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BEST PEOPLE TO IN ERECTION OF NEW CHURCH

The First Baptist Church, of Littlefield, would soon begin the erection of a new building, cost of which is estimated at \$25,000. A consensus of opinion at the annual meeting of officials held last night.

At the meeting there were 15 members present, who manifested their interest in the proposal by their names down on the dot-plot. The aggregate sum of about \$1,000 has been secured. Several offers have already been received to purchase the present building, which sum, when it is added to the building fund, and there is little doubt but that the necessary funds will be subscribed when the proposition is submitted to the membership at the next annual meeting.

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WERE GEORGE WASHINGTON HERE TODAY

By SATTERFIELD



ENFORCE TRAFFIC LAWS

Local Officer Declares City Ordinances Must Be Considered

City Marshal Len Irvin has declared his intention of enforcing the local traffic ordinances. Speaking of the matter this week to a Leader representative, he said, "It is not the desire of the City Commissioners to cause anyone unnecessary trouble or expense, but the frequent and flagrant violations of the city and state traffic law will in the future be enforced."

The Leader this week printed a quantity of green and red tags. The green ones will be tied to the steering wheels of cars in warning of first offense. When the offense is repeated a red card will be attached, with instructions for the car owner to take in to the Mayor for his consideration. Parties who fail to comply with the red tag will be subject to a further fine.

POLL TAXES PAID THIS YEAR LITTLE UNDER DOUBLE 1924

There was a total of 1,556 poll tax receipts issued by Tax Collector H. J. Carter, which is nearly double the number of last year, there being 862 issued last year. While it is generally considered that this is an "off" year, and poll taxes are invariably less in number during the years when there are no elections, yet on account of the large number of new settlers the total number has been considerably increased.

The following was the payments by voting precincts:

Olton, No. 1	287
Spring Lake, No. 2	59
Littlefield, Nos. 3 & 4	674
Sudan, Nos. 5 & 7	153
Amherst, No. 6	388
Total	1,556

CONTEST RULES RECEIVED

Prof. Harvey Making Arrangements To Enter W. T. C. of C. Contest

Prof. Clayborne Harvey, director of the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce band, is this week in receipt of the rules and regulations outlined for band contests at the annual meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, to be held at Mineral Wells this spring.

It is planned to enter the Littlefield organization as a "one year" band, notwithstanding it has been in action only a few months. Under the direction of Prof. Harvey, the local band has been making fine progress, and it is hoped that their appearance at this annual meeting will not only result in considerable added publicity for Littlefield and vicinity, but that they also may be able to return home with some contest honors attached.

ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE

Mesdames Steen and Givens Are Hostess to Number of Friends.

Saturday afternoon between two and four o'clock, Mrs. R. W. Steen, assisted by Mrs. G. C. Givens, very delightfully entertained a few of their friends with bridge, at the home of Mrs. Steen.

The table favors were suggestive of Valentine, while the score cards and pads were decorated with red and white hearts.

A salad course, followed by moulded Jello with whipped cream and angle food cake, was served to the following: Mesdames J. M. Stokes, Van Clark, Tom Darnell, T. Thomas, Clayborne Harvey, A. C. Chesher, W. D. Arnett, F. W. Walker, J. D. Jones, G. C. Givens and R. W. Steen, and Miss Anne Douglass.

FRANK ADMISSION: An advertisement recently appeared in a New Mexico paper, as follows: "Why send your money away to mail order houses to be swindled out of it when we can give you the same service and do it quicker."

Just as soon as the tax-paying expedition is taken care of, it will be time to make arrangements for the Easter bonnet—then the summer vacation—then getting ready for Christmas. Truly life is just one round of pleasure after another.

MASS CONDITION OF SCHOOL TAXES WITS OF TEACHERS

One thousand and twenty nine was the total enrollment in the Littlefield public schools at the beginning of this week, according to a statement made by a member of the local School Board.

Superintendent R. L. Speight states that the conditions are already so crowded, many of the pupils being forced to sit two in a seat, that it is difficult of accommodations.

At the chapel exercises last Monday morning, conducted by Rev. F. W. Phipps, of the Baptist church, every seat in the big auditorium was filled, there were double rows of pupils standing around the walls and the outside corridor was also filled.

Just what measure is to be adopted for accommodating the pupils another year has not yet been determined, but it is plainly evident that another grammar school building will be necessary.

There is still considerable land recently sold in the Littlefield school district that has not yet been occupied by the purchaser, and it is estimated that there are at least 800 farms yet to be sold. The population of the yet unoccupied land and the occupation of the land yet to be sold will mean a further scholastic increase of at least 1000 pupils, and means of caring for them next year will be mandatory.

Littlefield schools now employ 23 teachers. There are 20 trucks being used to bring the children to and from school, and it has already been estimated by local officials that in all probabilities at least 30 teachers and 50 trucks will be required at the beginning of school next fall.

LITTLEFIELD BAKERY EXPANDS

Increase of Business Demands Added Tools and Equipment

S. R. Ramback, proprietor of the Littlefield Bakery, left Tuesday for Dallas where he will purchase some extra machinery and equipment for his popular institution.

Among other necessary equipment to be obtained will be a dough mixer and a bun divider, both to be operated by electricity.

Mr. Ramback has been enjoying an excellent patronage since establishing his bakery here nearly a year ago. He now supplies most of the surrounding towns with bread, buns and other pastry goods, and reports his business is constantly on the increase.

NEW GROCERY STORE

Wyoming Citizen Attracted By Prosperity Of Littlefield

J. L. Christian, formerly of Moran, Wyoming, is this week beginning the erection of a building just west of the Tourist Park which, when completed, will be occupied by an up-to-date grocery store.

Mr. Christian expresses himself as believing that Littlefield is destined to become one of the best towns on the South Plains.

TO OPEN SANITARIUM

Dr. Clements Will Have New Offices Ready Next Week.

Dr. G. M. Clements osteopath has decided to open a sanitarium in Littlefield.

This week a bungalow office building is being erected by the Jefferies Mercantile Co., on property just to the rear of the store building in which the new doctor will open offices and have several rooms for accommodation of patients.

NEW DENTIST

Opens Dental Office in Thompson Land Office Building.

Dr. H. Perkins, formerly of Waco, and a graduate of the Baylor Dental School arrived in Littlefield last Friday, and has opened an office for the practice of his profession in the Thompson Land Office building.

Adam is now being heralded as the first radio bug, just because he uses the spare parts of his anatomy to make a loud speaker.

