

Off the Keyboard

By CHARLES DIDWAY

"Why do you call it 'Off the Keyboard'?" asks one of the few persons we have found who openly admit reading this column. And, the answer to his question is obvious as well as easy—much easier than writing the column. Perhaps we should admit at the beginning that "Off the Keyboards" would be nearer correct, for no less than two keyboards are employed each week in bringing the effort to you (singular or plural, as the case may be). First, there's the typewriter keyboard which through the manipulation of the writer's fingers impresses his thoughts on paper. Then there's the keyboard of the typesetting machine which through similar manipulation patterns the written characters on metal slugs which, in turn, are locked in metal forms, which are placed on a printing press through which reams of white paper roll, each sheet taking an inked impression from the slugs. But, we've left the subject; taken the reader on a mental tour of a newspaper office, and accomplished nothing more than to muddle the question further. But if you can think of any better reason for calling the col'm something else—or anything at all, for that matter—we're open to suggestions.

October 16 will be a "red letter" day in the lives of millions of American men between the ages of 21 and 36. As the day set aside by President Roosevelt for national conscription, it will mark the turning point in the lives of thousands of young men, regardless of whether they ever shoulder a gun in actual defense of their country. A year of army life will straighten the kinks in many a crooked one and, unless a youth is bad through and through, will harm comparatively few—mentally, morally or physically. Many of those who register will have just turned 21 and in no more definite a way than by registering can they show that they are men.

We have just received word of the arrival of a new nephew. It's the third son for this particular sister and again we are disappointed—the third time in 15 years. He wasn't named for his "Uncle Charlie."

It's a long road that has no turning, but think of all the interesting sign-boards and inviting lunch rooms along the way.

Although he had been duly warned to mind his high blood pressure and not see the picture, a former Oklahoman (not the writer) sat through the showing of "Grapes of Wrath" at a local theatre a few weeks back. "Why," he stormed at the film's conclusion, "do they call Oklahomans 'Okies'?" Why do they pick on us; why not call Texans 'Taxis'; Pennsylvanians 'Pennies,' and Louisianans 'Loozies'?" Having been under the folds of the Lone Star flag a full six weeks, and laying ponderous claim to being a Texan, we attempted to quiet the former Oklahoman, but to no avail—just as we passed out of earshot, he was still raving—"and Illinoisans 'Illies,' and Kansans 'Kannies,' and Arkansawyers 'Arkies'!" There were 41 other states and a handful of territorial possessions he hadn't touched, but our guess is that he did before he calmed down.

And while on the subject of Oklahoma, we've seen quite a number of car tags here in Littlefield, which were purchased in the Sooner State. Time was, a year or two back, when Oklahoma license plates were silver with black numerals, and mighty few numerals at that. They read something like this: "LE-106." This year, however, if you've noticed, the Oklahoma tags have more numerals and no letters. The style, believe it or not, was changed at the insistence of Oklahoma loafers. For years they'd been sitting on the curbs playing "car poker" and their game was ruined when tags bearing only two or three numerals were issued. To play car poker (take it from an Okie who knows) you select an opponent and wait on the cars. Place your bets and watch the tags. "Ones" are counted aces, "twos" deuces, and so forth. There's no danger of being "cold decked," but sometimes, especially on Highway 66, the "cards" are dealt so fast

RANDOLPH SCOTT AND KAY FRANCIS COME TO PALACE IN "WHEN THE DALTONS RODE"

one has trouble seeing the spots.

You've probably noticed this early that we are one of those columnists (?) who get on one subject and deviates but little the rest of the way down. So you'll recognize the style if we go from car tags and car poker to the new 1941 models.

Several years ago when streamlining was in its infancy, many observers predicted that if the trend continued it would not be many years before automobiles would be so low-slung they'd resemble some pre-historic prowler. But the change has been gradual, and in time styles may revert to the upright machines of 10 or 15 years ago. They're like women's skirts—one can't tell what's coming next. Years ago, when the writer was much too young to be looking at such pictures, he ran across a cartoon which showed a man of many winters gazing admiringly at a mis who had just passed in the short-skirted garb of those days. The caption to the cartoon had the old fellow saying, "If the good Lord will only give me ten more years." The ten more years asked by the elderly one would have placed him in 1935, and skirt styles had come down instead of going up. It's the same way with the younger generation over whom so many tongues are clucked and so many heads are weefully wagged. Just because they're traveling at a break-neck pace now doesn't mean they will pick up speed in the years which lie ahead. Young'uns may slow down and the next generation travel at a snail's pace—too slow even to get out of the way of the old timers.

This is an old one, but now's a good time to revive it—A happy day for most of us will be when Stalin's widow tells Mussolini on his death bed that Hitler has committed suicide.

Isn't this about where you came in?

Sudan Locker Plant To Be Completed Soon

A truck load of equipment to be used in the Sudan Frozen Food association locker plant arrived last Thursday morning at Sudan, and will be installed as soon as building details are completed. The plant will be completed at an early date, it was reported.

Local Phillips "66" Employees Attend District Meeting

W. E. Heathman, Jack Wingo, Elton Hauk and Lewis Hulse attended a district sales meeting for the Phillips "66" Petroleum company at the Lubbock Hotel Thursday night. W. J. Kinderman of Bartlesville, Okla., H. O. Starks of Amarillo, division manager for Phillips, and P. D. Berthelot, of the Amarillo office were main speakers on the program.

A banquet was enjoyed by those attending.

Mr. Heathman is wholesale distributor for Phillips "66."

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our appreciation and thanks for the many acts of kindness and courtesies extended at the time that Mr. A. Wiggins was accidentally shot, and during the time he has been confined in the Littlefield Hospital. Your visits, flowers, etc., were indeed appreciated.

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Randolph Scott and Kay Francis top a stellar cast in "When the Daltons Rode," Universal's new frontier action epic, which comes to the Palace Theatre Saturday midnight, continuing through Sunday and Monday.

Heading the supporting roster in the roles of the celebrated Dalton boys themselves are Brian Donlevy, Broderick Crawford, Stuart Erwin, and Frank Albertson, while other important members include George Bancroft, Andy Devine, Mary Gordon, Harvey Stephens and Queen Ramsey.

The film marks the first "outdoor" role of Miss Francis' career. She is seen as the telegraph operator of Coffeyville, Kan., center of the Dalton gang's operations in the early nineties. Scott appears as a frontier lawyer who befriends the embattled Daltons when they are persecuted by land company agents.

"When the Daltons Rode" was directed by George Marshall, who recently directed the highly successful "Destry Rides Again."

"Gateways To Panama" To Be Featured At Palace Theatre

"Gateways to Panama," the March of Time's latest issue presenting the complete picture of America's all-important Caribbean defenses will open Saturday midnight at the Palace Theatre, continuing through Sunday and Monday.

With negotiations under way with the British Government for the transfer of naval and air bases in the Western Hemisphere for U. S. defense, especially defense of the Panama Canal and with the U. S. discussing defense of the Western Hemisphere with Canada and the Central and South American republics, "Gateways to Panama" promises to be of the most vital interest.

Local Men Attend Annual Meeting For Compress Employees

Employees of the Union Compress and Warehouse Co., Inc. held their annual meeting Thursday night at Hotel Hilton, Lubbock, when various problems and phases of the fall rush were discussed.

Archie Underwood, Lubbock, is owner of the Union Compress Co. Those attending the meeting from Littlefield were E. O. McIver, local manager; Ralph Gray and John Underwood.

LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWS

Rev. C. A. Gaertner, Vacancy Pastor

Sunday School will begin at 2:30 p. m. next Sunday. Divine services will begin at 8 o'clock. Sunday School teachers will meet Tuesday night, September 25, at 8 o'clock.

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Clubs - Women's Interest - Social Events

Annual Memorial Service Observed At Eastern Star Meeting Friday Evening

The annual memorial service honoring all deceased Eastern star members was held at the local chapter Friday evening in connection with the regular session, when J. W. Hopping sang two solos, and Mrs. Pat Boone gave a very appropriate and interesting address.

An invitation to members of the local chapter to attend as guests at Muleshoe O. E. S. meeting Tuesday evening, September 24, was announced.

The matter of buying an electric signet, which has been installed in the hall for the past month, was discussed and it was decided to purchase same, which is very attractive and stands five and one-half feet.

Three visitors attended from the Hale Center chapter.

Grand Chapter, which convenes October 22 at Mineral Wells, was also discussed. A chartered bus will leave Lubbock for the meeting. It is expected that the Worthy Matron, Mrs. Oscar Wilemon will attend as delegate.

Enjoy Picnic Party At Clovis Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Colbert and son, Joe Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Colbert, all of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Colbert, and son, Harold of Amherst, enjoyed a picnic at the park at Clovis, N. M., Sunday, and visited the zoo at that city.

Mrs. Sid Hopping Hostess Thursday Bridge Club

As a courtesy to members of the Thursday Club, Mrs. Sid Hopping was hostess to the group Thursday afternoon at the Hopping residence on West First Street, when three tables of bridge were enjoyed.

Baskets and vases of beautiful garden flowers made more inviting the Hopping home.

Scoring high in the games were Mrs. M. M. Brittain and Mrs. T. Wade Potter while Mrs. J. M. Stokes received the bingo prize.

Those present were: Mrs. Oscar Wilemon of Littlefield, and Mrs. James Gowdy of Muleshoe, guests, and the following club members: Mesdames E. S. Rowe, Wayne Carlisle, Pat Boone, W. H. Gardner, Clyde Hilbun, M. M. Brittain, Dennis Jones, T. Wade Potter, H. W. Wiseman, S. J. Farquhar and C. E. Cooper.

Presbyterian Ladies Meet At Wilemon Residence

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon Monday afternoon, when members took an examination on the book, "Know Your Bible."

The devotional was given by Mrs. Ira Woods.

Attending were Mesdames Bob Badger, E. A. Bills, Ira Woods, Neal A. Douglas, Charles Barber, J. D. Hagler, Casper Yeasel, and Oscar Wilemon.

Luncheon Enjoyed Friday Afternoon

Members of the Sunday School class taught by Mrs. L. W. Jordan, entertained the class of Mrs. Pat Boone Friday afternoon at a luncheon on the J. A. Price back lawn, when a large number attended.

Mrs. L. W. Jordan had charge of the program.

Room Mothers To Meet At Rutledge Home Thursday

All room mothers of the Littlefield P. T. A. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge, 410 West Second Street on Thursday.

All room mothers are urged to attend.

Miss Patsy Anderson Elected Drum Major Of Littlefield Band

Members of the Littlefield band met in the band hall across from the high school Monday afternoon, and selected Miss Patsy Anderson as Drum Major. There were six candidates for this honor.

Leaders of the Pep Squad were also elected as follows: Bobbie Taylor, head leader, and Norene McGee, Monnie Dell Walker, Herman Neunschwander and Patsy Anderson.

It has been announced also that there will be about 200 members in the Pep Squad.

The Littlefield high school can boast of a 42-piece band this year, and report they are short eleven suits.

Reception At Hart Camp For Teachers Newly Elected

A reception, sponsored by the P. T. A. and room mothers, honoring the new teachers elected at Hart Camp school, was held Thursday night at the school building.

The honorees of the occasion were: Charles S. King, new principal, and Miss Frances Campbell. A talk was made by Mr. King in appreciation of the affair. Children of the various rooms took part in the program, following which a watermelon feast was enjoyed.

Lamb County Federation Of Women's Clubs To Hold First Meeting Of Year

The Lamb County Federation of Women's Clubs will hold their first meeting of the year at the Methodist Church, Amherst, Saturday, September 21.

The session, which will be presided over by Mrs. Pat Boone, president, will open at 11 o'clock Saturday morning.

The Amherst club will have charge of the program.

Those attending will each take a covered dish and lunch will be served at the church.

All club presidents are urged to keep time, date and place in mind in urging each club to have a good representation at the above meeting.

Five Rooms Receive Attendance Prizes At First P. T. A. Meeting

Members of the Littlefield P. T. A. gathered Wednesday afternoon of last week for their first meeting of the year, with Mrs. W. S. Patrick, newly elected president, presiding.

All new teachers were introduced by Supt. F. A. Hemphill.

Each room which has as many as 10 mothers present representing that room is given an attendance prize of \$1 by the P. T. A. organization. At last meeting there were five rooms which received awards as follows:

Primary rooms, taught by Miss Margaret Teel, Miss Johnnie Pace, Miss Virginia Kirk and Miss Charley Davis, and the room taught by Miss Riggins in the grammar school.

Mrs. C. C. Fleisher, program chairman, was in charge of the program and the hospitalities committee served refreshments to the mothers and teachers following the meeting.

Mrs. R. W. Lewis Hostess Thursday Dinner Club

Complimenting members of the Dinner Club, Mrs. R. W. Lewis was hostess to the group Thursday evening, when following the meal, bridge was enjoyed.

Baskets and vases of beautiful roses and dahlias made more attractive the entertaining rooms.

Scoring high in the bridge games were Mrs. C. E. Cooper and Mrs. J. H. Barnett.

The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Hopping, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter, Mrs. A. P. Duggan and Mrs. C. E. Cooper.

Tea And Shower Is Given Honoring Mrs. Archie Dale

Mrs. Alton Renfro, Mrs. Jake Hall and Mrs. Archie Dale were hostesses at a tea and shower given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale at 701 East Eighth Street Wednesday afternoon, September 11, honoring Mrs. Dodd Weatherly.

Mrs. Bill Erwin presided at the tea table, which was laid with lace cloth, with a centerpiece of pink and white asters.

Mrs. Alton Renfro was in charge of the register.

The guest list included Mesdames Weatherly, the honoree; L. E. Beran Bill Aldridge, Geneva McGehee Glover, Frazier Tussy, (Delbert Falls F. B. Watts, Bill Erwin, Orville Webb, Hubert Colbert, Jimmie Parker, Paul D. Bennett, Jack Edwards Harry Wiseman, Otis Smith and Miss Edith Rathiff and Miss Geneva Davenport.

Those sending gifts but unable to attend were Mesdames E. J. Newgent, Homer Hall, R. W. Rutherford, Douglas Howell, L. C. Strawn, and Miss Mary Nell Weatherly.

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LOCAL INTEREST

and Mrs. P. J. Willingham have been visiting her parents, Mr. R. Stephens, and left last morning of last week for Calif., where Mr. Willingham will probably last four

and Mrs. T. S. Sales arrived Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Sales returned to their home Friday, where they spent the last week from Big Bend while Mr. Sales remained in Littlefield, getting some work done to his teeth. Mr. Sales has been operating a roller and moved it to Winters they are now making their

and Mrs. R. W. Lewis visited Littlefield Sunday.

and Mrs. R. F. Kingsley of Olton are the proud parents of a son Thursday, September 13, at the Littlefield hospital.

and Mrs. Hemphill will leave on Monday for Austin where he will continue his studies at the University of Texas.

and Mrs. E. R. Spade of Spade a daughter, Charlene, at the Littlefield Hospital, September 9.

and Mrs. A. G. Hemphill had a son over the week end Mrs. Nell Nedford of Morton, Tex. of the family.

