

WE THINK

What do you think?

BY M. B. D.

PROSPERITY IN WEST TEXAS

"The Cow Must Follow the Plow," reads a head line in West Texas Today, official publication of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

That's the kind of gospel which, put into practice, will bring dollars rolling, tumbling into West Texas.

BU-R-R! BU-R-R-R! BU-R-R-R-R!

Were you numbered among the boys who made a dive for the long-handled armour along about Sunday morning?

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE GROOM

Mr. Dwain Kennedy, Presiding Custodian, Meat Dept., M-System Store, Littlefield.

My Dear Dwain:

The little lady who runs the Lamb County Leader, seeing as how she is the wife of the publisher, informs us that you went and did it; in other words, climbed into double harness. That's nothing, folks get all tangled up that way every day in the year.

But the difference between your plunge into matrimony and the carelessness of other folks, is that you used a whole heap of judgment. Now, some folks will jump right to the conclusion that we are talking about some other fellow's wife. We are not. Of course, you used good judgment in picking out a wife, but the person we are talking about is your pain-in-law. It sure is some accomplishment to marry into a family, the head of which is the chief deputy sheriff, and a straight shooting, hard scrapping one at that, in addition to winning the lady of your heart.

What you have been doing isn't any of our particular business, but we figured that we should add our congratulations.

Yours truly,

M. B. D.

We Think—

That more of us should visit the many communities in the Littlefield territory.

That the best way to make friends is to call on folks in their homes and in their communities.

That if we want folk to come to see us, that we should go to see them.

That because the folks in other communities come to see us often that it would be the friendly thing to do for us to go and see them as often as possible.

What Do You Think?

PRACTISING WHAT WE PREACH

We frequently visit the cities and communities of Lamb county, and adjoining counties.

Late last week we decided that we had cluttered up things around LAMB COUNTY'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER long enough for that day, at least, so we climbed into the ol' boiler and streaked for Pep.

We called on our friend M. A. Burt, formerly of Littlefield, who is operating a general store at Pep; our Pep correspondent, A. G. Jungman, who, in addition to operating a good farm, is a taxidermist of considerable fame; J. U. Biggers and J. O. Allison, who gin the cotton for the Pep section, and Miss Elizabeth Lupton, superintendent of the Pep school, and her sister. (We didn't neglect to tell our wife that we called on the young ladies.

Folks, it is worth driving down to Pep to look at the collection of heads and rugs at the Jungman place. Mr. Jungman has been a taxidermist for 22 years, and will be pleased to entertain you in showing his interesting collection.

Littlefield Market

All prices subject to change.

Hens, 4 lbs. and up	10c
Hens, under 4 lbs.	8c
Colored Springs	11c
Ugghorn Springs	8c
ags	7c
ks	4c
ns, 8 lbs. and over	16c
us, under 8 lbs.	13c
en Turkeys	11c
us 14 lbs. and up	12c
er 8	9c
ght Turkeys	9c
keys - Ducks	3c
4 lbs. ch	15c
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LITTLEFIELD AREA IS IN GRIP OF FIRST WINTER WEATHER

SERIES OF STORMS SET IN THURSDAY AFTER-NOON

The first appearance of winter swept this city from the north and west Thursday afternoon. At 6 p. m. the mercury stood at 41 degrees, and before 12 p. m., 39 was reported.

According to press reports, the first snow of the season fell at Amarillo Thursday, while three inches of snow blanketed Western Oklahoma. Panhandle Thursday night, bringing the first touch of winter to that state.

Friday was warm and sunny, but a norther blew up Saturday evening, accompanied by a cold wind, and by midnight this section was waded in a freezing grip. A sleety mist, which froze on automobile windshields, making driving difficult, filtered into this section shortly before midnight, and Saturday morning a reading of 38 degrees was reported.

Shippers in the north and north-western portions of the state were advised to take precautions against temperatures ranging as low as 23 to 16 degrees, and stock men were warned of the impending cold wave.

Cold weather continued throughout Sunday and Sunday night, the temperature going as low as 22 degrees at 8 o'clock Sunday morning. Monday morning late the sun was seen, and it was pleasant throughout the day, but the temperature was reported at 32 by midnight. Tuesday continued cold, with little change, the temperature registering 33 at mid-

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PEP SQUAD WILL BANQUET FOOTBALL TEAM TUESDAY

RECORD OF WILDCATS FOR THIS SEASON IS REVIEWED

All reports to the contrary, notwithstanding, the Littlefield High School Wildcats had a very successful season on the gridiron during the 1931 season. Out of ten games played the local team won seven, being beaten by Slaton, a Class A team, and twice by Floydada, each time by a one point margin. The Wildcats won the championship of sub-district No. 1, with ease, but due to the dismissal of school for harvesting, were not able to play a game between Oct. 31 and Nov. 18. The squad worked harder this year than ever before, and the team was fully four touchdowns per game better than any grid team that ever represented Littlefield High School before this year. The true sportsmanlike spirit calls for the support of a team, win or lose, and we are still in there boosting for those fighting Wildcats.

