

# LAMB COUNTY LEADER

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## LITTLEFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOL OPENED MONDAY WITH ENROLLMENT OVER 900 PUPILS; FIRST ASSEMBLY WAS HELD

Littlefield's school children, 948 in all, returned to their books and desks last Monday morning, when the fall term opened. The enrollment for the first day was 40 more than the first day of last year, and, according to the scolastic census, there will be about 250 children in this school who have not yet been enrolled before the first week ends. It is thought the total enrollment will be considerably over 1,000. The enrollment was divided as follows: 320 in the primary school; 389 in the grammar school, and 299 in the high school. There are 30 teachers and 100 trucks will be used this year to transport the pupils to and from the center.

Kent Allen. Announcements were made by Superintendent B. M. Harrison, books were issued to the pupils during the day, and Tuesday the regular work of the school was begun.

The teachers in the Littlefield school for this year are as follows:

### High School

B. M. Harrison, Supt; F. O. Boles, Prin; Miss Lennie Mangum, English; Miss Lillian Busher, English; Miss Mary Porter, Science and Math; John R. Tucker, Math. and Coach; Norman Donges, Vocational Agriculture; Miss Dorothy Nettleton, History and Latin; Miss Helen Moore, Spanish; Mrs. Ellena Kent Allen, Public Speaking and Physical Training; Mrs. Jimmie Brittain, Home Economics; Galon Irvin, Manual Training.

### Grammar School

J. E. Chisholm, Principal; Miss Dablia Hemphill, Miss Lucille Killough, Miss Thelma Killough, Miss Evelyn McDonald, Miss Nelleie Dugger, Mrs. Frances Tolbert, Mrs. Stanlyo Lambert, Mrs. E. S. Rowe.

### Primary School

Miss Vivian Courtney, Mrs. Annie Wiseman, Mrs. Joe Perkins, Miss Margaret Teel, Mrs. Bessie Baze, Mrs. Ray Jones, Miss Vada Walden, Miss Audie Terrell, Mrs. B. M. Harrison.

## BUYING OF EXCHANGES AND JUMP IN PRICES OF COTTON FOLLOWS THE GOVERNMENT ESTIMATE OF SHORTAGE

severe ravages of boll weevils throughout the extreme southern cotton states is the principal cause for total reduction of baleage this year according to the government report issued last week, which reports a 12,692,000 bales, or 5,250,000 bales less than last year's crop.

from this cause is producing little worry among the raisers. While the crop generally is late, yet it is anticipated, if frost will hold off for maturity, the cotton crop on the South Plains will be the best of any section throughout the state, and of great financial value to the growers and the section at large.

## OIL NEWS OF THE SOUTH PLAINS COUNTRY

Compiled by LUBBOCK AVALANCHE

### Lubbock County

Tolbat and Simms (the Center Oil Company) No. 1 Boles, in the northwest corner of the southeast quarter of section 21, Block S. G. C. & S. F. survey, setting 10 inch casing with a lead packer at 1133 feet to test oil show.

### Hockley County

World Oil Corporation No. 1 Ellwood, 300 feet from the north and west line of Labor 5, League 7, Wilbarger County school lands. Drilling at 350 feet.

### Hale County

Donnell Petroleum Company No. 2 Mullican, in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 21 Block B. R. M. Thompson survey, drilling at 525 feet after encountering another show of oil at 515 feet.

Bailey and Young No. 1 Johnson, in the center of section 36, Block J. D. R. M. Thompson survey, building rig.

A. S. Mimms No. 1 Richter, 700 feet from the east line and 1,200 feet from the south line of section 17, Block X. John Glyn survey, under-reaming at 430 feet.

Exploration Oil Company No. 1, Goodman, center of the southeast quarter of section 1, Block O. D. & S. R. R. survey, spudded and shut down.

Exploration Oil Company No. 1, Crawford, center of the northeast quarter of section 17, Block C-3, T. T. R. R. survey, spudded and shut down.

Gouldy and Stone No. 1 Kittrell, northwest corner of section 65, Block A-3 location.

### Lamb County

Tolbat and Simms No. 1 Ellwood, center of the southwest quarter of section 14, Block B. R. M. Thompson survey, ready to spud.

Mann-Freel Inc. No. 1 Ellwood, center of the southwest quarter of section 9, Block B. R. M. Thompson survey, location.

### Bailey County

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 1 Fuqua, center of the west half of section 117, Block A. M. & B. survey, drilling 487 feet.

## A September Nightmare

By Albert T. Reid



## SHOW WINDOW OF SOUTH PLAINS IS READY FOR OPEN'G

Lubbock, Sept. 16.—September 27 the "Show Window of the Plains," the annual Panhandle South Plains Fair opens here at Lubbock and when the gates swing back the best display of agricultural, livestock, poultry, and other exhibits, amusements, attractions and other exposition features will be open to the gaze of thousands of Plains people.

County exhibits from Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Floyd, Crosby, Hockley, Cochran, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Gaines and Dawson counties will be seen in the agricultural building. Live stock exhibits include the largest herd (beef cattle) of Merkel, the Gat herd (beef cattle) of Odessa, the Taft ranch dairy herd, and other herds from big breeders known over the southwest for their fine show stock, and about 33 head of baby bees that have been fed out by Lubbock county club boys. The poultry building will be filled with prize winning fowls. The women's building will have exhibits of culinary, art, flowers, and other women's products.

The best carnival company of the Southwest will be set up on Mid-Way ready for the eager crowds. Football games are: Lamesa vs Spur; Plainview vs Slaton; Tahoka vs Littlefield; Floydada vs Lubbock; and Texas Tech vs St. Edwards University. Fire works each night of the fair will amuse both the old and young. Three troupes will act twice daily.

"Come on Along" is the slogan of these visitors who tell of the attractions, exhibits, and prizes to be found at the fair. Five Chevrolet cars will be given away, thousands of dollars cash for exhibits, a windmill for the best ten heads of maize, and other prizes will be awarded.

## NEW LICENSE PLATES OUT

The new auto license plates for Texas, for the year 1928 are now out, though not yet for distribution.

The shape and size is similar to the plates of this year, but the color is brown with white numerals and border. A different plate is issued for the front and rear of the vehicle, and it is so marked.

## CATS PLAY AT LUBBOCK

Several Littlefield fans are planning attending the baseball game to be played in Lubbock next Sunday afternoon, at Merrill park, between Panther team of Ft. Worth and the Ex-Cats of the Texas league.

Four games are to be played, Sept. 17, 18, 19 and 20. "Sled" Allen will have charge of the all-star aggregation of Hubbers in the game.

## MARRIED IN LITTLEFIELD

Miss Josephine McSpadden and Paul Whitfield, both of Amherst, were married last Saturday, in Littlefield, by Rev. Jess Mitchell, only a few intimate friends of the contracting couple witnessing the ceremony. They will make their home in Amherst.

## Help Keep Littlefield clean.

In Sixty-Six Years



William S. Creamer went to work 66 years ago as cashboy for a New York store at one dollar a week. He is still with that store as floor walker—but as clerk he worked in Mrs. Abraham Lincoln, Mrs. J. S. Grant, Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Mrs. Roosevelt's mother of T. R.

## GOVERNOR MOODY TO SPEAK AT TECH SUNDAY SEPT., 19

Lubbock, Texas, Sept. 14.—An address by Gov. Dan Moody to the freshmen of Texas Technological University, will deliver the annual report of the third annual session. President Paul W. Horn has issued a special invitation to the patrons of the college and the public generally to hear the Governor's address which will be Sunday afternoon September 18, at 3:30 o'clock in the gymnasium.

President S. P. Brooks of Baylor University, will deliver the annual sermon address to the student body Sunday evening, September 25, at 8:00 o'clock in the gymnasium. The public is also cordially invited to hear Dr. Brooks. Other speakers of the opening week will be announced later.

Much emphasis is to be given this year to the freshman orientation period September 16th-19th, during which time all first year students are urged to be present. They will be assisted in finding boarding places, in mapping out their course of studies, and in getting acquainted generally with the institution and its activities. Entrance examinations for students who do not have sufficient accredited units to enter will be held at the college September 15th-17th.

President and Mrs. Horn will tender a reception to faculty members and their wives at the President's home on the opening of September 16th. They will give a general reception to all students at the Administration building, September, 24th. On Friday night, September 23rd, the churches of Lubbock will hold open house for students of their respective denominations. Everything possible will be done to welcome both old and new students back to Lubbock and to the college.

Actual registration of freshmen will take place September 19th and 20th, and advanced students will register on the 20th and 21st. Regular class work for the fall terms begins September 22nd at 8:00 a. m.

A blockhead is a man who is unable to fit his opinions to your channel.

Floydada.—Two new bricks to serve as business houses will be completed here within the next 30 days. Fifteen new homes, representing an expenditure of more than \$40,000 have either been completed or are nearing that stage, since January 1. These bring the total building permits this year to approximately \$85,000.

## VALUATION OF LAMB COUNTY IS \$7,357,580

The total valuation of all taxable property in Lamb county for this year is \$7,357,580.00, according to the report of Tax Assessor R. L. Gattis, submitted to the County Commissioners in session at Olton last Monday.

