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R. I. Farmers Course Planned Here

Armistice Day Observed with Appropriate Exercises

Excellent Armistice Program

Well Presented Plays Feature of the Day

One of the best programs ever given in McLean was staged at the high school auditorium Armistice Day.

Due to the high wind and colder weather, the parade scheduled for 10 o'clock did not take place, but a large crowd gathered for the exercises at the school building.

After a selection by the band a drill giving the flags of the allied nations was shown, followed by an introductory address by Mrs. Jim Back, who directed the exercises.

The audience was asked to stand for a two minute silent prayer, which was concluded with an invocation by Pastor R. R. Rives of the First Presbyterian church.

A song was given by the little "tin soldiers" in costume. This was followed by the pageant of the Star Spangled Banner, in which Fern Landers was the reader, and the different scenes and tableaux followed in quick succession. The first was a parade of the thirteen original colonies, followed by the courtship of Miles Standish; then a colonial ball which made a hit with the audience as the little folks dressed in colonial costume went through the stately steps of the Virginia Reel. The stars of the flag representing the different states was presented in the different divisions of the United States, and this drill was particularly appealing, inasmuch as it showed careful training to execute the intricate drill in a pleasing manner. A drill by the soldiers was given, followed by a home scene tableau. The closing scene represented the sincerity of purpose of our country, and a song by the girls glee club completed the pageant.

Miss Ruby Cook spoke in appreciation of Andrew H. Floyd, the only McLean boy to give his life on the altar of duty. Miss Cook's talk was rich in personal reminiscence of young Floyd, and left no doubt of the standing of McLean's hero in the minds of those left behind.

Rev. R. R. Rives then made the address of the morning, in which he said that it is not all of life to live, nor all of death to die, but that our deeds live after us. Those who have gone before have only laid the foundation; it is ours to carry on, for there is much yet to be done in delivering the message of peace to the world. "There is no discharge in the warfare of patriotic service and sacrificial devotion to true Americanism," said Rev. Rives.

The closing number showed the returned soldiers being decorated for their services, accompanied by the singing of popular war songs back stage.

The Star Spangled Banner was then played by the combined band and orchestra.

Favors were given each visitor consisting of artificial poppies made by Mrs. Sligar's art class, and music was given by the high school band, orchestra, piano and saxophone duet and the girls' glee club.

LUNCHEON NEXT WEEK

By L. V. Lonsdale
The next business men's luncheon will be at Meador's Cafe Tuesday, Nov. 22. Be there promptly at 12:15 and bring a friend.

Big Crowd at Lyceum Number

Play Well Presented to Appreciative Audience

What was said to be the largest audience ever seen at a Lyceum course in McLean was present Wednesday evening at the high school auditorium at the performance of the "Three Wise Fools," which speaks well for the advertising and work of the ticket committee.

The show began a half hour late and the wait between acts was somewhat tiresome, but on the whole the program was very enjoyable, many remarking that the performance was much better than expected.

Many of the characterizations in the play were very cleverly presented and there was an intermixture of tragedy and comedy that made a well balanced program.

This was the first number of the course. Three other numbers will be given, two in January and one in February. Announcement was made that all holders of tickets for the first performance may exchange them at the price paid on the purchase of season tickets.

Primary Pupils Present Play P. T. A. Meet

The Parent-Teacher Association met in regular session Thursday afternoon in the high school auditorium.

The program consisted of a play by the primary pupils, and a report of Educational Week by Mrs. Tummins.

A Thanksgiving social was discussed, but decided to be an inopportune time.

The attendance was very good, but not what it should be.

This is a splendid opportunity for the parents to come to school for the afternoon, visit their children's teachers, acquaint themselves with the children's work and the teachers.

The next regular meeting will fall on Thanksgiving Day, so no other regular meeting will be held until the first regular meeting time in December.

Mrs. Sligar's room won the flag for having the largest number of parents present.

ART EXCHANGE MOVED TO MRS. WILSON'S STORE

The Art Exchange is now in charge of Mrs. L. Moody and Mrs. Sam Hodges, and has been moved to Mrs. W. T. Wilson's store.

The new location has been remodeled and decorated for the new business and machinery added for hemstitching, pleating, button making and ladies' tailoring.

Read the advertisement on another page.

SANTA CLAUS LETTERS WILL BE PUBLISHED

As has been the custom for the past several years, The McLean News will publish all letters to Santa Claus sent in by the children.

One letter has already been received, and we will be glad to have the letters turned in early in order that Old Santa may have time to prepare the presents wanted.

Means Says McLean Has Great Future

Apple Growing Should Be Considered by Farmers

H. M. Means, horticultural agent Rock Island system, of Chicago, was a visitor in McLean the first of the week, and in a conversation with a representative of The News stated that this section has been designated as an apple growing country by his department.

Mr. Means said that the influx of people to the cities has meant a great change in the daily menu, in that more fruits and vegetables are being eaten. He stressed the fact that agriculture means permanent prosperity for the community. The oil business is fine, but it will come and go, while the land will be here forever, and the agricultural possibilities of the country should not be lost sight of.

In talking of the young people, in whom the hopes of the community are centered, Mr. Means said that the usual school curriculum makes no provision for an education that would be of much use in making money, but where vocational training is given it means much for the future of the community. As a rule people are not paying as much attention to the essentials of prosperity as they should.

In stressing the need of diversified farming, the gentleman said that the dairy cow and the hen should be part of every farm program.

While this county will produce fine apples, it is also a potential grape country, and Mr. Means recommends the Carmen variety as being adapted to this climate. He also recommends a hardy peach as a money crop, as well as cherries.

A certain town in which 500 acres of tomatoes have been contracted for by one buyer was mentioned as a sample of what the market will be if fruits and vegetables should be grown here in any great amount.

Mr. Means has made several visits to McLean in the past few years and says his department is interested in the horticultural development here. He ordered The McLean News sent to his address in Chicago.

TELEPHONE LINE TO BE BUILT TO PAMPA

According to the Pampa News, a telephone line will be built from that city to McLean with a branch line to Lefors.

A new exchange building to cost \$200,000 will be erected in Pampa with flash signal switchboards by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co.

Floyd Phillips attended the football game at Norman, Okla., Friday.

Glen Jackson was in Clarendon Friday.

Dr. W. L. Campbell was in Shamrock Friday.

M. H. Kinard and family motored to Dalhart Thursday.

Emmett LeFors of Pampa was a McLean visitor Saturday.

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

Engineer Joe Rody spent the week end in Clarendon.

City Work Shows Good Progress

Sewer to Be Completed Some Time Next Week

Work on the city paving and sewer departments has made rapid progress the past week.

It is now expected that the sewer system will be in readiness to make connections some time next week, if nothing happens to delay the work.

The paving crew has the curbs in on the four blocks affected and the streets are being torn up preparatory to laying the pavement.

Whiteway street light poles are now being erected along the sides of the streets and it now begins to look as if early completion of the paving program can be expected.

PAMPA ROAD GIVEN \$83,000 STATE AID

Press reports indicate that Highway 33 at Pampa was given \$83,000 state aid by the state highway commission this week.

M. M. Newman, W. A. Taylor, A. H. Doucette and C. L. Hasle represented Gray county before the commission.

It is not known at this time what aid was given Highway 36.

ROGERS TO OPEN FILLING STATION

W. P. Rogers and son, L. L., have secured a lease on the building formerly occupied by the Snappy Service Station and will open a filling station and storage garage some time between now and the first of next month.

Mr. Rogers says they will conduct an up-to-date establishment and will render the best service possible to the motoring public.

Read the announcement on another page.

KID MCCOY BUYS BELEW'S JERSEY DAIRY

A deal has been consummated whereby Kid McCoy is the owner of the equipment and business of Belew's Jersey Dairy.

Mr. McCoy states that he will make two deliveries daily in McLean. Read his advertisement on another page.

BASEBALL CLUB TO GIVE VAUDEVILLE

The Baseball Club plans to give a vaudeville show in December, exact date to be announced later.

All local talent is invited to take part in the program. See L. V. Lonsdale for particulars.

M. H. Kinard and daughters, Misses Loree and Beatrice, went to Dalhart Tuesday to attend the funeral of their son and brother's wife, Mrs. Henry Kinard.

Mr. and Mrs. Estel Bowen of Shamrock visited in McLean Sunday.

Mrs. Mattie Paschal of Alabama has come to McLean to make her home.

