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LET'S GO! Lamb County Fair at Olton, Sept. 28

Football Game between Littlefield Hi and Hale Center. Rah! Rah!

LITTLEFIELD LIVE STOCK SHOW HELD SATURDAY HAD GOOD ATTENDANCE

That Littlefield's horse and mule show held Saturday afternoon was a great success, seems to be the concensus of opinion expressed by everyone in attendance.

By 10 o'clock in the morning people in buggies, wagons and autos began arriving for the event. The White stock pens were converted into a receiving station for the fine animals that began coming in, and by two o'clock there was assembled the finest aggregation of live stock ever gathered in Lamb county.

The Courtney Colt Contest was the principal feature of the afternoon, for on this occasion E. G. Courtney, owner of one of the finest Percheron stallions ever brought to the South Plains, gave an exhibition of the colt products from this famous sire. That they were all beauties, there could be no doubt, every young animal being a glowing tribute to the reproductive qualities of this noted animal, whose colts have secured more blue ribbon premiums at state and county fairs than any other sire in Texas.

There were other fine horses and mules present that added to the occasion, some of them win-

ning handsome premiums in demonstration of their grade and value.

Local merchants, catching the spirit of the occasion, gave their encouragement to the event by offering substantial premiums to the best animals placed on exhibit. Some of them had special sale prices on articles of merchandise for the advantage of the visitors.

Mr. Courtney expresses his appreciation to the Chamber of Commerce committee for their active co-operation toward making the event a success and to Prof. Parnell, vocational agricultural instructor in the local public schools, for his courtesy and admirable manner of judging the stock and awarding the premiums.

The exhibit was planned as the first of many others to be held in this community in the near future. It furnishes a fine opportunity for new and old settlers to become acquainted; to learn where good stock may be obtained and to stimulate all the forces and factors that go toward a higher development of the community in general. A list of the premiums and winners is given below, as follows:

Premiums

ANIMAL	OWNER
Best colt from Beacher, No. 7788.	Alfred Lunnigan
First premium: \$7.50, by E. G. Courtney.	
Second best colt from Beacher.	E. Mueller
Premium: \$5.00, by E. G. Courtney.	
Best horse colt	E. Mueller
Premium: \$1 00, by Littlefield State Bank.	
Box Le Gear's Stock Tonic, by Sadler's Drug Store.	
Sorriest colt	H. Bucher
Premium: 5 bushell sack of oats, by Littlefield Grain Co.	
Best individual colt	Peter Witzke
Premium: \$1.00, by Littlefield State Bank	
Best mule colt	H. Bucher
Premium: \$1.00, by Yellow House Land Co.	
Best yearling mule	E. G. Courtney
Premium: 5 gallons gasoline, Littlefield Service Station	
Best mare and colt	E. G. Courtney
Premium: dining chair, by Shaw Furniture Co.	
Best brood mare	D. F. Beisel
Premium: 3 1-2 in. auto tube, by Littlefield Auto Co.	
Best three year old gelding	R. R. Stripe
Premium: \$1.00, by Halsell Farms Co.	
Best three year old filly	R. R. Stripe
Premium: 10 gallons kerosene, by Magnolia Petroleum Co.	
Best individual horse	R. R. Stripe
Premium: \$1.00, by Parker's Eats.	
Best matched team of mares	E. G. Courtney
Premium: 48-lb sack Golden Crown flour, by R. D. Borough	
Largest team of mares	E. G. Courtney
Premium: \$2.00, by Higginbotham-Bartlett Lmbr. Co.	
Best matched team of mules	A. A. Anderson
Premium: 50 pounds of Spuds, by Lamb Co. Merc. Co.	
Largest span of mules	A. A. Anderson
Premium: 48-lb sack flour, by Brannen & Squires	
Largest team of horses	Wiley Pate
Premium: 1-gal. lubricating oil.	
Best stallion	E. G. Courtney
Premium: \$1.00, by White's Restaurant	

Tractor Demonstration

Saturday afternoon the Littlefield Auto Co., gave a Fordson demonstration of the Athens Plow attachment to the tractor.

Plowing in both old and new land, the implement was set

down to the axle of the 24 inch disc, turning the soil in fine manner. The plow is so arranged that it is pushed by the tractor, rather than pulled. About 40 people witnessed the demonstration, two plows were sold, and several other prospective buyers developed.

