

# LAMB COUNTY LEADER

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## WATERWORKS TO BE FINISHED IN THREE WEEKS

The Littlefield waterworks system will be ready for service within three weeks, is the statement of Commissioner P. W. Walker, in charge of the construction. The week the big iron tank and other storage purposes arrived, the erection gang from Chicago expected any day. It will take them about two weeks to set up and make the necessary connections. Practically all the water mains and laterals are now laid, and soon as the tower is ready, service can be given. For it was the water through the mains last week that was responsible for the rapid quenching of the fire that destroyed the organ building, taking up in the stores of J. E. Brannen Littlefield Supply Co. This system has 31 hydrants, strategically distributed so the very best service can be given in case of fire, and the fire department has sufficient line of hose to reach any building lying in the way between hydrants. Walker states that when this system is completed it will be one of the best waterworks systems to be found anywhere on the South Plains.

## 150 BALES COTTON

Opening Open and Farmers Preparing More Ground  
Fields of cotton in this vicinity are rapidly opening and ready to be picked and pickers are in great numbers according to the farmers in the section.  
The paper goes to press 150 bales already being ginned, and five weeks of bright weather will give the five modern gins in Littlefield to take care of any cotton, the conditions are the best for the best season ever here, with the greatest cotton for this section since the opening of the cotton industry on the South Plains.  
Farmers from other sections are improving their land in previous years, or re-purchased, and are making plans to turn the soil for next year's crop. The bright weather for this section and the fact that many strangers to the Littlefield section.

## Stevens, of Lubbock, was attending a directors' meeting of the First National bank.

## Butler, of Waco, has accepted the position of assistant cashier of the National Bank.

## Littlefield this week bought a touring car of the Crockett-Carter Co.

## Vocal Prodigy



Marion Talley, 18 year old daughter of a telegraph operator, is a member of the Metropolitan Opera Company. Hailed as a vocal prodigy, her fellow townspeople of Littlefield City gave a benefit which enabled her to study in Europe for three years, and paved the way for her present success.

## WORLD SERIES—

The Washington Senators Say, "Try and Get It"

By A. B. CHAPIN



## CONTRACT IS LET FOR THREE ROOM BRICK BY COOPER

A contract was let this week by C. E. Cooper to S. L. Neely, for erection of a modern brick building, 75x70 feet on Main street, on the lots between the Littlefield State Bank building and the Duggan building, in which is located the Sadler drug store. The erection of this 3-room building will bridge the last gap in that block, and when the R. E. Cole buildings are completed on the northwest corner Littlefield may then boast of her first solid block of bricks, tho there are indications that others will soon be built up solid within a very short time. Mr. Cooper states that all the rooms of this new building are already contracted for, and will be occupied as soon as the structure is completed.

## LEASE GRAVEL HILL

### T. F. Moffett Getting Ready for Hard Surfacing of Roads

A deal was closed last week whereby T. F. Moffett, of Breckenridge, leased from the Yellow House Land Co., the big gravel and rock mound located about eight miles east of Littlefield. This mound is located on the Spade lands, adjacent to the R. Q. M. highway, easily accessible to both railroad and dirt road for transportation purposes. The mound, apparently a freak of nature, rising some 25 or 30 feet above the surface of the surrounding land, is said to be almost solid limestone rock, and will yield uncountable tons of gravel and crushed rock for railroad ballasting, highway surfacing and building material purposes. It is understood Mr. Moffett already has several large contracts for material of this nature, and will install two big rock crushers for immediate operations.

## RUNS IN THE FAMILY

T. Windsor, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, is stepping high this week. Sunday he received a letter from his brother, announcing that he was "uncle," and that his honorable nephew was red-headed. Since E. S. Rowe has furnished T. W. with a list of the many prominent men of the world who were red-headed, T. W. is willing to admit that is a predominant characteristic of his family, which pigmentation can be traced back in ipsi dixit manner for many prior generations.

## CLEAN-UP CAMPAIGN TO BE CONTINUED

The clean-up campaign, being conducted by the Civic League, will be continued for another week, closing Saturday, October 24th. This action has been taken by the members on account of various interruptions occurring during the past week. Members of the League state that some good work is already being done in this direction in both the residence and business sections of town. A score card is being kept and premises will be graded accordingly, two prizes being offered, one for the residence and one for the business district. Everyone is urged to redouble their efforts during the coming week toward making Littlefield one of the cleanest towns on the South Plains.

## MARRIED AT OLTON

### Miss Wilma Barber and Floyd Wynn Surprise Their Friends

Sunday night Miss Wilma Barber and Floyd Wynn were married at Olton, returning here late that night. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barber, a very talented and popular young lady among a large circle of friends in Littlefield. Mr. Wynn is in the employ of the Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co.

## ARRESTED FOR DRUNK

### Flowers and Casper Pay Fines of \$23.70 Each To County

W. T. Flowers and John Casper were arrested last Saturday night, four miles east of Littlefield, by Sheriff Len Irvin on a charge of drunkenness.

According to Irvin the men were intoxicated to the extent that they ran into a Ford car being driven by Carl Cooper, of Shallowater, knocking it into the ditch and seriously damaging it. Both men paid fines of \$23.70 and made repairs on Cooper's car.

D. P. Earnest was in town Monday, from Scrapout ranch.

Ray Jones made a trip to Lubbock Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Sam Sanders, of Stephenville, is visiting here this week with her sister, Mrs. L. P. Bonds.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alford, former Littlefield citizens, were here Tuesday from Slaton.

## A SELF-SERVING GROCERY IS BEING OPENED THIS WEEK

The Self Service Grocery, Ed F. Thompson, manager, and S. Richardson, assistant, is this week being opened in the new Gardner building just south of the Lee theatre.

This concern is one of a chain of grocery stores now being operated over this part of Texas, two of their larger stores now being located at Lamesa and Clovis, New Mexico.

It will be conducted something on the "piggy wiggly" style, wherein customers may go the rounds of the store, making their own selections, filling their own market baskets, and checking up with the cashier at the end of the circle.

The management states they are putting in here a first-class stock of staple and fancy groceries of which the buying public of this section may well appreciate. The interior is being finished in white enamel, giving it a very sanitary appearance appealing to the most fastidious patron.

## SELLS LARGE TRACT

### Dorsett Bros. To Put in 2,000 Acres Next Spring

The Thompson Land Co., this week closed a deal with Dorsett Bros., of Wichita Falls, selling them 2,415 acres of fine land three miles south of Bula.

Two thousand acres of this will be put into cultivation next spring. Tractors are now being assembled to start the plowing this fall.

These men also own a 1000-acre farm near Matador.

## WOULD ENLARGE SCHOOL

### West Texas College To Ask for \$500,000 for Buildings.

Appropriations of \$500,000 for new buildings at the West Texas State Teachers College, at Canyon, will be asked of the next legislature, according to President J. A. Hill.

Hill stated that this school, which started 15 years ago with 200 students, now has an enrollment this year of nearly 800, together with a faculty of 69 members.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, held Tuesday, G. M. Shaw was selected to represent Littlefield at the meeting of the Quanah, Acme & Pacific railroad to be held in Fort Worth, October 19th, relative to the extension of that line onto the South Plains.

## RALLS IS APPRECIATIVE

### Spirit of Friendly Rivalry Marks Highest Degree of Sportsmanship

To the Citizenship and Student Body of Littlefield:

Believing that the end of the Inter-scholastic League is not the winning of games, but the promotion of a spirit of games, but the promotion of a spirit of loyalty to one's own school, and a spirit of generosity and courtesy to visitors, we wish to express our appreciation of the courtesies and many acts of genuine kindness shown to us while we had our football team in Littlefield last week end. We may have beaten you playing football, but it will be many days before we shall see beaten the wonderful spirit of courtesy and kindness that every one of you showed to us and to our team while in your midst, and we hope, only, that we may have the pleasure of dealing with you on our own grounds, in order that we may attempt to return the royal treatment accorded us. Yours truly,

W. I. WILKINS,  
Supt. of Schools.  
G. F. LOVVORU,  
Athletic Coach, Ralls, Texas.

## AN INNOVATION

### Littlefield State Bank Furnishes Depositors Music

Littlefield this week boasts of the fact that it possesses the only bank in West Texas, and perhaps in the entire state, that furnishes music to its customers.

There is now connected in the lobby of the Littlefield State Bank, a very fine "Violina," costing in the neighborhood of \$2,500. It is reported that when customers come in with a deposit the bank drops in the nickle for the music, but perchance a loan is desired, the would-be borrower must furnish the five cent piece.

Bob Steen is said to be able to keep perfect time on the adding machine, no matter whether the Violina plays waltz, schottisch or two-step time, and that on special occasions he can make the thing gallop and jazz.

## EXPRESS APPRECIATION

### Fire Department Receives Checks for Services Last Week

The members of the local fire department are this week the recipients of a check of \$100 from Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan, and one for \$25 from the Lamb County Mercantile Co., as a token of their appreciation for the timely and untiring services rendered during the fire of last week. Numerous words of appreciation have also been tendered the boys of this department, for which the Leader is requested to express their sincere thanks and appreciation.

About \$250 was also received toward defraying the expenses of some of those injured during the fire.

## INSTALL NEW SWITCHBOARD

### Now Building Another Copper Line Into Lubbock

The local telephone system last week installed another switchboard of 100 connection capacity, being the Stromberg-Carlson type, to take care of their rapidly increasing business. They have also added another operator, and will now be in position to give first-class service at all times.

This concern is also building another copper circuit line from Littlefield to Lubbock, which it is expected will be completed by November 10th.

There are now 175 phones in service here.

## HOLDS FIRST RECEIPT

### R. E. Cole Holds Tax Receipt No. 1 in the History of Littlefield. It is Dated October 8, 1925.

In the years to come this receipt will become quite a souvenir to Mr. Cole, who will doubtless display it with considerable pride to his great-grandchildren.

## STORK SPECIAL

### Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ellroy Crisp, an eight and one-half pound boy, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Poteet, who live ten miles east of Littlefield, are the proud parents of an eight pound girl, born Friday.

## GEORGE LANDERS IS A VICTIM OF THE SLOW FEVER

George Jake Landers, born February 19, 1904, at Granbury Texas, died Saturday night at eight o'clock, at the home of his uncle, Judge R. C. Hopping, following a short illness of slow fever.

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at nine o'clock by Rev. W. P. Phipps, pastor of the Baptist church, at the residence and the remains were shipped on the ten o'clock train to Granbury, where interment was made in the family lot.

George has resided in Littlefield most of the past six years, having come from Farwell, where he had resided since a small boy with his father, the late George W. Landers, and his sister, Mrs. Cody Martin, now of Granbury, his mother having died when he was very young. His friends were numbered by his acquaintances and his always courteous manner and genial personality won for him a host of friends, and among his boy friends his friendship was held in highest esteem. He was converted at the age of fourteen and was a member of the Presbyterian church.

He attended school here for several terms and for the past few months had been employed at the La Nell

The deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Cody Martin, of Granbury, who was present at the funeral, and Mrs. Oscar Clyett, of Cisco, who was unable to attend.

Honorary pall bearers were: Messrs Julian Joplin, Jimmie Brittain, Ray Jones, Clyde Arnold, W. V. Tolbert and C. D. Smith.

## COUNTY AGENT BUSY

### Reorganizing Clubs and Getting Ready for Canning

Miss Ezra Grimes, county home demonstration agent, is kept busy with her work with the various community clubs over the county. Her calendar for the past week has been filled with enthusiastic meetings. Many new members are being added to the clubs and the women are entering heartily into the work outlined for them.

At a meeting with the club at Spring Lake, Monday, an attendance of 27 members were present and a lesson in canning chicken, pumpkin and sweet potatoes was taught.

Miss Grimes met with the ladies of Amherst, Tuesday afternoon and reorganized the club there. Plans were formulated for a public meeting at that place the 16th of November, at which time Mrs. Dora Barnes, clothing specialist, of the extension department of A. & M. College, will be present.

Wednesday, the Sudan club met at the home of Mrs. West for a study in millinery, which was conducted by Miss Grimes.

A council meeting will be held here the fourth Monday in November, at which each community in the county will be represented.

## Diplomatic Bob I



Young Robert La Follette, newly elected Senator from Wisconsin at 31, is not destined to be known simply as the son of his father, but as Diplomatic Bob I, says Edward Percy Howard, special writer for this newspaper.

THE LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER, \$1.50 A YR.

**SHOE REPAIRING AND HARNESS OF ALL KINDS**

I am this week opening a Shoe and Harness Repair Shop in the building just west of the Main Garage and across the street from the new brick garage building now being erected. I will handle all kinds of Harness, including accessories, and will make all kinds of repairs. I am an expert shoe man of several years successful experience and can do all kinds of boot and shoe repair work. I guarantee the satisfactory quality of my workmanship. "Service at the right price," is my motto.

**LILLY'S SHOE SHOP**  
J. A. Lilly, Proprietor Littlefield, Texas

**MAGNOLIA GASOLINE**

**Magnolene** Oils and Greases  
"The Dependable Lubricant"

Real Quality Products  
Demand them from your Dealer

**Magnolia Petroleum Company**  
G. W. Hargrove, Agent. Littlefield, Texas

**SERVICE** Our Motto

We keep our force large enough to give service at all times. Badger Guaranteed Tires—Adjustments made here.

Amalie Oils, Auto Accessories

**LITTLEFIELD SERVICE STATION**



**We Are Always Reaching Out For New Business**

Our business methods are progressive and expansive. Every day new shipments are arriving to augment our already good stock of goods. Every day new customers are coming to our store, and going away satisfied with their purchases. If you have not already tried the new Drug Store in Littlefield, we invite your acquaintance.

**LITTLE IN SIZE BUT BIG IN VALUES**

Here you will find a general assortment of merchandise equal to any other establishment of its kind. No need to look any farther after you have visited our store. Should we not happen to have it, we will get it for you.

Our Soda Fountain is brim full of choice drinks. It will warm you when cold and cool you when warm.

**The Little Drug Store**

**YOU CAN GET IT HERE**

WHAT? Nearly anything you need in the Hardware and Furniture line. We make it a point to keep what the trade demands, and if we do not happen to have it, we can get it for you promptly.

We have cotton Sacks, 7 1/2 feet long, for \$1.75; 9 feet long for \$2.00. Wagon Sheets, plain white, \$10.00; waterproofed, \$12.00. Tents, 10x12, for \$25.00; 12x14, waterproof, \$30.00. "Tector" waterproofing, \$1.75 per half gallon. Knee Pads, \$1.00 per pair.