R. M. Mitchell made a trip to Spearman the first of the week.

Mrs. C. P. Overton of White Deer visited in McLean Saturday.

Wilkins Returns to Church

Methodist Pastor Here Again for Next Year

Rev. B. W. Wilkins has returned from the annual conference of the Methodist church at Big Springs to fill the McLean pastorate another year.

Rev. Wilkins' work here the past year has been signally successful, and his appointment to this field for another year is very gratifying to his friends.

W. W. Murrell was made presiding elder for the Clarendon district, with A. O. Hood pastor at Groom, Joe E. Eldridge Hedley, T. W. Brabham Pampa, H. G. Walton Alanreed-Lefors, John H. Crow Head-Dozier, C. W. Foote Shamrock, Sam H. Hluburn missionary to Japan.

Miss Cantrill Awarded the Theatre Prize

Miss Dorothy Cantrill was awarded the \$10 in gold offered by the new theatre at the opening night last Thursday. Miss Cantrill suggested the name "American Theatre" which was adopted by the management from the over 50 suggestions that were received.

Rev. R. R. Rives of the First Presbyterian church presented the gold piece and welcomed the theatre to McLean in behalf of the citizenship of the community.

Rev. Rives stated that people are influenced more by how they spend their leisure hours than their working hours, and that he was glad to announce that the management of the theatre promised good, clean and wholesome entertainment at all times.

FLOYD RAISES BIG TURNIPS

L. O. Floyd had a gunny sack of big turnips in town Monday, the largest measuring two feet in circumference and five inches thick. The turnips are of the purple top globe variety, and of excellent quality.

AN IMPROVED PAPER

Our readers will notice several improvements in their favorite paper this week.

We have changed news services and will now receive cartoons and news pictures at a later date each week.

A three column cartoon on current events, by Ketter, appears on the back page, and a strip cartoon, "Finney of the Force," will entertain you on the editorial page. An illustrated ladies' fashion article by Julia Bottomley will appear each week.

This service to our readers represents quite a little outlay of money, but it is in keeping with our well known policy of keeping just a little ahead of what is expected.

Watch for the opening chapter of "The Bat," one of the best mystery stories ever written, next week. Better look at your address label and see that your subscription is paid well in advance.

Farmers Program Arranged

Rock Island Program Invited at C. C. Luncheon

It was voted at the regular Chamber of Commerce luncheon Tuesday to invite the Rock Island Lines to put on their Farmers Prosperity Program in the near future.

This program will consist of lectures, moving pictures, etc., somewhat similar to a program put on here some years ago at Shamrock last year.

H. M. Means, horticultural agent for the Rock Island system, with headquarters at Chicago, was a guest at the luncheon and made a short address in which he stated that this section has been designated as an apple growing district by the railroad and that at the Shamrock meeting last year it was agreed to plant 100,000 apple trees within the next three years in Wheeler county.

Mr. Means said that McLean could become famous by planting the red and golden delicious varieties of apples, as they would be ready for market before the Oregon and California apples, and that he has seen McLean apples just as fine as can be grown on the western slope. A 10-acre orchard properly cared for will make more money than a half section of land in other crops. Many orchards are now going into decay, and whereas a few years ago two-thirds of the people lived in the country, now only 29 per cent are engaged in agriculture.

The speaker told of one man who has 100 acres in cultivation and made \$42,000 worth of truck crops from the land and planted to cotton and corn and made \$6000 from the cotton and enough corn to do him all the year.

Mr. Means said a new variety of peach has been established that is not susceptible to frost, and the originator offers to give trees to set 100 acres of land and help get them started for one-third of the crop for a term of years.

The luncheon was in charge of L. C. McMillen, president of the C. of C., and Pastor R. R. Rives of the First Presbyterian church offered the invocation.

Those present were: Claud McGowen, Geo. Colebank, Frank Stockton, R. R. Rives, Arthur Erwin, J. R. Back, T. A. Landers, C. H. White, H. M. Means, C. C. Cook, S. O. Cook, L. G. McMillen, J. J. Cobb, L. V. Lonsdale, F. J. Coffey.

Mrs. Ella Cubine and son, Ercy, attended the football game at Norman, Okla., Friday.

Bob Walker attended the homecoming football game at Norman, Okla., Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Gatewood of Amarillo spent Sunday in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Morse visited in Shamrock Sunday.

Norvin Ashby visited in Rockledge Sunday.

Buck and Charlie Campbell motored to Crowell Thursday.

Ralph Randall motored to Lefors Tuesday.

Charlie Nicholson of Dozier was in town Tuesday.

The Leading Lady

By GERALDINE BONNER

For a space—she had no idea how long—she was paralyzed, not believing her senses. She remembered moving back into the room and from there she saw Stokes issue from the summer house and flee to the shelter of the pine wood that told her what she had seen was real, a murder had been committed under her eyes, and she went to the door to go down. Holding it open she paused on the threshold, heard the voices below, heard Stokes' entering words and had made a forward step to run down and denounce him, when a sound from outside stopped her, Flora's cry that Sybil was killed.

It was that wild screaming voice that gave her the idea, sent it through her brain like a zigzag of lightning. While the people below made their clamorous rush from the house, she stood in the doorway, motionless in contemplation of the possibilities that opened before her. The excitement that had shaken her a few minutes earlier died, her mind steadied and cleared, she felt herself uplifted by an invincible daring and courage. There was no danger of a recovery of the body for she had heard from Gabriel and Miss Pinkney that bodies carried out on the tide were never found.

Alone on the second floor with little fear of interruption she had gone about her preparations at once. She had taken nothing from her own room but money from her purse (leaving a small amount to avert suspicion) the candles from the box on the table, a few crackers she had brought up the night before from supper, and a pair of scissors. Then going to Joe's room she had gathered the clothes he had discarded, lying ready to her hand on the bed—everything from the shoes to the cap—and stolen out and upward to the top floor. Here she had put on the clothes and cut off her hair—she showed Anne the ends of the yellow curls in her jacket pocket—hiding her own clothes in a box in the storeroom.

The next day she had been a prey to a rising tide of alarm. From behind a curtain she had watched the search of the island and realized a hunt through the top floor must follow. Every sign of her presence was obliterated and she studied her surroundings for a hiding place. The windows, opened half way to air the rooms, suggested the possibility of a cache outside. Climbing up the wall and extending to the roof was the great wisteria vine, its outspread branches twisted into ropes and covered with a mantle of dense foliage. The main trunk passed close to the window of the room that faced the stair-head, the place where she sat waiting for ascending footsteps. When Anne had made her visit, she had heard the first creak of the stairs and crawled out under the raised window. With a foothold on the gutter she had slipped behind the curtain of the vine, her hands gripped round its limbs. Even from the garden below she thought it would have been impossible to detect her. Of Anne's whispered pleadings she had heard nothing; she had supposed the intruder one of the men. When they came up she had had plenty of time to hide for she had heard their footsteps when they came along the hall.

After the visit of Rawson and Williams she knew the danger of detection increased with every hour. Also the necessity for food could not be denied much longer. The one chance left her was to get away that night, make what she felt would be a last attempt to gain the freedom that meant life to her. The darkness was in her favor and she resolved to slip from the house and cross the bed of the channel below the causeway.

At the foot of the stairs she had hesitated, undecided whether to go by the living room or the kitchen. Finally she chose the way she knew best, where she was familiar with the disposition of the furniture. As the flashlight burst she had made a noiseless rush for the stairs, was in the upper passage when the women's doors flew open and Rawson came running along the hall below. The darkness and noise had covered her flight, but in her eye on the top floor she had crouched at the head of the stairs sick with uncertainty and dread. The concerted shrieks of the women had come eerily to her—cries of her own name. She guessed then a picture had been taken, they had seen it, and she waited, not knowing what was coming. She had stayed there a long time, listening with every sense alert, heard silence gathering over the house and then gone back to her place by the window.

hadn't given up, I had the spirit still. But it was so awful not anything, what they were doing I found out I was alive.

And what was I to do—stay here, get out on the island? I couldn't tell, I was all in the dark, and I felt my nerve weaken for the first time. And then I heard your voice, Anne, 'Tu coming to help you,' it said." She drew back and looked with solemn meaning into the other's face. "You meant it? You will help me?"

"Sybil, you know it."
"There's only one way you can."
"Any way."
"Let me go."
"Never tell—that you were here—that it wasn't you?"

