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New High School Building Planned

Fire Station Contract Let Wednesday by City Council

New Fire Station Contract

Newman and Bush Are Awarded Contract by Council

A contract for the erection of a new fire station to be built adjoining the McLean jail, was awarded to M. M. Newman and M. L. Bush at a meeting of the city council Wednesday.

The new structure will be built of brick, which the city already has, being the brick discarded by the paving crew as unfit for paving. The contractors are to furnish labor, only, which they have agreed to do for \$387.00.

The new building will be the full length of the jail and will be used to store the city grader and tractor in the rear, with the fire truck in the front.

An upper story will be added and a fireman will sleep at the station, which will make a lower insurance rate and be of material help in fire protection.

BEN HOWARD HIGH MAN AT A. & M.

Ben Howard was high man in the state contest at A. & M. College last week, winning over 835 entrants, the largest number of contestants ever entered in the state contest.

Noah and Orville Cunningham, the other members of the McLean team, made good showings, and the team won first over all, first in tractor cutting, first in concrete work, second in soldering, third in hardware and third in Ford exhibition, winning places in five of the six farm shop events. There were 31 teams of boys entered in the farm shop department, which makes an exceptional record for the McLean team.

A moving picture of the contestants was taken that can be secured by any town paying the express charges, and pictures of the McLean team with the three cups won appeared in the state papers.

Prof. Tampeke took the boys on a sight seeing trip to Galveston, Houston, Huntsville and other points of interest before returning home.

JIM C. KING ANNOUNCES FOR GRAY CO. SHERIFF

The News is authorized to carry the name of Jim C. King in the official announcement column as a candidate for sheriff and tax collector of Gray county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July.

Mr. King has been a resident of Gray county two years and has had several years experience as a game officer in Kansas. He has been connected with the oil industry all his life, from the Pennsylvania fields to Texas.

Mr. King promises, if honored by election to the office he seeks, to see that the law is enforced without fear or favor. He will be willing to co-operate with the people in every community and will welcome suggestions for the betterment of local conditions.

The News is glad to commend Mr. King's claims to the voters of Gray county and bespeak careful consideration at the polls.

Miss Vera Swafford of Childress visited Miss Hazel Greer last week.

Womanless Wedding to Be Held

P. T. A. Promises Good Entertainment Program

A womanless wedding will be staged at the high school auditorium next Tuesday at 8 p. m., in which a large number of local gentlemen will take part.

D. C. Carpenter will be the blushing bride, with Loyse Caldwell as groom. T. A. Landers will perform the wedding ceremony, H. W. Brooks is the father of the bride, Harris King will entertain as the negro mammy, Claud McGowan and W. E. Bogan are the twins, as well as others who act as relatives and attendants at the wedding.

The play will end with an old fashioned square dance by the members of the wedding party.

Proceeds will be used to pay for the drinking fountains recently installed in the school building.

OFFICERS INSTALLED P. T. A. MEET

Reported.

The P. T. A. meeting was postponed from Thursday of last week to the following day. After a piano solo by Lawrence Bourland, near forty parents and teachers heard interesting reports from the retiring officials. The organization has just finished a very successful year's work under the leadership of the following officers: President, Mrs. John Harris; 1st vice president, Mrs. W. E. Bogan; 2nd vice president, Mrs. S. W. Rice; 3rd vice president, Mrs. Claud McGowan; secretary, Mrs. H. W. Brooks; treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Cooke.

Mrs. Jim Back presided during the installation ceremony. The one aim of the Parent-Teacher Association, whose national organization numbers its members by the millions, is child-welfare. This aim was stressed by the chairman and the keynote of the work, "Service," was carried from the retiring officers to their successors by the following girls: Verla Hibler, Bobby Appling, Iva Bacon, Nora Lee Morgan, Margerite Mertel, Maxine Fowler and Bonnie Bell.

Mrs. Wayland Floyd, delegate to the district meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association at Lubbock, gave a very interesting and forceful report, urging McLean to develop the child four-square—physically, mentally, socially and morally. Mrs. Floyd raised a vital question when she asked if we are doing as much for the spiritual or moral side of our child as we are for the mental, social and physical side.

At the conclusion of the installation, Rev. B. W. Wilkins prayed for Divine guidance, after which the audience sang "America."

The following ladies will be leaders in child-welfare work for the incoming year:

President—Mrs. Wayland Floyd.
1st vice president—Mrs. Jim Back
2nd vice president—Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.
3rd vice president—Mrs. Claud McGowan.
Secretary—Miss Jewell Cousins.
Treasurer—Mrs. H. W. Finley.
Parliamentarian—Mrs. Braud.

Mr. and Mrs. Burette Kinard of Saterprise were in town Saturday.

Benett Show Is Success

Sixty Dollars Raised at Picture Show Monday

By Ruby Cook and Mrs. McMillen

Approximately sixty dollars was added to the McLean crippled children's fund through the picture, "West Point," which was shown last Monday night at the American Theatre. (At this time part of the tickets have not been accounted for, so we cannot give an exact amount of the proceeds.)

We especially wish to express our thanks to the teachers for their kind co-operation in this undertaking, to the school children who sold the tickets and in other ways assisted, to The McLean News for free publicity, and to Mr. Conley and the American Theatre who furnished the picture and made possible this addition to the fund. A number of people contributed to the fund the night of the show by refusing to take change, and we thank them for this consideration.

Next week, if at all possible, we shall try to have an exact account of all money received and just the amount of hospitalization fee due on the McLean children.

A report from the hospital is to the effect that James Cobbs is recovering slowly. Very likely Ophelia Cunningham will be coming home within the next month. At this time she is being taught to walk without her crutches. Of course, this will of necessity be a slow process inasmuch as it has been so many years since she has walked at all.

Again we thank everybody who has in any way contributed to this fund.

FILERS ENTERTAIN AT BRIDGE

Reported.

One of the jolliest parties of the spring season was given on Friday night, when Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Filer were host and hostess to guests at three tables of bridge, honoring Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Shaw with a farewell party.

A most enjoyable evening was spent playing bridge, in which Mrs. Luther Coffey was lucky winner of high score, Mrs. O. C. Shaw second, while Mrs. L. G. McMillen was consoled with low for ladies. For the men, O. C. Shaw scored high, E. T. Filer second and L. G. McMillen low.

After refreshments were served, Mr. and Mrs. Filer schemed a good send-off for the departing couple, as well as the guests, by initiating them into the "Barnyard Club." There was just gobs of fun had during this initiation. Mr. and Mrs. Coffey, assisted by Mrs. Filer, took the barnyard members through a handshake of good fellowship which was a wow, and ended an evening of much merriment.

Those enjoying the hospitality were: Messrs. and Mesdames O. C. Shaw, L. G. McMillen, Chas. Gatlin, Luther Coffey, J. E. Cubine and Ray Davis.

Miss Leora Kinard of Pampa spent the week end with home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cash returned Monday from Electra.

Ralph Randall went to Amarillo Saturday.

Welding Outfit Explodes

Workman Slightly Injured by Explosion

An acetylene welding outfit exploded Wednesday at the power plant, causing the loss of a thumb nail for Oscar Goodman.

Ansel D'Spain, welder, was lowering the outfit into a hole near the water tower when the outfit exploded, throwing the tank into the air and hitting the water tower near the bottom of the water tank. The six-pound torch, hanging by the side of the outfit, was found on J. A. Sparks' porch some four blocks away, and the operator's glasses, also hanging on the outfit, were found on top of the power plant building.

The fact that the whole outfit was blown straight up, with the men standing a little to the side of the hole, was the only reason there were not more serious consequences.

C. OF C. MAY EMPLOY FULL TIME SECRETARY

By Sec. L. V. Lonsdale

There will be a regular meeting of the McLean Chamber of Commerce next Monday night at 7:30 in L. G. McMillen's real estate office. At this time it will be decided whether or not the time is opportune to employ a full time secretary and increase the budget to take care of the added expense.

All members are urged to be present and express themselves as to what should be done in this and other matters to come up. The West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention at Fort Worth begins June 17th, and arrangements should be made now for the part McLean is to take in this meeting.