LITTLEFIELD WINS RIGHT TO PLACE IN DISTRICT MEET

In the sub-district championship games of boys basketball played at Plainview last Saturday, Littlefield gained the honors by great odds.

The contest lay between the county teams of Hale, Floyd and Lamb. Littlefield team having won over the Bailey county champions, had the privilege of representing this county.

In the game Saturday played between Petersburg and Floydada, the former won in a score of 17-16. Littlefield then defeated Petersburg in a score of 15-9.

This gives Littlefield and Lamb county honors and privilege to play in the district meet to be held next Saturday at Lubbock. Other teams in the district contest will be Idalea, Lamesa and Snyder.

In the game played at Plainview last Saturday, the work of the Lamb county team was excellent throughout, Lucy proving himself high point man for the locals.

It is the desire of the team that when they go to Lubbock next Saturday they may be accompanied by a loyal band of boosters—for they are going there with the full intention of bringing home the district honors.

BAND BILL PASSED

Gives Municipalities Authority To Vote Tax for Bands

A bill was passed last week by the State Legislature giving incorporated municipalities authority to include the upkeep of a band among the items for which taxes may be voted.

This new law will solve the problems of many small towns that in the past have had difficulty in maintaining a local band.

LEVELLAND WANTS BANK

The Comptroller of Currency, Washington, D. C., has received an application for authority to organize the First National Bank at Levelled, with a capital of \$25,000.

TEACHERS EXAMINATIONS

The county teachers examination will be held at Olton, April 4th and 5th, under the direction of the County Superintendent.

WEDDED SATURDAY

Miss Tillie Mae Hope, of Littlefield, and L. V. Smith, of Bomarton, were married Saturday evening at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. Silas Dixon officiating.

They left immediately for Bomarton, where they will make their future home.

CHARGED WITH GAMING

Last Saturday night Sheriff Carter and Deputy Irvin corraled ten Mexicans on a charge of gambling. Two of the hombres pleaded guilty and paid fines of \$27.70 each, while the remaining seven were taken to the county bastle to settle "por la manana."

BEULALAND WILL HAVE SCHOOL AND CHURCHES SOON

The organization of an American colony of settlers in the vicinity known as Beulaland has been completed. One thousand dollars has been raised for the erection of a community church, and arrangements have been made with the county for a \$50,000 school building to be erected in the near future.

Beulaland is situated on the famous Newsome ranch, which was recently subdivided and thrown on the market, and sold out in remarkable short time. It is an excellent body of land lying just across the Lamb county line in Bailey county. Beulaland is located 15 miles west of Littlefield, and a good highway it now being graded into this new point.

The Beulaland school district will embrace some 50,000 acres that has already begun to settle. A temporary school building has been erected with about 60 pupils enrolled, and it is expected by the time school starts next year there will be nearly 200 scholars.

The community church enrollment at present is 80, and they are also maintaining a flourishing Sunday school. Application has been made to the government for a post office and it is expected a telephone system will soon be installed there.

PLANS PERFECTED FOR ANNUAL MEET OF COUNTY SCHOOLS

A meeting of the Executive Committee for the Interscholastic League was held at Amherst last Saturday, February 14th, at which time plans for the coming contests and events in Lamb county were made.

It was decided to invite the various communities to bring free lunches with them for their members and guests, instead of dinner being supplied by the hostess school, as heretofore. There was also a general discussion of recent changes in rules governing the events, and an agreement entered into regarding the interpretation of them.

Prof. Speight, of the Littlefield school, agreed to furnish a nice cup to go to the winner of literary events. Prof. Martin, of Spring Lake, agreed to furnish a cup for championship of the rural school division. Sudan agreed to furnish the ribbons, representing first, second and third honors in all events.

A tentative program as follows, was arranged: Friday, March 27th preliminary debate and declamations spelling, essay writing, tennis, volley ball, extemporaneous speaking and arithmetic. At night there will be the finals in debate and declamation.

Saturday will be devoted to track and field events, a schedule for which is now being worked out by the athletic director and will be published later.

Looks now like Texas might restate the old time railroad pass. We don't believe in it, on the ground of "special privileges," but we have observed before that the legislature don't always listen to us.

"It's the Water Over the Wheel That Makes the Power."

If only for selfish reasons you should spend your money at home. The dollar you spend away—is a dollar gone. The dollar you spend at home—is a dollar that adds power and production in your home town—the dollar that grinds the grist of better advantages for you. Self interest will show you why you receive more for your home dollar.

1. IN Merchandise.
- 2nd. IN Direct Benefits.
- 3rd. IN supporting the community that supports you.

So you have practical as well as loyal reason to spend your money at home

H. T. Higginbotham has been transferred from the Littlefield yards to the company's yard at Stanton.

Fred Bartach, who has been confined the past two weeks, is able to be out again.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Whereas, the city commission of the city of Littlefield, Texas, deems it advisable to issue bonds of the said city for the purpose hereinafter mentioned:

Therefore, BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COMMISSION of the city of Littlefield, Texas, that an election be held on the 7th day of April 1925, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted:

"SHALL THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, BE AUTHORIZED TO ISSUE THE BONDS OF THE CITY OF LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, IN THE SUM OF SEVENTY FIVE THOUSAND (\$75,000.00) DOLLARS, PAYABLE SERIALLY OR OTHERWISE WITHIN FORTY (40) YEARS FROM THE DATE THEREOF BEARING INTEREST AT THE RATE OF SIX PER CENT (6 per cent) PER ANNUM PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY AND TO LEVY A TAX SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS AND CREATE A SINKING FUND SUFFICIENT TO PAY THE INTEREST ON SAID BONDS AND CREATE A SINKING FUND SUFFICIENT TO REDEEM THEM AT MATURITY, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING A WATERWORKS SYSTEM WITHIN AND FOR THE CITY OF LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS, AS AUTHORIZED BY CHAPTER 1, TITLE 18, REVISED STATUTES 1911, CHAPTER 9, ACTS 37th LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION, 1921, AND THE CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS."

The said election shall be held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church in the city of Littlefield, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers of said election, to-wit:

- R. C. Hopping, Presiding Officer
- W. G. Street, Judge
- Rat Boone, Judge
- C. J. Duggan, Clerk
- E. C. Cundiff, Clerk

The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 18, Revised Statutes 1911, and chapter 9, Acts 37th Legislature, Regular Session, and the Constitution and Laws of the state of Texas, and only qualified voters, who are property tax-payers of said city shall be allowed to vote.

