

THE McLEAN NEWS

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Garrett Resigns Baptist Pastorate; Accepts at Amarillo

Rev. W. C. Garrett, who has been pastor of the First Baptist church for the past two years, tendered his resignation to the church last Sunday morning, to take effect the first of next month.

Rev. and Mrs. Garrett left today for Amarillo, where Rev. Garrett has accepted the pastorate of the Second Baptist church in that city.

Rev. Garrett has received calls from three different churches within the past few days.

The Amarillo folks are familiar to Rev. Garrett, as he was missionary of the Palo Duro Association for a number of years, leaving that work to accept the pastorate at McLean.

In the farewell sermon preached Sunday morning, Rev. Garrett stated that he was leaving McLean with friendly feelings for everyone, and it is certain that he leaves hundreds of friends who wish him well in his new field.

It is not known who will be chosen as pastor of the McLean church, but the regular monthly business meeting of the church will be held next Wednesday night, when the matter of a new pastor will probably be discussed.

News from Liberty

By Special Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Messer moved to Porter Flat Thursday.

Mrs. Luther Petty and children visited at the Messer home Thursday.

Reuben Woodley preached a fine sermon Sunday.

Emanuel James of Groom visited in the Francis home Sunday. He reported Mr. Francis having been very ill, but was better.

A. L. Morgan took a bale of cotton to McLean Tuesday.

J. B. Pettit and family attended preaching services here Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Petty and children were dinner guests in the Richard Henly home Friday.

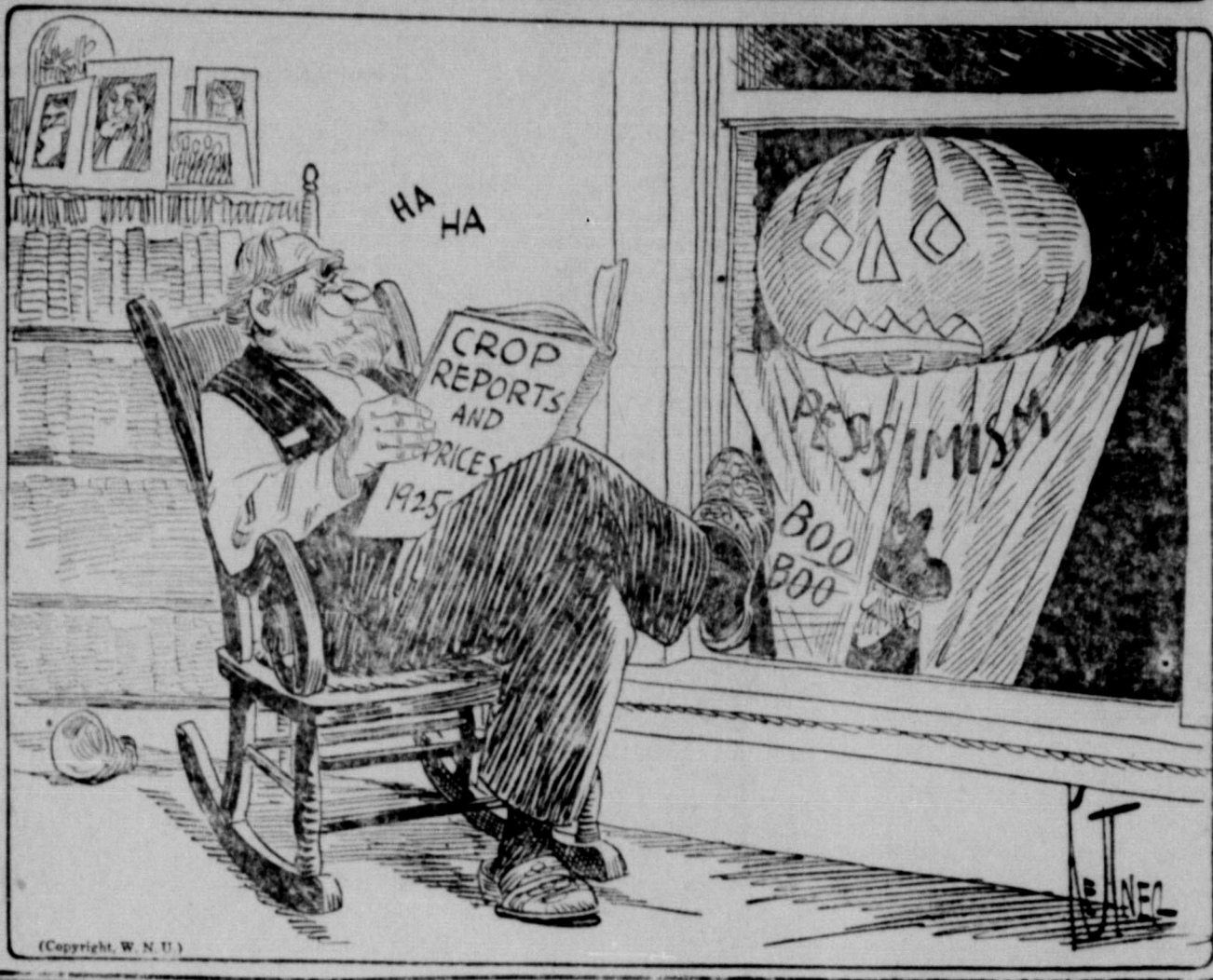
Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pearce and children and Misses Onal and Levie Nelson attended preaching services at the McLean Baptist church Sunday night.

Mesdames T. C. and F. B. Landers of Heald were in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Clarendon were business visitors here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Foley of the Whitefish community were trading in McLean Tuesday.

Can't Fool Him This Year



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SAVAGE INFANT FUNERAL SERVICES WEDNESDAY

Funeral services were held Wednesday for the infant son born to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Savage.

Services were conducted at the N. E. Savage home by Pastor W. C. Garrett of the First Baptist church. Interment was made at Hillcrest cemetery.

News from Heald

By Special Correspondent.

Seems that the northers come pretty often these days. We have had some pretty cool weather, but have had some fine days to work. People are getting their cotton picked and row crops gathered pretty fast now.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haynes attended church and laymen's meeting at McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey visited his brothers, Ed and Henry, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rencan and children attended church at McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Phillips attended the laymen's meeting at McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bidwell of Back visited in the J. W. Donohoe home Saturday night and Sunday.

A fine daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Rob Harlan Monday. Mother and babe are doing fine. Mack Harison has sold his crop and farming tools to Roland Litchfield.

Mr. McRee of Ft. Worth came in Sunday prospecting and visiting in the T. F. Phillips home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hinton visited in the Walter Bailey home Sunday afternoon.

W. J. Chilton was right sick one day this week.

T. F. Phillips was in McLean Tuesday.

Roland Litchfield was in McLean Tuesday with two bales of cotton. Harvey Hanes of Pagan was in this community on business Wednesday.