"Yes, let me stay dead. Everybody believes it, let them go on believing it was death, my life since that night when Jim disappeared. It wasn't worth going on with. Now I can go to him, be with him, there'll be no one watching Sybil Saunders any more. Even if I looked like myself it would be only the chance resemblance to a murdered woman. And do I look like myself?"

She turned her face to the light, bright now with the coming of the sun. Below the smooth sweep of hair across her forehead it was so changed in its pallor and thinness, so bereft of its rounded curves and delicate freshness that it was only a dim reflection of Sybil's—the face of a way worn lad in whom the same blood ran.

The havoc worked by the suffering that had so transfigured it drove like a knife to Anne's heart. She felt the prick of tears under her eyelids and lowered her head—Sybil gripping at her happiness with the fierce courage of despair, and now Sybil going, breaking all ties, going forever. For a moment she could not speak and the other, thinking her silence meant reluctance to agree, caught at her hands, pleading, with breathless urgency:

"They've accepted everything—it's all explained and ended. Joe has gone, dropped out of sight. Boys of his kind do that, do something they're ashamed of and disappear. What good would it do Stokes or Bassett or the police to know it was Joe who was killed? It's not lies, it's not being false to anyone, it's only to keep silent and let me go. Oh, Anne, we've been real friends, we've loved each other—Love me enough to let me be happy."

The rim of the sun slipped above the distant sea line and sent a ray of brilliant light through the window. It touched their seated figures and lay rosy on Anne's face as she raised it. "Go," she said softly. "Go. I'll never tell—I'll keep that promise—long as I live."

She could stay no longer, the hour would be waking soon. There was a rapid interchange of last injunctions, information for Sybil's safety. To slight at low tide she would cross on the causeway. Every evidence of her occupation would be removed and with this in mind she took her Viola dress from its hiding place and gave it to Anne. No one, ransacking the top floor at Gull Island would ever find a trace of her.

That night was cloudy—great black banks passing across the heavens. At times they broke and through serene open spaces the moon rode, silencing the sea, turning the pools and streamlets of the channel bed to a shining tracery. A boy's figure that had started across the causeway in the dark, was caught in one of these transitory gleams, a flitting shadow on the straight bright path. It stood out in



It Stood Out in Sharp Silhouette.

sharp silhouette, running on the slippery stones, then clouds swept across the moon and in the darkness it gained the shore and the sheltering trees.

Dogs scented its passage and broke out barking; the sound following its progress till the houses were passed and the road stretched on between quiet fields to the railway.

Some people heard the dogs—light-sleeping villagers who turned and wondered if a tramp was about and lapsed into comfortable slumber. In the stillness of the room where Stokes lay unconscious, drawing toward the hour of deliverance, the barking sounded loud and insistent. The nurse was disturbed by it and went to the window and looked out, but Flora never heard it. Anne did and sat up in bed following it along the edge of the village till it died on the outskirts.

EPILOGUE

Three years later Bassett and Anne had a friend at dinner. He was a writer who had just returned from a

successful lecture tour in Australia. On his way back he had ranged through the pleasant reaches of the South seas and had fallen under their spell—a little more money in his pocket and for him it would be a plantation on some isle of enchantment. Not the accessible places, they were already spoiled, steamers had come, jazz music, and tourists in pith helmets with red guidebooks were under your feet. It was the remotest islands, still out of the line of travel, where a trading schooner was the sole link with the world.

He had made a point of visiting some of these—hired an old tub with a native crew and gone hunting about and had a glimpse of the real thing that Stevenson saw. And he enlarged on a particular island, the endmost of a scattered group, where he had found an American and his wife running a copra plantation. Delightful people called Whittier, he'd stayed several days with them in a long bamboo house on the edge of a lagoon—you couldn't imagine anything more beautiful.

After dinner, moving about in the sitting room, the guest had stopped before a photograph standing on a side table, picked it up and asked whose it was. Bassett had answered, a friend of his wife, now dead. But he would remember—it was Sybil Saunders who had met with such a tragic death some years ago. The guest nodded; of course he remembered, a horrible affair. Then after a last look at the photograph he turned to Anne:

"It's like that Mrs. Whittier I was telling you about. Just the same eyes—quite remarkably like, only she's a bit stouter and more mature. It might have been her picture when she was a girl."

When the evening was over Bassett escorted the guest to the door. On his way back to the sitting room he thought he would suggest to Anne that she put away the photograph—people noticed it and the subject kept coming up. It was evidently unbearable, painful to her for she rarely spoke of it; that dark chapter in her life was a thing closed and sealed. He had the words on his lips as he entered the room and then saw that she held the picture in her hands and was looking intently at it, softly smiling, her expression tranquil, even happy. That was good—the wound had healed, so he said nothing.

[THE END.]

Next week the opening installment of "The Bat," from that greatest of mystery plays, written by Mary Roberts Rhinehart, will be printed. There will be a weird tangle of blood-freezing incidents worked into a fascinating puzzle that will keep our interest from the first installment. Make sure that your subscription is paid up so that you will not miss a chapter of this thrilling story.

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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. Hickman, Pastor
 Last Sunday was a good day at our church. Attendance was good each service and best of all, the Lord was with us. Our Sunday school is growing nicely, both in attendance and interest. Our superintendent, Bro. Rex Roby, is a real live wire in Sunday school work and is leading the school to grand success. He has something new and interesting at the opening exercises each Sunday at 10 a. m. Come and join our happy band and let us study God's Word together.

Our district superintendent, Rev. H. C. Cagle, and wife, Rev. Mary Lee Cagle, will be with us Thursday night of this week and one of them will preach at 7 p. m. Come and hear a real soul stirring message such as only they can bring. At the close of the preaching service Bro. Cagle will conduct our church board meeting, and we desire that each department of the church will be prepared to report at that time.

Services next Sunday as usual. Sunday school 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 Don't forget our good prayer meeting each Wednesday night.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

B. W. Williams, Pastor
 We wish in this way to express our thanks for the fact that we are able to be with the McLean people and the McLean Methodist work for another year. This is as we desired it to be and we fully expected. Many very gracious and kind things have been said to us regarding this appointment for another year, for which we are thankful. May it be a year even better than last. The pastor wishes particularly that the membership be present on next Sunday so that we may be able to present something of the plans, purposes and program for this year's work as he has it in mind to be carried thru the year.

Services at the usual hours. A welcome extended to all visitors or strangers who may be in town as well as all friends who frequently worship with us.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

D. H. Brynolf, Pastor
 The regular church services will be held next Sunday, Nov. 20. The church in conference last Wednesday night decided to pay off the indebtedness of the church. At the last report from the committee \$1,035 had been subscribed. The amount needed is \$1,556.80. This means that every member must do his best. A committee has been appointed and is busy on the job. The committee consists of Brethren L. O. Floyd, S. A. Cobb and A. A. Callahan. When seen by these brethren give them your subscription. All subscriptions to be paid in to the treasurer or to one of the above named brethren by the first of the year.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. B. Andrews, Minister
 All services of last Lord's Day were well attended and very interesting. Our young folks' meeting at 6:15 a. m. each Lord's Day is under the direction of Bro. W. H. Ayer. Some new plans will be discussed next Sunday. We are anxious to make this one of the most interesting and profitable of our services and urge all the young folks to co-operate with us in so doing. We promise you some interesting activity in the near future. Come and be with us.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

R. R. Rives, Minister
 Remember the services at this church next Sabbath:
 Bible school 10 a. m.
 Preaching by the pastor 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
 The young people will meet at 6 p. m. All the young people are urged to be present at this meeting.

You and your friends are cordially invited to worship with us at all the services. Come let us worship together.

Eld. W. B. Andrews, pastor of the Church of Christ, preached at Head last Sunday afternoon. Arrangements are being made to hold regular services each fourth Sunday afternoon at Head.

News from Head

The missionary society met Monday afternoon with Mrs. W. H. Rutledge with a good attendance and a fine program.

J. A. Haynes was called to Oklahoma City last Friday to the bedside of his brother, Julian Haynes, of Granite, who had been taken there for an operation, but as he seems better, they decided not to operate.

Mrs. Nida Green left last week for Big Springs to attend the Methodist conference and to visit down state for a week or two.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bailey and daughter, Doris, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Phillips and son, Elmer, visited relatives at Dozier Sunday.