The report shows an increase of \$140,000 over the assessed valuation of last year, and when presented to the Court was immediately accepted and the Assessor highly complimented by the officers for the neatness of the record sheets and the excellent manner in which the report had been prepared.

In commenting upon the report, Mr. Gattis stated that the increased valuation was largely from personal property. He said that range stock had practically disappeared from this county, but in its stead there had been a large importation of dairy stock and hogs, and there was a considerable increased showing of other development, also of the population. Poll taxes assessed this year were 3,629, which is an increase of about 800 over that of last year.

## TREMAIN-FAULKNER

Wednesday evening, September 7, Cupid stole a march on the citizens of Littlefield. Carl Tremain quietly stole away with him, and with Mrs. Annie Faulkner they motored to Plainview, where Rev. J. W. Saffle, a Baptist Divine, pronounced the words that linked these two lives for better or for worse for life.

Carl Tremain is so well and favorably known in this part of the state that comment is unnecessary. He being one of the first settlers in Littlefield, is a successful farmer, and one of our leading business men, honorable and honest, and an all-around good citizen.

Mrs. Annie Faulkner is of one of the oldest and best families in Whitney, her old home, there she numbers her friends by her acquaintances. While here she has met, being both charming and accomplished. We join with people in this part of the state as well as Hill county, in wishing them both happiness and success. May there be only enough thorns and thistles to make them enjoy the higher and nobler things of this life. They will be at home to their many friends three miles east of this city on Oklahoma Avenue, where Carl has a nice farm home to take his charming better half. —Contributed.

There are lots of big boys and small men in the world.

## PLATEAU SINGING CONVENTION HERE SUNDAY, SEPT., 18

The Lamb county division of the Plateau singing convention will be held in Littlefield next Sunday, at which time between four and five thousand singers and song-lovers will be here to participate in the musical festivities of the occasion.

Skilled song leaders and musical aggregations, including full chorus choirs, quartets, also soloists will be here with special numbers for the enjoyment and edification of their fellow songsters.

The meeting will last throughout the day, and everyone attending is requested to bring a basket well filled with food, enough to accommodate themselves and some of their attending friends, for the big basket dinner that is to be spread under the nearby shade at the noon hour.

About three years ago Littlefield had the honor of entertaining this, the largest organization of its kind in the world. It was the annual meeting, and at that time it was estimated there were fully 10,000 people here for the two days meet. Since then the organization has grown rapidly, until today there are more than 20,000 members. At this county meeting next Sunday, it is estimated that one-fourth this number will be present, coming not only from Lamb county, but from many other adjoining counties, and from across the line of New Mexico.

## NOTICE YOUR RED TAG!

The city Fire Department this week mailed out to every telephone holder a little red tag which they ask to be hung on the telephone receiver for necessity usage.

The tag reads:  
NO. 132 FIRE STATION  
Please do not call this number except to report a fire!  
No. 142 is the regular phone number to be used in ordinary communication with the city hall, and No. 132 should be used only in case of fire, when it will be promptly answered by the member then on duty.

## OPEN REAL ESTATE OFFICE

J. W. Horn and L. E. Key are moving fixtures into the building formerly occupied by the Singer Sewing Machine Co., and are making preparation to open a real estate office there within the next few days.

There were 2,935,959 sheep and 1,794,101 goats assessed for taxes in Texas in 1926.

## For the Love o' Jack



Estelle Taylor Dempsey of the former champ, says to do this—but really health-ful being with his Chicago training where he came ready for Sept. 22, Mrs. D. felt the urge and washed out a





## PINEAPPLE IN THE SUMMER MENU

**MENUS** properly planned change with the season. Winter menus should fit one to resist the cold; summer menus enable one to be comfortable even though the temperature hovers around the nineties. Heavy puddings and most meats belong exclusively to the winter diet; whole grains, various kinds of cheese, vegetables and fruits are desirable during the whole year, but particularly in summer.

Pineapple is one of the most adaptable foods to the summer menu, as it may be served with meats, vegetables, and as an appetizer, a salad, a dessert or a drink. Canned Hawaiian pineapple proves a never-failing resource to the housewife who conscientiously endeavors to select the best food for her family. Consider in how many ways this luscious fruit can be used, as the following recipes will show.

**Ice Cream Parfait:** One pint or more of vanilla or fruit ice cream. Combine lightly with one cup of diced Hawaiian pineapple, add a cup of strawberries or raspberries. Garnish with whipped cream and serve at once.

**Pineapple Syrup:** Place a layer of crushed pineapple in a shallow dish. Make jelly with the drained-off juice, using the proportion of gelatine required by your favorite brand. Pour half of this over the fruit. When the remainder is beginning to stiffen, whip with an egg beater until it is a stiff, snowy froth. Pour into the mold on top of the other gelatine; chill, and serve with cream.

**Sally Lunn Pie:** Make any sort of plain, delicate cake batter—Cottage pudding will do—put into pie pans, and into the top of each press lightly a cube of Hawaiian canned pineapple. Bake in a moderate oven and serve with sauce made of the syrup from the pineapple.

**Fruit Custard:** Put one cup of milk in a double boiler. Add, stirring, yolks of two beaten eggs with one-third cup of sugar and a level teaspoon flour, and a pinch of salt. Stir until thickened, remove from the fire, flavor and fold in the stiffly beaten whites of the two eggs. Cool, and pour into shallow glass pudding dish, and decorate the top with rings of pineapple. Serve cold.

**Creole Compote:** Lay slices of pineapple in a shallow, buttered glass baking dish. Fill holes with sugar. Place on each a halved peach, rounded side up, with a few cooked prunes in between. Sprinkle all with sugar, then pour over it the syrup drained from the fruits and bake half an hour. During the baking, sprinkle with almond. Serve with cream.

**Pineapple Sundae Sauce:** Mix one cup each of crushed Hawaiian pineapple, sugar and water. Boil fifteen minutes, chill and serve on vanilla ice cream.

Salads are a frequent item on summer menus, and pineapple can be depended upon to transform the plainest salad into one that may be used on any formal or company occasion. Add a ring of pineapple, for instance, to a plate of lettuce and sliced tomato, putting the tomato slices in a design of three or four on a bed of lettuce, and the ring of pineapple in the center, the hole in the ring filled with mayonnaise, and a walnut set on top. Immediately the salad has become more substantial, more attractive, more formal. The following additional salad recipes will prove valuable to the housewife.

**Luncheon Salad:** Add one-quarter cup cold water to two tablespoons gelatine. When the gelatine has softened, add one and a half cups boiling water and stir until dissolved. Add one-quarter cup sugar and cool. Add one cup

crushed Hawaiian pineapple, three-quarters cup diced celery and one-half cup of walnut meats broken into pieces. Pour into mold and set in a cold place until firm. Serve on lettuce with mayonnaise.

**Pineapple and Cucumber Salad:** Thoroughly drain one cup of crushed pineapple. Mix with one cup finely diced cucumber, and add mayonnaise to moisten well. Arrange on lettuce and garnish with strips of red pimiento.

Cookies and small cakes are always in demand with ice cream or with fruit drinks at afternoon teas, or at a simple luncheon or supper. The following is one of the daintiest of these confections.

**Pineapple Cookies:** Beat one egg, add slowly one-third cup sugar, one-fourth cup of chopped walnuts, one-half cup thoroughly drained crushed pineapple, and one-half cup flour that has been mixed and sifted with one-quarter teaspoon salt, and two teaspoons baking-powder. Drop by spoonfuls on an inverted greased pan and bake in a moderate oven twenty to thirty minutes.

**Small Pineapple Cakes:** Cream one-half cup of shortening and one cup sugar until light, and add two well beaten egg yolks. Mix and sift two cups flour, one-fourth teaspoon salt, and four level teaspoons baking-powder. Add this mixture alternately with three-fourths cup syrup, drained from canned pineapple. Fold in two stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in cup cake tins or in deep muffin pans in a moderate oven. Put pineapple icing on top of each.

**Pineapple Icing:** Beat two egg whites to a stiff froth. Add two cups sifted powdered sugar and three-fourths cup well-drained crushed Hawaiian pineapple. Beat well and add additional powdered sugar until the mixture holds its shape.

### PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. C. A. Dugger Tuesday afternoon at her home.

A short business session was held and two committees were appointed. A relief committee, Mrs. C. A. Dugger, Mrs. Jess Mitchell, Mrs. Frances Tolbert to look after sick ones or cases of those in need of help. Also, a committee composed of Mrs. J. S. Hilliard, Mrs. Robert Steen, and Mrs. W. O. Stockton to prepare an appropriate program for the presentation of a beautiful silk American flag which Mrs. A. P. Dugger is giving the church.

After the roll call the following program was given:

Prayer by Chaplain Mrs. C. A. Dugger.

Song.

Devotional led by Mrs. W. G. Street.

Reading, "The Lord's Job," by Mrs. C. C. Clements.

Talk, "When modesty is a sin," Solo, by Freda Charles Bills.

Mrs. Dugger.