Wednesday was so cold that several butchers.

W. J. Litchfield was down on the Stokely ranch Wednesday. Hubert and Pete Chilton were in McLean Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Hinton visited in the Paul Ladd home Wednesday.

Mrs. J. S. Morse went to Norman, Okla., Saturday.

E. F. Barker is a new subscriber to The News.

COLD SPELL THIS WEEK

The first really cold spell of the season struck us Tuesday night. No damage was done other than several car owners forgot to drain radiators, resulting in large repair bills.

The weather man predicts warmer weather the last of the week, which will be welcome to everyone.

NEW ENGINE NOW RUNNING AT CITY POWER PLANT

The new engine recently installed at the city power plant is now running, delivering electric current to the switchboard.

The switchboard was ordered overhauled while the factory expert was here, and Pete Fulbright, superintendent of the plant, informs us that it will now be possible to ascertain just what it costs the city to deliver current to the consumer. Heretofore, it has been impossible to measure the amount of power delivered by the engines, and it now appears that the engines have been working under an overload for a long time.

The plant was shut down most of Monday and Tuesday while the repairs were being made, causing much inconvenience to users of current. The News was forced to take a rest; the electric posting machine at the Citizens State Bank was put out of commission during the time and a factory man had to be sent for to fix it. These, together with complaints from housewives who were caught on washday and ironing day without available current, represent all the complaints we were able to hear.

With all repairs in, everything will be normal just as soon as we become used to the noise made by the new engine, and there should be no further complaint until such time as we need a bigger engine.

ENGINEERS COMPLIMENT CITY ON IMPROVEMENT

The News is in receipt of a letter from Gantt-Baker Company, Oklahoma City, in which they compliment McLean on outgrowing the old engines at the city power plant. They also enclosed \$1.50 for The News another year.

Earle Shell returned Saturday from a trip to Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Stratton came in Monday from Big Sandy.

Sam Davidson of Meadow renewed his subscription to The News this week.

A. R. Glenn and family, Charles Stratton and Miss Marguerite Merriman were Wheeler visitors Sunday.

Miss Lillian Abbott of Clarendon visited home folks here last week.

W. R. Wise is a new subscriber to The News.

E. O. Yoakum is a new reader of The News.

Miss Lolene Coffey left Tuesday for an Amarillo sanitarium.

Mrs. Frank Faulkner of Amarillo is visiting in McLean this week.

JUDGE EWING HURT BY CAR SATURDAY

Judge Ewing of the 31st Judicial District was dangerously hurt last Saturday while looking over his ranch and duck hunting. The Judge had stopped his car near a tank and was walking toward the water when the car started down hill, and in attempting to stop the car, it ran over him, doubling him up and breaking two ribs and dislocating a hip.

The injured man lay in the cold from noon until after dark, when his wife became uneasy and phoned a tenant on the farm, who found the judge.

If pneumonia does not develop, doctors entertain hopes for his recovery.

PEDDLER ARGUES QUESTION WITH NEWSMAN LAST WEEK

A bell-ringer tried his wiles on the News man one day last week, and while we had the front door screen hooked and did not let him in, he was inclined to argue the matter with us.

After a statement that we buy everything of the home men who help support our schools and churches, the peddler said that he felt sure that the merchants were not as loyal to the home printer as the printer was to them; that many merchants order out-of-town printing.

The gentleman said he knew it was difficult for home town printers to make a decent living, and that he had many times run a small advertisement with them in order to help them out. We were glad to tell the gentleman that The News does not accept advertising on a donation basis, but we give value received for every dollar spent with us.

The merit of the goods offered by the peddler was not so much discussed as his right to do business in his own way. This was natural, as it does not matter much what the peddler has to sell, the line of sales talk is what is depended upon to make the sale.

The man who makes his living out of home folks should buy at home, and not fatten the pocket-books of strangers.

BREWER BUILDING HOME

A. W. Brewer is erecting a modern bungalow on lots recently purchased from W. C. Cheney, on Commerce and Fourth streets. This residence will be of framed stone construction and is in a good location, near connected sidewalks to the business district.

KACHELHOFFER OIL WELL FISHING JOB

After drilling to around 1300 feet at the Kachelhoffer oil well east of town, the wash bucket was lost in the hole, and efforts are now being made to grab the bucket.

It is not thought that it will take long to get the bucket and resume drilling operations.

With this exception everything is running nicely at the well, and production should be struck in a very short time.

CLARENCE GRAY'S MOTHER DIES

Clarence Gray was called to Miami Tuesday to attend the funeral of his mother, who died at that place early Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Katherine Gray, wife of N. A. Gray, died of acute indigestion, at the age of 64 years. She is survived by her husband and nine children.

Interment was made in Miami cemetery.

LINOTYPE MAN PRAISES McLEAN

Ira Bacon of El Paso, Linotype representative, was looking over The News' machine last week, and he was very favorably impressed with the progress McLean has made in the past four years, since his last visit to our town.

Mr. Bacon was agreeably surprised to note the evidence of progress our town shows, and complimented our citizens on the good showing the town makes to the out-of-town visitor.

SHAMROCK STORE ROBBED

The safe in the Forbis and Stone store at Shamrock was blown Sunday night and 1,850 in cash and checks taken by the thieves.

Several stores have been entered in nearby towns that is thought to be the work of the same burglars.

FUNERAL SERVICES HUFF CHILD MONDAY

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ Monday afternoon for Claudine Evon, 15 months old adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gus J. Huff, who died Sunday.

Services were conducted by Eld. Ira Lee Sanders of Wellington.

Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery immediately following the funeral services.

Mr. Huff has just recently moved to our community, and is a son of Eld. A. C. Huff.

The News joins friends in extending sympathy to the sorrowing relatives.

Oliver October

By George Barr McCutcheon

New and exciting story by the famous author of "Graustark," "Brewster's Millions," "Viola Gwyn," etc. Combines thrills with a delightful romance. The plot is clever, the story is full of humor, action and mystery. It is quite the most original of this author's many unique tales and fully as agreeable and fascinating as any one of them.

Will Be Printed Serially in The McLean News

Gray Connty Makes Good Showing at Dallas State Fair

County Agent P. E. McMeans has returned from the Dallas Fair and reports one of the stiffest agricultural shows ever staged at the State Fair.

Gray county's exhibit was penalized 10 points on account of showing only one variety of corn, which lost us second place. Two varieties of corn was actually shown, but as they were not of different colors, the judge called them one variety. Smith county won over Gray for fifth place with only one-half point.

The cash prize awarded to Gray county amounted to \$230, which, in the opinion of Mr. McMeans, will pay all expenses incurred in placing the exhibit.

A remarkable fact is that Gray county won a higher place than all the counties that had previously won first places in the regional fairs.