Prof. Trostle visited his mother at Clarendon Friday night and Saturday.

The young folk of the League were entertained with a weenie roast Saturday night. All report a most enjoyable social.

Mrs. Julian Haynes and daughters of Granite, Okla., visited in the Paul Ladd home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green of Panchville, who have been helping W. L. Litchfield gather his crop, left Tuesday for their home.

Miss Frebble McRae of Shamrock visited her brother, M. F. McKee, Saturday night and Sunday.

T. J. Litchfield and Earl Green were in Wheeler Saturday.

Mrs. T. F. Phillips has been on the sick list for several days.

Mrs. T. H. Pickett visited in the T. C. Landers home Tuesday.

Prof. Trostle and Paul Sfauffer of Papan were dinner guests in the L. Hinson home Sunday.

Mrs. M. D. Curry and son, Jim Bill, were in McLean Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kellar are the proud parents of a fine girl. Mother and baby are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eastham and children and his mother of Gould, Okla., visited in the home of the former lady's father, W. J. Chilton, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chilton and baby of McLean visited his father's family Sunday.

T. F. Phillips was in McLean Tuesday.

J. W. Dougherty and son, Basil, were in McLean Tuesday.

Mrs. G. L. Armstrong and two sons, Travis and Pete, of Hedley visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Jack Bailey, Sunday. Mrs. Bailey returned home with them for a week's visit while Jack is attending court at Lefors.

Mrs. Earl Green, Mrs. T. F. Phillips and Buster Litchfield were shopping in McLean Saturday afternoon.

Grandmother Haynes visited a few days this week with her son, J. A. Haynes, and wife.

Mr. Bearden of McDonald is visiting his son, Albert, on the Litchfield farm this week.

Frank Moore butchered a hog Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy of near McLean visited in the Frank Moore home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blair of Amarillo came in last week to make their home in McLean. They visited a few days in the Reneau home here.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Subject—Winning Others.
 Roll call—all members answering with a scripture on soul winning.
 Leader—Odessa Kunkel.
 Christian Business—Geneva Corbin.

Andrew Won and Winning—Kent Carpenter.

Andrew an Apostle—Josephine Foster.

Some Soul Winners of Today—Jack Mathis.

Rading—Odessa Kunkel.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

Reported.
 The East Side circle met with Mrs. M. D. Abbott Wednesday afternoon with 12 ladies and 8 sunbeams present.

The West Side circle met with Mrs. O. E. Lochridge, with 5 ladies and 7 sunbeams present.

Both circles will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. T. N. Holloway for a Royal Service program.

S. M. Ratliff of Clarendon is a new reader of The News. Mr. Ratliff is to make a business trip to Chicago and South Bend and says he wants to thank those who have made the trip possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen of Hereford were guests in the H. F. Wingo home last week end.

News from Papan

Miss Anna Vlack left for her home at Chicago Tuesday after a two months' visit with relatives and friends in this community.

Paul Macina, Mike Murtel and Henry Ryan each took a bale of cotton to town last week.

John Hrcniar and son, John Jr., and Henry Ryan were Wheeler visitors Thursday.

School was dismissed Friday, to begin again next January. Misses Foster and Gardner, the teachers, left Monday for their home in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cadra, R. Janota and Paul Macina were Shamrock visitors Wednesday.

Carl and Frank Linkey were at Pampa Wednesday after a load of pipe. They will pipe their house with gas from their own well for both light and heating.

The derricks have been built on both Linkey and Gordon tests and drilling will start soon.

Misses Foster and Gardner were Wheeler visitors Saturday.

The water barrel, drinking fountain and clock were stolen from the school house Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gordon and family of the Plainview community and the Henrys of Wheeler were guests in the G. T. Gordon home Sunday.

Those that were seen on the streets of Shamrock Saturday were Albert Williams, John Hrcniar, Carl Frank and Godfrey Linkey, Dusan, Anna and Christina Papan.

John Hrcniar hauled a bale of cotton to Shamrock Monday.

McLean visitors Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith, Miro Papan, Paul Fink, Jr. and Joe Valencik.

H. E. CLASS VISITS CALDWELL BAKERY

Reported.
 The foods class of the Home Economics department of the McLean high school visited the Caldwell Bakery last Friday.
 Mr. Caldwell showed the girls many interesting processes he uses in the making of bread, which were very helpful to the class.

Those present were: Kella Sharp, Dorothy Cousins, Mildred Richardson, Sybil Graham, Pauline Muncie, Lucille Harlan, Irma Keeseck, Lorene Burrows, Bernice Watt.

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Society and Clubs

K. B. KLUB

Reported.
 With all members present, the K. B. Klub was delightfully entertained Monday afternoon. Mrs. L. E. Caldwell, president, was a charming hostess for the club at her home in "Marie Mac" Tourist Camp.

At the close of a very interesting business session, bridge progressed at four tables with enthusiastic players. The games were enjoyed to the fullest extent. At the close, Mrs. L. G. McMillen and Mrs. O. P. Shaw held even high score, and consolation fell to Mrs. Phillips Blum.

Mrs. Caldwell served a tasty plate lunch to the following ladies: Mesdames J. E. Cubine, J. R. Nichols, G. B. Dudley, E. E. Filer, E. B. Clemens, Arthur Tally, O. L. Lines, O. P. Shaw, Ray Davis, J. E. Peters and Ted Matthews. Invited guests were: Mesdames L. G. McMillen, Lola Hall, Phillips Blum and S. O. Hall.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. J. E. Cubine on Monday afternoon, Nov. 21.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

Reported.
 The Home Economics Club met last Thursday.

A social meeting was held, and cocoa and cake was served to 22 members.

Mrs. R. L. Grigsby has moved back to her home in McLean after several months stay at Groom.

J. E. and Sannie Cubine and Victor Back returned Saturday from a hunting trip in Mexico.

We lead, others try to follow. "M" System. Advertisement

U. D. C. MEETS WITH MRS. ERWIN

Reported.

The Sarah Hefner chapter of U. D. C. met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Arthur Erwin. Roll call was answered with the name of favorite character in the Civil War. Mrs. Erwin presented the chapter with a picture of Jefferson Davis. Mrs. R. R. Rives told the history of the Confederate flag, and Mrs. C. C. Cook gave the life of Jefferson Davis.

The chapter voted to meet only once a month during December and January.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes attended the home-coming football game at Norman, Okla., Friday.

Mrs. Roy Campbell and little daughter, Joan, spent the week end in Pampa.

J. J. Simmons is a new reader of The News.

J. W. Mars of Peterson Creek was in town Saturday.

Dave Turner of Alanreed was in McLean Thursday.

Floyd Phillips visited in Shamrock Friday.

Miss Jane Campbell was in Shamrock Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Burette Kinard went to Dalhart Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Henry Kinard.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lee of Gracey were shopping in town Saturday.

Mrs. J. L. Bidwell of Gracey was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Buck Cooke of Vega was a McLean visitor Sunday.

J. H. Holmes of Gracey was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter of Enterprise were in town Saturday.

J. A. Haynes made a trip to Oklahoma City last Thursday.

"M" System saves for the nation. Advertisement

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Shelburne motored to Amarillo Friday.

R. H. Muir of Clarendon was in McLean Wednesday.

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SATURDAY, November 19

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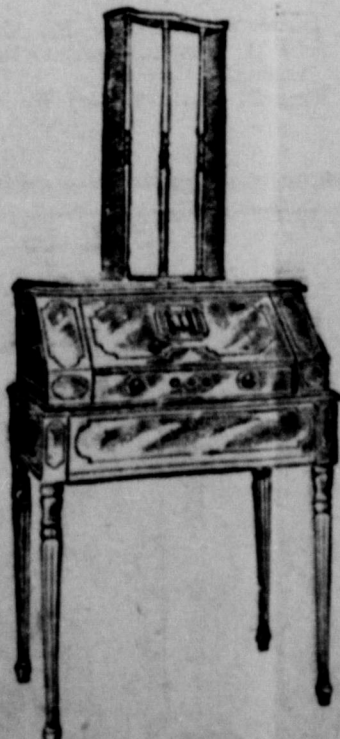
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If we ever do have decent streets again after the paving and sewer are completed, they can certainly be appreciated by the motorist.

This is the time of the year to select farm seed for the next season's crop. It has been found by many farmers that the incubator makes a fine seed corn dryer. About 40 ears at a time kept at a temperature of 90 degrees until the corn is dry means better seed for next year.