The score record for the season is as follows:

Opponents	Littlefield
Dickens	6 40
Brownfield	0 18
Sudan	0 60
Tahoka	0 31
Levelland	0 20
Farwell	19 21
Floydada	7 6
Slaton	19 0
Spring Lake	0 21
Floydada	14 13

Total 65 230

The Pep Squad of the High School will give a banquet for the football squad next Tuesday evening, Dec. 1, at the Methodist Church. If there are fans in towns who want to go, they must make reservations with Fleeta Eagan or at Stokes-Alexander's Drug Co. before Saturday night. The price of a plate is 45 cents.

Basketball practice has already started with a bang and it looks as if the Wildcat eagles will have to be counted in the running this year. Let-termen returning this year are Harless, Wimberley, Hemphill, Woody, and Stevens. The local team will probably play Spade next Friday there.

LITTLEFIELD—THE PULSE OF THE PLAINS

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WATCH LAMB COUNTY GROW

LAMB—THE COUNTY OF OPPORTUNITY



THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

I, T. S. Sales, Mayor of the City of Littlefield, Texas, with the view to the suitable observance of Thanksgiving, do hereby proclaim November 26, Thanksgiving Day, a holiday in the City of Littlefield, Texas.

It is fitting on this occasion to direct our attention to the fact that, while we have passed through a number of months in which the financial, business and agricultural activities of our country have been at a low ebb, that we have much for which to be thankful and for which to return thanks to our Creator; that the South Plains has suffered to a less extent because of financial, business and agricultural conditions than have the vast majority of the other parts of the country; that we are harvesting a bountiful crop, and that we should go forward with a courageous step, knowing that in such a program we can best serve our nation, our city, and ourselves.

Issued and proclaimed this, the 25th day of November, A. D., 1931.

T. S. SALES, Mayor, City of Littlefield, Texas.

LEGIONNAIRES ACT TO OBTAIN HOME FOR LOCAL POST

EXPECT TO PURCHASE OLD SANTA FE DEPOT

The Richard New Post No. 301 of the American Legion met in regular session Monday night in the basement of the Presbyterian church of Littlefield. Some very important matters of business pertaining to the Legion and the Legionnaires were discussed and acted upon.

The attention of each and every ex-service man is being called upon to make a very special effort to get their 1932 dues paid up for the coming year. Such matters as the Bonus Bill will be voted upon in the near future, and those desiring to put forth an effort to effect payment of the balance of their certificates, are urged to keep up their membership in the American Legion, the organization that made it possible for all ex-service men to collect 50 per cent of said certificates to date. An expression from each and every American Legion post in the United States will be called upon to determine the outcome of the bill providing the payment of compen-

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Rotary Club to Entertain Teachers

The annual ladies' night of the Littlefield Rotary club, the occasion on which the club entertains the teachers in the Littlefield schools, has been set for Friday, December 11.

Mayor T. S. Sales had charge of the program at last Thursday's luncheon of the club. The program provided consisted of trio numbers on stringed instruments, rendered by Mexican employees of Zed Robinson, who lives north of Littlefield.

Store Robbery Suspects Released

Two men arrested in a raid on a poker game at Olton Wednesday morning of last week, and who, authorities believed, might have participated in the robbery of the Olton drug store, were released. They gave their names as V. I. (Bill) McBride and Tom Thompson, and stated that their homes are in the vicinity of Oklahoma, City.

Coke County will have a fat stock show early in the spring.

To Act in Naming Agricultural Board For Lamb County

Board to Work With County Agent, Home Demonstration Agent

Co-operating in the agricultural program of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce will act immediately in the carrying out of its part in the appointment of a county agricultural board to work with and through the county agent and the county home demonstration agent.

The program to appoint agricultural boards, as outlined by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was discussed at Tuesday's luncheon of the Littlefield chamber by Arthur P. Duggan, president, who also is a member of the agricultural committee of the West Texas booster organization.

Maury Hopkins, Plainview, assistant general manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, in a letter sent to chambers of commerce, calls attention to the fact that the program has the unanimous endorsement of the two agents groups at their session in Lubbock and also the enthusiastic approval of O. B. Martin, director; Miss Mildred Horton, state home demonstration agent leader; Sterling C. Evans and Miss Myrtle Murray, district agent leader and Dean A. H. Leidigh of Texas Technological college school of agriculture.

Must Have Support

"This is not an extension service project but a project of the W. T. C. C. that may be put into effect in counties that have no extension service workers," Mr. Hopkins said. "To

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EARLY MAILING OF CHRISTMAS CARDS, PACKAGES IS URGED

MAILING SUGGESTIONS ISSUED BY POST OFFICE

A record-breaking Christmas season, with the total volume of business expected to exceed that of 1930, is forecast for the Littlefield postoffice.

"Mail early," pleaded J. E. Brannen Wednesday. "Not only will you be facilitating handling of the Christmas rush mail but you also will be assuring your friends of the Christmas message on time.

"A Christmas card or package on the twenty-sixth has lost all the spirit in which it was sent. We are making this 'mail early' appeal not only to help postal employees but also to enable your friends to receive full pleasure from the holiday gifts."

