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CITY COUNCIL BUSY SESSION LAST FRIDAY

The City Council met in regular session last Friday, and after rouine business was disposed of, a rocmmendation of the committee from the Cemetery Association that water be piped to the cemetery, the grounds fenced, a sexton be secured to dig graves and keep up the rounds and all streets opened, was ordered carried out as far as the funds on hand would allow.

It was reported that the order to ren all streets had not been obeyed n some instances, and the marshal was ordered to take the proper steps to see that no street in town is left closed.

As there seemed to be some confusion in the minds of water users as to when their water rent would begin, the secretary was asked to explain to each user when he made a meter deposit that all water rents start when the meter is installed, regardless of the amount of water used. The deposit required by the city does not cover the cost of the meter and the city cannot afford to install meters for future use. When a citizen desires to discontinue the service the meter will he removed at once.

the matter enforcing it was ordinance. moved that T. J. Coffey he ed to look after this work and ask to put in walks in the district METHODISTS TO BUILD covered by the ordinance, but who were willing to allow the city to warrants against their prop-

the regular course

It was dealed to discontinue the site for the dormitory will be select-free tanging houses at cost to all which will go into the setual con-the business district and the differand wiring bouses at cost to all which will go into the actual conwho have not registered for this struction of the dormitory, \$66,000 ent homes in shape to take advan-said he regretted that he did not prospective members next week. If Friday night. service by the first of May.

FORD PLAN UNIQUE

More Bait

OFFER

CITY ENGINES HERE

The big 75-horsepower Deisel en-

NEW

GERMAN

DORMITORY AT T. U.

gines for the new waterworks and Austin, April 18 .- That the ereclight plant are being assembled rt to Mr. Coffey, there- tion of a Methodist dormitory for necessary girls at the University of Texas this week. Factory Engineer L. J. is now an assured fact, is the state- Brooks has charge of the work. against their property. The ment of Mrs. T. A. Brawn of Aus-It was analled to discontinue the site for the dormitory will be select- the factory.

ary fund of the Methodist church, day the current is turned on.

The remaining \$34,000 has been There will be no better or cheaper

HIGH SCHOOL INSPECTOR

TCOKE

By Supt. W. A. Cain

longer.

examining their school.

I introduced him to a number of you are requested to sign this Thursday night. rvice found anywhere than will be business men, and he also had a contract and return it to me im-

Number 16.

ICE PLANT TO BE BUILT AT McLEAN

The Campbell oil well No. 1 on the YOU ranch resumed drilling

NOW DRILLING

CAMPBELL OIL TEST

Thursday of this week. All the Forty-three members of the Mcmachinery has been overhauled and Lean Community Chamber of Comput in first class condition, the merce met Tuesday night at the Odd company is on a sound footing Fellows hall to discuss the propfinancially, and everythnig is in osition of an ice plant for McLean. good shape to put the test on down The ice plant committee reported to the oil sands. • that a plant could be built by the

Since this well has been made a city if the council would issue war-McLean proposition our people are rants to pay for it. Such warrants taking a great interest in the out- would not mean any greater taxes come of the test. Outside interests on the people, but could be paid are also watching it with a view of out of the earnings of the plant. future development. Quite a bit of time was spent in

This well could have been sold to discussion of this proposition, every some of the big oil companies at speaker favoring building an ice different times, but the promoters plant on this plan. There was want to make a community test of Lome difference of opinion as to it and have refused all offers.

the size of plant needed, but it was Visitors are welcome at this well the sense of the meeting that .a ments as the work progresses.

PUREBRED SEED GROWERS

By R. O. Dunkle

Some interest has been manifested this kind, and that the City Council among the farmers in regard to the be asked to take the proper steps growing of pure seed, especially the to secure a plant as soon as posgrain sorghum varicties. I have sible.

Seed Association.

Inspector from the State Depart- this plot to be isolated from other at the same time.

mothod anyway, and it will be a Woman's Missionary Conference at then we may expect full service of practically all departments. Upon blooming time to see that the field operation within the next 60 days. saving to the property owner to Mobile, Ala. A meeting of the the new improvements. Everything leaving. Mr. Damon was very nice, has been properly rogued and isowaiver allowing it to the representatives from each of the is in readiness with the exception of He gave scarcely no adverse criticism lated. Any member who violates done rather than allowing it to take different conferences of Texas will electric cable for the white way but on the other hand, complimented the contract will be dropped from be held at Austin May 15, and a system and it has been shipped from our work in many places. His the association and will not be visit was appreciated by the High allowed to sell seed under the By Special Correspondent.

willing to abide by the contract, at the Mack Harbison home last

st all times, and we may expect to five-ton plant for the present would hear of some interesting develop- take care of the needs of our people, and another unit could be added at any time it was needed. A motion and second was then made that the Chamber of Commerce endorse building a plant of

been able to secure pure seed from There was no question in the the Curry County Pure Seed Ass'n, minds of any of the speakers but and offer the seed for sale to any that an ice plant of this kind would farmer who wants to become a make money, and at the same time member of the Gray County Pure insure our people of plenty of ice at a saving in price. With the Farmers may become members of good water that we have, there will the Gray County Pure Seed Ass'n be no complaint on the grade of IN McLEAN MONDAY by signing the contract, which is ice made, and the expense of makbinding in many particulars, in re- ing it will not be great, as the same gard to limiting each member to a men employed to run the water and Mr. Gordon Damon, High School plot of not more than five acres, light plant can operate the ice plant

ment of Education at Austin, spent grain sorghum fields, and rogued It is understood that the City It will take something like three the entire day with our school on before blooming time. Inspection Council is at work on the matter, not in by this tin, who has just returned from the weeks to install the engines, and Monday. He attended classes in will be made of each plot before and a plant will probably be in

News From Heald

Our school closed last Thursday

will come from the general centen- tage of the electric lights the first have time to visit each of them you believe in pure seed and are The young people enjoyed a party

Prof. Miles Barton returned to

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is a new Ford, one has a double

Fanker. If your have any use for a resenting the Grand Lodge of Tex- be able to to do anything in the way This means much to a community, par at all it will now you to tall as, has conducted 150 programs in of making or trimming ladies' for it means that a large per cent the matter over with Mr. Bentley Texas. These programs teach Amer- hats that may be required of her. of the graduates will continue their and pick and the model car way icanism, Equality of Opportunity, Mrs. Sanders has had long ex- education in some good university want, start saving, and in a few Equality Before Law, Charity, Dig- perience in her line of work and or college. This means that McLean months drive the car home.

tial advartisement for his Meloon among the Masons of Texas.

"d a contract for a year's advertis- to visit relatives. ing.

This firm has a lot of new goods Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bundy and in stock and intend to make their son of Bethany, Okla., came in prices at a very close margin of Tuesday to be with Mrs. Bundy's 17th, at the residence of Rev. S. R. profit, figuring that quick sales and mother, who is ill. Be sure and read their ads each Ball of Alangeed were shopping in and Mrs. S. J. Roe of McLean, and such a manner that he had to be the back wheel. small profits will pay better than long profits and holding the goods. Mesdames Hedrick, Wilkins and week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Francis went W. T. Bledsock of Friendship, Tenn., their future home. to Jericho Saturday to visit their came in Tuesday to visit his aunt, mohter, Mrs. W. E. James. Mr. Mrs. A. P. Clark. Francis returned Sunday, but Mrs. Francis remained for a few days.

Miss Eunice Floyd left Tuesday Shamrock. night for Oklahoma City to have her eyes treated.

Johnnie Ryan of Clarendon was in Tucsday. town Friday.

Engineer S. J. Longtin has our trip to Amarillo Sunday. thanks for subscription favors this Week.

R. L. Appling and family attended a singing at Northfork Sunday afternoon.

Reptiev Motor Company. Ford and ferences of this State. It is es- furnished our citizens when the lincoln dealers are offering a miner timated that \$15.000 will be neces- plant is complete. whereby anyone may own a Ford sary to buy a suitable site for the ear in a very short time, if they are location of the dormitory. Austin NEW MILLINERY willing to save a small amount of Methodists are being depended on to

money each week. The saving habit furnish that amount.

McLean Tur y.

Sunday to join her husband.

the city on business Tuesday.

the city on business Tuesday.

WOFFORD OFFERS PARGAINS who are speaking for the committee second to none this side of Kansas nation. We all will agree that a Alanreed. About 60 boys will par- Slaton Saturday. and five sets of motion pictures and City. This shop may not carry a man without an education cannot ticipate in the contest. Frank Wattord dry goods merch- slides are being used in connection big line of hats as towns the size hope to be a leader of men in any ant, offers some bargains in his in- with the campaign of education of Amarillo, but the styles will be field of work. Then, if our school's

right up to the minute.

Worace Wofford, and they have sign- Springfield Colo., came in Monday in The News each week.

BLEDSOE-ROE

Married, Tuesday evening, April Jones, Nazarene pastor, Mr. W. T. the R. I. coal shute Thursday morn-Bledsoe and Miss Ethel Roe.

the experience.

GOOD RULE FROM LINCOLN

Miss Ruby Cook left Monday for I like to see a man proud of the a few days' visit with her sister at place in which he lives. I like to Do you know just what your telsee a man live so that his place will ephone is made of? A statement

Mrs. Horace Wofford came in hate no one. Overturn a mon's the largest makers of telephones in wrong-doing, but do not overturn the world, gives the following inhim unless it must be done in teresting facts: "It is astonishing, a business visitor in the city Friday. Ira Chambers of near Shamrock overturning the wrong. I am not but true, that the gold mines of was a business visitor in the city bound to win, but I am bound to be Alaska, the asphalt lakes of Trinl-

kindly feeling toward them. He mediately. You may also secure his home at Wellington Friday. could see that the school was not seed at my office at cost price. the only progressive step being

taken. He went from here to SWEET POTATO EXPERT SHOP IN McLEAN Shamrock, where he spent Tuesday HERE NEXT WEEK

Mrs. Pauline Sanders, who has a We are asking for 31 more units E. A. Miller, Sweet Potato Specand mineral minerals but when the object MASONIC SERVICE PROGRAMS big millinery store in Erick, Okla., of credit this year, which will make jalist of A. & M. College, will speak BEING HELD IN TEXAS has secured a space in T. J. Coffey us 20 in all. Should we be so for- at the Legion Theatre Friday, April & Brother's store for a millinery tunate as we were last year and get 27th, at 3:00 p. m. All farmers The plan is very simple and one Since January 1 the committee on shop in McLean, and will put a all units applied for, every unit who expect to plant potatoes this

CLUB BOYS CONTEST

nity of Labor and various other she assures us that she intends to will furnish her part of the leaders elimination contest will be held for the A. P. Rippy home this week. subjects. There are over 100 men keep a line of ladies' millinery goods in her own community, state and the club boys at McLean, Back and Miss Ida Brock returned from

WE NEED BOTH

We are glad to welcome this firm holds the future of our boys and There is a never ending fight Richard Spinks made a business managed by Mr. Wolford's brother. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rippy of to our town. Look for their ads girls in its hands, surely, let us going on between the conservative trip to McLean last Thursday. withets at the other, vlews the

ACCIDENT AT COAL SHUTE vation to lie only in himself.