Mr. Means, in his address at the C. of C. luncheon Tuesday, said that the business men should take the lead in community development. When business men learn that their prosperity depends upon the farmer's prosperity, then we may expect better co-operation between farmer and business man.

ARTHUR BRISEANE SAYS:

"They (country newspapers) are the most important newspapers, and incidentally, in proportion to their circulation, their advertising results are the biggest and their advertising rates are the smallest in the country. . . They are read through from end to end. Every copy of circulation means an entire family, not a family that lives in one room with a can opener, but a family that owns its own home, and land around it, at least ninety times out of a hundred, a family that buys everything from the roof on the house to the cement on the cellar floor, from the hat on mother's head to the skates on the boy's feet. . . Country newspapers not only pay well, but the service that their publishers render to the public is, in my opinion, the most important service rendered by any class of citizens in the United States."

All cattle in Texas are not on farms. The latest census report shows more than 200,000 head of cattle within incorporated towns and cities.

Mrs. Scott Johnston and daughter, Miss Margaret, were Clarendon visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Grigaby of Groom visited relatives here the first of the week.

Five Sets of Brothers in Same Infantry Company



The five sets of brothers, all members of Company B, honor company of the Seventy-first Infantry regiment of the New York National Guard. This is said to be a record for sets of brothers in the same regiment. The boys took part in the huge military tourney held in Madison Square garden.

News from Ramsdell

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Grogan and daughters, Mary and May Belle, and son, Jesse Ray, returned Wednesday from a visit with relatives at Byers, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene England and children of Shamrock spent Tuesday night with the gentleman's sister, Mrs. W. T. McCann, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McCann visited the lady's niece, Mrs. Ernest Veatch, and family at Shamrock from Tuesday until Sunday.

Jeff and Taylor Franks, who have been working at Kingsmill, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Johnson and children of Shamrock visited the gentleman's uncle, M. T. Powell, and family Friday and Saturday.

W. A. Lankford and daughter, Miss Zella Mae, and son, Arlie, were McLean visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferd Bones and son, Elmo, were dinner guests in the R. A. Burrows home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rand Griffin spent Sunday with relatives in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene England and children of Shamrock visited in the J. H. and W. T. McCann homes Sunday.

Miss Hazel Cox spent from Friday evening until Sunday morning with home folks at Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lankford and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Exum and children visited in the W. N. Pharis home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Bones and Miss Hazel Cox were guests in the J. G. Davidson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows and children were supper guests in the Ferd Bones home recently.

Miss Lillie Mae Pharis was a supper guest in the E. Exum home one night this week.

Mrs. Sam Harrelson and daughters returned to their home at Kingsmill Sunday after visiting relatives here. They were accompanied home by the lady's brother, Taylor Franks.

Carl Hejner of McLean was here on business Monday.

Mrs. J. N. Phillips and Mrs. Ferd Bones were dinner guests in the E. Exum home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Savage and son, Chester, and Revs. D. H. Brynoff and S. A. Cobb left Tuesday to attend the Baptist State Convention at Wichita Falls.

"M" System Grocery is full of bargains. Advertisement

C. E. Hunt motored to Canyon Thursday.

Mrs. Vera Slavin of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilmoth of Erey Cubine went to Oklahoma City Saturday.

Parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wingo, Frank Bidwell was in Shamrock last Thursday.

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We have secured the Marland agency, and you can now buy Marland gasoline, oils and greases at our station.

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By F. O. Alexander



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ATION GAVE NO THANKS IN 1776

In November of That Year American Cause Was at Lowest Ebb.

There was no Thanksgiving proclamation in November, 1776. Congress did indeed pass a resolution summoning the people of the several colonies to assemble but in prayer for deliverance not of thanksgiving. The American cause seemed at that moment to be all but hopeless. Washington was retreating across New Jersey. Leaving Newark on the 28th of November with an army of 5,000 that gradually dwindled, he crossed the Raritan with scarcely 3,500 starving and half-naked troops. In New York then in the hands of the British, General Howe was issuing a proclamation which might have been considered a proclamation of thanksgiving for some. It was one of pardon to all who would renounce the Declaration of Independence. Twenty-seven hundred accepted. But this only augmented the ills of those who still stood out for independence, and increased the jeopardy in which their lives and possessions were put.

Nation's Early Sufferings.
The infant republic, surrounded by foes for the Indians were rising was also suffering from the condition which has lately been epidemic in Europe—a depreciated currency. The news that American representatives had succeeded in getting aid from France in the way of uniforms and equipment for soldiers and other supplies had not yet become known to the Washington troops, whose route as they approached the Delaware was easily traced as there was a little snow on the ground, which was thinned here and there with blood from the feet of the men who wore broken shoes. It was in these desperate days that Washington wrote to his brother saying that if every nerve was not strained to recruit a new army to take the place of the troops whose term of enlistment was expiring he thought the game was "pretty near up." The fame of the camp fires about which those who remained faithful to the desperate cause were gathered furnished, however, a hopeful ray for Paine's "times that try men's souls."

Now Blessed Above Others.
It is with such a background of extremity, approaching defeat, that the country which these patriot souls suffered to make independent comes to its national Thanksgiving today. With a third of the wealth of the world in its hands, as has been estimated—and with most of the gold—with abundant crops and "magnificent pools laid up for many years," we have collective material reason for gratitude beyond any other people on the face of the earth. But in contemplating ourselves as a nation and individuals that we have passed another year in "the favor of the Almighty" and that "He has smiled on our fields," are we doing more than Socrates, the Greek tiller of the soil over 2,000 years ago, who dedicated to "Demeter, lover of wheat," a few handfuls of corn "from the furrows of his tiny field," having reaped an abundant harvest and desiring another year, by the same favor, to carry back his sickle blunted from his harvest? Gratitude for these things? Yes, but with a consciousness of the obligation which that sufficiency brings and with no thought of taking our ease in the earth or letting it go its own way while we enjoy our needs in self-indulgent isolation.

One hundred fifty years ago our ancestors prayed for deliverance from restrictions upon their rightful liberty. Today our prayer should also be for deliverance as well as in thanksgiving—deliverance from the arrogance of self-sufficiency from the pride of material power from swaying claims of superiority. We have learned to endure hardship, we have proved to the world our nerve and helpful sympathy for suffering wherever it has come to mankind we have demonstrated also our resourcefulness and ingenuity in difficulty and our fearlessness in danger. We have known how to face adversity. Our prayer in the prosperity that has come upon us is that we also should "know how to abound."

Better Form of Prayer.
It were better that we should join all humanity in the simple thanksgiving prayer which Epictetus suggested:
"Ought we not when we are digging and plowing and eating to sing this hymn to God: 'Great is God, Who has given us such implements with which we shall cultivate the earth; great is God, Who has given us hands, the power of swallowing, a stomach for perceptible growth, and the power of breathing while we sleep.'
But the real thing to be thankful for is still deeper in the friendliness of the spirit of men and of nations.

Texas is the second ranking state in honey production with an annual output of about 5,000,000 pounds. Census reports show between 200,000 and 300,000 bee hives in the state.

Miss Lillian Abbott of Claremont brought the week feed with feed packets here.

Senator France and Russian Bride



Former Senator Joseph I. France of Maryland has just returned to his home at Port Deposit with his bride, the former Tatiana Dechegeneva, a Russian noblewoman. In this photograph Mrs. France is shown pouring tea for her husband in her new home.

News from Alanreed

The B. Y. P. U. social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James Friday night was enjoyed by about thirty-five young people. After several games were played, refreshments were served and music was enjoyed.

Thanksgiving Day was celebrated at the school by an appropriate program Friday afternoon, after which both the boys and girls basketball teams went to Grandview, where the players enjoyed two good games.

A. H. Monman was in Hedley on business Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. James and children visited relatives and friends in McLean Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. H. T. Wilkins and children were in McLean Saturday.

Steve Donald of Goodnight visited friends in Alanreed Sunday.

Rev. J. L. King preached an instructive sermon Sunday morning at the Baptist church, after which

the Lord's Supper was observed. Mr. Sherrod of Plainview visited relatives and friends in Alanreed Sunday.

J. I. Glass was a business visitor in Amarillo Saturday.

Misses Inez and Zola Blakenship were in McLean Saturday.

