs. Wharton and the Junior Endeavor superintendent, Lula Hubbard.

Refreshments of Punch and cake were served by the officers of the Young folks.

Junior Endeavor Topic for Feb. 19th Subject, "What America Expects of Us."

Leader—Ruby Joseph.  
Scripture Lesson—Phil. 4: 8, 9.  
Leaders Talk.

"What Does America Expect of Immigrants?"—Fredda Charles Bills.

"What May Juniors Do for their Country?"—Mary Helen Harris.

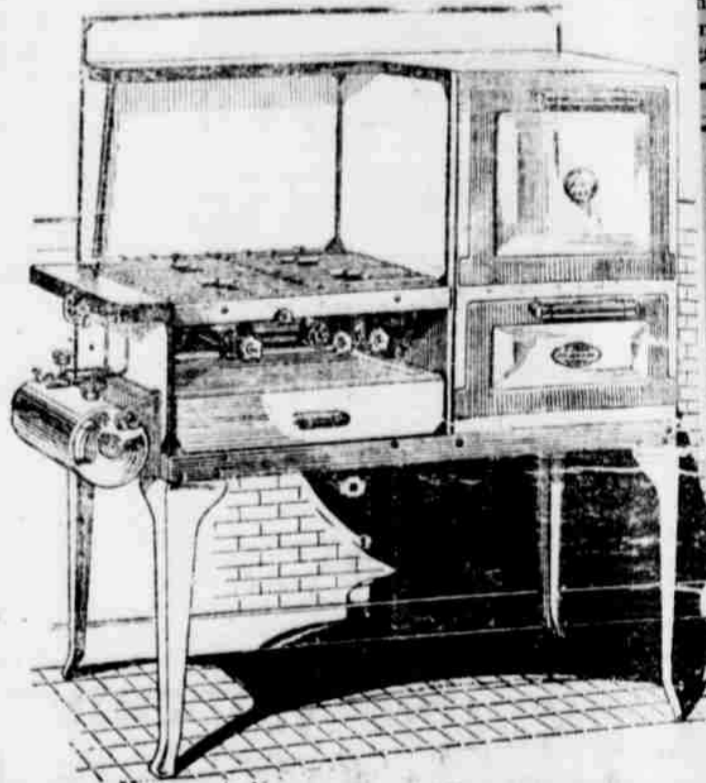
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"How do Working People Help America?"—Russell Cook.

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**A DEMONSTRATION  
 MODEL OF THE NEW  
 FORD IS NOW HERE**

John H. Arnett, local Ford dealer,  
 returned last Saturday noon from Dallas,  
 driving back one of the refined  
 models of the new Ford kind. Mr.  
 Arnett stated that by the word "refined"  
 he meant one of the very latest  
 type of the new Ford which has more  
 than 70 points of refinement and improvement  
 added since the new car was first made public.

While in Dallas Mr. Arnett was taken  
 through a school of instruction held  
 for dealers and given demonstration  
 of the particular points of merit in  
 the construction and assembly of the  
 new Ford automobile. He brought  
 back with him a 2-door Sedan which  
 is now attracting considerable attention  
 from those who have already placed  
 orders for one of these new cars,  
 or else who are contemplating doing so.

"That this new refined Ford car is  
 the art of a master designer," said  
 Mr. Arnett, "is evident not only in the  
 graceful contour of radiator, body  
 and fenders, but in the harmonious  
 relation of all the features so that the  
 car is extremely pleasing to the eye.  
 In every little detail the impression  
 of the new Ford is one of substantial  
 simplicity and richness—a car that is  
 entirely new and modern, yet with a  
 quiet style that is always in good  
 taste."

He insists, however, that one's greatest  
 thrill comes in sitting behind the  
 wheel and driving this new production.  
 That is where one gets a full appreciation  
 of what the car will really do.  
 Mr. Arnett says in this new Ford  
 car there is speed of from 55 to 65  
 miles per hour, a 40-horse power engine  
 that gives acceleration from five  
 to 25 miles per hour in 8 1/2 seconds  
 that it has exceptional hill-climbing  
 qualities, and gives from 20 to 30  
 miles on a gallon of gasoline. It is  
 equipped with mechanical four-wheel  
 brakes, Houdaille hydraulic shock  
 absorbers, has easy-riding transverse  
 semi-elliptic springs and a shatter-  
 proof glass windshield furnishing the  
 greatest protection in case of accident.

Mr. Arnett states there are now being  
 several of the new cars delivered  
 to recent Texas purchasers, and all  
 are unanimous in their praise of the  
 new production. He declares that  
 the beauty of the new Ford is not confined  
 to the externals only, but goes  
 deep down into every part of the car  
 giving perfect satisfaction in every detail  
 to the owners.

