

# WE THINK

What do you think

BY M. B. D.

## CUTTING UP MORE CAPERS

Mrs. Ed Halcomb's oldest boy is cutting up more capers. This young man is W. W. Halcomb, "The World's Worst Hick," editor-manager of the Castro County News. He asks election as Representative. His platform consists of four words, "Ten bucks a day."

But he has a whole heap more to say about his candidacy than the said "Ten bucks a day."

We said that "Halcomb's platform is just a bunch of 'hokum'."

Now here's what Halcomb said in reply:

"When I got into politics by announcing that I was gonna run for the office of Representative, some of my friends come to me and said, 'whatever you do, don't tell the truth.'"

"I said, 'I'm gonna tell the truth if I don't get four votes.'"

"And I started out telling the truth by saying that the reason I wanted the office was on account of it paid ten dollars a day. That was a plumb fact."

"The reason I want the office is on account of I want to be right in the big middle of one of the biggest clown shows in the world. And anybody that says the Texas Legislature ain't a clown show don't know nothing at all."

"This is the plumb truth and if the voters don't like it they shore don't have to vote for me."

"I said in the beginning that I aim to tell the truth and if a man can't git elected by telling the truth, then I won't be elected."

"The people have been humbugged so long that they can't even tell the truth from baloney."

"Now there's old Morley Drake down at Littlefield. He runs the paper down there. A swell feller, but he jist can't git used to the idea that a candidate can tell the truth."

"Why old Morley came out in his paper last week and said my platform was a bunch of hokum."

"That jist goes to show that the folks have been humbugged so long they don't know no different."

"What would he have thought if I had said as follows:

"I am fer efficiency and economy in government."

"I am fer a square deal for West Texas."

"I am fer the masses instead of the classes."

"Why I'll betcha old Morley woulda thought that was great stuff. Yet

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## APPEAL FOR THE IMPROVEMENT HIGHWAY NO. 28

### Assistance of South Plains Good Roads Association Urged

A special appeal to the South Plains Good Roads Association for their assistance in bringing about the improvement of Highway No. 28 through Lamb County, was ably and forcefully voiced by J. W. Richards of Olton, at a meeting of the association Friday afternoon in Lubbock.

Among others who represented Olton were J. F. Wiles, R. E. Dennis, and L. S. Kennedy.

The speaker for the delegation was Mr. Richards, who outlined the general situation as regards No. 28 through Lamb County.

The Olton delegation had the enthusiastic backing of the other representatives from Lamb County.

Mr. Richards said that a 100-foot right-of-way for No. 28 through Lamb County had been obtained, and the fences had been moved back. This had been done by the county and citizens interested in good roads. Mr. Richards went on to say that the state had not taken any action, in spite of the fact that \$50,000, or \$4 per capita had been designated for its county out of the \$24,000,000 in federal funds given the state of Texas for roads.

The Olton resident also stated that the \$80,000 was to have been spent on No. 7 and No. 28.

Approximately half of the amount being spent on No. 7.

Following Mr. Richards' talk, the statement was made that it seemed that the money had been designated for work on No. 28, and that the project should be carried forward immediately.

The Olton delegation came before a meeting as representatives of Lamb County, rather than as representatives of one section.

# GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAMS TO HOLD DISTRICT TOURNAMENT HERE MARCH 2-3

## L. D. ROCHELLE ASKS RE-ELECTION AS SCHOOL SUPT.

### Seeks Second Term Solely On His Record Of Service

In this issue of the Leader L. D. Rochelle makes announcement of his candidacy for re-election to the office of County School Superintendent, subject to the favorable expression of the voters at the July primary.

Mr. Rochelle, who is now serving his first term, states:

"It has been a pleasure to serve the people of this county as your school superintendent, which office I have filled to the best of my ability. I have given my entire time to the duties of the office, and have worked conscientiously in the interest of Lamb county schools. With my vast experience in school matters before my election to this office, coupled with my duties as your school superintendent, I believe fits me to serve the people of this county even more efficiently than in the past, if the voters see fit to elect me to this office for a second term."

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## LITTLEFIELD--THE PULSE OF THE PLAINS LAMB COUNTY LEADER

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### MERCHANTS SAY ADVERTISEMENTS IN THE LEADER BRING RESULTS

The Leader is gratified at the splendid results reported by several firms recently from the advertising placed in this newspaper.

L. E. Key, who about a month ago purchased the J. W. Purser Furniture business, remodeling the building and adding to his stock, and who has been advertising regularly in the Leader, states he can hardly keep enough furniture to supply his customers; that the furniture moves out as soon as it arrives. Mr. Key attributes his good business to advertising.

Mr. Dale, manager of Perry Bros., reports that he has good excellent results from his advertising. He inserted an ad in last week's issue of the Leader, and reported that he had as good, if not larger amount of sales last Saturday than he had any similar day last fall.

The Burleson Furniture Company, who up until several months ago, did no advertising, but who recently have been using the Leader as a medium, also states that their business is much improved since using newspaper advertising.

Many other firms, including the leading merchants in Littlefield, find that Leader advertising pays.

### REPORTS MADE BY GUESTS AT C. OF C. MEET

#### D. A. Adams and J. C. Whicker Report On Projects

President Ira E. Woods presided over the regular weekly noon luncheon of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce, Tuesday, at the Presbyterian Church. A large representation of business men were present at the meeting.

Out-of-town guests at the luncheon were introduced as follows: D. A. Adams, county agent; G. R. Schuman, assistant county agent, and Mr. Allen, prominent farmer north of Littlefield.

A report by Mr. Adams on cotton acreage reduction, hog and corn reduction, and other government projects and their benefits to Lamb county were discussed. He stated that this county received more than \$3,338,000 government money from cotton plow-up campaign, and other benefits last year. The county agent disclosed the fact that 2248 farmers of Lamb county signed the plow-up campaign contracts in 1933 as compared to approximately 1300 signers of the cotton acreage reduction contracts for 1934 to date. Several hundred more are expected to sign before the end of the final date set. Although more signed in 1933, the acreage involved this year almost equals to that of the previous season.

It was stated that Mr. Schuman would have charge of terracing projects in Littlefield and surrounding territory. 4-H clubs among Littlefield students and schools of other towns

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### Seeks Office Of Congressman From New 19th District

George Mahon of Colorado, Texas, District Attorney, was in Littlefield Tuesday and advised the Leader he would be a candidate for Congress from the new 19th Congressional District. Mr. Mahon's announcement will appear in next week's issue of this newspaper.

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### LITTLEFIELD WOMEN PARTICIPATE IN WORLD BRIDGE OLYMPIC THURSDAY

Thursday night at exactly 8:01 o'clock the play in the 1934 World Bridge Olympic was started in Littlefield as it was in thousands of other cities in the entire world.

The local tournament was held in the American Legion Hall and much interest and enjoyment was found in the 16 hands selected by the national committee for this contest.

Duplicate score sheets were kept by each pair participating—one set of which was sent to the national committee the other being held by the game captain for the selection of local winners. Par sheets having been received from national headquarters the local scoring has now been carefully checked by the game captain and her local committee and the winners have been determined.

Miss Dess Key and Mrs. Bert Badger are high making five pairs out of a possible ten and thereby winning the local trophy, a copper beccus goblet.

The playing was very close and although Littlefield will hardly win any national trophies this year all players are looking forward to the 1935 Olympic with the hope that some of our players will go farther in that contest.

Players taking part in the olympic here, by pairs, were:  
East and West:  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henry; Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Parker; Mrs. J. G. Little and Mrs. Dennis Jones; Mrs. J. M. Stokes and Mrs. A. H. McGavock; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fuquhar; Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hewitt; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton

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### W. W. MATTHEWS CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC WEAIGHER

#### Merits of Last Year's Work To Be Platform of Campaign

W. W. (Whit) Matthews, who has served this precinct for the past year as public weigher, having been selected by the voters at the last election, Wednesday authorized the Lamb County Leader to announce that he will be a candidate for re-election.

Mr. Matthews issued the following statement:  
"To the Voters of Precinct No. 4:  
"There is no need for me to give you a history of my life, in making my announcement as a candidate for re-election."

"I only want to say that my work stands out for itself, and if the voters of this precinct see fit to give me a second term, I will continue to give a fair and square deal to all."

"I wish to express my deep appreciation for your past support, and kind cooperation in the carrying out of my duties. It has been a pleasure to serve the people of this precinct."

"Appreciating your vote and influence, I am,  
"Sincerely,  
"W. W. (Whit) Matthews."

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### High School Exams Thursday And Friday

At the completion of four and one-half months of school each year we have what we call mid-term examinations in the high school. During the time of the examination, which have been scheduled for Thursday and Friday of this week, the youngsters are required to be at school only when they have examinations. Students in the grammar grades will be at school all time as usual. These examinations will require only half the time of each pupil during these two days. At times when he is not employed on his examinations he may return home or remain at school and study for the next examination.

These examinations are really very important as they count one-fourth

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### ALL FARMERS URGED TO EXECUTE CORN HOG CONTRACTS BY FEB. 17

About one hundred farmers attended the Corn Hog Reduction campaign meeting at the Palace Theatre Tuesday afternoon, conducted by the temporary local committee, of which W. H. Cunningham is chairman, assisted by D. A. Adam, county agent, and G. R. Schuman, assistant county agent.

Details of the contract were gone into, and permanent local committee elected as follows: Albert Neuschwander, chairman; Bruce Porcher and C. A. Parks, committeemen.

All corn hog farmers of the Littlefield trade territory are urged to get in touch with their committee and get all the necessary blanks and information in regard to the corn hog contracts. The committee will start signing next Monday morning, February 12, and it is urged that all farmers sign up by not later than Saturday, February 17.

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### Attend Meeting Of Roads Association

Many residents of Lamb county attended the second annual convention of the South Plains Good Roads Association, which was held in Lubbock Friday.

Among those who attended were J. W. Haie, secretary-manager of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce; County Commissioner C. E. Strawn; and J. F. Wiles, J. W. Richards, R. E. Dennis, and L. S. Kennedy, all of Olton.

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### COACHES PLAN TOURNAMENT AT MEETING

#### Sixteen County Champions To Participate In Tournament

At a meeting in Lubbock Wednesday night of last week the coaches of the girls' basketball team of the District No. 3 decided to play the district tournament at Littlefield, March 2 and 3.