The Methodist parsonage, which is well under construction, will probably be finished by the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hommel of Clarendon were visiting friends in Alanreed Sunday.

Miss Goustein of Clarendon visited Miss Lois Marie Wilkins Sunday.

Rev. Duncan, Baptist associational missionary, preached an interesting sermon on the general theme that only religion affords "Justification for the past, Grace for the present and Glory for the future."

Misses Julia Dean and Ruth Lafon visited in the H. T. Wilkins home Sunday.

HIGH LIFE

An Indianapolis young woman who had always had her own notions about luxury and independence had this idea of perfect ease: She longed to see the time when she could go shopping, look the things over, make her selections, never asking the price of an article, and say, "Send it up with the bill."

Lately she came into an inheritance and started out to realize her hopes. She visited a department store, tried on a handsome gown, smacked her lips and said: "I'll take it; send it with the bill," figuring to herself it would be \$75 or \$100. She never asked the price, however. The next day the gown was delivered with the bill and the bill was \$13.50.—Indianapolis News.

Lloyd and Misses Ozella and Naomi Hunt, who are attending Canyon College, spent the week end with their parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen of Wilerado visited in the H. F. Wingo home Thursday.

Mrs. J. G. Davidson of Ramsdell was a visitor in McLean Saturday.

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TRUTHFUL

Mrs. "When you proposed to me, you said that you were not worthy of me."

Mr. (sarcastically)—"Well, what of it?"

Mrs. (even more so)—"Nothing; only I will say this much, that whatever else you were, you were not a liar."

Vernon Rice was a Shamrock visitor Sunday.

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

Mrs. H. T. Wilkins of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Saturday.

L. V. LONSDALE

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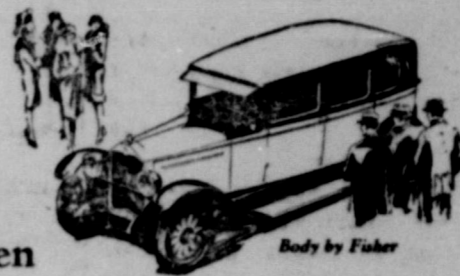
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A THREAT

I'll punch his nose and black his eye
And knock him down with both my fists,
If I can ever get the guy
Who puts my name on mailing lists.

The postman (who has had a raise in pay) is smiling nowadays
The while he totes my morning mail;

Yet, when I see him, must I quail,
For well I know just what he brings
Of circulars and other things
Concerning messages like these:
"Own your home at Ocean Breeze!"
"A thousand down—the rest like rent."

"These bonds will yield you 6 per cent."

"Use Septoline to chase the germs,"
"A bedroom set on easy terms,"
"Kid Kumfut shoes will lighten toil,"

"Our gushers are now spouting oil,"

"An easy recipe for wine,"
"Just sign on the dotted line,"
"Save something for that rainy day,"

And that is why I sadly say—

I'll punch his nose and black his eye

And knock him down with both my fists,

If I can ever get the guy
Who puts my name on mailing lists.

—R. E. Sherwood, in Life.

Roy Campbell spent the week end at Crowell.

Mrs. Hosea Biggers of Dozier visited in McLean this week.

Mrs. N. A. Groer was a Clarendon visitor Saturday.

Mrs. C. C. Sloan of Pampa was a McLean visitor Sunday.

Carlos Saunders of Amarillo spent Sunday with home folks here.

Lee Cason visited in Shamrock Sunday.

Clayton Lester of Wheeler visited in McLean Thursday.

Hugh Cantrill of Sayre, Okla., visited in McLean Thursday.

Miss Lorene Meek spent the week end in Miami.

Miss Iva Callan of Wheeler was a McLean visitor Friday.

W. P. Dial of Memphis was in McLean Tuesday.

FRENCH DESIGNERS ELABORATE ON THEME OF FABRIC APPLIQUE



APPLIQUE and insets of contrasting fabric are outstanding trimming themes of the moment. This idea of interworking one material with another in intricate seamings, inlays and applied design has opened up a vast field of discovery to genius. Especially does this new fabric artcraft arouse the spirit of design within the minds of the ever-resourceful French creators of fashion. Whether it be the coat, the gown, the blouse or a felt or velvet hat emanating from a Paris atelier, it is apt to show this influence of applique or inlay of a contrasting material.

The models in the picture are characteristic of how French stylists are working materials together this season either in form of applique or with intricate incrustations which require skill in seaming. The coat worn by the chic Parisienne to the right in this illustration is of navy blue velvet intricately worked with incrustations of dull gold metal cloth for a wide border. The long ends of the scarf collar repeat the same inset patterning.

In the frock to the left the thought of applique is worked to an elaborate degree. The cut-out patterning is, in this instance, of beige satin on brown kitten's-ear broadcloth.

There is no limit to the possibilities for design offered in this new interworking of fabric. Charming effects are wrought with crepe-back satin, using the luster side for applique on the dull or vice versa.

The all-black dress especially is given a new note of interest in that it is frequently trimmed with appliques of black velvet in the form of bow-knots, flowers and other quaint motifs, also sun-ray stripes and other conventional patterns.

Insets of lace are also effectively employed, not only laces dyed to match the fabrics they trim, but also gold and silver laces which are worked into fabric backgrounds most successfully.

One of the newest ideas in the realm of millinery is the inlay felt hat. Some of the chapeaux show remarkable workmanship, in that tiny sections of felt, squares, triangles and such, are worked together exactly as are choice mosaics.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY,
(© 1927, Western Newspaper Union.)

Walter Meek of Miami visited in McLean Sunday.

Barney Fulbright is attending court at Lefors this week.

John Carpenter was in from the ranch Wednesday.

We lead, others try to follow. "M" System. Advertisement

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES—One insertion, 2c per word.
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Or, 1c per word each week after first insertion.
Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as leading matter. Black-face type double rate. Initials and numbers count as words.
No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
All ads cash with order unless you have a running account with The News.

FOR SALE

APPLES for sale at Liberty Service Station. R. O. Cunningham.

WEANLING pigs for sale, Hampshire and spotted Poland Chinas, \$5.00. Phone 55, 144. H. M. Belew. 46-2c

TYPEWRITER oil, carbon paper and ribbons at News office.

ADDING machine paper, 2 rolls for 25c, at News office.

MISCELLANEOUS

POSTED.—No hunting, fishing or trespassing allowed on the Parker ranch. R. H. Muir, owner. 47-7p

NOTICE.—No hunting or trapping allowed in my pasture. This means you—stay out. J. M. Carpenter. 46-2p

GARBAGE and trash hauled from any part of city at reasonable rates. Phone 217. Frank Haynes.

Groceries are cheaper at Pickett's Cash Store. tfc

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

EMBROIDERY carbon, blue, red or yellow. Large sheet for 25c at News office.

New Christmas card samples at News office. Make your selection for printed to order cards now.

MERCHANTS, our new 1928 calendar samples are here; the prettiest line we have ever shown. Practice what you preach and buy your calendars of The News.

ZUPPKE LIKES TIMM



Coach Bob Zuppke of the University of Illinois football team is very much pleased with the showing of Jud Timm, Idaho halfback. Timm is mighty fast on his feet and is a clever grid player.

Virgil Threest went to Pampa Friday.

Come to McLean

FIRST FOR NEWS

A pioneer newspaper editor had a reputation for assuming infallibility and superior enterprise. His paper announced the death of Frank Brown, who, it turned out, was not dead. Next day the paper printed the following note:
"Yesterday we were the first newspaper to publish the death of Frank Brown. Today we are the first to deny the report. The Morning Star is always in the lead.—American Mutual Magazine.

Save money at the "M" System. Advertisement

Judge T. M. Wolfe of Lefors was in McLean Wednesday.

Mike and Burt Wingo visited relatives in Texola, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Belew went to Dalhart Wednesday.

C. H. White of Groom was in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. Douglas Wilson of Pampa spent the week end here.

Floyd Phillips motored to Oklahoma City Saturday.

Announcement

We have leased the building formerly occupied by the Snappy Service Station and will open a Filling Station and Garage in a few days.

A share of your business will be appreciated.