LITTLEFIELD GIN IS NOW OVERHAULED AND READY FOR SERVICE

That the Littlefield gin has been completely overhauled and is now ready for service, was the statement made by the manager to the Leader this week.

With the addition and improvements made during the past two months Littlefield now has one of the best cotton gins on the South Plains. All the buildings and machinery have been completely enlarged, repaired and improved, another stand added, making the outfit a 4-stand, 70-saw gin. A new office building has been constructed, a new seed house, capable of handling six carloads of seed at a time erected, a Hopper scale, handling a bale of seed per weighing, two new elevators and an extra cleaner.

The outfit now contains three cleaners, which is one more than any other gin on the South Plains. The extra cleaner was installed to furnish adequate accomodation for any rough or "snap" cotton that may be brought in, thus insuring a first class sample.

The gin as it now stands equipped, is capable of turning out 40 bales of cotton per day in daylight running, and the management states they are ready to run day and night, if necessary to take care of the on-coming crop, cleaning the gin yard of wagons every day before stopping. A Delco lighting plant is now being installed to make night running possible.

Raymond Sellars, of Vernon, who for several years has been connected with some of the largest cotton gins in East Texas has been employed as ginner at the local plant.

Parent-Teachers Elect

A meeting was held at the schoolhouse Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing officers for the Parent-Teachers Association for the ensuing year.

Mrs. A. E. White former president was chairman of the meeting. The officers elected were as follows: Mrs. E. G. Courtney, president; Mrs. G. M. Mason, vice-president; Miss Mona Horton, secretary; Mrs. J. C. Baker treasurer.

The society also agreed to pay for some of the athletic paraphanelia and to renew insurance policy on the school piano.

Installs Mattress Factory

Littlefield now has a full fledged mattress factory, installed by G. M. Hurley, recently of Merkle, Texas.

Mr. Hurley has purchased the T. V. Britton place just north of town and moved his family thereon. He has full equipment for making and renovating all kinds of mattresses. As a sample of the quality of goods he manufactures, a recent consignment of mattresses to the local furniture store was all sold within twenty-four hours.

Mrs. Wharton is building a 4-room bungalow in the south part of town.

PETITION ASKING FOR FRANK YOHNER PARDON IS BEING CIRCULATED

A petition is being circulated this week asking for the pardon of Frank Yohner, who was convicted of transporting liquor by the Crosby county district court, February term, 1922.

The petition is being largely signed by the leading citizens of the town and vicinity, members of the local school board, all county officers and personal acquaintances throughout Lamb county.

While the decision of the court is not called to question, yet the signers of the petition feel that the ends of the law have been met; that Mr. Yohner was the victim of circumstances rather deliberate and premeditated determination to violate the state law regarding the transportation of liquor; that he has suffered sufficiently for the charge of which he was convicted; that his wife and six small children need him at home to help harvest the crop that has been made possible largely by friendly and interested neighbors; that on account of his previous record as a good citizen and man of unquestionable morals he should now be liberated and given the privilege of returning to his needy family.

The petition now contains more than 200 signatures; and it is understood that when completed locally, it will be forwarded to Crosby county for the consideration of the petit jury that convicted him, before being finally sent to Governor Neff for consideration.

It seems to be the unanimous wish of this community that the Governor will give the pardon his favorable consideration.

New Brick Building

The contract has been let and work begins this week on a brick business building for Neal A. Douglass and Pierce K. Barry.

The building will be located on the lot adjoining the Stokes drug store and will be 25 x 40 feet in size. When completed it will be occupied by R. D. Burroughs grocery and the Neal Douglass Land Co.

First Bale of Cotton

J. I. Dyer, living 14 miles east of Littlefield brought the first bale of cotton for this season to Littlefield for ginning late Monday afternoon.

It contained 1300 pounds of seed cotton, but at the time of going to press had not yet been ginned.

Lumber Yard at Amherst

This week the first lumber yard to be installed at Amherst is being staked out and construction of sheds and other buildings are begun. The yard is being put in by the Higginbotham-Bartlett Co., who will carry a full line of building material, hardware, etc.

Friday is Littlefield Day at the South Plains Fair.

PROTESTANT SPEAKING SATURDAY NIGHT BRINGS BIG MORAL DECISIONS

Sixty-five conversions and professions of the Christian religion and 22 additions to the Ku Klux Klan, are reported results of the public Protestant meeting at the school house last Saturday night.

