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CAMPBELL OIL WELL DRILLING AROUND 1050 FT.

C. C. Campbell, manager of the Campbell Oil Company, who are drilling the test on the YOU ranch, south of town, in a conversation with The News Wednesday morning, stated that the well was drilling at upwards of 1050 feet and going down at the rate of 120 feet per 12 hour day. Mr. Campbell says that they have all arrangements perfected to keep the drill going until the test is completed. Barring accidents, there will be no further delay of any kind, for they have every reason to believe that they will find oil at this location. Oil experts are interested in this well on account of the favorable geological formation at this location. This well created more interest than any nearby test when it was started, and the renewing of activities is being closely watched by all concerned with the oil interests in this section.

FIRST BALE AT SHAMROCK

Frank Schoonover, who resides six miles south of town, marketed the first bale of cotton here Tuesday. So far as can be learned, this is the earliest that a bale has ever been marketed in this city. The cotton was classified as strict middling, and weighed 438 pounds.

Sam Crabtree bid 75c per pound on the bale, and needless to say, it was sold. The merchants of the town subscribed \$25 as a premium, and the seed brought \$10.50; total, \$46.50. The Farmers Gin Company ginned the bale free of charge.

A. A. Smith of the Dozier community arrived with his bale some three hours after Schoonover reached town. The merchants gave him a premium of \$25. His bale weighed 534 pounds.—Shamrock Texan.

FORD TO SHUT DOWN PLANTS

Henry Ford stands pat on his decision to shut down all Ford plants Sept. 16 rather than be held up by coal brokers. Mr. Ford denies that business conditions is the cause of the shut down, declaring that they are four weeks behind with Ford car orders and three weeks behind with Lincolns, and that they had just caught up with the demand for tractors. 5,100 cars are being turned out daily against daily orders of 5,200. Thousands of workmen will be affected by the closing of the plants.

BIG HERFORD SALE

We call your attention to an advertisement on another page of this issue of a sale of purebred Hereford cattle, by J. P. Osborne, at Miami, Texas. The offerings in this sale represent some of the very best Hereford blood lines, and if you need some choice individuals for your herd it will pay you to attend this sale.

News From Alanreed

Mrs. W. G. Jameson of Palestine and Mrs. C. B. Reeder Jr. and baby of Amarillo have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Hedrick.

Miss LaRue Loftin left Monday for Cincinnati, O., to enter the Conservatory of Music at that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson of White Deer spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Hedrick. They were en route to Clarendo.

Mrs. Nielson and sons of Athens are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. S. L. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. Braden motored to Amarillo the first of the week.

J. I. Harvey returned from Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Jones and children are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson.

The Methodists are holding an interesting and successful meeting.

M. M. Erwin and O. K. Murphree made a business trip to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Burrows and children of Conway came down Saturday night for a visit in the Lee Van Sant home.

J. E. Kirby left Sunday for Searcy, Ark., in response to a message that his sister was ill.

R'member

WHAT A LONG TIRESOME RIDE IT USED TO BE FROM THE STATION OUT TO THE FARM—AND

NOW!!



HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

(Miss Mattie Patterson, Agent) My work in the McLean community was very interesting and encouraging to me.

At Back I found a very active club of girls and women, who are really doing things worth while and according to the newest and best methods. They entered the fair spirit and mean to make a display that shall take some prizes.

The girls of McLean are sewing for the contest, also. I hope to meet with more McLean club girls at our next meeting. You have a good club, so I hope to help you put on such a fair as will help the community in many ways.

I met with a very progressive club at Alanreed. The girls are finishing up their sewing and canning; so I am sure you will be surprised when you see their display at the fair. They are entering for several prizes.

The Eldridge women are not behind the other clubs in their work. This is a wide awake community that will be at the fair in a body to take away many of the prizes.

My work in McLean community was an inspiration to me.

DOVE SEASON OPEN SEPT. 1ST

The open season on doves opens September 1st. According to those who know, there are doves in great numbers all over the Panhandle. District Game Commissioner Garmon has instructed local deputies to see that the game law is strictly enforced, so that there will be no wholesale slaughter of the birds.

All hunters hunting outside their own county must have a State License, which costs \$2.00. Non-residents of Texas must pay \$15.00 for a license.

CHARITY ADS DISAPPROVED BY AMARILLO AD CLUB

Amarillo, Aug. 29.—Disapproval of advertising, so-called, when it is nothing but charity or donation, was expressed very strongly by the Amarillo Ad Club at its luncheon yesterday at noon at the Amarillo Hotel. The club determined to carry on an educational campaign, discouraging churches, schools and other organizations from getting out other organizations and asking programs and calendars and asking merchants to insert ads. The ad men found no fault with making donations to these institutions, but objected strenuously to having to pay out the donations under the guise of buying advertising. Talks on this form of so-called graft or spurious advertising were made by nearly every member present.

Mr. and Mrs. McAdden of Ramsdell visited friends in McLean Monday.

W. L. Haynes and little daughter, Johnnie Villa, motored to Amarillo Tuesday, where the latter had her tonsils removed. They returned Wednesday.

METHODIST-PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL MEETING

The revival at the tabernacle under the auspices of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches is attracting large crowds and quite a little interest is being manifested. Rev. J. S. Huckabee stated Wednesday that there had been 40 reclamations and conversions, and three volunteers for life service.

FIRST BALE IN DONLEY

Clarendon, Aug. 29.—The first bale of cotton raised in Donley county was sold here today to C. W. Bennett, of the Clarendon Grain Co. This was the second bale in the past week to be sold in Donley county, the first bale being raised in Hall county. Both bales were sold for twenty-one cents. This bale of cotton was sold by W. T. Wilkerson, who lives on the Lumpkin farm. The bale netted him \$144.11 including premium.

STATE BANK AT WHEELER IS BUILDING NEW HOME

Wheeler, Aug. 28.—A new home for the Guaranty State Bank will be begun this week which will be constructed of fire brick, with stucco finish and of the Spanish type of architecture. The fixtures and finish of the inside will be of golden oak combined with white marble and brass. It will be completed by November 1st.

News From Ramsdell

Messrs. W. N. Pharis, S. P. Tracy and T. B. Tomlinson loaded a car of melons here last week, shipping them to Amarillo.

Messrs. S. P. Tracy, T. B. Tomlinson, Roy and Jeff Franks went to Amarillo last week, returning home Saturday.

A. B. Tomlinson and Elmer Haggard each took a load of melons to the Plains last Wednesday, returning home Sunday night.

Sam Harrelson took a load of melons to the Plains last Thursday.

Mrs. Scoggins of Shamrock came up Sunday and organized a League here with six members.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fields went to Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Adams and family took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clem Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Henshaw of Heald visited their daughter, Mrs. H. J. Cloer, Sunday.

Misses Lora Tracy and Rosa Weiss took dinner with Miss Maggie Haggard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCam, who have been living near Shamrock, are moving to Ramsdell this week.

SNOOKY SNOOKMUS.

Mr. Clark of the Harvey Oil Co., of Alanreed was a business visitor in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thompson were Clarendon visitors Monday.

C. OF C. MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

Next Monday night will be the regular meeting of the McLean Community Chamber of Commerce, and the secretary is anxious that every member be present, as final plans for the Fair will be completed at this meeting; besides a number of communications to be acted upon. A report will also be given of the Postal Highway delegate's trip to Austin.

AMERICAN LEGION TO HOLD STATE MEET

It is expected that the Andrew H. Floyd post the American Legion will send a delegate to the American Legion state convention in Waco Sept. 11, 12 and 13. All men who attend the convention have been asked to wear their uniforms.

