

WHY BE A WEAKLING?
 Don't Let Everybody Kick Sand In Your Craw!
 Be Verile! Grow A Beard! Don't Have All
 The Hair On Your Chest!



Pictures by Two Virile Photographers of the South Plains
 Top Picture by Taylor's Studio. Bottom Pictures by Chisholm & Nail

Presented for your education, enlightenment and entertainment
 two Littlefield JayCees, prominent exponents of the great outdoors
 the virile life.

"Grow whiskers for a manly 'phiz,' a virile body and an active
 counsel Nelson Naylor, head man of the Littlefield JayCees,
 Wayne Brown, who just recently surrendered the leadership to
 Naylor. "Whiskers to us men of the South Plains are what muscles are
 Charles Atlas and the boys he is bringing from puny souls to stal-
 tarts of the human race," they added.

Naylor and Brown are shown in the top picture since adopting
 strength-giving hirsute adornments. Nelson claims, as is indicated
 in the picture, that Brown hasn't got the strength of whisker that the
 head man of the JayCees possesses.

"Tramp," that's Mr. Brown until you know him for 15 or 20 min-
 utes, had to shave off his beard, but it will be back out again, strong-
 er than ever.

Just in case you don't catch the resemblance, the "boys" in the
 bottom picture are Nelson and Brownie, taken a year ago. Note the
 public countenances, then compare what your mind has registered
 in these fine specimens of manhood as you see them today.

P. S.—Don't forget to attend the Littlefield JayCee Rodeo.

**IS THE NEW WEST . . . PODNER,
 BEAN AND THE JERSEY LILY
 HISTORY, BUT THERE'S "JESTICE"**

By HARRY G. KNIPP

It is not the old West, Podner—
 it is the new. Or maybe it's a new
 something. Diagonally across
 the street from the Leader office
 is a stockade reminiscent of
 the days and customs of the famed
 Bean. It has everything except
 the famous pictures of the "Jer-
 sey." It is a two-cell affair, com-
 pletely locked and keys. It even has
 a bath room—with all the fixtures
 and a bath tub. It has, however,
 been recorded that bath tubs
 were very popular when the old
 West was aborning. Signs on the out-
 side of the building run something
 like: "Check Guns Here," "No
 Smoking," "Judge Across the
 Street," "Cold Beer Served this Aft-
 ernoon at 2 o'clock, etc.

The colorful stockade was erected
 by the JayCees with a view to pro-
 moting the proper spirit for the com-
 ing rodeo. It has been decreed that
 all citizens provide themselves with
 proper western regalia and a growth
 of real old-time whiskers and mus-
 tachios—or else. And the "eise" is
 either confinement in the stockade
 for a certain period of time, or a
 dipping in the tank conveniently
 placed on the prison site. Or, it is
 said, one may satisfy the court by
 the purchase of rodeo tickets, the
 amount of which is to be judged by
 the seriousness of the offense.

The first sentences were handed
 down Tuesday afternoon when
 "Judge" Hardy Shelby decreed that
 Mayor Chesher, Allen Hodges, and
 another gentleman, who identity has
 not been revealed, all be legally and
 lawfully dipped in the tank. After
 the sentence had been carried out,
 the erstwhile defendants in the case,
 noticing that "Judge" Shelby was
 adorned neither whiskers or western
 attire, proceeded to pass and execute
 sentence upon His Honor.

Also located on the prison grounds
 is a booth where rodeo tickets will
 be available. This will be under the
 direction of the JayCee organization
 and is to be operated for the general
 convenience of the public.

**Work Progressing
 On P. O. Basement**

Work is progressing nicely on the
 completion of the basement in the
 Littlefield Postoffice, according to
 Postmaster W. D. T. Storey, who
 stated that he believed the work
 could be finished in 30 days if the
 materials could all be secured, but
 that many of the materials were hard
 to get.

Postmaster Storey stated that possi-
 bly five or six qualified Federal
 agencies would occupy the offices of-
 fered through the completion of the
 basement of the postoffice.

O. C. Cashion of Dallas is contrac-
 tor for the work.

ENLISTS IN AIR FORCE

Bobby Joe Dillard, 17, son of
 and Mrs. Fred (Skeet) Dillard, of
 Littlefield, enlisted recently at the
 Levelland recruiting office, for three
 years in the army air forces, accord-
 ing to Sgt. Herman A. Dirickson,
 recruiter.

He left Tuesday afternoon of last
 week for Roswell Army Air Field
 for his physical examination.

**Romance of 40 Years Ago Rekindled;
 Red-Headed Littlefield Widow May
 Marry Sweetheart of Sweet 16 Days**

This newspaper predicts that
 some time this fall, or probably a
 few months later, a pleasing red-
 headed (genuine) Littlefield wid-
 ow, will become the bride of a
 sweetheart of almost 40 years ago.

If our prediction becomes a fact,
 we'll tell you all about the happy
 event; if cupid falls down on his
 job, we'll make that fact known,
 much as we would dislike to mar
 the record of the little fellow.

In the meantime two photo-
 graphs of the man, now a West
 Coast resident, are the intimate
 possession of the sweet widow.

One of the photographs was
 taken when they were sparking in
 a South Texas town, and he was
 20 and she was a maiden fair with
 the very air about her wafting
 gentle Zephyrs of romance. The
 other photograph is that of a ma-
 ture business man on the sunny
 side of 60.

Cupid Very Active

Pleasing gifts have come from
 the West Coast for the Littlefield
 widow from the sweetheart she
 has not seen in 38 years; the long
 distance telephone has contributed
 to the intimacy of the new court-
 ship, and every other day the mail-
 man brings a letter.

Call it fate, call it predestina-
 tion, call it anything you like, but
 the fact remains: Cupid is tossing
 around his arrows in big boy man-
 ner.

After a courtship of a year and
 a half in that South Texas town,
 the man proposed immediate mar-
 riage, the girl wasn't in such a
 hurry. They drifted. She married
 another and they lived happily to-

gether until death parted them af-
 ter 32 years.

The West Coast man was not so
 fortunate. Two marriages have
 failed.

Didn't Forget His Redhead

In all the turmoil of life the
 Californian did not forget his little
 redhead. Through mutual friends
 and relatives he learned that the
 Littlefield woman was a widow.

In the Springtime, lovetime, of
 our present year, came a message
 from the man. And that started
 everything all over again.

Some time this fall the Little-
 field woman will visit in a western
 state. And Cupid has whispered to
 us that he has arranged to have
 the Californian in the same town
 at the same time.

Watch your Lamb County Leader
 for latest developments.

**RODEO QUEEN IS CHOSEN,
 9 COMPETE FOR HONOR**

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**Edith Nabers Choice
 For Queen of 1947
 JayCee Competition**

**Wanda Armstrong
 Takes Second Place,
 Janey Webb Third**

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1947 QUEEN OF LITTLEFIELD RODEO



RODEO QUEEN EDITH NABERS (Photo by Chisholm & Nail)

Miss Nabers was chosen queen of the 1947 Littlefield JayCee Rodeo from a field of nine contestants
 at the rodeo arena Monday night. This is the second year for the JayCee rodeo, and Miss Nabers therefore
 becomes the second queen to reign over this spectacular annual event.

By EUGENE T. MARTIN

Against a background of fast-
 moving rodeo performances by the
 Littlefield Roping Club, nine pretty
 and expert cowgirls competed for the
 title of Rodeo Queen Monday night.

Packed stands, and hard-riding
 cowboys were an auspicious prelude
 to the coming JayCee Rodeo as Edith
 Nabers was chosen as the 1947 Rodeo
 Queen. She will reign over the rodeo
 July 25, 26 and 27 and will go on
 all booster trips to publicize the
 rodeo.

Second place in the queen contest
 went to Wanda Armstrong, with
 Janey Webb in third place.

Chosen On Points

The judges rated the girls on rid-
 ing ability, horse and rigging, and
 western dress. The rules required a
 contestant to walk her horse one-
 third of the way around the arena,
 trot him on the second third, and
 lope the final third. Toughest re-
 quirement was circling the barrels,
 which were placed in an equilateral
 triangle position; at the second bar-
 rel, the girl had to dismount and pick
 up a potato. The girls tossed the po-
 tatoes to kibitzers in front of the
 chutes.

The nine contestants for rodeo
 queen, in the order of their appear-
 ance into the arena were: Earlene
 Smalley, of Littlefield, sponsored by
 Pete and E. L. Owens, Fieldton; June
 Hurd, Littlefield, sponsored by the
 Courthouse; Estelle Jones, sponsored
 by her hometown American Legion
 post, Sudan; Janey Webb, sponsored
 by Curtiss Candy Co., Littlefield;
 Latie Baird, sponsored by Starr
 Drive-In, Littlefield; Wanda Arm-
 strong, sponsored by Armstrong
 Plumbing Co., Littlefield; Nell Vann,
 and Edith Nabers, of Spade,
 and Mickey Cottrell of Littlefield,
 sponsored by the Roping Club.

Out-of-Town Judges

Judges in the contest were Mrs.
 Ves Terry, of Sudan, Mrs. Limey
 Thomas, Levelland, John Stinson,
 Lubbock; Rob Robertson, Levelland;
 and Tom Arnett, Smyer, Texas.

Mayor Art Chesher made the open-
 ing address.

The show was ably emceed by Lit-
 tlefield attorney, Bob Kirk. Alvin
 Webb was chairman of the contest
 committee. Some real western music

**Sustains Injury
 In Tractor Mishap**

W. M. Gibbs of Bula sustained serious
 injury Tuesday of last week
 when he was run over by a tractor.

Mr. Gibbs had brought his tractor
 to the Ferguson Machine Shop here
 for repairs. After it had been repair-

ed, Mr. Gibbs prepared to take it
 home, and was cranking the engine
 when it was apparently in gear, the
 machine ran over him, causing three
 pelvic fractures, two broken ribs, and
 other injuries.

Mr. Gibbs was admitted to the
 Littlefield hospital, where his condi-
 tion for a time was critical, but he

is now reported to be improved, and
 getting along better.

Alfalfa often yields three crops
 a year.

Friar Bacon predicted aviation in
 1273.

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JURY REFORM

Sound in every respect is the jury reform to be proposed to District Judges, though it is a sad admission that the public has abdicated one of its greatest possibilities. Multiple factors enter into detestation of service by the majority—unnecessary delays, lengthy pleadings, disgusting pyrotechnical antics by counsel in criminal courts. The really dutiful citizen still serves. But the dutiful are too few.

Now the system must be changed as an expediency. A card index will be kept to assure that no man need serve on a petit jury except once in five years. The busy businessman, if prevented by work from serving, can designate another time.

One tangible benefit could well be elimination of the professional juror. It would be wise to make it mandatory that no man serve more than once in five years. If a compilation of service of the last ten years were made in Dallas County it would undoubtedly reveal a corps of professionals, few of whom were really qualified to comprehend proceedings intelligently. Eventually paying of jurors should be discontinued. Employers should co-operate by excusing a juror from and continuing his salary. Many firms do this now.

Jury statutes should be rewritten, as should the whole criminal code. Exemptions are too broad by the letter of the law, and interpretations are broadly made. Provision will have to be made for better educational background. Not mere facetiousness but a grim statistic is the army's statement—founded on actual study—that 70 per cent of our populace has the mental level of a four-teen-year-old. It is mostly in that 70 per cent that we draw men to render verdicts in the complexities of the law. Dallas Morning News

GEMS OF THOUGHT MUSIC

Music is the harmonious voice of creation; an echo of the invisible world; one note of the divine concord which the entire universe is destined one day to sound.—Mazzini.

Music resembles poetry; in each Are nameless graces which no methods teach, And where a master hand alone can reach. —Pope.

The direct relation of music is not to ideas, but to emotions—in the works of its greatest masters, it is more marvelous, more mysterious than poetry.—Henry Giles.

Although the spirit be not master of that which it creates through music, yet it is blessed in this creation, which, like every creation of art, is mightier than the artist.—Beethoven.

The language of tones belongs equally to all mankind, and melody is the absolute language in which the musician speaks to every heart.—Richard Wagner.