J. S. Hilliard spent Friday in Lubbock.

Hemphill left Littlefield to return to his studies at Texas Teachers College.

Boles and Robert Pentecost business visitors in Lubbock.

and Mrs. L. T. Shotwell, Sr., James Edwin, left Friday for Dallas, where James Edwin will be with Mrs. C. E. Payne, who is in Littlefield Sunday. Mr. Shotwell went on to Littlefield, Tex. for a few days.

and Mrs. L. L. Collins were on business Wednesday.

and Mrs. R. A. Bigham left Friday for Winters where she spent the week with her parents, Mr. C. F. Davis, and was accompanied home by them for a

many friends of Bill Pass glad to learn that he is now getting around with the aid of crutches, and has also been able to take a car ride down town with

and Mrs. Ernest Gaston have moved the J. E. Chisholm residence on West Fourth Street and they moved to same from near the hospital.

and Mrs. F. O. Boles were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

B. L. Cogdill and Miss Maxine were Lubbock visitors Sunday.

Virginia Brown suffered a sprain on her right foot Sunday night of last week while she fell while skating. She was taken to a hospital when the accident occurred. She received emergency treatment at the Payne-Shotwell hospital.

Hazel Shore visited friends in Lubbock Saturday night and Sunday.

Roberta Ham of Albuquerque, N. M., visited her cousins, Mr. F. O. Boles, and Miss Ruth Boles last week end.

Freddie Joe James, 11-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. James of College Heights addition, underwent an appendicitis operation at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Badger returned Friday from spending a week at Carlsbad, N. M., where they enjoyed a nice rest.

Mrs. Vernie Wright returned to her home Friday after spending from Tuesday convalescing from her recent illness at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alph Wright.

Mrs. W. D. T. Storey underwent a major operation at the Littlefield Hospital Friday and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Baker of Olton, Miss Anna Gamble of Littlefield, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Peterman of Hart Camp attended the Fair at Amurillo Tuesday and Wednesday.

Owen J. Peterman of Oakland, Calif., spent from Friday until Monday with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Peterman of Hart Camp.

A Wiggins of 10 miles north of Littlefield, who was accidentally shot by a gun he was carrying when he fell as he was getting through a fence at his home July 29, and who has been confined in the Littlefield Hospital for the past five weeks, has now returned home and is getting along nicely. Mr. Wiggins was not able to eat for three weeks and was fed through his veins at the hospital. The shot entered the right side of his abdomen.

Mr. Nation of Smith & Nation Motor Co., left Monday for Oklahoma City on a business trip.

Austin Wiggins, student of Canyon State College, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Wiggins, 10 miles north of Littlefield over the week end.

Harley Bussanmass of Rocky Ford left Monday for Canyon to enter the West Texas State College.

Mrs. J. E. Brannen, who has been confined in the hospital since Wednesday night of last week as a result of injuries sustained in an auto accident, was able to return home Sunday. She is still, however, suffering from a chest injury.

Mrs. A. C. Harrison underwent an appendicitis operation Sunday night at the Littlefield Hospital. She is reported as doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Mancil Hall, and daughter, Diane, and Mrs. C. E. Cooper, left Monday for Dallas. Mr. Hall is attending a meeting of the Ford dealers and a showing of the new 1941 Fords. The other members of the party will visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. Edna Sibley visited her husband and family at Meadow over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beran moved Saturday to the new house recently built by Mrs. Underwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Thaxton made a trip to Lubbock Sunday, accompanied by their daughter, Betty Alice, and Gayle Etter, who entered Tech for the fall term.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Harkey moved Saturday from the T. S. Sales home to the McAdams residence in the Duggan addition.

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Amherst Lions Are To Receive Charter Soon

Amherst Lions will receive their charter the night of September 26 at a banquet and charter presentation to be held in the Amherst hotel with H. C. Pender, acting head of the department of government of Texas Technological college, deliv-

ering the principal talk of the evening.

F. V. (Wally) Wallace of Dumas, district governor, will present the charter. C. A. Duffey, banker, is president of the club. Roy McCrory is secretary.

The club was organized in July by the Littlefield club, before it had received a charter. The organizing club will be guests.

M. L. Payne, city secretary is chairman of the program committee.

Invitations to the other clubs in zone 5, Olton, Crosbyton, Lubbock, Morton, Denver City, Levelland, Seagraves, Seminole, Brownfield, Lamesa and Littlefield have been sent.

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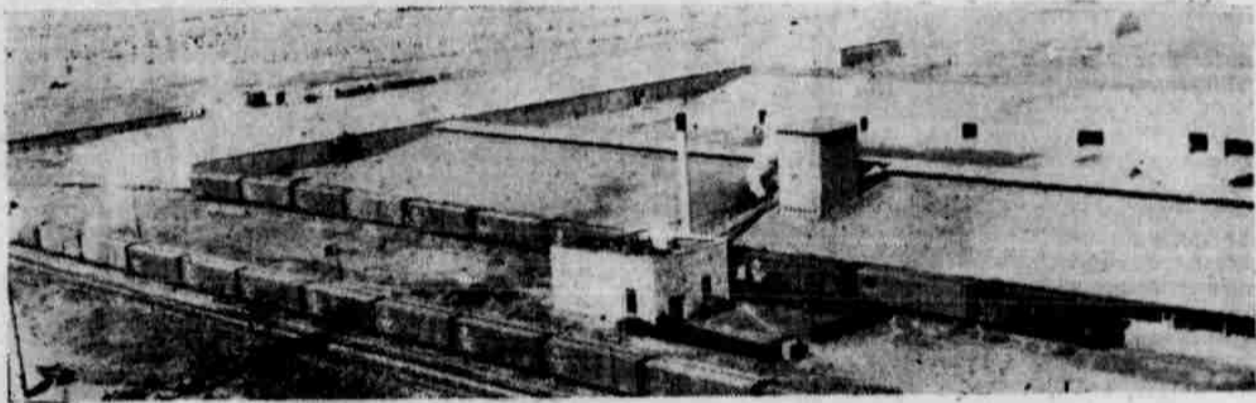
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Fail To Take Full Advantage Of Soil-Building Program

Farmers in Lamb county let \$9,963 slip through their fingers in 1939 by failing to earn that much of \$64,741 maximum soil-building allowance set up for them under the 1939 AAA program. They earned in soil-building payments \$54,778, or 84.6 percent of the maximum available.

Under the AAA program, a maximum soil-building allowance is set up for each cooperating farm based on the non-depleting cropland acreage, commercial orchard acreage, and non-crop open pasture land acreage. To receive any of the payment from this allowance, the farmer must put into effect on his farm approved AAA soil-building practices. The more work he does or the more practices he carries out the more money he earns up to the maximum.

Lamb county ranked third in 1939 in percent of the maximum soil-building allowance earned in the 17 counties comprising Extension Service District 2. Hockley and Garza counties earned a greater percent of the maximum than did Lamb.

Football—

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day night. Worley, speedy back, intercepted a Friona pass on his 10 yard line and raced 90 yards for a touchdown which broke what promised to be a scoreless deadlock.

Other players on the visiting squad will be H. Ford, co-captain, back; Vaughn, guard; O. G. Hill, Jr., lineman; Brock, end; Hartman, tackle; Fox, end; London, center; Jones, guard; Baize, Loerwald, C. Hill, Worley and Clark, backs; T. F. Ford, Hyepock, Finch, R. Saltzman, and Brown, linemen; McCrary, end; Russell, end; H. Saltzman, line; Womble, Hopson, Weems, Wilson, and Czerner, linemen; and Merrill, back.

Members of the Wildcat squad are: Jimmie Robinson, J. B. Sharp, Calvin Lippard, Elmo Jones, Luther Cunningham, Calvin Carpenter, Odell Robertson, Roy Grisham, Lloyd Haire, Bill Squires, Virgil Zimmerman, Darrell Odell, Billie McKinnon, Donald James, Hugo Beyer, Douglas Hollis, Tommie McKinnon, John Porcher, Noble Lentz, Granville Smith, Jimmie Yarbrough, Babe Hammons, Buford Bradshaw, Gene Clark, Aubrey Jackson, Roy Hutson, Floyd Holberg, Farrell Compton, Ernest Holberg, Wade Strother, John H. Chapman.

Goodwin Death—

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to Shawnee, Okla., by Hart-Thaxton Funeral Home, Littlefield, and funeral services are scheduled to take place this afternoon (Thursday) at 4 o'clock at the Gaskell Funeral Home, with interment in the Rest Haven Park Cemetery, Shawnee.

Mr. Goodwin is survived by a son and two daughters, J. N. Goodwin, Mrs. R. C. Garner and Miss Marguerette Goodwin, all of Hutchinson.

Besides Mrs. Locke, deceased is survived by a brother, Hugh Goodwin of Amarillo, and two other sisters, Mrs. Lewis Miller and Mrs. Bob Peters of Hood county. His wife died in 1933.

Miss Sheegog And R. L. Mitchell Wed At Clovis Saturday

The marriage of Miss Sally Sheegog and R. L. Mitchell, both of Lubbock, was solemnized at Clovis, N. M., Saturday last.

Reverend Hoy, pastor of the Methodist Church officiated with the beautiful ring ceremony.

Accompanying the couple to Clovis and witnessing the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Othie Upton.

Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell left on a short trip, visiting her parents, who live near Muleshoe and Mr. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. W. C. Parkey of near Fieldton, before returning to make their home at Lubbock.

Mrs. Mitchell is employed as a stenographer for C. I. T. Corporation.

Mr. Mitchell is a former resident of Littlefield.

CHILD SUFFERS BROKEN ARM IN FALL OFF SLIDE

Douglas Paul Gibbs, 10-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gibbs, was unfortunate enough to fall off a slide in the school yard Wednesday morning, causing a fracture of his right arm at the wrist. His teacher, Miss Margaret Teel, took him to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital, where he received medical attention and was later taken home.

Mrs. Bureson Is Honoree At Bridal Shower Sept. 9

Mrs. J. M. Bureson was the honoree at a miscellaneous bridal shower at the home of her cousin, Mrs. B. D. Birkelback Monday evening, September 9.

Mrs. Bureson married at San Angelo, August 31 last. Before her marriage, she was Miss Belinda Piel, formerly of Littlefield, but graduated from Texas State Sanatorium Training school in 1937, and has been employed there since that time.

Those attending the shower were: Mr. and Mrs. George Birkelback, and son; Werner Birkelback, Lee Holtkamp and family; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Jilek, and daughter; Miss Anna Brandt, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Lueck, and family; Mrs. Hy Brandt, F. C. Beyer, and family; Mrs. J. L. Hunt, and children; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walston, and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Birkelback, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Massengill, and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Car-

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Pillion, and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brandt, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lueck, and family; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hill, and family; Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Boriack, and family; Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schulz, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Drager, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Toock.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weige, and family; Mr. A. J. Ogerly, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Timian, and family; Mr. and Mrs. O. Weige, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Ogerly, and family; Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Will, and family; Mr. and Mrs. August Maesk, and family; Mrs. Anna Birkelback; Mrs. Belinda Newman; Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gallmeir, and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sell, and family.

Mr. O. J. Piel, B. W. Brandt, and daughters, Misses Erna and Verna Hill; Mr. Herman Neun-schwander; Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Smith.

Those unable to attend, but sending gifts were:

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Brandt, and family; Mr. and Mrs. George Harms, and family; Mr. and Mrs. John Garza, and family; Mr. and

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

As a courtesy to members of the El Martis Club Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. E. S. Rowe entertained at the Rowe residence on Phelps avenue.

The home was made more attractive for the occasion by baskets and vases of beautiful garden flowers.

Three tables of bridge were in play during the afternoon. Mrs. W. H. Gardner scoring high, with Mrs. J. H. Barnett second in the games. Mrs. Lena Howard was awarded the bingo prize.

Following the games, a delicious ice course was passed to the following members: Mesdames B. L. Cogdill, J. H. Barnett, S. J. Farquhar, W. H. Gardner, L. C. Hewitt, Otha Key, T. Wade Potter, W. G. Street, Oscar Wilemon, K. W. Wells, and Mrs. Lena Howard and Mrs. Wayne Carlisle, guests.

Mrs. H. C. Bernshausen, and son; Miss Elenora Mesecke; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Moore; Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Neinast; Master Victor Paul Neinast.

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W. E. Bass Invites Farmers To Visit Him Again This Season

Our plan of handling is exactly the same this season as in the past. Our interest rate is 3 percent per annum and storage 15c per month. We make liberal advance and hold your cotton on the above terms or place it in the Government Loan upon arrival at the ports on government class and port basis of 9.80 cents.

Bring your samples and gin tickets to our office and get your draft, thereby saving time and eliminating all red tape. We also buy outright at highest prices. Let us serve you again this season.

W. E. BASS (PAID ADVERTISING)

Running Water In Kitchen Lessens Work, Says Miss Per-

"The sink with running water cuts my work in half," Mrs. H. H. Bulls told the home demonstration agent Friday. "I used to spend most of my time going for water or else emptying it, until we had in this improvement this year." Mrs. Bulls added.

The drainboard around the sink has been covered with linoleum to give a smooth, easy clean and long-wearing surface. Linoleum extends behind the sink as a splash board. The water in the sink goes through a groove which was made from a cut can, and is carried off by a pipe. Mrs. Bulls plans to use this to irrigate a flower garden.

The sink was placed under a south window and a kitchen cabinet on each side affords excellent drainage space. These cabinets will time be built up to the ceiling to give more space.

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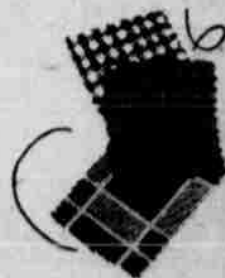
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"FLOWING GOLD" TO BE FEATURED AT RITZ THEATRE OVER THIS WEEK END

"Flowing Gold," thrilling saga of love in the Texas oil fields, opens at the Ritz Theatre Saturday night, continuing through Sunday and Monday. The highly lauded Warner Bros. film transcription of Rex Beach's immortal novel stars John Garfield, Frances Farmer and Pat O'Brien.

The new motion picture largely concerns itself with Johnny Blake, who Garfield's role, as iconoclas-

tic young drifter doomed to the life of a fugitive after killing a man in self defense. In his wanderings about the country he meets up with Hap O'Connor, played by Pat O'Brien. Hap's rough exterior hides a heart of gold, and he is extremely grateful to Johnny after the latter saves his life in a free-for-all brawl.

Complications arise when both men fall in love with the beautiful and vibrant Linda Chalmers, played by Frances Farmer, daughter of their eccentric employer. The pair saves her oil wells from the machinations of a conniving rival and manage to capture flowing gold—the rich black Texas oil.

W. M. U. First Baptist Church Meets Monday

Members of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church with Mrs. R. W. Jordan presiding.

Mrs. E. T. Badger led the devotional, and reports of the committees were given.