The lesson, third chapter of the study book, was given by Mrs. W. G. Street, assisted by Mrs. T. T. Garrett on "Health Work at home and in foreign countries," and by Mrs. H. W. Wiseman on "Community Service of the Presbyterian church," followed by questions and answers.

There were 22 members present and three guests, Mrs. F. G. Sadler, Mrs. Arbie Joplin, and Miss Nellie Dugger. Mrs. Joplin was made a member.

At the close of the program the social hour followed and the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. C. Chesler, and Miss Nellie Dugger served dainty refreshments.

The society will meet next week with Mrs. J. S. Hilliard with Mrs. Jess Mitchell as leader, and the roll call will begin with the letter "U."

Subscribe for the Wildcat.

### METHODIST MISSIONARY

The Ladies Missionary Society of the Methodist church met Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. L. Cogdill.

Opening song, "Stand up for Jesus" Mrs. J. R. Cook sold several dress patterns for the benefit of the Corsair Mission.

Mrs. T. Wade Potter, accompanied by Mrs. R. S. Thomas, sang "Smilin' Thru" and "Pass by Your Window."

Mrs. B. L. Cogdill led an interesting lesson from the 10 and 11th chapters of the "Life and Letters of Paul"

A social hour followed and the hostess served melons and cantaloupe to the following: Mesdames J. R. Wiles, E. G. Courtney, Reed, Van Clark, Ed. Sharp, J. R. Cook, R. S. Thomas, T. Wade Potter, and A. G. Hemphill.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. A. G. Hemphill, and the lesson will be from the 12 and 13 chapters of the study book.

### W. M. U. MEETING

The Baptist Missionary Union met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. E. S. Rowe as hostess, Vice President, Mrs. Wm. Lowmire, presiding.

The devotional was conducted by Mrs. Lena Howard, assisted by Mrs. L. W. Jordan and Mrs. W. O. Gray. The subject discussed was Isaiah's Prophecies and their historic fulfillment.

At the close of the devotional Pat Boone, Mission chairman, had an interesting discussion on the work of the W. M. U.

The meeting closed with a pleasant social hour, where dainty refreshments of nut ice cream and were enjoyed by all present.

The following members were to roll call: Mesdames Barnes, Boone, Brannen, Crckett, Crow, Hammons, Howard, Jordan, L. more, Ochner, Stokes, Vaughn, and hostess.

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## MAYNARD V. COBB

### Chiropractor

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### BUILD AND LET BUILD

As far back as history goes, there have been persons who have stood in the way of progress, some for reasons mercenary, others because of a real lack of vision or natural narrow tendencies.

It is a matter of record that the builders of the ancient cities and public monuments, some of them still existing, were met by hundreds of obstacles placed in their way by visionless men, who did not have the future interests of their communities and the world at heart.

This same condition may be applied to our own community today. We see opposition to things which

would expedite business or cause an economic improvement or would in humanity's sake afford protection against sickness or the killing of hundreds of motorists or pedestrians. Here there should be no room for the obstructionist. Littlefield is building pages of history and there should be nothing at this time to hamper its progress.

The truly great man of all time builder, the one who produces or who helps to produce. The parasite, who does nothing for himself or fellowman is a cheat and the one who interferes with progress is little better. "Build and let build" should be our motto, and the future will comfortably ar-

range itself. There are many things to be considered in the building up of a community. Ten men can do more things than one and when these 10 men are arranged in team formation, their work can not only count much more than 10 times, but, in fact, 20 times as much.

### HEAVY RAIN WEDNESDAY

There was a heavy rain in Littlefield and surrounding vicinity, Wednesday night, with indications of further heavy downpour as this newspaper goes to press.

Your home paper, \$1.50 a year.

## Just TWO More DAYS

### Of Our Final Clean-up Sale

People of Littlefield have shown their appreciation of this sale of great savings in Cotton and other materials, that are advancing in price all over the world's markets, and now with only two more days of this opportunity of savings.

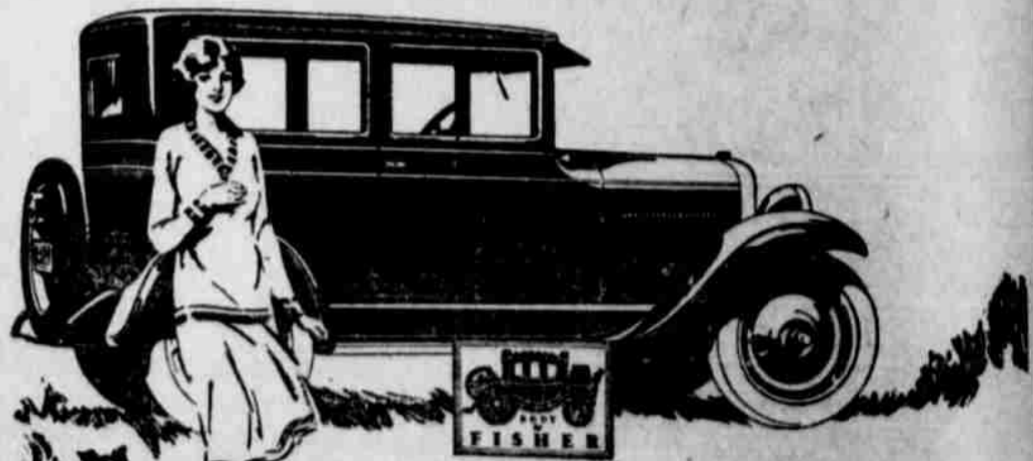
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Miles of Smiles

### First Bales of Cotton And Broom Corn On Market This Week

R. O. Turner, living 11 miles south of Littlefield, in the Whitharral section, Wednesday brought to the Littlefield market the first bale of cotton of the 1927 crop. It weighed 525 pounds, and was purchased by Walter Burison, at 23.60, being auctioned off by J. W. Horn. Business men are also planning a premium.

Abe Barber, living eight miles southwest of Littlefield, last Monday brought in the first bale of broom corn of the season, which is on display in the Enochs land office. It is fine looking brush, and but for a few "crooks" in the bale, would grade No. 1 hurl. Barber states that he will get seven tons of brush from 20 acres this year which, according to present prices, will net him around \$40 per acre.

T. L. Bruce, who is seeding and baling this week, says there will be around 225 tons of broom corn produced in the Littlefield trade territory this year. The price is now ranging from \$150 to \$225 per ton.

This is the second year broom corn has been raised in this section and it is proving a very profitable crop.

Mr. Barber was given a premium of \$40.00 on his first bale.

#### PERFUMED FERTILIZER FOUND FOR FASTIDIOUS

Washington, D. C., Sept. 12. A perfumed fertilizer has been found for a meticulous farmer. It is made from by-products of manufactured cocoa and chocolate and has the aroma of both elements.

Ordinarily the potency of fertilizer is judged by the desire it creates for a gas mask, but the Bureau of Soils has discovered the sweetly odiferous content to possess a suitable plant food.

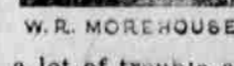
How a girl hates to have all her girl friends admire the man she admires!

In the real drama of life the leading ladies are cooks.

### BEWARE OF THE DEADLY DOTTED LINE

By W. R. MOREHOUSE  
Public Relations Commission, American Bankers Association

WITHDRAWING the family's savings account at the bank where it is safe, and losing it through speculation is a serious matter. It may bring great hardship, especially to the mistress of the home. It may force great economies in household management or amount to actual privation. It may mean that the children will have to go to work before they complete their education. The loss of the family's accumulations may even result in physical breakdown on the part of the wife through worry over the loss of savings which she helped to accumulate at the sacrifice of home comforts, but was not consulted when it came to investing them. The making of investments by men who are heads of families and inexperienced in finance should not be undertaken without consulting her. But even if both agree the venture should be talked over with the local banker or information about it obtained from the National Better Business Bureau in New York, which serves without cost and purely in the public interest. If this is done a lot of trouble and quite likely many regrets and heartaches will be avoided.



W. R. MOREHOUSE

There is one point in the activities of the inexperienced investor where he should have above all a red-light stop signal to cause him to pause and investigate and that is just before he reaches the decision to "sign on the dotted line." Before you part with your savings in the bank by signing a contract placed before you by sharp promoters, stop, examine and investigate! It will pay to read the contract several times, even reading it aloud, all the while weighing every term. It will pay to be on guard against the deadly fine print usually incorporated in most contracts,—so small that it strains your eyes and causes you to skim over it superficially. Do not sign blindfolded. It will pay well to take plenty of time to study the



Do not sign on the dotted line while blindfolded.

contract by yourself where all is quiet and you are free from the personal influence of the persuasive promoter, for to sign without the calmest consideration may spell your Waterloo financially.

Unless dealing with a responsible firm or individual, never sign on the dotted line. If in the least doubt, don't sign. Never sign on verbal assurances that you are fully protected. Terms stated orally but not incorporated in a contract are not binding. Glowing promises, wild exaggerations and gross misstatements of facts are seldom reduced to writing or made in the presence of your witnesses. Your failure to read and to understand a contract before signing is not a legal excuse. When you sign a contract you proclaim that you agree with its terms and will abide by and endeavor to carry them out!

