

OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. G. R. Sandidge returned Friday from a vacation trip to Mineral Wells. Enroute here she visited in Lubbock and was accompanied to Littlefield by Mrs. Bessie Moore, who visited in the Sandidge home and also her niece, Mrs. Wylie Thornton, until Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Dennis of Baileyboro underwent an operation at the Littlefield Hospital Friday, and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Short had no guests over a recent week end. Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Singleton of Serrinole, Texas. Mr. Singleton is a brother of Mrs. Short.

Mrs. Joe Albus of Pep was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital suffering from sinus infection.

Jimmie Franks of Houston returned to Littlefield Saturday, where he will visit his sister and brother-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. Roy E. Hunt, before returning to his studies at Tech College about February 1.

Sue Vaughn Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jones of near Littlefield, is suffering from bronchial infection, and was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Saturday.

Mrs. M. E. Lowe, who has been ill with flu, pneumonia, and brain hemorrhage, for the past couple of weeks is still confined to her bed, but was able to sit up a little Saturday. Her daughter, Mrs. Petricolas, of Lubbock, spent Friday and Saturday with her mother. As soon as Mrs. Lowe is well enough, she will go to Lubbock and convalesce at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Petricolas.

Mrs. A. F. Hardin of Olton was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday for medical treatment. She returned home Saturday.

L. E. Crockett left recently for South Texas to be gone about three weeks.

Mrs. L. R. Crockett spent the past week end with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Barrier.

Mrs. Mike Brewer, Jr., underwent an appendicitis operation Thursday at the Littlefield Hospital, and is getting along nicely.

Miss Minnie Kate Grissom, who was ill all last week with flu and sinus trouble, was able to be up Saturday last.

Miss Charline Davis spent the past week end in Lubbock with her parents. She is a member of Littlefield school faculty.

John Peters has been suffering from an eye infection. He was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday, and is getting along nicely.

W. G. Street made a business trip to Lubbock, Slaton and Tahoka Friday.

Misses Margaret Coffman and Ruth Griffin, students at Tech, spent the past week end here.

Audrey West of Sudan underwent an operation Wednesday of last week after he was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital suffering from a leg infection. He returned to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hufstetler spent from Tuesday until Friday of last week in Wellington, locating a residence to live in, and making arrangements to move to that city, where Mr. Hufstetler has been transferred in connection with his work. They will move to Wellington about February 1.

Mrs. George White, who has been ill with flu, and confined to her home, is much improved.

Floyd Duane Pinkerton, aged about 6, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Friday, suffering from pneumonia. He is reported as getting along nicely.

Mrs. O. S. Sullivan of 1 1/2 miles south of town, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday suffering from an infection of her nose. She is getting along nicely.

D. L. Lane of Baileyboro has been ill and is confined in the Littlefield Hospital for medical treatment.

Miss Frances Humphries underwent an appendicitis operation at the Littlefield Hospital Saturday, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Arbie Joplin accompanied her daughter, Marjorie Claire to Sudan Saturday to take her art lessons from Mrs. J. B. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frazier left Sunday to move to Kilgore, Texas. Mr. Frazier had been employed by the Hall Motor Co. here.

Mr. and Mrs. K. W. King moved Monday to Lubbock.

Mrs. Myrtle Warren of Amherst underwent a major operation at the Littlefield Hospital Thursday, and is improving nicely.

Miss Joan Shook of Captain, N. M., arrived Sunday and is a guest in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George White. She will enroll at Littlefield high at second semester.

A son, John Eldon, was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kurr of Amherst Thursday.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wright of Littlefield Sunday, January 14.

Mrs. E. A. White left Friday for Plainview to attend a district meeting of Jehovah's Witnesses.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Pool of Fieldon Sunday, January 14.

Max Bedell of Gothenburg, Neb., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Virgo Peterson. He arrived several days ago, and will spend three weeks here.

V. S. Cassel was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday, suffering a severe attack of flu.

Hub Hyatt of Lubbock visited his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. N. Harkey, here Monday.

Howard Weaver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Verne Weaver of Bula, was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Saturday, January 13, with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bayless and children of Muleshoe attended services at the Methodist Church Sunday evening and visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Sharp.

Mrs. C. J. Dunning of Enochis underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Friday, January 12.

Mrs. F. R. Green and infant son were released from the hospital here Saturday, and taken by Hammons Ambulance to Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pryor Hammons visited his mother, Mrs. J. Hammons, at Post Sunday.

J. A. Roberson of Amherst was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday, January 10, for medical treatment.

Mrs. Carl McAdams was ill and confined to her home Monday.

Jim Mooney of Clovis arrived Monday for a visit with Mrs. Mooney, who previous to her marriage, was Miss Eva Gertrude Chisholm.

W. H. Whiteley of Littlefield, who was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Wednesday of last week suffering from a lung infection, is getting along nicely.

Miss Frances Humphries, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Humphries, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Littlefield Hospital Saturday morning. Her condition is reported to be fine. She had planned to enroll in business college in Lubbock Monday, but the attack of appendicitis prevented it.

Mrs. Y. Onstott visited in Lubbock several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seth, and son Billie, visited Mr. Seth's cousin in Clovis, New Mexico, Sunday.

Mrs. Quinton Bellomy and daughter left for Tahoka Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young over the week end. They were joined Sunday by Mr. Bellomy and all returned to Littlefield Sunday night.

Miss Edith Shirley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roberts of Spade, is now attending Draughon's Business College of Lubbock. Miss Shirley is taking the regular combined business course.

Miss Luelle Bryan, student at Tech College, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Bryan, from Friday until Monday. Miss Bryan was suffering from a cold, which settled in her eyes, but was much improved when she returned to Lubbock.

Sherry Ann Basham of Maple was admitted to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Tuesday, January 9, with pneumonia.

A son, Ray, Jr., was born to Dr. and Mrs. Ray Green of Sudan, at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital January 10.

W. H. Devins of Spring Lake was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday suffering from pneumonia.

Lieut. and Mrs. L. F. Fullbright left Monday on a two weeks' holiday trip. They will visit San Antonio and other points in Texas.

Leon Dowdy, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Dowdy, of Southwest of Littlefield, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Thursday suffering from pneumonia. He is improving nicely.

Mrs. John Porcher, Sr., who has been ill with flu, is reported to have recovered from her illness.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Badger left the first of last week on a business trip to Austin.

Mrs. Winnifred Reeves of Bula underwent a major operation at the Littlefield Hospital Tuesday. She is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett returned from Fort Worth Thursday, where they had been on a business trip for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jones Sunday visited her father, J. J. Higgins, who is seriously ill in a Wichita Falls hospital.

Mrs. Tokie Doty of Sudan underwent tonsilectomy at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Wednesday, January 10.

H. T. Bartley was in Oklahoma City several days last week.

Mrs. D. H. Dennis of Enochis was received at the Littlefield Hospital for medical treatment Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Throop visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hukill, at San Angelo last week end. Mrs. Throop is the former Miss Ila Lola Hukill of Littlefield. They are making their home in Brownfield.

Mrs. J. J. Yates of near Littlefield was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital for medical treatment Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hutson and Mrs. M. W. Brewer left Tuesday morning for Buckeye, Arizona, where Mr. Hutson will get a prisoner, a negro, who is wanted in this county for stealing an automobile. Mrs. Hutson will visit her brother near Phoenix, and Mrs. Brewer will visit J. E. Barnes at Chandler, Arizona. They will return home Saturday.

W. A. Debrusk of Beck's Gin was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital Saturday suffering from pneumonia. He is doing nicely.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Spradlin Saturday morning. Mrs. Spradlin and the daughter are in Hollis, Okla., and C. B. returned to Littlefield Monday.

Master Billie Patillo of Olton was brought here for medical treatment Sunday.

James H. Strawn is the new assistant farm supervisor for farm security in Lamb county. Mr. Strawn came to Littlefield from Big Spring, and he took the place of Doyle Ranson, who left December 1 for Morton, where he is Farm Supervisor for FSA in Cochran county.

R. F. Nixon of Spade was received at the Littlefield Hospital for medical treatment Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Eagan and Mrs. Lynn Dobbs and children visited several days this week with their parents at Olney.

Miss Nita Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Payne of Amherst, was stricken with streptococcal throat infection Monday and brought to the Littlefield Hospital.

M. O. Danforth of Portales has opened a cafe and rooming house in the Jacques building, Earth. Mr. and Mrs. Danforth are moving to Earth this week. The cafe is operated by Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams. The interior has been redecorated and the six rooms they have for rent are equipped with new furniture and new bedding.

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Texas Longhorn, Relic Of Bygone Days In Cattle Industry, Is Almost Extinct Breed

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Sudan C. Of C. Elects Officers At Recent Meeting

In a recent meeting the Sudan Chamber of Commerce elected new officers for the new year. R. E. Doss was elected president. Reed Markham assumes the position of vice-president, and the new board of directors consist of the following: Loyd Robinson, Hugh Johnson, Joe Salem, Drew Watkins, and Ves Terry. The outgoing president is Ves Terry and the outgoing vice-president is Simon D. Hay.

Mexican Peso Low Value Booms Building In Juarez

Juarez, Mex.—(UP)—The fall in the Mexican peso in relation to the United States dollar is bringing a building boom to this border city across the Rio Grande from El Paso, Texas. New residences and buildings in all parts of the city are springing up as a result of favorable business conditions in the area, increased productivity of the Juarez valley and, according to city engineer Federico Esqueda, most important of all, the drop in the peso. Many of the new homes are being built either by Mexicans who cross the Rio Grande daily to work in El Paso, or by Mexicans who have returned to Juarez to retire after having "made their fortunes" in the United States. With the peso hovering around 20 cents in United States currency and often dropping to 18 and 17 cents, a laborer who earns \$2 a day in El Paso can convert it into at least ten pesos after crossing back to Juarez.