The local post office is making the best arrangements possible for the handling of the Christmas rush, but because of the shortage of room the post office needs special co-operation on the part of the public. This co-operation can best be given by mailing early.

Here are some of the things Mr.

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H. S. Brown, manager of the West Texas Gas company, spent Wednesday night in Lubbock, and planned on going from there to the football game in Amarillo Thursday. He will also visit his son, Louis N. Brown, while there.

BILL the BARBER SAYS

GIVE A SUBWAY RIDER AN INCH AND HE WILL TAKE A SEAT

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E. M. DRAKE

Business Manager

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Advertising that does not show in its text or typography that it is paid for must be marked as an advertisement. All local advertisements remain in this paper for the time specified or until ordered out. All notices of matters not by whom nor for what purpose, if the object is to raise money by admission fee or otherwise, is an advertisement and when sent in for publication must be paid for at the regular advertising rate per line for each issue printed.

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 Lamb County Leader will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

THANKSGIVING

Thanksgiving Day has become such a universally observed national holiday that few people realize that its general observance on the last Thursday in November is quite a recent development. All of the states of New England and some of the other northern states, had an annual day of thanksgiving by the proclamation of the Governor, but while this custom came from the earliest colonial times, it seldom happened that more than two or three states picked the same day.

The real "mother of Thanksgiving Day" was Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale, who was the editor of the first magazine published especially for women, Godey's Lady Book. Mrs. Hale, before 1850, tried to get the President of the United States to issue a proclamation for a national Thanksgiving Day. Mrs. Ruth E. Finley, in her new book, "The Lady of Godey's" tells how she bombarded president after president with her demand until, in 1863, President Lincoln issued the first national thanksgiving proclamation, naming the last Thursday in November as its date. From that time on every President has issued such a proclamation, and since the 1870's the Governor of every state has also proclaimed the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day. Since there has not been an act of Congress on the subject, Thanksgiving Day is not technically a national holiday, but it would be difficult to keep the people of any state from observing it, even if the Governor forgot to issue his proclamation.

In recent years there has been a tendency to take Thanksgiving Day lightly. We are all too much inclined in good times, to take credit to ourselves for our blessings, whatever they may be, while in times of distress, it is a very human inclination to ask "what have I got to be thankful for?" We hear lots of people asking that question this year, but in our opinion one of the best cures for pessimism is to stop thinking of your hard luck and try for one day to think of all the good things that have come your way since last Thanksgiving.

There is, perhaps, small consolation in that for people who have lost their faith in spiritual things. But we believe that the great majority of Americans, by whatever name they may call their religious creeds, still believe that there is Divine Providence which has guided and still will guide our nation, and when we consider the state of most of the people of the rest of the world, we feel that there is ample ground for a National Thanksgiving Day.

We, in the Littlefield section, in fact the entire county, have especial cause for observing Thanksgiving Day in the true spirit of the occasion. We have received more than our share of good things and each and every one of us should reflect on our blessings and thank our Creator. True, we have passed through some experiences that have not been pleasant, but we have emerged from those troublesome times with abundant crops, plenty of food to eat, sufficient clothing to wear, adequate housing, and with every opportunity before us to do greater things in the future than in the past. Should we grumble? No! We should go down on our knees in thankful prayer to our Creator.

As we observe Thanksgiving Day we should reflect on the prosperity which we possess, the freedom from war and strife which exists in our land, and contrast our happy life to that which exists in other lands.

On this Thanksgiving Day let us not enter into thoughts of how much more of this world's goods we can gain, but look out for new opportunities to serve our God, our community and our nation.

ARE WE UNTHANKFUL?

Is it possible that among us there are some who feel that they have no cause for thankfulness as the annual season of Thanksgiving approaches?

If we are to judge by the attitude and actions of some we are forced to the conclusion that there are those who feel no gratitude for anything at this time. This would be alarming except for the fact that people have felt and acted thus since the foundation of the world.

It has been said that the sin of gratitude is the basest of all sins and if traced to its final culmination we are forced to admit that there is some truth in the saying.

Let us not, then, at this season set apart for the contemplation of our temporal and spiritual blessings, allow ourselves the sin of ingratitude through the neglect in realizing our blessings—for we all have blessings in staggering degree—but rather let us recount with sincere gratitude the numberless personal and national items of good that are ours, all from the hands of a beneficent and all-wise God.

It is a great sin to be unthankful. It is a greater sin to feel that we have no cause for gratitude.—Clarendon News.

Rival gangs in Chicago are engaged in a war on rates for bumping people off. This is aptly described as cutthroat competition.

An Iowa high school boy, sentenced to 25 years for banditry, wept. Our young men are certainly becoming soft.

MAIL ORDER HOUSES

Good-Bye Forever
Good-Bye

IT'S GOOD-BYE FOREVER TO THE DOLLARS

YOU SEND TO MAIL ORDER HOUSES

EIGHT YEARS AGO IN LITTLEFIELD

(Exerpts from Littlefield Leader)

"A howling success" is the way most people express the results of the "Gump" show given by the members of the Littlefield Senior class at the school house Saturday night. It was one spontaneous and continuous uproar of laughter from beginning to end.