Music is the harmony of being; but the music of Soul affords the only strains that thrill the chords of feeling and awaken the heart's harpstrings.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Pasture yields are increased by applications of organic matter, which can be profitably done in many sections of Texas by planting green manure crops or spreading barnyard manure.

Texas farmers could save millions of dollars worth of rainfall each year by doing more terracing and contouring on cropland.

BULL LAKE PHILOSOPHER COMES OUT IN FAVOR OF TAFT-HARTLEY BILL, ESPECIALLY ONE SECTION

EDITOR'S NOTE—The Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Bull Lake, probably has misinterpreted the Taft-Hartley Bill, due to the heat, as the following letter from him reveals.

Dear Editor:

I was out here on Bull Lake Monday afternoon sweltering in the hot July sun and debat'n whether I'd get cool enough if I got into the lake to off-set the effort of easin' down the bank, when a copy of the Amarillo News floated by and while this paper ain't particularly noted for its air-conditioning effect it generally has some light-weight summer readin' in it and since al I had to do was straighten out my arm I went ahead and straightened it out and picked up the paper and when it got shady enough where I was sitt'n so I could read without no glare from the sun I opened it up and I wish to say I can't understand now why labor is so mad at the Taft-Hartley Bill, which I been hearin' so much about lately.



As I understand the bill from the article I read about it, when labor gets mad and decides to strike, the new law requires a eighty day coolin' off period before the strike begins, and while eighty days seems like a long time to cool off in, I guess it may get hotter in some parts of the country than others, and while I personally ain't never had to cool off that long in one stretch, especially whez what I was coolin' off from was a decision to stop workin', still I

ain't sayin' some folks might not require that much time and it ain't my job to be tellin' them how long a rest period ought to last.

However, I always tried to be law-abiding and since I have struck against the Johnson grass in my cotton and if the temperature stays up around 100 out here on Bull Lake, I will stick with the full limit of the Taft-Hartley law and cool off the entire eighty days, which ought to get me well into early October when the weather is cool naturally and its too late to do anything about cotton anyway.

I want you to know I think Senator Taft-Hartley is a statesman and I will appreciate you sendin' me a copy of that new law which I want to read to my wife.

Yours Faithfully, J. A.

Miss Barbara Hutchins of Spade has been employed as bookkeeper for Hall Motor Company, and took over her new duties. She is a graduate of the 1947 class of Spade High School.

Last Rites Held For F. B. Thomas

Funeral services were conducted Monday, July 7, at Olton for Frank B. Thomas, 74, who passed away the previous Saturday at that city.

Bro. Paul McClung of Plainview and Bro. Lyle Bonner of Canyon officiated at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon. Interment took place in the Olton Cemetery.

Mr. Thomas was born Jan. 10, 1873, in Paris, Texas.

He was married to Miss Laura Ella Fish, November 27, 1895. To this union were born thirteen children of whom ten are now living. Dick and Gordon of Olton, Bill of Muleshoe, Texas, Bailey of San Antonio, Frank and Mrs. H. P. Cooper and Mrs. Mattie Cooper of Fresno, Calif., Mrs. T. W. Carroll of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Jack Lawrence of Sharon Springs, Kansas, and Mrs. Melvin Eagle of Panhandle, Texas.

He is survived by thirty-seven grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. He has three brothers, John and Dick of Clarendon, Texas, Bryan of Electra, Texas, Bryan has been at his bed side for the past week. He has three sisters, Mattie Jackson of County Line, Texas, Mrs. Mary Malone of Wolforth, Texas, and Lavina Sisk of Ora, Calif.

He has always been outstanding in his kindness and firmness in teaching and practicing the word and the

They'll Do It Every Time



By Jimmy Hatlo



At the Littlefield Hospital

Mrs. Rex Matthews was admitted to the Littlefield hospital Saturday, July 5, for medical treatment. She was a patient about five days.

P. A. Cowan, employed by the West Texas Cotton Oil Company, suffered burns about the hands from an electrical current. He was admitted July 6, and released Thursday last.

Mrs. George Surratt of Olton underwent a major operation at the hospital July 7, and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. R. E. Pugh of Littlefield underwent a major operation on July 8, and is making satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Tom Messer aged 5, of Littlefield, had his tonsils removed July 8, and was released the next day.

Sydney and Ruth Haire, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Haire of Olton, had their tonsils removed July 8, and were released and went home the next day.

W. M. Gibbs of Bula was admitted July 8 suffering from three pelvic fractures sustained when a tractor ran over him. He was in a critical condition for a time, but is now reported improved.

Willard Beesinger of Littlefield was admitted July 8 for medical treatment.

L. C. Dotson underwent major surgery July 8 at the hospital, and is still a patient.

Ida Lee Freeman was admitted on July 9 for medical treatment.

Robert Tomlinson of Star Route 2, Littlefield, was admitted July 9 for medical treatment.

Len Irwin, who had tumors removed from his face and under his right arm at the Littlefield hospital, last week, is getting along satisfactorily.

gospel. He has had charge of the adult men Sunday School class since moving to Olton in 1945. He moved to Olton from Donley County where he lived for 31 years.

Out of town relatives attending services were: Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Thomas and children, of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thomas and Berthmae, Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, Clarendon, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Jackson, Wolforth, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crow, Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Black, Muleshoe, Mrs. Fred Reed, Clarendon, Mrs. Oscar Thomas, Clarendon, Mr. Joe Fish and Cletis Fish, Alanreed, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Malone and daughter, of Shallowater, Texas.

Rel Stephens To Be In Charge Of Dunlap's Shoes

Rel Stephens, who has been connected with the Schriener's Company at Kerrville, will arrive with his wife and small daughter from Kerrville Saturday to take over his duties as head of the shoe department in Dunlap's Department store.

He will replace Bob Armstrong who has resigned. Rel was employed by the Ware Department store prior to the late war, when he enlisted in the medical corps of the U. S. Army. He was in the service four years.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kline left July 3 on a two weeks vacation trip to Houston to visit relatives.

NOTICE To Our Friends and Customers— We Are Taking a Vacation and Will Be Closed From July 21 Through July 26. We Will Be Open Again MONDAY, JULY 28 JACK HENRY'S TAILOR SHOP Littlefield 420 Phelps Ave.

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MUTT AND JEFF By Bud Fisher. A comic strip with multiple panels showing characters in a heated discussion about a question mark and a 'first picture'.

CLUBS, - WOMENS' INTEREST - SOCIAL EVENTS



TOWNSENDITES BACK AGAIN . . . Four thousand advocates of the Townsend national prosperity plan, in Washington for the seventh annual Townsend plan national convention, converged on Capitol Hill to the congress (for the 13th successive year) to pass their bill. Photo shows, left to right, Sen. Claude Pepper (Dem., Fla.); Dr. Francis Townsend, creator of the plan; E. C. Townsend, his son, and Rep. Peter D. Angell (Rep., Ore.).

Visitors In Home
E. A. Bills
James H. Penn returned to Littlefield Friday after a month in Littlefield. She had undergone a major operation at the Payne-Shotwell hospital where she was a patient 12 days and later was recuperating at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bills, over two weeks. Mr. Penn came to Littlefield and accompanied his wife home. Their daughter Virginia, remained with her parents until Sunday when Mrs. Penn returned to Littlefield and took her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Timmons and children, Sallie Caroline and Tommy, were also visitors in the Bills home last week.
While here Mr. Bills, Mr. Timmons and Mr. Penn spent from Monday until Thursday fishing at Possum Kingdom Dam.
Mr. and Mrs. Timmons and children returned home Thursday.
Mrs. Penn is the former Miss Laura Virginia Bills and Mrs. Timmons the former Miss Fredda Charles Bills.

Miss Thetagene Ross Hostess to Girl Scout Group

The Senior Girl Scout group met with Miss Thetagene Ross Thursday at 3 p. m. at her home on Oklahoma Avenue.
In the absence of Miss Helen Johnson, president of the organization, Miss Ross presided over the business session.
The program was presented by their group sponsor, Mrs. L. L. Messengill, who gave a very interesting demonstration of monograms on glassware.
At the close of the meeting delicious refreshments were served to the following members: Misses Ellen Webb Messengill, Laverne Fowler, Joretta Wilson, Bettye Cowan, Jean Jones, Verna Lichte, Billie Pat Robson, Tommy Lou Matthews, Arlene Ackwood and the hostess.
The club will meet with Miss Ver-a Lichte Thursday at 3 p. m.

Mrs. Bob Aubrey Honoree at Bridal Tea and Shower

Mrs. A. W. Evitt and her daughter, Miss Billie Evitt, were hostesses at a lovely tea and bridal shower, at the Evitt home, 1031 West First Street, Saturday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Bob Aubrey of Levelland.
Guests were registered by Mrs. Evitt in a lovely bride's book.
The tea table was laid with blue cloth with lace doilies, and a floral centerpiece of spring flowers.
Miss Evitt poured punch, while Mrs. Evitt served sandwiches and cookies to the guests.
Candy in a fancy doilie tied with pink ribbon served as favors.
The honoree received a lovely array of gifts, including linens, dishes, cooking utensils, vases, etc.

SHOWER HONORING MRS. WELDON NEWSOM

A pink and blue shower was given honoring Mrs. Weldon Newsom, on July 10 at the home of Mrs. Alton Lee of the Whitharral community. Mrs. Walter Williams registered guests and Mrs. Billy Williams had charge of games. A lovely array of gifts were presented after which refreshments were served to the following Mesdames: Tommy Howard, Fred Armstrong, Fred Newsom, Jim Horton, Douglas Horton, Clarence Keeney, Roy Thurman, Doss Maner, Doss Wayne Maner, Jr., Hub Spraberry, W. H. Kilgore, Bufford Hayes, Jim Waters, Jim Butner, Miss Thelma Wren, Weldon Newsom and the hostess, Mrs. Alton Lee, Billy Williams, Walter Williams, Clarence Billings, George Hooper, and H. G. Walden. A number sent gifts who were unable to attend.

Number Initiated Into Local Chapter Order Eastern Star

At the regular meeting of the Littlefield Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star, Friday evening, a number were initiated into the Order, including Mrs. G. H. Hicks, Mrs. Elton Hawk, Mrs. Dan Berg and Mrs. Margaret Simpson.
Visitors from other Chapters present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Connell of Carlsbad, Mrs. Harry Phelps of Odessa, Mrs. Floyd Coffman, and Mrs. Duke of Plainview.
A memorial service for Mrs. T. Wade Potter was held.
About fifty members were present.
The local Chapter plan to have a Robert Morris program at their regular August meeting, which will include a covered dish picnic at the Masonic Hall.

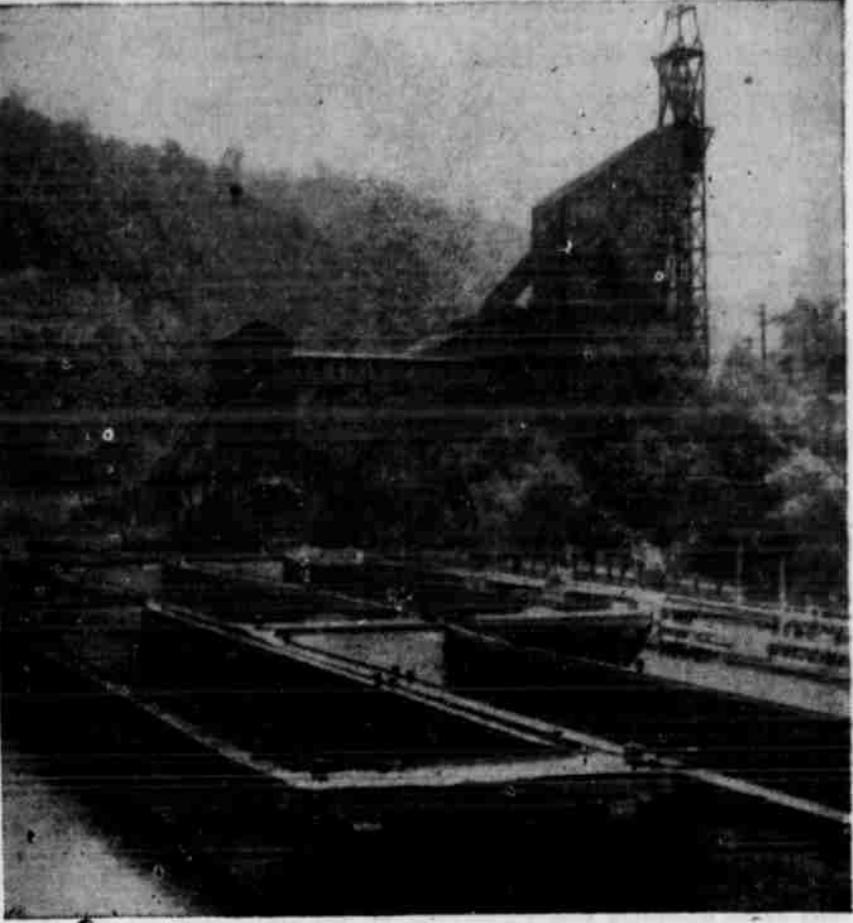
Sorosis Class Meets Friday

The Sorosis Class of the First Methodist Church met Friday, July 12, at 1 o'clock at the church, for their regular class luncheon, which meets the second Friday of each month.

