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IRVIN MADE SHERIFF UNTIL COURT AFFIRMS

Meeting of Commissioners held Monday, and attended by Judge J. E. Joyner, Judge appointed Len Irvin, formerly marshal, as temporary sheriff for Lamb County, pending the action taken by the district court in the November regarding the alleged shortage of funds and of misconduct of public charged against Sheriff H. J.

It was understood that Carter, who was appointed county about a week ago, has been charged with misappropriation of county and state funds in an amount of about \$3,000, according to the report of the sheriff, and that a warrant has been sworn out for his arrest on charges of drunkenness, disorderly conduct and misappropriation of such funds.

There were 12 applications for the office of temporary sheriff. Bonard, office deputy under Irvin, has resigned and returned to Memphis, Texas, and the office of the sheriff and tax collector has been turned over to Guy Willis, temporary keeping until such a time as Irvin can qualify for office, and will be the latter part of this month.

It was reported that Carter was in Littlefield last Saturday night, visiting his family. His further whereabouts are unknown.

TAKE CITY CENSUS

Co-operate With Chamber of Commerce in Work.

Monday morning committees from various churches of the city, under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce, began taking the census of Littlefield.

The town has been divided into five blocks, and two committees, composed of two members each, have been appointed to cover these districts.

The enumeration will give a population of the city, it will also give valuable information beneficial to the churches. Every census card carries the following information: Name of husband, age, occupation, where from, business phone, wife, residence phone, name of children, age, where attend Sunday school, parents' church membership, (preference), where they now live, any musically inclined, sing, play, what instrument.

REVIVAL MEETING

Walter and Wife, of Phoenix Held Series of Services.

W. H. L. Faulkner and wife, of Phoenix, Arizona are here this week conducting a series of gospel services at a tabernacle erected in the west part of town and near the city sink.

Faulkner has been in the ministry for 20 years, having preached in Japan, Honolulu, Philippines, Mexico and Canada. He believes in "old fashioned gospel" and disbelieves in "modern" and requests members of congregation to bring along with them their sick and afflicted.

New Dry Drive



Gen. L. C. Andrews, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, who has just put into effect a new system of prohibition enforcement. Disregarding state lines, the nation will be divided into 22 districts and divisional heads given supreme authority to stop liquor at the source.

BREAKING INTO THE BIG LEAGUE

By A. B. CHAPIN



LITTLEFIELD HAS A HOME BEAUTIFUL OF PERFECT ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT AND APPEALING TO MOST ARTISTIC

The Dallas and Amarillo newspapers may erect beautiful home for publicity purposes, but it remains for R. E. McCaskill to build in Littlefield a home more beautiful than them all, and just for the purpose of enjoying life in it. However, the Leader cannot refrain from speaking of it through the columns of this newspaper.

It was the pleasure of this editor to view this beautiful little bungalow Monday evening. The finishing touches had just been put to it, and the happy little family was contentedly gathered around the evening festal board when the editor and his been more or less, a connoisseur of beautiful homes; we have seen them by the hundreds in nearly every state of the Union, but for uniqueness of design, elegance of arrangement, beauty of furnishings and perfection of equipment, we have seen but few that began to compare with this charming little place.

"Seven rooms and bath, with front, side and back porches," the architect would say, hovering close to the ground in defense of these western winds, its long sloping eaves and rakish appearance well protect a multiplicity of jogs, corners and what-nots, cleverly arranged and attractive in style and order. Surrounding the home the lawn has been nicely curbed in, giving just the proper amount of space for the grass to grow beautiful and receive its weekly manicuring without affecting the religious constitution of the owner, while all around the plot numerous trees have been set, all growing nicely. On the side and to the rear, is the garage, just back of that is the chicken park and paddock for Jersey, while a fine well of water, over which there is a tower and large tank, yields an abundant supply of aqua pura for the entire household and to keep the vegetation fresh, green and growing.

But it is the interior of this home that especially attracts the eye of the beauty-loving visitor. The arrangement is one of convenience and delight to every woman visiting it, and the magnificence of the furnishings are such as should be satisfying to the most exacting. From front to back, through all the ramifications of halls, beds and solariums, everything is in perfect keeping with its purpose.

As is well known, Mr. McCaskill is an electrical engineer by trade and manager of the local electric light and power plant, owned by the Texas

Utilities Co. In the building of his new home he has made it, not only one of beauty and symmetry, but one of convenience and efficiency. It is virtually a miniature electrical palace.

Throughout every room the variety and beauty of the electrical fixtures as such would extract the admiration of the most artistic eye. Entering through the front door, through a system of three-way switches, the home-owner, may go through the entire house, turning on the electric lights ahead of him, and turning off those behind him. In the spacious living room there are no less than seven electrical sockets deftly placed at convenient points in wall, floor or baseboard, for the accommodation of electric stoves, floor lamps, electric fans, etc. Centrally located in this room, on a handsome walnut table, sets a large and beautiful silver coffee urn, of the percolating type, together with sugar and creamer, while sneaking up behind it, almost unawares is a little silken corded plug that deftly enters, and almost before one knows it my lady has her guests served with afternoon refreshments.

In the family bedroom, by an ingenious arrangement of switches, Mr. McCaskill can sleep peacefully until the alarm goes off. Then turning over, within convenient reach, he may press a little black button and the electric peeler is started going, if it be winter. Press a brown button and the hot water starts to run within three minutes time. Press another button and a light appears in the cow barn and chicken houses, warning bossie that the milk maid will soon pay her a visit, and the biddies that it is time for them to be doing their part toward the ham and eggs for breakfast. Press yet another button, and the entire lawn outside is flooded with electric lighting. Press still another button and the Mrs., curling iron is ready to add to the attractiveness of her morning toilet before taking up the duties of the day.

In the kitchen, which is just the right size for an efficient culinary department, there is the big electric range for cooking the family meals, sockets galore furnish connections for the electric iron and other Edisonian accessories too numerous to mention. There is the big water tank, with thermostatic heater, that supplies running hot water to bath and sink within three minutes time after the switch is turned on, and which maintains the temperature automatically

throughout the day at any prescribed degree desired.

In the breakfast room are more connections for the percolator, toaster, table cooker, etc., the family sitting about the table cooking and eating at the same time.

While Mr. McCaskill furnished the money for this beautiful home, and his wife did the bossing of the job, practically all the work was done by his father, W. W. McCaskill, 66 years of age. It is indeed a tribute to his mechanical ability, and in every nail and board of this happy little home the sentiment of fatherly interest oozes out. It is a monument of love and remembrance that will last for many years after the aged father has passed to his celestial mansion not built by hands, but eternal in the starry heavens.

The building might well be the envy of any architect, that it was designed by the family themselves. Its furnishings and electrical equipment might well excite the admiration of any housewife. Its Edison phonograph and DeKalb baby grand piano would enthrall any lover of music. Its emaculate bath would appeal to any lover of personal cleanliness. Its sun parlor would attract the reclinations of the weary, its culinary department the skill of the home economist, and its lawn the fancy of the most exacting landscape artist. It is indeed an electrical home beautiful, rare and unique; a home of which not only the owning family may well be proud, but of which the entire town might well boast of possession. Indeed, if we owned it, we doubt very much whether we would look forward to ever going to heaven.

LEVELLAND TO CELEBRATE

August 6th is Date Set For Big Railway Entry Powwow

Levelland is making preparations to entertain 15,000 people August 6th when the Santa Fe system will run the first train over its new line through that town.

Delegations from all the towns within the radius of 100 miles are expected to be present on that occasion. The fun will begin the night before and last for 36 hours. A rodeo, barbecue, speaking, etc., are on the bill of entertainment.

It will be Levelland's first real opportunity to "spread herself," and her citizens claim they will take full advantage of it.

When you know any news of interest, tell the editor, so it can be passed on to others.

Help keep Littlefield clean.

CONTRACTS IS LET FOR BUILDINGS BY THE TECH REGENTS

Seven members of the board of regents of the Texas Technological College transacted important business of the institution in an all day session held at Lubbock last Saturday. Contracts in the extent of \$54,145 were awarded and arrangements for the purchase of \$95,000 in textile engineering equipment were made. The regents also voted to hold another meeting August 15 at which time definite arrangements for the letting of other contracts will be made and final plans for the opening of the college on September 26 will be decided upon.

Chief among the official acts of the body in Saturday meeting was the selection of Dr. J. M. Gordon, of Tulsa, as dean of the college of liberal arts. Dr. Gordon is a former president of the university of Tulsa, an ex-president of an Oklahoma state teachers college and at one time was a dean of Trinity University of Waxahatchie. He is at present a member of the faculty of the Columbia University, New York City, and holds degrees of bachelor of arts, master of arts and doctor of philosophy.

Scholarships to the extent of \$850 were accepted by members of the board and include beneficiaries in three different departments and a recipient at large.

Lynch Davidson, of Houston, former lieutenant-governor, donated a scholarship of \$250 for the student showing the greatest excellence in oratory, while a similar sum for agricultural perfection was authorized by Regent Clifford B. Jones, of Spur. John W. Carpenter, of Dallas, also a member of the board of regents, donated \$250 scholarship to the student excelling in textile engineering. Members of women's study clubs of Lubbock authorized a benefit of \$100 to go to a co-ed student to be chosen by a committee from the clubs. With the exception of the last scholarship, which goes into effect this year, all of the beneficiaries arranged for will become in force at the opening of the 1926 session.

Ramey Bros. Construction Company, of El Paso, builders of the \$425,000 administration building as well as various other large structures here, was granted the only two building contracts let Saturday. The cafeteria contract went for \$24,605, while the dairy plant will be constructed at a cost of \$24,540. Contracts for the erection of the poultry plant will not be let until the next meeting.

FARMERS SHORT COURSE AT TEXAS A. & M. COLLEGE

The sixteenth annual Farmers' Short Course will be held at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas at College Station, Texas, July 27th to August the 1st, according to announcement made by T. O. Short Course.

An excellent program has been prepared for those who attend. G. I. Christie, Director of the Extension Service, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana; O. B. Martin, Office of Extension Work, U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.; C. W. Warbington, National Director of Extension Work, Washington, D. C.; Miss Ola Mae Powell, Field Agent Southern States, Extension Service, Washington, D. C.; Miss Edith McClure Patterson, Dayton, Ohio, and other national characters will appear on the program at various times. Their traveling, experience and training have rendered them peculiarly capable of entertaining and instructing the attendants at the Short Course.

Any man, woman, boy or girl who desires to study and learn more about the solution of farm and home problems is eligible to register for the Short Course and take advantage of the program which has been especially prepared, since the Short Course is planned to meet the needs of men, women, boys and girls who desire to make farm life more profitable and attractive.

Special railroad rates will be available for those who attend.

WORK TO BEGIN ON HIGH LINE THROUGH LITTLEFIELD SOON

That the Texas Utilities Co., will build their electric high line through Littlefield, was the statement made Tuesday by C. A. Reynolds, construction superintendent for the company.

Mr. Reynolds stated that practically all the material for this construction is now on the ground, the crew of workmen has been secured, all the easements for right-of-way have been obtained, and work will begin not later than Friday of this week. This line has been temporarily held up on account of the necessity of widening the R. Q. M. Highway to meet the requirements of the State Highway Department. There has also been a question regarding the change of this highway to the north side of the Santa Fe track, letting it pass through Amherst, but recent information received from officials of the Highway Department state that there will be no change in this road.

Reynolds stated that the building field, going toward Sudan, and another of the highway would start at Littlefield, other crew would begin at Littlefield building toward Lubbock. A high line is also to be constructed from Canyon to Hereford and from Canyon to Happy.

Local officials refused to discuss the rumor current on the streets that the Texas Utilities Co., had recently sold their interests to the Community Light & Power Co., of St. Louis.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEET

Ladies Getting Ready for Exhibits At Fair This Fall.

The Woman's Home Demonstration club met last week with Mrs. W. H. White, eight members being present.

Miss Burkhalter gave an interesting talk regarding the dress contest, explaining the set-in pockets, set-in seams, round button holes, etc., and that these garments must be ready by August 12th.

Clean-up day was also discussed, and a committee consisting of Madames Graham, Long and Wright were appointed to confer with the local Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Burkhalter also gave a very interesting talk on balanced rations and summer menus. The club members worked on a braided rug which will be entered in the fair this fall.

The next meeting will be held July 29th at the home of Mrs. W. A. Clements. All members are urged to attend.

W. M. U. MEETING

Will Have Mission Program at Meeting Next Week.

The Women's Missionary Union, of the Baptist church, Circle No. 1 met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. B. Phipps, in a study of missions and stewardship.

Circle No. 2, met at the home of Mrs. Pat Boone completing their course in the W. M. U. Manual.

The program for next week will be of a missionary nature, and will be held at the home of Mrs. R. E. McCaskill.

The Leader for printing.

Would Rule Chicago



Mrs. Johanna Gregg, member of Chicago School Board, thinks the second city needs a municipal housekeeper to "clean-up." She has the party support and is out for the Republican nomination as mayor. A rapid fire campaign is planned.

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As the Editor Sees It

HIGH COST OF WIVES

Now it is the Turks who are complaining about the high cost of wives—evidently they have been reading some of the American newspapers. And from their viewpoint of matrimony those fez-heads must feel that their lives have indeed fallen on evil days. No longer can they afford the luxury of many wives. Moral reasons against polygamy never caused a Turk any annoyance, but financial considerations introduce an entirely different element. Hence the Turk is reforming because he cannot afford to do otherwise.

It is a graphic illustration of the potency of the state of the purse to influence men's lives. Where once the Turk had a whole harem of beautiful wives, he is now compelled to worry along with only one specimen of Turkish pulchritude, if advises are reliable. Evidently it is a descent from affluence to connubial poverty, since the number of wives owned by a Turk male was the system of their social rating, and this altered state makes some of their upper crust feel it quite keenly. And since this is one of the effects of the war, no doubt the Turk's opinion of what war is is definite and emphatic, coinciding perhaps, quite analogous to Sherman's definition of it. However, it is not the first cost of wives in Turkey that has ended the harem; it's the upkeep.

Few Americans, unless it be some of the older Mormons, can ever appreciate the Turk's feelings in this matter, because over here we operate under a different system. Very few Americans there are who have ever enjoyed the sensation of owning a home with two or three or a half dozen wives—all their own—and all in it at the same time. We wouldn't know just how to go about sympathizing with this Mediterranean citizen, even if we were inclined to do so.