Following is the program announced for the three days:

Monday
Registration.
Business sessions until 12 noon, and from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Automobile ride, 6 p. m., over city as guests of individual citizens of Waco, starting from Cotton Palace Park and returning at 7 p. m.

Radio concert, 8 p. m., Miss Stella Wren, Cotton Palace Coliseum.

Opening dance, 9 p. m., Cotton Palace Coliseum. Ligon Smith orchestra.

Tuesday
Military Parade, 9 a. m., reviewed by Governor Neff, Hanford McNider, national commander of the Legion, Major-Gen. John A. Hulen, commanding 36th division, and other notables.

Business sessions from 10 a. m. to 12 noon and from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Rough neck events, 7 p. m., boxing, rough neck, battle royal, and other athletic activities at Cotton Palace athletic field.

Dancing, 8:30 p. m., Cotton Palace Coliseum. Ligon Smith orchestra.

Wednesday
Business sessions from 10 a. m. to 12 noon and from 2 p. m. to 6 p. m.

Evening—Opera House for exercise men and women at Spring Lake Country Club, dancing. Ligon Smith orchestra.

RICE FURNITURE STORE HAS NEW MATTRESSES

C. S. Rice has secured the exclusive sale of the Sealy Sanitary mattress in McLean. This mattress is claimed to be one of the best made. A patented process makes it keep its shape and never get hard.

Look up Mr. Rice's ad in this issue; and it will be worth your while to look over his stock of mattresses.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers are attending the Wheeler Baptist Association at Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Williams left Saturday for Branson, Colo., where they will make their home.

McLEAN ONLY BOX TO HOLD 2ND PRIMARY

McLean was the only box in Gray county to hold an election in the second primary, as far as we can learn.

The vote for United States Senator, which carried more interest for the voters, resulted in 153 votes for Mayfield and 53 for Ferguson. This was a greater majority than Mayfield received all over the state, but he was elected by a big margin.

JOE HINDMAN HAS NICE HOME

Joe Hindman has just completed one of the nicest homes in the west part of town that it has been our pleasure to inspect for some time. This house is entirely new, and has all the latest doo-dads, such as French doors, built in kitchen cabinet, breakfast room, etc. Mr. Hindman is to be congratulated for adding to the attractiveness of this popular residence district.

MRS. J. I. ROGERS DEAD

Mrs. J. I. Rogers of Pioneer died this week. The remains were taken to Childress for burial.

J. I. Rogers is a brother of W. P. Rogers, well known stockman of the Heald community, and his friends will be sorry to learn of Mrs. Rogers' death. W. P. Rogers, family and Grandma Rogers, attended the funeral services at Childress.

McLEAN MERCHANT APPRECIATES NEWS

S. R. Jones dealer in hardware, harness and groceries, in a conversation with a representative of The News one day last week, said that he liked the way we do business. He especially appreciates the service The News is giving advertisers, and says our news and editorial columns are the equal of any paper he knows from towns several times the size of McLean.

Mr. Jones has a big stock of the lines he handles and is well prepared to take care of the fall trade.

OLDEST SUBSCRIBER VISITS THE NEWS

G. S. Loyd of Lipscomb was a visitor at the News plant Monday. Mr. Loyd says he was the second man to subscribe for The News when it was founded. He was in a store owned by C. C. Cook when approached by the editor, and he invested 50c in a six month's subscription.

Mr. Loyd has never let his subscription lapse, and says he likes The News better now than at any time in its history.

TWO MORE MEN WANT TO PUT IN LIGHT SYSTEM

Secretary C. S. Rice received two letters from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce last week asking about franchises for electric light and power for McLean. Two different men have taken the matter up with the West Texas C. of C. Both men seem to think we have a paying proposition for a light and power system.

WHEELER COUNTY DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES

The following were the successful candidates in Saturday's primary in Wheeler county:

Judge—L. D. Miller.

Sheriff—Riley Price.

Clerk—R. H. Forrester.

Tax Assessor—Lin W. Greer.

Treasurer—Mrs. Julia Rogers.

Commissioner Precinct No. 3—W. M. McMurtry.

Messrs. Brecheen, Ralph Yowell, Isaac and Wilfred Jones, representatives of the Gunter Bible College, were guests in the P. C. Saunders home Wednesday.

Mrs. L. O. Floyd and daughter, Miss Eunice, were Amarillo visitors Tuesday.

Bill Bentley left Monday for a few days' visit in Amarillo.

Charlie McMurtry of Clarendon was a McLean visitor Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Hedrick and daughter of Alanreed were visitors in our city Monday.

ATTENDANCE AT FAIR A DUTY TO COMMUNITY

By R. O. Dunkle
The dates for the McLean Fair have been set for the 26th and 27th of September. Every one should consider it his duty to make our Fair a success in every way. In order to do this, we must turn our attention and co-operation toward making it one of the best fairs in the Panhandle. The Community Chamber of Commerce is offering some very attractive prizes that every man, woman and child should take advantage of. Each one living in this community should take pride in letting the outside world know that we are a progressive community and take pleasure in exhibiting our agriculture and livestock products.

The boys and girls clubs departments will be at the Fair and will exhibit the pigs, calves, poultry and agricultural products that they have produced themselves in club work. If you want to see a real live bunch of youngsters, come to the Fair and see what they have to exhibit. Ask the club boys what the average daily gain has been on their pig or calf and what feeds they have used in order to obtain a balanced ration.

WILSON BUYS BLACK-SMITH SHOP

A. T. Wilson has bought the City Blacksmith Shop from J. Lee Turner. Mr. Wilson intends to add to the equipment and otherwise improve this popular shop. He will put on an advertising campaign in a few weeks and give his customers modern service.

Mr. Turner is undecided what line of business he will follow at present.

HEDLEY WANTS BETTER WATER SUPPLY

As has been the case at this season for several years past, there is much talk on the streets about a waterworks system for Hedley. Up to the present time the matter has never gotten beyond the talking stage, so far as we have learned, notwithstanding the fact that a water shortage stares us in the face every summer.

Hedley must have a waterworks and sewerage system. Our health and safety demand it. We may sit and talk, with folded arms, a life-time and never get them. Action—concerted action—is needed if we are to save ourselves from worry and expense—and probably worse things.—Hedley Informer.

NO FAIR IN HALL CO. THIS YEAR

Memphis, Aug. 26.—The directors of the Hall County District Fair Association have decided to not hold a Fair this year on account of the short crops. They will plan for a bigger Fair next year.

NO MORE BOXING BOUTS BY LEGION AT ELECTRA

Electra, Aug. 26.—Because of a ruling of the county attorney that boxing is contrary to State law all over Texas, the local post of the American Legion will not promote any more bouts for the present. "We want it understood that the American Legion is for law all the time," said Ross Sleigh, of the local post, in discussing the matter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Erwin left Monday for their home at Fort Worth after spending several days with the latter's father, O. K. Murphree. They were accompanied by Miss Irene Murphree, who will make her home with them.

J. O. Wood and family of Bellview, N. M., came in Friday for a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wood.

Miss Gladys Hicks left Tuesday for Henrietta to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson and Mr. Miller of Amarillo attended the Methodist-Presbyterian revival at McLean Sunday.

Mrs. N. D. Gaddie of Mexia came in Monday for a visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith.

MARY MARIE

By Eleanor H. Porter

Illustrations by R. H. Livingstone

SYNOPSIS

PREFACE—Mary Marie explains her apparent "double personality" and just why she is a "cross-current and a contradiction," she also tells her reasons for writing the diary—later to be a novel. The diary commences at Andersonville.

