

## USED TRACTORS

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### Venison Feast—

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Rutledge and Mrs. Oscar Wilmon. Members of the church brought covered dishes and a delicious meal was served to the large number present.

Following the meal, Rev. Harris was presented with a beautiful gift, a brown leather luggage case. The presentation was made by Dr. Ira E. Woods in a very fitting manner.

Rev. Harris responded, expressing his profound appreciation for the gift as well as for the many courtesies extended him while in Littlefield. He also expressed appreciation of the fine friendships made in Littlefield, and his deep regret at leaving.

Rev. Harris has resigned as pastor of the local Presbyterian church to accept the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Jacksonville, Texas. He will leave next week to take over his new duties.

were assumed by the state, the issues failed in 16 counties to receive the necessary two-thirds majority.

In some instances the defeat was by wide margins. In others it was close. The closest of all was in Reeves county road district No. 1, where the vote on a \$275,000 issue was 119 for and 61 against, just one vote short of the necessary majority.

The second largest of the proposed bond issues, \$1,250,000, was defeated in San Saba county, 613 for and 469 against, 109 votes short of the required two-thirds majority.

In Scurry county where a \$600,000 election had been called for Dec. 26, such heated opposition developed that the Commissioners Court rescinded the election call.

**Issue Is Approved**

Baylor county approved a \$425,000 issue, but the action was nullified by the defeat of a \$365,000 issue in Foard county, as the two issues together were to provide an entirely new short route between Seymour and Crowell.

Some of the issues were authorized by slim margins, but others rolled up favorable majorities, in some cases as high as nine to one.

An unprecedented era of highway construction and resurfacing will be ushered in if the Legislature authorizes state assumption.

Hockley county, with the proceeds of the \$345,000 issue already sold, plans to pave Highway 51, the north and south route through that county and to hot top four lateral roads.

An East-West highway across Lamb county is planned with the proceeds of a \$300,000 bond issue authorized the day after Christmas.

Hartley county's \$450,000 issue is to pave U. S. Highway 54 from Dalhart to the New Mexico line, and to complete State Highway 51 from Channing five miles south to the Oldham county line.

**\$1,000,000 Issue**

The Pecos county \$1,000,000 issue, one of the largest voted in the state in recent years, is to complete highways from Fort Stockton to Pecos, Sanderson, Alpine and Grandfalls.

In Deaf Smith county, where a \$300,000 bond issue was approved early in December, construction of approximately 70 miles of highways is planned. Major highways running north, west and south from Hereford to adjacent county lines are projected.

Terry county's \$290,000 is to provide a hard surface for Highway 137 from Brownfield to the Dawson county line, and the same treatment for Highway 51 from Brownfield to the Hockley county line where it will tie in with the projected improvement of this highway in that county.

Improvement of Highway 51 in Dalam county from Dalhart to the Oklahoma state line is planned with the \$290,000 of 1932 bonds which have recently been sold.

Briscoe county's \$180,000 issue approved Dec. 28, will pave Highway 86 from Silverton to the Swisher county line, and 207 from Silverton south to the Floyd county line.

The \$600,000 voted in Castro county is to pay for the hard surfacing of 61 miles of highways radiating out of Dimmitt.

## 1941 WALTERS

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<p><b>SPUDS, Nice Ones, . . . . . 10 Lbs. . . . . 15</b></p> <p><b>ORANGES, Texas, Full of Juice Doz. . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>APPLES, Extra Fancy Winesap, Lge. Size, Doz. 27</b></p> <p><b>LEMONS, Choice Fruit, Dozen . . . . . 15</b></p>	<h2 style="text-align: center;">Blackberries 25</h2> <p style="text-align: center;">Wolco, No. 2 Can, 3 for</p> <p><b>PEAS, Starbeam. . . . . No. 2 Can . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>FRUIT COCKTAIL, Santa Valley, Tall Can . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>HOMINY, Marshall Seal, No. 2 1-2 Can, 2 for . . . . . 15</b></p> <p><b>Turnip or Mustard Greens, No. 2 Can, 3 for . . . . . 25</b></p>
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## Tomato Juice 6 1/2

Libby's, No. 1, Tall Can

<p><b>SPINACH, Bohannon, No. 2 Can, 3 for . . . . . 23</b></p> <p><b>TAMALES, Delgado, No. 1 1-2 Can . . . . . 11</b></p> <p><b>GRAHAM CRACKERS, Sunray, 2 Lb. Box . . . . . 14</b></p> <p><b>MARSHMALLOWS, Brown's 1 Lb. Pkg. . . . . 12</b></p>	<h2 style="text-align: center;">Oxydol 17</h2> <p style="text-align: center;">Large Size Box</p> <p><b>CATSUP, Royal, Large Bottle . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>MUSTARD, . . . . . Quart Jar . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>COCOA, Hershey's 1 Lb. Can . . . . . 14</b></p> <p><b>PAPER NAPKINS, 60 Ct. Package . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>IVORY SOAP, Giant Bars, 2 for . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>SYRUP, . . . . . Brer Rabbit, Gallon . . . . . 50</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">One Half Gallon</p>
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## MEATS

<p><b>SALT SQUARES, For Boiling, Pound . . . . . 5</b></p> <p><b>OLEO, Maybelle Brand, Pound . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>WHITE TROUT FISH, . . . . . Pound . . . . . 10</b></p> <p><b>SLICED BACON, . . . . . Pound . . . . . 11</b></p> <p><b>PORK SAUSAGE, . . . . . Pound . . . . . 10</b></p>	<h1 style="text-align: center;">PIGGLY WIGGLY</h1> <p style="text-align: center;">None Sold to Merchants—We Reserve the Right to Limit Quantities</p>
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# THE CLASSIFIED SECTION

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### FOR SALE

**FOR SALE**—Good as new \$1300 No 14 Farmall tractor, all attachments, rubber tires for \$500. New \$120. large Wards Feed Grinder for \$80.—\$40 3-row harrow for \$10.—\$100 large 4-wheel trailer for \$25. Write P. O. Box No. 266, Big Spring, Texas. 31tc

**FOR SALE** — 188.6 acres of choice land, all in cultivation, with no improvements, located 5 miles north of Buia. W. E. Walkup, 1947 19th St., Lubbock, Tex. 35tc.

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**FOR SALE**—Business building formerly occupied by Walkup Sheet Metal Works and located in Littlefield. W. E. Walkup, 1947 19th St., Lubbock, Texas 35 tfe.

**FOR SALE** — 14 acres of land mile and a half southeast on Lubbock highway. W. E. Miller, Floydada, Texas. 37-6tp.

**WE HAVE SOME GOOD USED** John Deere Model A and B tractors that have been overhauled and are good. Also P12 and Regular Farmall Tractors.

Everybody is buying our 10-inch Hammer Mill; \$44 down, balance two years. See our two and four-row stalk cutters. Luce and Rogers. 38-1tc.

**FOR SALE** — A good frame house, 16x24; two rooms. W. H. Montgomery, Fieldton. 38-3tp.

**FOR SALE** — Convenient five-room home on one acre lot across from high school. Reasonable price for cash or on terms. Mrs. B. M. Harrison. 367 Airport Rd., Austin. 40-4tp.

**FOR SALE**—12 nice large white-face cows, bred to calve early spring. C. P. Montgomery, Hart Camp 40-1tp.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE** — 959-acre stock farm in Portales Valley, shallow water district, 275 acres in cultivation, balance good grass, small four-room house, small two-room house, good barn, two wells, two wind mills, lots of water. REA line, all weather road to Portales. Roy Wade. 40-1tp.

**FOR SALE** — Farm of 117 acres, improved, 3 miles northeast of Amherst. Mrs. Will Piland. 40-2tp.

**FOR SALE** — Only a few 1940 patterns of wall paper left for sale at bargain prices. Cicero-Smith Lumber Co. 40-1tc.

### FOR RENT

**FOR RENT** — Furnished brick house; 3 rooms and bath. Mrs. Ulyss Dalmont. 37-tfc.

**FOR RENT** — Furnished apartment at 707 East Seventh St., Todd Apartments. 40-1tp.

### WANTED

**WANTED TO TRADE** — Service Station, Tourist Camp and all equipment, and small grocery store for property in Lamb county. W. S. McDonald, Grants, N. M. 38-3tp.

**MALE HELP WANTED** — Ambitious, reliable man or woman who is interested in permanent work with a good income to supply satisfied customers with famous Watkins products in Littlefield. Write J. R. WATKINS COMPANY, 70-90 W. Iowa Ave., Memphis, Tenn. 40-1tp.

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We are Overstocked on—**OIL HEATERS and RANGES**

**Nu-Heat Stoves which sold for \$39.50, now—\$31.10**

**Nu-Heat Stoves, Regular \$29.50, now \$23.60**

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### A. W. Ray Buys Farm North Of Town

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ray have purchased the Anna Michlink farm three miles north of Littlefield. There are 175 acres in this property and two sets of improvements.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray and family will move to their farm in the spring, but Mr. Ray, who is the owner of the Littlefield Appliance Co., will continue in business in Littlefield.