METHODISTS ATTEND DISTRICT CONFERENCE

The Clarendon district Methodist conference met at Wellington Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, and the following from the McLean church were in attendance: Rev. B. W. Wilkins, J. H. Bodine, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, Mrs. E. E. Dishman and Mrs. W. L. Haynes.

MORE RAIN THIS WEEK

A nice shower of rain fell Wednesday night of this week, which added to the moisture that fell last week, keeps the ground in fine condition for planting.

Mrs. L. E. Cunningham says that Miss Vera Laswell was injured in the car wreck reported in last week's News, as well as James Anderson. Both injured parties are doing nicely at present. Miss Gladys Snow was driving the car when the accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gray were in Amarillo Saturday.

R. T. Harrie of Altus, Okla., was in McLean the first of the week.

J. E. Faulkner of Amarillo is a new reader of The News.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Dial of Memphis were here Tuesday.

Mrs. C. J. Cash is visiting in Amarillo.

M. E. Church Installs New Pews

New Oak Pews Will Be Ready Next Sunday

The First Methodist church will have new pews ready for the Sunday morning service, according to Pastor B. W. Wilkins.

The new pews are of oak and are being installed at a cost of \$2150. There are 423 running feet of the seats that are supposed to seat 400 people comfortably.

Choir seats to match, on the order of opera chairs, are also being installed, making a complete change in the seating arrangements of the church.

Pastor Wilkins says he is particularly anxious that every seat be taken Sunday morning, the first service to be held with the new arrangement.

MAY DAY FESTIVAL FRIDAY

The annual school May Day Festival will be staged in the business district Friday evening, beginning about twilight.

The exercises will consist of crowning of the queen, a May pole dance, beautiful drills, etc.

Miss Pauline Crabtree from the junior class will be crowned queen, with the candidates from the other classes, Misses Laeuna Holloway, Irma Keece, Alice Carpenter and Cleone West, as attendants. Norvin Aahby of the junior class will act as consort to the queen.

The festival will be entirely free to the general public, and it is hoped that a large crowd will be present for the exercises.

BAND UNIFORMS ORDERED

Uniforms have been ordered for the high school band, that should arrive about June 1, in time for the trip to the West Texas C. of C. convention at Fort Worth.

The uniforms consist of black capes, gold lined; with white shirts and black trousers. Caps will be of black shako style with gold siverettes.

Prof. R. C. Davidson says he is confident of winning a place in the contest at Fort Worth, despite the fact that the band will be in competition with older organizations.

The McLean band is tax supported, and the uniforms, with the exception of trousers, will be furnished by the city.

D. C. Carpenter and family visited in Lefors Sunday.

H. B. Hill of Shamrock was a McLean visitor Tuesday.

Merle Archer of Shamrock was here Thursday.

Miss Tommie Mae Bird of Shamrock visited here Friday.

Judge and Mrs. T. M. Wolfe of Lefors were here Sunday.

Hansel Christian was in Dallas last week.

D. V. Biggers of Dozier was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Powell of Rammedell were in town Saturday.

Election Petition Presented

School Board May Order Bond Election

A petition has been presented to the school board for a bond election to erect a new high school building for the McLean district. The petition calls for a \$74,000.00 bond issue, the bonds to mature serially from five to 40 years, and to bear 5% interest.

It is thought that the bonds will command a premium and the interest rate is less than the outstanding bonds of the district.

The old building will be used as a grade school, with the present auditorium converted into class rooms as need arises.

A number of new teachers will be required the coming term in the grades and provision must be made for class rooms.

It is thought that the trustees will order an election at an early date.

A number of the present faculty have been offered their places for the coming year and have accepted.

SUPERVISOR PRAISES FARM BOYS' WORK

The following letter is self-explanatory:

Austin, April 25, 1928.

Mr. J. S. Howard, President School Board, McLean, Texas.

Dear Mr. Howard: Permit me to congratulate you on the very excellent showing made by your farm shop team at A. & M. College on April 23rd. These boys show that they had received very excellent training for this kind of work and they reflected great credit upon your school, your community, your teacher of vocational agriculture, our program in vocational agriculture.

Very truly yours,
C. L. DAVIS, Supervisor Agricultural Education.

LEE INFANT FUNERAL SERVICES TUESDAY

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon for the 10-day-old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lee of the Liberty community.

Services were conducted by Eld. W. B. Andrews. Interment in Hillcrest cemetery.

"M" STORE INSTALLS FRIGIDAIRE EQUIPMENT

J. C. Ford, manager of the local "M" System store, has installed a frigidaire refrigerator in order to properly keep perishable goods.

Mr. Ford says he is now in position to sell meats, milk, vegetables, etc., in prime condition for the table.

SATURDAY BUSY DAY

On last Saturday afternoon there were by actual count 276 cars parked on the four main blocks of the business district.

Cars were parked by lesser number on other blocks, showing much activity among McLean merchants.

J. G. Davidson of Rammedell was in town Saturday.

Victor Back was in Dallas last week.

The Bat

A Novel from the Play

By Mary Roberts Rinehart and Avery Hopwood

THE STORY

CHAPTER I—Defying all efforts to capture him, after a long series of murders and robberies, a super-crook known to the police only as "The Bat" has brought about a veritable reign of terror. At his wife's and at the man's own request, the chief of police assigns his best operative, Anderson, to get on the trail of the bat.

CHAPTER II—With her niece, Dale Ogden, Miss Cornelia Van Garder is living in the country home of the late Courtleigh Fleming, who until his recent death had been president of the Union bank, wrecked because of the theft of a large sum in currency. The cook and housemaid described the Van Garder household, leaving only the Japanese butler, Billy, Miss Van Garder receives a note warning her to vacate the place at once on pain of death. She feels the warning is from the dreaded "Bat," but determines to ignore it. Dale returns from the city, where she had been to hire a gardener.

CHAPTER III—Miss Cornelia tells Lizzie Allen, her faithful Irish maid, who is decidedly nervous, that a detective is coming that night. The gardener arrives, giving his name as Brooks. Miss Van Garder leads him into a trap and he admits he is not a gardener but needs work. She allows him to stay. Dale comes from the country club with a friend, Doctor Wells. Miss Cornelia tells them of the threatening note. They are interrupted by the smashing of a window in the house.

CHAPTER IV—They find a stone has been thrown through a glass door, wounding another missive warning them to leave. Doctor Wells urges Miss Van Garder to obey, but she firmly refuses. The detective, Anderson, arrives, is told of the situation, and announces he will stay on watch that night.

CHAPTER V—Miss Van Garder tells Anderson she has an idea. Courtleigh Fleming robbed his own bank and concealed the money in the house, but the detective believes the bank's cashier, Bailey, who is missing, is the guilty one. Brooks (who is really Bailey, the sought-for cashier, and Dale's fiance) tells the girl he knows there is a hidden room in the house and believes Courtleigh Fleming, before his death in Chicago, concealed the bank's money there. Dale telephones Richard Fleming, Courtleigh's nephew, asking him to come over.

CHAPTER VI—Dale tells Richard Fleming of her knowledge of the hidden room. He gets rid of her while he seeks and finds blueprints of the house. Dale, returning, finds he has the secret in a scrap of blueprint, but he refuses to give it to her, declaring he means to have the money if it is there. Knowing the finding of the money means everything to Bailey, Dale seizes part of the scrap of paper and during the struggle Fleming is shot and killed. Anderson and the rest find her beside the body, with a revolver. Doctor Wells arrives.

CHAPTER VII—Reggie Beresford, friend of Fleming, appears. Doctor Wells gets the scrap of blueprint from Fleming's body, but Anderson takes it from him. Dale hides her piece in a broad roll, which the butler removes. Some one seeks entry into the house and all but Dale and Wells go to investigate. Dale tells Wells of the piece of paper in the roll. He goes to get it.

CHAPTER VIII—Miss Van Garder and Dale and Bailey of her knowledge of "Brooks" is Bailey. She also has reason to doubt Wells. Wells tells Dale he did not see a piece of blueprint in the roll, but she guesses he is lying, but doesn't realize the extent of his duplicity.

An instant the ringing of the bell held the various figures of the scene in the rigid postures of the works tables—Bailey, one foot advanced toward Beresford, his hands

Billy grinned adolescently and departed. The detective moved nearer to Bailey.