CHAPTER I—Mary begins with Nurse Sarah's account of her (Mary's) birth, which seemingly interested her father, who is a famous astronomer, less than a new star which was discovered the same night. Her name is a compromise, her mother wanted to call her Viola and her father insisted on Abigail Jane. The child quickly learned that her home was in some way different from those of her small friends, and was puzzled thereat. Nurse Sarah tells her of her mother's arrival at Andersonville as a bride and how astonished they all were at the sight of the dainty eighteen-year-old girl whom the sedate professor had chosen for a wife.

CHAPTER II—Continuing her story, Nurse Sarah makes it plain why the household seemed a strange one to the child, and how her father and mother drifted apart through misunderstanding, each too proud in any way attempt to smooth over the situation.

CHAPTER III—Mary tells of the time spent "out west" where the "perfectly right and gentle and respectable" divorce was being arranged for her mother's (to her) unaccountable behavior. By the court's decree the child is to spend six months of the year with her mother and six months with her father. Boston is Mother's home, and she and Mary leave Andersonville for that city to spend the first six months.

CHAPTER IV—At Boston Mary becomes "Marie." She is delighted with her new home, so different from the gloomy house at Andersonville. The number of gentlemen who call on her mother leads her to speculate on the possibility of a new father. She claims the callers as "prospective suitors," finally deciding the choice is to be between "the violinist" and a Mr. Harlow. A conversation she overhears between her mother and Mr. Harlow convinces her that it will not be that gentleman and "the violinist" seems to be the likely man. Mrs. Anderson receives a letter from "Aunt Abigail Anderson," her former husband's sister, who is keeping house for him, reminding her that "Mary is expected at Andersonville for the six months she is to spend with her father. Her mother is distressed, but has no alternative, and "Marie" departs for Andersonville.

CHAPTER V—At Andersonville Aunt Jane meets her at the station. Her father is away somewhere, studying an eclipse of the moon. "Marie" is now instinctively compares Aunt Jane's prim and severe, with her beautiful, dainty mother, much to the former's disadvantage. Aunt Jane disapproves of the dainty clothes which the child is wearing, and replaces them with "serviceable" serge and thick-soled shoes. Her father arrives home and seems surprised to see her. The child soon begins to notice that the girls at school seem to avoid her. Her father behaves interested in the life Mrs. Anderson leads at Boston and asks many questions in a queer manner which puzzles Mary. She finds out that her schoolmates do not associate with her on account of her parents being divorced, and she refuses to attend school. Angry at first, Mr. Anderson, when he learns the reason for her determination, decides that she need not go. He will hear her lessons. In Aunt Jane's and her father's absence Mary dresses in the pretty clothes she brought from Boston and plays the divolter tunes she knows, on the little-used piano. Then, overcome by her loneliness, she indulges in a crying spell which her father's unexpected appearance interrupts. She sobs out the story of her unhappiness, and in a clumsy way she comforts her. After that he appears to desire to make her stay more pleasant. His mother writes asking that Mary be allowed to come to Boston for the beginning of the school term, and Mr. Anderson consents, though from an expression he lets fall Mary believes he is sorry she is going.

CHAPTER VI

When I Am Both Together.

BOSTON AGAIN.
Well, I came last night. Mother and Grandfather and Aunt Hattie and Baby Lester all met me at the station. And my! wasn't I glad to see them? Well, I just guess I was!

I was specially glad on account of having such a dreadful time with Father that morning. I mean, I was feeling specially lonesome and homesick, and not-belonging-anywhere-like.

You see, it was this way: I'd been sort of hoping, I know, that at the last, when I came to really go, Father would get back the understanding smile and the twinkle, and show that he really did care for me, and was sorry to have me go. But, dear me! Why, he never was so stern and solemn, and you're-my-daughter-only-by-the-order-of-the-court sort of way as he was that morning.

He never even spoke at the breakfast-table. (He wasn't there hardly long enough to speak, anyway, and he never ate a thing, only his coffee—I mean he drank it.) Then he pushed his chair back from the table and stalked out of the room.

He went to the station with me; but he didn't talk there much, only to ask if I was sure I hadn't forgotten anything, and was I warmly clad. Warmly clad, indeed! And there it was still August, and hot as it could be! But that only goes to show how absent-minded he was, and how little he was really thinking of me!

Well, of course, he got my ticket and checked my trunk, and did all those proper, necessary things; then we sat down to wait for the train. But did he stay with me and talk to me and tell me how glad he had been to have me with him, and how sorry he was to have me go, and all the other nice, polite things most everybody thinks they've got to say when a visitor goes away? He did not. He asked me again if I was sure I had not left any-

thing, and was I warmly clad; then he took out his newspaper and began to read. That is, he pretended to read; but I don't believe he read much, for he never turned the sheet once; and twice, when I looked at him, he was looking fixedly at me as if he was thinking of something. So I guess he was just pretending to read, so he wouldn't have to talk to me.

But he didn't even do that long, for he got up and went over and looked at a map hanging on the wall opposite, and at a big time-table near the other corner. Then he looked at his watch again with a won't-that-train-ever-come? air, and walked back to me and sat down.

And how do you suppose I felt, to have him act like that before all those people—to show so plainly that he was just longing to have me go? I guess he wasn't any more anxious for that train to come than I was. And it did seem as if it never would come, too. And it didn't come for ages. It was ten minutes late.

Oh, I did so hope he wouldn't go down to the junction. It's so hard to be taken care of "because it's my duty, you know!" But he went. I told him he needn't, when he was getting on the train with me. I told him I just knew I could do it beautifully all by myself, almost-a-young lady like me. But he only put his lips together hard, and said, cold, like ice: "Are you then so eager to be rid of me?" Just as if I was the one that was eager to get rid of somebody!

Well, as I said, he went. But he wasn't much better on the train than he had been in the station. He was as nervous and fidgety as a witch, and he acted as if he did so wish it would be over, and over quick. But at the junction—at the junction a funny thing happened. He put me on the train, just as Mother had done, and spoke to the conductor. (How I hated to have him do that! Why, I'm six whole months older, most, than I was when I went up there!) And then, when he'd put me in my seat (Father, I mean; not the conductor), all of a sudden he leaned over and kissed me; kissed me—Father! Then, before I could speak, or even look at him, he was gone; and I didn't see him again, though it must have been five whole minutes before that train went.

I had a nice trip down to Boston, though nothing much happened. This conductor was not near so nice and polite as the one I had coming up; and there wasn't any lady with a baby to play with, nor any nice young gentleman to loan me magazines or buy candy for me. But it wasn't a very long ride from the junction to Boston, anyway. So I didn't mind. Besides, I knew I had Mother waiting for me. And wasn't I glad to get there? Well, I just guess I was! And they acted as if they were glad to see me—Mother, Grandfather, Aunt Hattie, and even Baby Lester. He knew me, and remembered me. He'd grown a lot, too. And they said I had, and that I looked very nice. (I forgot to say that, of course, I had put on the Marie clothes to come home in—though I honestly think Aunt Jane wanted to send me home in Mary's blue gingham and calfskin shoes. As if I'd have appeared in Boston in that rig!)

My, but it was good to get into an automobile again and just go! And it was so good to have folks around you dressed in something besides don't-care black alpaca and stiff collars. And I said so. And Mother seemed so pleased.