Gray county's booth was in the best location in the exhibition building, where all who entered the building could not fail to see our exhibit, and it is estimated that fully 60% of the 800,000 paid admissions came through the exhibition hall. The same location was reserved by Mr. McMeans for next year's fair.

Harrison county's agent told Mr. McMeans that his exhibit was the pick of eleven communities, of one hundred farmers of the county, and credit was given the farmers for taking first place.

Mr. McMeans says that Gray county could take a world premium with that kind of co-operation, as there is no doubt but that we raise the right kind of stuff to win first prizes, if it could be assembled.

Out of 26 entries in individual exhibits, 24 won ribbons, having the best display of corn and making high score on fruits, wheat and alfalfa. Out of a possible 75 points, our vegetable display won 71 points, winning second sweepstakes in this event. On single ear of corn we won sixth prize. Seven first and three second prizes were won on fruits; three firsts, two seconds, two thirds, two fourths, and sweepstake on hay; one first, second and third on vegetables.

Mr. McMeans also placed the Carson county exhibit, winning 20th place.

Next year's plans call for a \$500,000 new agricultural building and an exhibitors banquet, in which each county will furnish the best product grown in its territory, and it is expected that upwards of 2000 people may be fed on Texas grown foods, served on Texas grown linen.

Mr. McMeans says he desires to express his appreciation to everyone who helped in any way to make Gray county's exhibit a success.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB REORGANIZED

By Reporter.

Miss Seelbach reorganized the Home Demonstration Club Tuesday, Oct. 27, 1925, with ten members. We are expecting an unusually good club this year, and hope to have at least twenty-five members soon.

We chose as the name of our club "The Home Demonstration Club," and as the motto, "Make the Best Better." The sweet pea was selected as the flower, and purple and gold as the colors.

The following officers were elected:

President—Wilma Grigsby.
Vice president—Corrie Lee Newman.

Secretary—Joellene Vannoy.
Reporter—Marie Browning.

Little Misses Charlotte and Rosalie Cousins of Amarillo visited their grandparents here this week.

Harold Clement returned from an Amarillo sanitarium Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stauffer of Heald attended church in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins of Amarillo visited home folks here Sunday.

Mrs. Nugent Kunkel returned Sunday from an Amarillo sanitarium.

R. T. Harris of Altus, Okla., was shaking hands with friends here the first of the week.

Unique in Fiction

Oliver October

By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON

THIS author who has invented such a great number of clever plots in fiction, placed his characters in such agreeably tantalizing positions, invested his tales with the very spirit of romance and who has had about as many imitators as any other writer, has given these imitators another good one to aim at in "Oliver October." Here is a story of today, of people such as we meet every day, yet into the life of the chief character comes an experience as amazing as anything to be found in fact or fiction. Another hit by McCutcheon and another delight for his hundreds of thousands of admirers.

You will have the pleasure of reading the story serially in The McLean News

THE RHYTHM OF LIFE

By Elizabeth Fry Page

Before the moral law was ever given to man, certain fundamental, universal, eternal, spiritual laws were established such as vibration, polarity, rhythm and cause and effect.

The law of rhythm is seen in the beating of the pulse, the inhalation and exhalation of the breath, the ebb and flow of the tide. Always and everywhere there is rest and activity, advance and retreat, rise and fall. It is the law of compensation. The pendulum swing to the right is equal to the pendulum swing to the left. This law is indestructible.

God had this law which he had so long established in mind when he said: "Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy."

Man needs the Sabbath to preserve the rhythm of life, and for the same reason he needs it, not merely as a day of feasting and frolicking, but as a holy day. One day in seven is a very brief period in which to establish life's rhythm, unless it is so consecrated as to place it in very strong contrast to the other six.

However, the man who keeps the week day holy is very apt to delight in a proper observance of the Sabbath, and he will desire to instill a love and reverence for the day and its real meaning into the minds and hearts of his children, and even a stranger within his gates will be the better for having carried there through one week end.

The poor working man is usually made the scapegoat for those who wish an excuse for the violation of Sunday laws and custom. It is claimed that he has no other time to take his children to picture shows, or for an excursion in the woods, or down the river, or to witness a game of ball, and the contention is that a certain amount of amusement is necessary for man's proper development.

There is a distinction between amusement and recreation. The latter is a necessity, and can be had on Sunday as well as any other day, without violating any of the laws of God or man; in fact, the very design of the day, in the Divine Mind, was to re-create man in body by giving him a rest from his labors of other days, and in spirit by giving him an opportunity to think upon higher things, to feed and nourish his soul and to come into closer union with his Maker through worship.

It ought to be a recreation to any man after a hard week's work to have a good bath, put on his best clothes and go with his children to Sunday school. There is no mere refreshing sight than a lot of happy little folks sitting listening to the "wonderful words of life" as they fall from the lips of some consecrated teacher, or standing with shining faces to unite in the singing of hymns of praise and thanksgiving.

And going into a quiet church, with the beauty, the peace and the uplift that one finds there, looking about at smiling friendly faces and hearing things that will make living easier and happier during the coming week is a very great recreation, a making over of the weary, work-a-day man, a revealing of his higher, better self to him.

It is really very much to the advantage of the working man, in a worldly way, to refrain from demanding Sunday amusements, for in the places where the latter are in vogue, many employers enforce Sunday work without extra pay, and the working men have had to petition their officials for a restoration of their day of rest. This happened in Berlin, Ghent and in Holland, where Sunday laws are lax, and in some places in this country.—The Convention Teacher.

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

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

Oliver October?
Buy your coal from Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 1fc

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

Oliver October?
Southern Star is a new brand of Yukon flour we have introduced and it is giving splendid satisfaction. Try one. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 1fc

Oliver October?

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

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That by publication of this writ for twenty days in a newspaper regularly published in the county of Gray, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said estate, to file their objections thereto, if any they have, on or before the November term, 1925, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden 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.
(SEAL)
CCC-43-4c

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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.

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WHEN DOOR BELL RINGS YOU EXPECT NEIGHBOR

"My home used to be my castle. When the front door bell rang, I could expect a friend or neighbor," said Mrs. Prudent Shopper, discussing the house-to-house nuisance.

"But that isn't so any more, with all kinds of solicitors ringing my door bell at all hours of the day, using all sorts of smart stories to gain admittance to my home.

"They tell me what I need for my home. What I need to wear, and why I should buy these things from them. I'm tired of being bothered and I'm a lot wiser than I was a year ago," she continued.

"Some of my girl friends told me about buying from agents, how cheap it was, and all that sort of thing. Before that I never even answered the door bell for agents. Well, as I said, I tried it for a year now. These agents for different out-of-town companies must tell each other of 'good customers' because I have been bothered nearly to death.

"Then I got to investigating these stories about buying cheaper at the door, and found that nearly all of the agents were not telling the truth about their quality or service. I found that I could match most anything they had for sale, buying one at a time, and charging it instead of having to pay two or three weeks in advance of delivery. It was cheaper at the local store, too.