Present were: Mesdames L. W. Jordan, Andrew McGehee, Virgo Peterson, Eugene Johnson, Acrey Burton, Brantley Welborn, Alfred McGehee, G. C. Vaught, Pat Boone, Earl Hobbs, Alfred Dunnigan, Roy Shahan, V. S. Cassel, Carl Smith, Allen Crowley, W. C. Redell, E. Mueller.

Hart Camp Study Club Meets At Home Of Mrs. Peterman

The Hart Camp Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Leo Peterman Thursday last.

A very interesting program was given on "Famous Women of America," as the topic as follows: "Secretary of Labor Perkins," by Mrs. Nellie B. Kilpatrick; "Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt," by Mrs. Bill Lynch; "The Queen of England," by Mrs. Claude Parks.

Roll call was answered with famous women of America.

After the business session, refreshments were served the following:

Mesdames Bill Steffy, J. E. Smith, Charles King, W. T. Moore, J. W. Coker, R. S. Moore, R. A. Green, T. S. Tyler, L. R. Buck, Claude Parks, Bill Lynch, Nellie B. Kilpatrick, Miss Frances Campbell and Mrs. Leo Peterman.

The next meeting will be October 11 with Mrs. R. A. Green. The topic will be "The Bible" and a very interesting program is expected.

RITZ THEATRE

Saturday Midnite Sunday & Monday

PAT O'BRIEN, FRANCES FARMER and JOHN GARFIELD in the exciting picturization of Rex Beach's best loved adventure story of the Texas Oil Fields—

"FLOWING GOLD" Latest News and Comedy

Screen Mother



HOLLYWOOD, Cal. . . . Jane Clayton, wed to cowboy star Russell Hayden, offers her six-weeks old baby, Sandra, as definite proof that motherhood is an impetus to a screen career. Miss Clayton has just been called back to work, to play her first leading role.

Salvation Army Asks For Clothing To Help Needy

Urge All Citizens Who Can To Assist Them In This Work

The Salvation Army here is making a plea for clothing of all kinds for the needy, stating they have scarcely enough on hand with which to supply the need.

They urge all citizens who have new or used clothing which they cannot use to please get in touch with the local unit or bring it to the Salvation Army headquarters.

In an interview with Capt. Eula Trummel Saturday, she stated that a man needing a change of clothing badly came to the Army hut last week, and that before she could help him she was obliged to go to neighbors who were kind enough to furnish the necessary clothes.

Will all those who can please assist in the work.

CARD OF THANKS

We appreciate so much the many kind acts and courtesies extended by our neighbors and friends, and take this means of thanking one and all.

Words cannot express how grateful we are to those good friends who visited our dear father and grandfather, J. W. Chapman, when he was ill and made as pleasant as possible his last days on earth; also Dr. C. E. Payne, who did everything possible for him that a physician could do; also Wayne Barnett for his kindly assistance; the ladies who brought and prepared the meals for their thoughtfulness; as well as those who contributed to the beautiful floral offerings.

May God bless each and everyone of you, and may you have just such friends in your day of sorrow.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chapman and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Pigg and family.
Mr. and Mrs. John Holder and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Purvis and family.
Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Chapman and family.

VALLEY VIEW NEWS

Mrs. J. R. Wales was brought home from town Sunday where she has been under the care of a doctor. The V. V. Club bought her a pot plant. She wants to thank each and everyone of the club members for the gift.

Mrs. Johnnie Thomas was out of bed and attended club Friday. We were certainly glad to have her, but we didn't expect her to get well that soon.

A tacky party was enjoyed in the home of F. C. Bishop Friday night. The tackiest boy and girl won prizes. They were Christine Stevens and Bill Eudy. Bill was given a shaving kit and Christine was given a rolling pin.

A sister from Bartlett, Texas is visiting Mrs. Helen Touck. Her mother was also a visitor last week. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Wingo have returned to this community to live.

West Plains Assn. Meets With Local Church Thurs., Fri.

Rev. L. S. Jenkins To Bring Annual Sermon To Meeting

The thirteenth annual session of the West Plains Baptist Association meets with the First Baptist Church here Thursday and Friday. The program opens at 10 o'clock with the seating of messengers from the 24 churches in the association. The moderator, Rev. J. E. Moore, will call the meeting to order.

Rev. L. S. Jenkins will bring the annual sermon at the 11 o'clock hour Thursday. During the afternoon, Dr. R. C. Campbell, state mission secretary of Texas Baptists, will speak. At the evening hour, Wayland College will lead in the program.

On Friday reports and missionary messages will be given. The meeting closes Friday afternoon with an address by Rev. C. A. Joiner, Lockney, Texas.

The ladies of the local church will serve meals for all delegates and visitors. Bed and breakfast will be furnished messengers and visitors who will spend the night in Littlefield. Three hundred messengers and visitors are expected.

Valley View H. D. Club Meets

Miss Phipps met with the Valley View Home Demonstration Club, Friday, September 13 (but we had no bad luck) in the home of Mrs. George Gilley. Miss Phipps demonstrated how to make good pie crusts and bread muffins.

A large crowd attended and reported a nice time. Those visiting were Mrs. Jessie Hunt, Bartlett, Tex., Mrs. F. C. Byers from Littlefield and Mrs. Otis Oliver from Alabama. We had one new member, Mrs. Lucille Wingo. We were proud to have her and invite every one to attend the next meeting at Mrs. Dyer's.

Those attending Friday's meeting were: Mrs. Doyle Gilley, Helen Toack, Mrs. Hunt, Mrs. Byers, a sister to Mrs. M. L. Collins, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Bill Eudy, Mrs. Harley Miller, Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. A. B. Roberts, Mrs. Hollis Townsend, Mrs. M. L. Collins, Mrs. F. C. Bishop, Mrs. Rhoten, Mrs. Noah Gilley, Mrs. Doc Wingo, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Neva Louis, Mrs. Owens.

If I do not have your name, please forgive me.

—Contributed.

Sorosis Class Enjoys Luncheon And Elects Officers Friday

Members of the Sorosis Class of the Methodist Church enjoyed their regular luncheon meeting Friday at 1 o'clock at the Church, when 16 members were present.

The program, following the luncheon, included a solo by Mrs. Hank Rogers and a talk by Miss Ora Sharp on "Racial Prejudice."

The business session was presided over by Mrs. J. H. Barnett, outgoing president, during which new officers were elected as follows:

Mrs. Fred Wright, president; Mrs. L. T. Green, first vice president; Mrs. Cockerham, secretary; Mrs. Nesbitt, treasurer; Mrs. I. T. Shotwell, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, teacher; and Mrs. Orien Dennis, assistant teacher.

SEAGRAVES TO SPONSOR BOXING SHOW WITH CHAMPS TONIGHT

SEAGRAVES, Sept. 14 — Seagraves down here in the middle of the oil boom will put on its first professional boxing show at 8 o'clock Thursday night in the high school stadium.

This little town of 3,500 has signed Babe Hunt of Lubbock, Texas heavyweight title-holder, to face Woody Lynn, youthful Fort Worth heavy who would like to lift Hunt's title.

Coupled with the fight publicity is an element of speculation. Hunt may be making his last appearance in Texas, for he is dickering with promoter Jack Kearns to go to New Jersey to fight on the Max Baer—Pat Comiskey card September 26.

The limelight battle only one of five lined up for the Seagraves Lions Club by Pup Thomas of Lubbock.

Thomas will send Floydada's Abe Martin down to meet Jelly Harry of Seagraves over the six rounds distance. Frisco Linda, former flyweight champ of the Philippines, and of the west coast, will meet San Angelo's Noah Valdez in another six rounder. Two other four round fights will fill out the preliminary card and will be announced Sunday.

A battle royal also is planned, likely between negroes from the oil fields. "They will be the biggest we can find," it was announced.

The Lions will divert proceeds to a fund that supplies glasses for "kids across the tracks" or for surgery to deserving persons who could not pay for it themselves.

Promoters said Seagraves is more excited over the battle than over first rumors that oil had been discovered hereabouts.

Younger Set Enjoy Weiner Roast Sunday

The Lutheran Young People's Society entertained Sunday evening with a weiner roast in the park. Outdoor games as well as the weiner roast were enjoyed by all.

Those present were the sponsor, Mr. C. T. Boriack and Misses Athalia and Ruth Drager, Mildred Synatchek, Evelyn Teinert, Juanita Cotnam, Dorothy Timian, Clara Will, and the following young men: Herman Neuschwander, Werner and Ruben Birkelbach, Herbert Funk, Henry Ogerly, Martin and Ludwig Teinert, Willie, Albert and Louis Lorenz, and one visitor, Claud Elliott.

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Chicken Barbecue Enjoyed At Martin Home Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Martin entertained at a chicken barbecue on their back lawn in the Southmoor addition Thursday evening.

Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Joplin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wade, and daughter, Madelyn, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ware, and sons, James and Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Woodall, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. Alph Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Douglass.

Suffers Injury When Hit By Car Friday Evening

Dotson Gordon, 8-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Gordon of Littlefield suffered injuries Friday evening about 8 o'clock when he is reported to have been struck by an automobile as he was crossing Phelps Avenue, in front of the Palace Theatre.

The boy suffered a gash on his left arm, and fracture of his left femur. He was taken to the Littlefield Hospital where he will be confined for several days.

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WANTED—Top prices paid for used furniture and stoves. We buy, sell and trade. Onsted Furniture. 24-1tc.

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Funeral Services For Earth Infant To Be Held Today

Funeral and burial services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Jacobs of Earth will be held today at the Earth cemetery by Rev. C. T. Jordan, Baptist minister. Interment will be under the direction of Hart-Thaxton Funeral Home, Littlefield.

The child passed away at a local hospital at five o'clock Wednesday afternoon. She was born prematurely at 2:30 Wednesday morning.

Besides her parents, she is survived by one brother, Keith, and two half-brothers, Glen and Donald Bock.

Granddaughter Of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gore Dies At Lubbock

Funeral services for Daneshia Gore, 3-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gore of Lubbock, were conducted at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in Sanders chapel, Lubbock, with Rev. C. J. McCarty of the Calvary Baptist Church officiating. Interment was in a Lubbock cemetery.



All cotton placed under the 1940 Commodity Credit Corporation loan will be classified uniformly by Agricultural Marketing Service offices. Samples will be shipped to the central offices in each of the zones indicated on this map. Information concerning the loan is available from county agents or the county offices of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The infant died at 11 o'clock Monday night in a Lubbock sanitarium. She is survived by her parents, a brother, Ronnie, paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Gore of Littlefield, and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Varner of Lubbock.

Those attending the final rites from Littlefield were Mr. and Mrs. Gore, Mr. and Mrs. Van Clark and Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Woodworth.

The Indians were here first. FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 10—(UP)—The graying, copper-skinned man had an accent that the

postoffice clerk here couldn't quite place, although she had registered aliens of many nationalities. "I come to register," said he. The applicant said he was Mike Stein, age 63.

Place of birth? "Indian Territory." The postoffice girl was perplexed. "But your nationality?" "Full-blood Cherokee," replied the unpertrurbed gentleman. "Who sent you here?" asked the girl.

"Governor O'Daniel," said Mike. "He says for all aliens to register." "Well, you're no alien," he was told. "The Indians were here first."

"I know, but they chased all the Indians out of the state many years ago. I came back. What does that make me?"

By that time both persons were laughing. The applicant was Mike (Chief) Stein, who really is a full-blood Cherokee from Oklahoma. A former heavyweight wrestler, he now sells the Fort Worth Press as a downtown newsboy.

P. S. The chief admitted that he knew better. A lawyer-customer gave him a dollar to see what the alien registration office would do about a "First American."

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Miss Bessie Lou Matthews And Guy Aldridge Wed

The marriage of Miss Bessie Lou Matthews and Guy Aldridge was solemnized Saturday evening at Clovis, N. M.

The beautiful ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Donald Harris pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Littlefield.

The bride was charming in a brown jersey frock trimmed in light blue, and wore brown accessories. She is the only daughter of Mrs. Matthews of Crosbyton, is a graduate of Texas State University, and a member of the faculty of Seagraves high school.

Mr. Aldridge is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Aldridge of this city; is a graduate of Lamesa high school with the 1930 class; he attended New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, N. M., and is a graduate of Texas State University where he majored in accounting.

On graduating from the university on June 1, 1939, he became connected with Proctor & Gamble in the advertising department. Since that time he has received several promotions and is now salesman in charge of the Amarillo district, which comprises 23 counties.

Mrs. Aldridge will continue her teaching position for a time before joining her husband at Amarillo.

W. J. and Wm. L. Aldridge, who operate the Aldridge Grocery and Market of this city, are father and brother of Guy Aldridge.

Mrs. Matthews, mother of the bride is also in business in Crosbyton, being operator of a dry goods store.

KEITHLEY HOME IS REMODELING

Work is underway in the remodeling of the J. W. Keithley home.

The interior is being re-decorated, new bathroom fixtures installed, and a new porch added at the rear of the house.

Cicero-Smith are furnishing the materials. A. L. and Durwood Anderson are the contractors; Cashton Plumbing is doing the plumbing and J. F. Crow the painting and decorating.

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Wilford Moore To Play With Hardin-Simmons Cowboys

LITTLEFIELD, Tex., Sept. 16 — Coach Frank Kimbrough will start a veteran team, including ten letter men, in inaugurating the college gridiron season in West Texas when his Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys entertain the Baker Hill Billies here Saturday night, he said today in naming probable starters.

Backfield starters, to strike on the ground or through the air with the greatest of ease, will be spearheaded by Owen Goodnight, 190-pound hard driving, sharpshooter captain from Holland.

Sam Ostman, 178 pounder, and the H-SU student body president, Dean Paducah, Dean Walsh, 167-pound blocking back from Monahan, and Moon Mullins, 204-pound rushing fullback from Marshall, a former Henderson star, will team with Goodnight.

Forward wall starters will be Eddie (Red) Lewis, Decatur, center successor to Clyde (Bulldog) Turner. All American pivot now a rookie with the Chicago Bears, Captain Wilford Moore, Littlefield, and Winston Tucker, Seymour, guards; Robert Thompson, Haskell and Long John Treadway,

Amherst Resident Passes Away Thursday Morning

G. W. Lanier, 64, passed away last Thursday morning, following a two months' illness.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Amherst Church of Christ, with Rev. O. E. Dickenson, officiating. Interment was in the Amherst cemetery, under the direction of Payne's Funeral Home, Amherst.

Mr. Lanier was born at Little Rock, Ark., May 7, 1876. He was married to Miss Ada Lindley at Portales, N. M., and to this union four children were born, three of whom survive. They are R. L. Lanier and Mrs. Erma Jeffrey of Amherst and Mrs. Donald Britt of Roswell, N. M., all of whom were at their father's bedside when the end came. Deceased is also survived by his widow, six grand children one brother and two sisters.

Mr. Lanier and family had been residents of Amherst and community for the past eleven years.

