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FOURTH OF JULY BEST CELEBRATION EVER HELD HERE

One of the best celebrations ever held in McLean was begun Wednesday morning with Rev. S. R. Jones, Nazarine pastor, leading the big crowd in singing America. Rev. J. S. Huckabee, Methodist pastor, offered the invocation, after which C. L. Cooke, president of the Chamber of Commerce, made the welcome address, in which he explained the objects of the celebration and paid a tribute to the Nation's birthday. The speaker told of the march of progress in the improvements of McLean and said that the celebration was in the nature of a fitting climax to a well done job. There is no question that a town must have certain necessary improvements to make progress, and McLean can now bid for anything needed in industrial and civic lines.

In conclusion, he predicted that the close of the year 1923 will leave in its wake marked prosperity for our people.

Former State Representative H. B. Hill of Shamrock was the next speaker, and after eulogizing the Nation's flag, Mr. Hill told in a humorous manner of the events that might have taken place in the meeting of the city council when the new civic improvements were started. In this he proved to be a very close student of human nature, and his audience was very appreciative of this part of his remarks. This speaker said that no town could expect to grow without men who would shoulder the responsibility for doing things, and that a town could have anything and be the leading town of the section with proper leadership. In his concluding remarks, the speaker gave a glowing picture of conditions in McLean 25 years hence, if the same rate of progress is continued, closing with a bit of original poetry:

"And when you come to that bright day,
The people all around will say,
'McLean, Texas—the place to go,
You and I. Let's watch her grow."

Former State Senator Veale of Amarillo was next on the program. Mr. Veale began his remarks with a bit of campaign experience with our fellow townsman, J. B. Paschall, that was highly appreciated by the audience. From this he passed to some California experiences, and left no doubt as to his stand on the negro question. He stated that California worships the S. P. railroad, but that Texas has not yet forgotten God. The gentleman paid a high tribute to Woodrow Wilson and the League of Nations, and stated that the Biblical commandment to love one another is just as binding on nations as on individuals. The influence of the United States permeates every hamlet and village of the world today. There is no escape for our responsibility, the middle of the road is a hot place to travel; world love and world co-operation is the only solution. The wonderful progress of our nation was touched upon; only 147 years old and controls the destiny of the against Federal control of anything that could be handled by the states. At different times during his talk Mr. Veale would state that he was not a preacher or candidate for office, yet his scriptural quotations and plain statements on political matters left no doubt as to his stand on questions of the day. In mentioning our new improvements, he said that he was glad to know people that would rise up and put in needed improvements and predicted that we would soon have a sewer system and natural gas. There is no middle ground; we must either progress or retrograde. No town is ever finished, and while he thought the preceding speaker's prophecy of future for McLean might be a little overdrawn it would be true in the main, for 25 years ago no one would believe in the great future of the Plains country, and there is no limit to future inventions and progress.

Then came the basket dinner! And there was plenty for everyone, with many fragments left. The dinner was spread under the tabernacle and under the trees, as the fancy of the visitors dictated. If there was anyone who did not get enough, it might have been the waiters at the free lemonade stand. They were kept busy all the time.

CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS SELL ICE CREAM ON 4TH

Under the direction of Prof. Dunkle and Miss Patterson, the club boys and girls sold home-made ice cream and cake to the crowds during the Fourth of July celebration. As this was the only stand of any kind on the grounds, they made a nice sum of money, in spite of the free lemonade that was furnished by the Chamber of Commerce. Quite a few cakes were left at the end of the day that were auctioned to the highest bidder by the genial Col. N. E. Seifus.

PHILLIPS-MORGAN

Giles Phillips of McLean and Miss Dot Morgan of Wheeler were married by Justice of the Peace A. P. Black at Wheeler June 28th. The young couple will move to the John Carpenter house next week.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Carl Overton entertained a crowd of youngsters Tuesday afternoon with a party in honor of the sixth birthday of her daughter, Anna Katherine. Refreshments of ice cream cones and individual cakes ornamented with flags, were served to the following: Charlotte and Rosalie Cousins, Nineta Cooke, Cleone West, Louella Jones, Pauline Ledbetter, Winnie Mae McCleskey, Earline Peters, Narene Smith, Maybelle Veatch, Jane Campbell, Pauline Crabtree, Erin Cook, Billie Ross and Julian Biggers, Dean West, Paul Ledbetter, Billie Cass, Milburn and T. W. Henry, James Emmett Cooke, Athalie and Anna Katherine Overton.

REBECCA LODGE GIVES DEGREES TUESDAY

The Rebecca degree team from Shamrock came to McLean Tuesday evening and gave the degrees to six candidates in a very efficient manner. An after meeting was held and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the large number present.

CARPENTER-LEWIS

J. H. Carpenter and Miss Nell Lewis, both of DeQuincy, La., were married last week in that city. After a few weeks' honeymoon in Galveston, they will be at home to their friends in DeQuincy where Mr. Carpenter has a position with the Acme Light and Power Co.

Congressman Marvin Jones arrived about three o'clock and immediately began his address, in which he gave his views on the present tariff law, comparing the tariff law with Robin Hood and his outlaw band, with the odds in favor of the outlaws. The activities of the Republican party suffered considerably at the hands of the Congressman as his speech progressed, yet he believes that the country is safe as long as long as the people keep in touch with their representatives and demand that beneficial laws be passed. Mr. Jones stated that a higher percent of native born white American citizens live in the 18th Congressional District of Texas than in any other part of the United States.

The Congressman was forced to close in time to catch the afternoon train to Amarillo, and the remaining time was filled with a free picture show and a water battle by the Fire Department. The water fight was put on in place of the practice run that had been advertised, on account of the high wind, but judging from the interest taken by the spectators, it was fully satisfactory. Four hose nozzles were spouting water at the same time and it was a real fight while it lasted.

Then at night came the fireworks. Hundreds of people enjoyed this part of the program, which went off as smoothly as if the men in charge had been fully accustomed to handling high explosives. The evening closed with a big set piece in honor of the American Red Cross, who so nobly came to our relief in the recent storm disaster, and everyone went home fully satisfied with McLean's big free celebration.



STEPHENS-ANDERSON

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Mr. J. M. Stephens and Miss Alma Anderson, on June 25. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson, who live north of McLean. The groom is a resident of Breckenridge, where the young couple will make their home.

BACK CLUB NOTES

By Club Reporter.
After a long absence, Miss Patterson met with the club girls Thursday, May 28, at the home of Mrs. C. E. Hunt.

The fair committee was appointed in the morning, and after a most delicious dinner was served, the girls made cookies and white sauce omelet. About the middle of the afternoon, ice cream was served to all.

As most all of the girls have been busy working in the field, no report was taken.

COFFEY'S AD PAYS

Last week T. J. Coffey and Brother's store offered some special bargains in dry goods and shoes. The senior member of the firm tells us that they are well pleased with the results of the ad. They are making some attractive offers in this issue of The News. Read their ad on another page of this paper.

A. J. Mayfield left Sunday for his home at Amarillo after attending his brother's funeral. He was accompanied by his sister-in-law, Mrs. Egbert Freeman, and little daughter, Willie Lee, of Ramsdell who visited with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cash.

EXPRESSION CLASS PROGRAM

Following is the program for today's (Friday) exercises of Miss Richey's expression class:
Reading—Laeluna Holloway.
Silent Drama—Pauline Crabtree.
Addressing a Club—Lorena Ashby.
Exercises—Miss Ann Richey.
Silent Drama—Anna Wingo.
Reading—Dorothy Cousins.
Extemporaneous speaking—LeRoy Landers, Jewell Turner, Elizabeth Wilkerson, Rolland Wingo and Letha Ashby.
Speeches made by program committee—Floyd Landers and Johnnie Villa Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Keller of Gracey attended the picnic the 4th.

G. W. Henshaw of Heald was a McLean visitor Wednesday.

John Fulton and father of Alanreed were here Wednesday.

Sheriff E. S. Graves of Pagna attended the celebration the Fourth.

Geo. P. Wilson of Amarillo is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Spinks of Heald were in the city Wednesday.

RED CROSS WORKER APPRECIATES McLEAN

The News is in receipt of a letter from Miss Monroe, special Red Cross representative, in which she states that the work at McLean was very satisfactory to her. The lady praises the work of the advisory committee and says that her stay in McLean was most pleasant.

BUSINESS GOOD LAST MONTH, SAYS HODGES

Sam Hodges, president of the Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Company, says that their business, as indicated by their gross sales, was better during the month just passed than at any time this year. Mr. Hodges is very optimistic of business conditions generally, and thinks we may expect much better times this fall.

CHILD INJURED WEDNESDAY

The small child of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Terry was injured by a passing auto Wednesday. The child had been catching on to slow moving machines as they passed through the crowded traffic on Main street during the 4th of July celebration, and made a run toward one when he was struck and knocked down. Thursday morning the child seemed to be in no danger from the experience.

