

# THE McLEAN NEWS

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## FOOTBALL GAME FRIDAY AFTERNOON

A football game will be staged on the local gridiron Friday, Oct. 23, at 3:30 p. m., between the McLean Tigers and the Miami Warriors.

The Miami team is a heavy aggregation and has been consistent winners all season. In a game between them and the Canadian team last week only three quarters were played, as the Canadian team, including substitutes, were knocked out of the game by that time; Miami winning with a score of 23 to 0.

While the Tigers are a much lighter team, it is expected that they will play their usual good game and a big crowd will be present to cheer the home team to victory.

## PARTY AT NOEL'S

A party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel last Friday night.

Various games were played and refreshments were served at a late hour.

Among those present were: Misses Frances Noel, Clara Anderson, Lucille Rice, Elgin Shell, Floye Landers, Luenna Holloway, Maybelle Veatch, Jane Campbell, Lorene Sparks, Margaret Johnston, Winnifred Howard, Messrs. Glenn Wolfe, John B. Rice, Elton Johnston, Ben Howard, Reo Heasley and S. A. Cousins Jr.

## FROST SUNDAY NIGHT

The first killing frost of the season fell Sunday night, with clear weather ever since.

The pretty weather was very welcome, as a number of cotton pickers were already in our community, but were unable to do any work on account of the prevailing inclement weather.

About sixty days of dry weather would be acceptable to all concerned here now, as our cotton crop is practically all to gather.

## MARVIN JONES TO MARRY MISS STICKLEY

Press reports indicate that Congressman Marvin Jones will marry Miss Rebecca Stickley of Canadian on December 30th, at the First Baptist church of that city.

Miss Stickley was one of the candidates in the popularity contest at the Tri-State fair, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vas Stickley, Panhandle pioneers.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sitter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cheney and J. T. Glass left Saturday for the Rio Grande valley.

## WASTEBASKET PAPERS

To the thoughtful, the wastebasket in the postoffice lobby gives room for contemplation. Much of the direct advertising attempted by business firms is left in the basket unopened, as well as various newspapers, but no one has ever reported finding a McLean News in this manner.

A conversation with Postmaster John V. Vannoy indicates that a McLean News in the wastebasket has never been found by any of the office employees.

The News is taken home and read each week, and in many cases borrowed by the neighbors until worn out.

At any time we may be a few minutes late on publication day, a line of readers is always to be found waiting at the postoffice for the News to be brought over, many subscribers coming to the News office to ascertain a cause for delay.

The News has never been over an hour late on publication day since the present management took charge, and our readers have a right to expect service on the hour, and are rarely disappointed.

With every subscriber paid in advance and both subscribers and those reading it every week, there can be no better advertising medium for McLean merchants, and all of our progressive merchants realize this fact, as is evidenced by the advertisements in this issue.

## Foiled Again



## McLEAN GIRLS WIN AT DALLAS FAIR

Miss Joellene Vannoy won second prize in third year work on canned green tomato mince, and Miss Elizabeth Wilkerson won third prize in second year work on canned peas at the Dallas state fair. These young ladies are to be congratulated on their success in competition with the whole state at Dallas.

## FREED-CATHRON

Married, Monday evening, at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Barrow, Mr. Charles H. Freed and Miss Lillie Mae Cathron, Rev. J. L. Joyner, pastor of the Presbyterian church, officiating.

The bride is very popular in social circles and has been employed as Sunday operator at the McLean Telephone Co. for some time. The groom is known as "King of the Newsboys" at Long Beach, Calif., where he is circulation manager of a Los Angeles paper.

The young people left at once for Long Beach, where they will make their home.

## SMITH BROS. SELL MOBEETIE GIN

Smith Bros. sold their Mobeetie ginning plant on Wednesday of last week to Ed Watson of Wheeler, who took charge Monday. Mr. Watson owns an interest in the Wheeler and Gageby gins and intends to install a chain of gins in order to do wholesale buying and selling.

Smith Bros. own a gin at McLean and an interest in the Lutie gin, W. D. Welles being associated with them at Lutie.

## McLEAN GIRLS CLUB

By Renoster. Miss Foye, county home demonstration agent, met with the club at the McLean public school building on October 20. She gave a very interesting demonstration on pictures in the home.

There will be another meeting Tuesday, October 27, for the purpose of reorganizing the club for the coming year. Everyone who wishes to take part in the club work is cordially invited to be present and take part in the organization.

Born Saturday, October 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Andrews, a girl, named Betty Jo.

Prof. F. P. Wilson of Alarreed has renewed his subscription to The News.

S. L. Ball of Alarreed was a McLean visitor Monday.

Miss Edna Nell Seelbach, county home demonstrator, is in McLean this week.

## HAYNES TO BUILD STUCCO BUNGALOW

W. L. Haynes is building a seven room stucco bungalow on the lots recently purchased from Perry Everett, between Dr. Montgomery and R. S. Jordan's residence.

This location is a very desirable one, having sidewalks along one side of the street, with trees and other improvements.

## McLEAN WINS FROM PAMPA OUTLAWS

The town football teams of the McLean Cowpunchers and Pampa Outlaws played a 21 to 0 game here last Saturday.

These were players made up of former school teams and had no training on either school, being played for pastime only. Quite a number of fans attended the game.

## "MAGAZINE GIRLS" IN McLEAN ONE DAY LAST WEEK

A number of "magazine girls," accompanied by two men, drove into town in a \$4000 seven passenger car one day last week and proceeded to work the town on the old "scholarship" gag, but as they found most people had already bitten on this scheme at one time or another, they found few customers and soon left town.

As there are about four places in McLean where anyone may subscribe for any magazine wanted, with proper datings guaranteed, there is little incentive to give an order to a total stranger.

## GARRETT'S COMEDIANS HERE ALL NEXT WEEK

It will be seen from an advertisement on another page of this paper that Gabe Garrett's Comedians will show in McLean every night next week. This company has 25 people who are artists in the various attractions offered, in vaudeville, music and comedy.

W. L. Haynes says he is sorry he did not know anything about the Chamber of Commerce meeting Monday night. Mr. Haynes hopes to pass the occupation tax ordinance and save he is interested in seeing it enforced.

A. R. Glenn and Rev. Ingram were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

Rev. W. C. Garrett was an Amarillo visitor Wednesday.

W. E. Clement visited his son, Harold, who is in an Amarillo sanitarium, Sunday.

Sam Hodges made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Ed McCoy was selling cotton in McLean this week.

## FREAK TOMATO EXHIBITED AT C. OF C. BUILDING

A freak tomato is on exhibition at the Chamber of Commerce building. The tomato is half red and half yellow, as sharply divided as if it was painted to order, and was raised on the W. W. Breeding farm.

We have heard of another freak tomato-cotton poll combination, but as we have not had the privilege of seeing it, will be willing to tell all we know about it to anyone interested.

## A TON OF PAPER BOUGHT BY NEWS

Quite a bit of discussion was had over a ton of newsprint paper delivered to the News office Wednesday, several remarking the big shipment of one kind of paper.

While this is a bigger shipment than we usually buy, it will last only a few months, as our subscription list is steadily growing, and by buying in the bigger quantity we saved a little money.

This shipment represents a good investment, and another big shipment of other kinds of paper will be in some time this week.

The News is able to do any kind of printing on short notice and we can sell you most anything in the paper line from school supplies to the finest wedding announcement.

## BAPTISTS TO PICK COTTON SATURDAY

The farm committee of the First Baptist church announce that the church cotton will be gathered next Saturday. It is expected that every member will be on hand to donate a day's work.

John Mertel was another business man who failed to attend the C. of C. meeting Monday night who wants to go on record as endorsing law enforcement. Mr. Mertel is a pioneer merchant in McLean, having seen the town start from a small beginning until we have put on the airs of a small city.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway went to Amarillo Wednesday to take the Nugent Kunkel children to see their mother, who is in a sanitarium there. Mrs. W. E. Clement accompanied them to visit her son, Harold, who is recovering from an operation.

County Commissioner M. M. Newman orders The News sent to his address for the coming year.

Rev. H. R. Whately, pastor of the Pampa Baptist church, has resigned to accept a position as teacher in Howard Payne College.

K. E. Windom orders The News sent to his daughter, Miss Barbara, who is attending school at C.

## Law Enforcement Is Discussed At C. of C. Meeting

Three hours of spirited discussion, with several speakers demanding the floor at the same time, featured the called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Monday night.

Responding to the president's request, M. D. Bentley stated the purpose of the meeting by stating that the meeting had been requested by several business men in the interest of two outstanding community problems; law enforcement and the proposed raise in telephone rates.

The matter of law enforcement was taken up and it was alleged that an auction sale was allowed within the city limits one day last week without having paid the legal license for such sales, as was also a medicine show.