**WHAT IS DOING IN  
 WEST TEXAS**

Brady.—Ballinger, Brady, and San  
 Angelo have deferred action on the  
 proposal submitted to them by Brown-  
 wood citizens until after reception of  
 the recommendations made by the  
 West Texas Chamber of Commerce  
 Special Water Rights Committee February  
 13.

Fort Stockton.—Additions and improvements  
 to telephone lines of Rankin,  
 McCamey, Marfa, Fort Davis,  
 Presidio, and other towns on the Fort  
 Stockton lines are contemplated.

Junction.—The Junction State  
 Bank is building a million-pound capacity  
 wool and mohair warehouse of  
 fireproof construction.

Bronte.—Bronte is considering revival  
 of the old Coke County Watter  
 Project and will be joined with Winters  
 in this movement.

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 information see  
**Miss Mabel C. Engleman**  
 at Grammar School Bldg.

Childress.—Erection of a water  
 tank of 75,000 gallon capacity is under-  
 way here for the Denver road  
 shops.

Comanche.—A creamery and sweet  
 milk market is operating here, with  
 units to be added as needed.

Memphis.—A brick building cost-  
 ing \$24,000 is under construction in  
 this place.

**PERSONAL ITEMS**

Mr. and Mrs. Foy Smith made a  
 trip to Amarillo, last week.

E. A. Bills returned last Sunday after-  
 noon from Eastland, where he was  
 on account of the serious illness  
 of his mother. He reports rain and  
 mud and mud all the way back and  
 taking four hours to cover the 28  
 miles between Post and the Snyder  
 pike.

Paul Manthey, barber at the Little-  
 field barber shop, was taken to a Lub-  
 bock sanitarium late Sunday after-  
 noon, where he underwent an operation  
 for acute appendicitis. The last  
 report was that he was doing nicely,  
 and rapidly recovering.

W. H. Badger had a letter this week  
 from a man in Milwaukee, Wisconsin,  
 stating he had seen a copy of the  
 home paper and through reading it  
 had become much interested in this  
 section. Verily, the Leader travel-  
 eth far and wide and hath much influence  
 with the homesteaders.

The Junior Epworth League met  
 last Sunday afternoon at the Metho-  
 dist church with 15 members and one  
 visitor present. The League is en-  
 larging its membership and is doing  
 fine work. The Junior Christian Endeavor  
 honored the Junior Epworth  
 League with a Valentine party at  
 the Presbyterian church Monday after-  
 noon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oswald and  
 daughter, Cathline, and her father,  
 J. M. Shafer of Plainview were guests  
 last Friday of J. T. Bellomy and family.  
 While in Littlefield they paid  
 the Leader office a very pleasant visit.  
 Mr. Shafer, who is 86 years old, was  
 the founder of the Plainview Herald,  
 and has been living in Plainview for  
 the past 38 years. While here he  
 spoke of the wonderful changes which  
 had come over the country during his  
 residence in this section. While it  
 has been several years since the old  
 gentleman "worked at the case," yet  
 he insists he still loves the smell of  
 the print shop and can never resist  
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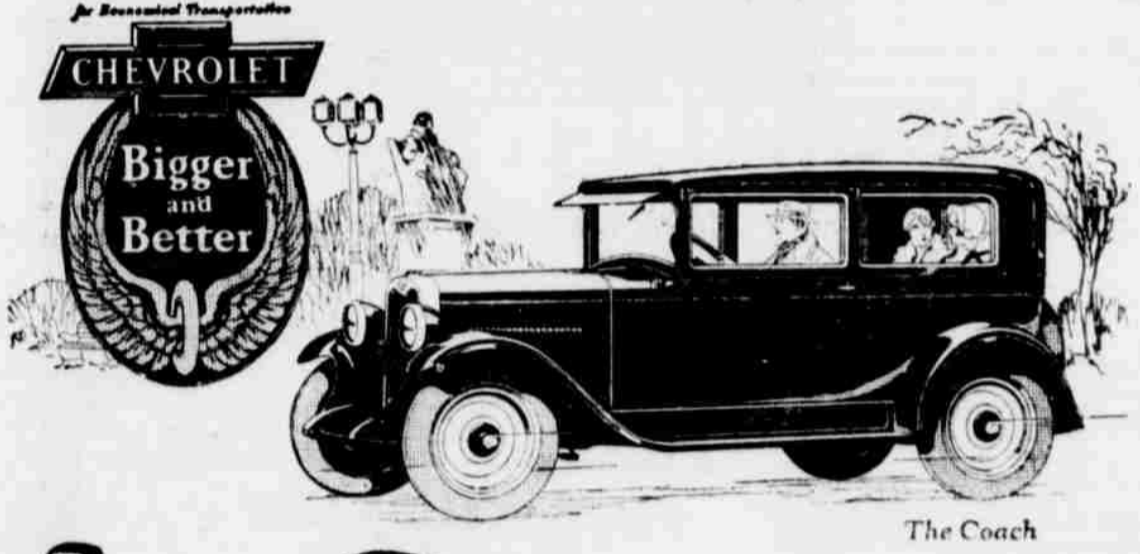
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February 22, Washington's birthday, is Arbor Day in Texas, so designated by a law enacted by the state legislature in 1889. What is Arbor Day? It is a day set aside for special study and practical application of tree planting and forest conservation, especially among the school children and the citizenry of the state.