Olin and Oscar Castleberry of Alareed were in town Wednesday.

ICE PLANT MACHINERY ARRIVES THURSDAY

A carload of machinery, cork, etc., arrived for the municipal ice plant Thursday. The building is finished and it only remains to install the machinery and freezing tank to complete the job.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Carver and children of Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Prock and children were among the picnic visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Todd and family of Norman, Okla., came in Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Wilkins.

Jim Slavin of Alanreed was in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Paschall and children of Yale, Okla., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Paschall.

Oscar Smith of Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson of Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Adams family of Ramsdell were visitors at the picnic Wednesday.

T. F. Phillips of Heald is a new reader of The News.

J. W. MAYFIELD DIES

J. W. Mayfield died June 29th, aged 45 years, 2 months and 28 days. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. J. S. Huckabee, assisted by Rev. W. P. Roberts, conducted the services. After the services at the church, McLean Lodge I. O. O. F., assisted by Shamrock Lodge I. O. O. F., took charge, and interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery. The deceased leaves a wife, two sons, three daughters and many friends to mourn his demise, to whom The News extends sympathy.

LIGHT ON WATER TANK

A 1,000 candle power electric light has been placed on the city water tank and is visible for many miles. This is an advertising feature for the town that is appreciated by everyone.

ENTERTAINMENT PROGRAM

The Junior Missionary Society of the Methodist church will put on an entertaining program at the Legion Theatre next Tuesday evening. Look up this program in our advertising columns.

Eight men with teams assisted Otto Mayfield to cultivate his father's crop Monday. Otto will remain here in charge of his father's business the remainder of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulon Collier and children of Groom attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kennedy of Alanreed were in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Romain Pugh and children of Gracey attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and son of Ramsdell were here Wednesday for the big celebration.

Misses Ida Mae Dunwoody and Rose Turner of Alanreed were McLean visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franks of Ramsdell were in the city Wednesday.

Temple Atkins of Ramsdell visited McLean on the Fourth.

John Groves and family of near Ramsdell spent the Fourth in McLean.

Mrs. B. F. Wofford of Shamrock visited her son, Horace, the Fourth.

E. C. Reece and family of Alanreed spent the Fourth in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harrell of Dalhart visited Mr. and Mrs. Rish Phillips Sunday.

F. B. Thomas of Alanreed was here for the celebration this week.

NEW FILLING STATION MAY BE OPEN MONDAY

The new filling station now under construction on the corner of First and Rowe streets will be open for business next Monday, if nothing happens to prevent, according to M. M. Newman, who will be in charge. This station will be equipped with a motor-driven air machine, visible pump and all modern improvements.

The front sidewalk is laid according to grades furnished by the city, and in every operation Mr. Thompson, owner of the lot, has been careful to carry out all requirements in order to comply with the fire and insurance rules.

PENLAND REBUILDING HOME

Joe Penland, whose home was destroyed by the cyclone, secured a building permit the first of the week and is erecting an eight room frame building with basement, on the site of his former home.

MAYOR REID OF PAMPA HERE WEDNESDAY

Mayor Reid of Pampa, accompanied by Mrs. Reid and their daughters, Mesdames Rice and Crocker, visited the Fourth of July celebration here Wednesday. Mayor Reid was scheduled to appear on the morning's program, but on account of the sandy roads, he failed to arrive until noon.

Mr. Reid expressed his appreciation of the invitation extended to him by the program committee, and stated that he took a lively interest in our progressive town and that he could count on his co-operation at all times.

BENTLEY MOTOR CO. BRIGHTENS UP

Bentley Motor Company, Ford and Lincoln dealers have had their gasoline, oil and air pumps painted appropriate colors this week. This brightens up the whole front of this popular garage and adds to the attractiveness of that part of First street.

PUBLIC WATER TROUGH

A public water trough for tanks has been installed at the power plant. This is something that was ordered by the City Council several months ago, but in the press of other business, it had been overlooked. The trough is made of concrete of a convenient height and is small enough that nothing but fresh water can be obtained from it.

This is an improvement that can be appreciated by those driving teams to town.

News From Ramsdell

By Special Correspondent.
Sam Harrelson left Wednesday of last week to help in the wheat harvest on the Plains.

H. Longan was a business visitor at McLean last Friday.

A cream supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Bones last Saturday night was enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franks, Mrs. Pearl Thomas and Mrs. Jewell Harrelson were McLean visitors Saturday.

Jeff Franks, L. C. Pharis and Ben Small were Shamrock visitors Saturday.

W. L. Stockton was a McLean visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bones, Mrs. Ferd Bones and Elmo Bones were Shamrock visitors Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Grogan and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Bones Sunday evening.

Mrs. Pearl Thomas returned to her home in Wildorado Sunday after visiting relatives here for several days.

Mrs. Grace Powell returned to her home in Panhandle Sunday after a visit in the M. T. Powell home. Mrs. W. E. Freeman and little daughter went to Amarillo Sunday to visit Mrs. Freeman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Cash.

Mrs. Clarence Veatch went to Shamrock Monday.

Charlie Longan made a business trip to McLean Tuesday.

W. N. Pharis and sons left Tuesday for the harvest fields on the Plains.

D. L. Hall of Alanreed came on for the Fourth of July celebration.

OBITUARY

Contributed by Mrs. Luther Petty. The death angel has again been in our midst and removed from a once happy home the husband and father.

Mr. Mayfield had a hard attack of influenza in February, from which he had never fully recovered, and about ten days before his death he took his bed with typhoid fever, and other complications resulted which caused his death, he being unconscious for nearly forty-eight hours.

John W. Mayfield was born in Baxter county, Ark., April 1, 1878, and died June 29, 1923, being at the time of his death 45 years, 2 months and 28 days old.

He was well and favorably known through his kindness to all, was a hard working farmer and an upright citizen, whose friends were numbered by his acquaintances.

During the summer of 1917 he professed faith in Christ and united with the McLean Methodist church, where he still held membership.

He was united in marriage to Miss Minerva Hart Aug. 21, 1896, at Mountain Home, Ark. To this union were born three sons and three daughters, the oldest, a boy, died in infancy, but all others, with the wife, are left to mourn his passing.

They are: Mrs. Blanche Kennedy and Teddy Mayfield of Dallas, Otto Mayfield of Abilene, and Misses Mildred and Doris Mayfield at home. He is also survived by two brothers, Tom and Will Mayfield of Oklahoma, and three sisters, Mesdames Mandy Reeves of Little Rock, Ark., W. M. Tucker of Wellington and Sid Wright of Porter, Okla. Mrs. Tucker, together with all the children, the companion, and a half brother, A. J. Mayfield of Amarillo, were present when life departed.

The greater part of his married life was spent in Missouri, coming to the McLean community ten years ago. The writer was one of the first to get acquainted with the family, and has always held them in high esteem.

Funeral services were largely attended at the Methodist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday, with Rev. J. S. Huckabee, the pastor, in charge, assisted by Rev. W. P. Roberts, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, where members of the I. O. O. F. Lodge had charge, he being a member of that order, also the Rebecca and M. W. A.

The floral offerings were many and beautiful, and gave a slight impression of the great esteem in which he was held. To the sorrowing wife and children and all others who mourn his loss, we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Atty. Chas. C. Cook and family of Pampa were visitors at the celebration Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and children of Shamrock attended our celebration the Fourth.

W. A. Senclair and children of Alanreed were McLean visitors Wednesday.

C. E. Hunt and family of Bask were among the picnic visitors Wednesday.

A MESSAGE TO GARCIA

By Elbert Hubbard

When war broke out between Spain and the United States, it was very necessary to communicate quickly with the leader of the insurgents. Garcia was somewhere in the mountain fastness of Cuba—no one knew where. No mail or telegraph message could reach him. The president must secure his cooperation and quickly.

What to do? Someone said to the president, "There's a fellow by the name of Rowan will find Garcia for you, if anybody can."

Rowan was sent for and given a letter to be delivered to Garcia. How "the fellow by the name of Rowan" took the letter, sealed it up in an oilskin pouch, strapped it over his heart, in four days landed by night off the coast of Cuba from an open boat, disappeared into the jungle, and in three weeks came out on the other side of the island having traversed a hostile country on foot, and delivered his message to Garcia—are things I have no special desire now to tell in detail.

The point I wish to make is this: McKinley gave Rowan a letter to be delivered to Garcia; Rowan took the letter and did not ask, "Where is he at?" By the eternal there is a man whose form should be cast in deathless bronze and that statue placed in every college of the land. It is not book-learning young men need, not instruction about this and that, but a stiffening of the vertebrae which will cause them to be loyal to a trust to act promptly, concentrate their energies to do a thing—"Carry a message to Garcia!"