We have Maize Knives, the best of metal and as keen as a razor.

We have all kinds of Shot Guns, Rifles and Ammunition. We repair all makes of guns and pistols.

See our Family Scales—weigh up to 60 pounds—just the thing for weighing your country produce. We also have the Steelyards for cotton weighing.

See our line of Boys Wagons—various sizes. We have a nice line of Electric Toasters, Grills, Irons, Percolators, Table Stoves, Bulbs of all sizes, Fuses and Double Sockets.

Just received a nice assortment of Wm. Rogers 1847 and Community Silverware—Buffet sets ranging in price from \$15.00 to \$19.00. We also have all kinds of Steel Cutlery.

**Stoves Are Coming**

We have a big shipment of Heating Stoves, Ranges and Small Cook Stoves in transit. They will arrive soon, and will be priced right. Don't buy until you see them.

**J. W. Robertson**

Littlefield, Texas

**HELD ON CHARGE**

Eastland Citizen Arrested Sunday by Sheriff Irvin

W. S. Davidson, of Eastland, was arrested last Sunday, near Sudan, by Sheriff Len Irvin and Deputy Zeb Payne on a charge of transporting liquor. It is said that Davidson had in his possession a fruit jar of liquor at the time of his arrest.

He was released on bond for appearance at the November 23rd term of court.

**PLENTY OF MOISTURE**

Various Tests Show Wet Soil From Six To Eight Feet

That there is plenty of moisture in the ground for winter crops and grass growing are the present indications.

Phelps Walker reports having dug a post hole seven feet deep and found wet dirt all the way down.

Several cesspools dug here during the past week found plenty of moisture from six to eight feet deep.

**CARD OF THANKS**

During the illness of our nephew, George Jake Landers, many friends rendered services of help and kindness. Words fail us as we attempt to express our appreciation for the consideration and sympathy shown us, yet it is with deep felt gratitude that we thank each one who helped us in this time of need.

MR. AND MRS. R. C. HOPPING.  
JAKE HOPPING.  
VELMA HOPPING.  
MR. AND MRS. PAT H. BOONE.

**No. 1039**

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

**LITTLEFIELD STATE BANK**

At Littlefield, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of Sept., 1925, published in the Lamb County Leader, a newspaper printed and published at Littlefield, State of Texas, on the 9th day of October, 1925.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	\$319,579.62
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	5,000.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	4,992.40
School Warrants	2,023.70
Real Estate (Banking House)	20,000.00
Other Real Estate	20,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,000.00
Cash on hand	7,203.53
Due from approved reserve agents	9,161.80
Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	10,317.48
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	1,481.73
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	7,941.05
Other Resources	16,598.65
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$429,299.96</b>

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Stock	\$ 40,000.00
Other Surplus Fund	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	619.52
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	17,539.76
Individual Deposits subject to check on which no interests is paid	266,579.03
Time Certificates of Deposit	324.44
Public Funds on Deposit:	
County	\$28,580.23
City	34,522.87
School	39,134.11
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$429,299.96</b>

**STATE OF TEXAS,**

County of Lamb.

We, E. A. Logan, as president, and C. O. Stone, as cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. A. LOGAN, President.  
C. O. STONE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of October, A. D. 1925.  
(SEAL) VERNIE V. WRIGHT,  
Notary Public, Lamb County, Texas.

**CORRECT—ATTEST:**  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN,  
J. M. STOKES,  
J. M. POPE  
Directors.

**SICKLY, FEEBISH CHILDREN**

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

Stokes & Alexander Drug Company

**6-DAYS OF SPECIALS**

**MONDAY**

Soft Cotton  
Plaid Blankets  
Assortment of  
Colors  
\$3.45

**TUESDAY**

Best Quality  
27-inch Outing  
All Colors  
Special per yard  
18c

**WEDNESDAY**

Ladies' Shoes  
A Discount of  
20  
per cent  
off our regular  
selling price on  
all our famous  
Drew Shoes  
for Ladies

Terminating our very successful Opening Sale, Saturday of this week, starting next Monday, October 18th, we will offer each day a special sale on some one different article. This special offer will close Saturday, October 23rd. These specials in merchandise will be of interest to all thrifty buyers. We want you in our store each day next week.

**NEW ARRIVALS**

—Coming in this week, include merchandise for all departments. There are Ladies' Coats, Dresses and Hats—all of the latest styles and appealing shades.  
—Our Men's Department has been replenished with new and snappy furnishings, such as Ties, Shirts, Hats, Caps, Belts, etc.  
—Our Boys' Department is complete with new four piece Suits, Cricket Sweaters and Shoes that wear, as well as being good looking.  
—School Supplies—We have added a complete line of the Masterpiece Standard School Supplies.

**THURSDAY**

Men's Suits, Shoes and Hats will be offered at a discount that will be worth your time to investigate. Let us prove it!

**FRIDAY**

Boys' Suits with Vest, Long and Knicker Trousers, Shoes, Sweaters, Shirts, Caps. Discounted from the regular price—  
10  
per cent

**SATURDAY**

Single Cotton Blankets 98c each  
A good useful Blanket—Only 25 of them  
Come early!

**Cuenod's Dry Goods Co.**

Hopping Building

Littlefield, Texas

**Real Economy in Transportation**

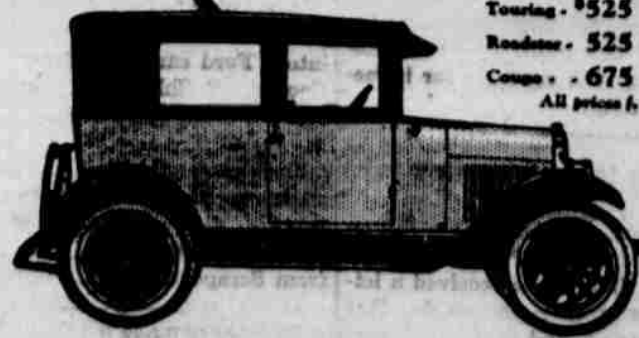


**Quality** is the biggest factor in economy;  
**Quality** determines the pride you take in your car;  
**Quality** determines whether the price you pay is economical or uneconomical;  
**Quality**, the finest you can buy in a low priced car, is provided by Chevrolet.

The quality built into a Chevrolet assures economy from the time of your purchase through the entire life of the car.

Study Chevrolet quality in relation to Chevrolet cost—then you will realize that Chevrolet prices are unusually low.  
The experience of over two million owners has proved that Chevrolet cost of operation is small—that the motor gives a high mileage with a low consumption of gasoline and oil.  
Come to the Special Exhibit this week! It shows how quality is built into Chevrolet.  
Come—and find out for yourself how remarkable a value you obtain in a Chevrolet because of its "Quality at Low Cost."

Touring - \$525 Sedan - \$775  
Roadster - \$25 Commercial - 425  
Coupe - 675 Heavy Truck - 550  
All prices f. o. b. Flint, Michigan



The Coach '695  
A. O. B. Flint, Michigan

**Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co.**

**QUALITY AT LOW COST**

LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER \$1.50 A YR.

**Abilene Business College**  
Abilene & Wichita Falls, Texas

**Position**—a big salary is what counts on the road to success. We quickly train you for a good position. Wholesale houses, mercantile establishments, and the like will position for you. Coupon will bring SPECIAL information Mail Address .....

## Our Cuts always the CHOICEST

Fresh and Tasty, too. Come in and see for yourself what splendid meats we carry. You will find here the best in steaks, roasts and chops.

We also carry a choice line of Staple and Fancy Groceries—the best the market affords.

Our place is always headquarters for Fresh Vegetables—you can depend on us!

We deliver Ice to your Home or Business.

**BUK'S CASH GROCERY AND MARKET**  
"Service and Courtesy"

SCRIBE TO THE LAMB COUNT LEADER, NOW!

## Responsibility Is Yours



Efficiency is of the utmost importance in commanding drugs. You never take medicine for you take it to get well—in the quickest possible time. And unless your prescription is compounded of only the finest, most pure drugs, you are defeating your own purpose when you take it.

Stokes & Alexander realize the responsibility attached to prescription compounding, and every prescription—or any other drug—that goes out of our store is Grade A1. We have been serving the citizens of Littlefield satisfactorily for the past five years. Doctors recognize us as reliable efficient pharmacoplists. That's why they continue to patronize us and recommend us to newcomers. And they all appreciate the personal service that we are always willing and anxious to render—day or night.

**Stokes & Alexander Drug Company**  
THE REXALL STORE  
"In Business For Your Health"

## Tell It To All The People

**This Is The Home of QUALITY GROCERIES IN LITTLEFIELD**

—We don't pretend to carry any other kind. We have no desire to handle anything but the best. Our nearly three years experience selling groceries in Littlefield has thoroughly convinced us of the advisability of keeping away from cheap groceries. They bring grief to the merchant and dissatisfaction to the customer.

—We grant you that it is possible to buy cheaper groceries in Littlefield than we pretend to sell; but you can not buy QUALITY Groceries any cheaper, and quality groceries are always the cheapest in the long run. See us for—

**GREAT WESTERN AMARYLLIS FLOUR**

—AND—

**CHASE & SANBURN SEAL BRAND COFFEE**

—In addition to Quality Groceries, we also specialize on Quality Service. At our store you will always receive the most courteous and genial treatment. Your patronage will be sincerely appreciated.

## The MODEL GROCERY

We Deliver ——— Phone 81

## The Speech He Did Not Make

By WILLIS BRINDLEY

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JOE STEELE had a speech bottled up within him. A speech that was for ever threatening to break forth in a torrent of words.

Well, this was the way Joe Steele's speech went, in the rehearsals he gave it at frequent intervals, sometimes in the dead of night when he lay tossing worrying about bills; sometimes in the morning as he walked to work, and saw other chaps no better motoring.

"Mr. Greer—" said Joe Steele's speech—"for eight years I've been shipping clerk for the Ne Plus Ultra Washing Machine corporation. During that time I've been on time every morning, and I've worked late many and many a night to get out shipments—nights when you and the other executives were enjoying yourselves with no worry about the shipping going out on time. During these eight years I've been well treated, I admit, and I've had my salary advanced twice without asking for it; but, Mr. Greer, I've got a family to support, and the time has come when—"

At this point the speech sort of faded out. It was a good speech, Joe thought, as far as it went, but it lacked a clincher. What it needed, of course, for a clincher, was an offer of another job which might right then be brought into the conversation. Some men, Joe had heard, got away with it by means of boasts of other jobs which had in point of fact not been offered, but Joe was not brave enough for that.

"Fifty Dollars a Week for Spare Time," read one of the advertisements that Joe Steele answered. "Travel and See the World. Be a Detective," said another. Raincoats, just plain raincoats, if you were to believe another advertiser, were things for which the public clamored, and \$75 a week was easy for an aggressive salesman. Or take brushes, or silk stockings—

Why, any number of things. Joe looked into them all and his evenings were filled with the studious perusal of follow-up literature intended to start him in the way to fortune. And finally, upon an eventful Tuesday evening, he made the decision. It should be raincoats.

"Of course," he told Caroline, after they had tucked the children into bed, "there's some talk about it. I might not be able to sell as many as they claim. But if Hodson, a preacher, made \$16 in two hours, and Jacobson, a plumber, sold 18 coats in one week—"

"Of course you can sell them," said Caroline. "I just know you can. Oh, Joe, won't it be fine, and we can have a car, and I'll send for mother and send her a ticket so she can visit us."

Yes, that would be fine. Joe could see that wealth would bring with it responsibilities, but just the same—

He wrote the letter to the raincoat folks, telling them to come ahead with their samples and he'd give full time to the work. But before mailing the letter it would be fair to give Mr. Greer a chance. He had happened into Greer's office only yesterday, just after Austin had announced his intention of quitting the road to go into the poultry business, and Greer hadn't said a word. He hadn't said a word either when it was decided to put on an assistant buyer a few months ago. Instead he had brought in a man from the outside. Just the same, if Greer rose to it and made the raise good enough, why he might consider staying on as shipping clerk, provided a competent assistant was thrown in for sweetening, to make the job a little less burdensome. But unless he did—

On the way to work, Joe Steele rehearsed the speech, and it seemed to him a very good speech indeed, and this time it had the necessary snap, like this:

"And so, Mr. Greer, I've decided to leave your employ. I appreciate what you've done for me, but the time has come when I must look out for the future of myself and my family. I have decided to accept an attractive offer to travel for a firm of national reputation and I would like to be relieved of my present duties at the end of the month."

He watched until he saw Mr. Greer enter his office, gave him half an hour to glance over the mail, then walked in on him, and let loose the speech.

"Mr. Greer, for—"

"Hold on, Joe. Before you start anything, I want a word with you. For eight years, you've been shipping clerk for the Ne Plus Ultra Washing Machine corporation, and I'll say you've been a competent shipping clerk. Bill Austin's going to quit the first of the month—going into the chicken business. Told me about it day before yesterday, and I thought he'd get over it, but he's sticking to it. Darned old fool. Knows about as much about chickens as a Chinaman knows about grand opera. Well, now, here's the idea, Joe. It's time you were deciding whether you're ever going to be anything more than a shipping clerk or not. You know the line and you must have absorbed some ideas about selling. Anyway, I'm willing to take a chance on you. You can start out Monday with Bill and he'll spend the rest of the month with you and show you the ropes and you can take the territory the first of the next month. Now what was that speech you started to make?"

"Why—why," said Joe Steele, swallowing hard, "I wasn't going to make any speech."

## DAIRY FACTS

### SURFACE COOLER IS BEST FOR COOLING

Prompt cooling to 50 degrees Fahrenheit is absolutely essential for producing milk of low bacteria count, warns F. C. Button, professor of dairying at the New Jersey College of Agriculture in New Brunswick.

The quickest and therefore best way of cooling milk is to run it over a surface cooler. On such a cooler the milk passes over the outside surface in a thin layer. Cold water is circulated through the inside and thus chills the milk. By this means the temperature of the milk can be brought within two or three degrees of the temperature of the water. Ice water will be needed in hot weather to bring milk to 50 degrees Fahrenheit.

Morning's milk should be cooled to at least 50 degrees Fahrenheit. Night's milk may, however, be cooled within two or three degrees of the temperature of spring or well water, since it is afterward placed in the cooling tank where further chilling can take place. The water in this vat should not be above 45 degrees.