Fifteen hundred years ago in a little town in Switzerland the people of the village decided that they must have a grove of oak trees on their common, so a day was set aside when every man, woman and child hiked out into the woods and each dug a little tree. These trees were then carried to the common and planted, under the direction of the gardener. The old story says that everyone did his part gladly. In the evening the older folks held a celebration with games and every boy and girl received a wabaten roll as a reward. Thus was the first Arbor Day observed by the people of the Alps. The anniversary of this first Arbor Day was observed annually in this little Swiss village by feasting and merrymaking, and the children paraded through the streets carrying oak branches in memory of the first trees planted.

In the United States, Nebraska was the leader of the Arbor Day movement. It was in 1872 that the Hon. J. Sterling Morton suggested to the Governor that a day be set aside for the systematic planting of trees by the school children and the citizens of the state. Appreciating the value of the plan the Governor issued an Arbor Day proclamation. The people gave such a hearty response that over one million trees were planted on the day set aside. From Nebraska the idea spread and met with such universal enthusiasm that many states set aside a special day as Arbor Day by regularly enacted laws. Other states announce the day by Governor's proclamation. In at least one state two Arbor Days are celebrated each year, one in the spring and another in the fall. This day has resulted in millions of trees being planted in the United States since the first Arbor Day was proclaimed in Nebraska. Untold, unmeasurable good has resulted from the trees that have been planted. Arbor Day should be fittingly celebrated by every school in Texas.

Shade trees and shrubbery should be set out by the children, under the direction of their elders, with appropriate programs and fitting ceremony. Chambers of Commerce and other adult organizations may well celebrate the day by following up the suggestion made in the legend that accompanies our front page illustration or in some similar manner. Texas should make the most of her Arbor Day. It will result in greater beauty of surroundings, in better care of our forests, and in the development of a greater love for home and country.

## CHEVROLET CARS SELLING FASTLY SAYS GILLETTE

Production at the Chevrolet Motor Company factories throughout the United States is running at the greatest clip on record according to W. W. Gillette, local Chevrolet dealer who returned last Sunday from Oklahoma City, where he attended the annual Texas-Oklahoma dealer meeting. More than 500 dealers and banker associates attended the meeting. All addresses were illustrated in the form of playlets, depicting the proper procedure to be followed in the successful operation of a retail automobile business.

The meeting was held under the direction of D. E. Ralston, assistant general sales manager, who declared in the course of the day that Chevrolet production for the first three months of the year would exceed 330,000 units if the present schedule is carried through. Following the afternoon meeting the dealers and bankers were guests of the Chevrolet Motor Company at an elaborate banquet in the Hucking Hotel.

The meeting was the 11th, of a series of 43 similar sessions that are being held this winter and spring from coast to coast.

The puzzle today is to decide if an actress is made to look at or listen to. Mr. and Mrs. Lon Campbell were in Lubbock on business Tuesday.

## Whitharral Items

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rowland were visitors Saturday in Anton.

Virgil Rowland, who is attending school in Lubbock, spent the weekend with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Monte Dennis and family have moved here from Wilson, Texas.

J. K. LaRue has put in a blacksmith shop here.

Mrs. E. S. Collier was a visitor Friday in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Lipton were visitors in Levelland, Thursday.

J. H. Scarabrough was in Levelland, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blakely were visitors Thursday in Littlefield.

Pike and Frank Blakely spent Thursday in Levelland.

W. T. Bumpuss returned Wednesday from a visit in Oklahoma.

J. B. Watson was a visitor in Littlefield, Thursday.

M. D. Burrus, E. E. Harbin, and P. B. Harbin were visitors in Littlefield, Saturday.

Fred Newsome was in Littlefield, Thursday.

Joe Thompson spent Thursday in Littlefield.

Mrs. May Jones, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anthony, returned Friday to her home in Snyder.

J. T. Bryant was in Littlefield, Thursday.

Mrs. Elton Houk and Mrs. W. T. Hanes were visitors Friday in Lubbock.

Miss Louise Houk, who is attending the business college in Lubbock, spent the weekend here.

