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**SWEET POTATO POINTERS
OF GREAT VALUE**

It is exceedingly necessary that seed sweet potatoes should be carefully selected and disinfected against disease germs before being bedded. There are some serious diseases, especially black rot, which may be easily scattered through infected slips, and unless the growers of slips observe the proper care the disease will become worse and prove a great menace to the sweet potato industry. In fact, black rot is already doing a great deal of damage because so many seed potatoes have not been properly selected and treated.

Black rot is carried from the seed bed to the field by infected slips grown from diseased potatoes; from the field it is carried to the sweet potato storage house, where it may spread and from there it is taken back to the seed bed unless the potatoes are selected and treated.

At the present time black rot is one of the greatest enemies of the successful operation of the sweet potato storage houses, and this could be almost entirely prevented if the seed potatoes were properly selected and treated.

For these reasons all growers of slips whether for home use or for commercial purposes, are strongly urged to use the following method in order to grow good healthy slips.

Before bedding, be sure to carefully select the seed potatoes and discard all that show any black spots or other signs of diseases. Then dip all of the sound potatoes for ten minutes in a solution containing one ounce of bichloride of mercury (corrosive sublimate) to eight gallons of water. This solution will kill the disease germs on the surface of the potatoes, but cannot reach those which have already gone through the skin, and hence it is very important to select the potatoes carefully before being dipped.

The dipping can be easily done in a shallow vat or barrels of half barrels. Wooden vessels should be used as the bichloride of mercury is corrosive to metal. This solution is poisonous and should not be left where livestock or children can have access to it.

A handy way to do this dipping is to place the potatoes in bushel baskets and then immerse them in the solution for ten minutes. They are then ready to be placed directly in the seed bed, after the solution has drained off. While they are being bedded another lot can be dipped.

This method is very simple and extremely important to keep down serious diseases.

When buying slips from commercial growers, a guarantee should be demanded that the potatoes from which the slips were grown were properly selected and treated against diseases as described above.—Extension Service Farm News.

Mr. Hooper of Ochiltree came in Monday night to visit his sister, Mrs. I. P. Evans.

Mrs. Claude Dowis of Childress is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. D. Back.

Mr. Kinnbrough of Amarillo was in the city Monday.

Blacksmithing

I guarantee that you will be pleased with my work and that I will be satisfied with the price.

J. Lee Turner

ECZEMA!
Money back without question if HUNT'S Salve fails in the treatment of ITCH, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, TETTER or other itching skin diseases. Try a 75 cent box at our risk.
THE CITY PHARMACY

SHAMROCK MAN DIES

J. F. Nixon, well known citizen of this place, died suddenly at his home in north Shamrock last Monday morning.

According to reports, Mr. Nixon arose early in the morning to build a fire, but decided it was too early, and returned to bed. Mrs. Nixon called him a few minutes later, but receiving no response, she went to his bed and discovered that he was lifeless. A physician was summoned, but he stated that Mr. Nixon had been dead some thirty minutes when he reached there, and that the death was caused by a hemorrhage at the base of the brain.

The deceased had apparently been in good health preceding his death, which came as a great shock to his many friends and relatives.—Shamrock Texan.

Mesdames Gray and Whatley and children of Groom came in Monday to attend the bed side of Mrs. Evans.

Alvin Osborn of Clarendon college visited his parents, Rev. and Mrs. B. J. Osborn, Sunday.

J. M. Noel, S. S. Shelton and Roy Robinson went to Wheeler Tuesday to attend court.

Buck and Marvin Cooke made a business trip to Ramsdell Tuesday.

Jot Montgomery was in from the Y O U ranch Monday.

ELECTION NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF GRAY.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by law as President of the School Board of Trustees for the

McLean Independent School District, I hereby order an election to be held in the town of McLean, in said Gray county, Texas, on the first Saturday in April A. D. 1921, the same being the 2nd day of said month, said election to be held at the McLean Auto Co's. office, for the purpose of electing three School Trustees for said district to fill the vacancy caused by the expiration of the terms of Jno. W. Kibler, F. P. Wilson and J. S. Morse, and

I hereby appoint T. W. Henry as presiding judge to hold said election, the polls of which is to be opened at 8:30 o'clock a. m., and close at 6 o'clock p. m. on the above date.

Witness my hand on this the 14th day of March A. D. 1921.