Extracts from the city ordinance governing such matters were ordered read, and the following sections of the ordinance were read:

### Section 1. ITINERANT MERCHANTS.—From every merchant who may remove from place to place and offer for sale "bankrupt stocks" of goods, or advertising "fire sales" or "water and fire damaged stocks" for sale, or any other kind of merchandise which may be offered for sale by any person who is not established in said city permanently, there shall be collected fifty dollars per month for the first month, or less than a month, and for each additional month that such sales are continued in said city, said merchant shall pay an additional sum of ten dollars per month; and provided, further, that if they remain in said city for the period of twelve months, they shall be required to pay five dollars per month in addition to the fifty dollars for the first month, and the ten dollars per month for the first six months, five dollars per month for the last six months of said year.

### Section 3. AUCTIONEERS.—From every auctioneer, an annual tax of five dollars.

### Section 15. MEDICINE SHOWS, ETC.—From every owner, manager or keeper of every show or company of persons giving exhibition of music, songs, recitations, sleight of hand, gymnastic, dancing or other kinds of performances in a tent, house, or otherwise, which exhibitions are used for profit by sale of medicines, electric belts or other articles of value, whether charges are made only for seats or no, an occupation tax of two dollars and fifty cents for each and every performance and exhibition.

It appeared from the sections read that the legal license for the auction sale should have been \$55, as no provision is made in the ordinance for less than a month's license for the goods, or less than a year for the auctioneer; and the medicine show should have paid \$2.50 for each and every performance. With two or more shows each day last week, would have made the license \$5 or more per day.

President W. S. White and others stressed the fact that the Chamber of Commerce was not organized to harass or criticize the officers, but it was the purpose to help in any way possible and to show them just what the citizens expect in the matter of law enforcement.

Mr. Bentley said he was ashamed of an auction sale of the character under discussion in a progressive community. Such sales are never held only in good times and the merchants who pay taxes, support schools and churches, who accommodate their patrons during hard times, should not have to have such competition in times when there is a little money in the country. Street fakirs and skin games should not be allowed in our town at any time, was the opinion of the speaker, concurred in by many who followed him. Mr. Bentley also brought out the fact that many farmers had protested the auction sale and medicine show.

Rev. J. L. Joyner paid his respects to the men who would take money out of town and said that

such things as the medicine show should not be allowed in any community. The language used would not be tolerated by anyone in their homes, and should not be allowed on the streets of our town.

Rev. J. G. Thomas concurred in Rev. Joyner's statements as to the vulgar language used by the medicine show and said that many articles of dry goods offered in street auction sales were not fit to wear to a negro minstrel show, yet people are influenced to buy under pressure from the auctioneer.

Atty. A. A. Ledbetter said the present city ordinance governing such matters is constitutional and could be enforced, and that the city council could pass an ordinance prohibiting objectionable medicine shows from coming to town.

Several speakers brought out the fact that the ordinance had been enforced in McLean and could be again, with proper co-operation from the officers.

Sam Hodges spoke in favor of strict enforcement of the present ordinance.

H. F. Wingo endorsed all the previous speakers had said, and wanted to go on record as opposing the carnival devices permitted at our fairs. Rev. Joyner also paid his respects to the carnival devices. Mr. Bentley stated that he did not think there would be any cause for criticism in this regard in the future.

W. B. Upham was called upon for his opinion and he stated that he endorsed everything that had been said.

J. W. Slaughter said he believed in having proper laws and strictly enforcing them.

City Marshal J. A. Sparks said that he informed the medicine show of proper license fee, and did not know why it was not collected.

Claud McGowan stated that most of the stuff offered in street auctions was old and of shoddy materials and could not give satisfaction in most cases.

C. C. Bogan suggested that the Chamber of Commerce go on record as standing behind the city officers in law enforcement. A motion was made and heartily voted to this effect.

The telephone matter was then taken up and thoroughly discussed. It was stated that the telephone company does not have a franchise from the city, and that a raise in rates is impending with only 30 minutes extra time promised.

Sam Hodges addressed the meeting on this subject, and among other things said that if we must submit to new rates, should demand 24 hour service.

President White gave some rates of other companies that furnish 24 hour service and suggested that 30 minutes extra time would be of little benefit.

F. H. Bourland said McLean should be in line with other towns and that we need 24 hour service. This speaker also suggested a direct telephone line from McLean to Lefors, via Alarreed, is a much needed improvement.

Rev. Joyner stated that he paid \$1.50 flat rate for residence phone in Granite, Okla., with 24 hour service.

C. C. Bogan, C. J. Cash, M. D. Bentley, O. G. Stokely, T. A. Landers, Rev. J. G. Thomas, A. A. Ledbetter, E. J. Lander, Claud McGowan, T. N. Holloway, D. N. Massay, J. A. Sparks and others spoke in favor of 24 hour service.

It was suggested that the Chamber of Commerce take a decided stand for 24 hour service at not more than the suggested raise in rates.

A motion was made that a committee be appointed to confer with the telephone company and ask that no change in rates be made until the new manager moves on the field, and to try to work out plans for 24 hour service.

C. C. Bogan, F. H. Bourland and O. G. Stokely were appointed on

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and words of sympathy upon the accidental death of our husband and cousin. May God's blessings rest with each of you.  
Mrs. Edison Johle.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kramer.

**GOSPEL FISHERS UNION**

Subject—Dr. Roswell H. Graves, Group No. 1 in charge.  
Leaderless program.  
Introduction—Marie Browning.  
Poem—Joellene Vannoy.  
A Strange Question Asked by a Chinsman—Vida Colebank.  
Anxious to Learn More—Elizabeth Wilkerson.  
The Teacher Explains the Way to Heaven—Lloyd Hunt.  
Dr. Graves Sticks to Canton—Morle Young.  
Training the Chinese Preachers—Marie Browning.  
Translating the Scriptures—Vida Colebank.  
Dr. Graves Wins Sin Shang—Joellene Vannoy.  
The Graves Theological Seminary—Lloyd Hunt.  
Closing prayer.

**SENIOR B. Y. P. U.**

Subject—Missions in Catholic Europe.  
Introduction by leader—Versie Geigsky.  
Why Baptists Should Win Catholics—Ernest Abbott.  
Obstacles Which Impede Progress—Lee Wilson.  
Baptist Persecuted yet Prospering—Archie Grigsby.  
Baptist Missions Belt the Globe: Spain and Hungary—Robert Mathis.  
Roumania and Jugo-Slavia—Merle Grigsby.  
Russia, Siberia, Palestine—Bessie Salin.

**News from Back**

By Special Correspondent.  
Jack Frost made his first visit of the season Monday morning, and seems to have sent the rain on its way. At least that is the wish of every farmer for a time at least.  
Miss Carmen Ulm spent the week end with home folks in Amarillo.  
C. M. Carpenter was a McLean visitor Saturday.  
Geo. Colebank of McLean was out at his farm Sunday.  
R. H. Corum visited his family in McLean Sunday.  
Mrs. C. M. Carpenter has added a new 16x32 concrete chicken house to take care of her fast growing poultry business.  
Chas. Brick left Monday morning to visit the Dallas fair.  
Louis Morse was a business visitor in McLean Monday.  
We are sorry to report Mrs. E. V. Back on the sick list at this writing.  
Miss Lelia Back was shopping in McLean Monday.  
Mrs. Frank Bidwell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dougherty, at Heald this week.  
Coming! "The Ten Commandments" at the Legion Theatre, McLean, Texas, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, November 12, 13 and 14. Advertisement 43-2c  
Genuine Colorado coal, Aztec quality—none better. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 1fc  
Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement 1fc  
Seed eye at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement 1fc  
Our stock of building material is complete. Call and look over our stock. Cleero Smith Lbr. Co. Advertisement. 41-4c  
Mrs. E. H. Kramer has our thanks for a subscription favor this week.  
Byrd Guill, genial mailman on the Onell route, gave us \$1.50 for The News Tuesday.  
Miss Elizabeth Wilkerson left Sunday for Dallas to attend the fair.

**SAD, BUT TRUE**

Every other business man in a community is said to be a fool if he does his fingers in all controversies that come along. But if the editor wishes to stay out of one once in a while, they say, "He hasn't any backbone."—Pampa News.

You get the "Aztec Quality" coal from Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 1fc

**THE REST AT THE END OF THE ROW**

"Drive out under the shade when you get to the end of the row, and we will rest a while," father used to say to me, when the hot summer afternoons were getting well spent.

At the end of the row, my sweat-soaked old horse, as though he understood what my father had said, seemed to go of his own accord to the nearby shade of the walnut tree. There he would take that long breath, typical of the tired workhorse as he starts to rest, and with his eyes half closed, he stood dozing, making but little effort with his tail to discourage the few flies that insisted on securing a meal at his expense.

Then father would drive up with his horse and plow, and after a long draught from the cedar water keg, he would seat himself on the beam of his plow, while I sprawled flat on my back.

Sometimes we talked—this depending to a great extent on father's mood. Sometimes he remained silent. I understood that he wanted to think, and often wondered of what he was thinking as he looked out over the growing crops.