While a train was taking coal at both. They are like the wheels of an ing, the fireman for some reason automobile. The progressive is the H. J. Cloer of Ramsdell was in Mrs. Bledsoe is a daughter of Mr. failed to get out of the way of the front wheel and the conservative is town Tuesday on business.

Mr. Bledsoe came from tenness dug out. Beyond a few painful back wheel steadily furnishes the McLean visitor Monday. bruises, he was none the worse for power.

the back wheel, the front wheel home Tuesday.

would not go at all. Why should one foot quarrel with be proud of him. Be honest, but ty the Western Electric Company, the other ?- Ft. Worth Record,

Miss Mirian Wilson of Lefors was in the city on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Siler Faulkner and itors Sunday. little son, Siler Jr., of Lefors were but I am bound to live up to what helped form your telephone. Cot- business visitors in our city Tues-

day from Amarillo.

The young people were entertained at the J. W. Dougherty home Saturday night with a candy breaking.

George Reneau and son, Frank. made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

G. L. Armstrong and John Sweeny made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

We are very sorry to report that The plan is very simple and one Since January 1 the committee on shop in archange who will that is taught will be affiliated, season are requested to be present. We are very sorry to report that that can be recommended by any Masonie Service and Education, rep- capable manager in charge who will that is taught will be affiliated. season are requested to be present. Mrs. A. P. Rippy took seriously ill late Saturday evening. We hope she is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rippy of On May 5th a livestock judging Springfield, Colo., are visiting in

Mesdames J. P. Ewing and Harry Overton visited in the Henshaw home Sunday afternoon.

W. O. Todd, A. S. Parker and

Engineer and Mrs. L. J. Brooks other with alarm and considers sal- of St. Charles, Mo., came in Saturday. Mr. Brooks will install the As a matter of fact, we need engines for the water and power plant.

and Mrs. S. J. Roe of increase, such a manner that he had to be The front wheel guides and the H. Longan of Ramsdell was a

Without the front wheel, the back Mr. and Mrs. Siler Faulkner and wheel could only run in one direc- son and Miss Miriam Wilson of Letion, keep only in the rut. Without fors visited in the W. S. Copeland

> Homer West and D. A. Herron returned Monday from a business trip to Sayre, Okla.

Misses Vera Wilson, Verna Rice and Jewel Shaw were Alanreed vis-

H. E. Franks of Ramsdell was a

H. S. Lynch, Star-Telegram rep-Mrs. D. B. Veatch returned Sun- resentative, was in our city on business Tuesday.

> Buck McCreary of Alanreed we a McLean visitor Tuesday.

Miss Lillie Guill of Memphis viz- came in Tuesday to be with his ited relatives in our city Sunday. mother, who is ill.

Abraham Lincoln. Mitt Powell of Ramsdell was in

D. N. Massav made a business light I have. I will stand with any- ton, silver, iron, copper, wool, mica, day. While here Mr. Faulkner business visitor in the city Monday. him while he is right, and part atominum, nickel, platinum and rub-

Kiah Hodges of Clinton, Okla.,

true. I am not bound to succeed, dad and the silk worms of China

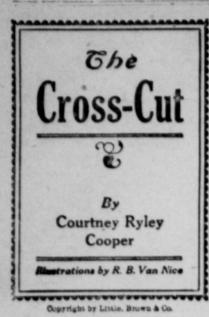
FROM EVERY BAND

body who stands right, keep with tin, zinc, coal, shellac, lead, flax, handed us \$1.50 for The News a year

Miss Ruby Cook returned Sun-

day from Amarillo.

A. Chapman of Alanreed was in with him when he is wrong .- ber are other materials."



SYNOPSIS

CHAPTER 1.-At Thornton Fairchild's death his son Robert learns there has been a dark period in his father's life which for almost thirty years has caused him suffering. The secret is hinted at in a document left by the elder Fair-child, which also informs Robert he is now owner of a mining claim in Colo-rado, and advising him to see Henry Beamish, a lawyer

CHAPTER II -- Beamish tells Robert his claim, a silver mine, is at Ohadi, thirty-eicht miles from Denyer. He also warns him against a certain man, "Squint" Ro-daine, his father's enemy. Robert decides to go to Ohadi.

CHAPTER III.-On the road to Ohadi from Deaver Fairchild assists a girl, ap-parently in a frenzy of haste, to change a tire on her auto. When she has left, the sheriff and a posse appear. In pur-suit of a bandit. Fairchild bewildered, misloads them as to the direction the girl had taken.

CHAPTER IV.-At Ohad Fairchild is warmly greeted by "Mother" Howard, conrding-house keeper, fo is father's

CHAPTER V.-From Mother Howard, Pairchi d learns something of the mystery connected with the disappearance of "Sis-sis" Larsen, his father's co-worker in the mine. He meets the girl hs had as-sisted, but she denies her identify. She is Anita Richmond, Judge Richmond's daughter

CHAPTER VL-Visiting his claim. Fair-child is shadowed by a man he recog-nizes from descriptions as "Squint" Ro-daine. Back in Ohadi, his father's old friend, Harry Harkins, a Cornishman, summoned from England by Beamish to help Fairchild, halls him with joy.

CHAPTER VIL-The pair find the mine flooded and have not sufficient funds to have it pumped dry. Later in the day "Squint" Rodaine announces that he practically saw Harkins fall into the booded mine, and evidently is drowned.

CHAPTER VIII.-Harkins being a sen-eral favorite, the entire population turns out to clear the flooded mine When the work is practically done. Harry ap-pears, apparently surprised at the tur-moil It had been a shrewd trick on his part to get the mine pumped out without cost to himself or Fairchild, and the men take it as a good joke

take it as a good joke CHAPTER IX.-Fairchild learns that Judge Richmond is dying, and that he and Anita are in the power of the Ro-laines. They begin as partners to work the mine. In their hearts both fear Lar-sen was killed by Thornton Fairchild and his body buried by a cave-in which de-stroyed the mine. At the "Old Times tall" Fairchild dances with Anita, to the discomfigure of Maurice Rodaine, son of "Squint," supposed to be engaged on the girl. A bandit bolds up the fance and shoots a merrymaker. Maurice Ro-sine states

announced calmly.

we're inside, not to let nobody down. See?

hospital, only to and Mother Howard Ing Intently. "Didn't you 'ear soltaking his place beside the bed of thing?" "I thought so. Like a woman's Harry. One more place called for his voice. Health returned slowly to the blg

"Listen-there it is again !" "Mr. Fulrchild !"

They ran to the foot of the shaft. and Fairchild cupped his hands and called

"Who wants me?"

"It's me." The voice was plainer now-a voice that Fairchild recognized immediately.

"I'm-I'm under arrest or something up here," was added with a haugh. "The guard won't let me come down."

by Mother Howard. Dully he heard you. All right, guard !" Then, blinkthat Maurice Rodaine had told friends ing with surprise, he turned to the that the passing of the Judge had staring Harry. "It's Anita Richmond," caused only a slight postponement in

> signal-from above, and Fairchild low ered it, to extend a hand and to aid the girl to the ground, looking at her with wondering, enger eyes. In the light of the carhide torch, she was the same boyish-appearing little person he had met on the Denver road except that snow had taken the place of dust now upon the whipcord riding habit. and the brown hair which caressed the corners of her eyes was moist with the breath of the blizzard. Some way Fairchild found his volce, lost for a moment.

blizzard. How did you get up here?"

"I walked. Oh." she added, with a smile, "it didn't hurt me any. The wind was pretty stiff-but then I'm fairly strong. I rather enjoyed it." "But what's happened-what's gone wrong? Can I help you with anything

Then it was that Harry, with a roll of his blue eyes and a funny waggle

of his big shoulders, moved down the drift toward the stope, leaving them nlone together. Anita Richmond watched after him with a smile, walting until he was out of hearing distance. Then she turned seriously,

"Mother Howard told me where you were," came quietly. "It was the only chance I had to see you. I-Imaybe I was a little lonely or-or something. But, anyway, I wanted to

see you and thank you and-" "Thank me? For what?"

"For everything. For that day on the Denver road, and for the night after the Old Times dance when you came to help me. I-I haven't had an ensy time. Most of the people I know are afraid and-some of them aren't to be trusted. And-you-well, I knew the Rodaines were your enemies-and I've rather liked you for it."

"Thank you. But-" and Fairchild's voice became a bit frigid-"I haven't been able to understand everything. You are engaged to Maurice Rodaine." "I was, you mean." "Then_"

ing upward. His eyes had become "My engagement ended with my fawide, his head had shot forward, his ther's death," came slowly-and there whole being had become one of strained was a catch in her voice. "He wanted attention. Once he cocked his head, it-it was the one thing that held the then, with a sudden exclamation, he Rodaines off him. And he was dying leaped backward. slowly .- it was all I could do to help him, and I promised. But-when he went-I felt that my-my duty was over. I don't consider myself bound

The McLean News, Friday, April 20, 1923 News From Back "I felt that from the beginning. An effort was made through a lawyer in By Special Correspondent. Denver who hinted you were behind it.

Miss Mattie Patterson met with But you said they were going away?" the girls' club last Thursday. idiss Maudelle Corum visited with

ences-father and son-one after an- Misses Ava Lee, Oleta and Charlie They're both excited about Marie Back last week. Clyde Holloway and Lawrence Watson, Mrs. Bud Back of this community, and Mrs. E. V. Back of lished, and that I must go with him. McLean visited the orphan home at I didn't have the strength to fight him Canadian last Thursday and Friday.

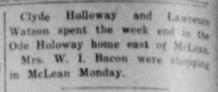
Little Madge and Artie Walson accompanied them home for a short trying to think out a plan-and I visit. Miss Ruth Isreal visited in the

Chas, Back home Saturday night and Sunday.

The two Misses Pough from Arkansas are visiting their brother, Henry Pough, and family this week The singing at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cobb last Sunday

evening was enjoyable. R. L. Appling and family of Mc-Lean visited in the Jesse Cobb home unday

Offie Allston of Gracey attended the singing Sunday evening.



Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook were Shamrock visitors Friday. Mrs. Cook remained for a visit with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Crisp of Alanreed were shopping in McLean Monday.