In selection of the place for the meet the matter was placed on a competitive basis among towns. The Littlefield coaches, Miss Thelma Killough and Mr. Floyd Hemphill, agreed to give the visitors three very definite considerations for coming to Littlefield for the tournament. First, they are to give the girls bed Friday night and breakfast Saturday morning; second, they are to pay for a competent referee; third, they are to provide suitable trophies for the three winning teams. Individual medals for all tournament teams. The coaches were indeed fortunate in securing for Littlefield this tournament.

In addition to whatever advantage, if any, there is for the home girls in case any play, they stand a chance to make a few dimes and may be do something worth while for the team at this place.

There are sixteen county championship teams to be here at that time. Basketball is not a league event but is being sponsored on the same basis, by will of the coaches of this event, and is becoming very popular in this part of the country. It is expected that each and every county will have a pretty fair team to present at this occasion.

The counties in this district are as follows: Bailey, Lamb, Hockley, Hale, Lubbock, Crosby, Garza, Lynn, Terry, Cochran, Floyd, Dawson, Yoakum, Borden, Gaines and Dickens.

The patrons of the school and citizens of the town will do the school a great favor to open their homes to the girls who come to this tournament. The Littlefield girls will be around to see you or will call on you to extend this favor.

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### IS CANDIDATE FOR COMMISSIONER OF PRECINCT No. 3

#### Roy L. Gattis Asks Election On Ability To Serve Precinct

Roy L. Gattis, a Lamb county farmer for 11 years, and former tax assessor for this county, Wednesday authorized the Lamb County Leader to announce that he will be a candidate for commissioner of Precinct No. 3.

Throughout his entire residence in Lamb county Mr. Gattis has lived in Precinct No. 3.

Mr. Gattis served Lamb county as tax assessor for four years, and in that time had the opportunity to become very familiar with the duties of a county commissioner. His official connection with Lamb county for four years, and his familiarity with the needs of his own precinct, especially equips him to make a very efficient county commissioner, Mr. Gattis believes.

"When I served as tax assessor I exerted my best efforts to render efficient service, and if elected commissioner I will continue to act at all times in the best interests of Precinct No. 3 and the entire county," said Mr. Gattis.

"If you elect me as your commissioner, I will serve the entire precinct efficiently, studying the needs of all sections and endeavoring at all times to carry out those projects which are most needed.

"I am not making the race for commissioner as the representative of any group of men, or any section of the precinct. And, if elected to office, I will take over my duties free to serve all with special favors to none."

"In asking election as commissioner, I wish to make it clear that I am not seeking to perpetually hold office in the county, in that it has been four years since I was tax assessor. I am entering the race for commissioner

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

Obituaries, cards of thanks, and resolutions of respect will also be charged for at the same rate.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm, or corporation which may appear in the columns of the Lamb County Leader will be gladly corrected upon its being brought to the attention of the publisher.

In case of errors or omissions in local or other advertisements, the publisher does not hold himself liable for damage further than the amount received by him for such advertisement.

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We Do Our Part

### SCHOOLS vs. JAILS

Long columns of dismal figures compiled at Washington reveal that the United States, education is facing a crisis.

Let those who will dispute what constitutes "frills," but the blunt fact remains that this year to a hundred thousand American boys and girls is denied the opportunity to acquire the essentials of training for living in our increasingly complex age simply because schools which they would have attended failed to open last fall. Other thousands are not in the classroom for lack of adequate food and clothing—or because their schools already have closed.

And the schools that are operated face a dilemma which curtails their efficiency. With child labor abolished and jobs going to their elders, more children than ever before throng the classrooms. In spite of this increased load, teaching staffs are being cut. Fifty-five thousand fewer teachers are employed today than two years ago, leaving to reduce staffs the instruction of 1,400,000 additional pupils. If education were run on industrial principles, increased business would lead to more money for operating expenses. With schools, the reverse is the case.

Some relief is coming from the Emergency Relief Administration of the federal government. A monthly grant of two million dollars to states is helping them to put teachers back to work again. Some aid is being given for construction of new school buildings. But the crux of the problem is the willingness and the ability of communities, working together, to surmount the difficulties. For where there's a will for education, citizens do find a way.

New England, for example, has been hit hard by the depression, yet it is maintaining its educational program with less curtailment than other sections. Perhaps this is due to the lingering traditions of pioneers who started schools almost before they built their homes. Or perhaps it is hard-headed Yankee logic that refuses penny economies today that must be paid for in pounds tomorrow, a logic that takes account of the fact that it costs less than a hundred dollars a year to keep a child in school, but three hundred dollars to maintain a social misfit in a reform institution or jail.

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### DIZZINESS

relieved by Black-Draught  
"I decided to take Theodor's Black-Draught, as I had been having bilious spells," writes Mr. Chas. E. Stevens, of Columbus, Ind. "When I get bilious, I feel sleepy and tired and do not feel like doing my work. I get awfully dizzy. I know then that I had better take something. After I found how good Black-Draught is, that is what I have used. I guess it rids me of the bile, for I feel better—don't feel like I am dropping off to sleep every time I sit down. That, to me, is a very bad feeling. Now you can get Black-Draught in the form of a SYRUP, for CHILDREN."

### EIGHT YEARS AGO IN LITTLEFIELD

(Excerpts from Lamb Co. Leader)

A deal was closed last week between J. C. Whicker and R. S. Thomas of Littlefield, and W. B. Simpson of Roswell, N. M. wherein the latter purchased the Littlefield Hotel, for the consideration of \$31,000, including some city property in Roswell, management as Mr. Simpson is a rep-

Mrs. Simpson is in charge of the representative of the Ajax Tire Company and will not be in Littlefield regularly.

A marriage of interest to the people of both Littlefield and Lubbock was that of Miss Beulah Nix and John M. Pope, which took place at the Presbyterian manse, Sunday afternoon.

Marguerite Duggar played the wedding march from Wagner's Lohengrin, an dthe beautiful ring ceremony was used, with Rev. C. A. Dugger officiating. Only two of their personal friends, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Stone were in attendance. \* \* \* \* \*

They left immediately after the ceremony for Amarillo, returning to Littlefield Monday. They will make their home in the residence recently purchased by John Kling in the south part of town.

J. C. Collins, ginmer at Davanay gin, who received severe injuries to two fingers, while at work a few months ago, went to Lubbock Wednesday where he had the fingers amputated.

Lib Dick, aged 60 years, succumbed to pneumonia Sunday at Morton. Funeral services were held Monday where interment took place.

In this issue of the Leader will be found the announcement of A. S. Erb of Olton for the office of Tax Assessor of Lamb County, subject to the action of the will of the voters in the Democratic primary to be held July 24th.

### ROCKY FORD

Brother Booth filled his regular appointment: here Saturday night and Sunday. He preaches on the first and third Sundays in each month. There were ninety-five in Sunday school Sunday. Interest is fine. All seem to get great benefit from studying the Sermon on the Mount.

Mr. R. L. Holden and wife of Littlefield and Mr. Ernest Allred and wife of Lubbock visited in the Dunn home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Williamson visited Claud Rogers' home Sunday.

J. D. Nixon and family visited relatives at Spade Sunday.

Joe Dunn, Woodrow Mitchell and Truman Stines, made a trip to Clovis Saturday, and broadcasted a nice musical program over K. I. C. A. They gave the boys thirty-five minutes and their big audience seemed to enjoy their program very much judging from the calls and requests they received.

Mr. Ed Parker and family are some of the new neighbors, and they have started out on the right course, as they were in church Sunday.

Our editor is setting a good resolution for us by making the resolution to attend church this year. Glad to hear of such resolutions by men in such an important position as our editor holds. Great opportunities carry great responsibilities. —Optimist.

### ENOCHS' BREEZES

Mr. and Mrs. Ish Wasson lost their small daughter, January 31. She had diphtheria and was taken to Lubbock, but it was too late to do her any good. She was the first person to be buried in the Enochs Cemetery. Two other children took the disease but they are out of danger now.

Miss La Juana Jean Alford arrived last Tuesday to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Alford. She weighed ten pounds.

Mr. Roy Nelson went to Dublin with a truck load of goods for Max Allen Monday.

Miss Viola McQuary and her small brother, who have been visiting relatives here went home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hall moved into their new home on the north side of Enochs Monday.

Mr. Ash Dunnivant and J. D. Blaylock made a business trip to Muleshoe Friday.

Mr. John Alford and Mrs. R. L. Paterson went to Muleshoe on business Saturday.

Mr. J. M. Lynch moved into their new home south of town last week. His former home was in Paducah.

### Spade Cagers Defeat Littlefield Team

Littlefield Wildcats made a good showing at the invitation tournament which they attended at Spade Friday and Saturday of last week. Although the Cats were defeated in semi-finals by the Spade Cagers they put up a lively fight and showed that they have a good chance of bringing home the championship in basket ball.

## YOUR Palace Theatre PRESENTS

TONIGHT (THURSDAY) and FRIDAY  
Bing Crosby and Marion Davies in a dazzling musical romance—  
"GOING HOLLYWOOD"  
ALSO SERIAL—COMEDY and NEWS

SATURDAY MATINEE and NIGHT  
Zane Grey's great western—  
"THE THUNDER HERD"  
ALSO GOOD COMEDY and NEWS

SATURDAY MIDNIGHT and SUNDAY AFTERNOON  
William Powell and Mary Astor in a great S. S. Van Dine Story—  
"THE KENNEL MURDER CASE"  
JACK DENNY and HIS BAND—METRO NEWS

SUNDAY NIGHT and MONDAY  
Claude Rains and Gloria Stuart in a Mystery Thriller of a mad scientist who terrorized the world—  
"THE INVISIBLE MAN"  
RUTH ETING MUSICAL and NEWS

### ANNOUNCING

THAT  
A. C. TREMAIN

Has taken over the management of the

### PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION

He invites the continued patronage of all customers of the station, and wishes to serve all motorists of Littlefield and territory.

LET US WASH AND GREASE YOUR CAR FOR YOU  
Check-Chart Lubrication  
The best job and service in town.



## SAVE STEPS In Your Office and in Your Home

The amount of time wasted by office workers and housekeepers in trying to get proper light, adjusting things that could be done easily with the use of electricity, and going out of the way to use electrical machinery and appliances is often appallingly great.