Don't sign just because some high-pressure salesman tells you that you are a wonder, or that you show good judgment, or that you have a lot of sense. Sign only when you are fully convinced that your interests are fully protected.

Prominent Men Used as Scenery  
A number of slick promoters recently organized in a certain city an "automobile club" with the assurance

#### THE FARMER'S BEST WAY OUT

Dean Russell of Wisconsin College of Agriculture says: "Two things have hit the farmer hard but the same things have hit business. They are increase in cost of production and decline in prices which latter has been more drastic in farm products than manufactured products. The farmer's political friends say salvation can be found through legislation. Our legislative doctors propose price control. The difficulty with this is price control always means price elevation which always produces expansion in production and if this occurs without expansion in consumption you have inevitable decline in prices. The remedy works to produce the very opposite result from that intended.

"Another legislative panacea would make it easier to borrow, as if running into debt was the solution of the difficulty. There are farmers who wish it had not been quite so easy to borrow because the inevitable day comes when they have to pay principal and interest. The third legislative remedy would make easier the pathway for cooperative endeavor. All you have to do is to wave the magic wand 'Cooperation' and all the farmer's difficulties will immediately disappear. I wonder if there is any government that can make people cooperate. The success of cooperative effort will lie in organization from the bottom up rather than from the top down and it will take a decade or two for the results to be felt.

"The farmers have at hand a remedy that can be utilized immediately with the definite knowledge that it will secure far better results. If they will take a leaf out of present day business methods they will have relief in agriculture they will have to wait for. Business has suffered

the same as the farmer, yet business came through in a way that is far ahead of the farmer. This has been brought about through industrial efficiency, through improvement of methods. They have increased labor output per unit to the degree the costs of production have actually been reduced by better methods of carrying on work. Industrial enterprises on a large scale are spending millions on research. In ten years automobile output per worker has increased 172 per cent, tires 211 per cent, oil 83 per cent, cement 61 per cent.

"Compare that with others. The packers have increased only 27 per cent, sugar refining 23 per cent, boots and shoes only 6 per cent. There has been an increase in agriculture since 1913 of 20 per cent. It is doubtful that business has any such opportunity as exists in agriculture to reduce cost of production through improved methods. Take corn,—Iowa shows a variation in cost of production from fifteen cents to seventy-five cents a bushel. In Illinois the cost of producing corn on 80 acre fields was reduced from fifty-two cents to twenty cents a bushel. The manufacturer who had it within his power to reduce production costs from fifty-two to thirty cents per unit would be tickled to death with the opportunity of meeting competition under these conditions.

"The way out for the farmer is (1) to become a business man, (2) to adopt business methods, (3) to adapt himself to the same kind of conditions and be as efficiently mobile as is our manufacturer or our business man in the ordinary channels of his trade, (4) to rely less upon political promises and more upon individual initiative, (5) to work toward cooperative endeavor, but in the mean time not to wait for cooperative endeavor to solve all of these problems because individually he can do something at the present time."

?? WHO IS IT BUYS ??

Some small town merchants have the idea that people in the country towns do not read advertising. Wrong again.

People in Littlefield do read advertisements, and trade with those who advertise their wares.

Perhaps Littlefield people do not trade with Littlefield merchants as much as they should because Littlefield people do not advertise their goods as frequently and as attractively as they should.

Littlefield people are going to buy merchandise—if not in Littlefield, then somewhere else. Think it over, Mr. Merchant!

Littlefield people read advertisements carefully, especially those in the—  
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## A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

The laborer is worthy of his reward. 1 Timothy 3:3.

Bodily labor alleviates the pains of the mind; and hence arises the happiness of the poor.—LaRochefoucauld.

## WHO BUYS BY MAIL

Students in an Ohio college have been making a survey of mail order buying that is sure to be of interest to Littlefield people, and that ought to serve in showing the entire country at large the growing trend to this form of merchandising.

The survey is made in a group of small towns, averaging from 1,000 to 5,000 population. It was found that the families in them buy seven per cent of their household furnishings, clothing and food from the mail order concerns. Of the families questioned, 44.6 per cent of them are in the income tax class, and women's suits and dresses and men's shoes and hardware form the largest part of the total amount spent each year away from home.

Asked how they learned of the goods and prices, 80 per cent of them testified that their knowledge was secured through mail-order catalogues. Twenty per cent purchased through mail order store advertising in newspapers from their nearest large cities.

Seven per cent of the trade from the smaller towns to mail order concerns doesn't seem large, but it must be remembered that no rural residents were included in the survey. The percentage of mail order buyers is far greater in rural districts. Whether that is largely due to the home merchant's failure to advertise for the business in his immediate territory as he should, we can only guess. At any rate the survey, though far from complete, serves to show that loyalty to home institutions and home interests is by no means as great as it could be, nor as general as it must be if we are to prosper as we can only prosper when we spread our money where we make it.

If all the arguments in the world were placed end to end they would not reach a conclusion.

## FARM ORGANIZATION

In this day when organization in every direction seems to be the successful mode of the day, farmers, dairymen and other producers should take the cue and benefit by similar organization.

It is a known fact that one man can not monopolize all the ideas. In a multitude of counsel there is bound to come out greater wisdom. In union there is strength, and that applies to the united efforts of the countrymen the same as the townsmen. Generally speaking, farmers have been a hard bunch to get to co-operate. In this respect they have largely been their own greatest enemies—and they are now paying dearly for it—every year.

Today union labor as an organization is strong enough to demand and receive many of its requests; yet one branch of labor would be practically powerless. One farmer, dairyman or produce grower can not cope with present conditions, but when many of them are organized into a strong, co-operative body, working under a system planned by minds in thorough touch with present conditions, they can then demand and obtain fair and reasonable prices for their commodities and not be left at the mercy of every wind of disturbance that comes along.

Many a man has broken down trying to do today's work and tomorrow's worrying at the same time.

## COURTING HAS CHANGED

Nothing, not even the weather, furnishes the average Littlefield resident a more interesting topic of conversation than the subject of how times and customs have changed. And yet no one seems to have pointed out the vast change that has come in "courting" since the days of our daddies.

They can remember when men did all the hunting and girls were supposed to keep the fact that they were in love a deep secret. Many of the lost prospective husbands, too, because it wasn't the custom for a girl to let a young man know she cared for him or loved him. Far different today, isn't it, with the modern girl not afraid to use her eyes and her smiles to tell what is in her heart? Yet who can say that the change in courting customs hasn't been for the better all around?

There is one point on which we can all agree, whatever we may think of the old time courting as compared with present day courting, and that is that in this day age the girl who becomes an old maid does so largely from a matter of her own choice. If she fails to land a man nowadays it's her own fault.

The truth of today may be the error of tomorrow.

## TOO MUCH RADICALISM

We can't help wondering why it is that here in this country where the people rule, where labor is as a general thing well paid and contented, and where living standards are higher than anywhere else in the world there are teachers of anarchy and radicalism.

We can understand why there should be radicals in some European countries, where the people are not allowed a voice in law-making or the election of those who enforce the laws. But why should there be anyone in this country stirring up and preaching against our form of government and seeking to stir up the same kind of class hatred that causes thousands to leave the old world and come to America?

We wish every school teacher around Littlefield would study this matter. If they do, we believe they will see the wisdom of starting in at once to teach their pupils more about our constitution and the operation of our government. In that way, it seems to us, radicalism and anarchy can be dealt the death-blow that must be dealt sooner or later, and the sooner the better.

A chicken never stops scratching because the worms are scarce.

## JUDGE GARY'S ADVICE

In his will, probated a few weeks ago, Judge Gary, founder and head of the U. S. Steel Corporation, left his wife not only a large fortune but some good advice along with it. He cautioned her against going on anyone's note, or signing her name to any security, which would be good advice for anyone to heed. But the best warning was for not to anticipate future income. In other words, Judge Gary was only advising his wife not to live beyond her means, and not to spend money on the strength of getting it later on.

That is advice every family in Littlefield can profit by. Nothing is more dangerous than to live today on what you expect to earn tomorrow, and yet thousands of families do that very thing.

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# Dr. Frank Crane Says

## RIGHT INHERITANCE EASY TO GIVE

Most moral men and women live for their children.

Beyond getting what satisfaction they can out of their own lives, they want to see their children get satisfaction out of theirs, they want to see they have a better chance and more advantages than they themselves had.

Just how to accomplish this requires much thought and calls for all our intelligent planning.

It is pretty well established that leaving children a lot of money does them no good. More wrecks have been caused, more lives ruined and more characters undermined by having things made too easy for children, by giving them too many unearned advantages than by anything else.

It may be safely concluded that if any man has a grudge against his children and wants them to be failures the surest way is to leave them a lot of money.

Thinking people know that other things, such as character and the like, count more than money.

Just how to leave our dear ones what they require is rather difficult. In the first place, we ought to do what we can to bequeath to them an orderly and law-abiding society, a state in which the laws are respected and obeyed. People, therefore, that countenance bootlegging and other illicit acts which happen to be popular, are working for a state of society which will be inimicable to the coming generation.