All voters who favor the proposition to issue the bonds shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"For the Issuance of Bonds."

And those opposed shall have written or printed upon their ballots the words:

"Against the Issuance of Bonds."

The manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws of the State regulating general elections.

A copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the city of Littlefield attested by the city secretary of the said city, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

The Mayor is authorized and directed to cause said notice of the election to be posted up at three conspicuous places in said city, and at one public place in each of the voting places of the city of Littlefield for at least thirty full days prior to the date of said election.

The Mayor is further authorized and directed to have said notice of election published in some newspaper of general circulation published in said city, and which notice shall be published once each week for four weeks, the date of first publication being not less than thirty full days prior to the date of the election.

B. L. Coghill, Mayor City of Littlefield, Texas
Attest: Max L. McClure, acting City (Seal) 2-19-23, 3-5-12. Clerk.

PROTECT HIGHWAYS

Every few days one may be traveling the highway and meet a tractor being driven from one place to another. Tractors must necessarily be moved in order to be of service, but when moved the lugs should be taken from the wheels during the period of transit.

The lugs of tractors digging into the hard surface of the highway start holes that soon are swept out and enlarged by the wind into chock holes. The Leader has more than once urged through the columns of this newspaper that lugs should be removed from tractors before they are put on the roads, and that there is a penalty for failure to do so. This week we are advised by one of our County Commissioners and the County Attorney that in the future persons failing to comply with this law will be prosecuted. It is well that it will be so, hence this friendly warning.

W. T. Fletcher, of Weir, Texas, is in Littlefield this week having land broke on his place eight miles southwest of town.

Just arrived, shipment of New Perfection oil stove.—Littlefield Furniture Co. 44-1tc

The Leader has a number of Poll Tax receipts ready for deliveries to parties who left orders at this office.

SERVICE STATION FOR SALE
Neat attractive drive in Service Station at Sudan for sale, now doing a good business. Priced right.—G. E. McCelvey Jr., Littlefield, Texas. 4tc.

FOR SALE: 1924 Ford ton truck good as new, run very little. Will sell for half value or trade. Call at new stock pens opposite Heiner's Wagon yard. Littlefield, L. A. S. 1tp

C. E. Ellis, of Wellington has started the construction of a nice 5-room cottage in the southeast part of town which, when completed will be occupied by himself and family. Mr. Ellis is soon to occupy one of the new brick store buildings now being finished just south of the Bank. He expects

the building to be ready for service about the first of March, at which time he will put in a modern stock of general merchandise.

FOR SALE Set carpenter's tools. Apply at H. H. Flaming's. 44-2tp

Mayor and Mrs. B. F. Sunday with friends in

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Littlefield, Texas

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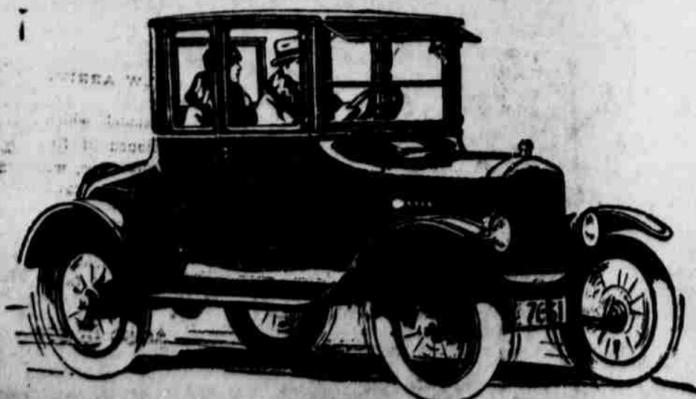
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Responsibilities make men great. Do not despair at failures of the past. To know, that one of the first essentials in that direction is a good home.

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Texas

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

E. A. Logan is in Austin on business.

Pat H. Boone went to Austin on business Sunday.

Nannie Thelma Wardlowe spent the weekend with friends in Slaton.

Miss Gladys Douglass spent the week end visiting friends in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harless visited friends in Snyder over the week end.

J. M. Stokes has gone to Oilton to serve on petit jury this week.

R. J. Hullen and J. F. Reed are improving a place ten miles east on the Spade ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira A. Brown, from Plainview, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Alford over the week end.

Mrs. W. E. Williams, of Idalou, Texas, is here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. Fred Hoover.

A. G. Hemphill went to Happy Tuesday to pay a death claim of \$5,000.00 for his company.

Miss Pearle Strawn, formerly of Dallas, has accepted a position as stenographer for Attorney E. S. Rowe.

W. H. Allen, formerly connected with the Littlefield Gin, sold his home here last week and moved to Yuma Arizona.

Dr. C. C. Clements and wife spent last week end visiting relatives and friends in their old home town of Lockney.

A. C. Cheaser, of Yeager-Cheaser Land Co. and brother J. C. Cheaser, transacted business in Devol, Oklahoma, the latter part of last week.

J. H. Landers, who has been employed at the Littlefield Gin during ginning season, left for his home at Abilene Sunday.

A. R. Gumelt, of Plainview, purchased W. H. Allen's home in Littlefield and will fill the vacancy at the Littlefield Gin left by W. H. Allen.

Drs. C. H. Campbell and H. P. Maddy, chiropractors, formerly of Lamesa have opened an office in the Allen building.

The managers of the Lec theatre will meet Thursday of this week with contractors to let the contract for the new theatre.

Arthur P. Duggan is in Austin this week attending a meeting of the Board of Executors, of the Littlefield Estate.

Rev. R. A. Oakes, pastor of Beulah church, T. A. Raney and W. H. Thorn, also of Beulah were in Littlefield on business Monday.

W. A. Locke, of Lamesa, is in Littlefield this week having extensive improvements made on his place six miles southwest of here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Nicholas, of McCauley are here visiting Mrs. Nicholas brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wynn.

The young ladies class of the Baptist church will entertain the young mens class of same, Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. L. W. Jordan.

G. M. Mason, manager of the Littlefield Gin transacted business in Portales, New Mexico, last week. He says Littlefield is highly advertised in Portales.

Clifford Williams, mechanic at the Ford Motor Co. is having a 4-room plastered bungalow built in the southeast part of town. H. W. Jones contractor is doing the work.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Wynn were in Plainview Monday and Tuesday of this week attending the graduation exercises of Mr. Wynn's sister, Miss Ella Wynn who graduates from the Plainview Satitarium.