J. R. HINDMAN, President of the Board of Trustees for the McLean Independent School District. 11-3c.

LEGAL NOTICE

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County, Texas. No. 195 in County Court Gray County, C. B. Hedrick recovered in the County Court of Gray County, against R. B. Pyron, for Two Hundred Fifty-three Dollars, interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum, with ten per cent attorney fee and all cost of suit;

And whereas, at the August term of the County Court of Gray County, Texas, a writ of scire facias was duly sued by the plaintiff in this cause against the defendant, and at the November term of said court, A. D. 1920, a judgment was duly entered in minutes of said court in all things reviving said judgment and providing for the issuance of a writ of execution for the foreclosure of the attachment lien sued out in this cause was filed and levied upon the following described lands as shown:

by the sheriff's return, which reads as follows, to wit: Came to hand on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1917, by levying upon all the right, title and interest of the said defendant, R. B. Pyron, in and to the following described lands situated in Gray County, Texas, to wit: Abstract No. 537, Survey No. 5; Abstract No. 538, Survey No. 6; Abstract No. 539, Survey No. 7; Abstract No. 540, Survey No. 8; Abstract No. 541, Survey No. 9; Abstract No. 542, Survey No. 10; Abstract No. 543, Survey No. 11; Abstract No. 544, Survey No. 12; Abstract No. 545, Survey No. 13; Abstract No. 551, Survey No. 19; Abstract No. 552, Survey No. 20 all in Block H, A. W. Wallace original grantee, fee \$2.00. W. S. Copeland Sheriff of Gray County, Texas. Said tracts of land containing seven thousand one hundred and four acres of land, as it existed on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1917.

Therefore you are hereby commanded that you seize the above described property and sell same under execution, and should the proceeds of said sale be insufficient to satisfy said judgment, interest, attorney's fee and cost of suit and the further cost of executing this writ, then and there you will cause to be made of the goods, chattles, lands and tenements of the said R. B. Pyron the said sum of money then remaining unpaid.

Herein fail not, and have said moneys, together with this writ, showing how you have executed the same, before said court at the courthouse thereof in the town of Lefors on the 16th day of May, A. D. 1921.

the same being the third Monday of said month.
Witness R. B. Thompson, Clerk of the County Court of Gray County, Texas.
Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in the town of Lefors, Gray County, Texas, this the 15th day of February, A. D. 1921.
(SEAL) R. B. THOMPSON,
Clerk of the County Court, Gray County, Texas.

DR. C. E. RICHARDSON
Deputy State Veterinarian
Office Phone 279 Residence R. 2
CLARENDON, TEXAS

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While Your House Burns**

Fire CAN Come

Are you Prepared against Fire Loss when it comes? Then have your property covered. Have you neglected to insure your Home and Household Goods? If so, call at once and let me insure your property.

W. C. FOSTER, McLean, Texas

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Does Engraving and all kinds of repair work pertaining to the Jewelry trade.

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PHONE 150

KUNKEL BROS.
McLEAN, TEXAS

NOTICE

—Dr. N. F. Tate, Veterinarian, of Amarillo will be in McLean Tuesday, March 22nd, for one day only.

SUBSTITUTES

May Lack the Quality
and Fit of the Genuine

All the parts comprising an International machine are made to fulfill certain requirements, some for tensile strength, some for their edge values, others to resist friction, etc. The materials used for these parts are determined in the factories by experts.

It stands to reason that "made-for" and "will-fit" repairs may not be as good as those made from the original patterns. And what excuse is there for anyone to buy substitutes of any kind?

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There is one thing that cannot be imitated, even in appearance. It is the International Harvester Company's trade-mark, registered in the United States Patent Office—for your protection, and it can appear only on Genuine I. H. C. parts and repairs.

When You Need Repairs for International Machines Buy Them from the International Dealer
Car of P. & O. Implements Just Arrived

FRANK EXUM
Shamrock, Texas



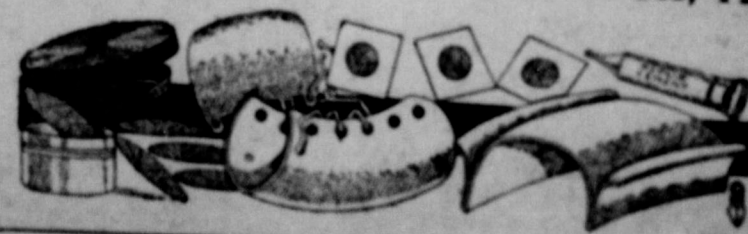
New Life for Old Tires

A patch in time saves nine. It will pay you to occasionally look over your old tires and inner tubes before you recklessly toss them away and pay big money for new ones.