Nacogdoches, tackles and H. C. Burrus, Lubbock, the team's leading scorer in 1939, and D. A. Parker, Ozona, ends.

Parker, a senior squad man who has squeezed by Deward Marcum, two-letter wingman, is the only starter not a monoggon wearer.

Karakul Boom



RAMONA, Cal. . . . Boom days are here for ranchers who have been raising Karakul sheep. The inability of buyers to obtain pelts from Asia Minor has proved a bonanza for the few American sheepmen who raise them. Here Mary Hewlett is pictured with a little fellow who some day will be worth his weight in gold.

Mr. Brannen sustained a bruised left leg and knee and some injury to his back. However, he has been able to take care of his business as usual.

Marguerette suffered sprained knees and ankles on both her limbs. Mr. Brannen stated that the accident occurred about 9:30 Wednesday night, and that Marguerette was not driving fast. He said a man living near the scene of the accident brought them to Littlefield. The car was badly damaged.

Homecoming Day At Tech Nov. 16

LUBBOCK, Tex., Sept. 17 — Homecoming Day plans at Texas Tech November 16 were made by the executive committee of the Alumni and Ex-Students association this week. Registration of alumni will take place in one of the men's dormitories on Tech campus from 9:30 a. m. until 12 o'clock followed by a luncheon, attendance at the Lake Forest-Red Raider game in the afternoon, and a homecoming dance at night.

Raymond Lee Johns of Lamesa, president of the alumni organization, said members of the association would receive special consideration in purchase of athletic tickets.

Buick Will Exhibit At Auto Shows

FLINT, Mich., Sept. 14 — Preparations for extensive participation in the Detroit, New York and Chicago automobile shows next month were announced today by W. F. Hufstader, general sales manager of the Buick division of General Motors.

Buick will exhibit its complete line of cars in all three displays, Mr. Hufstader said, in addition to carrying on collateral activity among dealers and salesmen in the metropolitan areas affected by the shows.

Featured at the Detroit show will be a dealers' and salesmen's meeting covering all Buick retail outlets in the Detroit metropolitan area under the direction of C. H. Rey, Detroit zone manager. More than 400 will attend the session scheduled for Friday, September 11.

According to Mr. Rey, this manufacturer will feature the new "fireball" engine and dual compound carburetion in mechanical exhibits at Convention Hall, together with other special displays designed to demonstrate a new steering gear, new direction signals and other features of its 1941 cars.

Rumania Now Is Dictatorship

Creation of a totalitarian Iron Guard state was announced Sunday

in a decree by Gen. Ion Antonescu, Rumania's military dictator.

The decree, setting up a state patterned off Nazi lines, established the Iron Guard as the sole Rumanian political party.

Antonescu, at the same time, announced a new cabinet with himself as chief of state, premier and minister of national defense.

Horia Sima, "Fuehrer" of the Iron Guard, became vice premier.

Total Of 130 Tech Graduates Placed

LUBBOCK, Tex., Sept. 17 — A total of 130 graduates and former students of Texas Technological college registered with the college teacher placement service have been placed in teaching positions since May. Dr. Doyle D. Jackson is director of the service.

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When their automobile at a sharp turn in the road about three miles west of Valley View Wednesday night of last week ran into an embankment, enroute home from Pettit, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Brannen and daughter, Marguerette, suffered injury.

Mrs. Brannen suffered a broken nose, bruised chest and cuts about the mouth and face. She was taken to the Payne-Shotwell Hospital where she remained several days.

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SECRETARY OF NAVY SAYS AMERICAN SEA FORCES ARE MOST POWERFUL

HONOLULU, Sept. 14 — Secretary of the Navy rank Knox, after five days at sea with the United States battle fleet, was firmly convinced today that American sea forces "are the most powerful, the most effective" in the world.

His observations, he said, fulfilled his hopes of what could be expected from the nation's men of war.

"I found the fighting forces, as I expected, the most powerful and most effective high seas fleet anywhere in the world," Knox declared.

"I saw something of every arm of the service," he said. "I lived aboard light and heavy cruisers, destroyers and battleships. An aircraft carrier took me to sea and a scout bomber flew me back here."

"I found the personnel, from the commanding officer on down, to merit a sense of pride in every citizen who loves his country. Both officers and men are bravely concerned in the future of their country and anxious to do their part in providing it with safety and security."

The trip convinced him, he said, that to carry out properly his functions, the secretary of navy should know the fleet, and the men who man it.

He revealed no plans regarding the future of the Pacific fleet but said that upon his return to Wash-

ington he will do all that he can "to make Pearl Harbor the most impregnable bulwark of American defenses in the Pacific area."

He did say, however, that he believed the army air strength of the islands urgently needed expansion and he understood that new bombing planes were to be sent to the army base there.

CORRECTION

In an account of the funeral services for John William Chapman, reported in the Leader of last Thursday, the name of Rev. W. P. Bryan, Baptist pastor, was left out, whereas the news item should have read that the services were conducted by Bro. Maurice McFarland, pastor of the Littlefield Church of Christ, assisted by Rev. W. P. Bryan, Baptist pastor.

Rev. Bryan had extended so many courtesies and assistance to Mr. Chapman during his lifetime, being a constant visitor of his, and also rendered the family many courtesies, that the Chapman family, as well as other residents of Fieldton, asked the Leader to express to Mr. Bryan their appreciation.

Fair Tickets On Sale At Lubbock

South Plains Fair directors announced early this week that an advanced ticket sale would begin immediately and continue until Saturday, September 28, thereby giving residents of the South Plains an opportunity of securing special rates to visit the Fair.

Tickets have been placed on sale in Lubbock and other places at a special price. Regular fifty-cent single admission tickets, four to a strip, are being placed on sale for \$1.00—a regular \$2.00 value. The regular 50c front gate admission will remain the same, officials declared. The special bargain sale makes the cost of tickets only 25c.

This special advance ticket sale will be in effect until Saturday, September 28. After that time the regular admission price will be in effect. All those interested in securing these bargain tickets may do so by writing the Panhandle South Plains Fair Association, Lubbock, enclosing a money order or bank draft in the correct amount. No tickets will be sold under \$1.00. Each person may buy as many tickets as he or she desires.

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Announce U. S. Civil Examinations

The United States Civil Service Commission announces open competitive examinations for Construction Supervisor, General Construction \$2,600 a year; Senior Inspector, General Construction \$2,600 a year; Inspector, General Construction, \$2,000 a year; Assistant Inspector, General Construction, \$1,800 a year and General Foreman (Construction Labor), \$1,860-2,000 a year, for employment in the War and Navy Departments, and in other services located throughout the Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, which comprises the states of Louisiana and Texas. A vacancy exist at present in the position of Senior Inspector of Construction, \$2,600 a year, at the Naval Air Station, Corpus Christi, Texas, which vacancy will be filled from the Senior Inspector, General Construction register.

Applications should be filed with the manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, La., before the close of business on Oct. 15, 1940. Appli-

cations will be rated as received until this date, and certification made as the needs of the service require, except that if sufficient eligibles are obtained, the receipt of applications may be closed before the date specified, in which case due notice will be given.

Information concerning requirements and application blanks may be obtained from the Secretary, U. S. Civil Service Board, Post Office, or from the Manager, Tenth U. S. Civil Service District, Customhouse, New Orleans, La.

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Mrs. J. H. Barnett Hostess Tuesday Night Dinner Club

Complimenting members of the Tuesday Night Club, Mrs. J. H. Barnett entertained at a dinner-bridge Tuesday evening, September 10 at the Barnett home on East Eighth Street.

Gorgeous dahlias and roses adorned the entertaining rooms for the occasion.

During the games, Mrs. L. L. Collins scored high for the ladies, while Mr. Ben Lyman was awarded the high prize for men players.

Those enjoying the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett were: Mr.

and Mrs. Pat Boone, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton, Mr. and Mrs. L. Hewitt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Collins, Mrs. C. E. Cooper



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Chevrolet, which led the industry in sales again in 1940, makes its bid for continued pre-eminence, in 1941, with two series of new cars, in which modern streamline styling and larger, roomier bodies, combine with numerous mechanical improvements to produce the finest Chevrolets ever built.

Hewitt Chevrolet Company are the local dealers for the Chevrolet automobiles, and now have several models on the floor. The public is invited to call and look over the new 1941 models, and view first hand the many new features.

The famous Chevrolet vacuum power shift, which created a sensation when introduced in 1939, is standard on all models of both series at no extra cost.

Bodies are longer, wider and much more massive looking. Their appearance mass is concentrated near the ground by changes in body and fender contour, as well as by judicious use of decoration and trim. Windshields, rear windows, and upper portions of sides of body are increased in slope, and the tops of side windows are one inch lower than in 1940.

The car's sleek appearance is heightened by the omission of running boards, as well as by the use of concealed hinges on all doors and trunks, the sole exception being the rear deck door hinges of the coupes and cabriolet. Sides of the body extend outward and downward noticeably farther than last year, and the skirt of each door conceals a convenient rubber-ribbed safety step to facilitate entrance and egress. The safety and convenience provided by a running board are thus retained, while the less desirable features are eliminated. Dirt, water, snow and ice cannot accumulate upon the step, because it is effectively sheltered under the flare of the door's lower edge. This not only makes the car easier to keep clean, but assures a firm, dry footing to persons getting in and out.

New and more massive appearing die-cast radiator grille frame surrounding horizontal bars; new hood, and front fenders from which the valley is entirely eliminated, dress the front end of the car. Sealed beam headlamps, integral with front fenders, are relocated for better appearance, separate parking lamps of flush type being set in the fenders just beneath.

The grille refinements are especially noteworthy. Replacement of stampings with die-castings has made it possible to gain more pleasing detail of design and shape as well as to heighten the durability of this unit. And as the lowering of the body crease/line and body belt moulding tend to accentuate the car's lowness as viewed from the side, so does the heavier horizontal bars of the radiator grille emphasize lowness, width as it is viewed from the front. The new grouping of lamps, and the new, wider bumper, also contribute to this effect.

Interiors are roomier as well as more luxurious. They embody numerous refinements, whose aggregate effect is to make these cars the equals, in riding comfort, driving ease and safety, of cars of far higher price. Their restful, roomy ease is apparent the moment the door is opened. Rear seats are lower, a change which not only makes for comfort, but also—by bringing passenger weight nearer the ground—contributes to stability and safety. There is greater room across the seat cushions, and also at elbow and shoulder levels. Foot-room is more ample, as before. Front seats are substantially wider, and are adjustable, and those in two-door models have convenient divided-type backs.

Headlining and body inside lining are identical in both series, but upholstery material differs between the Special Deluxe and Master Deluxe. On the former, it is a two-tone striped canda cloth, with tan Bedford cord as an option, while in the latter it is attractive canda cloth in a tasteful herringbone weave.

Treatment of the instrument panel is especially pleasing. On the Special Deluxe, the basic color is beige with a contrast of wood-grain design, and this is set off attractively by means of bright metal trim. The instrument cluster, including oil gauge, gasoline gauge, ammeter, and engine heat indicator, is at the extreme left. The large circular speedometer dial is adjacent, directly in front of the driver.

The center space on the dash is fitted with a grille for radio installation and above, on the Special Deluxe, is an ash receiver; and below is an electric cigar lighter. Next to the grille toward the right and balancing the speedometer, is a clock, and finally, at the extreme right, the roomy glove compartment with locking knob and interior light. The grouping on the Master Deluxe is similar, but the basic color is tan, the clock, lighter, ash receiver and some decorative trim are omitted, and the glove compartment is not lighted. The indirect illumination of the instrument panel in both series may be dimmed or turned off entirely by rotating the headlamp control knob.

Attention to appearance extends to the floors and foot-room. Openings around pedals and steering column are neatly sealed, and durable floor coverings are provided. On the Master Deluxe, these are heavy ribbed rubber while on the Special Deluxe they are rubber with attractive carpet inserts. The area along the bottoms of the seats and doors, in the Special Deluxe series, is trimmed with imitation leather to prevent soiling and scuffing and etched aluminum door sill plates add a further pleasing touch.

Rear compartments are designed for maximum comfort in both series, and in the Special Deluxe, they achieve luxury as well. Both series are equipped with robe cords across the rear of front seats in four-door models. The Special Deluxe has, in addition, combination assist straps and coat hooks, rear compartment ash receiver, and sliding rear-quarter windows. Two of the new sliding-type sun visors, adjustable to give full protection against glare, are furnished in the Special Deluxe series, and one in the Master Deluxe.

An innovation common to both series is the provision of a lock on the front door at either side of every model, so as to facilitate entrance from whichever side is more convenient, in crowded parking lots

or elsewhere. The lock is removed from the door handle, to a position just below, where it is flush with the side panel. A cover excludes moisture and dust. The new lock is unaffected by breakage of the door handle, and hence is more resistant to theft.

Doors of four-door models are all hinged at their forward edges, a refinement which makes for safety and for convenience as well. If the door is accidentally unlatched while the car is in motion, wind pressure has a tendency to close it rather than to jerk it suddenly open. And the new hinging enables passengers to get in or out of both compartments at the same time without interference. The new doors, if opened wide, will stay in that position, without slamming shut—an arrangement which is especially convenient when articles are being lifted into or out of the car.

The dome light control on the Special Deluxe is another innovation. The light may be turned on or off by means of the switch on the right-hand door pillar. It is also controlled automatically by a switch in the left-hand front door, so as to go on when that door is opened and off when it is closed.

Besides the Turret Top bodies, which are described above, Chevrolet also offers a Special Deluxe Station Wagon, having a style motif similar to the other passenger cars. Its equipment and features are necessarily different in some respects because of the Station Wagon design.

The marriage of Miss Lola Miller and Bernard St. Clair was solemnized at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Catholic parish. The impressive ring ceremony was read

by Father Frank Morsch, local priest. The bride was attractive in a soldier blue ensemble. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Miller of Littlefield, and a graduate of the local high school.

Mr. St. Clair is radio technician at the Garland-White Auto Parts. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. St. Clair of Brady. He attended Notre Dame University, and is a graduate of Texas State University. He attended radio school in Chicago.

After the wedding ceremony, the couple left for a week's trip to points in New Mexico. They will return to Littlefield this week end, where their many friends extend best wishes for their happiness.

Those attending the wedding Sunday were her parents and her sister, Miss Erma Miller, Mr. Schlottman, Ivy Dean, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nix and Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Garland.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, during his illness and at the death of our beloved one, J. A. Goodwin, as well as for the expressions of sympathy offered.