After lunch Mrs. Dick Edwards conducted a short business session, after which those present spent the afternoon doing some work on the church parlor, and their class room.
Officers of the class are: Mrs. L. M. Brandon, teacher; Mrs. "Whoop" Cannon, assistant teacher; Mrs. Dick Edwards, Pres.; Mrs. L. T. Green, vice-pres.; Mrs. Van Clark, treasurer, and Mrs. Ben Joplin, secretary.
Those attending the luncheon were, Mesdames Brandon, Joplin, Dow, Simpson, Edwards, Dunnam, Cockerham, Clark, Green, Ayers, Evans, Hoover, Hutchinson, Brotherton, Elms and Thaxton.

Young People Conference At Ceta Glen

Rev. Carter McKemy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, accompanied by Robert Rutledge and Buddy George, went to Ceta Glen Monday, where Robert and Buddy registered for the Junior Hi fellowship conference of the Presbyterian Church, which convenes there this week.
Beginning Sunday evening the Senior conference will start at which time, Miss Katherine Lewis, Miss Billye Marie Hopping, Houston Hodges and Warren Rutledge will go. They will be accompanied to the conference by the Rev. McKemy.



EMPTY BARGES IN THE OLD CANAL . . . Coal barges lie desolate and empty along the Allegheny river at Harmarville, Pa., a mining community near Pittsburgh. In background of photo is the tippie (that's a coal screening plant where cars are unloaded) of Wheeling Steel's Harmar mine.

Miss Elizabeth Neel And LaVon Dotson Wed In Littlefield

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ham, of Yellow House community, wish to announce the marriage of their niece, Elizabeth Neel, who has been making her home with them for two years, to Mr. La Von Dotson, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dotson of Bula, Texas.
The couple made vows at the home of Ned Fairbairn, minister of the Littlefield, Texas, Church of Christ. The couple will make their home near Bula, Texas.

JAYCETTES MET TUESDAY NIGHT FOR REGULAR MEETING

The Jaycettes met Tuesday night for their regular monthly meeting, with Mrs. T. G. Shaw as hostess.
Officers elected for the following year were: Mrs. Earl Rodgers, president; Mrs. T. G. Shaw, vice-president; Mrs. Bob Walker as secretary; Mrs. Otha Smith as Treasurer; and Mrs. Renard McCary, reporter.
The program sponsored by the Jaycettes for the rodeo was discussed, and it was decided to have the Girl Scouts distribute them at the rodeo.
Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Othel Dunnagin, Merlin Yarbrough, Bob Walker, George Kirk, Nelson Naylor, O. K. Yantis, Jr., D. L. Whitson, Otha Smith, J. D. Smith, Ernest Connell, Roy Lee Hudson, Renard McCary, Alvin Webb, and Johnnie Waters.

JAYCEES UPSET LEGION IN SOFTBALL GAME

Softball games got underway this week with Lavender trimming the High School Thursday night, 11-4.
Friday night, the Jaycees snapped out of their long slump to beat the Legion 19-12. VFW beat Bridges 12-7.
Monday night, in the all-star softball game held after the Lamb County Rodeo Queen contest, the Adkins team lost to Roberts 14-9.
Tuesday night Lavender beat the firemen, Lavender beat the Firemen 5-2. Same night, High School beat VFW 12-11.

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AMHERST ITEMS

Miss Juanita Long visited over Saturday and Sunday with Miss Mary Mae Carey.
While Rev. John Carey, pastor of Amherst Baptist Church was away on a visit Rev. Clinton of Lubbock preached Sunday morning and evening.
Meeting Tuesday afternoon for a friendly visit in Mrs. Lee Sander's home were: Mrs. Will Butler, Mrs. J. E. Mayfield and Mrs. J. E. Smith. Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Baker's daughter, Mrs. Tommy Fitzgibbons, and family from Dallas are spending their vacation with them.
Roger Willett, Jr., from Texas Tech spent Saturday and Sunday at his home in Amherst.
Ann Birdsong is visiting relatives in Fort Worth and Houston.
Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Hufstедler have a fine son born Sunday July 13 at Amherst.
Mrs. H. K. Irwin has been at the bedside of her daughter, who underwent surgery at Lubbock hospital last week.
Mrs. L. A. Daniel visited at Earth, Texas last Monday.
Miss Minnie Shannon enjoyed a visit with Mrs. J. E. Mayfield Sunday afternoon.
From Springfield, Mo., Miss Betty Jo Taylor came to visit her aunt, Mrs. B. O. Daniel.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lofland are visiting her sister, Mrs. Mutt Hufstедler and family.
Miss Otis Sullivan of Hart Camp is now working at the Amherst hospital.
Mr. John Lumsden from Chico is visiting in Amherst, Texas.

Rev. Carter McKemy Preaches First Sermon Sunday

Rev. Carter McKemy occupied the Presbyterian Church pulpit Sunday morning in his first sermon as pastor of that church, which was vacated November 1st, by the retirement of Dr. A. B. Haynes, after 50 years service in the ministry.
While Dr. Haynes has assumed no special charge since his retirement, he has returned to preach to the local congregation each second Sunday in the month, and is serving as their moderator.
Rev. and Mrs. McKemy, with their little daughter, Mary Martha, arrived in Littlefield from Cleburne Wednesday of last week, where he has been serving the Anglin Presbyterian church, and are occupying the church manse on East 7th Street. A special meeting of Presbytery will be held at Ceta Glen next week during the Young People's Conference, and arrangements will be made for the official installation of the new pastor.

Captain and Mrs. Geo. O. Ross Visit His Parents Here

Captain and Mrs. George Olen Ross, who have been visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. George Ross, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Deardorff of Lubbock, for about two weeks, left Tuesday for Santa Anna, Calif.
Captain Ross, who enlisted in the Marine Air Corps July 1942, has recently been stationed in San Diego, but is being transferred to Santa Anna.
Accompanied by Miss Thetagene Ross, they spent last week end with relatives in Dallas and Denton.

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GENUINE UNITED NATIONS SPIRIT . . . The diplomatic gentlemen who are wrangling around the peace tables at Lake Success, N. Y., might do well to drop in on the 35th anniversary encampment of the International Girl Scouts at Camp Barree, Pa., for an object lesson in how to get along with one another. Shown here are some of the Girl Scout delegates who came from all the states and a score of foreign countries to attend the three-week encampment.

Littlefield Scout Troops Take First Place In Swim Meet Here

Event Is Held At Local Pool Tuesday Evening

Littlefield Scout Troop 25, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Roy Wade showed outstanding abilities when they took first place in the annual Yellowhouse District Scout Swim Meet held at the local pool Tuesday between the hours of 6 and 7:30 p. m.

Sudan Troop 20, headed by Scoutmaster, Shelby Morris, came in 2nd while troop 39, Muleshoe, took third place in the feat.

Side, back, breast and free style strokes were employed in the competitive swimming along with the plain, swan and jackknife dives, and it was in the diving that the Littlefield Scouts made their best showing in the pool.

Winners and troops in the Side Stroke, Junior 20 yard swim were: 1st. M. Fowler, Muleshoe; 2nd. L. Evans, Troop 26 and 3rd. G. L. White, Troop 41, Littlefield. Intermediates 25 yard swim: 1st. J. Fowler, Littlefield; 2nd. Jones, Muleshoe; 3rd Taylor, Sudan.

Back Stroke, Junior 20 yard swim: 1st. M. Fowler, Muleshoe; 2nd. Joe P. Owens, Troop 25 and 3rd. G. White, Troop 41, Littlefield. Intermediates 25 yard; 1st. Lance, Muleshoe; 2nd. Jones, Muleshoe; 3rd. Taylor, Sudan. Seniors 30 yard: 1st. Z. T. Byers, Littlefield; 2nd. D. Evans, Sudan.

Breast Stroke, Junior 20 yard swim: 1st. M. Fowler, Muleshoe; 2nd. Lynn Darby, Littlefield. Intermediates 25 yard swim: 1st. C. Taylor, Sudan; 2nd. M. C. Talkington, Anton; 3rd. B. Terry, Muleshoe.

Free Style, Junior 20 yard swim: 1st. M. Fowler, Muleshoe; 2nd. Wharton, Sudan; 3rd. D. Cox, Sudan. Intermediates 25 yard swim: 1st. Sneed, Sudan; 2nd. Jones, Muleshoe; 3rd. Wright, Anton. Seniors 30 yard swim: 1st. B. S. Sudan; 2nd. C. Franz, Troop 25 and 3rd. L. Edwards, Troop 25.

Relay Medley, Junior 20 yards: 1st. Troop 25, Littlefield. Intermediates 25 yards: 1st. Troop 39, Muleshoe.

Relay, free style swim: 1st. Troop 39, Muleshoe; 2nd. Troop 25, Littlefield. Intermediates 25 yard: 1st. Troop 20, Sudan; 2nd. Troop 39, Muleshoe; 3rd. Troop 25, Littlefield. Seniors 30 yard: 1st. Troop 20, Muleshoe; 2nd. Troop Littlefield.

Pat Lewis of Lubbock, assistant field executive was assisted in the meet by local scout executives. Supt. Joe Hutchinson, Eugene Lattimer, Houston Hoover, Coach J. S. Fikes, Fred Wright and Scoutmaster Roy Wade.

Boosters Visit Littlefield

Boosters for the Plainview Rodeo, sponsored by the Plainview Rodeo Association and the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and scheduled for Thursday, Friday and Saturday, July 17, 18 and 19, were in Littlefield Tuesday on tour of several towns. The caravan Tuesday visited, in addition to Littlefield, Levelland, Muleshoe, Amberst, Sudan, Earth, Olton, Dimmitt, Tulla, Kress, and other places.

There were 14 cars, 45 people, and four horses in the caravan.



RUN OF THE MINE . . . John L. Lewis glances up dourly as he finishes signing new wage contract for his United Mine Workers with the mine operators. The miners returned to work after a brief strike.

Nephew of Wayne Brown Killed In Highway Accident

Wayne Brown was in receipt of a message about 1 a. m. Sunday that his nephew, Beverly (Biff) Brown, 18, of Levelland, had been killed in a highway accident about midnight Saturday, when the '41 convertible Ford coupe, in which he was riding with three other young men, collided with a Bowen bus five miles east of Olney.

Upon receipt of the message Mr. Brown drove to Levelland where he met Clyde Brown, father of the deceased and drove to Olney. Mrs. Brown joined her husband in Lubbock Sunday morning.

Darwood Kimbrell, 23, of Lorenza, was also mortally wounded and died enroute to the hospital. The other occupants of the car, Bob Fowler of Memphis, Texas, and Bob Leeper of Lorenza, are in an Olney hospital where they are receiving treatment for serious cuts and bruises.

The deceased is well known by a number of students and ex-students of the Littlefield High School, having been a star football player on the Levelland team and a tennis letterman before he graduated last year. He was a student of Texas Tech at the time of his death.

Funeral services were held in the First Methodist Church, Levelland, Monday at 4 p. m. and interment was made in the Levelland cemetery.

The Plains Funeral home, Levelland, was in charge of the funeral under the direction of the McCracken Funeral home, Olney.

Halliburton Oil Well Supply Co. Locates at Anton

The Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company have purchased lots close to the railway station at Anton, where they will erect a building in the near future, and open a business at Anton.

