

# MAYOR DISCUSSES MUNICIPAL PROJECT TO CAUSE REDUCTION IN LITTLEFIELD'S TAX RATE

LITTLEFIELD—THE PULSE OF THE PLAINS

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## AND CONCERT TO BE FEATURE OF TRADES DAY PROGRAM

### OTHER EVENTS ARE ARRANGED BY MERCHANTS

### Day Offers Big Opportunity to Buy At Great Savings; Cash Prizes

of the outstanding features of Day, Monday, June 6, will be musical program rendered by Littlefield band, of which Monte is the director.

concert program will be played in afternoon. Something different in form of a concert program is being planned in that the band, in rendering the concert at one time, will play in several sections of business district.

In addition to the concert program, there will play for an hour or two in business section in the morning, and will start playing about 10 o'clock.

Littlefield has a band of which any one will be proud. The musical organization has received a great many compliments on their work.

Trades Day in Littlefield is entirely in the direction of the merchants with a committee of merchants making all plans for the event. The outstanding feature of Trades Day will be the opportunity to buy goods at extra low prices. You may satisfy all your requirements in Littlefield, and at very small outlay. The Littlefield stores; you will be shopping in Littlefield very much to your advantage.

**Cash Prizes.** Prizes will be given next Monday night \$20 as the chief award. Practically all the business firms of Littlefield are participating in Trades Day. Ask about Trades Day tickets. The business concerns which are participating in Trades Day are following:

Department Store, Piggly Wiggly Grocery & Market; Cuenod's Groceries Co., Marzelle Dress Shop, Renfro Bros. Grocery & Market, Fries Mercantile Co., M-Sys.

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### ly Grocery is Damaged by Fire

Considerable damage was caused to the interior of the building of the Friendly Grocery & Market Tuesday night about 10:30. It apparently started because the sausage machine and refrigerator in the meat department, and is believed to have been caused by a short circuit.

(Bill) Cheasher gave in the fire. According to Payne Wood, besides the damage to the building being considerable plate glass has been broken and considerable damage done to food stuffs. The building, which is closed for business, will re-open as soon as the adjustment of the insurance

### BACCALAUREATE SERVICE ATTRACTS GREAT NUMBERS; SERMON PREACHED BY REV. E. E. WHITE OF PLAINVIEW

The High school auditorium was far from being sufficiently large to accommodate the large attendance at the baccalaureate service Sunday morning, at which the address was delivered by Rev. E. E. White of Plainview, presiding elder of the Methodist church for this district.

Special seats were reserved in the front section for the graduates' parents and the school teachers, while the graduates occupied the front row facing the platform.

Special music was rendered under the direction of Mrs. G. M. Shaw, with Miss Evelyn Garlington at the piano.

The program consisted of: Processional; invocation, Rev. Joe F. Grizzle; Gloria; hymn, "Holy, Holy," by the choir; scripture reading, Rev. Joe Boyd solo, B. L. Cogdill; announcements, Prof. B. M. Harrison; anthem, "Praise Ye, Jehovah," senior graduates and glee club.

This was followed by a beautiful and appropriate sermon by Rev. Mr. White, who commented on the fact that there were 21 young ladies and 21 young men in the Littlefield High 1932 graduating class, saying how unusual a class it was, inasmuch as it invariably happens that the young la-

dies are in the majority.

He took as his text, "Life's Golden Opportunity," quoting from Rom. 13:11, "Now it is high time to awake out of sleep," and from Exodus 3:5, "Draw not nigh hither; put off thy shoes from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground," saying that he "who lives his best today will find in this hour life's golden moment." That regardless of age or past achievements, we must realize that there is a present in which to live, whatever the past may have been that it can never again bring joy and happiness, that the present is ours to make of it all that is possible within the human reach, and that it is life's golden opportunity." He brought out the thought that the important thing in life is "to have a great aim, and to possess the aptitude and perseverance to attain it," and that if we succeed, we must build day by day the foundation of life.

He spoke of the dreamers, and said the world would never be illuminated by dreamers; that Henry Ford and Edison never attained success by dreaming, but by plotting and toiling from early until late. He said,

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### LITTLEFIELD, SLATON GOLFERS BATTLE TO TIE

### WILL MEET LUBBOCK COUNTRY CLUB SUNDAY

After suffering repeated defeats in the South Plains Golf league, the Littlefield Golf club turned in a more favorable score in a match Sunday afternoon by holding the Slaton golfers to a 11 to 11 tie.

The top four members of the Littlefield team were successful in downing Slaton's four high men, while the scoring was reversed in the lower flight, Slaton winning the last four matches.

Next Sunday the Littlefield golfers will meet the Lubbock Country Club team in a league match at Lubbock.

**Ware Wins Second Flight.** Jimmie Ware, recently defeated Ross Mayhew in the finals of the second flight of the Littlefield Golf tournament. The eliminating matches were played several weeks ago; however, the finals in the second flight were delayed due to Ross Mayhew, runner up, being out of the city.

## City's Chief Executive Asks Residents To Make Known Their Sentiments On Plan

In a talk before the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday at noon, Mayor T. S. Sales disclosed plan the City Commission desired to work on in establishing some municipal business in Littlefield whereby sufficient revenue might be secured to help retire the bonded indebtedness of the city.

"Unless some profitable business is established by the city your grandchildren will be paying the same dollar and a half tax rate to meet the present \$300,000 bonded indebtedness," the mayor stated.

Mr. Sales stated that the water system was the only means of revenue the city had at present, and should the municipality establish another business, that after the concern paid for itself, would aid greatly in reducing the taxes on Littlefield property.

No definite plans were announced and, according to Mr. Sales, it is the desire of the commission to have the people express their sentiment on the matter as well as the kind of business they would most desire.

"Any municipal project the city might build would not cause an immediate reduction of taxes," the mayor stated, "However any practical plan could be financed on credit, and after returns paid for the actual equipment, would aid in reducing the taxes."

### Henry Ansley Is Invited To Speak At C.-C. Banquet

The Littlefield Chamber of commerce, at its weekly meeting Tuesday at noon, voted to invite Henry Ansley, prominent newspaper man of the Amarillo Globe-News, as the main speaker at the annual meeting of the local booster group to be held June 14.

Mr. Ansley gained wide publicity through an article, "I Like the Depression," of which he is the author.

Naomi Whitaker and Blanch Brannen, who are attending Tech, Lubbock, spent the week-end here.

### COMMISSIONERS' COURT REDUCES COUNTY SALARIES

### General Cut of More Than 20 Per Cent; Valuations Reduced 10 Per Cent

The Commissioners' Court has reduced county valuations 10 per cent and cut salaries of county employees more than 20 per cent.

This was carried out at a meeting of the Commissioners' Court last Friday.

The salary cuts become effective July 1.

The court voted to accept the resignation of any employe who did not wish to accept the reduction in wages.

Lamb county's 1931 valuation was \$8,366,400. It is estimated by the tax assessor that with the depression and the 10 per cent cut in valuations that Lamb county's valuations will be reduced over \$1,000,000. The 1930 valuation was a little more than \$8,500,000.

The salary cuts were as follows: Commissioners, from \$100 to \$80 monthly; county judge, from \$187.50 to \$150 monthly; county attorney, from \$100 to \$60 monthly; county clerk, from \$50 to \$40 monthly; district clerk, from \$100 to \$50 monthly; sheriff, from \$200 to \$160 monthly; deputy sheriff, from \$150 to \$120 monthly; county agent, from \$133.33 to \$80 monthly; home demonstration agent, from \$125 to \$80 monthly.

The salary limit by state law for county treasurer in counties in Lamb county's class is \$2,000, but commissioners' courts have the power to name a lower per annum salary. This right was exercised by the Commissioners' Court Friday, when a limit of \$1,600 was placed on the county treasurer's salary.

The county judge, county attorney, county clerk, district clerk, and sheriff get fees in addition to salary, and it is only possible for the Commissioners' Court to fix the ex officio salaries, which was done.

The county agent and the county home demonstration agent receive salaries from the state in addition to the salaries paid by the county. The county agent receives \$133 from the state and the county home demonstration agent gets \$125.

### John Blair Is Appointed City Marshal Here

John Blair, who has been connected with the Littlefield police department since last October, has been appointed city marshal, succeeding the late W. P. McDaniel.