The farm will be operated by Mr. Ray's father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ray, who have been living two miles north of Anton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray, both natives of Austin, have been residents of Littlefield and section for 15 years. They moved to Littlefield immediately following their marriage at Austin on December 26, 1925.

**WANT ADS GET RESULTS**

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I will sell at public auction at my farm, five and one-half miles south and four miles west of Sudan, or 4 miles west and one-half mile north of Beck's Gin.

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The following described property

### 21 HEAD OF CATTLE

- 1 Jersey Cow, fresh, giving 5 gals. per day.
- 1 Jersey Springer Cow.
- 1 Jersey Cow giving 3 gals. per day.
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- 1 Jersey Cow and calf by side.
- 1 Jersey Heifer, calf by side.
- 1 Black Jersey Cow, calf by side.
- 1 Jersey cow, giving 4 gals. per day.
- 1 Jersey cow, giving 2 gals. per day.
- 1 Jersey cow, giving 3 1/2 gals. per day.
- 4 Springer heifers.
- 6 Yearling calves.
- 1 Whiteface bull, 1 year old.

### HOGS

- 4 White Brood Sows.
- 1 Boar.
- 9 Shoats.

### FARM IMPLEMENTS

- 1 2-row Slide Go-Devil.
- 1 McCormick Deering Row Binder.
- 1 2-section Harrow.
- 1 John Deere Feed Mill and Belt.
- 1 Dodge Pickup.
- 6 Oil Barrels.

### FEED

- 50 Bushels Cotton Seed.
- 1500 Bushels Cane.
- 3000 Bundles Hegari.

### MISCELLANEOUS

- 1 Lot of Hog Wire.
- 2 Cream cans, milk bottles, milk buckets and other articles too numerous to mention.

I Will Also Sell

## One Model B John Deere Tractor

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### Donald Harris Resigns Pastorate

Donald Harris, pastor of Presbyterian church here for three years, resigned last week the pastorate of the byterian church of Jack-Texas.

His leaving came as a shock to members of his congregation as well as the general public of Littlefield, who much esteem such a fine preacher and civic worker, from here. Harris has been a member of this city for many years and has won a wide circle of friends, who will miss his presence. It is a great loss to Littlefield. Harris, and that he will gain for Jacksonville, Fla., a new field of pleasing and outstanding ability.

His leadership, church has grown and there has been a great increase in church memberships, as evidenced at the Sunday

service. His early life was spent in his native state, receiving his primary school education here and his later training at Trinity and Princeton Sem-

inaries of the McCamey church for two years, and then coming to Littlefield in 1937, to occupy the pulpit. He was in this city on March 1, 1937. He was here with the

### Christmas Dinner Party Enjoyed At J. C. Hall Home

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall were host and hostess in an all day Christmas party Friday at the Hall residence in Spada community.

A delicious dinner was served, which included roast chicken, and roast ribs, and all the trimmings. The table was laid in lovely white linen with a centerpiece formed of fruit, centered with a sugar plum tree.

Games were enjoyed following the dinner; pictures were taken while the children played football.

Christmas decorations were expressive of the Yuletide season.

Enjoying this occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blessing, Miss Geraldine Robinson, Jimmie Zed Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Usselton, and daughter, Mozelle of north of town; J. B. Blessing, and children, J. B., Jr., and Virgie; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morgan of eight miles west of Littlefield; Miss Bennie Lou Davis of Rocky Ford; Miss Lena Patton of Randlett, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hall, and children, Frances Lou and Ross, and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Hall, and children, J. C., Jr., and Edwin Lynn.

Very best wishes of all for success and happiness in his new field of endeavor.

Rev. Harris has been quite active in civic matters while here, including Red Cross work. He was also secretary of the Rotary club.

### NYA Demolition Project Underway

As announced by B. L. Cogdill, NYA supervisor whose headquarters are at Lubbock, a NYA demolition project, directed by him, got underway at Seagraves Monday.

An old school building is being torn down by NYA boys preparatory to building a vocational agricultural shop for the Seagraves school.

Taking part in this work are 45 NYA boys of Seagraves and surrounding territory.

Mr Cogdill is in charge of the project at Seagraves this week, but expects to turn it over to another supervisor, who will see the project completed.

It is expected to take about six weeks to do the work.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

### Brings Registered Stock From Chicago

V. M. Peterman, Amherst dairyman, while in Chicago at the International Livestock show, bought two heifers and a young bull. One heifer came from Ontario, Canada, and the other heifer and the bull from Illinois. The bull is a calf of the grand champion cow of the show. All three are registered animals.

### Buick Motor Co. Up 11.1 Percent In Retail Sales

Domestic retail deliveries of Buick cars during the first ten days of December totaled 8,687 units, up 11.1 percent over corresponding period last year, according to W. F. Hufstader, general sales manager, Flint, Mich.

Hewitt Buick Company are local dealers for the Buick automobile. This was accompanied by an increase in new orders during the

### Last Rites Held For Mrs. Richards

Mrs. J. D. Richards, 45, passed away at her home here Monday, December 23, at 10:30 o'clock, following a long illness.

Deceased had been in ill health

for the past seven years. Funeral services were conducted at the First Baptist Church, Littlefield, Tuesday afternoon, December 24, at 2 o'clock, with Rev. Roy Shahan, pastor, officiating, and internment, in charge of Hammons Funeral Home, took place in the Littlefield cemetery.

Deceased was survived by her husband; two children, Mrs. Everett Luke of Petersburg and Miles Richards of Littlefield; a brother, W. W. Sims of Malakoff, Tex., and four sisters, Mrs. E. E. Durham, Littlefield; Mrs. S. O. Durham, Sweetwater; Mrs. Myrtle Melton, Dustin, Okla., and Mrs. Mona A. Richards of Littlefield.

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## Lamb County Volunteers Are Leading Interesting Lives

According to Otto Jones, chairman, the local draft board, have orders to supply 23 men for the January 20 call. This will be taken care of, as explained by Mr. Jones, by volunteers, there being 28 men enrolled for volunteer service.

Mr. Jones stated that there would be a negro call in January, but that Lamb county was "skipped" on that call, and would not have to furnish any negroes in January. He also added: "This is the only county we know of that have enough volunteers to fill the call."

Notices were mailed out Tuesday to 23 men to report at the local Draft Board on January 20, which in turn will be sent to Lubbock concentration point.

Mr. Jones also reported that E. D. Cope and J. A. Mitchell, two of the first men to leave Lamb county for military service under the Selective Service program, who were home on furlough for Christmas, are much pleased with Army life. They are reported to have said that they were served the best food; issued the best uniforms and were allowed to go to town, etc. One of the men had gained 12 pounds and the other 14 pounds. One of the men stated he had learned more in the 28 days he had spent in the Army than he had in the last five years of civil life, and he would advise any young man who was single to volunteer for service.

One of the soldiers also explained that the most outstanding thing they had witnessed was the robot radio controlled airplane. He stated he had seen it as far as 20 miles from the control rooms and they could make it pull any kind of aerial stunt that far away, and come back and land safely.

## Interesting Program By Young People At First Baptist Sunday

With Mrs. Earl Hobbs as general director, the young people of the First Baptist church were in charge of the service Sunday evening when the following program was rendered.

T. A. Henson led the song service. Introduction of service by Miss Luzelle Bryan; offertory by John Rasberry. Miss Eloise Lindley read the scripture, and prayer was offered by J. G. West, Jr.

The subject of the program was: "The Bible and Education." Miss Marguerette Brannen gave a talk on "What Is Education?"

"The Place of the Bible in Education and the Principles of the Educational Use of the Bible" was given by Avery Sullivan. "The Old and New Testament in Education" by Pat Boone, Jr.; "The Use of the Bible in Religious Education," by Miss Evelyn Griffin. "Why I Joined a Church in My College Town," by Miss Elizabeth Luce.

## NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS

W. H. Roberts has re-opened his blacksmith shop (formerly the Glover Shop) and is equipped with the latest tools and equipment to render the best service in all kinds of blacksmithing, including welding, etc.

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## Rev. H. E. Fisher At Foursquare Church Jan. 7

Rev. G. E. Fisher, prophetic evangelist and well-known author and traveler, will be at the Foursquare Church for six nights, beginning Tuesday, January 7. Vitaphone sound motion pictures will flash upon the silver screen, showing the war-torn world as it marches on in its destiny.

The pictures will show Hitler in his march across Europe, and Mussolini in Roman conquests. President Roosevelt, Cordell Hull, Charles Lindbergh, and other figures of national importance will speak.

The war of Japan and China, with the sinking of the gunboat, "U. S. Panay," the Spanish Civil War and Russia's invasion of Finland will be viewed. Great inventions of modern times, floods, accidents, races, progress on land, sea and air will be seen as they portray to us the signs of the coming of Jesus Christ. The history of the Roman empire and the British empire in the light of prophecy will be discussed.

The subject titles for each night are as follows:

Tuesday, January 7: "The World's Darkest Hour."