"One big mistake the agent makes, one which I resent most, is the way he will force a sale. Many times I was foolish enough to come to the door. Invited him in—only to find that I had really obligated myself to buy. Some of the agents said so. In the store I can look and compare quality and price at the counter and go away feeling perfectly free to buy where I please.

"No more agents for me," Ms. Prudent Shopper concluded. "To

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Elite Barber Shop
Everett & West, Props.

tell the truth, I like to shop around I like to compare styles and prices and buy to the best advantage. For a whole year now I have missed the fun of shopping. I like to go shopping."—The National Clothier.

WRONG DIAGNOSIS

After writing a prescription for a patient, the doctor told him the druggist would probably charge a dollar for making up the medicine. The patient asked the doctor to lend him the money, and the doctor took the prescription and carefully scratched out a part of it, handing it back with the words: "You can have that made up for a quarter. What I scratched out was nerve medicine."

TIME

A business man had gone to a fortune teller and among other things he had been told that he was to meet with immediate financial reverses. This seemed to cheer him very much. When one of his friends told him he couldn't see anything very joyous in that, the business man said he could and so would his friend if he knew anything about his finances, for "I'll say right now that if they don't reverse pretty soon I'll be busted."

THE EXPLANATION

They were on their honeymoon. He had bought a boat and had taken her out to show her how well he could handle it, putting her to tend the sheet. A puff of wind and he shouted in no uncertain tone, "Let go that sheet, quick!"

No response.

Then again, "Let go that sheet, quick!"

Still no movement. A few minutes after, when both were clinging to the bottom of the overturned boat, he said, "Why didn't you let go that sheet when I told you to, dear?"

"I would have," said the bride, "if you had not been so rough about it. You ought to speak more kindly to your wife."

SHOULD NOT ALLOW CARNIVAL

We think no carnival company should be allowed to come to Lubbock who will present a group of gambling devices that will take the money of the people without giving them something in return. No matter whether it comes under the "auspices" of local organiza-

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Clarendon, Texas

tions or not.—Lubbock Avalanche.
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LIBERTY VS. LICENSE

Have you ever thought just exactly what you are doing when you step up to the counter and call for your favorite brand of tobacco? In the first place, you are spending fifteen cents. In the second, you are preparing to weaken your stomach, eyesight, lungs, and to benumb your god-given faculties for accurate thought. Some argue that the enjoyment they derive from the use of tobacco offsets the weakened lungs, etc., that appear in old age. But we do not have any right to prevent others from breathing pure air. Or do we have any greater right to ruin our own bodies than we have to destroy the bodies of others? They say that if you'll give a man enough rope, he'll smoke himself to death. Yes, this is a free country, but don't confuse liberty with license.—The Prairie.

PRESENCE OF MIND

A few minutes after an alarm of fire was given in a hotel, one of the guests joined the group that were watching the fire and chaffed them on their apparent excitement. "There was nothing to be excited about," he said. "I took my time about dressing, lighted a cigarette. Didn't like the knot in my tie so I tied it over again—that's how cool I was."

"Fine," one of his friends remarked, "but why didn't you put on your trousers?"

INDEED!

The boss was dictating to the new, pretty and sophisticated stenographer. Suddenly he stopped. "Am I too fast for you?" he asked anxiously.

She considered him and then replied, "Oh, no, indeed, but you're a trifle old."

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. Rippy

HIS MISTAKE

Jean—"So Tom and you are to be married? Why, I thought it was a mere flirtation."
Joan—"So did Tom."

ALWAYS TRUST THE DOCTOR

"Oh, doctor, I suffer too much. Let me die."
"I don't need your advice, madam! I know my own work!"

Notice

I will grind Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays only, until after the first of the year.

McLEAN MILL

Geo. Colobank, Prop.



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.

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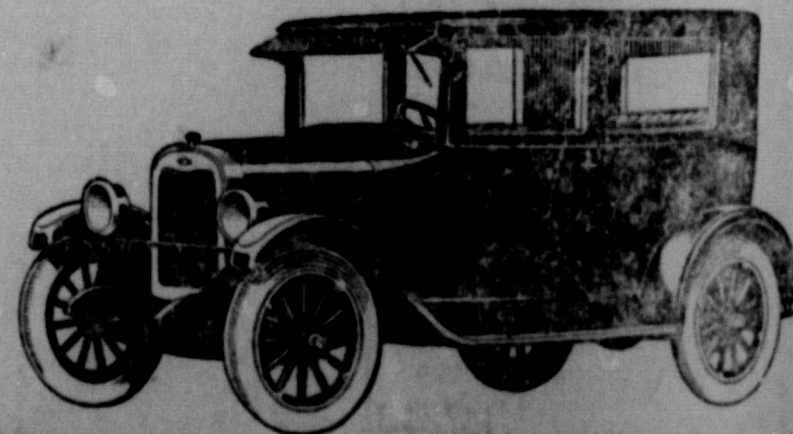
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QUALITY AT LOW COST

TRAPPED BOOTLEGGERS



Disguised as a flapper, City Marshal John E. Parker of Gloucester, Mass., found it easy to gather evidence against the bootleggers who have been operating in his town. He dressed as a blond "chicken" and, mingling judiciously with "wild women" and boys out for a time, heard conversations and saw sights that served him in good stead when he let slip the dogs of justice.

Virgin Islanders Ask Citizenship



Capt. Philip Williams, naval governor of the Virgin Islands, who has approved and forwarded to President Coolidge the resolution of the Colonial Council of the Virgin Islands, asking for American citizenship. There are over 3,000 English speaking people on the three islands who have been under the United States flag since 1917. Formerly Danes they are now neither Danes nor Americans, but entitled to the protection of the United States. They have all relinquished Danish citizenship.

MAGIC OF RODEO ROPERS



PAMPA USES NATURAL GAS

Pampa is the third city in the Panhandle to use natural gas, over 60 homes and business houses being connected to the mains from four big wells. Amarillo and Shamrock are the other two cities using gas as fuel.

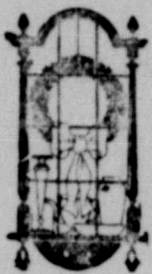
HOLDING OUT

"Your wife says you can't keep anything from her." "She is mistaken. I have a quarter inside the lining of my vest at this very moment."

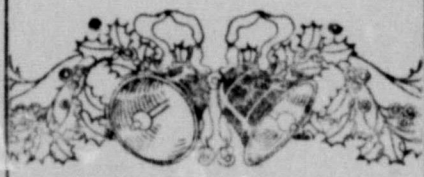
RUBBER STAMPS. Order rubber stamps, daters, etc., at the News office. Prompt service and the best of work.

SPEED BROS.