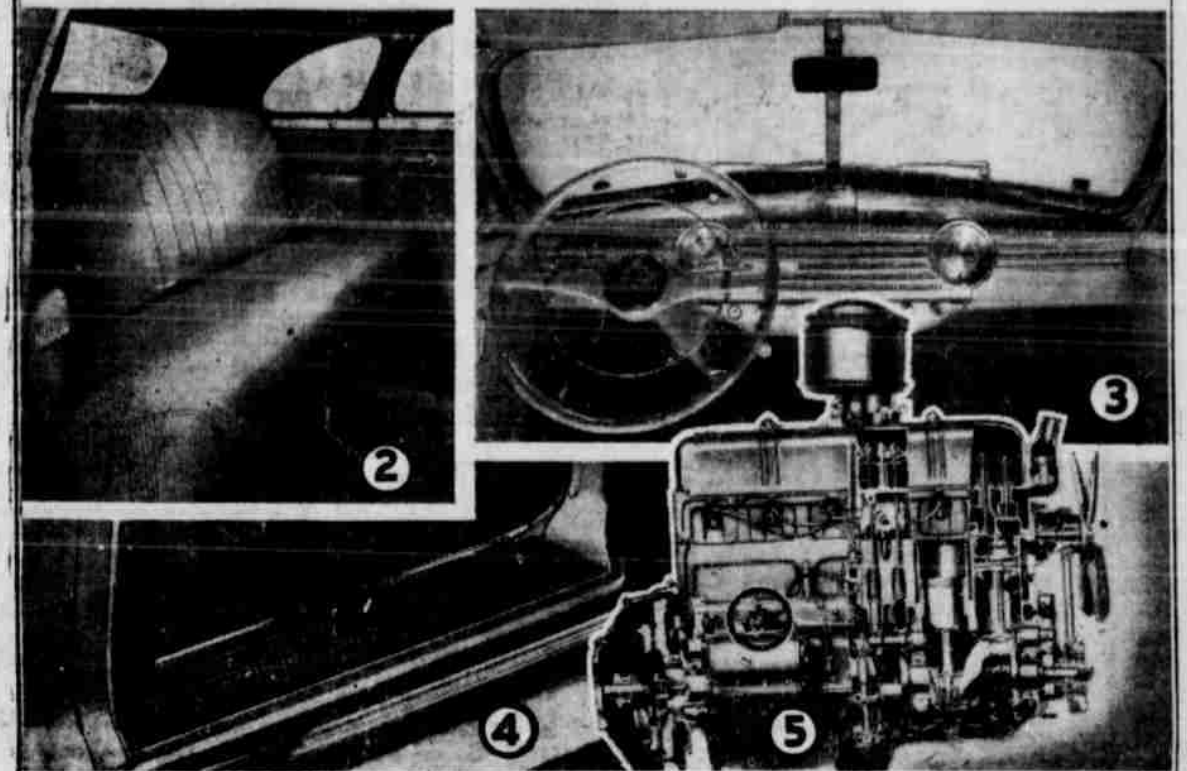
We also wish to thank those who sent the beautiful floral offering.

We also especially are appreciative of the assistance rendered by the Sheriff's Department and City and County officers in locating Mrs. R. C. Gardner of Hutchinson, Kans., who was enroute here from that city, but who was notified by Mr. Gardner, through the assistance of the police officers, that Mr. Goodwin had passed away, and so was able to avoid the long trip down here and proceed to Shawnee, Okla., for the funeral.

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One of the major changes is substitution of concealed safety-steps (4) for the running boards of other years, an improvement adding to the car's beauty without sacrifice of the safety and convenience which running boards provide. At (5) is the six-cylinder Chevrolet valve-in-head engine for 1941, in which many refinements have been made. Horsepower is increased from 85 to 90 without affecting economy; and cooling, lubrication and carburetion are all improved. In circle is the new switch which reverses the ignition current polarity each time the starter is operated, indefinitely prolonging the life of distributor points.

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OBITUARY

J. W. Chapman, age 71, passed away Wednesday at his home in Fieldton, following a ten months illness, having been confined to his bed nine months.

Mr. Chapman was born at Lexington, Virginia, June 7, 1869, and came to Texas at the age of 13 years. He married Mrs. Pearl Noeley in 1895, and born to this union were six children, three girls and three boys. One boy, James, preceded him in death in 1910.

Funeral services were conducted at the Fieldton Church of Christ Wednesday afternoon at 3:30. Bro. W. M. McFarland of Littlefield was in charge, assisted by Bro. Bryan, Fieldton Baptist pastor. Interment was in the Littlefield cemetery.

Pallbearers included H. C. Pickrel, Garland Adams, Vernon Qualls, Allen Reed, Royce Goings, Buster Elliott and Wayne Barnett. Flower girls were Bonnie Jo Vannoy, Myra-dell Vannoy, Jean Reed, Doris Reed, Doris Chaney, Georgie Goings, Mae Hays, Imogene Robinson, Margie Roberts, Evelyn Elliott, Marion Scivalley, Bernice Cowan, Lynell Barnett, Clara Mae Ball and Billie Gene Cowan.

Surviving the deceased are his widow; two sons, Dee of Littlefield and F. W. of Fieldton; three daughters, Mrs. John Holder of Littlefield, Mrs. Edgar Purvis of Lum's Chapel and Mrs. C. A. Pigg of Fieldton; 17 grandchildren, and two great-grandchildren.

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Auction Sales To Start Again At C. M. Edwards

Weekly auction sales will start

Edsel Ford Takes Test



EDSEL FORD, president of the Ford Good Drivers League, is himself an expert driver. He's pictured here at the Ford pavilion at the New York World's Fair, taking—and passing—a hearing test especially designed for the motorist. The occasion was the League's first national competition for boy auto drivers, held at the Ford Exhibit. Forty-eight boys, all state champions, took a series of tests like this one as part of the meet. And Edsel Ford, being president, underwent identical tests, just to familiarize himself with the competition. The object of the Ford Good Drivers League is to promote safety on the highways by teaching high school boys and girls to drive expertly. Any boy or girl of 14 to 18, inclusive, may join the League. Enrollment blanks may be obtained from any Ford, Lincoln-Zephyr or Mercury dealer. The League wound up its first year's program the final week of August, when it brought 48 state driving champions to the World's Fair, each with an adult sponsor of his own choosing, for the final meet. In all, \$30,000 worth of prize trips, trophies and college scholarships were awarded. Eighteen-year-old Gene Konard of Evansville, Ind., won first prize, a \$5,000 scholarship. The runner-up, who received a \$2,000 scholarship, is Jimmie Hymer of Phoenix, Ariz.

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The Essentials of Democracy

One of the words that is commonly used by different people to express different meanings is "democracy." To many it means a particular form of government.

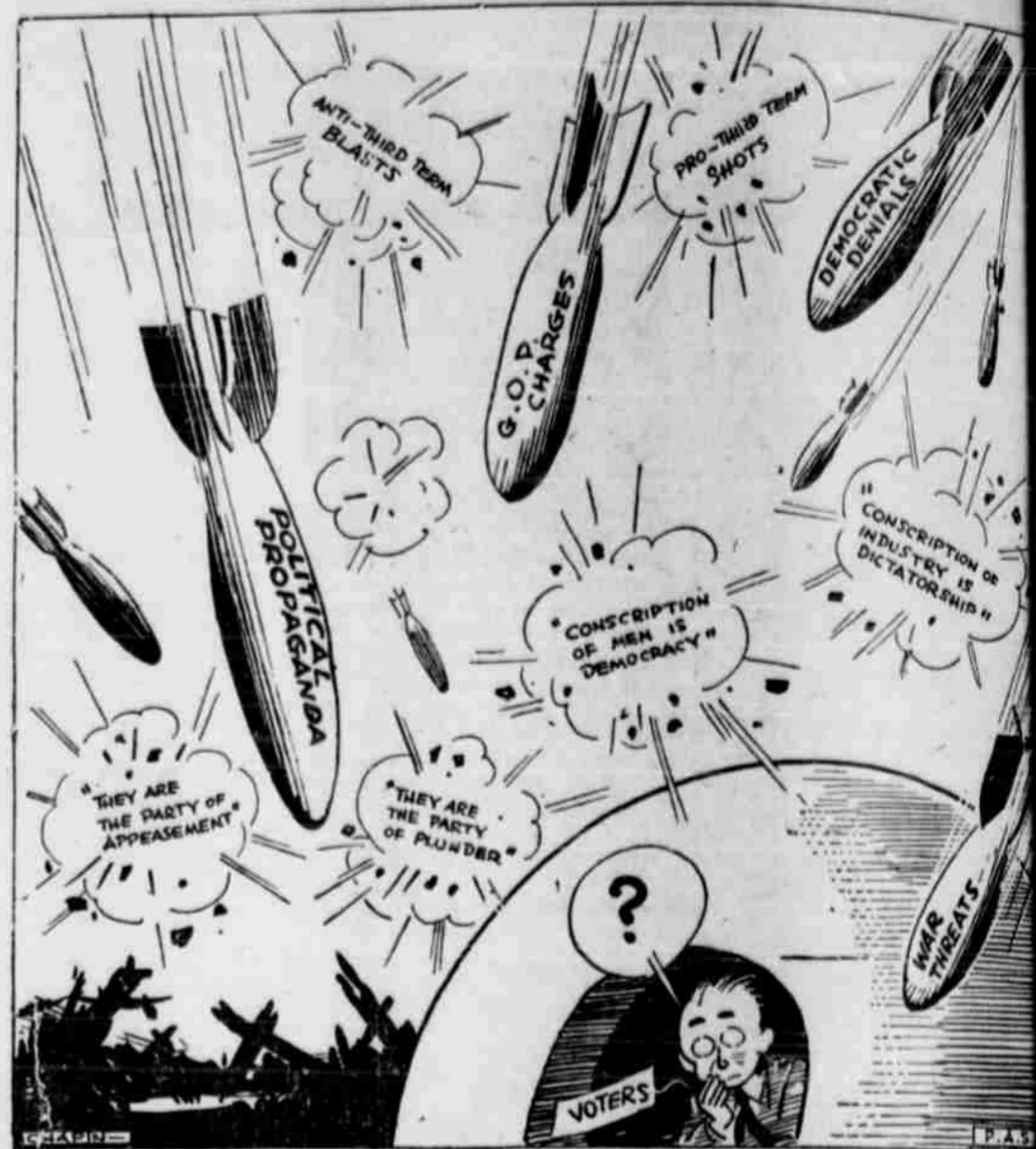
One of the greatest democrats of modern times was John Buchan, son of a poor Scottish clergyman, who mingled a career of politics with writing good literature.

"Pilgrim's Way," in which he set forth one of the best definitions of democracy ever put on paper.

"Democracy," he wrote, "is not a form of government but an attitude of mind, a spiritual testament, involving certain basic beliefs."

Many people are asking whether democracy can be made to work. John Buchan has set a formula which, if followed, would insure the survival of democracy.

Another Air Raid Victim



conducted for the first time in the new building Sunday.

Reverend Kirk is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kirk of Littlefield. The new church is located at the corner of Fourteenth Street and Avenue X.

Mrs. Grace Nell Crowell of Dallas will appear at Hotel Lubbock October 8 in a benefit lecture sponsored by the Woman's Forum.

J. B. Stevens, formerly of Lubbock, is the new manager of H. O. Wooten Wholesale Grocery Co. brancer at Spur.

"Soapsuds," favorite horse of the late Will Rogers, is making his first public appearance today, Thursday, in Fort Worth, since Rogers' death in 1935.

The horse will be ridden in a parade by Gary Cooper, friend of the late humorist and star. The occasion marks the world premiere of "The Westerner," motion picture in which Cooper stars.

And there was the Scotchman who bought only one spur because he figured that if one side of the horse went, the other would be sure to follow.

Wonder how Methodist women like the change of the name of the Women's Missionary Society to "Women's Society of Christian Society?"

Mrs. B. L. Cogdill and Mrs. Van Clark were charter members of the Women's Missionary Society at the local Methodist church, and they are also charter members of the new organization here.

That's all now... MARGIE

Methodist Women Will Have Spiritual Retreat Program

Methodist women will meet from 10:30 to 3 o'clock Monday for a spiritual retreat program.

Subject for the program will be "Challenge for Christians," and "Today's Challenge," "Challenge of the Church," and "Challenge of Sharing and Intercession" will be

Attend Buttermaking Short Course At Tech College Friday

Approximately 75 creamery men from West Texas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico attended a butter manufacturing course starting at 10 o'clock Friday morning in the dairy manufacturing department at Texas Technological college.

Viggo Peterson, manager of the South Plains Creamery, and E. R. Wauford, who is also connected with the creamery, attended the School of Butter Making from Littlefield.

K. M. Renner, head professor of dairy manufacturing, said especial attention was given "mold mycelia" count, the method used by the federal food and drug division to determine quality of cream used in butter manufacture.

The course ended Friday afternoon. Special music will be rendered.

Mrs. B. L. Cogdill, Mrs. J. W. Giddens, Mrs. C. H. Bilderback, Mrs. J. H. Lippard, and Mrs. Orin Dennis are on the program.

A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS

Jack Anders of Anton visited brother, Clay Anders, and family Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pierce Abernathy visited her sister brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. P. Miller, and daughter last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Anders visited their son, Jack Anders family at Anton Sunday. They went to Hale Center and visited old friend, Frank Norflet, family.

Freddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. James, was operated on for appendicitis at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital Sunday. He is reported to be getting along fine.

Ed Newsom of Brownfield visited his aunt, Mrs. Ella Tubby family last week.

Valencia Anders was sick missed school Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd White Lum's Chapel visited S. Tucker family Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Mayo visited daughter and family at Littlefield last week.

Odell and Janett, children of and Mrs. S. Tucker are on the list this week.

Telephone No. 27 for office applies, office forms.

Under THE DOME At Austin

By CORDON K. SHEARER United Press Staff Correspondent

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 17 — (UP) Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's unprecedented friendship tour of the state has the state capitol busy assigning motives for the visit to legislators.

Few think the compelling purpose of the governor was inability to suppress a desire to "bounce their babies on my knee."

First guess of most of the politically astute is that the governor seeks to pave an easier way for confirmation of his appointees than was experienced at the last legislature. Then he had his choices for highway commissioner and tax commissioner turned down.

Board of Control chairman Harry Know, Jr., and member Frank Davis will be up for confirmation. There will be a vacancy to fill on the State Highway Commission, but it is reported here that Carr Collins does not wish the governor to appoint him to that post this time.

Another suggestion heard here is that the governor seeks to stave off attacks upon himself such as those staged in the last session. "I hope the legislature will devote all its time to discussing the issues, and not personalities," was considered a significant statement in the radio broadcast in which he announced his state tour.

Others see the trip as laying the groundwork for a third term campaign. Atty. Gen. Gerald C. Mann's recent trip about the state to report on his "stewardship" is cited by those who look on the tour as a political move. Mann is expected to run for governor.

Molly O'Daniel, the governor's pretty and energetic daughter, scooped him on announcement of the trip. Molly once conducted a column in the Dallas News. Now she writes for J. M. West's Austin Tribune. Sunday morning she told about the trip with regrets that "Dad" insisted that she and her brothers stay home and go to the university.

Whatever purposes are assigned for the tour, everyone seemed to agree that the plan is as good as it is novel.

With the U. S. Census Bureau announcement that Texas now has 6,418,321 people, a new drive for congressional and state senatorial redistricting may be expected at the January session of the state legislature.