But there where all was quiet, save nature's tuneful noises and the occasional stamp of one of the horses' feet, a peaceful feeling always came to me. The drowsy hum of the insects, the lazy chirping of the birds, and the airy naves of fumes sailing about over the blue sky-ocean that best above me furnished to ear and eye that degree of relaxation that allows "day dreams" to glide undisturbed.

Just over the ditch a little way, perhaps a bob-white called to his mate—calling in a tone so low that he seemed afraid he might disturb some rival member of his tribe. Sometimes in the walnut tree under which we rested, an old July-fly broadcasted his vibrating song, and down the fence row a little way a field lark chirped. Now a great fleet of the cloud-ships would break away from their moorings at a thunderhead base, and form in battle array in one of the great blue expanses. Sometimes up near the clouds, it seemed, a hawk floated serenely in space—a trick science has not yet been able to explain.

All of these things I sensed, rather than saw or heard, as I rested, and saw visions of days when I would leave the farm and journey to the city where people did not plow, and where the work that was done was always pleasant—days when I would be a "man of my own," and manager of great affairs, in a place where I could hear the blaze of bands and see the blaze of the great white ways; where there were lots of people, all living close together, perhaps in the same house, instead of miles apart. Some day these dreams would come true—not now, only I wanted to dream some more, and perhaps doze—

"Well, let's try it a while longer," and father would be up once more drinking from the old cedar water keg.

With a suddenness the cities and people vanished, and I could see clearly the heat waves dancing above the fields above us. With a mighty effort I would come back to reality again, to my faithful old horse, and my well used plow. A yawn and a stretch, another swig from the water keg to delay in the shade a moment longer, and down the row I would go, pushing the mellow soil a little nearer the growing corn.

Since that time I have been to

the cities. I have heard the blare of the bands and have seen the blaze of the great white ways. I have lived where people live close together—many of them in the same big house. But it was lonely there, and it was often miles to the nearest neighbor, as those next door were strangers who had no interest in me. In order to rest I have gone to the park and found there hundreds of others who had gone for the same purpose. Instead of the birds and insects, there was the cry of the popcorn salesman and the soda water and ice cream vender. Instead of the clouds there was smoke and dust and high buildings; and instead of rest, I found all a nervous strain. After all, the rest that is best is the rest at the end of the row.—Harry Williamson in Progressive Farmer.

**A THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK**

The way is long, Father, and sometimes very weary. We crowd and trudge one another in passing, and often forget the goal in the heat and hurry of the pilgrimage. Start us forth, we pray, each day with fresh courage, and whisper in our hearts a little song to gladden our steps as we take up the burdens anew. Grant that the lightest of these may ever be our conscience, and may we never be too laden with personal trouble to carry the balm of sympathy for friend or foe. Above all, grant us the gift of clear vision, that we

**DR. J. A. HALL**  
Dentist  
Of Shamrock, Tex.  
Will be in McLean on Thursday and Friday after the first Monday in each month.

**McLean Filling Station**

Oils, Gas and Accessories  
Sudden Service  
Magnolene Ford Oil will make your Ford run better.

Floyd Phillips, Mgr.

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Fire, Mail, Tornado  
Health, Accident  
You are fully protected when insured in the strong companies we represent.

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Write Us for Prices  
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may pierce the doubt and fears of the passing moment and dwell with unflinching confidence upon the ultimate fact of thy love.—Alice Hogan Rice.

**PLACE OF THE HOME PAPER**

A well known writer makes the point that the smaller country paper has a marked advantage over the big metropolitan newspapers. He is right. The smaller papers are conducted by their owners, personally known to the business men of the community, and are read in every family. They supply in proper fashion the needs of the town, of whose business and social life they are a part. The great metropolitan newspapers can no more fill the place of the home paper of the small town than the great business man of the metropolis can take the place of the business man of the small community.—Rockland (Maine) Courier-Gazette.

**ANYTHING BUT THAT**

A young bride has sued for divorce on the grounds that her



**ECZEMA!**  
Money back without question if HUNT'S GUARANTEED SKIN DISEASE REMEDIES (Hunt's Salve and Soap) fail in the treatment of itchy, burning, Ringworm, Tetter or other itching skin diseases. Try this treatment at our risk.

Shell's Pharmacy

**IF YOU GET UP NIGHTS YOU'RE OLD BEFORE YOUR TIME**

Prostate and Bladder Trouble Makes Many Men Feel Twenty Years Older Than They Are.

It is said that fifty per cent of men past forty and many younger ones are victims of prostate trouble.

One of the commonest symptoms of this dangerous disease which saps vitality and makes you old before your time is the necessity of getting up several times a night.

Other symptoms are dull, drasy, aching at the base of the spine, pain in groin, burning sensation of organs, lack of vigor and frequent attacks of the blues.

But there is hope for you, no matter how old your case, from a wonderful new formula. It seemingly brings new health, vigor and freedom from these troubles to both old and young.

This wonderful treatment is known as Walker's Prostate Specific, and is prepared in convenient, pleasant tablet form. All you need do is take one tablet after each meal and the symptoms seem to vanish like magic.

To prove these statements the Walker Institute, 1338 Gateway Station, Kansas City, Mo., generously offers to send a \$1 treatment under plain wrapper, postpaid and free of charge to any sufferer who will write for it. If it cures you tell your friends and pay whatever you think is fair, otherwise the loss is ours.

Remember that you are the judge, and you pay nothing now or at any time unless you wish, so send your name today before the introductory offer is withdrawn. It is good for only days and guaranteed in every way.

husband wiped his hands on the Misses Eunice and Lucile Stratton and Marguerite Merriman were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

**Sound the Bugle**

Our many customers are ready for roll call. Many are they who come to us for their needs in our line of merchandise.

We give you a saving in almost everything you buy.

Our motto is satisfaction, and we strive to give you the service you have a right to expect. We want your business and will strive with all the resources at our command to deserve it.

We are headquarters for the BEST in FLOUR, CORN MEAL, FEED, COAL and SALT. A car of fresh MEAL and CAKE now on hand.

Call 188, where your business is appreciated.

**Cheney & Callahan**

**Squandering**

Count up the nickles, the dimes and the quarters that slip through your fingers every day. 25c a day spent needlessly means a loss of more than \$90 a year.

How many hundreds of dollars are you wasting each year by careless spending?

Before you spend—think. Start a bank account now; add to it at regular intervals and your small change will soon grow into substantial sums of ready cash.

**The Citizens State Bank**

A Guaranty Fund Bank

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J. S. MORSE, President C. C. BOGAN, Cashier



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The demand for Ford cars has already outstripped all previous records.

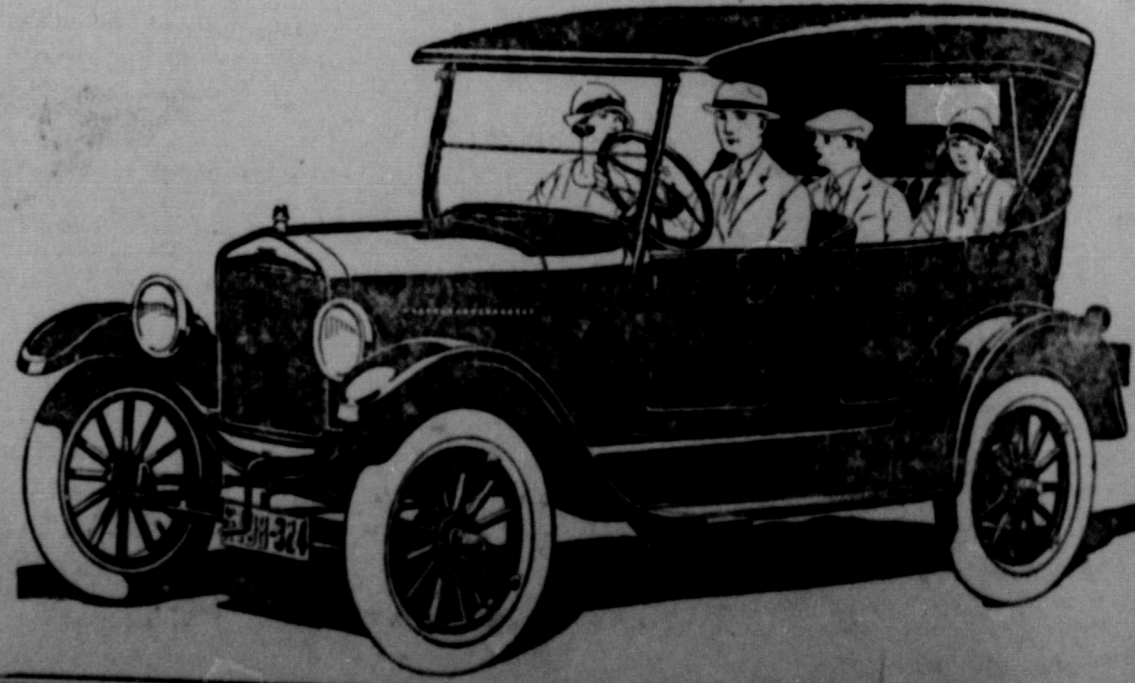
Motor car buyers who seek beauty and comfort are finding the improved Touring Car exactly suited to their desire.