COCHRAN OIL TEST WAS BEGUN LAST SATURDAY

Inaugurating what is believed by oil men to be a year of much drilling activity in Cochran county, the Marland Oil Company last Saturday unloaded machinery, standard tools and a rig at Lehman, about 36 miles southwest of Littlefield, near where a 4,000 foot test well is to be drilled on the Slaughter property, the work to begin immediately.

This well is to be drilled about four miles from the town of Lehman, and, according to report, is the first of nine wells to be put down on a lease embodying 40,000 acres of land.

## OFFICERS GET MAN AND STILL IN RAID

One man, three barrels of 150 gallons of mash, nine empty barrels, a stove, 45 gallon still, copper coil and other moonshine making apparatus were captured in a dugout on the old Oscar Smith homestead, nine miles southeast of Portales last Saturday night by Deputy Sheriff Coleman Penderly and prohibition enforcement officer Leroy VanLehn.

J. F. Tanner was the man captured and he was brought to Portales and lodged in jail pending arraignment before Justice Virge Campbell.

The still was located in two dugouts one of which was 14x16 feet, and the other about 8x8 feet in size. Besides the liquor making equipment, there was a small amount of bedding and furniture in the cellars.

In one of the dug-outs the officers found a well and pump which was connected with the still in the other dug-out.—Roosevelt Co. Herald, Portales, New Mexico.

Our extra slice of pie this week is awarded the politician who maintains that he only desires to serve the people.

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## COTTON KING TELLS HOW HE GROWS IT

John W. McFarlane, Palestine, Texas, in telling how he won the grand prize of \$1500 in the 1927 Dallas News contest of "More Cotton on Fewer Acres," said cotton had to be cultivated on a regular schedule. "If I plow my cotton Monday, I plow it again on the following Monday," Mr. McFarlane said in explaining what he meant by schedule.

If cotton is to make a profit for the farmer, it must be taken care of. If the farmer attends his cotton at irregular intervals, he cannot expect to make the crop pay, Mr. McFarlane added.

"My cotton is worked each week. In dry weather it is necessary to plow cotton oftener. That keeps the moisture in the ground.

"I believe farming can be successful only when it is done according to business methods. If we put all of our eggs in one basket, and if anything happens to that basket, we have

no eggs left. "I raised 3,322 pounds of cotton on the same on which I won the prize in the Dallas News in 1924.

"I cultivated the five acres different ways during the year, dusted twice for boll weevil and 1 3-16.

"I consider my cotton money crop. I do not believe a farmer can make a farm pay on cotton only.

"Last year I raised cotton, milk and cream for the market. I also raised strawberries and vegetables, and sold them for money from these things to live on and pay the expenses of the farm. The money I get from cotton is my profit. I believe the only way a farmer can profit. Farming must be business-like way."

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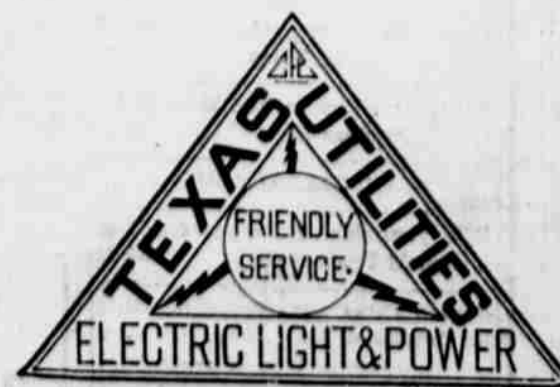
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## News From Anton

**Anton Mercantile Changes**  
The Anton Mercantile was sold last week to W. L. Allen, of Littlefield. A. Vaughter will remain in Anton to continue to represent the West in Co., in the locality.

Mrs. C. S. Badgley, of Phoenix, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. C. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Kennedy, of Colorado, are here at the bedside of Kennedy's father, who is ill.

**Roos Has Good Crops**  
Buch Roe, who lives three miles from Anton, states as actual facts that from 110 acres of cotton, he harvested 72 500 pound bales; from acres of maize the yield was 40 and from 8 acres of corn the yield was 180 bushel.

**Cafe changes Management**  
The Anton cafe, formerly under management of E. W. Fortenberry, has been leased by Mrs. G. W. Chesher, manager of the Spade hotel. The building is being remodeled which is to the appearance.

J. C. Grace returned last week from Lubbock, where he has been undergoing treatment for rheumatism.

**Tennis Club Organized**  
The Anton Tennis club met and organized last Thursday night. This club consists of 25 members with Ted Kennedy as manager. Two double courts have been completed on Main Avenue this week.

Mrs. J. D. Gilbert and Miss Chelsea Pool spent Wednesday in Plainview visiting Mrs. Gilbert's brother. Miss Margaret Eevrheart spent the weekend in Lubbock, visiting friends. Miss Loula Denham spent Saturday in Shallowater visiting her parents.