Lawton, Okla.—(UP)—The Texas Longhorn, relic of a bygone age in the cattle industry, is making his last stand in the U. S. Government's wildlife refuge in the Wichita mountains of southwest Oklahoma. One hundred and forty-five of the Longhorns, more than two-thirds of the breed estimated to be remaining in existence, comprise the government's herd in the Wichitas. The present herd has evolved from a nucleus of 30 animals placed in the refuge in 1927, when Federal officials began taking steps to prevent complete extinction of the type. One of the cattle originally moved from the Texas coastal plains to Oklahoma—"Old Red," a gaunt old cow more than 20 years old—is still living. Attempting To Improve Breed The U. S. biological survey which is in charge of the area is attempting to improve the Longhorn. Originally, the breed was a tough, string creature, mostly tough muscle and bone, and weighed 400 to 700 pounds. The Wichita breed, however, is considerably larger and weighs on an average of from 800 to 1200 pounds. A Spanish Viceroy brought the prototype of the Longhorn to Mexico from Spain in the sixteenth century. With the coming of the great cattle age in the United States in the middle of the nineteenth century, Texas Plainsmen found the Longhorn their immediate most suitable breed. The animal could be bought cheaply or stolen from the Mexicans, and was adaptable to the semi-wild conditions of the time. Heat, drought and Indians were less of a problem to him than to the gentle bossies imported from England and northern Europe. Fast On Foot He also could move fast and was little affected by long marches. The thousand-mile long cattle drives up the Texas trail, across dangerous Oklahoma territory to the Kansas railways, often in the face of spring blizzards and across plains parched by summer drought, would have been disastrous for the typical beef cow. But it was economically safe for the Texas cattlemen with their lean, belligerent animals. Shanghai Pierce, a grizzled old cow baron of the eighties, called his Longhorns "sea lions" because he vowed they came up right out of the Gulf of Mexico. Pierce swore his cattle were so fast it took two men to see one of the animals—one to say, "here he comes," and another to say, "there he goes." The Longhorn began to decline in the nineties, however. With the extension of the railroads to the great Texas grazing lands, cattlemen found it more profitable to invest in herds of Shorthorn beef, which were heavier and of infinitely better quality. After they disappeared from the

plains of northwest Texas, some were still raised along the Gulf portions of Texas. Successive epidemics of tick fever, a disease to which the Longhorn is very susceptible, decimated even those herds until in 1920 Federal Government officials began to fear that the Longhorn would become extinct.

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By Cy Hungerford

Clubs - Women's Interest - Social Events

Miss Vada Teaver And George Webster Wed At Lubbock Sunday Afternoon

The marriage of Miss Vada Teaver and George Webster, Jr., both of Plainview, was solemnized at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Homer Roper, Lubbock, Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Rev. Donald ... of Littlefield officiated with the ceremony.

The bride was attractive in blue dress with black patent accessories. Her corsage was of red buds. She was attended by Mrs. Martha Meriwether of Littlefield, who wore a teal blue dress with black accessories. She carried corsage of red roses.

The groom was attended by Paul ... of Littlefield. After the wedding, a reception was held, and a three-tiered wedding cake was cut. Only relatives and close friends attended. Those from Littlefield were Miss Martha Meriwether, Gilmer Eagan, Kenneth ... and Paul Hyde. Miss Nell ... and Weldon Dodson attended from Plainview, and Miss Jean ... society editor for the Amite Times, also attended.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. T. Teaver of Plainview, and is a graduate of the Lockney high school.

The groom, formerly with the West Texas Oil Mill in Littlefield, employed in the oil mill at Plainview. His parents reside in Lockney, and he is a graduate of the Lockney high school.

Miss Mae Bigham and Otha Smith Wed January 6

The marriage of Miss Iris Mae Bigham of Littlefield and Otha Smith of Amherst was solemnized at Clovis, New Mexico, Saturday afternoon, January 6. Vows were read by R. A. Guy, pastor of the Central Baptist church, Clovis.

The bride was attractive in a pink and blue dress, with black patent accessories. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bigham of Littlefield, and was a member in the local high school. She is a popular member of the Kapri and Pep Squad.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smith of Amherst. The couple will make their home in Sudan.

Miss Bass And P. Brantley Wed Quiet Ceremony

J. B. Brantley and Miss Savannah Bass were united in marriage Sunday afternoon, January 7, at 2 o'clock in the home of the officiating minister, (Rev. L. S. Jenkins, pastor of the Amherst Baptist church), in a single ring ceremony. They were attended by Miss Bonnie ... and Loyd Neely, Texas Technological students, Lubbock. The bride was charming in a blue suit with black accessories.

Following the ceremony they left for a honeymoon trip to New Mexico and Arizona. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bass of Amherst. She received her high school education in Paducah where she graduated in 1933. She later attended a business school in Clovis, N. M., and the past year has been employed by the Charm Beauty Shoppe in Amherst.

Mr. Bradley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Brantley and was reared near Amherst. He was a member of the graduating class of the Littlefield high school in 1934. Since graduating from high school he has been associated with his father and others in the mercantile business in Amherst. Mr. and Mrs. Brantley will make their home on his farm near Amherst.

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Mrs. Wm. Rumbach Hostess Thursday Luncheon Club

Members of the Thursday Luncheon Club were guests of Mrs. Wm. Rumbach the past week end at a luncheon.

Luncheon was enjoyed Thursday at the Littlefield Hotel, where the table was served from a table centered with sweet peas, following which bridge was enjoyed at the Rumbach apartment in the Rumbach building.

Flowers made more inviting the dining suite. Those high in the games were: Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Bill ... Mrs. Mancil Hall received the prize.

The list included: Mesdames Wood, Mancil Hall, Earl ... Dennis Jones, Jack Henry, ... R. E. Hunt, Max ... Pass.

Miss Winona Piel And Glenn Jones Wed Sunday Night

Miss Winona Piel of Abernathy and Glenn Jones of Anton were united in marriage at the home of Rev. Jeff Welch, Lubbock, Sunday night at 9 o'clock. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rowe and Amos Shockley of Anton.

The bride wore a blue dress with black accessories. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Piel of Abernathy, and is a graduate of the Abernathy high school.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Jones, and is a graduate of the Anton high school, and he attended West Texas State College in Canyon one year.

The couple will make their home in Anton, where Mr. Jones operates a service station.

Miss Claudine Hulse And James Davenport Marry At Clovis, N. M.

Marriage vows were read for Miss Claudine Hulse of Littlefield and James Davenport of Amherst by a Church of Christ minister at Clovis, N. M., Monday morning, January 8, at 11 o'clock. They were accompanied by Doyle Dean and Miss Evelyn Thompson.

The charming bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hulse of Littlefield, where she was reared.

The groom is a foster son of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Herndon of Amherst, and has for the past several weeks been operator of the Amherst Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. Davenport will make their home in Amherst.

Deputy Grand Matron Honored At O. E. S. Banquet Friday Night

As a courtesy to Mrs. Frona McLeod, Deputy Grand Matron of the Order of Eastern Star, members of the local chapter entertained at a banquet Friday evening at the Littlefield Hotel, at which about 25 were present.

Following the banquet a short business meeting was held, Mrs. McLeod making her official visit to the Chapter, and a program was enjoyed.

Mrs. G. M. Shaw sang "My Task," accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Sid Hopping. A gift was presented on behalf of the chapter to the Deputy Grand Matron by Mrs. Oscar Wilemon, Mrs. Max Wood and Mrs. J. H. Barnett in a very unique manner.

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. McLeod announced that the school of instruction for this district would be held April 16 at Floydada, and urged all members to study preparatory to the session.

Mrs. E. S. Rowe Hostess El Martis Club Members

Members of the El Martis Club were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe Tuesday of last week, with Mrs. Rowe as hostess, at a luncheon-bridge.

Sweet peas centered the bridge tables, and made more attractive the entertaining rooms.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Mesdames Wayne Carlisle, C. E. Cooper, W. G. Street, Lena Howard, W. H. Gardner, K. W. Wells, L. C. Hewitt, B. L. Cogdill, S. J. Farquhar, M. M. Brittain, J. M. Stokes, and Oscar Wilemon.

Scoring high in the games were: Mrs. Wells and Mrs. Stokes.

Friday Club Guests At Bridge Friday In Hemphill Home

Members of the Friday Club enjoyed bridge at the home of Supt. and Mrs. F. A. Hemphill Friday afternoon.

Following the games Mrs. K. W. Wells and Mrs. C. C. Fleischer were awarded the bingo prizes, and refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Wm. N. Orr, Jack Farr, B. L. Cogdill, Leo Hewitt, K. W. Wells, J. C. Elms, C. C. Fleischer, and W. H. Frazier.

Mrs. Sid Hopping Entertains Dinner Club Thursday Night

As a courtesy to members of the Edelweiss Dinner Club, Mrs. Sid Hopping entertained at a dinner party Thursday evening, following which bridge was enjoyed until a late hour.

Scoring high in the games were: Mrs. J. H. Barnett and Mr. T. Wade Potter.

Present at this social affair were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon, Mrs. H. T. Wingo of Las Vegas, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lewis, and Mr. Hopping.

Mr. and Mrs. George Webster Honorees At Dinner Sunday Night

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown entertained with a dinner Sunday night honoring Mr. and Mrs. George Webster, Jr., who were married in Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Those attending the dinner were Miss Jeanne Suits of Amarillo, Miss Martha Meriwether, and Paul Hyde, Kenneth Houk, and Gilmer Eagan and the honorees.

Builds New Home

Clarence Herrin is building a new home on his farm three miles south of Anton. The house, which is of modern construction, will have five rooms and bath. Mr. Herrin is also putting in a complete water system and windmill.

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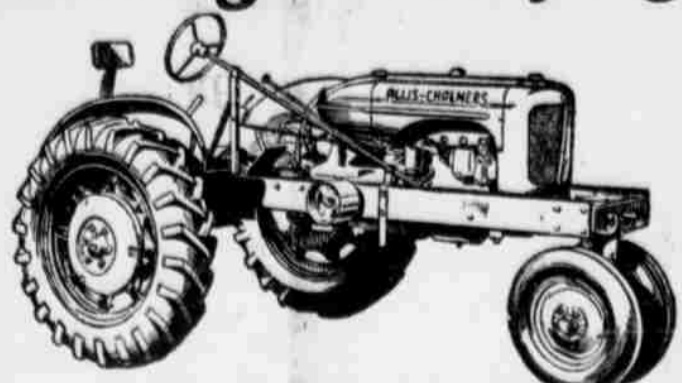
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W. H. Badger— (Continued from page one)

resident of Littlefield for the first 10 years of the operation of the Yellowhouse Land Company, and had a very large circle of friends here, who are deeply grieved to learn of Mr. Badger's passing.