See this good looking car at the nearest Authorized Ford Dealer's. As you inspect its many new features, bear in mind that this improved car is available at no increase in price.

Runabout - \$260 Coupe - \$520  
Tudor Sedan - 580 Fordor Sedan - 660

Closed cars in color. Demountable rims and starter extra on open cars. All prices f. o. b. Detroit.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY, DETROIT, MICHIGAN





Supt. Frank P. Wilson of the Alameda school was in McLean Saturday and said that the buying of a new school had been indefinitely postponed.

S. L. Bañ of Alameda stated one day this week that the old curtain cost ten dollars to have it painted under a guarantee of satisfaction.

**Oliver October?**

N. S. Kay returned from Amarillo today. He reports Mrs. Ray, Mrs. Kunkel and Harold Clement all doing nicely.

**Oliver October?**

For real satisfaction in baking, use Yukon's Best and Southern Star flour. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement life

**Oliver October?**

M. H. Kinard of Gracey was trading in McLean Tuesday.

**Oliver October?**

Just unloaded car sheet rock 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 ft. lengths. Sheet rock your house before cold weather. Cicero Smith Lbr. Co. Advertisement 414c

**Oliver October?**

Fred Bidwell of Gracey was a business visitor in McLean Monday.

**Oliver October?**

Mr. Glass of Vernon has accepted a position in the Texas Cafe.

**Oliver October?**

Rolla A. Smith of Dalhart is a new reader of The News.

**Oliver October?**

**EDUCATION FOR SUCCESS**

I heard a splendid talk the other day. It was to several hundred boys and girls attending the farmers' short course at Baton Rouge, by the superintendent of education for Louisiana.

You may not think it is worth while to get an education, but if you do, oh, how sorry you'll be some day when you find yourself out-distanced in a dozen ways all through life, others promoted where you might have been, others able to succeed where you achieve only mediocrity.

"I am going to give you a few suggestions about some subjects to which you might well give consideration. Dismiss them not today, for tomorrow they will open to you many a door of opportunity. Speak correctly. It places you with those whom you meet. Spell correctly. It places you with those at a distance. Be thorough. The habit will help in everything you undertake as long as you live. Study arithmetic. It helps to give a nimble brain, aside from business reasons. Learn history. It broadens you. It gives you an understanding of what you, your state and your nation are, that you do not get otherwise.

"Love all," he said impressively. "All this learning is worth while only when founded on character."

—Mrs. W. N. Hutt, in The Progressive Farmer.

**IS IT FAIR TO PRINTERS?**

The whole principle involved in the subject of government ownership of industry is wrapped up in the government printing and selling stamped envelopes, the only absolutely socialistic movement that the government has gone into.

To the everlasting glory of the American press, and particularly the rural press, it has stood solidly as a matter of principle and without a price against all encroachments of government which would tend to break down or destroy American ideals of freedom and the right of exercising individual initiative and enterprise. It has done this in the face of government competition and government ownership in the printing industry and in spite of the fact that a large percentage of stores, banks, doctors, lawyers and manufacturing institutions which would fight such competition in their own line of business, consistently fail to patronize the printing offices of the publishers from whom they expect protection when necessity arises.

On orders under 10,000, it is impossible for printer to furnish envelopes with a printed return address at a price to compete with the government. For amounts over 10,000, larger printers can produce printed envelopes far below

government figures.

It is the small publisher and printer who is hurt worst by the government competition. This is the reason for the high rate in all lines of activity when government ownership is established. The more the government goes into the field of business, the more impossible it will become to eliminate the government printing of envelopes.

This problem affects not only the printers of this nation, but every individual who ever hopes to do anything besides draw pay in an official position.

**"GOD'S WORLD"**

O world, I cannot hold thee close enough!

Thy winds, thy wide gray skies! Thy mists that roll and rise! Thy woods this autumn day, that that ache and sag, And all but cry with color! That gaunt eag

To stretch to lift the lean of that black bluff! World, world! I cannot get thee close enough!

Long have I known a glory in it all, But never knew I this. Here such a passion is As stretches me apart. Lord, I do year

Thou'ldst made the world too beautiful this year. My soul is all but out of me—let fall No burning leaf; prithee, let no bird call.

—Edna St. Vincent Millay.

**THE DANGER OF THINNESS**

The Delaware County Tuberculosis Association of Delaware county, Penn., declares high school girls in the region of Chester, Penn., are risking tuberculosis by going on starvation diet to reduce. According to the secretary of the association, girls in the Chester schools below the age of 15 are as normal as the boys in the matter of weight. But at about 15, they throw every other consideration aside in favor of fashion. And since fashion at present is thinness, the girls starve themselves to keep their weight down.

What is true of Chester may well be true in other parts of the country. Thinness is the fashion, and girls somehow manage to keep thin. But thinness is dangerous, as the tuberculosis association of the Pennsylvania county points out. Youth is the time of greatest exposure to tuberculosis. In youth, therefore, the greatest precautions against that disease should be taken. The greatest of all precautions is ample weight.

To a boy or girl, or to a young man or young woman in the twenties, a few additional pounds are no handicap to health as far as tuberculosis is concerned. Later in the thirties, it may be time to take off a few pounds. But in the earlier years there is grave danger in cutting down the weight in order to attain a thinness which represents a temporary fashion.—Star-Telegram.

**NEWSPAPER ETHICS**

Into every newspaper office there drifts rumors of affairs that would mean big news—rumors of business deals in the course of consummation, rumors of big development or building programs being outlined. The reputable newspaper investigates these rumors and interviews the interested parties. They are often advised that the story is not ready for publication—that publication at an inopportune time may hamper negotiations, might embarrass the parties directly interested.

Reluctantly the reputable newspaper respects the requests of the parties to whom the story belongs—whose right it is to give it out. Often they are beaten on the story by reason of their strict observance of newspaper ethics. But they have not brought discredit upon

the profession.

The safest way in the world to keep a story out of print is to go to the reputable newspaper, tell the story and then request that it not be published until released, giving the reasons for withholding it from publication. No newspaper has a right to embarrass anyone by premature publication of a news item that should properly come from interested parties.

The Morning Journal never violates a confidence, never publishes a story until the interested parties release it. It never will, because it is a dishonorable and unethical thing to do.—Daytona (Fla.) Journal.

**A MOST PECULIAR MAN**

"Here's an item about one of the strangest men I ever heard of," said Mrs. Brown in the midst of her reading. "It says that a farmer paid off all his debts last year and still had \$1,000 left from his big cotton crop."

"Well, I don't see anything so strange about that," interrupted Mr. Brown. "I can name a dozen men who have done the same thing."

"Yes, but listen; instead of using

that \$1,000 to pay on a six-cylinder car, this farmer kept on using the old flivver and used the cotton money to install in the house a system of running water and to buy his wife a power washing machine."—Oklahoma Farmer-Stock man.

**SOME PEOPLE**

A six-year-old girl submitted the following composition on "people" to her teacher:

"People are composed of girls and boys, also men and women. Boys are no good until they grow up and get married. Men who don't get married are no good either. They want everything they see except soap. My ma is a woman and my papa is a man. A woman is a grown up girl with children. My pa is such a nice man I think he must have been a girl when he was a boy."—Exchange.

**ADVICE TO A SPEAKER**

The story is told of an Indiana speaker who started out campaigning and on his first appearance

**Can You Afford**

to carry insurance on your house, barn or automobile? If not, how can you afford to stand the entire loss if not insured? Better let my companies stand that loss.

**Harold C. Rippey**

**V. H. Moore**

**Auctioneer**

Wheeler, Texas

Dates made at News office or call me collect.

**Ora Oliver Gooch**

Graduate Optometrist  
Glasses Correctly Fitted  
All work first class and guaranteed.