Wednesday, January 8: "Japan in Prophecy, and Will She Defeat China and Asia?"

Thursday, January 9: "Hitler—What Next—Is He Cursed by God?"

Friday, January 10: "Russia the Goddess and the Northern Confederacy."

Saturday, January 11: "Rome Awakes; Will America Enter the War? Will Britain Lose Her Supremacy?"

Sunday, January 12: "The Roman Empire Revived; Battle of Armageddon."

The Rev. Mr. Fisher has traveled over the United States over 13 times and in various foreign countries, attending several colleges and thus can very ably portray these prophetic truths in Bible light.

We invite all churches and pastors as our guests during these six days of outstanding services.

## BIRTHS

Births at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital reported this past week were as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Wingo of Sudan, a daughter on December 20, which they named Juanita Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hudgins of Littlefield are the parents of a boy born Friday last. The baby has not been named.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. McFarlin of Olton are the parents of a son born Thursday, named Leonard Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Whitaker of Olton are the parents of a son born Christmas Day, named Joe Dan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hicks of Hart, Texas, are the parents of a son born December 23, which has not been named.

Births at the Littlefield Hospital reported this past week are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Short are the proud parents of a fine boy, James Lowell, born Monday, December 23. Mrs. Short and son were released from the hospital Friday.

Twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Baisden of six miles south of Littlefield Friday, December 27, weighing four pounds, four ounces and five pounds, five ounces. Both mother and daughters are getting along nicely.

Mrs. Howard Fox of Sudan gave birth to a son weighing seven lbs., six ounces at the hospital Friday, December 27.

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Mail as soon as possible to Abe Murphy, Box 583, Littlefield, Texas

## Home Demonstration Agent Takes Over Duties

Miss Beatrice McCurdy of Archer City, Texas, has been appointed Home Demonstration Agent of Lamb County and has arrived in Amherst and took over her new duties Wednesday.

Miss McCurdy was formerly Home Demonstration Agent of Archer County for the past three years, making her headquarters at Archer City.

Previous to going to Archer City, Miss McCurdy served as instructor of Home Economics in the High school at Odem, San Patricio County, Texas.

Mrs. Ruth Perry left Lamb County, for Panhandle, Texas, Tuesday.

## Personals

Mr and Mrs. Newt Harkey and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salem made a trip to Madrid, N. M., Thursday, returning Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Batton accompanied Mrs. Batton's mother, Mrs. Kendall, home to Carlsbad, N. M., Saturday, returning to Littlefield Monday night. Mrs. Kendall had visited here several days.

O. B. Graham and Edgar Graham made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Etter, and two daughters, Gale and Ganell, returned Sunday from a ten days' trip to Los Angeles, Calif., where they visited their son and brother, Gates Etter, and other relatives.

Leland G. Stone left last Friday for Dallas, where he enjoyed the football game on Saturday. He was joined by Mrs. Stone and Leland Maxwell on Wednesday. They will return to Littlefield the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Flynn spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Boyesen at Levelland, who returned the visit and spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Flynn here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Colbert and son, Joe Allen, and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Colbert and son, John Kent, returned Sunday from Vernon where they spent since the Tuesday previous, with C. L. Colbert, father of Hubert and J. P. Colbert, and their sisters, Ruth and Billie Jean.

Frank Bartley returned Tuesday night of last week to Austin after spending a couple of days with his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. Bartley, who accompanied him as far as Fort Worth and spent Christmas with relatives and friends, returning home Friday night.

## Last Rites Held For Jewel Ruth Tittle

Jewel Ruth Tittle, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tittle of College Heights Addition, passed away at her home Monday, December 30, about noon, as a result of leakage of the heart, from which she had suffered for some time.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, and interment, in charge of Hart-Thaxton Funeral Home, took place in the Littlefield cemetery.

Surviving deceased were; her parents two brothers, Andrew and Ewell and one sister, Billie Jo.

The family have been residents of College Heights for the past five years.

## George R. Sandidge Buys New Lincoln

George R. Sandidge, wholesale agent for the Continental Oil Co., has purchased a Lincoln automobile of Zephyr type from the Hall Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Mancil Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Sandidge went to Dallas Saturday, when Mr. Sandidge took delivery of the new car. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and Mr. and Mrs. Sandidge returned to Littlefield Sunday. Mrs. Sandidge visited her mother, Mrs. D. E. Verner, who is a resident of Mineral Wells.

day, where she took over her duties as Home Demonstration Agent of Carson County Wednesday. Mrs. Perry is taking the place of Miss Bernice Westbrook, who has been Home Demonstration Agent of Carson County for nearly four years and who resigned to be married.

This is a promotion in salary for Mrs. Perry.

Miss Westbrook will be married to Mr. Oma Canaday, who is connected with a Panhandle bank, on January 4.

Previous to coming to Lamb County Mrs. Perry was head of the Home Economics Department of El Paso High School.

## CHURCHES

### EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH

The church council meets tonight (Jan. 2) at 7:30 of the school.

Next Sunday we shall have Sunday School and Bible classes at 10:30 a. m., and a service at 11 a. m. The evening service will be dropped.

Next Sunday the annual meeting of the Voter's Assembly will take place at 2:30. All voting members are urged to be present.

The young people will meet next Sunday night at 7:30 for the annual business meeting of the society.

The Sunday School teachers will meet on Tuesday, January 7, at 7:30 p. m.

Tune in on the Lutheran Hour every Sunday at 3:30 p. m. over KFYO, Lubbock.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Roy Shahan, Pastor  
"Happy New Year." The year is new and we trust it will be a "happy" one for you. But according to past experience, it will bring both joy and happiness, and also sorrow.

As we stand on the threshold of the New Year, we are facing an unknown future so far as we individuals are concerned. Prov. 27:1, warns, "Boast not thyself of tomorrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth."

We point you to one who knows the end from the beginning, as your guide for this unknown journey. His promise is: "My presence shall go with thee, and I will give thee rest." Exodus 33:14.

Begin the New Year by attendance at the Lord's House Sunday.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Jim H. Sharp, Pastor  
Next Sunday is the first Sunday of the New Year and why not resolve that you will attend church at least once every Sunday during 1941. You will find that at the end of the year that you have been blessed. It is a good thing for us to make good resolutions. If there are no resolutions then surely there will be no effort put forth. Start the New Year with some good resolutions and then set forth an effort to carry them out. Let one of your New Year's resolutions be that you will support some church with your attendance and your means as far as you can. The churches need your support in attendance.

The Methodist Church welcomes you to all of the services.

## Infant Son Of Mr. And Mrs. Elton Carrell Passes Away

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Carrell, born Christmas Day at Odessa, passed away shortly after birth.

Funeral services were conducted at the Odessa Funeral Home at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon and interment took place in the Odessa cemetery. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Carrell of Littlefield, parents of Mr. Carrell, were unable to attend due to the illness of Mr. Carrell. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Foust from Littlefield attended the services.

## Returns Indicate That 137,052 Favor Marketing 1941 Quotas

### COLLEGE HEIGHTS

Mrs. Tom Anders accompanied by her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anders, and children of Anton visited their son and brother, C. B. Anders and family at Benson, Ariz., from Saturday of last week until Friday.

W. R. Wilson, father of Mrs. Gus Gundlach and Mrs. Clay Anders is reported to be getting along fine. Mr. Wilson underwent an operation at the Littlefield Hospital last Friday.

Dee James, who has been working at Mineral Wells, Texas the past two or three weeks, returned home Saturday, but left Sunday for Portland, Ore. Mr. James has secured a position in the Union Pacific railroad shops in Portland. Mrs. James and children will leave in the next few weeks to make their home in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. James of Muleshoe, visited their son, Dee James, and family Sunday.

Sherman Wilson left for his home in O'Donnell last Thursday.

Jack Anders of Anton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Anders and Clay Anders and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyer spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. Cella Sanderson, and family at Spade.

Joe Johnson visited relatives in Lubbock last week.

Those visiting in the S. Tucker home last week were Felix Liggett, Preacher Morris and wife, all of Lum's Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Pick Thomas, and daughter visited his sister, Mrs. Ernest Goertz of El Paso recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kelly had as their guest last week his sister from Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dyer, announce the marriage of their son, Lawson (Lefty) on December 1. Lawson is in the aviation camp in March Field, California.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mayo helped them celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary last week by bringing in covered dishes and presents.

Jewel Ruth, age 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tittle died at her home Monday, December 30.

Jewel Ruth had been in bad health the past four years, suffering from rheumatic heart trouble and for the past eight weeks had been confined to bed.

## Turkey Dinner Is Enjoyed At L. L. Usselton Home

A family reunion and turkey dinner was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Usselton, 12 miles north of town, in the Rocky Ford community Saturday.

Christmas decorations made more inviting and attractive the Usselton home for the occasion.

The Yuletide season was also featured in the table decorations.

Following the dinner, games were enjoyed and the guests listened to the radio report of the Amarillo-Temple football game at Dallas.