"You did want to come back to me, darling, didn't you?" she cried, giving me a little hug. And she looked so happy when I told her all over again how good it seemed to be Marie again, and have her and Boston, and automobiles, and pretty dresses and folks and noise again.

She didn't say anything about Father then; but later, when we were up in my pretty room alone, and I was talking off my things, she made me tell her that Father hadn't won my love away from her, and that I didn't love him better than I did her; and that I wouldn't rather stay with him than with her.

Then she asked me a lot of questions about what I did there, and Aunt Jane, and how she looked, and Father, and was he as fond of stars as ever (though she must have known most everything 'cause I'd already written it, but she asked me just the same.) And she seemed real interested in everything I told her.

And she asked was he lonesome; and I told her no, I didn't think so; and that, anyway, he could have all the ladies' company he wanted by just being around when they called. And when she asked what I meant, I told her about Mrs. Darling, and the rest, and how they came evenings and Sundays, and how Father didn't like them, but would flee to the observatory. And she laughed and looked funny, for a minute. But right away she changed and looked very sober, with the kind of expression she has when she stands up in church and says the Apostles' Creed on Sunday; only this time she said she was very sorry, she was sure; and that she hoped my father would find some estimable woman who would make a good home for him.

Then the dinner-gong sounded, and she didn't say any more.

There was company that evening. The violinist. He brought his violin, and he and Mother played a whole hour together. He's awfully handsome. I think he's lovely. Oh, I do so hope he's the one! Anyhow, I hope there's some one. I don't want this novel to all fizzle out without there being any one to make it a love story! Besides, as I said before, I'm particularly anxious that Mother shall find somebody to marry her, so she'll stop being divorced, anyway.

A MONTH LATER

Yes, I know it's been ages since I've written here in this book; but there just hasn't been a minute's time.

First, of course, school began, and I had to attend to that. And, of course, I had to tell the girls all about Andersonville—except the parts I didn't want to tell, about Stella Mayhew, and my coming out of school. I didn't tell that. And right here let me say how glad I was to get back to this school—a real school—so different from that one up in Andersonville! For that matter, everything's different here from what it is in Andersonville. I'd so much rather be Marie than Mary. I know I won't ever be Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde here. I'll be the good one all the time.

It's funny how much easier it is to be good in silk stockings and a fluffy white dress than it is in blue gingham and calfskin. Oh, I'll own up that Marie forgets sometimes and says things Mary used to say; like calling Olga a hired girl instead of a maid, as Aunt Hattie wants, and saying dinner instead of luncheon at noon, and some other things.

I heard Aunt Hattie tell Mother one day that it was going to take about the whole six months to break Mary Marie of those outlandish country ways of hers. (So, you see, it isn't all honey and pie even for Marie. This trying to be Mary and Marie, even six months apart, isn't the easiest thing ever was!) I don't think Mother liked it very well—what Aunt Hattie said about my outlandish ways. I didn't hear all Mother said, but I knew by the way she looked and acted, and the little I did hear, that she didn't care for that world "outlandish" applied to her little girl—not at all.

Mother's a dear. And she's so happy! And, by the way, I think it is the violinist. He's here a lot, and she's out with him to concerts and plays, and riding in his automobile. And she always puts on her prettiest dresses, and she's very particular about her shoes, and her hats, that they're becoming, and all that. Oh, I'm so excited! And I'm having such a good time watching them! Oh, I don't mean watching them in a disagreeable way, so that they see it; and, of course, I have to get all I can—for the book, you know; and, of course, if I just happen to be in the window-seat corner in the library and hear things accidentally, why, that's all right.

And I have heard things.

He says her eyes are lovely. He likes her best in blue. He's very lonely, and he never found a woman before who really understood him. He thinks her soul and his are tuned to the same string. (Oh, dear! That sounds funny and horrid, and not at all the way it did when he said it. It was beautiful then. But—well, that is what it meant, anyway.)

She told him she was lonely, too, and that she was very glad to have him for a friend; and he said he prized her friendship above everything else in the world. And he looks at her, and follows her around the room with his eyes; and she blushes up real pink and pretty lots of times when he comes into the room.

Now, if that isn't making love to each other, I don't know what is. I'm sure he's going to propose. Oh, I'm so excited!

Oh, yes, I know if he does propose and she says yes, he'll be my new father. I understand that. And, of course, I can't help wondering how I'll like it. Sometimes I think I won't like it at all. Sometimes I almost catch myself wishing that I didn't have to have any new father or mother, I'd never need a new mother, anyway, and I wouldn't need a new father if my father-by-order-of-the-court would be as nice as he was three two or three times in the observatory.

But, there! After all, I must remember that I'm not the one that's doing the choosing. It's Mother. And if she wants the violinist I mustn't have anything to say. Besides, I really like him very much, anyway. He's the best of the lot. I'm sure of that. And that's something. And then, of course, I'm glad to have something to make this a love story, and best of all I would be glad to have Mother stop being divorced, anyway.

Mr. Harlow doesn't come here any more, I guess. Anyway, I haven't seen him here once since I came back; and I haven't heard anybody mention his name.

Quite a lot of the others are here, and there are some new ones. But the violinist is here most, and Mother seems to go out with him most to places. That's why I say I think it's the violinist.

I haven't heard from Father. Now just my writing that down that way shows that I expected to hear from him, though I don't really see why I should, either. Of course, he never has written to me; and, of course, I understand that I'm nothing but his daughter by order of the court. But, some way, I did think maybe he'd write me just a little bit of a note in answer to mine—my bread-and-butter letter. I mean; for, of course, Mother had me write that to him as soon as I got here.

But he hasn't. I wonder how he's getting along, and if he misses me any. But, of course, he doesn't do that. If I was a star now—!

(Continued next week.)

Robert Watkins of Hedley was shaking hands with friends in our city Saturday. He was enroute to Wheeler to sing for a revival meeting.

Misses Lillian Abbott and Oma Arnold returned Friday night from the Canyon Normal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Alexander left Saturday for Hedley to visit relatives.

Mrs. J. G. Cash left last Thursday for Amarillo, where she will make her home.

John Haynes and Luther Beck left last Thursday for Amarillo on business.

Mrs. S. H. Kennedy left last Thursday for Amarillo after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Searcy.

Mrs. Grady Adams and children left Friday for El Paso to make their home.

Mrs. E. B. Hedrick and daughter of Alanreed were shopping in McLean last Friday.

Mervin Burks and Peb Everett made a business trip to Clarendon Friday.

C. S. Rice returned from Austin last Friday. Mr. Rice took dinner with his old friend, Judge O. S. Lattimore, while in Austin.

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Volva the Zionist, claims that the world is flat. Judging by present business conditions, some of us have about decided that he is right.

In the old horse-and-buggy days, the driver did not depend entirely on his own intelligence and that may be the reason that accidents were rarer then than now.

A significant fact is that of the 440 inmates of the Gatesville reformatory, all are cigarette smokers. This does not mean that all cigarette users are criminals, but that all criminals smoke.

It is high time to think of getting the children ready for school. Our advertising pages in this issue carry some good suggestions for school needs. We advise you to buy the children's supplies before the first day of school as much as possible, and avoid the first day rush.

A Parent-Teachers Association should be organized the very first week of school and co-operate with the school authorities in making the ensuing term the best in the history of McLean. All progressive schools have organizations of this kind and there is no reason why we cannot.