General Contractors and Builders
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CLARENDON AND McLEAN TEXAS



WE invite you to see our new Christmas line. Our Greeting Card stock was never so fine. There's Distinction, Quality, and Good Value here. In every card we are offering this year. And your own special taste we can gratify too. To carry your Christmas Greetings for you.



SAMPLE CARDS ON DISPLAY HERE

The McLean News

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COTTON BATTS

3 pound cotton batts only 69c each.

Cobb's Variety Store

Welcome Welcome

CAR TROUBLES

If your car gives you trouble, better let us fix it. Don't wait for a breakdown that will mean a big expense. A repair in time saves lots of trouble.

GRIGSBY'S AUTO SHOP

"A Square Deal Always"

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

SHOW HERE THIS WEEK

Gabe Garrett's Comedians, advertised to play here this week, arrived Monday, and despite bad weather, have been playing to good crowds since.

Good music, entertaining plays and specialties feature the show, and the big tent is plentifully supplied with stoves.

Frank Lustre, manager of the

company, states that their big feature play will be given Friday night.

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

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

Seed rye at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement t/c

COLD WEATHER FOOD

There is no better cold weather food than meat. Our fresh meats make the best part of the meal. Order what you need every day.

THE CITY MARKET

Bred Into Our

Bread

The quality of our bread is put there on purpose. We make it the best we know how—every day.

McLEAN BAKERY

Herman Lee, Mgr.

Turkeys Wanted

Thanksgiving market now open. Car prices paid six days in the week. Call and see us Saturday if you have turkeys to sell. We are buying for a large organization and can meet all competition. Avoid the rush of car days. Every day prices give you the advantage of any raise in the market.

We need you and you need us. Don't fail to see us Saturday.

Ask about the opening market and our guaranteed prices. We have made prices good for you the last five years and we will continue to do so.

W. E. Clement Produce

Phone 152 or 155



The Modern Way to Write

ANY user will tell you of the debt which he owes to this time and labor saving machine.

Call in and let us show you this wonderful little typewriter—the smallest, lightest and most compact of all standard keyboard portables. One demonstration will convince you that here is the personal writing machine you have always needed.

Provides the longest writing line of any portable; takes the regular long envelope; does beautiful work; and all the writing is always visible.

Price, complete with case, \$60

THE McLEAN NEWS

Remington Portable

Other Sage Says:

You know that a young feller an' gurl ain't much in love if they ain't reached the quarrelin' stage yet.

TOWN PESTS



The Stone-Age Advertiser who Sends out a Kid to ring Folkses Doorbells and litter at their Porches with Samples and Circulars is getting Publicity, but the wrong kind, and the more he gets, the Worse Off he will be. The Stone-Age Advertiser wins the Rubber Sticks!

Oliver October

By George Barr McCutcheon

New and exciting story by the famous author of "Graustark," "Brewster's Millions," "Viola Gwyn," etc. Combines thrills with a delightful romance. The plot is clever, the story is full of humor, action and mystery. It is quite the most original of this author's many unique tales and fully as agreeable and fascinating as any one of them.

Will Be Printed Serially

Wanted

LEDGER paper for the bookkeeping class in stock at the News office.

COTTON pickers wanted. Comfortable place to stay. Need hands enough to pick a bale a day. Phone 23. H. S. A. Cousins. 1c

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. 40-9p-t/c

Oliver October?

GROCERIES ARE cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. t/c

O. M. Franklin Blackleg Bacteria for sale at E. E. Dishman Confectionery. 40-5c

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

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

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. 40-9p-t/c

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

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.

NOTICE OF SALE.—Ford truck 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 liens. Cousins Motor Co. 43-3c

LAST CALL for calendars for 1926. Better let us show you our exclusive line of calendars. Practice what you preach and buy calendars at home. No high powered salesmanship used, just neighborly service. Phone 47. The McLean News.

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

THE McLEAN NEWS
Published Every Thursday

T. A. Landers Fred Landers
LANDERS & LANDERS
Editors and Owners

Entered as second class mail matter May 8, 1905, at the post office at McLean, Texas, under act of Congress.

Subscription Price
One Year.....\$1.50
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.

With chickens violating the city ordinance in the daytime and cows and horses running at large nights, the man who is trying to grow a lawn in McLean will have to guard his premises night and day.

The merchant who advertises in his home town paper is a town booster. The merchant who lets the other fellow pay the publicity cost and then cashes in on it is simply a leech who gets something he is not entitled to.

In our trade-at-home talk we sometimes forget the insurance agents, but there is no reason to buy insurance from the out-of-town man on account of his high pressure salesmanship, when our neighbors represent good strong companies. Read the advertisements in the home paper when you need insurance of any kind, and act accordingly.

Newspaper advertising is admitted to be the best and cheapest advertising to be had, yet high powered salesmanship puts over many schemes in the name of advertising. A merchant should budget his advertising appropriation according to his gross receipts and see that every penny spent brings in value received. When this is done, advertising pays big dividends and does not have to carry the blame of worthless schemes.

Any time a merchant allows an advertising card placed in his show window, he should be paid for it. The show window is the most valuable part of the store, ranking next to newspaper advertising, and no merchant should be expected to give away valuable space to detract from his own goods. When such advertising is placed in the News' windows, we receive pay for it, and any merchant can do likewise.

A Haskell boy was killed at Lubbock last week while playing on the Tech College football team in a practice match with the high school team of that city, while attempting to block a runner. Of course, there are dangers to be encountered in every walk of life, but we are wondering just how the parents of this boy feel about the matter. None of us want our boys to be mollycoddlers or to be afraid of the game, but it does seem that some games are unnecessarily dangerous to the players.

You will receive the highest degree of genuine satisfaction from Yukon's Best flour. Advertisement t/c

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

Buy Yukon flour and you get the BEST. Advertisement t/c

EXCESS DIGNITY

Theodore Hook, the famous London wit, once sat in a coffee house gazing at a pompous individual. The latter sent a waiter to ask if there was anything he could do for Mr. Hook.

"I was just wondering," was the genial reply, "if anybody could possibly be as important as you look."
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

WHAT HE LACKED

A colored agent was summoned before the Insurance Commissioner. "Don't you know," said the Com-

missioner, "that you can't sell life insurance without a State license?" "Boss," said the darkey, "you suah said a mouful. I knowed I couldn't sell it, but I didn't know the reason."—Forbes.

UNRELIABLE

A touching little balad entitled "I Wonder if He'll Miss Me" was received one day by a music publisher from a young woman. He read it through and replied: "Dear Madam: If he does, he should never be trusted with fire arms again."