Over here we generally put a man in jail who has accumulated too many wives, provided, of course, such can be proven to the satisfaction of the jury, not always an easy task under some circumstances. One wife here is considered wealth; more is a crime, hence the punishment stipulated in case a man proposes to act foolish. The bigamist, according to our standard of matrimonial affairs, is not only immoral, but he is also afflicted with turkiness. The Turk has no moral scruples against a multiplicity of wives, therefore, his self-denial is greater. He can't afford them simply because he hasn't the price for beards, face powder and hair ribbons. Still, since we cannot agree with the Turk's viewpoint, we cannot sympathize with him very much.

The situation illustrates how regeneration may be wrought through one's inability to afford to do that which is wrong in the sight of a large part of the world, and against his own aesthetic standard of wishes. However, it would be more creditable for the Turk to reform because of moral reasons. Maybe some of their children will.

THE SILLY SEASON

Perhaps nearly everyone does and says some silly things during their lifetime, but one of the silliest assertions we have heard recently was a few days ago when a Littlefield man declared that the earthquake which recently destroyed the beautiful little city of Santa Barbara, California was a "visitation from above." If such a statement had been made some years ago during the period of ill-fame of Barbary Coast, and before Paul Smith

and his purity squad cleaned it up, there might possibly have been some excuse for such silly superstition; but since that time Santa Barbara has been an average cleanly moral city and no more worthy of such dire dispensations than a hundred other cities in a dozen other different states.

We take no stock in "visitations," and if we did we would always believe that anything coming from above is bound to be good, instead of bad. We are living on a sphere that is peculiarly constructed, and about which man doesn't yet know half as much as there is to be known. This old earth has a habit of doing some very peculiar things, and often at a time when we are least expecting them. The earthquake at Santa Barbara was just another one of these unexpected pranks, the same as the tidal wave at Galveston some years ago, the terrible earthquake in Japan, the Dayton flood in 1913 and the tornado that made thousands homeless in Indiana and Illinois a few months ago.

These things may be a part of Nature's plan, since they came as a result of the operation of the laws of nature. At least they are something we cannot, with our present supply of geologic information, understand very much about. At any rate we are not a believer in such dire visitations from supernatural sources, and we are glad to know that the majority of our readers do not believe such. We just go ahead with hearts saddened by such occurrences, with sympathy for those affected, and hopeful that our own community may be spared from such deplorable events.

GO THOU AND DO LIKEWISE

Once a farmer had 1800 bushels of wheat, which he sold, not to one grain merchant, but to 1800 different dealers, a bushel to each. A few of them paid cash, but by far the greater number said they would pay later. A few months passed and the man's bank account ran low. "Now is this," he said, "my 1800 bushels of grain should have kept me until another crop is raised, but I have parted with the grain and instead I have a vast number of accounts so small and scattered that I can not get around and collect fast enough."

So he posted a public notice and asked all who owed him to come and pay quickly. But few came. The rest said, "Mine is only a small matter, and I will pay some other day." Though each account was very small when all were put together it meant a goodly sum to one man, and enough to enable him to pay his own bills and meet his needs. Things went on thus. The man got to feeling so badly that he fell out of bed and awoke. Running to his granary he found the 1800 bushels of wheat still there.

And the moral is this: The next day he went to the publisher of his home-town paper and said: "Here, sir, is pay for your paper, and when next year's subscription is due you can count on me to pay you promptly. I stood in the position of an editor last night, and I know how it feels to have his earnestly earned money scattered all over the country in small amounts."

ANY RECORDS HERE?

Arthur Stedman, of New York, recently came forward in the newspapers to declare that he has worn the same button 50 years, or longer than any other man ever possessed one. He has started something.

Now comes J. B. Williams, of Maryland, to state that he hasn't lost

his collar button for 54 years, and that record appears to stand. At least we haven't seen it disputed in the "collar button contests" now being spaced in hundreds of papers throughout the country.

We happen to know some folks out in this country whom we doubt very much if they ever owned a single collar button during the past 54 years, and in our own case we know we have lost so many that keeping one for a whole year might be a diametrical record that would also be hard to equal. We have scarp on both ends of our anatomy received while crawling around a trunk, reaching under the bed or dresser for that vital little piece of machinery so essential to our conventional habitat.

If anyone around here can produce a collar button that they have kept for more than 54 years, and will bring us the evidence, we will guarantee them nation-wide honors. We are very sure (if they would part with that time-honored entensil) that we could have it photographed and the picture reproduced in all the leading daily papers throughout the land. No doubt some museum care-taker would be glad to have the relic itself to put behind glass and charge folks two-bits a throw to gaze upon it. Who'll bring us the first old collar button. Careful now, gents, no graft!

THE "JAY WALKER"

Don't make the mistake of thinking that "jay walkers" are confined to the cities alone. And neither is it wise to believe that every time someone is run down and hurt or killed that it was the fault of the man who drove the car.

One don't have to go any farther than Littlefield to find plenty of "jay walkers"—people who cross a street or highway without looking carefully in all directions to see that danger is not near, people who cross from one side of the street to the other without using the regular crossing, or who change their mind and start back when they have reached about the middle of the street.

All of these are "jay walkers" of the worse type, and are to be found here the same as in the large city. The only difference is there are more of them in the city because there are more people there. But that doesn't mean that death beneath the wheels of an auto is any more pleasant one place than it is another. Watch your step!

PAVEMENT PICK-UPS..

Gus Shaw is firmly of the opinion that there is no dull season for the steady advertiser.

E. S. Rowe says he will listen to anybody's trouble—if they have the cash. "He's a lawyer, you know."

According to Rev. Phipps, the modern interpretation of the hoof and mouth disease, is the "dine and dance disease."

Irvin Courtney remarks that "it might also be better for the world if more girls jumped out of automobiles and walked home."

According to Phelps Walker, "relatives are people who come to visit you when the weather gets too hot for them to do their own cooking." Phelps went visiting last week.

V. C. Walden says he has always heard that billing and cooing ended with the honeymoon, but now he is convinced it is only the cooing that ends.

Miss Burkhalter wants it distinctly understood that a "balanced ration" doesn't necessarily mean that one has to eat for supper the balance of what they didn't eat for dinner.

You can't blame a bachelor for getting cold feet on marriage," said John Street just before his departure last week to Southern Texas, "when one sees how hot some women make it for their husbands."

It is said that Ralph Wood and Clarence Stone were walking down Main street the other day when they met a classy little flapper. She flapped at them. Stone turned to wood, Wood turned to stone, while they both turned to rubber. Ah me!

A certain Littlefield citizen who has a penchant for absent mindedness, and who is also a little touchy about having his name in print, was given a letter to read by his wife the other day. He noted it was dated August 1st. "What's the idea of dating this letter two weeks ahead of time," asked

Poem by Uncle John

O, the world will hang its garlands on a yapper, if he strikes the particular line of chatter that the general public likes; but, the critic parks the writer on a dusty, musty shelf—if he seeks to peddle sophistries peculiar to himself.

We often prate of "liberty" an "personal desire" but the public that we work for simply chucks 'em in the fire,—for, the facts is, we are servants from the kiver to the bone—we have no right to persiflate opinions of our own!

To furnish what "the people" wants is the system that prevails—which is probably the crucial test where buddin' genius fails.

Let us jog along, contented—there's a niche for us to fill, God has promised to assist us—and there ain't no doubt He will,—But, even God is jealous-like, of Bill or Joe or Jim, if either feiler tried the stunt of knowin' more'n Him!



ed his spouse. "I'm giving it to you to mail," she replied, without cracking a smile.

Mr. Shirley, who works in Sadler's Drug Store, is a very congenial gentleman and a good salesman along with it. The other day a lady dropped into that store and asked to see some Bibles. Mr. Shirley putting on his best smile, led her to the book department. "Something in New Testaments," he said. "I dunno," replied the charming customer, "have they been getting out a new one recently." It is said that he fell over the jewelry case.

ED PURDY'S PHILOS
"I told Ed Billows if he was going up to the city to see the sights to be sure and call on my maiden aunt."

LITTLE LEADERS

About the only fellow who isn't happy while learning nature's lessons is the chap who has chiggers.

Divorce lawyers would have lean picking if every man kept up his courting after the wedding ceremony.

We have been noticing recently that mothers have quit naming their daughters after Pullman cars and gone back to the Mary's and Jane's.

One thing that makes it so hard to be a leader in this country, it is hard to tell which way the darned crowd is going.

Next to his first baby, there is nothing that makes a Littlefield man any prouder than pulling in his first big fish.

Littlefield still has a few men who try to impress you that honesty and piety will be getting scarce when people of their age are gone.

It is because they are cowards, not because they are modest, that some of the Littlefield men don't shed more of their clothes during the summer.

We sometimes wonder what has become of the old-fashioned fellow who tried to see how much work he could do in a day.

The man who sits by the side of the road to be a friend of man these days is sure to get a lot of automobile dust.

Our advice to Littlefield boys is to work hard so that when they get old they may enjoy the things that only young people enjoy.

We knew some Littlefield women who will admit they are not pretty, but we know of none but who will admit they are quite sensible. Quite so, quite so!

We see where they are using old auto inner tubes as doormats. Evidently they come in quite appropriately to wipe one's feet on when the family has a "blow-out."

Along this time of year the yarn trade in Littlefield always gets better. Not so much improvement in the cotton and woolen yard, but a decidedly upward trend in fishing yarns.

BLONDE BESS OPINES
"I may be dumb—but I am not so dumb as Dan who thinks a falsehood is a wig."

A Kansas City man was knocked out of bed the other morning by lightning. It takes that to get some fellows up.

We are informed there are still a few old-fashioned girls who sit on the floor when they put on their shoes and stockings.

Some of us can remember when a man always asked a permission before lighting a pipe.

One failing with some folks is they try to prove too much when they seek to impress others with their portance.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

—Here is where you get your money's worth — and then some. In order to make a clean sweep of our summer wearing apparel, thus converting the goods into money for larger fall purchases, we are cutting to the very bone of cost price the following garments:

LADIES' DRESSES
Silk Dresses, were \$16.00, now \$12.50
Silk Radium Dresses, were \$14.50, now \$10.50
Printed Georgette Dresses, were \$16.00, now \$12.50
Printed Crepe Dresses, were \$18.50, now \$14.50

MEN'S SUMMER SUITS
—In Palm Beach and Mohair Materials—real summer material that keeps you cool and wears like iron.
REDUCED FROM \$15.00 to \$12.50

BARNES MERCANTILE
"THE STORE WITH THE GOODS"

PUTTING MONEY INTO A HOME IS BETTER THAN PUTTING IT IN A BANK

—Money is of no value only as for its buying power, and there is no investment possible where greater returns are realized in both pleasure and profit than putting your money into a home. Every home in this country increases in value, and it adds to the increased value of your other property. Besides, there is nothing that brings to a man and his family a greater sense of joy and feeling of independence than the owning of the home in which he lives.

—We have assisted in the building of hundreds of happy and prosperous homes in this community, and we will gladly cooperate with you toward the realization of your dreams.

—Whatever building plans you may have, we have the lumber and builders' material for carrying them out—and no better quality of material will be found anywhere on the South Plains than that we carry.

—We have hundreds of plans for beautiful homes that are at your service. They represent different costs and many styles of architecture.

—Our expert will be glad to assist you in drawing the plans and working out the details of any building. We have everything from plans to paint.

F. A. Butler Lumber Co.

Real Service In a Hurry

Two Widows in Next Congress



Two widows, both elected on merit, will sit in the next session of Congress, to serve out the unexpired terms of their husbands. Left, Mrs. Edith N. Rogers, who defeated former Governor Foss of Mass., nearly 3 to 1. At right, Mrs. Florence P. Kahn who will represent the fourth California district.

DIARRHOEA IN INFANT

Diarrhoea is the greatest cause of infant mortality during the summer months. The fatality of this disease is at its peak during the months of July and August. This was shown in the 1920 Statistics from the United States Death Registration. Deaths under two years of age from diarrhoea and Enteritis were as follows: July 4,351, August 6,351, September 6,248, October 4,589, and November 4,589. The lowest death rate from this disease is in the winter months. It should bring home to every parent the necessity of being particularly careful during the hot months as to their children's general care and feeding. Prevention, in most cases, as in all others, is by far the best cure.

Diarrhoea is more frequent in summer than in winter is, that the baby is directly affected by hot weather, with the result that he is more readily upset by his food. Therefore during hot weather the babies should be kept comfortable and cool by removing all unnecessary clothing; a band and diaper and dress being sufficient. Extra precautions should be taken during this time regarding the care of the diapers. If soiled diapers are not removed immediately there is more danger of infection. It is well to burn the discharges of the bowel in order to prevent the spread of the disease. Frequent cool sponge baths should be given. The infant should be kept out of doors except when it is cooler inside. The amount of food on especially hot days should be reduced to two-thirds of the ordinary amount, and liberal quantities of BOILED cooled water should be given in addition.

The doctor should be consulted at once, if possible, for even a slight attack of diarrhoea, which, unless promptly and correctly treated, may lead to severe disturbance such as cholera infantum. If doctor, however, is not obtainable, or unavoidably delayed, it is advisable to dis-

continue all food for 24 hours, giving only plain boiled water, or barley water; after 24 hours start with a very weak feeding mixture and increase gradually, according to condition. Milk is prohibited during the acute stage for several reasons, one is that milk furnishes a splendid culture medium for germs, and therefore should not be given during this time. —County Public Health Nurse.

Baileyboro Buzzings

The fine showers which fell in this and surrounding communities Saturday and Sunday were certainly appreciated by all the farmers.

A crowd of young folks enjoyed an ice cream supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brannen Saturday.

In the baseball game between Sudan and Baileyboro Saturday, the scores stood 8 to 4 in Sudan's favor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Baker and Trixie Henderson left Saturday for Ralls, Texas, where they will visit indefinitely with friends and relatives.

Mrs. M. J. Harvey and daughter, Gladys, spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Garth.

Tessie Long was the Sunday guest of Velma Duncan.

Miss Grace Brannen, of Littlefield, spent the week with relatives in Baileyboro.

Several folks from here attended the revival meeting services at Circle-back Sunday and Sunday night.

Frank Stevens is now working on the Mashed O. ranch near Muleshoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson were Sudan visitors Monday.

After a short visit with relatives in Amarillo, Charlie Durham returned home Wednesday accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Fannie Durham.

Mrs. Clifford Wallis spent Thursday afternoon in the J. V. Young home.

Mrs. G. D. French was a business visitor in Sudan and Littlefield Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood entertained the young folks with a party in their home Friday night, an enjoyable evening was spent by everyone present.

A. H. Whitmire is spending the week in Grady, New Mexico.

W. R. Hargrove is assisting Ed Hulse with the building of his new house this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Varnell returned to their home here Friday after a two months visit to different portions of the Plains in search of a location.

Cause of Paralysis Is Lack of Mineral

Lime and Phosphates Are Needed for Strong Bones.