Why not decide today to eliminate "waste" motion in your office and home? Every person who is profiting by electrical outlets will tell you that it pays to have as many as possible in your home and office . . . it will save you many steps.

Time saved from extra steps is money made. Have an estimator decide upon the most efficient way of completing your home and office for time-saving office appliances and machinery.

## TEXAS UTILITIES CO.

BETTER LIGHT . . . . . BETTER SIGHT

## TO OUR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the splendid patronage you have given us during the past year that we have hatched and sold baby chicks on our farm.

### TO EVERYONE INTERESTED IN CHICKS

—We solicit your chick business for the coming year and invite you to come to see us any time.

—There is every reason to believe the poultry industry like other industries should be on the up-grade this year.

—Beginning Monday, February 5, we start setting eggs for our second season. Bring us your eggs for custom hatching, or let us take your order for baby chicks.

FOR BETTER CHICKS BUY SANITARY FARM HATCHED CHICKS

## SPADE HATCHERY

MR. and MRS. E. S. BILLINGS  
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## Fourteenth Installment

**SYNOPSIS:** Ruth Warren, who lived in the East, is willed three-fourth interest in the "Dead Lantern" ranch in Arizona by her only brother who is reported to have met his death while on business in Mexico. Arriving in Arizona with her husband who has ailing lungs and their small child, they learn that the ranch is located 85 miles from the nearest railroad. Old Charley Thane, rancher and rural mail carrier agrees to take them to the "Dead Lantern" ranch five miles from the ranch house. As they trudge wearily through a gulch approaching the ranch house, a voice whispers "Go back! . . . Go back!" At the ranch house they are greeted suspiciously by the gaunt

rancher partner, Snavelly, and Indian Ann, a herculean woman of mixed negro and Indian blood. Snavelly is difficult to understand but regardless, Ruth takes up the task of trying to adjust their lives to the ranch and its development. Kenneth, Ruth's husband, caught in chilling rain contracts pneumonia and passes away before a doctor arrives. Ruth tries to carry on. She is not encouraged by Snavelly in plans to try and stock the ranch or improve it. She writes to her father in the East asking a loan with which to buy cattle. She receives no reply. Will Thane comes home to visit his father . . . and Ruth meets him. A rancher nearby decides to retire and offers to sell Ruth and Snavelly his livestock on credit. Snavelly tries to balk the deal but Ruth buys to the limit of her three-quarter interest in Dead Lantern ranch.

### NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

Old Charley himself had remarked to Ruth that the rains began about the end of June; Snavelly had admitted that it might rain around the twenty-fourth of June—before the real drouth set in; but Ann, Don Francisco, Alfredo, and Magda had stated calmly that the rain would come in abundance beginning with the Day of San Juan.

It was not the twentieth of July and since the single storm of more than two months before, there had not been a cloud in the sky the size of a pigeon. The grass which had sprung up so brave and green after the storm was now wilted and the color of broomstraw. The lacy leaves of the mesquite curled on drooping branches, dust laden; the broad, flat leaves of the prickly pear were shrunken and yellowish; small bushes were as brittle as glass, and the twigs and weed stems underfoot rustled like dry paper. The birds, rabbits, coyotes and lions had left the country—all was desolation. Rattlesnakes abounded.

Each morning the sun rose naked above the eastern mountains and as it rose a wave of stifling heat swept over the desert as though a mighty oven door had slowly swung open.

Ruth had rather expected rain on the Day of San Juan and, when that passed cloudless, felt that in a day or so she would see the clouds billowing over the mountains and smell the indescribable perfume of desert rain. As day succeeded day, each hotter, dryer, more hopeless than the preceding day, her anxiety increased—she

seemed trapped in a corner while disaster crept relentlessly nearer. The increasing awareness of her responsibility drove her to assume more and more the control of the ranch. Before she well realized it she was giving the orders for the day's riding. Snavelly left everything to her. He rode out each morning but he rode alone and he returned alone.

Occasionally as she rode about the ranch, Ruth came across him. Sometimes he was riding casually up some canon as though he cared not where he went, as long as he had no company; again, she had seen him sitting in the shade of a scrubby live oak high upon a ridge top. Whenever she saw him these days Ruth had an odd, uncomfortable feeling that Snavelly was waiting for something.

One day she met Old Charley and Will as she was riding the southern boundary of the ranch. The two men came up to the fence and talked with her. That evening she told Snavelly that he ought to go to town for a wagonload of cottonseed meal which could be given to such cows as needed it badly. She also suggested that he get a certain brand of dried milk—much advertised in the cattle raisers' magazine—which, mixed with water, could be given to the underfed calves and the orphans.

Snavelly thought for a long time, then said he would go. It seemed to Ruth that there was an undercurrent of eagerness in his voice in spite of his objections to the trip. He started the next morning with team and wagon, returning a week later with the load. He appeared oddly satisfied.

Now, whenever the riders found a weak cow with a starving calf or some calf without a mother, these animals were brought to the home ranch, turned into the small horse pasture, and fed. Some sixty cows were receiving their daily ration of meal, and about the ranch house and corrals wandered a band of nine or ten orphaned calves whom Ruth was bringing up on the bottle.

The gulch had been fenced by the Mexicans under Ruth's direction; also all the ponds were now deep—and all but the one in the south pasture was bone dry. Half of the herd watered at this pond, the other half at the corral troughs on the home ranch. The corral troughs could only water this number. Very little wind came to turn the windmill which fed the tank by the corrals. Even after Alfredo had constructed a primitive hand pump, it usually meant three hours of back-breaking labor to raise the required amount of water.

And no signs of rain. Each day, as she returned from the south pasture, sometimes driving a weak cow, or even carrying a day-old calf across her saddle, the swelling fear in her heart increased. A hundred times a day she looked for clouds; if her riding took her near a hill she went to the top, eagerly scanning the new-made horizon.

She knew that the Mexicans were praying for rain—she had given them all the candles in the house for the sacred picture they had hung in the barn. And once she had entered the gulch after a calf, which had gone through the fence, and upon the rock had found a grotesque little mud image holding a tiny pot of cornmeal. Ann did not reply when Ruth asked her about it; but the girl had come to know the footprints of the giants.

There came a day when the water in the south pasture had shrunk to a thin sheet of wet mud. Then Ruth knew that the end had come; with the full herd trying to water at the home ranch where there was barely enough for half, there could be only one result. If no rain came within a week the cattle would begin dying by dozens.

For the last few days as she watched the water so relentlessly disappear Ruth thought less about meeting her note and more about the cattle themselves. The tears often started in her eyes these days. When the girl came upon a gaunt cow lying in the stifling shade at the bottom of some gully, with a shriveled, panting calf at her side, she wailed desperately to explain to these poor creatures that she could not help, that she was not to blame. When the last of the water was

gone in the south pasture, Ruth felt that she would gladly give every animal on the place to any one who could take them to green fields and running water. Feeling as she did, the blow which fell on the following mail day was robbed a little of its power to hurt.

She had written a letter to Parker explaining the situation and thanking him for his previous offer to extend payment. And although Old Charley would be bringing the mail and would not be going into town again until next week, the girl rode to the box.

But the mail had already arrived when she reached the box. There were two letters addressed to her. The one with the earliest postmark was from Parker who explained that for business reasons he had been obliged to take a loan on the note. It was now in the hands of J. H. Witherspoon, Inc., a broker. The second letter was from the broker. After reading it the girl stared at the cloudless skyline, then rode home. Her lips were set and her face shone yellow under the tan. . . . "Consequently, the cattle situation being what it is owing to the present drouth, we feel it necessary to call payment on the note when due; namely, November first, next."

"Well," said Will, "there's one thing certain—when the rains hold off as long as this they make up for it when they do begin."

Again, Ruth shook her head. Old Charley studied for a moment, then slowly climbed out of the car. Will followed. "I've seen some pretty bad times mended," remarked the old man. "Things most always seem worse than what they are. But pshaw—we're bound to get rain before long and when we do, it'll likely be a good one, same as Will says."

"The last pond went dry a week ago," said Ruth dully. Old Charley tried not to show his surprise. "So? Well, they'll get a little thin waterin' at the well, but it won't hurt them."

"Oh!" Ruth suddenly turned away. After a moment she said slowly, "I gave my note to Parker for the cattle—my interest in the ranch will be gone by November—there's no water—the cattle will be dying in another week."

"Another week!" Both men stared at the girl. "You must be wrong," said Old Charley.

"No, the well's going dry—it gives out sooner each day." "But, Mrs. Warren"—Will looked from Ruth to his father—"I don't understand. There was surface water there late last June, worlds of water. Why, there must be two or three thousand acres which drain into that well!"

"It's going dry," said Ruth. "New wells sometimes give out quickly," replied Old Charley slowly, "but it sure seems funny. You see, Will, here, helped your brother locate that well. You ought to be able to take care of a good half of your herd—let part of 'em water at the corrals."

"At—the—corrals? But I don't understand—do you mean—what do you mean?"

Old Charley looked at his son and then at Ruth. "Why, just what I said; use the well at the corrals, the one with the windmill—the old well."

"But that's what we have been using," cried Ruth; "that's the one that's going dry."

"What?" ejaculated Will. "Aren't you using the upper well at all?"

"Upper well—what upper well?" asked Ruth in a dazed voice.

"Well, I'll be—!" Old Charley looked at his son.

"He never went on with it," said Will, softly.

Old Charley nodded and turned to Ruth. "The prospect Harry and Will found last summer was in the upper end of the north pasture—I guess Harry didn't get around to developing it before—he left. But didn't anybody tell you about it?"

"No—" Ruth's heart was beating wildly. "I never heard about any

other water."

"Harry bought the pipe," said Will. "Remember, Dad? We passed a load of it on the way to town last fall."

"There's a big pile of pipe behind the barn," said Ruth. "Tell me quick! Is there water we can use in the north pasture?"

"It'll have to be developed," said Old Charley slowly.

"Shouldn't take more than a day or two," responded Will. He thought a moment, then pulled an envelope from his pocket and wrote on it with a pencil, "Here, Dad, you run on into town and send this telegram—I'll be staying over a few days." He turned to Ruth. "Suppose I ride back with you and show you that place. Seems to me you ought to develop plenty of water with a day's work or so."