The speaker of the evening was W. S. Arms, deacon in Travis Avenue Baptist church, Ft. Worth, a 32 degree Mason, Knight Templar, Eastern Star, member of Ft. Worth Ku Klux Klun No. 101, and a state organizer of that society.

The meeting was of a religious-patriotic nature, opening with the singing of "America," "Loyalty to Christ," "Rock of Ages," and an invocation prayer by the speaker. Then as the congregation softly sang "Nearer, My God to Thee," 12 hooded and robed Klansmen filed in, carrying the American flag and the fiery cross, they knelt before the rostrum, and, with hands extended heavenward, prayer was again offered by the speaker.

Mr. Arms then launched into an address lasting more than two hours, in which he reviewed the numerous and various causes leading up to the organization of the Ku Klux Klan; urged a higher type of Americanism and more loyalty to the teachings of the Bible; he insisted that the Roman Church was endeavoring to destroy the freedom of United States citizens and their liberty of worship vouched safe by the Constitution; that Catholicism would unite Church and State, control public officials and banish the Protestant system of religion. The speaker often referred to the teachings of the Bible, and declared no man could be the very highest type of American citizen who was not a Christian citizen. He emphasized the analogy between the tenets of the Christian religion and of the Ku Klux Klan, and at the conclusion of his address gave an urgent exhortation to the members of the audience, not to join the Klan, but to give their hearts and lives in pledge to the religion of Jesus Christ, accepting Him as their personal Savior.

The response was hearty and instantaneous. Men and women, some of them their faces set with earnestness, others coursing with tears of repentance, came forward to give the speaker their hand in token of their sincere desire to lead a better life.

At the close of the meeting, many people in the audience pronounced it the best service ever held in Littlefield, and productive of more good than any revival meeting.

It is reported that in the after meeting which was held, there were more than a score of men who signed and took the oath of membership in the Ku Klux Klan, while many others submitted their names to be voted on for membership. It is also said that a local organization of the Ladies Ku Klux Klan was organized with 16 charter members.

PRETTIEST GIRL AND OLDEST MAN TO GET FREE AIRPLANE RIDE

Tommy Thompson, the well known airplane pilot, who has carried passengers in every town in West Texas for the past four years and has never had a serious accident, has been engaged by the Panhandle South Plains fair officials to carry passengers, give stunt exhibitions and assist in the military maneuvers during the coming fair that opens at Lubbock the 3rd.

Twenty free rides will be given to the prettiest girls on the Plains, and the oldest man attending the fair will be given a free flight.

The boys livestock judging contest, winners of which will receive trips to the Dallas Fair, will be held in the pavilion on the 6th., or the last day of the fair. The girls poultry judging contest will be held the same day.

More than \$3,500.00 is being spent for free entertainment for the crowds that are expected to attend the Panhandle South Plains Fair. This program includes trained animal acts, tight wire acts, aerial trapeze acts, special band concerts, the greatest fireworks display yet attempted, football and baseball and many other attractions.

More than 40,000 people are expected to attend during the four days.

My Appreciation

Through the courtesy of the Leader I wish to extend to the public my sincere thanks and appreciation for their generous contributions toward my new home. Words fail me to express my gratefulness to the many friends of this community for their kindly consideration and helpful donations in behalf of myself and family.

—Mrs. Effie Wharton.

Talk about vegetation growing on the South Plains; Charley Barber has in his garden in Littlefield a stalk of okra measuring three inches in diameter and 85 inches tall, and they have been eating okra from it every day for a couple of months.

There are two ways of settling a new country with farmers; actual and potential. W. O. Burford, one of the leading farmers on Oklahoma Ave., has chosen the later method. Last Saturday morning the Stark Special arrived with a fine ten-pound boy who will soon be bossing affairs on his farm. Mother and child are doing fine.

Tolly Gray, who is attending Wayland College at Plainview, spent the week-end with home folks.

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Editor and Publisher

Subscribers who change their addresses, or fail to get their paper, should immediately notify this office, giving both new and old addresses.
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Obituaries, cards of thanks, and resolutions of respect will also be charged for at the same rate.
Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Littlefield Leader will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Time to begin your Christmas shopping.

Abernathy discovered last Friday that the Littlefield Wild Cat's don't "scat" very easily.

The fine stock show Saturday demonstrated that the Fords had not yet entirely taken the country.

If you hear any midnight music on your back yard fence, be careful about throwing your old shoes, it may be a wild cat.