General Garcia is now dead, but there are other Garcias. No man who has endeavored to carry out an enterprise where many hands were needed, but has been well-rewarded, has been well-rewarded appalled at times by the inability of the average man—the inability or unwillingness to concentrate on a thing and do it. And this incapability for independent action, this moral stupidity, this infirmity of the will, this unwillingness to cheerfully catch hold and lift, are things that put pure Socialism far into the future. If men will not act for themselves, what will they do when the benefit of their efforts is for all?

My heart goes out to the man who does his work when the "boss" is away, as well as when he is at home. And the man, who, when given a letter for Garcia, quietly takes the message, without asking any idiotic questions, and with no lurking intention of shucking it into the nearest sewer, or of doing ought else but deliver it, never gets "laid off," nor has to go on a strike for higher wages. Civilization is one long, anxious anxious search for just such individuals. Anything such a man asks shall be granted; his kind is so rare that no employer can afford to let him go. He is wanted in every city, town and village—in every office, shop, store, and factory. The world cries out for such; he is needed, and needed badly—the man who can carry a message to Garcia.

DAD'S BIRTHSTONE

Daughter—"Oh, papa, what is your birthstone?" Father of seven—"My dear, I'm not sure, but I think it's a grindstone."—Southwestern Collier.

THE CHANGE

"I left the old farm," confessed the average man, "to escape the endless work, the long hours, the savage bite of the winter mornings and all the rest of the dull monotony of the treadmill existence; in short, to be master of my own destiny. Now, here in the city, I not obliged to do anything I do not wish to do, except grind day after day humped over my desk, ride back and forth in street cars, with a well-nourished booby standing on my foot or feet, as the case may be; melt or congeal, according to the season, in an apartment where I do not know the names of most of my fellow dwellers, but am well acquainted with the subjects about which they upbraid each other fiercely, and frequently; get run over occasionally when I stroll out for an airing, or held up and otherwise made little of."

"In other respects I am as free from care as a bonny bird. And by saving up my money carefully all the rest of the year, I am able to go back to the old home neighborhood for two weeks every summer and struttingly run it over all the folks there, most of whom could buy me and never remember they had paid out the money."—Country Gentleman.

FAST WORKER

Minister—"Poor woman! It is a hard blow for you to be made a widow, still, there is a comforter for you."

Widow (sniff, sniff)—"What's his name?"

WORDS OF THE WISE

John D. Rockefeller says the reason he never attends dinners or banquets is because the most of the speakers remind him of automobile wheels—the longer the "spoke" the bigger the "tire."

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Willie (to his father, who had recently married the second time)—"There's a shop in the High street just like you, daddie."

Father—"Shop like me. What do you mean?"

Willie (getting near the door)—"Why, it's under entirely new management."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

SUGGESTION FOR PAINTERS

Painters have painted the first long pants, the first step, the first love, the first snow, the first violets and the first dance. But no one has ever painted the first shave.

The first shave is a dramatic and profound adventure. Sometime it is for the sake of a girl and sometimes it is undertaken out of a growing admiration for the sandpaper on father's cheek.

It is also secret. With father's brush and soap the face is lathered behind closed doors and with father's razor the countenance is harrowed, raked and scraped. Disappointment is great that there is no loud, rasping sound as the down is harvested. One young man, now known to his friends as a modest, manly and simple-spoken citizen, went so far as

to shave his forehead on this occasion long ago.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking our many friends for their kindness during our recent bereavement of our loved one. Especially do we wish to extend our thanks to the Odd Fellows and Rebeccahs for their wonderful assistance and floral offerings. May God's richest blessings abide with each and every one.

Mrs. J. W. Mayfield and children. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kennedy. A. J. Mayfield. Mrs. W. M. Tucker.

LIFE

If times are hard and you are blue, Think of the others that are worrying, too; Just because your trials are many, Don't think the rest of us haven't any.

Life is made up of smiles and tears, Joys and sorrows, mixed with fears, And though to us it seems on-sided, Trouble is pretty well divided.

If we could look in every heart We'd find that each one has its part, And those who travel fortune's road Sometimes carry the biggest load.

REASON FOR EMBARRASSMENT

I had always been accused of doing eccentric things, but I didn't realize the truth of it until one Sunday. I roomed just across the street from the church I attended. I went to church without an umbrella. When the services were over it was pouring outside. Having on a perfectly respectable undershirt, I turned my suit skirt over my head. Half way across the street a little boy rushed up to me and shouted, "Teacher, 'You've got both your skirts over your head.'"—Exchange.

Geo. Colebank and family of Bask were McLean visitors Wednesday.

STRAIGHTEN OUT

In almost every wood pile you find a crooked stick. It will not lie straight, sit or stand straight. It does nothing but make trouble. It gets in people's road, barks their shins and trips them up.

In every group of human beings you find someone like that. They are against everything and everybody. They sow dissension. They like to say things that make people unhappy. They think it is a disgrace to be content and satisfied. Whatever the majority are for they are against.

Are you a crooked stick? If so, straighten out.—Frank Crane.

STILL AFRAID TO GO IN

"Do you still act towards your wife as you did before you married her?" "Exactly. I remember just how I used to act when I first fell in love with her. I used to lean over the fence in front of her house and gaze at her shadow on the curtains, afraid to go in. And I act the same way now."

CONSIDERATION

The minister was loud in his praise of the fat and juicy bird his colored host served for dinner, and finally he asked, "Where did you get such a fine goose as that?" "Pashon," replied his host, "when you preach a good sermon Ah doan ax you whar you got it. Ah hopes you'll have de same consideration for me."—Exchange.

THE HIGHWAY

Life is a highway, wondrous, fair; And we are but pilgrims journeying there.

And it's here the rain and there the rain, But ever the sun comes out again;

And it's over the hill and under the hill, But ever the way leads onward still;

And it's here a stone and there a stone, And it's many a mile one must go alone;

And it's here a foe and there a friend, And many the turn, and at last the end.

Life is a highway, wondrous, fair; And we are but pilgrims journeying there.—F. L. Pinet in American Highways.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jordan of Dallas came in Sunday to visit relatives.

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Vote for the Highway Amendment on July 28th.

The spirit of good fellowship and friendliness displayed at the Fourth of July celebration was beautiful to see, and the stacks of food left after dinner were served proves that hospitality is not a thing of the past in our community.

Why is it that some people are always predicting some dire calamity? It seems that one would rather have his mind dwell on pleasant things than picture something that never happens.

Why not look for the good points of our town and think and talk about them? McLean has many advantages that we enjoy, why not admit it? There is enough knocking without you adding your bit. Let's boost and help make a better town.

Mr. Hill made a pertinent remark in his speech on the Fourth, when he stated that the amount of taxes the citizens of a town paid might be an indication of the character of the people of the town and that in a place where no taxes were paid, one would probably go through mud in the dark.

A school bond election will be held next Saturday week that should be of interest to every citizen in the district. The school is perhaps our greatest asset, and everyone should inform themselves on the proposed bond issue and vote for the best interest of the school.

Fifty per cent of the hospitals for the cure of drunkenness and drug addiction have been forced to close for lack of patrons since prohibition has been in effect. This is an interesting fact to all who have the welfare of their fellowman at heart.

The celebration on the Fourth was something of a novelty in that it was given in honor of the city officials. When a man accepts a public office, he may usually expect most anything else except public recognition for his services. It only goes to show the progressive spirit and appreciativeness of our people.

There is no question in the minds of anyone since the Fourth but that we can have a successful celebration without the catch-penny devices that have come to be considered a part of every gathering of this kind. There was nothing allowed on the grounds that might entice one to part with his money, and there were many expressions of approbation for the way the Chamber of Commerce handled the matter.

What part are you playing in the program of future greatness for the McLean community? While it is true that the community will progress without you, how much easier and pleasanter for all concerned if everyone would take part in helping the community grow. One of the best ways to help is to patronize home industry as much as possible. To do this means that we should buy everything we need from home people when it is possible to do so. This should apply to merchants as well as others; for the man who will not buy from his brother merchant does not deserve patronage from others in the community. The man or firm that sends out of town for printing needs, or anything that is handled in a legitimate way by home people, deserves nothing at the hands of those who have the best interests of the community in mind. Any man is a parasite who lives for self alone, and whose shortsighted policy tends to hurt others as well as himself. The fact that fellows of this kind are in the minority is the only thing that enables towns to grow, as the great majority of people are progressive and lift the community in spite of the hangers-on. These good citizens are the ones who are always to be found ready to help any worthy enterprise, and without them no town could long exist.

WE WONDER

Although we have many times

wondered why it is that most of the boosting and actual work connected with any public enterprise has to be done by a few and those men who have least time for such things, we have yet to learn the real reason. It isn't that those few really want to do the work, because they have no such hankerin'. It must be that the other people want to enjoy the fruit without doing any of the planting, cultivating and watering.—Wheeler News-Review.