Miss Callie Roberts of Amarille came in Saturday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roberts,

J. E. Williams of Lefors was in the city on business Monday.

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W. A. Lankford of Ramsdell was a McLean visitor Monday.

D. M. Graham is a new reader of The News.

S. R. Loftin of Alanreed was a visitor at the News office Monday,



Look Your Best

This store can help you. Talcum and complexion powders, shampoo creams, tooth powders and pastes, toilet soaps, complexion lotions, toilet waters and perfumes - everything for milady's toilet.

Nervousness,, heart trouble, constipation, anemia and impure blood detract from the beauty of millions of women.

DR. MILES' REMEDIES will relieve these conditions. We sell and guarantee them. Whether you need dainty aids to beauty or practical aids to both health and beauty, this place is the place to come.



attention-the mine.

their marital plans.

Cornishman; it would be a matter of

weeks before he could be the genial,

strong giant that he once had repre-

sented. And in those weeks Fairchild

Nor that there were no other things

which were represented in Robert's

desires--far from it. Stronger than

ever was Anita Richmond in Fair-

child's thoughts now, and it was with

avidity that he learned every scrap of

news regarding her, as brought to him

Finally, back to his normal strength

ouce more, Harry rose from the arm-

was constantly beside him.

"We're Going to Work Tonight," He

house and turned to Fairchild.

Announced.

chair by the window of the boarding "We're going to work tonight," he

"When?" Fairchild did not believe he understood. Harry grinned. "Tonight. I've taken a notion. Rodaine 'll expect us to work in the daytime. We'll fool 'Im. We'll leave the guards on in the daytime and work at night. And what's more, we'll keep a guard on at the mouth of the shaft while

Fairchild agreed. He knew Squint Rodaine was not through. And he knew also that the fight against the man with the blue-white scar had only begun. The cross-cut had brought wealth and the promise of riches to Fairchild and Harry for the rest of their lives. But it had not freed them from the danger of one man-a man who was willing to do anything in the world, it seemed, to achieve his pur-Harry's suggestion was a good Well, then Harry ran, to do much as Fairchild had done, to chuckle and haugh and toss the heavy bits of ore about, to stare at them in the light of his carbide torch, and finally to hurry into the new stope which had been fashioned by the hired miners in Fairchild's employ and stare upward at the

something. Last night Maurice came to me and told me that it was necessary for them all to go to Chicago, where the head offices would be estab-

such a thing."

thought of you."

Some way I felt differently. I refused.

"Yes. They've been holding confer-

then-there wasn't anybody nearby who could help me. Se I-I told him I'd go. Then I lay awake all night, "Walt, and I'll raise the bucket for

he whispered.

The bucket was at the top new. A

"Are-are you in trouble?" "Not" She smiled at him.

"But out on a night like this-In a She shrugged her shoulders.

arrested Fair-Anita from the todaines, and is tilled at Anita's apparent ingratitude

HAPTER X .- Fairchild puts up the alm as bond, and secures Harry's re-ise from fall. They are offered \$60,000 r the claim, by an unknown party, but tree to disregard it. Clearing the mine, tay come to where they fear to find arsen's remains

TRAPTER NI-A skeleton, in a miner's son is there, and there seems little doubt that Thornton Fairchild was a murderer

"HAPTER XII.-Fairchild informs the ironer of the discovery of the skeleton i the inquest. "Crasy Laura." castoff the of "Fulint" Rodaine, and an ac-nowledered imbodile gives damnging test-nowledered imbodile gives damnging test-nowledge damnging test-nowled nowledged

CHAPTER XIII.—Summoned to Denver Street important information" Fair-I'd is offered 1000,000 for the mine. Fair-I'd is offered 1000,000 for the mine. Fair-of them never to be anything more than a fissure in the rocks. "It's the thing that saved my life." Furchild stared in the darkness of

CHAPTER XIV .- The capital of the two to avoid Fairchild He and Harry or what appears to be a vetn of Leaving Marry in the mine Fair Leaving Marry in the mine Fair astens to have the find assayed

HAPTER XV -The assaver tells Fairhe vein is simost solid ailva ing back, he finds the mine do by a cave-in, and Harry gone

CHAPTER XVI.-A note from Anita its Fairchild on Rodaine's track. He lows his enemy to the home of "Crasy aura" and hears him plot the nurder of farry, whom the woman had in the ouse. In an unconscious state

HAPTER XVII -- In the absence of the daines, Fairchild gets Harry from the ad to a hospital. He ha by the crasy woman, but recovery. He tells of a fragged by the cristy woman, but makes s quick recovery. He tells of escaping from the mine through an unsuspected assesse Judge Richmond dies, leaving Anita friendiess. Anita visite the part-ners in the mine seeking Pairchild's aid igainst the Rodaines. Startled by a mys-crious noise, the three take refuge in by passage which Harry had found.

"And Tm up in a 'ospital !"

Which fact the court the next morning recognized, on the testimony of the interne, the physician and the day been any killing connected with Larnurses of the hospital, to the extent of sen at all? Why couldn't Larsen have a continuance untit the January term in the trial of the case. A thing which | just like you were? And why-?" the court further recognized was the substitution of five thousand dollars in cash for the deeds of the Blue Popby mine as security for the bailee. And with this done, the deeds to his mine safe in his pocket, Fairchild went to the bank, placed the papers behind glanced." the great steel gates of the safety deposit vault, and then crossed the street to the telegraph office. A long mes- Larsen's No, Boy, there must 'ave sage was the result, and a money or- been a fight-but don't think that I der to Denver that ran beyond a bundred dollars. The instructions that If Sissie Larsen attacked 'im with a went with it to the biggest florist in gun, then 'e ad a right to kill. But town were for the most elaborate as fye told you before-there wouldn't I'm vice president." floral design possible to be sent by ex- "ave been a chance for 'so to prove 'is ress for Judge Richmond's funeral- story with Squint working Susinst things to buy this mine?" Fairchild

heavy vein of riches above him. "Wouldn't it knock your eyes out?" he exclaimed, beaming. "That vein's certainly five feet wide."

"And two hundred dollars to the ton," added Fairchild, laughing. "No wonder Rodaine wanted it."

"I'll sye so !" A long time of congratulatory celebration, then Harry led the way to the far end of the great cavern "'Ere it is!" he announced,

Fairchild stared into the darkness of

the hole in the earth, a narrow crack in the rocks barely large enough to allow a buman form to squeeze within. He laughed

"You must have made yourself pretty small, Harry."

"What? When I went through there? Sye, I could 'ave gone through the eye of a needle. There were six charges of dynamite just about to go off be'ind me !

Again the men chuckled as they looked at the fissure, a natural, usual thing in a mine, and often leading, as this one did, by subterranean breaks

and stips to the understound bed of some tumbling spring. Suddenly, however Unirchild whirled with a thought. "Harry ! I wonder-couldn't it have been possible for my father to have escaped from this mine in the same way?"

"'E most 'ave."

"And that there might not have been knocked out by a flying stone-

"'E might of Boy." But Harry's voice was negative. "The only thing about it was the fact that your father 'ad a builtet 'ole in 'is' en " Harry teaned forward and pointed to his own scar. "It 'lt right about 'ere, and

"But the gun? We didn't find any." mean your father murdered anybody.

this, Ppirchild returned to the toward the bottom of the shaft, listen-

to him any longer." "You've told Rodaine so?"

"Not yet. He's coming after me at midnight. We're to go away somewhere.

"Rodaine? Impossible !"

"They've made all their plans. I-I wondered if you-if you'd be some where around the house-if you'd -- " "I'll be there. I understand " Fair.

child had reached out and touched her arm. "I-want to thank you for the opportunity. I-yes, I'll be there." came with a short laugh. "And Harry, too. There'll be no troublefrom the Rodaines!

She came a little closer to him then and looked up at him with trustful eyes, all the brighter in the spluttering light of the carbide.

"Thank you-it seems that I'm always thanking you. I was afraid-I didn't know where to go-to whom to turn. I thought of you. I knew you'd help me-women can guess those things."

"Can they?" Fairchild asked it "Then you've guessed all eagerly. along that-"

But she smiled and cut in. "I want to thank you for those flowers. They were beautiful."

"You knew that too? I didn't send a card.

"They told me at the telegraph office that you had wired for them, They-meant a great deal to me."

It meant more to me to be able to . send them." Then Fairchild stared with a sudden idea. "Maurice's coming for you at midnight. Why is it necessary that you be there?" "Why-" the idea had struck her

too-"it isn't. I-I budn't thought of Come 'ere. it. I was too badly scared, I guess Everything's been happening so swiftly since-since you made the sarike up

With them?"

about something You got my note?" | sagely, 49' 44 "

"That was the beginning. The minate Squint Rodaine heard of the strike I thought be would go out of his head. I was in the office--I'm vice preside of the firm, you know," she added. with a sareastic laugh. "They had to do something to make up for the fact "E ad If with im. It was Sissie that every cent of father's money was in it.

> "How much?" Fairchild asked the question with no thought of being rule. and she answered in the same vein. "A quarter of a million. That's why

"And is that why you arranged has a card denoting the sender. For the "Int" if conset and perked his head knew the answer before it was given. "I7 I arrange-I never thought of

"Look out!" he exclaimed. "'Urry, look out !' "But what is it?"

"Why Is It Necessary That You Be

"I'm glad." Fairchild touched her

small gloved hand then, and she did

not draw it away. His fingers moved

slowly under hers. There was no "e-

sistance. At last his hand closed with

a tender pressure-only to release her

again. For there had come a lauga,

shy, embarrassed, almost fearful-mot

Can I see the strike again?"

"Can we go back where Harry is?

Obediently Fairchild led the way,

beyond the big cavern, through the

cross-cut and into the new stope,

where Harry was picking about with a

gad, striving to find a soft spot in

which to sink a drill. He looked over

his shoulder as they entered and

"Oh," he exclaimed, "n new miner !"

"I wish I were," she answered. "J

But Harry had turned and was star-

the plea:

grinned broadly.

wish I could help you."

There?"

"It's coming down! I 'eard it !" Excitedly he pointed above, toward the black vein of lead and silver. "'Urry for that 'ole in the wall-'urry, I tell you!" He ran past them toward the fissure, yelling at Fairchild. "Pick 'er up and come on ! I tell you I 'eard the wall moving-it's coming down, and if It does, it'll bust in the 'ole tunnel !"

CHAPTER XVIII

Hardly realizing what he was doing. or why he was doing it. Fairchild seized Anita in his arms and, raising her to his breast as though she were a child, rushed out through the crosscut and along the cavern to the fis sure, there to find Harry awaiting them

"Put 'er in first!" said the Cornishman anxiously. "The farther the safer. Did you 'ear anything more?"