Have the rips and holes vulcanized by our efficient method and your tires will be good for many another piece of rough road.

We also deal in the necessary paraphernalia for doing your own tire repairing. Stop in and see our supplies.

Shamrock Tire Repair Shop
ALEX BERGMAN, Prop. SHAMROCK, TEXAS



J. E. Mattox of Memphis and J. Madox of St. Louis, of the Industrial Transportation Co. general offices, called on the local manager, R. S. Jordan, Monday. They went to Groom Tuesday for the purpose of putting in a stock at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Rice have received an announcement of the birth of a son to their daughter, Mrs. Dewey Herron, of Carrizo, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Briggs of Granite, Okla., came in Monday to be with the lady's mother, Mrs. I. P. Evans.

Mrs. J. M. Rollins of Clarendon spent the week end with her niece, Mrs. T. A. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kibler went to Amarillo Friday of last week.

Oscar Goodman went to Amarillo Saturday.

I THANK YOU

I take this means of thanking the people of McLean for the many courtesies shown me while I served them as public weigher, for their patronage, and for having honored me with the office.

Upon my resignation the Commissioners court appointed my brother, Burette, to fill out my unexpired term, and any favors shown him will be appreciated by both of us.

I am moving to Dalhart, where I have a position with the McFarlan Grain Co., and will be pleased to meet any of my friends who may chance to find themselves in Dalhart.

JESSE KINARD.

Mrs. Ira Unsell and children of Groom came in Monday for a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Collier.

Little Miss Fay Bible of the Skillet community spent the week end with little Miss Oma Lee Abbott.

News From Heald

The young folks enjoyed a party given at the Parker home Friday evening.

Billie Bailey, Bennie Chilton and Misses Fannie Bailey and Fannie Keer motored to Amarillo Saturday.

Several people from here attended a box supper at the Pakan school house last Thursday night. They were well entertained.

J. A. Haynes and Geo. Reneau went to Wheeler Sunday to be at court Monday.

A. S. Parker and family spent the day at the C. H. Harbison home Sunday.

James Chilton and family of McLean spent Saturday night and Sunday with the gentleman's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth Woods visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dougherty, Saturday and Sunday.

Haden Goodnight was over from Wellington Saturday to take his sister, Miss Lou, home, as her school closed Friday. They were accompanied by Miss Inez Parker, who will review some studies and take examinations.

T. F. Phillips is fencing his garden this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eastman and Mrs. Cooper of Hollis, Okla., are here this week, visiting the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carver went to Wheeler Monday.

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NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS

Notice is hereby given that if all delinquent taxes, owing to the McLean Independent School District, are not paid on or before March 22nd, 1921, same will be placed in the hands of an attorney for collection. This order is given pursuant to orders issued by the Trustees of the McLean Independent School District.

J. R. HINDMAN, President,
C. L. COOKE, Secretary, Board of Trustees, McLean Independent School District.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kibler left Monday for Dallas to attend a telephone convention.

Mesdames Stubbs and Short of Alanreed were in the city last Friday, shopping.

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We have a complete line of the newest Stationery, in the latest styles. Come and see it. There are linen papers of such various sizes and tints as will fit your every social requirement. Our stationery adds that touch of distinction and individuality so pleasing to those of refinement.

We are especially proud of our lines of Cascade Linen and Symphony Lawn, two papers of character and strength that are sure to please you. And the price is lower than you expect it to be for such high grade stationery.

We carry a full assortment of Snapfil guaranteed fountain pens and Eversharp pencils.

Here is the Best Place to Get Those Easter Egg Dyes

Erwin Drug Co.

The Rexall Store

McLean, Texas

Opportunity Knocks

Opportunity's knock may be only a gentle tap. Don't wait, expecting opportunity to swat you on the head with a club and then drag you to success.

Be ready. That's the main thing. When the supreme moment comes and Opportunity taps at your door, then it is that a Bank Account is doubly valuable. Opportunity can't do much for you if you are not in a position to help a little. We invite you to open an account at our Bank. Then we may be in a position to give Opportunity a tip to call around at your place. Otherwise it would be time wasted.