SUCH A FUNNY LANGUAGE!

We'll begin with a box, and the plural is boxes, But the plural of ox should be oxen, not oxes. Then one fowl is goose, but two are called geese, Yet the plural of moose should never be meese. You may find a lone mouse of a whole lot of mice, But the plural of house is houses, not hiee. If the plural of man is always called men, Why shouldn't the plural of pan be called pen? The cow in the plural may be cows or kine, But a bow if repeated is never called bine. And the plural of vow is vows, not vine. And if I speak of a foot and you show me your feet, And I give you a boot, would a pair be called beet? If one is a tooth and the whole set are teeth, Why shouldn't the plural of booth be called beeth? If the singular is this and the plural is these, Should the plural of kiss be nicknamed keese? Then one may be that, and three would be those, Yet hat in the plural would never be hose. And the plural of rat is rats, not rose. We speak of a brother and also of brethren, But tho we say mother, we never say methren. The masculine pronouns are he, his and him, But imagine the feminine, she, shis and shim. So the English, I think you all will agree, Is the most wonderful language you ever did see!

INFORMATION WANTED

Where can a man buy a cap for his knee?
Or a key for the lock of his hair?
Can his eyes be called an academy because there are pupils there?
On the crown of his head what gems are set?
Who travels the bridge of his nose?
Can he use, when whingling the roof of his mouth, the nails on the end of his toes?
What does he raise from the slip of his tongue?
Who pays on the drums of his ears?
Who knows the cut and style of the coat his stomach wears?
Can the crooks of his elbows be sent to jail?
If so, what did they do?
How does he sharpen his shoulder blades?
I'll be hanged if I know; do you?

SURE SIGN

"You are looking worried, Jim," remarked one workman to another. "Yes, I'm afraid there'll be a death in our street shortly," replied Jim. "There was a rooster crowing in our yard before daylight, and it's a sure sign of death." "Nonsense, man," said his mate. "That is an old woman's tale." The next day the two men met again. "Has there been a death yet, Jim?" asked the skeptical one. "Yes," was the unexpected reply, "I killed the rooster all right."

YOU WILL NEVER REGRET

Keeping your temper under insult or serious provocation. Telling the truth when a lie would have helped you out of difficulty. Turning away from pleasures that would injure your health or your manhood. Holding steadfastly to your purpose when everyone insisted you were on the wrong track. Forming the habit of always trying to better your best, to improve something somewhere every day of your life. Refusing to listen to malicious gossip or stories that are "off color." Having the courage to wear shabby clothes rather than go in debt for what you could not afford. Daring to say "no" when "yes" would have made you a "good fel-

low" and won the applause of your companions. Not posting that cutting, sarcastic letter or uttering the angry words that sprang to your lips when smarting under a sense of injury or injustice. Not resigning when smarting under resentment or fancied injury. Getting up every time you fall and pushing right on towards your goal, no matter how dark the way. Keeping faith with yourself at any cost; holding fast to the high ideals that beckoned in youth. Always and everywhere acting the gentleman or lady.

TEXAS CALLS

Where the sun, in golden splendor, slowly sets out in the West, Where the lowing of the cattle bids a dying day to rest, Where the sweep of virgin prairies, hides itself in purple haze, Where the Masterpiece of Nature ever meets your wondering gaze. Where in autumn the great Artist, with His magic brush creates A scene so grand and colorful, that has no duplicates. Where the crisp fresh air inspires the soul, with purpose high and clean, And the rivers in the moonlight glisten with a silv'ry sheen. Where darkies in the cotton fields sing Southern melodies, The plaintiff notes of "Old Black Joe" waft gently on the breeze. Majestically the eagle sails, thru' clouds of snowy white, And the notes of a thousand song-birds herald the coming night. Where sacred memories still hold forth that shrine, the Alamo, Those spirits still inspire them on, that held it from the foe. Where men are men, from boots to top, with hearts both strong and true, Where friendship means sincerity, there's a welcome there for you. Oh, brother, from a far-off clime, Old Texas bids you come; Her virgin lands are rich in gold, her industries now hum. An empire with a store of wealth within her borders lies; A land of opportunity—it is a splendid prize. Avail yourself, you plodder, a niche awaits you here; Breathe deep the air of freedom, be another pioneer. Be a builder of an empire great, in its actions take a part; For the door to you is open, here's her hand and here's her heart. —J. G. Gotch in the Southwestern Colonization Journal.

AGAIN THE CARELESS SMOKER

It is too bad that there is not some way to train the urbanite in the rules of the outdoors and the campfire, just as he must learn, for the safety of life and property, the traffic and sanitation laws of the city. He should know that it is wrong to throw down a lighted match or cigarette in the forest quite as well as he knows that he must not throw tin cans and old clothing into the street at home. He should learn the etiquette of the forest as he does that of the drawing room. In both cases, certain things are or are not done by those who know. The smoker would not throw his match or cigarette stubb, or empty his pipe ashes, on his host's rug or table cover. That would be a gross violation of social custom and, besides, it might damage the furnishings. That same smoker, however, will toss a burning match or knock the ashes from his pipe on the floor

of his host, the forest, where it endangers not only property worth millions, but human lives as well, without thought of the consequences.—The Manufacturer.

YOUTHFUL LOGIC

Miss Boggs, the teacher in elementary mathematics, looked hopefully about the room. "Now, children," she said, "I wish you to think very carefully before you answer my next question." The small pupils sat eagerly awaiting it, wide-eyed and in some instances, wide-mouthed. "Which would you rather have, three bags with two apples in each bag, or two bags with three apples in each bag?" asked the teacher. "Three bags with two apples in each bag," said a boy in the last seats, while the class still debated as to the best answer. "Why, Louis?" "Because there'd be one more bag to bust," announced the practical young mathematician.—Harper's.

TOMORROW

We constantly dream of tomorrow, which, when we reach it, will be as distant as it is today. Tomorrow we shall talk of "tomorrow." "Tomorrow" would make a good marker on a tombstone. In the hoary, gray and grizzly history of all time, there has been no "tomorrow." Unpleasant duties are put off until tomorrow, and as the result, today is piled high with things undone. Chapin says: "Tomorrow! It is a mysterious impossibility." We do not own one minute of tomorrow. The man who constantly puts things off until tomorrow will continue to struggle with failure. Strange! Let something injure your eye and you will remove it as soon as possible. But let worry injure your mind and you will put off removing the worry until tomorrow. Pleasant things we do today. Unpleasant obligations we live with until tomorrow. In selling, the things we do not like to do are found facing us again tomorrow. Postponement and promotion, postponement and progress, postponement and prosperity, these things do not reconcile.—The Silent Partner.

LOVE AND SPEECH

What silences we keep year after year With those who are most near to us and dear; We live beside each other day by day, And speak of myriad things, but seldom say The full, sweet word that lies just in our reach, Beneath the commonplace of common speech. Then out of sight, and out of reach they go— These close, familiar friends who loved us so; And sitting in the shadow they have left, Alone with loneliness, and sore bereft. We think with vain regret of some kind word That once we might have said, and they have heard. —The Messenger.

NO SPOUTS

Eight-year-old Frances has been taught the art of keeping a secret

and it irritates her to be suspected of telling anything she is asked not to tell. The other day she was visiting Aunt Grace, who had a young lady caller also. Aunt Grace had warned Frances not to tell the conversation, so she began to talk of things which were secrets when the visitor looked at Frances and said: "Little pitchers sometimes have big ears, my dear." Frances looked back at her. "Yes," she agreed lucidly, "but that doesn't hurt if they don't have any spouts."

TRUE LOVE

He—"Oh, Peggy, I shall be so miserable all the time I'm away from you." She—"Oh, darling, if I could be sure of that, it would make me so happy."

PRAYER

Be not afraid to pray—to pray is right. Pray, if thou canst, with hope; but ever pray, Though hope be weak or sick with long delay; Pray in the darkness if there be no light. What'er is good to wish, ask that of Heaven, Though it be what thou canst not hope to see; Pray to be perfect, though material heaven Forbid the Spirit so on earth to be. And if for any wish thou darest not pray, Then pray to God to cast that wish away.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Peters and children were Amarillo visitors Friday. Miss Lula remained for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

—Mrs. Dolph Burrows and children of Conway were shopping in McLean Saturday.

Miss Ida Hansen left Saturday for Lawton, Okla., to visit her sister-in-law.

Mrs. Lula Hedge and daughter left Saturday for their home at Canyon after a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ezzell and baby were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Faulkner left Saturday for Amarillo to visit relatives.

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Hail and Fire

This is the time of year we usually have hail. Is your crop and home protected by a good insurance policy? If not, then do not put this vital matter off, but come in and let me write you a policy that will absolutely protect you against loss from hail and fire.

