

LITTLEFIELD AND LAMB COUNTY'S 1946 RODEO EDITION

LITTLEFIELD IS READY TO WELCOME LARGE CROWDS TO THREE DAY RODEO

TRAINS FOOTBALL PLAYERS FROM SEVENTH GRADE UP

Some football players are born! But most of them are made by hard work and determination.

Figuring that Littlefield's percentage for good football teams in the years to come would be small with "born" players, Coach Fikes, Assistant Coach Duffy and Superintendent Hutchinson have worked out a system of training from "the cradle" to the "cap and gown."

This could only be accomplished by systematic grouping and will require refinements from time to time.

But to get the system started 40 boys have been chosen for work with the first string, 36 are practicing and playing with the "B" team, and 44 seventh- and eighth-graders are dreaming of developing into football players.

This last group doesn't have any equipment, but it is hoped that this condition will be remedied within a year. Funds are available, but the equipment cannot be obtained.

Last Rites Held For F. M. Burlison

F. M. Burlison, 53, formerly of Littlefield and recently of Southgate, Calif., a suburb of Los Angeles, passed away at the St. Francis Hospital, Lubbock, Calif., Saturday, Sept. 7, at 10 a. m., as the result of double pneumonia.

Mr. Burlison had been in bad health for a number of years, his condition becoming worse last December, since which time he had been confined to his home.

The remains, accompanied by Mrs. Burlison, and family, were brought to Lubbock by train, where funeral services were conducted at the Rix Funeral Home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. Bill Evans, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, Littlefield, officiating. Interment took place in the Lubbock cemetery.

Surviving Mr. Burlison are his widow, one son and three daughters. The son is Marshall Burlison, of San Bernardino, Calif., and the daughters are Mrs. Ed Cummings of Los Angeles, and Maurine and Jeanine, of Southgate.

He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. S. A. Burlison, of Littlefield.

Mr. Burlison owned and operated a furniture store and funeral home in Littlefield for many years, and about six years ago, when the Burlison family moved to Lubbock, about two years later moved to California.

Amherst Woman Dies Suddenly

Mrs. Emery Blume, about 42, of Amherst, passed away suddenly about 11 a. m. Friday as a result of a heart attack.

Mrs. Blume is reported to have just come out of the City Cleaners, and to have fallen over dead.

She is reported to have suffered high blood pressure.

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Amherst Baptist Church, with Rev. H. P. Harrison, former Amherst pastor, but now of Tatum, N.M., officiating.

Burial, in charge of Payne Funeral Home, took place in the Amherst cemetery.

Surviving deceased are her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Glenn Blume, and Miss Reta Glenn Blume, of Amherst.

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WATCHER IN STOKES DRUG

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NOTICE!

Will everyone who has a room available to accommodate one or more rodeo visitors please contact Jack Pope, president of the Littlefield Jaycees or any one of the members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce? Mr. Pope points out that the hotels will not be able to accommodate the large numbers who plan to attend, and they will appreciate very much the co-operation of the public in caring for the visitors.

This is Littlefield's first rodeo, and everyone is asked to please co-operate in providing accommodations.

Local Business Men Dipped in Tank

Littlefield residents went Western in a big way the past week, and most

everyone is wearing some article of Western or cowboy garb, advertising the rodeo.

Members of the Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Rotary Club and Jaycees were warned they would be ducked in the big watering tank in front of the First National Bank if any one of them were seen on the downtown streets without some article of Western apparel. Consequently, five of the city's prominent business men, including the mayor, were dipped in the tank last week.

E. C. Cundiff, Mayor A. C. Chesher, Floyd Coffman and Hardy Shelby were dipped in the cold water Thursday, and E. E. Wesley, a member of the publicity committee in connection with the rodeo, was caught off guard Friday, and he was ducked in the big tank.

The tank is providing plenty of excitement for the bank force and other business establishments near the corner, as the yells of those being dipped bring folks scurrying to the door to see who is the latest victim.

OFFICERS OF LITTLEFIELD JAYCEES



The Junior Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the Littlefield Rodeo to be held here Thursday, Friday and Saturday, have all worked hard to make this first Littlefield rodeo an outstanding success.

Top row (left to right): Wayne Brown, first vice president; Jack Pope, president; and L. H. Adams, second vice-president.

Bottom row (left to right): Nelson Naylor, a director; Duane Bull, secretary; and J. D. Smith, treasurer.

Mr. Pope, president of the Jaycees and manager of Pope's Cafe, has been a resident of Littlefield about two years, previous to which he served 26 months in the Army Air Corps, as a machinegun instructor. He is a native of Greenville, N.C., and since his residence here has taken a very active part in all civic matters in Littlefield.

Mr. Brown, first vice-president, is a partner in the Brown Tire Company with A. B. and Clyde Brown, which firm consists of branches at Littlefield, Levelland and Lubbock. He has been in the tire business for the past six years, and has been manager of the local office since its organization on November 15, 1944. Mr. and Mrs. Brown have two daughters, Teena and Betty Jane.

Mr. Adams, second vice-president, is a partner in the G. & A. Plumbing, Littlefield. He is a very active member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and an expert at his trade. He has been a resident of Littlefield a number of years.

Nelson Naylor, owner of Nelson's Hardware, Littlefield, is responsible for the construction of the grandstand, arena, etc., for the Littlefield Rodeo. Mr. Naylor, a member of the board of directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, drew the plans for the structures on the grounds, laid out the site on which to put the rodeo arena and pens on, secured the materials and supervised the construction.

To Mr. Naylor a good deal of credit is due for the time spent and the splendid job done in the construction.

Mr. Naylor has been a resident of Littlefield for about two years, having purchased the Brannen Hardware in February, 1945, and greatly extending the business. He started in the lumber and hardware business in 1937 at Portales, N.M., where he was connected with the Kemp Lumber Company for eight years.

Duane Bull, secretary of the Littlefield Junior Chamber of Commerce, has been a resident of Littlefield for the past nine years, during which time he has been employed as a linotype operator by local newspapers. He has taken a very active interest in the Junior Chamber of Commerce and in Scouting in Littlefield.

J. D. Smith, treasurer, resident of this area for the past 21 years, owns and operates a farm 11 miles southwest of Littlefield where he makes his home. He also has considerable land under lease, and at the present time is working about 950 acres.

—Photos by Chisholm's Studio.

Pig Show To Be Held at Amherst

The annual Lamb County Sears Pig Show will be held at Amherst at 9:30 a. m., Saturday, Sept. 21. There are eight 4-H boys who won registered Duroc gilts last May, and one boy who won a registered Duroc boar who will participate in the show. The program was changed this year to where only 4-H boys are eligible to win these gilts given by Sears Roebuck, whereas last year the FFA boys got four and 4-H boys four.

The winning gilt in the county and the boar will go to the district show at Lubbock, Sept. 28. All prizes in both the county and district shows will be in the form of a purchase order for material for the boys to improve their hog raising facilities.

With weather conditions as they have been and the shortage of feed and pasture the boys, like other hog feeders, have been handicapped. "We do have some good hogs and would like for everyone who is interested in good hogs to be south of the frozen food locker at Amherst, Tuesday morning, September 24," Claude D. Emmons, assistant county agent, said this week.