—The—

Citizens State Bank

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We make new tins for planters, make milk buckets with covers, and churns.

Give your orders to the

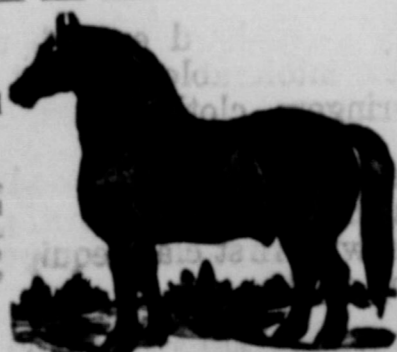
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An Opportunity to Save

Registered Black French Percheron Stallion

—as well bred horse as there is in the United States, in stud at my place in South McLean. \$10.00 to insure. If you believe in better blooded stuff, come and look at him.



The Best Jack

in this part of the country is my registered Black Mammoth, in stud at my place in South McLean. He is four years old, about 15 1/2 hands high. Was imported from Southern Illinois last fall. He had been winning sweepstakes at the Southern Illinois State Fair every year since he was foaled.

Prices for breeding to these animals reduced from \$12.50 to \$10.00, to insure.

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Extraordinary preparations have been made for your wants and we have the most comprehensive display of fabrics ever shown by this store.

It affords you a wonderful opportunity to view the new goods for Spring and Summer—selecting now while assortments are at their best, and have your sewing done in ample time for the new season.

Wash Silks, as is proper, play a most important part in this display.

Chiffons, Taffetas, Georgettes and Crepe de Chines are of better quality than in some former seasons, yet they have been priced like all our merchandise—RIGHT.

A charming display of Wash Goods in dainty new patterns and colorings arriving daily.

Of special interest is the array of Trimmings and Notions which go to make the completed dress. It will be a pleasure to choose these since we have so well anticipated your needs in every way.

Spring Millinery

An atmosphere of distinction pervades this varied selection of spring Millinery.

Looking about you will see de-

lightfully chic hats that combine in a pleasing manner the very best of the new season's materials in modes of the moment

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DEPENDABLE MERCHANDISE

ONE PRICE TO ALL

CH 20 TO BE BIG DAY FOR METHODISTS

roughout the Panhandle of s, the third Sunday of this h, which is March 20, will be ved as "Go to Sunday School" by all Panhandle Methodist ay schools in the Northwest s Conference, according to an- cement made by W. M. Rice, tary of the Amarillo district the "Double the Sunday School" sment. All reports of the acies of the day are to be sent Mr. Rice at Amarillo, who will pile the statistics.

discussing the importance of movement Mr. Rice declared the thirteen counties of the hern Panhandle, which are in- ed in te Amarillo district, have approximate population of 35,000 odhist people. Of this number 00 of them are young people, er 25 years of age, according to istics.

Mr. Rice says that 4,000 of the 900 young people are in Sunday ool on Sunday morning, and he is the question, "What has be- ne of the other 16,000?"

"The ideals of the young people not be Christian, if they be un- ight," declared Mr. Rice, and he ded that teaching was a matter self-preservation for the homes d for Christian civilization.

The "Double the Sunday School" ovement has been making marked ogress, according to reports com- g in from the Conference secre- ry, and many of the Sunday hools in the Conference have al- ready doubled their membership.

The Rev. R. N. Huckabee, Con- crence secretary for the movement, ecently addressed the Abilene ethodists with reference to the importance of the work, and ac- cording to press reports, he cited one alarming statistics, showing he number of non-attendance of ny Sunday school.

In this connection Mr. Huckabee aid:

"The situation is a positive men- ace to American Christian civiliza-

tion. More than half the young people of our entire nation are not receiving any religious instruction. That is a challenge to the Christian churches to revolutionize their methods and diligence. We have the obligation to teach the Bible to all the people within the nation as well as to all nations of the earth.

"Our criminals are not coming from our family altars and Sunday classes. They are coming from the 26,500,000 young people of our nation who are growing up in virtual heathenism. They form a fruitful field for the spread of revolutionary propoganda which attacks our republican form of government. They have not been taught that the foundation of American institutions is faith in God. Let us cease producing criminals and rear a high-minded Christian citizenship.—Amarillo Tribune.