ROSS BIGGERS

A WORD OF PRAISE

By Mrs. Nestor Noel

"How busy I weeded the garden," remarked a mother to her young boy, one hot day.

The boy, John, looked ashamed, as if he had just entered the garden. "I've done all that lot," he said, pointing to a well-weeded bed. "I won't do it all in one day." He threw down his hoe and went sulking into the house.

"It's always like that," remarked his mother to me. "He can't finish what he begins."

"Perhaps you give him too much to do at a time," I ventured. "He seems to have done that bed of pansies beautifully, and it is very neat today."

"So it is," said the mother. "Come on to the porch and we'll have some lemonade. It isn't fit for a dog to be outside. See how lazy Rollo is. He doesn't even get up to welcome you."

The dog wagged his tail lazily, but did not move.

Yes! It was not a day on which a dog could be expected to exert himself; yet this woman had expected a boy to do a man's job. When I expostulated with her mildly, she remarked: "A boy must do something or he will only get into mischief."

I have often seen women of this type and pitied their sons. This woman was cross with her boy for he had not done, yet never gave him one word of praise for the beautiful bed of pansies which he left as perfect as an experienced gardener might have done.

I have had a great deal to do with children and I have invariably found that a word of praise will bring out the best that is in them and induce them to greater efforts. Why not let them have this little word? It costs us nothing.

In looking over a child's work why not notice the good qualities about it, as well as the bad? For instance, that mother might have said: "How well you have done the sunny bed. It's hot now. Suppose you rest, and finish the other part later on." The boy would have welcomed the word of praise, especially in front of a stranger, and he would have worked twice as hard in the cool of the evening, until the rest of the garden was as good as the first part.

In his own home, a boy is often set to work with no word of encouragement and nothing to reduce the drudgery of his home tasks.

Even filling the wood box, the boy's daily job, could be made less irksome. A boy often says, "I'm forever filling that box," but a mother could change his point of view and make it a pleasant job if she made the boy realize that she needed the wood to cook good things for him.

I do not believe in paying a child for every bit of work he does, because he must bear his share in the household, but I do believe the kind word of appreciation should be given more often than it is. A word is not much. We do not have to open our purses to give it. Why then are mothers so chary of this little word of praise when it brings such good results?

ADVERTISING IS A JOB FOR EVERY DAY, SAYS EXPERT

Public utilities were urged to advertise more intelligently and more continuously in an address by Bruce Barton, well known author and magazine writer, at the Convention of the National Electric Light Association in New York.

He said that keeping the public informed necessarily was a continuous job, as those who are informed move away or die and new ones take their places. He suggested that in dealing with the public, language that the public can understand should be used.

"In fact, my message to you utility men," he said, "be genuine, be simple, be brief. Talk to people in terms and in language that they understand, and finally and most of all, be persistent."

"You can't expect to advertise in flush times and live on the memory of it when you are hard up. You can't expect to advertise when you are in trouble, or about to be in trouble, and expect to get anything in that direction. It is a day-by-day and hour-by-hour business."

"If the amount of money that has been thrown away by people who advertise spasmodically was all gathered together, it would form and endow the most wonderful home of aged advertising men and their widows in the world. Don't throw any of that money away. If it is worth doing at all, it is worth doing every day, gentlemen. The King dies and there arises a new king who knows not Joseph."

LAST RESORT

Ted—"Tom is making desperate efforts to keep up appearances."

Ned—"He's had his old car painted and moved to a new neighborhood."

DO YOU KNOW?

That the citizens of Texas have approximately two hundred million dollars invested in motor vehicles.

That the operating of these plus depreciation is more than two hundred and seventy million dollars per year.

That within the last six years the investments of these citizens in motor vehicle ownership and operation have amounted to more than one billion, five hundred million dollars.

That these investments have increased in leaps and that the profit and utility of this huge investment depends almost solely upon adequate and reliable highway facilities.

That in this state in the last six years, the citizens of Texas have invested less than one-tenth as much on construction and maintenance of roads than in motor vehicles and their operation.

That there is more than one hundred and eighty thousand miles of road in Texas, ten per cent of which has been designated as the State Highway System, equaling approximately eighteen thousand miles.

That of this eighteen thousand miles approximately five thousand have either been constructed or the construction financed.

That this improvement represents an investment of over seventy-five million dollars, involving state and federal aid.

That all of this amount has been spent for construction and very little for maintenance.

That there is no systematic method of maintaining and preserving this investment for the people.—Highway Bulletin.

Mrs. John Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tanner and baby of Gainesville came in Sunday for a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. C. S. Rice.

Jewell Lysle of Shamrock was a McLean visitor Sunday.

Frank Tipton of Albreed was in town on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers and baby of Quanah visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bridge, from Friday till Monday.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Gray.

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Precinct No. 2, Gray county, on the 28th day of May, 1923, by the Justice of the Peace of said Court, is the case of E. B. Reeves versus Hugh Reed, No. 545, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on Wednesday, the 18th day of July, A. D. 1923, at Albreed in Gray county, the following described property, to-wit: 1 cow, five years old, motley faced, unbranded, with calf by side; 1 heifer yearling; and 1 three year old white faced cow, unbranded; levied on as the property of Hugh Reed, to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$144.95, in favor of E. B. Reeves, and cost of suit.

GIVEN under my hand, this 2nd day of July, 1923.

E. S. GRAVES, Sheriff. CCC 27-2c.

"MY CITY AND I"

My home and my business are founded in My City. She gives me and mine the protection of law and order, that my property may be enhanced and my right be sacred. I vote here.

My City gives my children a superior schooling. Good neighbors are mine. Truly, My City is "home spot" for me.

I owe My City my full measure of civic loyalty. If I pretend a meanly and fair conception of reciprocity, I must, upon every occasion, give My City a full measure of loyalty through intelligent co-operation with others of similar sentiments.

My City does not want my partisanship, my selfishness, my dissension, my criticism nor my indifference. Rather, My City expects of me qualities of high citizenship, tolerant friendship, willing co-operation, heart-giving sympathy and intelligent support.

H. Rowe is a regular reader of The News.

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let your eyes undermine your health.

Come have them tested.

John B. Vannoy

Optometrist and Jeweler

Who Stands the Loss?

Should fire, hail or tornado destroy your property, who would bear the loss? If you have an insurance policy in one of the companies I represent, they stand the loss. Then why do you hesitate about the question of insurance, and take the risk of losing all your property, with no protection?

C. C. BOGAN

Insurance that Protects

USE MIRROR AS OBJECT LESSON

By Zarah E. Pheble

Little Robert came tramping into the room where his mother and I were talking. She took one look at the messy little figure, and exclaimed angrily, "Robert! You are a naughty, bad, dirty child! I told you not to get dirty, and now look at you. I don't love you any more."

The child looked down at himself, and his mouth quivered at his mother's words and tone. "I'm not dirty, Muvver—jes my hands, see!" He held out two grimy little paws. He was honestly sincere in his denial, but his mother was too upset to see that fact.

"Don't lie about it," she said grimly.

He looked at her piteously, and tears came into his eyes. "I'm not dirty, Muvver," he repeated. "Jes my hands, and I can wash 'em."

His mother glared. I felt that punishment—unjust punishment, for the child was not aware of his own condition—was in the air. I could not help interfering.

"Robert," I said gently, taking one of the dirty little hands in mine, and leading him over to the mirror. "Stand up on this chair

and let's play a game. You look in the glass and then tell me quite truthfully what you think about that little boy in there."

He looked, half fearfully, but my smile reassured him.

"Is he clean or dirty?" I asked.

"His face is dirty," he replied, "and his hands are dirty."

"How about his rompers and his knees?" I suggested.

"They're dirty, too," he admitted.

"All right. Now who's the boy? What's his name?"

He smiled shamefacedly up at my image in the mirror. "Robert."

I nodded. "All right. You see you just didn't know you were so dirty, did you? Not until you saw yourself. But Mother could see you, and she knew that you were dirty, and that is why she thought you were not telling the truth. Now you know the truth, so you can go and tell her that you are a dirty boy, but that you are sorry."

He nodded, and started to climb down from the chair, when he glanced once more into the mirror. "You have a lot of powder on your face," he said.

I laughed. "I guess I ought to have looked at myself. Thank you, Robert, I'll take some of it off."

His mother smiled quizzically at me. "Your lesson hit three ways," she said. "I didn't stop to think that he couldn't see anything but his hands. I'm sorry, son, that I said you were lying to me. Now go and wash yourself and put on a clean pair of rompers."

"You will find the mirror better than punishing," I said. "And don't call the children vain and make them self-conscious when they look in it to see if they are all right. Just teach them to criticise that image and try to improve upon it."

Miss Jewell Cousins went to Amarillo Friday to be with her sister, who is in a sanitarium there.