Fairchild obeyed, shaking his head in a negative to Harry's question, then squeezed into the fissure, edging along beside Anita, while Harry followed. "What's doing, Harry?

"Nothing. That's the funny part of tt !" The big Cornishman had crept to the edge of the fissure and had stared for a moment toward the cross-cut leading to the stope. "If it was coming, it ought to 'ave showed up by now. I'm going back. You stay 'ere.' A long moment and he was back

almost creeping, and whispering, as he reached the end of the fissure. "Come 'ere-both of you! Come

'ere !" "What is it?"

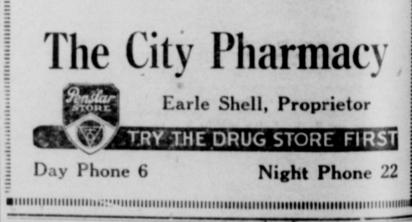
"Sh-h-h-h-h-h. Don't talk too loud. We've been blessed with luck already

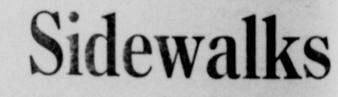
He led the way, the man and woman following bim. In the stope the Cornishman crawled carefully to the staging and, standing on tiptoes, pressed his car against the vela above "Yes, they've been simply crazy him. Then he withdrew and nodded,

"That's what it is !" came his announcement at last, "You can 'ear it !" "But what?"

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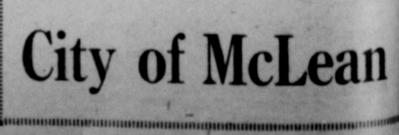




Property owners in the proposed sidewalk district of McLean who for any reason are not ready to finance the laying of walks are invited to sign a waiver to the City, allowing the sidewalks to be put in and charged against their property in the form of taxes. Such payments to be spread over a number of years. By signing such a waiver, you will reduce the charges against your property when the walks are ordered in.

It will be better and cheaper to all concerned for each property owner to have these improvements made at his own expense, but this offer is made to save expnse where the city will have to put in walks.

Alderman T. J. Coffey has charge of this work and will be glad to talk the proposition over with any citizen of Mc-Lean.



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words and do the things that are comfort and strength and assistcomfort and strength and assist. That they may be guided by you, chance looked good or not, but only those who are on the side of chteousness. Here is President Butler of Col-

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bia University saying in a speech he enforced. Thereby he lends the force of his position and Pitch right in and make the effort One thing is sure; if you complete sonal influence to aid the bootggers and drunkards who are de- If you fail, what man can blame you man will applaud you, either outced. They are determined to eak the law. Any decent and d-fearing man should have the rength to answer them that it an be, and that it must be, and hat it will be enforced.

It is a cowardly and craven thing stone; say that a good law cannot be No name, no date, the simple word de to work. The saying so is alone, or the encouragement of crime. Told me the story of the unit there are some who may say that dead. e Seventh Commandment is con- A marble column lifted high its visiting their grandparents. ary to human nature and never head an be successful, but every time Close by, inscribed to one the world hey say that, they are encouraging has known; he beast in the human breast, are But ah! that lonely grave with ing homage to the devil, are in- moss o'ergrown alting every pure man and woman Thrilled me far more than his who of Heald were McLean visitors ! the world, and are dishonoring armies led. od who made that law and never ll repeal it, because it is everstingly right. Such a law may be ted and trampled under foot, but The mother toiled and never stopped can never be repealed.

sealed if only the proper support her breast, given to it by the patriotic and And closed her eyes, no longer dimigious people of our land. If we med with tears. each reverence for the laws of "She made home happy!" these few d, and instill into the minds of tion respect for morality. The simple record that she left be regard for the Constitution and d the attacks of evil, but unless are united and determined, we dl find restraints swept away ANT-TOBACCO LAW IN UTAH our very civilization threatened ith destruction. ver of God that leads to salva- its repeal. and to obedience. With this can go forward to conquer sin. re to do right and without power overcome. We must preach righted the Gospel, in order to the vic- been rigidly enforced and obeyed. ry of righteousness. Our American people will never \$150,000.00 per year in advertising peal the Fifteenth or the Eightnth Amendments to the Constituon, although a wicked residum of population demand their repeal, rity insist that they cannot be returns on the investment, which burity shows the necessity for publicity is concerned, the weed has commandment. Some who are been brought to a halt. tunkarits, bute prohibition, but they ress the need for keeping and en- effort to enforce this law, one proreing it .- Hereld and Presbyter.

very best you can.

profiting by your mistakes.

We are placed here for a purpose; after having done their best. some can do more than others Be a completer at your job. can:

credit to a man;

for yourself and for the rest:

-H. L. M. in Dallas News.

AN EPITAPH

Within a churchyard, written on a children of Alanreed were McLean

"She made home happy!" through

the long sad years, to rest,

Nor can the prohibitory law be Until they crossed her hands upon

words I read

The McLean News, Friday, April 20, 1923

COMPLETERS A WEATHER REPORT' "I never," says an employer, "lack The day was darkly drear beginners in my offices or factory. Till you were in it,

I have quite often wondered what used to envy during my college ' No birds a-winging;

Somehow their names refuse to

thought, at the time, they would. They were wonderful starters-but

ginning of an athletic race, often appearing as the most probable ed the rural route Tuesday on his winner. But as the race progresses, regular semi-annual inspection. one by one the competitors drop out because of lack of training or orain control-or something-and Roy Campbell were Amarillo visitors If you fail-no man is perfect-go But the completers are those who begin in anything that "looks good."

had in mind the idga of finishing

A lot of times the crowd will try Columbes that prohibition never To sit idle, without trying, is no to get you nervous and discouraged -or mad. But do not mind at all.

your job or your task, every last if you've tried and done your best? wardly or, in his heart, and whether friend or foe. For all the world loves a completer .- American Insurance Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Morgan and

visitors Wednesday. Riley Scott and Gilbert Wingo

motored to Ramsdell Sunday to get Mr. Scott's boys, who had been

Robert Harris of Alanreed was a busines visitor in the city Monday.

Misses Lennie and Leffie Flowers Tuesday.

Rice were Amarillo visitors Wedesday.

That very minute.

days, who stood away up at the top You came, and all the air Was full of singing.

> The world was sleet and storm, A wintry murmur; You came, and tender, warm, The world was summer! -Ex.

C. H. Harbison of Heald was in town Tuesday on business.

Mesdames Homer Crabtree and Wednesday.

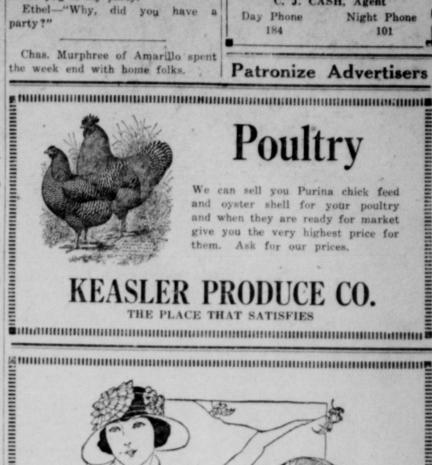
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McCarty were Amarillo visitors Wednesday,

Miss Ida Hansen went to Shamrock Friday to visit her sister.

MODES FOR THE BABY

on frills and her bonnet decked with fine tucks or stlichery, but the ribbor inish is new

Insurance



NEWS TO HER

invite you to my party."

Madge-"I'm sorry I forgot to

Magnolia

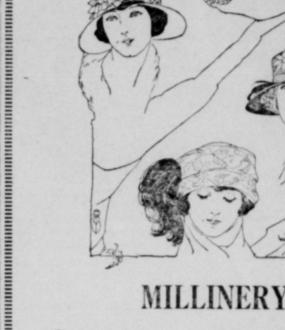
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resses will be furbished up with rib Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson and ribbons and laces. Dresses remain aughter, Miss Vera, and Mrs. C. S. as they have been. little trimmed with

atly reported that he had received jury trials. gloves on.

and with his shoes on; he also laws of the commonwealth." eds it with his clothes on, but if ne of the delinquent subscribers

n't pay up pretty soon, he will ed bread without a darn thing on."

Lean visitor Monday.

our country, we can with- Was greater than the soldier's, to my mind.

By Will H. Brown God will never repeal any of the About two years ago the state nands which he has made in the legislature of Utah passed a law Commandments. They are against advertising or selling cigrnal principles of righteousness. arettes in the state, and against will give grace to any man to smoking in certain public building able him to obey them. He will and public places. The law has ite these commandments in men's been flagrantly violated, and now arts. The Gospel is the saving the tobacco men are working for

Louis Ward has an article in a recent issue of the Improvement thout Christ, men are without de- Era of Salt Lake City, in which he points out some things the public should know. First, the section of isness, and we must preach Christ the law relating to advertising has Previously the tobacco dealers spent cigarettes in the papers and on the bill-boards of Utah. We can rest assured that they did not spend that amount without expecting big forced. Some will not keep the means that so far as the increased venth Commandment, but such use of tobacco from that kind of

Second, the officers of the law have made apparently little, if any, vision of which reads that smoking in forbidden in city and county OTHERS IN THAT CLASS, TOO buildings, and yet daily, in court rooms and public offices, have men The editor of a country paper re- smoked without arrest, even during

news item from one of his many Mr. Ward well argues that no instaking correspondents. The law should be pronounced a failure m read to the effect that a until the officers have at least made ide in the neighborhood had excit- an effort to enforce it, adding: "To considerable comment among the say that the people of Utah will not ighbors by kneading bread with obey the law is a libel on the citizens of a great law-abiding state. The editor, seizing upon the op- They WILL obey it, but not before stunity presented, used the item the officers responsible for its enhis paper, adding, as an appendix. forcement show that they themselves The editor of this paper needs regard it on an equal with other

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that the buliness of life is not each month that we sorely need, business, but living.

ing season, and the work of planting community. is now on in earnest. We need a big crop this fall, and from all in- The editor takes the stuff that is constables and police officers and their wives to drag them. Flowers dications at this time we will harvest offered by the various agencies watchmen for protecting our propa bumper crop of all kinds. ********

laws are enforced in that city. This ed a "press bulletin" this week from the cheapest kind of insurance for a number of cities we know. Selling Against the Prohibition Amendment, year for protecting our bodies from goods and working on Sunday are Inc., that for sheer nerve beats the ravages of disease, keeping us not necessary to anyone's welfare or anything we have seen. When any in fit condition and saving us the nappiness, and when these things bunch of men will deliberately un- time and expense of long sick spells? are a strict violation of the State dertake to undermine a law of the We seem to be insuring about everylaws, the penalty should be applied land and expect the newspapers to thing we own in this country except to all violators.