Sen. Rogers Kelley of Edinburg already is clamoring for a redistricting that will give southwest Texas representation more nearly in proportion to its share of the state population.

Sen. Grady Hazelwood, who succeeds Sen. Clint C. Small, has a district larger in number of counties. But Amarillo is the only major city in the 27-county district. Sen. H. L. Winfield also represents a 27-county district with El Paso as its biggest place. Harris, Tarrant and Dallas counties have senatorial districts of one-county size. Benders, Kerr and Kendall counties are grouped with Bexar which is the site of San Antonio.

Sen. Alan Shiver has but four counties in his district, but his territory includes three large cities, Beaumont, Port Arthur and Orange. Executive Director Will J. Tucker of the State Game, Fish and Oyster Commission is blossoming out as an author. His novel based on the history of the Rainbow Division is to be issued shortly by Southwest Press. Tucker was captain of the 168th Infantry in the Rainbow Division. The novel is said by the publishers to include an exciting factual portrayal of the division combined with a fascinating romance. Its title is "Not All Ashes."

To persons who are unfamiliar with the early days of World War No. 1, it may be explained that the Rainbow Division was an early division of American troops sent to France. It was composed of crack units selected from national guard organizations.

Incidentally, Tucker will receive a trophy at San Antonio on September 21, honoring him as the executive who has done most for wild life conservation on the North American continent in the past two years. The award was voted to him at the Toronto meeting of game commissioners of Canada, Mexico and the United States.

The SNOOPER SAYS...

Farmers everywhere these days are having their troubles, and government employees are doing their very best trying to "untangle" checks, plowups, parity, conservation and all the letters of the alphabet.

But one farmer in Lamb county felt that his trouble was more than his share. He has only four acres of cotton, and comes a letter through the mail, telling him he has three acres too many!

Perhaps people in America are becoming "softies" . . . with our modern ways of living and our conveniences, but we still have our freedom.

Along with becoming softies, we are also teaching animals to be softies, too!

Hen houses are being "air conditioned" in California, where evaporator type coolers capable of holding the interior under 90 degrees as compared to outside temperatures ranged upward to 110, resulted in lowered mortality among the hens and raised egg production 11 percent!

From — That Reminds Me — "A rich man in his years' toil Burnt barrels and barrels of midnight oil;

His son now keeps his memory green By burning midnight gasoline."

The annual flower show will be held at Olton this Saturday, and it is scheduled to be the very best this year. When I think of the name, Olton, I always connect it with the beautiful flowers that grow in the yards there, and they are not only pretty during the fall, but all the summer as well.

Watermelon is a Texas favorite because of its taste, and many people do not know that it is rich in Vitamin C . . . and . . . watermelons originated in India!

Rev. Luther Kirk is pastor of the new St. John's Methodist church in Lubbock, where services were

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Get Our Egg Prices Before You Sell GENE'S FOOD STORE

WE WANT TO BUY ALL KINDS OF GRAIN & BLACK EYED PEAS SEE DOGGETT GRAIN CO. LITTLEFIELD PHONE 175

WE'RE READY TO GIN YOUR 1940 COTTON Located At Lum's Chapel, Five Miles South of Littlefield MOREMAN GIN CO. C. H. MOREMAN, Manager

WHITHARRAL PANTHERS DEFEAT ROPES FRIDAY IN FIRST GAME OF SEASON

The Whitharral football team defeated Ropes Friday in their first game of the season for both teams. The game was played on the Whitharral field, and was the first game of the season for both teams. A long pass from McClure to Weldon Newt late in the third quarter won the way for the touchdown. The game was made by Weldon Newt. Both teams showed courage and stamina, and will turn in a good season this fall.

Whitharral plays Sudan at Sudan Amherst on their home field following week. The Amherst game will be the first conference game for Whitharral.

The Whitharral schedule is incomplete and their coach is trying to match games with just any ball

Morton Defeats Crane 13 to 0, In Opener

MORTON, Sept. 13 — Morton's football team opened their 1940 schedule with a 13 to 0 victory over Crane. Russell Abbott counted three touchdowns for the winners, the first on a 10-yard dash in the first five minutes of the game, the second on a run of 15 yards on the play of the game.

Abbott passed to Brown for the first point after the first score. Morton plays at Post in a night game next Friday.

Loboes Win Over Olton, 29 to 0

LEVELLAND, Sept. 13 — Scored in every period, Coach Hill Loboes' Levelland Loboes opened their 1940 season here tonight with a smashing 29 to 0 victory over Olton. About 1,200 fans saw the contest.

Quarterback Bill Green sparked the Lobos scoring attack. In the first period, Green counted to clinch a 49-yard drive, adding another fourth after Burl Taylor had the ball to scoring territory on a 34-yard cutback.

Halfback Walker tallied in the second. Glenn Johnson added another in the fourth. A safety in the third quarter and three points on a touchdown by Captain Pop Arrington completed the scoring.

First downs were Levelland 10, Olton 2; yards from scrimmage, Levelland 39.

Olton Captures 13-0 Victory From Spur

SPUR, Sept. 13 — Olton's Mustangs, paced by the fleet-footed Edges twins, scored twice in the first half here tonight to defeat Spur's Bulldogs, 13 to 0. The Mustangs, bi-district champions in 1939, had 19 first downs to 10 for Spur.

Outstanding for Coach Woodrow Beckworth's Spur lads were Endrick Powell and Halfback Ross. Twice the Bulldogs managed to score, but each time they clamped the lid on down near the goal lines.

Muleshoe To Play First Game With Spring Lake Friday

The Muleshoe high school football squad is now pretty well organized, according to Supt. W. C. Cox. The schedule of games to be played has been completed and the coach is whipping the personnel of the squad into shape for the first game to be played with Spring Lake in Muleshoe Friday afternoon, September 20, beginning at 2:30 p.

There will be nine lettermen, last year's players, on the local team, who will be eligible for places on the team this year, and a list of 11 other would-be players has been preliminarily selected for gridiron activity in first and second strings. About 35 lads are reporting for practice.

Last year the Muleshoe team made an enviable record, of which the school is well proud, winning five games, playing two tie games, and losing only two of the contests in the entire season's playing.

Schedule of coming games is as follows:

- Sept. 20—Spring Lake at Muleshoe.
 - Sept. 27—Frona at Frona.
 - Oct. 4—Amherst at Muleshoe.
 - Oct. 11—Olton at Olton.
 - Oct. 18—Sudan at Muleshoe.
 - Oct. 25—Morton at Morton.
 - Nov. 8—Meirose at Muleshoe.
 - Nov. 15—Littlefield at Muleshoe.
 - Nov. 22—Farwell at Farwell.
- Lettermen eligible for playing this season are: Eugene Standefer, Weldon Standefer, Garland Kennedy, Dee Chitwood, Hubert Clark, James Warren, Clifford Gordon, Alfred Rogers and Harry Walker. Other members of the squad are: Vasey Tipton, Marshall Morris, T. M. Cox, Jr., Clarence Thomas, Ira Thomas, Earl Schmidt, Martin Olliver, Delbert Watson, Connie Dale, Anthony Janko and L. C. Galloway.

Champion Driver



WORLD'S FAIR, N. Y. . . . Gene M. Kennard (right), was awarded a \$5,000 college scholarship as a prize for placing first in the Ford Good Drivers' League competition for excellence in driving. He is pictured with Edsel Ford who has just presented to him the trophy emblematic of the national championship of all high school boy drivers.

Church Of Christ Meets In New Bldg.

The Church of Christ has finished the new building at Spade, and will meet in their new structure for the first time Sunday.

Bro. C. B. Middleton will preach on Saturday night and will have all day service Sunday. Everyone is cordially invited.

CHURCH OF CHRIST LFD

Evangelist W. M. McFarland

Sunday morning subject: "We Should Thank God and Take Courage." Acts 28:11-15.

Bible study for everyone: 9:45 a. m.

Singing begins: 10:45 a. m.

Preaching: 11 a. m.

Lord's Supper: 11:45 a. m.

Sunday evening subject: "Ye Are Bought With a Price." 1 Cor. 6: 19, 20.

Young people's meeting: 7:30 p. m.

Singing and preaching: 8 p. m. Monday evening Ladies Bible class: 3 p. m.

This class is for every mother, wife and daughter in Littlefield who wants a course in the greatest of books. If you want to know the plain and simple teachings of the Bible, then come and be with us every Monday afternoon.

Wednesday evening Bible classes: 8:15 p. m.

First Peter 3:15 teaches that we all as children of God should be able to give a reason of the hope that lieth within us with meekness and fear. Are you able to take the Bible and teach your fellowman, Your own salvation depends on your carrying the truth to others. If you leave all the converting to the preacher, there will be blood upon your head for many who will die in their sins. Tim. 4:16—"Take heed unto thyself, and unto the doctrine; continue in them; for in doing this thou shalt both save thyself, and them that hear thee."

Let's all come to Bible classes Sunday morning and bring someone with us. Won't you?

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Foster and daughter, Nora Carolyn, of Sunset, Texas, are on an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Less Barker, and other relatives. Miss Mary Foster of San Angelo is also a guest in the Roberts and Barker home. She will return to San Angelo in two weeks.

Jimmie Alsop, operator of the Hotel Drug, left Tuesday on a business trip to Abilene, returning to Littlefield Wednesday night. His brother, Joe Alsop of Muleshoe, arrived Monday, and is assisting in his brother's absence.

Miss Dixie Durfee, formerly of Littlefield, but who has made her home at Lawton, Okla., for the past year, arrived Saturday for a few days visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rowe, Jr., of San Antonio, visited his parents here Thursday. Mr. Rowe is a member of the state highway patrol.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hobbs visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Hopping in Lubbock last week end. Miss Marie Knowles accompanied her mother, Mrs. J. R. Knowles to Justin, Texas Saturday, where her mother will visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. T. Sims for the next two weeks. Marie returned home Tuesday after visiting friends in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Brewer, Jr., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Pierce in Lubbock Saturday night and Sunday. Mr. Pierce is attending Draughton's

Business College.

Mrs. R. M. Waller of Sudan underwent a major operation at the Littlefield Hospital Friday morning. Her condition is reported to be satisfactory.

Mrs. Earl Harmonson of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Maddox last week.

A daughter, who was named San-

dra Helen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ross at 6:50 o'clock Sunday night at the Littlefield Hospital. The child weighed seven pounds and four ounces. She is the only grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Smith.

A son, who weighed six pounds and nine ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Shirley of Amherst

Sunday afternoon. He was named Michael David.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Edwards and their granddaughter, Melba Jo Edwards, visited on the Morgan ranch near Ackerly Sunday.

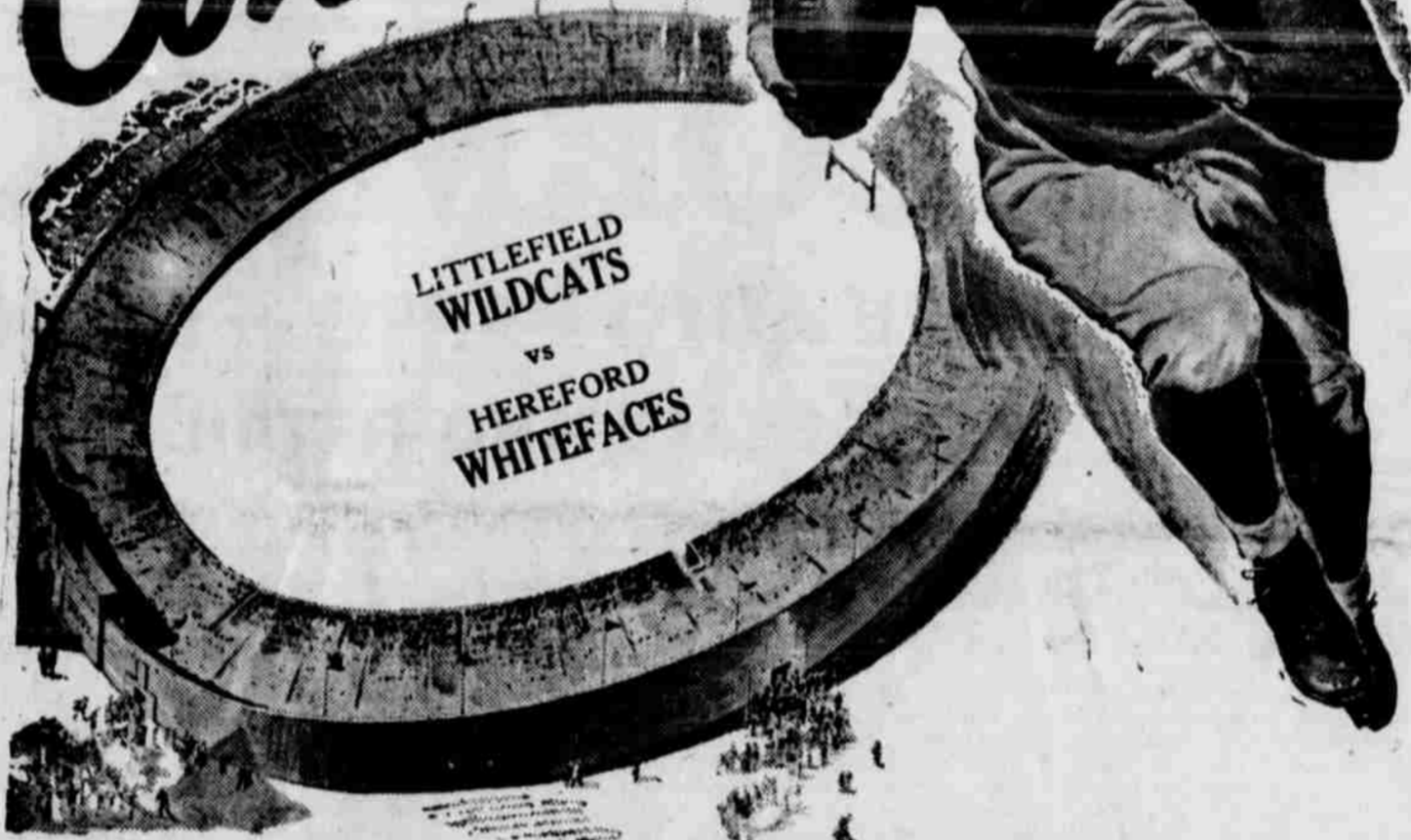
Mrs. E. O. Graham and Mrs. Jas. Graham accompanied by their brother, Herbert Scott of Abernathy, were called Saturday to the bed-

side of their sister, Mrs. J. H. Barker, who is seriously ill in Wellington, Tex. They returned home Sunday night and reported that Mrs. Barker's condition had not improved.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Littlefield's 1940 Football SEASON OPENS TOMORROW NIGHT SEPTEMBER 20, 8 P. M. SEELY FIELD

PICK THE WINNERS! FOOTBALL Contest!