The show will be judged by E. M. Reagenbercht, swine specialist from the Extension Service, A&M College, College Station, Texas. Mr. W. M. Williamson, district two, will be present for the show.

Jim Thomas Trial Set For October 15

October 15 has been set as the date for the third trial of Jim Thomas, paroled convict charged with murder in connection with the slaying of Dr. Roy Hunt of Littlefield.

His trial will be held at Sweetwater.

Thomas also faces a second charge in connection with the slaying of Mrs. Hunt. The bodies of Dr. and Mrs. Hunt were found trussed in a bed at their Littlefield home Oct. 26, 1943.

Thomas was first tried at Plainview in August, 1944, for the slaying of Dr. Hunt after a change of venue from Lamb County. A mistrial was declared after he had been found guilty and sentenced to death. Last January he was tried at Lamesa and assessed the death penalty. The sentence was reversed.

Rev. A. B. Haynes Resigns Pastorate

Rev. A. B. Haynes, D.D., resigned his pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church of Littlefield, Sunday, Sept. 15, to become effective Nov. 1. Mr. Haynes expects to retire from an active pastorate after 44 years of pastoral work. During these years he has served churches both in Oklahoma and in Texas. Half or more of this service has been in Amarillo Presbytery, he having served at three different times the First Presbyterian Church of Canyon.

Mr. Haynes expects to live in Canyon, to be near his farm there, and will supply pulpits on Sundays where needed.

Show to Open Today (Thursday) With Big Parade

Hitson Furnishing Stock; 125 Cowboys Are To Take Part

Everything is in readiness for the big rodeo to be sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce, to be held at the fairgrounds, Littlefield, opening Thursday for three days.

3,000 Seating Capacity

The grandstands, chutes and pens have been painted. Additional bleachers have been built, affording seating capacity for 3,000 persons.

Tickets have been on sale for some time at various business concerns in the city, and many have been sold.

Four Shows at Rodeo

There will be four shows, Thursday, night, Friday night, Saturday afternoon and Saturday night.

Jack Hitson of Fort Sumner is furnishing the stock for the rodeo; will direct the shows, which will be held each night at 8 o'clock, and Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

About 125 cowboys are expected to be here to take part in the show.

Mone Reger and his troupe of special event performers, Dixie and Virginia Reger, have agreed to put on performances for rodeo fans, that will bring as many thrills as they have drawn before at any other show. Dixie is a trick and fancy rider, and Virginia rides her horse in an exciting jump over an automobile.

The rodeo is expected to draw the best riders from this three-state area.

Season tickets admitting adults to the four shows are \$4.50, including tax; and children's season tickets are \$1.50. Single admission tickets are \$1.50.

Selected "Miss Littlefield"

In a contest in which there were nine entries Tuesday night, Sept. 3, Miss Dorothy Perry was selected "Miss Littlefield," and will be hostess to contestants from other cities.

Invitations were extended to neighboring cities to send representatives to Littlefield as contestants for Queen of the Rodeo, and a number have responded, promising to cooperate in Littlefield's first rodeo.

Parade Thursday Afternoon

A parade will start from the courthouse at 2:30 p. m. Thursday to open the rodeo. Contestants will ride, and the queen will be selected during the parade. Outside judges have been engaged to choose the queen. The queen will be selected for: horsemanship, 50 points; rodeo attire, 15 points; and riding ability, 35 points.

M. L. Aycock of Lavender Motor Company is chairman of the parade committee, and information relative to the parade may be obtained from him.

To Be Crowned Thursday Night

The winner of the title of Queen of the Rodeo will be crowned Thursday night, between 7 and 8 o'clock.

Dance Each Night

Following the rodeo each night there will be a dance staged on Phelps Avenue, starting about 10:30 o'clock, and continuing until 1 a. m.

Concessions On Ground

R. M. Yarbrough, Jr., of Y. & S. Food Store, is in charge of concessions at the grounds. He reports there will be a number of concessions, including those for sale of candy, food, tobacco, cold drinks, ice cream, etc.

\$1500 in Cash Prizes

The Jaycees announce there will be \$1500 in cash prizes, plus entrance fees, given away at the rodeo.

Entrance Fee \$25

Entrance fees for calf roping, bareback bronc, bulldogging and bull riding will each be \$25, and the prize in each will be a \$300 purse, plus entrance fees.

Hospital Group To Buy Building In College Heights

The Lamb County Memorial Hospital was organized at a meeting in the courthouse Monday night.

The members of the Memorial Hospital voted unanimously to accept an offer to sell the organization the dormitory property in College Heights for a charity hospital.

Churches

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Morning worship 11 o'clock.
 Sunday evening, 8:30 o'clock.
 Christian Ambassador service, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday.
 Prayer meeting, 8:30 p.m. Saturday.
 Everybody invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF EARTH
 Rev. C. T. Jordon, Pastor
 Sunday School—10 a. m.
 Morning Service—11 a. m.
 Training Union—7:30 p. m.
 Evening Service—8:30 o'clock.
 Wednesday Evening—8:00 o'clock
 W. M. S. Thursday—3 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 A. B. Haynes, Pastor
 10:00 a. m. Sunday—Children's day program.
 11:00 a. m. Sunday—Morning Worship.

AMHERST CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Grady Pricer, Minister
 Sunday morning service for Bible study 10 a. m.
 Preaching Service 11 a. m.
 Communion service 11:45 a. m.
 Bible Study each Wednesday night at 7 o'clock.
 Broadcast over KVOP, Plainview, each Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
 Harold C. Davis, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 A. M.
 Morning Worship 11:00 A. M.
 Junior Service 7:00 P. M.
 N. Y. P. S. Service 7:00 P. M.
 Mrs. Jack Davidson, Pres.
 Evangelistic Service ... 7:45 P. M.
 Prayer Service Thursday, 7:30 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Rev. Orbin Turner, Pastor
 Sunday School at 10 a. m.
 Morning Worship at 11 o'clock.
 Youth Fellowship at 6:15 p. m.
 Evening Service at 8:00 o'clock p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Lee Hemphill, Pastor
 Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
 Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.
 Training service, 7:00 p. m.
 Evening worship, 8:00 a. m.
 W. M. S., Monday, 3:00 p. m.
 Prayer service, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.
 Teachers' meeting, Wednesday, 8:30 p. m.

SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH
 Rev. F. M. Higgins, Pastor
 First, third, and fifth Sundays at 10:00 o'clock a. m.
 Second and fourth Sundays at 8 o'clock a. m.

EMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
 Sunday School and Bible Classes meet next Sunday at 10:15 a.m.
 Divine worship at 11 a.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to

worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Whitharral, Texas
 J. B. Dolan, Pastor.

Some of the radio announcers should be called mastoids of ceremonies, they are such pains in the rear.

Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Morning worship, 7:30 p.m.
 Training Union, 7:30 p.m.
 Evening worship, 8:30 p.m.
 Wednesday, prayer service 8:30 p.m.

MAIN ST. CHURCH OF CHRIST, AMHERST
 Sunday morning service, 10:30.
 Evening service, 7:30 p.m.
 Communion at both services.