"Have you got a gun on you?"

"No," Bailey bowed his head.

"Well, I'll just make sure of that."

The detective's hands ran swiftly and expertly over Bailey's form, through his pockets, probing for concealed weapons. Then, slowly drawing a pair of handcuffs from his pocket, he prepared to put them on his wrists.

But Dale could bear it no longer. The sight of her lover, beaten, submissive, his head bowed, waiting obediently like a common criminal for the detective to lock his wrists in steel broke down her last defenses.

She rushed into the center of the room, between Bailey and the detective, her eyes wild with terror, her words stumbling over each other in her eagerness to get them out.

"Oh, no! I can't stand it! I'll tell you everything!" she cried, frenziedly.

"He got to the foot of the staircase—Richard Fleming, I mean," she was facing the detective, now, "and he had the blue-print you've been talking about. I had told him Jack Bailey was here as the gardener and he said if I screamed he would tell that. I was desperate. I threatened him with the revolver but he took it from me. Then when I tore the blue-print from him—he was shot—from the stairs—"

"By Bailey!" interjected Beresford angrily.

"I didn't even know he was in the house!" Bailey's answer was as instant as it was hot. Meanwhile the doctor had entered the room, hardly noticed. In the middle of Dale's confession, and now stood watching the scene intently from a post by the door.

"What did you do with the blue-print?" The detective's voice beat at Dale like a whip.

"I put it first in the neck of my dress—"

"Then, when I found you were watching me, I hid it somewhere else."

"Did you give it to Bailey?"

"No—I hid it—and then I told where it was—to the doctor—"

Dale swayed on her feet. All turned surprised toward the doctor. Miss Cornelia rose from her chair.

The doctor bore the battery of eyes unflinchingly.

"That's rather inaccurate," he said, with a tight little smile. "You told me where you had placed it, but when I went to look for it, it was gone."

"Are you quite sure of that?" queried Miss Cornelia acridly.

The doctor's voice gained strength. "Absolutely," he said. He ignored the rest of the party, addressing himself directly to Anderson.

"She said she had hidden it inside one of the rolls that were on the tray on the table," he continued, in tones of easy explanation, approaching the table as he did so, and tapping it with the box of sleeping-powders he had brought for Miss Cornelia.

"She was in such distress that I finally went to look for it. It wasn't there."

"Do you realize the significance of this paper?" Anderson boomed, at once.

"Nothing beyond the fact that Miss Ogden was afraid it linked her with the crime." The doctor's voice was very clear and firm.

Anderson pondered an instant.

"I'd like to have a few minutes with the doctor alone," he said, solemnly.

The group about him dissolved at once. Miss Cornelia, her arm around her niece's waist, led the latter gently to the door. As the two lovers passed each other a glance flashed between them—a glance, pathetically brief, of longing and love. Dale's finger-tips brushed Bailey's hand, gently, in passing.

"Beresford," commanded the detective, "take Bailey to the library and see that he stays there."

Beresford tapped his pocket with a significant gesture and motioned Bailey to the door. Then they, too, left the room. The door closed. The doctor and the detective were alone.

The detective spoke at once—and surprisingly.

"Doctor, I'll have that blue-print!" he said sternly, his eyes the color of steel.

The doctor gave him a wary little glance.

"But I've just made the statement that I didn't find the blue-print," he reaffirmed flatly.

"I heard you!" Anderson's voice was very dry. "Now this situation is between you and me, Doctor Wells. His forefinger sought the doctor's chest. "It has nothing to do with that poor fool of a cashier. He hasn't got either those securities or the money from them, and you know it. It's in this house, and you know that, too! Tonight, when you claimed to be making a professional call, you were in this house—and I think you were on that staircase when Richard Fleming was killed!"

"No, Anderson, I'll swear I was not!" The doctor might be acting, but if he was, it was incomparable acting. The terror in his voice seemed too real to be feigned.

But Anderson was remorseless.

"I'll tell you this," he continued. "Miss Van Garder very cleverly got a thumb-print of yours tonight. Does that mean anything to you?"

His eyes bored into the doctor—the eyes of a poker-player, bluffing on a hidden card. But the doctor did not flinch.

"Nothing," he said, firmly. "I have not been upstairs in this house in three months."

The accent of truth in his voice seemed so unmistakable that even Anderson's shrewd brain was puzzled

by it. Had he persisted in his attempt to wring a confession from this last suspect.

"Before Courtleigh Fleming died—did he tell you anything about a hidden room in this house?" he queried cannily. "You haven't been trying to frighten these women out of here with anonymous letters so you could get in?"

"No. Certainly not." But again the doctor's air had that odd mixture of truth and falsehood in it.

The detective paused for an instant. "Let me see your key-ring!" he ordered. The doctor passed it over silently. The detective glanced at the keys—then, suddenly, his revolver glittered in his other hand.

The doctor watched him, anxiously. A puff of wind rattled the panes of the French windows. The storm, quieted for a while, was gathering its strength for a fresh unleashing of its dogs of thunder.

The detective stepped to the terrace door, opened it, and then quietly proceeded to try the doctor's keys in the lock. Thus located he was out of visual range, and Wells took advantage of it at once. He moved swiftly toward the fireplace, extracting the missing piece of blue-print from an inside pocket as he did so. The secret blue-print guarded was already graven on his mind in indelible characters—now he would destroy all evidence that it had ever been in his possession and bluff through the rest of the situation as best he might.

He threw the paper toward the flames with a nervous gesture of relief. But for once his cunning failed—the throw was too hurried to be sure and the light scrap of paper wavered and settled to the floor just outside the fireplace. The doctor swore noiselessly and stooped to pick it up and make sure of its destruction. But he was not quick enough. Through the window the detective had seen the incident, and the next moment the doctor heard his voice bark behind him. He turned, and stared at the leveled muzzle of Anderson's revolver.

"Hands up and stand back!" he commanded.

As he did so Anderson picked up the paper, and a sardonic smile crossed his face as his eyes took to the significance of the print. He laid his revolver down on the table where he could snatch it up again at a moment's notice.

"Behind a fireplace, eh?" he muttered. "What fireplace? In what room?"

"I won't tell you!" The doctor's voice was sullen. He inched, gingerly, cautiously, toward the other side of the table.

"All right—I'll find it, you know." The detective's eyes turned swiftly back to the blue-print. For a moment, as he bent over the paper again, he was off guard.

The doctor seized the moment with a savage promptitude and sprang. There followed a silent, furious struggle between the two. Under normal circumstances, Anderson would have been the stronger and quicker, but the doctor fought with an added strength of despair and his initial leap had pinioned the detective's arms behind him. Now the detective shook one hand free and snatched at the revolver—in vain, for the doctor, with a groan of desperation, struck at his hand as its fingers were about to close on the smooth butt and the revolver skidded from the table to the floor. With a sudden terrible movement he pinioned both the detective's arms behind him again and reached for the telephone. Its heavy base descended on the back of the detective's head with stunning force—and the next moment the battle was ended and the doctor, panting with exhaustion, held the limp form of an unconscious man in his arms.

(Continued next week)

PROMISE YOURSELF

To be so strong that nothing can disturb your peace of mind.

To talk health, happiness and prosperity to every person you meet.

To make all your friends feel that there is something in them.

To look at the sunny side of everything and make your optimism come true.

To think only of the best, and to work only for the best, and to expect only the best.

To be as enthusiastic about the success of others as you are about your own.

To forget the mistakes of the past and press on to the greater achievements of the future.

To wear a cheerful countenance at all times and give every living creature you meet a smile.

To give so much time to the improvement of yourself that you have no time to criticize others.

To be too large for worry, too noble for anger, too strong for fear, and too happy to permit the presence of trouble.—Christian D. Larson.

The total value of Texas petroleum in 1926 was placed at \$308,700,000.