About 1933 Mr. and Mrs. Badger returned to their former home in Austin, where they have continued to live, with the exception of several trips made to Littlefield each year in the interests of the land business. Mr. Badger made his last trip out here in January, 1939.

Mr. Badger was born in Gonzales, Texas, and has been a resident of Austin since 1908, with the exception of the 10 years spent in Littlefield.

Last Rites Today

Funeral service will be conducted at 8 o'clock this afternoon (Thursday) at Austin, with interment in Austin cemetery. Further particulars were not available Wednesday.

Bob Badger, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Badger, and nephew of the deceased, received the death message Wednesday and left immediately for Austin.

Surviving Mr. Badger are his wife a son, W. H. Badger, Jr., of Austin; and three daughters including Mrs. Ed. Bailey of Wichita Falls, a daughter of Corpus Christi, and another daughter of the Hawaiian Islands; three brothers, R. T., of Littlefield; Stillman of California; and Brandt, Jr., of San Antonio; and two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Reid of Austin; and Mrs. Mary Blalock of Dallas.

The Lamb County Leader joins the entire South Plains in deep regret at the passing of Mr. Badger and in sincere sympathy to the bereaved family.

An Idea— (Continued from page one)

the beginning of 1940, it was stated. This is well over twice the number of farms having such service before the REA was established in 1935.

"The task into which REA swings at the beginning of 1940," said REA Administrator Harry Slattery, who participated in the broadcast, "is to make electric service of the utmost use and profit to these new users, and to extend service to many thousands of additional farms."

The broadcast, entitled "An Idea in Action," tells the story of the aims and accomplishments of REA in Texas, and was arranged by the State Director for the office of Government Reports.

It will come over the Texas State Network at 3:45 p. m. Tuesday.

Federation Of— (Continued from page one)

is president; Miss Floella Jones, secretary; and Mrs. Lester La Grange, reporter.

An executive board meeting will be called by Mrs. Stevenson at 11 o'clock, before the general session.

The program will open at 11:30 with a musical romance arranged by Miss Lois Kirkpatrick and Miss Laura Virginia Bills, followed by a reading by Miss Maxine Cash; organ numbers by Morgan Layfield, flute solo by Miss Janith Hewitt, accompanied by Miss Ferne Holland, Bell Lynn and organ number by Morgan Layfield and Bobbie Taylor; and Clairette solo by Don Eagan.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon at the Methodist church. All members of Federated clubs and Home Demonstration clubs are urged to attend, and bring a covered dish to the church, Mrs. J. H. Barnett is in charge of arrangements.

An Indian program for the afternoon session, directed by Mrs. W. D. T. Storey, state chairman of Indian Welfare Work, will open at 1:30 at the Baptist church, and will include: vocal solo by Mrs. G. M. Shaw, accompanied by Mrs. Earl Hobbs; talk on Indian Tribes of Texas, by Miss Ruth Matthews; an Indian Love Call sung by the Junior Study club; poem—"Hiawatha" by Mrs. Pat Boone; and "Indian Contribution to Civilization," by Mrs. W. D. T. Storey.

West Texas— (Continued From Page 1)

including 2000 cubic feet remains the same, and the next 48 thousand cubic feet is reduced from 50 cents to 45 cents per thousand. Each domestic and commercial user of gas, using over the minimum bill of \$1.25 per month, will save 5 cents per thousand cubic feet on the next 48 thousand cubic feet.

The present reduction in rates is the third such reduction made by the West Texas Gas Company to domestic and commercial consumers of gas in the past . . . the company commenced the general distribution of gas on its system in the fall of 1927, and just 8 years later, in December, 1935, made its first rate reduction. A second rate reduction was made in January, 1937. These reductions have resulted in reducing the minimum bill (which includes the first two thousand feet) from \$1.50 to \$1.25, and in reducing the cost of the next 48 thousand cubic feet from 67 1/2 cents per thousand to 45 cents per thousand. These three reductions represent a total saving to the company's consumers of approximately \$400,000 annually.

The rate reduction now going into effect will mean a saving to gas users each year of approximately \$100,000. This rate reduction is in accord with the policy of West Texas Gas Company to lower the cost of gas to its customers as often as its earnings will permit, consistent with present high standards of customer service.

The new rate schedule is as follows:

- General Service Rate
- First 2,000 cu. ft. per month—\$1.25 (minimum bill).
- Next 48,000 cu. ft. per month—45 cents per M. cu. ft.
- Next 50,000 cu. ft. per month—30 cents per M. cu. ft.
- Next 400,000 cu. ft. per month—25 cents per M. cu. ft.
- All over 500,000 cu. ft. per month—20 cents per M. cu. ft.
- Additional charge—One-ninth of bill will be added if not paid within 10 days after date rendered.

Annual— (Continued from page one)

zier, Littlefield; H. C. White, Sudan; Lawrence Hicks, Spring Lake; and G. T. Sides, Olton.

The stock will be exhibited in pens, which will be built on a vacant lot on main street in Littlefield. Cash prizes will be given to the owners of the best calves, pigs and lambs.

Several special features for the program have been planned, and will be announced later.

The show was held in Amherst last year, and some of the finest stock on the South Plains was exhibited.

President's— (Continued from page one)

on January 30 in honor of President Franklin D. Roosevelt, and on behalf of the nation's small sufferers from infantile paralysis.

Tickets to the Lamb county ball will be on sale this week end, Mr. Etter said.

Discarded— (Continued from page one)

have discarded or replaced, are asked to contribute them to this project. Mrs. Hilliard asks that those having any one of these to contribute either phone her at 93, bring them to her home, or leave them at the Leader office, or at the office of Dr. Ira Woods, local optometrist. By doing this you will assist her in a very worthy work, and assist her to get her plans underway.

Mrs. Hilliard points out that any old glasses, old frames or cases will be appreciated, and urges all those having such to either advise her or leave at any one of the above places.

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Littlefield residents who own pet pups better watch over their canines. There have been a number of the better dogs of the city poisoned during the past two weeks.

About ten days ago the black dwarf sheppard pet of Helen Jean Nelms, daughter of Drs. J. E. and Hazel Nelms, died from effects of poisoning. Some chicken soaked in strychnine, wrapped in cotton, was found lying in the Nelms yard. The child is still mourning the loss of her pet. In the same neighborhood four other dogs died apparently from poisoning also, including the black water spaniel of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr; and the wirehaired terrier of Dr. and Mrs. M. V. Cobb, as well as a pet pup belonging to the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Le-Mond.

Also an epidemic of dog poisoning seems to be taking place in Amherst, as a number of dogs are reported to have died as a result of poisoning in that city.

Just who would be "low down" enough to poison a dog—the true friend to man—is hard to understand—not to say anything of robbing a child of his or her pet, pun with which they have become so attached.

Erect Soldier's Monument To Late Earth Resident

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Jacobs are erecting the first soldiers' monument in the Spring Lake cemetery to the late Ed Bock, a pioneer citizen of Earth. The stone, the first of its kind to be issued is of delicately pale marble, encribed with the cross encircled which signifies the Christian faith.

Brother Of Mrs. John Harvey Passes Away Result Heart Attack

Mrs. John Harvey and her mother, Mrs. S. E. Hart, and Jack Harvey and Mrs. Gordon Roberts returned from Fort Worth recently where they attended the funeral Friday morning, January 5, for J. Ben Hart, 52, brother of Mrs. Harvey, who passed away suddenly as a result of a heart attack Thursday, January 4.

Funeral services were conducted at 10 o'clock at Cole's Funeral Home, Fort Worth, by Rev. Williams, Baptist pastor, and interment took place in a Fort Worth cemetery.

Besides his mother, Mrs. Hart, and sister, Mrs. Harvey, he is survived by his wife and four children, Sarah and Dorothy, and John Ben and Harry, all at home in Fort Worth; another sister, Mrs. J. R. Traywick of Corpus Christi, and a brother, Otis, also of Corpus Christi.

Rev. Williams is well known by the Baptist church members of this city, having conducted three different meetings here.

Last Rites For Olton Pioneer Thursday Last

Funeral services for J. R. Jones, 67, of Olton, were conducted Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at the Olton Baptist church. Rev. W. B. Fitzgerald of Crowell officiated, assisted by Rev. C. C. Griffiths.

Mr. Jones died January 9, after a short illness. He was born May 4, 1872, in North Carolina. In 1913 he moved to Texas. He has lived in Olton 17 years.

Interment was at Eldorado, Oklahoma, under direction of M. W. Lemon Funeral Home of Plainview.

Pallbearers were: L. R. Johnson, Tom Criswell, T. Mason, C. L. Meyers, C. L. Smith and J. L. Derrick. He leaves to mourn his going 8 children, four girls and four boys; Mrs. Winnie Farley of Eldorado, Oklahoma, Mrs. Bessie Haley of California; Mrs. Mazella Babb of Eldorado, Oklahoma, Mrs. Alice Gardner of Plainview, Harry, J. L. and Robert, all of Olton, Haskell of Seal, Haley of California. He is also survived by 31 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Last Rites For Brother of Mrs. Hilbun Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hilbun returned Thursday night from Sweetwater, where they attended funeral services for John Bonner, 59, brother of Mrs. Hilbun.

Last rites were held Thursday afternoon at the Church of Christ, with Rev. J. P. Crenshaw, minister of the church, officiating, and interment took place in the Sweetwater Cemetery.

Mr. Bonner died suddenly the Sunday previous at his home in Bartlesville, Okla., and the remains were shipped to Sweetwater.