Mrs. F. N. Bryan spent the weekend with her husband in Slaton.

R. F. Duggan, of Dallas, was here Tuesday seeing after his land in and around Anton.

Mrs. M. L. Kimbrough, from Big Springs, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Fortenberry and two children are visiting in Tulsa the guests of Mr. Fortenberry's sister.

Mrs. Ruby Eagan and son are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Davis.

Misses Iode McSpadden and Frances Whitfield, of Amherst, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Whitfield.

Father suspects that the next cold spell is going to mean a ton of coal.

## FARM STOCK

### SOME ADVANTAGES IN RAISING SHEEP

Farmers are becoming interested in raising sheep as a profitable undertaking. One of the first problems that comes up before the farmer who is interested in the proposition, is the advantages and disadvantages of sheep. There are several advantages in raising sheep, and with a little care most of the disadvantages can be overcome. In general, sheep raising will pay provided the sheep are given proper attention, says L. V. Starkey, chief of the animal husbandry division at Clemson college, who gives below some of the advantages and disadvantages that the farmer may expect to find in sheep.

The outstanding advantage of the sheep industry is that they require less grain than any other class of live stock. This does not mean that sheep can get along without feed. There are times when they must have plenty of feed. A good grade of legume hay is one of the most satisfactory feeds.

Sheep will consume about 90 per cent of the weeds and bushes grown in the ordinary pasture. In this way they make the pastures better. They also spread their manure over the parts of the pastures which need it most. They seem to like to occupy the spots which are too poor to grow grass.

There are two money crops, the lambs and the wool. It is often the case that the wool will pay for the feed and the lambs are clear profit. If the lambs come early they will bring a good price on the market.

Diseases, parasites and dogs are the three drawbacks to the sheep industry. Diseases and parasites may be controlled to a certain extent by changing pastures frequently. If sheep are brought up into a lot at night dogs are likely to bother them. Dogs very seldom attack sheep in the day time.

### Proper Feeding Is Best in Growing Market Hogs

"Farmers will some day learn that it pays to feed hogs properly and market them wisely," says W. W. Shay, swine extension specialist for the North Carolina State College of Agriculture.

"On February 10," states Mr. Shay, "County Agent C. A. Sheffield of Davidson county weighed nine pigs belonging to J. E. Young of Lexington. At that time the pigs weighed 245 pounds."

Tankage, red dog, and corn meal were mixed in what has been proven by the North Carolina experiment station as the best ration to meet the requirements of such pigs from the standpoint of both gains and profits.

"At the expiration of five weeks," says Mr. Shay, "the pigs were again weighed and fed in different proportions was mixed for another period of five weeks. This was continued during four periods of five weeks each, and all the time an amount of corn equal by weight to the slop mixture was fed."

As a result, Mr. Shay reports that, on July 1, the pigs were sold for 13 cents per pound. At that time they weighed 1,531 pounds and brought \$238.03.

After paying for all the other feeds at actual cost, these nine pigs paid \$221 per bushel for the 83 1/2 bushels of corn which they ate during this 140-day period. If Mr. Young produced his corn at a cost of 75 cents per bushel, the profit on that eaten by his pigs was \$122.29.

### Live Stock Items

Don't waste your surplus feeds.

Don't turn cattle or sheep on luxuriant clover when the dew is on.

Don't allow pregnant breeding animals to become too fat.

Don't feed a ration containing corn alone to any class of stock.

Empty corn cribs help explain why stockmen are feeding and marketing lambs so much these days.

Don't allow your breeding animals to become so thin that you have to apologize for their condition.

Hogs and mineral matter, placed where the twin can meet at all times, will produce thrifty porkers.

Sheep and hog parasites live inside the animals; you can't get at them with external remedies.

Don't use pastures too early in the spring and don't graze pastures too closely.

A good feeding ration for steers, be they yearlings or two-year-olds, is corn, oatmeal and alfalfa hay.

Brood sows, bred to farrow in the spring, should be kept in good flesh, but not allowed to become too fleshy.

A good grade of alfalfa hay is much appreciated in small quantities by the sow and helps in producing milk.

## Horticultural NEWS

### VALUE OF COVER CROP IN ORCHARD

(By E. L. PROBSTING, University of California.)

Cover crops, provided adequate moisture is present for both the trees and the crop, are of considerable benefit to the orchard. The more important of these beneficial effects may be listed as follows:

1. If the crop is leguminous it adds nitrogen to the soil.
2. It provides a favorable medium for growth of soil organisms.
3. It improves the physical condition of the soil.