Arthur Duggan, Jr., of Littlefield was the lawyer handling the deal for the Oil Well Supply Co.

LEADER CLASSIFIED ADS GET GOOD RESULTS

COUNTY COMMISSION MEET AND EQUALIZE VALUES OF PROPERTY

Climaxing a thorough study of the land and property values in Lamb County, the Commissioners Court met as an equalization board Monday and made a tax assessment in what they feel is as near as possible an equal proration throughout the county.

Upon the invitation of Judge Otha F. Dent, about a hundred tax payers, who might be affected by any change in the tax proration, responded to the notice and sat in with the board throughout the proceedings.

"Some taxes have been lowered and some have been raised," said Judge Dent, stating that about an equal amount of both.

The assessed valuation of Lamb County's property is in the amount of \$9,261,000, while the actual value is given at \$46,306,500, and the county wide assessment is 80 cents on the \$100.00 valuation.

Judge Dent expressed his appreciation to those who have assisted throughout the study and equalization for the year 1947. "And there

is much to be done yet in regard to equalization of taxes before we can say our work is completed," he said.

Yellow House H. D. Club Meets At Vick Home

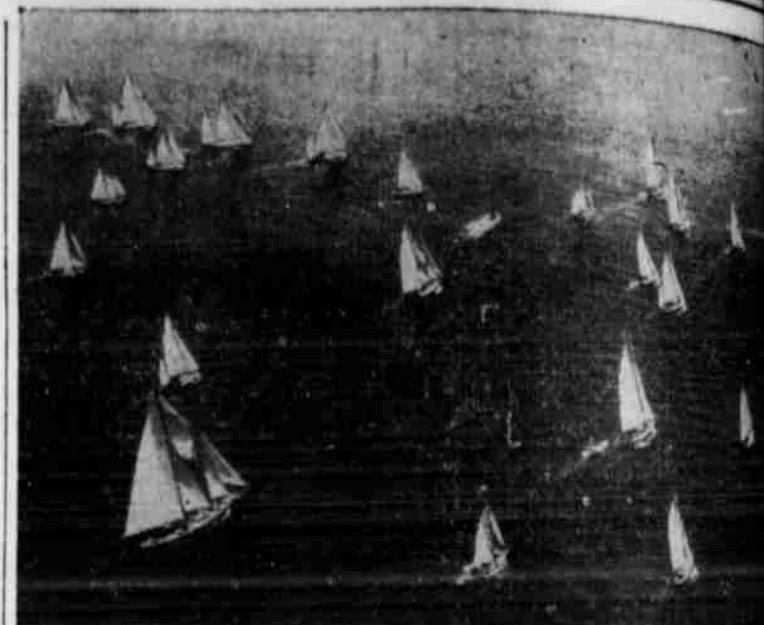
The Yellowhouse H. D. Club met in the home of Mrs. H. A. Vick, July 8. After the usual opening routine a business session was held with Mrs. J. B. Harie president presiding.

Members have nearly completed a pam-pam rug, which will be sold later to raise funds for the club.

Members present were: Mrs. Monroe Ray, Tom Ham, Lester Couch, Henry Ham, Travis Dyer, Cay Elder, Fred Duffey, Lloyd Haire, J. B. Haire, J. D. Lee, Joe Rietman. The hostess, Mrs. Vick served canapes, punch, and cookies.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lester Couch, July 22.

LEADER CLASSIFIEDS PAY.



DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS . . . Gleaming sails scudded across the outer harbor at Los Angeles as the first California-to-Honolulu yacht race in eight years got off to a perfect start with equally fine weather conditions. Thirty-three entrants caught a fresh breeze which set the armada whipping out onto the 2,225-mile course to Hawaii.

Lillian D. Wald, American social worker, was the mother of a plan for public health nursing. There are about 12 different species of walnuts, eight or more which are cultivated.



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Contracts Are Made For Drilling Thirty Wells In Anton Field

Contracts have been made for the drilling of 30 wells in the Anton field, which is chiefly located in Lamb County and overflows into Hale County.

This territory is being largely developed by the Anton Oil Company, and they are reliably reported to have made the drilling contracts as follows:

Six locations have been made, between Lamb County and two in Hale County and drilling crews and tools are now moving in.

Five wells have been drilled in the Anton field, including the Jackson discovery well and several of these wells are now pumping. One well is now drilling in the Anton field and is not included in the list of six locations just announced.

The Anton field is located about 10 miles northeast of the town of Littlefield and it is expected that development will be carried out linking the Anton field with the Lee Irish pool in Hale County at County Line. The Anton field is located eight miles from the Lee Irish pool and more wells are being drilled.

The Haliburton Oil Well Cementing Company has purchased a half interest in the southwest portion of Anton and will establish a camp there with employees in connection with establishing and operation of a part of their business in the Hockley County city.

Anton is feeling the need of more modern and business buildings. Announcement was made early this week that the starting soon on the construction of four store buildings.

Rodeo Parade Here July 25

Okay, all you cowboys and cowgirls, it's getting close to rodeo time! And one of the main attractions of this three-day western jamboree is the big parade which starts promptly at 10 a. m. Friday, July 25. Everyone who can possibly take part in the parade is urged to come out and turn loose that fundamental urge to wear high-heeled boots and ride a prancing cayuse.

All business firms are urged to have a float in the parade. First, second, and third prizes will be awarded for the best and most unique float.

Once again, the JayCees have dug in their spurs to bring Littlefield the biggest, wildest, most entertaining show from the Red River to the Border. So everyone show you're with 'em by setting that Stetson on your head and riding in the big parade.



WHEAT PILE STARTED FOR BOYS' RANCH—The picture above shows the first truckload of wheat to be dumped for benefit of the Boys' Ranch in Castro County. Roy Teakell and his son Hollis, both of Dimmitt, are shown unloading the wheat which was donated by G. L. Willis, Sr., and G. L. Willis, Jr., who live three miles south of Dimmitt. The Boys' Ranch in Castro, consisting of 1,400 acres of fine grazing, wheat and irrigation land 16 miles south of Dimmitt, was donated by Mr. and Mrs. D. X. Axtell. Eventually the ranch will take care of 50 boys sent from the Boys' ranch at Tascosa. Those boys to be sent to the Castro ranch will be selected on a merit basis from the older and more mature boys and will engage in vegetable and general farming. Whereas the original Boys' ranch near Amarillo is devoted chiefly to stock raising, the new one will be able to supply a large variety of food for the use of both. Eventually a canning and quick freeze plant is planned. The first unit of the ranch will accommodate 12 boys and will be completed sometime this month. It was donated by the citizens of Plainview and its equipment and furniture came from friends of the work. The wheat-dumping campaign has set a goal of \$20,000, Robert B. Henshey, secretary of the Castro County Chamber of Commerce, has announced.

Paved Road Soon From Anton to Spade

The towns of Anton and Spade will soon be connected by a paved road, if present indications prove true, according to reports from H. B. Newton, B. Forman and K. W. Wells, who are the Good Roads Committee of the Anton Lions Club. Wells, who has handled the Lamb County part of it, reported that it will be only a matter of weeks until the Lamb County part of the road (from Spade to the Hockley County Line) will be complete, in fact this stretch is now under construction. Newton and Forman, who have been in close touch with Hockley County Commissioner, Bill Dowell, report that Dowell informed them that he would begin work on the Hockley County part of the road in about six weeks. In the meantime Newton and Forman hope to have title secured for all the right of way, so there will be no delay.—Anton News.

Hobbs Child Passes Away Here Saturday

Laurence E. Elkins, 7, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd E. Elkins of Hobbs, N. M., passed away in the Broadmore Courts, Littlefield Saturday morning about 5:30 o'clock.

The remains were prepared for burial by Hammons Funeral home, and taken overland by them to Hobbs, N. M., leaving here about 11 o'clock Saturday morning, where funeral services took place Sunday afternoon.

Solution To Discs Found At Last

With the evidence of the flying discs over the nation, the Leader feels duty bound to inform its readers on what they have gathered from all the information advanced by various scientist inventors and newspaper columnists that the flying discs must be in reality a great big thingamajig with a huge telligrojetson extending out on all sides and goes so fast that only the place where it was is seen by the naked eye.

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POETIC JUSTICE . . . John B. Kelly Jr., of Philadelphia, whose father was barred from diamond skulls rowing classic in 1920 because he had done menial labor, saved family honor by winning the meet this year at Henley-on-the-Thames, England.

To See First Rodeo



TO SEE FIRST RODEO — Jose Aguilier, (above) assistant vice-consul for the Venezuelan government at Caracas, Venezuela South America, will see his first American rodeo in Littlefield — the annual JayCee western show July 25-26-27. In Littlefield visiting his cousin, Morris Costello, Senor Aguilier decided to stay over for the rodeo. Littlefield officials are laying claim to the distinction of having the only South American as a guest at a West Texas rodeo this summer. The show's stock will be furnished by the Autry & Colbert ranch at Dublin.

LAMB COUNTY REA TO LET CONTRACT ON NINETY-ONE MILES

The Lamb County Electric Co-operative will let a contract for the construction of 91 miles—K Section lines Friday, Aug. 1, at 10 a. m. at the office of the company here, according to announcement Tuesday by J. H. Carl, manager.

About ten concerns are expected to bid on this work, which will start soon after granting the bid, depending to some extent on who gets the work.

Gleaners Class First Baptist Enjoy Picnic

The Gleaners Class of the First Baptist Church entertained their families with a picnic Tuesday evening.

The crowd met at the church, joined in a group and went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Walker.

Mrs. Walker, class teacher, had prepared a large quantity of fried chicken and punch, and with the salads, ice cream and various other dishes of food brought by other members of the group a real feast was enjoyed.

Those present were: Mrs. Bill Fisher and Margaret Harr and Shirley Sue. Mrs. Leo Duffy, Leota Gene and Fred; Mrs. R. C. Loyd and Lennie; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dunn and Patsy Jean Davenport; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bartlett and Kay, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bass and Billie; Mr. and Mrs. Tex Crow, Monty and Bob and Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Georgeann and Olen Neal.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Rev. Carter McKemy, Pastor
Dr. Bill Armistead, Sunday School Superintendent.
Sunday School — 10 A. M.
Morning Worship — 11 A. M.
Westminster Fellowship—6:30 A. M.



Paving Work Starts On E. 12th Street

Work actually got started Monday on the paving program for Littlefield.

Workers started tearing up East 12th Street Monday and blocking it off against traffic. Other streets they are now working on are 15th and 14th Streets.



HERE, WE DID IT AGAIN . . . Two never-say-die congressmen, speaker of the House Joseph W. Martin (Rep., Mass.) (left) and Rep. Harold Knutson (Rep., Minn.) congratulate each other after the house representatives passed the income tax cut bill by a vote of 302 to 10. It marked the second time within a month that the house approved the four billion dollar income tax reduction plan.



YOUNGEST RADIO STAR . . . Self-styled "youngest story-teller in the whole world," Robin Morgan, five years old, has her own radio program over a New York station. She is the nursery set's own disc jockey.



PICTURE FOR BETSY ROSS HOME . . . Frank H. Manell (left), representing the board of trustees of the Betsy Ross house on his Arch street in Philadelphia, is shown accepting painting depicting Washington's visit to the house from L. J. Gunson who donated it. It will be hung permanently inside the little building where the American flag was born. Mrs. Frederick Stewart impersonates Betsy Ross and holds a duplicate of the original flag.



HATES TAXES . . . So violently opposed to "excessive and confiscatory individual income taxes" is E. B. Tilton of Milwaukee, Wis., that he voluntarily cut his own income to lower his taxes. President of a manufacturing company, he says he will work without pay in November and December so that he may lower his tax contribution.

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Personals

Charlie Signor of Houston arrived Tuesday for a few days visit here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Holder of Dumas, Texas, arrived Saturday last for a visit with Mrs. Holder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Carrell, and other relatives. They will return to Dumas Sunday, where they are now making their home. Mr. Holder is driving a Curtis candy route.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pope and sons, Joe and Jerri, returned Saturday from a two weeks vacation spent in Southern California and visiting her brother, Gilmer Eagan at Long Beach.