Rogers Service Station

W. P. Rogers L. L. Rogers

When You Think of Dry Goods, Think of C. M. Stone & Co's. BIG SALE

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The following prices are just a few of the many bargains that we have to offer you

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- 9 to 10 a. m.—36-inch outing, 9 yards for \$1.00
- 10 to 11 a. m.—36-inch domestic, 14c grade, 9 yards \$1.00
- 2 to 3 p. m.—36-inch percale, 25c value, 9 yards \$1.00
- 3 to 4 p. m.—One lot \$2.25 blankets. \$1.49

Saturday and Monday Specials

We Will Sell the Following Articles

Saturday and Monday

November 19-21 at the Following Prices

- 48 lb. sack Honey Bee flour.....\$1.90
- No. 2 cans Wapco pork and beans.....9c
- No. 2 cans Cabro cut stringless beans.....11c
- No. 3 can Maxwell House coffee.....\$1.43
- No. 1 can Maxwell House coffee.....49c
- American sardines, 3 1-4 oz. flat tins.....6c
- 10 bars Big 4 Naphtha laundry soap.....39c
- 4 cakes Palm Rose complexion soap.....29c
- 10 lbs. supds.....25c
- 10 lbs. sweet potatoes.....35c
- 1 lb. Peaberry ground coffee.....33c
- 50 lb. blocks white salt.....40c

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The Great American Bird

When the turkey gobbler's gobbling
And a-struttin' 'cross the lot,
And the turkey hens are chattering
As they do the turkey trot;
When the gray clouds of November
Shut the sun out of the sky,
Then we can't help but remember
That Thanksgiving's time is nigh.

Fodder haulin' is all finished
And corn pickin' almost done,
And we rush to get our work done
'Fore the settin' of the sun;
When we're settled down for winter
With the wood pile loomin' high,
And we hug the kitchen fire,
We sure know Thanksgiving's nigh.

Then a feller gets to thinkin'
How his season's work was done—
Of the hay and grain he gathered
Underneath a summer's sun;
And he sizes up his treasures
Names his blessings, one by one—
Crops in corncribs, bins and cellars—
Fine a family as anyone.

Then he 'most forgets the hardships
And the hard knocks he's passed
through.

And, in spite of comin' winter,
He is glad, instead of blue;
And it doesn't seem to matter if
He's a dollar or a dime,
He just can't help a-feelin' thankful
At good old Thanksgiving's time.
—Dakota Farmer.



Day Tends to Foster Spirit of Kindliness

The day on which the nation is called to the giving of thanks is a home and family day, and as such is a valuable institution. Those who have no homes are often invited to become for the day members of families that are blessed with them. In a word, the home that is in all our thoughts today is the hospitable home. And that is well. There is great need in these times to develop and strengthen the family feeling, and to hold it more closely as a social unit. To the accomplishment of that work a properly observed and honored Thanksgiving day may powerfully contribute. To give thanks for what?—some may ask. But that is not at all the thought. What is important is that there should be in all a thankful spirit, a right attitude toward life, whether considered spiritually or materially, and a frame of mind that knows something of contentment and inward peace. There is much for which to be thankful if one only looks at life and its problems and difficulties—and blessings—in the right way. The day would remind us that kindness is a great virtue, and that the world would be happier if there were in it a good deal more of the spirit of friendliness—even among nations. —Indianapolis News.



Day to Reflect on Why to Be Thankful

It is one thing to be officially thankful and quite another to be actually and personally so. To accept Thanksgiving as an admittedly welcome holiday; to spend it at home enjoying a good dinner followed by a comfortable nap and then to go out for a call or two on friends is not enough. One might do this and still not be in the spirit of the day. As the greatest of the apostles has written, "the letter killeth but the spirit giveth life."

To be in the spirit of Thanksgiving is to reflect upon the reasons that our bus for national, family and personal thankfulness. Maybe a glance at the pages of a school history of our country might help to quicken the pulse and brighten the eye. Possibly a steady gazing on the familiar features of Washington or Lincoln might be an aid to reflection. Perhaps a mingling with one's fellows in a congregation and the blending of a thousand voices in the strains of "America the Beautiful" might work wonders and be better for the heart than a physician's prescription.



Sentiment That Uplifts
Gratitude is one of the noblest sentiments which wells from the human heart. It purifies, uplifts and ennobles. It is an attribute of stability in character. A man may have many imperfections, but if he is capable of gratitude he is far from being all bad. And when gratitude is offered to the Most High, it brings the soul into tune with the Divine as scarcely anything else can.

RED CROSS VOLUNTEER WORKERS BIG FACTOR

Broader Industry in Home Chapter and in Field Development of Disaster Service.

Volunteer industry in the American Red Cross is on an upward trend, due to the broader demand for assistance in meeting disaster relief requirements. Men and women from Red Cross Chapters in the last year exemplified their work for disaster victims a greater activity than in any year since the end of the World War.

This service was given without stint and with the finest of spirit, according to Red Cross officials. Volunteer Red Cross workers have served by the thousands with the local Chapters in garment production, printing raised-type reading matter for the blind, in hospital service, as canteen workers and motor corps aids. Nearly all active Chapter workers are volunteers.

More than 90 per cent of the available reading material for the blind is produced by volunteer Red Cross workers. Volunteers produced 175,481 garments, 2,657,912 surgical dressings for hospital use, and 6,398 articles for emergency closets maintained by Red Cross Chapters in various communities for disaster and other emergencies. The garment production, large as it was, did not include the thousands of garments made for the Mississippi flood sufferers by volunteers. Another important volunteer service is the preparation and sending of 30,000 Christmas bags to soldiers and bluejackets on duty in foreign stations.

Approximately 250 Chapters participate in Motor Corps service, while the growing interest of volunteers in health work constitutes an additional community safeguard in emergencies when the services of regular nurses might be overtaxed.

Volunteer service will be an important factor in the forthcoming eleventh Annual Roll Call, from November 11 to 24, in enrolling the 5,000,000 membership to be sought.

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

RADIO ENABLES MAN TO TAKE BATH

Here's a letter from an Oregonian backwoodsman:

"Altho we people in the country can't tell the time by the sun, we can't tell the date that way."

"On tuning in the other night I heard you announce the day."

"Here it was Tuesday and I had unconsciously missed my Saturday night bath."

"I immediately put the washboiler on the wood stove and heated the water."

"Fearing I'd miss something, I put the tub before my loud speaker, took a swim and had a happy time listening to the program."

"I am glad to know that you always announce the date, for now I'll know when to take my bath."

For over a year K. G. O. has served as a calendar for those in remote sections of the West who fail to keep track of the date.

Mrs. E. C. Cudd of Amarillo is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Howard Williams.

Elmer Reeves and family visited in Alanreed Sunday.

Chas. Roach of Heald was in town Saturday.

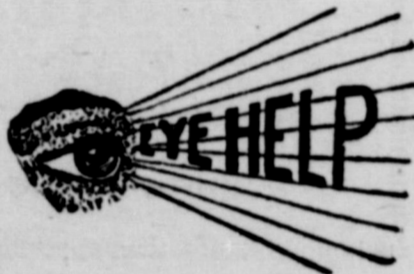
Milton Carpenter was in from the ranch Saturday.

Toledo Isobel made a trip to Oklahoma City last week.

Mrs. Will Harlan was shopping in town Saturday.

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No heart was ever broken because of a bank account. Thousands of hearts have been broken and homes wrecked because there was no money in bank.

The Citizens State Bank

CAPITAL, BOND AND SURPLUS \$56,700.00
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CUTTING DOWN EXPENSES

Some merchants actually believe when they quit advertising that they cut down expenses. Which is a fact, in a way. They also cut down expenses when they quit ordering goods. They would also be cutting down expenses if they would move out of the building and open business in a tent. They could discontinue the electric lights, telephone and furnace and cut down some more expenses. This thing of cutting down expenses is a great game.—Canyon News.

Miss Fannie Stockton of Canyon spent the week end with her parents here.

Prof. Frank P. Wilson and family of Groom were McLean visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith of Slavonia were shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. R. E. Willis has our thanks for a subscription renewal to The News and Star-Telegram.

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Shamrock, Texas

PLANT TREES

Now is the time to be thinking of planting trees. Bruce trees have a reputation. Call on us.

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WISE BOY

"Why was Solomon the wisest man in the world?" asked the lady teacher.

"Because he had so many wives to advise him," answered the bright boy.

"Well, that is not the answer in the book, but you may go up to the head of the class," replied the teacher.

Miss Mary Anderson of Roxana spent the week end with home folks here.