PROBABLE STARTING LINE-UP

Position	Player	Weight
Left End	Hugo Beyer	150
Left Tackle	Odell Robertson	180
Left Guard	Elmo Jones	140
Center	J. B. Sharp	155
Right Guard	L. Cunningham	143
Right Tackle	Roy Grisham	182
Right End	Donald James	166
Quarterback	Granville Smith	138
L. Halfback	Roy Hutson	167
R. Halfback	Babe Hammons	152
Fullback	Ferrell Compton	160

SEASON'S SCHEDULE

- Sept. 20 — Hereford at Littlefield
- Sept. 27 — Phillips at Littlefield
- Oct. 4 — Morton at Littlefield
- Oct. 18 — Brownfield at Brownfield
- Oct. 25 — Olton at Olton
- Nov. 1 — Sudan at Sudan
- Nov. 8 — Levelland at Littlefield
- Nov. 15 — Muleshoe at Muleshoe

SCRATCH 'EM WILDCATS

IVY DEAN, Jeweler
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 PIGGLY WIGGLY
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 COX TIN SHOP
 Texas-New Mexico Utilities Co.
 HOPPING DAIRY
 WEST TEXAS COTTON OIL CO.

NEWS PHOTOS

From The World's Ace Cameramen

What U. S. Got For 50 Ships

Bermuda Base



BERMUDA . . . Bermuda, island home of the tourist trade, will shortly have a U. S. military base upon it. A 99-year lease for this purpose was granted by the British Government as a gift to the United States.

Caribbean Base



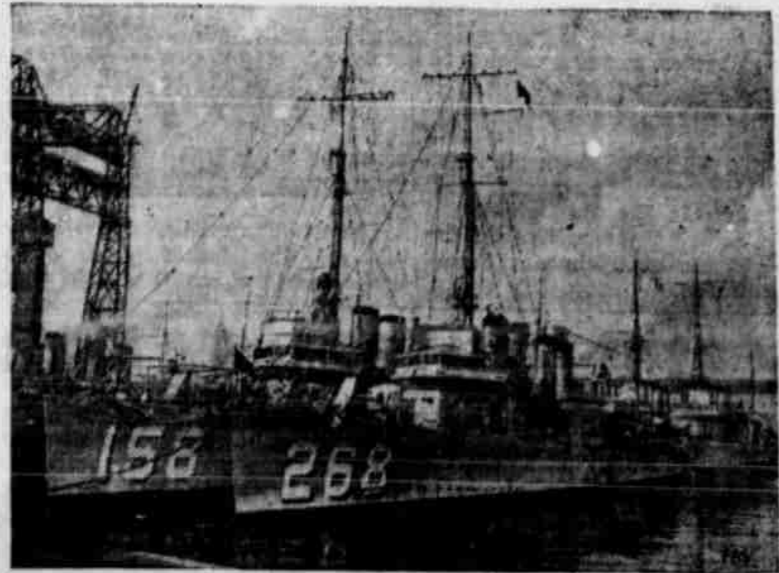
ST. JOHN, Antigua . . . A view of the port of St. John on the Caribbean island of Antigua, which has been leased to the United States for 99 years for military purposes as a part payment for 50 recommissioned U. S. destroyers.

Newfoundland Base



ST. JOHN, Newfoundland . . . An air view of the port of St. John, Newfoundland, where the United States has been given the right to build a military base. The base here and on the island of Bermuda was presented to the U. S. as a gift and was not involved in the much-talked-about destroyer exchange.

Britain Bound?



NEW YORK, N. Y. . . . The recommissioned U. S. destroyers Leary, left, and Shubrick, may be among the 50 destroyers traded to Great Britain for the 99-year right to construct military and naval bases on the Bahamas, Jamaica, St. Lucia, Trinidad, Antigua and British Guiana.

Army Camp Will Be Feature Of Fair At Lubbock

A model army camp will be established at the Panhandle-South Plains Fair grounds, according to an announcement made Saturday

by fair officials.

The camp, which probably will be seen at no other fair in Texas this year, unless the idea is taken from Lubbock, will be established at the fairgrounds throughout the week to give visitors an opportunity to see for themselves the kind of army the United States is attempting to build in connection with the national defense program.

Million Farmers Make Mattresses From Surplus Cotton

More than 1,158,870 farm families in the nation, 191,990 of them in Texas, have been selected by county agricultural conservation committeemen as eligible to receive surplus cotton and ticking to make a mattress for home use. Nearly 306,000 low income families in the country and 64,832 in Texas already have completed their mattresses, according to Mildred Horton, vice director and state home demonstration agent of the A. & M. College Extension Service.

Under the cotton mattress demonstration program begun in March this year, the Surplus Marketing Administration allotted 100,000 bales of surplus cotton to low income families on a basis of 50 lbs. plus ticking to each family. County extension agents have directed the program with the help of local volunteer helpers, and the mattresses are made at community work centers. Texas has 2,200 such centers.

Nearly 500 counties in 17 states are now at work under the mattress program with 500 other counties getting their organization underway. Texas has 226 counties participating in the program, with 140 making mattresses currently, Miss

GETS AWARDS FOR INCREASED BUSINESS

A. A. Webb, local representative, attended a meeting of the State Reserve Life Insurance at Fort Worth Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week. Mr. Webb stated that C. N. Kennon, formerly of Littlefield, was awarded four awards at the meeting for heading the company for paid business during the year ending August 1. Mr. Kennon received a \$100 bill, gold watch, gold fob and a certificate of service.

Charlie Clark And Jack Hishaw Move To New Location

Charlie Clark and Jack Hishaw moved Saturday to an office in the west section of the Yellow House Land building, next to the Rose Bud Beauty Shop.

They will carry on a regular real estate business, and also act as agents for the Enochs land.

Horton reports. Demonstration work centers have been set up in more than 12,000 communities, and more than 58,000 farm men and women and older boys and girls have accepted responsibilities in getting the program underway in their communities. Volunteer leaders in Texas aggregate 25,047 with 17,053 of them women and 7,994 of them men.

EFFICIENT AMBULANCE SERVICE

HART-THAXTON

PHONE 77 Funeral Home PHONE 77

Many Applications For Free Classing And Market News

Applications from 568 one-variety cotton groups for free classing and market news service under the Smith-Doxey Act have been recommended to the Division of Cotton Marketing USDA for approval by the Texas Cotton Review Committee, E. A. Miller, agronomist of the Texas A. & M. Extension Service and chairman of the committee has announced.

This is almost twice as many applications as the 287 received in 1939. The cotton will be classed by the USDA Agricultural Marketing Service, which maintains offices at Dallas, Austin, El Paso and Lubbock, and the grades and classes will be accepted by the Commodity Credit Corporation on the basis for making loans, said. The service enables farmers the one-variety groups to know the official grade and staple of cotton, as well as the price paid for that type of cotton in central markets.

SEE . . .

THE ENTRADA OF CORONADO

At The 27th Annual

SOUTH PLAINS FAIR

Sept. 30—Oct. 1-2-3-4-5

6 BIG DAYS LUBBOCK, TEXAS 6 NIGHTS

Each Afternoon

FREE Grandstand

Nighttime—

- Circus & Vaudeville Acts
- Clowns
- Animals
- Thrills - Chills

RACH EVENING 8:00 P. M. A \$100,000.00 Pooled Booked show on world's largest stage THE ENTRADA OF CORONADO, an hour half show. Gen. Admission . . . Res. Seats . . . Box Seats . . .

Free! SCHOOL CHILDREN Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 2 & 3 (See School Supt. for Free Tickets) **Free!**

EXHIBITS Hereford, Shorthorn, Dairy Cattle & Swine Exhibits. . . newest in farm implements and equipment . . . county, community, and individual agricultural exhibits, merchandise displays . . . home and fine arts exhibits.

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- ★ DE LUXE KNEE-ACTION ON ALL MODELS WITH BALANCED SPRINGING FRONT AND REAR AND IMPROVED SHOCKPROOF STEERING
- ★ ORIGINAL VACUUM-POWER SHIFT AT NO EXTRA COST BUILT AS ONLY CHEVROLET BUILDS IT

It's a SIZE sensation . . . a STYLE sensation . . . a DRIVE and RIDE sensation ☆ Bigger in all major dimensions both inside and out . . . with 3" longer wheelbase and 3-couple roominess in all sedan models ☆ With dashing new "Aristostyle" design and longer, larger, more luxurious Fisher Bodies that set the new style for the new year ☆ With a mighty 90-h.p. Valve-in-Head "Victory" Engine that lifts performance and lowers costs ☆ It's the new low-price leader by the builder of leaders . . . CHEVROLET . . . holder of first place in motor car sales for 9 out of the last 10 years!

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CHECKERBOARD LOVE

JOSEPH M. CORD

CHAPTER I

Swan had assumed an elegant pose for a young man of two and twenty summers. There were no one to see she was partially screened by trailing branches of a huge tree. She lay flat on her stomach with her sandaled feet aloft, her black tumbled to her knees exposing a pair of slim bare legs. Her determined little chin almost touching the limpid pool of a bank of Briar Creek and her right arm was immersed in it nearly to the shoulder.

"Well break for the fish!" a drawing voice from across the stream. "Thought I'd taught better."

Swan scrambled into a sitting position. "Oh!" she was startled. Then she was delighted. "Jeff!" With that cordial cry, she smiled. Her nose had a ridiculous fashion of doing that when registering surprise, in addition to being small slightly turned up.

as she watched Jeffrey Castle turn and stride along the bank. A moment later she glimpsed his checked jacket through the foliage as he picked his way across a fallen tree trunk that long had done service for a bridge. Almost at once he came up and dropped down cross-legged in front of her, dark eyes alight with pleasure.

"Gee, it's good to see you, Cygie! You're sweeter than ever. Maybe I should clasp your hand... been a long time, you know."

"Yes. It has. But I think it would look pretty stupid to sit in a pasture shaking hands."

"One up on me as usual." Jeffrey lurched swiftly to his knees and before Audrey realized his design, drew her to him and kissed her. "You did hint," he accused amiably as he felt her stiffen resentfully in his embrace.

"I did not!"

"Don't let's argue, darling. It's too warm and we've too much to talk about," he soothed. "I must

steamed up over the law. I suppose it's a good enough foundation."

"For what?"

Before he could answer a feminine voice came floating across the creek. "Oh, Mr. Jeff, please!" The call came from a young woman in a maid's cap and white ruffled apron.

"What is it, Christine?"

"The operator has been trying to get you, sir. It is a long-distance call."

"O. K. Be there in a minute. Botheration," he grumbled as he got to his feet.

Audrey was hugging her knees, staring at the trim maid strolling back leisurely toward the Castle house.

"What was it you said about the old trysting place?" she inquired dreamily.

"Nothing," Jeff growled. "I say, how about a little drive after dinner?"

"I don't believe I can... this evening."

While her grinning critic sauntered down to the water's edge, a tall young man he was, a brown face and hair that shined like brass as the sunlight hit it. His hands were thrust into the pockets of a garishly checkered jacket. A shirt of the color lay open at the throat. The ducks somewhat rumpled a pair of leather sandals made the rest of his informal attire. "You a ring at the house," he asked, "but your mother said you'd gone for a walk. I figured you'd be at the old trysting place. Be psychic that way."

"What you think," Audrey asked. "I came out here to read. It's cool... just stopped for a couple of minnows. I even know you were back. You coming across?"

"Infinite. If I have to swim, I'm still in service?"

"I wouldn't know. I suppose there was a sudden pensive expression in the girl's hazel eyes



"I figured you'd be at the old trysting place."

have kissed you before. The sensation is faintly familiar."

"At kid parties. When we didn't know any better."

"Well, I'm educated now. And travel does broaden one."

"So it seems. How's Europe?"

"Didn't you get my cards?"

"Rather. They weren't exactly informative." Audrey watched her companion speculatively as he stubbed his cigarette and tossed the butt into the water. When he gave no indication of further conversation, she ventured: "Everybody's expecting that you'll go into your father's office. It will be nice for both of you."

"Yeah?" There was a cynical look in Jeff's brown eyes. "Between pals, Cygie, I'm on a spot. You know the old gentleman gives most of his professional time to the circuit. Of course there's always some practice drifting into the office—routine stuff from old clients and whatnot. But Miss Annie can do the job a heap better. In fact, I doubt if I know enough law to win her confidence."

Audrey was forced to smile at that conceit and the picture it brought to mind, of elderly Anna Dods who had been in Judge George Castle's office almost as long as anybody could remember.

"As a matter of fact," Jeff continued moodily, "I don't get much

"Fine," he grinned. "I'll come for you at eight." With that, he started in the direction of the bridge.

Audrey continued to sit motionless, thinking. It was good to see Jeff again. Almost two years since he had been back home, his last year in college followed by another doing Europe in the grand manner. That's what it was to be the only child of wealthy parents, instead of the one child of moderate circumstances. Jeff seemed to have changed very little, but Audrey had felt a vague disappointment. His plans for her indicated that he expected the two of them to drift into the old intimacy of long-ago vacations. Apparently he didn't realize that things were different now.

The Swans' rambling old house stood on a sixty-acre tract that once had been a portion of the Castle land, separated now by the winding reaches of Briar Creek. Judge Castle was a wealthy man in his own right and he had married money. Clipped hedges enclosed the formal gardens with their fountains and occasional pieces of statuary.

Young Jeffrey Castle was nine—Audrey's senior by less than a year—when he first chanced to see the "new girl" from the next house. Audrey proved to be a pleasant discovery. She was active and muscular, could throw a ball or hurl a stone with far greater accuracy than Jeffrey and could ride his restive pony at top speed without the benefit of saddle or stirrup.

Audrey's passion for books was another bond and the two friends spent many an hour in the Judge's library—when he was absent—lying prone on the big bearskin rug before a crackling fire—heads together over some illustrated volume, or reading apart as their fancies dictated. It was in one of these bookish sessions that Jeff chanced to discover that a young swan was a cygnet. From that day, Audrey was "Cygie." Today, it had been strangely pleasant to hear Jeff use the old name so naturally.

Jeff's first remark, after he had settled Audrey comfortably in his low-seated roadster and started the motor, was a complacent: "Knew you wouldn't let me down. Where

to, by way of celebrating the stranger's return?"

"How about the Ridge?" Audrey was prepared for that one. It meant a quick turning off, no parading through town. "It's still light enough to enjoy the view, I think."

Jeffrey said no more until he pointed the long hood of his car into the straight stretch leading to the Ridge. Cutting down his speed to—for him—a moderate rate, he asked abruptly: "Listen, girl friend, did I ever make love to you in any of my absent-minded moments?"

"It got by me if you did," was the cautious reply. "Why?"

"Merely mulling over what you said this afternoon. Sounded as if I was a rejected suitor or some such... that you were trying to let me down easily. We've been pals for so long that I couldn't quite make myself believe you were trying to tell me that we were washed up. That wasn't your idea by any chance, was it?"

Audrey drew a long breath. "It's like this, Jeff, you're not here on vacation this time. You'll have to carry on as one of the Castles. It's a putrid thing to say, but I'm not sticking out my neck. And it's not altogether on my account... if you know what I mean."