DRAY SERVICE

When You Want It

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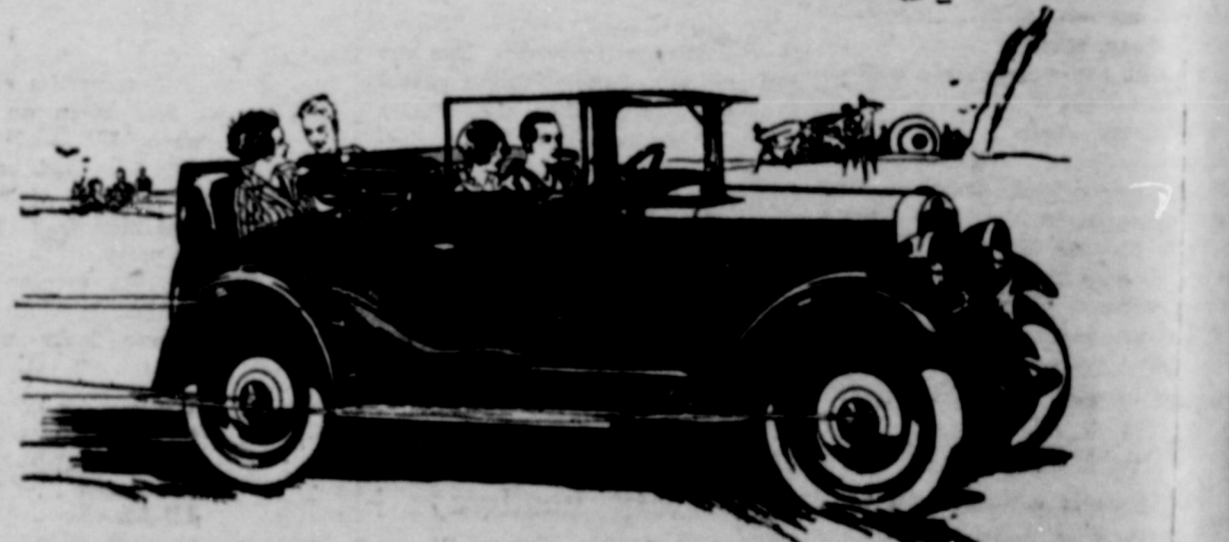
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With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

D. H. Brynoff, Pastor
Announcements for Sunday, May 6:
Sunday school at 10 a. m. We had a good Sunday school last Sunday. 143 were present. But we can make it much more by diligence and co-operation on the part of the members.
Preaching service at 11 a. m. Let us work together to make the most out of every service. Your pastor appreciates the loyalty of the Sunday school pupils in staying for the preaching hour. Our young people are showing a good spirit in this matter.
The B. Y. P. U.'s meet at 7 p. m. for their programs. If you are not attending services elsewhere come and be with our young people. They appreciate your presence.
Preaching service at 8 p. m. Monday night study course. Wednesday night prayer meeting and Bible study. Come and be with us.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

R. R. Rievs, Minister
You will please remember that we expect to hold our regular services next Sabbath at the usual hours:
Bible school 10 a. m.
Preaching by the pastor 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Young people 7 p. m.
You and your friends are cordially invited to worship with us at all the services.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. B. Andrews, Minister
Sunday was the best Sunday for the Church of Christ, if we are to judge by the crowd and interest. Let's keep attendance up. We all owe thanks to the members of the ladies' Bible class for this interest. Let us strive to make each Sunday in some way better than the preceding one.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Leader—Charlie Mae Carpenter.
Topic—How to Choose a Life Work.
Scripture reading—1 Thes. 4:9-12.
Special music—Eileen Partlow, Dot Payne and Charlie Mae Carpenter.
Leader's talk.
Seek God's Will—Sybil Graham.
Consider Moral Values—Letha Ashby.
Men Who Drift—Laurence Bourland.
Be Big Enough for Your Task—Millard Windom.
Our Task May Choose Us—Dan McCombs.
Comments on Topic—Rev. Rives.
Sentence prayers by members.
Sunday night will be our regular consecration meeting, and a short business meeting will follow the program. All members are expected to be present, and any others interested are always welcome.

JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject—How a Walled City Was Captured.
Special music by four girls.
Introduction—Group Captain Wilburn Lynch.
The People of Jericho Are Worried—Arnold Sharp.
High Stone Walls—Zadie Mae Bibbie.
God Promises a Way—Hobby Appling.
Joshua's Orders—Bert Simmons.
The People of Jericho Watch and Wonder—Bobby Appling.
The First March around the City—Faye Coleman.
On the Seventh Day—Frankie Andrews.
Rahab Is Saved—J. C. Corbin.

LADIES BIBLE STUDY

Reported.
The Ladies Bible Study meets at the Church of Christ each Tuesday at 2:45 p. m. The class is studying the Old Testament by a systematic outline.
Everyone is extended a welcome and assured of a profitable hour of study.

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The W. M. U. met at the home of Mrs. T. N. Holloway Wednesday for a social. The east side circle entertained the west side. After several games were played refreshments were served to 18 ladies and 15 children.

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PLANTS.—Will be ready by May 1st or sooner. Prices right. Please call or come to see what we have. We are east of town. Roby's Plant Farm. Phone 182. tfe

PORTO RICO and Nancy Hall potato plants, \$2.50 per 1000 post paid. Order promptly filled. N. O. Vantrees, Star Rt., Duncan, Okla. 18-4p

FOR SALE.—My entire herd, 53 head, of Jersey cattle, 30 cows, all milkers; 1 registered 6 year old bull, 22 heifers. H. M. Belew. 17-3p

FOR SALE.—2 brood sows, will farrow about May 20. Phone 70, J. W. B. Bush. 1p

Tom Watson watermelon seed, Weatherford raised. S. A. Cobb, at Marie Mac Service Station. 16-2c

COTTON seed for sale, Mebane and Half-and-Half. Phone 94. R. O. Shannon. 18-3p

FULL BLOOD White Leghorn pullets, hatched Feb. 1, at 65c each. Mrs. Clyde Willis, Telephone 89, 1p. 17-2p

FOR SALE.—Building and lots now occupied by Cheney & Colebank. R. T. Harris, Altus, Okla., Box 636. 1p

MOTORCYCLE for sale or trade. Bible Shoe Shop. 1p

WANTED

WASHING wanted. Malag washer. No quilts. Mrs. Lou Simmons.

DRESSMAKING, plain and fancy sewing. Mms. Bentley and Johnson. Phone 97. 1p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT.—Upper floor of Rice-Cousins building. C. S. Rice.

Furnished rooms for light house-keeping. Phone 235. Mrs. R. S. Jordan. 1c

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NO TRESPASSING. No hunting, no fishing, no swimming, no trespassing of any kind allowed on land and lakes controlled by me. Carl Hefner. 18-2c

MONEY to loan. We are prepared to loan you money on your farm at 7 1/2%. See us. Smith Bros. tfe

Groceries are cheaper at Packett's Cash Store. tfe

Letter and invoice box files at the News office.

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

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

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 28, 1928.
For District Attorney, 84th District:
J. A. HOLMES
CURTIS DOUGLASS
For County Judge:
T. M. WOLFE
For County and District Clerk:
CHARLIE THUT
For Tax Assessor:
F. E. LEECH
For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
JOHN V. ANDREWS
S. A. "Art" HURST
WALT NEWTON
E. S. GRAVES
JIM C. KING
For County Treasurer:
JOE M. SMITH
MAHLE DAVIS
For County Attorney:
JOHN F. STUDER
F. A. CAREY

News from Papan

This community had a good rain Thursday, which was very beneficial to the fields. Some are getting ready to start planting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Westmoreland of Wheeler were guests in the home of the lady's sister, Mrs. J. J. Sparlin, Sunday.

John Hrnchar and son, Paul, and daughter, Emily, were McLean visitors Tuesday.

The cerrickas are being built on the smock and Nelson lease on section 6.

Paul Macina and Mrs. Paul Macina and daughter, Louis, were Shamrock visitors Wednesday.

J. W. Stauter took suddenly ill Wednesday and rushed to a Shamrock hospital for an operation. He is doing nicely at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Janota and Sam Pagan Jr. were Shamrock visitors Tuesday.

Joe Valencik took a load of chickens to Shamrock Saturday.

Many farmers are hauling shelled corn to Shamrock this and last week. Those that were seen on the streets of McLean Saturday were: Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith, J. J. Sparlin, Arthur Stevens, John Hrnchar and son, John.