Mr. Blair has been a resident of Littlefield for many years, and is highly regarded as a man and as an officer.

Ray Bellomy of Detroit, Mich., arrived Sunday for a ten-days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bellomy. He is Neethouse's immediate

## LITTLEFIELD WILL BE HOST TO POSTAL WORKERS OF DISTRICT

### JUNE 14 SET AS DATE FOR JUNE FROLICS HERE

### WILL BE COUNTY WIDE AFFAIR; MANY ENTERED

The date has been set for the June Frolics. It is June 14th, so don't delay, enter your babies for the big baby parade and begin planning your float. Remember there will be six prizes and every child in Lamb county has a fair chance to win one.

Many children have already been entered and the voting for "Little Miss Lamb County" and "King of the Frolics" has been started.

The committee is working tirelessly to make this a day of pleasure to the people of the county. All of the dry goods merchants are taking an interest in planning the cotton show to be staged at the same time and the minstrel show to be put on by local talent at the Palace Theatre gives promise of being a fitting end to the day's frolics.

Remember the date! Don't miss the Frolics! Come and stay for the minstrel show. Don't miss Doc Clements' dancing

### LITTLEFIELD DEFEATS AMHERST BASEBALL TEAM 5 TO 4; TO PLAY SHALLOWATER HERE NEXT SUNDAY

### Father of Mrs. W. J. Harris Is Fatally Shot At Woodrow

F. V. (Leather Hat) Brown, 49, pioneer Lubbock county stock farmer, and father of Mrs. W. J. (Billie) Harris, formerly of Littlefield, while at the residence of T. B. Hilton, at Woodrow, 12 miles south of Lubbock, about 9:15 Monday night, was shot and died immediately.

The story told officers was that Brown was sitting in his car talking to Hilton, when three unidentified men drove up in a sedan. They got out of their car, one of them drawing a gun and ordering Hilton and his brother Joe, into the house. Brown stepped out of his car and was shot possibly, while grappling with a masked bandit who carried a .38 pistol. One shot was fired from a 30-30 rifle in the hands of another of the men.

The victim was wounded in the right hand and in the chest. The automobile in which the trio occupied was tracked to the Brownfield highway.

Simmons, center fielder for the Littlefield baseball team, started a drive for the locals Sunday afternoon by knocking a four-bagger in the first inning that brought a 5 to 4 victory from the Amherst team.

Simmons was the third man up and the first ball pitched started the fatal attack. Ratliff accounted for two runs and Lumpkins and Roy Blessing one each to bring the total to five.

Next Sunday the Littlefield team will meet Shallowater here for their third straight game at home.

inclined to discount the theory that it was an attempted holdup, and are concentrating their efforts in an attempt to solve what they think is a grudge murder.

Funeral services were conducted at his home at 1602 Avenue L, Lubbock, by the Rev. R. C. Campbell, pastor of the Lubbock First Baptist church, at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Interment was made in the Lubbock cemetery. The widow, a daughter, Mrs. Harris, and a son, Len Brown of El Paso, survive.

Miss Catherine Oswald of Plain-

### BRANNEN NAMED VICE-PRESIDENT OF ASSOCIATION

### MISS RUTH COURTNEY, PAST PRESIDENT, NAMED SEC'Y

Littlefield will be host to the Postal Workers association of the 18th congressional district at their annual meeting to be held on Labor day, the first Monday in September, it was decided at a meeting of the body held in Lamesa Monday.

J. E. Brannen was named vice-president of the organization at the meeting and Miss Ruth Courtney, whose term as president expired Monday afternoon, was elected secretary-treasurer.

W. L. Underwood was elected president of the association to succeed Miss Courtney.

On the request of rural carriers that another date than memorial day be chosen, the association voted to meet on Labor Day. Because of the long time until next year it was decided to meet the first Monday in next September.

J. T. Bellomy, W. T. Jones and Ray Bellomy left Wednesday for a

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## OUR COMPLIMENTS TO AMELIA

There have been some flying "stunts" since Col. Lindbergh made his great solo flight to Paris just five years ago, which looked to non-flyers like sheer foolhardiness. Lots of people who hadn't taken the pains to really master the art of flying have taken their lives in their hands, and many have lost them, seeking for glory to which they were not entitled.

Amelia Earhart Putnam, the first woman to fly alone across the Atlantic, knew exactly what she was about. It is not for nothing that the English have nicknamed her "Lady Lindy." She has the same cool-headed judgment that Col. Lindbergh has, and went through a course of training and in practical flying almost as strenuous as he did, before starting out on her dangerous flight. She had everything but the Lindbergh luck. Instead of behaving as it should, her engine began to make trouble when she was only four hours out. We liked her remark that she flew low after that because she would rather be drowned than burned to death. Instead of fair weather and a following wind, she ran into storms and a wind that blew her off her course so far that it was only luck that she didn't miss Ireland entirely.

The feat of this American girl proves, among other things, that a woman can do pretty nearly anything a man can do, which we knew already. It proves, however, that a skilled, well-trained flyer is not in great danger even if the plane misbehaves. It was pointed out not long ago that more than half the flying fatalities are due to unlicensed pilots flying unlicensed planes. More than a hundred times as many persons are killed in automobile accidents than in flying accidents, annually.

Amelia Putnam's success will doubtless start many other young women to take up flying. That is all to the good. Fifty years from now the young man or the young woman who doesn't know how to fly will be as rare as the one today who doesn't know how to drive a car.

## ADVERTISING

If there is any one thing that has definitely been emphasized as a result of the depression it is that continuity in advertising has not failed. Gilbert T. Hodges of The New York Sun, president of the Advertising Federation of America, stated recently before the spring conference of the International Association of Electrotypers in New York.

In spite of the worst handicaps that business in general has faced in a century, some lines have succeeded brilliantly, Mr. Hodges said. He described a survey conducted by the federation, which, he said, more than proved the truth of this.

"Broadly speaking, the federation found that those concerns which had the vision to maintain advertising continuity had added greatly to the momentum of their business year after year and had constantly grown in importance and earning power," he said. "It found, on the other hand, that those firms which lacked vision, and which turned their backs on advertising continuity, had lost more or less rapidly all the prestige they had once possessed."

## TALKING PICTURE OF THE WORLD'S FAMOUS PLAY, "TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM," TO OPEN AT PALACE

Probably the most dramatic, thought compelling play ever presented to the American public and now produced in a brand new all-talking form is "Ten Nights in a Barroom," which opens at the Palace theater with the Saturday night preview and runs through Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

You may be "Wet" or you may be "Dry" but what do you know about the old saloon? It is a terrific human drama that will hold you in a vise-like grip, and send you away with something to think about. Positively it is nothing like any play or picture ever produced before and you'll be swept away with its terrific show.

Presenting that master delineator of human emotions, William Farnum, this picture defies description. In the supporting cast are Thomas Santschi, Lionel Belmore, Robert Frazer, Thomas Jefferson and John Darrow. This story is not propaganda, but strictly entertainment and packs a terrific moral lesson. Every man, woman and child in America should see this picture—the story of the redemption of a drunkard through the faith and love of his little girl.

The prettiest girls in town will entertain you at the Frolics minstrel



## EIGHT YEARS AGO IN LITTLEFIELD

(Excerpts from Lamb Co. Leader)

W. Jeffries of Vaughn, N. M., last week closed a deal through the Yeager-Chesher Land Co. for the three business lots opposite the Beisel blacksmith shop, and belonging to the Cicero-Smith Lumber Co.

Mr. Jeffries is a merchant and ranchman at Vaughn and will put up a building 24x80 feet on these lots recently purchased into which will go a stock of general merchandise.

W. E. Allen of Gustine, Texas, arrived this week with his family, shipping a carload of household goods.

Mr. Allen has purchased three residence lots, also two business lots south of the Yeager-Chesher land office, and will build soon on both properties. In the business house he will open a tin shop.

Farmers of this section have no complaint regarding lack of moisture for their crops this year. During the past week good and frequent rains have visited this section. The ground is now thoroughly soaked with moisture and crops of all kinds are in the finest condition possible.

Last week a big jollification was held on the Hockley County highway between Littlefield and Lubbock, on the occasion of completion of the big bridge over the Yellow House Canyon.