STRONG ARM STUFF

The Rails Banner in its last issue appealed to its advertisers in an "humble" manner to get their copy in as early as possible. Positively it will do no good, Hyatt. You've got to use rough stuff on your advertisers to get results. The Herald tried that old pleading method for a long time and these Brownfield birds paid no mind to it. So on one fine Monday morning we started around among our advertisers with a winchester under our left arm and a horse whip in our left hand and told them in pointed language just what to expect. We informed them that advertising copy must be inside the Herald office by noon each Wednesday, and that failure to do so mean a horse whipping for the first two offenses, and the third offense would call for our edict to be enforced by use of the repeater, at sunrise promptly on Thursday following violation. Well, as not more than a third of them got their advertising in on time, we just told them to go to grass and eat mullen. You've got to be independent with 'em, Dick.—Terry County Herald.

PRIZE SHORT STORY

Bustly engaged in the preparation of breakfast, Ruth halted suddenly, whirling about she saw Bob, her husband, stagger slightly into

SANDWICHES

Sandwiches, Hamburgers, Pies
Hot Coffee and Chocolate
Sweet Milk
Candies and Cigars
Your Business Appreciated
Hamburger Inn
J. A. Meador, Prop.

Texhoma Oil & Refining Co.
For Value and Service Use
TEXHOMA PRODUCTS
Amalie Motor Oils 100 per cent Pure Pennsylvania.

L. L. ROGERS
Agent
Phone 131 McLean, Texas

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

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 car a chance to deliver the mileage that is built into them.

U. S. Tubes are Good Tubes.
SNAPPY SERVICE STATION
E. L. CUBINE, Mgr.

the kitchen and grasp the door's edge to keep himself from falling. His face was ashen. With a great effort he pulled himself together. Determination born of desperation flashed from his eyes. She knew his mind was made up. She waited—waited breathlessly for him to speak.

"Well, it has happened—we can no longer put it off," he said, his voice husky, but calm.

"Bob, tell me—spare me nothing. I can hear it—anything—but let me share this blow with you. What is it, Bob? Tell mamma."

A great love looked out at her who stood there. Yes, he would tell her.

"Ruth—I just gotta get another package of safety razor blades. I've been putting it off—and putting it off now, we must act. I just busted that last one—an' I ay used it seven weeks."

FEASTING HIS EYES

Mrs. Cornstassel, from the rural districts, stopped her husband at the city's busy corner.

"Hiram," she expostulated, "the

way you stare at the limbs of these shameless city hussies is something scandalous. One would think you'd never seen legs afore."

"Well, Maria," drawled Mr. Cornstassel, "that's just what I was beginnin' to think myself."

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING IS GREATEST WEAPON IN FIGHT AGAINST PEDDLER

St. Louis.—Good advertising, especially newspaper advertising, is the greatest weapon of the retail merchant in eliminating the house-to-house canvasser, T. K. Kelley, of Minneapolis, told the American Retailers' Association in semi-annual session here.

"The bell ringer," he said "is selling thousands upon thousands of dollars worth of merchandise in each community in the country that should be sold through the established retail stores. The bell ringer is a growing competition to the retail stores, because the housewife is ignorant of the economics of distribution and she believes the unsupported claim that he can sell cheaper than the retail stores."

Referring to the remedy of newspaper advertising, he said: "It has become the habit of the American people to do practically all their shopping through the newspaper and the newspapers in America today have too great an economic force to need any recommendation."

that they were not desired, which it was reported, were placed on 90% of all front doors in the city.

A LONG STORY

Bones—"What did your wife say about your being out so late the other night?"

Jones—"Don't ask me yet. When she gets through with the subject, 'I condense it for you."



Every Effort

We are making every effort to please you, to supply your wants and needs; to fulfill our calling as conscientious merchants in our particular line.

Erwin Drug Co.

REXALL AND NYAL REMEDIES

If You Are Interested in

Furniture

We Will Make It Interesting to You

CASH Talks at Our House

Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Co.
Phone Fifty

Just What You Need

The coming of cold weather brings the need of good stoves and other equipment. We handle standard makes of stoves, both heaters and ranges, that will insure satisfaction.

Oil stoves, stove pipe and stove supplies of all kinds can be bought here at reasonable prices.

Don't forget that we handle most all makes of the better farm wagons. See us before you buy.

McLean Hdw. Co.

W. B. Upham, Manager

Defying the Desire for Non-essentials

Saying "NO" to non-essentials will build a bank account for anybody.

Money placed in our bank for specific purpose will be comparatively immune to the song of the "Spending Siren."

Those who try it are convinced.

The Citizens State Bank

A Guaranty Fund Bank
CAPITAL AND SURPLYS \$33,750.00
J. S. MORSE, President C. C. BOGAN, Cashier



OLIVER OCTOBER

By **GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON**

A MYSTERIOUS Gypsy fortune teller foretold the future of Oliver October Baxter on the day he was born.

She predicted for him much of the good things of life—love, wealth and power.

But angered by some slighting remark, she turned fiercely to Baxter, senior, and shouted: "But that is not all!"

What else she predicted furnishes the framework for one of the most dramatic plots of all the popular novels by George Barr McCutcheon.

Start Reading "Oliver October" as a Serial in

The McLean News, next week

Just Received

Big shipment of men's and boys' union suits. Light weight and fleece lined. Also big shipment of all kinds of sweaters.

John Mertel

Show Repairing Done While You Wait

The Tigerette

LeRoy Landers Editor-in-Chief
 Vera Wilson Assistant Editor
 Miss Blair Sponsor

McLean Tigers vs. Miami Warriors

The Tigers were defeated by the Miami Warriors last Friday afternoon by a score of 19 to 0. The local men fought for victory every down, but the Miami aggregation proved invincible.

The game was started by a kick-off by the Tigers. Miami held the ball on the McLean half of the field most of the first quarter, but they did not threaten the goal line. The ball was carried back and forth, Jordan calling for a punt every time the home team got the ball.

The second quarter was much like the first, with the exception that the Warriors succeeded in pushing the ball over for 7 points. They scored 6 points in the third quarter and 6 in the last, making the last touchdown by intercepting a pass on the twenty yard line and racing across the local team's goal line.

The Miami team is noted for its line backs. They opened up the attack with a series of bucks and short end runs that completely baffled the home boys. Some of the Tiger line men, especially those who have had no experience in the game, were unable to break through the heavy opposition.

Eight of the Warriors are playing their fourth year together; they outweighed the Tigers fifteen pounds to the man. Since the Warriors are probably the strongest team they will have to play this season, the Tigers are working with renewed energy in anticipation of the coming game, despite their many bruises and sprains.

Kittens Defeat Squaws

Last Friday afternoon at 2:30 the McLean Kittens played the Miami Squaws in basketball. The score was 46 to 5 in favor of the Kittens. Remarkable team work was shown by the winning team, Audra Wilson making 36 points, and Bonnie Miller 9 points. The captain of the opposing team complimented

the Kittens by saying they were good sports.