Mrs. E. D. Langley, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith, has left for Clarendon.

D. M. Davis has our thanks for subscriptions for himself and son, Len, this week.

Brunswick Phonographs and records at McLean Radio Co. Advertisement. 1c

PRINT SHOP FABLES



Friends, wot a Beautiful Sight is This. Two Pals, the Ole Home Paper and the Ole Steady Subscriber. Without Either the Other's Name would be Mud. Hay fer the Ole Steady Subscriber, and Long may he Live to Renew his Subscription.

Mrs. H. T. Wilkins of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

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Specials

for Saturday only

- Head Lettuce only..... 5c
 - Green Beans, per lb..... 12c
 - Radishes, per bunch..... 8c
 - Mistard Greens..... 8c
 - Turnips with tops..... 10c
- Strawberries, always priced cheaper. We keep our vegetables on frigidaires, and it is clean and cold. See our prices before you buy. We save you money.

Remember the Free Gold each Saturday. \$800.00 given away. Ask us for full information.

M System Grocery

J. C. Ford Phone 9

E. E. Barker's subscription has been renewed.

W. C. Phillips is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Elmer Delaune returned last week from a trip to Dallas.

Chester Lander was in Shamrock Sunday.

Henry Benson was a Wellington visitor Sunday.

Charles Cousins was a Pampa visitor Sunday.

Buck Cooke of Vega was in McLean Saturday.

Vernon Rice went to Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. E. B. Hedrick of Alanreed was here Saturday.

Oral Martin of Wellington was a visitor here Sunday.

J. W. Crisp of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Saturday.

R. H. Keesee of Tipton, Okla., was here Sunday visiting his family.

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

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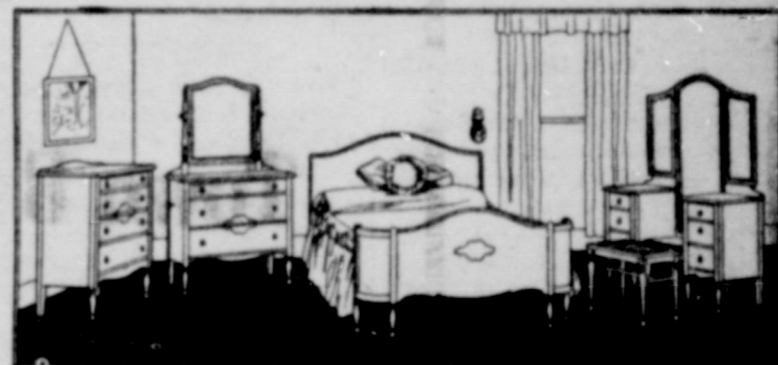
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Good Used Cars

We have a number of used cars that we have taken in trade on new Chryslers that we have priced to sell. If you are interested in a bargain, it will pay you to see these cars.

Here are some of them:

- Ford Roadster, 1925 model.
- 2 Ford Tourings, 1925 models.
- Chevrolet Roadster, 1926 model.
- Chevrolet Touring, 1927 model.
- Chevrolet Sedan, 1924 model.
- Buick Coupe, 1927 model.

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No one denies the value of a Chamber of Commerce to a town, but many people seem to have the idea that they have no personal responsibility and are inclined to let George do it. With only one stated meeting per month, McLean should have practically 100% of the members present at each meeting. It is practically impossible to keep up enthusiasm in any organization if only a few are interested enough to attend meetings.

The merchant who buys his advertising, printing, calendars and other items not in his regular line at home deserves the patronage of his neighbors, for it is only these merchants who have the vision of community building that must obtain if everyone is to prosper. It is unfortunate that so much preaching at home must be done, yet the man who preaches must practice his beliefs, if he is to benefit.

ELLIS COUNTY CLAIMS
RAT CATCHING RECORD

Ellis county claims a world championship and challenges any other county to produce a record that will compare with it.

Ellis county, with its population of less than 57,000 persons, destroyed 243,321 rats in one month. The boys and girls of the county are to be credited with a large share of the success of the anti-rat campaigns. The saving to the county is estimated at nearly half a million dollars, since the "value" of a live rat is about \$2 less than no county only \$217.50 in cash prizes, collected by subscription and 13 merchandise prizes donated by storekeepers.

Naturally enough, in such a contest, the first prize in merchandise was a rifle, and the boy who won it bagged 9,374 rats. A girl "seeded" the old story as to feminine fear of rodents, with a bag of 1,123. Cash prizes went to schools, and the three prize-winning districts finished neck and neck with credits for 11,772, 11,765 and 10,946 rats respectively. L. C. Whitehead, leader of the Biological Survey's rodent-control work in Texas, supervised the campaign, and E. C. Cates, of the same branch of the United States Department of Agriculture, assisted the campaign committee.

TRUTH VS. REPOSE

God offers to every mind its choice between truth and repose. Take which you please; you can never have both.

Between these, as a medium, man oscillates.

He in whom the love of repose predominates will accept the first credit, the first philosophy, the first political party he meets—most of his father's.

He gets rest, commodity, and repose, but he shuts the door of

in whom the love of truth predominates will keep himself aloft

from dogmatism

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for truth,

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HOW IT PAID TO KEEP BOOKS

An Iowa farmer and his son worked the farm and kept accounts for a year. At the end of the year they compared their results with accounts kept by other farmers and summarized by extension workers. They made a list of what had proved to be their strong and weak points as revealed by the comparison. Their strong points were found to be good crop yields and good returns from hogs. Their livestock returned \$170 for each \$100 of food consumed, and the hog receipts amounted to \$149 per sow. The weak points were found to be that dairy product receipts were only \$34 per cow; also that the farm allowed for only 17 crop acres per horse and that it was cut up into 12 small irregular fields. As the result of this analysis the father and son made some changes the following year. They rented more land to bring up the number of crop acres per man and horse. They replanned the fields and reduced the number in the interest of efficiency of labor. They introduced a minor rotation for hogs. They sold two scrub cows and purchased three of a good dairy breed. The results were 67 crop acres per man, 20 per horse, and an increase to \$45 in receipts per cow kept.

RIGHT OFTEN THAN WRONG

One of the leading business men of the country says that the successful man is the one who is right 51% of the time. It is foolish to expect to avoid mistakes altogether. Everybody makes them, unless he is afraid of blundering and therefore never tries anything. To pursue such a course is the biggest mistake of all.

In the opinion of this great captain of industry, a man is successful who is right a little oftener than he is wrong. This ought to encourage those who think they must be right 95% of the time in order to be counted a success. To be right oftener than one is wrong is what constitutes success.—The Kablegram.

Mrs. Charles Lowry and little daughter, Sarah Beth, returned to their home at Clarendon Sunday after a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins.

Let the Maytag do your washing. Call McLean Radio Co. for demonstration. Advertisement 1c

Th' Ole Grouch

DARU 'TH' GUY WHO TRIES TO BLOCK EVERY PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT, I LIKE SAVING MONEY AS WELL AS 'TH' NEXT FELLOW, BUT THERE'S 'THINGS EVERY 'TOWN SHOULD HAVE, SUCH AS AMPLE SCHOOL-BUILDINGS, PARKS, LIBRARIES, PAVED STREETS, SEWERS AND SO FORTH AND SO ON



INDEPENDENT

Lady—"Supposing I give you some change; how do I know that you will go right home and give it to your wife?"

Beggar—"I aint' got no wife, lady; I earn my own living."

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Filer motored to Groom, Panhandle, Pampa and Lefors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Cubine motored to Amarillo Tuesday.

Dwight Upham was in Lefors Sunday.

Mrs. W. J. Ball of Alarreed was in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. J. S. Denson of White Deer visited here Monday.

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Continuous Flow Cleaning
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Work called for and delivered.
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Building materials, hardware, fencing etc., may be bought here with perfect confidence. We handle quality products and sell them at reasonable prices. Let us figure on your bill.

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A Good Dinner

The meat course has more to do with a good dinner than any other part of the meal, and we consider the meat bought here our best advertisement.

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Palace Meat Market

Virgil Threet, Manager
McLean, Texas

OTHERWISE IT IS AN EXCELLENT GAME

All those engaged in keeping up with polite society these days are supposed to not only know how but to enjoy playing bridge. Those who go out are divided into two classes, the players who do and those who don't. Now bridge is something that should be taken seriously. At least it is so by devotees.