The chautauqua at Pampa lacked between \$600 and \$700 of paying out. They had \$400 in the treasury which was wiped out, and the signors had to dig up the balance. This kind of thing has happened all over the country. The editor of the Pampa News in commenting on it says that no guarantee was made for another chautauqua, and as business all over the country has been taking a loss, it is not just right for chautauquas to exact a guaranteed profit; for a chautauqua is nothing more or less than a business. The chautauqua is a good thing and if it comes and depends on its own merits, we will get better talent than we have ever gotten with the guarantee method.

Chamber of Commerce Secretary C. S. Rice, in discussing the Postal Highway committee's work at Austin, said that they were impressed with the courtesy shown Representative H. B. Hill by the State officials at the Capitol. It was due to Mr. Hill's influence that the highway matter was put over successfully. This is in keeping with Mr. Hill's record; he has never failed to secure recognition for anything he has taken to Austin. Mr. Rice heard a number of high officials express regret that Mr. Hill could not be the next Speaker of the House.

It is not possible for man to make it rain, but it is possible to farm in this western country in such a way to take advantage of every bit of rain that falls. Farmers who have tried the wide row method of planting grain crops know that corn and the kafirs can be made with very little rainfall. It might be argued that to thin the plants properly in the rows would answer the purpose, but it is a hard matter to keep from planting too thick; the plants are so small and the winds and rodents work on the young plants, so that the crop has to be planted thicker than otherwise would be necessary. The wide row plan is a happy solution of the dry weather problem for the Plains farmer. Farmers who have tried out this method have found that they made on an average more feed and especially more grain to the acre than on the narrow row plan.

The churches are taking up advertising to help fill the pews. Churches that have tried advertising are unanimously in favor of the plan. Not only has it paid from a financial standpoint, but the increased crowds that attend the services is worth more than the advertising costs. Some of us might question this method of attracting people to church, but why not? The church member purchases advertising to increase his private business. Why should they not believe in advertising to increase church and

Sunday school attendance? Advertising is a business proposition, and the churches are great business institutions. They have something worth advertising and should use every legitimate means to attract people to their services.

The American Legion boys are preparing to put on a membership drive in a few weeks to try and enlist every ex-service man in the work of the local post.

We believe it would be a wise thing and one that would get more members than possibly any other one, to organize a Ladies' Auxiliary. The women would make a success of their part, we feel sure, and there is no doubt that the Legion post would be benefitted by the co-operation of the ladies. It would create a wholesome atmosphere and a desire to put on clean amusements, and not make their entertainments of such a nature that appeals only to those who enjoy a rough "Wild West" sort of amusement.

The Legion boys are appealing to the citizens of the town for their co-operation in making the Legion a worthwhile institution in our town, and promise to work for the betterment of our community in everything they undertake. There has always been a kindly feeling on the part of the citizens toward the soldier boys and we think there is no doubt of their help if the Legion shows the proper spirit toward the community.

Another thing we would like to suggest is the sending of a delegate to the American Legion Convention at Waco next month. If arrangements have not already been made, we feel sure the Legion would be benefitted by sending a representative to this meeting. There will be 370 posts represented, and the local post could get the benefit of their experience, and thereby be able to make a success of the work here.

Pictures of Joan of Arc show she wore bobbed hair and also trousers. And yet she was very religious and believed God had commanded her to

"save France." There are those in these modern times who almost insist that a girl is immoral if she bobs her hair or wears short skirts. Such people make themselves ridiculous by voicing their narrowness. —Plainview News.

PUBLICITY

A man stops his paper because his name was mentioned in a news story in which he figured. The story was not complimentary to the individuals who were the subject of the story. That's why he didn't like it. He did not deny the accuracy of the story; in fact he had to admit that the story as published was accurate. But that is what he objected to. He did not want his misdeeds given publicity.

Now that same man has often been heard criticizing newspapers for not publishing facts about people. He is a stickler for news. He charges them with submerging facts beneath apologies. But now the shoe is on the other foot and he finds it pinching.

Of course, this same individual, when he does something he thinks worth while, expects the newspapers to play it up big. Why, that is what he takes the paper for; just to see his name in print whenever the least excuse will warrant favorable mention. If he sells a town lot make a front-page story of it. If he cheats his neighbor out of his home, put on the soft pedal; that's a business transaction with no news value. If he sells a good bill of goods to an out-of-town party he is sure to come around and tell the newspaper about it, though he may only use advertising space the day before Christmas. If he himself goes out of town and buys something he could have bought at home, and the newspaper makes mention of the fact, his paper is immediately stopped.

This is just a general statement of a case. The individual is imaginary. Yet every reader will agree that the town is hardly big enough to accommodate the people who take a selfish view of newspaper pub-

licity. This seems to be one of the weaknesses to which flesh is heir. But is it fair to the newspaper?

You will admit that George Washington would have been a failure in the newspaper business. George Washington couldn't tell a lie. How many people would take a newspaper that told the truth about them? Just think of the many things the newspaper might say about you and stay strictly within the truth. If the newspaper published all the facts about people in a community society would be disrupted. Homes would be wrecked. Churches would be split wide open. Some business houses would be shunned. Disbarment proceedings would be instituted against some lawyers and many officials would be granted an indefinite leave of absence. The publishing of the plain, unvarnished truth would do this very thing, and you know it.

On the other hand, if the whole truth was known, many people now in obscurity would shine like the rays of the noon-day sun. They are modest and retiring; they are poor and friendless; they have suffered because of the mistake of some friend. They are people of noble character and the doers of many fine deeds; yet they are unnoticed, their virtues unsung. Like the rose that is doomed to bloom unseen in the desert waste, many a beautiful soul has taken its flight unheralded.

These are the unenvied verdicts and penalties of society. We are selfish. We are unfair. We want the newspaper to publish the truth only when

it is favorable to us. We want it to keep quiet when it hurts us. The truth about the humble and honest will be of little interest to the onrushing crowd in its tumultuous race for fame and wealth.

Be it said to the credit of the newspapers that they do not always heed the requirements of unfair censors of their news and editorial columns. There are times when the publishers recognize the truth that silence is golden. If a wound can be more quickly healed and wrongs more rightly and righteously adjusted by a policy of silence, few there will be who will dispute the wisdom of going easy on a news display.

So, too, there is justification in the newspaper printing human virtues and human accomplishments in glowing colors. The picture may be

overdrawn, but if the subject is possessed with even a moderate degree of pride he will seek to measure up to the appraisal made of him. After all, "Achieve, achieve," is the message of the newspaper, and with it, the command is, "Play square." —Frankfort (Ind.) Crescent-News.

G. H. Simmons, an old time resident of McLean, but now of New Mexico, is visiting in the Jim Simmons and L. E. Cunningham homes this week.

Mrs. Mary E. Jones, who has been visiting her son, S. R. Jones, returned to her home in Illinois last Thursday.

Bea Everett sold his residence to T. N. Childress one day this week.

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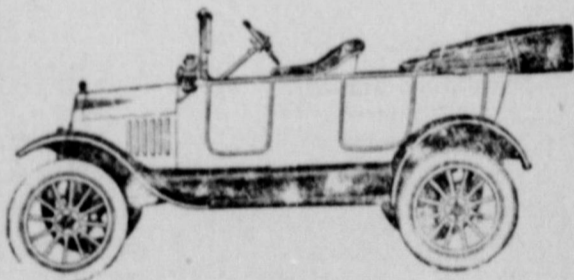
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News From Gracey

The dry weather still continues. A. L. Lee made a business trip to McLean Monday.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the Marier home Monday night. Mr. Smith of Estelline preached for us Sunday night.

Mr. Roach and children are visiting in the D. E. Johnson home this week.

Frank Bush has been on the sick list, but is improving.