Many hogs suffer from what is commonly called "getting down behind." Some scientists have for years been saying that this paralysis of the hind quarters in hogs is due to lack of mineral constituents in the feed. Others have held to the theory that it was due to lack of vitamins in the ration, resulting in a weakening of the nerves. On the other hand, many farmers believe that this trouble is due to kidney worms. Recently, however, the Ohio experiment station has come to a definite conclusion as a result of a number of experiments. This station claims that the immediate cause of posterior paralysis in hogs is lack of mineral matter in the ration.

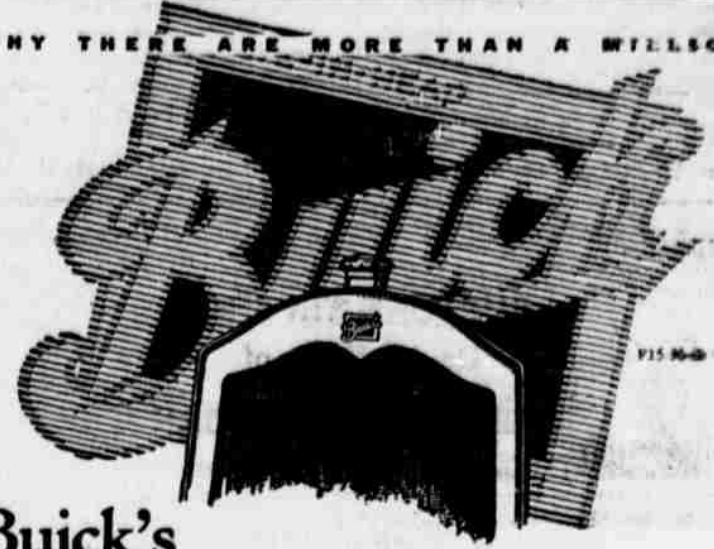
Whenever a hog does not obtain enough lime and phosphates in its ration to build strong bones or maintain the bony structure already formed, the lumbar vertebrae become so weakened that they cannot sustain the tension of the powerful back muscles. Thus some lumbar vertebrae are crushed or shortened under the strain and bulging downward they cause impingement upon the spinal cord and paralysis of the hind quarters. If taken in time, this condition can be remedied by feeding more mineral matter and by adding a little olive oil to the ration, olive oil being rich in vitamin A. But this remedy will give results only if used immediately after the paralytic condition has been observed.

Those who would avoid paralysis in the hind quarters of hogs should see to it that a good mineral mixture is supplied whenever the ration fed is deficient in mineral constituents. Hogs that are fed farm-raised grains plus all the tankage they care to eat do not stand in as much need of a mineral mixture as those that are not fed tankage, yet in some cases the addition of mineral to a ration containing tankage has given still better results than when no additional minerals were supplied.

Miss Stella Nickels has accepted a position as intermediate teacher in the school here for the coming term.

Edna Mae Dremain, Fay Calvert, Ruby Johnson and Oether Williams were Baileyboro visitors Friday.

WHY THERE ARE MORE THAN A MILLION



Buick's

Superior Performance

Every day a Buick owner realizes more and more the greater safety of Buick mechanical 4-wheel brakes, the extra reserve of power in the Buick Valve-in-head engine, and the easier steering and parking that result from Buick's ball-bearing, worm and nut steering mechanism. More reasons why more than a million Buicks are in daily use today.

CITY GARAGE

Littlefield,

Texas

Reason For It.

Father—"Early in life, my son, adopt the 'early bird' policy and you will succeed."

Sonny—"I don't think I better, dad. Only yesterday Betty called me a poor worm."

Answer Please

She—"It is the women who pay—and pay—and pay, you know."

He—"Then tell me—why is it that the men are always broke?"

The Boy Was Right.

Mrs. Fiske—"My, my—such wonderful clothes that tall woman over there is wearing. I wonder where she lives?"

Mr. Cynic—"My guess would be 'just beyond her husband's income.'"

Direct to Consumer

Prof—"Name three things that contain sugar."

Student—"Sack, jar and bowl."

LANDON LANDS 144 FARMS LONDON LANDS AT BLEDSOE, TEXAS

The Terminal of the new Santa Fe Railroad running West from Lubbock toward the New Mexico Line

Fine Cat-Claw Land ... Pure Water ...

There is But One Crop of Land There Will Never Be Another

Farms from 1-4 to 7 miles of Bledsoe

This is an excellent opportunity to obtain a Real Home, in a Real Location and at a Real Price you can well afford.

SOLD ON GOOD TERMS

LN OG TIME PAYMENT PLAN

Whicker Land Company

Home Office LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

We Solicit the Co-Operation of all Reputable Land Men

Land Office BLEDSOE, TEXAS

Rather Brutal
 "Ah—the most beautiful young lady just smiled at me."
 "How considerate of her—the first time I saw you I laughed and fond."
Left-hand Comp
 "Great boy you have

there Mrs. Simpkins."
 Mrs. Simpkins—"Oh—do you this so?"
 Boarder—"Yes indeed. Why that boy rings the bell every time for breakfast, dinner and supper."
Might Be
 She—"You may say what you want to but it's the clothes that makes the woman."
 He—"Yep—and breaks the man."

BURTON'S TIN SHOP
 Do All Kinds of
SHEET METAL WORK
 Phone 69
 Littlefield, Texas

A COMPLETE LINE OF DRUGS & DRUG SUNDRIES
Candies, Cigars, Toilet Goods
Prescriptions - Properly - Prepared
 We Handle Celebrated Lincoln Climatic Paint
SADLER DRUG STORE
 "Quality and Service"

SHOE REPAIRING AND HARNESS OF ALL KINDS
 I am this week opening a Shoe and Harness Repair Shop in the building just west of the Main Garage and across the street from the new brick garage building now being erected.
 I will handle all kinds of Harness, including accessories, and will make all kinds of repairs. I am an expert shoe man of several years successful experience and can do all kinds of boot and shoe repair work.
 I guarantee the satisfactory quality of my workmanship. "Service at the right price," is my motto.
LILLY'S SHOE SHOP
 J. A. Lilly, Proprietor Littlefield, Texas

SERVICE Our Motto
 We keep our force large enough to give service at all times. Badger Guaranteed Tires—Adjustments made here.
 Amalie Oils, Auto Accessories
LITTLEFIELD SERVICE STATION

STOKES
 —End the evening ride by having a cooling, invigorating and satisfying drink from our soda fountain. Drive here—where a honk from your siren will bring us to the curb to serve you. "She" likes you better when you park at our curb.
The Best Ice Cream Sherbets, Sundaes and Sodas in Littlefield
Stokes & Alexander Drug Company
 THE REXALL STORE
 "In Business For Your Health"



Helen Wills, National and Olympic singles champion, is going "great guns" again this year and is favored to retain her title. She is typical American and is a prime favorite with tennis fans.

TIME TO REFORM CHILDREN BEFORE 16 SAYS EXPERT

By Hortense Saunders
 "If you want to reform a criminal, get him before he is 16."
 That is the advice of Mrs. Luella N. North, judge of the children's court of Clinton County, N. Y., who has the unique distinction in her state of being the only non-legal judge, the only woman judge of a children's court and the only woman county judge.
 Though she is not a lawyer, there have been no appeals from any of her decisions during her two years of office.
 "I believe in prison reform," she says, "and certainly there is much in the system that needs reforming, but I have very little confidence in the reform of an individual unless it takes place before he is 16."
 "When society realizes it is easier and cheaper to keep criminals from forming than to attempt to reform them after they are made, we shall save much useless effort and many millions of dollars."
 In her county she has instituted a system of physical examinations, mental tests, home, school and neighborhood surveys in order to find out all the atmosphere of a case before the child is brought into court.
 "And in the hundreds of cases that have come up before me," she states, "I have not had one which could not be traced either to some physical or mental defect or some condition of life for which adults rather than children were responsible."
 Unless one actually investigates conditions leading up to the delinquency of children, it is difficult for the average conscientious parent to realize how bad they may be, she points out.
 "Good parents are apt to judge others by themselves," she says, "and they have no experience with mothers who sell their little girls to men three times their age, to fathers who swear falsely to keep their children from school and put them out to work so they can be idle at home on the children's earnings."
 "Such cases and many far worse are very familiar to all judges of children's courts. They force you to recognize that crime is a disease and the causes of the disease must be removed before the remedy can be prescribed."
 Mrs. North has personally investigated many cases and has done much welfare work for her community.
 "There seems to be no work more important than that of giving children the proper start in life and helping those who have been mis-directed," she concluded. "I would rather be the judge of a children's court than a United States Senator—or even president."
 Without any undue criticism, still we are inclined to believe that the editor of the Jerusalem Journal failed to give King Solomon an honest opinion about some of his paragraphs.
 Still nothing is perfect. When there is rain enough to keep the lawn green, the darned thing needs cutting oftener.

Results Expected From Pure Breds
 Information Based on Average Experience of Many Owners of Stock.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)
 A report just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture on the progress of the better sires, better stock campaign for the improvement of domestic animals states briefly why pure bred animals excel other kinds. The information is based on the average experience of hundreds of stock owners who have been in a position to make comparisons. It thus points to the results which other farmers who are considering the improvement of their live stock may expect from pure bred sires and also from the combined use of pure bred sires and pure bred dams.

Summary of Points.
 Following is a summary of the points in which pure bred excel:
 Based on utility alone, pure bred live stock has an earning power from a third to one-half greater than scrub stock. Pure bred excel other stock in: Superiority and uniformity in conformation and type, greater sale value, early maturity, and economy in the conversion of feed into meat, milk, wool and work.
 Surplus pure bred are salable at satisfactory prices in a majority of cases.

The progeny of pure bred sires has practically a 50 per cent greater sale value than the progeny of sires not pure bred.
 Better breeding, combined with proper and adequate feed, practically prevents runty live stock, of which the average farm has about 7 per cent.
 Well bred beef cattle, sheep, and swine yield from 5 to 10 per cent more meat than inferior animals of the same live weight, and the meat is of better quality.

Improved live stock makes about 40 per cent more profitable use of feed than common stock. Pure bred excel grades, and grades excel scrubs.
 The use of pure bred sires leads to the ownership and use of fully six times as many pure bred female animals.

Points of Pure Breds.
 The foregoing brief conclusions are based on thorough analyses of large numbers of reports. The movement for better live stock which the department is conducting, in co-operation with the various states, has resulted in a gradually increasing recognition of the many points in which well bred animals are superior to ordinary live stock. The study and control of animal breeding are among the most important and practical means of making live stock enterprises more profitable to farmers and also of improving the quality of meats.

Good Varieties of Trees to Plant in an Orchard

Much disappointment has resulted in many sections from the planting of inferior or second-grade trees, often because stock of that kind could be bought cheaply. Trees which have been misrepresented by unscrupulous fruit-tree peddlers who had no other interest than to dispose of a bunch of evil trees. Considerable misinformation as to how trees should be grown is current.
 First-grade nursery trees suitable for average planting will consist of well-grown trees of sufficient size for their age, free from disease and insect pests. Trees which are considerably undersized or extremely oversized should be rejected. Grarly, misshapen stock seldom develops into satisfactory trees.
 These are varieties of apples, peaches, cherries, plums and grapes recommended by the Kansas State Agricultural college for planting an acre orchard:

- Apple—One Livland Raspberry, one Oldenburg or Yellow Transparent, five Jonathan, five Grimes Golden, four Delicious, four Winesap, four Champion or York Imperial, four Stayman Winesap.
- Peach—Two Belle of Georgia, two Champion, two Eleberta.
- Cherry—Three Early Richmond, eight Montmorency.
- Plum—Two Wild Goose, two Abundance or Burbank.
- Grape—Six Moore Early, six Concord or three Worden and three Concord, six Niagara, six Catawba or Delaware or Brighton.

Root Crops for Poultry Reduce Feed Expenses

By feeding more roots and vegetables the average poultry raiser can reduce his feeding expenses very much and also increase the egg yield. The cheapest feed is that which will make hens lay and the way to make hens lay is to keep them in good health. It is quite impossible to have the flock in good laying condition when only grain is given.
 Such foods as carrots, turnips and potatoes are not rich in egg-producing elements. Yet they perform a service which renders all the other foods used considerably more valuable. Let the farmer or dairyman give his cows nothing but corn and his supply of milk would soon be reduced. It is the same with hens, and the egg yield as well. From a standpoint of dietary principles the use of roots is recommended and this will enable one to feed more hens and get a greater egg yield with little or no extra cost.

What Did He Mean?
 Boss: "You're fired. Get your pay at the cashier's window."
 Boy: "Well how about a letter of recommendation?"
 Boss: "Why—er—er, oh alright."
 Miss Jones take this
 Whom it May Concern, col
 Pranks is one of the best
 firm even turned out."
 Be proud of your home

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

BE CAREFUL

—The government has just issued a report showing that at least 75 per cent of the fires in the country are due to carelessness.

—Is there any excuse for you losing your home because you are careless in just two ways: Too careless to get rid of rubbish and trash—Too careless to protect the property with an insurance policy?

YOU DON'T WANT TO BE TROWN UPON THE CHARITY OF NEIGHBORS, DO YOU?

Within 5 Minutes

—you can find out what it will cost to protect your home and its contents—in about five minutes you will be surprised to find out what thousands know
THAT INSURANCE IS ONE THING TOO CHEAP TO DO WITHOUT.

A. G. HEMPHILL

TIN WORK Of All Kinds

Roofing, Piping, Casing
 Cornices, Gutters
 Whatever the job, we will do it for you and guarantee both service and work to give satisfaction.
 —We do special tin work from blue prints. No matter what job you want done we can do it and at a reasonable price.

J. P. BECK
 Littlefield, Texas

SPECIALS
 For Saturday, July 25th
 These are Real Specials that will interest Your Pocketbook

- 25 lb sack, Pure Cane Sugar.....\$1.75
 - 4 packages, Rolled Oats.....\$1.00
 - 2 lb., can Cocoa......40
 - 4 10-cent cans of Cleaner......25
 - 22 bars White Naptha Soap.....1.00
 - 1 gallon, Wapco Preserves.....1.85
 - 6 cans, No. 2 Tomatoes......85
 - 6 cans, No. 2 Apricots.....1.00
- We now have our Meat Market equipped with "Frigidaire, the finest cooling equipment to be found anywhere. Everything is kept absolutely fresh and sanitary. You will appreciate the quality of our meats.