All the officials of Hockley county were present to witness and participate in the finishing touches. Pictures were taken of the new bridge, and at the noon hour a big basket dinner enjoyed beneath its shade.

This bridge cost around \$46,000, and is said to be the finest on the South Plains.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright Sunday, June 1, a 7 1/2-lb. boy.

Miss Vesta Brannen left Monday for Dallas, where she will attend the summer term of Cox's school of expression.

At a meeting of citizens last week a Chamber of Commerce was organized at Sudan with Simon D. Hay, president; J. H. Dean, vice-president; and J. A. Mayfield, secretary.

Commissioner Fred Hoover is this week dressing up some ten miles of highway in precinct three, beginning about one mile east of Littlefield and running to the Hockley county line. When completed, this will make a

well dressed highway of about forty miles into Lubbock. J. S. Fowler is doing the work.

A. C. Sanders this week closed a contract to erect a residence building for G. H. Davenport, four miles southwest of town.

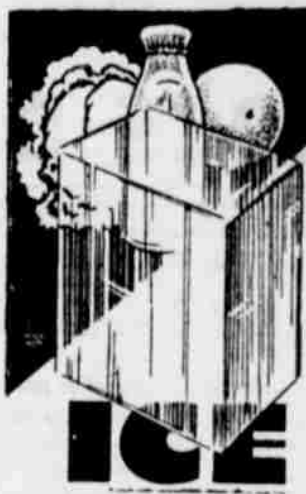
J. L. King, residing on the Yellow House land, southwest of town, had the misfortune to lose a good mule Monday morning by lightning. He was standing in the door of the house, and saw the mule when it was struck.

## An Aim of a Friendly Bank

The purpose of the First National Bank is to combine old-fashioned courtesy and modern banking methods—to make courtesy quite as prominent a feature of its service as the stability of its resources and the skill of its management.

By courtesy we mean something more than mere civility—something that will impress the customer with the dignified, friendly, confidential relations that subsist between the depositor and the bank.

## THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK LITTLEFIELD



## As Nature Gives It To You!

Pure, convenient and economical . . . that's the simple story of the Ice we deliver to your door daily! Regardless of weather conditions, our man never fails to furnish you with abundance of Ice on proper schedule to insure the protection of your foods and ready for the many other indispensable uses of pure ice.

500-pound book for \$2.75  
 2,000-pound book for \$10.00

## Texas Utilities Company

Phone 161

Convenient As Your Telephone  
 Ship Via Truck  
**LITTLEFIELD TRUCK LINE**  
 LITTLEFIELD to LUBBOCK  
 Via Anton, DAILY  
 Littlefield Phone 169  
 LUBBOCK Phone 166  
**MAX E. TOUCHON**  
 Owner and Operator

## Jake De' Cake



## Jake Must Like To Ride



## By M.B.



From Our New Stock of Quality Merchandise  
We Offer a Vast Number of . . . . .

# SUPER SPECIALS!

for FRIDAY, SATURDAY  
and TRADES DAY!

MONDAY, JUNE 6



... To bring such Fashion-Right Dresses at such a modest Price is a distinct achievement.

## New FROCKS

Newest creations for Mid-Summer wear in whites, prints and pastels. Materials are triple sheers, chiffons, crepes and rough sport crepes. Silk Dresses in the price range of . . .

**\$2.95**  
**\$3.49 - \$3.95 - \$5.95**  
**\$9.90 and \$12.50**

## Wash Frocks

Pretty sheers, voiles and batistes . . .  
**\$1.00 --- \$1.95**



## Summer HATS

A smart new selection of hats that will make themselves noticed at any event. You'd never guess they could be priced so low . . .

**\$1.95 to**  
**\$3.95**

## ACCESSORIES

The smart woman must have correct accessories to complete her costume.

Beautiful White Bags . . . . . **\$1.00 and \$1.95**  
Costume Jewelry, Gloves, Scarfs, Linen Sport Handkerchiefs



CREPES—In the newest daintiest colors . . .  
**69c to \$1.49**  
ROUGH CREPES . . .  
**98c**  
PRINTED RAYONS . . .  
**59c**



## Ladies' Slip on Sweaters

White and Pastel shades. Special . . .

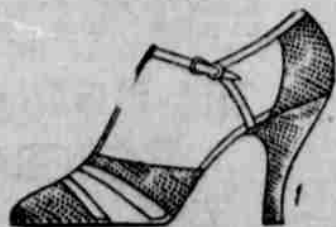
**\$1.25, \$1.75 and**  
**\$1.95**

## FINE QUALITY SILK AND RAYON LINGERIE

Dainty Step-Ins and Panties of new silk mesh . . . **59c and 98c**  
Silk Crepe Slips, bias styles at . . . . .  
**\$1.00, \$1.95 and \$2.95**  
New Princess fitting gowns and pajamas



Men's Footwear  
Many new Styles for Sport wear or business . . .  
**\$2.50 to \$5.00**



Ladies' Footwear  
**\$1.98 to \$5.00**

## Miscellaneous Items of Unusual Values!

**32-INCH GINGHAM**  
Solids, checks and solid colors. Special, the yard . . .  
**12½c**

**36-Inch Trinity Prints**  
Guaranteed fast colors. The yard . . .  
**12½c**

**36-Inch Brazas Prints**  
Guaranteed fast colors. Special, the yard . . .  
**15c**

**PRINTED BATISTE**  
All new patterns, fast colors. Special, the yard . . .  
**19c**

**VOILES**  
All new summer patterns. Special, the yard . . .  
**19c**

**Dotted and Printed Voiles**  
the yard . . .  
**39c**

One special lot Ladies' arrowhead pure thread silk  
**HOSE**  
**49c**

Ladies' superior quality all silk chiffon  
**HOSE**  
**79c**

**CHILDREN'S SOX**  
26c to 39c values. Special, pair . . .  
**15c**

# A. & N. Dry Goods Co.

In Former Texas Utilities Building PHONE 54

## Evangelist From Booneville, Ark., To Speak Here

The Church of Christ at 8th street and Park avenue is to have a protracted meeting commencing the last Sunday in August, which is August 28, to which everybody is invited.

Evangelist Leland H. Knight of Booneville, Arkansas, is to do the preaching. He is a forceful speaker, a Godly young man, and will bring interesting and instructive messages to his hearers.

Remember the date, and make your arrangements to attend each service.

## Two H. D. Clubs In Lamb County Own Club Houses

According to Miss Ruby Mashburn, county home demonstration agent, Lamb county has two rural women's clubs owning their own club house. One is the Sodhouse club, where the women raised the money and built the house late in 1930, and the other is the Amherst club. The American Legion post at Amherst gave the women a part of its club building for their use. Both home demonstration buildings are well equipped for club and social activities, and are used as community buildings by women of the county.

## Wool Market Is Open In Lubbock

LUBBOCK, Texas.—The ever-increasing number of South Plains farmers raising sheep will be interested to know that J. C. Street of Lubbock is opening a year round market outlet for wool.

Expert wool classers, with experience in the Plains territory, will grade the wool, and wool buyers will be brought in to bid on the fleecy product.

Heretofore sheep men have experienced difficulty in disposing of the wool at a fair price because regular buyers could not afford to come to this section for such a small quantity.

The wool will be concentrated at a bonded warehouse and when a sufficient quantity is on hand to justify the buyers to come, buyers and the owners will be notified and a date for the bargaining will be set.

Opportunity to ship the wool through the Lone Star Wool-Mohair Co-Operative Association will likewise be offered through the Street marketing organization.

Buy your office supplies at home. We have most anything you might need, and appreciate your business.

*Whew! it's Hot!*

But it's a treat to have hot weather when it is so convenient to refresh yourself and cool off at the Walters fountain. You'll like our Sodas. Trades Day, Monday, June 6th

Ask us about Trades Day tickets  
**WALTERS**  
DRUG STORE  
LITTLEFIELD

## Many Farmers In County Granted Federal Loans

According to the Lamb County committee, composed of L. E. Silcott, C. E. Bley and C. R. Dobbs, Lamb county farmers have been granted loans by the Federal government in the sum of \$36,766.35. Applications approved so far total 206.