Lorry Barber, the six foot, two-inch baby, won the prize of the evening. "Oh, isn't he a darling," was the frequent expression. All the girls talked baby talk to him, wanted to tickle him under the chin and get him to show his "toofies".

Of course, the "Gumps" themselves were there to do honor to the occasion. Miss Eunice Spickard was Min, Fountain Parker was Andy, and O. K. Yantis, Jr., was Chester.

About \$50 net was realized by the class from the evening, the money to be used in purchasing their class rings.

With the price of Thanksgiving turkeys dropping down to 13 cents per pound, the hard-working turkey raiser now feels himself in the "put" class of the other denizens of the soil who must succumb to lower prices for their commodities on the very eve of marketing. However, it is being gently hinted that just as soon as the eastern holders of last year's stock dump their 6,000,000 pounds of storage birds on the markets, the price of the new crop may advance materially, and Christmas markets have a better showing.

About a dozen overcoats and one suit case were stolen Friday night at the school house while the Lyrcum was going on. There were also two overcoats reported stolen down town. It is further reported that some earnings were taken from cars standing at the school house, and at least one party had the gasoline drained from his car.

Mrs. Jess T. Elms, recently of Winters, was a pleasant caller at the Leader office Wednesday morning. Mrs. Elms is an ex-printer and newspaper editor, having put in about a

dozen years at the case and tripod. She arrived here Monday driving through with the J. M. Blessing family. Mr. Elms came in Sunday with the car of household goods.

Tuesday Mrs. W. W. Patterson, daughter of S. E. Ferguson, was the near victim of poisoning. On recommendation of a friend she took a half-teaspoonful of Tansy which threw her into convulsions and rendered her unconscious. Dr. Pillians was called, and, after administering an antidote, the patient rested comfortably. Wednesday morning she was reported out of danger and improving.

Last week Tom Matthews had the pleasant experience of meeting an old "buddie" of his during overseas service in the World War. His name was Fred Cecil of Deval, Oklahoma. He was just passing through Littlefield and stopped at the Service station for gas when the mutual recognition took place. Cecil belonged to Co. F of the 9th Infantry, while Matthews was a member of Co. E. Cecil

SALE & TRADE BARN

We will buy, sell or trade work horses, mules, or milk cows.

Saddle Horses for Rent
Public Watering Trough

O. C. SHARP

At former location of Traders Home, one block south of Garland-White Auto Supply.

was wounded on October 3rd, Matthews the following day and both taken to the same hospital. They were both in three important engagements, came back on the same ship, but had not seen each other since, until last week.

steers were shipped from here last Monday by W. L. Elwood of the Spade Ranch, being consigned to H. B. Price & Sons, most of them going to Kansas pastures.

Fifty-nine carloads of two year old

Try our want ads for results.

The "Hidden Quart" of Germ Processed Oil that stays up in your motor and never drains away is an extra protection against motor wear—protection no other oil can give!

CONOCO GERM PROCESSED MOTOR OIL

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PARAFFIN BASE

FILL UP WHEREVER YOU SEE THIS GERM PROCESSED OIL TRIANGLE

Positive Proof of FORD ECONOMY

City of Detroit purchases 137 new Ford cars Hundreds now in use prove low cost of operation

THESE 137 new Ford cars represent one of the largest deliveries ever made to a municipality at one time.

21 radio-equipped Ford scout cars were traded in on this purchase. They had been operated day and night for two years in heavy traffic and all kinds of weather.

Their individual records ranged from 73,434 miles to 143,723 miles with a grand total of 2,283,097 miles. The operating cost of the 21 cars was 2.284 cents a mile—less than 2 1/3 cents. This cost included all fuel, oil, tires, repairs and every other item except depreciation and insurance.

Of 577 Ford cars in Detroit City service, the 300 in the Police Department traveled a total of 6,591,937 miles during the past fiscal year, at an average cost of 2.9 cents a mile.

Many claims have been made on operating costs, but here in the carefully kept motor car records of the City of Detroit is positive proof of Ford economy.

In the paragraphs above, it is seen that 21 Ford scout cars averaged less than 2 1/3

cents a mile and 300 Ford cars in all branches of Detroit police work averaged 2.9 cents a mile!

Day and night, twenty-four hours a day, these Ford cars are in operation. Few branches of transportation demand such grueling service. The records show that low fuel and oil consumption is but one of the Ford's many economies. Ford materials, simplicity of design and accuracy in manufacturing provide unusual strength, stamina and freedom from replacements and repairs.

The individual car buyer as well as the purchasing department of a city or a business cannot afford to ignore the proved economy of the Ford car.

FIFTEEN DIFFERENT BODY TYPES
\$430 to \$640

(F. O. B. Detroit, plus freight and delivery. Bumpers and spare tire extra at low cost. Economical time payments through the Authorized Ford Finance Plans of the Universal Credit Co.)



Jake De' Cake

Thanks For The Buggy Ride

By. M.B.