Enjoying the reunion were:

COLLEGE STATION, Dec. 31. Final tabulation of the ballots in the AAA's cotton marketing referendum December 7 showed 137,052 votes in Texas favoring quotas and 18,588 opposing for total vote of 155,640 and a favorable percentage of 88.1 percent.

The total vote dropped about 1000 from last year's total but percentage of voters favoring quotas climbed from last year's 82 percent to 88.1 percent this year. E. Vance, assistant state AAA administrative officer, pointed out:

Analyzing the returns, Vance said that in 175 counties out of 225 in which farmers voted the percentage favoring quotas was larger than last year, while in only 4 counties was the favorable percentage smaller. In four counties the percentage was unchanged—10 percent last year and this year.

She is survived by her parents two brothers, Andrew and Ewell and one sister, Billie Jo.

Funeral services were held at her home at 3:30 Tuesday evening and burial was in the Littlefield cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tittle and family have lived in College Heights the past five years. Friends and neighbors extend their deepest sympathy to the entire Tittle family.

### CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each of you who helped to make my parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mayo's 50th wedding anniversary brighter and happier. I am so grateful to you all and to God in Heaven may bless you all in my prayer; and he does and bless those who are kind to people and little children.

Mrs. Clint Kiker.

## Roberts Blacksmith Shop Is Re-opened

W. H. Roberts has re-opened his blacksmith shop, which has been closed for about three weeks.

This shop was formerly the Glover Blacksmith Shop, located across from Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

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Day At Blessing Home  
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Health .... Happiness  
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A Very **Happy NEW YEAR** To All

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During the past three years we have enjoyed the many friendships made ... and we hope to have the continued pleasure of serving you.

We wish all of our valued patrons health, happiness and prosperity for the coming year.

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To Our Customers and  
Friends In Littlefield  
and Territory



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A happy family reunion was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blessing, three miles east of town, Christmas Day.

Members of the family arrived in the morning and enjoyed the entire day at the Blessing home.

Preparations for the elaborate dinner served included two turkeys and a baked ham, which were served with all the trimmings from the large dining table laid with white linen cloth, with beautiful poinsettia centerpiece.

The home was attractive with Christmas decorations, including a small Christmas tree.

For diversion during the day, games were enjoyed, including "Big Business," etc., also kooking and fireworks in the evening.

Enjoying this family reunion were:

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blessing, and son, James Earl; Zed Robinson and children; Mrs. Mary Edith Harmon; Miss Jeraldine Robinson, and Jimmie Zed; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Usselson, and daughter, Mozelle of north of town; J. B. Blessing and children, J. B., Jr., and Virgie; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall, J. C., Jr., and Edwin Lynn Hall of the Spade community; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Morgan of eight miles west of Littlefield; Gene Ogerly of San Francisco, Calif., Buford Bradshaw of Littlefield; Miss Bennie Lou Davis of Rocky Ford, Miss Lena Patton of Randlett, Okla., and the host and hostess, Mr and Mrs. Blessing.

**Outlook For 1941  
Is Very Bright**

With the passing of 1940, Littlefield and Lamb county rounded out 12 months of the most outstanding progress in many years.

Prominent in the new development was extensive building operations, one of the projects being a new post office for Littlefield, which will be occupied immediately.

Business firms report that they enjoyed a very successful year, the majority of the concerns reporting very satisfactory increases in volume.

The business outlook in Littlefield and Lamb county for 1941 is exceedingly good, in fact, it is expected that business will be better this year than in 1940. This increase will be partially influenced by the Federal government's extensive war requirements production.

Post office receipts for 1940 showed a substantial increase over 1939. The total receipts for 1940 were \$20,313.53 as compared with \$18,656.47 for 1939.

The board of directors of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce will meet Friday night and discuss a program of work for this year. A number of suggestions will be presented to the board. They will include the creation of a Billy the Kid Highway Association and a fall fair for Lamb county. The purpose of the highway association would be to encourage travel through this section to historic spots surrounding the life and activities of the famous early day character.

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We hope the New Year will bring you the best of everything ... including health, happiness and a full measure of prosperity.



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**Happy NEW YEAR**

And Our Best Wishes  
For Your  
Joy and Success In 1941

We are new among you, and we greatly appreciate the kind reception you have extended to us as individuals and to our business. Your friendship ... your loyalty ... and the nice volume of business you have given us have made us very happy in our association with the people of Littlefield and territory. We bespeak at this time a continuance of such friendly relations.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. FLYNN



for the NEW YEAR ...

We wish for you a New Year filled to the brim with the realization of your fondest dreams and desires, and a full measure of happiness and prosperity.

And please accept our sincere appreciation for your liberal patronage ... your loyal friendship and cooperation in the past year.

**MOREMAN GIN**  
Lum's Chapel



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The Spirit Of Democracy

Nowhere is the democracy which is at the root of Christianity so complete in its application as in a great charity hospital. In Bellevue Hospital in New York, the largest of them all, no account is taken of the race, color, creed or nationality of any unfortunate who is brought there for medical or surgical treatment. The parable of the Good Samaritan is put into practical effect there.

In one of the corridors of the great new buildings of Bellevue there are three places of worship in a row. There is a Protestant chapel, a Catholic chapel and between them a Jewish synagogue. Every patient who is able and desires to do so can attend Divine worship according to his own faith.

The other day the new Catholic chapel at Bellevue was dedicated by the Archbishop. The organ had not been completed, but the rabbi in charge of the synagogue next door offered the use of the Jewish organ on which the solemn strains of the Roman Catholic mass were played.

That is the sort of friendly tolerance and goodwill which symbolizes the spirit of American democracy.

Faster Than Bullets

"An Army airplane has, in a late test, attained a speed of 520 miles an

hour—faster than a bullet," relates William McDermott in a recent issue of Rotarian magazine. "An airplane speed of 600 to 700 miles an hour is in sight."

It is the octane content of the gasoline that makes such speeds possible, Mr. McDermott points out, and it is a former Russian exile, now becoming a naturalized American citizen, who has made the discoveries that permit this hope. "The name of 73-year-old Vladimir N. Ipatieff was for years revered in Russia, much like Thomas A. Edison's was in America," he writes.

Quitting Russia in protest at what was happening, Prof. Ipatieff came to America to become a lecturer at Northwestern University and chemical research director for an oil company. Here he has worked out a process of condensing the molecules of a gas that was formerly wasted in the "cracking" of crude oils to make gasoline, with such results that Mr. McDermott reports "this process represents a saving of 75 million barrels of crude oil a year."

This pepped up gas promises speeds up to or better than 700 miles an hour, Author McDermott shows, and "there are still 4 billion untested ways of trying to make better gasoline, any of which may be an improvement on what is known today!"

Called To Wichita Falls By Illness Of Brother

Postmaster W. D. T. Storey was called to Wichita Falls Sunday due to the serious illness of his brother, F. M. Storey, who was stric-

ker with Pneumonia.

Mr. Storey returned home Monday and reported his brother slightly better, though still serious. He also said that his four sisters had arrived to be with their sick brother. The sisters are; Mrs. Kate Williams, Mrs. J. K. Crane, Mrs. Lot-

tie Chamber and Mrs. Hugh Witmer, all of Clarksville.

Mr. Storey also reported an epidemic of Flu in Wichita Falls, with all the hospitals taxed to capacity.

Mr. Storey was obliged to return home due to the fact that his son, David has been ill with bronchial pneumonia and was confined in the Littlefield Hospital. However, he has been released from the hospital and is getting along nicely.

Is Connected With Brother In Grocery And Market Here

R. J. Alexander, formerly in the grocery business in Anton four years, but who recently disposed of same, has with his wife and family moved to Littlefield, and is now associated with his brother Carl in the operation of Alexander's Grocery. Mrs. Alexander is also an experienced business woman, and is assisting at the Alexander's Grocery & Market.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Alexander are living in the Mrs. Mary Yohner home. They have four children, two sons, Ray, attending grammar school, and Wayne at home; and two daughters, Mrs. R. D. Webb of Anton, and Mrs. Harold Langston of Austin.

Mr. Alexander owned an irrigation farm at Anton, which he recently sold, and purchased two

RUPTURE

SHIELD EXPERT HERE H. M. SHEVNAN, widely known expert of Chicago will personally be at the Hilton Hotel, Lubbock, Friday, only, January 10, from 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

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Auction Sale Called For Tuesday Next

An auction sale has been scheduled to take place at the Bill Manuel farm, one-half mile east of Littlefield on Tuesday, January 7, commencing at 10:30 a. m.

A number of good horses and mules, cows, farm implements, chickens and miscellaneous articles are being advertised for sale.

Jack Rowan will cry the sale and Charlie Clark will be clerk. Lunch will be served on the grounds.

Brother-In-Law Of Loyd Sewell Is New Littlefield Resident

D. H. Montgomery, who has been employed in a gold mine at Leads, South Dakota, for the past 13 years, is a new resident of Littlefield. Mr. Montgomery, accompanied by Mrs. Montgomery and their daughters, Emeline, 7, and Barbara, 2, arrived in Littlefield Christmas eve.