First National Bank Building  
Shamrock, Texas

**Wants**

**NOTICE OF SALE.**—Ford car known as C. C. Campbell No. 1, motor No. 5572884, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, Saturday, November 14, 1925, for storage and labor lens. Cousins Motor Co. 1c

**BUFF** Orpington cockerels, full bloods, \$1.00 each. Mrs. M. R. Landers. 1f

**MATRESSES** renovated and recovered. Will call for and deliver at McLean once each week. Leave orders at News office or write Economy Mattress Co., P. O. Box 171, Shamrock, Texas. 40-5p-1fc

**Oliver October?**

**GROCERIES** ARE cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. 1fc

**Q. M. Franklin** Blackleg Bacterium for sale at E. E. Dishman Confectionery. 40-5c

**GARBAGE** and trash hauled from any part of the city at reasonable rates. Phone 40, 2. Frank Haynes.

**FOR SALE.**—Nice grand piano near McLean; customer unable to pay. Will sell for balance due, approximately \$450. Frederickson-Kroh Music Co., Oklahoma City. 42-2p

**THESE** little ads bring results. Try one. 25 words for 25c.

**STORAGE.**—Clean dry storage under daily supervision. Inquire at News office.

**MATRESSES** renovated and recovered. Will call for and deliver at McLean once each week. Leave orders at News office or write Economy Mattress Co., P. O. Box 171, Shamrock, Texas. 40-5p-1fc

**KLEANALL**, a dry shampoo and dandruff remedy for ladies' and children's home use. General cleanser for the head, hands and bath, clothing and furniture. Troy West. 42-4p

**WILL THE** person who borrowed my boy rake from the alley near Upham's ware house please return same. Claude Stokes. 1p

**BOOKKEEPING** supplies, ledger sheets, journal and cash book sheets for high school commercial class at News office.

**BARGAIN DAYS** on The News and Star-Telegram are here. \$8.45 for The McLean News and the Fort Worth Star-Telegram one year, with the Star-Telegram from now until December 1st, free. Subscribe now.

**CHRISTMAS** will soon be here. Better order your Christmas cards now. Exclusive selections, printed to order, at the News office.

**Magnolia Petroleum Co.**  
C. J. CASH, Agent  
86 101  
Day Phone Night Phone

**A. A. LEDBETTER**  
Attorney-at-Law  
McLean, Texas

**Boy's Saddles**  
Buy your boy a saddle—or a cotton sack. We sell them.

**Bible Shoe Shop**  
Shoe and Harness Repairing

**Knee Pads**  
for cotton pickers. Good ones.  
Congoleum stove mats save floors and money.  
A big shipment of flowering bulbs now in stock.  
**Cobb's Variety Store**  
Welcome Welcome

**Here's help for every man, woman and child**  
EVERY one who has any writing to do needs a Remington Portable—the little machine that makes all writing swift and easy.  
The New Remington Portable is built to supply every requirement of personal service. It is the lightest and most compact portable machine with standard keyboard. Complete in every feature, with the longest writing line of any portable, and accommodating the standard long envelope, yet so small and handy you can carry it and use it anywhere. Its outstanding merits are strength, durability, speed, simplicity of operation, complete visibility of writing, and surpassing beauty of work.  
Call in and let us show you this machine. One demonstration will convince you that in general efficiency it has no rival.  
Price, complete with case, \$60  
**THE McLEAN NEWS**  
**Remington Portable**

**Good Things to Eat**  
When you want to serve something different on holidays and Sundays, call us up and let us suggest a few of the many appetizing and wholesome foods we carry in cans, packages or bulk.  
You get the same prompt and courteous attention when you phone or send the children as you do when you come in person.  
Free delivery to any part of town or any of the Gins.  
**McLean Supply Co.**  
CHAS. LESTER, Manager

**READ THE ADS**  
**WHEN BETTER AUTOMOBILES ARE BUILT, BUICK WILL BUILD THEM**  
**Built for Rough Roads**  
Better BUICK Closed Cars  
Extra sturdiness is an outstanding feature of Buick motor cars. Buick closed cars demonstrate this most strikingly in cross-country travel.  
Town or country, good roads or bad, it's all the same to a Buick. You can go anywhere any car can go, and do it much easier because of the famous, 75 horsepower, Buick Valve-in-Head engine.  
You can travel long distances in more comfort because of the deep, wide, luxurious seats, the extra head and leg room, and full cantilever rear springs. And Buick's ball bearing, worm and nut steering mechanism removes all driving strain. This is the most efficient and most expensive steering gear so far perfected.  
Better Buick closed models, are now on display. Your attention is particularly directed to the 4-door and 2-door Fisher Body Sedans at "Coach" prices.  
**BUICK MOTOR COMPANY**  
Division of General Motors Corporation  
Flint, Michigan G-10-11  
**The Better BUICK**  
**Johnson Buick Co.**  
Wellington, Texas



**THE McLEAN NEWS**  
Published Every Thursday

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**LANDERS & LANDERS**  
Editors and Owners

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Six Months......75  
Three Months......40

Four issues make an advertising month. When five issues occur in the calendar month, extra charge will be made for the extra edition.

A treasurer's report for Gray county was published last winter according to law. We wonder if one such report is all that is required per year.

One business firm in McLean uses stamped envelopes printed at the News office. This firm believes in fair play and has its printing done at home in just the way that suits best. Other firms might do well to imitate this progressive business house.

The county's \$200 furnished the county agent to finance the fair exhibits and the Chamber of Commerce's time and effort in helping secure the exhibits are well repaid with the prize money won at each of the fairs this year.

We note that the mayor of Lubbock is seeing that the sanitary law is enforced in his city. One man was fined \$5 last week for letting the alley back of his store become unsanitary. The law is also being enforced in regard to hotels, restaurants, rooming houses, drug stores and confectionaries. There have been times in McLean when such a move would be a good thing.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea for our Chamber of Commerce to take a census of the population of McLean? We need to know the exact number of people living here for various reasons. The Shamrock Chamber of Commerce is fostering a similar plan for this little city, and there is no reason why we could not do the same.

There is a growing sentiment against allowing carnivals in our town, even at fair time. There is no good reason why a carnival should be allowed to violate the law during the fair when such carnivals would not be tolerated at other times. We understand that there has never been but one idea in the minds of the fair committees and that was to furnish amusement and make the fair pay expenses, but surely some way could be figured out in which this end could be obtained without the carnival evils.

Statistics show that church members lack a great deal of being loyal to their church papers, yet it is impossible to be an intelligent member of a church and not know what it is doing. Statistics also show that the money for denominational causes comes in the most part from those members who keep themselves informed as to what their church is trying to do. If every member would keep himself informed as to what his particular church is doing, there would be little cause for dissatisfaction anywhere.

Monday night's meeting of the Chamber of Commerce would indicate that McLean business men are mostly in favor of law enforcement. The fact was brought out in this meeting that no one has the right to ignore a law for the reason that someone may think it unconstitutional, as only courts of proper jurisdiction have the right to declare any law unconstitutional; certainly it is not left to the traveling visitor, or to the officers whose business it is to see that the law is enforced.

Cake and meal at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement t/c

T. H. Pickett was a business visitor in McLean this week.

Loaded one feed at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement t/c

Groceries are cheaper at Pickett's Cash Store. Advertisement t/c

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meador attended a meeting of the Shamrock Rebekah at Shamrock Friday night of last week.

**HOW ABOUT SPARK PLUGS?**

You don't have to be an ignition expert to clean a spark plug. Anyone can do it with a little practice—using old plugs to experiment with first. Because of the various grades of gasoline sold these days more and more trouble is encountered with fouling plugs. Ashes of gasoline (carbon) are continually deposited in the plug and, of course, eventually the spark is prevented from jumping across the points. If not cleaned this condition finally results in a dead plug.

Naturally the first operation in cleaning a spark plug is to remove it from the engine cylinder. Many motorists use any old tool as long as the plug comes out. Don't you do this. Get a spark plug wrench that will fit your particular type of plug—and use it. If you don't, all kinds of complications will result from cracked porcelain and other troubles.

The plug is then placed in a vice and the vise-jaws set up on the hexagon nut at the base of the plug. Here another good wrench must be used (a Stillson never) to remove the packing nut or gland, working it off slowly so that you won't injure either the porcelain or gasket between the porcelain and shell. Possibly your type of plug won't have this gasket. The majority do have gaskets and it is a good plan to keep new gaskets on hand along with the new porcelains to replace those that are defective.

Now that the plug is taken apart a rag and gasoline come into play. Remove all semblance of carbon and oil from the surface of the porcelain. Do not use a knife, file, steel scraper, sandpaper or any other abrasive substance on the plug porcelain. This porcelain is glazed and it intended by the plug manufacturer to be perfectly smooth so that carbon cannot lodge upon it easily. Consequently, any abrasive that will cut this glassy surface should never be used. The gasoline and rag will do the work. If it doesn't, the plug is too old for further use and should be thrown away.

Make a thorough inspection of the porcelain for hairline cracks. Usually these are so tiny that they escape notice. I know of one fellow who uses a jeweler's eyeglass especially for this purpose. He gets results, too. If you come across one or more of these cracks it is a good plan to discard that porcelain entirely. They are the result of heat and under pressure will leak electricity badly. The interior of the plug shell should be cleaned in the same manner as the porcelain. Don't rush the work. Do it thoroughly so that a clean job will be made of the whole.

And take care in reassembling the plug. Set it up carefully and tightly. After it is set back in the cylinder it can be tested for leaks by dropping a little oil around the packing gland and about the base, then watching for bubbles. Take care of your plugs and the plugs will reciprocate by giving your engine greater flexibility.