Tech Students Will Be Excused For Trip To Dallas for Game

Special trains from Lubbock to Dallas, a parade through the Dallas business area with a band, excuses absences for Texas Tech students who wish to attend the affair and a bang-up football game between Tech and SMU are being planned by Lubbock and Tech as contributions to West Texas Day, October 5, at the State Fair of Texas.

The chamber of commerce and civic groups are co-operating in sponsoring the special trains, with reduced fares agreed on by railroads. Coaches and tourist and standard Pullmans

★ Fashions ★



Big collar lends newness to cotton dress, shown above as pictured in the August issue of Good Housekeeping magazine. Plain top, collar and skirt striped, with rick rack.

only practical lamp available. Apparently stymied and with less than a year to go, Westinghouse invented a "stopper" lamp, built a factory to produce it, and completed the lighting task at a profit, even though his bid had been a million dollars below that of his rivals.

this year, founded 60 companies to manufacture his many inventions and developments in the electric, marine, railroad and natural gas industries. When he died in 1914 the companies he founded were worth \$200,000,000.

"RADICAL" LABOR POLICIES OF 80's

Resenting the stern shop discipline in his father's factory, George Westinghouse at the age of 14, said if he were ever an employer he would give everyone Saturday afternoon for a holiday. Eleven years later, Westinghouse, born a century ago this year, inaugurated this practice—fore-runner of other Westinghouse labor policies, termed "radical" in the 80's which included pensions, vacations with pay and sickness and accident benefits.

CUPID ON THE DOUBLE

George Westinghouse, who was born a hundred years ago this year, set a courtship record for the socially-staid Civil War era. The 20-year-old Westinghouse, about to launch his first company, met his future wife by chance on a train, told his family that night he was going to marry her, secured a formal introduction through his minister, and after a few "approval" visits to the family of Marguerite Erskine Walker, married her on August 8, 1867, five months after their "chance" spring meeting.

WESTINGHOUSE FOUNDED SIXTY COMPANIES

George Westinghouse, the centennial of whose birth is being celebrated

A purpose underlies character, culture, position, attainment of every sort.—Munger.

The devotion of thought to an honest achievement makes the achievement possible.—Mary Baker Eddy.



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will be included. The Texas Tech band, directed by Prof. D. O. Wiley, will lead the parade the morning of Saturday, October 5. A concert is planned near the Adolphus Hotel in Dallas.

Tech officials are working on a program to co-operate with students wishing to attend the Tech-SMU game. A section of seats in the Cotton Bowl is being set aside for the Tech rooters.

Coach Dell Morgan expects to have his Red Raider football team in top shape for the SMU clash, which may become an annual feature of the Fair opening day. Tech has met SMU five times, winning in 1932 and 1943, and losing in 1933 and 1944.

Tech and Lubbock officials also are urging all livestock raisers of West Texas to visit the State Fair opening day and to visit exhibits prior to the football game. They also are urging young exhibitors to take advantage of the special students' tickets on sale to them at reduced rates for the football game.

CONNIE WRAY HOPPING TO RIDE IN PARADE

Among those who will ride in the rodeo parade will be Miss Connie Wray Hopping, daughter of Mrs. Wolfe Shaw.

Miss Hopping's uncle, Pat Boone, is reported to be bringing a pony from the Boone ranch, near Elida, N.M., for Connie Wray to ride.

Installs Public Address System

Zachary Electric Shop has installed a public address system at the football stadium to take care of the games.

"STOPPER" LAMP LIGHTED 1893 WORLD'S FAIR

To demonstrate the advantages of alternating current in transmitting electric power, George Westinghouse, who was born a hundred years ago this year, contracted to light Chicago's 1893 World's Fair. But rival interests controlled the patents on the



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MR. R. W. BADGER, Box 1146, Phone 78, Littlefield, Texas, will handle buying for us in the Levelland and Littlefield territories, setting up receiving points at convenient loading places throughout the territory, to be designated later. He will take care of receiving and will pay for the peas at the time they are received.

We will pay market price for the peas, which should be in the vicinity of \$65.00 per ton. The demand for canned blackeyes appears to be far in excess of what canners can supply this year. We will also buy dried blackeyed peas this year.

FOR INFORMATION CONCERNING SEED

R. W. BADGER

Last Rites Thursday For J. R. Boston, 82

J. R. Boston, 82, father of W. M. Boston, of Boston's Grocery, Littlefield, passed away Tuesday, Sept. 10, at his home in Amarillo, as a result of creeping paralysis, from which he had suffered for some time, and had been an invalid for five years.

Funeral services were conducted at the Boxwell Funeral Home, Amarillo, Thursday at 3 p.m., with Rev. Fincher, Methodist pastor, officiating. Interment took place in the Amarillo cemetery.

Surviving Mr. Boston are his widow, six sons and two daughters. The sons are: W. M., of Littlefield; C. S. and Jerry Boston, of Pampa, Texas; P. T. Boston, of Shamrock; W. J., of Clarendon; and L. C., of Amarillo. The daughters are: Mrs. R. C. Stout of Amarillo, and Mrs. Alto Meyers, of Childress. He is also survived by one brother

and four sisters. The brother is Ben Boston, of Lubbock; and the sisters are: Mrs. T. B. Sledge of Wellington, Mrs. Finis Gregory of Amarillo, Mrs. Ben Mauldin of Whitesboro, Texas, and Mrs. Mollie Petty of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Boston and sons, Billy, and Jimmy, attended the services from Littlefield.

MISS OZELLA BUTLER AND WAYLAND BUCK WED AUGUST 23

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Butler announce the marriage of their daughter, Ozella, to Mr. Wayland Buck, August 23, 1946.

A double-ring ceremony was read by Rev. Jones, of the First Methodist Church, Grand Prairie, Texas.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Buck of Grand Prairie, formerly of Olton.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Buck, parents of the groom; Mrs. R. T. Copeland, of

Fort Worth, attending as bridesmaid; and Mr. Dale Aughtry, of Grand Prairie, as best man.

Mrs. Buck is a graduate of Olton High School, and has been employed in Clovis, N.M., and Amarillo for the past three years.

Mr. Buck served with the U. S. Navy for the past three years, being discharged in March, 1946.

The couple plan to make their home in Grand Prairie, Texas.

Mrs. Ollie Robbins Hostess to Study Club

The Junior Study Club met in the first regular meeting of the year at the home of the president, Mrs. Ollie Robbins, Thursday evening, Sept. 5. After the regular business meeting, Lucille Betts reviewed "The Peacock Sheds Its Tail," by Alice Hobart.

The members attending were: Alma Allen, Lucille Betts, Franciana Carter, Melba Jane Byers, Johnnie Carl, Margaret Coffman, Ruthie Stokes, Olene Gibson, Ruth Griffin, LaVerne Hayhurst, Alma Faye Henry, Erna Mae Hill, Juanita Robbins, Bernice Sanderson, Lucille Smith and Dora Jo Valverde.