Mr. Montgomery, who was employed in service stations previous to taking employment at the Leads gold mine, is employed at Sewell's Conoco Station, which is operated by Mrs. Montgomery's brother, Loyd Sewell.

Mr. Montgomery is a native of Alabama, going from that state to South Dakota.

Ross Lumsden Is New Bookkeeper At Office Of Lumber Company

Among the new residents of Littlefield is Ross Lumsden, formerly of Amherst, who is the new bookkeeper at the Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. Mr. Lumsden first joined the Foxworth-Galbraith at Amherst, where he was bookkeeper; was transferred to Levelland, and after a short time in that city was transferred to Littlefield.

Dr. Duke Reported Much Improved

Dr. Thos. B. Duke, who has been ill since Sunday with bronchitis, is much improved, according to Mrs.

labors, three miles south and one-half mile east of Littlefield.

Workers Conference Meets At Spade

The monthly workers' conference of West Plains Baptist Association met with Spade Missionary Baptist on Tuesday, December 31. Though the attendance was light, a very inspiring and helpful program was given and enjoyed by those present.

Those taking part on the program were: Rev. W. O. Wilson, Anton; Rev. Marvel Upton, Goodland; Rev. Roy Shahan, Littlefield; Rev. Alfred Richards, Circle Back; Rev. Truett Stovall, Maple Wilson, and Rev. H. B. Naylor, Sudan.

Rev. Alfred Richards brought the sermon at the morning on the subject, "Undertaking the Impossible For God." He inspired every heart to renewed earnestness in the Christian life.

Those attending from the local Baptist church were: Mrs. J. M. Stokes, Mrs. T. A. Henson, Mrs. W. G. Street, Mrs. Emma E. Bates, and Roy Shahan.

The next meeting will be held on January 28 with the Fieldton church.

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Duke Wednesday. It is expected that Dr. Duke will be able to return to his duties at the Littlefield Hospital Friday.

CARD OF THANKS We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to many friends and neighbors for their many deeds of kindness during the illness and at the death of our loved one. Especially do we want to thank Dr. Coen for his faith and our friends and neighbors for their "brought" food to our home this sad hour and for their floral offering. May the Lord bless and keep you in our earnest prayers. Mr. John Kling and family.

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# Marrying Mark

## Violette Kimball Dunn

### CHAPTER III Synopsis

After Mark's beautiful wife, Elise, died, Mark, for almost the first time, became aware of his adopted daughter, Valerie, fourteen. Elise's relatives insist that Valerie live with them, but Mark is so insistent that she stay with Dorothy, Ellen's sister, has an eye on the trust fund that Ellen left Valerie, and has already begun to make efforts to obtain custody of the girl. She insists that Valerie be black, but Mark says she can have whatever clothes please her.

"We'll find your favorite shop and buy 'em out. But maybe you'd better not tell Dorothy."

"Oh—no—"

He laughed at the horror in Valerie's eyes. Then he decided it was a laughing matter.

The train slipped away from the platform Valerie and Mark had just missed it. Mark apologized readily for two minutes left him, and said things about the traffic.

He was so charming, Valerie wondered how Dorothy could look at him so crossly. She and Paul stood in the vestibule of their car, behind glass, for now the door was out in their very faces. Her aunt looked out at them grimly as they stood side by side on the platform. She looked like Miss Weatherbee, of Boston, bursting with things to say, most of which would make you wish you had never been born. It was funny, because of course she didn't really look like Miss Weatherbee at all. It was something sort of behind her face. Maybe it was her thoughts.

Anyway, she had no chance to speak, for suddenly the train was gone, leaving a faintly disturbing scent of smoke about their heads. It made you think of places—California, where you longed to go, and other far spots.

"A railroad station is terribly exciting, isn't it," Valerie asked, as they went back up the long stairs. "I mean—it sort of goes up your spine—"

Mark stopped short to look down on her. "Can you belong by any chance to the Brothers of the Wandering Foot?" he asked. "Because if so, you've picked the right parent. Just give me a few months at the factory to make 'em think they can't get on without me, and I'll show you a real vacation."

"You mean—away—"

"Nothing else but. Where would you be wanting to go?"

"California, please—and the

got them, and I just wore them. She thought girls ought not to think about clothes—I mean, until they were older—so what are we going to do?"

"Oh, we'll muddle along," said Mark.

His eye was caught by a riot of color behind a plate-glass window. He pulled around a corner and parked his car.

They came out an hour later, and piled boxes in the rumble. Valerie had insisted on carrying them. She wouldn't trust them to be delivered.

"I never saw so many at once—eight dresses, three suits, and four coats—besides hats—and all the rest—"

She said as they drove away. "Whatever are we going to do with all the clothes I have already?"

Mark lit a cigarette, and waved the problem away. "I'll bet Mrs. Banwood knows some needy



"I'm afraid I didn't hear you knock," she said.

South Seas—nowhere cold—unless you like it—"

"California and the South Seas are all right with me."

They came out of the station, found the parked roadster, and headed for shops. Mark asked which one she preferred, and Valerie, after trying frantically to be grown-up, collapsed and told him the truth.

"I don't know any shops, father. You see, I never saw my clothes until they were sent to me. Mother

souls. She looks as if she would. If she doesn't, there are always some people who—well, look out for people—"

"I know—the Salvation Army," said Valerie. "But probably Mrs. Banwood will fix it. Housekeepers are clever aren't they?"

"Are they? My acquaintance seems to have been limited. Your mother picked Mrs. Banwood off a bush somewhere I wasn't so crazy about her at first, but now I believe she's good for me. She takes me down. If she looks at me long, I begin to wonder if my face is dirty, or if I have a caterpillar on my collar—"

Valerie giggled delightedly. She knew Mrs. Banwood's effect on one. "She's only my second—I mean housekeeper," she explained. "There was one at school. If the girls met her in the halls, we ran. We never knew why we ran. We just did. So of course Mrs. Banwood seems pretty mild to me."

"I dare say she is really," said Mark. "It's probably my guilty conscience."

Mark headed for his factory next morning. He had, he said, to show up at least for the day, before they went adventuring. He wondered a bit uneasily what Valerie would do without him. It was the first time he had left her.

He put it to her at breakfast, but she told him solemnly that with her old things to transfer to Mrs. Banwood, her new ones to pack, the day would be hardly long enough. He left her standing out on the wide

steps, the morning breeze in her hair, her right hand raised in a queer little salute as he wheeled his roadster around the curve of the drive and was gone.

Valerie watched his car vanish among the trees. She felt small and insignificant, and at the same time terribly important. It was pleasantly confusing. She went into the house, and hurried to her own rooms.

Valerie went into her dressing room and opened the big clothes closet to pass final sentence on the solemn dresses in an orderly row on their hangers. It hardly seemed possible she was about to wipe the place bare of them and start all over again.

She pulled down the things, beginning with the ones she specially disliked, and carrying them in to pile neatly on her bed. Then she remembered Mark, and the hilarity of their shopping. Nothing Mark did could be so very wrong. And Mark had said get rid of them.

She got out the pile of boxes from the corner of the dressing room, and began to untie them, lifting out delicious layers of white tissue paper, from which rose faint but exciting scent. As she shook out the bright chiffons, the organ-dies, and the tweeds, she forgot Ellen and her theories. Forgotten, for the time, even that there was Mark.

She was balanced in enchantment before the newly filled closet when Mrs. Banwood walked into the room. Valerie jumped and confronted her, standing before the swaying garments defensively.

"I'm afraid I didn't hear you knock—"

"I knocked three times," said Mrs. Banwood. "What in the world!"

"Just my new things. I—I'm sorry I didn't hear you." Mrs. Banwood fingered a bright chiffon critically. "And who is going to wear these?" she asked.

"I—I am." Valerie ran past her into the bedroom and gathered a pile of sober garments from the bed. "These are for you." She thrust them into Mrs. Banwood's arms. "My father said you would know what to do with them. You see, somebody may need them—"

"Who bought you the others?"

"My father." The words made magic. She wanted to say them over and over—"my father." When she said it she could see the ugly gray of Mrs. Banwood's disapproval fade.

"Aren't you going to wear any mourning?" The woman seemed able to speak in nothing but questions. They sounded bald, even to her own ears.

"My father says it's what's in your heart—not what color you have on."

Mrs. Banwood looked down at her accusingly. "And your mother hardly in her grave!"

Nervous tears filled Valerie's eyes. She could almost see the world turning again into the dim and dusty place where she had lived so long.

Mrs. Banwood was a little troubled at the tears. After all, the child was not her business. Let them dress her in rainbows, for all of her. Housekeepers were not at a premium with conditions what they were, and places like this didn't grow on bushes. She tried to smile reassuringly at Valerie, who found the grimace terrifying.

"Thanks for the things," said Mrs. Banwood. She settled the clothes more firmly in her long arms. "I know two little girls who aren't lucky like you. They will be thankful enough to have them."

Everything nice seemed to be happening at once. Also several things that were not nice. The best was that the day before they were going away, Shirley called her up.

Valerie had thought she had forgotten.