The second thing is character. It is our duty to our children to give them a good biological inheritance. This we can do by living clean lives ourselves and, in the final analysis, most of the good we do other people depends on how well we take care of ourselves.

If the children are healthy and strong and normal physically the next thing they need is moral character. Unfortunately this is a more difficult thing to come at. Out of many a family with the highest ideals and the most blameless practices can come a descendant who is absolutely lacking in moral stamina. About all we can do is to give as good example as possible and good teaching. The result then is in the lap of the gods. We can't help it and we are not to blame if the young scion turns out crooked. It is lamentable, but it is inevitable.

Another thing we can leave with our children is friendship and association with the right kind of people. This we can only do by associating with the right kind of people ourselves.

The best that can be done, in a nut shell, is to know our children, be companions with them, and influence them by our own character as much as possible.

vice probably would not be given much attention, but now that Judge Gary has seen fit to warn his wife along the same line maybe a lot of people who need to heed it will do so.

Love and sausage are both full of mystery.

Looks now like "prosperity is just around the corner." If so, we will all soon have a chance to make fools of ourselves.

Even missionaries from Africa insist that the jungle beauties wear more clothes than some of the Littlefield hoppers wear.

A Littlefield citizen remarked this week that a doctor was perfectly justified in misrepresenting a patient's condition. We're not figuring on getting sick very soon, but if we do, we don't care how much the doctor lies to us just so he KNOWS the truth. Selah!

Littlefield gins are now all being overhauled and made ready for the big cotton crop raised in this section, and which will soon be coming onto the market. Then, too, there is the big compress, now building, that will squeeze down the big bales right at home making them ready for export shipments.

Maize and kaffir corn heading will soon be in order around Littlefield, and there is a whale of a crop for harvest. Farmers are now whetting their knives and sharpening the cutters on their sleds, getting the binders in order, while threshers are overhauling their machines, making ready for the big task.

Getting rid of the things that mar the beauty and progress of any town is a matter that should engage the attention of all citizens. There is plenty of room for change and improvement in Littlefield, some of which the Chamber of Commerce will probably get after as soon as the re-organization is affected.

Judging from the big bales of cotton sacking and ready made sacks now arriving in Littlefield, it is but a matter of a few days now until the fleecy staple will begin rolling into town for market. And the big thing that makes South Plains farmers smile when they buy their cotton sacks is the good price they are going to receive for their staple.

Ernest Williams is getting to be quite a golf fiend, according to Max. Recently he is reported to have declared that if Columbus had come on over here to the South Plains when he discovered America, one of the first things he would have told old King Ferdinand upon his return was that "Duggan's pasture was an ideal place for a nine hole golf course."

to drive a mule along the alimentary canal.

A Littlefield woman stopped in at one of the local "M" System stores last week and asked for a jar of that "Traffic Jam" she had been hearing so much about.

"You've got no kick coming," said a bootlegger slyly last week, as he sold a flask of cold ton to a Littlefield citizen. The l. c. afterward discovered he was telling the truth.

## This Week's Poem

### TILLIE'S TRIUMPH

When to a meeting of her club  
One night went Mrs. Wildron,  
Her neighbor's maid, Mathilda, came  
To supervise the children.

On her return the mother asked,  
"How were the youngsters, Tillie?"  
"Did Helen go to bed at eight?"  
"Did Harold read to Willie?"

"Aye gif dem schildren all deir bath,  
To bed Aye put dem early;  
Dey all vas guide but dat beeg boy,  
De von whose head iss curly."

"He fight and kick to beat the band  
When Aye start in to strip him,  
Yut bet Aye vash him plenty guide,  
He find out Aye can whip him."

"Aye tank he know 'Aye bane stout  
girl.  
'Aye tal yu he look silly—"  
"The big one, with the curly hair?"  
"Why, that's my husband, Tillie!"  
—George H. Free, in Dalhart Texan.

### SWEET AD-A-LINE

Three things that I  
Could do without—  
Are spinach, kale  
And sauerkraut.  
—Sam Hill.

I'd surely think  
It was no loss,  
If they'd not give  
Me applause.  
—Adam Breede.

And I believe  
That I could bear it  
If I should never  
See a carrot.  
—Judd Mortimer Lewis.

Gladly could I  
Endure all these  
If someone'd eat  
My cottage cheese.  
—Donne Keichel.

I hate, I hate,  
O, how I hate, O  
How I hate  
The red tomato.  
—Elmo Scott Watson.

The red tomato  
I think is fine,  
But no boiled cabbage  
When I dine.  
—F. H. Pinkham.

Eating okra,  
'Tis quite a trick.  
Ere I can bite,  
It slides so slick.  
—Jess Mitchell.

### WHAT A CHANGE!

When she was young  
She got lots of kisses,  
But now she gets none,  
For she is Mrs.

### JAILING THE MACHINE

A justice of the peace in Berkeley, California, has hit upon the idea of jailing the machine for automobile traffic violations. This would seem like quite a clever way of handling people who violate the automobile laws.

The average driver is not much troubled by a small fine, and public sentiment has not probably arrived at the point where it would have the majority of these violators sent to jail. But if the machine was locked up somewhere so that the owner and his family had to walk such treatment would have a very powerful deterrent effect. Such a plan might have quite beneficial results on the speeders.

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## Who's Who TODAY

"The teeth in some laws are not the only ivory part"



Gov. AL SMITH

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FOUND: Ford casing on rim, owner may have same by identifying and paying for this ad. Leader office.

**FOR SALE**  
FOR SALE: pigs. Brood sow to let out on shares. John W. Blalock 19-tfc

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**FOR SALE or trade for dry sows:** 45 head registered and subject to register Duroc-Jersey sows, farrow 3 weeks. Also, 35 head bred Duroc gilts like quality, and 6 Duroc males. 22-4tc —P. W. WALKER

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**Tea-Time Sandwiches**  
Cut white or graham bread thin and spread with a filling made of one cup of chopped cooked prunes and one-half cup of chopped nut meats mixed with one cake of cream cheese. Roll and tie with ribbon.  
**Open Star Sandwiches**  
Cut bread with star shaped cutter and spread thickly with softened cream cheese and garnish with quartered steamed prunes, radiating from a dot of jelly placed in the center. These open sandwiches are tasty and attractive served with afternoon tea.

**Toasted Rolled Sandwiches**  
Cut bread in thin slices and spread with pimento cheese. Roll and hold in place with toothpick. Place in oven and toast lightly. When ready to serve remove toothpick, as the sandwiches will remain rolled after toasting.

**Graham Watercress Sandwich**  
Butter thin slices of graham or whole-wheat bread, first preparing the butter by creaming it until very soft, then adding a half teaspoonful of lemon juice and a tablespoonful of finely chopped watercress to each cupful of butter. Put the slices together in sandwich form, then cut with a small fancy cutter.

**Savory Sandwich**  
Put one-half pound of boiled ham, two peppers and three hard boiled eggs through the food chopper, moisten with mayonnaise until thin enough to spread. This filling is delicious on either white or graham bread.

**Piccadilly Sandwiches**  
Slice white bread in quarter-inch slices and spread with softened butter. Chop very fine enough cold chicken to make one cupful and add to it one cupful of finely chopped cold boiled ham, six olives chopped, three tablespoonsful of stiff mayonnaise, and a teaspoonful of lemon juice. Mix lightly, spread between the bread slices, trim and serve garnished with watercress or tiny sweet gherkins.

**Tuna Salad Sandwiches**  
Mix one cupful of tuna with one-half cupful of diced celery, and moisten with one-quarter cupful of mayonnaise. Place lettuce leaf on buttered slices of bread and spread with tuna and celery mixture.

**Brown Bread Walnut Sandwiches**  
Use Boston brown bread cut as thin as possible and buttered thickly. Sprinkle with English walnuts chopped not too fine and a very little salt. Put together in pairs, press lightly, and cut in triangles or in half circles if the bread has been made in a round mold.

**Bacon and Prune Canapes**  
Cut rounds of bread, spread with butter. Steam prunes, stone them and wrap each prune with a very thin slice of bacon. Place on bread and set in hot oven until bread browns and bacon crisps.

**Peek-a-Boo Sandwiches**  
Cut white bread in fancy shapes and with a thimble cut holes in the top layer. Spread the bottom layer of bread with butter and jam or jelly. Place cutout layer on top allowing the jelly to show through.

has been given out: Col. R. L. Penick, pioneer poultry advocate of the West, and Father of Stamford, is chairman of the committee. Other members are: Col. R. Q. Lee of Cisco, Gaylord Stone, Fort Worth, J. A. Kemp, Wichita Falls, Wilson D. Jordan, Brady, W. P. Hallmark, Dublin, Herbert Jones, Post, and R. C. Nicholl Tulsa.