After milk has been cooled by a surface cooler it can be held at 50 degrees Fahrenheit by placing in the vat two to two and a half pounds of ice for every gallon of milk. If the milk is not pre-cooled before being placed in the vat, four pounds or more of ice are needed to cool each gallon of milk. This pre-cooling will cut in half the amount of ice required in the tank.

The use of small-top milk pails and clean, sterilized utensils, and the milking of clean, healthy cows help to keep bacteria out of milk. Some always get in, however, and unless the milk is cooled quickly they multiply rapidly. In warm milk bacteria double their number every half-hour. At 50 degrees they reproduce very slowly.

### Cows Swallow All Sorts of Dangerous Objects

Cows swallow all sorts of strange things, including clothes off the fence, rags, bones, leather, crockery, bits of metal, pebbles, bark, wood and, unfortunately, sharp objects, such as nails, wires, pins, needles, tacks, hairpins and staples. A swallowed sharp object is extremely dangerous. It lodges in the second stomach, pierces the diaphragm and then the sac to the heart. If that happens incurable and often fatal inflammation of the sac results, causing a disease of the heart called traumatic pericarditis.

Wires that fasten labels to feed sacks are a real menace. Shingle nails have caused many losses. The practical farmer makes it a habit to dispose of every sharp object he sees where it can do no harm. Punctures of the hoof often end in fatal lock-jaw, horses being the commonest sufferers. People may contract the disease in the same way. A dairyman of my acquaintance used a wire brush to scrub the cow mangers. Wires fell out and got into the feed. Seven fine cows died.—Dr. A. S. Alexander, Wisconsin.

### Various Roots Are Good Feed for the Dairy Cow

Roots of all kinds are good feed for dairy cows. Beets are especially valuable, for they not only supply nutrients in a good form, but they do not in any way affect the quality of milk. Rutabagas and turnips do affect the quality of milk, and especially if fed just before milking. If they are fed after milking, it is difficult to discern any flavor in the milk, but butter made from it will, upon standing a few weeks or months, develop an objectionable flavor. This has led some creameries producing high-quality butter to request their patrons not to feed turnips or rutabagas.

### Dairy Notes

Cows do not enjoy moldy silage, and it makes horses sick.

Feeding minerals to dairy cows is relatively new, and we have not learned about it yet.

Clean the barn lots and dairy premises and haul off litter in order to destroy breeding places for flies.

The choice of a herd sire may make or break a man in the dairy business, say dairy specialists of the Pennsylvania State college. The future herd is dependent upon influences in operation now.

Remove the cows from pastures infested with wild onions and bitter weeds three hours before milking, to prevent bad odors and flavors to milk and cream.

Seed or sod the pastures with Bermuda, lespedeza or other desirable grasses. Native pasture grasses cannot be depended on.

The good cow shows femininity in conduct, in disposition and in expression.

If the earth wobbles on its axis, as scientists assert, it will have to wobble. We can't trade it in on another one.

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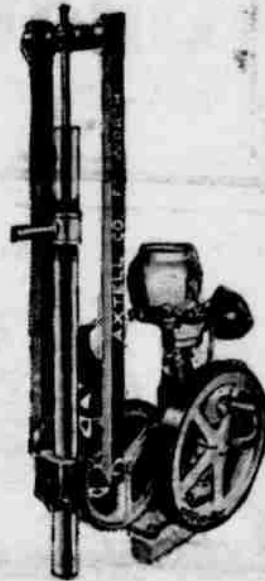
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## The DAIRY

DAIRY PROFITABLE WITH SMALL HERDS

Many creameries at the present time are losing money because they cannot get enough cream for the farmers in their territory to pay their overhead expenses. The volume of butterfat necessary to put these plants on a profitable basis is not likely to be secured until a large number of farmers begin to appreciate the value of the income from a few cows.

In the opinion of Prof. J. P. LaMaster, chief of the dairy division at Clemson college, the creamery development must depend on farmers who will milk from four to six good cows, and there is no doubt a place for such a number of cows on every farm which is operated by its owner living on the land. These few cows can be milked and cared for in a very few minutes before and after working hours each day. No extra hired labor is necessary.

The feed which these cows need and which the farmer saves for them, and the pasture they consume, would yield no income for him if he did not have the dairy cows. When a farmer gets many more cows than is indicated above, says Professor LaMaster, the labor problem becomes important, as does also the feed problem. The dairy herd then becomes a major project on the farm and requires sufficient time and labor to make it interfere with the other plans of operation. It is often just large enough to be burdensome and yet not large enough to be profitable.

There is very little place for herds between six or eight and twenty cows for cream production. Many a farmer has made money and has been satisfied while milking four or five cows, but when he increased his herd to twelve or fourteen cows, he did not make as much money in proportion and was dissatisfied with the results. A large number of farmers with four or five cows each will make dairying profitable.

### Beans Fail to Improve Silage for Dairy Cows

Comparisons of corn silage and corn and soy bean silage for dairy cows at the Iowa station fail to show much advantage for the corn and bean silage. In the first two trials, the cows produced about 2 per cent more milk and butterfat when on the corn and bean silage ration as compared with their production of corn silage, the grain and hay rations being kept constant. In this trial the returns over feed cost were nearly 4 per cent greater when the cows were on the mixed silage.

In a second trial, however, there was a slight advantage for corn silage in weight of the cows and production of milk and butterfat when on the corn silage ration. The dairy husbandry authorities concluded that there is little, if any, difference in the usefulness of the two kinds of silage, so far as feeding to dairy cows is concerned. No apparent differences in palatability were noted and the differences in production were not consistently in favor of either brand of silage.

### Soy Beans for Protein Balanced Ration for Cow

The average dairyman finds it necessary to buy some feed rich in protein in order to feed a ration properly balanced. And protein feeds are the highest in price of any he can buy, therefore it is good business for him to grow something to take the place of cottonseed meal, linseed oilmeal, or whatever he has been purchasing.

Soy beans come nearer being suited to every dairyman's needs than any cover crop. On soil too thin for clover or alfalfa, several varieties of soy beans do well. On a rich soil they make a great amount of feed. If threshed, the seed may be cracked and fed in place of cottonseed or linseed oilmeal with equal results. Or if the hay is used, the cows will digest the grain fairly well.

### Dairy Notes

It takes only 12 minutes to tell whether or not a dairy herd is profitable.

None but high-producing cows are profitable, and the use of pure-bred sires is the shortest road.

Care of good, well-fed dairy stock covers many items, such as handling, breeding, housing, grooming, etc. In short, the dairyman must provide all the necessary conditions for good production.

Missing windows in the dairy barn mean missing dollars in your milk check.

A cow that has to use her energy warming the ice cold water she drinks can't use that energy to make milk.

Butter making begins with the production of good, clean-flavored cream. To obtain practically all the cream from the milk and have it in the best condition requires the use of a cream separator.

## A Case of Fifty-Fifty

By J. A. WALDRON

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"ARE you—this is an intimate question, but I'd like to know—are you a bachelor?" Coquetry and impulse were mingled in her manner.

"And you really would like to know?" His manner showed infatuation.

"Yes. Haven't we gone far enough for candor?"

"We have. Happily I am a bachelor."

And they resumed the little details that describe the fluency of flirtation. On shipboard, out of Bordeaux, bound for New York, they had developed one of those sudden romances that figure in the daily press under the heading "Married Two Days After Meeting," or perhaps one day, as such cases differ.

He was Ambrose Gillroye, of a lineage long and more or less distinguished in its remoter reaches. His line had gone to seed, as far as effort is concerned, two or three generations ahead of his advent. Averse to work, and despising trade, he had married money minus everything else that counts with a sentimentalist, although the money involved was won in trade.

Before marriage and for some time after that event he had roamed abroad, seeking pleasure where it was to be had. The war had stopped these excursions for two years, but at last, weary of his plebeian matrimonial partner, he had gone abroad in hope of renewing his old joys.

Fortified with passports and all other necessary documents that are supposed to insure immunity he had reached Paris, but the atmosphere of the city was so different from that which formerly attracted him that he quickly decided to return. His natural gaiety had been eclipsed by his disappointment as to a pleasure sojourn, but it returned when on shipboard he discovered an object of his gallantry. He was a handsome fellow, and handsome fellows always fill the feminine eye. The countess of Bazentin was the name on the ship's list of the fair one whose first glance promised reciprocal attention.

The countess and Gillroye had needed no introduction. He had arranged her rug almost at the first moment they had met on deck. The third day out found them in a sentimental maze. They were so much together that her maid and his man enjoyed unwanted liberty.

"My entourage is quite unpretentious, as you see," she had said apologetically. "My estates in France were among those involved in the terrors of war. My chateau has been dismantled, and for the moment I am an economizing wanderer, though my future is financially insured."

"Do you remain long in America?"

"For the winter only. I am going across your great continent to California, where I shall remain until spring."

"And then I shall see you in New York?"

"Why not?"

This colloquy took place soon after their first coming together. And her query as to whether he was married was the result of closer intimacy. On arrival in New York—he had not advised Mrs. Gillroye of his intended return, in line with his usual reticence toward her—Gillroye saw the countess well bestowed in a Central park hotel. He would have busied himself with arranging details for her journey westward, but she naively denied him that pleasure. She should leave in a day or two, she said, and would call him for a temporary adieu.

His mind was made up. He would seek a divorce in the state whose law was most quickly accommodating. Then he would visit her in California and propose marriage. She had not told him her place of sojourn on the coast, and this he would learn before she left New York.

The next morning he visited her hotel. She had gone, but had left for him a letter which increased the flame of his infatuation and strengthened his purpose.

When he returned Mrs. Gillroye upbraided him for not advising her of his coming and tearfully complained that among other neglects he never wished to be seen with her in public. He jollied her out of this notion by promising to spend the next afternoon shopping with her.

They both emerged from a limousine on the avenue next day, and Gillroye dutifully led her dog about between her visits to various shops. She finally entered a milliner's, and he tarried for her. Mrs. Gillroye, proud of Gillroye, at once informed the chief saleswoman that her husband was waiting outside, making this an excuse for prompt attention.

The saleswoman, curious as to what sort of a husband this sort of woman could have, was at the show window as Gillroye stood outside. They caught each other's eye simultaneously.

She was the companion of his voyage.

### Habits of Ducks

Young dab ducks are the last of our native ducks to learn how to fly. They are pretty well grown before they take wing, and seem content during their fledging days to resort to "sidewheel" methods of locomotion when disturbed. They beat the water with their wings and paddle with their webbed feet and they are more difficult to capture than any wing-tipped mallard in open water.

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Mrs. Oscar Neely, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, has returned to her home on Enoch's ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum, from White Face, were the guests of his brother, Ed, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Attaway have returned to their home at Brady.

Press Wilkerson has been working in Lubbock the past week.

Miss Lillie Denson entertained the young people with a party Saturday night. Everybody reports a nice time.

Mr. Roberts, wife and three sons, of Littlefield, were out to singing Sunday evening. We were glad to have them with us, and invite them to come again.

Rev. Gibbs preached for us Sunday morning. Then Rev. Keenie preached Sunday night. They were both from San Marcos.



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## DAIRY

### DECREASE IN FAT TEST IS EXPECTED

The appreciable falling off in the butterfat content of milk at this time of year when cows are put on pasture causes considerable consternation among some dairymen, and may lead them to believe that errors have been made at the creamery test. The dairy department of the New Jersey State College of Agriculture, New Brunswick points out that the change to pasture causes an increased milk flow which necessitates the butterfat's being distributed through a larger volume. This makes its percentage look smaller, but the total quantity is not less.

The college makes a few suggestions to aid in getting good samples.

One must be sure that the sample is truly representative of the lot of milk from which it is taken. Cows should be milked dry and the milk poured several times from one container to another. The sample should be taken immediately. Enough milk must be procured for two fat tests. This requires about one-fourth pint.

Care must be taken to prevent the sample from souring before it reaches the laboratory. To insure against souring, a preservative is added. Bichloride of mercury tablets are the most efficient and one-half tablet is enough. Formaldehyde or formalin may be used at the rate of three drops to a sample. In each case the preservative should be mixed thoroughly with the milk.

One of the most important steps is that of filling the sample bottle to overflowing before inserting the cork. If the bottle is not full the milk will be agitated in transit to such an extent that churning will result. When butter granules are once formed, it is difficult to get a reliable test. When small medicine bottles are used, it is the practice to make a hole in the cork with a nail. Fill the bottle entirely full of milk. Insert the cork and seal it by pushing a match into the hole in the cork. This will prevent the cork from being forced out by either gas or air escaping from the milk.

When these few directions are observed, there is no difficulty in obtaining an accurate determination of the fat content of the milk.

### How to Feed Dairy Cows to Obtain Big Profits

Feed all the roughage a cow will eat. This should include succulent feed and a legume hay.

With a good roughage—as alfalfa, soy bean, or clover hay—feed a Jersey or Guernsey one pound of grain to each two and one-half to three pounds of milk; a Holstein, Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, or Shorthorn, one pound of grain for each three to three and one-half pounds of milk.

With a poor roughage, such as timothy or wild hay, feed a Jersey or Guernsey one pound of grain for each two pounds of milk; a Holstein, Ayrshire, Brown Swiss, or Shorthorn, one pound of grain for each two and one-half to three pounds of milk.

These rules for feeding dairy cattle are laid down in Bulletin 218, "Feeding the Dairy Herd," prepared by C. H. Eckles and O. G. Schrader of the dairy division, University of Minnesota, and just issued by the Minnesota agricultural experiment station. Copies can be obtained by addressing the Office of Publications, University Farm, St. Paul.

The good dairyman, the bulletin says, tries to maintain summer conditions the year round. The conditions of early summer which make possible maximum production are: Abundance of feed, palatable feed, a succulent ration, a sufficient amount of protein, moderate temperatures and comfortable surroundings.

### Stringy Milk Caused by Certain Bacteria Form

Stringy milk, or milk that gets thick after standing awhile, is caused by a certain form of bacteria that get into the milk, either through the water used in washing the milk utensils, from the udder of the cow or cows, or from the dust of the feed given the animals. The source of the infection may be the cream separator, especially if care is not used to have this utensil carefully cleaned and sterilized each day. It may be well to keep the milk from each cow separate for a few days to determine whether or not the infection came from a single cow. It may take some investigation to discover the source of the trouble, and in the meantime all vessels used for the milk should be washed thoroughly and scalded after each using.