Jimmie Brittan left Wednesday to join Mrs. Brittan at their summer cabin at Tres Ritos, N. M. She has been up there for the past two weeks with sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Grossman of Seymour and an aunt, Miss Effie Sledge of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilemon and children, Gregory and Kenny left Friday on a two week's vacation trip. They will visit points of interest in New Mexico, Colorado and go on to the Yellowstone National Park.

Mrs. C. D. Lyne left Wednesday enroute to Oklahoma City to join her husband, who is connected with a motion film company, and recently been transferred to that city. She was accompanied by Bill Nashert, a nephew who has been visiting for a week with her and another aunt, Mrs. W. J. Chesher.

Mrs. Frank Rogers has had as her house guest her sister, Miss Francis Tiner of Fort Worth. Miss Tiner will return to her home Friday.

Mrs. E. J. Newgent will leave Friday for the Dallas market to purchase ready-to-wear for the Dunlap store. She will be accompanied by Miss Avilene Spencer, who is going on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Davis had as guests in their home Monday, Messrs. and Mesdames Doyle and George Scoggins and Mrs. Velma Cannedy, all of Sherman, Texas, and Mrs. N. F. Davis of Oilton. Mrs. Davis is a sister of the Scoggins brothers and Mrs. Cannedy, and mother of L. B. Davis of Littlefield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ross visited Mr. Ross' sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickson and his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Ross of Hale Center Wednesday. They were accompanied home by his mother who will visit for a few days with them and the family of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Joplin and children, Marjorie Claire, Charles and Mike returned Saturday after a two weeks vacation spent in New Mexico, Colorado and the Yellowstone National Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc King had as house guests for several days their daughter, Mrs. Tony Youngblood and children, Tony Jr., Jackie and Jean of Dallas and another daughter, Mrs. Cloyd Chisholm and daughter, Shirley Ann, of Los Angeles. Mrs. Youngblood and children returned to their home Monday, while Mrs. Chisholm and daughter left Wednesday.

Doc King left Tuesday for a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. H. M. King, at Farmersville, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Ware of Kerrville are in Littlefield this week, and guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Shaw. They all returned to Lubbock Sunday where Mrs. Ware visited her brother, Randall Abernathy.

Dr. and Mrs. Ira Wood accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Thomas returned Friday after several days spent in Ruidosa, N. M.

Misses Charis and Betty Ann Edwards arrived home Thursday from Denton, where they have been students at North Texas College the past winter and the first six weeks of the summer session.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Edwards of Amarillo were visitors last week end in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Owens.

Mrs. W. W. Brown left Saturday for California on a two weeks trip to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Magrane.

The Leader received a card from Mrs. R. N. Carpenter this week from Sweetwater, where the Carpenter family are now making their home. Mrs. Carpenter writes that they are beginning to feel at home at Sweetwater, but will visit in the "ole" home town occasionally.

Edwin Brown, who has two trucks and combines working in the wheat harvest fields, spent Thursday and Friday at home. He left for Kansas Friday.

Mrs. Audrey Brown visited in the home of Miss Kathryn McIlhenny at Lubbock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Garrett have just returned from a two weeks' vacation trip to Colorado Springs, Colo.

Clyde Hilburn and Ella Foust left Saturday for their ranch near Fort Sumner, N. M. Mr. Hilburn returned Saturday night and Mr. Foust remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hilburn and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hilburn spent a recent week end with Mrs. Allan Hilburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bates, at Odessa, Texas.

Mrs. Cara Hardy of Arp, Texas, mother of Mrs. Alvin Mueller, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Mueller home to Littlefield after visiting in



A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Vernon Reid of Enochs Saturday, July 5, at the Payne-Shotwell hospital. The infant weighed at birth 9 lbs., 8 ozs., and has been named Gerald Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester S. Hanks of Littlefield are the parents of a daughter born at the Payne-Shotwell hospital Monday, July 7. The infant weighed at birth 7 lbs. 4 ozs., and has been named Anna Katherine Hanks.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Luke Salls at the Littlefield hospital Sunday, July 6. She has been named "Irene."

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin T. Pierce are the parents of a daughter, born at the Littlefield hospital Sunday, July 6. The infant has been named "Pamela Diana." Mother and daughter were released Thursday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Fendleman of Sudan Friday at the Littlefield hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 1 oz.

Arp. Mrs. Mueller and children spent about ten days there, while Mr. Mueller spent from Thursday until Sunday, and accompanied his family home.

Larry Rice, son of Sheriff and Mrs. Hugh Rice, who has been suffering from burns for several months, was able to sit up in a chair Tuesday of last week for the first time since he was burned. He is now able to sit up in his wheel chair a couple of hours daily.

A. K. Boyd of Sudan was released Friday after spending a few days as a patient in the Payne-Shotwell hospital for treatment.

Mrs. Allen White of Amherst was unable to be present at the Eastern Star Chapter meeting Friday night due to the illness of Mr. White's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dale returned last week from a few days' visit at Fort Davis, Texas, with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Dale. They also left Sunday for Bonham and other points in Central and East Texas. They will visit relatives and friends at Bonham, Bryan, Dallas and Fort Worth, and attend to business at Lufkin, Texas, which is headquarters for Perry Brothers. They plan to return in about a week.

Bill and Jack McCormick made a business trip to Amarillo Friday. Jimmie Bigham of Corpus Christi, Texas, arrived Thursday to spend a few days with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rodgers, and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Rodgers.

Otto Jones and son, Jodye, spent Saturday in Amarillo on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook and son and Miss Pauline Cook left early Friday morning for Los Angeles, from which point Miss Cook will go on by plane to Hawaii, where she is employed.

Mother of Mrs. Fred Foust Seriously Ill

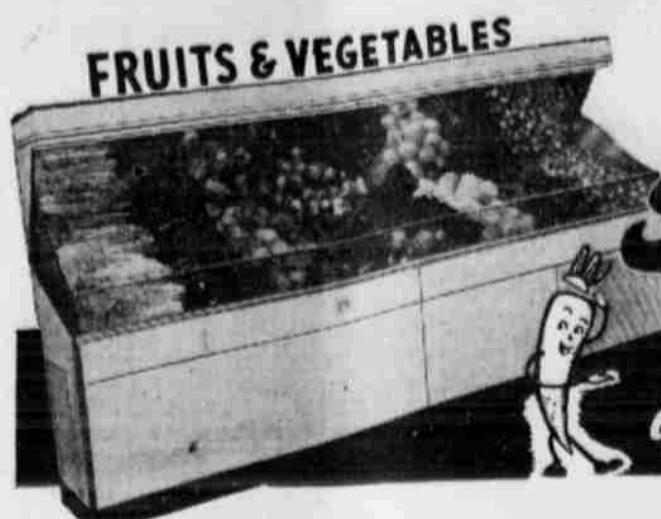
Mrs. Maude Shipp, 71, of Lubbock, and mother of Mrs. Fred Foust, suffered the second stroke of paralysis Saturday morning, July 5, and is in a serious condition.

Mrs. Foust has been with her mother continuously since that time.

Mrs. Shipp had been to Littlefield a week previous to her illness to visit her daughter here, and was apparently fine. She also, had all her clothes ready to go on a trip to Abilene and Fort Worth to visit relatives when she took ill.

All of her children have been called to their mother's bedside, and had arrived last week, with the exception of Mrs. John L. Dean of Louisville, Ky., who arrived later.

The children include three sons and four daughters. The sons are J. H. Shipp of Paris, Calif., and H. A. and W. M. Shipp, both of Lamesa; and the daughters are Mrs. A. B. Harvey, of Fort Worth, Mrs. Pauline Vaughn and Miss Hazel Shipp, both of Lubbock, and Mrs. Foust of Littlefield.



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- BELL PEPPERS, lb. 12½c
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- SYRUP, Staley, Golden Jar, No. 5 50c
- PAST-WAX, Johnson's, 1 lb. jar .. 59c
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- Prunes, All Gold, 1 lb. jar, 2 for ... 35c
- Potatoes blue plate No 2 can—2 for 25c
- Deloc No. 2 PINTO BEANS, Can 15c
- Hominy, Marshall, No. 2 1-2 can ... 15c
- TEA, Shillings, 1-2 lb. 38c
- Tastest Strawberry Preserves, lb. jar 39c
- Wax Paper, Cut Rite, 125 ft. roll ... 19c
- RICE, 2 lb. Bag 29c

- Silver Valley No. 2 Grapefruit Juice, can 10c
- SUGAR, 10 lbs. 96c
- COFFEE, Bliss, 1 lb. can 43c
- FLOUR, Gold Medal, 5 lb. bag 49c
- Cake Flour, Swan Down, 2 3-4 lb. boxes 39c
- Tomato Juice, 46 oz. can 27c
- DRIED APPLES, 2 lb. bag 49c
- K. C. Baking Powder, 25 oz. jar 23c
- Apple Butter, pure, 1 lb. 12 oz. jar 35c

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PORK CHOPS lb. 59c

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KENTUCKY WONDER BEANS, lb. 17c | CALIFORNIA ORANGES, lb. ... 12c

 Small ... 6c
Tall 11c

MAXWELL HOUSE
COFFEE, lb. 47c

PENICK GOLDEN
SYRUP, 1/2 Gal. 48c

CALIFORNIA
Carrots 2 Bunches **15c**

PORK & BEANS McGrath's Can **11c**

FRESH
Squash **lb. 7 1/2c**

CHICKEN NOODLE SOUP, Morton House 10c | CLOROX, Pint Bottle 10c

CALIFORNIA
Lettuce **lb. 12c**

Cigarettes any Brand ctn. 1.63

PASCAL
Celery stalk 29c

Castle Haven Mixed VEGETABLES, can .. 10c | PINE GROVE, SWEET Potatoes No 2 1-2 can 19c

HOME GROWN
Blackeyed Peas lb. 9c

NO. 2—EAST TEXAS
BLACK BERRIES Can **17c**

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JayCees 2nd Annual Rodeo to be Outstanding Event

Special Feature Attractions Are Booked for Show

Littlefield's Second Annual Rodeo, scheduled for July 25, 26 and 27, promises to be the most colorful rodeo ever to be staged in West Texas.

Howard Brown, of Dublin, Texas is the producer of the Littlefield rodeo. He has been in the rodeo business since 1922, taking part in every event known to rodeo, starting on the west coast as a trick rider and roper, and later as a bronc and bull-rider, relay and Roman race rider, calf and steer roper. After being superintendent of the Gene Autry's

World Championship Rodeo Association for five years, he is now producing some of the outstanding rodeos in the country under his personal management. He has won numerous prizes in the rodeo world, such as the bareback bronc riding award in Boston in 1944 and also the bareback riding in Midland in the same year. This year he has put on shows at Gatesville, Ranger, and Comanche, Texas; Lawton, Woodward and Ada, Okla., Hope, Ark., and several others in the Southwest.

Famous Broncs to be Here

Feature Act for Rodeo



Roy Seward, as "Calgary Red," performing one of his acts, which will be a feature attraction booked for the Jaycee Rodeo.

Producer Brown has announced that approximately 35 head of bucking horses, 20 wild Brahma bulls and 30 head of roping and bulldogging cattle will be used at the JayCee Show. Some of the more famous broncs which will be featured include "Headlight," "Dizzy Bertha," "Blue Hill," "Tom Cat," "Duty Bound," and "Curiosity," all top buckers, who have managed to unseat such excellent riders as Bill Linderman, Bill McMackin, Larry Finley and others.

To Present Specialty Acts
Specialty acts which will be presented at the four-act show here will be outstanding in every respect. Don and Virginia Wilcox, a husband and wife team, will do trick and fancy riding and roping. Don has appeared at such shows as New York, Boston, Fort Worth and numerous other large cities.

Another specialty performer who will receive top-billing at the rodeo is Gene McLaughlin of Fort Worth, who will do trick roping. He was starring in his specialty

at the age of 10, at which young age he appeared at Madison Square Garden, New York, the Boston Garden and others. He is now 17 years old, but a veteran roper.

Ruth Miriam Trick Rider
Ruth Miriam has been booked as trick rider. She is one of the leading women trick riders in the country.