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McLEAN MOTOR CO.
McLean, Texas

QUALITY AT LOW COST

News from Liberty

By Mrs. Luther Petty
Hugh Stokes and family of near Pampa spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Kate Stokes and sons.

J. B. Pettit and family of north-east of McLean, A. L. Morgan and family were Sunday dinner guests of Byron Gregory and family.

Mrs. Y. B. Lee enjoyed a visit from her cousin, M. L. Stewart, and family of Seminole, Okla., last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge and son, Clifford, of Heald, Steve Roth and family of southeast of McLean Mrs. R. O. Cunningham and son, Noah, called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lively and new daughter the past week.

Mrs. Luther Petty and son, Frances Luther, called on Mrs. Frank Haynes at McLean Sunday afternoon.

Ward Ault took his mother and the younger children to Erick, Okla., Saturday. He returned Sunday, the others remaining for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bodine visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Roach at Gracey Sunday.

Misses Opal and Levie Nelson spent Saturday night with their sister, Mrs. Spurgeon Johnson, and family at Alnreed.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams and daughters, Flossie and Katie, enjoyed dinner Sunday with Rev. W. McCaman and family at McLean, celebrating their joint wedding anniversary, which was Saturday.

Claude Stokes and family of near Groom visited with his mother, Mrs. Kate Stokes, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Luther Petty attended the Baptist workers conference at Midway church northeast of Wellington Tuesday of last week. Rev. S. A. Cobb, Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Drayton of McLean also went. The next meeting will be with the New Hope church.

Misses Clarabel and Oma Lee Harbin called at the Y. B. Lee home Friday afternoon.

Bob Bell and family, who have recently moved from near Wellington to Hubert Roach's place at Heald, and the Gregory family visited the former's brother, Frank Bell, and family Sunday.

Ceburne Roth and Vernon King visited with R. B. Nelson Sunday.

Miss Gladys Holloway and father, J. O. Holloway, called on John Brooks and daughter, Juanita, at McLean Sunday.

R. O. Cunningham returned Saturday from a trip to New Mexico.

Mrs. W. E. James and sons, W. E. Jr. and Ernest, of Alnreed took Saturday dinner and spent the night with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Francis. Mrs. Luther Petty and children also took dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Ault and Mrs. George Brown of McLean visited the former's father, W. R. Ault, Sunday.

Howard Hardin and family, Asa Morgan and family, Y. B. Lee and family, W. K. Corder, Misses Edith Fleming, Opal and Levie Nelson attended a singing at the J. B. Pettit home Sunday night.

Frank Bell and family visited Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Calvert at Shamrock Thursday night.

Mrs. Petty called on Mesdames Coyle, McCain and Haynie Monday.

Vester Smith and family and the Misses McCracken of McLean visited at the Y. B. Lee home Sunday afternoon.

THE TENOR'S TURN

A celebrated tenor had received an enthusiastic reception and was standing in the lounge after his performance.

The people flocked around him, and he endeavored to acknowledge all the compliments showered upon him. His arm began to ache, owing to the severe treatment it received, and the tenor wished it were all over.

Finally an elderly woman simply overwhelmed him with praise, much to his disgust.

"Your singing took me back to my girlhood days," she enthused.

"Really," murmured the tenor, "I had no idea my voice could carry so far."

ALMOST SPONTANEOUS

Sam—"Did you hear about the fire at Goldstein's Clothing Store last week?"

Ike—"No; what caused it?"

Sam—"Friction."

Ike—"Friction? I don't see how there can be any friction in a clothing store."

Sam—"You see, it was a \$20,000 policy rubbing against a lot of unpaid bills."

"Mums"



STARCHING CLOTHES

Starch clothes wrong side out. Leave them wrong side out until they are sprinkled. For white clothes use starch as hot as you can stand it. Hot starch goes through the fabric better and more evenly, and does not leave shiny spots when ironed. Keep most of the starch hot. Use only part of it at a time. Replace it when it gets cold and thin. The ideal way is to have two pans of starch, besides the reserve supply. Dilute one with enough water to make a good paste for the thinner materials, and keep the other thick enough for the heavier clothes. Begin by starching the clothes you want stiffest. Clothes wrung very dry before starching will be stiffer than wetter ones. White starch shows plainly when used on dark colored clothes. It may be tinted with tea or coffee for browns, and with bluing for blues, or especially tinted products may be purchased.

RIGHT-O

Daughter—"Oh, papah, what is your birthstone?"
Father of Seven—"My dear, I'm not sure, but I think it's a grindstone."
Miss Lillian Butterfield of Childress spent the week end in the N. A. Greer home.

WHAT AN AD SAYS

When a newspaper invites a merchant to take space in its columns it is in the act of saying: "Come with me and I shall introduce you to my thousands of friends in this city, my daily companions who honor me with their confidence and to whose interest I devote my life."—Editor and Publisher

Prof. Roscoe Trostle of Heald was in town Saturday.

Mrs. H. G. White of Huckaby is visiting her son, W. Sherman White.

Mrs. B. W. Wilkins motored to Clarendon Monday.

"M" System saves for the nation. Advertisement

Come to McLean

McLean Cafe

Good Food, Well Cooked

Service You Will Like

Eat with Us

Curley and Al Prop.

SURE SIGN

"I think there is company down stairs?"
"Why?"
"I just heard mamma laugh at one of papa's jokes."

Save money at the "M" System. Advertisement

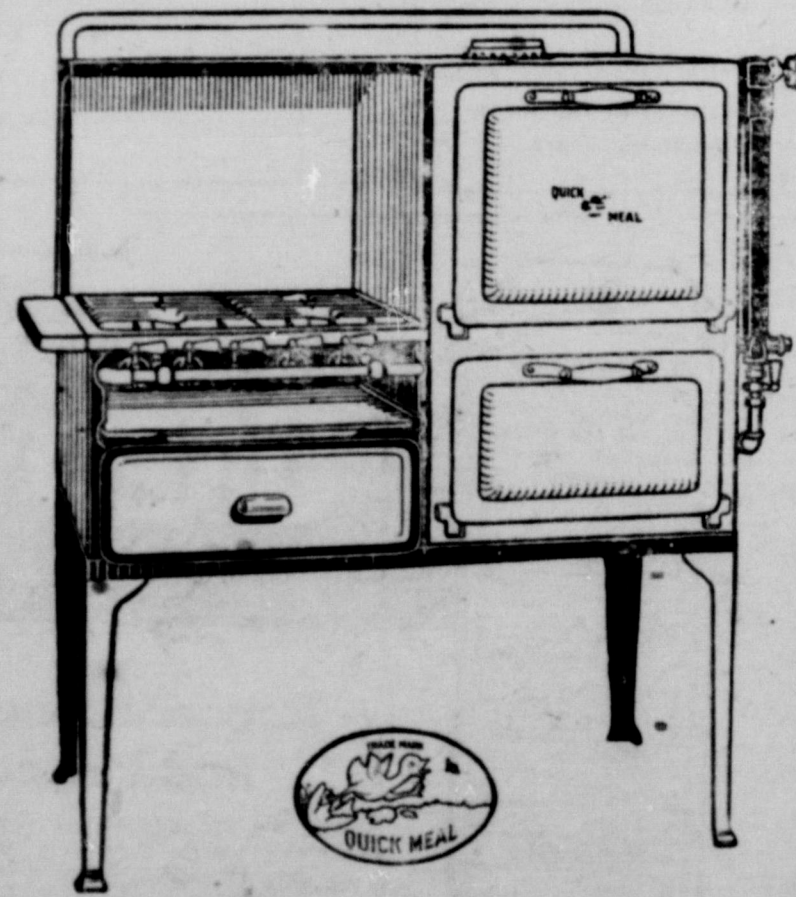
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Miss Winnifred Howard was a Clarendon visitor Saturday.

Miss Annie Lou Grigapy of Groom visited in McLean Friday.

Miss Ethel McCurdy of Shamrock spent the week end here.

Charles Cousins was in Amarillo Friday.

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement

"M" System Grocery is full of bargains. Advertisement

Caldwell's Delicious Cakes

baked fresh every day. Many kinds and flavors for only 25c each. You cannot afford to bake cakes when you can buy cakes like these for a small price. A trial is all we ask.

Our cookies and pastry will please. Let us do your baking. You will find this the economical and pleasant way to furnish your table.

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3 Days Sensational Bargains

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 17-18-19

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