### Varying Temperatures

Warm cream should never be mixed with cold cream as this will not only hasten the souring process, but will also give the cream an off-flavor. The proper way to mix the morning's cream with the cream of the evening before is to thoroughly cool the warm cream before it is mixed with the cold cream. While the cream is cooling the cover should be slightly raised to allow the animal flavor to escape and the cream should be stirred.

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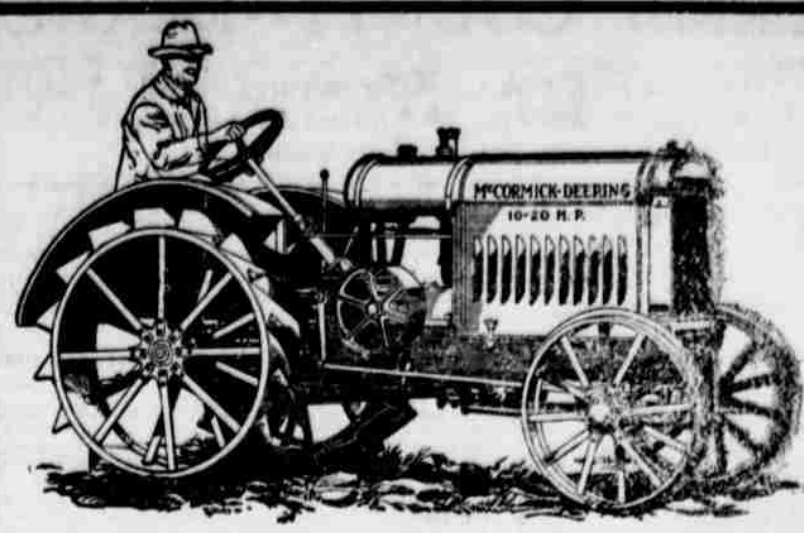
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## As the Editor Sees It

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK.

He hath not dealt with us after our sins; nor rewarded us according to our iniquities.—Psalms 103:10.  
How slow to hear the sins they love to do.—Shakespeare.

### HUNTING ACCIDENTS

Many lives are sacrificed each season because men and boys are careless in handling guns. Evidently many never were given safe instructions by experienced hunters; they have failed to learn by observation and they have not taken a lesson from the tragedies of other years. Each year many lives are lost by hunters pulling their guns through fences they have jumped, or in pushing through heavy brush or underbrush with cocked guns. If these people had been under the instruction of an experienced hunter when they first started out the dangers of using a gun that way would have been explained to them. They would have been instructed in safety in getting their guns over or through the fences encountered. But they never learned, and as a result many unnecessary deaths each hunting season.

The Littlefield man who goes hunting with some one inexperienced in carrying a gun takes a great risk and cannot watch his hunting companion too closely. All forms of firearms are made for the purpose of killing something, and they are of no other use. It can be the hunter as well as the game, if the gun is in the hands of one unfamiliar with the proper way of handling it.  
Many thousands of men and boys roam the fields, across the prairies and through the woods without a knowledge of the first principles of handling firearms. If your boy doesn't know how to handle a gun with safety, teach him, and also, protect your own life by refusing to go hunting with a man who has never been taught.

### NOTE ABOUT SPANKING

People seem to be arguing the question of spanking from all points of view—except that of the youngster who is spanked.  
We would suggest that if those who are arguing for or against spanking would occasionally interview some of the boys and girls who get spanked, they could clear up their arguments.  
Littlefield parents look on spanking as one of the world's oldest institutions. It has existed because it always seemed the easiest way of parental control. But many parents of today appear either too busy or too negligent to attend to this domestic duty, which is, perhaps, one reason why many children need spanking.  
At any rate, the spanking argument seems to have spread to every section of the country, with the result that many communities are now neglecting other matters to argue over whether it is better to "spare the rod and spoil the child."

### TWO KINDS OF TALK

There is either a great deal more intelligence in salesmanship today than there was, or else business men have learned that in the long run it pays to tell people just exactly out of what things are made. At least this is true in Littlefield.  
Take the matter of "all wool" clothing, for instance. If you go in-

to a store now and ask for under-clothing you may be told that a certain kind is half-wool and some other kind is three-quarters wool. Years ago many clerks would have said that the latter kind was "all-wool." But the majority of business men have reached the conclusion that it pays to be wholly frank and to give the public exact information.  
There was formerly a type of clerk or salesman, who was always "knocking" articles they did not have in stock, or slamming their competitors. Today the well-trained clerk knows it is better to remain silent regarding the faults of competing goods unless he positively knows they contain defects.

The kind of salesmanship that once depended on a flow of smooth talk is being supplanted by the kind that tries to make itself intelligent about the goods being sold, and to give the prospective buyer advice that will be worth something to him. As a result, our merchants, here and elsewhere, are selling more goods and making more satisfied customers.

### REWARD

P. Mortimer Millyun's Rolls Royce was stolen yesterday from in front of the county poor house while Mr. Millyun was inside visiting his aged parents.

### THE FIRE

Littlefield's first major fire last week has been the subject of various comment ever since. It also should be the source of several lessons in experience.  
The heroic and unceasing work of the fire-boys in fighting the ravenous flames, cannot be too highly commended. Augmented by the other citizens, who bent their efforts to assist in quenching the flames and saving the property endangered, the conflagration was kept confined between the walls of its origin and thousands of dollars worth of other property spared.  
Of course, it was to be expected that some foolish things would be done. In such times it is only natural that some folks become nervous and excited to the point that they lose self-control, and they should not be seriously censured because of this. It is merely a demonstration of the fact that all humans are not created alike by any means. And, being our first fire, naturally we did not know just how to act, what to do and what not to do. Next time we may be able to exercise more control and better judgement. At any rate, everyone tried to do the best as they understood it.  
The loss is indeed regrettable, and the injury to some of our citizens even more to be deplored; but when it is considered how much more serious it might have been, there is still plenty of room for thankfulness. It is needless to say that there is probably not a single citizen in Littlefield who now regrets the ballot he cast last spring for the municipal water-works.

### JUST THE WEATHER

During the past week there has been considerable changing of weather, the officials seemingly not being satisfied with anything they have been hashing out, and bent upon experimentation until they find something more desirable. Of course, everyone can not be satisfied, but it is hoped ere long those in charge will find something that will appease the desire of the majority and at least be

## Your Birthday Is it this Week?

October 18-24

If you were born during October 18-24th, you have a pronounced fondness for society, amusements, and the opposite sex. You are naturally energetic, ambitious and generous. You are amiable, impulsive and demonstrative. You are benevolently inclined and loyal. You are bold and daring in your enterprises, and can stand losses, disappointments and ill-luck better than other persons. You have a natural inventiveness and originality.  
You are very talkative, and your natural enthusiasm gives you a tendency toward exaggeration. You are never content unless you are at the head of things—you are sometimes very self-willed and obstinate, and resent any personal criticism.  
The women find their chief interest in their families. However, they also display much talent in music, art, designing and business executives. The men usually become stock-brokers, speculators, bankers and politicians.

palative to the minority.

As a matter of fact, and just such restless conditions as are now being experienced may be expected until the season gets started again. But while it is going on, it creates more or less talk, some anger, some more profanity, but no one seems to be able to organize any concerted action against it.

Congress cannot be depended upon to do anything about it, local mass meetings will be of no avail. The churches nor the Commercial bodies are in vain. All the protests of outraged citizenry will get nowhere. Better just let it alone—smile and take what's coming. For after all, the more one laughs about anything the less it hurts.

### BLONDE BESS OPINES

She:—"Is it true that blondes marry younger than dark haired girls?"  
He:—"Sure—the lighter the head the sooner they tie up."

### PAVEMENT PICKUPS

"As a general thing," says E. L. Maxey, "when she marries for money, it's hers," and he adds that "when he marries for money it's also hers."

"Mother used to worry about the whereabouts of her wandering boy," says W. B. Phipps, "but now very often she doesn't know where her girl is either."

W. G. Street pauses to remark that most any young man would like to have a \$6,000 a year income if he could get it by jerking soda water instead of farming or laying brick.

Charley Harless says one of his business maxims is that, "The fellow who agrees with everything you say is either a nut or he is getting ready to skin you."

Max McClure sitting in a well known local restaurant last week remarked, "Nervous, what do you mean?" "Nervous, what do you mean?" inquired the blond waitress who was serving him. "They seem all unstrung," answered Mc.

Henry Teeters was teaching a young chap of aspirations the art of carpentry last week. "What rule do you use to avoid hitting one's thumb while driving a nail?" queried the novice. "Why, that's easy, replied the instructor, "just hold the hammer with both hands." Next!

Speaking about voting bonds for the new sewer system, Bill Valles says if they do he is in favor of chaining the manhole covers to the frame. He said when he lived in Graham the fellow that got tanked upon "jake" were constantly stealing the manhole lids, bringing them home and trying to play them on the phonograph.

### LITTLE LEADERS

Another definition of a Littlefield home is a place where we grumble the most and are treated the best.

To some Littlefield girls, an engagement ring means that they have got some man wrapped around their finger.

The fact that the dead can not communicate with the living is probably a consolation to more than one widow around Littlefield.

Some Littlefield men's idea of a good wife is one who tells him what a good provider he is, instead of what a poor driver he is.

Nothing renews a Littlefield man's faith in himself like being able to correctly estimate the yield of a field of cotton.

The hundreds of dollars worth of goods mysteriously disappearing after the fire last week is concrete evidence that the Sunday schools of Littlefield are not yet over-crowded.

Notwithstanding winter is coming

on, one occasionally gets a glimpse of a dress on the streets of Littlefield that looks like it was merely intended to starve the moths to death.

In these days of rush and work, the average Littlefield man's nose is kept so close to the grindstone that he doesn't have time to turn it up at other people.

It has been observed that some Littlefield mothers who used to say their little girl was six years old so she could ride on the train for nothing, now declares she is 16, so she can drive the car.

### WEST TEXAS NEWS

Floydada—A Poultry Association has recently been organized for Floyd County and plans are under way for a big poultry show this fall. Officers elected were: H. P. Coleman of Lockney, president; Judge L. G. Mathews, vice president, and E. S. Shoaf, secretary.

Crowell—A White Way will soon be installed in Crowell, as the iron posts have been mounted on the cement blocks and are ready for the lighting of the streets.

Maryneal—Within the next few weeks the first field meet of the West Texas Wolf Hunters Association, of which Dr. P. C. Coleman of Colorado is president, will be held near Maryneal, Nolan County. The Hunters expect to enter more than 300 dogs for the big hunt, which will be a three-day affair. The dogs will be scored from the standpoint of trailing, speed driving and endurance.

Comanche—The entire plant of Higginbotham Bros. & Company of this City was destroyed by fire with a total property loss of more than \$200,000. General Manager, T. J. Williams stated the firm would soon have a new stock of merchandise and ready for business again.

Floydada—Construction is now under way on the new high-way connecting Floydada with Crosbyton. The highway will come up the Blanco Canyon making it a beautiful scenic drive for this section. Floyd County Commissioners are contemplating the connection of this highway with the road leading into Floydada, connecting with the highway here leading into Silverton.

Estelline—The business men of Estelline organized a Chamber of Commerce here recently. More than forty business men and farmers were present at the organization. The aim of the new Chamber is to do two

things immediately to benefit the city and community; incorporate the city, and build a larger and better school. Officers elected were: R. H. Whaley, president; R. L. Erwin, secretary; and a vice president will be elected later.  
Plainview—The new Plainview Theatre under the management of Roy Mitchell opened with an estimated 1,500. This is one of the most modern and well equipped theatres in the state and will handle and would be a town much larger.

## A COMPLETE LINE OF Drugs And Drug Sundries

Toilet Articles, School Supplies and Novelties

We spent an entire week in Dallas picking up on choice Holiday goods, which are now being every day. It is not too early to begin your selections. You should see the new styles of colored and cut glass service sets just received.

We carry a complete line of the Parker Duofold pens and Pencils.

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—Perhaps you are planning a new home. You are a new settler in this new country, where you are. You already have ideas of how you want it. Maybe you also have plans of it.

—Investment in a new home is a wonderful endeavor. It is deserving of encouragement and support. A part of the service we render our customers is careful attention to detail.

—If you are ready to build and want suggestions as to materials, cost of construction or even plans, we solicit your patronage. We supply you with building materials of all kinds, no better quality to be found anywhere in the South Plains of Texas.

—Do not hesitate to confer with us—no matter how big or how small your building job be. We guarantee our materials.

—We also carry a nice line of Hardware all kinds—Stoves, Kitchen Utensels, Tin, Copper and Aluminumware, Plumbing Supplies, Gas Engines, Tools and Cutlery.

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JOHN W. BLALOCK

**303 Miles an Hour**



Lieut. Alfred Williams, U. S. Navy pilot, who in an unofficial test at New York last week flew a 20-foot Curtiss racer at a speed of 303.5 miles per hour, the fastest speed ever attained by man.

Miss Mary Lee Carpenter, who lives near Amherst, was the guest of Miss Sybil Sanders Sunday.

L. C. Kemp is having a modern residence built on his farm nine miles southwest of Littlefield.

**SPRAINS**

This soothing, healing, penetrating remedy takes all of the smarting pain out of sprains, strains, cuts, sprains, etc., and quickly heals the injury. Get a 25-cent bottle at drug stores today.

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**Society DAIRY**

**MRS. STEEN ENTERTAINS**

Mrs. Robert W. Steen was a delightful hostess when she entertained the young women's bridge club Saturday day afternoon, at her home.

A number of rounds were played at the close of which dainty refreshments were served in two courses, the first consisting of chicken salad, cheese straws and coffee, the second of Charlotte Russe.

The following members and guests were present: Mesdames Otho Key, A. P. Duggan, Star Haile, Van Clark, C. C. Clements, F. A. McSkill, W. G. Street, P. W. Walker, Charles Cooper, A. C. Chesher, J. M. Stokes, Lena Howard, Hilburn Smith, J. D. Jones, T. Wade Potter, Jimmie Brittain, R. D. Borough, Clayborne Harvey, E. D. Parnell, Bivens and Miss Nell Ruth Earnest.

**MRS. BAZE ENTERTAINS**

Mrs. Bessie Baze entertained a number of young people at her home Saturday evening with a forty-two party.

A number of games were progressively played, after which delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Misses Lydia Crockett, Modena Webb, Fern Hoover, Clela Blair, Alta Anderson, Verna Henson and Carmelita Baze, Messrs. Earl Phillips, Vayne Harless, Lee Harris, J. K. Baze, Lloyd Chesher, Willie Joe Beck and Travis Baker.