Messrs. J. J. Allens and W. P. Lattig of Chickasha, and Fred J. Bacham of Oklahoma City were in McLean on business Tuesday.

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Dress Sale, Friday and Saturday

A sale of ladies' voile dresses Friday and Saturday. These dresses just arrived yesterday. We think they are real values at this offering. Come in—tell us what you think of them.

- \$4.50
- \$4.75
- \$7.50
- \$6.50
- \$3.50
- \$2.50

You will also find some special offerings in gingham and percale dresses and aprons. They are priced to please you—

- \$2.25
- \$2.75
- \$3.50
- \$4.75
- \$4.25

Frank Wofford

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McLean, Texas

By L. F. Van Zelm © Western Newspaper Union

But There Are Some Subjects of Common Interest

AW, WHAT'S THE USE

FANNY, I SAW SOME BALL GAME TODAY—
 —11 INNINGS—THE LONG ISLAND HORRIDLES
 WON—7 TO 5—IN THE LAST INNING
 'SPEED' SMITH STOLE SECOND, AND—

—THEN WITH TWO OUT OLD
 'BIMBO' BAILEY BANGS THE
 PILL OUTTA THE PARK
 AN'—ETC ETC

FELIX, I SAW THE MOST BEE-U-TIFUL WHITE
 BROAD CLOTH COSTUME UP TOWN TODAY—
 IT HAD A STRAIGHT PANEL DOWN
 THE BACK AND—

—THE TOP WAS EMBROIDERED
 WITH HEAVY SILK
 AND—ETC—ETC

NEW TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES

The new telephone directories will be ready for distribution by Saturday afternoon. All telephone subscribers who live out of town are requested to come to the office and call for a new directory.

John W. Kibler.

Mrs. J. W. Mayfield and daughters, Misses Mildred and Doris, left Tuesday for Dallas to visit their daughter and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Glass and children of Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Bring all your dry hens to Searcy Produce Co. Will pay 13c per lb. this week for 4 lbs. and over. 1c

W. B. Bush of Gracey was a McLean visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Rogers of

Lela attended the picnic Wednesday.

Tom Tedder of Gracey was a McLean visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown and baby and Mrs. Smith of Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Little Miss Erin Cook of Dallas came in Friday to visit relatives.

T. F. Phillips of Heald was a McLean visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Rob Welbs and little son, Robert, of Dalhart came in Friday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell.

Mrs. E. L. Minix of Alanreed came in Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Cleary Bird and Mrs. Babe Smith and baby of Holiday came in Friday to visit relatives.

RECITAL PROGRAM

Miss Ann Richey's expression class will give a free recital at the Legion Theatre Monday, July 9, at 8:45 p. m. Everyone is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Kennedy and Teddy Mayfield left Tuesday for their home at Dallas after attending the funeral of the two latter's father, J. W. Mayfield.

Edison Dennis of Erick, Okla., attended the picnic here Wednesday.

Jacob Hess received a message last week that his mother at Anna, Ill., was very ill and would undergo an operation Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Hess left for Illinois at once.

W. J. and S. L. Ball, merchants of Alanreed, visited the Fourth of July celebration here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Turner of

Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tucker of Jericho were McLean visitors Sunday.

Mart Cochran, foreman of the Johnson ranch at Alanreed attended the picnic Wednesday.

Bennie Skidmore and Mr. Rutledge of Shamrock visited Otto and Teddy Mayfield Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Tucker returned to her home at Wellington Monday after attending the funeral of her brother, J. W. Mayfield.

S. R. Kennedy of Alanreed attended the funeral of J. W. Mayfield Saturday.

Little Misses Jane Campbell and Pauline Crabtree returned Sunday from Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Chapman and children of Alanreed were shopping in the city Saturday.

Lee Banks of Pampa was a business visitor in our city Saturday.

Silas Hart of Canyon came in Friday to visit J. B. Hart.

Fresh catfish Friday and Saturday. The City Market. 1c.

Wants

NANCY HALL sweet potato slips now ready. 20c per 100; \$1.75 per 1,000; larger quantities cheaper. Have been treated for black rot. At my place northwest of the Presbyterian church. T. B. Roby.

MILK delivered in town. 40c per gallon for whole milk; separated milk, 20c per gallon; separated

cream, 20c pint. S. R. Jones, Phone 53. 26-2c.

FOR SALE.—My house and lot. See J. R. Hindman at once. Signed, Joe Hindman. 27-4c

BAKERY business for sale or rent. Mrs. H. F. Wingo. 27-4c

MILK, MILK, MILK—I can furnish whole sweet milk for 30c per gallon, 15c per half gallon, delivered night or morning. Separated cream 15c per pint. A. L. Hibler, Phone 61. 27-tfc

LOST.—Keg of nails near McLean. Finder please return to News office. 1c

FOR SALE.—I have good bundled oats for sale. L. L. Rogers, Phone 8. 27-2c.

Patronize Advertisers

How Will She Look When She Is Old?

By J. R. Hamilton, Former Advertising Manager of Wanamaker's, Philadelphia

About the most delightfully foolish thing a man does is to let a woman set the stage for her attractions—moonlight through trees, appealing perfume, soft music, etc.—and then ask her to be his partner for life.

And about the most delightfully foolish thing a woman does is to take a fancy to a man's smile or the color of his eyes or the way his hair grows about his forehead and accept him on that basis as the earning partner in their little firm of matrimony.

Goodness knows this sort of thing causes trouble enough in marriage without carrying it on into the other businesses of life.

Yet for the most part that is just what we often do from the buying of a piano to the choosing of a pair of shoes.

Because we insist upon choosing our husband or our wife by moonlight is no reason why we should throw a glamour about the purchase of a brass bed or a petticoat.

Everything looks good when it is new, but like the Scotchman's wife, what we want to know how it is going to look twenty years from now. How is that piano going to last after our expert has shown us how beautiful it is? How are our shoes or our clothes going to look three months from now? How is our furniture going to look three years from now?

There is only one way to buy a thing when it is new and that is to buy it from a firm that guarantees it when it is old. Now how are you going to get that guaranty? Why, from the men who advertise, of course.

They are the men who go on record concerning the things they sell. They are the men whose asset is their name. They are the men who have something more than their cash drawer to protect.

The time will come when the person who buys anything that is not advertised will be looked upon as needing a guardian.

It is bad enough to have a husband or a wife who does not fit or will not wear—that was probably a matter of sentiment. But there oughtn't to be much sentiment in the buying of a piece of furniture or a pair of shoes.

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News From Back

Special Correspondent.
R. O. Dunkle and Miss Mattie Peterson met with their club boys and girls at the C. E. Hunt home last Thursday and enjoyed delicious ice cream.
Bailey Lakey was trading in McLean Saturday.
Geo. Colebank and family were McLean visitors Saturday.
W. I. Bacon left Sunday for the harvest fields.
Mrs. C. M. Carpenter and two daughters left Sunday for Wichita Falls to visit the lady's sister, Mrs. Dr. Hilburn.
J. E. Norman and family visited in the R. H. Corum home Sunday.
Misses Ozella Hunt, Lella and Beatrice Beck visited Miss Catherine Corum Sunday afternoon.
Bill and Jim Tetter of Heald were visitors in our community Sunday.
Mrs. W. I. Bacon and children visited in the Roy McCracken home Sunday.
Mrs. Brooks and family of McLean visited in the Chas. Back home Sunday.

OUR FLAG—WHAT IT STANDS FOR—HOW TO TREAT IT

Readers—Study this, then clip it and save it.

Symbol

"The flag of the United States symbolizes that freedom, equality, justice and humanity for which our forefathers sacrificed their lives and personal fortunes. Today this flag represents a nation of over 100,000,000 free people, its Constitution and institutions, its achievements and aspirations.

"The national flag represents the living country and is itself considered a living thing.

Pledge

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States and the Republic for which it stands, one nation indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

Salute

"During the ceremony of hoisting or lowering the flag or when the flag is passing in parade or review, all persons present should stand at attention facing the flag. Men's headress should be removed with the right hand and held at the left shoulder. Those present in uniform should salute with the right hand. Women stand at attention facing the flag, or as the flag is passing in parade, and salute by placing the right hand over the heart. If the national anthem is played and no flag is present all stand at attention and salute at the first note of the anthem, retaining the position until the last note of the air is played.

Anthem

"The Star-Spangled Banner is recommended for universal recognition as the national anthem.

Flag Law

"There is but one Federal statute which protects the flag throughout the country from desecration. This law provides that a trademark cannot be registered which consists of or comprises, among other things, the flag, coat of arms or other insignia of the United States or any simulation thereof. (33 Stat. L. p. 925, Feb. 20, 1905.)

Display

"The flag should be displayed from sunrise to sunset, only or between such source as designated by proper authority on national and state holidays, and on historic and special occasions. The flag should always be hoisted briskly and lowered slowly and ceremoniously.