Mark was in town, and Chiltern called her to the telephone in the upstairs sitting room. "Will you speak to Miss Endicott on the telephone, if you please, Miss Valerie?" in Chiltern's best manner.

Valerie had almost forgotten the smooth lovely tones of Shirley's voice. Shirley's message was brief. She wanted, she said, to remind Valerie of their engagement.

"I've been up to my ears, darling, or I'd have phoned before. Going over the proof of a silly book, and trying to finish a story for an exasperated editor only two jumps behind me. Could I drive over and get you tomorrow?"

"Tomorrow we're going away," said Valerie. She would have been almost sad if she hadn't wanted to go so much. There was something about Shirley that was so sweet. "Could—could you please have me when we get back?" It took courage to suggest it, but she couldn't quite give up. "We wouldn't be gone so very long. I do so want to come to your party."

"Of course," said Shirley over wire. "Perhaps it will be even nicer, because we'll have more time to think about it. Call me as soon as you get back, and we'll make a date. Maybe Mark would come for dinner and bring you home."

"Oh—yes—it was wonderful how things straightened out. Have a good time, darling. Don't forget—when you get home."

"I won't—good-bye—thank you." She sat still for a moment after she put the telephone back.

What was not so nice was the sight of Elise's maroon car in the drive, as she came back from a flying trip to the kennels, late that afternoon. She would have run away to lose herself in the shrubbery if Elise hadn't caught sight of her just as the big front door swung open.

Elise turned back and drew Valerie into the house beside her. Valerie led the way into the main drawing room, which always awed her slightly. But she felt that formally belonged to Elise. She sat on the edge of a petit-point chair, because Elise had sat down and was undoing her furs.

"I happened to be passing the gates, and thought I'd run in and see if I could carry you off to drive a little," she said. "You must need cheering up, darling. You've been on my mind night and day, and I'd have run in days ago but I thought it more tactful to leave you and your dear daddy to get a bit acquainted."

Elise got up and went to Valerie's chair and held out her hand. "We're going to be great pals," she said. "Come on—we'll drive till dinner time; then I'll bring you back, and your daddy may be home, and perhaps you'll take pity on me and give me a bite to eat. Wouldn't it be sweet—just us three?"

Valerie had to think very quickly. She let Elise take her hand, although she got up and stood beside her.

"Oh—yes—thank you—"

(To be continued)

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### Seven Persons Injured In Car-Truck Collision

#### John Powell Develops Pneumonia As Result Of Severe Injuries

Seven persons were injured in a truck-automobile crash about 9:30 Tuesday night, December 24, one mile east of Yellow House Switch, on Highway 7.

A light car, said to be driven and owned by Pete Henderson of Fieldton, traveling east, and a pick-up being driven west, occupied by Paul Jones, Harry Lee Patterson and L. E. Fulton, all of Lubbock, were in a head-on collision. A third car was reported parked on the highway, and was said to have featured in the accident. Information, however, as to said car was not available.

In the Henderson car were Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, and two-months-old son, Thad Gilbert Henderson, of Fieldton, and John

Powell, farmer of the Spade community

Mr. Henderson suffered cuts and bruises; Mrs. Henderson a head injury; the child sustained head injuries; Paul Jones received a broken left rib, broken left hand, minor cuts and bruises concussion of brain; and L. E. Fulton cuts, bruises and fractured left ankle, all of whom were taken to Payne-Shotwell Hospital. Mr. Henderson was released from the hospital Wednesday, Mr. Jones Thursday, and Mrs. Henderson and baby Friday.

Mr. Powell, who was reported the worst injured of the group, was admitted to the Littlefield Hospital suffering from a severe head injury, cuts and bruises at which a number of X-rays were taken. Pneumonia is reported to have developed Friday night, but his physician reports him doing as well as can be expected due to his injuries.

Mr. Patterson was also admitted to the Littlefield Hospital with a fractured right knee and cuts on the head. He is also still confined in the hospital, where his condition is improving.

Both truck and car were badly damaged.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

### Last Rites Held Christmas Day For J. D. Mayhugh, 17

The body of J. D. Mayhugh, 17-year-old Morton youth, was discovered in a field only a mile and a half from his home about 9 o'clock Tuesday morning of last week. A .22 calibre rifle was at his side.

The youth is reported to have left a note telling the world that he "was tired of living," and wishing everybody goodbye.

His body was found by R. G. Swanner, cowboy range rider for the Snyder ranch, located about six miles west of Whiteface. The farm, under cultivation by young Mayhugh's step-brother, Oscar Cleveland, adjoins the ranch.

Friends and relatives said that he had been despondent and had cried the Sunday previous while listening to the governor's plea for Texans to take the orphan children into their homes during Christmas week. He was believed to have been dead since that time.

Young Mayhugh has two brothers in orphan's institutions in the state. His mother reportedly lives in Decatur, his father in Waco.

The youth had been living with his step-brother, picking cotton, during the season and doing other odd jobs. His disappearance created little excitement in his immediate household because it was not uncommon for him to be gone on such occasions, relatives reported to Sheriff Tom Standefer of Cochran county, who had charge of the investigation.

Official verdict of suicide was rendered by J. P. Taylor, justice of the peace at Morton.

A dog "acting up" attracted Swanner's attention to the body, he told Sheriff Standefer.

Funeral services were conducted Christmas afternoon at the First Methodist Church at Morton. Rev. J. W. Watson, pastor, officiated. Burial took place in the Morton cemetery.

#### SUDAN BOY SCORES

Sigma Phi Upsilon fraternity won the intramural team championship in basketball free throw at Texas University last week when its five high point men sank 178 goals. Jack Stone of Sudan sank 32 of the 178 goals scored. A total of 456 men competed in the tournament.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

### Alumni Assn. Sponsors Dance

The Littlefield High School Alumni association sponsored a dance at the Legion Hut Thursday night, at which a large number were present.

The purpose of the affair was to raise the \$50 scholarship, which it is the policy of the association to award to the outstanding pupil of the year in the Littlefield High School.

Mrs. Payne Woods is president of the association; Mrs. Amiel Timian secretary; Miss Naomi Whitaker, first vice president; Miss Farrak Beckner, second vice president, and Miss Alma Byers, third vice president.

Recently the association sponsored a country store at the Palace Theatre.

It is also the intention of the group to sponsor other benefit affairs until the \$50 is raised.

### Abernathy Defeats Idalou, 23 To 17

Abernathy's ex-Antelopes continued their long domination over Idalou at Idalou Friday night. The Abernathy graduates defeated the Idalou graduates, 23 to 17.

The teams were composed mostly of boys who finished at the two schools last spring; many of them are playing on freshman college squads this season.

The Abernathy high school team of 1939 and 1940, almost the same lineup that won Friday night, defeated the Idalou team both years in the District Three tournament.

Junior Sneed, Idalou's lanky center, was high scorer Friday night with 10 points. Charles Lutrick and Roy Williams of Abernathy were next with eight each.

### Enochs Man Slain Near Buckeye, Ariz.

According to an Associated Press report from Phoenix, Ariz., one man was shot to death, another was seriously stabbed, and three were jailed as the result of a fight over a bet of about one dollar in a dice game at a cotton camp near Buckeye, Ariz.

Deputy Sheriff Vernon LaMore is reported to have identified the slain man as Walter Strickland, 23, of Enochs, Tex. Frank Williams, 44, stabbed in the face and body, was reported taken to a Phoenix hospital.

### Personals

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# Clubs - Women's Interest - Social Events

## Engagement And Approaching Marriage Of Miss Shane And Lieut. Wright Is Announced

Engagement has just been made of Miss Patricia Bush Shane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shane of Blytheville, Ark., and Lieut. Tilden P. Wright of Muskogee, Okla., son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Wright, of Littlefield, Tex.

The wedding will take place at a late date in the spring. Miss Shane, a member of a prominent family, was graduated from the Blytheville high school, and Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y., as a member of the 1939 class.

Lieut. Wright is a graduate of the United States Civil Service as occupational duty. He has been there, has done work at George Washington, D. C. He is a graduate of the United States Civil Service as occupational duty. He has been there, has done work at George Washington, D. C.

Wright is now assigned to the United States Army Air Corps, and is serving with the 39th Bombardment Group, 8th Air Force, at West Point, Tex. He was a captain in the 114th Air Squadron, 39th Bombardment Group, 8th Air Force, at West Point, Tex.

Robertson is connected with the meat company. The bride's home at Vernon, Tex. The bride's home at Vernon, Tex.

Wright returned from a week's tour in Texas and Muskogee, Okla. The bride's home at Vernon, Tex.

Friday before Christmas. The bride's home at Vernon, Tex.

Hotel Drug



Miss Patricia Bush Shane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shane of Blytheville, Ark., whose engagement and approaching marriage to Lieut. Tilden P. Wright of Muskogee, Okla., has just been announced. Lieut.

## Bride-Elect Of Army Officer

Wright is the son of Mrs. Vernie V. Wright of this city. The marriage is scheduled to take place at Blytheville and will be an important event of the late spring.