R. M. Yarbrough, Jr. In Charge of Concessions

R. M. Yarbrough, Jr., one of the owners of the Y. & S. Food Store and a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, has put in considerable work in the planning and installation of concessions at the rodeo Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Yarbrough has had to be a carpenter as well as a grocer and, besides making plans to secure food, candies, tobaccos, cold drinks, etc., he has had to build counters, seats, etc. He is another one of the Jaycees who have spent considerable of their time in making the rodeo a success.

Olton F. F. A. Elects Officers

The Olton F.F.A. met in the high school study hall Wednesday night, Sept. 11, to elect officers. There were 17 members present.

W. W. Hall acted as chairman until the president was elected, following which they elected other officers, who are as follows:

President, Bob Poteet; vice-president, Grady Gorley; second vice-president, Bobby Wills; third vice-president, Bub Holt; secretary, Max Vaught; treasurer, David Grimsley; reporter, Jackson Dodd; parliamentarian, Howard Davenport; second parliamentarian, Wayne Carson; sentinel, Dick Hopper; historian, Hugh Alexander; song leader, Donald Wamock.

OLTON CHURCH OPENS MEETING

The Olton Methodist Church began a series of evangelistic services Wednesday evening, Sept. 18, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Methodist church. The Rev. Hubert Thomson, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Canyon, Texas, is the evangelist, and his son, Carlton Thomson is leading the singing.

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week prayer services were held at the church. The public is invited to these prayer meetings.

Sunday evening service will begin at 7:30, when Rev. W. C. Hinds, the district superintendent will preach and will hold the fourth quarterly conference following the service. The members are urged to attend this conference, and all are invited to the services.

645 PUPILS ENROLL

Olton schools opened with a bang Monday morning, Sept. 9. Mrs. B. A. Dickenson, Jr., has been elected to teach math in the high school. Up to Wednesday, a total of 645 students had enrolled. There were 470 in grade school and 175 in high school.

The lunchroom was opened Tuesday, with Mrs. Slatten in charge.

How much energy does it take to move your foot a couple of inches and press that little button that dims the lights of your car? Not much—and that's why the Texas Safety Association wonders why there are so many drivers who fail to make that small effort for courtesy and safety on the highways. Always use the lower beam when meeting a car. Use it all the time in cities. Don't blind the other fellow. Show your brightness BEHIND the wheel!

It is the old lesson—a worthy purpose, patient energy for its accomplishment, a resoluteness undaunted by difficulties and then success.—Punshon.

No wind makes for him that hath no intended port to sail into.—Montaigne.



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We are now selling retail, and will be in a position in a few days to sell wholesale.

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In a few days we will be equipped to deliver to farmers over the trade area. . . Come and see us and let us know your needs.



WATCH FOR OUR FORMAL OPENING

A Message from Dennis Jones, Owner and Operator:

I am proud to announce completion of my new service station, which will permit me to render a much more convenient and efficient service to our large number of customers over the area. In the new station, we have 33x52 ft. floor space; 32x30 ft. Washing and Lubrication room; 20x20 ft. Tire Storage and Display Room; Office 10x12; and a Wholesale Storage Room 15x15 ft. We have been in business in Littlefield continuously since 1932, and know the needs of motorists and farmers over the area.

DENNIS JONES

● Welcome . . . **COWBOYS . . . COWGIRLS** ● **EVERYBODY** . . . to **LITTLEFIELD'S RODEO!**

And while you're in town for the three-day celebration, come around to see us. Fill up with that reliable **COSDEN GASOLINE!**

Dennis Jones Tire Store

On the Curve at Lubbock and Levelland Highways

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LITTLEFIELD



Miss Zelda Coffman to Represent Anton in Rodeo

Miss Zelda Coffman, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Coffman of Anton, sponsored by the Anton Lions Club, will represent her city in the Littlefield rodeo.

Miss Coffman was graduated with honors from Anton High School, with the class of 1945. She is planning on enrolling in Lippert's Business College, Plainview, later this month. She is an attractive blonde, experienced in the saddle, and will ride a beautiful paint horse in a very becoming riding habit.

Miss Coffman has taken part in a number of school plays, and was voted the Sweetheart of the American Legion of Anton.

Her father operates the Coffman Food Market, and she has been a resident of that city since a small child.



MISS ZELDA COFFMAN
—Photo Courtesy Anton News.

Rodeo Booster Trip Is Well Attended

About 100 business men or representatives attended the booster trip Monday morning advertising the Littlefield Rodeo, and everything points to a big rodeo in Littlefield Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

G. M. Shaw is chairman of the goodwill committee.

Three buses, chartered, left here about 8 o'clock for the various points scheduled.

Bus No. 1, with E. E. Wesley in charge, visited Amherst, Sudan, Muleshoe, Farwell, Texas, and Clovis, Tatum, N. M.; Brownfield, Levelland, Whitarral, and back to Littlefield.

Bus No. 2, with Mr. Shaw as leader, visited Dimmitt, Hereford, Amarillo, Canyon, Happy, Tulia, Plainview, Crosbyton, Floydada, and back to Littlefield.

Bus No. 3, with Wayne (Tramp) Brown in charge, visited Anton, Roundup, Shallowater, Lubbock, Post, Snyder, Lamesa, and back to Littlefield.

At Lubbock, Plainview and Clovis, radio time was given over to the Littlefield Rodeo, and Mr. Shaw, Mr.



G. M. SHAW

Wesley and Mr. Brown gave short broadcasts advertising the rodeo.

Dorothy Perry is 'Miss Littlefield' in Contest

Miss Dorothy Perry, 20, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Perry, is "Miss Littlefield" in the contest for queen of the rodeo. She is a popular and attractive brunette, a graduate of Littlefield High School with the class of 1944, and has been employed by the

First National Bank in the bookkeeping department for the past two years.

Miss Perry has been a resident of Littlefield for the past three years, coming here from Chillicothe, Texas.

Miss Tommy Ann Bogard is Bula Rodeo Queen Entry

Miss Tommie Ann Bogard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bogard, of Bula, sponsored by H. C. Nickels' Store, Bula, will represent Bula as a contestant for the queen of the rodeo.

Miss Bogard is a sophomore in Bula High School, and has been a resident of Bula for about five years. Her parents are prominent farmers of the Bula community. She is an attract-

ive brunette, exceedingly popular, and has a very pleasing personality.

Miss Bogard will be mounted on a palomino quarter horse (double registered) stallion, owned by O. V. Nickels of Bula. This palomino is a Matador horse, and was formerly owned by Clyde Hilbun of Littlefield. He is 15 hands and weighs 1650 pounds.

Miss Logsdon to Represent Plainview in Rodeo Contest



ELEANOR LEE LOGSDON

Miss Eleanor Lee Logsdon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John G. Logsdon, and an attractive brunette, will be Plainview's entry in the rodeo queen contest in connection with the Littlefield rodeo.

She will be sponsored by the Plainview Junior Chamber of Commerce. Miss Logsdon is a graduate of the Plainview High School, and is a former college student. She is an accomplished musician and a good rider.

Her father is engaged in the insurance and real estate business in Plainview.

PAYS 100% TO ADVERTISE
A housewife of Springfield, Mass., was most indignant when called by the advertisement of a Springfield newspaper concerning her 84-cent bill.