It is expected that many more will be approved, and that the final amount loaned in this county for crop production will total around \$40,000. The highest loan made in the county was \$530, and the lowest loan was \$30.00.

There were 105 applicants who gave their address as Littlefield; Olton had 52; Springlake 3; Dimmitt 1; Earth 7; Amherst 13; Sudan 23; Muleshoe 6; Anton 5; Fieldton 1.

The average of the loans made so far in the county is \$178.47.

We are adding to our office supplies daily. No use sending out of town for your supplies. If we do not have your needs we will gladly order same for you. Leader office.

Little Dorothy Louise Clemen would make a darling "Little Miss Lamb County," at the June Frolic wouldn't she?

## CLOSETED SAVINGS

In your closet you'll find your Summer wardrobe. If you're more wise than wealthy, send those frocks and other items of wearing apparel, to Evins, and for less than the cost of a new pair of shoes you'll have a complete, nifty and thrifty wardrobe.

**Hats Cleaned and Blocked**  
**EVINS**  
**DRY CLEANERS**  
"Where Cleaning Is An Art"

## Your Palace Theatre Presents

TONIGHT (THURSDAY)—  
Wild William Haines in—  
"ARE YOU LISTENING?"  
Also Good Comedy and News

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—  
Ken Maynard in a Good Western—  
"THE POCATELLO KID"  
Boy Friend Comedy and News

SATURDAY NITE PREVIEW, SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY:  
Wm. Farnum in the most powerful melodrama play ever presented to the American public—  
"10 NIGHTS IN A BAR-ROOM"  
Positively All New and All-Talking  
Also Good Comedy and News

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—  
Warner Oland in another great Chinese detective story—  
"CHARLIE CHANS CHANCE"  
Also Good Comedy

## VISIT THE RENFRO TWINS . . .

## TRADES DAY MONDAY, JUNE 6TH

We invite you to come into our Store and look around. We want you to see that we take every sanitary precaution in the handling of our Groceries and Meats that we have to offer you. Modern cases make selection easy—in fact, everything is arranged for your convenience to purchase the finest foods.

You'll find, too, that our appealing prices has much to do in accounting for our long list of satisfied customers. You'll like our quality . . . You'll like our service . . . and our low prices will more than please you should you once get the habit of trading at

# Renfro Bros.

GROCERY & MARKET

VISIT US . . .

## TRADES DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 6TH

AND ASK ABOUT

## "JUST RIGHT" CHICK FEEDS

A Feed of proven quality. No screenings, sweepings or cheap filler is used in making this mash. It is composed of only high grade ingredients, correctly proportioned. Manufactured and sold in Littlefield by the

**MYRICK GRAIN & FEED MILL**  
ONE BLOCK SOUTH OF CITY HALL

ASK US ABOUT TRADES DAY TICKETS  
We Extend a Special Invitation to Farmers and Poultrymen to Visit Us Trades Day, Monday, June 6th

VISIT US  
**TRADES DAY**  
Monday, June 6

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## ENOCHS' BREEZES

**y Omas Campbell, Correspondent**

Miss Cecil Patterson has returned to after attending high school at Littlefield the past term. One of the most popular couples of community, Mr. Clyde McCork and Miss Beatrice Booth stole a march on their many friends Saturday and stepped to New Mexico and were married. Everybody wishes them a happy wedded life. Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Howell and Mrs. F. Woody transacted business in

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Lubbock one day last week.

Durwood Howell is attending summer school at Lubbock, while Doug is taking a business course at the same place.

Our ball team went to White Face Sunday and defeated them 15 to 2.

A sad accident happened at Causey, N. M., Saturday night. We did not learn the name of party or all particulars, but it seems that the man was pumping up a lantern, when the cap blew off and the escaping gas caught fire and burned two small children so badly that they died in an hour or two and the man was so badly burned that he is not expected to live. Mrs. J. D. Blalock was called up there to care for him. Mrs. H. H. Snow accompanied her up there.

Mrs. T. E. Tipton took seriously ill Saturday and was taken to his home, at Tipton, Okla. Mr. Tipton has done extensive farming here the past two years.

Chas. Hale and Miss Alice Herrell went to New Mexico Thursday and were married. Who said the depression was on?

J. D. Blalock has been sick the past week.

Enochs was visited by burglars Sunday night who broke into the blacksmith shop, taking some batteries and other stuff, and tried to break into Mr. Woody's gas pump.

Miss Johnnie Pace accompanied Mrs. Bill Tolbert to Adrian Tuesday and later expects to go to Amarillo where she will visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Kiene.

## SOUTHWEST NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Therman Pines spent the week-end with her parents. Miss May McCarsion of Lubbock is home visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Geitman and family have relatives visiting them from Rowena, Texas.

## SOUTHEAST NEWS

**By Edna Byers, Correspondent**

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges are visiting their son in Electra this week. Lois will return with them.

Miss Leta Mae Neeley was the week-end guest of Avis Dow.

Veneta Hodges is visiting Pauline James while her parents are away.

Percy Carter made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Those attending the B. Y. P. U. Association at Lum's Chapel Sunday, from this community, were: Mrs. R. L. Byers, Alma and Jewel Byers, Norma Mayfield, Helen Ross, Hermie Lee Byers, Katie Carter and Edna Byers. Percy, Hilyar and Bill Carter, Lester Feaster, J. R. Hodges and Glen James.

## LUM'S CHAPEL

**By Inez Nance, Correspondent.**

The B. T. S. Association met here last Sunday. Muleshoe won the attendance banner and the efficiency banner, while Lum's Chapel won the efficiency banner for the junior and senior B. T. S. The association will meet at Sudan next July 31. Let's try to have more than two or three B. T. S. unions at the Association.

Miss Jude Noble entertained with an ice cream supper Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emzy Hobbs are the proud parents of a baby girl, born May 25th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hodges spent the week-end at Electra, Texas. Miss Lois, their daughter, who has been visiting there, will accompany them home.

Mrs. Jud Jackson is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Emzy Hobbs.

## HARTS AND SPADES

Sue Heibert entertained the graduating class and the faculty at her home Sunday with a dinner.

Croquet and ice cream were also enjoyed during the course of the day.

The guest list includes: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Fisher and children, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Dennis, Mrs. Guscietta Cude, Misses Florence Pankey, Evelyn Phelps, Ima Jewel Love, Opal Webb, Azalea Stanfield, and Ruby Dennis; Messrs. E. E. Reed, E. Jackson, Noel White, Paul Hyde, Henry Heibert, Elder Zack, K. B. Hopper, A. J. Webb, Parker Burford, Billy Cude, and the hostess.

This is the last week of school and also the busiest. We are taking examinations, and enjoying many entertainments this closing week.

Due to threatening weather the seventh grade play was postponed until Saturday, June 4th, 8:30 p. m. Admission five cents for everyone. Don't fail to see this play. It is a masterpiece, and the practice the cast is getting this week will make it a "knockout."

Little Temple Bell Hicks is in bed with pneumonia, but is some better.

The sixth graders were entertained by a party in the Tucker home Wednesday evening of last week. There was a jolly group of about 52 present, and everyone reported a good time with plenty of delicious cream and cake. Ozella makes a delightful hostess.

Loraice Joyner, Lucille Nabers, and Mattie Mae Green reported a nice long hike Sunday.

Sherman McCurry, who has been ill with tonsillitis, is back in school again.

Faye Chambliss is visiting friends at Spade this week.

## PEP PARAGRAPHS

Pep schools held their commencement exercises Monday evening, May 30, in the auditorium of the new High school building.

Another splendid rain fell in this community Saturday. While this rain wasn't needed, it did no harm other than to check planting, as there is still some planting to be done on account of the extended rains of the last few weeks. Crops are coming up fine, and early planting is looking good.

Family Reunion at J. A. Brogden's. Thursday, May 19th, all of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brogden's children and grandchildren gathered at the Brogden home. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Paul (Jack) Brogden and family of Rhineland, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. "Mabe" Owens and family, who have just returned from a visit to Knox county, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Harrison and family, besides the children who still make their home with their parents, and had a most enjoyable

day.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brogden and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brogden visited in the A. G. Jungman home Sunday afternoon. Mr. Brogden always takes delight in showing his visitors through the Jungman Taxidermy collection. Paul says that their crop is looking fine, but not so much further along than here. Wheat and oats were good and about ripe, corn about knee high, but some cotton and feed was still to be planted.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Morris of 5 miles southwest of Pep, an eight-pound baby girl, Saturday morning, May 21st.