Tom Bullock of Shamrock was a McLean visitor Monday.

RUBBER STAMPS. Order rubber stamps, dates, etc., at the News office. Prompt service and the best of work.



**MORE SENSE THAN POETRY**

My friend, have you heard of the town of Yawn  
On the banks of the river Slow,  
Where blossoms the Waitawhile  
flower fair,  
Where the Sometimeorother scents  
the air,  
And the soft Goeasys grow?

It lies in the valley of Whatstheuse,  
In the province of Letterslide:  
That Tired-feeling is native there—  
It's the home of the listless I don't care,  
Where the Putitoffs abide.

The Putitoffs never make up their minds,  
Intending to do it tomorrow;  
And so they delay from day to day  
Till business dwindles and profits decay  
And their days are full of sorrow.

**DRESS UP YOUR LETTERS**

There have been men in the past like Dr. Samuel Johnson and one or two in the present like Clarence Darrow whose fame has gone so far and wide that they need give little thought to the matter of personal appearance. Their clothes may be unpressed, trousers baggy at the knees, hats out of shape. But their notable achievements in life enable them to disregard appearances and still retain the respect of others. Most of us, however, must take care of our appearances, and it is to our interest to be judged highly. For this reason the average business man must be careful of the clothes he puts on a business letter. To send out a letter on cheap, badly printed paper, is like sending a salesman out in a dirty pair of overalls; it isn't economy. It isn't even good sense. And yet many business men who exercise the greatest possible care in matters of personal appearance are grossly negligent in matters such as this. They do not realize the value of quality printing. A few months ago a manufacturer had occasion to send out a circular letter to several thousand dealers in all parts of the country. One half of this list was reached with a cheap job, done on a poor light-weight cheap paper. The other half of his list of dealers was reached with a fine printed circular.

**EAT HERE**

When you are hungry, think of the Texas Cafe. We serve good food in record time, day and night.

**The Texas Cafe**

**A CLEAR SKIN**

A clear smooth skin is to be desired by everyone. If your complexion is "muddy" try one of our hand massages—you'll look and feel your best.

**Elite Barber Shop**  
Everett & West, Props.

**Get the Farthest One**

You can safely let the other fellow have the first two shots if you are using SUPER-X shells. They reach out seemingly impossible distances and bring down the game. Get your hunting license here. Guns for rent.

**McLean Hdw. Co.**  
W. B. Upham, Manager

lar, on a heavy grade of good paper. When results were tabulated it was found that the returns from the list of those who had received the quality of the jobs were 20% greater than the returns from the cheap letter had been sent. This more than paid for the difference in cost many times. Of course a merchant could write all of his letters on wrapping paper and send out his statements on anything that came to hand, and use a rubber stamp card on his envelopes, but with what results? He would be doing his very utmost to create the impression everywhere that his is a cheap house, careless about its appearance, and with little pride in its products or respect for its customers. Such a practice may save money—but it never makes money.—Pampa News.

**SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT FAILED FOR LACK OF ADVERTISING**

In a late issue of one of our exchanges it announced that a certain entertainment, which was to have been held at their school house, was called off on account of not having an audience. It gave as the reason the fact that no advertising had been done. We are living in an age when advertising must be done if results are expected. There are too many concerns, shows, etc., that scatter advertising broadcast for any institution or any program to succeed by merely announcing something or coming to a place and letting people find out for themselves that they are there. There are yet to be found a few "back numbers" who claim that advertising doesn't pay. If this were the case do you suppose that the coca cola people, Wrigley, and the big bunch of national advertisers would spend millions each year in seeing that the people had a message from them? If it does not pay do you suppose the big mail order

houses would continue to send out catalogs about four times a year—publications that are very expensive and carry a heavy postal rate? Do you suppose the large department stores of the cities would spend a thousand or two each week in newspaper advertising if it did not pay—people who have actually made a success of business? The man who says he does not have to advertise is the man who either has no competition that amounts to anything or else he is preparing to go into the hands of the receiver. We are living in an advertising age.—Paducah Post.

**PROGRESSIVE CHURCHES**

That churches, as well as other institutions, are waking up to the possibilities of advertising is no longer in doubt. Churches are, or should be, institutions in the fullest sense of the word. Their business is saving the souls of condemned men, which is the greatest business on the earth. Some churches are using display advertising in the papers and still others are using other means to attract the lost to the place where salvation is to be had. Only this week the pastor of the local Methodist church contracted with the Herald to issue for him some hand bills to be distributed on the streets Saturday afternoons. Why not advertise? All other successful enter-

Texhoma Oil & Refining Co.  
For Value and Service Use  
**TEXHOMA PRODUCTS**  
Amalg Motor Oils 100 per cent Pure Pennsylvania.  
**L. L. ROGERS**  
Agent  
Phone 131 McLean, Texas

**SPEED BROS.**

General Contractors and Builders  
Sidewalks, Paving, Stucco  
**CLARENDON AND McLEAN TEXAS**

**Fresh Bread and Pies**

Come to the bakery for your fresh bread and pies. Baked fresh every day.  
Your trade appreciated. We strive to please.

**McLEAN BAKERY**  
Herman Lee, Mgr.

**Fisher Body Duco Finish Balloon Tires Velour upholstery Long Semi-elliptic Springs Modern quality chassis**

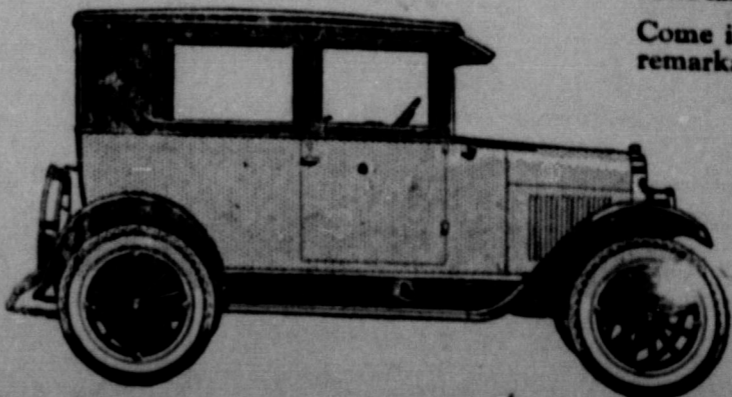
for Economical Transportation



**features that make this—the world's finest low priced Coach**

In the Chevrolet Coach you will get scores of unusual quality features such as you would expect to find only on higher priced cars—dr. disc clutch—extra large brakes—semi-floating rear axle with one-piece pressed steel housing—vacuum fuel feed with tank in rear—Remy electric starting, lighting and distributor ignition—Fisher VV one-piece windshield, automatic windshield wiper—and cowl lamps.

Come in and see for yourself this remarkable coach value.



The Coach  
**695**  
f.o.b. Flint Mich.

Touring	\$525
Roadster	525
Coupe	575
Sedan	775
Commercial Chassis	425
Express	500
Truck Chassis	500

ALL PRICES F. O. B. FLINT, MICHIGAN

**SMITH BROTHERS CHEVROLET**  
McLean, Texas

**QUALITY AT LOW COST**



# The Tigerette

Key Landers ..... Editor-in-Chief  
 Vera Wilson ..... Assistant Editor  
 Miss Blair ..... Sponsor

## Chapel Exercises

Chapel exercises were conducted by Rev. J. H. Garrett of San Angelo, Monday, October 19.

After two songs in which all participated, Rev. Garrett took charge of the exercises. In his extremely interesting talk, he likened the value of our lives to that of a silver dollar. The dollar has its value on both sides to prevent mistakes in its identity, but we wear our emblems on our hearts. Just as the dollar is backed up by the government of the United States, our lives are backed by the government of heaven. He also explained that by making a hole in a dollar the weight of the dollar decreased, and in this way the value is lowered. If evils, which tend to lower the aim of our lives, enter our hearts and minds, our influence among our friends is lessened. The fear of obeying the rules of the school and other organizations within the school was impressed on our minds by a personal experience during his own school career.

The exercises were closed with a prayer by Rev. W. C. Garrett.

## El Dudoso

El Dudoso met Tuesday night, and after everyone had answered the roll call with our motto, "Cada vejeja con su pareja," the following program was given:

Duet, "Tans"—Lena Sparks and Beatrice Cash.

"Jack and Jill" in Spanish—Floy Rose.

Reading, "Aunt Reavy Orders an Electric Light Plant"—Frances Noel.

After this, we learned to sing a little Spanish song.

## Groom Plays McLean Second Team

Groom's football team came down last Friday and played the local Kittens, or second string. A good crowd witnessed the game, despite the cold, disagreeable weather. This is the first game that the Kittens have had the opportunity to play this season, and they demonstrated their ability and determination in a way that assures us that McLean has a winning team coming up.

The Groom aggregation was a little lighter, perhaps, than was the "ten line-up," offsetting the slight they gained through more intensive training. Most of the locals had never seen inside a football game before, and many who saw the game were surprised by the good showing they made.