It is well known that certain bacteria grow in nodules formed on the roots of legumes. These bacteria have the power of "fixing" atmospheric nitrogen, that is, changing it from a form practically useless to the plant to one which is readily absorbed. The addition of this element is an important part of maintaining permanent agriculture.

It is not so generally known that there are many kinds of microscopic organisms that occur in the soil. These are of many sorts, both animals and plants being among them. One of the important kinds is the ammonifying bacteria. These bacteria take the complex forms of nitrogen compounds such as proteins, and digest them with the production of ammonia. A small amount of ammonia is used directly by the plant. A much larger amount is transformed to nitrates by another group of bacteria, and still another group carries the process further to the nitrate state. This is probably the form in which most nitrogen used by the plant is absorbed.

Besides these organisms working in the soil on the forms of nitrogen there are many acting on other compounds, such as those of sulphur, iron, phosphorus, etc. They also help to put the elements into a form suitable for absorption by the plants. In order that these beneficial processes may be carried on in the soil it is necessary that a proper environment be supplied. This is very greatly aided by the use of cover crops.

It has been found that the ability of the soil to maintain a desirable texture is greatly influenced by the amount of certain materials in it. An important group of these materials is supplied to the soil by the decomposition of cover crops. They tend to prevent puddling of the soil, especially heavy soils, where this is apt to be serious. They also increase the water-holding capacity of the soil, which is especially important in a region of prolonged dry weather.

While these items do not tell all of the story they serve to show the value of a cover crop to the orchard.

### Cedar Rust Trouble Is Being Watched Closely

Fruit-growers are watching West Virginia to see what progress she makes in her battle against red cedars, which cause millions of dollars in losses to orchard owners, due to the red cedar spores being carried to nearby apple orchards. West Virginia has a cedar-rust law which provides that red cedars, within three miles of any commercial orchard, may be cut down, and approximately 100,000 acres have been cleared of cedars since January.

But will the law stand the test of the courts? Some of the farmers in Berkeley county have started a test case by securing an injunction against the cutting of cedars on their farms. This case will be heard in the near future in the Circuit court there and is virtually certain to be carried to the state Supreme court.

The large orchard interests of the Eastern Panhandle have taken the lead in helping the state department of agriculture to enforce the law. The cost of destroying the trees is paid out of the county treasury and this money is repaid the county by a special levy upon all orchards in that particular county. The levy must not exceed \$1 an acre on orchards planted ten years or more, or 50 cents an acre on orchards planted more than two years and less than ten years.

### Summer Sprays

The third summer orchard spray should be followed in about two weeks with another application. If apple blotch is not present, lime-sulphur solution and arsenate of lead may be used. Where the grower anticipates injury from apple blotch or bitter rot, bordeaux and arsenate of lead should be applied. Practically all orchards should receive at least four summer sprays. In most cases they will be greatly benefited by applying from five to seven sprays.

### American Apples in Paris

An interesting development of the fruit trade is the offering of American apples on the fruit stands of Paris at the end of March, in good sound condition and at a reasonable price. The importers believe that Paris will take a carload of American apples at fortnightly periods for the balance of the season, and that next year the trade will start earlier. Newtowns and Arkansas Black met with the readiest sale, with the Winesap third and Stayman last.

## SHERIFF TO BELTON

Sheriff Len Irvin left last Monday night for Belton to bring back L. C. Bolin who is under indictment found by the grand jury, charging unlawful disposition of mortgaged property.

Bolin, according to Irvin, is now being held by the Sheriff of Bell county.

## ELECTION ORDER

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF LITTLEFIELD,  
CITY OF LAMB.

ON THIS the 10th day of January, 1928, the City Commission of the City of Littlefield, Texas, convened in session at a regular meeting of said Commission, duly called by the Mayor, and the following members were present and in attendance:

L. R. CROCKETT, Mayor,  
C. O. STONE, Commissioner,  
W. G. STREET, Commissioner,  
E. C. CUNDIFF, City Clerk,

and, among other proceedings had, was the following:

IT WAS MOVED by Commissioner Stone and seconded by Commissioner Street, that there be submitted to the qualified taxpayers therein, the proposition for the issuance of the bonds of the said City of Littlefield, as follows:

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00), for the purpose of the construction of Waterworks Improvements, in and for the said City of Littlefield, Texas, the election to be held on the 6th day of March, 1928.

The motion carried by the following vote: Mayor L. R. Crockett and Commissioners C. O. Stone and W. G. Street voting "AYE;" and no one voting "NO."

THEREFORE, the following ELECTION ORDER was adopted: WHEREAS, the City Commission of the City of Littlefield, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of the said City for the purpose hereinafter mentioned;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED by the City Commission of the City of Littlefield, Texas, that an election be held on the 6th day of March, 1928, at which the following proposition shall be submitted:

"SHALL THE City Commission of the City of Littlefield, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Littlefield, Texas, in the sum of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00), payable serially within any given number of years not to exceed forty years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of SIX PER CENT (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity, said bonds being issued for the purpose of the construction of WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENTS, within and for said City, as authorized by the Constitution and General Laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapters 1 and 7, Title 22, Revised Statutes, 1925?"