Several of the young folks went to the D. E. Johnson home Saturday night and ate ice cream.

Misses Ona Lee, Ebbie and Opal Derrick and Mrs. B. D. Fondren went to McLean Thursday on business.

Mr. Smith of Estelline is visiting in the D. E. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Loyd and children, Buron and Essie, of Lipscomb are visiting their daughters and sisters, Mesdames A. L. Lee and Clyde Ware.

Bill Webb is much improved after a continued illness.

L. B. Lahey went to McLean Saturday on business.

Mesdames S. S. Shelton and J. D. Rodwine, and Morris Shelton of McLean spent Monday night in the B. D. Fondren home.

Emette Fondren is still on the sick list. PENFUSHER.

HIS DEFINITION

Elder Watkins, just back from the city, was telling his wife of the church he had attended.

"Did you know any of their songs?" she asked.

"No," replied the elder, "they didn't sing anything but anthems."

"Anthems!" exclaimed his wife, "what on earth are anthems?"

"Well," answered the elder, "I can't tell you just exactly, but if I'd say to you, 'Betsy, the cows are in the corn,' that wouldn't be an anthem. But if I'd say, 'Betsy—Betsy—Betsy—the cows—the cows—the Holstein cow, the muley, the Jersey, the spotted cow—all the cows are in—all in the corn, corn, corn—ah men!' why that would be an anthem!"

Mrs. M. L. Bush and son, Lynn, and Mrs. Alger Woody returned Friday night from a visit at Clarendon and Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Biggers and baby came in Saturday from Canyon for a visit in the L. O. Floyd home.

Miss Etzel Close returned to her home at Shamrock Sunday after a visit with Miss Mabel Watkins.

E. L. Jones of Ramasdel has our thanks for a subscription renewal this week.

Mesdames W. H. Peters and J. H. Hudgins went to Amarillo Wednesday. Mrs. Peters returned Wednesday night, but Mrs. Hudgins remained for medical treatment.

Ernest McDonald returned home from Amarillo Tuesday.

Luther Beck returned home from Amarillo Wednesday.

Mervin Burks and Ted Woods were Amarillo visitors Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Jess Sammons of Amarillo is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wood.

J. W. Kibier, L. O. Floyd, S. A. Cobb, Byrd Guill and Mrs. E. L. Minix are attending the Wheeler Baptist Association at Plymouth.

Fred Patching of Clarendon has taken John Low's place as manager of the McMurtry ranch. Mr. Low has moved to town.

Col. N. E. Scifres of the Heald community is entertaining his brother-in-law, Mr. Wells of Wichita Falls, this week.

John Low has bought the Foster VanSant residence in the south part of town.

D. A. Davis left Wednesday for Denver, Colo., to accept a position as telegraph operator for the D. & R. G. railway.

LESS HARDY

"Which weeds are the easiest to kill?" asked young Flichers of Farmer Sassafras, as he watched that good man at work.

"Widow's weeds," replied the farmer. "You only have to say 'Wilt thou?' and they will."—London Weekly Telegraph.

J. B. Paschall returned home from Norman, Okla., Tuesday.

HAS THE COUNTY FAIR IMPROVED OUR LIVESTOCK?

We believe that the county fair has been one of the most important factors in calling our farmers' and ranchmen's attention to the value of good sires. We also believe that it will be of greater importance in the future than in the past, if more people will avail themselves of the opportunity of contrasting the sires they have at home with the best that will be on exhibit during the show. The animals that will be exhibited are not better, just because they have been fitted, but on account of the fact that they and their ancestors for several generations back have been selected for a particular purpose.

The McLean Community Chamber of Commerce has secured the services of J. R. Edmonds, from the Extension Service of the A. & M. College, to act as judge in the livestock division. The judging of the various kinds of livestock should be of great interest to all of our people who are interested in improving their animals, as Mr. Edmonds will explain why certain animals are good enough to be placed at the top of the class and others poor enough to be placed at the bottom. You will also have an opportunity to get other information than judging, as the judge will have some time to discuss such subjects as feeding and management of livestock, with our people.

Will you join us in increasing the attendance at the Fair, and assist us in interesting more people in the use of better sires?

R. O. DUNKLE, County Agent.

SMOKE PERILS ON LAND AND SEA

By W. H. Brown

At no time nor place is the traveler free from danger due to smokers of tobacco. Several fires have been started in Pullman sleepers while trains were speeding over the rails, due to men smoking in their berths, in some instances in defiance of the rules.

The danger to life is not all of the menace due to train smokers. The Dearborn Independent says: "Twenty-five minutes after each train passes through forested or cut-over lands in Minnesota, during the fire season, a speedster patrol follows in its wake, to make certain that hot ashes or a careless smoker has not started a conflagration—the latter by throwing stubs out of car windows.

Great steamer disasters cause dread of steamer travel in the minds of many persons. The reader may recall that when Governor Reilly of Porto Rico made his voyage to New York, the steamer, "Tanamo," on which he sailed, caught fire, and that it was at first thought it was due to a bomb. Officials of the Atlantic Fruit Company have reported to Secretary Weeks at Washington that the fire was started by a cigarette stub dropped by a freight handler.

The Cleveland News, commenting upon the fire in the great steamer "Mauretania," says: "Remember that the Mauretania affair was not the only big fire charged against a carelessly dropped cigarette. There have been others, much nearer home. Remember that an anti-tobacco crusade will have followers enough in any case without unintentional help from you." But the average smoker will heed no warning—the habit makes him careless.

J. S. Howard and son, Leonard, left Wednesday for Childress on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Blass and children of Alanreed came in Wednesday to visit relatives.

Miss Annes Lowrance has returned to her home at Clinton, Okla., after a visit with the Thompson families.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cousins and children returned Thursday from a trip to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sloan of Pampa visited in the A. W. Haynes home Sunday.

Dr. Lear M. Jones and father of Childress were visitors in McLean Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Faulkner returned Saturday night from Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morse motored to Miami Sunday to visit in the Mather's home.

Mrs. Gertrude Tomlinson left Monday for Conway to visit relatives.

Postmaster J. F. Faulkner orders The News sent to F. M. Faulkner at Canyon.

"AIN'T WE GOT FUN?"

When I hear that jazz expression I think of something entirely different from what it usually suggests. I think of a spry old grandmother, whose hair is silver and her eyes are not so bright any more. Her clothes are often gray or sometimes they are black with a touch of shell pink or lavender—something wonderfully right. Her two year old granddaughter had come to visit her. Her majesty's every wish was fulfilled, or something just as good as any one's small wish was given in its place. Every glance from her young eyes, every movement of her small body, every sound that escaped her tiny lips was a delight to that aged woman.

Suddenly the old lady caught that lovely piece of humanity in her arms and exclaimed, "Ain't we got fun!" I was amused beyond words, and fun it was to her.

I wondered then what was the greatest fun of our lives after all. Seidom is it that the hilarity of the jazz, the outer show that distresses of the world.

I was talking to a group of young people not long ago and was telling them of a clown I had read about who was a real missionary. Between performances he read the Bible to the circus people. He possessed one of the best libraries and read the best literature to be found, yet he was only a clown in a circus. One of the gayest of the young said, "Mrs. Love, I believe we are all like that, we are only clowns on the outside. The things that really count with all of us are things that have to do with our inner life, the serious and noble thoughts that build for better life." I was delighted when I thought of the old grandmother using the slangest slang to express her heart's delight and this young lady, a twentieth century product, if you please, saying what we would expect to hear from one much older.