**A BIRTHDAY PARTY**

**Six-Year Olds Entertain Number of Young Friends**

Wednesday, September 30th, marking the date of the sixth birthday of both little Miss Mildred Wiseman and Carl Logan, their mothers entertained a number of their little friends in their honor, with a lawn party at the home of Mrs. E. A. Logan, from three to five o'clock.

Various games were played and a large angel food birthday cake, containing lucky emblems, was cut by the little folks and served with delicious banana nut ice cream.

**SOCIETY DAIRY**

**SATISFACTORY WAY OF MARKING CANS**

In checking milk and cream shipments at depots, dairies, and creameries, we find that quite a number of the milk and cream cans are not properly marked so that they can positively be identified. Most any farmer or dairyman can tell his own can by some peculiar mark or particular dent or scratch on the can, but he must remember these marks mean nothing to a stranger.

Milk cans that are shipped in by truck sometimes have no marks on them or are partly worn off.

Usually the truck driver or the man at the milk plant can tell whose can it is, but if a strange truck driver or new man at the milk plant be on the job, he would be unable to recognize these cans.

Farmers who ship cream by truck or rail should not depend too much on the common tag that is usually used. It may get wet and the writing on it be obliterated or it may become torn off and lost.

There are several ways of marking your cans that are satisfactory. A brass name plate may be soldered on the can or a brass tag attached to the link which holds the cover to the can, bearing the owner's name and address.

Another way is to have your name and address embossed in the body of the can. This can be done when you buy a new can. The cost of embossing the name and address in the body of the can is about 50 cents for a single can and less where more are done at the same time.

If for some reason you prefer to paint your name and address on the cans, be sure to put it on plainly and look it over occasionally to assure yourself it can be understood by others.

If a can of cream should arrive without any tag or identification as to who sent the can, the only thing the express company can do is to sell the cream and await developments which come only after long delay and annoyance to all concerned. Remember the express company and the creameries and milk plants handle thousands of cans every day and they all look alike to them, if not properly marked.—W. H. Skitt, Dairy Inspector, Colorado State Dairy Commission.

**Cow at Calving Time Is Entitled to Right Care**

A Wisconsin dairy expert recommends the following care of the milk cow at calving time:

Have cows in good condition to insure reserve energy and body tissues for milk production.

Provide a comfortable box stall or suitable place for calving.

Be prepared to treat an attack of milk fever by having a milk-fever outfit to inflate udder with air.

Blanket cow immediately after calving if weather endangers her becoming chilled.

Do not milk cows completely dry for 48 hours after calving.

Feed cows sparingly the first few days after calving.

Warm water and a few quarts of scalded bran or oats and good hay is sufficient for the first day or two after calving. Gradually work cows on to full feed, which ordinarily requires two to three weeks.

Be careful not to overfeed.

Remove the afterbirth if necessary inside of 48 hours after calving, and do not allow the cow to eat it.

Remove the calf from its mother after the first two to four days, and teach it to drink from a pail.

**Produce High Producers to Make Cow Profitable**

No one can tell with certainty just what the daughters of a pure bred dairy sire will produce until after they have been milked, but it can be stated with certainty that the daughters of common or scrub cows sired by a good pure bred dairy sire will be better than their dams. As nearly as can be estimated the average production of the western dairy cow is under 2,000 pounds of milk per year. If this milk tested 4 per cent the average butterfat yield per year would be 104 pounds. With feed at present prices, approximately one-half the dairy cows are below the production that will yield a satisfactory profit. Economy and logic indicate that the most satisfactory method of obtaining higher-yielding dairy cattle is to breed them. The poorer cows can be replaced by better ones and then pure-bred sires from high-producing cows can be used to build up the production of the present herds of the state.

**Keeping Up Milk Flow**

Cows at the beginning of their lactation period are very sensitive to change in feed, water and weather than when they are nearer to the end of lactation. If a cow is so affected that her milk production drops down shortly after calving, it is almost impossible by the most careful management to bring her production back. This means that a successful dairyman must plan in advance so that his cows will be amply fed on a balanced ration.

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—The first subdivision of this well known ranch, consisting of 45,000 acres, was thrown open for settlement October 6th, last year, and by the first of the following January was practically all sold out. This second subdivision is the same kind of land, just as favorably located, and will be sold as quickly.

**RESERVATIONS NOW BEING MADE**

—This land is being sold at the very reasonable price of \$85.00 per acre; \$5.00 per acre cash payment, balance due in fifteen years—fourteen years at \$1.00 per acre, and last payment of \$16.00 per acre due the fifteenth year—six per cent interest on deferred payments.

—In this proven agricultural country that is now attracting such wide attention, a man with small means can easily buy and pay for a home. After the first payment is made, the annual crops received from off the land insure all future obligations. There is no reason for anyone being a hireling to some landlord when a home of their own may be secured so easily.

—Write or see us for further detailed information.

**Ellwood Farms Company**

**R. C. Hopping, Sales Mgr. Littlefield, Texas**

Report of the Condition of  
FIRST NATIONAL BANK

At Littlefield, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on  
September 28th, 1925

RESOURCES

1. a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks, and foreign bills of exchange or drafts, sold with indorsement of this bank (except those shown in b and c) .....	\$ 4,326.18
5. Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.: Federal Reserve Bank stock .....	850.00
6. Banking House, \$.....; Furniture and fixtures, \$750.00 .....	750.00
8. Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank .....	2,000.00
10. Cash in vault and amount due from national banks .....	63,025.04
13. Checks on other banks in the same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 12) .....	166.62
Total of Items 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 .....	\$63,191.66
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$71,117.84</b>

LIABILITIES

17. Capital stock paid in .....	\$25,000.00
18. Surplus fund .....	2,500.00
19. a Undivided profits .....	\$83.00
b Reserve for .....	\$83.00
Less current expenses paid .....	1.20
81.80	
<b>Demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve (deposits payable within 30 days):</b>	
27. Individual deposits subject to check .....	43,535.91
Total of demand deposits (other than bank deposits) subject to Reserve, Items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, and 32 .....	\$43,535.91
46. Liabilities other than those above stated Over and Short account .....	.13
<b>TOTAL</b> .....	<b>\$71,117.8</b>

State of Texas, County of Lamb, ss:

I, E. L. Maxey, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the abovestatement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. L. MAXEY, Cashier.

(SEAL)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of October, 1925.  
MYRTLE WILLS, Notary Public.

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**JACK HUPPERTZ IS HERE FOR MEET OF ENDEAVORERS**

The Christian Endeavor rally held Tuesday evening at the Presbyterian church was generally conceded to be one of the nicest affairs ever held by the local organization.

Bright autumn flowers in profusion made a pretty setting for the excellent program which was rendered.

Arthur Mueller directed the singing with Mrs. Arthur Duggan at the piano, wherein all took part.

Prayer was led by A. P. Duggan followed by a piano solo, "Venetian Boat Song"—Nevin, by Miss Helen Logan.

Miss Gwendolin Beebe gave a very appropriate reading, "The Skeptic's Daughter."

Miss Nannie Thelma Wardlow favored the audience with a piano number, "Lichestrawn No. 3"—Liszt.

Mrs. Elena Kent Allan's reading, "Rejected," by Gretchen, preceded by a brief sketch of Gretchen's inspiration for the composition, was greatly appreciated.

Jack Huppertz, state field secretary of Christian Endeavor work, was present and delivered a splendid address, which held great interest for both members and guests of the occasion, bringing out the fundamental points along Christian Endeavor work, the duties and obligations of the membership, and especially for the active members and their allegiance to the Christian Endeavor pledge. He commended the local society for the manner in which they conduct their programs and its committees. "The social committee of the Christian Endeavor is the most important and necessary committee," said Mr. Huppertz.

At the close of the program a very pleasant social was held in the basement of the church, where humorous occurrences were related and a number of songs were rendered. A song in compliment to Mr. Huppertz was sung by the members, which was responded to by Mr. Huppertz with a very clever song, "I Am Glad I Am Here."

With Mrs. A. P. Duggan in charge, assisted by the junior members of the Junior Christian Endeavor, delicious refreshments, of cake and cream, were served.

Two hymns, "I Need Thee Every Hour" and "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," were sung by all, followed by the Endeavor benediction.

Mr. and Mrs. Cody Martin, of Granbury, arrived here Sunday morning in response to a message of the illness of the latter's brother, George Jake Landers, who succumbed to slow fever Saturday night.

The Kansas Agricultural college says: "To discouraged grain farmers: Take care of a few dairy cows and a few dairy cows will take care of you."

The dairy herd of Jerseys and Holsteins at the University of Idaho has just passed another clean test for tuberculosis. The herd has been accredited for five years and has never had a reactor.

The final essential of a dairy ration is economy. As a general thing people are dairying for the profit available, not for the love of work. Therefore it is economy—it is the size of the balance after the cost is paid that really tells the story.

Don't be disappointed with mail order houses. Trade at home.

ANIMAL SHOW COMING

Monroe Wild Animal show is billed to be in Littlefield next Saturday, which will furnish sufficient excuse for all the grown-ups to want to take the children to see the captives from the four corners of creation.

Monroe Bros. claim to have the largest elephant in captivity, and is unusually trained. They also have a big collection of other specimens from the wilds of nature. Cupid, the smallest pony, has almost human intelligence.

The ridiculous, side-splitting antics and tricks of the clowns will be well worth the price of admittance. There are also performing lions and monkeys. Aerial artists and choice music.

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**J. T. Street**

The Pioneer Insurance Agency  
Littlefield, Texas

**The Cold Weather Last Week**

Proved that the season for putting up Stoves will soon be upon us.

Our stock of Heaters, Cook Stoves, Ranges, Stove Pipe, etc., is still complete in every detail, and we can supply your needs in anything in this line.

It will pay to investigate our stock and prices before buying elsewhere.

**Lamb County Mercantile Co.**  
Littlefield, The Pioneer Store Texas

**LOOK! READ!**

We are Broadcasting Great News to the People of Littlefield

**The Self Serving Grocery Store**

—Will Open—

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17th**

This is a store where people help themselves. We also wait on our customers. We will give you SERVICE that is DIFFERENT from any other store. Every article will have a price ticket on it. You will know what you are paying for each item. You may come in our store, stay as long as you wish, handle every article in the store without taking up the clerk's time. We are also glad to wait on you, and will give you service with a smile.

**We Will Save You From Five To Twenty Per Cent on Every Article Purchased at Our Store**

Remember, we are one of a chain of stores, and buying in large quantities we give our customers the benefit of it. Our fixtures cut our operating expenses 25 per cent. You can see we will be able to save you money. Think what this saving will mean at the end of each month.

**We Operate a Delivery Service**

Which is out of the ordinary for a store of this kind. We will deliver orders any hour of the day, and without any extra cost to you.

One visit to our store will convince you of the great saving we offer. Come in on opening day. We want to meet every person in this country. Call me "Ed." We are a live bunch—come to a live town.

Remember when you buy an article in this store and we do not thank you for it, it don't cost you anything. Remember our location—next to the Lee Theatre. Watch for our circular. It will be out soon, with prices that will surprise you.

**Self Serving Grocery**

Phone 10

**SOME VERY CHOICE LAND**

We own a few choice labors of land on the Spade and Enochs ranches that we will sell on regular terms. If you want a home better look these farms over. We can please you.

We also have a good listing of improved farms close into Littlefield and worth the money. You shouldn't fail to see us before buying.

**Yeager-Chesher Land Company**

The Land Men of Lamb County

Littlefield

Texas



# Your Credit Standing

Just exactly what you yourself make it. Good or bad it is your own making. It is up to you and you only. And good or bad it follows you wherever you go. It may mean much to you in time of need. You should keep your credit good as a matter of protection for yourself, your wife and for your children.

## You Can't Afford To Neglect Your Credit

If there is an account that you have neglected to pay, or a broken promise to pay, now is the time to square yourself and get started on the high road to success. You will be happier and will your creditor.

**Retail Merchants Association**  
Littlefield, Texas

# Chili King Cafe

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Try Our Plate Lunches  
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# ROSS Meat Market

A good line of meats—choice juicy and tender—just the kind you like. Fish and Oysters Every Friday



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We Deliver  
**Model Grocery**

## Knitted Frocks Follow Smart Tailored Ideas



With winter apparel definitely traveling in the direction of tailored styles, knitted frocks have taken up the same trail, with distinguished success. Here is one of them, with convertible scarf collar, long sleeves and simulated plaits, which challenges comparisons. It is ideal for general wear and a joy to the tourist or sportswoman.

## Rich Coats Achieve a Tailored Aspect



Parading the most noteworthy style points in the new modes, this coat of brown bolivia with fox fur trim, will find many ardent admirers. It achieves a side flare by means of panels, a single-button side fastening, trim lines and a rich aspect.

## Novelties in Trimmings Brighten Little Frocks



Imagine this little frock in tan, light brown or bright blue wool goods, with belt and pockets of red kid—the latter outlined with steel nail heads—and you will be captivated by its smart style. Kid may be bought in several bright colors and many snappy color combinations made.

## Brown Tones Dominant in New Fur Garments



In fur coats the trend of the mode is toward simple, tailored lines, side fastenings, and conservative treatment of new style features. Greater fullness in skirts is introduced by short godets, or by the cut of the garment, with an eye to preserving the slender silhouette. Brown is the dominant color in many tones.

## A CHILD'S STUDY CLUB ORGANIZED IN LITTLEFIELD

The Child's Study Club, of Littlefield, was organized here last week with a large membership, officers were elected and meeting days determined.

The local organization is under the auspices of the Twentieth Century Self-Culture Association, with headquarters at Chicago, and is an enlargement of the National Congress of Mothers. It is understood that the new society has already been accepted in 11 different states and that there are now several auxiliaries in West Texas. Mrs. M. L. Carroll, of Kansas City, was organizer of the local club.

The purpose of the organization is to carry the mother love and thought into all that concerns or touches childhood in home, school, church or state; to develop wiser, better trained parenthood; and to bring into closer relation the home and the school that parent and teacher may co-operate intelligently in the education of the child.

This organization is already doing much throughout the country toward probationary care of children, teaching young parents as to their specific privileges and duties, promoting higher ideals of marriage and the maintenance of its sacredness and permanence, and in arousing the country generally to a fuller sense of its duty and responsibility toward childhood.