"I paid the bill in full," she said, "and it was too much, too!"
"Indeed it was," came the reply. "You sent us a check for \$84."

Mrs. Doyle Tapley Amherst's Entry For Rodeo Queen

Mrs. Doyle Tapley, will represent Amherst in the rodeo queen contest, which will be held in connection with the Littlefield rodeo.

Mrs. Tapley was graduated from the Amherst High School with the class of 1944. She is the former Mo-

zelle Usselton, and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Usselton.

She is an attractive brunette and is an accomplished rider.

Mrs. Tapley is a daughter-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Herchel Tapley, of Littlefield.

To Represent Lubbock in Contest for Rodeo Queen

Miss Dorothy Lee Carmack, of Lubbock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Carmack of Tahoka, sponsored by the Lubbock Junior Chamber of Commerce, will represent Lubbock in the contest for Queen of the Littlefield Rodeo.

Miss Carmack, as "Miss Lubbock," placed fifth in the statewide beauty contest in Port Arthur, Aug. 14, and

was selected "Miss South Plains" at the annual district beauty contest staged Aug. 20 at Levelland.

Miss Carmack, who has been a student at Southern Methodist University for the past two years, is entering Tech College, Lubbock, this month as an arts and science student. She is an attractive brunette.

.... and How It Cost Them

And, they wanted a pair of boots to wear to the rodeo. . . .

They didn't have boots and didn't have the money to buy them . . . and as the desire got stronger and stronger, they determined to have the boots. . . .

And so, as the story goes, two local juveniles have gotten tangled up with the law, and are due to come up for hearing before Judge I. B. Hoyt, in juvenile court here.

The juveniles are said to have entered a henhouse, owned by a local man, and emptied a grain sack, huddled in very special breed of pullets into the sack,

and carried them to a local produce concern. On arriving at the produce company. Five of the pullets had smothered, due to close quarters, but the other five brought enough money to buy a used pair of cowboy boots, and all was well . . .

Until the owner discovered his loss, and police caught up with the boys . . . and now the two juveniles are without their boots — are in the doghouse at home, and in a bad mixup with the police . . .

And, maybe, won't even get to the rodeo!

130 Attend Rodeo Booster Trip

"If all the people come to Littlefield who say they are, we will have more people here than we will know how to accommodate," said E. E. Wesley, chairman of the rodeo publicity committee, and who was in charge of Bus No. 1 making the goodwill tour Monday morning.

A total of 130 attended the booster trip.

Mr. Wesley reported wonderful reception everywhere. He reports a splendid program on the bus and at the various intervening cities. He made a 15-minute talk over the radio at Clovis advertising the rodeo. Included in the delegation were the bus, four cars and a jeep. The group attending numbered 45.

Those on Bus No. 1 were entertained by Wayne Smith of Spring Lake and his Cowboy Ramblers.

G. M. Shaw, in charge of Bus No. 2, also reported a splendid reception along the route to Amarillo. Although Amarillo was not originally on the route planned, they went to Amarillo; were given a fine reception. Pictures were taken which will appear in Tuesday's Amarillo Globe-News.

Also Cal Farley donated his time over KGNC to the Littlefield rodeo. Mr. Shaw also talked over the radio at Plainview advertising the show.

Wayne Brown, in charge of Bus No. 3, reports a splendid reception all along the route to Lubbock and return. They put on programs advertising the rodeo at both the Citizens National Bank and the Lubbock Hotel corners.

FOR SALE—Four-row tractor with two-row tractor; 1934 Plymouth car; rent of good farm, near Littlefield; 500 pounds of calcium arsenic poison. H. W. Sewell, Box 331, Littlefield.

Muleshoe's Entry Mrs. Gene Jenkins

Muleshoe's entry for rodeo queen in the contest to be staged in connection with the Littlefield rodeo will be Mrs. Gene Jenkins, wife of "Pete" Jenkins, and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wittie, of Muleshoe.

She will be sponsored by the Lions Club of the Bailey County seat.

Mrs. Jenkins is a blonde, a graduate of Muleshoe High School, and will ride her own horse.

Muleshoe is proud of her entry in the contest, and has high hopes for her success.

"She's going to win the prize," commented an official of the Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Virgie Baccus To Represent Sudan

Miss Vergie Baccus will represent Sudan in a contest for queen of the Littlefield rodeo. She won first place in a contest recently sponsored by the Sudan 1935 Study Club, in connection with the Fall Festival held in that city.

Too Late To Classify WANTED

WANTED—Good tractor man to work on farm. C. P. Montgomery, Hart Camp. 26-1tp

WANTED—To buy, clean passenger car, in A-1 shape. Alvis Tubbs, at Lyman's Grocery. 26-1tp

WANTED—Custom combining in the vicinity of Littlefield. Have self-propelled McCormick-Deering combine. W. H. Covington, Jr., 512 West Fifth St., Littlefield. 26-4tp

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Four-room house and bath, to be moved. H. G. Ferguson, 299 North Whicker St. 26-2tp

FOR SALE—Four-room and bath modern house. Contact me at Keithley & Co. Margarete Houk 26-1tp

FOR SALE—Combine, 12-ft. Baldwin, ready to go. B. F. Wiggins, 909 West 10th St., Littlefield 26-1tp

FOR SALE—Sheet iron building, 24x30, and household furniture, including bedroom suite, dining room suite, kitchen stove, etc. Call at 708 E. 4th St. Mrs. F. M. Burleson. 28-1tp

Paraplegic Operates Tractor



There's more to this picture of a young Texan and his tractor than meets the eye. The special left-hand gear shift permits James Oualia, Lubbock, to turn in a full day's work on his farm, although he has been paralyzed from the waist down since his E-24 crashed in Italy.

Buck Steener's Rodeo To Be Fair Attraction

Buck Steener's Rodeo will be the main attraction of the evening, October 8-12, at the 29th Annual Panhandle South Plains Fair, Lubbock, according to officials of the Fair Association. Opening night, October 7, will be devoted to a veterans' "Welcome Home" Day program.

Steiner, owner of the largest hand-made saddle shop in Texas and of three ranches, has guaranteed "the cleanest, fastest, wildest and most spectacular rodeo ever produced." His stock, most of which will come to Lubbock direct from a rodeo in New Orleans where Steiner is furnishing over 200 head, is second to none.

Both Steiner and his son, Buck, Jr., are active professional cowboys. Steiner started riding bucking horses and bulls at the age of 12. Buck, Jr., rode calves and Shetland ponies from the time he could walk, and has been a winner many times in rodeo events in recent years.

Among the famous bucking horses which are known throughout the United States and which will be ridden by top cowboys are "War Paint," "San Wah Keen," "Hard Tack," "Fricco Kid," "Calico Dot," "Slinging Sam," and many others. These are among the wildest, toughest brones in the country. The old Harry Knight string of bucking horses belong to Steiner, as do thirty head of Cuff Burrell bucking horses from California. Harry Knight was one of the original owners of the Madison Square Garden Corporation. Cuff Burrell runs a ranch in California and is one of the top bucking horse owners in the United States.