FOR YOUR SUNDAY DINNER
 —The above are just a few of the attractive prices you will find at our store. Our stock is complete with the best Groceries and Meats that money can buy. You will say so yourself when once you become a customer.
YOURS FOR BETTER SERVICE, BETTER PRICES AND BETTER MERCHANDISE
The Model Grocery
 Littlefield, Texas

HE'S KIDDING HIMSELF

Colorado business man approaches the proposition of advertising in this paper the other day and the statement that advertising pay and that three-fourths of money spent on advertising was to find out how much money spent on advertising grafts, a part of which are worked in every town in the country every year futile, but it wasn't difficult to the non-advertiser that if he spend his money in newspaper advertising and give a little atten-

LET YOUR MONEY GO OUT OF IT!

Every town or country home has a number of useful things which do not need, but which could be of value to some one else, and they would gladly pay for those articles if they knew they had them. People who are quick to convert into cash that for which they have no use.

CLASSIFIED ADS

In the Leader promptly turn in cash innumerable articles advertised every week. They are quick result-bringers. They are being tried and proven every week. Lost, Found, For Sale and Miscellaneous advertisements in this column are read by hundreds of people every week. They get results for their, they will for you.

THE COST

—If only 10 cents per line for first insertion, 7 1/2 cents per line for each subsequent insertion—counting seven words per line—no ad taken for less than 15 cents. Try one and be convinced.

LAMB COUNTY LEADER

DANDRUFF

MAKES THE HAIR TO FALL OUT—AND THE HEAD TO BECOME BALD
Dandruff is a germ disease and known as dry form of Tetter or Eczema. This mild form lives on the oily substance of the skin and the hair of its proper nourishment. It is to fall out and the head to become bald. Get rid of dandruff before it is too late. Wash the scalp well with hot water and soap, rub with a soft towel and apply Heeper's Tetter-Rem (Don't Scratch), rubbing it in. Then steam the head with hot towels. Your barber for Heeper's Tetter-Rem comb. Heeper's Tetter-Rem is positively guaranteed for all scalp and skin diseases. 10c and \$1.50. Sold and guaranteed.

SADLER DRUG STORE

MAGNOLIA GASOLINE

Magnolene Oils and Greases
"The Dependable Lubricant"
Real Quality Products
Demand them from your Dealer
Magnolia Petroleum Company
G. W. Hargrove, Agent. Littlefield, Texas



Ladies Novelty Shoes
—Just received, a big shipment of Ladies' Novelty Shoes for fall and winter wear. They come in Satin, Gun Metal Satin, Patent Leather and Patent Kid, various shades and colors. We have them in either high or military heels.

Boys Long Trousers
—We have this week a new and fresh line of Boys' Long Trousers in Blue and Gray Flannel Cloth. They are cool, comfortable and classy. Every boy will want a pair.

THE FAIR STORE
Littlefield, Texas

tion to the proper preparation of his copy, the money so spent would not be wasted but would return to him many times in increased sales. What kind of a suit he had on said it was a "Kuppenheimer." He was asked what brand of shoes he wore and immediately said they were "Florsheim" shoes. He stated without hesitation that his shirt was an "Arrow" brand and that he always wore a "Stetson" hat.

Why does he wear these things and why was he able to tell the representative of this paper the names of cause they're all advertised the length the brands so readily? Simply head and breadth of the nation.

Articles on this merchants shelves were examined and in almost every instance they were from manufacturing concerns who advertise their products constantly in every conceivable way.

The merchant said that his customers called for this article and for that one, quite frequently. When asked why his customers wanted things made by certain companies, the merchant replied that he supposed they had used them before and found them to be worth the money. All of which is true, but it's a safe bet that the first time they tried an article, they did so because they had read the manufacturer's description of it in an advertisement and after purchasing they found the article exactly as advertised and through truthful advertising became satisfied customers.

The clothes this man wore were made by companies which advertised and he knew the names of them because they were advertised; the car he drives and the tires he uses on it are advertised every week in this paper, and he admitted that he bought the machine because of the things he had read about it; the biggest seller in his store, the things his customers call for by name, are advertised doesn't believe in advertising and that brands; yet this merchant says he money spent for advertising is wasted.

He's kidding himself at his own expense, and doesn't know it.
—Colorado Record.

B. Y. F. U. ENTERTAINMENT

All Members Urged To Meet At J. E. Brannen Home Friday Night.

The Senior B. Y. F. U. will be entertained at the home of J. E. Brannen Friday evening.

At the close of the social hour, a short business meeting and pep rally will be held.

All members are urged to be present and bring a guest.

Help keep Littlefield clean!

WHO SAID
"Generosity is the flower of justice."

THESE words of Nathaniel Hawthorne have a striking resemblance to that famous speech delivered by Portia in the court scene in "The Merchant of Venice."

Portia is asking Shylock to be merciful, and when he asks why, she replies:

The quality of mercy is not strain'd,
It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven
Upon the place beneath;
And earthly power doth then show likest God's
When mercy seasons justice . . .

Nathaniel Hawthorne, one of the leading American literary figures, was born in Salem, Mass., July 4, 1804. He received his education in Bowdoin college and graduated from that institution in 1825.

His literary work is the result of the most careful study. Following his graduation from college he lived a life of retirement and devoted much time to writing tales and sketches. Few of these suited him and the majority of them were consigned to the fire. The survivors appeared in the magazines and newspapers of the day.

Hawthorne's romance "Fanshawe" was published anonymously in 1832, and in 1837 his "Twice-told Tales" appeared in book form. This work revealed its title from the fact that it was a collection of articles that had previously been published in periodicals, and thus was literally being "told" for the second time.

Hawthorne's political offices consisted of being the customs officer of the port of Boston; surveyor of the port of Salem; and American consul to Liverpool—an appointment he received from his old college chum, President Franklin Pierce.

Some of the best known works of his author are, "Mosses from an Old Manse," "House of Seven Gables," and "The Scarlet Letter." Hawthorne died at Plymouth, N. H., May 18, 1864.—Wayne D. McMurray.
(© by George Matthew Adams.)

Saying it with bombs in the Communist manner makes a most unfavorable clatter around the world.

Among the NOTABLES

JOSEPH LEIDY

JOSEPH LEIDY was one of the foremost naturalists of America, the more remarkable because he was self taught. Practically every bit of his wonderful knowledge of plants and minerals and animals, he acquired himself without the aid of a teacher.

He was born September 9, 1823, in Philadelphia. It seems that he had quite a talent for drawing and might, had he followed his first ambition, have become a well-known artist. At sixteen he left school and took a position as a drug clerk. While he was not waiting on customers, he began studying botany and mineralogy and comparative biology and such things and learning so rapidly that he was admitted to the university of Pennsylvania and took his degree as a medical doctor when he was only twenty-one.

He went abroad and came to notice, first, by his studies of terrestrial gastropods, which, translated into everyday language, is the form of animal life that crawls on its stomach. He made some valuable additions to science by his work on fossil horses and was the only American author to work on extinct vertebrates.

According to recent professors, his most important paleontological contribution to the knowledge of the world was a paper on some vertebrate remains discovered in the phosphate beds of South Carolina. In spite of the dry-as-dust sound of his work, his researches led him into many interesting and romantic discoveries of dead forms of life. He died in 1891.

THE GLAD GIRL

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

YOU know the girl—all laughter, fun,

The life of ev'ry party, who can always answer ev'ryone,
Dares do what anyone will do,
Who sings when all the rest are dumb,
And—well, the girl who makes things hum?

Young man—I want to ask you, sir—
She's great, but would you marry her?

Life's rather serious and sad,
It has its problems, has its woes,
And more defeats a man has had
Than victories in life, I know;
And then a man will need a mate
Still undecouraged, what his fate,
Who walks beside him up the hill
And bravely takes the good or ill.

A wife, it always seems to me,
Should have some depth of character;

Whatever need his need may be,
A husband ought to end in her,
Faith, courage, judgment, tenderness,
That is the sort of wife so bless'd,
The best of wives for both their sakes—
And that's the kind the glad girl makes.

What Women Talk About

First Cat—"Where is Mr. Peck. I haven't seen him all evening?"

Second Cat—"I don't know—but I suspect he is lost in one of the fol of his wife's second chin."

Carbon paper at the Leader office

The Touring Trials

Jimmy—(riding in front seat with dad) "What was the name of that river we just crossed, dad?"

Father—"I dunno."

Jimmy—"Too bad, dad, Aunt Anne just fell in it."

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

Oh merchant in thine hour of eec,
If on this paper you should see,
Take this advice and be you yyy.
Go straightway out and advertiii.
Be wise at once, prolong your daaa.
A silent business soon d-kkk
—Elgin (Ill.) Dailey Courier.



Off The Beaten Path

The real charm of touring lies in leaving the main-travelled highways and exploring the thousands of alluring side-paths. These dirt roads and trails lead to spots of rare beauty unvisited by the throng—where better camp-sites may be found—finer fishing and lovelier scenery.

of exploration and discovery. It is the one satisfactory means of travel for these narrow roads—light—yet so powerful that it will bring you through—easy to handle—sturdy and economical.

In a Ford car, you can enjoy the thrill

It will carry the whole family and the saving in cost often pays for the entire vacation.



Runabout - - \$260 Tudor Sedan - \$580
Coupe - - - - 520 Fordor Sedan - 660
On open cars mountable rims and starter are \$88 extra.
Full-size balloon tires \$25 extra. All prices f. o. b. Detroit.

SEE ANY AUTHORIZED FORD DEALER OR MAIL THIS COUPON

Touring Car
\$290
F. O. B. Detroit

Please tell me how I can secure a Ford Car on easy payments:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____

Mail this coupon to **Ford Motor Company**, Detroit, Mich.



Our First Birthday Clearance Sale

While Amherst celebrates her Second Birthday, we celebrate our First.

BIG CLEARANCE SALE STARTS JULY 24th.

Come To Our Party!

We will make it both pleasant and profitable to you

Our Entire Stock Reduced To CLEARANCE PRICES

O'NEAL DRY GOODS COMPANY
AMHERST, TEXAS

Poverty-Stricken Mexico
Although Mexico has a population of 14,000,000, only 3,000,000 have sufficient funds to buy comparative luxuries.

Handicapped

He who envies the happiness of others will never be happy.—Houston Post-Dispatch.

SPRAINS

This soothing, healing, penetrating remedy takes all of the smarting pain out of burns, scalds, cuts, sprains, etc., and quickly heals the injury. Use a few bottles and you'll see today.

HUNT'S LIGHTNING OIL
SADLER DRUG STORE
Littlefield, Texas

LAUNDRY

—We are ready to do the laundry work of Littlefield, and will do it as cheaply and as well as it can be done elsewhere.

—Look over some of our prices.

- Sheets 7c
- Pillow Cases 3c
- Towels 2c
- Handkerchiefs 1c

—Other things in proportion.

Taylor & Sons
PRONE 150

FILLING STATION



WE SUPPLY ALL YOUR NEEDS

- Oil, Gas, Water
 - Air, Service
 - Best Tires and Tubes on the Market
- Texas Filling Station**
By the Park

Dark Walls Absorb Light

For kitchen walls, light colors are cheerful and clean in appearance and have the added value of diffusing the light so as to brighten the dark corners.

LITTLEFIELD HOTEL

AMERICAN PLAN

Courtesy and Service



WHICKER and THOMAS
Proprietors



—There are just three points upon which we have built our business. Every day they are adding new customers to our list of satisfied patrons. They are:

PURE ICE
Full Weight and Prompt Delivery

—If you are not now using our ice, we solicit your patronage.
—A phone call is all that is necessary to start regular deliveries at your home.

Littlefield Ice Co.
Phone 74

Snow Babies



The late Admiral Peary's daughter, now Mrs. Marie Stafford, was at the pier in Wiscasset, Maine, to bid Captain MacMillan "Godspeed" in his expedition to the pole. She was born "farthest north of any white child" and was called the "Snow Baby." Below Kenneth Rawson, 15, of Chicago, son of a millionaire, who was permitted to sail with MacMillan, "providing he took his regular turn at work and asked no favors."

Watch Your Diet, Says Prima Donna



Cyrena Van Gordon.

Cyrena Van Gordon, prima donna of the Chicago Opera company, believes in the practice of this much-discussed person in wearing no corsets, in wearing short skirts, going in for athletics and outdoor life and in thoroughly upsetting the theories and practices of her mother and grandmother.

Miss Van Gordon, who is, in private life, Mrs. S. Bogart Munns, the wife of Doctor S. B. Munns, says that all of these things are woman's right and are necessary if a woman is anxious to keep her youth and beauty. But exercise is not the only thing that is necessary for the woman who is desirous of being attractive. She must watch her diet and be careful not to eat anything that will, in any way, be fattening.

- There are certain dishes to which Miss Van Gordon is partial and to which she gives the credit for the retention of her beauty. These dishes, she prefers to prepare herself and, when on tour with the Chicago Opera company, she carries a small electric stove in order that she will not be deprived of the food she deems necessary. These dishes are easily prepared.
- Miss Van Gordon uses for Celery and Cheese Casserole.**
- 1 cup cheese
 - 2 cups chopped celery
 - 1/4 cup evaporated milk
 - 1/2 cup water
 - 1 tbsp. flour
 - 1/2 cup butter
 - 1 cup cooked spaghetti
 - 1/2 cup buttered bread crumbs
 - 1/2 tsp. salt

She makes white sauce of milk, water, butter, flour, and salt, and mixes it with all ingredients except crumbs. She then places it in an oiled baking dish and covers with crumbs, baking in a moderate oven until brown.

Chicken a la King.

- 2 cups cold chicken, diced
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/2 cup flour
- 1/2 green pepper, shredded
- 1/2 pimento, shredded
- 1 cup evaporated milk
- 1/2 lb. mushrooms
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 1 egg yolk
- Salt and pepper

Cook the peppers (also mushrooms, if they are used) in the butter for 15 minutes, keeping them covered while cooking slowly. Add the flour and seasonings, also the milk and broth. Stir to a smooth sauce. Put chicken in sauce to heat, and just before serving, stir in beaten egg yolk. Cook in double boiler to prevent curdling.

After all, boys may be no worse than they ever were. Perhaps the only difference is they get by with it now, whereas the old time boy had to face the music.

Bishop's Bible

The Bishop's Bible, a revision of the Great Bible of 1539, was published in October, 1583. It was the work, undertaken in 1563, of Archbishop Matthew Parker, eleven other bishops and four deans and prebendaries.

Premature Order

General David Hunter, Union commander-general of the Department of the South, issued an order May 9, 1862, freeing all slaves in the states of Georgia, Florida and South Carolina. Lincoln annulled the order.