H. L. Parker, of Fort Worth, business agent for International Union of Steam and Operating Engineers, visited his mother, Mrs. W. P. Parker, of Littlefield, last week. His brother Fontaine Parker, returned home with him.

Ira Hoover, from Plattsburg, Miss. is in Littlefield looking after the interests of his farm located four miles northwest of here. Mr. Hoover was here about one year ago. He expres-

sed himself very much suprised at the growth of Littlefield since then.

Mrs. E. M. Grantnen and small son, Delbert, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hank for the past two weeks, left this morning (Thursday) for Carlsbad and Clovis, New Mexico to visit relatives a few days before returning to her home in Washington, D. C.

Bill Walker blacksmith for Beisel Bros, Machine Shop happened to a very serious accident Monday of this week. While tempering a plow point a drill bit weighing about 150 pounds fell on his foot, crushing it badly. He is getting along nicely, but will probably be a week or ten days before he can walk again.

R. A. Crawford, of Caviness, Texas, this week purchased the 177 acre farm adjoining Littlefield on the south, and formerly belonging to J. J. Cook. Mr. Cook will remain on the place this year, but Mr. Crawford anticipates moving out here next year and making it his future home. It is needless to say that he is greatly impressed with the future of this

country. To further show his good intentions of citizenship, he took back with him a year's subscription to the Lamb County Leader.

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COLORS & FASHIONS

The colors are gay—without being gaudy. The coats may be of Kashana, Jeweltone, Flannel and soft woolen Kashmir, while the frocks are of satin, faille, charmeen and printed silks. To carry the whim even farther, many of the coats are lined with the material of which the frock is made.

STYLES & QUALITY

They come in charming array of colors, including blues, grays, and tans for the mannish models and lighter shades for the dress models. The sport materials used for the dress coats are black satin, Ottoman and Faille.

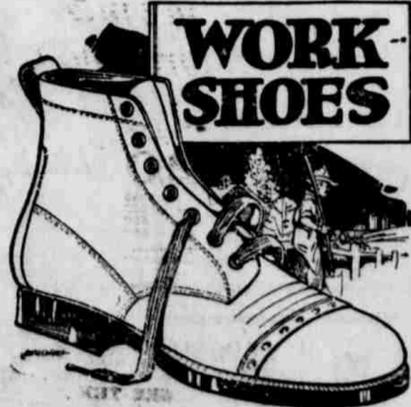
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THURSDAY

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FRIDAY

May Prevost in a thrilling Mystery play, "Cornered."

SATURDAY

Fred Thompson and his wonder white horse, in, "Galloping Gallaher," Comedy, "When Spirits Move."

MONDAY

House Peters in "Held to Answer," story of a fighting minister

TUESDAY

"The Way of a Man"
Billy Sullivan in, "An Eye Full" Comedy, Flip Flop"

WEDNESDAY

An old time favorite Wallace Reid in, "The Dictator"



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Whole Wheat Bread
Every Thursday.

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CONGRATULATIONS OF LUBBOCK ARE GIVEN LITTLEFIELD

Below is printed a little article, taken from the Amarillo Globe, that Lubbock folks will no doubt read with a smile.

"Amarillo folks should not worry about Lubbock. It is Littlefield that is going to make Amarillo take second place in the Panhandle."

This statement was made this morning by Tom Barnes, former Amarillo merchant, who is now in business at Littlefield.

"We tell those Lubbockites to watch the sun go down very closely for it will not be many months before they can't see the sun go down for the skyscrapers in Littlefield."

"We have the best town in Texas and we are growing rapidly."

Mr. Barnes is on his way to St. Louis and Kansas City to purchase merchandise.

While there is no one in Lubbock worried about losing this city's place in the sun to Littlefield, or any other place on the plains, there is no one who envies any prosperity that Littlefield or any other place may experience. Lubbock folks, of course, are for Lubbock all the time, but they are also for the South Plains, West Texas and Texas in the march toward the future.

The more skyscrapers that are built on the plains will mean the more skyscrapers for Lubbock, and the more people for the South Plains the greater population for Lubbock, 'The Hub.' "Stay in there Littlefield. Lubbock wants to see you grow.—South Plains Journal.

You bet your sweet life, Keen, Littlefield is still in the circle of prosperity and growing by leaps and bounds. Tom Barnes is one of the many good scouts Littlefield possesses who don't know any better than to boost their home town wherever they get away from it. He learned that falling while a citizen of Amarillo, but we have a bunch of them who imbibed the habit from Lubbock folks.

Somehow or other Littlefield has always looked upon Lubbock as her big, grown up sister. Our real estate dealers like to advertise the fact that we are only so many miles, etc., from Lubbock. Our business men frequently refer to the way they do things in Lubbock as an incentive toward greater initiative locally. Our women folks like to "run down there" every few days as a matter of convenience for some of the things Littlefield is not yet big enough to supply.

In fact, Lubbock has been a greater blessing, a greater convenience, and a still greater help to Littlefield than many of her people realize. And, if in the course of time, Littlefield skyscrapers should incidentally obscure the sky line and glorious sunset vision of the Hubbers, since we are all members of the same family, we are quite sure they will take it in the right spirit of reciprocation.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Beginning February the 20th, 1925, we will operate on a cash basis, believing we can better serve our customers under this plan, as this will allow us to sell on closer margins as well as to carry a much larger stock and a more diversified line so as to serve you better. We believe in courtesy, service, quality and the right price and we hope to merit your patronage at all times. We are,

Yours very truly,
LITTLEFIELD GRAIN CO.
By P. W. Walker Mgr.

Strange Occupation

A man died in England the other day who for nearly fifty years had served as a "smeller" in a brewery. For a half-century this man gave his life to sniffing at empty beer barrels, thousands of them every week, and rejecting the "stinkers." What a critic he would have made if his fastidious taste had had ampler scope!

The Time for Silence

The man who says the right thing at the right time is a man who says nothing at all when in doubt.

Something to Think About
By F. A. WALKER

HITTING THE MARK

IF THE first arrow misses the target do not lose patience or become dismayed. Keep on shooting though you may empty your quiver and be compelled to refill it.

Nothing in this world is gained except by persistent effort, good nature and good will toward others, combined with willingness to listen to kindly counsel. However gifted we may be, we cannot go at one leap to the top.

Many of the failures in schools and universities, in business ventures and in the professions come from impatience and the inability to master one's self.