"I know what you think you mean," Jeff considered. "It's the bunk."

"That's sweet of you. But you know better. Everybody's been used to seeing us pal around together as kids. But now they'll start rubbing their hands together. I've been around here more than you have. I know."

"Yeah? Now that you bring it up, I must have read a heart-twister like that. Maybe it was in a movie. Something about a wistful little girl who never snuffles, lives on the wrong side of the tracks, and she comes from..."

"Poor but honest parents," Audrey helped.

"Poor but honest parents," Jeff repeated dutifully. "Of course she isn't good enough for the boy's folks who are tottering around proudly under a load of jack, most of which they never earned. Slush

is right! Candidly, Cygie, you make me sick."

"Sorry. But you get the idea. Only the girl doesn't apologize for her folks. Her dad's quite the nicest Britisher that ever shoved off to the mainland. Just the same, he's horsey. That makes a lot of eyebrows go up. Oh, I'm aware it would be perfectly all right if Dad owned a big racing stable and grabbed off the Derby and the Belmont Stakes so often that it bored him. But he's only a trainer... although he is a darned good one. And I'm sort of an exercise boy myself."

"You still make me sick, darling. You never were much good at dissembling. What's the man's name?"

"You wouldn't know him."

"I got that phone call," Jeff observed. "A girl friend in the city. Maybe that will fit in with your new complex."

"I think it's splendid."

"Her name's Olive Cooper... nice femme. Met her in Switzerland. Traveling with her mother who's also a pleasant person. Odd, you know, but my itinerary sort of fitted in with theirs, so we saw quite a bit of each other. There were a good many little things I could do for them and they seemed to appreciate it no end."

Audrey smiled to herself in the gloom. "You didn't have to build up such an elaborate defense. Of course you all came back on the same boat and of course they invited you to call."

"You're a big help, Cygie, but I insist on finishing my story. I found we not only have a lot of mutual friends, but Dad has done considerable business with Olive's father. Well, I rounded up some folks on the way home for a little house party over this week end. I thought it would be rather nice, after talking to mother, if..."

"If you gave Olive a call. I think so, too."

"Yeah? Well I merely put the call through. Mother did the inviting. But Olive will be here Friday. So I'm counting on you."

"For what?"

"Dinner that evening," Jeff informed imperturbably. "I want you to help me show Olive a good time. There will be a couple of other girls in the bunch, but one's married and the other might as well be, and they'll have their des-

tinies along. So that leaves..."

"You," Audrey furnished before he could finish.

"That's right. Also a school pal... Vic Quinn. You'll find him as comfortable as an old shoe. And you'll like Olive. She's keen on horses and is bringing her riding things."

Audrey sat motionless. At length she said hesitatingly: "I guess you can't help being sweet, Jeff, but you do make me feel like a little rotter. The only excuse I can drag out is the one about being a woman. I know it's outmoded."

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HIGH SCHOOL GRIDSTERS READY FOR OPENING GAME; FANS FORM CLUB

Up To Meet Tuesday Boost Team

Purpose Is To Promote Interest In Local Team; Seely Is President

Downtown quarterbacks club organized Tuesday night at a meeting of football fans at the high school gymnasium, the purpose announced as the formation of interest in the Littlefield Wildcats football team.

The club will meet at the gymnasium every Tuesday night during the current grid season. All football fans are urged to attend meetings, which, according to Seely, secretary and president, will be brief, but interesting.

Officers elected at the organization meeting included Ed Seely, president; Pryor Hammons, vice president; and Jeffries, secretary and treasurer.

Murphy, new high school coach and F. A. Hemphill, president of schools, spoke at the Tuesday night meeting.

Murphy, who comes to Littlefield from Memphis, Tex., described the purpose of play to be followed by the Wildcats gridsters, and outlined the plays to be used. He discussed the Hereford-Friona game which he scouted Friday night. The Wildcats' opening game for Friday night's opening was a defeat of Friona eleven, zero, Murphy told his listeners. Hemphill expressed appreciation for the support townspeople give the Wildcat teams in the grid for the enthusiasm shown this year.

The committee was appointed to outstanding members of the grid squad to whom awards will be made at the end of the season. Outstanding performers in various phases of the game, such as blocking, tackling, and so forth, will be

A fan who attended the first meeting of the club Tuesday night was urged to bring two more fans to the next meeting.

Death Of Andy Jordan Dies At 60 Tuesday

W. Jordan received a telephone message Tuesday night to effect that his half-sister, Mrs. Hennington, 60, of Tatum, N. M., had passed away suddenly following a few days' illness.

Hennington was a sister of Jordan of Sunnydale, and a daughter of L. W. Jordan and Arthur Jones of this city, Mariner of Whitharral, and a daughter of near Levelland. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Jordan, who was unable to attend because of illness. Hennington was also survived by her husband and several children.

JORDAN CHILD SUSTAINS SERIOUS INJURIES

Fifty stitches were required to close the wound in the right arm of the five-year-old Jo Patsy Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Jordan of Sudan Thursday, when she fell through a glass door at the grade school during the noon recess.

The child is receiving treatment at the Littlefield Hospital. She suffered a severe case of pneumonia, but her condition is not considered serious. The child is the sole agent for the Sudan Oil Company at Sudan, formerly lived in Littlefield. Patsy is in the sixth grade at

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J. C. GRIMES

J. C. Grimes is field executive for the South Plains Council, taking over his new duties September 1. He succeeded Mr. Holland. Mr. Grimes is serving in the Northwestern District this week, and will hold a district meeting assisted by Dr. Wm. N. Orr of Littlefield, chairman, at the Methodist Church Friday evening, starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Saturday Hottest Day Of Past Week

Saturday was the hottest day of the past week. Ninety-six degrees were registered at the West Texas Gas Company's offices at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Other readings for the week were Thursday low 52, high 82; Friday low 56, high 95; Saturday low 62, high 96; Sunday low 59, high 91; Monday low 60, high 92; Tuesday low 63, high 90; and Wednesday low 60, high 82.

J. A. Goodwin, 72, Is Victim Heart Attack Wednesday

Funeral Services To Be Conducted At Shawnee, Okla., Today
J. A. Goodwin, 72, of Hutchinson, Kans., passed away suddenly Wednesday morning, September 18, at the Littlefield Hospital as a result of a heart attack. He was stricken Thursday at the home of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Locke, six miles southwest of Littlefield, with whom he has been visiting the past three weeks. He was taken to the local hospital about twelve hours before his death. The remains were taken overland (Continued on back page)

O. E. S. To Commemorate Birthday Of Bob LeMond

At the regular monthly meeting of the local chapter of the Order of Eastern Star here Friday evening, Mrs. Jarrell, Past Matron of Hale Center, and other members of that group, were guests, and presented a resolution for endorsement by the local chapter to yearly commemorate the birthday of Bob LeMond of Hale Center, father of W. T. LeMond of this city.

Mr. LeMond, or "Uncle Bob," as he is known and called by so many, is considered the founder of Eastern Star in Texas. He is said to have organized the first chapter when 21 years of age, and was instrumental in forming 22 chapters during his lifetime. He assisted in the organization of the Littlefield Chapter.

Mr. LeMond was 93 years of age on March 21, 1940, and is young for his years.

The resolution was voted on by the local chapter and will be presented for adoption at Grand Chapter at Mineral Wells October 2.

W. T. LeMond of this city is wholesale agent for the Texas Company.

Project To Train 20 Lubbock Boys

LUBBOCK, Tex., Sept. 17 — Approval has been given by J. C. Kellam, state youth administrator, for the operation of a radio shop project in Lubbock to be sponsored by the City of Lubbock. The project will train twenty local boys in the repair, construction, and maintenance of radios owned by the City, County and city schools.

Equipment has been ordered for the project and work is expected to be started in the shop by the first of October. The project will provide 80 hours of work and related training each month. In addition to the work done in the shop, boys assigned to the project will be given an opportunity to study to become amateur radio operators. Classes will be given in code and other related subjects at the NYA Resident Center on Texas Tech campus. Boys assigned to the resident center are now studying in preparation for taking examinations for an amateur operators license. Daily communication is carried on between the local station and six other similar NYA stations in the state.

In approving the project, Kellam stated, "Opening of such projects mark another advance in the program of the National Youth Administration of Texas to provide unemployed young men with work experience and training that will enable them to hold jobs in private industry and that will contribute to the program of national defense." Unemployed boys between the ages of 17 and 25 interested in this type of work and training should contact the District NYA office at 305 Palace Theatre building in Lubbock.

Petitions Asking Bond Election To Be Presented City

City Auditorium Proposed; Bonds To Be For \$10,000

Petitions will be circulated today among tax-paying qualified voters, requesting that the City Commission call an election for the voting of bonds, amounting to \$10,000 for the construction of a municipal auditorium, according to an announcement made Wednesday.

The City Commission and members of a committee including Lester Walters, W. H. Madden, J. W. Keithley, J. A. Brannen and Dr. C. E. Payne, received an opinion from City Attorney E. A. Bills stating the legality of circulating the petitions and calling the election.

The election will be called for the voting of bonds amounting to \$10,000 which will be matched by the National Youth Administration for the erection of the building.

The proposed building will probably cost approximately \$28,000 and will be located in the City Park with a seating capacity of at least 1,500, Mayor Homer Hall said.

Born Car Missing Short Time Tuesday

Sheriff Sam Hutson reported that a car belonging to W. W. Born of this city was taken Tuesday from in front of the post office and later found by officers parked partly in the fire truck driveway at the City Hall.

Sheriff Hutson said it appeared to have been parked in a hurry. Mr. Born had brought cream from his farm and taken two cans across the street to the Littlefield Poultry & Egg. Returning, he found his car missing. The car, a 1937 Ford Coach, when parked by Mr. Born was headed north, but when found it apparently had been headed south. Officers were of the opinion that the party taking the car had seen them on Main Street, and probably changed his mind about making away with the car.

LITTLEFIELD BEAUTY SHOP IS BEING REDECORATED

Repairing and remodeling of the Littlefield Beauty Salon is underway this week. The interior of the shop has been completely repainted, and in-laid linoleum has been placed on the entire floor. A facial and dye room has been added in the rear, where an extra shampoo board has been installed. The shop is owned by Misses Ida and Rebecca Moore, who have been in Littlefield the past four years. Their cousin, Miss Ila Mae Moore is also an operator in the shop.

Committee Members To Gather At 7:30 At Methodist Church

Reports To Be Given; Council-Wide Camporall Will Be Discussed

District committee members of the northwestern district, South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, will hold their monthly meeting at 7:30 Thursday night at the Methodist Church in Littlefield. Dr. Wm. N. Orr, chairman announced today.

Reports will be received from various committee chairmen on condition of troops, past action and proposed actions for the remainder of the year. Plans will also be discussed for the coming Council-wide Camporall to be held at Lubbock October 4 and 5.

The northwestern district is composed of Lamb and Bailey counties and includes Littlefield, Amherst, Sudan and Muleshoe. Representatives from each of these towns are expected to be here, Dr. Orr said.

A town committee for Scouting, composed of local Scout leaders, met Monday night and laid plans for a training course to be held in November; discussed the possibility of another Cub pack, and voted to put out a list of merit badge counselors to whom the Scouts could pass tests.

Receive \$102,708 In Cotton Parity Payments For 1940

AAA Office To Complete Signing Applications In Sept.

As announced by Aubrey W. Bingham, secretary of the Lamb County Agricultural Conservation Association, to date the County AAA office has received \$102,708 in cotton parity payments for 1940.

Mr. Bingham stated that his office was planning to complete signing parity applications in September, and have them submitted to the State AAA office for audit and payment.

Football Game To Attract 1,000 Scouts To Tech Campus

The Texas Tech-Loyola football game at Lubbock October 5 will attract some 1,000 Scouts and their leaders to the Tech campus, as well as the council-wide Camporall, starting Friday night, October 4, Vernice Ford, chairman of the event for the Lubbock Lions Club, sponsors, said.

Scouts will come from 20 counties Friday night to pitch camp and compete in the field events the next morning, the campfire Friday night and the entertainment Saturday afternoon.

THREE INJURED IN CAR COLLISION FRIDAY

When two cars collided from the rear as they were coming west on Highway 7 Friday night about 11 o'clock, three persons were injured, one of whom is still confined in the Payne-Shotwell Hospital.

The accident occurred opposite the Peyton Packing Co., on Highway 7, near the Wade Service Station.

Wayne J. Smith of Cisco, driver of one of the cars, a 1929 light sedan, suffered the most serious injuries. He is still confined in the local hospital suffering from lacerations and bruises about the face and head. His car swerved and pitched across the bar ditch and over the railway tracks.

The victims in the other car,

Wildcats Oppose Hereford 11 Here Friday Night

Locals In Good Shape For First Of Eight Game Schedule

Littlefield's Wildcats, with only four lettermen back in the fold, open the 1940 grid season tomorrow night at Seely Field against the Hereford Whitefaces. A non-conference tilt, the contest will send Coach Abe Murphy's charges on an ambitious eight-game schedule.

Tentative line-up for the locals was announced late Wednesday by Coach Murphy and is: left end, Hugo Beyer; left tackle, Odell Robinson; left guard, Elmo Jones; center, J. B. Sharp; right guard, Luther Cunningham; right tackle, Roy Grisham; right end, Donald James; quarterback, Granville Clark; right halfback, Roy Hutson; left halfback, Robert (Babe) Hammons; fullback, Ferrell Compton.

Although most of the boys are inexperienced, they have been showing up well in practice, the coach said. This week's practice has seen marked improvement in passing, blocking and general team work.

Babe Hammons and Buford Bradshaw will be depended upon to handle the passing duties in tomorrow night's game. Hammons and Hutson are co-captains.

Kicking duties will likely fall on the capable shoulders of Hutson and Compton, who have been showing up well in this department the past two weeks of practice.

Signals will be called by either Hammons or Hutson.

In the guard slot, Cunningham and Jones lack the necessary ruggedness, the coach said, but for "underseasoned" boys they will carry their part of the load.

Johnson, co-captain of the invading Hereford gridsters, is expected to give the locals no little trouble. Packing 185 pounds on his sturdy frame, Johnson is a hard, fast runner; a man who will bear watching on any gridiron.

Coached by Mac Best and H. V. Stanton, assistant, the Whitefaces won over Friona, 6 to 0, in their first game of the season last Friday. (Continued on back page)

Cottonoil Mill Resumes Operation For Fall And Winter

West Texas Cottonoil Mill resumed operations at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for the fall and winter run, W. D. Watkins, local manager, reported.

Machinery in the mill has all been repaired during the four months that general activity was stopped. A new and larger seed sterilizer was added to the plant this year, which necessitates the employment of six or eight more men than in previous years. A crew of approximately 75 men is now employed in the mill.

Most of the cotton seed is coming to the mill from southeast and south of Littlefield, where the earliest cotton in this section is being ginned.

The mill started two weeks earlier this year than last fall, as operations started about Oct. 3 in 1939.