Mrs. W. P. Lupton of Shallowater and her daughter, Mary, and husband, Mr. Roy Snyder, and children of Reserve, New Mexico, visited in Pep Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Kasberg and three children of Rowena, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Geistman and two children of Littlefield visited in the Herman Greener home Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Greener also showed their guests through the taxidermist's display. Mr. Kasberg said, "I didn't expect to see such a thing at Pep."

The Pop congregation gave Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Murphy a farewell party Sunday evening in the M. A. Burt home. At a late hour cake and coffee was served to all present. They are planning an extended trip through New Mexico, Old Mexico, California, Arizona, Colorado, Utah, Wyoming, Nebraska, en route to their home in Iowa.

Mr. F. S. Murphy and Mr. James Lynch gave their pupils (students of the Pep High School) a picnic in the Yellow House canyon Monday.

Office Supplies, Royal Portable Typewriters, pin tickets, etc., at the Leader office.

## To the Taxpayers of Lamb County:

In recent articles in the Sudan News, under the purported signature, "Farmer and Taxpayer," there has been much unfair and uninformed criticism of the Lamb County Commissioners' Court which we feel, in justice to ourselves and the people we represent, cannot go unanswered.

The Lamb County Commissioners believe in the principle of a government of the people, for the people and by the people and that government was made for man and not man for government. In the conduct of the county affairs it is our aim to obtain a maximum of service with a minimum of taxes. We more than welcome any constructive suggestions.



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in the management of county affairs, especially during these dark days of the worst depression in the history of the world.

We are referred to in these articles as "weaklings and unsympathetic men"; yet, after almost two years of adverse conditions, we have so conducted the affairs of this county that, with the exception of one fund, that we are still on a cash basis. While we are still on a cash basis, in such some counties in Texas are in such financial stress that their warrants go begging for a buyer at 65c on the dollar, we have set aside funds to care for our outstanding warrants and bonds when they come due at 100 cents on a dollar, and have already paid off one 1933 bond. Our state government is not just thousands but millions of dollars in debt. Our United States government is faced with a deficit that is not measured in millions but in billions—and our Congressmen are supposed to be smart men.

One of these articles states, "The membership of the court does not yet seem to realize that property owners cannot afford to pay taxes on a prosperity basis." The fact of the matter is that the Lamb County Commissioners have never taxed on a "prosperity basis" nor have they ever run the salaries up during the good times as many counties have done. Furthermore, ever since before the peak of prosperity in 1929 the Lamb County Commissioners have made reductions both in county rate and valuations. The county rate has been reduced 10 cents on the \$100 valuation and the county's assessed valuation since 1930 has been reduced over a million and a half dollars. Lamb County's assessed valuation in 1930 was \$8,540,190.00; in 1931 \$8,366,400.00 and in 1932, due to the depression and reductions by the Commissioners' Court, it is estimated by the County Assessor that the county valuation will be about \$7,000,000.00—a combined reduction of 28 per cent since the high point. Further, since 1926 the average increase in tax rates in Texas counties, according to the Texas Tax Journal, has been 614 per cent while Lamb County officers have decreased their county rate from 95c to 85c—a decrease of over 10 per cent. Still the articles in the Sudan News accuse us of being "unsympathetic" and unaware that a depression is on. While the County Commissioners have made a reduction of 10 cents in the county rate, the state officers have increased the state rate by 10 cents, thereby counteracting the reduction in rate made by the Lamb County Commissioners' Court, but the Lamb County Commissioners have no control over state rates.

Bailey County was brought into the picture as an example in reductions. We wish to call the attention of the writer of these articles to the fact that the county taxes in Lamb County are not, and have not been for years, as high as in Bailey County—the county rate in Bailey County is \$1.20 as against Lamb County's tax rate of 85c. For instance county taxes on the best labor of land amount to \$16.80 while in Lamb county the taxes on the best labor of land amount to \$15.04—\$1.76 less in Lamb County. On the poorest grade

of land in Bailey county the taxes are \$8.40 and in Lamb county are \$5.96—\$2.45 less in Lamb county. Further, in spite of the fact that Lamb county is considered the leading farming county on the Plains, average land valuations are less than most of our neighboring counties. For instance, the last year that we have, show the average per acre of land in Hale County to be \$10.00, in Hockley \$10.00, Cochran \$10.31, in Lubbock \$11.00 while in Lamb county it shows \$8.00.

In justice to the people of this county, and to the Commissioners' Court, the writer of these articles could at least have troubled himself to find out and give the true facts, the case instead of resorting to generalities, insinuations and misrepresentations.

Who is this man that styles himself "Farmer and Taxpayer"? In justice to the people and to the Commissioners' Court, their representatives, will gladly talk and reason with us as men should do. Our records at our meetings are open to all; we invite him to investigate.

(Signed) **THE LAMB COUNTY COMMISSIONERS' COURT**  
Simon D. Hay, County Judge.  
H. G. Walker, Commissioner, Pet. No. 1.  
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# Clubs - - Women's Interest - - Social Events

## Engagement of Miss Lucille Killough and Jack Johnson Announced at Party Friday

The engagement and approaching marriage on June 9 of Miss Lucille Killough of Littlefield, and Mr. Jack Johnson of Sudan, was announced on Friday evening, when Mrs. Herman Barnett and Miss Thelma Killough were joint hostesses at a bridge and "42" party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett on West Fourth street.

Miss Killough, who is the daughter of Mrs. Lucy Killough of this city, is a teacher of the grammar school here, and one of the most popular young ladies of Littlefield. Mr. Johnson is a progressive young man of Sudan, and connected with the State Highway department.

Pink and white roses beautifully arranged in vases and baskets about the entertaining rooms added much color and charm to the occasion, the same color scheme being carried out in the tiddies and other appointments.

Miss Gladys Jones won high score at bridge, while Miss Ruth Matthews was high at "42".

The bride-to-be was presented with a beautiful and useful gift.

Those enjoying this social affair were: Misses Edith Matthews, Gladys Wales, Mary Lois Greene, Gladys Jones, Dahlia and Addie Mae Hemphill, Roxie Arnn, Eerie Dell Adams, and Mesdames Bon Lyman, Carl Lambert, Lynn Dobbs, W. E. Jeffries, Jr., Audie Collins, R. E. Riley, and Mrs. L. F. Killough and granddaughter, Susan Frances Robinson, and the honoree, Miss Lucille Killough.

Many pre-nuptial affairs are being arranged for bride-to-be.

## Mr. and Mrs. Max Touchon Celebrate Tenth Anniversary

Celebrating their tenth wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Max Touchon entertained a group of friends at dinner Sunday evening at the home of Mr. Touchon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Touchon, five miles northeast of town.

The dining room table was centered with a beautiful bowl of pansies, which one of the guests, Mrs. T. S. Sales, had presented to the hostess.

According to Mrs. Max Touchon, she and Mr. Touchon were married May 24, 1922, at Clovis, N. M. Her name before her marriage was Orlena Watts, and she was teaching school at Tremontina, N. M. at the time she met and married her husband, who was ranching at Las Vegas, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Touchon lived in New Mexico some time before moving to Arizona, where they lived a year, and then moved to Littlefield six years ago.

Those enjoying the dinner and evening were: Mayor and Mrs. T. S. Sales; Mr. and Mrs. John Harvey; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davenport; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Touchon; Albert Touchon; Billy Touchon; Mr. and Mrs. Morley B. Drake.

## Mrs. Sid Hopping Is Hostess at Bridge

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hopping at 411 West First Avenue was the scene of a delightful bridge party Wednesday afternoon of last week, when Mrs. Hopping entertained the members of the 1930 bridge club with two tables of contract bridge.

Mrs. Jim Etter was awarded the high score prize.

After the games a tasty salad course was served to Mesdames Ray Jones, Jimmie Brittain, Pat Boone, M. V. Cobb, John Porecher, Bill Pass, and Miss Dahlia Hemphill.