How to hope and labor is a lesson that but exceedingly small numbers of peoples of the world have yet learned, having been swept from the true course by yielding at a crucial moment in their lives to some silly impulse.

Physical passions, mental contortions, egotisms, are the imbecile offsprings of incapable minds, whose eyes are so dull and hands so unsteady that their inefficient owners never succeed in hitting the mark, except by accident.

Instead of smiling, stepping lightly along the way and scattering pleasant words as they go, these hapless souls drag their feet, scold their dearest friends and apparently do their utmost to bankrupt their fellow creatures.

It is often impossible to encourage such souls or brighten their surroundings, for unfortunately they are made of the roughest clay which neither pity nor kindness can smoothen.

Pity them when they are in more trouble than usual, or do them a favor when they are in dire need, perhaps distress, and the likelihood is that they will turn from you without a sign of gratitude on their stoical faces.

And yet these enigmatic souls wonder why they fail to win in the battle where smiling faces, pleasant manners, soft words and laughing eyes are the chief weapons of success.

Not even in love are they moonstruck, and before they hit the mark some cheerful, sunny and hopeful swain who could laugh and tell delightful fairy tales has been blessed by the bishop and gone a honeymooning!

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New

bodies—of even greater beauty and comfort. All models have new radiator of more beautiful design, made of non-rusting airplane metal. All closed models have new and exceptionally beautiful Fisher bodies with the new VV closed-body one-piece windshield and automatic windshield wiper. Balloon tires on all closed models and disc wheels on the Sedan and Coupe.

New

finish—all models are now finished in Duco—the new finish that retains its color and lustre almost indefinitely and withstands the severest usage. These are but a few of the quality features of the new Chevrolet—quality features that you would expect to find only on cars of much higher price.

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AN AIM WITH A PURPOSE

In beginning the new year this time we have decided to sell Groceries as cheap as anyone, quality considered, and we are not going to handle anything but the best. We are going to cut our expenses to a minimum, thereby enabling us to sell for cash and sell as cheap as anyone, consistent with sound business. We have had years of experience in buying merchandise, in which we feel this will have a great deal to do with our purchasing power. We furnish two other stores, which enables us to buy in quantities, thereby getting merchandise in quantities cheaper than otherwise.

We handle the celebrated Light Crust Flour which is almost perfection in its line. We handle the Star Brand Shoes which are made for the entire family, and when it comes to quality and price they cannot be excelled.

We handle the Lee Line of Work Clothing, every garment guaranteed to give you your money's worth.

Gold Plume Coffee, good to the last drop, guaranteed to the bottom of the can. Bring the can back if not satisfied and get your money back after using the coffee. Now what could be more fair to you.

Tobacco cheaper than you can buy it anywhere else in the West. Why? Because we buy in quantities and get jobbers discounts. Let us sell you your Tobacco: Prince Albert two for 25 cents; Camel cigarettes, 2 for 25c; Brown Mule, 2 for 35c; R. J. R., 3 for 25c.

The celebrated Worth Hats for men and young men; not cheap but low in price and high in quality.

Ladies and Children's Ready Trimmed Hats for less money than they can be had elsewhere, and they are real beauties. Try one for Lizzie and all the little ones.

Try us with a bill or two and wear that self satisfied smile so common among men who feel like they have gotten a little shade the best end of the deal.

It has been said that the City of Contentment is located in the State of Mind, and should you get the habit of trading with us you will be located in that famous city and that wonderful state that you have read about and longed to see.

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Crack-O'-Doomers



Robert Reidt, the "crack of doom" prophet and family, who had his name on the lips of nine million New Yorkers, February 7th, when he adhered to advanced Seventh Day Adventist's vision of world end, is now looking for a job as a paper-hanger.

AT THE CHURCHES

METHODIST SERVICES

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.
Preaching, 11:00 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting and choir practice, Wednesday evening, 7:30 p. m.

—Silas Dixon, Pastor.

LUTHERAN SERVICES

Every first, third, and fifth Sunday of the month there will be divine services in the German language at 10:30 a. m. and English services at 7:30 p. m.

A hearty welcome is extended to all.

C. Scheiderer, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

The First Presbyterian church, the "home folks church," extends a cordial welcome to all worshipping Christians to come and worship with us.

Sunday school, 10:00 a. m.

Morning worship, 11:00 a. m.

Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.

H. J. JORDAN, Pastor.

BAPTIST SERVICES

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Preaching at 11:00 and 7:30 p. m.

B. Y. P. U., at 6:30 p. m.
Choir practice, Wednesday at 7:00 p. m., followed by a business meeting.

Please be on time.
W. M. U. meets Tuesday at 3:00 p. m.

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The Successful Men

The men I have seen succeed best in life have been cheerful and hopeful men, who went about their business with a smile on their faces and took the chances and changes of their normal life like men, facing rough and smooth alike, as it came, and so found the truth of the old proverb, that "Good times and bad times and all times pass over."—Kingsley.

Novel Cork Puller

When we are in a hurry in the kitchen the corks of the extract and other small bottles often become obstinate and must be dug out with a fork. Buy some small screweyes and fasten one in each of the corks. They can be changed as the bottle is emptied and you will be pleased at the time and trouble saved by this novel cork puller.

Respect the Truth

Respect the truth. Be true. There is no conscience, there is no noble life, there is no capacity for sacrifice where there is not a religious, a rigid, and a rigorous respect for truth. Strive, then, to fulfill this difficult duty. Untruth corrupts whoever makes use of it before it overcomes him against whom it is used.

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LITTLEFIELD MEN TO PUT IN STORE ON FIG. 4 RANCH

A sight-seeing party consisting of W. V. Tolbert, J. C. Porch, C. D. Smith, G. M. Shaw, S. B. Matthews and W. D. Arnett, last Monday took a tour in auto over the southwest trade territory of Littlefield, going as far west as the New Mexico line, and even crossing the border for a little investigation.

At the noon they doubled back to the Figure 4 ranch headquarters, where they took dinner with Manager C. E. McClevey. That is they were well pleased with the outlook and found future conditions far beyond their expectations is evident by the fact that decision has been made to put in a general merchandise stock of goods at the new town of Goodland, located on the Figure 4 ranch.