Real estate is a great game. It adds considerable to one's linguistic abilities, and in some cases also increases one's lie abilities.

Without endorsing or condemning any organization the Leader is in favor of any legitimate means or method that will cause men and women to lead better lives.

Farmers of Lamb county who make the most out of their cot-

ton crop this fall will be the ones who market it in a co-operative manner. It has been abundantly proven that competition is not the life of trade to the cotton farmer, but rather his poverty—his death.

The rural schools of Lamb, Hockley and Bailey counties are now nearly all in operation. Without an exception they all report greatly increased attendance over last year. Several new school houses have been built during the past summer and others are in the process of construction. All of which is a tribute to the rapidly increasing population of this particular section of the South Plains country.

Lubbock is advertising \$3,000 for entertainment. The Leader hopes the bulk of that money is not being spent for the Wortham carnival. Carnivals are not the best kind of entertainment that can be furnished people going to fairs. Many of the leading fairs are now being made better and larger without them. Most carnivals advertise a regular "Sun-

day school" program, but the majority of them are absolutely rotten and will attempt any violation of the law they think they can get by with.

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Credit is the bulwark of business, and is founded upon commercial confidence and trust. It is both a remarkable convenience and an indispensable element of commercial progress.

Credit properly used is your best friend—abused, your surest enemy. When rightfully used credit is an asset—when wrongfully used, a terrible liability.

When times are good and money is plentiful it is comparatively easy to keep accounts paid and credit good. But the testing time comes when conditions may not be so good—when credit may be not only a convenience but even a necessity. Then it is that a credit carefully maintained in times of more prosperity, will be a man's best friend. A good credit is the most prized possession a man can have.

Look well to your credit now, for a good credit is your insurance policy against the future and its every need.

Pay Your Bills Promptly and Keep YOUR CREDIT GOOD.
Next Monday is October First.

Bailevboro Buzzings

Several fine rains fell in this community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Swanner returned to their home in Dickens county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. French spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Barber.

John Barry now has his well completed, and is now working on his dug-out. The rest of his family is expected to move out soon.

Messrs. W. H. White and Dave Graves are now circulating a petition for an open road to the highway which leads to Muleshoe. It is hoped that good results may be obtained.

The "Figure 2" school opened Monday. Lois Parker, of Hereford is the teacher.

Bosie Henderson returned home Tuesday from Roswell, N. Mexico where he has been working in the fruit belt.

Jack Henderson left Thursday for Ralls, Texas where he expects to stay for a few weeks.

G. L. Blackshear, W. O. Barber were Littlefield visitors Friday.

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Sorority Singers

The Sorority Singers will give a program here Saturday evening, October 6, at the school house. This group is made up of four comely young college girls who have been singing together for some time and whose programs have been received everywhere with the greatest enthusiasm.

Their voices have been thoroughly trained and the program they represent is one that will please and old young. It includes a variety of vocal combinations, and the selections used are of

standard and popular composition, with one group of old favorite college songs which is one of the most pleasing features of the evening.

The various numbers are given in costume, which adds to the interest. The members of the company are charming young women who win their audience with their gracious manners, as well as with their pleasing performance.

This entertainment promises to be one of the most enjoyable of the season's Lyceum course.

The Leader, only \$1.50 a year.

To Organize Eastern Star

Mrs. Mary F. Brown, district deputy organizer, from Snyder, Texas will be in Littlefield the last week in October to organize a local chapter of the O. E. S.

All members of the Eastern Star who have not paid their dues to the chapter of which they are members are urged to do so that they may enter here as charter members.

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Olton News
Olton schools have an enrollment of 185 as compared with 150 last year.
Everyone in this vicinity is preparing for the fair next Friday.
The new married couple, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dodson, will be given a miscellaneous shower next Saturday.
The material is now on the ground for a gin at this place, and it is expected to be ready for operation by October 15th.
J. E. Fuller has begun the construction of a six room dwelling.
Mr. Kurch, a new comer in our midst, is building an adobe