## Littlefield Couple Wed At Ft. Sumner

The marriage was solemnized Sunday, May 15, of Esta Mae Connell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Connell of Littlefield, and J. W. (Jake) Hopping, of Littlefield, son of Judge and Mrs. R. C. Hopping of Lubbock, at Fort Sumner, N. M., Sunday evening, May 15, at 8:30 p. m.

Mr. Jerry Spray and Mrs. Pearl Lynch of Littlefield accompanied the couple to Fort Sumner, and witnessed the wedding ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Hopping returned immediately and are living in Olton for the present, where Mr. Hopping is assisting the tax collector.

## MISS GLADYS JONES HONORED WITH SLUMBER PARTY

Mrs. Ronnie Blair entertained with a shower and slumber party honoring Miss Gladys Jones, who is leaving to spend the summer at her home at Goree.

Contract bridge was played during the evening. Miss Jones was presented with many lovely gifts.

Those invited were the honoree, Mesdames Payne Wood, Dwain Kennedy; Misses Roxie Arnn, Lydia and Ellen Crockett, Fern Thornton, Stella Bob Turner and the hostess.

## ACE HI BRIDGE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. RONNIE BLAIR

Mrs. Ronnie Blair was the charming hostess to the Ace Hi Bridge club when she entertained at her home Wednesday evening.

The rooms were beautifully adorned with vases of roses and spring flowers.

Three tables were arranged for bridge. Mrs. Lynn Dobbs was awarded high score prize for the ladies, while Mr. Kenneth Hauk scored high for the men.

It was decided that contract would be played instead of auction bridge.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests and club members: Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Dobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Payne Wood; Misses Stella Bob Turner, Lydia Crockett, Gladys Jones; Messrs. Earl Hopping, Travis Jones, Walter Lemond, Kenneth Hauk, Ronnie Blair and the hostess.

## GAS COMPANY MANAGER WILL TAKE VACATION

H. S. Brown, manager of the local branch of the West Texas Gas company, who has been ill for the past three weeks, is planning on leaving Sunday on a month's vacation, in an effort to regain his health. His son, Louis Brown of Amarillo, will arrive Sunday, and accompany his father to West Sunbury, Pa., where they will visit their daughter and sister, respectively, Mrs. Ivan Baird and Mr. Baird.

## Board Selects Faculty for 1932-33 For Local Schools

At a meeting of the board of the Littlefield Independent School district, which was held recently, the board selected the faculty for 1932-33. The Leader regrets that an error was made in publishing the list, and therefore gladly republishes the names.

The following members of the faculty of the Littlefield schools were re-elected for the school term, 1932-33:

High School Teachers—F. O. Boles, G. M. Irvin, J. R. Tucker, R. A. Box, W. D. T. Storey, Floyd Hemphill, Mrs. M. M. Brittain, Carrie Lee Collins, Ruth McKee, Eunice Wright, Mrs. Pat Boone, Mrs. Mallory Etter. Grammar School—Mrs. R. E. Riley, Sidney Hopping, Gladys Jones, Mrs. Audie Terrell Collina, Lucille Killough, Dahlia Hemphill, Gladys Wales, Mrs. J. M. Tunnell, Mary Belle Montgomery.

Primary school—Mrs. W. G. Street, Ruth Matthews, Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, Gladys Porter, Mrs. R. A. Box, Margaret Teal, Mrs. Ray Jones, Mrs. R. A. Davis, Mrs. Janie Power, Emma Ruth Jones, Mrs. B. M. Harrison, Mrs. Harry Wiseman.

## MEMORIAL

A very fitting address was made by Rev. J. F. Grizzle, pastor of the First Baptist church, at the Memorial service conducted at that church Sunday afternoon at 3:30, which was sponsored by the local unit of the American Legion and Auxiliary.

Fred DeLashaw of Lubbock, brother of Mrs. J. R. Coen, led the singing, and also sang a solo. The program also included a solo by Mrs. G. M. Shaw, which was much enjoyed.

Following the service the floral offering was taken to the cemetery and placed on the graves of two ex-service men.

## Dick Johnson Is Named Manager Here For Lumber Firm

Dick Johnson, who has been connected with the Littlefield yard and store of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. for the past four years, has been appointed manager here, succeeding Don Knight, who is being transferred to another branch of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. as manager.

Mr. Johnson has been connected with the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. throughout his entire residence in Littlefield. He came to Littlefield from his home, Johnson City, Tennessee.

Mr. Knight left Saturday for Boulder, Colorado, where he will visit his mother for a month before taking over his new duties.

## RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

Whereas, the Supreme Ruler has in His infinite wisdom removed from among us our worthy and much-esteem Brother W. P. McDaniel, and whereas the intimate relation held with him in this Masonic Lodge makes highly befitting that we record our appreciation of him; therefore, be it

Resolved: That the removal of such a noble life from among us leaves a vacancy that will be deeply felt by all the members and friends of this lodge, and will prove a serious loss to the community as well as the public.

Resolved: That with deepest sympathy with the bereaved family of the deceased, we express our hope that even so great a loss to us may be over-ruled for good by Him who knoweth best.

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the records of this lodge, a copy be printed in the Coleman and Littlefield papers, and a copy given to the bereaved family.

Committee.

## A. P. Duggan Is Elected Head of Rotary Club Here

Officers for the coming year for the Littlefield Rotary Club were elected last Thursday. Arthur P. Duggan was made president, succeeding R. T. Badger; B. M. Harrison, vice-president; W. J. (Bill) Chesher, sergeant-at-arms, and J. S. Hilliard was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Following the usual procedure in Rotary, the directors were elected at the club luncheon and the new directors elected the officers following the meeting.

The directors are Mr. Duggan, Mr. Badger, Rev. Joe F. Grizzle, Mr. Harrison, Dr. T. B. Duke, Dr. C. C. Clements, and J. G. Singer.

The program at last Thursday's luncheon was in charge of Joe W. Hale. Musical numbers were given by Miss Whitfield and a talk was made by Prof. B. M. Harrison.

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Sunday, June 5.  
We were glad to join with the ser-  
vice at the High school last Sunday.  
The service was uplifting and we  
congratulate the fine class of young  
people who are going out from the  
school this year.  
Sunday night service was well at-  
tended at the church. The pastor will  
be away next Sunday, but Rev. J. W.  
Watson will preach at both services.  
Brother Watson lives in Lubbock and  
needs no introduction to many of you,  
but to you who do not know him  
permit us to say that he is a good  
preacher and it will do you good to  
hear him.  
Help make the Sunday school at-  
tendance by coming yourself and  
bringing someone with you.  
Joe E. Boyd.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday, June 5  
The Sunday school enrollment is  
still climbing, but to reach our five  
hundred mark by June 12 will require  
some real work. However, when we  
call to mind the great number of  
workers it is but a minor task if all  
will do a little. All together. Let's  
go!  
9:45—Sunday school opening by  
departments. Be on time so that you  
may be numbered in the report.  
11:00—Choir and Congregational  
singing directed by Happy.  
11:20—Sermon.  
7:15—B. T. S. We need some  
men to assist in this part of the work.  
The general director will appreciate

**Political Announcements**  
For Sheriff:  
ALBERT A. ANDERSON.  
E. G. COURTNEY  
LEN IRVIN.  
BOB MILLER  
For County Treasurer:  
MISS BESSIE BELLOMY  
(Re-election)  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:  
ELLIS FOUST.  
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 4:  
W. H. BELL.  
JIM ETTER.  
W. W. MATTHEWS.  
For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 3:  
T. W. (TOM) TUCKER  
F. L. GREEN  
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:  
C. E. STRAWN (Re-election)  
J. C. (JIM) GRACE  
O. D. BROWN  
For Justice of Peace, Precinct No. 4  
J. B. SIKES (Re-election)  
B. L. (JOSH) COGDILL  
For District Clerk:  
MALLORY ETTER (Re-election)  
For Tax Assessor:  
ROY GILBERT (Re-election)  
For Constable, Precinct No. 4  
FRED HOOVER (Re-election)  
SAM HUTSON.  
J. O. CONNELL  
For County Attorney:  
J. E. (BERT) DRYDEN  
(Re-election)  
HERBERT C. MARTIN.  
WALKER BARTON.  
For County Judge:  
A. H. MCGAVOCK.  
SIMON D. HAY (Re-election)  
For County Clerk:  
F. Z. (ZEB) PAYNE  
J. W. (JAKE) HOPPING.  
STANLEY A. DOSS.  
MRS. W. W. GILLETTE.  
For Tax Collector:  
GASTON PATTERSON  
(Re-election)  
A. L. PORTER.  
T. L. (TOM) MATTHEWS.  
For State Representative:  
M. R. AVERY.  
For State Senator:  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
CLYDE E. THOMAS.  
G. E. LOCKHART.  
J. C. (JESS) LEVENS  
JAMES H. (JIM) GOODMAN  
For District Attorney:  
MEADE F. GRIFFIN (Re-election)

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8:15—Evening preaching service.  
The second of a series of sermons,  
"Are We Prepared for the Return of  
Prosperity?" "What Is Prosperity?"  
Who was and is prosperous? What  
do we mean when we talk of pros-  
perity? Come let's study together.  
Joe F. Grizzle, Pastor.