In speaking of the possibilities of that particular section as a trade territory to Littlefield, one of the party stated to a Leader representative that its future was without limit. Notwithstanding this new land lies much closer to Portales and Elida, both New Mexico towns, they found practically all the new settlers of that section coming to Littlefield to do their trading. Even a small town merchant across the line when asked the price of eggs, in replying stated he was paying the same as paid for the in Littlefield—get that—"in Littlefield." People in that section were all anxious for better highways leading this direction so they could come to Littlefield next year to do their ginning and crop marketing.

The new town of Goodland is located in the heart of the Figure 4 ranch, which comprises several thousand acres of as fine as land as is to be found on the South Plains of Texas. There are already about 26 families located on this ranch; there are 15 families now on the Maple Wilson land; Rex Stegall is preparing to put 2,500 acres on the market, and there are other holdings in that vicinity that will soon be cut up by the surveyor and turned over to the land hungry people for homes.

As a result of this sight-seeing trip, the Shaw-Arnett, Tolbert Co., have decided to put in a large stock of general merchandise at Goodland. J. C. Porch, now with the Lamb County Mercantile Co., will be in charge. The building is already erected by Mr. McClevey, and the merchants expect to be doing business

in the new stand within the next two weeks.

PEP PARAGRAPHS

Pep is still progressing. The new store building is showing up nicely and will be ready for the stucco work next week. The concrete foundation for the J. S. Stengel has also been completed.

J. F. Serrik and J. F. Albus went to San Francisco Saturday to bring back a truck load of pigs for the Pep Community.

The people here are very liberal in expressing their appreciation toward the Littlefield Chamber of Commerce for the fine highway they have graded right into the center of town. The work is now nearly completed, and from now on we can travel an honest to goodness highway from our town to our trading point, instead of the old cow trails we have had to ride over heretofore. Let's go to Littlefield!

J. P. White killed the largest buffalo of his her last Thursday and had A. G. Jungman, the local taxidermist, to take off the hide. He is to mount the hear and tan the hide. —A Pepper.

Various reports have been current in Littlefield this week to the effect that Dr. Weaver, formerly of this place, but now of St. Joe, Texas, died the first of the week through accidental poisoning. However, the Leader has been unable to verify any of the reports.

51 AT BIBLE CLASS

Organ Secured and Paid for by Men Present Sunday.

There were 51 present last Sunday morning at the down town Men's Bible class, and a very interested bunch of men who listened to the discussion of the lesson.

During the week arrangements for an organ were made, and, upon presentation to those present it was entirely paid for within three minutes time, every fellow present chipping in his part for the instrument.

Arrangements are being made this week for some special music next Sunday and every man or boy not affiliated with one of the church classes of the city is extended a hearty invitation to attend the men's class next Sunday morning at ten o'clock.

THE COST OF INCHES

Last week the daily papers carried a story of the Hilton Investment Co., of Dallas paying \$100 for a strip of land two inches wide fronting on one street and tapering to a point on another.

Out in this country more than 8,000 inches, running in all four directions could be purchased for the same money. Of course it is a question of location decided by that old law of "supply and demand."

Who knows tho, but in a town like this where the population has increased 400 per cent in a year's time, and the property values have had almost the same ratio of increase valuation, it will be a matter of much less proportionate time before inches will be worth the same amount of money.

People who use underhand methods seldom gain the upperhand for a very long time.

MILK COWS

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 are as anxious to get the Lamb Co.
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ODD FELLOWS MEET

The Odd Fellows of Amherst,
 Littlefield and Sudan will meet at
 Amherst Saturday night, February
 28th for an open lecture. All mem-
 bers urged to be present.

Just as one illustration of the way
 folks are moving into this section and
 getting ready to break out their farms
 John Blair reports the sale of an en-
 tire carload of implements and six
 tractors during the past two weeks.

Dave Smith, living on the Fred
 Bartsch farm, east of town, was ini-
 tiated into the mysteries of a new
 order last Sunday, when he had the
 degree of "Dad" conferred upon him
 by the birth of an eight pound girl
 baby. It is said the stork came near

B. S. Caldwell and wife of Ham-
 lin, Texas are in Littlefield this week
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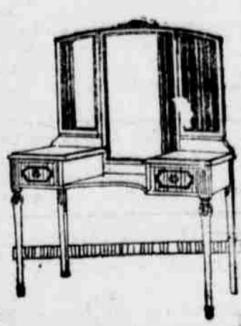
Littlefield,

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The Oldest Insurance Agency in
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 Every Loss Paid Promptly
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Everything heart could
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 Let us equip your bath
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 "Sell it For Less"

**YOUR CHILDREN
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You were once a boy or a girl, and if
 you are the right kind of a man or woman
 now, you are still just a grown up boy or
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An education means everything to that
 boy or girl of yours, but— have YOU IN-
 SURED YOUR LIFE to provide them with
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Perhaps you are just drifting along,
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 wouldn't the wise thing be for you to do so
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Think it over, then come to us and
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Houk Cash Grocery & Market

We now have a new complete stock of grocer-
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 Choice home killed meats already for your inspec-
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A New Store Just Across From Post Office

THE LITTLEFIELD FURNITURE CO.

New and Used Furniture

New Stock of Furniture and Stoves
 At New Prices

Just arrived two carloads of up-to-date Furniture
 Floor Coverings, Stoves and Oil Ranges

We also handle second-hand Furniture & Stoves

Our Motto:

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(THE PRICE IS THE THING)

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Announces the opening of his office in
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DENTISTRY

Office hours: 9:00 A. M. to 4:00 P. M.

Littlefield,

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**The Six-Letter Word
 That Solves The
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T-H-R-I-F-T

Thrift—systematic saving of your ex-
 tra earnings—means freedom from money
 worries; it banishes the fear of old age; it
 makes possible the pleasures and comforts
 of life; it makes you a free man instead of
 a wage earning slave. It solves the ques-
 tions of life.

Keep that New Year Resolution! Come
 in today and open a bank account. Or, if
 you are already a depositor, keep that
 resolution to deposit a certain amount of
 your earnings regularly.

LITTLEFIELD STATE BANK

**Variety is the Spice of
 Life**

We have Lots of the Spice—

And it continues arriving every day. New
 goods are constantly coming in, and our shelves
 are filling up just like they were before Christmas.