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Once a lion was telling a leopard why he roared in the jungles. "Doing business openly and with plenty of advertising is the only way I got my reputation," he said. I earned the name of king of beasts by blowing my horn."  
"Always let the other fellow know you are around and they will respect and never bother you."  
A rabbit hiding nearby heard the advice and decided to try it. So he filled his lungs with a great breath and started out to terrorize the other animals by roaring like a lion. A wolf, learning of the rabbit's whereabouts by his roar, hopped on to the rabbit and ate him up.  
If you haven't got the goods there is no need of advertising. And if you don't advertise, it is a

pretty good sign you haven't the goods.

**GAS TAX YIELD**  
Gasoline taxes in this country yielded a net revenue of \$187,603,231 in 1926, according to data collected from the various States by the Bureau of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture. A tax was imposed in all but four States at rates ranging from 1 to 5 cents per gallon, the average rate being 2.38 cents.

Tax collections indicate that nearly eight billion gallons were consumed in the States imposing the tax and it is estimated that nearly two billion gallons were used in the four States in which no tax was imposed. The revenue from the tax was allocated as follows: \$129,441,520 for State highways, \$43,609,479 for county and local roads, \$5,238,869 for payments on road bonds and \$9,313,363 for miscellaneous purposes.

Borger—Hutchinson county's mammoth road building election authorizing issuance of \$1,250,000 in bonds has passed.

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**WHAT IS DOING IN WEST TEXAS**

By West Texas Chamber of Commerce

**Snyder.**—More than 3,000 acres of peanuts will be harvested in Scurry County this year, and a good harvest is indicated. This diversified product comes as a result of a campaign put on by the Scurry County Chamber of Commerce, which is a comparatively new but extremely active organization in civic life of this section.

**Electra.**—Calcium arsenate to the amount of 1,700 pounds has been distributed among farmers of Electra's trade area during the past week in a campaign to control the cotton leaf worm. The infestation has been spotted, and no serious damage, but preventative efforts are being made to insure a large return from this year's crop. The poison is being distributed at cost by the local chamber of commerce.

**Coleman.**—Every commissioner's precinct in Coleman County is now in possession of road building machinery which will be used to maintain highways as result of a deal recently made by the commissioner's court. County roads are expected to be kept in first class condition at small expense with the addition of this new equipment.

**Palo Pinto.**—Palo Pinto county has made an appropriation of \$3,600 to which the Federal Government and State have added \$1,800 and three trappers will work after wolves in this section for twelve months. Movement is underway in many other counties also to rid the state of predatory animals.

**Ranger.**—State and out-of-state visitors will be well entertained here October 21 and 22 when Ranger is host at a Homecoming Oil Jubilee, celebrating the tenth anniversary of the discovery of oil in Eastland County. Many diversion and entertainment features are planned, in addition to informational and educational numbers.

**Wichita Falls.**—President J. A. Kemp of the Texas Conservation Association and President R. W. Haynie of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have given their approval to the names submitted for the committee of 25 Texas people who are to study Texas water rights as provided in the Abilene mass meeting. As soon as the appointees are heard from announcement of the committee personnel will be made.

**Stamford.**—Personnel of the new Poultry and Dairy Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce

**DO YOU EVER STOP TO THINK?**

By Edson R. Waite, Secretary, Shawnee, Okla., Board of Commerce.

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Americans are drinking more milk. That is the word from the Department of Agriculture which places the annual per capita consumption of milk at 55.3 gallons in 1926; 54.75 gallons in 1925; and 43 gallons in 1920. Farmers are drinking more milk than city people, the Department report also shows. The average daily per capita consumption of milk and cream by farmers in 1926 was 1.47 pints, as against slightly less than one pint for city folks. The total consumption of milk and cream in the United States in 1926 was nearly 56-1-2 billions pounds, the report shows.

Hundreds of big Texas ranches have been broken up into farms in recent years but Texas still has many ranches of more than 100,000 acres.

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### INCREASE OF RATS IS FORECAST; HEAVY GRAIN CROPS SAID TO BE MAIN REASON; THERE ARE MANY WAYS TO EXTERMINATE

Already farmers of the Littlefield section are reporting a large increase in rats on their places this year, and it is expected by many citizens that by the time the grain crops mature the increase will be still much larger. Several surrounding cities have already begun campaigns of extermination of these rodents, one town last week killing more than 1,200 in one day through the united action of its citizens. The big increase of rats is attributed largely to the big grain crop of this section.

It has been proven repeatedly that the number of rats in any given section depends largely upon the amount of available food—one might almost call it birth control among the rodents, but the real explanation is that if there isn't enough grain and other foods for the animals they starve to death.

West Texas has had large grain crops every year since 1921, and this one is no exception. Naturally the number of pests has been growing right along, and it is only reasonable to expect still more this fall when they desert the fields for the buildings.

There are several methods of combating rats, but the two most important are the construction of a rat proof building and starvation, by keeping food out of reach of the little animals.

If a house isn't made rat proof it is difficult to make it that way later. To keep rats out, a foundation of concrete or brick should extend at least 18 inches into the ground, steps and porches should be of the same material, doors should be of heavily screened material and have automatic closing devices to them.

A rat will dig under a foundation that rests on the ground, but if it is set deep he won't. If he gets under the house, it is easy for him to gnaw through the floor. If he can't get in that way, the only other entrance is through the door. He can bite through ordinary screen wire, so the protection is through heavy screen and automatic devices that will keep the doors closed.

Even if rats get inside and can't find anything to eat they won't stay long. Leaving food on a table is

just giving them an invitation to make themselves at home. Metal cup boards, refrigerators and other containers will soon starve them out.

The old family cat is a good exterminator in many cases, but if she is allowed a life of ease, her usefulness against rats and mice is little. Keep a cat well fed and she won't catch rats, because she isn't hungry, and she doesn't care to exert herself, but if her appetite is sharp, her eyes will be too.

Ferrets are the best natural enemies of rats, but it is difficult to keep them. They must be allowed freedom if the rats are to be killed off, and they often stray away. Other natural enemies include the much despised skunks, rat terriers and hawks. Many persons kill off the rat's enemies because they eat grain, too, but the rats eat more, by far, than all their enemies combined.

Poisons, traps and shooting are other means of extermination, but guns are only practical out in the country. Strychnine has been used the most for generations past, but barium carbonate is the best poison, because it is safe to leave around children. A human may swallow it but vomits it up immediately before injury can occur. A rat can't vomit, so it kills it. Barium carbonate may be mixed with meal and placed on fish, meat, bread or other foods rats like.

Fumigation will kill rats, but its effects are only temporary. Sulphur carbon bisulphide, hydrocyanic acid gas and carbon monoxide are good fumigants.

Another very effective method of extermination is the starting of a rat typhoid epidemic among the rodents through inoculation of one animal with bacterial rat virus. Humans are immune to this form of typhoid.

The annual loss of grain and food in the United States because of rodents ranges around \$40,000,000, while the loss through pollution is 10 times greater.

In addition to the grain and food loss, many diseases are also carried by rats, bubonic plague being one of the chiefest. This plague started in India and is gradually spreading. Rats with the plague have followed grain shipments on board ships and have been carried to all parts of the world. Fleas from rats having the plague bite human beings and thus infect them. People have been bitten by rats and died of hydrophobia.

The Leader suggests that sometime during the coming month it would be a good idea to organize a general campaign of the extermination of the rats in this section. The chamber of Commerce has a supply of poison which it will furnish free to anyone desiring now to kill the rats about their place.

### COMMERCIAL BODY MEETS TONIGHT TO HAVE AN ELECTION

There will be a meeting of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce tonight in the Sadser building for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. Tickets are now on sale for the "feed" which will be served by the ladies of the Baptist church. The program for the evening is as follows:

General singing, led by E. A. Billa. Report of last year by retiring president.

Some more singing. Reading, Mrs. Ellena K. Allan. Speech by J. C. Whicker. Another round of singing. Address, Maury Hopkins, Secretary, Plainview Board of City Development.

Election of officers for the coming year.

Round table discussions and suggestions for good of Littlefield. All citizens are urged to attend this meeting.

### SELL CATTLE ON MONDAY

The Department of Agriculture has made an inquiry into the heavy marketing of cattle on Monday. Some of the larger public stockyards, it has been found, receive 40 to 50 per cent of the total for the week on this day of the week. This means larger expense for equipment and personnel than if the receipts were more evenly distributed throughout the week. The Department has forwarded the results of its inquiry to various livestock interests which may co-operate to remedy the situation which it is contended causes a loss to both consumers and producers.

The Kalamazoo gent who shot his son-in-law for a rabbit may have known the boy pretty well, at that.

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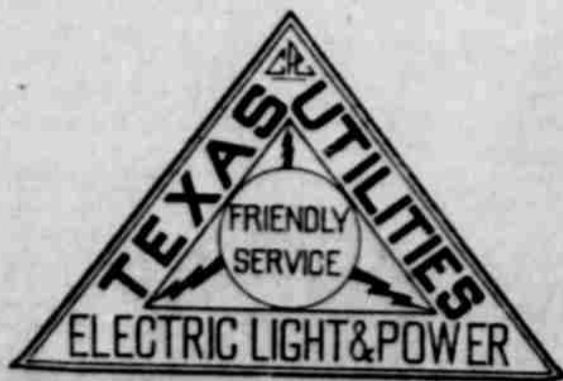
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## DESSERTS FROM NEW ENGLAND

Note: This is one of a series of articles running on this page.

belong in the daily quota. And what more than that they be as desserts? Almost every lunch and dinner is better when topped off with dessert. But never serve a heavy, rich dessert with a hearty meal. Light, easily digested—fluffs or custards—the right accompaniment of such meals.