THE LITTLEFIELD WILD CATS SCRATCH OUT EYES OF ABERNATHY
Viscious Local Aggregation Felines Return Purring in Contented Manner.
The Littlefield Wild Cats, playing their first game on foreign soil and with less than two weeks practise behind them, played a masterful game at Abernathy last Friday afternoon, covering themselves with a brand of glory that could not be denied, and incidently, won themselves a football game—6-0.
Captain Riley, of Abernathy, won the toss and chose to receive the kick-off. By a quick succession of tackle bucks and end runs the ball was soon put on the Littlefield two-yard line, but at this point the Wild-Cat defense stiffened, a distinct bur-r-r-r-r was heard along the side lines and the ball went over on downs. The Cats, humping their backs and stiffening their hair began to spit and snarl, and immediately carried the ball out of danger, the quarter ending with it in mid-field and the Cats fighting hard for a touchdown.
For the first quarter Abernathy may well claim the honors, altho neither side scored during this period. For the remaining three quarters the slashing, driving offensive of Captain Sid Hopping and company could not be denied. Plunging the line for steady gains, ripping off long strides on sweeping end runs, and completing three passes for a total of more than 70 yards, the Wild Cats fairly out-did themselves and only the breaks of the game prevented a pair of touchdowns.
It looked as if the game would be a scoreless tie until in the third quarter Captain Hopping intercepted a pass, then tucking it neatly under his arm dashed 25 yards for the first and only touchdown of the game. E. Hopping failed to kick goal.
To pick the individual stars of the game would be impossible. The Cats worked not for personal honor; they fought for the glory and honor of the team and they fought well.
King Riley was the individual star for Abernathy.
The Littlefield line-up was as follows:
Center L. Barber
Left guard C. Williams
Left tackle, K. Stagers
Left end A. Logan
Right guard T. Williams
Right tackle S. Vickery
Right end L. Springer
Quarter back Capt. S. Hopping
Full back F. Parker
Left half E. White
Right half E. Hopping
Referee Boswell
Umpire Jackson
Headlinesman Johnson
Time keepers Olsen and Parnel
Time of game: 1 hr. 45 min.

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Charter No. 1039
at Littlefield, Texas, at the close of business on the 14th day of September, 1923.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral,	\$166,862.79
Loans, real estate,	5,000.00
Overdrafts,	2,984.10
Furniture and Fixtures,	3,600.00
Due from other Banks and Bankers, and cash on hand,	15,970.46
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund,	1,158.25
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund,	3,393.07
Other Resources, (Certified draft to Lamb Co. Judge.)	4,000.00
TOTAL,	\$202,968.67
LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock paid in,	\$ 20,000.00
Surplus Fund,	2,000.00
Undivided Profits, net,	218.20
Due to Banks and Bankers, subject to check, net,	18,530.27
Individual Deposits, subject to check,	133,449.63
Time Certificates of Deposit,	8,770.57
Bills Payable and Rediscounts,	20,000.00
TOTAL,	\$202,968.67

STATE OF TEXAS) ss:
County of Lamb)
We, E. A. Logan, as president, and J. M. Pope, 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.
J. M. Pope, Cashier.
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WHO WANTS ME?



I am one of
Madame Hendren's
Twenty Dollar Dolls

I walk—I talk and go to sleep when you want me to. I will be given away **Absolutely FREE!**

with each twenty-five cent purchase of Nyal Toilet Products made at our store between now and November 1st, you receive 100 votes. The little girl having the largest number of votes to her credit on November 1st may take me home without having to pay a single penny.

Get your father, mother, sister, brother, friends to vote for you. Any little girl under 15 years of age is eligible. Enter your name as a contestant. Don't waste a moment's time.

You may see me at the store named below.

Stokes & Alexander Drug Co.

The **Rexall** Store
"In Business for your Health."

Littlefield, Texas

FALL IS HERE

And with it comes more good things to eat. Soon the rush of crop gathering will be on, and more hands will be needed. This will naturally mean more groceries. Buy them where you can get them better and cheaper. Our line is at all times clean and complete.

We make a speciality of lunch goods for school children. We have a nice assortment of cookies, bulk and box. Fresh cheese, boiled ham, bologna sausage and boxed bacon, fresh every week. We invite the public to call and inspect our goods. If any goods are not perfectly satisfactory, all you have to do is notify us. We cheerfully exchange for good ones.

Do not forget that we have the ready made cotton sacks in four lengths, ranging in price from \$2.75 to \$1.35. See these before buying. Good comfortable strap attached. Cheaper than buying the goods and making.

Better buy a supply of sugar now as we have an advance wired in, every few days. Cooking oils of all kinds are advancing also, due to the high price of cotton seed.