**We Are Putting In A Nice Line
 Of Shelf Hardware**

Have some Bargains in Oil Stoves

101 Other things You will Need to
 See To Appreciate

Wynn's Variety Store
 LITTLEFIELD, TEXAS

R. E. Rochelle, M. D.
Physician & Surgeon
Amherst, Texas

LITTLEFIELD DAIRY
All Dairy Products
Deliver Twice Daily
J. I. CARROLL
One-half mile north of
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Dentist
Office in Stokes & Alexander
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ELITE CAFE
We Serve
Plate Lunches
and
Short Orders
at any hour during
the day, until
11:00 o'clock, P. M.
Lassetter & Kaufman
Proprietors

St. George Hotel
Dallas
Where you will feel at home.
If only to spend the day in
Dallas, make our large lobby
and our spacious parlors your
resting place.
170 Rooms, 60 baths.
\$1.50 per day and up.
In the center of the business
district.
CHAS. HODGES,
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See **L. F. INNMON**
—for—
All Kinds of Painting
—Signs—
A Specialty
Littlefield, Texas



EGGS and STOCK
of SALE
PENS, MATED & SETTING EGGS
At \$3.00 per Setting or
2 settings for \$5.00.
Ready for delivery
January 1, 1925
West Hill Poultry Farm
E. C. Cundiff, Mgr.

STAR MEAT MARKET
Fresh and canned meats
of all kinds, Quality
Goods at Quantity
Prices.
Your Business Appreciated.
FRED HOOVER, Prop.

Want Ads.

Want ads, Rentals, Lost and Found, Exchanges, Lands and Stock, Miscellaneous, etc.
RATES: Classified, first insertion, 7½c per line; minimum 25c; subsequent insertions, 5c per line. Unless advertiser has an open account, cash must accompany order.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: Block of 7 lots with two good houses. Ideal location for filling station and store. Across road from new gin. See or write John Stehlik, Littlefield. 40-4tp

FOR SALE: Farming tools, teams and feed. Also, 189 acre good farm for rent. Zed Robinson, Littlefield. 40-4tp

Bargains in residence lots. E. S. Rowe. 42-1tc

FOR SALE: New 5-room dwelling 3 lots, barn and well. Choice location. Part cash, balance good terms. S. R. Little, Littlefield. 42-4tp

FOR SALE: Extra nice bunch of Jersey milk cows, some fresh, others will be fresh soon, all young and will give excellent service.—S. E. Ferguson, 3 mi. south of Littlefield 42-1tc

FOR SALE: Good milk cow, be fresh soon. Also, blacksmith forge, cheap. Geo. Price, 5 mi. E. on Olton road. 43-2tp

FOR SALE: Small house and two lots.—See J. W. Porcher. 42-2tc

FOR SALE: Six pure Red Sows.—Herbert Mueller, Littlefield. 43-2tc
FOR RENT: 500 acre farm, to man able to finance himself, located 15 miles S. W. of Littlefield.—Alexander Bros., Pep, Texas. 43-2tc

FOR SALE: 2-room house and lot 4th house west of Littlefield hotel. Also some good mules and horses and Moline tractor. Part cash, part trade.—Harvey Love. 44-3tp

FOR SALE: Good lumber.—See J. W. Porcher. 42-4tc.

FOR RENT: 4-room house, furniture nearly new for sale. Inquire Gutler Lumber Co.

FOR SALE: Patented Cab and factory made bed for Ford truck.—See S. S. Raines, Littlefield. 43-3tp

IF YOU have to make bond of any kind, see A. G. Hemphill, Insurance, Littlefield. 43-2tc

FOR SALE: 10 foot windmill and steel tower, cheap. A. E. White Littlefield. 43-2tp

WANTED

WANTED: Dressmaking of any kind. Dainty hand made things. Satisfaction guaranteed.—Mrs. Alford, just west of E. A. Logan's residence. 39-5tp

WANTED: Fresh Horse Manure for hot beds.—Gus De Bur. 43-4tp

WANTED: To rent 500 acre farm, 15 WHEN in Clovis, New Mexico stop at the Pierce Hotel.—A. T. PARKER, Proprietor. 42-1tc

MISCELLANEOUS

HEMSTITCHING and picoting.—Mrs. John Blair. 43-2tc

Batteries recharged at Littlefield Motor Co. 43-2tc

"Anybody," seen Ritcheson. "The Plumber." 21-1tc

Purina Hen Chow will make 'em lay.—Littlefield Grain Co. 40-1tc

I am prepared to make out income tax returns. Have a supply of blank reports.—E. A. BILLS, Attorney, Littlefield. 43-2tc

Residence lots near high school at very reasonable prices. E. S. Rowe. 42-1tc

Purina Cow Chow produces more milk.—Littlefield Grain Co. 40-1tc

MRS. ALFORD is now prepared to furnish meals for folks who enjoy good home cooking in a quite home, just west of E. A. Logan's residence. 44-4tp.

I AM shipping in a carload nice Soft Maple trees from Stark Bros., nursery. Will have about 100 not needed, you may have at cost plus the freight, which will be about \$1.00 each.—Littlefield Grain Co. 44-1tc

MONEY TO LOAN
On farms in Lamb, Hockley, Bailey and Cochran counties. 33-1tc **BELL & GILLETTE**, Littlefield, Texas.

He Tells 'Em



Brig. Gen. Wm. Mitchell, Assistant Chief of the U. S. Army Air Service, defies gag rule and tells the House Aircraft Committee that the Army and Navy Air Departments are inefficient and that in a separate-air service only can a real national defense be established.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to extend my sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during the sickness of my wife and son. I assure you your kindly ministrations of help and sympathy, the flowers and food you so generously tendered, are all gratefully appreciated.
J. C. PORCH

FRANCHISE GRANTED

Texas Utilities Corporation Would Build Hi-Line Along Santa Fe.

The Lamb County Commissioners Court has granted a franchise to the Texas Utilities Corporation to build a high line through Lamb county and paralleling the Santa Fe railroad. It is the intention of this corporation to establish electric lighting and power service to the towns located along the proposed line, also to the farmers living along and adjacent to the line.

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

Baileyboro Buzzings

J. E. Brannen, H. B. Brannen and family and Misses Blanche and Sue Brannen were Baileyboro visitors Saturday afternoon.

Charlie Coffman was a Saturday night visitor of Crit Odum.

A meeting of the school trustees was held here Saturday and various matters of business attended to. Lois Young spent Sunday with Berdene Wallis.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wallis, Blanche Blackshear and Charlie Durham were Lubbock visitors Sunday, returning home by way of Levelland, Petit school and by the Yellowhouse Ranch headquarters.

Lawrence Ogden was a Muleshoe visitor Monday.

Mrs. G. F. Henderson and daughter Trixie returned home Monday from an extended visit with friends and relatives in Ralls Texas.