Lucy G. Allen, principal of the Boston School of Cookery, and author of several cook-books, gives tested recipes for five pleasing desserts.

**Pineapple Fluff**  
One cup of juice from pineapple and one well-beaten egg white. Add one-half cup of sugar and one-half cup of cream. Cook till thick in a saucepan, stirring constantly. When thick, remove from heat and add one cup of pineapple cut from slices of pineapple. When cool enough, gently beat in one-third cup of heavy cream stiff with an egg and flavored with one-eighth teaspoon of vanilla. Place in sherbet or in a large glass dish and chill. This amount serves six persons.

**For a Lighter Meal**  
A Indian pudding makes a addition to light salad-and-sauce.

Take three tablespoonfuls of corn meal and one-half cup of milk. Add this to one pint of scalded milk and cook until thickened. In a bowl break one egg and beat it with one-half cup of sugar and one-third cup of molasses, one teaspoon of salt and one cup of milk. Add this mixture to the hot milk and cook for three hours in a slow oven for three hours. Sweeten with sugar and add salt, using two or three tablespoons. When ready, make a pleasing addition to your meal with cream or with milk.

man can always use shelves kitchen. One up-to-date oil as a handy base shelf which used to hold utensils.

**Cooker Plum Pudding**  
about as hearty as the baked pudding in cracker plum

quite fine eight cooking to add five cups of milk, one teaspoon of salt, two-thirds sugar and four eggs slightly beaten. Add three-fourths cup of raisins, a few nuts and a few of nutmeg.

in buttered pudding dish; top scatter two tablespoons of raisins in small pieces, and bake moderate oven about two hours with or without sauce.

**Lightful Bread Pudding**  
one will ever object to eating bread pudding. It just the spot when one's eyes are aching. And, better yet, the cook's point of view, it is a star bread.

one pint of milk, add one cup stale bread crumbs which have been rubbed through a sieve, and add to cool slightly. Beat the eggs slightly, add one-third cup of sugar, one-eighth teaspoon of salt to scalded milk. Add one square (ounce) of cooking chocolate, a smooth paste with three parts of boiling water and a mixture.

into a buttered pudding dish, in a pan of hot water and in a moderate oven. It will about one hour. Serve with cream or a hard sauce.

**Apple Pan Dowdy**  
tentative and quickly made. Use two of the virtues of a dished apple pan dowdy.

five or six large apples, cut into quarters and put into an aluminum pan. Add three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one-quarter cup of butter, one-half cup of brown sugar, or one-half cup of powdered sugar, if preferred, and cook about five minutes thoroughly. Add one cup bread crumbs and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Beat the butter, then add one-half cup of milk, stirring with knife. Add the dough over the apples, deeply place on an asbestos mat, bake and cook until about half an hour. Invert pudding upon a plate and serve with sugar and cream.

**MRS. MATTHEWS ENTERTAINS**  
Mrs. Tom Matthews entertained with a birthday party in honor of her sister, Tom Paul Davis' 10th birthday Tuesday afternoon.

Various games were enjoyed after which refreshments of punch and cake were served to the following guests: Wilkie Courtney, Virginia Phillips, Ila Green, Golda and Marie Williams, Mary elen Smith and Ruth Gray.

## TO HOLDERS OF SECOND LIBERTY LOAN 4 PER CENT BONDS EXCHANGE OFFERING OF NEW TREASURY NOTES

Second Liberty Loan Bonds have been called for payment on November 15th next, and no interest will be paid after that date. Notice is given of a new offering of United States Treasury notes, in exchange for Second Liberty Loan Bonds. The new offering will be dated September 15, 1927, and will bear interest from that date at the rate of 3 1/2 per cent. The notes will mature in five years but may be called for redemption after three years.

Interest on Second Liberty Loan Bonds converted into Treasury notes will be paid to the holder of the new issue of notes, on November 15, 1927. The rate of interest on the new issue of notes is 3 1/2 per cent. The time of delivery of the new notes will be on or about September 15, 1927. The time of delivery of the new notes issued in exchange for Second Liberty Loan Bonds converted into Treasury notes will be on or about September 15, 1927. The time of delivery of the new notes issued in exchange for Second Liberty Loan Bonds converted into Treasury notes will be on or about September 15, 1927.

A. W. MELLON, Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C., September 6, 1927.

## Society

### ARNETT'S ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Arnett were host and hostess to an all day party at their home on the Spade ranch, Sunday, September 11th, honoring the young married couples of Littlefield.

Following music and various entertainments the young people were invited to the dining room, where an elaborate luncheon was served cafeteria style, consisting of baked ham, baked beans, pickles, asparagus tips, various salads, deviled eggs, leaf tea, cake and ice cream.

An exciting afternoon was spent goat roping and steer riding. Art Chasher was voted hero of the day.

The guests were then ushered into the dining room where they were again served. Prairie chicken and fried rabbit being the basis of the menu.

When the guests were again in the living room, Mrs. T. Wade Potter rendered an enjoyable solo, accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Thomas.

Throughout the evening the air was filled by melodious strains from the piano rendered by Dr. C. C. Clements.

Judy Potter gave a very clever reading.

Those present were: Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Clements, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Steen, Mr. and Mrs. Art Chasher, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Whicker, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Malloy Eiter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Brittain, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Miller, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Potter, Misses Aline Arnett, Bessie Belomy, and Mr. Ellwood of Lubbock.

All departed at a late hour expressing their appreciation to the host and hostess for opening their lovely home to them for the day's entertainment.

### BIRTHDAY PARTY

C. L. Harless, Jr., invited a group of his friends to his home last Thursday evening in honor of his 12th birthday.

A number of games were played and numerous contests were held.

The following boys and girls were present: Oneta Lowe, Myrtle Marion Shaw, Nina Anderson, Barbara Green, Etha Marie Moulton, Olga Hen son, Winifred Willis, Jamie Jones, Frances Blalock, Prudence Courtney, Ruth Gray, Edna Bell Gillette, Virginia Phillips, Alice Lynn Street, Annie Marie Harless, A. C. Tremain, Norwood Walden, James Anderson, Charles Logan, Edwin Gerald Gillette, Harvey Gibbs, John Gibbs, J. W. Bell Street and C. L. Harless.

### ENTERTAIN S. S. CLASS

Mrs. Alex Reeves entertained the eleven year old girls and boys of the Baptist church last Friday afternoon with a picnic.

They all met at the church and went from there to the country where various games were played and contests were held. The following girls were present with well-filled baskets: Edna Pearl Cox, Nell Hines, Vertie Bullard, and Bertie Bullard. The invited boys were, Johnnie Claude Lowmire, Ray Barnes, Bobbie McCaskill and Earnest Connell.

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### ENTERTAIN WITH BRIDGE

Mrs. A. H. McGavock, of Olton, and Mrs. C. L. Harless entertained last Thursday afternoon with a bridge party at the home of Mrs. C. L. Harless.

Delicious refreshments consisting of apricot freeze and angel food cake were served to the following: Messdames W. G. Street, W. O. Stockton, J. M. Stokes, F. G. Sadler, Robert Steen, Gus Shaw, of Lubbock, Lena Howard, F. K. Allbright, S. J. Farquhar, John Porcher, Harry Wiseman, M. M. Brittain, E. S. Rowe, J. E. Whicker, A. C. Chasher, Doc Miller, C. C. Clements, T. Wade Potter, R. S. Thomas, J. P. Butler, E. A. Logan Tom Arnett, J. H. Harless, J. C. Hilbun, M. W. Etter, J. C. Houk, Bessie Baze, T. T. Garrett, J. D. Jones, of Lubbock, R. A. Davis, B. L. Cogdill, A. H. McGavock, C. L. Harless and Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Bartlett, of Olton, and Miss Annette Steed, of Amarillo.

High score was won by Mrs. Harry Wiseman.

### MISS COOPER ENTERTAINS

Miss Esther Coper, formerly a teacher in the Littlefield high school, now residing in Lubbock, was hostess to a number of her friends last Thursday evening at the Hotel Lubbock.

The following teachers from Littlefield were present: Miss Lillian Basher, Miss Gladys Wales, Mrs. Jimmie Brittain, Mrs. E. S. Rowe and Mrs. Bessie Baze.

### CASHIER ALLBRIGHT MAKES VALUABLE BANK DISCOVERY

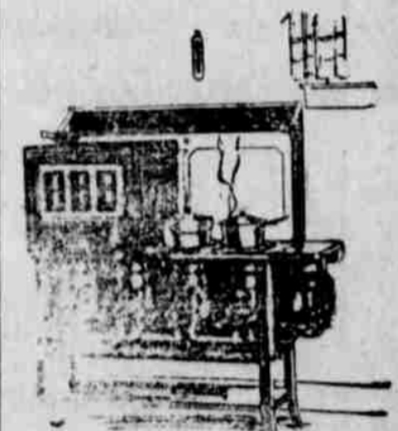
K. F. Allbright, the ever congenial cashier of the First National Bank in Littlefield, was looking through their note case the other day and discovered that practically all their notes had been made out incorrect.