T. J. Dostalick, local manager for the Western Lumber Co., went to Oklahoma City Thursday of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jordan of Dallas came in Tuesday to attend the bed side of the lady's mother, Mrs. Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Harris went to Clarendon Saturday to visit their soon, Jim, and family.

Miss Lila Smith and Mrs. Ernest McDonald went to Shamrock Wednesday on business.

Mrs. W. L. Campbell left Thursday of last week for Lubbock to visit her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kübler and Mrs. Charlie Murphree motored to Clarendon Sunday.

Mesdames W. E. Ballard and D. B. Veatch went to Amarillo Thursday.

W. L. Brooks made a business trip to Oklahoma City Saturday.

E. J. Kramer and Walter McAdams went to Alanreed Sunday.

T. A. Landers and family motored to Alanreed Sunday afternoon.

W. L. Campbell went to Amarillo Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Babe Smith re- turned Wednesday from Iowa Park and Breckenridge.

Homer West was here from the Clarendon oil well the first of the week.

GUARANTY STATE BANK

Official Statement of the Financial Condition of the

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral	\$52,018.86
Overdrafts	91.63
Bonds and Stocks	71.74
Real Estate (banking house)	5,000.00
Other Real Estate	660.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,107.50
Due from Other Banks and Bankers and cash on hand	14,227.19
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	796.54
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	9,268.10
Cash Collections	629.25
Other Resources, Due from Int. Rev. Coll.	32.61
Total	\$75,656.17

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$15,000.00
Surplus Fund	1,200.00
Undivided Profits, net	583.11
Individual Deposits, subject to check	46,926.24
Time Certificates of Deposit	2,560.00
Demand Certificates of Deposit	178.72
Cashiers' Checks	
Total	\$75,656.17

State of Texas, County of Gray.
We, C. M. McCullough, as president, and R. C. Bennett, as assistant cashier, of said bank, each of us do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

C. M. McCULLOUGH, President.
R. C. BENNETT, Assistant Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of March, A. D. 1921.
J. A. COPPEDGE, Notary Public,
Gray County, Texas.
(SEAL)
Correct—Attest: ANDY WORD, E. B. HEDRICK, O. C. BROWN, Directors.

LANDERS' STORE TALKS

Reason—

It is a pleasure to trade with a reasonable man. There is no reason about a man who expects a Credit and Delivery store to sell goods as cheaply as a Cash and Carry Store. The reasonable man, who wants his money to buy the most value, trades at a Cash store—such as ours—and gets all that he pays for.

We have the best equipped Shoe and Harness Shop in town.

T. A. LANDERS

CASH GROCERY SHOE AND HARNESS SHOP

Wants

WANTED.—One or two good Ford cars, for cash. Price must be right. See Vester Smith. 1p.

LOST.—Saturday afternoon, between McLean and Shamrock, a robe lined duck coat. Please leave at Bundy-Hodges store. J. W. Hunter. 1p.

WANTED.—A cast iron kettle of two or three gallons' capacity. The condition it is in does not matter, just so there is no crack in it. McLean News.

I DO NOT want any decayed or "poverty" hides, and will not accept them. I prefer not to buy green hides. N. J. Miller. 11-4t.

WANTED.—Sewing. See or call Mrs. Sam Hodges, Phone 109. 1c

Full blood Rhode Island Red eggs, \$1.50 a setting or \$8.00 per hundred. F. P. Wilson. 7-tf.

FOR SALE.—Seed sweet potatoes, potato slips, cabbage and tomato plants. Write for circular. T. Jones & Co., Clarendon, Texas. 8-4p.

You can buy 3 cakes of Palmolive soap for 25c all the time at the City Pharmacy.

BARRED ROCK eggs (Ringlets), \$1.50 per setting. E. B. Thompson strain. Robt. H. Corum. Phone 66. 4-4c. 9-4c.

Those wishing hemstitching will please send all packages to my new address, Care Regent's, 512 Polk St., Amarillo, Tex. Mrs. L. Moody.

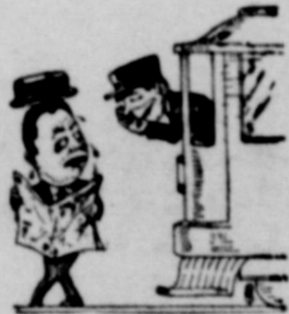
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The News and Dallas Semi-Weekly Farm News, both one year, \$2.25.