The lineup:
 Miami

Forwards
 Thelma Gill Audra Wilson
 Weba Stocker Bonnie Miller

Centers
 Cora Christopher Lena Sparks
 Ellen Cunningham Vina Stratton

Guards
 Ester Gill Beatrice Cash
 Mattie Russel Vera Wilson

Subs:
 Miami—Capitola Kidd, Fannie Cousets, McLean—Catherine Corum, Bonnie Biggers, Floye Landers, Winnie Bailey, Laeuna Holloway.

Football Game

The Tigers are working with renewed vigor this week. They were defeated last Friday by the Miami Warriors, but they are not made of the stuff that grows despondent under defeat. They are clawing up the turf out on the practice field this week and are looking forward to the coming battle with Wheeler.

The team is still a strong opponent—strong enough to interest any team in the district. They have worked hard. There is no question but that they will win a majority of the games this season. The truth of the business is that we have more team than we have backing. If the people of the town will encourage us instead of knocking us, we will do much better work than we will if we hear that those whose duty it is to uphold us are for the opposing team.

There is no reason in the world why McLean should not win that game with Wheeler Friday. They can and they will. The Tigers have been defeated. They are after revenge and will make the next team they play feel the claws of a husky bunch of Tigers. Hear them growl!

The Kittens are intending to accompany the Tigers to Wheeler and will meet them in a game of basketball. The Kittens are as yet

undefeated, and do not intend to be bested without one of the hardest battles ever fought on a girls' basketball court.

Chapel Exercises

The high school and elementary grades assembled in the study hall last Monday morning for chapel exercises. The pastor of the Methodist church, Rev. Thomas, consented to speak for us.

He read a passage of scripture, taking for his subject "The Withered Hand." In the reading of the scripture we learned that the Pharisees had watched Jesus as He entered the synagogue to see if He would heal the withered hand of a man who happened to be waiting for Him that Sunday. In the remainder of the talk Rev. Thomas showed us that it is possible that many of our faculties and talents may become withered through idleness or misuse, even as this man's hand was withered. He urged us not to let this tragedy occur. We must take advantage of our opportunities. We must live so that we will become well rounded men and women, thoroughly fitted for the life that stretches out before us.

Rev. Thomas' talk was both interesting and instructive. We always welcome any speaker who has the interest of the school at heart. There are some who have not visited us this term. We shall be delighted to hear them.

Mr. Dean—"Have you written that letter to Lincoln?"
 Leonard—"No. I don't know his Gettysburg address."

Coach—"Emery, what are the two genders, and give their divisions?"

Emery—"Masculine and feminine, the masculine is divided into temperate and intemperate, and the feminine is divided into frigid and torrid."

Beatrice—"What do you call it when two persons are thinking of the same thing—mental telepathy?"

Russell—"Sometimes it's that and sometimes it's just plain embarrassment."

Lois—"I had a lovely nut sundae."
 Audra—"I have one calling on

me tonight."

Father—"How was the sermon this morning?"
 Son—"Full of static."

Ned—"But I asked you, dearest, to keep our engagement a secret for the present."

Naomi—"I know, but dad said the reason I wasn't married was because there was no fool big enough to ask me; so I told him you had."

Coach—"See here, Oran, if I ever catch you with a cigarette stump in your mouth I am going to take it away from you."

Oran—"Cripes, but you must be hard up for a smoke."

English teacher—"Who was John Bunyan?"
 Tom—"Oh, er—he—he was an English specialist on foot trouble."

Oliver October?

Need a typewriter? The Remington Portable has all the advantages of any machine made. The cost is small. See the sample machine at the News office

EAT HERE

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

The Texas Cafe

VULCANIZING



Tires and Tubes
 Soldering Done
 All Work Guaranteed

McLean Vulcanizing Shop
 L. D. Preston, Mgr.

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

For real satisfaction in baking, use Yukon's Best and Southern Star flour. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement 1fc

Seed rye at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement 1fc

Our stock of building material is complete. Call and look over our stock. Cicero Smith Lbr. Co. Advertisement 41-4c

IMPORTANT

"Rastus, who is dat solvent lookin' gentleman speculatin' up an' down de aisies wid de gold obstacles?"
 He's de new pasture at our church."

"Don't you organize him?"
 "No, Ah don' organize him. Ah's never been introduced by him."
 "I see franchised yuh don' organize hip. He's de most confiscated man in our whole diaphragm."

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

McLean Filling Station

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

Floyd Phillips, Mgr.

V. H. MOORE

Auctioneer

Get your date at the News office or phone me collect.
 Wheeler, Texas

Watch Repairing

We Pay Postage Both Ways
 Quick Service—Reasonable Rates

McCormack Brothers

Shamrock, Texas
 Leave Work at Shell's Pharmacy or Send Direct

LIFE INSURANCE FARM AND RANCH LOANS LANDS FOR SALE

Improved farms or unimproved raw land suitable for farm or stock-farm purposes. Reasonably priced with attractive terms.

O. G. STOKELY • McLean, Texas

We Will Apologize

to our patronage for not being able to wait on all of you last Saturday,
 but we will have an additional set of clerks for the

Coming Saturday

Our Mr. Wallace Said to

Continue Our Sale

to the general public, so come in and buy and save, for we are underselling the town.

Wallace & Company

—Service With Pep—
 Phone 153

McLean

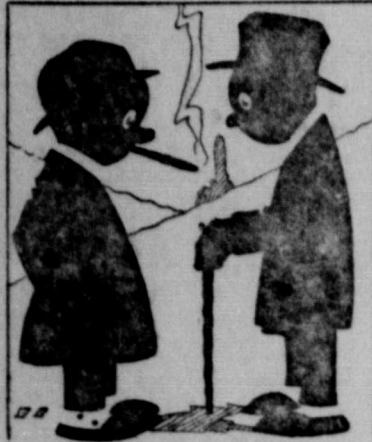
Texas

TAKING NO CHANCES



New Boarder—When I left my last boarding house, the landlady wept.
Landlady—Well, I won't—I always collect in advance.

YOU NEVER KNOW



"I don't like a man who won't take off his coat when there's reason to fight!"
"No; you never know what he's got up his sleeve."

MAKING AN ODD MEMBER



Mrs. Innit—I'd dearly love to propose you for our card club, but we have just an even number of fours.
Mrs. Outside—That needn't make any difference. I'm pretty good at solitaire.

NO WONDER



The Turtle—What made you mad?
The Mad March Hare—Answering fool questions like that!

AT PAR



The Filmhound—How can you select your movie queens? You surely can't test all the candidates.
The Manager—We have to take them at their face value.

THOUGHTFUL MOTHER



Mother (from upstairs)—Pauline, dear!
Pauline—Yes, mother, what is it?
Mother—Don't think of letting Mr. Noverlove go out on a cold morning like this without first taking breakfast with us.

Missionary O. L. Oldham of Shamrock preached at the First Baptist church last Sunday evening.