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connection with our water and light of unmitigated gall. Their main idly as possible. The welfare of plant is the fact that the same men argument against the law is the old ir country and of our persons decan operate all plants. This means one that prohibition does not pro- mands an early change .- Paducah that whatever is made from the sale hibit. If there was any logic in this Post. of ice will be almost clear profit. argument, then we might attack The biggest expense in anything of any other law on the same grounds, Every newspaper has to deal with this character is the operating ex- for there are to be found men who people who are always anxious to furnished to the public by the City pense, and it will not be necessary violate the law against murder and swamp the composing room with all of McLean. to pay any more for men to run every other law. We respectfully the free publicity concerning them. Sec. 1. All persons wishing to

day's meeting of the C. of C. was were not for men who favor violation joy giving space to worthy enter. must be wired. the unanimous vote on the ice plant of law, there would be no violation. prises and to every form of legitiproposition. With 43 representative members present, not a voice was Once upon a time we had occasion ought to get it in their "noodles" raised against the plan, but every to call upon the manager of a very some day that the cost of producor of the City Council's carrying right above his desk was a rather the same as producing an inch of out the plan suggested. With a backing such as this, there can be large placard which read: "An advertising space. Most people no doubt of the wisdom of the ounce of co-operation is worth a "tote fair" with the Clarendon undertaking.

THE MCLEAN NEWS when the citizens of the McLean wouldn't the same apply to town or all the free publicity they can from

the Ramsdell school, had occasion to use The News in classwork last If Kalser William had written a

week. Actual news happenings in book about himself a few years last week's issue were used in an ago it would have had a tremen- It is a pleasant sight to observe required to deposit \$5.00 for installargument against the evil of cigar- dous sale at any fabulous price, in our citizens working on lawns and ing meter, the said \$5.00 will be reette smoking. It is quite an honor any part of the world. Today his gardens this spring. With sidewalks turned to the party making the defor The News to be used as a class- memoirs, written since his abdica- being put down, trees planted and posit at any time they wish to disbook, yet, at the same time, the tion are finding practically no sale sprinklers going, the old town bids provided they are not indebted to educational value of a rightly con- in Germany at 30 cents a copy. fair to be one of the prettiest places the city for lights or power, but Four issues make an advertising ducted newspaper cannot be ez- Periodically the world changes its next summer that you would care to should they be indebted to the city

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refusing to accept cigarette adver- is so right here in our own country may be appraised by the indifference Many people forget until too late tising alone costs us a goodly sum today .- Paducah Post.

but we-feel that we would not be Over in densley populated China time to judge a citizen's civic value.

The good rain that fell last week vocate, in any manner, anything year for preventing sickness, instead love to potter around their front has put everyone in a good humor that would tend to harm the coming of curing it after it occurs. Good and back yards during pleasant verregarding this year's crop prospects. generation. We are glad to co- sense, that. Now comes a St. Louis nal weather quit as soon as the sum-We now have plenty of moisture in operate with everyone who is in- physician who predicts that the time mer sun begins to pay them court. the ground to last through the plant- terested in the betterment of our is near when we will be doing the They abandon the domestic land-

why not? We pay sheriffs and trying to get free space in his paper erty from theft by the lawless eleand places it where it belongs, viz: ment, and it works to the good of garden takes on the pallid cast of Amarillo is to see that the Sunday the waste basket, but we were offer- society in general. Would it not be is a move that should be taken by the so-called National Association us to may the family doctor by the palms pant for a drink and the help them in the attempt to the ex- our personal health, and that we tent of giving them free space for are systematically destroying through The beauty of an ice plant in their mouthings, is the very acme over-indulgence and neglect as rap-Dallas News .

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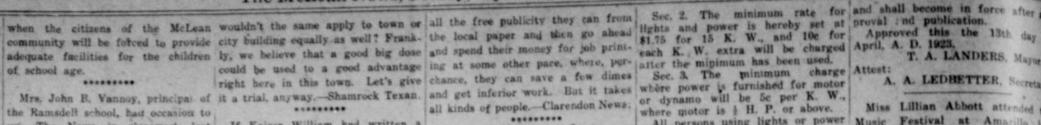
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exhibited around his place of residence. But the spring time is no doing justice to our readers to ad- a family pays a physician by the The bitter truth is that men who same thing in this country. And scape and hunt the shade, from which it is next to impossible for wither, the green grass turns its toes heavenward and the kitchen death. The juniper bush hangs its leaves at half mast, the fronded rubber plant stretches itself to the breaking point-all because the man of the house quits his yard work as soon as the prespiration starts. Sometimes it looks like men will have to be done away with altogether and the world left to the women and children .- State Press in

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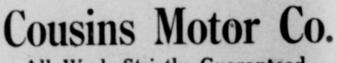
Friday and Saturday.

PUT YOUR CAR IN GOOD HANDS

No matter what work you may want done on your car, you can rest assured that it will be done properly if it comes to us. We have a capable mechanic, and carefulness is our motto. We treat every car we work on exactly as though it were our own.

Why not give us a trial and let the results determine future relations between us? Pay us a call and we can talk it over.

We Sell STUDEBAKER Cars



All Work Strictly Guaranteed Repairing, Storage, Gas, Oils and Accessories Night Phone 141 SERVICE CAR Day Phone 172



While there has been no city ordinance passed to that effect, it is gratifying to see that most of the private water tank owners are requiring their customers to use city water. This is a patriotic move that can be appreciated by every citizen, for to make a success of our new improvements it will take the co-operation of every one.

There is no doubt in the mind of anyone but that the proposed ice plant will be a paying proposition for the city. We have never been able to secure uninterrupted ice service at any time, and our needs will be greater each year. There was a doubt expressed by some of the members of the C. of C. Tuesday night that a five-ton plant might not take care of our needs. but if it is seen that we need a bigger plant, another five-ton unit can be added at any time, or a storage warehouse could be built and ice made all during the off season. If we have any surplus, it will be no trouble to market it at surrounding towns.

The State school inspector who spent some time in McLean this week stated that he found much to commend in our good school, but our almost imperative need was a new building for the high school. The crowded condition of our school has been occupying the citention of our citizens for some time. The time is not far distant. in fact we need it for next term

Life Insurance

Insure your life in the Kansas City Life Insurance Company

The Successful Western

Company

had been most successful- -- just like there are in every

built upon this slogan, why town. And then some people ge

New Shipment Implements

We have just received a large shipment of implements and they are going fast.

For a limited time only we will sell at the old prices. Implements have advanced 25 per cent, and when this shipment is gone prices will be higher.

Haynes Grocery Company

We Make the Price-Others try to Follow

V VIIVI US

wish to thank you for the nice business that you have given us thus far, and earnestly solicit your continuation.

We are going to strive at all times to give you dependable merchandise at the very lowest prices.

These prices should appeal to you:

BOYS' KNIT UNIONS

40c

Boys' knit unions, half sleeves, knee length-just the garment for the little men these warmer days-age 6 to 14. 40c pr.

CURTAIN SCRIM 25c-30c-40c

Curtain scrim in 36-inch material-solid colors-also neat stripes. These are dainty patterns and have the spring effect. 25c, 30c, 40c per yard.

MENS' COLLARS

10e

We are discontinuing the Ide and Arrow brand line of linen collars and are closing them out at these bargain prices. Sizes 14 to 17. 10c each.

CHILD'S PURSES 50c

Here's a purse that will make the little tots smile. It has the leather appearance and priced at only 50c.

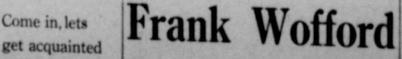
BREAKFAST CAPS 75c

Bonnet shaped-trimmed very daintilyand come in pink, blue and yellow-75c. A similar cap, not hardly as good quality -50c

LADIES' OXFORDS

98c

Here are real values in ladies' oxfords and slippers. They are made of good quality leather and come in black kid, patent and brown kid-all high heels-98c the pair.



Always glad to see you

McLean, Texas

"ONLY NEWSPAPER TALK"

"I don't take any stock in this

This is an extreme case, but oc-

casionally you hear enlightened peo-

ple indulge in remarks about news-

aper accuracy which are almost as

absurd and unreasonable. One of

these days the newspapers will arise

in resentment and "call" some of

those who criticie their reliability

and demand that there be a show-

down of proofs. Perhaps the worm

will finally turn. If such a time

ever comes it can be predicated

that the newspapers will come out

on top in matters of accuracy, as

rehicles of public expression.

in the course of his remarks:

impared with a great many other

Dr. Otis Caldwell, addressing the

"We clipped 3,615 stories upon

biological subjects from 492 news-

papers in a 17 months period, and

out of that number only 14 articles

contained an innoursey. That is a

hetter record than most books can

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National Education Association, said

nothing but paper talk."

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News From Alanreed

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atives.

One day during the early days of By Special Correspondent world war, we heard an old

salad dressings.

her aunt, Mrs. H. T. Wilkins.

rod, Laura Hommel and Lula Gibson

L. Harlan and daughter of

Lean visitors Sunday evening.

Heald were in town Saturday.

was a McLean visitor Saturday.

children were in town Saturday.

Miss Alta Sherrod of Enterprin

Mrs. Hannah Crawford of Alanreed

Mr. and Mrs. Luther, Petty and

turned home Sunday.

THREE OF THEM

Dr. Clifford was conducting a The economical club met with series of services in Birmingham. Miss Patterson at the hotel fast Arriving a few minutes before the Tuesday. There were sixteen prescommencement, the doctor was reent. The lesson was on millinery, fused admission. "I want to go in," sar business. I don't believe there Every lady who is interested in the said Dr. Clifford. is any war. I don't believe there is club work is invited to be present "Are you a seat-holder?" asked

any such man as Roosevelt. It's at the next meeting, the second the official, Tuesday in May. The demonstration "No, I am not."

will be on making salads and "Then you can't go in."

"I think," remarked the preacher, Miss Gladys Johnson of Memphis "what there will be room for me in came in Sunday for a visit with the pulpit."

"I am not sure of it," retorted Misses Edith Morgan, Julia Mae the other,

Barnhart, Vera Taylor, Jennie Sher- "But I am Dr. Clifford, and I am due to-preach in another minute and Mrs. Fanny Rector were Mc- and a half." "Oh! are you?" said the incred-

Frank Hommel, who has been vis- ulous policeman. "I have let in iting at Dallas and Henricita, re. two Dr. Cliffords already" .- St. Louis Christian Advocate.

> Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan of Shamrock spent the week end in the G. W. Sullivan home.

Miss Mildred Mayfield returned ping in the city Friday. Sunday from Amarillo.

was shopping in McLean Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Rippy and Mrs. Nida Green of Heald were shopping in the city Saturday.

> Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Thompson and children of Slavonia were in town Friday

A FRIENDLY SPIRIT THAT'S MORE THAN "SMILE DEEP"

There's friendly, helpful spirit for every customer of the Citizens State Bank, and a sincere desire on our part to see you make a big success of things you undertake.