Surviving deceased were his wife and two children, a son, Conrad Bonner, who is in the Aviation Department of the Navy, and at present attending a Navy School of Instruction at Norfolk, Va., and a daughter, Miss Gerta Lou Bonner of Bartlesville; his sister, Mrs. Hilbun, and a brother, T. Bonner of near Sweetwater.

Mr. Hilbun, who had been suffering from sinus trouble, when he left here for Sweetwater, was obliged to receive medical treatment for this ailment while in Sweetwater.

Texas' First Woolen Mills Established At Eldorado, Texas

LUBBOCK, Texas, January 16.—Establishment of Texas' first woolen mills at Eldorado by J. M. Christian, Texas Tech graduate, should widen our market considerably, said W. L. Stangel, head professor of animal husbandry at Texas Tech.

The plant will be known as West Texas Woolen Mills and will manufacture 100 per cent virgin wool blankets, ordinary camp and army style blankets, woolen suiting, yarn and woolen batting.

"Although Texas is the largest wool-producing state in the Union," Stangel said, "heretofore we have shipped most of our raw wool to New England for manufacture, and none of it has been finished in Texas. Selling at home will be a valuable aid to this industry."

Since graduating from Tech's textile engineering department in August, 1936, Christian has worked as assistant engineer of the Southern Textile plant of U. S. Rubber company.

Brother Of Mrs. Otto Jones Injured In Auto-Truck Crash

J. R. Higgins of Abilene, brother of Mrs. Otto Jones, who spent from Thursday until Friday afternoon at the bedside of his father, J. J. Higgins, who is critically ill in a Wichita Falls Hospital, was unfortunate enough to figure in an automobile-truck crash enroute to his home Friday.

The car which he was driving collided with an oil truck about five miles from Abilene. Mr. Higgins suffered lacerations on his head and bruises. He is confined in a hospital at Abilene.

Flour Mill Manager In Littlefield On Business

J. J. Willhite, manager of the H. M. Packard Mill & Elevator Co., Spring Lake, was in Littlefield Monday calling on local grocers in connection with the merchandising of the company's products.

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By W. E. FISH
Manager, Commercial Car Dept.
Chevrolet Motor Division

The country-wide observance by Chevrolet dealers and salesmen of National Truck Week January 8-13, focused attention on the diversified roles which commercial cars have come to play in the American business picture. From the small retail grocery to the manufacturer of locomotives, from coast to coast and border to border, from the Iowa farm to New York's docks, trucks are called upon to transport a vast share of the nation's products.

As the manufacturer of the broadest range of commercial car equipment offered for 1940—56 models on nine different wheelbase lengths—Chevrolet is the supplier of transport equipment to widely-varying fields.

As America enters a new business year, all indices have strengthened, pointing to increased economic gains in many fields. Freight car loadings

are up, heavy industry is gaining, retail sales have been strong. The factors all point to a brighter year, as a nation at peace plays its role in a turbulent world. America's manpower must supply the deficit created by the non-gainful occupation of so many thousands of men around the globe.

Consequently, American businessmen already are preparing for a busy year to come. Many of them, of course, regularly replace worn transport equipment early each year, in preparation for spring and summer needs. Others, encouraged by current trends, recognize that this year in particular they must begin early to consider their needs for a new business year.

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Hills Of Destiny— (Continued from Story Page)

"When Honey's ma married into the shirt sleeve set, but I took notice that when Matt was makin' a lot of money they corresponded with him pretty frequent. Can't tell me!"

The dark head turned slightly. "They're born grubblers, Joey, if I know the breed. I'd like to see the stubs of Matt's check books for the last six years."

Joey nodded thoughtfully. Silence fell between them again.

"You're not sore with me for trailing along this way, are you?" Virginia laughed and half shrugged as Stanley came out to where she stood on the veranda in starlight, looking across the shadowy valley.

"Well, I just wondered. You've been so quiet. Rather withdrawn, you know."

He bent a flushed face toward her. "You ran away from me, Vee. Don't you know that I'd follow you—anywhere?"

His voice had dropped to a whisper. "In another second he would be kissing her. Lee this afternoon, Stanley this evening...She couldn't stand it."

"That's sweet of you, Stan." She moved a little, just out of reach. "But don't let's talk about it tonight, will you?"

For Lee, and for Joey also, the serpent had entered the garden. There were no more long rides, nor quiet evenings by Joey's fire. Virginia rode with Stanley Bradish now, showing him over the range, taking him deep into the hills by

trails that Lee had shown her. On the third day after his arrival he and Virginia went down to Saunders and came back with a long, rakish car, smoke-grey, with his monogram in scarlet on the doors. After that they were seldom home.

At the end of the third week more guests arrived, friends who had stopped off on a coast-to-coast trip, and lights shone and music came from the ranch house until far into the night. A newer, gayer life had come to the Circle V, and with one notable exception, Lee Hollister had no part in it.

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Under THE DOME At Austin

By GORDON K. SHEARER
United Press
Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Texas.—(UP)—Joe Steadham of Fort Worth, capital representative for the brotherhood of railway trainmen and member of the joint labor legislative board, overlooks no chance to help his cause. Recently he has been appearing before the Texas Railroad Commission in support of an order to prohibit the operation of double-header trains on the contention that they

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create an unnecessary hazard to railroad workers.

The hearing closed several weeks ago but Steadham wrote this week to Railroad Commission Chairman Lon A. Smith and asked the commission to include in its consideration a wreck that occurred near Orange during the Christmas holidays. It was a wreck of a double-header train.

Steadham sent newspaper clippings of the accident and told the commissioners the wreck was proof of the Railroad Brotherhoods' contention that two engines pulling a train are dangerous.

If that wreck results in an order against double-header operation, it would be the second occasion when a timely occurrence has worked to the benefit of labor representatives.

Many years ago, Joseph Myers, former state labor commissioner and now a labor conciliator for the Federal government, was pressing a bill before the state legislature to require vestibules on street cars.

Up to that time the motormen faced winter on open platforms bundled up as well as they could dress and yet perform their duties. A determined fight against the bill was being made by the companies operating street cars. The measure seemed destined to defeat.

Then came a severe norther. The freezing wind was so strong that the legislators could scarcely battle their way up the long icy walk leading to the state capitol from downtown Austin.

A vote on the vestibule bill was called with the legislators still shivering, and it won.

When the Texas Supreme Court celebrates the centennial anniversary of the first sitting of the court on January 13, the scene was far different from that of 100 years ago.

The court then consisted of bearded justices in contrast to the cleanly shaven judiciary that now occupies the nine evenly placed chairs behind the huge court desk.

A century ago, the court consisted of a chief justice and associate justices as at present, but it lacked the two commissions of three members each, that now sit with the court.

There is also a marked contrast between the work of the court then and now. A glance at any week's proceedings shows how busy the nine members are kept. Yet the first chief justice, James Collinsworth, never wrote an opinion and the second chief justice, John Birdsall, neither wrote an opinion nor held a session of the court.

Collinsworth's lack of an opinion is noted by Judge Ocie Speer in a book on the state's judiciary with the comment that Washington was childless and became known as the Father of his country while Justice Collinsworth wrote no opinion and might well be designated the father of the Texas judiciary.

Judges of the few district courts that then existed were associate justices of the Supreme Court, but did

Hikers Cuss West Texas Hospitality; Write Their Thoughts On Road Signs

EL PASO, Texas.—(UP)—State and Federal highway signs guide more than motorists along west Texas roads—they're also directional markers and information posts to hitch hikers waiting for rides.

C. W. Lyons, division mechanic for the Texas Highway Department, who takes the "hitch hiker's mailboxes" into his shop for repair, reads the messages that wandering knights of the road write between waves of the thumb—then paints them out.

Some of the hitch hikers merely write their names. Others add their addresses and ask those who chance to see the message to correspond. Then there are those who while away the waiting hours with bits of doggerel verse, philosophy or aspersions directed against West Texas hospitality. They don't like it—too hard to get a ride in this part

of the state, Lyons said their messages show.

Wait Hours For Rides
Apparently men nitch hikers have more trouble getting rides than do their female counterparts, Lyons said. Most of their sign scribbles were devoted to what they don't like about West Texas hospitality.

Write one "rusty" on a U. S. 80 sign: "Western hospitality all baloney."

Another: "Sunday, May 13, Mothers' Day. Luck bad, been here five hours and no ride yet."

And a third: "Sat here six hours and haven't caught a ride. This is a hell of a state!"

And a man who called himself an Iowa "Hossier" put it in writing that "Beautiful Texas is ugly as H—"

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not act in cases appealed from their own district courts.

The Centennial anniversary exercises were held in the room in which the court has met since 1888. The same demask draperies that were back of the bench at the first session in the state capitol that year still hang, apparently unharmed and undimmed by age. Beneath the hangings are the portraits of the first judges of the supreme court of the State of Texas, as distinguished from the judges of the supreme court of the Republic of Texas.

In the middle is Chief Justice John Hemphill, who also had been the last chief justice in the days of the republic. On either side hang the portraits of Justices Royall T. Wheeler and Abner Lipscomb.

Carved in the Supreme Court bench and illumined with gold leaf is the Latin prayer: "Sicut Patribus, sit Deus nobis." Its origin and the history of its selection for a carved place on the bench apparently is unremembered.

The court maintains a strict dignity but retains its democracy. There is no woolsack. The members appear with the hair nature provides and they do not wear robes. Attire is left to each judge's own sense of propriety and usually is of subdued color.

Attendants have few rules to observe. They must stand when the court takes its place on the bench while a crier intones the ancient "O, yez, O'yez, O'yez" and announces: "The Supreme Court of the State of Texas is now in session." Men spectators must wear coats. All must refrain from conversation or other noise. Seats are provided, but occasionally there is insufficient seating capacity and spectators are permitted to stand at the back. One such occasion was when the court was called upon to rule in the contest between Gov. Miriam A. Ferguson and the State Highway Commission over control of highway funds.

The present Chief Justice C. M. Cureton was appointed to the court by former Governor Pat. M. Neff and has served continuously since by election. Justice Cureton was attorney general when the appointment was made and as late as two years ago excused himself from sitting in a case because he had been interested in it as the state's legal advisor when the matter in controversy arose.