THE SAID ELECTION shall be held at the City Hall March 6, 1928, in the City of Littlefield, Texas, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit: Chas. Harless, L. W. Wynn, J. W. Hopping, Mrs. Chas. Harless, Mrs. J. W. Hopping; and the said Chas. Harless shall be presiding judge, and the said L. W. Wynn and J. W. Hopping shall be clerks at said election.

THE SAID ELECTION shall be held under the provisions of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified voters who are property taxpayers of said City shall be allowed to vote.

ALL VOTERS desiring to support the proposition shall have written or printed upon their ballots, the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENT BONDS."

And those opposed, shall have written or printed upon their ballots, the words:

"AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS IMPROVEMENT BONDS."

THE MANNER of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State governing General Elections.

A COPY of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of Littlefield, Texas, and attested by the City Clerk of said City, shall serve as a proper notice of said election.

THE MAYOR is authorized and directed to cause said notice to be posted at the City Hall (the place designated for holding said election) and at two other public places in the City of Littlefield, all of said notices to be posted for at least thirty (30) full days prior to the date of election.

THE MAYOR is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in Lamb County Leader a newspaper of general circulation, published in said City, and which notice shall be published once each week for five weeks, the date of the first publication to be not less than thirty (30) full days prior to the date of election.

PASSED AND APPROVED, on this the 10th day of January, 1928.

L. R. CROCKETT, Mayor, City of Littlefield, Texas.

ATTEST:  
E. C. CUNDIFF, City Clerk, City of Littlefield, Texas.  
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C. O. STONE, Commissioner,  
W. G. STREET, Commissioner,  
E. C. CUNDIFF, City Clerk,

and, among other proceedings had, was the following:

IT WAS MOVED by Commissioner Stone and seconded by Commissioner Street, that there be submitted to the qualified taxpayers therein, the proposition for the issuance of the bonds of the said City of Littlefield, as follows:

FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$40,000.00), for the purpose of the construction of STREET IMPROVEMENTS, in and for the said City of Littlefield, Texas, the election to be held on the 6th day of March, 1928.

The motion carried by the following vote: Mayor L. R. Crockett and Commissioners C. O. Stone and W. G. Street voting "AYE;" and no one voting "NO."

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"SHALL THE City Commission of the City of Littlefield, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of the City of Littlefield, Texas, in the sum of FORTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$40,000.00), payable serially within any given number of years not to exceed forty years from the date thereof, bearing interest at the rate of SIX PER CENT (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and to levy taxes sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at maturity, said bonds being issued for the purpose of the construction of STREET IMPROVEMENTS, within and for said City, as authorized by the Constitution and General Laws of the State of Texas, particularly Chapters 1 and 7, Title 22, Revised Statutes, 1925?"

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ALL VOTERS desiring to support the proposition shall have written or printed upon their ballots, the words: "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS."

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Farnest Pool of Amherst, was a Littlefield visitor, Sunday.

E. H. Williams made a business trip to Peryton last week.

C. V. Hudgins, of Fort Worth, was in Littlefield on business Monday.

Lee Harris and Wayne Harless visited friends in Lubbock, Friday night.

Miss Evelyn McDonald spent last weekend with her mother in Lubbock.

Jack Silcott, of Olton, attended the ball game here Friday night.

C. O. Glenn, of McKinney, was in Littlefield on business, Monday.

Pryor Hammons, made a business trip to Levelland, Wednesday.

Albert Fryer, of Lubbock, was in Littlefield on business, Monday.

L. Kosko, of Lubbock, was a Littlefield visitor, Monday.

Clifton Long, of Amherst, visited his mother, Mrs. Eula Long, in Littlefield last weekend.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hartley, of Lubbock, were in Littlefield on business Monday.

Misses Norma Henson and Bessie Bellomy were shopping in Lubbock, Monday.

Miss Mary Bell Blackwell and Ben Gilmore, of Lubbock, visited friends and relatives in Littlefield, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Rayburn and small son, of Tahoka, were in Littlefield, Tuesday.

Glen Hunt left Saturday to accept a position with the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., in Lubbock.

Arthur P. Duggan is in Wichita, Kansas, this week in interest of the Standard Pump Co.

J. W. Blalock made a business trip to Fort Worth, Saturday, returning Tuesday.

Hon. M. M. Brittain, county treasurer, transacted business in the county seat, Monday.