Snavelly slowly arose as the riders came straight up to him. Ruth spoke; "Mr. Thane has told me of a place in the north pasture where there is indication of water—he and my brother found it last summer." She paused. "Why didn't you tell me about it?"

"I had reasons," said Snavelly, his eyes on Will. "I didn't want to go gettin' your hopes up—there ain't no use diggin' in that gully bottom just because of a little rain seepage."

"But, Mr. Snavelly," said Ruth, "now that we have need of the water don't you think it would be wise to try to get it?"

"If you can, you won't find nothin' though. Maybe a little rock basin full of rain water under the sand."

"There had been no rains for several months when we located the prospect last summer," said Will; "the sand was wet and we dug far enough to see that water was running into it

from that big dike. That dike is a natural underground dam—"

"All right, all right—go ahead and dig all you're a mind to if you've got such an all-fired interest in the Dead Lantern, Mr. Thane."

Will made no reply and Ruth thanked him with her eyes. To Snavelly she said, as she started her horse, "Please have the two men follow us with picks and shovels."

It was not long before Will guided her into a small arroyo, one of the hundreds which led down from the mountains.

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# The WILD CAT

### WILL TAKE MID-TERM EXAMINATIONS

Thursday and Friday of this week the students of the Littlefield High School will take mid-term examinations. The students have been working hard to try to pass on everything. Much interest is being shown this year in the exemption plan, which is if a student makes ninety or above he is exempt from examination in that subject provided his citizenship grade is not below ninety.

### COUNTY BASKETBALL BOYS' TOURNAMENT

The county basketball tournament will be held for the boys at Spade, February 9th and 10th. All teams in the county will participate in this tournament. Each and every team will be in its best shape. It will be a hard struggle for first place. Come out and support your home team.

### TO BE REPRESENTED IN LEAGUE CONTESTS

Littlefield High School will be represented in all the Interscholastic League contests this year at the county meet which is to be held in Littlefield the latter part of March. Students are working hard in preparation for the local tryouts which will be held about ten days before the county meet. The following teachers are coaching the events listed opposite their names: Miss Hopping, debate. Mr. Boles, extemporaneous speech. Miss Jones, declamation. Miss Parkens, essay. Miss McKee, spelling. Mr. Barksdale, track. Mr. Hemphill, boys' playground ball. Mr. White, girls' playground ball. Mr. Irvin, tennis. Miss Killough, volley ball. It will be recalled that the local high school has won both the all-round championship and the literary championship for the past three years and is working hard to repeat the performance this year.

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### WEST TEXAS HISTORY CLUB

For the next six weeks the following officers were elected in the West Texas club work: Donald Bennett, president; Prentiss Taylor, vice-president; Opal Carpenter, secretary; Juanda Dunn, reporter; Dorothy Stripe, song leader, and the program committee consists of Truett Mayfield, Irma Botsford, Sybil Byers, Pete Fournimore, Iris Busby, and Doyle Gazener.

### WORK ON JUNIOR PLAY TO BEGIN AT EARLY DATE

Work on the Junior play will begin soon. The cast will be chosen this week so that practice may begin immediately after mid-term examinations are over.

### SCHOOL PERSONALS

Miss Ruth McKee spent Saturday with her parents in Lubbock. Bill Wells was absent from school last week because of illness. Miss Mary Perkins was a Lubbock visitor Saturday. Little J. D. Sanders, son of Superintendent A. R. Sanders, has been quite ill with larengitis. Superintendent A. B. Sanders and Principal F. O. Boles were in Lubbock on business Friday.

### GRAMMAR SCHOOL NEWS

Work in preparation for the Interscholastic League is underway in all departments in grammar school. Grammar school continues to gain new pupils almost every day. Approximately twenty students will graduate from the seventh grade this week to become freshmen in high school. W. J. Hanes, principal of grammar school, was called to Greenville, Tex., Saturday due to the illness of a sister, who resides there.

### SPEAKING CLUB ADDS NEW MEMBERS

Public speaking club has increased in membership the last two meetings. Irby Davis always affords a bit of humor. A. B. Taylor knows how to take any part. The club had a very enjoyable social feature on Tuesday following the program as outlined: Biography of Hazel Hanks—Hazel Hanks. Club Amusement—Alveria Rucker. Social feature—club members. Humor—Irby Davis.

### SPRING LAKE

Superintendent S. A. Davis was in Muleshoe Saturday. Gus Parish and family of Earth, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wilson Sunday. A. C. Barton delivered a load of cows to Paducah Friday. Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Ginn visited at Flag Saturday. C. B. Bland made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. S. E. Hite visited her son, Robert and family of Earth Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Posey Cunningham were in Plainview Tuesday. Paul Griggsby of Quail, Texas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Dewey Allen.

### SPADE

The Spade school held an invitation tournament this last week end in the school gymnasium. The games started Thursday night and lasted until Saturday night. There were 15 boys' teams entered and ten girls' teams. The Spade boys won first place in the tournament and Pettit boys won second. Abernathy boys won the consolation. The Littlefield girls won first place over the Spade girls. The Cotton

Center girls won the consolation. Beautiful silver trophies were given to first and second places and consolation for girls teams. The first and second place trophies for the boys were Walnut Shields. The consolation trophy for the boys was silver. The P.-T. A. sold sandwiches, coffee, and fruit to the visitors and team. Spade school held mid-term examinations Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Monday, February 5, starts the second semester.

### Number Of Flu Cases Reported

According to local physicians, there is considerable sickness prevailing in Littlefield and section at the present time. J. C. Hilburn has been confined to his bed for several days with flu. Miss Mary Ruth Jones has been ill with tonsillitis and flu since Friday last. She is reported much better. Mrs. Phelps Walker, who has been sick for the past ten days, is somewhat improved. Mr. Jennie Parker is confined to her bed with pleurisy. The three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Howell of Enochs is sick with flu. Raymond Curry, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Curry, of 3 1-2 miles southwest of Littlefield, was taken sick with a slight attack of pneumonia Saturday. M. L. Walraven of six miles south of Littlefield, who was confined to his bed all last week, is much better. Miss Jackie Shelton underwent treatment for synus trouble at the Lubbock Sanitarium Thursday, returning home Friday. Miss Mickie Stewart was away from her duties at Moody's Cafe Friday, due to an attack of tonsillitis. About fifteen children were administered the diphtheria serum Saturday afternoon by a local doctor. Miss Jake Busher, who was confined to her bed from Saturday until Tuesday with flu, is some better. Mrs. Barto Ramsey took her eight months' old son to Lubbock Monday for treatment at the West Texas Hospital. He has been suffering from asthma. Mrs. Ramsey will remain there a week while the baby is taking treatment.

### Former Littlefield Resident Returns And Buys Cafe Here

Rolly (Shorty) Kaufman of Clovis, and a former resident of Littlefield, has purchased the cafe owned and operated here by Mrs. John Blair. Extensive improvements are being carried out, and the business will be reopened within a day or two. Mr. Kaufman was in business in Littlefield in 1922, and was employed here in 1926. He was in business in Clovis for the past five years.

### Littlefield Women Attend Funeral Of Father Saturday

Mrs. Less Barker and Mrs. Bill Roberts of Littlefield returned Monday from attending the funeral of their father, J. S. Foster, aged 79, who passed away Saturday at 2:15 a. m. at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Joe Guthrie at Chillicothe, following a lengthy illness. High blood pressure was believed the cause of his death. Funeral services were conducted at 4:30 p. m. Saturday at Chillicothe, interment taking place in the local cemetery. Mr. Foster has visited in Littlefield on various occasions, and has many friends here.

### VALLEY VIEW HAS SEWING SCHOOL

Mrs. E. Lyle of Valley View, is conducting a sewing school. A meeting was held Thursday, February 1, to set the days for sewing which will be on Monday and Tuesday of each week at 11 o'clock. The first sewing day was Monday, February 5, for sewing class No. 1. The following officers were elected: President, Mrs. J. B. Walker; secretary, Chloedell Tipton; reporter, Beatrice Koke. After the meeting refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served to the following: Mrs. J. B. Walker, Mrs. L. G. Wheeler, Beatrice Koke, Mrs. V. M. Tipton, Mrs. Roy Wheat, Mrs. C. F. Bryce, Mrs. J. E. Deen, and the hostess, Mrs. E. Lyle.

### Public Sale At I. H. Pelt Farm

A public sale will be held Thursday, February 8, at the I. H. Pelt's farm, which is located seven miles southeast of Littlefield, and one and one-fourth mile south of Lubbock highway. The sale will start at 10 a. m. Livestock, implements, feed and some household goods will be auctioned by Col. J. W. Horn and Col. Jack Rowan. Office Supplies, Ptn Tickets, etc.,

### Demonstrations To Be Given Next Week

The following terracing demonstrations will be held next week with the assistant county agent, G. R. Schuman, in charge. Leo O'Neil farm, J. A. McComas, tenant, Hart's Camp, Tuesday, 13th. George H. Poteet, Spade, two miles south of school house, Wednesday, 14th. Nichols farm, Fieldton, Thursday, 18th. J. W. James' farm, southwest of Littlefield, Friday, 16th. It will be impossible to terrace all farms requested to be terraced. All farmers who need terracing work done should, therefore, attend one of these demonstrations so that they might learn how to use terracing equipment. Other demonstrations are being outlined for the following week. Farmers in other communities who want terracing demonstrations should get in touch with the county agent.

### Mich Bass Buys Blue Bonnet Cafe

Mich Bass, who has been connected with a Littlefield cafe, has purchased the Blue Bonnet Cafe, located on Highway No. 7, just east of Phelps Avenue. Extensive remodeling and improvements will be carried out, including the enlarging of the building. Mr. Bass is now in charge of the cafe, and business is being carried on. The remodeling and improvements will be carried out in the very near future. Mr. Bass said that he will operate a first-class cafe, and will offer 24 hour service, seven days a week.

### DR. GLEN SIMMONS PURCHASES FARM

Dr. Glen Simmons has purchased a 185-acre farm three miles east of Baileyboro. The property is partially improved. Dr. Simmons plans to plant the entire tract to cotton. He will continue to practice in Littlefield.