Officers elected for the Littlefield club were as follows: Mrs. R. L. Speight, president; Mrs. E. L. Maxey, 1st vice-president; Mrs. E. A. Bills, 2nd vice-president; Mrs. Jess Mitchell, 3rd vice-president; Mrs. Robert Steen, secretary; Mrs. Pat Boone, treasurer. Meetings will be held twice monthly, on the second and fourth Fridays.

The membership consists of Mesdames A. J. Barton, N. L. Ball, F. A. Butler, E. A. Bills, R. D. Borough, F. M. Burleson, Pat H. Boone, E. C. Cundiff, Van B. Clark, C. J. Duggan, C. E. Ellis, Tollie D. Gray, T. T. Garrett, Chas. L. Harless, A. G. Hemphill, J. S. Hilliard, R. S. Haile, Otto Jones, E. A. Logan, E. L. Maxey, R. E. McCaskill, Jess Mitchell, Frank Maulden, J. L. Pate, Gladys Roberts, E. S. Rowe, C. D. Smith, R. L. Speight, J. M. Stokes, R. W. Steen, Jr., C. O. Stone, G. M. Shaw, Enloe Smith, N. A. Vaughter, E. E. Williams, H. W. Wiseman, P. W. Walker, C. E. Willis, J. J. Yohner, Jess York, D. A. Gaddy, R. D. McBurnett, H. P. Maddrey, Pryor Hammond and J. Norton.

J. R. Wales, of Florence, arrived here Sunday to look after property interests. While here he renewed his subscription to the Leader, stating that he could not get along without it, as it was his only medium of keeping in touch with this section. He expressed his great surprise at the development of Littlefield since his last visit here a year ago. He was accompanied by C. D. Kelly, of Florence, who is prospecting. Both parties are contemplating moving here in the near future.

The artistic English style residence of C. J. Duggan is being completed in the Southmoore addition this week.

## HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

E. G. Courtney, director of transportation for the school, is able to return to his duties after being confined to his bed for several days following injuries he received in the fire last week.

**More Teachers Added**  
With the rapid increase in the school enrollment, it was necessary to add two instructors to the faculty this week. Mrs. T. P. Johnson will teach English and history in the high school, and Miss Bettie Culberson will teach in the intermediate grades.

**Lyceum This Month**  
The high school is fostering a lyceum for this season and the first program will be presented, under the auspices of the high school, Wednesday, October 28th. Season tickets will be placed on sale the 21st, and all the people of Littlefield are urged to buy season tickets early.

**Football Dope**  
The football game between the Ralls Jack Rabbits and the Littlefield Wild Cats was well attended Saturday, despite the inclement weather. The score was 21-6 in favor of the Ralls team.

The Wild Cats, the high school football team, will go to Hale Center Saturday for a game with the high school team there.

**More Yet To Come**  
At the beginning of school the total enrollment was 1004 and the present enrollment reaches the 1104 mark, an average of more than thirty new pupils each week, and many more are expected to enroll this week.

**Fire Prevention Week**  
Fire prevention week was fittingly

## Clash for Baseball's Premier Honors



Here are the two teams which this week battle for the World Title. Top photo an unusual group picture of "The Washington Senators" in "civies", while being received by President Coolidge. Arrows indicate Clark Griffith, Pres. Coolidge, "Bucky" Harris, Mgr., and the veteran Walter Johnson. Bottom: the challenging Pittsburgh Pirates. Front row, left to right:—Hass, Moore, Culloton, Sheehan, Ens, Billy McKechnie, Jr., (in front), Wright, Cuyler, Kremer and Gooch. Center row, left to right:—Oldham, Smith, Traynor, McInnis, Carey (Captain), McKechnie (Manager), Clarke, Bigbee, Thompson, Spencer, Grantham and Austen. Rear row, left to right:—Frazer, Hingham, Onslow, Barnhart, Aldridge, Sam Watters, Barney Dreyfus (President) Sam Dreyfus, Rawlings, Yde, Adams, Morrison and Meadows.

observed by the high school students who, under the direction of Miss Lillian Busher, teacher of English asked each student to write a theme or draw a poster illustrating the danger phase. Among the many received by the teacher, a large fire demon protruding from a can labeled "Gas," drawn on a 20x22 cardboard, by Sybil Sanders, a member of the sophomore class, was recognized as the best example.

The object of the lesson on this particular subject is in seeking to reduce the city tax 3 per cent of the key rate, which will be done if the subject is taught in school.

Two fire drills are made throughout the school twice each month, and in the grammar school a period is devoted to a fire drill once each week.

## You will save money—

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Insurance Department Littlefield, Texas

# OPENING AUTO PARLORS

The Crockett-Blair Motor Co., take genuine pleasure in announcing to the public the opening of their auto parlors in the new brick building adjoining the Littlefield Service Station at the foot of Main street,

Saturday, October 17th

We have secured the agency for the Chrysler and Star cars and the International Trucks, and there will be on display in our parlors on that day samples of these desirable automobiles.

We have received this week an attractive line of the popular Chrysler cars, in both four and six cylinder makes, of Roadster, Touring and Sedan types—unquestionably the classiest car on the market today. Just to see one is to desire it.

It is the desire of the management that the public generally be our guests on this occasion. Whether you own a car or not, whether you contemplate buying or not, we extend you a cordial invitation to call at our parlors Saturday between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and five o'clock P. M., that we may have the opportunity of greeting you and that you may have the pleasure of seeing this fine array of makes and models.

Refreshments will be served throughout the day and there will be a musical concert in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

# Crockett-Blair Motor Co.

Littlefield,

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## Dairy Cow Efficient Food Producer



Properly built stalls cut down work and bacteria.

With increasing rentals and values of farm lands, dairy farming is rapidly replacing other types of live stock farming. A dairy cow producing 8,000 pounds of milk a year furnishes 1,000 pounds of dry matter, all of which is edible and digestible. A two year old steer weighing between 1,200 and 1,300 pounds furnishes about 550 pounds of dry matter, not all of which can be used for food. In other words a fairly good producing dairy cow furnishes twice as much edible dry matter in one year as a good two year old steer when he is killed for meat. A cow can be kept for additional years of service, while to replace the steer, another animal must be fed for a period of two years.

The United States consumption of milk per capita has increased from 42 gallons of whole milk in 1918 to more than 54 gallons in 1925.

With growing acceptance of milk as a food has come an increasing knowledge of the proper care of milk on the farm. Because odors from foods and animals in the cow stable are easily taken up by milk, injuring its flavor, they must not come in contact with the milk. Removal of the milk from the stable as soon as possible reduces the amount of dust and dirt entering it and keeps down the bacterial growth in the milk.

Bacteria increase rapidly in warm milk causing it to sour quickly. Removal of the animal heat from freshly drawn milk by lowering the temperature to that of cold well water (approximately 60° F.), greatly aids in preventing bacterial growth. A well lighted, well ventilated milk house, not too close to the stable, is also very helpful.

Cleanliness in the stable is vitally necessary. The stall platform should be just long enough for the cow to stand comfortably without room to spare; otherwise, the cow will become dirty from droppings when she lies down. The gutter should

be wide and deep. A good gutter is 16 inches to 18 inches in width and 9 or 10 inches below the platform. Bedding should be clean and plentiful.

Long hair on the flanks, udders and tail above the switch of the dairy cow should be removed at regular intervals. Removing this long hair removes the clinging places of dirt which otherwise will fall into the milk pail in quantities. Keeping the hair short on these parts of the cow permits cleaning in much less time and more thoroughly. Brushing should never be neglected. It removes loose particles sticking to the body. When the hair is short, wiping the udders with a damp cloth just before milking, is an easy and important aid in securing clean milk.

It is generally recognized that most of the bacteria found in milk finds its source in dirt clinging to the cow and dropping into the pail during milking time. Simple precautions will practically eliminate this source of bacterial growth and dairymen find themselves well repaid for the little time necessary in taking such precautions.

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Keep the utensils clean.

## BAPTISTS MAKING PROGRESS IN BIG FINANCE CAMPAIGN

In the week of training for enlistment in the financial campaign for the Baptist church here, which is being conducted by Rev. L. L. Cooper, of Fort Worth, meetings are being held each night where the needs of the organizations are brought before those in training.

Some 40 or 50 additional Sunday school teachers and officers, B. Y. P. U. and Woman's Missionary Union officers will be added to the present organizations.

Several have expressed the desire to do beyond their ability in this campaign and the church people are showing hearty co-operation, who, together with the people of Littlefield, realize the need of a large church with an auditorium adequate to accommodate conventions and religious congregations, which might be asked to meet in Littlefield.

The Baptist church is looking forward to having 600 in Sunday school

in a short time after the building is ready for use.

The structure will be a credit to Littlefield, and will be one among the many other things that attract people to this aggressive city, and with this prevalent knowledge the campaign promises to increase in enthusiasm as the people are enlisted from day to day in this worthy work.

A good kicker has more friends on the gridiron than on the diamond.

The Leader for printing.

### SHORTHAND AND TYPEWRITING

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# BLED SOE

## The Coming Town of West Texas

Bledsoe, located at the terminus of the new Santa Fe extension out of Lubbock, is destined to become a city of 5,000 population within five years time. City lots are now selling rapidly, and building has already begun. There is now a big demand for farm lands in that vicinity.

## The Landon Lands

Comprising some 18,000 acres of as fine virgin soil as may be found anywhere in West Texas, is now on the market, surveyed into tracts of 123 acres each, and selling rapidly. This land adjoins the town of Bledsoe. Prices range from \$30 to \$35 per acre, on good terms, and will be double this value within twelve months time. Now is the time to select your home in this choice new country.

The following letter, written by R. J. Murray, general agent for the Santa Fe system speaks for itself. Read it!

### R. J. MURRAY

General Agent

WEST TEXAS TOWNSITES AND LAND

212 Leader Building

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

October 7, 1925.

Mr. J. C. Whicker,  
Whicker Land Company,  
Littlefield, Texas.  
Dear Mr. Whicker:

I note with interest and pleasure the fine success that you are having in selling the Landon farms adjacent to our townsite of Bledsoe. This is particularly gratifying to me because I know that you are worthy of success and your proposition is one of merit.

I believe that Bledsoe, in six months, will make a population of 5,000, and in my opinion, Bledsoe will be one of the largest concentration points for wagon cotton in Texas. I base my belief on the fact that surrounding Bledsoe is a rich, cat-claw, red, sandy loam land, peculiarly adapted to the raising of cotton, corn and feed stuff.

You may be interested in knowing that we have made arrangements to place a bank in Bledsoe just as soon as we can get a charter, and that we are making arrangements to build a brick school building sufficient to take care of all school needs. We have also been advised that a highway will be built into Bledsoe through your land from the East and probably a highway will be built along the railway from Lubbock to Bledsoe, and then from Bledsoe to Roswell, New Mexico.

In my opinion, all of the land suitable to cultivation, priced reasonably and upon good terms, in a radius of five or six miles of the railway will be sold this year.

Yours truly,  
(Signed) R. J. MURRAY, General Agent.

For further information regarding choice land in this new country write or call on the

# Whicker Land Company

Littlefield, Texas

Bledsoe, Texas

No man ever lives to be as old as he feels at twenty-one.

The first essential to success is labor, the second is spotlight.



FRESH BREAD  
HOT ROLLS  
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Whole Wheat Bread  
Every Thursday.

The Littlefield Bakery

### AFTER COTTON PICKERS

It is hoped that a sufficient number of cotton pickers will be available locally within the next few days, according to T. Windsor, of the Chamber of Commerce.

During the past ten days Mr. Windsor has been keeping the mails and telegraph wires busy carrying his calls for pickers to take care of the big cotton crop of this section that is now fast coming to maturity.

He states that his S. O. S. calls are being heard, and believes that within a short time now there will be plenty of help available.

According to his information, it appears that the word has gone out that on account of excessive rains in this section, much of the crop had been seriously damaged and the rest of it was several weeks later in maturity than it really is. While the maturity has been somewhat retarded on account of fall rains, yet there has been no damage done. The bolls are now bursting open rapidly, and calls for pickers are becoming urgent.

Men are praising girls' knickerbockers even though there isn't anything to blow about.

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### FIRST BASKETBALL GAME

Town Girls Mix Ball With Team From  
High School

The town girls' basketball team met the high school team in a match game Friday night at the gymnasium wherein the high school team was victorious with a score of 14-8.

Despite the fact that it was the initial game the girls had played, the first time the town girls had practiced, and some of the players had not been in a game for several seasons, the game was fast and held interest for the large crowd that had assembled to witness it. It was refereed by Mrs. Paul Johnson.

The town club, which was recently organized and from which the team was picked, is composed of the following: Mesdames A. H. McGavock, C. C. Clements, Jake Hopping, Hilburne Smith, R. D. Borough, Clayborne Harvey, Pat Boone, E. D. Parnell, F. A. McGaskill, Mauldin, Misses Ruth Courtney, Robbie Burns, Lois Farquhar, Dessa Key, Lil Bowman, Nell Ruth Earnest, Ozella Webb, Lois Garhart, Nannie Thelma Wardlow, Gladys Douglass and Helene Lightfoot.

### CARD OF THANKS

Through the columns of the Leader, we wish to express our sincere appreciation to the public generally and to the local fire department in particular, for the loyal efforts put forth to save our stock of merchandise during the fire last week. While we suffered an irreparable loss, yet we realize it was through the earnest endeavor of the workers that a much greater loss was averted, for which we are indeed grateful.

We also wish to state to our friends and customers, that just as soon as our building can be replaced we will be back in business with a larger and better stock than ever before.

LITTLEFIELD SUPPLY CO.

Peace: A period during which nations prohibit use of the weapons they intend to employ in the next war.

### "Banking" System Old

The Roman emperors lent money upon land. The lending of money on the security of movable articles, which were said to be pledged, became common in European countries during the Fifteenth century. Out of this grew the system known as pawnbroking which was specially regulated in England in 1734 and 27 years later the business of pawnbroking was licensed.

### AT THE CHURCHES

**METHODIST SERVICES**  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.  
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting and choir practice, Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.  
—Silas Dixon, Pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES**  
The First Presbyterian church, the "home folks church," extends a cordial welcome to all worshipping Christians to come and worship with us.  
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.  
H. J. JORDAN, Pastor.

**BAPTIST SERVICES**  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 11:00 and 8:30 p. m.  
B. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting, Thursday, 8:30 p. m., followed by a business meeting.  
Please be on time.  
W. M. U. meets Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Bible Study every Lord's Day, beginning at ten o'clock. Preaching services upon announcement until regular pastor is secured.