**REV. JOE BOYD**  
**ATTENDS MEETING**  
**IN ABILENE**  
Rev. Joe Boyd, pastor of the Meth-  
odist church here, accompanied by  
Mrs. Boyd and children, left Monday  
to attend the meeting of the Board  
of Christian Education Tuesday at  
Abilene.  
While away they will also visit Mr.  
Boyd's mother, Mrs. W. T. Boyd, and  
other relatives at Cisco, and Mrs.  
Boyd's mother, Mrs. R. M. Dickinson,  
at Stamford.  
They expect to be gone about ten  
days.  
Rev. J. W. Watson of Lubbock will  
occupy the Methodist pulpit in Mr.  
Boyd's absence.

**PERSONALS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Armon Logan of Lub-  
bock visited Mrs. Logan's parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reed, over the  
week-end and attended the baccalaure-  
ate services Sunday.  
Bert Dodson of Dallas spent last  
week the guest of his aunt and uncle,  
Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Reed.  
Len Irvin, of Olton, candidate for  
sheriff was in town Saturday on busi-  
ness.  
Editor Jess Mitchell of Muleshoe  
visited friends in Littlefield Saturday.  
He was accompanied here by his  
daughter, Miss Ruth Mitchell, who  
spent the week-end in the J. E. Chis-  
holm home, and attended the baccala-

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laureate sermon at the  
auditorium Sunday.  
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Bonds, and son, all of  
the guests of Mr. and  
Henson last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. P.  
Del Rio Monday morning  
will visit, and also spend  
with their son, Glenn P.  
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### WASHINGTON, A MASTER FARMER

BY WELTY THEDFORD

VOCATIONAL STUDENT, LITTLEFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

Welty Thedford, residing four miles west of Littlefield and a student in vocational agriculture at the Littlefield High school, was the winner of a speaking contest on agricultural subjects conducted at Texas Technological college. His subject was "George Washington, a Master Farmer." The winning of the contest was a very fine accomplishment, and the Lamb County Leader is glad of the opportunity to publish the talk made by Thedford.

The contest was sponsored by the Future Farmers of America, an association of vocational agriculture boys in high schools of the United States.

Thedford will enter a state contest in Huntsville the last week in July and the winner there will compete with those from other states at Kansas City next November.

—Editor's Note.

#### GEORGE WASHINGTON, A MASTER FARMER

A master farmer is one who is a citizen of his community, state and nation, and who is able to organize and operate a modern farm with pleasure and profit. Farming is not a matter of chance; it must be measured up to this end. George Washington in this respect had been scored on the contest for the title, "Master Farmer." Not only was he a tiller of the soil, but he was a good citizen in that he was a good neighbor. He was interested in the development of his community and in the affairs of government. His home life was pleasant, and he was famous for his hospitality. Above all, he was a farmer, and he operated his farms with efficiency and profit.

George Washington was a good citizen, a master farmer of today and a citizen ready to help his neighbors with their farm problems. When he found an improvement, he put it into use on his farm and passed the information to his neighbors. He was a leader in the government, a leader in his community, and he served his country well. He was the "father of his country" and as a citizen he was first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen.

His reason to believe that his home life was pleasant was always glad to return home to his beautiful home. This home, Mount Vernon, was presided over by Washington, who had no other household duties, although

she had many servants and many of the modern conveniences of the day. Washington was not blessed with children of his own, but he loved his wife's children by a former marriage as though they were his own. It was his desire to give the children a good education, but Patsy died at the age of sixteen, and Jacky, while Washington was trying to persuade him to go to college, fell in love and was married.

That Washington's business methods were efficient is proved by the great wealth he acquired. He invested great sums of money in land that increased in value and made him very wealthy. He increased the quantity and improved the quality of his livestock and wheat until they were of much greater value than the product of his neighbors. He marketed his wheat by finding a foreign market for it as flour, and established a trade name that marked it of high grade and superior quality. Washington kept accurate accounts of his business, especially of his farming. He was the first farmer in history of which we have any record, who kept farm accounts. He introduced record keeping to farmers, and though he did not use the same form, he kept just as accurate records as a master farmer of today. While he was away from his farm on business, he required a written report from his manager each week.

Washington had an adequate supply of machinery and equipment, as a master farmer must have, and he kept it well repaired. When he found a plow that was not suitable for his work, he revised it so that he could obtain the desired results from its use. He invented what he called a barrel plow. It was not a real plow, however. It was only a rude sort of grain drill. He used on his farm wheat and corn drills, a threshing machine, and many other improved implements.

Washington tried to improve his farms as well as his system of farming. He told his manager he would gladly pay any amount of money he saw fit to spend in improving his farms, for nothing pleased him more than to see his farms neat and in order, and nothing hurt him more than to see them otherwise. He provided comfortable homes for his tenants and he had over three hundred slaves to provide for. He had a grist mill, spinning and weaving houses, and other equipment that very few farmers of today have.

To operate a farm with profit, one's crops must be adapted to the soil. With the exception of corn, Washington's crops were well adapted to the soil at Mount Vernon. When he started farming, he used tobacco as a cash crop, but found that although it produced heavily, it depleted the soil of its fertility; therefore he turned to wheat as a cash crop. Other than wheat, he planted corn, oats, barley, rye, buckwheat, and alfalfa as livestock feeds and soil build-

ing crops. He could not raise corn successfully because his soil was too poor from raising tobacco in previous years. He raised potatoes, carrots, and other vegetables for home use. He also had flax and hemp, but his diaries show no account of his raising cotton.

Washington's methods of marketing were efficient, because he marketed his wheat as flour and marketed his feed through livestock.

Had Washington been scored on living at home, as a master farmer of today is, he would have ranked higher than the average master farmer of today does. His farm produced wool, flax and other materials out of which they made their clothes. Sometimes, however, when his corn crop was exceedingly short, he had to buy corn for the slaves.

George Washington was not content to rob the soil of its fertility as other farmers were, and as many farmers of today are; therefore he turned from tobacco farming to a diversified type. He produced tobacco in large quantities until he found that it took plant food from the soil and did not replace any. Turning to a diversified type of farming, he tried to rebuild his soil, but this was not an easy matter, because he had to find the information he needed through his own experiments, since there was no Department of Agriculture to which he could turn. He knew he could restore the fertility of the soil by the use of legumes and grass crops, and through his long, toilsome experiments, he worked out a crop rotation system that would be suitable for a farm today. He saved manure as though it were gold, and even hauled muck from the river bed for one of his fields, which shows that he was more interested in maintaining the soil fertility than the average master farmer of today.

Having no information on the best kinds of seed, as the present day master farmer has, Washington spent much time in trying to find the seed that would be most economical to use. Through careful selection, he bred his crops to a higher quality than those of his neighbors. That he attempted disease control is shown in his diary where he writes that he treated his wheat seed to prevent smut.

In raising livestock, the ration determines, largely, the profit. Washington fed his livestock well, and marketed his feed through them. He produced enough legumes and hay crops so that when put with his wheat, it formed a balanced ration.