To Perform Calgary Rope Act
Another highly entertaining feature of the rodeo will be Roy Seward performing his Calgary Rope Act. He is a very clever and resourceful bull fighter, and always a hit with the audience.

Price money of \$2,000 will be offered at the rodeo.

A huge and colorful parade will formally open the rodeo Friday afternoon, July 25. A big dance will be given each night of the event. The first rodeo performance will be presented Friday night, followed by two more shows Saturday afternoon and night, with the finale on Sunday afternoon.

Sustains Broken Jaw In Fall From Horse Thursday

Miss Doris Waxler, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Waxler of 509 West Wedel Street, was thrown from her paint pony Thursday afternoon near her home, and suffered a broken right jaw and bruises about her body.

The horse is reported to have become frightened when a truck passed, and threw the girl, who landed on her head. The family were at a loss to know why the horse did this, as she had known and ridden this horse for the past four years, and she had always been gentle.

At the Payne-Shotwell hospital, where the girl was admitted for treatment, X-rays were taken. She expected to be confined to the hospital for several days.

Miss Waxler was practicing preparatory to riding at the JayCees sponsored rodeo scheduled for July 25, 26 and 27.

New Officers Of Legion Are Named

Bob Kirk, Lamb County attorney and army pilot during the war, was elected commander of Richard New Post 301 of the American Legion in annual election of officers. Kirk succeeds Hugo Byers.

Other officers named were: Rex Matthews, first vice commander; Vernon Hofacket, second vice commander; Houston Hoover, adjutant; Fred Wright, finance officer; Art Mueller, service officer; Otto Jones, child and welfare chairman; Bill Kelley, historian; and Jack Alexander, sergeant-at-arms.

Delegates named to represent the post at the state Legion convention to be held in Fort Worth July 27-30 were: Kirk, T. Wade Potter, Van Clark and M. W. Phillips.

LEADER CLASSIFIED ADS GET GOOD RESULTS

Attend Federation Convention At Roscoe, Texas

Nine members of St. Martin's Luther League of Littlefield attended the Lubbock Federation Convention at Roscoe, Texas, over the week end, July 12 and 13, representing Littlefield, Willard Hill, Edgar Schulz, Verdel Scholz, Rena Mae Brandt, Aubrey Nienast, Lilly Harms, Hilda Friemel, Mary Helen Holtkamp, and Anna Lee Holtkamp.

The Leagues of Lubbock, Lockney, Wichita Falls, Olney, Posey, and Lynn-Garza, Roscoe, Lamesa, Levelland, Winters and Littlefield sent delegates to the convention. 116 guests were registered Saturday afternoon.

During the Sunday afternoon business meeting the following officers

were elected for the coming year: President Hugo Hillebrand of Lubbock; Vice-President, Ervin Henniger of Winters, Texas; Secretary-Treasurer, Anna Lee Holtkamp of Littlefield; Literature Secretary, Lilly Harms of Littlefield; Service Secretary, Mrs. Henry Schmidt of Wichita Falls; Spiritual Growth Secretary, Nelda Uechert of Winters, Texas.

RODEO QUEEN—

(Continued from Page 1) was turned on by Jimmy Zed Robertson and his boys.

The Roping Club performance included calf-roping, bronc riding, bull riding, and a bang-up job of bucking by an undersized mule.

Chairman Alvin Webb pointed out that while the rodeo queen contest was limited to residents of Lamb County, the cowgirl sponsor contest, to be held during the rodeo will be open to everyone.

THINGS ARE TOUGH CATS FEEL HOUSING SHORTAGE AUTO MEOWS AS KITTENS STOWAWAY

The ubiquitous Leader reporter ran across this yarn while on his fifteen minute lunch hour, and since it is the first unusual story he has turned in, we give it here just as it was told to him:

J. L. (Jim Lee) Gordon, of Anson, Texas, left his car parked in front of the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Larman, 3111 N. Twenty-Seventh, Street, Lubbock.

A mother cat thought the parked car looked ideal, as a place to house her three kittens, and proceeded to load them carefully into the machine.

The unsuspecting Mr. Gordon noticed strange noises as he drove along. He knew something odd was going on—his car had squeaked be-

fore, but had never mewed. Arriving in Littlefield to visit L. Owens, he took the meowing automobile to the Littlefield Body and Fender Works where the three kittens were extricated.

Former Sheriff of Jones County Mr. Gordon at first intended to administer the supreme penalty to the kittens, but decided to take them back to Lubbock to their mother.

Mr. Gordon, who is part owner of the Davidson Manufacturing Company, makes several trips a year to Littlefield to sell go-devil knives the local trade. He hopes he will have no more feline hitch-hikers.

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CALLS THE TUNE . . . James Caesar Petrillo, boss of the musicians' union, has issued an edict that he will prohibit broadcast of musical programs on network hook-ups after February 1, 1948.

Seats on Grandstand Numbered Ready For Ticket Sales

As announced by Nelson Naylor, president of the Littlefield JayCees, the grandstand at the rodeo grounds has been numbered by rows, sections and seats ready for advanced ticket sales on reserved seats on the coming Littlefield rodeo, scheduled for July 25, 26 and 27.

General admission will be \$1.50 and reserved seats 50 cents extra.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nail have as their guests this week, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Nail and his sister, Miss Lucille Nail, all of Petrolia, Texas. Miss Nail has recently been discharged from the WAACS, having arrived home last week from Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Garrett and daughter, Orea, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Gregg and daughters, Patsy and Margie, returned Friday from a vacation tour of Colorado.

Interesting News Events As Depicted By Ace Cameramen



MODES ATOM BOMB . . . T. D. J. Leech is leading in development of an Am-British weapon of which he by comparison the atom is a clumsy method of attack. He is a New Zealander.

GERMAN PARTY BOSS . . . Frau Maria Von Bredow became Germany's first woman party leader when the military government licensed her "equal political rights for women" party. She is a countess in her own right.

ELEANOR EXPRESSES HER OPINION . . . Members of the press clustered around Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt for a news conference before she addressed 2,500 delegates to the 56th annual convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in New York. Mrs. Roosevelt confided to reporters that the Taft-Hartley labor act "will undoubtedly create disunity in the country instead of unity—and women are vitally concerned."

HE WAS RIGHT . . . Jack Ladiniski, food corporation head, went all the way in court to prove that his sauerkraut had been mishandled on railroad and that it had not fermented and exploded by itself.

WARNS OF COLLAPSE . . . Predicting a "collapse of our economy" unless immediate steps are taken, Emil Rieve, chairman of CIO's full employment committee, says rising living costs have not been checked.

COND LAMB COUNTY LEADER SECOND SECTION

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Agricultural Department to Be Established at Spade High School

Abbott Formerly of Muleshoe Will Be Instructed

FFA Chapter Also Will Be Included in Spade Program

in the high school, and it is the plan of Mr. Abbott to organize a new department and plan a new program, in which will be stressed "Improvement in Livestock and Crops" and also "Prevention and Control of Diseases among Livestock."

Mr. Abbott also stated that in the program would also be stressed the fundamentals of irrigation and soil fertility.

Included in the program will be the organization of a FFA Chapter at Spade.

When Samuel Pepys, author of the famous "Diary," was appointed clerk of the acts in the English Navy office in 1660 he was so ignorant of business that he did not even know the multiplication table, Jeps, then 27, soon mastered the needful mechanical details by working early and

Brown of Dublin To Be Rodeo Producer



HOWARD BROWN

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Calf Scramble To Be Held At JayCee Rodeo

Members of F. F. A. and the 4-H club will have a chance to grab themselves a calf at every performance of the 2nd Annual Jaycee Rodeo. A minimum of 72 boys and

24 calves will participate in the four scrambles.

After a contestant gets a halter on his calf, he must get it out of the arena unassisted; failure to be able to do this gives some other boy a chance at the calf.

Boys who qualify for the calf scramble must be able to feed and

care for the calf for one year and agree to exhibit the fatted calf at the Littlefield F. F. A. and 4-H club livestock show in 1948.

The fisherman of Calcov, Rummama, visit the fishing grounds in the Black Sea, 80 or 100 miles away.

Booster Bus Trips Will Advertise JayCee Rodeo

Littlefield's second rodeo, three booster bus trips made that week.

O. W. is being used, with Donough as driver.

Jimmie Zed Robinson as Master of Ceremonies, the bus left street Wednesday morning 10:00, calling at Clovis, Portlan, Lovington, Hobbs, N.

M. Morton, Texas, etc.

Thursday morning, July 24 the bus with G. M. Shaw as Master of Ceremonies, will leave early for Amarillo, Canyon, Hereford, Borger, Pampa, Plainview and Floydada.

Friday morning, with Bob Kirk as Master of Ceremonies, the bus will visit Lubbock, Shallowater, Slaton, Post, Snyder, Gayle, Lamesa, O'Don-



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Tickets are \$4.50, and may be obtained at the Dunlap Store, W-W Electric or Nelson's Hardware.

Jimmie Zed Robinson's Plainsman Band will accompany each bus and provide music during the trips.

Each business concern are asked to send a representative on these bus trips if at all possible, and the cooperation of the entire city is urged to put this second annual rodeo over the top in a big way.

Booster Trip Made Friday

For the purpose of advertising Littlefield's second annual rodeo, scheduled for July 25, 26 and 27, 4 automobiles Friday made a booster trip around the County distributing matter, and inviting the various cities and communities to send a candidate for the Lamb County Rodeo Queen.

Those taking automobiles on the trip were: W-W Electric, Alvin Webb, Melvin Yarbrough and Carlisle Russell.

The group left at 8 o'clock A. M. from Main Street.

Those making trip were E. E. Wesley, Nelson Naylor, J. Alexander, Alvin Webb, Renard McCary, Owen Turner, James L. Hays, Carlisle Russell, Jess Baber, Bill Yeary, and two cook boys.

Cities and communities visited were: Whithrral, Pettitt, Pep, Dula, Enochs, Needmore, Muleshoe, Sudan, Amherst, Earth, Spring Lake, Olton, Hart Camp, Slade andd Anton.



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ELLIOTT DECORATED BY FRENCH . . . Elliott Roosevelt, son of the late president, is shown after receiving the legion of honor in the rank of chevalier and the croix de guerre with palm for outstanding service in North Africa in 1943. Left to right on lawn of French embassy in Washington are: Mrs. William Breyton, Air Attache Col. William Breyton of the French embassy, Elliott Roosevelt, Fay Emerson Roosevelt, Mme. Bonnet, wife of French ambassador, and Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt.

120,000-Acre Bell Tract Bought By Keeney Family

LUBBOCK — The sale of the 126,000-acre headquarters portion of the historic Bell Ranch near Tucumcari, N. M., to the Ellwood Estate of Lubbock for over a million dollars was announced here by R. C. Hopping, sales manager for Ellwood. Purchasers are Col. R. Leland Keeney and his wife Harriet Ellwood Keeney, of Somersville, Conn., and their two sons, John Henry Keeney and William Ellwood Keeney. Mrs. Keeney is the daughter of the late W. L. Ellwood, who held extensive ranch properties in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico.

The contract provides for official transfer of property Sept. 1. The sale includes all equipment, stock and the Bell brand. Livestock includes 500 head of registered Hereford cattle, 22,000 of grade Herefords and 600 head of horses.

The deal involves nearly one-third of the original 450,000-acre ranch established by an English syndicate. Other tracts previously sold are 117,000 acres of Dr. and Mrs. Hoover of Tucumcari, and 80,000 acres to Sam Arnett, Lubbock rancher and banker.

Estimates indicate that the wearing of a gas mask reduces the physical vigor of troops about one-fourth.

Because he feared assassination King James I wore padded clothes. News of the signing of a treaty between Prussia and Australia was the first message carried over the Atlantic cable.

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Americans ate an average of 382 eggs per person in 1946.

Production Of Synthetic Fibers Show Increase

The production of synthetic fibers, as opposed to the "natural" fibers—cotton, wool, mohair, silk, and flax—is showing a big increase.

Up until around 1935, according to the USDA Southern Regional Research Laboratory at New Orleans, rayon was the only manufactured fiber in commercial production in the United States.

Before 1940 the consumption of synthetic fibers other than rayon was very small and even in 1940 totaled only 4.5 million pounds; by 1946 the figure had increased to 53.3 million pounds and outranked silk and flax.