Associate Justices Richard Criz and John M. Sharp were first placed on the court by appointment of former Gov. James V. Allred. Each now holds an elective term. The six commissioners are selected by the three justices. "Baby" of the court is Judge C. S. Slatton recently a member of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals at San Antonio. He became a member of the commission on New Year's Day, 1940.

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ing to be repaired.
On it was written this inscription:
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To H— with those who don't
But say they do as I!"
Not all of Lyon's work is painting over the messages left on the "hitch hiker's mailboxes." He repairs signs ruined by persons taking pot shots at the markers with rifles, pistols and stones, and replaces the gouged-out reflectors which make the signs visible at night.

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Sermon subject for the morning service Sunday will be "Reckoning Without God or Pay Day Some Day." Eccl. 12:14. Evening subject, "The Trail of the Serpent." Gen. 3:1.

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Young People's meeting, 6:15.
Preaching, 7:15.

MONDAY EVENING:
Ladies Bible class, 2:00 p. m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING:
Prayer meeting and Bible Classes, 7:15 p. m.

Sunday morning text: "Cursed be man who does Jehovah's work negligently."—Jer. 48:10.

Sunday evening text: "And believers were the more added to the

Lord, multitudes, both of men and women."—Lk. 5:14.

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Sunday school, 10:30.
Adult Bible class, 10:30.
Morning worship, German, 9:30.
Evening worship, 7:30.

We preach a changeless Christ for a changing world. You are always welcome to worship with us.

Last Sunday the new officials of the congregation were installed. On the Board of Elders, Mr. Fred Kraushaar was replaced by Mr. A. Ogery. Mr. Fred Kraushaar served this congregation in the capacity as Elder for over 20 years. He would have been re-elected had it not been for the fact that he asked the congregation not to re-elect him this time. Other officials elected were: G. Wuerlein of Muleshoe, chairman; E. Brandt was re-elected secretary; E. Hill was re-elected treasurer; B. Birkeback was re-elected to serve on the Board of Education.

In a special meeting last Sunday the Ladies Aid Society discussed work among the poor and needy of the community. They decided to gather all unused clothing and wearing apparel in their homes. This is to be reconditioned and distributed to such who are in need of it.

Next Thursday the pastor will attend a conference in Wilson, Texas.

We welcome a new member in our community, Wm. Gallmeyer and family, from Lariat, Texas. Mr. Gallmeyer is living on the farm formerly worked by Mr. Peel.

The Lucille Elmore Company To Be Here Jan. 24



The Lucille Elmore Company will appear in Littlefield public school on Wednesday, January 24, at 2 p. m., according to an announcement by F. A. Hemphill, superintendent.

David Hartley and Lucille Elmore present one of the most delightful programs of the year. Mr. Hartley is an artist in his own right, a pianist with an individual style, a violinist of exceptional tone with a repertoire from the classic to unique modern arrangements, and possessing a pleasing baritone voice.

Miss Elmore, petite comedienne, less than five feet tall, is noted for her child impersonations as well as characters old and young. She appeared with her famous cousin, Fred Stone, in musical comedy successes and stepped from the stage into a comedy of her own. She is the true exponent of high type entertainment which meets with popular and enduring favor.

As a little girl, a mechanical doll from the toy shelf that must be wound up to sing, an old-fashioned girl in hoop skirt, or a belle of the gay nineties, she is the embodiment of grace, charm and vivacious wit. As a ventriloquist, she carries on a rapid fire conversation with her two animated companions using three distinct voices.

The Chicago Tribune writes, "Miss Lucille Elmore has played ingenue roles with Fred Stone, her famous cousin, in such musical comedy successes as 'Tip Toj,' and 'Stepping Stones.' It is evident that she shares the family cleverness and humor." Mr. Stone himself says "Lucille Elmore, a young cousin of mine, was very clever in our show 'Stepping Stones.'"

Miss Elmore spent the summer of 1939 in Hollywood and received some flattering movie and radio offers. Her present tour of more than four months, already scheduled in the South-Southwest, prevented her immediate acceptance of one of these offers.

This is truly a program of grand entertainment and spontaneous fun with a popular blending of dignity. A hit in the South and the Southwest during the 1937-38 season, they are being brought back at the insistent demand of many schools.

Last Rites Held Tuesday For Wm. H. White, Sudan

Passes Away At Local Hospital Result Heart Attack

Wm. H. White, 63, a farmer at Sudan, died, following a heart attack, at 11 o'clock Monday morning in a Littlefield hospital.

Funeral services were conducted in the Methodist church of Sudan at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon. The message was brought by Rev. R. N. Huckabee, Muleshoe. He was assisted by Rev. Hamilton, Sudan; Rev. Todd, James; Rev. Sharpe and Rev. Shahan, Littlefield. Burial, in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, took place in the Sudan cemetery.

Mr. White was born August 20, 1876, at Winfield, Kansas. He was married Nov. 25, 1896, to Myrtle May Curfman of Winfield. In 1913 they came to Texas and located in Floyd County where he was a wheat

and stock farmer. In 1928 moved to the Sudan where they were residing at time of his death.

In 1912 Mr. White was member of the Methodist church which he served as Steward, day school teacher, and rector.

Surviving him are his Mrs. White of Sudan; five Claude A. White, Lubbock; Ralph White, Hereford; White, Dexter, N. M.; White, Hereford; Raymond White, Sudan; four daughters R. D. Nix, Sudan; Mrs. H. Hale Center; Mrs. Eunice Lubbock; and Mrs. T. P. Littlefield; five grandchildren niece and Bill Nix of Dexter, Gibson of Lubbock and Wm. Lawrence White of Dexter, and two sisters, Mrs. W. J. and Mrs. H. U. Curfman of field, Kansas.

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For the past week the pastor has been trying to teach in place of a high school teacher, who unfortunately was ill. We truly enjoyed this as in days of yore, for we tried to teach before some of these discovered the Lone Star State.

But we observed that school and folks are about the same now as then. Mankind still needs inspiration and encouragement, restraint and authority for direction. Then we still have the traits of laziness and procrastination. There are some most excellent youth in the school in the state, really alive to their tasks and the best not too good for them.

Are we as parents awake to the gravity and obligations placed on us in assuming the direction of a life that shall live always? Teachers are one of the greatest character moulding factors in human society and need all the moral and financial support possible. Most of them are conscientious but that does not place them above error. We appeal to the patrons for a supreme loyalty to this great community institution which is helping us and God make men and women out of our boys and girls. We may be doing this but cannot we buckle up another button hole or two and go stronger. The fine youth of today is of a high type but look what meets them each day that we did not meet. One has said we are, "A part of all we have met."

Sunday was a good day at church. Many kind remarks were made about the sacredness and impressiveness of the Communion service, which was well attended.

At night we had a fine service and conference. Our benevolent acceptance was \$300. We need to be at this for months of the year are gone.

The next several Sundays are to be dedicated to the Youth Advance Movement which the church gives us.

Methodist Young People To Have Rally At Floydada

The district rally for the Methodist young people in the Plainview district will be held Saturday and Sunday at the Floydada Methodist church.

Several young people from the local church are planning to attend, and they are urged to see F. A. Hemphill, leader of the group, by Friday, and make definite plans.

Former Temple Residents Move To Lamb County

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest E. Sell and family, Ernestine, 6, Roger, 4, and Carolyn, 8 months, who have been farming near Temple, Texas, are new residents of the Littlefield section. They are living temporarily at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Meeks, northwest of town, but will soon move to a farm owned by Mr. Sell's father, E. G. Sell, of Temple. This farm is located in the Yellow House Switch section.

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SPADE TOURNEY STARTS TODAY

District Golden Glove Tourney At Lubbock Feb. 5-6

Number From This County Are Expected To Compete In Event

Amateur boxers living outside of Lubbock are challenged and invited to defend a record they established last year in net allowing a single Lubbock fighter to capture one of the eight District Golden Gloves championships.

The district tournament is scheduled February 5 and 6, and possibly the 7th, depending upon the number of entries, and all amateur fighters 16 years of age and older are cordially invited to compete. The tournament will be staged at the Merchants building on the Panhandle-South Plains Fair Grounds, which has been transformed into an arena capable of seating 1,500 spectators.

The eight champions last year, and many of the best fighters were from neighboring towns. Heavyweight champion was Rhea "Fats" Mitchell of Lockney; light heavyweight champion was Herman Dirickson of Littlefield; the middleweight winner was Kermit Woodridge of Abernathy; welter-weight champion, James Stotts of Slaton; lightweight winner, Pet Nachlinger of Herrin; featherweight, Tommy Coats of Seagraves; bantamweight, Harry Bell of Slaton, and flyweight, Curtis Lebow of Abernathy.

Other prominent out of town fighters who were pleasing in the district tournament last year were: Wayne Binkley, Whitharral; Jake Hancock, Slaton; James Burris, Floydada; Junior McLaurin, O'Donnell; E. J. Smith, Littlefield; Earl Blasingame, Slaton; L. B. Martin, 1938 champion, Floydada; Howell Steen, Brownfield; Guy Manges, Plainview; John D. Hazle, Abernathy; Dub Wrinkle, Littlefield; "Red" Robinson, Amherst; V. N. Townsen, Hale Center; E. L. Wilson, Amherst; Horace Woods, Littlefield; Dick Bell, Slaton; W. D. McCarty, Littlefield; Ray White, Sudan; W. H. Bradley, Littlefield; Alvin McCarty, Littlefield; Melton Wyatt, Abernathy, and Dick Grambling, Littlefield.

Several out of town boys already have sent in entry blanks for the 1940 tournament. The list includes: Steen of Brownfield; Buddy Slater and Buck Slater of Post, Troy Phoenix of Smyer, Hershel Moses of Amherst; Edd McClendon of Wolf-orth, David Coats of Seagraves, Dewey Smith of Abernathy, Dan Long of Ralls, Stanley Roy of Slaton, D. A. Thompson of Brownfield, Curtis Lebow of Abernathy, Abe Martin of Floydada, Harold M. Freeman of Petersburg, Lee Bickelstaff of Slaton, Rhea "Fats" Mitchell of Lockney, Junior McLaurin of O'Donnell, T. A. Solley, Jr., of Slaton, and Herbert Lamb of Wil-

All boxers entering are to report at the Merchants building, Fair Grounds, in Lubbock at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 5, for weighing in and physical examinations.