News of Lamb County Cities --- Communities

WHITHARRAL

Miss Nova Lightfoot is visiting Miss Lucille Alverson, and expects to be here until Christmas.

Mrs. Cecil Courtney, who has been suffering from blood poison, is some better now.

Recently a shot was heard from a garage, after the stores had closed. Some of the people got up, and saw smoke coming from one of the stores. It was Johnson Grocery. The fire damaged quite a lot of things.



Stokes-Alexander Drug Co., Inc.

The store is closed now, but will be open soon, we hope.

W. T. Hanes Grocery suffered a loss of about fifty dollars worth of merchandise last Tuesday night.

ANTON

Unless present plans go amiss work will be started at once on a concrete lock-up for Anton. This move was made necessary as a means of cutting expenses in handling law violators over which the justice of the peace court has jurisdiction. The prisoners have had to be taken to Levelland for confinement, and returned to Anton for trial. This lock-up will be 10x12 with a seven foot wall.

School opened Monday last after being closed some time for cotton picking.

Miss Mary Frances Askew, teacher

in the Anton School and E. D. Ellis, farmer of southwest of Anton, were married in Clovis, N. M. Tuesday of last week, leaving immediately for a honeymoon trip to Oklahoma.

Rev. R. I. Hart of Shallowater, pastor of the Methodist Church here, has been returned for another year to this field at the Methodist conference held at Vernon.

H. F. Bishop of Portales, N. M., is installing a feed mill at the old wagon yard north of the elevator.

The building occupied by the Anton State Bank was bought recently by L. W. Clark, president of the bank, from R. L. Douglas of Lubbock.

OLTON

Rev. D. D. Denison succeeds Rev. Howell as pastor of the Olton Methodist Church, Rev. Howell going to Meadows, Terry County, church.

L. C. Scott, 32, brother of Mrs. J. W. Hulsey, of Olton, was killed Thursday, November 12, in Dallas, when he was struck by a railway street car.

Funeral and burial were conducted Monday at Sherman.

Clyde Cates recently purchased a house from John Jones, and will move it to the lot he owns in the northeast part of town. He expects to begin soon the improvement of the premises, and will erect a windmill shortly.

MULESHOE

Rev. W. B. Hicks, pastor of the Methodist church here for the past four years, has been sent to White Deer for the coming year. Rev. E. C. Raney has been appointed pastor of the Muleshoe church.

The local post of the American Legion closed a membership drive Tuesday night of last week with a big oyster feed, reporting 86 new members enrolled for the coming year.

There were 250 Legionnaires, their friends and families in attendance.

Muleshoe schools dismissed Wednesday so that the teachers might attend the State Teachers Meeting at Amarillo Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

SUDAN

Mrs. O. C. Ainsworth of Portales, N. M., has purchased the L. R. Wood Dry Goods store. Mr. Wood has been in the dry goods business here for a number of years.

Dates for the Sudan High School basketball tournament which will be attended by teams of the Plains, have been set for January 8 and 9, Supt. O. L. Davis announced. The tournament is expected to be one of the largest in West Texas this year.

Teams from the following towns have been invited to compete: Littlefield, Olton, Lubbock, Farwell, Spring Lake, Plainview, Amherst, Fieldton, Meadow, Slaton, Brownfield, Morton, Canyon, Hereford, Floydada, Esteline, Amarillo, Claude, Panhandle, Memphis, Post, Ralls, Spur, Dickens City, Lorenzo, Lamesa, Shallowater, Anton and Tulia. All other teams of West Texas are also invited.

Our Want Ads get results!

Restless, could not sleep

"THERE were days when I felt like I could not get my work done. I would get so nervous and 'trembly' I would have to lie down. I was very restless, and could not sleep at night.

My mother advised me to take Cardui, and I certainly am glad she did. It is the first thing that seemed to give me any strength. I felt better after the first bottle. I kept it up and am now feeling fine." - Mrs. T. B. Gibson, Fort Payne, Ala.



Take Theford's Black-Drug for Constipation, Indigestion, and Biliousness.

AMHERST

Mrs. J. U. Cone is much improved, and will return soon from the Temple Sanitarium, Temple, where she has been for some time undergoing treatment.

Rev. E. H. Garner of near Littlefield occupied the pulpit at the Church of Christ Sunday, and will also preach Sunday evening, November 29.

The gins here showed a total of 7,962 bales ginned here up to Tuesday afternoon of last week, compared with 7,397 up to Wednesday of the week previous.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson are the proud parents of a baby girl weighing 8 1-2 pounds, born Monday, November 16.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Speight and family left recently for Mineral Wells, Texas, where they will make their home.

SOUTHEAST NEWS

By Edna Byers, Correspondent

Mrs. Sanders and Children, Misses Juanita Mills and Maurine Dow of Lubbock were guests of Mrs. J. L. Dow and family Saturday.

Mrs. George Ross has returned from the West Texas Sanitarium, Lubbock, where she underwent an operation. She is much improved.

Those attending the Littlefield-Floydada game in Lubbock last Wednesday were: Misses Avis Dow, Leta Mae Neely and Jewel Byers, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dow and Messrs. Percy, Bill and Hyliar Carter.