Natural Feeling

A New York man who has fasted a 30-day fast, says that he feels like a boy again. Yes, anybody can be a member when he was a boy and he just that hungry about three times a day.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

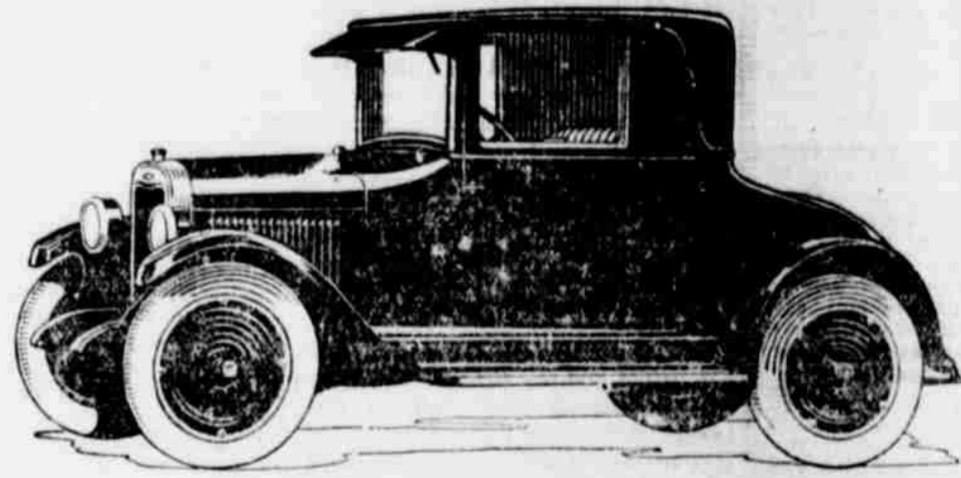
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Kung the Philosopher

Confucius is a latinized form of a Chinese term which means Kung the philosopher. Confucius was first a teacher, then a magistrate. After retiring from the latter office he devoted himself to writing and teaching.

Old California Mission

The mission of San Diego de Alcalá, about six miles north of San Diego, is the oldest of the missions in California. It was founded by the Franciscan father, Junipero Serra, in the year 1769.

First "National" Journal

The National Intelligencer, established in Washington, in 1800, by Samuel Harrison Smith, was claimed to be the first newspaper in this country that might justly assert itself as "national."

Amarillo Is Clean!

At last Amarillo is clean. Strenuous efforts have been made for many years to put that city in a sanitary condition. Pete Boesen, now of Sudan, tried it up for years, but finally gave it up and moved over close to us to sell real estate. On one side of the task it was hopeless, on the other, penniless. Other well-meaning editors have tried it from time to time with mediocre success; but it remains for Lindsey Nunn to turn the trick. How he ever did it we do not know; but evidently it has been accomplished. We think perhaps he was in league with some of the preachers of that city, yet that is not the whole reason. In some unknown manner the West Texas Laundry Association was induced to hold their annual meeting there week before last. The probabilities are that the nature of the inducements offered will never become known to the cotton-spitting public; but it came—came with its hundreds of professional dirt eradicators, grease spot manipulators and cold starch experts—every one of them advertising the merits of their business by wearing spotlessly clean shirts and snow white lingerie.

We read all about it in the Amarillo News a couple weeks ago. There was page after page devoted to the publicity of that bunch of proxy wash-men. Evidently the News was bent on impressing its guests with its own intimate knowledge regarding the art of wardrobe sanitation. There were articles covering the history of the matter from the time the Almighty made a cleaning of Pharaoh and his hosts in the Red Sea down to the present time when my lady's chiffon handkerchief comes back from the laundry looking like a daintily woven gauze of perfumed spiderweb from fairland. These various chronological desertations were accompanied by a few advertisements of business men residing in Amarillo who didn't know anything about the theoretical side of the business, but who were willing to back Lindsey up with a little kale seed in order to help defray the monstrous yet laudable undertaking of making the city one next to godliness.

But the perusal of this varied and sundried literary carousal set our mind to working in retrospective manner, and our thoughts drifted back some twenty-five or thirty years when there used to exist a humble being called the wash woman. We well remember it was her sacred duty to appear at our humble lodgings at regular intervals to carry away the soiled clothes and in a few days return them as snow-white linen. Like a great many of the other time-honored institutions of the past, she has now gone and her place has been taken by the modern steam laundry with its complicated machinery, wide rents, liquid stock and cold starched officials. Yet we would like to have her back again.

That ancient wash woman was supposed to represent the very bottom of everything; but the modern steam laundry with its huge tub that will bathe more clothes in a half-day than this humble creature could rub out on a zinc board in a year is here and right at the very top of sassiety. It runs by electricity, has an office like a first national bank, delivers its goods in a huge limousine driven by a chauffeur in spotless livery as a living and moving example of their art. Yet we still prefer the old time wash woman.

In the olden days any woman who was deserted by her worthless husband and abandoned helpless in the world, resorted to taking in washing for a living. Some women just to show their independent spirit and force of inbred character defied their liege lords and became wash women. We have read not a few novels where the heroine's mother came near taking in washing, but was narrowly averted at the last moment by falling heir to a million or so dollars, or something else. Thus many of them were saved from the suds. One of Lindsey's stories hints about that. But nowadays when a woman finds herself alone and helpless in the world, instead of resorting to the old fashion tub and board, she organizes a stock company, opens a modern steam laundry in a building four stories high and equipped with \$100,000 worth of high priced machinery and low priced help to run it.

According to the old system of laundry business the wash woman used to call and take away our shirt and collar while she washed them, and collar while she wanted them. Then when she brought them back we would make the changes while she waited out doors. According to this around her back porch she would system, she always had one set and have soon been able to retire from we had the other. In those palmy her arduous duties. But these were days no young man dared have more before the days of high finance and than two shirts. If he had, he was she hadn't yet been initiated. In

looked upon with suspicion by his fellow creatures.

Yet that wash woman was a very simple creature indeed. It never occurred to her to destroy or injure our shirt. She used her own elbow grease to take out the other kind of grease we got into from off our job press. She never had any India ink to mark up the tail or make the collar band look like a Chinaman studying the score board of a modern bridge club, yet in some subtle manner she always made the news ink we got on that shirt evaporate in mysterious manner. It never occurred to her to tear out one of the sleeves, eliminate a part of the circumference of the garment or use a file on the cuff edges, giving them that ultra-desired fringed finish so popular with the twentieth century institution. And, if she accidentally broke off a button, tearfully and humbly she sewed it back on again. Somehow she must have lacked imagination.

I had the opportunity of going through an up-to-the-minute laundry one time, and the way they handled a package of laundry in that emporium was very interesting. I recall that there was an expert who first sorted out the shirts according to size, but not color, and then sprinkled them all with muriatic acid, after which they were sent to the testing room to determine how much twisting and wadding they would stand before separating the seams. After that they were run through a neutralizing mixture of yellow ochre that was supposed to be and generally was permanent. Next they were passed over spike toothed rollers where the plugs were removed from the holes eaten out by the previously applied acid. From this they passed onto another set of great iron rollers that pressed them so flat that an expert button ripper coming along could shell off every button with a single dexterous stroke of his hand. Parenthetically speaking, we have heard that these laundry associations have standing contracts with wholesale button jobbers for the resale of these numerous and varied size buttons. In some of the larger concerns, the annual quantity production runs up into the ton figures, and the proceeds received from them means large addition to the semi-annual dividends declared.

Referring again to the button ripper's business, we are informed that this department is the most expensive of maintenance of any in the establishment. The salary of an expert button-ripper generally runs around \$25.00 per day; but he must not let a single button escape his eye. Should perchance, a gold collar button or diamond shirt stud be accidentally left in the garment, he received a bonus for its quick removal and prompt return to the official "lost department" where forever afterward it remains status quo. We are also informed that some of the more ultra-modern laundries, who insist they are not a single pace behind the times, are now employing new chemical methods, such as mustard gas, tear bombs, star shells and hand grenades, presumably to scare the dirt and microbes away, thus saving the water for the use of the local fire department.

Collars are handled in about the same manner as shirts. The attendants being very careful to see that no collar leaves their establishment that is not well equipped with a fuzzy feather finish and split side slit, so popular in this age of the universe. Of course, it is always understood with every patron of the modern laundry that their shirt and collar is not supposed to come back to them the second time. No expert workman ever makes a mistake in this respect. There are always certain marks of recognition left on or in the garment during its first visit that identifies it as successfully as the Bertillon system.

We have been told that many of the modern laundries were in cahoots with the wholesale dry goods dealers, and that even in the small towns, the merchants pay a certain royalty for reports on "damaged" articles, the idea being, of course, that the more of these wearing specimens that are made unfit for future service, the more that will have to be sold to the owner to fill up his closet. But we are quite sure this information is erroneous, for if it were no laundryman could resist the tempting call to luxuriant and ultra-lucrative retirement after operating his plant for thirty or sixty days.

We have often thought if that old fashioned wash woman had just kept a machine gun and a little dynamite waited out doors. According to this around her back porch she would system, she always had one set and have soon been able to retire from we had the other. In those palmy her arduous duties. But these were days no young man dared have more before the days of high finance and than two shirts. If he had, he was she hadn't yet been initiated. In

those days one could get an ordinary shirt washed for a penny, but now, the best laundries charge two bits a shirt for the washing, seventy-five cents for the service and send it back in an iron grated bus under an armed guard. If the old time wash woman had only known it, she was such a valuable cog in the world of fourness that she might have incorporated herself and the stockholders could have picked dividends off of her just as a child gathers chigars out of the forest lawn.

That old time wash woman was a saving in other ways. Now a shirt may be worn twice, one day after it is purchased and another day after it comes back from the laundry, whereas it takes three or four dollars to buy another one. But in those days a man could buy a shirt for six bits and it would last indefinitely. In fact, a man rounded out into middle life with certain satisfactions to his credit, he was brought face to face with the sad fact that he was gradually outgrowing it, and must will it to his arriving son. To his consurionate sorrow, he had to spend seventy-five cents for another one which, barring any unforeseen tragic results, lasted until he was buried in it. But not so now. If that old time wash woman had only possessed the foresight and imagination to leave one of these sleeves hanging over the edge of the boiling kettle, or, after punching the fire with the clothes stick, proceed to punch the tail of said shirt as it bulged up above the suds, she might have started something really big.

Yet there is more: In those halcyon days, if one had any complaint to make regarding their laundry work, they did it in direct manner to the human laundress. And more than once this poor wash woman would listen with trembling ears, then sweep away to her humble home with tear-filled eyes to read her Bible and pray for forgiveness. But now days if one has a complaint to make to one of these modern electrical laundry corporations, they have a duce of a time doing it. No use talking to the chap that drives the delivery ambulances wearing his tight buttoned up sweater, he don't even know what a shirt looks like. No use talking to any of the frizzy headed girls behind the office grating. Some of them are hard boiled, but they don't know shirts. No use talking to any of the high colored officials, they are too stiff and starched. They may even condescend to lay the matter before the Board of Directors, but the chances are they will not.

Alas, I fear our only hope of relief is for some husband to fall in love with his stenographer and run away leaving his wife weeping and penniless. Then we shall appear at her side door, and say, "Dry your eyes, my dear woman. There is yet fame and prosperity ahead of you. I am bringing you my other shirt to wash."

At any rate we are thankful that Amarillo is clean, and our choicest benedictions fall upon the head of Lindsey.

Ensemble Suitable for Formal Luncheon or Tea



The above is one of the dress ensembles suitable for a formal luncheon or tea. It is an charming arrangement worked out by black argosy.

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ings are better because they're shipped fresh from the mills, look out. Stockings made of pure silk, like Humming Birds, and pure-dyed, like Humming Birds, would not deteriorate if you kept them three years without wearing them. And you wouldn't want any other kind.

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TREASURER'S REPORT

Report of L. E. Silcott, County Treasurer of Lamb County, Texas, of Receipts and Expenditures from April 1st, 1925, to June 30th, 1925 inclusive.

Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 9,324.31	
To Amount received since last Report	206.43	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report		\$ 3,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "A"	507.00	
By Amount transferred to other Funds, since last Report		3,000.00
Amount to Balance		6,023.74
Balance	\$ 9,530.74	\$ 9,530.74
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. 2nd Class		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 4,064.20	
To Amount received since last Report	68.70	
To Amount transferred from other Funds, since last Report		3,000.00
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "B,"		\$ 5,114.07
Amount to Balance		2,018.83
Balance	\$ 7,132.90	\$ 7,132.90
GENERAL COUNTY FUND. 3rd Class		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$12,155.25	
By Amount received since last Report	335.11	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "C,"		\$ 4,274.20
Amount to Balance		8,216.16
Balance	\$12,490.36	\$12,490.36
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1 FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 4,583.22	
To Amount received since last Report	53.37	
By Amount paid out since last Report, Ex. "G,"		\$ 1,401.25
By per cent. Commission on amount paid out,		3,235.34
Balance	\$ 4,636.59	\$ 4,636.59
ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2 FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 4,381.42	
To Amount received since last Report	38.95	
Amount to Balance		4,420.37
Balance	\$ 4,420.37	\$ 4,420.37
DROUGHT RELIEF FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 238.89	
Amount to Balance		\$ 238.89
Balance	\$ 238.89	\$ 238.89
ST. HIGHWAY FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 163.59	
To Amount received since last Report	686.77	
Amount to Balance		\$ 850.36
Balance	\$ 850.36	\$ 850.36
ROAD No. 1, SINKING FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 9,760.70	
Amount to Balance		\$ 9,760.70
Balance	\$ 9,760.70	\$ 9,760.70
ROAD NO. 2, SINKING FUND		
Balance last Report, Filed	\$ 1,856.99	
Amount to Balance		\$ 1,856.99
Balance	\$ 1,856.99	\$ 1,856.99
RECAPITULATION		
JURY FUND. BALANCE	\$ 6,023.74	
ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND. BALANCE	2,018.83	
GENERAL COUNTY FUND. BALANCE	8,216.16	
ROAD NO. 1 FUND. BALANCE	3,235.34	
ROAD NO. 2 FUND. BALANCE	4,420.37	
DROUGHT RELIEF FUND. BALANCE	238.89	
ST. HIGHWAY FUND. BALANCE	850.36	
TOTAL	\$25,003.69	
SINKING FUND ROAD NO. 1	\$ 9,760.70	
SINKING FUND ROAD NO. 2	1,856.99	
THE STATE OF TEXAS,		
COUNTY OF LAMB,		

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared L. E. Silcott, County Treasurer of Lamb County, who being by me duly sworn, upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

L. E. SILCOTT, County Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of July, 1925.

M. R. CAVETT, Clerk.

County Court, Lamb County, Texas.

WEST TEXAS NEWS

LUBBOCK—The dates for the South Plains fair to be held here have been set for September 30, October 1, 2, 3.

COMANCHE—Bids are being received this week for Comanche's new dam. Work is expected to start in a few days.

HEREFORD—The Mormon ranch, located northwest of here has been placed on the market. It is to be sold in 160 acres farms.