The score at the end of the last quarter was 13 to 8 in favor of the Kittens. Although this score leaves the impression that the teams were evenly matched, nothing is further from the truth. The Kittens outclassed their opponents in every way. They could plow through the line anywhere they wanted to, and they gained consistently with end runs. The Groom team got all the "breaks." They made their only touchdown through a fumble on the part of the Kitten backfield and other two points were accounted for by a safety—also the result of a fumble.

Those who did outstanding work for the Kittens were Abbott, Wolfe and Dwyer.

## Kittens Are Victorious

Last Friday afternoon the Kittens went to Abnreed and played basketball. The Abnreed girls were ready for them when they arrived and a very interesting game followed. The Kittens won with the score 18 to 12.

Kitten Lineup:  
 Forwards—Audra Wilson, Bonnie Miller.

Centers—Lena Sparks, Floy Rose.

Guards—Catherine Corum, Beatrice Cash.

Subs—Lacema Holloway, Winnie Bailey, Frances Noel.

"Who once was a freshman dapper  
 Who fell in love with a flapper;  
 He tried all his might,  
 But she wouldn't play right—  
 So now he's a Phi Beta Kappa."  
 —Vanderbilt Masquerader.

"Have you ever looped in  
 an aeroplane?"  
 Lois—"No, but I've been kissed  
 in one."

Elton—"I can't smoke before  
 breakfast."

Jobe—"Why not?"

Elton—"I never get up in time."

"Now, my son, tell me why I  
 loved you."

Boy (indignantly)—"Oh, gee! First you pounded the devil out of me, and now you don't know what you did it for."—Pitt Panther.

Freshman—"How do you know your girl's house is just a stone's throw from the bridge?"

Junior—"I tried it."

Freshman—"What luck?"

Junior—"Rotten, I hit her dad."

Charles—"Lena must be able to see in the dark."

Russel—"How's that?"

Charles—"Why, last night she told me as soon as the light went out, 'Why, Charles, you haven't shaved!'"

Naomi—"I wonder who invented that superstition about Friday being an unlucky day."

Buster—"Oh, some poor fish."

Coming! "The Ten Commandments" at the Legion Theatre, McLean, Texas, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights, November 12, 13 and 14. Advertisement 43-2c

Southern Star is a new brand of Yukon flour we have introduced and it is giving splendid satisfaction. Try one. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 4c

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement 4c

Buy your coal from Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 4c

## NOTICE FOR BIDS

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF GRAY. Notice is hereby given that bids for the construction of a vault at the Courthouse at Lefors, Texas, will be received by the Commissioners Court of Gray County, Texas, on the 9th day of November, A. D. 1925, at Lefors, Texas. Plans and specifications may be obtained at the Courthouse at Lefors, Texas.

T. M. WOLFE, County Judge 43-4c of Gray County, Texas.

## NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT

No. 138. THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray county, GREETING:

J. W. Agee, administrator of the estate of Ellen Marie Agee, deceased, having filed in our County Court his FINAL ACCOUNT of the condition of the estate of said Ellen Marie Agee, deceased, together with an application to be discharged from said administration;

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this notice in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Gray, you give due notice to all persons interested in the estate of said Ellen Marie Agee, deceased, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the November term, 1925, of said County Court, commencing and ending on the 10th day of November, 1925.

## SANDWICHES

Sandwiches, Hamburgers, Pies  
 Hot Coffee and Chocolate  
 Sweet Milk

Candies and Cigars  
 Your Business Appreciated

## Hamburger Inn

J. A. Meador, Prop.

## Folks, Here's Mighty Good News

Your Favorite Daily Newspaper at a Special Bargain Offer (For Mail Subscribers Only)

GOOD ONLY TO NOVEMBER 1

\$5 WILL BRING YOU THE DAILY NEWS

One full year daily and Sunday to any address in Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, covering the Amarillo field with news that is news ten to twelve hours ahead of other papers.

THE DAILY NEWS CARRIES:

A complete market page, a complete sport page, comic strips of National fame, four pages of comics on Sunday, the Western Weekly each Sunday, twenty-six novels each year, printed in daily installments; and many other metropolitan features.

FILL OUT BLANK BELOW, YOUR PAPER STARTS AT ONCE

Amarillo Daily News,  
 Amarillo, Texas.  
 Inclosed please find \$5 for which please send me The Daily News for One Year, as per your special offer.  
 Mark here if New Subscriber ( )  
 Mark here if Old Subscriber ( )  
 NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOWN \_\_\_\_\_  
 P. O. BOX \_\_\_\_\_  
 STATE \_\_\_\_\_  
 PRINT NAME AND ADDRESS PLAINLY—MAIL IN TODAY

## Goodwill

No money can buy it.

One of the greatest assets this bank has, you will look for in vain in our statements

We call it Good Will. It is the friendship, respect and trust of the people of this community.

Good Will can't be bought. It must be earned, and once earned, it is priceless.

"Your account is invited."

## The American National Bank

to be held at the Courthouse of said County, in the town of Lefors, Texas, on the 3rd Monday in November, A. D. 1925, when said account and application will be considered by said court.

WITNESS CHARLIE THUT, Clerk of the County Court of Gray County. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at my office in the town of Lefors, Texas, this 10th day of October, A. D. 1925.

CHARLIE THUT, Clerk County Court, Gray County, Texas. CCC-43-4c

## SCARING THE SENIOR CLASS

While our mind trends to things about the schools, we are reminded that one graduating class was sold invitations and jewelry by a mail order concern and the contract was later cancelled. The company wrote to the effect that the contract could not be cancelled and when the merchandise was shipped to Childress collect on delivery, that if it was refused, the members of the class, president and secretary, would be sued in the courts. Then followed a letter telling the students what it mean to be sued for a debt. That was pure bluff and only showed what kind of men were at the head of the

## GOOD TUBES

There are two ways a car owner can buy tubes.

He can go out looking for price—and find it—or he can buy tubes that will give his wheels a chance to deliver the mileage that is built into them.

U. S. Tubes are Good Tubes.

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 I represent some of the strongest companies in the world. I insure anything. No prohibited list.

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company selling the merchandise. It is not binding for a boy or girl to sign a contract and would not be held so by the courts. The means used to scare the class was a threat, a lower level than blackmailing.—Childress Index.

## FOR A SEX-TETTE

Violinist—"I want an E string, please."

Sadie—"Oh, if you don't mind, would you pick it out for yourself, sir? I hardly know the 'es from the shes!"—Sydney Bulletin.

## REASONABLE

"Huh," he snorted, after reading the account of the wedding. "Al-

ways the 'blushing bride!' That's the bunk!"

"Oh, no, it isn't," replied the Miss sweetly. "Just consider the kind of men women have to marry."

## REAL DRAY SERVICE

We excel in service because we have more experience and better equipment, so our customers say.

Kunkel Bros.

# Coming!

to McLean All Next Week

## GABE GARRETT'S COMEDIANS

under a big canvas theatre located on lot across from postoffice, opening Monday night, Oct. 26, with a sensational comedy-drama, "The Lure of the City."

Feature Jazz Orchestra of 6 pieces.

Doors open 7:00 p. m., curtain 8:00 p. m.

Admission—Adults 30c, Children 15c

A week of wholesome entertainment  
 Music—Drama—Vaudeville—Comedy

# A Car Load

of

## Springfield Wagons

just received. If you need a wagon, now is the time to buy. Come in and let us show you the superior features of the Springfield wagon.

## Harness and Collars

Our stock of harness and horse collars is large enough to insure you a splendid selection of these goods. They can be relied upon to give you the service you have a right to expect. Let us demonstrate.

## Hamilton-McGowen Hardware and Furniture Company

Claud McGowen, Mgr.



**C. OF C. MONDAY NIGHT**

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this committee.

F. H. Bourland stated that the city council had had an inquiry from a public service company in regard to buying the city light plant and serving McLean through a high line. Mr. Bourland asked the opinion of those present as to the advisability of this move.

Caud McGowen, T. A. Landers, T. N. Holloway, M. D. Bentley, C. J. Cash, T. J. Coffey and others spoke in favor of the proposition, and it was brought out that such a plan would lift the city's indebtedness and allow a much needed sewer system to be built.

Messrs. Bourland and Bentley asked for a detailed report of the McLean fair. The president and secretary said that they had not had time from the press of personal business to make a detailed report, but that the fair was a financial success. No one was called upon to make a donation to help support the fair. Mr. White stated that if in the future no entertainment was provided, funds might have to be raised by donations.

Supt. D. E. Dean spoke for the Parent-Teachers Association and asked that the Chamber of Commerce use its influence toward interesting property owners on First street to put in sidewalks.

This matter was spoken of by many of the members and the fact brought out that this street is used every day by practically every child attending the McLean school.