### DICK DYER MANAGER OF CONOCO SERVICE STATION HERE

Dick Dyer, who has extensive experience in the servicing of automobiles, is now in charge of the Conoco station at Phelps Avenue and Highway No. 7, opposite the Santa Fe depot. Mr. Dyer is well and favorably known in Littlefield and district. The station has a complete line of Conoco products and Federal tires, and carries a limited assortment of automobile accessories.

### DR. LITTLE BUYS HOME

The deal was consummated recently whereby Dr. J. G. Little purchased the home formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Alf Wright at 617 East Ninth street. Sale of the property was arranged by A. C. Chesher as broker. Mr. and Mrs. Little moved last week to their new home.

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### WHEAT REMOVAL ACREAGE

The farm administration has announced its intention to seek removal of an additional 5,523,000 acres of wheat from production. Chester C. Davis said the removal would probably be accomplished by renting the acreage either for further reducing the production of previous signers. George F. Farrell, chief of the wheat section of the administration, said the present 85 per cent sign-up of wheat growers would bring the United States acreage down to about 45,800,000 acres.

### JOE BECK IS MANAGER OF GULF SERVICE STATION

Joe Beck, who is well known among automobile owners of Littlefield and district, recently became manager of the Gulf Service Station, opposite city hall. Mr. Beck has had extensive experience in the servicing of automobiles, especially in the lubricating of cars. He has wide experience in the operation of service stations.

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### Basket Dinner At Methodist Church Sunday

A basket dinner will be served at the Methodist Church Sunday noon. Rev. W. L. Tuttle, presiding elder, will preach at the morning hour, and hold second quarterly conference at 2 p. m. Come and bring a basket and a good appetite. J. W. Hendrix, Pastor.

### DR. LITTLE BUYS HOME

The deal was consummated recently whereby Dr. J. G. Little purchased the home formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Alf Wright at 617 East Ninth street. Sale of the property was arranged by A. C. Chesher as broker. Mr. and Mrs. Little moved last week to their new home.

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WINDMILL WANTED: Will pay cash or trade for good mill. O. L. Williams, five and a half miles southwest of Amherst. 44-1tp  
WANTED TO BUY: A used Farm-all Tractor with solid rim wheels and lugs. Must be in good condition, state model. Also a two-row planter and lister, and a two-row cultivator. Name lowest cash price on tractor alone if you don't have the plows. Address George W. Witt, care Lamb County Leader. 44-2tc  
FOR SALE: 300 acres, red, cat claw land, lies perfect but some Johnson grass, well located near school and gins, all in cultivation but no improvements, been cultivated several years, possession now. Client says sacrifice. See or write, Calvin Henson, Littlefield. 44-1tc  
FOR RENT: Light-housekeeping room for rent. Mrs. Carl Smith, 816 W. Second street. Telephone 209. 44-1t-c  
STRAYED: Cow strayed on O. J. Piel's place, two miles south of Littlefield. Owner may secure cow by paying expenses, including this ad. 44-2tp  
FOR SALE: Special prices on used cars. See them at Jerry's Filling Station. 44-1tp  
FOR SALE OR TRADE: Four acres improved in Littlefield, two three room houses, windmill, barn and garage. Otto Zuber, Littlefield, Tex Star Route No. 1. 42-2tp  
FOR SALE: Show cases, safe, cash register, triple mirror. Apply J. H. Ware Dry Goods. 43-2tc

### WHEAT REMOVAL ACREAGE

The farm administration has announced its intention to seek removal of an additional 5,523,000 acres of wheat from production. Chester C. Davis said the removal would probably be accomplished by renting the acreage either for further reducing the production of previous signers. George F. Farrell, chief of the wheat section of the administration, said the present 85 per cent sign-up of wheat growers would bring the United States acreage down to about 45,800,000 acres.

### Crop Production Loans Are Being Paid By Farmers

John S. Andrews, field supervisor for the Crop Production Loan Office, Dallas, has been re-appointed field supervisor for this territory, comprising Lamb, Bailey, Palmer and Castro counties, providing congress approves the appropriation for 1934 loans to farmers for crop production purposes. Mr. Andrews has been making his headquarters in Littlefield since September 4. According to Mr. Andrews, his records show a percentage of 96 1-2 per cent collections from 1933 loans to Lamb county farmers. In other words, out of total loans of \$34,390,000 the amount of \$33,188.05 has been collected, leaving a small balance of \$1201.95 outstanding.

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Friday and Saturday, March 2 and 3

## Girls' District Meet

Sixteen of the Strongest Teams in the District Will Compete

Attend this meet—the greatest athletic event ever to be held in Littlefield.



SOCIETY.

Engagement Of Miss Gladys Hall Is Announced

The engagement of Miss Gladys Hall of this city to J. Russell Mitchell of Levelland, was announced at a party at 422 North Main street, Monday, February 5, at Levelland, by Mrs. Etheridge and Miss Lora McFarland, who were hostesses.

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Engagement Of Miss Sullivan and Dr. Stagner Announced

The approaching marriage of Miss Sullivan of this city to Dr. Stagner of Erick, Okla., on Saturday, February 10, at Amarillo, was announced Saturday afternoon at a tea given by Miss Gladys Wales.

The marriage of Miss Dulcie Campbell, daughter of L. A. Campbell of Enochs, and Willis Holder, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holder of Fort Worth, was solemnized Tuesday, January 30, at 9:30 p. m. at Olton.

LITTLEFIELD H. D. CLUB MEETS

The Littlefield Home Demonstration Club met at 2:30 Thursday, February 1, in the Presbyterian Church. Miss Westbrook gave a demonstration on starting grape vines.

This is election year and the women help a great deal toward putting in the office the people who do and who do not know how the county affairs are carried on.

MRS. BILLS AND MISS HUBBARD HOSTESSES PRESBYTERIAN LADIES

The Presbyterian Auxiliary met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in business and social session with Mrs. Bills and Miss Lulu Hubbard, hostesses.

The Valentine theme was used in decorations, games and refreshments. Red candles in green holders lighted the dining table, which was centered with a large pastry heart.

At the beginning of the afternoon each guest had been given the name of a woman character in the Bible. This name was used all the afternoon and a brief history of her life given by the guest bearing it.

Miss Campbell And Willis Holder Wed At Olton Jan. 30

The marriage of Miss Dulcie Campbell, daughter of L. A. Campbell of Enochs, and Willis Holder, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Holder of Fort Worth, was solemnized Tuesday, January 30, at 9:30 p. m. at Olton.

Mrs. Holder attended Littlefield High School during the year 1932, and has a host of friends here as well as at Enochs. She has been employed at the Club Cafe for several weeks.

W. M. U. LADIES SHOWER MR. AND MRS. SEWELL

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Sewell, who lost all their personal effects in the fire which destroyed their home recently, were showered with a large number of household goods, including linens, cooking utensils, groceries, canned goods, etc. by the ladies of the W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church Tuesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Grissom on Phelps Avenue.

The ladies have also been quilting and completed five quilts, which they presented to Mrs. Sewell Monday last.

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Miss Udell Kincaid And F. E. Smith Wed At Snyder Jan. 19

Miss Udell Kincaid, formerly of this city, but now of Snyder, Texas, became the bride of F. E. Smith, telegraph operator of that city, Friday, January 19.

The ceremony was performed by the Baptist pastor at the parsonage. Mrs. Smith is the attractive and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Kincaid, who formerly lived in Littlefield. Mr. Kincaid having managed the A. & N. Dry Goods store here for over a year.

CLASS PARTY AT MALONE HOME FRIDAY EVENING

A class party was given in honor of the high seventh grade at the G. P. Malone home Friday evening. Various games were played and enjoyed by all. Refreshments were served to the following of the high seventh: Leveta Dowdy, Jessie Clark, Pauline McCasron, Madeline Smith, Wilma Parker, Barbara Davis, James Jackson, Jack Clark, Sanders Lee Mills, M. J. Anderson, Marshall Kregor, John Reece Hays, Charles Bruce, Kenneth Lynn, Mr. Earl Hobbs, a teacher, and Essie Lou Malone the hostess.

Others were Miss Walker, a teacher of the primary building, Margaret Walker, Ollie Ruth Bean, Vonelle Baird, Frances Weatherly, Alnea Walraven, Mattie Henderson, Annie Mae Malone, Aline McCasron, Freddie Harrell, John D. Walker, Doyle Glazener, Bennie Nobles, Joe Morgan, Sam McKaskill, Ollie Robins, and Edward Anderson; also Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Malone.

FEDERATION MEETS WITH PRESBYTERIAN LADIES JAN. 30

The federated church meeting was held at the Presbyterian Church Monday, January 29, with the Presbyterian ladies as hostess.

The president, Mrs. Ira Woods, presided and business attended to. About 300 visitors were reported.

The program opened with song followed by invocation by Mrs. E. A. Bills.

Mrs. Gus Shaw rendered a beautiful solo, "Follow the Gleam." Mrs. W. B. Stockton read the scripture lesson on the Last Supper.

The speaker of the day was Mrs. W. A. Jackson of Lubbock who gave us a most wonderful and inspiring lecture on the "Great Chalice of Antioch." All who heard her expressed themselves as being thrilled and pleased to hear this wonderful lecture.

This being the time for election of officers, the following were elected: President, Mrs. Josh Cogdill; vice president, Mrs. R. T. Badger; secretary, Mrs. Gillette; treasurer, Mrs. Calvin Henson.

HART'S CAMP P-T. A. MEET

Friday, February 2nd the Hart's Camp Parent-Teacher Association met in the school auditorium.

Mrs. W. C. Squires, president, was absent, Mrs. Claud Parks, acted as president in her place.

There was not many present on account of sickness but we went ahead with our meeting. Mrs. Oscar Newton resigned as secretary and Mrs. J. D. Milner was elected in her place.

MISS AINSWORTH SECRETARY TO SENATOR DUGGAN

Miss Sylvia Ainsworth of Lubbock, left Sunday for Austin to become secretary to Senator Arthur P. Duggan during the special session of the legislature.

SOROSIS BANQUET TO BE HELD TUESDAY EVENING

The Sorosis Banquet will be held Tuesday evening, February 13th, and served by the ladies of the Friendship Class. Plate charges will be 35 cents. Be sure and make your reservations early.