WHEELER—Wheeler is to have a new modern fireproof Courthouse. Bids are being received this week for the contract. The building will cost approximately \$80,000.

LORAIN—Loraine will vote on a \$30,000 bond issue August 11, to improve and extend the municipal waterworks plant. Loraine adopted the general paving law a few weeks ago by an overwhelming vote.

GRAHAM—The Young Poultry Association met here last week. The principal speaker on the program was County Agent Patterson of Stephens county. This association has for its motto "A Few More Dairy Cows, a few more hogs and many more hens."

LORENZO—At a recent meeting of the Lorenzo Chamber of Commerce, Morris Watson was elected secretary of the Chamber. Mr. Watson is perhaps the youngest Chamber of Commerce secretary in this part of the state.

CROWELL—Crowell is to shortly install a white way system. The citizens of Crowell are to pay one half of the expenses of the White-way and the Crowell Utilities Company the other half. The citizens have already raised their quota.

DEL RIO—Approximately 200,000 pounds of short wool was sold here last week by the Val Verde Wool Mohair Co. This wool sold for 45c per pound which is the highest price paid in Texas this season for any considerable quantity of short wool.

CLYDE—At a recent meeting of the Clyde Chamber of Commerce, the

organization of a local band was discussed. The results were that the organization was perfected and Earl Slater was elected president. Steps are being taken to employ a band director.

Whitharral Items

Most of the crops are looking fine, though some tight land cotton is beginning to need rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crownover were Lubbock visitor Friday.

Lewis Hern and family of Medill, Okla., have been visiting Mrs. Hern's brother, Fred Walcott and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Benton and family left Wednesday for Holliday, where he will work at a pumping station.

A. B. Edgar, J. E. Woodruff and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Yardley went to Lubbock Thursday.

Will Armstrong and family left Tuesday for Hollis, Okla., and Weatherford, Texas where they will visit awhile.

J. E. Woodruff returned Monday from Courtney, Okla., and Montague County, Texas, where he has been visiting relatives. His brother, Monroe Woodruff, accompanied him home.

Grandpa Morris, of Hork, Texas, has come to spend the summer with his daughter, Mrs. J. K. LaRue of Whitharral, and son, Rev. Pete Morris, of Lummis Chapel.

Edd Smith and family left Wednesday for Willow, Okla., where they will visit friends and can fruit on their farm there.

We were glad to have with us last Sunday and Sunday night, Rev. and Mrs. Robbins, of Littlefield, also the Messrs. Bryant and a number of other good good singers from Lummis Chapel.

Parties from Wilson, Okla., were out looking over the cotton crops Saturday. They are planning to build a gin here.

County Judge Evans and Attorney aYrbrough of Levelland were here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Woodruff entertained the whole community Friday night. Everybody brought milk and freezers and we had all of the cake and cream that we could grace over. While the older folks

gossiped and played "42" the children and young people played games on the lawn. Music was furnished by Messrs. Edd Langford, Monroe Woodruff and J. K. LaRue. (Let the editor know next time. He would like to come.)

Ben Jackson, of Littlefield, was the week end guest of his sister, Mrs. John Rogers and family.

J. S. Aldredge, a prosperous merchant, of Odell, Texas, visited Lee Crownover and family Wednesday night. He was accompanied by his son, John Aldredge and Mr. Easley.

Earl Kurbs, accompanied his sister, and cousin, Miss Metcalf home to Hollis, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and children, accompanied by Messrs. Lee Lewis and Mooney, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Edgar. They left Monday for Lamesa.

WHEN ADVERTISING CEASES

A generation ago "St. Jacob's Oil" was one of the most widely advertised products in America. It was a patent medicine enjoyin generous sales. When Charles Vogeler, the head of this business died an "expert" went over the balance sheets and saw the enormous advertising appropriation.

This "expert" trimmed the advertising expenditure to little or nothing, reasoning that St. Jacob's Oil was so well known that it was unnecessary to spend money any longer to advertise it. Orders dwindled as advertising contracts ran out; business departed, never to return and it is safe to speculate that hardly one in 50 who reads this article remembers or ever heard of St. Jacob's oil, one of the best known products on the continent 35 years ago.

A similar thing happened to James Pyle's "Pearline"—a company which used a \$500,000 advertising fund as far back as 1904 and was one of the best known products in the entire world. The ad fund was "lopped off," the business went dead. It tried unsuccessfully to make a come-back in 1914, and sold its plant for junk to a large soap manufacturer. Killing off the ad appropriation wrecked both of these prosperous businesses and it would do the same thing to almost any great advertising concern today.

—St. Louis Times.

LEAHMAN LEADERS

The Santa Fe now expects to run its first work train into Lehman about the first of September. The construction force is being increased this week.

Geo. T. Veal is making preparations for surveying the Veal pasture and putting it on the market. This land will come within three miles of the southeast corner of Lehman. The

sales agency will be in charge of J. P. Soach, of Dallas.

The Lehman Service Station is now equipped to supply free air to patrons.

W. R. Dickinson, of Tatum was here the first of the week on business.

C. H. Hickman has relatives visiting him.

The townsite company is this week grading Third street in Lehman.

Buy it in Littlefield!

Buy it in Littlefield!

CLUB MEETING

All members of the East Littlefield Home Demonstration Club are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Sam McCann, Thursday, July 30 at 2:30 p. m.

We hope that a large crowd will be present as this will be the first meeting we have had for several months, owing to Miss Burkhalter being ill and out of the city.—Mrs. Gaddy.

Help keep Littlefield clean!

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And Gospel of Healing at LITTLEFIELD
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**The Littlefield
BAKERY**

BETWEEN 600 AND 700 FARMS HAVE BEEN SOLD BY THE YELLOW HOUSE LAND CO., TO BONA FIDE SETTLERS

Between six and seven hundred farm sales in one section of the country by one land company is a pretty good record, and when it is considered that at least 85 per cent of these sales have been made to people who have already or shortly will become bona fide settlers, the record is all the more plausible. Such is the record to date of the Yellow House Land Co., which is selling out the Littlefield Estate and the lands formerly embodying the famous Yellow House ranch.

Recently this concern opened a new section of their lands south of Littlefield and established the town of Whitharral as an inland community center. This town is located on a platted tract of land containing 88 acres. It is 11 miles south of Littlefield, 12 miles north of Levelland and 12 miles southwest of Anton, and spotted directly at the junction point of the main highway leading from Levelland to Littlefield and from Levelland to Anton, giving it excellent traffic facilities.

Early last January the Yellow House company set aside five acres of land for community educational purposes, a small school building was erected thereon, a teacher employed and six pupils responded for school. Three months later a census taken of the vicinity found 84 children that should have been in school. By the first of June the original school building was considered entirely inadequate for future use, so a bond issue was called, voted and the bonds sold at a premium. Now a \$25,000 modern brick school building will give added grace and value to the community. Three teachers have been employed for the fall term and transportation to and from the school is to be furnished the pupils. There are now about 60 families living in this vicinity, and many more expecting to move in during the next few months.

Lee Crownover has put up a general merchandise store building, which has been rented to C. B. Edgar, who is now conducting a general mercantile business there. He is also operating a filling station, and does both a wholesale and retail business in oils and gasoline. The Yellow House Land company has offered to donate five acres of land for gin site, and the company is looking forward to the establishment of a cotton gin in the community this fall which, in all probability, will be in operation in time to gin the first bale of the 1925 cotton crop.

During the past season more than 200 farm tracts have been sold in the Whitharral vicinity. Among these purchasers is Lee Crownover, who bought 700 acres adjoining the townsite on the west. He has erected a nice residence for himself and family, put up two tenant houses and made other general improvements, and now has about 600 acres crop this year.

Adjoining the town on the east J. W. Fullbright has purchased a 354 acre tract, which he is rapidly transforming into a highly improved farm. A little southwest of the town and located on the main highway, J. S. Fox, of Williamson county, has purchased 700 acres, erected a nice residence and is getting ready for modern agricultural operations, about 500 acres being in cultivation this year. Lester Lawhorn, one of the best farmers of Central Texas, is cultivating this land.

A little farther down the road Mrs. Jack Booth and son have purchased 1000 acres of fine farming land, built them a delightful little home, and have about 600 acres in crop this year. J. W. Nachlinger, another well to do East Texas farmer, has invested in a choice tract of that section, and now has a large portion of it under cultivation.

Just south of Whitharral L. E. Mitchell and J. R. Price came here from Oklahoma and invested in 1239 acres, and now have about 1000 of it in cultivation this year.

J. H. Griffith, president of the City National Bank, at Taylor, Texas, and Judge Lawhorn, Attorney for The Texas Company, at Houston, recently bought 1100 acres, and expects to put it all in cultivation the coming season. Paul Matthews, of Hutto, Texas, is a recent buyer of 700 acres, the major portion of which will go in crops next year. Chas. Cook, another prominent citizen from Taylor, is another recent purchaser of 320 acres of this land, all of which will be put to work in growing crops.

R. C. and T. D. Hamill, of Tillman county, Okla., have tied onto 1200 acres of this virgin soil, and during the past few months have put 1000 acres of it under the plow, all of which is now up to a good stand and growing luxuriantly. E. B. Vaughan, of Williamson County, Texas, thought so much of this section that he purchased 16 farms of 177 acres each,

several hundred acres of which are already in cultivation this year, and within another year, it is his expectation that nearly all of it will be turned to agricultural purposes. Numerous other citations might be given wherein substantial farmers from Texas and Oklahoma are taking advantage of this wonderful opportunity to secure good land cheap, and wherein nearly all these recent purchasers are actually becoming bona fide settlers and carving out happy and prosperous homes in a section heretofore unknown to the plow and reaper.

When it is considered that this section one year ago was only a big cow pasture, and one standing on the spot where Whitharral now is located, could look about in any direction across the spacious expanse of prairie, but not a single house was visible; today, look in any direction one may desire and the eye is greeted by great fields of upturned sod, rapidly turning green from the growth of luxuriant crops; here and yonder the two-row cultivators are trekking down the corn and cotton rows, while in every direction may be seen numerous happy homesteads whose smoke curls peacefully from the chimneys, windmills pulling up from the bosom of Mother Earth great streams of pure sparkling water to quench the thirst of man and beast; tractors purring their way across the prairies, leaving behind them long ribbons of upturned sod; four, six and eight horse teams swinging along with a steady stride, pulling a big disc or three or four sections of a peg tooth harrow, nipping the ambitions of the little weedlets and furnishing a delightful surface mulch in which the rootlets of the growing plants may reveal as they reach out for the underlying moisture, while about the barn yard the Jerseys chew their cuds contentedly, the rooster crows lustily and the hens cackle noisily as they leave their nests announcing to the happy housewife that they have done their part toward furnishing the ham and eggs for breakfast in the morning.

The farm land lying around Whitharral is as fine as "ever lay out of doors." For many miles it stretches out in every direction, much of it the well known chocolate colored loam of the west and more of it the famous "cat-claw" soil, noted for its fertility and moisture retaining qualities. The water of the Whitharral vicinity is all as good as Nature ever supplies, running 98.96 per cent pure, by chemical test, and the air is 100 per cent pure by breathing test. The wells in the Whitharral section generally average from 90 to 100 feet, some a little less, a few a little more, and the water is all that human taste and thirst could desire. This section is underlaid with a great underground stratum of the very purest aqua that Nature provides, and often as the driller pulls up his bit the water will follow it up half the distance of the hole and stand there the whole day long.

And the way the Yellow House Co. is selling this land there would seem to be no excuse for any farmer being without a home and a farm of his own to cultivate. Of course, it takes a few hundred dollars for a buyer to make his first payment and put up his improvements, but after that is done then the payments come easy, the interest is light, and a man can, in fact, meet the payments on his own farm cheaper than he can pay rent to some landlord, having in addition all the feelings of satisfaction and independence that comes with home ownership.

Recently the Santa Fe System announced that they were going to build a railroad across Hockley and Cochran counties, and, as an inducement to get the Santa Fe people to do this, the Yellow House Land Co., placed their names down on the subscription list for \$30,000. (But they didn't raise the price of their land when they did so.) That act did increase its valuation no doubt for it gave the new settlers of the Whitharral section the option of two railroads—12 miles from Whitharral to the branch railroad running through Levelland on the South, and 11 miles to the main line of the Santa Fe running through Littlefield on the north, or with the option of going to the railroad at Anton, the same distance toward the east. This new railroad is now under actual construction.

The very fact that the Yellow House lands are located between the main line of the Santa Fe on the east and north, and the branch line of the same railroad on the south, gives the settlers of these lands railroad facilities equal to that of older settled countries. This, coupled with the further fact of the school and highway facilities already established, as well as the close proximity to the

great Technological College at Lubbock, makes these lands especially desirable. It is also worthy to mention that much of the "cream" of this big ranch still remains unsold. This is due to the fact that when this land was taken over by the Yellow House company for sale, it was put on in units, only certain leagues as were not then in use by the owner for his thousands of head of cattle, being relinquished. Then, as the cattle were sold other desirable units were released for sale and settlement. In reality, the selling of this great body of land has been somewhat like a well known wedding feast of Bible times—they have kept some of the best wine for the last.

However, this fine body of land, so cheap in price and so abundant in profit, will not last very long. It is going to be a case of "first come, first served." Now is the opportune time for folks who are looking for homes that will become happy and prosperous in the years to come. When these great bodies of land on the South Plains, once owned by the big ranch men, are all gone—and it won't be long—the opportunities of desirable and cheap homes will also be gone, for there is but one crop of land in all this wide, wide world.

All this development that is being put in in the vicinity of Littlefield by the Yellow House Land Co., has meant much toward the town's population and perpetuity. In fact, it has meant more than the operations of any other land company of this section. With more than 300,000 acres of the Littlefield Estate and Yellow House ranch lands plus 23,000 of the famous Spade lands, the eventual settling of these several properties will, in time, mean a rural population of six or seven thousand people within the rightful trade territory of Littlefield. Littlefield itself, laid out on land formerly the property of Major

George W. Littlefield, has grown by leaps and bounds, until today it boasts of a population of more than 2,500 people, and still growing and developing.

Whitharral, located as it is only 11 miles south of Littlefield, is destined to become one of the leading community centers of this section, and, being located in the Littlefield trade territory, will both receive and give benefit to this popular little city that is today attracting citizens and business men from a dozen different states.

The Judge's Joke

PEOPLE WAS ALL WONDERIN' WHY OLD MAN SKINNER WENT TO THE POST OFFICE EVERY DAY — BUT COME TO FIND OUT THAT'S WHERE HE FILLS HIS FOUNTAIN PEN!



Biggest Nuts He Knows

Wife—"But my dear, NO formal dinner is complete without nuts of some kind."