T. A. Landers was called upon to explain just how the present walks were put in.

Several speakers thought that if the matter were properly presented to the property owners on this street, the walks would be put in.

A committee was appointed to see each property owner affected and urge the needed improvements.

H. F. Wingo suggested a retail credit organization for McLean, which was endorsed by several speakers.

F. H. Bourland spoke of the coming county political situation, and M. D. Bentley mentioned the fact that the county agent had been of good service to the county this year and steps should be taken to continue this work.

Among those present at the meeting were: J. R. Hindman, D. E. Dean, C. J. Cash, J. A. Sparks, C. A. Lester, W. S. White, T. N. Holloway, M. D. Bentley, J. L. Joyner, T. J. Coffey, E. J. Lander, W. B. Upham, T. A. Landers, F. H. Bourland, I. D. Shaw, Buck Cooke, H. F. Wingo, Sam Hodges, Walter McAdams, A. T. Young, L. D. Preston, A. A. Ledbetter, Cecil Bible, W. T. Wilson, J. F. Hensley, D. N. Massay, J. W. Slaughter, O. G. Stokely, C. C. Bogan, Byrd Guill, Claud McGowen, J. G. Thomas, C. A. Strandberg, H. W. Grigsby, W. S. Kunkel, Donald Beall, Jno. P. L. Board and Earle Shell.

**News from Liberty**

By Special Correspondent.  
Mrs. Richard Henley and baby were dinner guests in the Luther Petty home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan and children visited in the R. O. Cunningham home Friday evening.

A. L. Morgan butchered a beef Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hardin and children visited in the W. P. Irvin home Sunday.

Miss Ola Robinson is attending institute at Wheeler this week.

John Lively is painting the school house, inside and outside, this week.

This is an improvement that has been needed a long time, and we are glad to see it.

John Ratliff and family of Wheeler are staying in the W. B. Ratliff home helping with the crop. Misses Lucinda and Gladys Ratliff called at the Luther Petty home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty and children went to see Mr. Francis near Groom Sunday. He is reported as very little, if any, better.

C. T. Calvert of Shamrock called at the Frank Bell home Tuesday.

You will receive the highest degree of genuine satisfaction from Yukon's Best flour. Advertisement 1c

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement 1c

Seed eye at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement 1c

Buy Yukon flour and you get the BEST. Advertisement 1c

**News from Heald**

By Special Correspondent.

The weather has cleared after a freeze Sunday night.

Everybody is very busy now. Mrs. J. W. Dougherty has been at the bedside of her daughter, Mrs. Roland Williams, in the Pagan community, for the past week.

Prof. Dorman is attending institute at Wheeler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chilton attended church at McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Phillips entertained their Sunday school class Sunday at dinner, the occasion being Mr. Phillips' birthday. There were 21 present, including Rev. and Mrs. Thomas, Methodist pastor from McLean. The oldest present was Grandmother Haynes, aged 85. The youngest was 6 months old. The ages of all totalled 955. All enjoyed the day.

There was preaching in the afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Hinton has been on the sick list the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey visited in the Kramer home Saturday night and Sunday.

The women's club met with Mrs. H. N. Roach Friday of last week. All report an enjoyable afternoon. T. F. Phillips went to Shamrock Monday.

Grandmother Rogers returned last Friday from Electra and Amarillo, where she had been visiting for several weeks.

Lucious and Travis Armstrong were in the community one day last week from Hedley. They are gathering their crop near McLean.

Grandfather Fulton is doing as well as could be expected of one of his age.

Jim Fulton of Lubbock visited his sister, Mrs. Walter Bailey, and father, Grandfather Fulton, Sunday.

**APPEAL TO REASON**

If your account is due we will be pleased to have you call and settle. We must collect. We need the money. Consider the favor we have extended you.  
Cheney & Callahan.  
Advertisement 1c

Mrs. E. J. Lander visited relatives in Erick, Okla., last week.

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF GRAY.  
By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable County Court of Potter county, on the 5th day of October, A. D. 1925, by the Clerk thereof, in the case of P. H. Seewald versus W. L. Campbell, No. 2656, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's Sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in November, A. D. 1925, it being the THIRD day of said month, before the Court House door of said Gray

county, in the town of Lefors, Texas, the following described property to-wit:

Being all that part of Survey No. Sixty-six (66) in Block E, D. & P. Survey Certificate No. 129, lying south of the right of way of the Rock Island Railway Co. and described by metes and bounds as follows:

BEGINNING at the southeast corner of sec. No. 66,

THENCE north at 90 vrs cross draw at 762 vrs cross fence at 1800.8 vrs center of Postal Highway;

THENCE west with said highway 829.8 vrs to the south line of the Rock Island Railroad right of way;

Thence south 42 degrees 15 min. W with said right of way 156.6 vrs;

THENCE south 59 degrees 15 min W with said right of way 126 vrs;

THENCE south 69 degrees 15 min. W with said right of way 102.9 vrs;

THENCE south 82 degrees W with said right of way 119.9 vrs;

THENCE north 85 degrees 15 min. W with said right of way 125.3 vrs;

THENCE north 74 degrees 45 min. W with said right of way 97.5 vrs;

THENCE north 64 degrees 15 min. W with said right of way 135 vrs;

THENCE north 55 degrees 15 min. W with said right of way 234 vrs;

THENCE west with said highway 601.9 vrs the northwest corner of this survey;

THENCE south 1110.6 vrs north line of J. Siebel Survey;

THENCE east with Siebel north line 1312 vrs to its northeast corner old pile of sandstone;

THENCE south with east line of Siebel 790.2 vrs rock in fence line;

THENCE east 1108 vrs to the place of BEGINNING, said tract to contain 603.1 acres of land, and being situated in Gray county, Texas.

Levied on this 7th day of October, 1925, as the property of W. L. Campbell to satisfy a judgment amounting to \$385.24, in favor of P. H. Seewald, with interest at ten per cent per annum from May 29th, A. D. 1923, bearing a credit of \$65.51 of date November 30th, A. D. 1923, and cost of suit.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND this 7th day of October, A. D. 1925.

E. S. GRAVES, Sheriff,  
Gray County, Texas.

By JOHNNIE R. BACK, Deputy.  
JRB-41-3c

**WHAT IS THE VALUE OF A CUSTOMER?**

Thomas K. Kelley of the T. K. Kelley Sales System, Minneapolis, recently said that he had come across a table that purports to give the value of a customer in terms of gross sales to him or her over a period of one year, and that table is as follows:

"A customer over a year's time is worth in gross business to the clothing store \$85; to the department store \$362, to the cloak and suit store \$236, to the shoe store from \$35 to \$68, to the jewelry store \$42, to the furniture store

\$87, and to the music store \$30 to \$56.

"Now, when a merchant can appeal to thousands upon thousands of profitable customers whose value in a year's time runs into such figures and can appeal to them at a very low cost per reader, he gets a new vision of the value of newspaper advertising.

"He gets a new vision of the opportunities of his business, and in turn, fear and indifference are replaced by confidence and aggressiveness."

Need a typewriter? The Remington Portable has all the ad-

vantages of any machine made. The cost is small. See the sample machine at the News office

**Life**

is uncertain. No one knows when death will overtake him. Don't take a chance, protect your loved ones with a life insurance policy.

**EUNICE FLOYD**  
Life Insurance

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All Work Guaranteed  
McLean Vulcanizing Shop  
L. D. Preston, Mgr.

**Hey, You!**

Drive by our station the next time you need gas and oil. Tires, tubes and accessories—and SERVICE.  
STAR FILLING STATION  
"Headquarters for Service"  
L. L. ROGERS, Prop.  
Phone 131

**Look Your Best**

Keep your clothes neatly cleaned and pressed at our shop and you will always look your best.  
Service Tailor Shop  
Hansel Christian, Prop.  
1st door north of McLean Hardware

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**Prices Reduced on All RADIOLAS**

Let me demonstrate the Radiola Super-Heterodyne in your home. Needs no antenna or ground.  
Priced complete at \$170.00.

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**Good Steaks**

Nothing like a good juicy steak to appeal to the appetite of everyone these cool days. We have it. We'll cut it just like you want it.

**THE CITY MARKET**

**Cold Weather**

Winter is coming and along with it motor troubles. Bring the old bus around and let us give it the "once over." A little attention now may save you a lot of trouble and expense later on.

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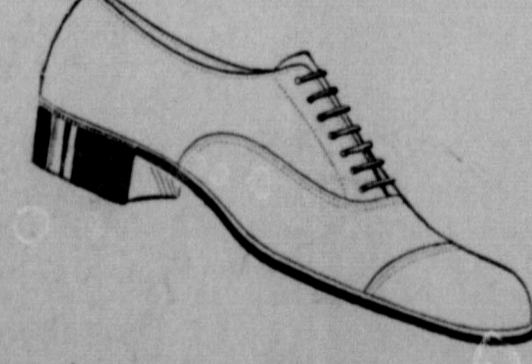
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