And, after you've banked here a while, you'll find that this friendly spirit is more than "smile deep"-that it goes down under the surface-that it extends right down to deeds and actions.

If you are looking for such co-operation from your bank—then come in—let's talk things over.

The Citizens

Jack Steger and son, Jack Jr., and SHE GETS ONE MAN'S WAGES Mrs. J. S. Searcy went to Amarillo "Saturday. Mrs. Searcy and Jack Jack-"Are you opposed to wo-Jr. remained for a visit with rel- men getting men's wages?" Mack-"Yes, but Henrietta gets water?" mine just the same."

Thursday.

Miss Frankie Mae Upham returned Sunday night from Amarillo. Miss Lula Gibson of Alanreed was of the gun deck, 'midships, just forshopping in McLean Friday.

Engineer E. R. Ayres made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday, returning Sunday.

R. S. Thompson was in from the ranch Saturday.

W. I. Bacon of Northfork was a cLean visitor Saturday.

Miss Mary Billingslea of Alapreed spent the week end with home folks.

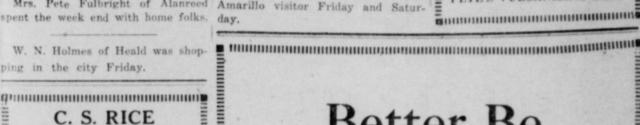
Miss Eunice Floyd returned Sunday night from Amarillo.

Miss Gertrude Wingo was an Mrs. Pete Fulbright of Alanreed spent the week end with home folks.

Funeral Director

Calls answered day or night.

Phones-13 and 42



Better Be Prepared

McLean on business last Thursday. Thursday night from Amarillo.

L. D. Miller of Wheeler was in

Olin and Oscar Castleberry of

Alanreed were McLean visitors' last

S. R. Kennedy of Alanreed was

Mrs. John B. Vannoy, principal of

the Ramsdell school, spent the week

in the city on business Friday.

end with home folks.

SIMPLE DIRECTIONS

Fair Visitor-"Is there some place

The Gob-"Certainly, Miss. "t

Miss Fern Upham returned last

J. H. Easterling of Alanreed was

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass were

VULCANIZING.

FISK TIRES.

PETE'S VULCANIZING SHOP

in the city on business Friday.

in from the ranch Friday.

the Scattlebutt, on the starboard sia.

'ud of the dynamo hatch."-Judge.

aboard where I can get a drink of

Many a prudent man carries insurance on his property and on his life, yet has no provision for old age.

Old age is steadily creeping on us. The youngsters do not realize it, but day follows day, bringing us just that much nearer the time when we will be classed with the aged. There is one way to beat the old age game, by robbing it of its terrors. It is possible to avoid a needy and derendent old age by forming the saving habit, the earlier in life the better. Right now is the time. Don't wait until you are old. Then it will be too late.

The American

OF PAISLEY AND CREPE Of course newspapers make mis-

times make all sorts of wild and irresponsible statements if they think those statements will not be recorded. It is a common thing to see public men refuse to be interviewed or quoted, for they know their casual conversation is much looser than what they are willing to have printed. Therefore, it is a palpable absurdity to say that the printed statement is less reliable than the spoken statement. The logic of the whole situation resolves itself to crepe in the pretty afternoon frock this: Newspaper information as a pictured here. It is a simple design rule is more reliable than words of mouth .-- Beacon.

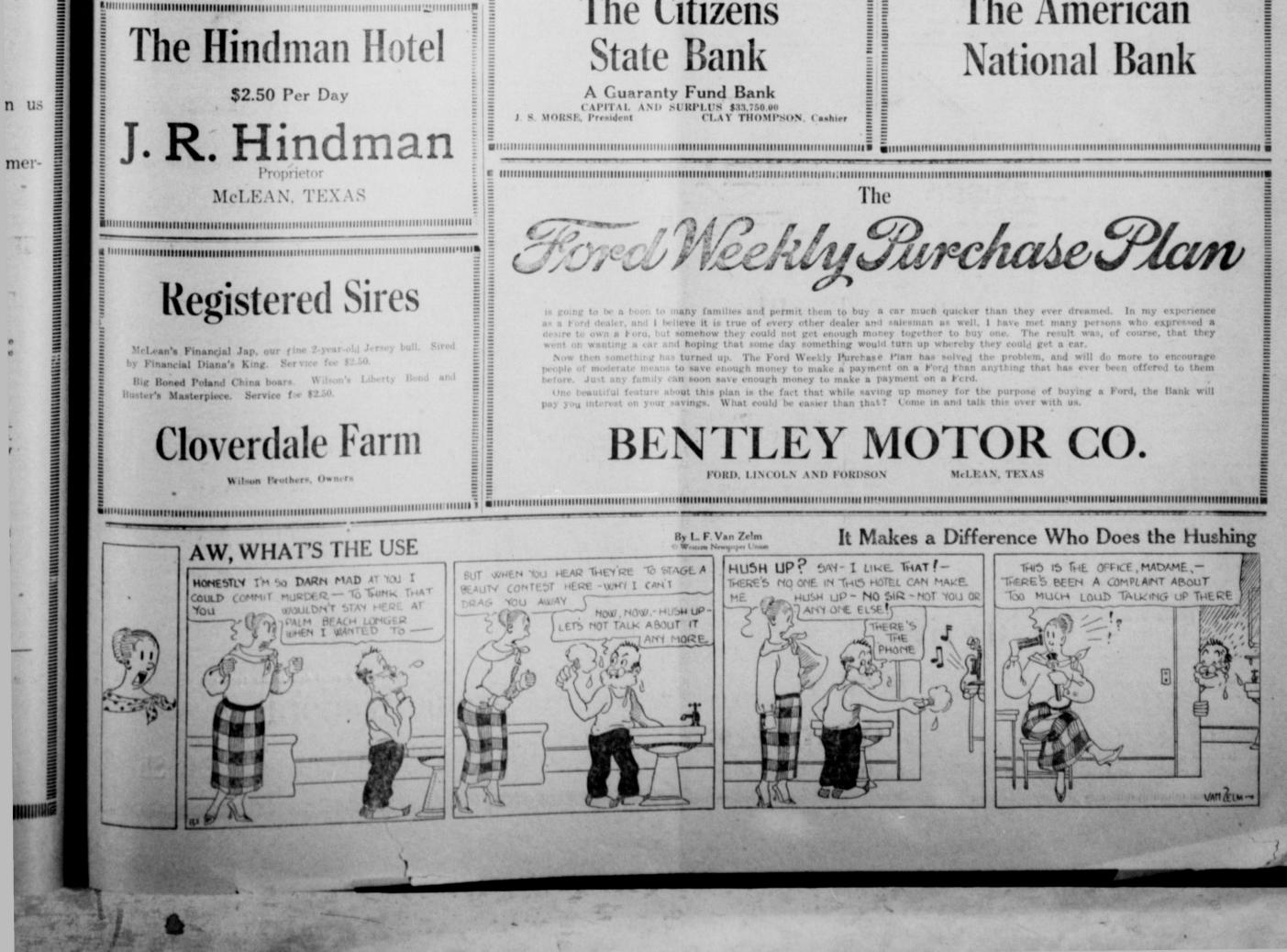
takes. Some of the mistakes are typographical. Others come as a result of the high pressure under a modern newspaper staff necessitating rapid work. However, it is unlikely, even so, that the newspaper makes any more mistakes than the person who expresses himself orally. A person speaking may make a mistake and it is soon forgotten, not being on record. A newspaper making the same mistake is permanently on record in unconvertible black and white. People will some-

than the glowing palsley silks that are so widely used this season. Pais ley slik is cleverly used with plain



with bloused walst and narrow belt

fustened with handsome clasps



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IT IS IMPOSSIELE TO REFORM | cup to drink. THE MAN WITHOUT AMBITION

A girl asks: "Would you marry that he is too lazy to strive for the paper was more than he could see. a man without ambition?

energy and enterprise. He has quitter. plenty of ability, but is content with If you want to be nappy, marry pay that price. a small job and a small salary be-a live wire. Marry a man who We run across hundreds of people United States were serving 19,800,- ed the Odd Fellows convention at cause the work is light and the isn't afraid of work, and who is like this in our daily work. They 000 customers of all classes at the Wheeler Thursday. hours short. He always looks shab- determined to have all that a bold are people who know they have a beginning of this year. Of this by because he will not take the heart can crave and a strong hand good county paper, as the county number more than 8,000,000 were trouble to brush and press his cloth- take, and who will get it for you. papers go, and not stinted in their domestic lighting consumers, while

t'rough the world with as little you down by his own inertia.- paper is not worth much, but I can than 6,000,000 customers of all clas-

Dorothy Dix.

Saturday and Sunday.

effort as he possibly can. "Would you marry that kind of a

man on a chance that you can Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brooks went of jocularity and we take it for Last year a period of industrial and arouse his ambition and inspire him to Amarillo Saturday, returning Sun- what it is worth. to make something of himself?" day.

No. Never. Any woman who marries a man to reform him takes John Grogan of Ramsdell was a or the poorest, is worth all to you central stations of the country. a thousand to one shot at happiness. McLean' visitor Monday. but the woman who marries a shiftless man gambles her all on a dead one that is certain to lose out.

Better, far better, to marry a drunkard or a rogue than a man Good clean dwarf milo maize seed Grant County News, but to all other Plan for more than you can do without any ambition. There is a for sale at three cents per pound, country newspapers in the state or chance that you can wean the Cicero Smith Lumber Co. 15-2c. nation. Its columns frequently con- Hitch your wagon to a star drunkard away from the bottle; Mrs. C. E. A. Pollard left Wednes- tain matter worth while which you Keep your seat and there you are! there is a hope that the philander day for Groom in response to a mes- could not get through any other will weary of his flirtations and sage that her granddaughter was medium. settle down into being a good, very ill. steady, reliable family man, but laziness is the most incurable of all W. A. SenClair of Alanreed was locality which is worth publishing that gold is the most valuable metal vices. It is never a surface fault in town Thursday on business. that may be eradicated. It goes to the bone.