Hubby—"Alright—let's invite Tim Dexter and his wife."

A judge may not be able to make a young lady give back her engagement ring, but the installment man can.

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Credit makes enemies; let's be friends!

Marines Guarding President at Swampscott, Mass.



A picked corps of Marines from the Philadelphia navy yard are guarding President Coolidge at the summer White House at Swampscott, Mass. They are on duty night and day, as the President enjoys his first extended summer vacation away from Washington.

SUNBURN MAY BE CAUSE OF DEATH SO EXPERT SAYS

Although few persons realize it, a severe case of sunburn actually is a dangerous affliction that not only causes excruciating pain, but may permanently affect the health, cause chronic skin diseases and even result in death.

This warning is given by Dr. C. F. Pabst, a well known physician of Brooklyn, N. Y., who explains some of the dangers to which summer vacationists subject themselves when they deliberately burn their skins in attempts to acquire "a coat of tan."

July and August are the dangerous months for sunburn, Dr. Pabst points out, for then the sun delivers the most ultra-violet light, the invisible part of sunshine that burns the skin.

"Sunburn is caused when ultra-violet light is stopped in the skin cells. The light causes a chemical change. A poison is manufactured that enters the blood, causing fever and headache. The chemical burn kills the skin. Some of this dead skin has to be absorbed by the blood and this process adds to the poisoning.

All this means extra work for the blood. Large supplies of blood rush to the burned surfaces with consequent disturbance of the circulatory system. This may be followed by congestion of the lungs and inflammation of the kidneys. Sometimes, not always, sunburn is followed by a protective pigmentation—discolorations of the skin—the familiar "coat of tan." Sometimes this pigment, instead of being distributed evenly, collects in spots that we call freckles.

When you lie in the sun for hours at a time, exposing skin that has been protected all winter, you are inviting trouble; for the skin cannot manufacture pigment quickly enough or in large enough quantities to protect you from burns.

Dr. Pabst says that burns may be considered in three classes—first degree, when the skin is simply inflamed; second degree when blisters are formed, and third degree, when charring takes place. A burn of the first degree, covering the entire body, probably would point in death. A blistering burn on half the body would be as severe, and a charring burn on a third of the body equally so. That is, a superficial burn is as serious as one that blisters, if covering twice the area.

One of the best and simplest treatments for shock from sunburn, he

adds, is to get into a tub of lukewarm water into which a pound of bicarbonate of soda has been dissolved. A physician always may be required to prevent collapse. Any sort of fat helps to soothe sunburn. Ether lard or butter can be used in an emergency.

BAD EGGS

In every instance where infertile egg clubs have been organized, it has meant increased profits for the poultry man. It is against state laws to sell anything but good eggs and infertile eggs are invariably good eggs. A club organized here at McLean would be mutually profitable and all it takes is an investment of about 75c for a rubber stamp guaranteeing the freshness of the eggs.—McLean News.

Our housewife broke four bad eggs one day this week before she found enough for the family use. Probably the poultry man or woman who sold them to the merchant don't know they violated the State Pure Food Act and are subject to a fine, and the law should be enforced. Farmers have no more right to sell bad eggs to the merchants than the merchants has the right to sell rotten potatoes to the farmer. If farmers would sell only infertile eggs at this season of the year, they would not only get an advance in price, but people would eat more eggs. A bad egg is a disgusting sight, and so offends the consumer's appetite that he cares very little for eggs in summer.—Terry County Herald.

A Clean Record

Mrs. Smart—(as motor-cop speeds up alongside after chasing her at 45 miles an hour for 10 miles.) "Oh officer—what time is it? I am so afraid I will be late—I've been married ten years and never yet have I kept my husband waiting."

Officer—(Also married man)—"It's now 10:30—so you better "step on it. Goodby and good luck."

Moved—To Poetry.

Of all the dirty tricks I know, There's nothing to compare; With sitting, grandly, nobly— In a chair that isn't there.

Your Last Name

IS IT GREGORY?

THIS name can simply be classified as being derived from a first name—a first name once more popular than it is today. Gregory is a name of Greek origin, coming from a late and corrupt Greek word meaning watchman. It was borne by several bishops and one pope in the early church and hence had popularity among Christians both in the East and West. Later it was borne by fifteen other popes who did more or less to popularize it.

It might be supposed that the Scotch name MacGregor was derived from this. But such is not probably the case. That name is derived from Grig or Gairig, meaning fierce. Probably where Gregory appears as a Scotch name it is really not from the old Greek Gregory but from Gregot or Grig.

The French form is Gregoire, which is found as a surname as well as first name, and the German Gregor and Gregus both have given surnames. One of the interesting families of the name here is of French origin bearing originally the name Gregoire. The founder of this family was Rene Gregoire, a French soldier who settled on a coffee plantation in Santo Domingo with his bride, Agnes Robeau or Robue. They had 13 children, all of whom save Caspar Ram-say Gregoire were killed in a great massacre. Caspar, who was born in 1785, escaped to New Jersey, where he settled down, eventually marrying a widow. He was persuaded to spell his name Gregory. He had two children—Henry Duval and Caspar Robue. Of these Henry Duval was a very able and well-known Greek and Latin scholar and an educator of note.

The other Gregoires seem to have come from England or Scotland. Elliot Gregory, an artist and writer of some note, was descended from Gilbert Gregory who came to this country from England, settling in Connecticut in 1640. James Fenimore Cooper was a great uncle of his. John Milton Gregory, born in 1822, came from English ancestors, settled in Norwalk, Conn., who probably came originally from Massachusetts and ultimately from England.

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Manure Wasted if Left Exposed in Barnyard

Manure spread on the land directly from the stable has given larger crop yields than equal amounts of manure exposed in the open yard for some time before spreading. In the many tests at the Ohio agricultural experiment station.

The average increase of crops in favor of stall manure over yard-exposed manure, both applied at the rate of eight tons, was \$3.40 per acre.

In this experiment extending over a period of 28 years the stall manure is spread on a one-year-old sod in January to be plowed under for corn in early spring. An equal weight of manure is taken from the stalls at the same time and exposed in flat piles until April when it is spread on adjoining plots, after which the treatment of all plots is the same.

Tests at the station show that manure thus exposed in piles lost 35.6 per cent of the original nitrogen, 22.5 per cent of its phosphorus, and 51 per cent of its potassium. This is about one-third of its fertilizing value and readily accounts for the difference in crop yields in favor of direct application.

Owing to the addition of moisture to manure exposed to the weather this loss may be unnoticed.

Birds Need Ventilation

Even in cold weather do not make the mistake of closing the poultry house so tightly that it does not have good ventilation. Chickens can stand cold better than they can stand stuffy dampness and foul air. One of the surest ways to bring on an attack of colds and probably pneumonia is to shut the houses so tight that they do not have good ventilation. Drafts however, should be avoided.

LITTLEFIELD GETS PUBLICITY

West Texas Today Carries 72 Inches of Cuts and Reading Matter.

In the last issue of "West Texas Today," published under direction of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Littlefield received three whole columns of publicity. Included in the write-ups of recent accomplishments in Littlefield, were also published photographs of the Littlefield high school, grammar school and State Bank building.

This publicity goes in 20,000 copies of this publication and will broadcast still greater the development of this town and surrounding community.

A PROSECUTOR EXPLAINS THE NEW CUT-OUT

For the information of citizens of this county, the Leader gives the explanation as given by County Attorney Tom F. Reese of Commerce, in a recent issue of the Enterprise, of the new law regulating the use of mufflers on motor vehicles.

"The law itself provides that motor vehicles and motorcycles created on any public highway streets of this state must be equipped with a muffler. It further provides that it is unlawful to operate a motor vehicle or motorcycle which is equipped with a muffler cut-out. Violations of the law are punishable by fine or imprisonment or by both and imprisonment.

"It will be seen that leaving a cut-out on the car and refraining from using it is not a compliance with the law. The cut-out must be entirely removed from the car. The definition given to a cut-out is the same as ordinarily understood."

This law became effective on Jan. 19, 1925.

THE RIGHT WAY

Suppression of opposing thought is not the way to make the world better. Strangling freedom of opinion in our schools is not the way to encourage their proper functioning. The quickest way to expose error is to turn the spotlight of truth upon it. Error grows strong and lusty in the dark and in darkness. Truth languishes and sickens when not striving for supremacy with error.

"It is not the doctrine of evolution we uphold but the right of Tennesseeans to be informed as to it. Our Legislature, while thinking it had dealt a death blow to the theory of evolution in Tennessee, has really given it encouragement and impetus it never had before.

"In sober truth, while seeking legislation to prevent their constituents from thinking they are descendants of apes, our legislators have made monkeys of themselves—Chattonooga (Tenn.) News.

A Gold-Digger, eh?

First Cakeeater—"How did you like that French girl?"
Second Cakeeater—"Too franc."

GOLD BOND SAVING STAMPS

THE EMBLEM OF THRIFT

An extraordinary announcement to the Citizens of Littlefield, and a thing that will greatly interest every person is the fact that you can get Gold Bond Saving Stamps with every purchase of 10c or more you make from the firms listed here. By confining your purchases to the firms who give Gold Bond Saving Stamps you will save a discount you cannot afford to miss.

THESE STAMPS ARE ABSOLUTELY FREE

And the cost is taken care of by the extra volume it brings the giver. Banks pay a dividend on what you save, Gold Bond Saving Stamps are a dividend on what you spend.

With each 10c purchase you will be given one stamp, 20c purchase 2 stamps, \$1.00 purchase 10 stamps, etc. Paste all the stamps from every merchant in the same book, and when your book is full take it to the C. E. Ellis store and get a nice premium Free.

Many nice premiums in cut glass, electrical goods, silverware, clocks, and many other useful articles will be on display permanently at the C. E. Ellis store. They will be glad for you to visit the store and see them.

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LITTLEFIELD HAS CHECKER TOURNAMENT

For the first time in a score of years ago when the daily newspapers used to report scores of chess and checker games were brought to mind by last week, when a checker tournament was pulled off at the Littlefield Hotel.

Jordan was the referee and a handsome bronze medal was bestowed on the champion of the tournament.

Relation of games and scores were as follows:

Johnson, 0	Liles, 1	Hughes, 4
2 d		
Liles, 2	Hughes, 3	Hughes, 4
Turner, 0		
1 d		
Hughes, 2	Patterson, 3	Hughes, 4
Lightfoot, 0	Patterson, 1	
2		
1 d		
Walpole, 2		
Hemphill, 3		Hughes
1 d	Hemphill, 3	
Wiseman, 2	Wiseman, 2	
1 d		White, 1
White		

M. Hughes, local agent for the Santa Fe, was the successful leader of the tournament. The presentation of the bronze medal was made by Mr. Jordan, in his presentation speech, went to considerable length in explaining the modus operandi of obtaining the particular valuable metal which enters into the composition of this worthy medal, explaining that it was mined in the South Plains country from San Diego, California, then presented to the recipient with a dog tag tag.

That the recipient was greatly pleased over his successful tournament—medal there can be no doubt, as it is understood that he now claims the championship for Lamb county, and will meet all comers in a county championship game during the coming county fair this fall.

Sounds Like Ultimatum
"Carrots," says a culinary expert, "can be cooked in many ways." Protocols, but as they can be eaten on the way we will pass up the carrot. —New Orleans States.

But They Call You Queer
To know what you prefer, instead of humbly saying Amen to what the world tells you you should prefer, is to have kept your soul alive.—New York Telegraph.

Help keep Littlefield clean. The Leader for printing.

Horticultural NEWS

INSURE NEXT CROP BY CLEAN ORCHARD

Clean-up measures, with the help of sunlight, will greatly aid in prolonging the life of the tree and will act as insurance for the next crop, says George P. Hoffmann, associate horticulturist, at Clemson college, who warns fruit growers that no chain is stronger than its weakest link, and that disease and insects attack trees and any form of life in the weakest individuals or parts of the individual.

Applying this truth to fruit trees, orchard owners should go over their trees and remove from both bearing and nonbearing trees all weak, diseased, dying and dead twigs and branches and all decayed fruits.

All bearing trees, especially the peach and the plum, should be gone over and all undesirable material removed, carried from the orchard and destroyed, as soon as possible after the harvest season. The careful livestock grower would not think of allowing diseased animals to remain in his herd. Why should the fruit grower not follow this rule of safety? When diseased, insect-infected, broken branches, and decayed fruits are allowed to remain in the orchard, conditions are ideal for the development of brown rot at the opening of the next season and for shot or pin-hole borer during the late summer.

Very weak trees may be fertilized as soon as the crop is off with either 8-4-4 commercial fertilizer or well-rotted barnyard manure. Judgment must be used in applying commercial fertilizer to avoid burning. Three to six pounds scattered under the tree as far out as the branches extend, and not closer than two feet from the trunk of the tree, and incorporated in the first two inches of soil, will give excellent results. Barnyard manure may be applied in the same manner, one to two bushels per tree, but cannot be worked into the soil as easily.

Young trees of nonbearing age must be carefully watched for the foregoing reasons and kept in thrifty growing condition, or weak growth will result and the orchard will be likely to prove disappointing.

Egg Production Depends Largely on Green Feeds

If you want to get the best results from your hens this fall and winter provide them with plenty of green food. Green food is essential to egg production, is a stimulant to the fowls, and also possesses vitamins that are essential to body health and development.

There are two ways of supplying green food to the hen, says D. H. Hall, extension poultry husbandman at the Clemson college. The first method is by planting green food in the yard, and allowing the poultry access to it. The second method is by supplying green food each day to the poultry from another lot. The first method requires less labor and is less expensive.

The best green feeds for poultry are: Rape, cabbage, collards, oats, rye; and nearly any of these can be planted in the fall and will supply green food for the winter.

Egg production depends to a large extent on green food. Plant green food now and have high priced eggs this winter.

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POULTRY FACTS

PLAN TO PICK OUT GOOD LAYING HENS

"If you were going bird hunting you wouldn't take a hound. Starting a dairy, you wouldn't buy beef cattle. Or if you wanted to go into horse racing, it would not be desirable to get a Shetland pony. Yet many people seem to think that a chick is a chicken, regardless of its individual qualities and purposes."

While some varieties of chickens are better layers than others, yet individual selection will greatly increase the laying qualities of any variety.

H. B. Lansden, of the Florida Agricultural college, says: "When a bird has laid through one season, you can judge some of her performance qualities by color of her legs and condition of beak and plumage." The explanation continues: "Select a hen that has a large space for manufacturing and carrying eggs, and you get one that will produce more eggs than another with less carrying space, even though of the same variety."

"It is no trouble to detect which has the greater ability to perform by examining the body outlines. The body should be wide and deep and well-proportioned, the back broad and rather flat, the breast bone rather short, rocker-shaped and sharp, not round and plump as in a quail.