MISS JEAN HODGES COMPLIMENTED AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Jean Hodges was the honoree at a surprise birthday party Monday evening given by Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bennett, 320 West Fourth street.

During the evening various games were played. Miniature hats and bonnets were given for souvenirs.

MRS. A. H. MCGAVOCK ENTERTAINS TUESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

Mrs. A. H. McGavock was hostess Tuesday afternoon of last week to members of the Tuesday Luncheon Club at her home in Olton.

Those present were Mesdames Sid Hopping, H. L. Dennis, Garrett Bley, Roy Burris, Roy Granberry, H. D. Thomas, Miss Bessie Bellomy, and the hostess, Mrs. McGavock.

JUNIOR STUDY CLUB TO ENTERTAIN THE SENIORS SATURDAY

Plans are underway by the Junior Study Club to entertain the seniors at a luncheon at the Littlefield Hotel Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

Mrs. W. P. Avritt of Lamesa, president of the Federation of Women's Clubs for District No. 7 and other district officers, will be present.

PERSONALS

Lon Smith attended the silver anniversary of the Panhandle Hardware & Implement Association at the Amarillo Hotel, Amarillo, Monday and Tuesday, returning home Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy L. Gattis, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Foy E. Smith of Levelland, spent the week-end in Amarillo as the guests of the parents of Mrs. Gattis and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Reed.

Mrs. A. L. Hood was called Monday to the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Ina Box, who is very ill at Wichita, Kansas.

Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Evins and little son, Kenneth Neal, of Clovis, and former residents of Littlefield, are on an extended visit here. They are staying at the home of Mr. Evins' brother, R. C. Evins, while Mr. Evins and family are visiting Mr. Evins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Evins, Sr., of Corsicana.

Mrs. E. J. Newgent returned Friday from a week's trip to Central and North Texas. She visited her daughter, Mary Ruth, who is attending C. I. A. at Denton, and relatives in Dallas.

Mrs. Eugene Latimer underwent a minor operation at a Lubbock hospital Sunday morning. She was brought home Monday night and is reported to be recovering nicely.

Miss Celia Replin will return to Memphis today, after spending a few days at her home here.

Ben Porcher made a business trip to Plainview Monday.

Last Rites Held For Allred Infant Friday Afternoon

Funeral services were conducted at the grave in Littlefield Cemetery Friday afternoon, February 2, at 3:30 o'clock for Jimmy Ray, two months' old son of Br. and Mrs. Dennis Allred, of four miles northwest of Littlefield, who died early Friday, following an attack of pneumonia.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

A few days ago we were advised by the International Harvester Company that the \$100 special allowance to the farmer on the purchase of Farmall implements would be extended through February.

We have now received advice from the company that February 28 is the final date on which this \$100 offer will be in effect, and that this allowance will positively be suspended after February 28.

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Dewitt Reid, proprietor of The Vogue, is now in Kansas City buying New Spring Merchandise, and the newest styles in ladies wearing apparel will start arriving almost daily.

This is our third ad of a series to be run in this position each week. Be sure to see this space next week for added specials in the very latest styles and patterns of Ladies' Spring Merchandise.

NEW SPRING STRAWS

We have just received a new shipment of Spring Straws in the very latest designs and colors. Straws are very fashionable this spring, and we are offering you the chance of wearing one of these stylish hats at the very low cost of... \$1.00

NEW SWAGGER SUITS

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You don't have to deposit your money in the Post Office to assure absolute safety from loss! There was a time when some folks figured that if they wanted to be absolutely safe, the only thing to do was to take their money to a Post Office and deposit it in Postal Savings.

We don't blame people for being careful to conserve their funds. That is the only way to succeed in life. There is no more logical place to deposit money than in a bank, especially when you know that there is ABSOLUTELY NO DANGER OF LOSS.

And there are two outstanding reasons why THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK, LITTLEFIELD, is a safe place for your funds. One is that the First National is a highly sound bank with ample assets for the protection of all deposits; the other is that the First National is participating in the benefits of the Federal Insurance Co., a government agency set up to insure bank deposits.

As a participating bank in the functions of the Federal Insurance Co., all deposits up to \$2500 in the Littlefield bank are fully insured. This guarantees depositors against loss. You are invited to visit the First National Bank and look over the financial statement, and also to discuss the financial condition of the bank with any officer of this institution. With the First National Bank in such an excellent financial condition, and with deposits insured, this bank offers a 100 per cent safe place for the depositing of funds.—Adv.

NOTICE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN Mr. W. H. Spires or son, George, are not in the employ of Franks & Graham Truck Line, having voluntarily dropped their positions. —By Johnnie Graham. 41-3t-c

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m. W. H. Rutledge, superintendent.

Church services every first and third Sundays.

Ladies' Auxiliary meets every Monday at 3 p. m. Will meet next Monday at the church at 2:30 to go to Mrs. L. M. Touchons for our meeting.

Junior Endeavor at four o'clock. Rev. W. H. Bessire of Canyon filled his regular appointment at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday.

He was accompanied to Littlefield by his wife and Miss Laura Virginia Bills who visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bills.

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A chartered training school for nurses is conducted in connection with the sanitarium.

### Last Rites Held For Hart's Camp Resident Friday

Miss Cuba Fields, aged 22, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fields of Hart's Camp, passed away at her home early Thursday morning, February 1. Pneumonia followed by a heart attack caused her death.

Funeral services were conducted at the Fieldton Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock by Rev. Joe F. Grizzle, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Littlefield, assisted by Rev. Carpenter of Fieldton.

Intimate young friends of Hart's Camp acted as pallbearers and flower girls at the funeral. Interment took place immediately following the services in the Littlefield Cemetery under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Deceased, who had been in bad health for some time, is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fields; three sisters, Mrs. E. P. Crosby, of Hart's Camp; Mrs. G. L. Hubert of Joplin, Mo.; and Mrs. W. R. Perry of Olney, Texas; and one brother, Clyde Fields of Hart's Camp.

A large number from Hart's Camp and neighboring communities attended the funeral.

### Newsom-Maner Gin At Witharral Burns Thursday Night

Fire of undetermined origin broke out in the Newsom-Maner Gin at Witharral Thursday night about eleven o'clock, as a result of which the property was almost a total loss, the office and scales being the only portion saved.

The gin was a five stand, located in an iron clad building.

The loss is estimated to be around \$19,000 with \$10,500 insurance carried by E. L. Winston Insurance.

The fire was reported by Marion Tally, one of the gin employees, who with Clarence Malone was sleeping in the office and saw the fire.

It had made considerable headway when discovered. The gin had not been in operation for the past two weeks.

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### CHURCHES

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Eighth Street  
Bible Study 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.  
Young People's Meeting 7 p. m.  
Little Folk's Meeting 7 p. m.  
Ladies' Bible Class, 3 p. m. Monday.  
Prayer and Praise 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.  
Song Drill 7:30 p. m. Friday.

The officers of the church report that the attendance continues to increase at all services. The largest audience to yet hear G. A. Dunn, Jr. was present Sunday with the auditorium and the class rooms opened into the auditorium well filled. There were two additions to the church at each service, and all four were baptized at the close of the evening service.

This was the fourth consecutive Sunday there were additions to the church. There were two hundred in Bible study, eighty at young people's meeting, and forty-seven at Little Folk's meeting—each of which set a new attendance record.

The pulpit will be filled Sunday by G. A. Dunn, Jr. as usual. The general public is invited to all services. Come and grow with us.

### METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. J. W. Hendrix and wife left Monday afternoon for Dimmett, where they will visit their nephew before going to Amarillo Tuesday to attend The Spiritual Life conference which convenes in Polk Street Methodist Church at 10 a. m. with Bishop H. A. Boaz, of Houston presiding.

Among the visiting speakers will be Bishop John M. Moore, of Atlanta, Ga., and Arthur J. Moore of San Francisco, Dr. W. W. Cramm, secretary of the General Board of Missions, Nashville, Tenn., and other prominent men of the church.

Of these there are thirty-four meetings in the whole church; first of which began at Norfolk, Va. It has to do with interpreting to the membership of the church the present condition and encourage them in their efforts to correctly interpret the place of the church in this tremendous crisis.

It is the plan of Rev. Hendrix to be back in Littlefield Wednesday, and he will fill his regular appointments at the church Sunday. He reports that he is very greatly encouraged with the response of the church to the general work and obligations. The people seems to be in excellent spirits, and anxious to carry into action any plan which will aid in making the church of larger service in the community.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday, February 11  
9:45 a. m. Sunday school.  
10:45 a. m. General Assembly, main auditorium.  
11:00 a. m. Morning worship in song and prayer.  
11:20 a. m. Sermon: theme, "My Record in Heaven."  
6:30 p. m. B. T. S.  
7:30 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon subject: "Are the Days of the Gentiles Closing?"

We were pleased with the large attendance in Sunday school last Sunday morning, many new secretaries, teachers and superintendents were in their places throughout the school. It may take several Sundays to have the new system working just as we desire it to work but by careful patient work on the part of the workers we will be able to build the greatest Sunday school ever in the city. The departmental superintendents

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are as follows: L. W. Jordan, adult department; Miss Lillian Hopping, seniors; George Vaught, intermediates; Lon Smith, juniors; Pryor Hammons, primaries; Mrs. John W. Blaylock, beginners, and Mrs. E. Mueller, cradle roll.

We again offer the public a place to study God's word in classes suited your age, and teachers interested in their classes. Not only do we offer a place in Sunday school to you but we are anxious to have you worship with us in all our services.  
JOE F. GRIZZLE, Pastor.

### BIRTHS

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cary of Spade community Saturday morning, February 3, a daughter, Lois Jean, weighing six and one-half pounds.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, and expressions of sympathy extended us during the illness, and at the death of our dear daughter and sister. May God reward each of you.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Fields,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Perry,  
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Fields,  
Mrs. Ruby Crosby.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank each one for the many nice and useful gifts given us since the fire that destroyed our home.  
May this misfortune never happen to any of you.  
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## SPRING LAKE

Mrs. E. W. Dunlap left for Temple recently. She expects to remain there several months. Mrs. Dunlap was accompanied on her trip by her son-in-law, Mr. Fred Poteet of Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gardner from Ardmore, Okla., visited Mrs. Gardner's sister, Mrs. Lindsey Burke last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Mahon left Monday for Portales, N. M., to make their home this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saunders moved Tuesday of last week into the house formerly occupied by the Mahon family.