Winners of the Lubbock tournament will be taken to Fort Worth where the state Golden Gloves tournament is to be held, in the Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum, February 15-19. In addition to the free trip, each winner will receive a 16-inch high "sun gold" trophy and a pair of ritzy boxing trunks to wear in the state tournament. Runnersup in each of the eight weight divisions will receive gold-filled medals, suitably engraved.

Tickets for the tournament are now on sale at Lubbock.

* Persons desiring to order tickets

The Spade high school invitation basketball tournament opens at Spade tonight. This promises to be one of the outstanding tournaments of the season with 26 hard-fighting smooth-playing teams lined for contests. The tournament schedule and thway it will be played is as follows: Thursday evening—Hale Center vs. Anton—Girls; Spade B vs. Amherst—boys; Hale Center vs. Littlefield—boys. Friday afternoon starting at 1 o'clock, Hart Camp vs. Fieldton—boys; Fieldton vs. Hart Camp—girls; Spring Lake vs. Hart Camp—boys; Hart Camp vs. Spade A—girls; Sudan vs. Anton—boys. Friday night, Bula vs. Littlefield—girls; Spade A vs. winner of Fieldton and Hart Camp—boys; East Mound vs. Fieldton and Hart Camp winner—girls; Sudan vs. winner of Amherst and Spade B—girls. The Saturday morning session will start the finals with the winners of all brackets meeting in games that will bring forth a winner around 10 o'clock Saturday night.

Littlefield Wins Two Games From Olton

The Littlefield Wildcats took a double-header basketball contest from Olton Tuesday night at Littlefield, 48 to 10 and 20 to 16. The Wildcat A team handled the badly outclassed Olton crew pretty rough by trouncing them 48 to 10. This game proved the power of the Littlefield quintet although the opposition could have been a little stronger. At that it makes Littlefield one of the formidable teams in the county. The Littlefield B team proved their worth to the first team by defeating the Olton B team 20 to 16.

Sheriff Hutson Goes To Buckeye, Arizona After Colored Man

Sheriff Sam Hutson left Tuesday morning for Buckeye, Ariz., to bring back to Lamb county a colored man for trial on a charge of disposing of mortgaged property. The action arose from a complaint filed by Lawrence Daniels of Amherst, from whom the negro is alleged to have purchased a car, which is reported to have been disposed of.

Sheriff Hutson is expected to return Sunday or Monday.

Local Youths In Difficulty With Law

Constable L. A. Ratliff of Littlefield and Lubbock police have been investigating the alleged petty stealing of three local young men, ranging from 17 to 21 years. The trio are alleged to have stolen from a local rooming house and to have stolen a quantity of articles in Lubbock.

Two of the young men have been fined in Justice of the Peace M. W. Brewer's court and a third is scheduled for a hearing. The Lubbock court also has fined two of the young men and a third will be given a hearing immediately.

Many Attend Meeting At City Hall Friday Night

Matters of progress and development for Littlefield and Lamb county were discussed at a meeting at the City Hall Friday night. There was a large attendance of residents of Littlefield and territory. J. E. Brannen was chosen as chairman of the meeting.

by mail should address Golden Gloves Editor, Avalanche-Journal, Lubbock, orders to be accompanied by money orders or certified checks. Ringside tickets are priced at \$1.10 each, and patrons may buy tickets for the same seats for both, or perhaps three, nights of the tournament.

Sewell's Conoco Station Appointed A Seiberling Dealer

The Conoco Service Station, Phelps avenue and Highway 7, of which L. R. Sewell is manager, has been appointed a Seiberling tire dealer for Littlefield and section.

Mr. Sewell has placed on his racks a very large stock of Seiberling tires in a wide range of sizes.

In obtaining a Seiberling dealership, Mr. Sewell is resuming the merchandising of a brand of tires of which he is exceedingly familiar, having handled Seiberling at a station he manager for many years previous to his present connection.

More Than 150 Head Livestock Sold At Edwards Weekly Auction

Another "Jam-Up good Auction" sale was held at the C. M. Edwards farm Monday, when buyers from three states paid good prices for stock.

Mr. Edwards reported that more than 150 head of stock were sold, and many more were in demand. Sales will continue through the spring months, Mr. Edwards said, and anyone who has anything to sell is urged to bring it to these auctions, and the best prices will be given for household goods, implements, and stock.

John Denham Of Clovis New Manager Of Porcher Hatchery

John Denham, who has been connected with a Clovis hatchery, has been employed as operator of Porcher's Hatchery, and will take over his new duties this week. He is an experienced hatchery and feed man and came to Littlefield well recommended.

Three Negroes Are Burned In Explosion

Three negroes, Obie Gordon, Josh Fott and Marshall Hamilton, sustained burns in a small explosion about 2:30 p. m. Sunday at the West Texas Cottonoil Mill, where they are employed. They are receiving treatment in the colored ward of the Payne-Shotwell Hospital and Clinic.

The explosion, said to have been caused from an accumulation of gas, occurred when Hamilton was lighting the boiler. He sustained burns about the face and hands. Gordon's feet were burned and Potts sustained a shoulder burn. Several bricks were blown from the boiler fire box.

District Officer Visits Co. Offices

The District Field Assistant of College Station spent Friday at the county agent's office, checking over office records. From here he went to Muleshoe.

Sale Of Cars Reported

Batson Motor Company, Plymouth dealer, reported sales and deliveries of a four door De Luxe Plymouth to Lee Payne of Amherst, and a two door Plymouth sedan to Sheriff Sam Hutson of Littlefield.

Three Life Termers Are Still At Large

Three fugitive life termers roamed the wastes of West Texas Wednesday, plundering crossroads stores of food, gasoline, cash and loot while state and county officers tried to blockade their flight.

Latest appearance of Robert Lacy Cash, Andrew H. Nelson and J. W. Mann, who overpowered a prison guard at Buffalo last Saturday night while enroute to Huntsville state prison, was reported Tuesday night at Hyton in Nolan county.

There the trio held up C. L. Fowler, mercantile store owner, of his watch, \$50, a flashlight and 17 gallons of gasoline, speeding away in a maroon Ford sedan stolen earlier in the day at Snyder.

Meanwhile, Amarillo police broadcast the report that a man tentatively identified as Nelson had purchased a pistol and two boxes of cartridges there in mid-afternoon.

One of the escapades credited to the trio was switched to three youngsters Tuesday when police jailed the Electra youths after an automobile stolen at Electra had been wrecked and burned.

Officers said they had evidence linking the boys with robberies and a wild dash to Colorado City, near the scene of the burning of the large sedan.

The automobile in which Cash, Nelson and Mann were reported fleeing carried license plates 98D-812.

Postmaster Confirmed

The Senate Tuesday confirmed five nominations for postmasterships in this area. Those who received confirmation and their location follow: Allan H. White, Amherst; Barbara H. Smith, Floydada; Mary N. Winder, Morton; Phil S. Bouchier, Post; and Bluford W. Dodson, Snyder.

Last Rites For Sudan Pioneer Woman Sunday

Passes Away Suddenly As Result Of Stroke Saturday Afternoon

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon, January 14, at 4 p. m., for Mrs. A. E. Ketchum, 71, who passed away suddenly at her home in Sudan Saturday afternoon about 4 o'clock, as the result of a stroke of paralysis.

Died Suddenly
Mrs. Ketchum had been in bad health for some time, but her death came suddenly, and was a great shock to her host of friends.

Services were held at the Methodist church, Sudan, with Rev. H. H. Hamilton, pastor, officiating, and interment, in charge of Wiggins Funeral Home, took place in the Sudan cemetery.

Born In Michigan
Mrs. Wiggins was born August 10, 1868, at Leonidas, Mich., and was a resident of Sudan since 1923. She was a member of the Methodist church, and the oldest member of the Sudan chapter of the Order of Eastern Star.

Deceased is survived by her husband, and an invalid sister in Leonidas, Mich.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks for all kind deeds rendered us during the illness and death of our husband and father. We have not words to express our appreciation for your help. We especially wish to thank the doctors and nurses. To Dr. Payne and all those who sent such lovely flowers, may God's richest blessings be upon you all.
Mrs. Wm. H. White and Children.

Last Rites Held Tuesday For John Alexander Brown

John Alexander Brown, 80, of Enochs passed away Tuesday morning about 1 o'clock at his home at Enochs.

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Enochs. Hart-Thaxton Funeral Home were the undertakers.

Paralysis was given as the cause of his death.

Mrs. Brown died last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Campbell moved back to Littlefield from Portales last week, and are now living in their home here. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lucas, who occupied the Campbell home, are now living in the apartment above the Texas Utilities office.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Judge: STANLEY A. DOSS

For Sheriff, Lamb County: SAM HUTSON

For County Attorney: BILLY HALL

For District Court Clerk: FRANK CUMMINGS

For County Clerk: OTHA DENT

For County Treasurer: MRS. ANN BLYTHE

For Commissioner Precinct 4: M. D. ABBOTT

Fourteenth Annual Scout Meeting And Banquet Tuesday

Number From Here Plan To Attend Annual Affair

Boy Scouting will be launched formally for the new year of 1940 next Tuesday when the 14th Annual meeting and Banquet of the South Plains Council will be staged in Lubbock, at Hotel Lubbock. Some 300 persons are expected to attend from the 20 counties of the council.

A number from Littlefield plan on attending the banquet, including Dr. and Mrs. Wm. N. Orr and son, Billie, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Latimer, and children.

J. Thomas Davis, dean of John Tarleton Agricultural college, will deliver the principal address; Clifford Jones, Texas Tech president, who will act as toastmaster, said. Presentations of 1939 awards a Scout kit by Troop 8, Lubbock and other events will feature the program.

At 5 p. m. Tuesday the annual council meeting will be held in the Junior Ballroom at which time the 1940 officers will be elected.