Believe me, daughter, no woman can inject pep into a pepless man It may be that you have several life, but as a rule we stack up as, commoner metals-their immunity to No wife can supply a spineless bus-pets in your home, pretty dogs and well as the average in most any corrosion. Nevertheless, while gold put fire and ambition into a bowl you think was the first net Abra frequently criticised and discussed, the metal itself has contributed alof human mush. Thousands upon ham Lincoln had? It was a little and sometimes cussed, but most of most nothing to man's advancement. thousands of optimistic young wo-fat pig. There was no money in us are hard-boiled when it comes to From a standpoint of usefulness, men, who believed themselves mir- the Lincoln family to buy toys or filling up our columns, and it is gold is handicapped by excessive acle workers, have attempted the pets. He was poor, very poor; he pretty certain that most of us are weight, softness, low tensile strength; impossible feat, and every one of had a hard time to get the books he doing the best we can.

tired are all afflicted with the happiest boy in the land. Every boy, would have us be. We see so many deposits of gold, the effect would use myriad printed silks this season, lots or more. T. Jones & Co, bookworm or whether they are the rich or poor, however, has some sides of life that we grow a little only be to throw the world's finanvictims of some mental and spiritual kind of a pet, and Abraham Lincoln skeptical. Sometimes we wonder if cial machinery out of gear. disease that makes it impossible for took one of the little pigs and was there will not be a little corner in H, on the other hand, we were to them to nerve themselves up to so kind to it that it followed him-paradise for the country editor-a discover unlimited an easily workmaking any exertion, we do not about like a puppy. Everything we place where there will be printing able deposit of copper, there is brow, but we do know that the can learn about the great and good presses that never get out of order, hardly a field of human endeavor slothful stay slothful to the end, and men who served our country is very Where the advertisers will never be that would not benefit. The tele-

A lazy woman is bad enough, poor to have much to make him not be known. Where delinquent upon copper. Without copper, there beaven knows, but a lazy man is happy. If he has a pet pig that he subscribers will come in and pay could be no brass or bronze. Lackthe most despicable creature alive. is fond of, well and good, and no regularly and printers will always ing copper there would be no such One really has more respect for an one need laugh at him, for a little e ergetic porchelimber or a go-getter pig was certainly Abraham Lincoln's safe breaker than for a fellow who first pet! Let that Western boy sits down and folds his hands and learn how Abraham grew up to be its the opportunities of life go by

No wife's ove long survives the tically all his life and always ex. of shop will be heaven, indeed, for motors; we could not proceed with knowledge that her husband cannot pected to be one. How a person the country editor.-Grant County electrification of railroads and de. Calmness in success is fine, hold his own with other men, and could afford to do without his home News, Ky.

prizes of life, too fond of his sloth- The others voiced the same opinion MORE PEOPLE DEPEND "I am in love with a young man ful ease to work even for her and and one remarked that he would not of fine character. He is dear, and her children. She soon comes to do without The Grant County News sweet and lovable, but he lacks despise him, as we all despise a even if it cost him \$15 a year, but

as or polish his shoes. He had few He will be perpetually interesting to praise of it. But on the other hand nearly 2,000,000 were commercial business. I dvantages of education in his you and keep you alert trying to we run across others who are not lighting customers-stores, theatres, youth, but he refuses to go to keep up with him. Don't marry a so enthusiastic. Every once in a schools, hospitals, public buildings night school or read improving purposeless, ambitionless man who while a good friend drops in to re- and the like. More than 400,000 tooks. His whole philosophy of life will bore you to death, of whom you new his subscription and remarks: were industrial power users. is to let well enough alone, and get will be ashamed, and who will drag "I want to pay up again. The In the last seven years, more meet,

> hardly do without it." This remark ses were added to the service lines is usually made in a friendly spirit of the light and power companies. business depression, 152,400 new

· that you pay for it. It is very well worth while to any resident of Grant Giles Phillips was a Groom visitor county or to anyone who has an interest in Grant county, and this Bite off more than you can chew applies equally not only to The

Your editor is publishing all of the news pertaining to his particular We are accustomed to thinking

PETS

needed, and if he could borrow a Not all of us are as deeply re- conductivity. Even if we were to Whether the people who are born book even for a night, he was the ligious as some of our subscribers discover unlimited, easily workable that their bodily ease is more to precious. It may be that some boy late with their copy. Where writers phone, the telegraph, and their them than anything else on earth. away out on our praries is poor, too of obituaries and spring poetry will younger brother, radio, all depend

been a subscriber to The News prac- be in a good humor. And this kind things as electric lights and electric

A SLOGAN

COPPER IS MORE VALUABLE

high electrical resistance, low heat

Then chew it.

Then do it.

that he is able to get. Some of us in the world, with the exception of

editors may not be the smartest platinum. These two metals, it is

people in the world. Some of us true, possess one characteristic

may not have a very broad view of which sets them apart from the

Mrs. R. S. Jackson and little UPON ELECTRICITY daughter were Wheeler visitors Wednesday.

According to the latest survey of * admitted that he would not like to the electric light and power indus- Buck Cooke, Giles Phillips, Joe try, the central stations of the Hindman and W. J. Keasler attend-

Enoch Bentley and Pleas Latson

Vernon Rice left Thursday for Canyon to attend the district track

AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. G. E. Von Hagen, Baptist As a matter of fact, your county commercial lighting customers began minister of Woodward, Okla., will As a matter of fact, your county to take electric service from the preach at the Legion Theatre Sun- Early big boll. Thirteen hundred day at 11 o'clock and also at night. The public is invited to hear him.

BLOUSE OF PRINTED SILK



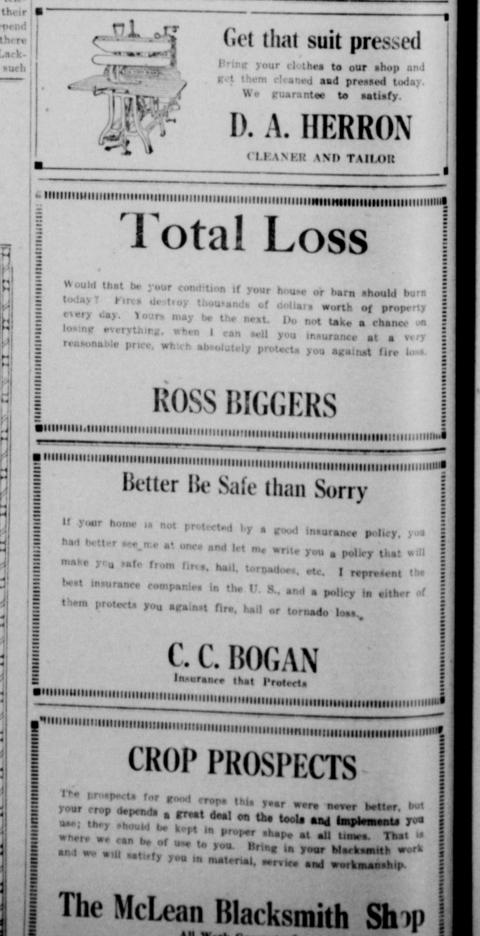
is the Deauville 'kerchief which made

a tremendous success. It finishes the neck of the model shown, being made of the same silk and a drape to match it is tied about the hat.

Phone 133 11. 15-2p

"1923" is written boldiy on the gay potato slips delivered at \$2.50 per Clarendon, Texas. 16-4p.

> FOR SALE .--- Red top cane seed and good 2-row go-devil. John Dwyer, Phone 88, 2. 16-2p.



All Work Guaranteed

TIS SO When a good thing is put over in our town there are a hundred people ready to take the credit; but when something falls flat you can't find

Dwight Campbell of Crowell came

in Wednesday for a few days' visit

PLAY THE GAME

If you can't a winner be,

Do not be a whiner.

with relatives.

anyone to take the blame.

Boost for McLean



FOR SALE .- Kach cotton seed pounds seed cotton make a five hundred pound bale. Have only a few of these seed to sell. J. S. Howard, tfe

THREE good milk cows for sale, one a Jersey. Also Rhode Island Red eggs from a special pen, \$2.00 per setting. Cloverdale Farm. the

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16-3p.

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Mrs. T. J. Roby has 'accepted the agency for "Snow White" Washing Powder, the best on earth. Call for free sample. 14-4p.

GOOD building site in water and light district to exchange for good second hand Ford. R. C. Patty. 15-3p.

100 BUSHELS white pearl kafir seed. See G. W. Sullivan or Cobb's Grocery. A. T. Russell. 15-2p.

FOR SALE .- Some nice privit hedge plants. Mrs. J. K. Crews, NANCY HALL and Porto Rice

him because he is to inert to grasp life of that brave man, the story of

Willies. Nearly every married wo- tich or poor .- Picture Story Paper. man who is at work has one of these male parasites banging on to her. She married a man who laid down on the job of supporting a family, state of perfect restfulness. Some- evening?" times he camouflages his being a Culprit-"I've been talking busslacker by referring to his weak iness matters over with Tom Baker." terferres with his appetite or his over your shoulder?" going to the ball game, or doing anything that he wants to do. It is just the thought of work that shatters his poor nerves.

support them. And you will be still more amazed at the number of husky fellows who are grafting on their old mothers and letting them take in boarders to feed and clothe them. Don't join the army of shiftless men's wives, daughters, for that way certain misery lies. There are all of the fifty-seven different varleties of bad husbands, but the worst of the lot is the lazy husband.

There is no other fault under the run that a man could have that would so thoroughly disgust an in ustrious, energetic, ambitious woman as for him to be simply no account. She could forgive him anything quicker than she could his being too lacking in energy even t. "v to climb the ladder.

And this is not so much because the wife of the unsuccessful man must uffer from his failure, but because the flame that scorches a voman's very soul is to be ashamed of her husband, Somehow, in the feminine psychology, there is some. hing that demands that a woman bould be proud of her husband, that she shall be able to look up to m. We are all built that way, and shen we cannot do that, fate has riven us the bitterest drop in the

how he overcame his difficulties, You see plenty of these Weary will help any boy, anywhere, be he

VERY LIKELY!

Suspicious Wife (who has waited and when she qualified as the bread until midnight for her husband's reand butter earner he passed into a turn)--"Where have you been all

heart, or his bad arteries, but his "Yes? And I suppose that is trouble is never anything that in- baking powder that is sprinkled all

THE EDITOR'S HEAVEN

A few days ago a group of pro-Look about you and you will be gressive farmers were m our office surprised at the number of able- paying up their subscriptions. They hodied men who give up all pre- were discussing among themselves tense of work at middle age and the merits of various newspapers. settle down for their daughters to One of them remarked that he had

MICKIE SAYS-

IT'S JEST AS UNBUSINESS LIKE FOR A MERCHANT NOT TO ADVERTISE ON ACCOUNT OF TH' EXPENSE AS IT WOULD BE FOR A FARMER TO HESITATE OVER BUNING FERTILIZER THAT WOULD BRING HIM BIGGER CROPS





CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted us in any way J. A. Major. S. E. Major. J. E. Major: Mrs. A. J. Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins

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BACK CLUB NOTES

a short lecture on home economies, um always glad when I can bring home improvement, and told us home a basket of groceries, for I about the memory books arme of realize that our grocers are young her girls are making. REPORTER.