Bridge is also something that is most annoying, for the more seriously it is taken, the bigger the joke it becomes. Our idea of absolutely nothing on earth to do is playing golf. Our idea of ruining what otherwise might prove to be a very profitable evening is playing bridge.—Altus (Okla.) Times-Democrat.

Young dairy heifers should at all times have plenty of roughage which is best furnished, in late spring and summer, by green pasture. In addition, enough grain should be fed so that the heifer develops steadily and gains from 1 to 1 1/2 pounds a day. If skim milk is plentiful and cheap, it may be fed advantageously to the dairy heifer until she is 8 or 10 months old.

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Let Us Service Your Car
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Hope and Lynch, Props.

KNEW HER

A woman called at a department store to match a piece of goods. The clerk showed her the exact thing, but she demurred.

"I'll look around a little longer," she explained. "I told my husband I'd be ready in ten minutes, so he won't expect me for an hour."

Mesdames W. E. Grinegar and E. E. Filer were in Shamrock Friday.

Harris D'Spain was a visitor in Wellington Saturday.

J. W. Armstrong spent Sunday with home folks at Hedley.

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

Sammie Cubine and mother, Mrs. J. E. Cubine, were fishing on the Carpenter place the first of the week.

Charles Lowry of Clarendon visited in the S. A. Cousins home Sunday.

Dray & Transfer

Hauling and Crating

Let us handle your next job.

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Fun and Entertainment for Everyone

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2 qts. of water raised from 45° to boiling



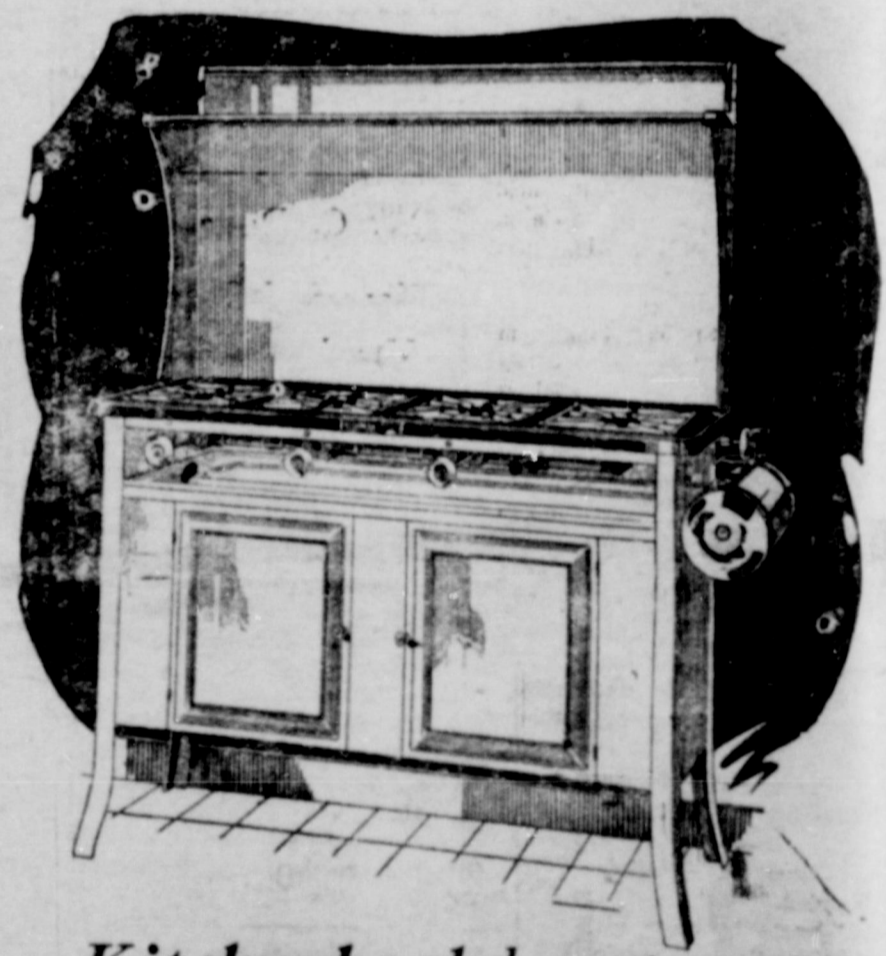
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THE TIGER POST

Edited by pupils of McLean High School

The May Day Fete will be staged down town between the two banks Friday evening, beginning about twilight. Preparations are progressing nicely. The drills and May pole dance promise to be interesting as well as beautiful. Pauline Crabtree, the junior class candidate, has been elected queen. Laeuna Holloway, Irma Keesce, Alice Carpenter and Cleone West, candidates from the other classes, will attend her. Norvia Ashby, also of the junior class, has been chosen king. This festival is being given for the pleasure and enjoyment of the public, and everyone is cordially invited to be present.

Since most of the teachers are closing their work for the term and getting ready for examinations, the school has been very busy for the past week. The students are working diligently and have been for the past month, especially the seniors, for they must have all their work completed by the end of this week.

The leading event of the past week was the junior-senior reception given at the home of Miss Pauline Wehba. Nearly every junior and senior was present and all the teachers with the exception of Mr. Moore. The cause of his absence is not known, but we are quite sure it was something of great importance. Contests, extemporaneous speeches, songs and readings composed the entertainment. The reception was given by the junior class, with Mrs. Braud officiating. The high school orchestra gave several enjoyable numbers with the trombones leading the air most of the time. Miss Ulm entertained the group with several solos which were enjoyed by everyone. Refreshments, which were prepared by Miss Partlow and her Home Economics girls, were served at the end of the program. The program was exceptionally well planned, and all the seniors reported a good time.

Miss Ulm has the operetta well under way.

Mr. Davidson and his band have been practicing very hard, getting ready for the Chamber of Commerce convention, which will be held some time in June. Mr. Davidson says that he expects to bring back the honors.

The coach and the basketball team were awarded sweaters Monday morning in chapel. The members of the team who received sweaters were: Clyde Windom, captain and center; Cloyd Windom and Jack Reeves, forwards; Forest Rogers, Horace Bible and Willis Cloud, guards. The boys were all proud

to receive their sweaters, and as a result were called upon to make speeches. Cloyd Windom made the best speech, with Horace Bible a close second.

McLean Boys Bring Honor to Their School

The McLean vocational agriculture class has worked hard on Furds, soldering, lafters, saw filing, concrete and identification of hardware. Ben Howard, Noah and Orville Cunningham were selected by a long, careful elimination to represent our school at the state agricultural contest held at A. & M. College April 23. They, with their coach, A. A. Tampke, were gone a week, returning last Thursday with three out of five possible cups in farm shop work. They won first in number of points in all events, which gave us the large team cup, and first in rafter cutting and concrete work, which are both rewarded by beautiful cups. Ben was the high point man or individual in the entire contest. We as a school are justly proud of the honor which these boys have brought to themselves and their school.

Hum-Dinger—Go-Getter Party

The young people of the Methodist church and others who attended the revival meeting were engaged in a contest having two sides working for church attendance and Bible reading. The Hum-Dingers were led by Frances Noel and the Go-Getters had Clara Anderson for a captain. The Go-Getters, having the lowest percentage, entertained the winners at the home of Miss Dorothy Cousins last Monday evening. With this merry group a pleasant evening of games came to a close too soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tummins were victors in Canyon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Bryant gave a birthday party in honor of their daughter, Mary, Saturday night. A large crowd was present and all reported a very enjoyable time.

To clean a carpet sweeper, empty the box on a damp newspaper, and use a buttonhook or coarse comb to remove dirt and hair from the brushes. Oil the bearings occasionally.

**W. C. Dunaway
New and Second
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You will like our goods and prices. Give us a trial.