Too Late To Classify

SEWING WANTED — Customer work. Toppers \$2. Mannish suits finished \$3.50. Mrs. E. M. Akin, across street from Pat's Sandwich Shop. 42-11-P

FOR SALE—A dandy five year old Jersey cow. Herb Mueller, 804 E. 7th street, Littlefield.

FOR RENT—Two room apartment, unfurnished. 800 E. 5th st. 42-21-P

SPECIALS for SATURDAY and MONDAY

MUSTARD, full quart 10c

CRACKERS, 2 lb. box 15c

SOAP, P&G, 7 bars 25c

OXYDOL, large 19c

PICKLES, full quart 10c

PORK & BEANS, 1 lb. can 5c

HOMINY or SOUR KRAUT .. 25c

TOILET TISSUE, 6 rolls 25c

SUGAR, 10 lb. bag .. 49c

Our Store Will Be Closed on Sundays

SYRUP, Pure Country, Ribbon Cane, gallon 55c

TOMATOES, No. 2 can, 3 for .. 20c

LARD 8 LB. CARTON 69c

COFFEE BRIGHT & EARLY BOWL FREE 18c

PET or CARNATION—MILK 3 Tall or 6 Small 20c

MARKET SPECIALS KRAFT CHEESE, 2 lbs. ... 49c

Sugar Cured Sliced Bacon, lb. 12c

ROAST, nice & tender, lb. 14c

Dry Salt Bacon, No. 1, lb. 9c

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Cotton Uses Increasing—

Are Texans gradually eating, wearing and sleeping their way out of the cotton surplus problem?

Cotton fabric, food and twine products used by Texans have increased from eight items in 1920 to 19 Texas-manufactured products in 1940.

Texans are eating their cotton in corn sticks, spice cookies, muffins, doughnuts, and bread. Recipes, compiled for exhibit by the home economics department, call for a yellow-colored flour made from partially defatted, cooked cotton seed.

Cotton materials, manufactured

only as canvas, ducks, osnaburg, and ticking in 1920, are now turned out in an array of weaves and colors to be worn to school, dances, to play and work by men, women and children. Texans are sleeping on staple cotton felt mattresses, covered with cotton sheets, blankets and bedspreads, walking on twine rugs, eating from cotton table covers, and looking through cotton-draped windows.

While this increased domestication of cotton is pushing down the line of surplus, university chemurgists continue their research. Accepted last month by the Board of Regents, a Mellon Institute grant of \$500 to be matched by a research committee fund, was added to the budget for scientific study aimed to lengthen the cotton products list.

The more virtuous a man is, the more virtue he sees in others.—Scott.

New Train Schedule Goes Into Effect; East Train Earlier

According to an announcement by H. C. Pumphrey, local Santa Fe agent, a new train schedule went into effect Sunday, January 14.

According to the announcement, the passenger train from the east will arrive in Littlefield at 1:38 p. m., and the train from the west at 3:14. The former schedule for the two trains was 2:18 and 3:04 p. m., respectively.

Heads Muleshoe C. Of C.

Sam Fox, Muleshoe manager for The Texas Co., is the new president of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce.

Gold produced in South Africa last year was valued at \$432,000,000.

Sam T. Logan New County Agent For Bailey County

Sam T. Logan of Menard has been appointed by K. J. Edwards, district farm agent, as the new county agent for Bailey county succeeding Finley White resigned to accept position with an insurance company in Dallas.

Mr. Logan has assumed his new position.

Mr. Logan has had several years experience in this capacity, two and a half years having been spent as AAA adjuster at Breckenridge and Coleman. He was for two years farm agent for Kinney county, and for 15 months farm agent of Menard county, which position was resigned to come to Bailey county. He is a graduate of A. & M. college.

Grapes are believed to be the first fruit cultivated by man. Grape seeds at least 3,000 years old have been found in Egyptian tombs.

Junior Fat Stock Show To Be Held March 25, 26 And 27

LUBBOCK, January 16.—Dates for the tenth annual South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show were set for March 25, 26 and 27, according to an announcement made this week by J. A. Fortenberry, chairman of the show's executive committee. The three day show, beginning on Monday, is expected to be the largest in the history of the association.

Announcement was also made of the selection of C. C. Jobson, Lubbock county agent, as general superintendent, with M. U. May, Assistant County Agent, as Assistant General Superintendent.

There have been very few changes in the rules and classifications for the 1940 show. The grand champion lamb has been raised from \$2 to \$5. Heretofore an exhibitor could enter two animals in any one division, but no more than one in any one individual class. This year that has been changed. An exhibitor may enter two calves, two pigs, and two lambs, and both may be entered in the same individual class, according to the executive committee, who made the change effective for this year's show.

Ray Farmer, who was appointed chairman of the 4-H-FFA Boys Parade Committee, announced that the third annual 4-H-FFA Boys Parade would be held again this year on Wednesday morning, March 27. Full and complete details will be mailed every county agent and vocational teacher, Farmer stated.

To Send Delegation To Washington In WPA Intake Snarl

Committees of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas voted Saturday to send a delegation to Washington next week in an effort to untangle the WPA intake snarl.

The meeting of the association's legislative and executive committees was enlivened by criticism of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, the legislature and "persons in Washington who want to create more jobs for social service case workers."

The delegation to the national capital will be headed by Homer Bouldin of Albany, president of the association, who will name its other members. The group will seek quick approval of a plan under which Texan can again start certifying new eligibles for WPA after being unable to do so since November 1.

New Food Locker Plant Construction of a \$15,000 frozen food locker plant will be started in Levelland as soon as winter weather becomes more settled, according to announcement of the Levelland Ice Co., who are installing the plant. It will be equipped with 300 lockers for accommodation of the public who wish to rent the service boxes.

SCHOOL DAYS

By DW



THE TRAMP ON THE HAYMOW

Three Things Schools Must Do, Says Dr. L. A. Woods

Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent, opening a two day administration conference at Austin, Thursday last said the three things public schools must do are: Teach children how to live; teach them how to make a living, and teach them how to support a representative democracy.

Woods said also that the public schools include all useful activities that can be taught most effectively and economically in that way without invasion of rights guaranteed under the constitution. Excerpts from his address delivered to 1,200 school administrators from all parts of the state were:

"Pupils in school should be informed respecting their own interests and the possibilities which those interests afford."

"It seems certain that federal participation in the support of education is to increase."

Election of school trustees and the state school superintendent by popular ballot to provide "the necessary responsiveness of the school system to the popular will," was advocated by Woods.

Health conditions as related to schools formed the topic for the opening session of the conference.

Attending the meeting from this section were: F. O. Boles, county superintendent of schools, and Supt. F. A. Hemphill, of Littlefield; W. D. Biggers, Supt. of Sudan schools; H. F. Minor, Supt. of Spring Lake Schools; and W. D. Eddleman of Friona schools.

Large Amount Is Approved By House For Emergency

The sessions first test of congressional sentiment on defense appropriations resulted Friday in overwhelming House approval of a \$264,611,000 emergency outlay, principally for increases in army, navy and coast guard personnel.

The measure, providing funds to pay for the additions to the armed services already ordered by President Roosevelt under his declaration of emergency powers, rolled through the House with only a scattering of "noes" on a voice vote.

Rep. Tabor (R-NY) proposed a cut from \$18,000,000 to \$9,000,000 in the fund for winter army maneuvers, but his amendment was defeated 93 to 50.

Because of the measure's nature, the House vote was regarded, however, as giving little indication of what congress' attitude will be toward the \$460,000,000 increase in defense spending asked by President Roosevelt and toward the navy's request for approval of a \$1,300,000,000 new fleet expansion program.

Already some sentiment has developed in the Senate for diverting part, or all, of the proposed \$460,000,000 increase to farm payments.

Carlsbad Caverns Popularity Increasing

CARLSBAD, N. M.—(UP)—The year 1939 saw 218,382 visitors, the largest number in the history of the Carlsbad caverns, tread over the seven miles of trails winding among the underground formations. Previous high mark in travel through the caves, opened in 1924, was 207,041, set in 1937.

Among states, as usual, Texas sent the most tourists through the caves. She led with 80,248, almost four times that of California, who was next high with 23,400. The fewest persons, 68, came from Vermont. Every state in the Union, the District of Columbia, Alaska and Hawaii were represented.

Among foreign nations, Mexico led with 731 visitors, followed by Canada with 747. A total of 73 foreign countries, including such far-away places as Java, Siam, Arabia, and Uganda, were listed as "home" by persons who walked through the caves.

Belgium Soldiers Called To Post

Belgium by radio and on Saturday night suddenly called soldiers on leave back to the throughout the kingdom.

There was no official notification. Private reports, however, that strong German troop concentrations and movements on the seemed to have been behind the scene.

Messengers sped through in freezing weather and cafes, theatres and night summation soldiers and officers.

Earlier, the defense minister cancelled air raid precautions scheduled for Sunday. Her officials made no explanation.

There were indications that men were being called to the Several groups of officers in Brussels hotels checked a denly.

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Pay Your Poll Tax Now! You Will Want To Vote!

PAY YOUR POLL TAX!
AND REMEMBER—
YOU HAVE ONLY UNTIL THE END OF THE MONTH TO PAY THIS TAX, AND THAT FAILURE TO PAY A POLL TAX DISFRANCHISES YOU FOR THE 1940 ELECTIONS.

The only exceptions are what are known as the "overs and unders." In one group are men and women who were 60 years of age prior to January 1, 1939,

and in another group are young men and young women who became 21 years of age after January 1, 1939. The young men and young women must obtain poll tax exemption certificates before the end of this month. Those who will become 21 after January 31 this year also must secure exemption certificates if they wish to vote in the coming elections.

New Rulings
The state poll tax law has

not been changed. It is just as it has been for many years, but its provisions have been ignored so generally for so long a time that it came as a rude awakening this year when attorney General Gerald G. Mann was asked for some rulings upon it.