Some of the man-made fibers that are coming up fast in the synthetic field are:

Glass fiber; commercial production began in 1936 but the output was very limited during the first three or four years.

Vinyon, a fiber made of synthetic resin, first made in 1938. Production is still small.

Nylon; commercial production began in 1939, after a short period of experimental operations.

Aralac and saran, casein fibers, were introduced commercially around 1940.

And a synthetic fiber made of soybeans is coming up.

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Last Rites Held For Mother Of Anton Resident

Mrs. L. J. Tidwell, 64, of Knox City, died at 10 o'clock Monday night, July 7, at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Horace R. Bevel, of Anton, which on a visit there.

The body was taken overland by Rix Funeral Home, Lubbock to Knox City, where funeral services were held Wednesday of last week at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church.

Survivors besides the daughter at whose home Mrs. Tidwell died, include: a son, Clyde Tidwell of San Francisco, two stepsons, Alvah Tidwell and Martin Tidwell, both of Antton; a step-daughter, Mrs. Scott Dutton of Seattle; five daughters, Mrs. J. D. Marshall of Seattle, Mrs. V. C. Cannon of Avoca, Mrs. D. B. Weaver of Fort Worth, Mrs. Fred Griffith of Merryville, La., and Mrs. Buster Sanders of Plainview.

SERVE ON USS NEW JERSEY

Two South Plains men, Waldo W. McCoy, fireman, second class, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McCoy, route 2, Hale Center; and James S. Carter, chief carpenter's mate, son of Mrs. W. J. Carter of Levelland are serving aboard the battleship USS New Jersey, which is making an extended cruise to Europe training midshipmen from the U. S. Naval academy, Annapolis, Md.

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SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



More Wheat Harvested By Combines

The amount of the nations wheat harvested with combines rose from 49 per cent in 1938 to 78 per cent in 1945.

A total of 62 per cent of the 1945 crop of 125 million acres of small grains was harvested with combines; the remaining 38 per cent was threshed with stationary separators or else cut and fed unthreshed.

These figures—based on material gathered by voluntary crop reporters—were released by the USDA Bureau of Agricultural Economics in a recent report.

Percentages of other small grain crops harvested with combines in

1945 were oats, 38 per cent; barley, 64; rye, 50; flaxseed, 62; and rice, 42 per cent.

BEN LITTMER BUYS FARM AT SPADE

Ben Littmer of Firebaugh, Calif., recently purchased a farm of 161.7 acres in Spade Community from Mr. Campbell, and he and his two sons, Albert and Walter, have moved to the property.

Mr. Littmer was a welcome visitor at the Leader office Thursday when he called to subscribe to this newspaper.

Lightning kills about 400 in the United States every year.

Queen Contest Planned At JayCee Meeting

Main issue before the JayCees at their meeting July 10 was the Rodeo Queen contest. Plans for the booster trips were discussed and a donkey softball game was scheduled for July 23.

Five new members were added to the JayCee roster at the meeting. Four of the new hands were rounded up by Alvin Webb, with Emil Onstott accounting for one. The new members are: Neil Webb, Johnny Waters, L. D. Crume, G. W. Owen, and E. T. Martin.

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 Soldiers' meeting Tuesday evening, 8 o'clock.
 Home League, Wednesday afternoon, 2 o'clock.
 Meeting, Thursday night, 7:30 o'clock.
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 Preaching, 11 a.m.
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 Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m.
 W.F.M.S., Tuesday, 2:30 p.m.

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 Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Morning worship, 11 o'clock.
 Training Union, 7:30 p.m.
 Evening worship, 8:30 o'clock.

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 Sunday School, 10 a.m.
 Morning service, 11 o'clock.
 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.
 Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:30 o'clock.

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 10 a.m.; Divine worship, 10:45 a.m.
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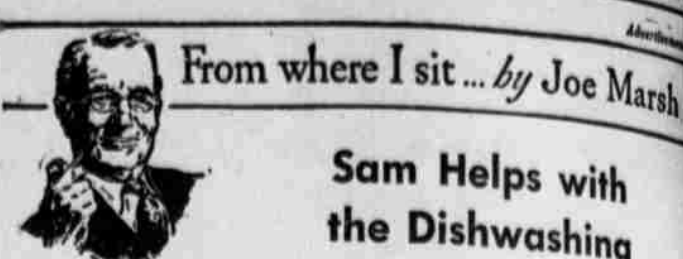
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From where I sit . . . by Joe Marshall
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 Dropped in at the Abernathy's just the other evening—and there was Sam, out in the kitchen with an apron on, helping his missus wash the supper dishes. (And then I learned later he'd helped cook the supper, too.)
 Of course, Sam could have settled into his favorite chair, enjoyed his evening glass of beer, and left all the messy kitchenwork to Dixie. But he kind of likes her company—and she in turn certainly appreciates his help.
 In fact, sharing the housework and the mealtime chores is sort of a bond between them . . . like sharing that friendly glass of beer together, when the work is done. It's one of those little all-important things in marriage.
 From where I sit, the time that a man and wife can spend with each other in this busy world today is all too precious. And the more things they can do together, the better.
Joe Marshall
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Revival Meeting Opens July 20 At Hart Camp Church
 A revival meeting will open at the Hart Camp Church of Christ Sunday, July 20, continuing through July 31.
 On Sundays, services will be held at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m., with meeting on week days at 8:30 each evening.
 Claude Walkup of Gould, Texas, will do the preaching.
 The public is cordially invited to the services.

Spade residents, neighbors of the Jarnigan family, as is characteristic of this neighborhood, came to the assistance of this unfortunate family, and made donations of cash, clothing, etc., which were much appreciated.
 Mr. Nabors, who owned their home which burned, carried no insurance on it. However, he has re-built the house, and Mr. and Mrs. Jarnigan have returned to their home after spending about a week with relatives, including Mr. Jarnigan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Jarnigan, his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. An-

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 Sunday School—10 a.m.
 Morning Service—11 a.m.
 Training Union—7:30 p.m.
 Evening Service—8:30 o'clock.
 Wednesday Evening—8 o'clock.
 W. M. S., Thursday—3 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
 Amherst, Texas
 Second and fourth Lord's Day services:
 10 a.m., Bible classes.
 11 a.m., Sermon.
 11:45 a.m., Lord's Supper.
 8 p.m., Sermon.
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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 John C. Cory, Pastor.
 Amherst
 Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.
 Morning services, 11 o'clock.
 Training Union, 6:30 p.m.
 W. M. S. (Monday), 2 p.m.
 Wednesday evening services, 7:30 o'clock.

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 Littlefield, Texas.
 Lee Hemphill, Pastor.
 Sunday school, 10 a.m.
 Morning worship, 11 a. m.
 Training Unions, 7:30 p.m.
 Evening worship, 8:30 p.m.
 W.M.S., Monday, 3 p.m.
 Prayer service, 8 p.m. Wednesday.

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 Evening service, 7:30 o'clock.
 Mid-week services, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

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Ralph W. Ater, special representative, Santa Fe Railway, Chicago, has been appointed special representative with headquarters at Amarillo, Texas, succeeding L. T. Cassel who has been promoted to a like position in Galveston, Tex., according to announcement made today by Lee Lyles, assistant to president, Santa Fe Railway at Chicago. The appointment was effective July 1.

Ater will be in charge of public relations work on Santa Fe's Western Lines and the Panhandle and Santa Fe, including the states of New Mexico, Colorado and West Texas.

Born in Crowell, Texas, January 9, 1912, Ater received his education in the public schools and junior college at San Angelo, Texas after which he attended the University of Texas, Austin, graduating in 1934 with a B.A. degree in Government and Al-

lied Studies. He followed this with a two-year post graduate course in Business Administration, Journalism and related fields. He is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and Alpha Psi Omega, honorary fraternity. Except for a six-month leave of absence in 1941 to serve as an administrative assistant in the office of the Secretary of War in Washington, D. C., Ater's Santa Fe service extends from October 1936 when he joined the staff at Topeka, Kansas, through several promotions to the position of special representative at Chicago in February 1943, which position he held at the time of this promotion.

Cassel, who has been in charge of public relations work on Santa Fe's Western Lines and P. & S. F. since October 1937, is promoted to the position of special representative at Galveston, Texas succeeding J. G. Fitzhugh who is retiring. Cassel has been in public relations work for the Santa Fe since October 1936, and prior to that time was engaged in newspaper and public relations activities in San Francisco area.

Leader Classifieds Bring Results



ARMY'S FOOTBALL GREATS . . . The backfield stars of Army's great 1946 football team are shown as they paraded at the United States Military Academy at West Point to receive top athletic awards. Left to right are Glenn Davis, Felix ("Doc") Blanchard and Arnold Tucker—halfback, fullback and quarterback, respectively. They are now ready for duty as second lieutenants.

**Heads Bible Dept.
Wayland College**

Dr. C. Eugene Colton has recently arrived at Plainview to head the Bible department at Wayland College, Dr. J. W. Bill Marshall, president-elect of the school, announced.

An outstanding teacher and leader, Colton has been pastor for the past eight years of the North Temple Baptist Church in Dallas a church which he organized and which has experienced phenomenal growth under his ministry. During his pastorate there 1,262 new members were added, of which 375 were by baptism.

The author of a number of booklets on religious subjects, Dr. Colton has taught in the extension department of the Southwestern Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth.

Dr. Colton received his B. A. degree from Baylor University, his Th. M. from Southwestern Seminary, and his Th. D. from Central Baptist Seminary at Kansas City.

A native of Fort Worth, Dr. Colton is married and has two sons, aged five and three.

With a final payment to the U. S. Treasury recently from the St. Paul Land Bank, all of the 12 land banks in the U. S. became completely owned by the farmer and ranchmen patrons.

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**4-H Canners Double
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4-H Club members throughout the nation are making big strides in canning homegrown products for farm family use during the winter months, according to the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work.

Latest available Extension service report shows that nearly 17 million jars of vegetables, fruits, meats, soups and ellies were put up by 4-H canners in 1945, which is more than double the volume canner by members in 1937.

Many members learn how to preserve foods by taking part in the National 4-H Canning Achievement program, in which merit awards for superior records are offered by Kerr Glass. Records of the Committee show that 1,237 counties in 45 states named medal winners in the 1946 program, as compared with 831 counties in 40 states in 1937.

Each state winner receives an educational trip to the 4-H Congress in Chicago. Six national winners selected from the state representatives are awarded \$200.00 college scholarships.

This is the eighteenth consecutive year of the program, which is supervised by the Extension service.

Last year's state winner in Texas was Jewel Ann Shirley of Mt. Pleasant.

County winners were named in Bee Bowie, Brazos, Castro, Fannin, Frio, Gregg, Hale, Harrison, Lamar, Marion, Runnels, Upshur, Wharton, Wheeler and Wichita counties.

**VETERAN'S
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

Q—What is meant by a guaranty of loan under the GI Bill?
A—The guaranty of a loan by Veterans Administration under the provisions of the Servicemen's Readjustment Act (GI Bill) is an agreement between a lender of money and VA that in event a veteran fails to pay his loan, the government will pay the guarantee portion of the loan.

Q—If I can't meet payments on my guaranteed loan, is payment by the government a gift to me?
A—No payment by the government of your guaranteed loan is not a gift. It must be repaid, and if the government pays the guaranteed part of the loan to the lender, you are obligated to the government for that part of the loan.

Q—I have a lender who will lend me the money I need, but he wants additional security. Does the law allow him to ask for security?
A—Yes. This is a matter between you and the lender. While Veterans Administration does not require that additional security be given, it does not object if the veteran is willing to give it.

Q—I am a widow of a World War II veteran and want to buy a home. Can I obtain a guaranty of loan?
A—No. The privilege is limited to Veterans of World War II.

Q—Can I obtain a guaranteed loan to purchase household furnishings?
A—No.

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Employment Man Here Friday

Mr. Dement of the Audit Department of the Texas Employment Commission was in Littlefield Thursday and Friday, July 10 and 11, giving instructions in Self-Employed Claims making procedures. Jordan of the local Texas Employment Commission office states that the state office plans to audit all books of self-employed claimants in the very near future. He advises

all veterans filing self-employed claims under the GI Bill of Rights to be sure and keep permanent record books of all operating income and expenses. It is also necessary to keep signed and dated receipts or cancelled checks permanently. He also advises all claimants to be sure and report all income received no matter what source the income was derived from.