Mrs. R. E. McCaskill has returned from Sweetwater. Her father is much improved.

Mrs. Elza Campbell who has been suffering with rheumatism is better. Baby Abe Lum Barber is still unwell, though not seriously ill.

Mrs. Loyle starts her sewing class Monday afternoon of last week.

## SUNNY DALE

Miss Hazel Hanks, Correspondent here were seventy-six in Sunday school Sunday. Brother Mason preached a both morning and evening services.

The second meeting of the Ruby-Dale club will be Thursday afternoon at the Sunnysdale community building.

The Ruby club and the ladies of the Sunnysdale community have joined together and called their club the Ruby-Dale.

The regular literary program will begin Friday evening at eight o'clock. Mrs. Lyle Brandon, who is in charge of the program, is getting up a four-act play, a negro dialogue and some musical numbers. Everyone is invited to attend.

We certainly thank the different business men of Littlefield and Amherst for their liberal contributions to the public sale held at the community building Wednesday, February 7.

Mrs. Cory Jacques and Mrs. Lyle Brandon and children spent Sunday at Malleshoe, Texas, visiting relatives.

Subscribe now for the Leader and as many as five or six magazines for the extra charge of 25c or 50c.

## PEP PARAGRAPHS

The sick list this week consists of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lawson with flu and pneumonia. Mr. Cicero Cornelison with two large carbuncles on the back of his neck. Little Lydia ungunman with pneumonia. Miss Eva Hughes with mastoid trouble.

The R. V. O. S. met with J. R. Silhan on Sunday.

Mr. Vernard Gandy of Lubbock visited in Pep Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ungman and family visited Ed Watipka on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick, Sr., gave a birthday dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Alice, on Sunday.

## BLUE BONNET

The club met on their usual date, February 1st in the home of Mrs. Brantley with eleven present, the chairman, Mrs. Logan, presiding.

A general discussion on business followed. The next regular date is February 13th. Miss Westbrook will give a demonstration on grape and berry pruning. Those desiring nursery stock be there and give her your order. You get quite a reduction by doing this, and all visitors are invited to come and have the advantage of this demonstration. It will be in the home of Mrs. W. E. Logan.

There will be church at the James Baptist Church next Saturday night. Rev. L. P. Jordan, regular pastor, will be present. There is Sunday school each Sunday. Church each second and fourth Sunday. We are having new attendance each Sunday.

Won't you come out and join us and we extend a special invitation to the new people who have moved in our community and we urge the young folks to come. We are sure it will do you good and will help you.

Mrs. Chisholm was brought home from the Lubbock Sanitarium last Saturday, and is convalescing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Cook have moved on the place Mr. Bilderback lived on last year.

## LUM'S CHAPEL

Funeral services were conducted Friday, February 2, at 3 p. m. at Lum's Chapel Church for Mrs. Lullie Bryant, aged 27, and wife of R. H. Bryant, of seven and a half miles southeast of Littlefield, who passed away Thursday about 4 p. m. at the Lubbock Sanitarium, where she had underwent an appendicitis operation. Deceased had been ill about six weeks.

Rev. C. F. Booth, pastor, conducted the services, and interment took place in the Witharral Cemetery, under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

Mrs. Bryant has been a resident of this section for many years. As Lullie Strain she married R. H. Bryant at Lum's Chapel, October 16, 1927.

She joined the Missionary Baptist Church when eight years of age, and had been a devoted christian since, being a member of Lum's Chapel Church at the time of her death.

Deceased is survived by her husband, three children, Gilbert, aged 5, Calvin, 3, and Mildred 8 months; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Strain of one and a half miles west of Yellow House switch; four brothers and two

sisters, Dewitt, Kermit and Curtis Strain at home, Ivan of Colorado, Texas; Mrs. John Moore of two miles south of Yellow House switch, and Mrs. Bef Drake of Colorado.

## SUDAN

The Gay Hotel, until recently operated by Mrs. D. L. Payne, is now in charge of Mrs. Pearl Wallace.

Mrs. Wallace is having the hotel redecorated and the entire property put in first-class order.

Mrs. Sam Hutson of Littlefield has opened a beauty shop in the rear of the King Drug Store. Miss Nola Morrison has been employed as head operator of the shop.

Robert Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wilson, had the misfortune recently of dislocating his hip while harnessing a team. He is confined to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Dent were honored Monday night of last week with a party and miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dent. After several games, which had been arranged by Mrs. Alton Lumpkin, the gifts were presented by Miss Ruth Crump. Guests attending were: Misses Ruth Crump, Estelle Bates, Bertha Vereen, Sophia Salem, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lumpkin and family, Mrs. Hammock, and Mrs. Weimhold.

Jennie, ten year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kimbrough, is confined to her bed with double pneumonia.

Joe T. Salem made a business trip to Dallas last week.

## OLTON

The annual Chamber of Commerce banquet was held Tuesday night of last week, with Prof. H. P. Webb, president of local booster group, acting as toastmaster for the occasion.

Invocation was given by Rev. W. R. Fitzgerald.

The feature of the program was an address by Dr. Jackson of Texas Technological College.

N. M. Webb and Miss Thelma Smith were married at the Methodist parsonage Sunday, January 28, at 12:30 noon, Rev. D. D. Denison officiating. They will make their home near Littlefield.

Mrs. Condra has sold her cafe and moved to Lubbock February 1.

Miss Margaret Ellen Gowdy has returned to her home in Archer City after having been making her home with her brother, James Gowdy, for several months. Miss Theola Shirley of Plainview has taken over her duties in Mr. Gowdy's office.

## ANTON

Miss Frances Johnson and Earl Smith were married at the News office in Anton Friday, January 26, Elder H. G. Richards officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of near Littlefield, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Smith of two miles southwest of Anton.

A good program was enjoyed at the men's banquet in the Baptist Church here Tuesday night.

Leonard McCormick is remodeling his dwelling, adding more room to it.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. M. E. Wilf, who spent a week with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dow Woods, returned home Friday.

Miss Lapina Jackson of Sudan returned home Sunday after visiting Miss Marjorie Wilf for a few days.

Mrs. Jimmie Brittain is now home economics teacher at the Witharral school, having assumed her duties about two weeks ago.

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Mrs. A. A. Snitker of Anton, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is much improved.

Mrs. Lucy Killough and daughter, Thelma, moved to the Dr. J. D. Simpson residence last week, the Simpson family moving to the sanitarium.

Dr. C. C. Clements has purchased the pink stucco home on Phelps Avenue formerly occupied by the Killough family, and moved from the Cooper Apartments to their newly acquired home last week.

Mrs. J. E. Chisholm, Miss Eva Gertrude and J. E. Jr., left Sunday for Dallas to attend market. Mrs. Chisholm and Miss Eva Gertrude will return the end of the week, but J. E. will attend the "Model Store School," studying sign painting and window dressing, etc., for the next two weeks.

W. E. Heatham, formerly of Littlefield, but now of Tahoka, was transacting business in Littlefield Thursday.

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## "Going Hollywood" To Be Featured At Palace Thursday

Lavish stage settings, dazzling costumes and musical numbers that promise to become nation-wide hits have been crowded into one of the most original motion picture productions to emanate in Hollywood and which serves as Marion Davies' new Cosmopolitan starring vehicle for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

It is "Going Hollywood," which will be featured Thursday and Friday at the Palace Theatre.

The picture is described as a view of Hollywood itself, with all the glamour of the motion picture world thrust into an hour and half's screen entertainment.

The story and dialogues are by Donald Ogden Stewart, with music by the noted composing team of Arthur Freed and Nacio Herb Brown.

The spectacular dance ensembles were arranged by Albertina Rasch and the crooning is done by the king-pin crooner of radio fame, Bing Crosby.

As an orphaned girl, Sylvia Bruce, played by Marion Davies—while teaching dancing in a girls' private school—falls in love with the voice of a radio crooner whom she has never seen.

She goes out to get her man, discovers that he is "going Hollywood" to star in a motion picture and that he is taking along a peppery, temperamental French actress, played by

Fifi D'Orsay, to co-star with him in the production. Sylvia manages to go along and the complications that arise furnish the comedy and drama for the story.

Interspersed throughout the picture are the elaborate song and dance numbers.

Miss Davies—in the picture—is to be seen in four of the splendorous dance creations—a tap dance, soft shoe dance, eccentric dance and a waltz.

The cast, beside Miss Davies, Bing Crosby and Fifi Dorsay, includes Stuart Erwin, Ned Sparks, Patay Kelly, Bobby Watson and the Three Radio Rogues.

## Over Five Thousand Bales Cotton Ginned Up To January 16

According to W. H. Rutledge, cotton statistician for Lamb and Castro counties, a total of 51,204 bales of cotton, counting round as half bales, were ginned in Lamb County from the 1933 crop prior to January 16, 1934, as compared with 60,180 bales ginned to January 16, 1933.

There were 3,336 bales ginned in Castro county up to January 16, 1933; and 5,327 bales up to January 16, 1934.

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Your best girl, and your favorite brand of beer with one of our sandwiches is a hard combination to beat. Drop in some time soon and have the time of your life.

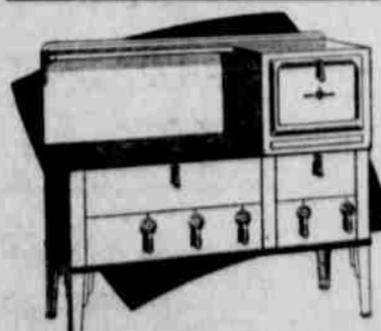
We have any brand of beer that you might want.

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We have made some good buys in every day needs in hardware and are passing it to our customers.



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Five Burner Built-in Oven... \$38<sup>75</sup>

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Come in and let us explain how you may own your own farm.