**LUTHERAN SERVICES**  
English service every 1st and 3rd Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.  
German service every 1st, 3rd and 5th Sunday at 10:30 o'clock.  
A hearty welcome is extended to all.  
C. Scheiderer, Pastor.

**Church of Christ**  
Cor. 9th & Park Ave.  
Preaching at 11:00 A. M. on every Lord's day. Everybody invited.

**Whitharral.**  
Sunday school each Sunday. Everybody invited to attend and take part. Preaching twice each month, at 3:00 p. m. Rev. W. B. Phipps will preach every fourth Sunday and Rev. Silas Dixon every second Sunday at this hour. Everyone invited to attend these services.

**Progressive Christian Church**  
Meets every Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock in the Grammar school building for Bible study.

### ASK DAD HE KNOWS

The modern generation can steal kisses while driving their auto with one hand; they find dark movies romantic, and secluded park benches ideal for spooning; but Grandpa says that for sparkin', "the old boss and buggy had 'em all beat."

### DEAD OR ALIVE

"What am de mattah, ah ain't seen you round about lately?"  
"Man, ah dun been sick, ah has. Why foah days and days I wuz fraid to look in de paper, feer ah would see my name in de died column."

### WHILE YOU WAIT

"I want my overcoat cleaned and relined, when will it be ready?"  
"I don't know, my father's in court."  
"In court? What's he doing?"  
"He said he was going down to press a suit."

A plan to get rid of sharks that destroy billions of valuable fish every year, and the small, savage whales that prey upon the great schools of salmon in the Northwest would be worth millions in increased food value.

### JERSEY CATTLE FOR SALE

We have a nice assortment of young Jersey cattle to offer at all times. Will have an all-day auction sale on November 7th.  
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Be proud of your home town.



**SADLER DRUG STORE**  
Littlefield, Texas

### BLUE MONDAY!

—Don't dread wash day any longer, but send us your laundry. We'll do it like it is done at home, and we never lose a piece. Special pains taken with fine linen goods. PHONE 150

AND WE'LL DO THE REST.

**CITY LAUNDRY**

### THE LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER, \$1.50 A YR.

**COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE**  
Fire, Windstorm, Automobile, Casualty, Life  
**STRONG-DUGGAN INSURANCE AGENCY**  
M. D. Strong C. J. Duggan  
Phone 80

## WALL PAPER

Samples of the very latest and best grades of  
Wall Paper now on hand.

**S. L. Neely**  
Contractor and Builder

Box 473 Littlefield, Texas

# Wanted

To lease some sod land broken this summer  
to plant wheat on. Will turn land back to  
owner as soon as wheat is threshed.

**P. W. Walker**  
Grain and Seed Co.

Littlefield, Texas



## COAL

Time to  
Put It In

As the season advances so does the price of coal. Each month it takes a rise in price. It is good business policy for you to lay in your coal now.

We have a good supply in our bins at present, but it is going out rapidly. There is no better coal ever came out of the earth than that which we handle. It is noted for its lasting qualities, its heat giving units and its complete combustion. You pay for no lignite, slate nor rock—but PURE COAL when you buy from us.

Phone in your order now—we can make prompt delivery.

**Cicero Smith**

LUMBER COMPANY  
QUALITY SERVICE  
Phone 8



## SERVICE—When You Need It Most!

Winter is one of your car's worst enemies—with its icy rains, its slushy mud and freezing blizzards—and it will soon be here. Only a few weeks now and Jack Frost will arrive, bringing with him all his inconveniences.

Let us overhaul your car now and put it into perfect condition for winter service. There is no better equipped garage in this town, and under the direction of E. C. Sellers, of Birmingham, Ala., and R. D. York, of Detroit, Mich., you will find a skill in service not to be excelled anywhere in West Texas.

We have Tires and all kinds of Automobile Accessories  
Agents for Dodge Bros. Cars  
Drive Here Whatever Your Needs May Be

**Smith and Roberts**  
Garage

Littlefield, Texas

**THE LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER \$1.50 A YR.**



**JUST RECEIVED**  
**A Nice Stock of New**  
**Tires and Casings**  
**INVITE US TO YOUR**  
**NEXT BLOWOUT**  
**Quick Service Station**  
**T. C. & R. M. SMITH**  
**Proprietors**

**Farm and Ranch Loans 6 per cent**  
**Improved City Loans 7 per cent**  
**ON EASY TERMS**

**LITTLEFIELD TOWNSITE LOTS**  
**LOTS IN SOUTHMOOR ADDITION**  
**ACREAGE TRACTS IN BROAD ACRES**  
**CONVEYANCING & NOTARY WORK**  
**C. J. DUGGAN, LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS**

**CANNON BALL STAGE**

Leave Estillene 10:00 a. m.—Arrive Plainview 2:30 p. m.  
 Arrive Clovis 6:30 p. m.—Leave Clovis 8:00 a. m.  
 Arrive Estillene 8:00 p. m. via Turkey, Quitaque, Silverton,  
 Lockney, Olton, Littlefield, Sudan, Amherst, Muleshoe and Texico.  
 Make all train connections at Estillene.  
 Notify your friends whom you are expecting.  
 Save time and money.



**Money Spent For**  
**INSURANCE**  
**Is An Investment**

—Whether for Life or Fire Insurance, money expended in this wise should never be charged on the debit side of the ledger—for it is invariably a good business investment.  
 —For the comparatively small amount insurance costs, no man can afford to be without it. Both property and life should always be kept well insured.  
 —We have known instances where fire has reduced a man to poverty, and within a very short time afterward he died, leaving his family penniless. Insurance would have averted such a calamity.  
 —We represent leading strong companies of America. Better drop into our office immediately and talk the matter over with us.

**A. G. HEMPHILL**  
 State Bank Bldg. Littlefield, Texas

**First National**  
**BANK**

OF LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

—the new bank in Littlefield is a creditable institution to any community. Operating under the banking laws of the United States of America, it has a capital, surplus and financial connections fitting the institution to handle practically any business proposition confronting it. Its stockholders are men of large financial resources, long experienced in the banking business and thoroughly acquainted with needs and conditions of this section of country.

—We solicit your business, and assure you there is no account, whether large or small, that we are unable to handle, and which will always receive our most careful and considerate attention.

—At any time we may be of service in assisting you in the solution of any business plans or the handling of any of your funds, our experience and very best judgment is at your command. Our motto is—

**FRIENDLINESS AND ACCOMODATIONS**

**OFFICERS**  
 W. O. STEVENS, President  
 JESS MITCHELL, V-President  
 W. L. ELLWOOD, V-President  
 E. L. MAXEY, Cashier

**DIRECTORS**  
 E. A. BILLS  
 J. T. ELMS  
 CHAS. L. HARLESS  
 A. NEUENSCHWANDER

**Blackwater Draw**

People in this community are very busy gathering crops.  
 Mrs. Dunlap is visiting her daughter at Lubbock this week.  
 Marvin Green has moved here from Oklahoma.  
 Jim Cates' little boy was taken to Lubbock this week for an operation. Hope he soon will recover.  
 Omen Kirk has returned home after a three weeks' visit with his sister at Dallas.  
 Mrs. Bennet spent the day Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Bureson.  
 Mr. Johnson was taken to Littlefield sanitarium this week.  
 Marvin Qualls and Clyde Thomas are visiting at Obrane this week.

**LEARN TO SWIM**

The young son came running madly into the house and dashing over to the book case he began throwing volumes right and left.  
 "Where's that book tellin' how to swim?" he cried.  
 "What do you want with it?"  
 "Pop needs it—he just fell in the river."

**DUMB DAN'S WIFE SAYS:**

Doctor—"Your husband is in a critical condition—do you give permission to use a local anesthetic?"  
 Wife of Patient—"I certainly do—I believe in patronizing home industry."

The Good Old Days were those in which a parking problem was easily solved by setting up a bicycle rack in front of the establishment.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Lamb county—Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon Orville Tice by making publication of this citation once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if there be no newspaper published in the Sixty-Fourth Judicial District; not, then in any newspaper published in the nearest district to said Sixty-Fourth Judicial District, to appear at the next regular term of the district court of Lamb county, to be holden at the courthouse thereof, in Olton, on the fourth Monday in November, A. D. 1925, the same being the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1925, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of October, A. D. 1925, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said court No. 134, wherein Grace Tice is plaintiff and Orville Tice is defendant, and said petition alleging that on or about the 8th day of December, A. D. 1924, plaintiff was married to defendant in the county of Palmer, in this state, that at the time of said marriage plaintiff was an infant under the age of eighteen, to-wit: of the age of about sixteen.

That for a short time after said marriage plaintiff cohabited with defendant, but plaintiff and defendant have not cohabited as husband and wife for any time or in any manner since defendant left the plaintiff, to-wit: on or about the 5th day of January, A. D. 1925.

That plaintiff is desirous of having said marriage between herself and defendant dissolved and declared null and void by a decree of this court.

That soon after plaintiff and defendant were married as aforesaid defendant commenced a course of harsh and unkind treatment toward this defendant without cause or provocation on the part of this plaintiff. This plaintiff was at all times kind and affectionate to defendant and managed the household affairs with prudence and economy, but defendant unmindful of his marital vows and disregarding his obligations to treat plaintiff with kindness and affections caused her great mental anguish and humiliation by his misconduct and was arrested on numerous occasions for various offenses and placed in jail and now has several felony charges against him and has among other charges the offense of forgery, swindling by means of giving bad checks and has gone away and left this plaintiff and she does not know of his whereabouts and have not heard from him since said time he left her.

That on the account of the cruel and mistreatment of this plaintiff by the defendant, and his total failure to regard her in her feelings and causing her unbounded mental anguish and suffering as aforesaid has made their living together as husband and wife insupportable. And plaintiff has been compelled to return to her parents and depend upon them for her support and protection and that it is impossible for plaintiff to live again with defendant as her husband.

Wherefore plaintiff prays judgment of the court that defendant be cited in terms of law to appear and answer herein and for judgment dissolving said marriage relations, and that said marriage and for other and further she be granted a divorce dissolving the relief, special and general, at law and in equity to which she may

be justly entitled, etc., and that she be restored to her maiden name of Grace Clark.

**GRIFFIN & OVERSON,**  
 Plainview, Texas.  
 Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Herein fail not but have before said court at its aforesaid regular term, this writ with your return thereon,

showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Olton, Texas on this the 9th day of October, A. D. 1925.  
 M. R. CAVETT,  
 Clerk, District Court, Lamb County (Seal) Texas.  
 Oct. 15, 22, 29, Nov. 5

**FIRST & LAST CHANCE**  
**Service Station**



Prompt Courteous Service is what you receive day or night at this station.

We handle a good line of the very best oils and gas the market affords.

We can make repairs and adjustments on all makes of cars. Storage by day, week or month.

You will appreciate our business methods and we will appreciate your patronage.

**HALT!**

At The—

**FIRST AND LAST CHANCE GROCERY**

You should not pass it by either way you may be traveling. If you do it means you are passing by an excellent opportunity to supply your needs in this line and you may regret it.

We carry a complete line of Staple and Fancy Groceries. Lunch goods of All Kinds—Let us serve you!

Just like the well known shoe polish, ours is a man and machine concern. We take care of both the needs of yourself and car. Drive by and let us "fill you up".

**HENRY STALLO, Proprietor**

Littlefield

Texas



**The Texas Utilities Company**

It Supplies Light and Power  
 Without Effort on Your Part

That is one of the reasons why service of electricity is growing so fast. It meets the definition of "an essential public service."

No community that expects to grow can get along without electric light and power. No community can grow unless its electric service grows ahead of it to make its growth possible.

Supplying electric power and light is not selling a commodity. It is doing service. This service must be ready every minute of the day. It must be ample to meet all demands. It must be supplied to all alike.

These things about this service lend it the great public interest that attend it. They are the things that make it desirable for the community and its people and electric utility management to understand each other fully and be perfectly frank with each other.

This company seeks that kind of co-operation with the people that it serves.

**The TEXAS UTILITIES CO.**

R. E. McCASKILL, Manager

Littlefield, Texas

"COURTESY AND SERVICE"

LEADER, YOUR HOME PAPER \$1.50 A YR.

## FURNITURE

### Everything for the New Settler

We specialize in furniture needs for the folks moving into this new country. At our store you will find everything needed to begin your housekeeping in this new section—and at "live" let live prices.

The general assortment of furniture we carry covers both the staple and finer kinds. We have everything in home equipment from the finest to the plainest kitchen, and at prices that prove you are getting your money's worth.

**LITTLEFIELD FURNITURE COMPANY**  
N. B. GUSTINE, Proprietor

## HARDWARE

—In addition to our already complete line of Builders' Hardware, we are putting in a nice line of Shelf and Heavy Hardware that can not be surpassed in Littlefield.

—In our new stock you will find a choice assortment of Kitchen Equipment, Queensware, Glassware, Aluminum and Granite Ware, Pyrex, Table Silverware and Electric Appliances. We handle—

**New Perfection and Kerogas Oil Stoves**  
**Hot Point Electric Ranges**  
**Fruit Jars, Cans, Tops and Rubbers**  
**Guns and Ammunition of all Kinds**

—We have a big stock of Galvanized Tubs, Buckets, Iron Wash Pots, Churns and other Dairy Equipment.

—In the interest of your bank account it will pay you to visit our Hardware Department before making your purchases.

## A. Butler Lumber Co.

Hardware Department

Service — In a Hurry  
Littlefield, Texas



### "This Business Is Mine"

The agriculturist or live-stock man who refers to his farm as "his business"—usually has a business of which to be proud. And you will find upon investigation that he has each branch of his business well organized—in production, financing—and selling.

Financing is of utmost importance. It controls both production and selling. The supplying of the family needs during crop season requires no little business skill. Our store is the farmers' friend, and it is our chief aim to be of assistance to the farmers in catering to their merchandise needs and assisting them in a financial way to make their year's work a success.

There are many ways in which a merchant can assist you, and we take a special delight in doing so. Our stock of General Merchandise is selected with a view to meeting the demands of the agriculturists. Come in, Mr. Farmer—let's get acquainted—tell us your plans and let us make suggestions of ways we can assist you.