I am sorry if I am wrong, but I just can't feel so distressed as some people's faces would suggest. I do so believe in the goodness of some people and the wisdom of God that I couldn't fight. I'd sit down and quit if I didn't believe with all my heart that we are coming out of it some way, and who knows, someone may have the nerve to exclaim, "Ain't we got fun!"

People get into the habit of fighting real battles and are not satisfied to go back to the sham battles and they all look sham when we have seen it through and know how it's done. We want something that will furnish an objective. Anything that doesn't call forth the very best that is within us and then some—I hope it is understood the "then some" means faith in God—is not worth twentieth century time and space.

They say it is harder to be a Christian than ever before. They say it is harder to acquire an education than ever before, because more learning is demanded, and it is harder to keep abreast with the world in every way. I believe that is true, but I believe something else; I believe you have done something when you have lived well today. I am sorry for the people who cannot stand up under the pressure. I like it. The greatest fun anyone can have is to put every bit of your strength into the thing you believe in most and feel the strings of fate unwinding and know you have won a victory, if it's nothing more than a life lesson.—Maudie A. Love.

Charlie Campbell left Monday for his home at Crowell.

Miss Mannie Abbott returned Saturday from the Canyon Normal.

Edwin Van Sant returned to Conway Friday.

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Legion Theatre

Messrs. and Mesdames Charlie Murphree and Roy Campbell were Amarillo visitors Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Thelma Trolinger returned to her home at Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Bailey and baby returned Saturday from Geary, Okla.

W. S. Copeland and daughter, Miss Sibyl, of Lefors, were visitors in McLean Monday.

"Time waits for no man"—but hangs around the corner a bit for the average woman.—Life.

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Just received a new line of Justin Boots. You know Justin Boots. Come in and look over this stock before it is picked over. Present prices guaranteed until January 1st.

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The dams of these cows are out of the best producing families of old ANXIETY 4TH. These cattle are all in good range condition, and should prove a useful lot to their new owners. Come if you want to buy some real bargains, as these cattle will sell clean. The calves at foot are sons and daughters of two of the most famous bulls in the Panhandle, SUPERIOR MISCHIEF and BEAU RANDOLPH.

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Everything in the Hardware Line

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NOT MADE TO HIDE

An overwhelming majority of London artists, dress designers and society women, after weeks of lively discussion, echo the opinion of Harpness de la Tombelle, that the length of a woman's skirt is all a question of age—and legs.

Lady Kitty Vincent, sister of the Earl of Arlisle, whose mother was lady in waiting to Queen Victoria, says:

"No one with bad ankles can afford to appear a short skirt. The light skirts, tapering to a narrow round, has the effect of making the leg appear twice as thick. Many women, without suffering any abnormal development, possess what might be called 'useful' legs. They are not absolutely unsightly, but they do not display the delightful curved and alluring slenderness which makes some ankles 'a sight for a sore eye'. Never buy a shoe which has a round toe. The long vamp carries the eye down in a curve and prevents it resting upon the thick part of the leg."

Britain's leading artists agree with Shakespeare that "the leg's the thing."

Edmund Dulac, a noted colorist, illustrator and caricaturist in sculpture, thinks that the short skirt is the only fit garment for the present day English woman. Comparing them with the women of ten years ago, he observes:

"They have limbs well modeled. There are better legs about. They can and do wear the short skirt with ease and elegance. I find the new type very agreeable and the short dresses more so. I am all for the short skirt."

Sir William Orpen, the celebrated painter of war pictures and now one of Britain's leading portrait painters, remarks:

"Long dresses are very good for fat legs, but every woman ought to know that without being told. Short skirts on a thin girl give you a view of spindly shanks; that won't stop them wearing them if it's the fashion. What we want is the fashion of dressing to show the best and not the worst of women. If a woman has a scraggy neck, by all means let her cover it. If she has a lovely arm, why cover it with a glove? Yes, we have broken with the convention which kept a woman's ankles out of sight."—New York World.

WASTING GOOD MONEY

It's pretty hard to convince a merchant that he had better drop his money down in the well than pass it over to a fly-by-night advertising solicitor, the smooth guy who drops in with a publicity scheme that isn't worth a minute of time or a cent of money. It takes some people a good while to learn that the same money spent in a newspaper would bring infinitely better returns.

This country is filled to the brim with smooth young men who do nothing but think up publicity schemes. Once they have framed a catchy one they "beat it" to "unload" on the merchant who believes that any kind of advertising is good advertising, and who thinks that novelties and time cards, and stock booklets with his name upon them are actually business getters. These young men don't ply their trade so much in the large cities, because there is usually a commercial club or a board of trade ruling against just the sort of thing they seek to dispose of. But in towns where every merchant has to think out his own plan of advertising, and where he hasn't tried to understand the inside workings of these fly-by-night schemes, the waste of good money goes right on. And the funniest part of it is that the merchant who bites actually pays cash in advance and takes the smooth young stranger's word for it that he is going to get more than his money's worth.

We are strong for every kind of advertising that will pay the man who advertises, but we detest fakes. That is why we spend a good deal of time regretting that some merchants can't see that which successful merchants long ago learned—that of all forms of advertising known to man—nothing has yet been found as good as space in the home paper.—The Minden (Neb.) Courier.

W. T. Burr and family left last week for Sherman for a few days' visit with Mr. Burr's sister. Before returning home, they will visit Mrs. Burr's parents at Leonard, who are to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary with a family reunion.

Rev. Roby held preaching services at the Liberty school house Sunday afternoon.

FOR YOUR COOKBOOK

Two tablespoons butter, one ounce; two tablespoons sugar, one ounce; one half pint, one cupful; one quart, four cupfuls; one half gill, one half cupful; four gills, one pint; two pints, one quart; four tablespoonfuls, one wineglassful; sixty drops, one teaspoonful; four wineglassfuls, one cupful; four quarts, one gallon; one pint butter, one pound; eight large eggs, one pound; two cupfuls milk, one pound; two cupfuls sugar, one pound; four cupfuls flour, whole wheat, one pound; four one-half cupfuls flour, graham, one pound; two cupfuls butter, one pound; one cupful crumbs, one-fourth pound; one cupful chopped suet, one-fourth pound; one square chocolate, one ounce; one cupful chopped nut meats, one-fourth pound; two and two-thirds cupfuls cornmeal, one pound; one quart flour, one pound.

SUNSET ON THE PLAINS

I sat on the side of the hill, And, facing the sky in the west, Beheld the descending and radiant sun.

A stream like a thread of pure silver Was winding its way Through a narrow valley Hemmed on each side By craggy walls and grey, rising abruptly

To meet the sky. Blue clouds and heavy Hung low on the western horizon. Suddenly the sun Dropped behind the clouds. They changed to a deep, deep rose, Bordered by orange, Shading away to the right Into the richest of purple. The stream and the hill Reflected the splendor; The crags then were studded With diamonds and rubies; The silver transmitted to gold! —The Prairie.

Jess Ledbetter returned to McLean Friday.

Roy Robinson returned home Friday night from Canyon, where he has been attending the summer normal.

ALL IN A DAY

"It's all in a day," we hear men say.

But what is a day—for the man, and for the women?

Custom says that eight hours is the proper amount of time that should be consumed in work in a day. The remaining sixteen hours are for

rest, recreation and sleep.

The husband works his eight hours at his place of business and then goes home to his supper. His day's labor is at an end. After supper he lights his pipe, picks up the paper and proceeds to post himself on the affairs of the day. Or perhaps he goes to his lodge, or "out among the boys."

But what of the wife?