WE OFFER YOU THIS WEEK

Sugar 9 pounds	\$1.00
Corn, 2 cans for	.25
Good Apples, 1 dozen	.35
Camel Cigarette, per pkg. 15 ct., per carton	1.25
Fresh Sweet Potatoes, per pound	.07
Bulk pickles, per dozen	.17
Oranges, per dozen	.50
Flour, per sack	1.50

We show our appreciation of your patronage by giving you the best EATS and SERVICE.

Get in the road that leads to Our Store
Be Convinced

Brannen-Squires Cash Store

"Credit makes enemies; let's be friends"

Hon. Chas. Clements, district attorney, from Plainview was in Littlefield Saturday circulating among old acquaintances.

Miss Dorothy Anderson, of Amarillo is visiting here with her father, Dr. W. H. Anderson and sister, Miss Catherine.

Littlefield Hi football squad will play Lockney team at Lockney, October 5th.

Several new members were reported at the Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday night. Arthur Mueller was the leader for the evening.

We Pay Your Fare TO THE LUBBOCK FAIR

Those who purchase lots in Beautiful College Park Addition to the City of Lubbock sold at AUCTION during the Fair will be refunded their price of transportation to and from any point on the South Plains. College Park Addition is only

1377 Feet From The Tech. College Site

The owner of one of these lots will have a choice piece of residence property, under the shadow of the greatest school of learning in the Southwest. These lots will double and triple in value when the construction of this great institution has commenced.

Inquire at our office or our Booth at Fair Grounds for hours of sale. Sale will be held on the Fair Grounds. All purchasers will be taken in automobiles to see these lots, and if they are not entirely satisfied their money will be refunded.

T. H. Nelms & Company

Ground Floor, Lindsey Building

Lubbock, Texas

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Dr. J. R. McCain, of Happy was in Littlefield Tuesday looking for a location in his profession. He was favorably impressed.

BORN: Friday afternoon, to Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Anderson, a baby girl. The young lady has taken up her residence at the home of her parents about two miles south of town, where she seems quite contented.

BARGAIN—One block north of town. Good house, well, windmill, supply tank on tower, good garden and orchard, all fenced, 3 blocks from high school, on highway. See John Stehlik, owner. 15-4tp

Louis Condra, of Lampasas is visiting with his relatives C. E. Willis and family this week. He would like to locate here if he can find housing accommodations.

FOR SALE: 160 acres in Minnie Veal settlement, in Cochran County near school house. Some improvements. 100 acres in cotton and 30 acres in feed. Good land and good neighborhood, church and school. Small cash payment; purchaser must assume notes of party holding Vendor's Lien. Apply, Alvin O'Pry, Post Office, Littlefield, Texas. 18-4tc

The following names have been entered in the Stokes-Alexander drug store doll contest: Eula Mae Flippo, Wilda Courtney, Gerne Wharton, Illa Green, Mary Frances McWharter, Mildred Wiseman and Doris Hopping.

FOR SALE: 2 Holstein bulls, age 9 months each.—E. Mueller. —2tc

The Littlefield Auto Co., report the following Ford sales this week: E. C. Cundiff, 1924 model sedan; B. L. Sebring, touring car; A. M. Dunnigan, touring car; Henry Witzke, touring car; O. W. Ribbie, Sudan, coupe; L. E. Daniels, Sudan, touring car.

Meals and short orders, board by week or month, good beds, Littlefield Lunch Room.—Mrs. B. R. Gaultney, Prop. 18-4tc

Mrs. Harry Wiseman is in receipt of a copy of the Weimar (Texas) Mercury, her home town paper, containing some very flattering remarks about the Littlefield Leader. The comments were occasioned by a copy of the Leader sent the Mercury and which contained a write-up of the recent chicken barbecue given in honor of her sister, Miss Blanche Baar, of San Antonio, who was a recent visitor here.

Some Sunflower

T. L. Matthews this week brought to the Leader office a couple of the largest sunflowers we ever saw. Measuring one of them we found it to be 13 inches across the face of the flower, and the stalk on which it grew was nine feet tall. It probably contained about three pints of fully developed seed.

They were grown by irrigation on the W. J. Wade place in the west part of town, and are a vivid demonstration of the wonderful growth that may be obtained on the South Plains through irrigation.

Cattle Sell Well

Last Friday J. P. White and Pat Boone sold about 1400 calves

for \$25 a round, the best price paid on the South Plains this fall. Mr. Boone also disposed of several yearling steers at \$35 per head.

The cattle were bought by Furneaux Bros., of Dallas, for delivery November 1.