Miss Geneva Joe Adamson, of Lubbock, visited friends in Littlefield over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spinks, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Reeves were Lubbock visitors, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Leek Collard, of Sudan, spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Pate.

Mrs. Etter, of Roby is visiting her son, Mallory Etter, and family, this week.

Miss Charlotte Groom returned Saturday from Lubbock, where she has been in training at a sanitarium.

Mrs. Armon Logan, of Lubbock, spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reed.

Mrs. Corrie Leach, of Levelland, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales Wednesday night of last week.

Miss Mercedes Allen, of Anton, spent Sunday in Littlefield the guest of Miss Fern Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aryan and baby visited friends in Lamesa, Sunday and Monday.

Joe Speck, of Rochester, last week shipped into Littlefield a carload of household goods.

Misses Lorce Straley and Lorene Eagan, of Lubbock, spent last weekend with relatives in Littlefield.

Miss Virginia Turner, of Lubbock, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Turner.

Mrs. L. R. Crockett left last Friday to join her husband in Wichita, Kansas.

Mrs. Doc Miller, Misses Lydia and Ellen Crockett were Lubbock visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. McGavock, of Olton, attended the ball game in Littlefield, Friday night.

Misses Ruth Mitchell and Lucille Lucas were visitors in Lubbock last Saturday.

J. P. Mayfield, of Hale Center, has accepted a position as telegraph operator at the Santa Fe depot in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wales and Miss Lois Farquhar attended the play given at Whitharral, Friday night, accompanied home by Miss Gladys Wales, teacher in Whitharral school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lilly spent Tuesday in Lubbock.

Miss Eula Neeley, of Plainview, was a Littlefield visitor, Sunday.

W. G. Street spent last weekend with his family in Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Street were in Ropesville on business, Saturday.

Mrs. Lon Campbell and Mrs. J. H. Harless were in Lubbock, Monday.

P. W. Walker made a business trip to Dallas, last week.

Mrs. F. G. Sadler and Mrs. John Arnett were in Dallas last week.

Payne Wood, of Amherst, was in Littlefield, Saturday and Sunday.

Orvel King, of Amarillo, is in Littlefield on business, this week.

Wm. Wingfield is the new Western Union messenger at the local depot.

Alfred Dunagin last week received a new International 2-ton truck which he is keeping busy on heavy hauling.

Mrs. Len Irvin, Mrs. Jim Harless, Misses Vesta Henson, Madie Anderson and Maurine Irvin were hopping in Lubbock last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales, Mrs. Corrie Leach, and Paul C. Cuenod, were in Brownfield, Wednesday of last week.

Paul C. Cuenod, of McGregor, is visiting friends in Littlefield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Sales made a trip to Levelland, last Thursday.

Rev. L. G. H. Williams, Episcopal rector of Lubbock, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church Sunday night.

Miss Azeles Berryman, who has been employed in the Leader office, is confined to her home with a severe case of the flu.

Miss Alynne Davis, who attends business college in Lubbock, spent last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Davis.

Miss Anna Campbell, who has been connected with the Palace Beauty shop, left Sunday for her home in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Walden and children, accompanied by Mrs. Beaman Phillips, left Monday for East-

land, where Mrs. Walden is moving her ready-to-wear shop.

Imogene, baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Porter, who has been suffering from bronchial pneumonia, was not improved at the last report.

The Acroy Barton and bath residence, located part of town, near the C. & G. is nearing completion and will be occupied by the family who move in from their home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Tremain are beginning the construction of a new modern six room residence west of the Bellomy produce.

Mrs. Herring Lance and children, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Williams, returned last Wednesday to their home in Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter, of Portales, New Mexico, spent the latter part of last week with relatives and friends in Littlefield.

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**SATURDAY**  
Gary Cooper in—  
"Shooting Irons"  
News, Serial, and Comedy

**MONDAY**  
"Heart Thief"  
Also Western

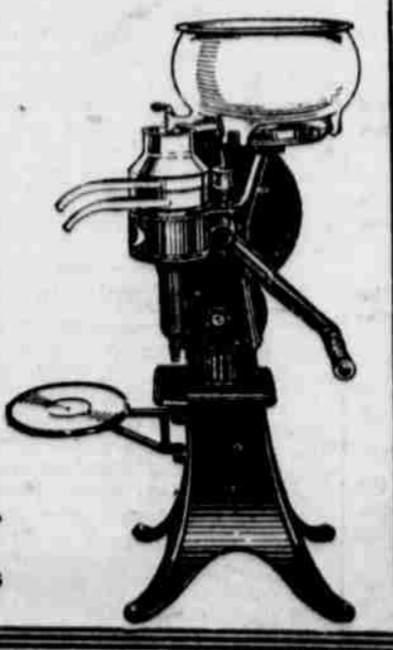
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