MULES FOR SALE.—Have five teams 3 year old mules. Prices reasonable for cash or good note. Also several weaning pigs, and a roan Durham milk cow. Phone 55, 3 for information. Houston Bellew. 10-3p

FOR SALE.—One small threshing machine, one 11 h. p. gas engine, one power feed grinder, also one power jack. Small bunch of big-bone Poland China hogs, registered. S. C. Woody. 10-4p.

Harness.—We have an excellent stock and can supply your wants at reasonable prices. Western Lumber & Hardware Co.



WAKE UP

to the fact that you are beginning to look seedy, and bring your old suit to me for cleaning and pressing. If I can't make it look like new, it is time for you to buy a new one, in which case I offer you better values in made-to-measure clothes than you can get anywhere inready-made stuff.

ALEXANDER'S TAILOR SHOP

Alva Alexander, Prop.

Attention! Autoists!

Forget the Troubles with your Battery. If it Should Need Repairing, Let us Repair it. If it is Beyond Repair, we can Replace it with a New One at Reasonable cost

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That Dreaded weekly event—hard enough under the best of circumstances, but almost intolerable without a good washing machine, tubs, wringers, clothes lines, clothes pins, etc.

The labor problem is made easy by good equipment. We can't do away with wash day, Mrs. Housewife, but we'll do all we can to make it easier with first class equipment and every labor saving device we can find.

McLean Hardware Co.

BILL UPHAM, Mgr.

McLEAN, TEXAS

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PENSLAR WHITE PINE AND SPRUCE BALSAM

a combination of healing ingredients recognized by the medical profession as the best for the treatment of coughs.

Penlar White Pine and Spruce Balsam acts promptly and assures a permanent relief, while most cough syrups merely quiet the cough.

Penlar White Pine and Spruce Balsam is sold in two sizes, either plain or mentholated, and only at Penlar stores.

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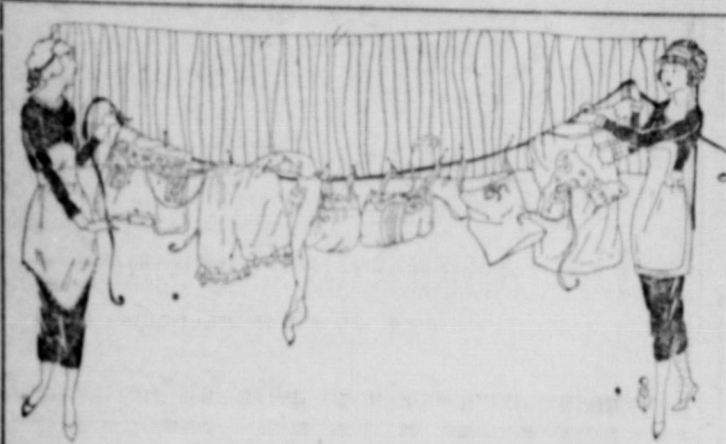
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Big Pre-Easter Sale

CLOSES SATURDAY, MARCH 26

FOR THE EASTER PARADE

At these prices you can easily afford the Best. **We Lead in Value Giving.** See the following prices, examine the goods, and be convinced that our merchandise can't be duplicated anywhere for less than a third more money. We sell nothing but the best.



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LADIES' WAISTS

—express shipment just received, in all the new fresh colors and styles. Priced Only \$1.95 up.

PETTICOATS

—about 25, in plain and fancy bottoms. Only \$1.95 Each.

LADIES' DRESSES

—a big shipment due in a few days, in time for the Easter Parade, in Taffetas, Canton Crepe, Crepe de Chine. Priced \$17.50 to \$25.00.



MILLINERY

—a Hat for every purpose, and to fit every pocketbook.

Priced \$3.00 to \$12.00



SILKS! SILKS!!

—for the Easter Frocks. Satin, Taffeta, in bright, fresh colors, just the kinds wanted for mother or daughter. 36-inch pure silk. Priced only \$1.98 yd.

WHITE GOODS

—for every requirement. Kinds too numerous to mention. They are priced especially for the Easter Sale. 20c up.

PRINTED VOILES

—dozens of pretty, bright colors. Better buy them now. Hot days will soon be with us. Priced 35c up.