Steiner claims there isn't a bull in his outfit that won't fight every time he is bucked out in the arena. He picks his bulls for their bucking qualities and fighting ability. The steers used for steer wrestling in the show come direct from Old Mexico and are "pretty rank." Steiner raises his own calves on a ranch at Bastrop, Texas. They are one-half to two-thirds Brahman and are selected fresh over for each show. As a result, they really make a horse hurry.

Judges for the rodeo are Andy Robinson of Fort Worth and Doc Blackstone of Midland. Buck and Buck, Jr., will be arena directors.

Steiner's Capitol Saddlery in Austin, Texas, the largest buckeye saddle shop in the world, furnishes saddles for Montgomery Ward & Co., Sears, Roebuck Co., and independent dealers throughout the United States, Canada and South America. Buckeye means hand-made saddle shop.

The three ranches operated by Steiner and his son each have a specialty. One has over 500 head of top rodeo stock from which Steiner draws the material for his shows. On another the Steiners raise registered Brahman cattle, and on the third they run commercial cattle.

Littlefield Cats Play Westerner 'B' Team At Seely Field

Coach J. S. Fikes' Littlefield Wildcats put the finishing touches to their pre-season work and met the Lubbock Westerner "B" team here in the season's opener at Seely Field Wednesday night.

Fikes and his assistant, Leo Duffey, have a squad of 28 boys seeking berths on the team this year, including a list of 12 lettermen from last year's regional champions.

Hereford Downs Sudan
The Hereford Whitefaces spoiled Sudan's stadium dedication Friday night, defeating the Hornets, 27-12, in the season's grid opener. Sudan's new stadium was made possible through a large contribution by F. O. Masten.

YOUR GULF AGENT EXTENDS A VERY HEARTY WELCOME TO ALL THOSE PLANNING TO ATTEND Littlefield Rodeo WE HOPE YOU ENJOY THE BIG THREE-DAY PROGRAM While Here Fill Up Your Car With GOOD GULF PRODUCTS L. C. Grissom WHOLESALE AGENT — LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

A Glad Hand Awaits You at Littlefield's BIG RODEO! COME AND BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY Enjoy the three days of the rodeo and for good food while here — eat at The MIDGET CAFE WHERE YOU WILL GET HOME-COOKED MEALS AND THE BEST OF SERVICE Eat Where Your Business Is Appreciated OPEN FROM 5 A. M. UNTIL 3 A. M. NEXT DAY Phone 352-J for Sandwiches to Go MIDGET CAFE Across from Magnolia Service Station CECIL WALKER, Manager LITTLEFIELD

Welcome Folks to the Littlefield Rodeo and WELCOME, as always, to our FRIENDLY GROCERY STORE Where a nice selection of the best in GROCERIES, MEATS, FRUITS and BAKERY GOODS are carried at all times SQUIRES GROCERY & MARKET LITTLEFIELD

SOCIAL EVENTS

Mrs. Mollie Fondren Honored at Program Friendship Class
The Friendship Class of the Methodist Church met Tuesday, Sept. 10,

in the home of Mrs. W. P. Kirk, on Eastside Ave. and Harrison St., with a covered-dish luncheon. The rooms were very pretty with autumn flowers. This was the last meeting of the church school year, and it was generally agreed that the last was the best meeting of the year.

In the afternoon the class was called to order by the chairman, Mrs. G. S. Glenn. A devotional was given by Mrs. Bill Roberts, her theme being "The Model Prayer." The Scripture used was from the sixth chapter of Matthew. For the opening song the class sang "Help Somebody Today. Prayer was by Mrs. Fondren, and closing song was "Sweet Hour of Prayer."

During a short business session, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Bill Roberts; vice-president, Mrs. G. S. Glenn; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Bertha Smythe; assistant, Mrs. W. P. Kirk; reporter, Mrs. W. K. Boykin; teacher, Mrs. Lyle Brandon; and assistant teacher, Mrs. Ray Bilderback.

A social hour followed, opened by the song, "When the Roll Is Called Up Yonder." The social hour was in honor of Mrs. Mollie Fondren, a dear-

ly loved and long-time member of the class, who is leaving for Mountainburg, Ark., to make her home. Mrs. Ray Bilderback presented Mrs. Fondren with a gift from the class and very beautifully expressed to her the regret of the class for her leaving, and good wishes for her in her new home.

Mrs. Orbin Turner also made an interesting talk in which she spoke of the sorrow of losing old friends, but the assurance of happiness to be found among new ones. The class sang "God Be With You," after which delicious refreshments of cake and ice cream, topped with strawberries, were served to the following:

Mmes. Fondren, Winnigham, Blessing, Pinkerton, Farmer Polk, Gore Boykin, Glenn Reid, Smythe, Bilderback, Street, Roberts, Turner, Bennett and Dysart; and visitors, Mrs. D. G. Hobbs, of Lubbock; Mrs. C. D. Campbell, of Sweetwater; three Kin-said children; D. G. Hobbs and G. S. Glenn, and the hostess, Mrs. W. P. Kirk.

The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Orbin Turner, Oct. 8.

PENNEY'S

Leaders in the Back-to-School Parade



- A. Girls' Sweaters, fine or medium gauge, all wool, 10-16. **3.95**
- B. Skirts, feature bright plaids, pleats, dirads, wool-rayons. **3.98**
- C. Boys' Sweaters, cardigan or pullover styles, long sleeves, 8-16. **3.98**
- D. Tailored Slacks, fine all wool. Shetland-types, gabardines, 10-20. **4.98**

- E. Cotton or Rayon Dresses, 7 to 14, tailored or dressy styles. **2.98**
- F. Boys' Oxfords, scuffless-tip. For dress or school, hard wear! **2.98**
- G. Girls' Ghillies, flexible, comfortable, long-wearing, smart! **2.98**

Penney's



Like Big Brother's
**JUVENILE
PLAID JACKET**
\$3.98

Small boys (sizes 3 to 6) will take pride in wearing this warm and wooly (wool content on tag) plaid jacket 'cause it's one like older brother wears! Plenty of fist room in the deep lower pockets—small breast pockets, too! And the zippered front helps to keep out much of the cold winter winds. Blue, green, maroon, or brown plaid combinations.

Mrs. A. B. Haynes Appointed Sunday School Missionary

1946 class of Littlefield High School.

Miss Jackie Vance of Amherst visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. M. Farland.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bellomy over the weekend.

Among the students leaving Monday to attend Texas Technological College, Lubbock, were: Jan Blackwell, Joe Douglass, Bobbie Taylor, Edwin Coffman, Buster Owens, Maxie Bagwell, Dal Brandon and Auburn Stowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ford of Lubbock visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bellomy over the weekend.

Mrs. Lucille Smith and daughter, Georgia Lou, left Sunday for Denton, where Miss Smith will enter the Texas State College for Women.

Miss Larue Clark left Saturday for Austin to enter the State University. She will take a pre-med course.

Jack F. Dow visited the past week in the home of Bert Dow. He returned to Oklahoma City Saturday.

Billy Squires enrolled last week as a journalism student in Tech College, Lubbock. He left Tuesday to begin his studies.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Luce and Mr.