MICKIE SAYS—

WE LIKE NEWS WHEN IT IS FRESH, BUT WHEN A PERSON BRINGS IN AN ITEM WITH WHISKERS ON IT, ITS ABOUT AS WELCOME AS RAIN AT A SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC



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

DEAD ONES

One of the worst things that can be said of any man is that his funeral will be better off for his funeral. Every live town has obstructionists whose death would be a boon to the town, but besides these unprogressives, there is the moral leper whose association defiles. There is the pessimist who seeks to make everybody utterly miserable. There is the trifling sinner who won't work and sponges off the efforts of others. All those should be made aware of the fact that their community would be benefited by their absence.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

N. A. Greer attended a district meeting of Buick salesmen at Wellington Saturday.

Miss Lillian Butterfield of Childress spent the week end with Miss Hazel Greer.

Jim C. King, candidate for sheriff of Gray county, is a new reader of The News.

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General Repairing

Save replacement costs by having all broken castings repaired. Car blocks welded, bursted engine heads repaired, radiators mended. New parts made on our big turning lathe. Repairs of all kinds.

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**Hardware
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Whatever you need we have in stock or can get it quick for you, and in most cases can save you money. Better investigate our goods and service before buying. You are welcome at our store at any time whether you are ready to buy or not.

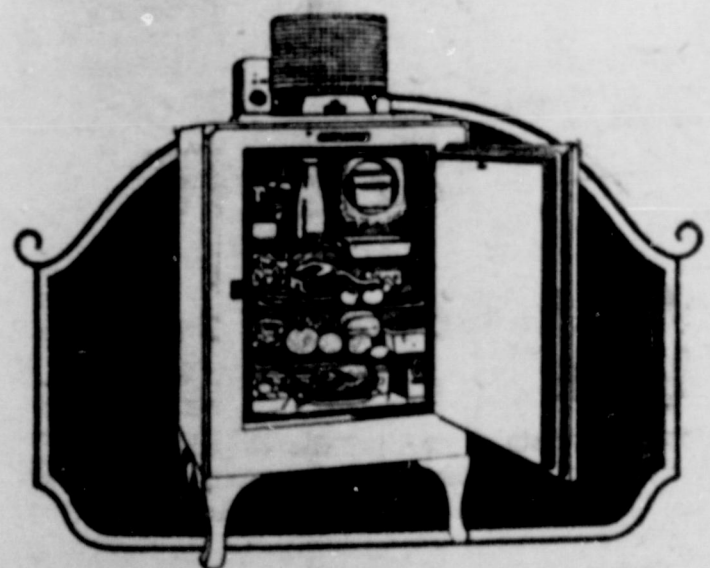
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**GENERAL ELECTRIC
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The General Electric Refrigerator keeps milk sweet for a week. It keeps all foods till you want them. It is the economical refrigerator—costs little to run. It is quiet, simple, roomy and absolutely portable—install it anywhere.

See the many models—come in today

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Now Going On
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, This Week
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Buy at Home

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News from Alanreed

Quite a number of Alanreed young people attended a party given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Robinson at Rockledge Friday night. Burridge baseball team won over Alanreed boys Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. H. Moreman has been sick several days, but is reported better.

Mesdames E. B. Hedrick, J. W. Ball, S. L. Ball and H. T. Wilkins are among those shopping in McLean Saturday.

Misses Inez and Zola Blankenship spent the week end with friends in Rockledge.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Loftin have returned from an extended visit to relatives in other parts of the state.

Rev. H. G. Walton preached at Leora Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James and sons visited relatives at Groom Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Fred Bell preached an interesting sermon on the judgment at the Baptist church Sunday morning.

Miss Blanche Palmer visited her sister, Mrs. A. H. Moreman, the latter part of the week.

The B. Y. P. U. rendered a missionary program just before church Sunday night.

The Epworth League had an interesting program Sunday night.

W. H. Blakney and family, Roy Sherrod and family, H. T. Wilkins and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Guill, Miss Jennie Sherrod, Olan Berry, Miss Niva Bell and J. T. Glass enjoyed a picnic-fashion dinner at the Beaver Dam bridge Sunday after church.

Miss Lois Marie Wilkins visited Miss Ruth Greenwood Sunday.

Rev. Dewey Equire preached an interesting sermon at the Baptist church Sunday night on the subject of A Vision of Christ.

Shoes often mildew in warm damp weather, especially in a dark closet. They are not so likely to do so if kept on shoe-trees or stuffed with paper, and stored in a well-ventilated, dry, light place. Mildew can be washed off with warm water and soap, but the leather must be wiped thoroughly dry afterward.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williams and daughter, Dorothy Clarice, of Mobeetie visited relatives here Saturday.

Tax Assessor F. E. Leech of Pampa was in McLean Monday and renewed his subscription to The News.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

No. 270, J. E. Stewart vs. Johnnie Stewart. In the 84th district court, Gray county, Texas.

The State of Texas to the sheriff or any constable of Gray county—greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the county of Gray once in each week for 4 consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon Johnnie Stewart, whose residence is unknown, who is alleged to be non-resident of the State of Texas, to be and appear at the next regular term of the district court of Gray county, to be holden at the court house thereof in the city of Pampa, Texas, on the 2nd Monday in June, A. D. 1928, the same being the 11th day of June, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 17th day of April, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 270, wherein J. E. Stewart is plaintiff, and Johnnie Stewart is defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit: Suit for absolute divorce, on grounds of cruelty and ill treatment on the part of the defendant as charged in said petition to which reference is made.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in the city of Pampa, Texas, this 17th day of April, A. D. 1928.

Witness, CHARLIE THUT, Clerk of 84th district Court in and for (Seal) Gray County, Texas. 116-4c

To cook string beans deliciously, shred them finely and give them a short quick cooking in a comparatively small amount of lightly salted warm water. Remove the tips, ends, and strings, and cut the beans lengthwise into long thin shreds, with a pair of scissors.

Miss Lillian Donnell of Pampa spent the week end with friends here.

Creed Bogan was in Pampa Sunday.

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POINTERS ON PAINTING

Spring is a good time of the year to paint farm buildings and implements. Not only does paint improve the appearance of the buildings, but it protects them from the weather and is the cheapest way of keeping them in good condition.

Painting should not be delayed too long; if wood has begun to rot or iron to rust, the deterioration will continue even after paint has been applied. Outside painting should be done when the surfaces to be painted are dry and the weather is not too damp or cold. Buildings should be painted every three to five years, sometimes oftener than this. New wooden buildings should be given a priming coat of paint as soon as possible and a finishing coat within the next month or two. Before exposure to the weather or to dampness, both the wooden and metal parts of farm implements and machinery should be painted. When painting outside surfaces, two or three thin coats are better than one thick coat. The U. S. Department of Agriculture in Farmers' Bulletin 1452-F gives detailed information on paints and painting.

Have Your Printing Done at Home

CURIOS

Dink bought a new shirt and on a slip pinned on the inside was a name and address with these words: "Please write and send photograph."

And so Dink wrote to the girl and sent a picture of himself. In due course of time the answer came. It was only a note.

"I was just curious to see," it read, "what kind of a looking cheap skate would wear such a cheap shirt."

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers visited friends at Willow, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wilson of Pampa visited relatives here last week end.

J. J. Simmons and family went to Erick, Okla., Saturday.

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FOR MEN ONLY

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Didn't you if girl a be wouldn't you, it read would you knew we.

Miss Ray Riley of Pampa spent the week end here.

N. H. Greer came in Friday from Slaton.

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QUIET QUIPS

A woman's maiden aim is to change her maiden name. Most family skeletons refuse to stay in the closet. Adversity sometimes transforms a coward into a hero. An evil may be popular simply because it is under cover. A blush is one of the few things that cannot be counterfeited. Be sure that you have an air in life before pulling the trigger. When a man is in love he imagines that he neither eats nor sleeps. The best throw that one can make with dice is to throw them away. Some men actually believe that pointers are well worth considering. People who hear the truth begining to come out sometimes tremble. Why fret exceedingly at the foolishness of young folks? Weren't you young? We're nearer to the brotherhood of man; and we have all time in which to go on. It's thy faith to no man's sneer. Hast thou not two eyes of thine own? Seldom have we seen a practical joke that didn't have something unpleasant about it. A man errs in picking neckties that are too quiet. Neckties should be cheerful, even gay. If one knows himself, he knows human nature. If one knows one pine tree, he knows the whole forest.