SPRING FOOTWEAR

—an array replete with novelties and staples for women who appreciate the importance of being correctly shod. Oxfords, Pumps and Strap styles, Priced \$3.00 to \$9.00.

REAL SHOE BARGAINS

—about 100 pairs of Ladies' Pumps, Oxfords and Strap Effects, all out on the counter, priced less than wholesale cost—\$1.95 to \$5.00.

Shoes for the whole family, and the price is less.



Every Suit sold under a money back guarantee. No time limit.



MEN'S CLOTHING

—Curlee Brand, all pure wool fabrics, many colors and styles to select that Easter Suit from.
Lot No. 1, Choice only \$25.00
Lot No. 2, Choice only \$35.00

MEN'S AND BOYS' WORK CLOTHES

Men's Overalls for only \$1.25
Boys' Overalls for 85c
Men's Khaki Unionalls at \$2.95
Men's Heavy Blue Shirts for 85c
Men's Heavy Khaki Pants, only \$2.25

BOYS' SUITS

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BACK AGAIN

I had wandered for many years, resting in new places and among new scenes, flying over tall mountains and vast wooded lands, skimming along above the prairies and skirting the sea coasts. Everywhere I went new scenes and strange faces presented themselves, but in all the wide range I found nothing familiar, nothing that looked like the home scenes and the home ties of my owlet days.

Tired at last and worn out with the kaleidoscope of the traveler's everyday life, I winged my way back toward Pilcherville, back where every man, woman, boy and cat had been familiar to me twenty years ago. Of course, I mentally exclaimed, "The changes will be many. Many of those I knew in the long ago will have passed to the beyond; new buildings will change the looks of the town, and new faces will illuminate the commercial center of dear old Pilcherville.

For many days I winged my way toward the sun-rise land, and early one morning I settled on the limb of a giant tree that looked familiar and where I would rest thru the next day. It was the same old tree where in my owlet days I had passed hours with my devoted mother and brothers and sisters, all now, alas, removed by the young hunter with murderous shot gun.

Early the following night I selected a roost in a locust near the village postoffice, and gazed fondly on the old town as it lay spread out before me. There was the blue light tabernacle, just as it stood twenty years ago, with the exception that the weatherboard was a little more bare for the lack of paint. There was McKeever's grocery store in a little one-story build-

ing belonging to Jarvis Grunel, not a bit changed. Jarvis still received five dollars a month rent for the shack, and as long as he was doing so well the wheels of improvement could go get hanged. George Brindle still kept the "dry goods emporium," and Melissa Hanks still "clerked" behind the counter, just as petite and rose complexioned as she was twenty years ago. The team that went by was from Bradfoot's livery barn I knew from the way the harness was patched with rope. Nobody could do that trick like Bradfoot, so I knew that he was still here doing business at the same old stand just as he did twenty years ago.

Malancthon Overall came up from the train with a drummer's grip, the drummer a step behind, and took his guest to the Hotel de Pluribus; same old name, same old Malancthon, same old grub, too, I suppose.

And there was Farmer Hoster, just drove in after supper. He got down from the wagon and told Abe Hinkle how hard times were; crops all a failure, no money to pay taxes, no nothing. Same old Hoster, I said, same old liar, repeating the same old stories he told twenty years ago.

Down the street hobbled a man who went into McKeever's grocery, where he sat down on a nail keg near the door and commenced spinning the same old yarns famous in Pilcherville twenty years ago. And the same old crowd of loafers lined up about old Linn Blinker and listened to those same old fraud stories, and hoo-hooed and haw-hawed, just like they did when I was a mere Owlet.

All about me on every side there was a familiar look that could not apply to any place in the great world than Pilcherville. Men had

progressed, new towns and cities had sprung up, Doc Cook had faked two continents, and here stood Pilcherville unmoved by the events of time; here stood Pilcherville without a step forward, supremely contented in her dry rot.

Billy Dinks still postmaster, Deacon Pfleming still preached to the unregenerated, and this was no place for a political candidate, much less

THE OWL.

Bill Webb was in from the ranch Saturday.

Miss Frankie Mae Upham entertained with a 5:30 o'clock luncheon on last Friday afternoon. The following guests were present: Misses Beulah Tucker, Lois Foster, Laura Hill and Nona Cousins; Messrs. Erwin Rice, Bob Turner, Ruel Shell and S. M. Castleberry.

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