## Mrs. Jones Entertains At Tea Honoring Bride-To-Be

On Friday evening, December 27, in the home of Mrs. Otto Jones on East Eighth Street, a tea was given honoring Miss Pauline Cook, who is to be married in the near future to Mr. Louis Eubank of Carlsbad, N. M.

Miss Cook is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cook of Littlefield. She has attended college at Texas Tech for the past three years.

The table was the center of attraction, with a beautiful lace cloth with silver bells and tall white tapers in silver candelabras. The entertaining rooms were decorated with pink carnations.

Mrs. Jones was assisted in the dining room by Mrs. Charlie Cook, Miss Ruth Pumphrey presided at the guest book. Those registering during the evening were the following out of town guests:

- Miss Pauline Rogers of Idalou, Tex.
- Mrs. Cloise Foust.
- Misses: Camille Arnold, Bernice Gattis, Luzelle Bryan, Helen Brown, Martha Nell Bentley, Ruth Griffin, Evelyn Griffin, Margaret Coffman, Marguerette Brannen, Nettie Belle Batton, Frances Barton, and the honoree, Miss Cook.

Special music was furnished during the evening by Miss Viralyn Patrick, accompanied by Miss Helen Heathman at the piano.

## Mr and Mrs. W. W. Brown Have Guests Over Christmas

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Brown during the holidays were: Wilburn G Brown, their son, of Oklahoma City, who arrived in Littlefield Monday before Christmas, and who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Brown to Madrid, N. M., to see the Christmas lights, returning to Littlefield Wednesday noon (Christmas Day); and Mrs. Maxine Black, also of Oklahoma City, who visited in the Black home Thursday and Friday, returning home with Wilburn Brown Friday evening.

George Webster of Plainview, formerly of Littlefield, but now a second lieutenant in the Army, was also a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Brown Saturday. Mr. Webster will be stationed at Brownwood as soon as the camp is completed.

## Family Reunion Enjoyed At Porcher Home Christmas

A family reunion was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Porcher, Sr., north of Littlefield Christmas Day.

Those enjoying the day under the parental roof were: Mr. and Mrs. John Porcher, and sons, John and George; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Porcher, and Ben, Jr., and Robert; and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Porcher, and daughter, Mary Jo.

Sheriff Sam Hutson left Tuesday for Wichita Falls to take a patient to the state institution there, returning late that night.

Miss Wilda Kelm of Baileyboro, spent the Christmas holidays with Miss Velah Sims at Littlefield.

C. D. Strange, who is employed at El Paso, spent Christmas here with his family.

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## Bride Of Former Littlefield Resident



Mrs. Gayle A. Hemphill

## Miss Morehead Bride Of Gayle A. Hemphill In Morning Ceremony

Miss Eleanor Morehead of Canyon became the bride of Gayle A. Hemphill of Floydada Saturday morning December 21. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vanece Morehead of Canyon, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hemphill of Littlefield.

Rev. Sam A. Thomas, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated at the double ring ceremony solemnized in the home of the bride's parents.

Preceding the ceremony, Miss Ernestine Cundiff of Littlefield played "I love you truly" and Wagner's "Bridal Chorus." "Beautiful Dreamer" was played softly during the ceremony.

Miss Iola Morehead, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor and Dan Hemphill, brother of the groom served as best man.

The bride wore a white satin gown fashioned on princess lines with a sweetheart necklace and fingertip veil. She wore orange blossoms in her hair, and carried a bouquet of white roses and lily-of-the-valley. She wore a watch worn by her mother at her wedding.

Guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Smith Morehead, Mrs. J. H. Wheeler, and Lester Wheeler, all of Canadian, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hemphill, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd A. Hemphill of Littlefield.

Mr. Hemphill, a graduate of Littlefield High School was graduated from West State and taught at Spade High School last year. He is a member of Floydada High School faculty.

The couple will make their home at Floydada.

## Holiday Bride Is Honored At Shower Friday Afternoon

A lovely bridal shower was given in honor of Mrs. Marshall Holland, on Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beran, with five of her close friends as co-hostesses, Mesdames L. E. Beran, Audie Collins, W. W. Strother, Jack Johnson, and Miss Frances Killough.

Mrs. Holland, previous to her marriage on Christmas Day, was Miss Mary Belle Montgomery, and is now a teacher in the Monahans school.

The Beran home was beautifully decorated for the occasion with huge bouquets and baskets of cut flowers. Individual corsages carrying out the color theme of yellow and white, were presented each guest.

Mrs. J. D. Dodgen gave a recipe on "How to cook a husband" . . . Miss Ann Johnson toasted the bride . . . after which Mrs. Earl Hobbs presented the lovely gifts.

Dainty refreshments of pear whip, angle food cake, and coffee were served from a handsomely laid Tea Table to the following guests, Mesdames J. E. Chisholm, F. A. Hemphill, Quinton Bellomy, Eugene Latimer, Roy Young, Roy Wade, Jim Mooney, Mancel Hall, Douglass Howell, Pat H. Boone, B. D. Garland, Melvin Thedford, W. V. Swartz, W. A. Locke, Edna Banks, Audie Collins, J. C. Montgomery, and Misses Louise Chisholm and Myrtle Marion Shaw.

Christmas Day at Blytheville, Ark., where he visited friends, returning to his duties at Muskogee Saturday.

Mrs. Wright reported she enjoyed nice weather while at Muskogee, but that on leaving Christmas night it started to rain.

## Musical Enjoyed At Jim Blessing Home Thursday

A musical program was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blessing, three miles east of Littlefield, Thursday evening.

Singing was enjoyed and string music, including violin and guitar, furnished by Bud Phillips and son, John Standifer, Mr. Landrum, Zed Robinson, etc.

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## Hunt Family Enjoy Family Reunion Christmas Day

A family reunion was enjoyed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hunt at Lubbock Christmas Day when all the family were present.

The Hunt residence was beautifully decorated suggestive of the Christmas season, and gifts were distributed from the family Christmas tree.

Those present were: Dr and Mrs. Roy E. Hunt of Littlefield; Dr. and Mrs. Ewell Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hunt of Lubbock; Mr and Mrs. A. B. Hunt, and children of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cannon of Hobbs, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Hunt, Sr.

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# PRESIDENTIAL BALL TO BE HELD AT LEGION HUT JAN. 30

## NYA PROJECT WILL GIVE WORK TO 30 LAMB COUNTY YOUTHS

### All Youths Aged 16-25 Eligible For Employment

Dan R. Mitchell To Interview Youth Here Mondays Of Each Week

Beginning Monday, January 6, Dan R. Mitchell, NYA youth counselor will be in Littlefield on Monday of each week from 10:45 to 12 a. m. The purpose of this itinerant service is to make application and certification to NYA available to Lamb county youth.

All youths between the ages of 16 and 25, who are out of school and unemployed, are eligible for work on the NYA out of school work program, according to J. C. Kellum, State Youth Administrator. On local projects these youths are allowed 80 hours work each month and are paid at the rate of 20 cents an hour.

Work experience for girls in Lamb county is available on the Girls' Resident Training Center in Lubbock.

The Texas State Highway Dept. is sponsoring a right of way beautification project at the present time, which will provide work for approximately 30 Lamb county boys. All youths who are interested in work on this project, or on any of the several resident training centers are requested to report to Mr. Mitchell at the time mentioned above, at the City Engineer's office in the City Hall in Littlefield. Mr. Mitchell will be in Anton 9 to 10:30 a. m., in Amherst from 1 to 2:30 p. m., and in Sudan from 2:45 to 4 p. m. on Monday of each week. Youths living in or near these towns can contact Mr. Mitchell there.

### Lubbock To Be Host To Rotarians May 4

Lubbock on May 4 to 6 will be host to the 127th district of Rotary International for its annual convention, Frank S. Roberts of Breckenridge, district governor, has announced.

Homer D. Grant, former Lubbock club president, has been named by directors of the Lubbock club as the chairman of the general convention committee. Sometime in January Chairman Grant will probably select his sub-chairmen and begin plans for entertaining the visitors.

The district is now composed of 55 clubs with a membership of approximately 2,500.

District Governor Roberts has asked all of the clubs to send him the names of members who might be available for speakers on the program. Headquarters of the convention will be in the Lubbock hotel.

### There're Several Reasons For George R. Sandidge Making New Year's Day

January 1 is New Year's Day with all that goes with it . . . wishing friends a Happy New Year . . . celebrating the New Year . . . and making New Year resolutions.

George was born January 1, 1895 and he was married January 1, 1917, at Rule, Haskell county.

No, George didn't say anything about the nature of his New Year resolutions . . . perhaps he didn't make any.

The Continental wholesale agent has been a resident of Littlefield for 13 years. Seven years of that time he has been wholesale agent for the Continental Oil Co.

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## 38 Texas Counties Vote \$15,885,000 In Highway Improvement Bond Issues

### Golden Glove Tournery To Be Held Jan. 30-31

Event Is Sponsored By Downtown Quarterback Club At Highschool Gym

A preliminary Golden Glove tournament, sponsored by the Downtown Quarterback Club, under the auspices of the Littlefield High School, and promoted by Coach Abe Murphy, is scheduled for January 30 and 31, at the high school gymnasium, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Preliminary bouts will be held January 30, and the finals January 31.