Percy Carter was in Amarillo on business over the week-end.

Mr. Leon Pumphrey visited Mr. Mills near Bula, Friday and Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind friends for their many thoughtful acts of kindness during the recent bereavement of husband and father. May God bless each one of you.

Mrs. Tom. R. Collins.
Eloise Collins.
T. R. Collins.

G. A. Luman of Erick, Okla., visiting Here

G. A. Luman of Erick, Okla., who owns a splendid farm six miles west of Littlefield, has been here the past two weeks attending to his business interests. A son, C. D. Luman, works the farm on a share basis. Besides spending some time with his son, Mr. Luman is also visiting his brother-in-law, Moss Martin, who lives near Whitharral. He plans on returning to Oklahoma in a week or ten days.

Mr. Luman says he has the best crops on his place that he has ever seen. He made mention of the fact that the Yellow House Land Company had been accepting cotton at 8 cents per pound middling in payment of

Yellow House Land Company's notes and interest, and Plains Investment company interest, complimenting this company highly on the valuable assistance their action has rendered the farmers at this time.

Mr. Luman also said that in his business transactions with his bank he had advised them of the land company's action, and that they also commended the Yellow House Land Company for helping the farmers out at this time.

Orders now being taken for Christmas greeting cards. Telephone and we will be glad to take our sample books anywhere in the city and show you our beautiful line. Leader office.

We will print your Christmas cards at a low price or have them engraved for you. Leader office.

AS THE TIME ARRIVES

When we join the whole nation in giving thanks to our Creator for the many gifts with which we are blessed.

WE ARE ALSO THANKFUL

For the abundant patronage we have received from the people of our prosperous city and territory. Too, we will be thankful for your continued patronage.

B. & M. GROCERY

Littlefield,

Texas

Thanksgiving

Three centuries removed from the foundation of this nation, we sometimes lose sight of the earnest motive which moved the Pilgrims to declare a day, each year to be set apart, for offering up sincere thankfulness to a good God for his bountiful mercies.

We are not unmindful of the good—the kind—and the considerate thoughts and acts of our fellowmen here in Littlefield. We are grateful for the part we are permitted to take in the upbuilding of this community. So we join hands with all this Thanksgiving Day in paying honor to whom honor is due.

West Texas Gas Company

517 Phelps Avenue

Littlefield

Texas

SEASON'S GREETINGS

What brings each one of us our greatest joys in life is the courtesies and kindnesses extended to others, and the heart-warming knowledge that we are serving our fellowmen, and the community in which we live, to the best of our ability.

At this season, we, as individuals, and as a company, again take advantage of the opportunity to express our great joy at the privilege of serving this community, and to express with you our thanksgiving for the bounteous crops which this section is enjoying, and for the many other blessings which have been bestowed on this city and territory.

Texas Utilities Co.

R. E. McCASKILL, Mgr.

LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

Ann Beauty and Dress Shoppe in New Location

Polly Ann Beauty and Dress Shoppe moved recently from the rear of Miller's Drug Store to 429 Phelps street, next door to Claud Clark's Barber Shop. The interior of the building is being completely remodeled, and decorated, and Mrs. Carl Jordan, owner and operator, announces she will have a formal opening Monday morning at 9 until 12. She invites her patrons and friends to visit the establishment at that time.

The Vegetable TONIC
HERBINE
CORRECTS CONSTIPATION

Stokes-Alexander Drug Co., Inc.



THANKSGIVING

With so much to be thankful for that we can't count our blessings, we look with prayerful appreciation to our Creator for the good things that have been bestowed upon us.

We also most sincerely thank our customers and friends for their interest in our good fortune.

JEFFRIES MERCANTILE COMPANY

Littlefield Texas



Sustains Injuries in Gin Saws

E. N. (Shorty) McCall sustained injuries to his right hand when he caught the member in gin saws at the Enochs gin last Saturday. A portion of the middle finger on the right hand was severed and two other fingers were seriously cut. He was brought to Littlefield by Derwood Howell, and was attended by Dr. T. B. Duke.

BIRTHS

Arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bridges of six miles northeast of town, on Wednesday, November 18, at 7 p. m., a baby girl weighing 9 1-2 pounds.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Belyeo of Littlefield on Thursday, November 19, at 4 p. m., a baby boy, weighing 9 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Padgett are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday, November 19, at 1 p. m., weighing ten pounds.

A little daughter weighing ten pounds, named Dorothy Mae, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee Thursday, November 19, about 8 p. m.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harrell Thursday, November 19, at 12 p. m., a baby boy.

R. C. Crump, owner of the Littlefield Hotel, who is connected with the Humble Oil and Gas Co., with headquarters at Longview, spent a few days in Littlefield recently. Mr. Crump spent some time in Littlefield after the purchase of the hotel, but several months ago returned to the old fields. He has been connected with the oil business for many years. The Littlefield Hotel is operated by Mrs. Crump.