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Owners and Developers of the Famous Yellow House Lands in the Littlefield-Levelland Section Littlefield



We Think—

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everybody knows that's just so much bunk. "Why I can't think of anybody that ain't fer such general propositions as these. Can youall? "Everybody is fer a New Deal, but what about the new players? "Everybody is in favor of helping the farmer. But how? "And then when a man tells the truth, they say his platform is just a bunch of hokum. "There is an old adage that the people want to be rooked. "Sometimes I believe it. "They tell me that a man can't be elected to office if he runs another fellow's race or lets anybody know just how he stands on some other fellow's campaign. "If that is plumb true then I am gonna be beat. I shore am. "I aim to tell the truth and I aim to stick by my other friends that's running fer office. If that be political suicide then make the most of it. "I don't mind telling youall right now that I am fer Jimmie Allred fer Governor. Jimmie is my friend and if anybody don't want to vote fer me on account of that then they are welcome to vote fer somebody else who ain't got the courage to come out and say who they are fer fer Governor. "And another thing, I am fer Arthur Duggan fer Congress and I don't care who knows it. "And yet old Morley Drake says my platform is hokum. "But he's wrong about that. It ain't 'hokum.' "It's Halcomb."

NOW HERE'S OUR REPLY

W. W., you've got us all wrong; we bubble over in our enthusiasm and praise of a candidate who tells the truth, even to the point of endangering his chances of being elected. In fact, W. W., we admire some features of your platform.

BUT This business of trying to ride into the state capitol on a zebra, stripping our legislative halls of the dignity that they rightfully possess—well, there are more appropriate places for clowning.

Of course, every man has his viewpoint.

Now here is the viewpoint possessed by the Dimmitt candidate, reprinted from his own newspaper:

"Now youall know that the Legislature of Texas is a big joke. As a matter of fact it is one of the best shows on earth. It is a circus in itself."

These are times in the history of Texas, and particularly West Texas, when serious efforts to really serve the people are more vital than ever before. We cannot go forward without progressive, serious thinking on the part of our legislators. Therefore, the people have a right to know what a candidate really has in mind to accomplish in their behalf before they send him to the legislative halls. Clowning will not bring progress.

We suggest that Mrs. Halcomb's oldest boy cease his capers; construct a platform that will tell us what he plans to accomplish, then start out in his campaign all over again.

We continue to think that Halcomb's platform is "hokum."

But, W. W., don't misunderstand us; we are not trying to ruin a young man's ambitions; we just want you to put more planks into your platform. Come and see us soon; we want to include your name in our list of political announcements. The charge is \$10.

High School—

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of the pupil's entire semester grade. For the convenience of the pupils and parents we are giving a copy of the schedule below:

English I, II, III, IV, Thursday, February 8, 9:00-10:30.

General Science and Civics, Thursday, February 8, 10:30-12:00.

History I, II, III, Thursday, February 8, 1:00-2:30.

Biology and Spanish, I, II, Thursday, February 8, 2:30-4:00.

Mathematics I, II, III, IV, all classes, Friday, February 9, 9:00-11:15.

Physical Training, all classes, Friday, February 9, 11:15-12:00.

Vocational Agriculture, Home Economics and Public Speaking, Friday, February 9, 1:00-2:30.

Those who may have conflicts in above schedule may get special examinations Friday, February 9, 2:30-4:00.

Persons who have made an average of 90 in subject matter and department are exempt from the examination and should not report to school at all on these days.

Reports Made—

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of this county will be organized by the assistant. Work on these projects will start at a very early date.

J. C. Whicker, newly appointed head of the Lamb County Mortgage Conciliation Board, explained the motive of the committee which has recently been created to reduce the principal and interest of outstanding indebtedness of farmers. He gave a few examples of the benefits derived from the body, and gave his assurance that the interest of the farmer would be foremost in its action.

J. S. Hilliard made a few remarks relative to the situation existing between the farmer, debtor and loan banks.

Announcement of the district basketball tournament to be held here March 2 and 3, was made by A. B. Sanders, superintendent of Littlefield schools.

Is Candidate—

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with only one idea in mind—the serving of Precinct No. 3, which has been my home for many years, and where I hope to continue to live indefinitely.

"I want the voters of Precinct No. 3 to make a thorough investigation of my record. And if you believe me to be qualified to efficiently serve as commissioner, I will appreciate your vote and influence."

C. W. A. Funds—

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road will extend west to beyond Bula, then south to the Bula school, thence west through Enochs, Watson, Wilson, and Goodland to the New Mexico line.

A 100-foot right-of-way has been granted by the commissioners' court of Bailey County. Improvements will be carried out in accordance with the width of the road, and when completed will offer a wide, smooth route of travel.

The obtaining of the funds for this highway was made possible through the cooperative spirit and united effort of the people of the southern part of Bailey County.

Two trips were made to Austin in the interests of obtaining the funds for the work. Those who participated in these trips and presented the project to C. W. A. officials were J. A. Nickels, P. O. Smith, V. C. Weaver, and R. A. Scifers.

The delegations were well received in Austin and accorded attentive hearings.

Littlefield Women—

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Lackey; Mrs. M. M. Brittain and Mrs. M. W. Etter.

North and South: Mrs. T. Wade Potter and Mrs. Otha Key; Mrs. Billy Chesher and Mrs. H. E. Whicker; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boone; Mrs. C. C. Clements and Mrs. Sid Hopping; Mrs. John Arnett and Mrs. Clyde Hilburn; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barnett; Miss Dess Key and Mrs. Bert Badger; Mrs. W. G. Street and Mrs. C. E. Cooper.

AMHERST

T. L. Lynn, has been very ill, but is somewhat improved.

Honoring their son, Edwin Lynn, on his ninth birthday, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall entertained a number of his little friends Saturday, January 27.

The children played games, while their parents enjoyed "42" and dominoes. The honoree received many nice gifts. At the close of the evening's entertainment, refreshments were served to the large number present.

The Amherst American Legion Post have sold their building to Mr. Stone of Sudan and have bought the brick on Main street, now occupied by Mrs. Wilson's Variety Store, from Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Company. The lumber company is building on forty feet more and will put hardwood floor in the entire building.

Mr. A. A. Blair has the contract for the work. This will make a 25x80 building for the Legion and a mighty nice house.

In relief work for artists the painting of a mural in the engineering building of Texas Tech was awarded to Everett Fairchild. A great many people will remember Everett when he attended school at Amherst. He lived here with his mother and stepfather and at that time showed a talent for painting. This painting is to be about 12x15, and will require about six weeks to paint.

Mr. T. L. Lynn passed away last Thursday afternoon. He had been sick for some time, but seemed to be better until he took pneumonia and

gradually grew worse. Services were held at the grave in the Amherst cemetery. Rev. O. E. Dickson and Rev. Ray Lee gave short talks. The funeral was in charge of the local fire boys, of which he was a member. He had no relatives present as a half brother at Pawhuska, Oklahoma, and a brother at Waco, could not come, these being the only relatives found. Almost all the business men and a great number of his friends attended the services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harmon, Allie and Anne Lou, and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Harmon, left last week for South Texas, where they went for Mr. J. T. Harmon's health. Word received from them stated Mr. Harmon was standing the trip fine although they had some rainy weather on the road. They were at Uvalde, Texas, the last heard from and expected to spend at least a week there.

Frank Strickland has moved his family to Wellington, where he has been working the last few months.

Carl Marx who is in the C. C. C. Camp for Veterans near Amarillo, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his family.

G. A. Goodman was in Hollis, Okla., the latter part of last week, attending to business.

Lloyd Crosby of Bovina, came last week and is doing some carpenter work in the country.

Mmes. Frank Rogers and Rogers Willett and Misses Marguerite Hiner and Martha Willett were in Lubbock Saturday.

Lynn Smith has returned from Farmington, N. M., where he has been working on a truck line between El Paso and Farmington.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Knox and Yolán Knox spent Sunday visiting in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. McGee were in Lubbock Saturday on business.

Mrs. N. E. Savage received word Monday of the death of her father in Clarendon. They left Tuesday morning for the funeral.

Mrs. Woodrow Shipley and son are visiting relatives in Hobbs, N. M.

New Pharmacist

J. H. Frazier, formerly of Coolidge, Texas, and a registered pharmacist for several years, is now connected with the prescription department of the Sadler Drug Store.

Mr. Frazier comes to Littlefield, highly recommended in his profession, and hopes to serve the people of this city and surrounding territory.

F. G. Sadler, owner of Sadler Drug Store, states that he is now equipped to render the best of service in his prescription department.

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For Sheriff, Lamb County—LEN IRVIN

For District Attorney CHAS H. DEAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4 ELLIS J. FOST

For County Attorney—HERBERT C. MARTIN

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For County Superintendent of Schools F. O. BOLES. L. D. ROCHELLE

For County Clerk STANLEY A. DOSS

For Tax Assessor and Collector ROY GILBERT

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3 G. M. VANN ROY L. GATTIS

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Legion To Sponsor Dance February 22

The regular meeting night of the Richard New Post No. 301 will be held next Monday night at 7:30 p. m., at the Legion hut.

The improvement committee will have something definite to report in regard to changes to be made on the Legion home.

Many other matters of business will be brought to the attention of the post and action taken.

Plans for a dance are tentatively made for the 22nd of February, Washington's birthday. This dance will be properly supervised by the Legion's dance committee. A good orchestra will be employed for the occasion. The committee consists of T. Wade Potter, S. L. Myrick, and Oran Bell.

JOB INSURANCE BILL TO BE PRESENTED

A nation-wide system of insuring the working man against the loss of his job is contemplated in a bill which Senator Wagner (D-NY) has ready for introduction, intended to encourage state legislation to make the system effective. He has announced his measure would be laid before congress at an early date.

Scout Meeting To Be held Friday

Friday night is regular Scout meeting night. We hope to have all the boys present so as to organize patrols for the present year. The meeting at Lubbock, January 25 was attended by Commissioner A. B. Sanders, Messrs. Earl Hobbs, Morgan Layfill, Carl Arnold, Clinton Lackey, J. G. Singer and Eugene Latimer. The program was very interesting and instructing.

Saturday, February 10 at 11 a. m.

President Roosevelt will deliver a message to all Boy Scouts over the United States. It will be instructions to the boys giving them a part in the program of reconstruction. A plan is being worked out to have all boys 12 years and older, and all old Scouts to meet at some place for this message which will be broadcast over the Columbia and N. B. C. net-

work. It is hoped that a large number of boys are present as well as their parents. Place will be arranged at school. Also we are trying to work out a program for a Scout service Sunday night at the First Baptist Church. EUGENE LATIMER Scoutmaster

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