MUST PEN UP CHICKENS

Complaints are made to me that his brow." He likewise pays house thus perchickens are allowed to run at large and shop rent.

in different parts of town. The Whenever I buy a new dress I am to his crony, and this is what he chicken law must be obeyed by helping the merchafit. I am glad to said everyone within the city limits, buy pretty hats, for my milliner has "John Mitcheil said his pig is find in so many instances young This is the last warning. You are to live. I do not worry when shoes bigger'n mine!" subject to arrest if you allow chick- wear out, for our dealer is "in the And then in a fone of great critical, contemptuous attitude to-

trouble. J. A. Sparks, Marshal. 1c who used to trim in a millinery biggest!"-Farm Life. establishment. She says she can

ORDINANCE NO. 27

An ordinance amending Section One (1) of Ordinance No. 23, so as material composes the hat, why, the to read as follows:

All open electric wiring shall be is useless to expect to purchase head Tuesday for Amarillo, where they placed in "conduits," whether said gear cheap when it is made of silk will make their home. wiring is for the purpose of lights, velvet. When French flowers are or power of any kind, and whether said power is furnished by the City used, we must put our bands away of McLean from its power house, or down into our pockets and "fish" by any other private out the greenbacks, furnished rower. The word "open," as here- We read of wealthy people used, shall be construed to mean liberality does much for public good. any wiring which is placed beneath ceiling or on the side of the The man who builds a hospital and wall or walls, or at any ther place equips the same, is a philanthrophich exposes it to view from the ist. The millionairre who builds an nside of the building.

Passed under suspension of the matitutional rule, this the 13th day wisely. The patron of art who purof April, A. D. 1923. Approved this the 13th day of chases pictures from straggling art-April, A. D. 1923.

T. A. LANDERS, Mayor. (and may his tribe increase). The Attest:

A. A. LEDBETTER, Secretary.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE SALE

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Gray. Whereas on the 20th day of No-

severely injured since so many great industries are conducted on a large vember, A. D. 1922, the Harvey scale, or rather gone acting by and through J

EO YOU SPEND MONEY?

. By Lillian Rice Stahl

May God bless each and they once earn it. The man who a new order of things. Articles Mrs. J. T. Foster and mother, spends money wisely is a public were not taken home until they were Mrs. S. J. Beard, left Tuesday for benefactor. The man who hoards paid for; so tardy creditors learned Amarillo to make their home.

to individuals or localities.

wealthies farmers in his township ple came for their mail, they usually

cent." Whenever we buy necessities ish styles, and bad colors. Mr. money, and when he knows workcame with Miss Patterson and made the other fellow to earn a living. I people like to be humbugged."

Please heed this warning and save Near me resides a young matron swapped he'd still say his was the coming from the very institutions scorn he added, "I'll bet if we ward Christianity and the church

> tell at a glance what a hat is worth, and buyers have no right to complain as to price. When fine business trip to Amarillo Monday.

> dealer must charge accordingly. It Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Foster left



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have no inclination to do their own T. N. Childress made a business of your standing will send it any- Far past men's farthest gleaningt, "tinkering." One difficulty stood in trip to Wellington Tuesday. Some people give themselves great little bills were unpaid and went on

lied on when sudden calamity comes rural places is a benefit in some Lowry left Monday for Amarillo, and family. Money is needed in emergencies has almost spoiled our trade for treatment. ways and a hindrance in another. It where the latter goes for medical and needed at once. One of the small merchants. When country peo-

showed himself little and mean when bought something from the stores. Miss Patterson met with the girls he declined to contribute to a sub- Now they like to buy in large Miss ratterson met the girls did scription to buy a cow for a poor places, or send big orders to the ing to keep on plugging away fornot have the material for their widow whose bossy had died. He mail order houses in cities, and ever at trying to feed and clothe God's Word, with rock foundations,

Miss Hayden, the District Agent, we must remember we are helping Barnum said: "How the American ers in the trades are making six,

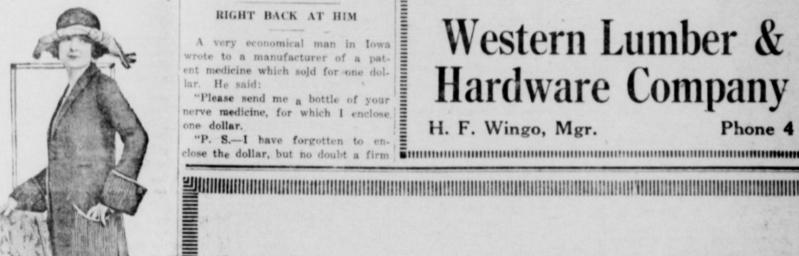
FRED KNEW JOHNNY

men with young families, and our Fred Smith, was badly crippled. as the American farmer in getting patronage is adding to their in- but his indomitable spirit kept him the nation's agricultural business comes. Our butcher does well by on a par with other lads of his age. put on a sound and stable basis .-us, and sells honest meat. I realize He joined the pig-club and took care New York Herald. that he, too, earns by the "sweat of of his pig with great skill and en-

One day I overheard Fred talking

Dr. W. C. Montgomery made a

SMART TAILORED SUIT



so kindly assisted to acknowledge your es-during the sickness and death of praise and proclaim the fact that the "credit-book." Finally a stranger business visitor in the city Monday. The beautiful they know how to keep monor when the "credit-book." Finally a stranger business visitor in the city Monday. sending you a bottle of our nerve God's love hath given. tonic-which we trust will help you. "P. S .-- We have forgotten to send the medicine, but not doubt a fellow

GOD'S WORDS

Man's words are many, God's words are few; Man's words grow old, and empty, God's are ever new; The American farmer is not go- Man's words like sands are shifted No change can know; Man's words are soon forgotten, God's shine like light, Time's waves cannot erase them, Pure, fadeless, bright;

Birth, life and death.

-A. R. T. in S. S. Times. Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Jones returnwith your nerve does not need it." ed Monday from Spearman, where they have been holding a revival meeting. L. S. Stockton of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Saturday. Harry Overton of Shamrock was shopping in the city Saturday. BAR LO HEREFORDS

Sin's blight, and Love's redemption.

Anxiety Breeding 25 Young Bulls for Sale

GEO. W. SITTER





Water

ity. Such a person cannot be re- The free rural mail delivery in Miss Nona Cousins and Mrs. Chas

FARMER'S CASE STATED

work, but hope to have it and most said: "I cannot give, for just now purchase sight unseen. Frequently the country and part of the world of their work done by next meeting my farms are not bringing in a the articles are poorly made, freak- when he cannot cash in with good eight and ten dollars a day for working half as long hours as the All of Earth's mighty meanings, farmer works. That is why the

COLDLY CRITICAL OR REVERENTLY EXPECTANT?

from which their fathers and mothers came a generation ago with fervent faith and consecrated Christian spirit. We may well inquire into such instances whether the facts be due to the spirit of the age, or the spirit of the college, or to the failure of the college to counteract the spirit of the age and interpret the voices and claims of the Eternal .--Congregationalist.

RIGHT BACK AT HIM

Harvey, its general manager and My husband used same being recorded in Volume owing to S. R. 465.36 with interest at the rate of All improvements of the Harvey apany on opposite side of land Smith well No. 1, on the S. W. Brown and Mrs. J. W. Smith, about % of a mile north Alanread, in said Gray county, which improvements consist of three one office and sleeping ombined. one garage and other small buildings, said rs beimr, in the main, cond of lumber.

sale will take place where improvements are located, beween the legal hours for making inder execution, on the date

W. J. BALL, Trustee.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

BILL BOOSTERS CREED AM FOR THIS TOWN, FIRST, LAST AND ALL THE TIME ! BECAUSE IT IS MY HOME; BECAUSE MAFFORDS ME A LIVING ! BECAUSE MY FRIENDS LIVE HERE. WILL PATRONILE ITS BUSINESS FIRMS, SUPPORT ITS INSTITU-TIONS AND DEFEND IT FROM THE KNOCKERS. I AM A BOOSYER!

SIGN OU

agent, executed and delivered to me were happier when each man had a undersigned a certain mortgage, trade, and we patronized our villages 11, pages 192-200 of the deed and for our needs. Our town shoemaker trust records of Gray county, Texas, was then kept busy, and such shoes tailored suits, which have come to be to secure the payment of an ac- wore well. The village cooper whis- distinguished as "American" tailored Loftin for tled at his work amid sweet-smelling suits, makes a bid for approval in the shavings, and many people needed picture. It is of dark blue twill cloth account was due. I will therefore barrels, and his honest toll brought and has a plain, straight skirt. As the 12th day of May, 1923, all reward right at home. The wagonfollowing described property to maker always had plenty to do. The ighest bidder for cash, to-wit: little repair shop on the corner had pears on the lower part of the coat plenty of custom, for some people

art gallery for the education of the

ists is a veritable "Ben Adham'

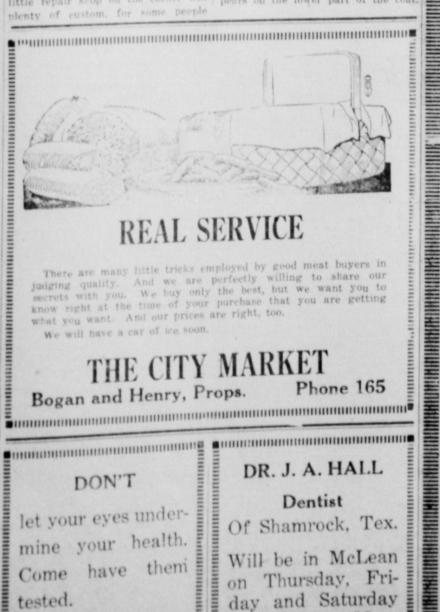
consecrated rich man who builds

churches and contributes to colleges will come into his heavenly inherit-

ance, for he is the child of the

Business in our little towns is

King.



John B. Vannoy Optometrist and Jeweler

One of those trim, plain, beautifully

styles go, the coat is also plain, but it has a unique embellishment of tucked material that forms the cuffs and ap-

after the first Mon-

day in each month.

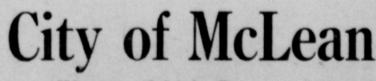


May 1st will be the last day to take advantage of the City's offer to wire houses for electric lights at cost, and after that date there will be a tapping charge added to all who wish to use City water.

You must register your name for this service before May 1st in order to save this extra expense. The money saved will pay for several months service, and this offer should be taken advantage of by everyone contemplating using the service.

Your water and light rent will not start until the meter is installed.

Water is now in the mains, and electric service will be available in a very few weeks. The uniform low rate cannot be maintained unless a large number use the service. Get your name on the list for water and light now.



Water and Light Department