FINED FOR AUTO LIGHT VIOLATIONS

Highway Patrolmen Reeves and Croft paid an unannounced visit to Littlefield Saturday night. As a result of their visit nine Littlefield residents paid fines in municipal court for violations of the regulations pertaining to lights on automobiles.

The officers are expected to pay a return visit to Littlefield in the very near future.

WEATHER—

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Considerable snow had fallen Wednesday morning when the Littlefield citizens arose from their slumbers, and it continued snowing until about noon. Later in the afternoon a little hail was seen, which was followed by rain and snow.

Pampa, White Deer, Canadian and smaller towns in the northeast Panhandle were cut off from outside communication Tuesday as a result of broken telephone and telegraph wires.

Western Union reported service to Pampa restored shortly before noon, and the Santa Fe railway had repaired one line. The Southwestern Bell Telephone company was unable to restore service to Pampa although workmen remained on duty all night.

Reports from Pampa estimated that more than 400 breaks were found in wires along the Clinton, Oklahoma, and western line of the Santa Fe between Pampa and the Oklahoma boundary.

Telephone and power officials said the damage was the heaviest ever resulting from a Panhandle blizzard.

Autumn weather had lingered unusually late this season, and winter delayed making its appearance on the South Plains until a 20 year record for late frost had been set.

FARM PROGRAM—

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be effective it must have the wholehearted assistance and support of the local chamber of commerce.

Members of the agricultural committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce include: Clifford B. Jones, Spur, chairman; A. B. Davis, Lubbock, secretary; Winfield Holbrook, Plainview; Oral Jones, Wichita Falls; James D. Hamlin, Farwell; Arthur P. Duggan, Littlefield; W. B. Lee, Spur; W. C. Dickey, Memphis and A. H. Leidigh, Lubbock.

The plan as adopted by the committee is not a "hard and fast plan" but one that can and should be adopted to meet local needs of each county or town, it is pointed out.

Farmers Have Post

The county executive board would consist of the following persons: representative selected by the commissioners' court, another by the bankers and a third by the chamber of commerce. These three would select a dirt farmer and the home demonstration women's council a fifth member. Other agricultural groups, such as a farm bureau, should be represented. This group would function as the executive committee or directors. The agents would be ex-officio members, as would the chamber of commerce secretaries, but without a vote.

The general agricultural board would consist of a farmer and a farm woman from each school district in the county, to be chosen by the farmers in an open meeting. The chambers of commerce would be expected to furnish the clerical and secretarial work necessary.

Objectives or activities to be sponsored would include: 1—the work program of the county and home demonstration agents; 2—a direct by mail and newspaper campaign urging support by bankers, officials, etc., and 3—the coordination of other agricultural group work with the county agents.

To Urge "Live at Home"

An attendance of business men, professional men and bankers at all agricultural meetings desired. Also the promotion of good will between farmers and town people and the understanding of farm problems by others. "This board should render every assistance in encouraging a "live at home" program in its particular count," the program advises.

In counties where there are no county agents or vocational agriculture teachers, "one of the first duties of the county board would be to promote and encourage the employment of such agents and teachers," the outline advocates. "The attention of local chambers of commerce and commissioners' courts in West Texas should be called to the availability of West Texas trained agricultural workers from the Texas Technological college for service in West Texas counties. This is in line with a resolution adopted at the Lubbock convention."

Other Activities Outlined

Other county activities outlined include the following:

A—The county agricultural boards will work with all agencies to minimize hog cholera, contagious abortion and other diseases and hazards in their particular counties; 1—sponsor educational campaigns to show farmers and breeders economic value of eliminating disease; 2—secure cooperation of health officers in enforcing rules and regulations of the livestock sanitary commission.

B—The county boards will organize a program for stimulating greater

hog production in their particular counties; 1—a careful investigation as to the advisability of encouraging pig chains to be fostered and financed by bankers, chambers of commerce and civic clubs is suggested; 2—study ways and means of developing or finding better markets for hogs.

County agents are termed "agricultural engineers" and every effort should be made to help those engineers, encourage their programs and more effectively carry them out rather than attempt to set up separate programs in duplication of and in conflict with the program already under way, the committee decided.

Red Cross Drive

Initial steps were taken on Tuesday's luncheon to carry out a drive in Littlefield for Red Cross members. A committee, consisting of Rev. J. F. Grizzle, W. P. McDaniel and Ed Riley, was appointed to work with the women of the city in arranging for the carrying out of the drive.

An effort will be made to have a large number of the residents of Littlefield submit suggestions for a trade-mark for Texas fed meats, to be used to identify such meats, and popularize their use and demand at markets, cafes and hotels. The West Texas Chamber is offering a cash prize of \$100 to the person who suggests the best trade mark.

Talks appropriate to Thanksgiving were made by Mr. Duggan and Rev. Joe Boyd, the new pastor of the Methodist church.

Serve Thanksgiving Dinner

The women of the Presbyterian church, at which Tuesday's luncheon was held, served a Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings. Extensive efforts were made by the women to serve a very elaborate meal, and they achieved outstanding success. The table decorations were extensive, and appropriate to the Thanksgiving season.