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Bargain Hunters Silent As Soldier Bids In Horse

WASHINGTON — Nobody bid against the young soldier.

Instead, a crowd of 300, bargain-shopping as the Army auctioned off surplus horses at Ft. Myer, Va., Wednesday, watched curiously as Maj. Philip Larimore claimed the 10-year-old bay gelding, Chugwater, for \$50. A few minutes before, the auctioneer had silenced the buyers with an unusual request.

He hoped, he said, that nobody but one soldier would bid for Horse No. 5.

"This horse," he explained, "has been trained by an Army man a combat veteran. He has learned to respond to the soldier's left knee. The soldier is an amputee."

He referred to the 33-year-old Larimore, who lives in Memphis, Tenn. Larimore, holder of the Distinguished Service Cross and Bronze and Silver Stars, lost his right leg in Southern France.

LEADER CLASSIFIED ADS GET GOOD RESULTS



GOOD SCOUT . . . Rachel Claris, 17-year-old representative of Great Britain's Girl Guides, arrived in New York to attend first world encampment of Girl Scouts to be held since 1937.

Robt. A. Bigham Returns to His Ginning Interests

Robt. A. Bigham, who has been employed by Kline-Hufstetler for several months as bookkeeper and assistant to Mr. Harry Kline, manager, has resigned this position to resume his duties at the Bigham Gin. Lloyd Chesher, who has been in the oil business at Denver City, has taken Mr. Bigham's place with the farm machinery concern, and assumed his new duties last week.

In an interview with Mr. Bigham he stated that he had enjoyed very much his connection and work at the Kline-Hufstetler concern, and the meeting and serving of this concern's customers. He also said that work was underway in the reconditioning of his gin, and that he was returning to look after the repairs and to get ready for the fall cotton crop.

Mr. Chesher's many friends will welcome him to Littlefield.

Pawnbroking was probably carried on in China as early as two thousand years ago, according to the Encyclopaedia Britannica. Usually, the borrower could take three years to redeem his property and he could not be charged a higher rate than three per cent a year.

U. S. imports of honey are three times as large thus far in 1947 as compared with a year ago. Cuba, Canada and Chili are the leading exporters.



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Spot Cotton Scores Sharp Advances; Net Gains of \$8.50 to \$11.00 Bale

Most southwest farm products found fully steady to strong markets last week, but many fruits and vegetables and a few livestock sold lower, according to the production and marketing administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

After early-week declines, spot cotton scored sharp advances following the July 7 acreage report, and netted gains of \$8.50 to \$11.00 per bale. Medium and higher grades found strong demand in light trade. Texas crops made good growth.

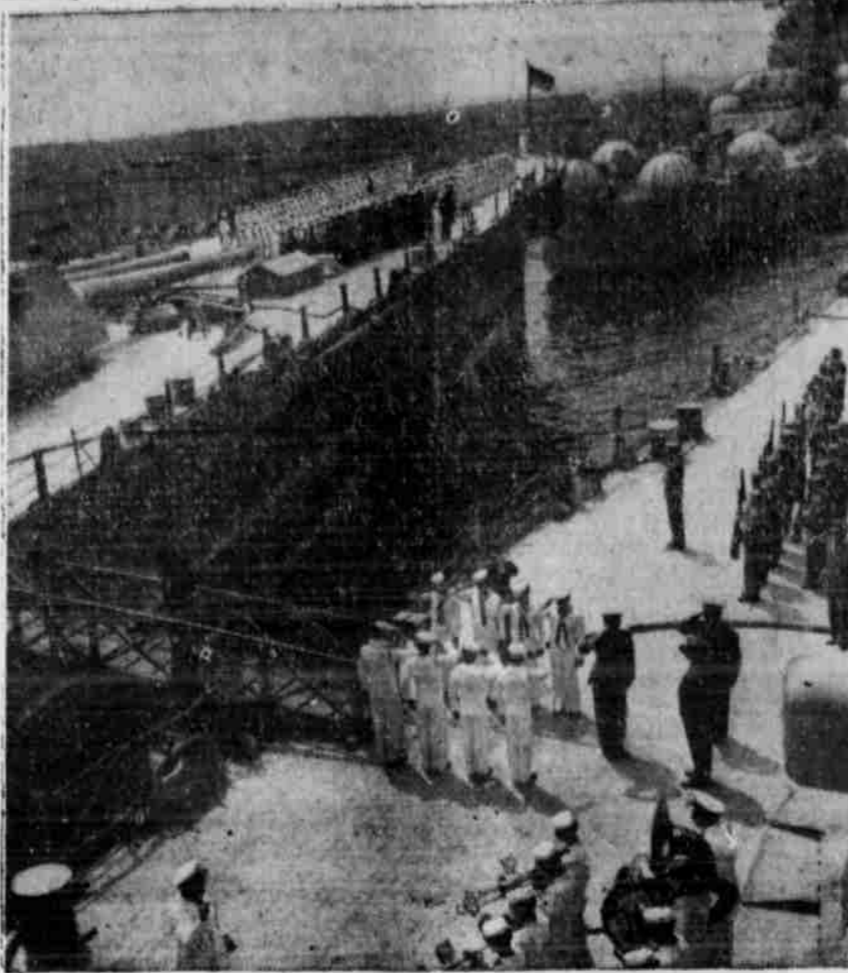
Grain markets developed generally strong tendencies last week. Sorghum prices soared again, gaining 60 cents per hundred, as South Texas movement reached full volume, and the July 10 crop report indicated smallest production since 1939. Corn netted little change, for cash premium reductions offset futures market rises. An average crop of 2.6 billion bushels is forecast — 675 million less than last year.

Eggs and poultry of good quality found steady to firm markets last week, and lower grades held around steady. Fort Worth bought most eggs on candled grade at 47 cents per dozen for select whites, 44 to 45 for best mixed, and 40 to 42 for medium. Denver paid mostly 40 to 42, Dallas 39, and New Orleans around 43 1-2.

West Texas potatoes found a dull, weak market at Fort Worth, and Missouri and Kaw Valley prices weakened as shipments neared a peak. Onions held about steady. Watermelons weakened at most markets. Texas Black Diamonds brought \$2.50 per hundred pounds for 35 to 40 pound melons at Kansas City, and \$2 to \$2.50 for 26 to 40 pound sizes at St. Louis. Honeydews and peaches sold some lower at Denver.

Most sheep and lambs gained 25 cents to \$1 or more last week. Medium to good spring lambs brought \$18 to \$20 at San Antonio, and \$21 to \$24 at Oklahoma City. Good and choice grades cleared at \$21 to \$22 at Fort Worth, and \$24.50 to \$25 at Wichita and Denver. San Antonio bought common to medium shorn goats at \$6 to \$7.

Butcher hogs and sows sold 50 cents to \$1.75 higher at southwest markets last week, while stocker and feeder pigs dropped mostly \$1 to \$2. Good and choice barrows and gilts topped at \$25 at San Antonio, \$25.50



TWO U. S. BATTLESHIPS RETIRED . . . A certain amount of pomp and circumstance must accompany even the decommissioning of a naval vessel. Here, Adm. Thomas C. Kinkaid, commander of the Atlantic reserve fleet, is sized aboard U.S.S. North Carolina.

Son Born to Mr. and Mrs. Duggan

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Duggan at the Littlefield Hospital Wednesday, July 9, weighing 9 lbs. 6 oz.

In an interview with Mr. Duggan Saturday he stated they had not named the baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Duggan now have three children, a son, Alexander aged 6, a daughter, Sallie, aged 2, and the infant son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Broadus of Wildorado are the parents of a baby girl, born July 8. Mrs. Broadus is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones of Littlefield.

Misses Marie Jones and Evelyn Petty returned home Monday of last week after spending a few days in Carlsbad and Ruidosa. Miss Jones has resumed her duties at the Haile Beauty Shop.

Miss Luella Martens of Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Silcot and daughter, Miss Wanda Silcott, of Olton, left Saturday for Pagosa Springs, Colo., where they will spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Harvey and children left recently for Antinto, Colo., on a two week's vacation trip.

at Fort Worth, \$25.75 at Oklahoma City, \$26.35 at Wichita, and \$26 at Denver.

Only minor weak spots marred a generally advancing cattle market last week. Houston paid \$25 for choice club yearlings, and \$14 to \$20 for cotton to medium steers and yearlings. San Antonio bought average medium to low good grass steers at \$24, and common to medium steers at \$16 to \$22. Medium to good steers and yearlings brought \$18 to \$24.75 at Fort Worth, and \$20 to \$23 at Wichita. Good fed yearlings drew \$26.50 at Oklahoma City, and steers mostly \$23.50 to \$27.50 at Denver.

The best reason for knowing enough to come in out of the rain is not to keep from getting soaked but to avoid being struck by lightning.

Cow Girl Sponsor Contest July 26

In connection with the Jaycee's second annual rodeo, a cowgirl sponsor contest is to be held the second night of the event, July 26, opening at 8 o'clock.

This event is to select the best all-round cowgirl entered in this contest. There will be first, second and third prizes awarded, totalling \$100. These contestants will be judged by out of town judges on the following points:

1. Western Dress 25%
2. Horse and Rigging 25%
3. Ability to ride and handle mount 50%

Total 100%
Contestants will ride in the downtown opening parade to be held at 10 A. M. Friday morning, July 25.

Entries must be turned into Alvin C. Webb, 429 1/2 Phelps Ave., or P. O. Box 812, Littlefield, by noon, Thursday, July 24.

\$300 Contributed To Resuscitator

Satisfactory progress is reported in the campaign for funds with which to finance a resuscitator, which is being sponsored by the Lions club, with Alvin Webb, Secretary-Treasurer, chairman of the committee in charge.

A desk was established at the First National Bank Saturday for the receiving of contributions towards the purchase of this resuscitator, and considerable was received, which according to Mr. Webb brought the donations to date up to \$300.00.

This equipment is available to anyone who are in need of same for emergency treatment of victims of drowning, shock, polio, etc. It is now on display at Little Drug.

The Lions Club report that they are in need of \$200 additional to a complete payment of this resuscitator, and will appreciate donations towards this worthy cause.

Mrs. A. B. Brown was in receipt of a letter this week from her sister, Mrs. Jack Johnson, formerly of Littlefield, and who is attending summer school at Bellingham, Washington, saying that her husband has been furloughed from Veteran's hospital at Walla Walla, Wash., since December 1945. He is slowly recovering from a continued illness, but is yet unable to assume any work.

Plateau Singing Convention At Pampa July 19-20

Plans are complete in Pampa for the event of the 26th Annual Plateau Singing Convention to be held there on July 19 and 20.

The Convention will officially open Saturday afternoon July 19, at 2:30 p. m. in the Senior High School Auditorium, with sessions to follow Saturday night and all day Sunday. Quartettes from all sections of the Southwest have been invited, including the Stamps Quartette of Dallas.

The Plateau Singing Convention had its origin back in 1922 when the organization was started in Clovis, N. M. Mr. John F. Taylor was elected as president in its first year, and has served in that capacity since that time. The present officials and directors are as follows:

President, John F. Taylor, Canyon, Texas.

Vice president, M. C. Morgan, Portales, N. M.

Field manager, L. W. Reed, Anton, Texas.

Secretary, Miss Pat Holland, Canyon, Texas.

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Prof. M. M. Keeton, Pampa, Texas.

L. E. Raper, Plainview, Texas.

Roy Smith, Tucumcari, N. M.

REGISTRATION JULY 21

Registration for the second term of summer school at Texas Technological College is scheduled July 21, with classes to begin the following day.

Enrollment for the six-weeks session is expected to be high, although lighter than the record breaking 2705 figure for the first term.

Vacation Bible School July 27

A hearty welcome is extended to children, ages 4 through 12 years, to a social at the Methodist Church Thursday, July 24, at 8 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of enrolling in Bible School, beginning Monday, July 27.

The third meeting of adults and workers was held at the Church Wednesday evening, July 16, when classrooms chosen and materials were assembled for the school.

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