The attorney general's rulings, in so far as they affect this part of the state, are briefly as follows:
Poll tax payments cannot be

mailed.
A poll tax may be paid by what is known as an agent of the voter, but the agent must have a power of attorney to perform this service. Regular forms for this purpose are available through official channels.

A husband may pay his wife's poll tax, or a wife may pay her husband's tax, but neither one of them can pay the tax of any other member of their household, or for a rela-

tive or friend. Of course, the ruling relative to power of attorney for an agent can be brought into use.

Poll Tax Cost Low
Voting is a civic duty. And few investments are likely to pay greater returns in self-satisfaction than the payment of the poll tax which will be an essential to having any part in the politics of 1940.

The national election holds the possibility of being the hot-

test contest of the kind in a generation or longer. Interest in the governor's race in the state already approaches a high temperature. Plenty of action in district, county and precinct offices is a certainty. And other features could develop which would increase the self-satisfaction and desirability of possessing a poll tax. The whole thing looks like a tremendous bargain for the \$1.75 that a poll tax receipt costs.

OPPOSE COTTON ALLOTMENT CUT

West Texas Gas Co. Announces Rate Reduction

But Will Benefit Commercial And Home Patrons

Third Reduction In Four Years; Becomes Effective With January Bills

West Texas Gas Co. have announced another reduction in gas rates effective with January gas bills. The reduction in rates will benefit Domestic and Commercial users.

Under the new rate schedule, the minimum bill of \$1.25 per month (Continued on back page)

Mrs. Ann Blythe To Be Candidate For Re-Election

Thanks Citizens Of Lamb Co. For Loyal Support And Cooperation

Mrs. Ann Blythe last week announced the Lamb County Leader that she would be a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer.

Mrs. Blythe's statement follows: "To the People of Lamb County: I want to try to express my sincere thanks to each of you for the support you have given me in the wonderful cooperation I have received since I have been elected as Treasurer of Lamb County.

"I have enjoyed working for you all the times to take care of the office the way that it should be. I am again asking you for this year.

"Your vote and influence will be appreciated, more than I can find words to express.

Sincerely Submitted
Mrs. Ann Blythe."

More Farm Checks Received

A total of \$58,124.07 in 1939 Conservation checks were received at the Agricultural Conservation Association's offices at Amarillo, during the past week, as announced by C. L. Baker, Association Secretary for Lamb County. This amount was received as follows:

Thursday, January 11, 59 checks totaling \$18,214.37; Friday, January 12, 63 checks amounting to \$1,054.16; Saturday, January 13, checks totalling \$548.42; Tuesday, January 16, 121 checks, amounting to \$22,806.12, aggregating \$58,124.07 for the week.

First Wedding License In Lamb Co. In 1940 Issued To J. D. Chester

The first wedding license to be issued in Lamb county was for J. D. Chester and Marie Jarnigan, who were married January 1.

Mrs. N. L. Jarnigan of Hart is the bride. The groom is the son of Mrs. K. P. Chester of Hart.

A ring ceremony was held at Olton New Year's during the bridal ceremony.

New President Of Chamber Of Commerce



Dr. Ira E. Woods, who was elected president of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, by the directors this week. Dr. Woods was elected to fill the unexpired term of L. R. Crockett, who resigned last week, due to the fact that he will spend the next several months in Corpus Christi.

A past president of the Chamber of Commerce, Dr. Woods has also served as a member of the board of directors at various times.

"An Idea In Action" Is REA Broadcast Tuesday Afternoon

Money allotted to Texas by the Rural Electrification Administration is helping bring electricity to 64,096 farm families in this state to improve farm management and boost farm income, it will be revealed Tuesday in a broadcast of REA activities in the "United States Government Reports" weekly series presenting the Federal Government agencies.

Texas' share of REA funds was given as \$20,306,685 with the assistance of REA, it was pointed out, 58 farmer-owned and farmer-operated rural electric cooperatives have been established in this state.

Approximately 1,700,000 farms—or 25 per cent of the total for the United States—enjoyed the advantages of high line electric service at (Continued On Back Page)

M. D. Abbott Seeks Re-Election Office Of Commissioner

M. D. Abbott, for the past four years Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, announced late Wednesday that he would again be a candidate subject to the first primary election, July 27th.

Mr. Abbott will make his formal announcement in the near future.

ple, and witnessing the ceremony, were: Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Jarnigan, brother and sister-in-law of the bride; and Andy Jarnigan, another brother; and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Chester, brother and sister-in-law of the groom.

The happy couple will make their home on the K. P. Chester farm near Hart Camp.

They have a host of friends in Lamb County who wish them many years of happiness.

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YELLOW HOUSE LAND COMPANY MANAGER DIES

Representative At 30



WASHINGTON—Rep. Edwin A. Hall of New York shown here last week as he took over his new duties as a member of the House of Representatives. He succeeds the late Rep. Bert Lord. Hall is 30 years old and is the second youngest member of the House.

President's Ball To Be Staged At Local Roller Rink

Plans Underway To Make Affair An Outstanding Success

The Lamb County President's Ball will be held at the Roller Rink on highway 7, Tuesday night, January 30, Jim Etter, chairman of the committee for the celebration in this county, announced.

Plans for staging this ball have been changed, Mr. Etter said, and instead of staging it at the Legion Hut, the Skating Rink was selected, due to more floor space.

Don Isido and his orchestra of Clovis will furnish music for the ball, which will start about 8 o'clock.

This ball is an annual affair, and is one of the series of celebrations (Continued On Back Page)

Date For Signing 1939 Applications Set For Jan. 31, 1940

May 31 Deadline For Applying For 1939 Conservation Payments

Final date for signing applications for 1939 cotton and wheat price adjustment payments is January 31, 1940, the state Agricultural Conservation Association committee has announced.

At the same time, the committee, named May 31, 1940, as the deadline to apply for 1939 agricultural conservation program payments.

No extension of the deadlines will be made, the committee declared, and all payment applications must be filed in the county offices by the dates set.

More than 200,000 applications for conservation payments have already been certified, B. F. Vance, assistant state AAA administrator, reported, with the state office handling approximately 5,000 applications daily. The total certified to date is \$33,613,207, Vance said. Parity payments in wheat, cotton and rice are almost completed with \$27,574,670 having been certified, he said.

Federation Of Women's Clubs Meet Here Sat.

Mrs. Pat Boone, Will Be In Charge General Arrangements

The County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet in an all day meeting here Saturday in the auditorium of the First Baptist church, with the Woman's Study Club and the Junior club as hostesses.

Mrs. Pat Boone, who is vice-president of the Federation, is in charge of general arrangements.

Mrs. O. E. Stevenson of Sudan (Continued on back page)

Coldest Day Of Week Saturday

The coldest day of the past week is reported as Saturday with the temperature registering 14 above zero.

Other readings for the week were: Thursday, low 42, high 56; Friday, low 20, high 62; Saturday, low 14 and high 42; Sunday, low 22 and high 42; Monday, low 23, high 46; Tuesday, low 22, high 60; Wednesday, low 25, and high 58.

Funeral Services For W. H. Badger Being Held Today

Deceased Has Been In Ill Health For Year; Lived In Littlefield 10 Years

News of the death of W. H. Badger, manager of the Yellow House Land Company since its organization in 1923, came as a great shock to residents of Littlefield and the South Plains Wednesday.

Mr. Badger, who has been in ill health for the past year, and confined to his home since July last, passed away at his home in Austin at 10:40 Wednesday morning.

His brother, R. T. Badger, of Littlefield, associated with him in the operation of the Yellow House Land Company, accompanied by Mrs. Badger, left Littlefield 10 days ago for Austin, where they had since remained at the bedside of Mr. W. H. Badger.

Lived Here 10 Years
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Badger were (Continued On Back Page)

Brick Building To Be Constructed On XIT Drive And 5th St.

A brick and tile building, 27 by 41, was started this week on XIT drive, just west of the Gerlach Battery & Electric. The one-story building, owned by John Blair, will face XIT Drive and Fifth street.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber company is furnishing the materials.

Discarded Glasses And Frames Needed In Project Sponsored

A very worthy work is being sponsored by Mrs. J. S. Hilliard of this city. Plans are underway to work out a project whereby school children financially unable to secure glasses, and others, including elderly people not in a position to get their eyes examined and glasses fitted, may be given this service.

In an interview with Mrs. J. S. Hilliard, she said: "Many children stay out of school for lack of glasses, and so often I have noticed old

Lamb Co. A.C.C. Officers Go To College Station

Will Go Into Matter Of Cotton Allotments With AAA Officials

C. W. Smiley, J. L. Hinson, J. W. Hunter, members of the Lamb County Agricultural Conservation committee, and Association Secretary C. L. Baker left this morning for College Station, for the purpose of looking into the matter of cotton allotments, those officials feeling that the recent cut given Lamb County was not justified.

They will take this matter up with officials of the AAA in the hope that something may be done about the situation.

Littlefield Man Suffers Broken Back In Car Mishap

Driving Alone His Car Overturned; Passerby Takes Him To Hospital

Roland Wilson, 28, of Littlefield is confined to the Lubbock Sanitarium with a broken back, as a result of a non-collision accident on the Littlefield-Lubbock highway, near Roundup, Monday night.

His car overturned about 10:30 p. m. Monday. He was driving toward Lubbock and was alone. The car went off the highway and overturned. He was thrown from the car, and the flashlight fell near him. He stopped a passer-by, by flashing the light as he lay on the ground. The accident happened at a place where the highway had been filled in over a lake bed and the embankment was high.

Wilson is employed with a Santa Fe construction group and had been working between Lubbock and Stanton.

Mrs. Wilson left for Lubbock about 2:30 Tuesday morning.

Annual 4-H Calf Show March 16

The annual 4-H Calf, Pig and Lamb Show will be held in Littlefield Saturday, March 16, at which time 4-H club boys and members of the FFA chapters in the county will exhibit their stock, it was announced this week.

This date was set at a meeting Saturday, when County Agent V. F. Jones, assistant agent, L. H. McElroy, and vocational agriculture advisors met with B. L. Cogdill, secretary of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, and made definite plans for the show. Agriculture teachers attending were W. H. Prunty (Continued on back page)