M. D. Bentley went to Miami Tuesday.

Paul Macina was in town with cotton Tuesday.

Genuine Colorado coal, Aztec quality—none better. Cheney & Callahan. Advertisement tfe

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement tfe

Loaded on lead at Cheney & Callahan's. Advertisement tfe

TRY AND GET IT

"I think, young man, you have a lot of nerve to ask to marry my daughter when you're only earning \$30 a week. That won't pay your rent."

"Rent. You don't mean to say you'll charge Gladys and me rent?"

MIXED SWEETS

Friend (to newlywed)—"Did you have waffles with honey?"
Newlywed—"No; she was too tired to get up this morning."

A LAWYER IN CHURCH

A young criminal lawyer was always full of quips.

A few years ago I attended the funeral of a millionaire financier—() of those "high financiers" whose low methods he loved to turn the light on.

I arrived at the funeral a little late and took a seat beside him, and whispered, "How far has the service gone?"

He nodded toward the clergyman in the pulpit and whispered back, "Just opened for the defense."

APPRECIATION

The editor stood at the pearly gate. His face looked worn and old; He meekly asked the man of fate For admission to the fold.

"What have you done," asked Peter, "To ask admission here?"

"Oh, I used to run a country paper on earth for many a year."

The gate swung open sharply, As Peter touched the bell—

"Come in, my lad, and take your harp;

You've had enough of hell."

EASY FOR HER

"Does your wife economize?"
"Yes, she does without practical-ly everything I need!"

"LAYS DOWN LAW" TO CO-EDS

Cigarettes, Motor Rides—Even Beauty—Frowned on at Northwestern

Evanston, Ill.—Beauty contests, cigarettes and motor car rides with men are barred to co-eds of Northwestern

FIRST NOTICE

IN HONOR OF A GREAT EVENT
Birthdays are always important occasions, especially if one is very young or very old. Before long The Youth's Companion will be a hundred years old, and the event is going to be made a memorable one for The Companion's many friends. So, although the date is not until April 16, 1927, preparations will begin with 1926.

In honor of its birthday, The Companion will come to you the next year at the new low price of \$2. It will be dressed in its party clothes, with new cover designs, enlarged illustrations, now brilliantly clear type, and over 200 pages more than last year. It will contain 9 'cock-length serial stories, fascinating mystery stories, tales of adventure on land and sea, the new "Make-It and Do-It" pages, radio, games, books and puzzles, interesting special articles, and the ever-delightful Children's Page. Don't miss this great year of The Youth's Companion; subscribe now and receive:

1. The Youth's Companion—52 issues in 1926, and
2. The remaining issues of 1925. All for only \$2.

3. Or include McCall's Magazine, the monthly authority on fashions. Both publications only \$2.50.

THE YOUTH'S COMPANION
8 N. Dept., Boston, Mass.
Subscriptions Received at This Office.

Advertisement.

INSURANCE

LIFE FIRE HAIL
I represent some of the strongest companies in the world. I insure anything. No prohibited list.
Money to loan on farms.
Reliable Insurance

T. N. HOLLOWAY
Reliable Insurance

western university. An edict to that effect was issued by Winifred G. Richardson, dean of women.
"Northwestern girls who enter beauty contests will be expelled," she said. "Beauty is nothing to be proud of. Brains are what we are interested in."
"It is unadvisable for a young woman to be seen in a motor car with a young man—or men."
"Girls who are caught smoking will be expelled."

WHEN THE EDITOR IS REMEMBERED

We ran across an article in the papers yesterday headed "Consider the Editor." We didn't read it for the reason that we have cut out fairy stories. No one ever did consider the editor.—Mineral Wells Index.

Where have you been, Bro. Miller, in all these years in the newspaper game, that you say nobody ever considers the editor? You must have forgotten a great deal. We are sure that there have been many times when somebody considered the editor of the Index. We venture to say that there was never an enterprise undertaken by the citizens of Mineral Wells for the public good or private profit that the editor didn't receive a great deal of consideration. There was never a public meeting wanted, or a campaign waged that the editor was not considered by the managers. We doubt if there ever was a committee solicited funds in Mineral Wells that didn't consider the editor. On the other hand, many a subscriber with a prize-winning calf, or a show hog, or a fine horse has considered the editor. Many a kindly soul has brought him a Thanksgiving turkey or a pumpkin for pies, or a sack of nice potatoes or the first fruits of the spring garden were divided with him. There have been those who spoke in praise of his editorial—or his write-up of a wedding in the family. Sometimes, though not often, after he has spent hours gathering information and has written a story of the life work and virtues of a leading citizen who has been called hence, someone has said "What a beautiful tribute to a good man." Oh, yes, Bro. Miller, the editor has been often considered and will be as long as anybody needs his help, or he can render the public a real service.—Bonham Favorite.

PATRONIZE THE ADVERTISERS

Hall's Catarrh Medicine is a Combined Treatment, both local and internal, and has been successful in the treatment of Catarrh for over forty years. Sold by all druggists.
F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio

PETRIFIED FOREST FOUND

A petrified forest! That may sound strange to some, but there is actually one in Brewster county, according to Dr. Q. O. Gaither, a former Somerville county man, and Mr. S. L. Cade, geologist, of Henderson county.

These gentlemen, who are now engaged in preparations to drill a deep test for oil in Henderson county, have just returned from Brewster county where they went to examine and report on the Big Bend country, and declare they saw with their own eyes this petrified forest, which according to these gentlemen, is some three miles wide, and as the time spent was very limited, they are unable to say how long it is.

This forest, they declare, is located about five miles north east of St. Helena, near the Caloma Peak, which is one of the old land marks of that country. It was so hot and the water supply was so

limited that they only spent the one day there, but will return some time in November and make further observations.

In this forest they found many petrified stumps that would measure from 30 to 75 across, they state. One especially large stump was between 600 and 700 feet in diameter and was something like 200 feet high. This stump, they both declare, shows plainly the grain of the wood and the knots where the limbs were originally.

Dr. Gaither stated that this forest, long extinct from volcanic action, contains many petrified specimens of the original forest of monster trees. "This phenomena has never been called to the attention of the public," say Dr. Gaither and Mr. Cade, "as practically all the inhabitants of that section are Mexicans, with very few marks of

the civilized white man to be seen within forty miles of the place." Dr. Gaither and Mr. Cade seem to be the first people to visit that forest who realized what the forest was.—Glen Rose Reporter.

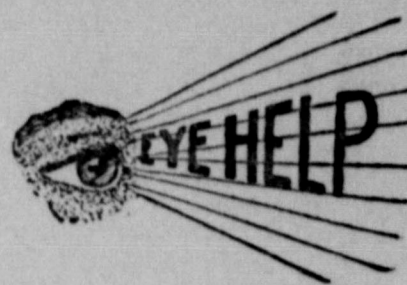
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