"When carried in a procession with another flag or flags the place of the flag of the United States is on the right.

"When a number of flags are grouped and displayed from staffs the flag of the United States should be in the center or at the highest point of the group.

Platform

"When used on a speaker's platform the flag should be displayed above and behind the speaker. It should never be used to cover the speaker's desk nor drape over the front of the platform.

"When used in unveiling a statue or monument the flag should not be allowed to fall to the ground, but should be carried aloft to wave out.

forming a distinctive feature during the remainder of the ceremony.

Church

"When the flag is displayed in church it should be from a staff placed on the congregation's right as they face the clergyman, with the service flag, state flag or other flag on the left wall. If in the church the flag of the United States should be placed on the clergyman's right as he faces the congregation.

Don'ts

"Do not let the flag of the United States to any person or any thing. The regimental color, state flag, organization or institutional flag will render this honor.
"Do not let the flag of the United States touch the ground or trail in the water.
"Do not use the flag of the United States in any form of advertising nor fasten an advertising sign to a flag.
Do not use the flag as drapery; use bunting.
Do not drape the flag over the hood, top or sides of a vehicle, or of a railroad train or boat. If it is desired to display the flag on a motor car affix the staff firmly to the chassis or clamp it to the radiator cap.
"Do not use the flag of the United States as a receptacle or receiving, holding, carrying or delivering anything."

THE JOY OF THE JOB

By John Blake in El Paso Times
The man who hates his job will never do well in it.
The man who likes his job better than anything else in the world cannot fail to succeed.
It may be said that there are few pleasant jobs in the world; that most of them are largely drudgery, and long and monotonous effort.
But the monotony of the drudgery can be borne if the man who holds the job feels that they are leading to accomplishment, and if his heart is set on that accomplishment.
It is possible that more men who own their own business enjoy their work more than those who work for salary.
But the writer knows dozens of salaried workers who would rather do what they are doing for what they are getting out of it, than to get rich in lines of endeavor that they do not like.
One man in particular, who began life as a draughtsman in an engineers office, was offered a far larger salary than he was receiving to go to another place where the opportunity for engineering was extremely limited.
He stuck to the low salary and the work he liked.
He continued there, steadily familiarizing himself with the problems of the job he intended to do for himself by and by.
Now he is doing that job, getting no end of fun out of it, and, incidentally, making a fortune.
But it was not the fortune but the joy of the work that kept him at it.
If anyone were to walk in on a great lawyer who was busy preparing a case and invite him to go out and spend a pleasant summer afternoon playing golf, the lawyer would think he was mad.
Successful men: play for exercise and recreation.
But they find in no game half the joy that they find in their work.
A theatrical producer who has become very successful in the last half dozen years has to be dragged from his desk by his friends to keep him from wearing his health away by confinement and lack of exercise.
His job is his fun. Producing plays he thinks the finest work in life. He has intended to produce plays since he was a boy.
Now that he has an opportunity to do it, he is happy throughout his working hours. And he has plenty of drudgery, and plenty of worry, and plenty of exasperation, successful as he is.
Don't choose something that looks easy and pleasant. Nothing is easy if it is well done.
If you are a young man, try to pick out some work that you can do well, and like to do, and do it.
Choose something that you like well enough to work fifteen hours a day at.
Then you will probably get along.

DID YOU EVER TRY IT?

An eastern barber gives this recipe for getting rich that looks to us as if it might work: "Early to bed and early to rise; work like hell and advertise."

THE GROWTH OF RADIO

In the press dispatches we read that the governor of the state of New York addresses the people of the entire commonwealth by radio. He sat in the governor's chair in the executive suite where radio experts from the General Electric Company had prepared the proper transmitting devices. Then out in California W. E. Creed, president of the Pacific Gas & Electric Company, radioed his address at the annual meeting so that the various communities in the central portion of the state, served by the company, could hear him speak. The American Telephone & Telegraph Company announces an invention which its engineers have perfected to solve the problem of maintaining privacy in radio communication. Dr. Albert Abrams of San Francisco announces the invention of a super-radio, set to test dimes. And so it goes.
Radio is today annihilating distance. Its greatest usefulness will be felt when through unified organization the service of experts can be broadcasted to the people of the country on a definite schedule.

DOES AN EDUCATION PAY?

In discussing this most important subject, the Houston Chronicle points out that it is the only thing in life that does pay, and gives the following excellent advice:
"Schools and colleges do not educate men, they merely make it possible and convenient for men to educate themselves.
"Men have become educated without ever entering a school or a college, and men have gone through all kinds of schools and colleges, making the grades, passing the examinations, receiving the diplomas and degrees without being educated.
"Let this fact speak for itself. Let it sink in deep. It is the big outstanding fact of history, and it means much.
"The school or college is opportunity; that, and no more. It is not a mill to grind out perfected human beings, to convert ne'er-dowells into Solomons, but it is the door, the practical, common sense way to enter the field of learning.
"One can learn all that a school or college offers on the outside, but it will be harder, much harder, and it discourages 999 out of every thousand.
"One can go to school or college and get nothing, but that, too, is exceptional.
"The school and college are here, not because education is barred to the few without them, but because it would be barred to the many.
"They are here as a matter of practical, economic time-saving, as an inspiration for which there is no substitute, as a privilege for the masses.
"As to those singular men who win success without education, be careful how you rate them.
"Unlearned and unlettered they may be in the formal sense, but not in the essential sense, and besides, whatever they may have achieved for themselves, they owe much to those around them, and before them, who worked with the tools of education.
"Henry Ford, for instance. Does he run his factories, and erect his gigantic machines?
"Did he perfect the process of refining metal, without which the automobile would be impossible, or the battery or the spark plug?
"No, indeed. He merely added

QUITE A QUESTION

"Dear Mrs. Proper: I am a beautiful young lady, 16 years old. I am a blonde and my friends say I have pretty teeth and a winning smile. How long should I wear my dress?"
Answer: "Until you can talk papa into a new one."

FEWER TICKS MORE PLEASURE

First Loafer—"I hear all the men have gone on a strike."
Second Loafer—"What have they struck for?"
"Shorter hours."
"Luck to 'em. I alius did that sixty minutes was too long for an hour."
F. E. Robinson and J. M. Noel were Amarillo visitors Friday.

TRADE AT HOME

an idea here and a thought there, but the bulk of it he drew from educated men, not only in this generation, but in past generations.
"He has made millions, while Milton, Socrates and Moses made nothing, while Columbus died in chains, but which of them all is most successful?
"What is this success that every boy and girl worries about?
"Is it so much money to spend on pleasure, so much more income for luxury, so much social climbing by which to lord it over one's neighbors, or is it made of finer stuff, of that substance we call service that the world remembers with gratitude?
"Don't confuse education with formal knowledge, or success with the dollar, though both form a necessary part of conventionalized society.
"Put education and success on this basis—first to become healthy, helpful human beings; second, to become good citizens; third, to become useful workers in the field of trade and profession; then the question of whether education pays or whether it insures success, becomes easier to answer."

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Burrows and Delbert Smith of Phoenix, Ariz., came in Friday to visit in the Jas. Burrows home.

Lem Parker of Alameda was a McLean visitor Friday.

J. E. Cubine was a Clarendon visitor Thursday of last week.

S. D. Kennedy of Dallas came in Friday to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, J. W. Mayfield.

J. Lee Turner returned last Thursday from Electra.

Prof. and Mrs. T. A. Taggart and daughter were McLean visitors Friday.

Mrs. C. S. Rice was an Amarillo visitor Friday.

Miss Tilene Roberts went to Amarillo Friday to visit relatives.

Theo Heasley was an Amarillo visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Haynes were Amarillo visitors Sunday.




A Cool Place

We have installed a big electric ceiling fan for the benefit of our customers.

Come in and enjoy the cool breeze. Order a cooling drink from our modern fountain made from the very best ingredients the market affords. Cold drinks taste better under cool and pleasant surroundings, such as we provide.

THE CITY PHARMACY

 Earle Shell, Proprietor
TRY THE DRUG STORE FIRST



Good Bread Flour

In a large measure the making of good bread is due to the efforts of the housewife, but of course the flour has something to do with it, too.

If you are making good bread now, our flour will make it better, and if you are having trouble with your bread, our flour will help you remedy it.

In either instance it will pay you to try our Amaryliss or Great West flour.

We have everything else you may need in good groceries.

Haynes Grocery Company

We Make the Price—Others try to Follow

For the Men

MEN'S HATS
MEN'S SHOES
MEN'S WORK CLOTHES

in fact, most anything for men.

BUNDY-HODGES MERCANTILE COMPANY

Service Is Our Only Commodity

Our bank is built on it.
Our efforts center around it.
Our success depends on it.
We aim to make our service so attractive that you will be a pleased and constant customer.