Does she hunt a comfortable chair and immerse herself in her favorite book, or spend the evening with her neighbor, or in a hundred other different ways that are possible? Occasionally, but not often.

The dishes must be washed up and put away after the evening meal and the kitchen and dining room must be cleaned. Then the husband has a pair of socks that need mending, and some buttons to be sewed on, and possibly there is some ironing to be done, and some clothing to be made or mended for the children.

The kiddies, too, need some assistance in their lessons, and the baby has to be rocked and put to sleep in its cradle. And many other things must be done of which a mere man cannot think.

Yes, "it's all in a day," both for the man and the woman, but the woman seldom gets the best of it. —Exchange.

S. R. Jones is helping in a meeting being held under the auspices of

the Nazarene church at Lela. Large crowds are attending the meeting, and interest is growing.

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On account of increase in prices of lumber at the mills, we are forced to withdraw all prices we have made on bills prior to this time.

Lumber is advancing. The mills are behind with their orders. Cars are reported scarce, and shipments are slow.

We are unable to guarantee any price unless accepted at the time the bill is figured.

Our terms are CASH when bill is filled.

We can no longer extend credits longer than the end of the month in which the bill was purchased. Please take notice and be prepared to settle your account at the end of the month.

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There are many little tricks employed by good meat buyers in judging quality. We are on to them all and buy only the best. But we want you to know right at the time of your purchase that you are getting what you want.

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City Meat Market

Miss Hetty Burr left one day last week for a visit with her sister at Sherman. Miss Burr will return by way of Oklahoma, where she will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Turner came in Tuesday from Breckenridge for a few days visit with home folks.

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Thrift includes work well and wisely done; money intelligently invested.

Saving may mean little or no spending, little or no work. We can save in many ways, often to the point of miserliness and thus lose our self-respect, but the exercise of Thrift is the acme of wisdom and good judgment.

The consistent maintenance of a Bank Account is the foundation of Thrift.



THE AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

News From Head

Ft. Sill, Okla., Aug. 26, 1922. The McLean News: I have been requested to write an article on the Citizens' Military Training Camp, and submit the following:

We arrived here July 26 about one o'clock, were met at the depot by army officers, loaded into trucks and carried to the C. M. T. C. Hostess House, where we got our dinner. After dinner we were taken to the hospital, where we were examined and issued uniforms. We then returned to camp and were assigned to tents.

The next day a corporal was put in charge of each tent; after that the company was divided into squads and platoons. We then marched out to the field and began to drill. We spent two weeks, drilling and one week on the rifle range. This week we are spending our time at "Post Field" taking a course in aviation. There are about two hundred taking the course, which is very interesting. We have all had a nice ride in an aeroplane.

We made a good record in shooting. One of our men won the Silver Cup, also a free trip to Camp Peary, Ohio, to shoot in the Rifle Tournament, with all his expenses paid. This tournament will be held some time in September.

For amusements we have boxing and wrestling by the C. M. T. C. boys. We also have a lot of good picture shows.

Colonel Congers is our Regimental Commander. He is well known to many men of the second division.

This camp closes Aug. 26, and I hope to be home in about ten days. Pvt. Wm. B. Ladd, Co. C., C. M. T. C., Ft. Sill, Okla.

Mrs. Frank Bailey and little daughter returned home Saturday from Geary, Okla., where Mr. Bailey is taking medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Ripsey of Electra are spending the week with the A. P. Ripsey and Hubert Roach families.

Mr. and Mrs. John Quattlebaum and little daughters returned Friday from Elk City, Okla.

Miss Dora Brock left Thursday for Chillicothe, where she will attend school.

The young folks enjoyed a party at the A. S. Parker home Saturday night.

Price Rogers and A. P. Ripsey received a telegram Friday stating that Mrs. John Rogers of Pioneer was dead. Grandma, Mr. and Mrs. Price Rogers and Temple and Miss Mildred Rogers left immediately to attend the funeral.

A. L. Reneau of McKinney visited his son, Geo. Reneau, last week.

Messrs. Sherer and Winters of Canyon were in our community after fruit last week.

Dr. Workman of Willis Point was a guest in the Armstrong home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bidwell of McLean spent last week in the Dougherty home.

Mr. and Mrs. Grif-Yates of Altus, Okla., are visiting in the C. H. Harrison and A. S. Parker homes this week.

Curtis Wells of Wichita Falls is visiting in the Scifres home this week.

Messrs. Cecil and Louis McKinney of Dumas are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haynes, this week.

Mrs. Ada Gunn and son, Elmer, were visitors in the Lee Gunn and John Swinney homes last week.

Messrs. Rainwater and Waldron of Mobeetie were visitors in the Reneau home last Wednesday.

Several from this community have been attending the meeting at McLean. They are well pleased with the splendid services.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Drake of Groom were visitors in the H. E. Miller home last Wednesday.

Ben Chilton left Monday for Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Phillips spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henshaw.

Lee Cates left Monday for Electra. Joe Cooper of Hollis, Okla., visited in the Chilton home last week.

Pete Chilton returned home with him.

Miss Clara Reneau, spent last week end with Miss Irene Murphree of McLean.

Walter Litchfield is on the sick list at this writing.

L. L. Palmer, prominent farmer of Alanreed, was a visitor at the News office Saturday. Mr. Palmer has a big apple orchard that he is going to advertise just as soon as the fruit is ripe enough to sell.

Our good friend A. T. Wilson, owner of The Oasis south of town, has our thanks for a subscription renewal this week.

W. M. S. NOTES

After a month of rest, the Methodist Mission Society will resume its regular Tuesday afternoon sessions. The society will meet next Tuesday, Sept. 5, at the church at four o'clock. The lesson will be found in Exodus beginning with question 110 and continuing through question 122.

PUBLICITY COMMITTEE.

F. E. Robinson has bought the north half of Block 95 from J. M. Noel and will erect a modern dwelling just as soon as the necessary material can be secured.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject—"Christ Our Hope Despite Past Failure."

Leader—Mrs. Wilkins.

Introduction—Leader.

Topic 1—Mrs. Reuel Shell.

Topic 2—Gladys Holloway.

Topic 3—Ernest Abbott.

Topic 4—Mrs. Savage.

Topic 5—Leaman Andrews.

Topic 6—Ila Abbott.

Topic 7—Mr. Savage.

A. T. Wilson, proprietor of "The Oasis," was a caller at the News office Saturday. Mr. Wilson knew

the password; he presented the News force with a peck of as fine apples as we have seen this year. We appreciate the spirit that prompts actions of this kind.

Mrs. Lula Hedge and little daughter and Misses Mabel and Winnie Faulkner of Canyon visited in the Faulkner and Wingo homes the first of the week.

Pat Malcom of Shamrock was a business visitor in our city one day last week.

Mrs. S. E. Boyett returned Tuesday from Denver, Colo.

L. S. Southerland and family left this week for McLean, where they will make their home.—Shamrock Texan.

Mrs. Hughes Quattlebaum of Amarillo came in Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

County Agent R. O. Dunkle re-

turned Wednesday from a two week visit with his parents at Colorado Springs, Colo.

Otto Mayfield has our thanks for a subscription to The News this week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cook on Sunday, a boy.

GOOD TAILOR WORK

If you appreciate good work, efficient service and a square deal, have your cleaning, pressing and alterations done here. See our new suit samples for fall.

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Apples of All Kinds

Our apples are developing right well in spite of dry weather. The windfalls are nice for cooking purposes and for drying. We have about 100 pounds of fine dried apples for sale now.

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