Another factor that governs the profit in raising livestock is the quality of livestock kept. With the exception of cattle, Washington's livestock were all of good quality. At one time he had 130 horses, all of which he broke, and 21 of these were kept in the mansion house stables for family use. In 1759 he had 113 sheep, producing hardly two pounds of wool each. Through careful selection and breeding, he had in 1793 over 600 head producing five and one-half pounds each. Washington was the first farmer in America to try to raise mules, and he found that they could be used to great advantage in place of oxen. He was not so interested in cattle, however, and though at one time he had over three hundred, he sometimes had to buy butter.

It is remarkable to notice that the enterprises on Washington's farm yielded higher than those of his neighbors. In 1759 he produced 37,000 pounds of tobacco and in 1763 he produced 90,000 pounds. It was then that he realized he was losing his soil fertility and turned to wheat farming. In 1769 he sold 6,241 bushels of wheat, but decided that it would be more economical to sell flour, and thereafter he ground his

wheat into flour before selling it. We know that Washington was a progressive farmer. At his death he owned 63,000 acres of land, 130 horses, about 50 mules, over 300 head of cattle, and over 600 sheep. He had a threshing machine, wheat and corn drills, and many other improved implements.

George Washington was a "Master Farmer." He accomplished more and learned more about farming than any other farmer in the history of the world. He mastered his farm and mastered farming better than any other farmer, under such circumstances, has ever yet been able to do. Not only was he "first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen," but he was also first in southern agriculture!

### Chevrolet Dealers Report More Cars Sold Last Month

DETROIT, Mich., June 2.—One of the most encouraging reflections on current business to come out of this automotive center in recent months was the announcement here that Chevrolet dealers reported 85 per cent more cars sold at retail in April than in March, that April sales were 6,000 units greater than production, and that sales in the last ten-day period of the month exceeded either of the other two periods by 5,000 new

### As Lady Got Stronger, Pain Disappeared

"I had pains in my back and frequently dull headaches," writes Mrs. Tom Jones, of Hoxie, Ark. "I was nervous and restless. I felt a dragging-down feeling, and was tired all the time."

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cars and trucks. In the last ten days, dealers reported purchases by the public of 24,176 new units, according to W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager, as compared with 19,672 in the second ten-day period, and 17,461 in the first period.

The total of 61,309 compares with 33,125 sold in March, a gain of 85 per cent, and with 55,432 built in April, which was 5,000 more than the production schedule called for at the beginning of that month, Mr. Knudsen reported.

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# City of Lubbock Makes Profit of More Than \$100,000 In Past Year; Light and Water Units Carry Bulk of Financial Load

The City of Lubbock cleared \$101,355.91 during the fiscal year ended March 31, 1932, according to the audit report of William W. Condray accepted last week by the Lubbock city commission. This sum does not include \$70,039.76 spent for capital outlay and which became a part of the city's assets.

Chief net income came, of course, from the city water and electric plants which brought in \$103,682.96 and \$121,824.33 in net income, respectively. The general department, as usual showed an operating loss,

which last year amounted to \$58,298.89.

### Assets Increased \$124,066.96

The city's assets were increased by \$124,066.96 during the 12-month period, and at the end of March 31 the total was \$4,786,828.07, the report showed.

Bonded indebtedness was decreased \$29,000 from \$2,401,500 last year to \$2,362,500.

The light plant led in gross income, bringing in \$196,641.82 from all sources, and the water department showed a gross income of \$155,772.73. The general departments returned \$36,604.26. Expenses for these three divisions of the city's business were, respectively: \$74,817.49, \$52,089.77, and \$172,771.23.

### Delinquent Taxes Increase

An addition to \$90,228.54 in delinquent taxes for 1931 brought the total of delinquent taxes to \$169,108.58, an increase of \$37,413.54 during the year. The city collected \$209,794.24 in current and delinquent taxes and penalties, and disbursements were as follows: General fund (general cashier) \$1,876.12 (general fund (direct), \$18,189.86; interest and sinking fund, \$150,764.55; city special BCD fund, \$39,118.83.

### Fines Total \$7,528.30

Of the general revenue, the fines of corporation court, totaling \$7,528.30, topped the list in amount. Milk permits brought in \$1,034; dry closet permits \$1,157.20; slaughter permits, \$2,507.80; tax penalties, \$4,928.36 (depository interest \$6,969.76. By a difference of only about \$200 the fire department was the most expensive of the units in the general departmental group. Fire department expenses totaled \$26,503.67, of which more than \$24,000 went for salaries of the chief, firemen, and fire marshal. Police expenses total \$26,397.27, including more than \$22,000 for salaries.

Total salaries for all divisions—including the water and light plants—exceeded \$140,000.

### Candidates for Senate Are To Speak Here

G. E. Lockhart and Clyde E. Thomas, candidates for state senate, will speak in the interest of their campaign in Littlefield Saturday afternoon at 2:30.

### Lee Page Opens Cafe in Littlefield

Lee Page, for many years resident of Littlefield, has opened a cafe business in the building formerly occupied by the Farmers Cafe, on Phelps avenue.

Mr. Page recently sold his interest in the Houk & Page Grocery to his partner, J. C. Houk. For four years, prior to opening the Houk & Page grocery, Mr. Page operated a cafe in Littlefield. He and Mr. Houk opened the grocery concern here two years ago.

### TRADES DAY—

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tem, Stokes-Alexander Drug Co., Littlefield Tailor Shop, J. H. Ware Dry Goods, W. H. Heinen, Replin's Dry Goods Co., J. C. Houk Grocery, Fink's Dry Goods, John H. Arnett Motor Co., Shotwell's Grocery, Littlefield Battery & Electric, Polly Ann Beauty Shoppe, Sadler's Drug Store, A. & N. Dry Goods Co., Farmers Produce & Grocery, J. W. Purser, Texas Motor & Fuel, Garland-White Auto Supply, Hewitt Chevrolet Co., Walters Drug Co., W. J. Aldridge Grocery & Market, Consumers Supply Co., Myrick Grain & Feed Mill, Camp Dixie Grocery, E. M. Botsford, Prop., and Homer Hall, the People's Store.

The list of those actively participating in Trades Day is growing daily. Ask about Trades Day tickets.

### Rhodes Orchestra Will Play Here

The Rhodes Orchestra of Abernathy, which is a part of the Church of the Nazarene of that city, will be in Littlefield Friday and will play at the night service that day of the revival which is being conducted in this city under the direction of the Nazarene church. The night services start at 8:30.

The revival is being held at the Presbyterian church, and a general invitation is extended the public to attend.

The Rhodes Orchestra is declared to be an exceptionally fine musical organization, and is under the direction of a man of many years' experience in music.

### To the Voters and Taxpayers of Lamb County:

I am heartily in accord with all steps which have been taken, or which may be taken to reduce the operating expenses of our county. As a citizen of this county for many years, and with what little I possess located in this county—a farm—I am one of you and just as short of cash as the most of you; therefore, you can understand that I favor saving every dollar to the taxpayers that it is possible to save.

As one example of the fact that I will, if elected sheriff of this county, take every step possible to conduct the sheriff's department with the least possible expense, I will transport all insane persons to Wichita Falls for \$50 as against the fee of \$100 which is now being paid. This will mean a saving of several hundred dollars each year to the taxpayers. There are also other ways in which the cost of operating the sheriff's department can be cut—and you can depend on me to wield a sharp knife.

Since the Tax Collector's department and the Sheriff's department are no longer a combined office, the sheriff has only the duties of law enforcement to demand his time. Because of my knowledge of Lamb county, I feel that if there is a man who can handle the Sheriff's office without a salaried deputy I can.

Remember—There are expenses in the operation of the Sheriff's Department that should be cut and that you can depend on me to wield a sharp knife.

Yours for Economy,  
LEN IRVIN.

### Defective Coal Oil Stove Causes Fire At Dairy

About 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon the fire department was summoned to Cundiff's Dairy, where a defective coal oil stove had caused a fire in the milk shed.

According to E. C. Cundiff, owner, \$250 damage was caused to the inside of the building and a large quantity of bottles destroyed.

Orlando Douglass, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Douglass, had the misfortune to have the three middle fingers of his left hand badly lacerated last week, when operating a planter at his home east of Hart's Camp community. He was brought to Dr. J. R. Coen's office for treatment, and according to the doctor is getting along nicely.

Misses Grace and Blanch Brannen are planning on leaving for Las Vegas, N. M., next week to attend summer school at the State Teachers college.

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