Mrs. J. W. Bayless who has been real sick for several weeks died at her home here Tuesday. The body was carried back to Snyder Texas, her recent home for burial. We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the relatives in their great loss.

The epidemic of flu and severe colds is still raging in this community. Several new cases were reported Saturday.

Charlie Durham spent Wednesday night with Babe Cooper.

A valentine box was enjoyed by both pupils and teachers, Friday afternoon, everybody received a large bunch of Cupid's love letters.

Prof. J. W. Stone attended to matters of business in New Mexico Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. French, Crockett and Alonzo Stone enjoyed the radio program in the Blackshear home Friday night.

The Busy B's

ANTON ADVICES

L. E. Thomas, of Erick Oklahoma, has bought lot 27, block 68, on which he will build his insurance office building. Mr. Thomas will make his home in Anton and will be engaged in the insurance business.

MATTRESS FACTORY
Opened on Square, by public well. Make mattresses from feathers, wool cotton or mohair.—G. M. HURLEY, Prop. 34-4f

WELL DRILLING
Guarantee All Work
Experienced Drillers
—Lightfoot & Chambers.

J. B. Rountree has bought industrial lots numbers 9 and 10, on which to erect buildings for the ice, coal and grain business and will move into modern home on the corner of Igou and East Third Street.

The Panhandle Lumber Company has purchased lots 4 and 5, block 76, for the purpose of enlarging their yards.

J. D. Gilbert, of turkey, Texas, has purchased a gin site in block E, and will put in a modern gin, to be ready for the 1925 cotton crop.

W. E. Richardson, of Post, Texas, has purchased lot 3, in block 1, West Side Terrace and is now erecting his home there. Mr. Richardson is engaged in the life insurance business in Anton.

Matt and W. T. Thomas have purchased and are now erecting a garage building on lot 22, in block 67.

R. L. Glisson and O. R. Wise of Las Cruces, New Mexico, have leased a brick building from the Anton Townsite Company, in which to open a general store, handling a large line of first class stock.

104 school children enrolled in the Monday, January 9th, there was Anton School.

H. F. Bishop has purchased lot 3, in block 1, West Side Terrace.

D. L. Griffin is completing his business house and will open a modern grocery store within the next few days.

Mr. Hendricks, of Littlefield, is wiring all the rooms in the hotel building, for private telephones.

W. T. Montgomery, at the Mission Service Station, had a well drilled in 2 1-2 hours, at a depth of 35 feet, water standing 20 feet in the hole. The Magnolia Petroleum Company,

of Dallas, has purchased industrial lots numbers one and two, on which to start a whole ale oil business.

OLDEST HORSE 50 YEARS

The ordinary span of horses life is twenty years, but there is a horse in Catawissa, Pa., the property of Rev. Dr. Uriah Myers, which is fifty-one years old, and rated as the oldest horse in the world. As a matter of fact, there is no record of any horse having lived anywhere near as long as this. A short time ago it looked as if the horse, named Clover, might have to be killed, because his owner could not afford to keep him. But the story of his extreme age and admirable character having gone abroad, gifts of money and offers of maintenance came from many sources, so that now Clover will be retired from active service on a pension. Moreover, an eminent veterinarian even promises Clover many more years in which to enjoy his good fortune and his fame.

When Clover was a young horse he was famed as a racer in Kentucky, and has a record of having trotted a mile in 2:22, and paced a mile in 2:17, many years ago, of course. His owner believes he could do 15 miles a day at the present time without any physical strain. He comes of Hambletonian stock, his head particularly, resembling that of Rysdyk's Hambletonian. At fifteen years of age he came into the possession of Dr. Myers, and for thirty-five years loyally served his ministerial master.

Clover stands a bit shaggy and chocky today. Oddly enough, Clover

isn't lame, because the shorter leg is longer and its length to that of the longer leg. He stands 16 hands and about 1200 pounds, and shows the excellent care he has given him. His ration daily, consists of one scoop of middlings, and two scoops of oats, clover and topped off with three ears of corn. He takes a long time to masticate slowly.

According to the veterinarian examined Clover recently, is sound in wind, and has clean legs, and there is a coat that is remarkable in so old. His only blemish is a cataract on the right eye, but necessarily traceable to old age is hard to tell the exact age by his teeth after the fifty. However the contour of the teeth meet at an obtuse angle but as the animal grows older the angle becomes more acute. Judging by this, Clover has a mouth that veterinarians have seen. His incisors are a man's forefinger and straight jawbone. The most surprising is that the teeth are in as good condition as those of a ten-year-old. His molars are perfect and fact undoubtedly lies the secret of his health. The horse is remarkably and playful and astonishes all who know his age, with the quickness of his movements. He lies down and gets up with ease, a sign that still many years from his age of the first symptoms of old age in a horse is the difficulty of lying down and getting up.

Cotton Lands!

THE NEW RAILROAD CONTRACTED TO RUN FROM LUBBOCK TO LEVELLAND

Places some 500 of our farms in the best location possible. With the branch line of the Santa Fe projected to Levelland within one mile of our south line; the main line of the Santa Fe adjoining our Spade lands on the east at the new town of Anton and running through our Littlefield lands on the north at the town of Littlefield, which has increased its population more than 400 per cent in the last twelve months; every farm is within an hour's drive of the Technological College at Lubbock. In the center of this land is located the new town of Whitharral, destined to be a splendid community center, within easy reach of the railroad on three sides and at the junction of two main highways.

THE FOLLOWING LETTER SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Littlefield, Texas, February 5th, 1925.
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:
"I bought 354 acres of land near Littlefield last year and made my first crop on sold land in 1924. Had 150 acres in cotton and made 83 bales. Had 46 acres of Sudan and it threshed 27,300 pounds of seed. On 50 acres, I raised maize and other feeds enough to supply my place for two years. I moved here from Kaufman county and am highly pleased with the Littlefield section."
Very truly yours,
(Signed) J. L. Dow
This is only one of many such letters on file in our office from good farmers who have bought and farmed in this section. Come and see for yourself.

Hundreds of Select Farms, Most Conveniently Located, are Still Open, But Selling Rapidly

If you desire the best location and as good agricultural land as can be found on the South Plains at a reasonable price and on exceedingly liberal terms with low rate of interest, come to Littlefield and let us show you the greatest agricultural development that is now going on in Texas.

See our authorized agents for further information or address us at Littlefield, Texas.

Yellow House Land Co.