Mrs. A. B. Haynes has been appointed by the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A., as Sunday School missionary for the Amarillo Presbytery, which includes 40 counties of the Panhandle and South Plains. Her work will include the visiting of vacant churches in this region, holding worship services and reorganizing the Sunday Schools, young people's work and the women's work. She and Mr. Haynes will work together in this activity. She will also go into fields where there are no churches of any kind and establish Sunday Schools and do community work.

The board owns a marize at Canyon in which the Haynes' will reside. She expects to assume her duties by November 1.

and Mrs. Frank Rogers and Mrs. Rogers' mother, Mrs. Nettie Hiner, of Fort Worth, made a trip to Amarillo Tuesday, where Mr. Rogers and Mrs. Luce are attending the John Deere sales meeting, which convened Sept. 16-17-18.

Mrs. Nettie Hiner of Fort Worth, mother of Mrs. Frank Rogers, arrived Monday to spend two weeks in the Rogers home.

Miss Mildred Boone And Johnson Lee Wed Saturday Night

Miss Mildred Boone became the bride of Johnson Lee Saturday evening in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church, Littlefield, with Rev. Lee Hemphill officiating.

The bride is formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio, and is employed in the office of Winston Insurance.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lee of the Yellowhouse-Switch community.

The bride wore a blue wool jersey dress with black accessories, and a corsage of red roses.

Attending the couple were: Miss Lois Lee and Curtis Lee, sister and brother of the groom.

The bride served with the W.A.C.'s; was stationed at Roswell, N.M., and was discharged recently.

The groom spent about four years in the service, and considerable of this time overseas, in the European area. He was connected with an infantry division. He was discharged last November.

To Attend 4-H Feeders' Course

Twenty-eight 4-H boys from Lamb County will attend the district 4-H feeders' short course at Texas Tech, Lubbock, Sept. 21. The course will last one day.

The boys will attend instruction in the group in which they are interested. Eleven boys will attend the class on beef cattle, ten on swine, three on poultry, and four on dry cattle. The instruction will be given by specialists from Texas A&M College and Texas Tech, and instructors and herdsmen from Texas Tech.

All boys who attend the course will receive a nice certificate of attendance signed by the dean of agriculture of Texas Tech and by W. N. Williamson, district agent of Extension Service District No. 2.

The program for the day's work has been worked out by a committee composed of Bill Griffin, assistant county agent of Lubbock County; Ollie Limer, assistant county agent of Hale County; and Claude D. Emmons, assistant county agent of Lamb County. "We have tried to work up a program where the boys will get some sound, practical advice and not a lot of theory that they will not understand," Emmons said.

"We are going to give them some practical work on handling different animals, how to mix and what to mix in feed rations for different animals, insect and parasite control, and show the boys the different types of equipment in use at the college.

"We think the boys will spend a very profitable day and will be associated with boys from twenty other counties in the district," concluded Emmons.

P-TA Urges Slow, Careful Driving

Littlefield P-TA, which is sponsoring a safety program in Littlefield, is urging that every parent, every student, every citizen of Littlefield observe all traffic rules and drive slowly and carefully in the school zones; that pedestrians cross streets in safety zones only, and that motorists park their cars correctly, on the right side of the streets.

The P-TA points out that during 1945, 189 children in the State of Texas met their death in traffic accidents.

Let's avoid a traffic tragedy in Littlefield. Remember, your slow and careful driving may save a child's life.

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Personals

Mrs. F. E. Bates and Miss D. W. Heath of Tulsa arrived Sunday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bates. Mrs. Bates is the mother of L. J. Bates, and Miss Heath is his cousin. They came as far as Lubbock by plane.

A. W. Ray made a business trip to Matador Saturday, returning the same day.

Dr. Wm. N. Orr, Frank Bartley, Riley Cox and Cal Harvey left Sunday on a fishing trip to Eagle Nest Lake, returning to Littlefield Monday.

I. T. Shotwell, Sr., left Tuesday of last week for Jacksonville, Texas, to be gone about a week on business.

Wolfe Shaw returned Friday from Kansas City and St. Louis, where he spent several days buying merchan-

dise for Shaw's Dry Goods.

A. H. McFarland, who has been a patient in the Amherst hospital for several weeks, was released and went home Sunday of last week. He is improving slowly.

Orville Bailey, owner and operator of the Roundup Gin, was attending to business in Littlefield Friday, and was a welcome visitor at the Leader office.

Mrs. A. R. Hendricks and daughter, Kay, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Keithley left Saturday to spend a few days at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Onstead and son, Ronnie, left for Kerrville Saturday, where Ronnie enrolled Monday in the Schreiner Military Institute. Mr. and Mrs. Onstead returned here Tuesday.

A. L. Morris is in Riverbank, Cal., employed in a cannery and living with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murdock and son, Bobby, and her mother, Mrs. M. V. Robinson, and Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Murdock of Muleshoe spent a recent week in Albuquerque, N.M., visiting Pvt. Gene Murdock who, although only 16 years of age, is a military policeman.

Mrs. J. O. Reed of Muleshoe visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murdock here Sunday. She had been visiting relatives in Knox City, and was en route home.

Mrs. A. L. Henderson is visiting a month in Van Horn, Fort Worth and Greenville.

Eddie Houk was ill with a sore throat and absent from his business Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Bigham returned Wednesday of last week from points in Arkansas and Missouri. While gone they visited Mrs. Bigham's aunt, Mrs. Collier Johnson.

G. H. Houston left Sunday after

spending since Friday in Littlefield on business.

Harry Williams was unfortunate as to suffer an infection in his right hand, and was obliged to be absent from his duties at the Hawk & Williams Service Station several days. He had his hand lanced at the Amherst hospital Thursday. He is now getting along better.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Boston attended the funeral for Mr. Boston's father at Amarillo Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Boston returned here Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bartley are spending two weeks at Padosa Springs, Colo., vacationing.

Bill Street, student of Texas University, arrived Friday night to spend the weekend at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Nix, Jr., and daughter, of Amherst, Texas, returned home Wednesday of last week, after visiting her parents at Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone have returned to Littlefield, after spending the summer at their ranch near Elida, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Henricks left Friday to visit relatives at San Antonio. They returned Sunday.

Miss Doris Gibson returned home Sunday after spending a week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hawkins, near Eldorado, Okla. She is employed by the West Texas Gas Co.

Elmer McKnight On Police Force

Elmer McKnight, recently a partner of Charlie James in the operation of the James-McKnight Service Station but who has disposed of his interest in that business, has been employed as a member of the city police force. He took over his new duties Saturday. He will work principally at night, according to City Secretary W. G. Street.

Before becoming interested in the service station business, McKnight had spent several years in the service.

Nothing is achieved before it be thoroughly attempted. — Sir Philip Sidney.