"Look here, Hilbun," he said to the president of the institution, "every one of these notes read, 'I promise to pay.' Seems to me like they should read, 'I promise to renew!'"

"Yes," replied Mr. Hilbun, "that is about the way most of them have been for several months past, but with the fine crops of this section now coming to maturity, and the price of cotton steadily rising, I wouldn't be surprised but a big bunch of these note-makers will be coming

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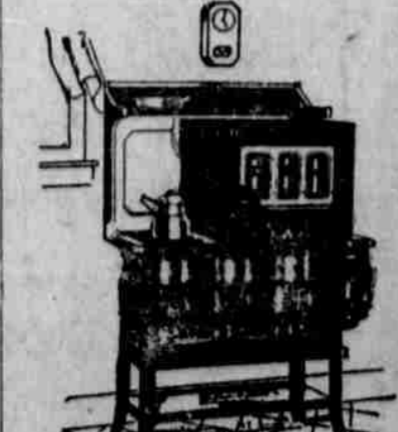


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in pretty soon to pay them off and depositing quite a bunch of money besides."

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I believe in courtesy, in kindness, in generosity, in good cheer, in friendship and in honest competition.

I believe there is something doing, somewhere, for every man ready to do it.

I believe I'm ready RIGHT NOW!

### INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

Austin, Texas, Sept. 12.—Present indications are that this will be one of the best years the Interscholastic League Bureau of the University of Texas has ever known, states Roy Bedichek and Roy B. Henderson, of

the bureau. Mr. Bedichek, chief of the bureau, has just returned from San Antonio, and Mr. Henderson from Brownwood, where they have been engaged in organizing League contests in the schools represented in the institutes that were held in those cities.

It is well to make a good beginning—and it is also well to remember that the end is what determines everything.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Lonnie Clements, of Levelland, was in Littlefield, Tuesday.

Arthur Mueller has accepted a position with Cuenod's Dry Goods Co.

Elmo Clark was a visitor in Lubbock Monday.

Elmo Corbell and John Greenfield of Post, were in Littlefield, Sunday.

Bill Jeffries was in Lubbock on business last Thursday.

Earl Phillips left Monday for Canyon, where he will attend college.

Dan Thompson, of Amarillo, was a visitor in Littlefield, Saturday.

Jimmie Cole, of Lubbock, spent Sunday in Littlefield.

T. L. Barge, of Lubbock, was visiting friends in Littlefield Sunday.

Donald Turner of Levelland, was in Littlefield Sunday.

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Ramon Navarro in—

"The Lovers"

Also, "The Silent Partner"

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Vera Reynolds in—

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Larry Holman returned Sunday to his home in Canyon.

Joe Beck left last week for Roswell, N. Mex., where he will be in the high school the coming term.

Leet I. Austin and family of Enochs, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Long.

Miss Gladys Wales left Sunday afternoon for Whitharral. She will teach in the school there.

E. V. Bateman, of Ballinger, was here Monday shaking hands with old friends.

J. T. Wingfield and family visited friends and relatives in Tahoka Sunday.

Mrs. Jess Crow and children have returned from a visit with relatives and friends in Bradshaw.

Dr. and Mrs. G. G. Castleberry, of Lubbock, spent Monday with F. M. Burleson and family.

Jimmie Brittain and E. C. Cundiff were attending to business in O'con, Monday.

Mrs. John Burleson, of Lubbock, is visiting this week with her daughter, Mrs. H. J. Gibbs.

Misses Esther Cooper and Louise McGee, of Lubbock, were the guests of Miss Lillian Busher last weekend.

Alex Reeves, Wm. Lowrimore and Jack Brannen were business visitors in Clovis, New Mexico, last Thursday.

The W. M. U. will serve the Chamber of Commerce at the Sadler building Thursday evening.

Morris White, who has been visiting his mother Mrs. T. P. Wright, left Monday for Abilene.

John P. Butler and family moved to Midland, Wednesday, where he has accepted a position with the bank.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Glenn and daughter, Miss Sibyl, and Miss Lora Arnn were in Lubbock Wednesday.

Lloyd Springer was in Lubbock Friday night practicing with the Tech orchestra.

Mrs. Frank Love and daughter, Louise, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, visited Mrs. Ben Lyman last week.

Haskin Stewart returned last Friday from a business trip to Amarillo and Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harless spent last Thursday and Friday with H. W. Harless in Roby.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Blalock left Saturday morning for Carlsbad cavern, returning Monday afternoon.

Miss Emma Lou Jones left Monday for Lubbock, where she will enter business school.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tremain visited Shorty Coffman in Clovis, New Mexico, Sunday.

Ralph Gillette left last week for Abilene, where he will attend McMurray college.

Misses Lora Arnn, Sibyl Glenn, Lydia Crockett, Bernice and Gladys Wales, and Josephine Glenn were visitors in Lubbock last Friday.

Floyd Hemphill and Earl Phillips, of Littlefield, and Larry Holman, of Canyon, returned Friday from a trip in southern California.

Mrs. M. E. Lowe and daughter, Oneta, and Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Petticoles, of Lubbock, visited Carlsbad cavern Thursday of last week.

Miss Mary Lee Carpenter returned Sunday from a three week's visit with friends and relatives in Panhandle and Borger.

E. B. Will and family, living north of town, returned the latter part of last week from a 10 days visit with relatives in Temple.

Mrs. T. Y. Casey left Saturday to spend the week in Matador, in connection with the Baptist Convention that is being held there.

Misses Lillian Hopping and Fern Hoover returned Saturday from a two week's outing at Ruidosa, N. Mexico, El Paso, and Elephant Butte Dam.

Mrs. W. E. Williams and children returned to their home in Amarillo, after a week's visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoover.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitson, of Shamrock, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dobbs and family north of town.

Arthur P. Duggan, jr., left Tuesday morning for Roswell, New Mexico, where he will resume his studies at N. M. M. I.

Albert Touchon returned Friday from Oklahoma City, Okla., where he has been attending the Chevrolet instruction school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reed, after spending a few days with G. W. Falls and family, returned Friday to their home in Breckenridge.

R. E. Willis, small son of Mrs. Irma Willis, left Saturday for Austin where he will attend the Texas school for the Blind.

Miss Ruth Matthews, daughter of Mrs. C. P. Matthews, left last week for Meadows, where she will teach in the public school.

Mrs. W. L. Wade and daughter, Meribeth, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Blair, returned Monday to their home near Bledsoe.

Word has been received from Miss Anna Ruth Snow, who moved from here to Amarillo, that she is now in Canyon attending West Texas State Teachers college.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone and son, Pat jr., Mrs. R. C. Hoping and daughter, Lillian Patti, and Doris, of Lubbock, spent a few days last week at Boone's ranch, near Elida, N. Mex.

Miss Alta Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, who entered training in a hospital in Denver, Colo., has been very ill with influenza for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Kirk and family returned Friday from a three weeks visit with relatives in McKinney. George Kirk will remain there for a few more days.

Miss Maude Cuenod, former music teacher in Littlefield high school, is now in Wausau, Wis. studying voice. On her way to Wausau, she visited friends for a few days in St. Louis and Chicago.

E. L. Knight and family returned last Saturday from a two months visit back to their old home in Alabama. They report tragic and pitiful conditions in that section as a result of the Mississippi flood last spring.

Leonard Wright came in Sunday night from Lamesa, where he spent the weekend with friends. He returned alone, but from all reports, this was the opposite of what his intentions were when he left here.

Word is received from McKinney that Mrs. Luther Kirk, who was operated on a week ago for double gall-bladder, is doing nicely, and if she continues to improve, will be able to come home within the next two or three weeks.

W. B. Stonner, Austin, T. F. Carter Bonham; L. R. Shoemaker, Plattsburg Mo., and W. F. Yarbrough, John B. Benson, W. O. Yeary, W. A. Barker, F. O. Boles, J. T. Browning, J. M.

### Prison Walls Behind



Former Governor T. McMillan of Indiana—free on parole after serving 3 years and 4 months in prison for conviction of having used false means to defraud.

Hodges, John Tucker, Ed Haynes, of Littlefield were some of the new subscribers to the Leader during the past week.

The first thing every June groom is going to learn is that it's a lot easier to make a woman mad than it is to make her happy.

## THINK!

Your car may be the next one the thief picks up when you leave it in a strange community.

Or it may be the next one to catch fire and burn while you stand by powerless to extinguish the blaze.

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| Small "Honey" brand Skinned Hams, northern cured, per pound | 23c |
| One quart Grape Juice                                       | 43c |
| One pint Grape Juice  | 24c |
| \$1.00 value Shot Gun Shells                                | 85c |
| Large size Kellogg's Corn Flakes                            | 11c |
| One pound Peaberry Coffee                                   | 28c |

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