"The comb and wattle indicate the condition of the reproductive organs. A hen with a healthy, well-developed reproductive organ, has a large full comb and wattle, with full circulation indicated by warmth and softness of texture. The hen with a small, crowded or diseased organ has a small, shriveled, scaly, cold and coarse comb and wattle. The distance between pelvic bones and the pliability of the skin and abdomen indicate the present performing condition of the hen and not her ability to lay."

Demand for Guineas Is Increasing in the East

Wild game, such as partridge, quail and pheasant, are becoming scarce in many localities. Besides, most states have laws which prohibit the sale of game birds as a measure to discourage hunters from killing more than they and their friends can conveniently use. There is, however, a good substitute for game birds and it is found in the guinea. The guinea is more than half wild anyway and has many of the characteristics of game birds found in the woods and fields. The demand from hotels and clubs is increasing. This is particularly true in the East and the reason for this bird is growing in the Middle West.

When well cooked, guineas are attractive in appearance, although darker than common fowls, and the flesh of young birds is tender and of especially fine flavor, resembling that of wild game. Like all other fowl, old guineas are very likely to be tough and rather dry.

Feed More Meat Scraps and Sour Milk to Hens

The use of more meat scraps and sour milk in the rations for the farm flock will help to keep up the egg production through the hottest season of August and early September. The laying hen's diet to be full of all the necessary material should consist of grain, mash, animal feed, mineral feed, and water. The grain is usually taken care of, as is the water supply.

The difference which a mash can make in the laying is surprising, when the mash contains besides grain an abundance of milk and meat scrap material. These two foods supply the animal matter, while cracked oyster shells or grit furnish the mineral matter. Green food is essential, and if the flock does not have range, green grass or weeds are especially good for layers during the hot weather.

POULTRY NOTES

Better not give tankage until the chicks are three or four months old.

Try to find the stolen nests. Sometimes a careless turkey lays where the eggs easily roll out.

Any of the reputable brands of dry grain chick feed will prove excellent as a ration for the poults.

Feed mixed grains in the morning along with water or milk, then mash at noon, and corn in the evening.

For incubating purposes, discard all eggs that have improperly finished shells or that are irregular in shape.

Keep the litter deep in the hen-house and make the hens work for their grain. They will get lazy if you do not make them scratch.

Do not hold eggs for four or six weeks in a warm room and then sell your customers they are just "out of the nest." They will know better.

The male is half of the breeding stock. Be sure he has the vigor, that he is true to his breed, that he has capacity, and comes from stock which has been bred to lay.

Here's the Philosophy
"There aren't," says Theophrastus Keyring, "but four things necessary for comfort: Plain food, clean clothes, a good bed and a warm room. After you've got those, why worry?"—Exchange.

Sculptor's Nickname
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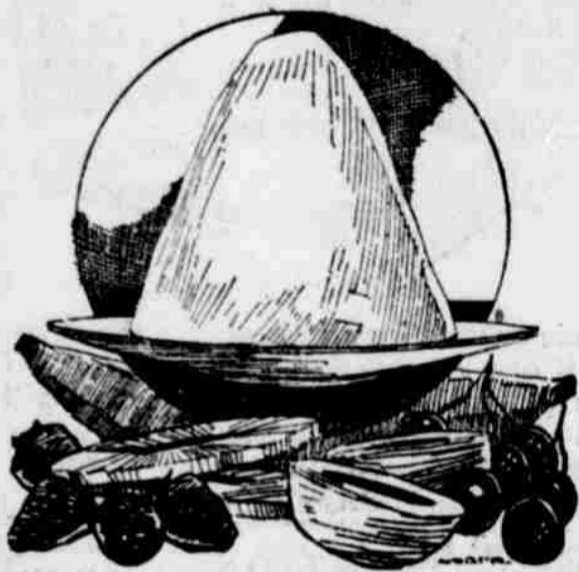
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Fall Freshening Is Meeting With Favor

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Fall freshening is one of the methods that many scientific men and others have been for years endeavoring to persuade dairymen to practice. There are so many excellent reasons for such advice.

Cows that freshen in early autumn produce more for the year and considerably more in the winter, than cows freshening in the spring. The winter is the time of year when most cows should be in milk and heavily in milk because, as a rule, the price is consistently higher during the winter and early spring months and also the farmer who practices diversified farming has more leisure time away from his general farming operations at that season of the year.

Professor Misner of Cornell, in working on this problem, compiled some valuable information on over 2,000 cows, from which he found that in herds that had less than 25 per cent of the cows freshen in the fall, the average yield per cow per year was 4,890 pounds and the cost of producing 100 pounds of milk was \$2.80. In herds where over 50 per cent of the cows freshen in the fall the yield was 6,025 pounds and the cost \$2.35 per hundred (1921 figures for New York state). While the difference cannot all be accredited to fall freshening yet it undoubtedly was an important factor, and hence has a very definite bearing on the cost of producing milk.

Between December 1 and March 1, is the ideal time to get the cows with calf, thus insuring fall freshening with consequent greater profits.—H. R. Lascelles, Fieldman, Colorado State Dairy Commissioner.

Late Winter and Early Spring to Prune Trees

It is usually considered preferable to prune all fruit trees in the late winter or early spring, but this point has probably been over-emphasized. In sections where there are mild winters, winter-killing should not result and fall pruning should therefore not be harmful.

Provided pruning has been carefully done during the first years of a tree's life, there would not be much heavy cutting necessary after this time. Furthermore, what there is will be largely cutting out of interfering branches with the purpose of thinning out the growth and letting in light to the remaining wood. Cutting of this kind can usually be done in the fall without fear of injury.

One thing may actually be in favor of fall pruning, provided it is done before the leaves fall. This point is that it enables the pruner to see more clearly the results he is obtaining, particularly in regard to thinning out the branches where the growth is too thick and is producing too much shade. On the other hand, it is always a good plan, even with spring pruning, to prune a few sample trees while the leaves are yet on, to serve as a pattern in the dormant season (spring).

In general, however, it is safer to do most of the pruning in the spring or any time during late winter, after the coldest weather is past. This applies to heavy cutting particularly and to the pruning of old bearing trees. A small amount of cutting, thinning out growth, removal of suckers, etc., may be done any time during the year with almost equal success.

Value of Pumpkins in the Fattening of Pigs

Results from three experiment stations show that 276 pounds of pumpkins fed with 273 pounds of grain, gave 100 pounds of gain with fattening pigs. Authorities state that 2 1/4 tons of pumpkins are equal to one ton of corn silage. About the only way of getting at the value of corn silage is by figuring its actual cost and this varies a great deal. Data kept in Illinois indicated that a ton of silage costs about \$3.50. With concentrates at \$20 per ton and legume hay at \$14 per ton, good silage is worth about \$6.50 per ton. Therefore, if it takes 2 1/4 tons of pumpkins to equal one ton of corn silage and it is worth \$6.50, pumpkins would be worth less than half that amount. However, we believe they would be worth more than that for feeding hogs but we doubt if they are worth \$6 per ton. The seeds of pumpkins contain much nutriment and they should not be removed when feeding.

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The buildings, in which are night clubs and cabarets at Boston, are undergoing a most rigid inspection since the collapse of the "Pleikwick Club" there July 4 when 50 dancers crashed to their death. Picture shows firemen removing the body of one of the victims.

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OCK WINS A GAME FROM LOCALS SUNDAY

Littlefield baseball team again defeated last Sunday at the Lubbock Hubbers, the 10-4.

on pitched a good game, to reports, but his support nearly every member of team pulling one or more ing the playing. Littlefield e of her scores during the g, and again in the fourth. for a home run.

the past month the Little- has been playing an un- ank. Just why, it is hard t evidently from lack of Littlefield has aspired to

play with the stronger and better teams of West Texas, and she has the material to do that very successfully. However, the team has been lacking in financial support. Many of the players have been giving their time gratuitously. They have not had the time necessary for practice playing. Not being on salary, it has been impossible for them to quit their work for the practice hours necessary to put over a winning team playing against such teams as Lubbock, Lamesa, Midland, etc.

That we have the players there is no doubt. Littlefield has base ball material that has been earnestly sought after by some of these above mentioned teams, and who have not accepted because of their loyal interest in the home team. Their attitude is indeed worthy of commendation. But baseball players require finances

for living expenses, just the same as other folks, and so far the town has not been able to maintain that expense schedule sufficient for them to devote their entire time to the game.

That a good baseball team is of value to any town in a publicity way there is no doubt. A team constantly losing means otherwise. It is clearly evident some different arrangements must be made if Littlefield is to maintain her place in baseballdom.

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Health and Home
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Evaporated milk is sterilized and has a high nutritive content. This causes it to be a very excellent food for the young child, and the infant. In fact, many of the leading pediatricians of the country advocate its use after the child is deprived of its mother's milk. A formula, evolved by these pediatricians, through experimentation, is as follows:

From Sixth Week to Third Month.
Milk, evaporated 6 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 3 ounces
Bottled water 28 ounces
Seven feedings in twenty-four hours: 4 to 5 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and four-hour intervals at night.

From Third Month to Fifth Month.
Milk, evaporated 7 1/2 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 3 ounces
Bottled water 29 1/2 ounces
Six feedings in twenty-four hours: 5 to 6 ounces at three-hour intervals during the day and a feeding at 10 p. m.

From Fifth to Seventh Month.
Milk, evaporated 10 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 3 ounces
Bottled water 29 ounces
Five feedings in twenty-four hours: 6 to 7 ounces at four-hour intervals, the last feeding to be given at 10 p. m.

From Seventh to Ninth Month.
Milk, evaporated 11 ounces
Lime water 3 ounces
Milk sugar 3 ounces
Bottled water 35 ounces
7 to 9 ounces at four-hour intervals during the day. Last feeding at ten

AT THE CHURCHES

METHODIST SERVICES
Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.
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The First Presbyterian church, the "home folks church," extends a cordial welcome to all worshipping Christians to come and worship with us.

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
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Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 and 7:30 p. m.
B. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m.
Choir practice, Wednesday at 7:00 p. m., followed by a business meeting. Please be on time.
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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

C. D. Smith went to Fort Worth Sunday on business matters.

C. A. Luck, of Lumm, Texas, is prospecting here this week.

Miss Stella Loyd, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Stokes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Harvey spent Sunday with friends in Plainview.

Berchel Gillum, of Wilson, Okla., visited here Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clayborne Harvey.

Miss Wilma Henson returned home Monday, after a few weeks visit with friends in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. White were in Abilene Sunday, visiting Mrs. White's mother.

Calvin Henson and family, of Haskell, are visiting this week with T. A. Henson and family.

Miss Grace Fairweather, of Lamesa, is spending the week at the home of the Beebe girls.

H. A. McGavock left Tuesday for Abilene to bring back his wife, who has been visiting in various Colorado resorts for the past month.

Pat Boone is enjoying a new Master Six Buick coach, purchased last Saturday through Harry Wiseman, of the City Garage.

Arthur P. Duggan Jr., returned Monday from attending the Boy Scout encampment at Kerrville. He reports a delightful time.

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Gus Shaw had a letter from his wife this week stating she continues to improve in health. This week she is in Cason, visiting with Miss Billy Wardlow.

Mrs. Lou Conklin, Claudie Dale Conklin and Loulene Conklin, of Lamesa, are here this week visiting Mrs. Conklin's son, Elbert Conklin, and wife.

Prof. T. P. Johnson, of Canyon, the recently employed teacher of manual training in the local public schools, was here Monday looking after a location for the coming school year.

Mrs. J. L. Foreman and two children, of San Bernardino, California, and Mrs. H. E. Fine, and little son, of Waco, are here this week, visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Barber.

E. C. Cundiff and family left Saturday for a two weeks vacation and fishing trip in the wilds of Missouri and Arkansas. They will return through Kansas, where they will visit relatives.

Miss Birdie Lee Burkhalter is confined to her room this week on account of an accident Sunday afternoon, in which she sustained a severe gash over one eye, necessitating several stitches to close the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Duggan returned Tuesday from a three weeks vacation trip into the northwest country. They report a delightful time and much interesting sight-seeing.

Lubbock will entertain the officials of the Burlington System members of the Interstate Commission, and other

one there tonight. They sent over to Littlefield for our expert, G. M. Shaw, to come over and superintend the fixin's.

Miss Katherine Hagquist, state advisory nurse, with headquarters at Austin, was here the first of the week inspecting the work of Miss Keygler, local county health nurse. They went to Muleshoe Monday afternoon, where they met the Civic League of that place to interest the citizens of Bailey county in securing a public nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Graham and children of Electra, Texas, are visiting Mrs. R. A. Parker and Mrs. D. A. Gaddy for several days. This is their first visit to the plains and they are well pleased with the out look here.

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This jaunty sports frock features printed silk in a charming manner. The pattern emphasizes Chinese motifs. The wide, loose sleeves are quite appropriate. A new style note is the scarf tied in a bow at the neck.

Things to Know About Shoes and Stockings

That unusually large feet or exceptionally broad feet should be shod in shoes of one color, and of an inconspicuous style, does not entirely dispose of the matter. There are too many enchanting models to tempt the woman who has not made the proper study of her foot and its needs. And so it is necessary to go into greater detail. A shoe should be chosen not only because it pleases the fancy, but also because it pleases the intelligence with its suitability to the foot.

Consider the two-color shoe, which is one shade through the back and which is another color across the front and toes. The main objection to this style for a short, broad foot is that it breaks the foot in two and so makes it seem shorter and broader. If the foot is very broad, then the shoe with a black front will detract in a measure from the breadth, although it cannot be counted upon to make the foot seem any longer than it actually is.

The two-tone shoe, however, is quite definitely kindly in its effect on the too-long foot, breaking it up as it does into two distinct parts and so detracting noticeably from the length.

There is no beauty in the short, broad foot, and so it always should be shod as inconspicuously as possible. Plaited effects and mottled leathers, as well as variations of crocodile fabrics, never should appear on this foot. And a soft, dull kid is more favorable than the harsher and shinier patent leather. Always, too, the vamps should have long lines rather than the short, rounded lines of the more extreme models. Since both are available, there is no reason for a woman to buy this second type, which does not flatter her foot, to say the least.

In the matter of evening slippers, unlabeled feet never should step forth in metal brocades and other such snares for the unwary. A plain satin slipper or one of simple kid is the best choice.

Stockings should match the shoe when the foot is out of proportion, and they always should be as dark as possible when the ankle is too thick. The lighter the stocking the thicker the ankle appears. This last may bear a touch of the obvious, but you have only to look about you as you walk along the street to assure yourself that the obvious facts, like old jokes, are not so generally known as you had thought.

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