The Citizens State Bank

A Guaranty Fund Bank
CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$32,750.00
J. S. MORSE, President CLAY THOMPSON, Cashier

BLACKSMITHING

We have the equipment and the workmen to render the very best service in the blacksmithing line. All work gotten out promptly. Bring us your work; we guarantee to please you.

The McLean Blacksmith Shop

All Work Guaranteed

THIRTY-NINE FARMERS BRING SUIT AGAINST FEDERAL BANK

The right of the Federal Land Bank of Houston to assess farmers who have taken under the farm loan law to make up a shortage is to be tested through 39 suits filed in the County Criminal Court this week.

The petition in each case is a duplicate of all the others. It is alleged after the shortage was discovered an agent of the Federal Land Bank informed farmers who had taken out loans that they must make up the shortage.

INGRATITUDE

Said a newly established young doctor to his wife: "Wouldn't you have thought that Mr. Jones would have been better bred?"

BUT—THE FARES MORE THAN THAT

Four hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart.

TOO MANY GRAFTS

There are getting to be in this country entirely too many petty advertising grafts, schemes that take good coin out of the business man's pocket and furnish him no revenue in return.

MICKIE SAYS—

DONT KICK BECUZ HER EDITOR DONT PRINT ALL TH NEWS, BECUZ YA WILL PROBABLY SEE TH TIME WHEN YOU'LL BE DARN GLAD HE DONT!



to the merchant on the ground that the ad is cheap, but it is, in reality, the most expensive kind of advertising we know of.

The newspaper man does not want your advertising because he is trying to put something over. He isn't working a graft, and he isn't here today and gone with your money tomorrow.

HOW IT STARTED

She cuddled close to him, for it was the seventh anniversary of their marriage. "Archie, dearest," she whispered, "what was the happiest moment of your life?"

Miss Altha Bridge left Monday for Quannah to visit relatives.

R. O. Dunkle, Roy Robinson and Bryan Roby went to Clarendon Saturday, returning Sunday.

Lorra Austin of Magum, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirby Thursday night of last week.

Mrs. E. B. Watson and son, Charles, of Gotebo, Okla., came in Sunday to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook.

Miss Oma Arnold is assisting at the general delivery window in the postoffice while Mrs. Campbell is on vacation.

HE WANTED TO LEARN

Most boys want to know, but not all are willing to take the trouble to learn. Those who are willing to take this trouble get the reward sometime.

A writer in "The Myrtle" tells how one boy persisted in spite of a good deal of discouragement, and how his persistence was rewarded.

More than a hundred years ago, a stout, freckle-faced, awkward boy of eighteen years, dressed in a ragged waistcoat and short breeches, without stockings or shoes, rapped one evening at the door of a humble cottage in northern England.

"And what do you wish to study?" asked the teacher, roughly.

"I want to learn to read and write, sir," answered the lad. The schoolmaster glanced at the boy's homely face and rough clothes scornfully, and said: "Very well, you may attend, but an awkward, bare-legged laddie like you would better be doing something else than learning his letters."

This boy was the son of the fireman of a pumping engine in a Northumberland coal mine, and was born one hundred thirty-two years ago—on June 9, 1781, to be exact.

His birthplace was a hovel, with a clay floor, mud walls and bare rafters. When he was five years old he began to work for his living by herding cows in the daytime and barring up the gates at night.

When he called at the schoolhouse he was pluggan of a pumping engine, and though he knew nothing of reading or writing, he had studied the engine until he had a complete knowledge of the machine.

Not discouraged by the advice given him by the schoolmaster, he made application and attended the evening school. At the end of about two years he had learned all this school could teach him.

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PROGRAM

The Junior Missionary Society of the Methodist church will give an entertainment consisting of three short plays, readings, pantomimes and tableaux, at the theatre building on Tuesday evening, July 10, beginning at 8:30.

JUST PLAIN DOT

Scene 1—Little Roy's Disappearance. Scene 2—The Fairy's Visit. Scene 3—Little Roy's Return.

Cast of Characters

- Mrs. Wilson—the mother..... Lucille Rice. Grandma Wilson..... Frances Noel. Bessie Blake—the niece..... Lena Sparks. Polly Prince—the wicked girl..... Johnnie Villa Haynes. Buster Black—the negro errand boy..... Elton Johnston. Dan Dennis—a newsboy..... Ben Howard. Meg—a poor girl..... Dorothy Cousins. Dot—a fairy..... Gorda Lou Haynes. Alice—the oldest daughter..... Lois Clement. Willie—the oldest boy..... Harold Clement. Dick—the second boy..... S. A. Cousins Jr. Maud—the second girl..... Lorene Sparks. Roy and Joy—the twins..... John Lee Shell and Lois Kirby.

THE RETURN OF LETTY

Letty Ruggs, a country girl, goes to the city, where she becomes famous as a reader. After four years she returns home on a visit. Her mother, little cousin and two friends anxiously await her arrival.

Cast of Characters

- Mrs. Ruggs—the mother..... Mrs. J. S. Huebabe. Amanda Alton—one of the friends..... Joellene Vannoy. Poebie Hicks—the other friend..... Lena Sparks. Ruth Carey—the little cousin..... Margaret Johnston. Celeste—Letty's French maid..... Jessie Maude Roberts. Letty—the accomplished reader..... Frances Noel.

ADMISSION 20c and 35c

Legion Theatre McLEAN, TEXAS

SOME NEWSPAPER RULES

A Texas newspaper recently issued the following rules, which explain themselves: Fifty cents per line will be charged for all ordinary notices of business men who get their job printing in another city; 25 cents per line will be charged for like notices to all business men who do not advertise; while all delinquent subscribers will be charged 15c per line on passing out to the New Jerusalem.

Those who extend the paper to support whatever, and go around knocking the editor or the paper, or lambasting the community and its citizens, drop banana pebbles on the sidewalk, spit like a dime or try to sell us a gold brick, will be given the truth, which won't look good in print, when they give up the ghost.

Your Vacation

Dear Madam:

Are you taking the family away for all or part of the summer? From past experience of many of our customers, we advise you to make up a little kit of necessary drug items to take along.

Just tell us how long you expect to be away and we will get together the necessary first aid items—or, if you prefer, check off the things on this list below and telephone us to send them to you before you leave. Do it now, even if your vacation is weeks away.

Peroxide, Iodine, Gauze, Newskin, Adhesive Tape, Bicarbonate of Soda, Laxative, Stearate of Zinc, Tooth Paste, Listerine, Tooth Brush, Nail Brush, Wash Rags, Sponge, Comb, Hair Brush, Foot Soap, Talcum Powder, Vaseline, Ungentine, Cold Cream, Witch Hazel, Citronella, Alcohol (rubbing), Shampoo, Boracic Acid.

In addition we have full lines of Writing Papers, Fountain Pens and other vacation supplies that you ought to look over.

When you go away leave your address with us. People often come in and ask for our friends' summer addresses.

Erwin Drug Co. The Rexall Store

STUDEBAKER advertisement featuring images of cars and text describing the Light-Six model, its features, and pricing. Includes a table of models and prices.

STUDEBAKER



The Studebaker Light-Six

was designed by Studebaker engineers and is manufactured complete in the NEW STUDEBAKER PLANTS AT SOUTH BEND, IND., which are notable in design, size and equipment for efficient and economical manufacture.

Vast Resources Make Possible High Value at Low Price in Studebaker Light-Six

Studebaker's vast resources are utilized to manufacture (not assemble) the Light-Six complete in the newest and most modern large automobile plants in the world.

The Corporation's resources, consisting of \$85,000,000 of actual net assets, including \$45,000,000 of plants, make it possible for Studebaker to offer a six-cylinder car, at less than \$1,000, that is emphatically superior in design, construction, performance, comfort and dependability, to any car within hundreds of dollars of its price.

By complete manufacture, Studebaker not only guards the quality of each part, but saves the middlemen's profits, with the result that no other make of car ever built, by anyone, at any price, represents so great a dollar-for-dollar value as the Light-Six.

Evidence of its mechanical superiority is found in its practical freedom from vibration. This is accomplished by the perfect balance of the motor. Perfect balance is obtained largely through the complete machining of all surfaces of the crankshaft and connecting rods. This requires 61 precision operations.

This method is followed exclusively by Studebaker on cars at this price. In fact, very few other cars have this feature, and their prices are from three to ten times as great as that of the Light-Six.

It is significant, therefore, that the sale of more than 80,000 Studebaker cars during the first six months of this year broke all records.

Buyers are justified in expecting more for their money in a Studebaker than in any other car.

Power to Satisfy the Most Exacting Owner

Table with columns for Model, Price, and Features. Includes rows for Light-Six, Special-Six, and Big-Six.

Cousins Motor Co. McLean, Texas

THIS IS A STUDEBAKER YEAR