World Florists Choose New Chief



Symbolizing new worldwide scope of flowers-by-wire service created by Florists' Telegraph Delivery Assn., newly elected FTD president Edward J. McCarthy of Brooklyn (upper left), receives a gavel made from bombed-out timbers of the English House of Parliament, from John Hunt, Scottish president of new overseas subsidiary service. New York's Mayor O'Dwyer greeted 4000 member florists from U.S., Canada, Mexico and Europe at their first international convention since 1941. Official city voting machines were used in election of new FTD officers, as shown by movie star Carol Hughes (lower left). New oversize Dinah Shore Violet appeared first on the singer's shoulder (lower right), and a new miniature calla lily was dedicated and named for famed novelist Fannie Hurst who has long used this flower as her personal trademark.



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SHE WILL GO 'OVER THE TOP'



The rider, Virginia Mae Reger, will "go over the top" in this jump over an automobile, at the Littlefield Rodeo. She will give this performance at each of the four shows, Thursday and Friday nights, and Saturday afternoon and night.

Mrs. Shaw Looks Over Ranch from Air

The plane is fast becoming popular as a means of transportation.

Now, when a Littlefield housewife wants to make a short trip in a hurry, (and who in Littlefield isn't in a hurry these days, with so much going on, including preparations for the big rodeo) she just drives out to the Dugan field, steps into a plane and she is at her destination in no time at all.

Wednesday of last week, when Mrs. Wolfe Shaw, who owns a ranch-farm of 1,004 acres at Fieldton, decided she would like to see the place from

the air, she chartered a plane at Dugan field, with Jim McGuire as pilot, and in a jiffy she was looking down over her acreage. And a few minutes later she was back at the Shaw Dry Goods, taking care of her duties there.

Mrs. Shaw has 585 acres in wheat and 425 acres are taken up in pasture and roads.

Pat Boone Tuesday moved considerable of his cattle to the pasture of Mrs. Shaw for feeding.

HEAVY RAINFALL GENERAL OVER LITTLEFIELD AREA THURSDAY

Littlefield and the South Plains are experiencing some damp, rainy weather, which has kept the thermometer at much lower readings, and is somewhat of a change from the dry, hot weather of the past summer months. Heavy rains, accompanied by much electricity, fell here Thursday night. Beginning about 9 o'clock rainfall continued until early morning, and it also rained at intervals during all day Friday. Over an inch and a quarter of moisture fell here. Reports indicated that the rain was general all over the area.

Sisters, Registered Nurses, In Service

Second Lt. Irma Botsford, younger daughter of E. M. Botsford, grocery west of town, recently returned to the States from India, where she was stationed at Heriki, at the end of the Ledo road, for the entire duration of the war. She has been in the service since the war started, entering as a registered nurse.

She now is on duty in a military hospital at Topeka, Kans.

Capt. Wilma Botsford, also a registered nurse, is stationed at a military hospital in Phoenix, Ariz., where she has been for some time, previous to which she was on duty in a military hospital at St. Augustine, Fla.

Captain Botsford also has been in the service since shortly after World War II started.

FIRST A-C LIGHTING SYSTEM

The first electric lighting installation in the United States using alternating current was made at Great Barrington, Mass., in 1886, under the direction of George Westinghouse, noted American inventor and industrialist, who was born a hundred years ago this year. Today this system is used to produce and distribute more than 95 per cent of the 225 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity used annually in this country.

Tech Enrollment Now Above 5,000-Mark

Almost three thousand veterans, pointing with other students from over the state and nation, sent enrollment figures soaring over the five thousand mark during registration last weekend at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, an increase of some 1800 over last spring.

Although school officials, student groups and civic leaders are making every effort to make residences available, hundreds of other prospective students did not enroll because they could not find rooms or apartments.

More than 150 veterans are living temporarily in barracks at Lubbock Army Air Field, several miles west of town.

Incomplete registration figures show men students outnumbering women by a ratio of almost three to one.

CURRENT "CHANGER" IGNORES WEATHER

A new Westinghouse-developed rectifier, that turns alternating current electricity into direct current equally well in extremely hot or cold weather, assures the uninterrupted operation of electrical equipment on planes, ships or in factories.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bassamas and B. R. Myers and Aubrey Stubbs made a trip to Amarillo Friday on business.



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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY

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HOT DOGS and HAMBURGERS IN TOWN

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY



Littlefield's specialty this year is a crackerjack Rodeo, that promises to attract thousands of thrill-seekers.

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After the Rodeo, a friendly welcome awaits you at the

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One Door South of Palace Theater

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AIRPORT NEWS

By MRS. "TEX" CROW

Saturday night found Littlefield well represented at the hangar dance and supper sponsored by the Lubbock chapter of N.A.A. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison of Sudan, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Brownie, Mr. and Mrs. Starr Halle, and Curtis Malone. They say they had lots of fun.

Sunday was a great day for Mrs. Hugh Rice, because she soloed. Observers say she made two perfect landings, in spite of her shaking knees.

Fifteen-year-old Billy Love, of Spade, is the latest addition to Jim McGuire's list of students.

Buck Ross spent a couple of days last week building partitions to form a shop in the hangar.

McGuire-Miller have just gotten delivery on a new Piper Cub demon-

strator. They have the Piper dealership and have been promised a super cruiser to display soon.

John Standifer and Bert Gage made a business trip to Lubbock last week in Standifer's Taylorcraft.

Come out and watch the fellows and girls—fly.

Grandmother of Mrs. Phil Adkins Dies At Long Beach, Calif.

Mrs. Phil Adkins and her mother, Mrs. J. T. Wynn, returned last Friday from attending the funeral services for Mrs. Wynn's mother, Mrs. H. E. Hickey, 80, who passed away Tuesday, Sept. 20, at her home at Long Beach, Calif., following a stroke of paralysis.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday, August 22, at the Motel Mortuary, Long Beach, with burial in Sunnyside Memorial Park cemetery.

Mrs. Hickey, who was formerly of Littlefield, had only been ill about a week. She was also the mother of Mrs.

Number Pay Fines For Bootlegging

Sheriff Sam Hutson reports a number of misdemeanors over the weekend.

He also reports that one man here and five at Sudan were arrested last Thursday and pled guilty of bootlegging before Judge I. B. Holt, county judge. They paid fines of \$100 and costs each, making a total of \$127 each.

The Texas Safety Association says you can earn big dividends by driving safely — dividends in lower operating cost and reduced wear and tear on your car; dividends in peace of mind in avoiding the worry, bother and remorse which follow even a minor accident; dividends in self-respect by saving all the heartbreaks and suffering resulting from a serious accident. And safety is cheap—it costs only a thought!

I. B. Ishmael, who was a former resident of this city.

Before Mrs. Hickey's death there were five living generations in the family, including two great-grandchildren.

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CURTISS GRAPEFRUIT JUICE..... 46-oz. Can 25c

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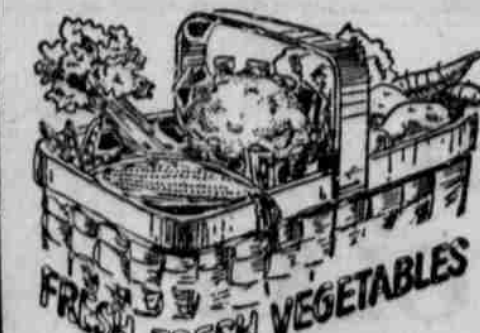
SEASONING BACON Lb. 23c

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