Lubbock Boosters Here

Friday morning about fifteen cars filled with South Plains Fair boosters from Lubbock passed through Littlefield enroute to Plainview as their objective point.

While here souvenirs were distributed, an address made by Louie Moore, fair association president, and some enjoyable music rendered by their comedian trio.



We extend a hearty welcome to all our old friends and new ones to our store. New goods are constantly arriving. We have in stock a full line of School Supplies.

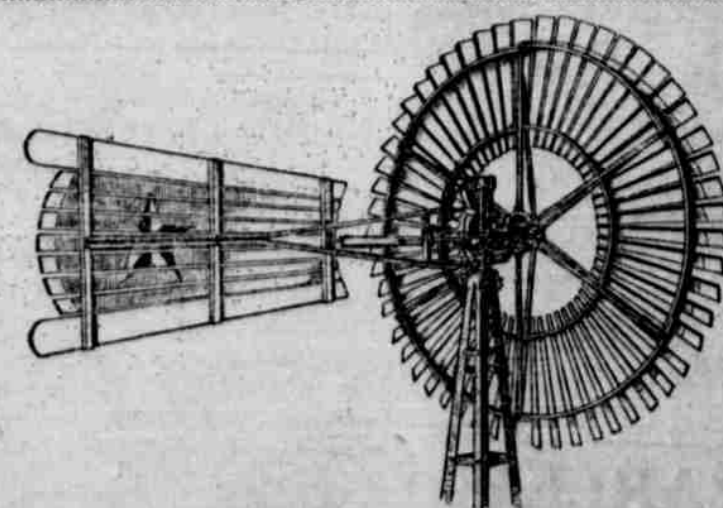
SADLER DRUG STORE

Quality and Service

Neal Douglass Land Co.

Littlefield, Texas

HALSELL LANDS



MODEL 15 WOOD STAR WINDMILL

8 1-2, 10, 12, 14 and 16 ft. sizes

A direct-stroke Star possessing many features of excellence,—including

Side vane rigidly mounted—cannot turn into wheel. Straight pitman and walking beam. No-Oil-Em Bearings. Direct center lift of Pump Rod. Adjustable Stroke. Over-hanging Wheel Hub and Steel Wheel Arms. Automatic Governor and Adjustable Brake.

WE SELL THEM

F. A. Butler Lumber Co.

FOR SALE: Nearly new Ford touring car.—Leader office.

Miss Ina Redwine spent the week end with home folks at Shallow water.

T. Combast and B. A. Dodson, of Olton attended the live stock show here Saturday.

Neal Douglass Jr., and sister, Miss Gladys, of Lubbock spent Sunday with home folks here

Jim Parker and family have moved to Lubbock.

Revival services are being held at the school house this week, conducted by Mr. and Mrs. Walker, of Lubbock.

PLAINVIEW NURSERY, Plainview, Texas. Our trees are bearing all over West Texas and Eastern New Mexico. After 15 years careful selection, we know the best varieties. Remember a few trees that bear are worth hundreds that are not suited to West Texas conditions. Send your order direct or send for catalog. Local agent wanted. 13i-10-25

FOR SALE: Jersey cow, fresh, good milker.—W. O. Burford.

Oklahoma Avenue

B. B. Mouton and R. R. Stripe canvassed this community Monday and received a nice line of exhibits for the Lamb County Fair.

Mr. Gattis has installed a telephone, and the neighbors welcome them on their line.

G. T. Romans, who lived at the home of C. Waihurst, has moved to Amherst.

Geo. Price is in Amarillo this week, attending the fair.

Mrs. E. C. Cundiff entertained Mrs. Gattis last Monday.

Walter Burford spent Sunday in Lubbock, getting acquainted with his new son, who arrived last Friday.

Quite a number from Oklahoma Avenue attended the K. K. K. meeting at the school house last Saturday night.

Misses Willie Tanner and Linnie Miller, of Lubbock are visiting Mrs. Carl Tremain.

Navy and White.

Navy blue and white, always a good combination for spring, is attractively featured this year. Figured prints show the combination, white dotted and striped silks are most effective and clean-cut in such contrast.

Beautiful Hemline.

Very narrow points, giving almost the appearance of fringe, edged with pearls, make an effective hem trimming on a frock of pale blue georgette.

Colored Net in Vogue.

Colored net is having a great vogue for curtains. Orange makes a room cheerful, while blue will set a room that seems to be glacial.