## Barnes Mercantile

The Store with the Goods

Littlefield, Texas

## Want Ads.

Want ads., Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, Miscellaneous, etc. RATES: Classified, first insertion, 10c per line; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 7½c per line. Unless advertiser has an open account, cash must accompany order.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Delco light plant, cheap, good condition, will take in Ford roadster. Will also sell Dodge speed wagon, Dempster windmill with steel tower, Fairbanks-Morse 3, 6 and 10 horse power engines.—P. W. Walker. 17-tfc

FOR SALE or Trade: 320 acres good unimproved land in Roosevelt County, New Mexico, for property in Littlefield or Sudan or farm land in this vicinity. Address, Leader office. 3-tf

FOR SALE—L. C. Smith typewriter, in good running condition. Will sell worth the money. Leader office. 19-tfd

FOR SALE—160 acres, near Spring Lake, Texas, Lamb county. Write R. H. Irmingier, Kearney, Mo. 23-5tp.

PHONE 134 for day police, or 170 for night police service. 24-1tfc.

Two 11-acre tracts, five blocks from school houses. \$1500. each. E. C. Cundiff. 16-tf

FOR SALE: Classified ads at 10c per line for first issue, and 7½c per line for each successive issue. Unless you have an account with this office, cash must accompany order, and all ads will be taken only for a specified time.

FOR SALE—Jersey cow. See Mrs. N. H. Walden at Tourist Park. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—Well improved farm 3½ miles of town. Two small houses and some lots. J. W. Porcher. 26-4tp

FOR SALE: 2 residences, 3 rooms each, one extra nice finished. Also 2 room house completed in about a week. L. R. Crockett. 24-tfc.

### WANTED

WANTED—Empty sacks. Littlefield Coal and Grain Company. 26-3tc

WANTED: Clean cotton rags. Buttons, hooks and other metallic substances must be removed. Leader Office. 1-tf

WANTED: To lease sod land broken this summer to plant wheat on. Will turn land back to owner as soon as wheat is threshed.—P. W. Walker Seed and Grain Co. 23-1tfc.

FOR SALE: Large field-grown roses with extra root growth, variety of color and type. See my sample display at Houk's Market. Mrs. D. A. Alford. 26-5tp

WANTED—Girl or woman to do house work. Apply to G. M. Shaw, at Shaw-Arnett-Tolbert Co. 23-1tfc.

WANTED—Two or three rooms furnished for light housekeeping. Inquire Leader office 26

PLACE your orders early for Holiday and Christmas greeting cards. The Leader has a nice line of samples.

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—The Leader will run free of charge advertisements in this department for those who want to exchange pure bred sires with Lamb county farmers. If you have used your sire until you desire to change, and will exchange him with some farmer in the county, send us the facts and we will advertise him for you free.

### MISCELLANEOUS

Carbon paper at the Leader office

TYPEWRITING for the public. Lorena Barber, at C. J. Duggan's office. 13-tfc

VISIT our Toilet goods department. Cuenod's Dry Goods Company. 26-1c

THE Self Serving Grocery located next door to the Theatre building will be open Saturday. 26-1tc

You should see the crops around Bledsoe, Texas.—Whicker Land Co. Littlefield. 17-tfc

IF YOU need any light bulbs try J. W. Robertson. Every bulb guaranteed. 51-tfc

Carbon Paper and Second Sheets, at the Leader office. 1-tf

IF YOU can't come to our store Saturday, just phone 10 and buy some of the big bargains we will offer.—Self Serving Grocery. 26-1tc

SEE our Massy-Harris Row Binders before buying—Duncan & Penning-Littlefield. 20-tfc

CALUMET Baking Powder 15c per lb. Why 35c. Porter's store. 21-tfc

VISIT us on opening day. See something new. We open Saturday, October 17.—Self Serving Grocery. 26-1tc

OUR AUTO repair shop is now open and ready for service. We have first class workmen and skilled mechanics.—Littlefield Service Station. 24-tfc

LOST—4 head of sheep, one registered number 42029. Reward. R. A. Kelm, Littlefield, Texas. 25-3tp.

MR. FARMER: We will buy your produce and pay the highest market prices. Bring it in Saturday morning.—Self Serving Grocery. 26-1tc

WANTED COTTON PICKERS—Two families to pick a bale a day each. Will furnish a house to live in. See Arbie Joplin. 25-tp.

WANTED: To buy 30,000 pounds of Sugar seed. Must be free from Johnson grass. P. W. Walker Grain & Seed Co., Littlefield, Texas. 24-tfc.

FOR RENT: Small four-room house. Wm. J. Wade. 26-1tc

THE Self Serving Grocery Store will open Saturday, October 17. 26-1tc

BUILDERS Lumber and Hardware shipped direct from the mill to your station. Let me quote you prices. Acree Barton, 1st house north of Lutheran church, Littlefield, Tex. 25-8tp

WHICKER Land Co., Home office, Littlefield Hotel, Littlefield, Texas. Land Office, Bledsoe, Texas. Terminal of Santa Fe west from Lubbeck. Fine cat-claw land. 17-1tc

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms, one large front room, residence close in. See Dr. Pillans. 26-1tp

HEMSTITCHING and picotting.—Mrs. John Blair. 1-tf

PHOENIX HOSE: In the new colors. Cuenod's Dry Goods Company. 26-1c

Bargains in used cars of different makes. Cash or terms.—Bell-Gillette Chevrolet Co. 52-tfc

MASTERPIECE SERIES—School tablets, note books, loose leaf paper, etc., at Cuenod's Dry Goods Store. 26-1tc

Green's Cafe—where Littlefield eats. 17-tfc

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone and little son, Pat, Jr., returned Friday from Roswell, N. M., where they attended the cotton exposition.

Mrs. J. Norton, of Fort Worth, is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Duggan, all of whom have taken an apartment in Lubbock for a few weeks.

### INCREASE FREIGHT RATES

Oklahoma Action Results in Higher Rate for Plains

Last Monday freight rates on grain in the Panhandle country took an increase of about 11 per cent.

The increase is said to be due to Oklahoma and Kansas farmers being unable to get a reduction themselves, producing a compromise which resulted in the Panhandle increase.

It is stated by local grain dealers that the half freight rate to drought stricken districts of Texas is of very little benefit to either section, as the requirements for the rate to be effective are that shipment must originate and destinate on the same railroad line.

## New Shipments Arrived



This week we have received a big shipment of Fall and Winter Hats for Women and Misses—the very latest in style, colors and trimmings. You will not find a better display of Fall headwear in a town of similar size anywhere in West Texas. Call and see them.

## Ladies Shoes

We are also in receipt of new shipments of Ladies' Footwear, in the fashion's favorite of one, two and three strap, medium and high heel, in patent leather, velvet suede and satin. You will want a pair.



## The Fair Store

Littlefield,

Texas

## A FALL SUIT VALUE That Cannot Be Equaled

The  
SAXTON  
At  
\$32.50



The active out-door note for Fall is embodied in these new suits. Broad shoulders—tapering coat at the hips; straight hanging trousers, not too wide—but very, very leg-comfortable.

You may select either the youthful 2-button or smart 3-button coat—as best suits your figure and taste.—A blue suit fits in anywhere. It is always in good taste. It looks good on the young man—or his elder.

### SINGLE OR DOUBLE BREASTED MODELS

This group of Fall and Winter Suits is tailored of rich texture unfinished worsteds—noted for their long wear. Even the patterns and colors are novel and unusual. The models are conservatively smart in their lines, which means true new style. Not a burlesque or copies of new fashion note—but the real thing.

Make Comparisons of Style, Fit and Value  
and We Will Have Made a Customer of You

## C. E. ELLIS

Littlefield

Texas

## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gardner visited friends in Amherst Sunday.

J. H. Trimble transacted business in Lubbock Tuesday.

J. T. Street made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

J. T. L. n. of Plainview, visited friends here Sunday.

Lem Shipman, of Morton, transacted business here Monday.

Miss Mary Ried made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

Gus M. Shaw made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. Maude Foster made a trip to Chillicothe the first part of the week to transact business and visit her parents.

Mesdames T. M. Springer and F. G. Sadler made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Borough, accompanied by Mrs. Sam Farquhar, made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Charles Clements, assistant district attorney, of Plainview, spent several hours here Tuesday.

Jess York, who was severely injured in the fire here last week, was taken to a Lubbock sanitarium Friday. His condition is reported very favorable.

Ed Beisel made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

Duwin Gaither, of Anton, was in Littlefield Tuesday.

Thomas Howard, of Baileyboro, spent the week end in Littlefield.

R. E. McCord, of Cisco, was here prospecting the first of the week.

Miss Jimmie Beebe has accepted a position with the Leader.

Overton Ribble, of Sulan, was transacting business here Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. B. B. Liles moved into their new home in the west part of town Monday.

Ralph Campbell, local contractor, returned with his bride from Oklahoma, Friday.

Miss Stella Loyd has accepted a position with the A. G. Hemphill Insurance Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stockton, accompanied by Miss Ann Douglass, made a trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Johnnie Conklin this week sold his hamburger shop to Messrs. Tom Mitchell and Claud Chiers.

Julian Joplin attended the Lubbock-Fort Worth baseball game in Lubbock Monday.

Ross White, who suffered severe injuries in the recent fire, is able to be up this week. However, his arm is carried in a sling.

Jo Ann Parker, little daughter of Jess Parker, is in a Lubbock sanitarium this week where she underwent an appendicitis operation.

Dr. Charles Waggoner, of Lubbock, was here Friday.

F. W. Elliott, of Lubbock, was here on business Monday.

Joe Seale, of Lubbock, was here on business Monday.

Arthur Mueller made a trip to Clovis, N. M., Sunday.

J. D. Dodgen, of San Marcos, has accepted a position with the Quick Service Station.

John Barry, of Baileyboro, was transacting business in Littlefield Monday.

Lillian Hopping, who has been quite ill for several days, is able to be up again.

Arbie Joplin attended the Lubbock-Fort Worth baseball game in Lubbock Monday.

W. S. Cox is having a full set of improvements built on his farm three miles east of town.

J. M. Cox is having a set of improvements built on his farm in the Enochs community.

A. H. McGavock made a trip to Lubbock Monday to attend the Fort-Worth Lubbock baseball game.

E. G. Courtney was able to be up Monday, after being confined to his bed for several days following injuries he received in the fire last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Secrest, of Lubbock, were in Littlefield Monday. Mrs. Secrest was before her marriage last week, Miss Helen DeVitt, of the DeVitt ranch, near Morton.

Everett Whicher has made the purchase of a new Chrysler roadster.

W. B. Hodges is having a modern residence built on his farm seventeen miles southeast of Littlefield.

Russell Wimberly, who received a broken arm last week, is reported to be doing nicely.

E. C. Cundiff attended the Fort Worth-Lubbock baseball game at Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harless, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ellis, made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCaskill attended the Fort Worth-Lubbock baseball game Monday, at Lubbock.

B. W. Forester has just completed a modern residence on his farm ten miles north of Littlefield.

Misses Thelma Barnes and Nell Ruth Earnest made a trip to Lubbock Monday.

L. B. Greer of Coolidge, is building a set of improvements on his place ten miles east of Littlefield.

C. L. Johnson, who has been in the sanitarium for several days, was able to be taken home Sunday.

Dr. L. L. Cooper, of Fort Worth, who is conducting a financial campaign for the Baptist church here, made a trip to Olton Tuesday in the interest of his work.

Joe Boyd, of Meeker, Oklahoma, is here this week improving his land three miles southwest of Littlefield. He is making preparations to move here in the near future.

B. K. Thurston, of Olton, was transacting business in Littlefield Friday.

Judge R. C. Hopping is having a residence built on his farm in the Blackwater Draw community.

E. R. Allen, of Lubbock, is having a residence built on his farm, on the Spade ranch.

Charles Lisenby, of Hubbard City, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hay.

Ferd Henderson is having some new improvements built on his farm twenty miles west of Littlefield.

Mrs. E. A. Bowman, who has been quite ill, is reported to be much improved.

Winfield Miller, who underwent a tonsillitis operation last week in Amarillo, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pope and little daughter, Eloise, and C. C. Williams, made a trip to Clovis, N. M., Sunday.

Erwin Kleypas has just completed a nice residence in Southmoor addition.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian Walden are this week moving into their new residence in Southmoor addition.

WANTED—Sub-agent for Littlefield to sell popular priced old make six cylinder automobile. Address P. O. Box 1735, Lubbock, Texas. 26-2tp

John North, special agent of the Phoenix Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., was here this week and appointed the Strong-Duggan agency the local representative for his company.

W. W. Gillette is having a stucco residence erected in the south part of town. It is modeled after the Spanish mission style.

Lee Crownover, of Grandview, is here this week looking after the gathering of his 400 acres of cotton twelve miles south of Littlefield.

Dr. R. L. Perkins had as his guests Sunday, Dr. J. L. Lockhart, of Sudan, and Dr. Kirk Ratliff, of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hay were called to Plainview Friday because of the illness of their son, Willie, who is attending Wayland college there. Mrs. Hay returned Sunday and Mr. Hay will remain for several days.

H. W. Harless, of Snyder, was here the first part of the week visiting his sons, Charlie and Jim Harless. He was accompanied by A. E. Russ. Both parties contemplate investing in land near Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal A. Douglass, and daughter, Erna, arrived here Thursday from Cleburne. The latter two will remain for several days visiting while the former will transact business in Oklahoma.

Z. W. Wells has purchased a five-acre tract in Broad Acres addition, making a total of 26 acres owned by himself and his son, J. H. Wells, in this addition. They are contemplating improving their acreage in the near future.

### THREE CONVICTED AND WERE FINED IN CITY COURT

Last Thursday morning G. C. Brazeal, purported to be an internal revenue officer, and L. D. Griffin, said to be an attorney from Plainview, were convicted in Corporation court, each on a charge of drunkenness, two charges of disturbing the peace and two charges of abusive language.

L. M. Blakemore, of Plainview, was arrested at the same time on a charge of drunkenness, total fines being collected which amounted to \$202.95.

Arrest of these three men were made Wednesday night. According to report, they began their disturbance at the Littlefield Service Station, with loud and vociferous talking, accompanied by display of firearms, and were ordered away by Ira Parker. Later they went to the Chili King Cafe, where it is said they used abusive language against the proprietor's wife and a girl working there, finally drawing their weapons and standing off the crowd.

Arrests were made by Sheriff Len Irvin, Deputies Rayborne and Beck, City Marshal Winn and John Blair, who was deputized for the occasion. They were lodged in the city calaboose, where they spent the night, pleading guilty the following morning upon arraignment for trial.

Don't be deceived by mail order houses. Trade at home.

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