The A. A. U. rules will be strictly adhered to.

The admission will be 25c for children and 40c for adults. There will be no reserved seats, first come, first served.

The tournament is open to any amateur who wishes to enter. Suitable awards will be given to the winner and runner-up in each weight division. In addition, a large trophy will be given the outstanding boxer of the tournament. Winner of the trophy will be judged on boxing skill and sportsmanship.

### First 1941 Baby Is Born Wednesday

Gerald Blaine Roddam was the first child to be born in Littlefield in 1941. He came into the world at the Payne-Shotwell Hospital at 7:20 p. m. Wednesday.

Gerald Blaine weighed about eight pounds at birth, and is a son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Roddam of Muleshoe.

The new resident of this world has a brother, Lawrence Eugene, 6, and a sister, Wanda Yvonne, 3.

And here's something else: Gerald and his brother Lawrence will celebrate their birthdays on the same day. Lawrence, too, was born on January 1.

### Ruptured Appendix Fatal To Frances Clepper Of Anton

Frances Clepper, 15, of Anton, passed away Saturday morning about 7 o'clock at this city, as a result of Ruptured Appendix.

An article in Wednesday's Star-Telegram written by Robert E. Hicks and reviewing the voting of highway improvement bond issues in recent weeks by 38 Texas counties, attracted wide interest in Lamb County. This interest was partially due to the fact that Lamb county was one of the 38 counties. Mr. Hick's article was as follows:

Thirty-eight Texas counties in recent weeks have approved highway improvement bond issues aggregating \$15,885,000, all but a negligible portion of them having been authorized by the voters with the understanding the securities will not be sold unless the State assumes the debt, both as to principal and interest.

The predicate thus far has been laid for what probably will be a warm controversy in the Forty-seventh Legislature, which convenes Jan. 14.

State assumption of the issues would mean that debt service on the bonds would be paid out of the proceeds of one cent of the gasoline tax which has been set aside by the Legislature for bond retirement purposes.

A bill authorizing State assumption of the recently-voted issues already is being drafted, it is understood, and will be introduced early in the session.

Bond issues have been authorized in recent weeks by the following counties:

Andrews	\$250,000
Aransas	50,000
Baylor	425,000
Brazoria	30,000
Briscoe	180,000
Cameron	365,000
Castro	600,000
Collingsworth	500,000
Dallam	290,000
Deaf Smith	600,000
Duval	600,000

### Fire Destroys 8 Bales Cotton

Fire at the Lamb County Farmers Association Gin about 2:45 a. m. Thursday, damaged 20 bales of cotton on the platform, rendering a total loss about eight bales.

The fire was immediately discovered by the night watchman, but the fire was noticed also by a passer-by, who turned in the alarm at once. Firemen arrived quickly at the scene and prevented the fire from spreading into the gin.

V. S. Casser, manager of the gin, stated that they did not know the cause of the fire, excepting that possibly a burning cigarette or match might have been thrown from a passing car, and the high wind which was blowing from the west and north may have blown it onto the platform where the cotton was. The gin had not been in operation for several days.

The fire represented a loss of about \$150, which was covered by insurance.

### Salvation Army Christmas Tree Is Great Success

#### 250 Parents And Their Children Under 14 Yrs. Of Age Attended Affair

The Christmas Tree and party sponsored by the Salvation Army, and staged at the Methodist Church Christmas Eve was an outstanding success.

There were in attendance about 250 parents and their children under 14 years of age, all of whom received from the tree a bag containing orange, apple, candy and nuts, as well as some kind of toy.

Thirty-six families were given baskets beside those families taken care of by churches, clubs and individuals.

Towards this Christmas cheer for the needy, the Lion's Club of Littlefield contributed 26 hens and the fruit, candy and nuts for the baskets. Many contributions were made by parties not wishing their names given.

The total income from the kettle, War Cry profits and donations was \$91.63.

### Former Oil Well Driller Buys Farm

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Matthews, formerly of Pampa, are new residents of the Littlefield section. They purchased a farm 12 miles west of Littlefield, and have moved on the property. Mr. and Mrs. Matthews have added a room and a sleeping porch to the house and carried out other modernization work.

Mr. Matthews has been an oil driller for 17 years, and has drilled wells in various parts of West Texas.

### Buck Bagged In South Texas Furnishes Venison For Wednesday's Feast

The venison barbecue, sponsored by Rev. Donald Harris and members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary, staged in the basement of the church Wednesday evening, was an outstanding success.

Guests of the occasion were members of the congregation of the Presbyterian church, and a number of invited guests.

While in Dilley visiting his parents recently, Rev. Harris and his father, J. W. Harris, were on a hunting trip, and Friday morning last, Mr. Harris, Sr., bagged the buck, which was brought to Littlefield by Rev. Harris, and which furnished the venison for the feast here Wednesday night.

### Funds Sought To Assist Victims Of Infantile Paralysis

#### Jim Etter Chairman Of Event; Mrs. Katie Green Is Secretary-Treasurer

Plans are well underway for the nation's country-wide series of celebrations on January 30 in honor of President Franklin D. Roosevelt's birthday, and on behalf of the small sufferers from infantile paralysis.

Enthusiastic responses from chairmen in all parts of the country forecast more than 5,000 parties and the outpouring of the nation's concern for those crippled as a result of infantile paralysis is expected to result in the largest fund yet raised.

Jim Etter of Littlefield has accepted the appointment as chairman of the committee, with Mrs. Katie Green as secretary and treasurer for the celebration of the President's birthday in Lamb county.

In an interview with Mr. Etter Tuesday, he stated that plans were underway for the staging of a ball at the Legion Hut on the evening of January 30, although preparations were not complete.

Mr. Etter explained Tuesday that one half of every dollar raised in Lamb county towards this worthy cause will remain here for the treatment of local sufferers of infantile paralysis.

According to Mr. Etter, no stone will be left unturned to make this drive for funds an outstanding success, and also the committee in charge of the dance is leaving nothing undone to make the ball one of the most enjoyable entertainments ever staged here.

They are expecting to sell a large number of tickets and promise a full evening of entertainment.

### Tax Collector To Visit Littlefield January 28 and 29

#### Will Attend At Various Communities On Dates Outlined In Schedule

For the convenience of the taxpayers over Lamb county, I. B. Holt, tax assessor-collector, has announced that he will be at the following places on the following dates with the records of his office:

- Beck's Gin, Tuesday, Jan. 14.
- Amherst, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 16 and 17.
- Spade, Monday, Jan. 20.
- Earth, Tuesday, Jan. 21.
- Sudan, Thursday and Friday, Jan. 23 and 24.
- Fieldton, Monday, Jan. 27.
- Littlefield, Tuesday and Wednesday, Jan. 28 and 29.

In an interview with Mr. Holt Tuesday, he said: "I would like to call the attention of those who are just becoming the age of 21 to the following: If your birthday was subsequent to Jan. 1, 1940 and previous to Feb. 1, 1941, you must cure your exemption to be entitled to a vote in 1941. Those reaching the age of 21 on and after Feb. 1, 1941, will not need an exemption."

### Under Two Flags



SOMEWHERE IN AFRICA—That is covering a lot of territory, but that's all the censor allows. This Spahi is one of the hundreds who recently went over to the "Free French" forces of General De Gaulle. He was photographed saluting with his own standard after his company had been presented with the new flag of Free France and the British Union Jack.

### Aubrey Howard Is Victim Accidental Shooting Thursday

#### Loaded Gun In Closet Is Discharged Shot Entering Body

James Aubrey Howard, Houston, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. R. Badger of this city, was accidentally killed Thursday, about 10 o'clock in the afternoon, when a gun in a closet discharged, striking and entering his body.

A loaded gun is reported to have been standing in a closet in the Howard home, which was being searched for a piece of clothing belonging to Mr. Howard. The gun, which discharged, was reported to have been in the closet.

Mr. and Mrs. Badger were notified immediately and accompanied by their son-in-law, Mr. R. Badger left for Houston.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon, December 28, at the Weed Funeral Home, a Presbyterian Pastoral, and interment took place at Austin Cemetery.

Howard was a prominent member of Houston, being connected with the Manchester Termination, with whom he had dated for a number of years.

He survived by his wife and three children: Bobbie 12, Jimmie 10, and Bert 3 years of age and a daughter, Wanda, of Henderson, Texas.

Mrs. R. T. Badger returned from Houston on Austin following the funeral services, where she remained several days. Mr. Badger returned to Littlefield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard, and children, have visited in the Badger home every summer, and have a large circle of friends here.

Leader joins other friends in extending deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

### Handle 50,323 Bales To December 13

According to Warren H. Rutledge, cotton statistician for this district, Lamb County Gins handled 50,323 bales of the 1940 cotton crop against 41,658 bales ginned to date same period in 1939.

Castro County handled 2145 bales to Dec. 13, as against 2736 in 1939.

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