The chamber passed a vote of appreciation to the Lamb County Leader for having published recently a full page advertisement, free of charge, in the interests of the "Buy at Home" movement.

EARLY MAILING—

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Brannen suggests about Christmas cards:

Tie them in bunches, with all the stamps in the same corner of the bundle to enable expedient post-marking.

Christmas cards may be turned in to the office two weeks or more before the twenty-fifth, but will not be mailed until a designated time. Write the release date on the bundle, and postal employes will postmark the cards, route them and put them in out-going or local mails as asked by the patron.

Must Allow Time

No greeting, expected to reach its destination before Christmas, should be mailed later than three days before the twenty-fifth.

The appeal to mail early is especially addressed to business firms who regularly send cards to customers.

Regarding parcel post:

Packages must be securely wrapped.

Must be securely tied.

Addressed in ink, for pencil marks often become illegible and possibly might cause the package to be mis-sent or delayed.

Fragile articles, as china ware, glass

or light toys are required to be packed in double corrugated cardboard and cushioned in excelsior.

"People often mislead us about contents of packages, knowing that we would require better wrapping if the articles were known to be fragile," Mr. Brannen said. "This requirement is for the safe conveyance of the objects being sent. No damages will be paid for destruction of fragile articles unless they are properly packed."

The post office asks that the sender's name and address be placed on packages.

No packages will be insured unless properly packed and wrapped, and the address written in ink. Senders are urged to avoid the use of Christmas paper on the outside of packages.

LEGION—

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sation certificates in full.

The local post is on a deal with the Santa Fe railway to purchase the depot building vacated due to construction of the new one, and at present hope to close the deal within the next few days, same to be used for a temporary Legion Home and placed on the lots deeded to the local post the past summer and forming a part of the City Park.

A committee has been appointed to

raise necessary funds to put over this proposition, and the possibilities of a Legion home here look very favorable. The building can be had at a very reasonable price and the local Legionnaires and business men will be urged to assist in the arrangement for this home.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED to get in touch with party who will trade 1930 or 1931 car for 1927 coupe. Will pay difference. Box A, Leader Office.

FOR SALE—Chevrolet truck and car, both in good condition. Apply First National Bank. 33-2tc

FOR SALE—Buick coach at City Garage. 32-tfc

FOR RENT—House for rent. Apply Jimmy Singer, Telephone Office. 33-tfc

FOR TRADE—Will trade beautiful three stone ladies' ring valued at \$450, for good large automobile. Must be in good condition. Call or see Mr. Walker, Littlefield Tailor Shop. 33-1tc

FOUND—Bunch of keys on pavement in front of Renfro Bros. store. Apply at Leader Office. 33-dh

FAT GIRLS! HERE'S A TIP FOR YOU

All over the world Kruschen Salts is appealing to girls and women who strive for an attractive, free from fat figure that cannot fail to win admiration.

Here's the recipe that banishes fat and brings into blossom all the natural attractiveness that every woman possesses.

Every morning take one half teaspoon of Kruschen Salts in a glass of hot water before breakfast.

Be sure and do this every morning for "It's the little daily dose that takes off the fat" and brings that Kruschen feeling of energetic health and activity that is reflected in bright eyes, clear skin, cheerful vivacity and charming figure.

Get an 85c cent bottle of Kruschen Salts at the Eagle Drug Store or any drug store (lasts 4 weeks)—you must be satisfied with results or money back. —Adv.

CANDY FOR THANKSGIVING

A nice, fresh stock of Johnston's and Whittman's selected Chocolates just received.

80c to \$1.50 per pound

THE EAGLE DRUG STORE

"The Drug Store in Littlefield"

I THANK YOU

For your patronage and the many favors you have extended me during the short time I have been in your midst.

I will appreciate your further patronage, and am here to give you BETTER EYE SERVICE FOR LESS MONEY.

DR. IRA E. WOODS

Optometrist
Eagle Drug Store, Littlefield

FEED GRINDING

Grind with us and let us, without charge, help you

BALANCE YOUR HOME FEEDS

—PHONE 242—

COURTNEY & MYRICK

XIT Drive—One Block South of City Hall, Littlefield.

TO OUR HOST OF FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

During the time that this concern has served the people of this territory, it has put forth every effort to go further than merely offering merchandise in exchange for money . . . it has strived to render a service that tempts you to call again.

And, on this day of Thanksgiving, we not only are thankful for your patronage, but we join the whole nation in giving thanks to our Maker, from whom we have received everything.

CUENOD'S DRY GOODS CO.

Littlefield Texas

LET'S FORGET DEPRESSION AND TURN OUR THOUGHTS TO

Thanksgiving Day

The bountiful crops in Littlefield section—health and strength—sunshine and rain—pure air—good water—plenty of good things to eat canned up for future needs of the family, as well as a surplus of feed to make another crop, and, in addition to all this, a bountiful cotton crop—are indeed enough to make us thankful for such blessings.

We extend to one and all our very best wishes for you and yours on Thanksgiving Day.

Yellow House Land Co.

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LITTLEFIELD TEXAS