Grow Food Supplies for Denizens of Zoo

Transportation of food to the animals is quite a problem in any zoo, and at the National Zoological park at Washington an effort is being made to grow provender right on the spot. A large garden is operated not far from the pens and it supplies kale, spinach, lettuce, Swiss chard, beet tops and the like in huge quantities. Even the lawn clippings are fed to the ruminants and water fowl, and trimmings from trees—the leaves, bark and small twigs—are accepted greedily by the browsing animals. Recently an orchard was set out and it is expected that soon all the apples that can be used will be grown right in the park.

He Aimed to Please

A prosperous farmer who sold produce to the inhabitants of a neighboring community aroused the ire of one of his customers by failing to have some of the commodities that she wished to buy. "Is that all you have?" exclaimed the woman, surveying the stock disdainfully. "No, madam," replied the farmer, whose equanimity was being sorely tried. "I have a mortgage on your house that is overdue. I can bring it back on the way home."

Gold Medal for Cooking

When Sweden's crown prince visited this country last year he was a guest of Secretary of State Kellogg in Washington. The prince was so well pleased with the cooking at the Kellogg home that he had the Swedish parliament vote the cook, Mrs. Lydia Bengener, a gold medal. Mrs. Bengener has just received the medal with a complimentary letter from the prince and is the proudest woman at the nation's capital.—Capper's Weekly.

Breaking in a Husband

The perils a prospective husband of Jersey City is willing to undergo, as related by a news dispatch from that town: "Married in a lion's cage, Ernest P. Gervais, chauffeur, and his bride are on their honeymoon with a substantial gift of cash and furniture. The lions club arranged matters. A trainer kept sharp watch on three lionesses, but they sat perfectly still."—American Mercury.

World's Oldest Bush

According to Dr. Edgar T. Wherry of the Department of Agriculture, a box huckleberry bush in Perry county, Pa., is the oldest bush in the world. This remarkable bush is a mile and a quarter long and covers the entire side of a hill. Doctor Wherry estimates that it grows six inches a year. Talking that as a basis, the plant must be something like 12,000 years old.

No Amateur

"Jack," she cooed as they sat on the beach in the moonlight, "have you ever been engaged before?" "Why," he answered, "you don't think that this is my first vacation, do you?"

That's Love

Sarah—You said you'd do anything for me? Ted—You, dear. Sarah—All right. Make love to Gino and let me cut her out.

COUNTRY WOMEN INCREASE INCOMES IN MANY WAYS

Many Virginia farm women are finding that through the help received as members of home demonstration clubs, they are able to start profitable home enterprises. Not only the traditional "butter and egg" money comes to them, but additional income from selling flowers, vegetables, canned and preserved foods, pickles, homemade candies, cakes, grape juice, and many other farm or home products. A report received by the United States Department of Agriculture from the Mount Ayre home demonstration club in Albemarle county is typical: "Eleven members took in \$1,400 on poultry, including hatching and table eggs; 2 raised turkeys and made \$245; 4 sold cream and butter and earned \$250; 1 raised \$25 worth of dahlias, and 1 sold her pigs for \$299.67."

A woman in Varina, Henrico county, who had an electric washing machine, earned a good sum washing blankets for other people; another in the same club sold onion sets amounting to \$100. A strawberry patch netted its owner in Smith's Grove, Dinwiddie county, \$200, while other members of the same home demonstration group earned money, respectively, from a bean patch, from flowers and bulbs, and from buttermilk. Keeping books for the local gas station was one unusual way for a Beulah, Henrico county, farm woman to add to her income. From Clayville, Powhatan county, a woman sends jonquils to Washington, D. C., and in 1927 they brought her \$100. Members of the "Willing Workers" club in the same county have built up a very good business in week-end baskets of fruits and vegetables which are largely sent by parcel post to Richmond. This business developed out of a desire to help the local postal route by having more packages and baskets collected direct from the mail boxes.

It does not create lawlessness, it merely reveals it. Let me illustrate. I once had a friend who seemed to be the picture of health. He was ruddy, athletic, and apparently able to do anything. But one day as he was walking up a moderately steep hill, he suddenly felt distressed. He was obliged to go home, and his physician diagnosed a disease of the heart from which he died in a few years. The hill did not create heart disease, but it revealed it. It showed that even the moderate exertion involved was too much for a heart that was impaired. The Volstead Act has, I regret to say, revealed a lawless spirit in quarters where it was not suspected.—Henry W. Farnam, in "Confessions of a Prohibitionist."

Texas has two elements for making glass, an abundance of silica and cheap fuel in the form of natural gas.

"Use scrub sire to make good hash, but purebred sire to get the cash," is a slogan suggested to arouse interest in promoting the use of purebred sires.

PROGRAM at the American Theatre

Friday Marie Corda in—"The Private Life of Helen of Troy" John Erskine's famous story of the first tired business man and his flapper wife, the original blonde perfesser. Saturday Matinee "Helen of Troy" Night "Flashing Fangs" Monday and Tuesday "Riders of the Dark" A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer production Wednesday & Thursday Wallace Beery and Raymond Hatton in—"Wife Savers" As the Swiss Alpine guide—Beery is a scream. The most hilarious climber that ever tried out a yodel. He makes the Alps safe for laffs and saves a wife for Hatton.

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MODERN ENGLISH

English Teacher—"Michael, when I have finished you may repeat what I have said, in your own words:

"See the cow. Isn't she pretty? Can the cow run? Yes, the cow can run. Can she run as fast as a horse? No, she cannot run as fast as the horse."

Michael—"Lamp the cow. Ain't she a beaut? Kin de cow hustle in wid de horse? Naw, de cow ain't in it wid de horse!"—Bowen Arrow.

Don't put shoes on a baby until he is ready to try walking. Then get shoes with flexible, firm soles unpolished and broad enough to be a steady platform under each small foot, with full or fluffy toes on the uppers to give plenty of room.

Texas is the Union's leading state in the number of sheep, number of mules, number of beef cattle and number of goats.

The total number of cattle, including calves, in Texas in 1927 was 6,136,000 and the total value was \$175,775,000.

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BEFORE MIXING MORE CONCRETE, READ THIS

Concrete has been mixed all wrong in the past.

One hundred thousand experiment have shown that it is the amount of water used to a sack of cement that determines the strength of the finished concrete. It has been found that the less water used in mixing, the stronger the finished concrete will be, says H. P. Twitchel, extension specialist in agricultural engineering at the Ohio State University.

Now the best concrete is made with less mixing water, by using a coarser aggregate which gives the final product more volume, by mixing it longer to get all the particles of aggregate covered with cement. Finally it left to cure about three weeks. In this way the strength of concrete has been increased 115 per cent.

Experiments show that 6% gallons of water to a sack of cement will give a concrete that has a crushing limit of 2,000 pounds per square inch. Concrete of this strength is sufficient for any farm use, Mr. Twitchel observes.

The old method was to mix the aggregate dry with the cement and then thin with water. By the new method the water and the cement are mixed first and the aggregate added until the concrete is thick enough. Add aggregate as long as the concrete can be worked.

The entire mixture must be mixed for at least a minute and a half to get the desired strength of 2,000 a square inch.—The Progressive Farmer.

When making jelly, the most satisfactory proportions, with few exceptions, are three-fourths of a cup of sugar to one cup of juice.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Hindman were in Vega Friday.

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UNCHANGED OPINION

He—"Before we were married you used to say there wasn't another man in the world like me."

She—"I know; and now I should hate to think there was."

Some simple rules for taking care of the dairy cow at calving time are given in Leaflet No. 10-L, just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture. It is called "Care of the Dairy Cow at Calving Time." A copy may be procured by writing to the department, giving the name and number of the leaflet.

Use eggs as much as possible in the spring when they are plentiful—for breakfast, lunch or dinner. They may be cooked in any number of delicious ways so as to seem like many different foods. Change the sauce, or the flavoring, or combine the eggs with other tasty foods, and you will enrich the menu without making it monotonous.

TAX NOTICE

I am now assessing property for state and county taxes for 1928. Please have real property descriptions and personal property inventories in readiness. L. V. LONSDALE, Deputy Assessor, Gray County, Texas. Advertisement 8-1fc

SURE CURE

Hank—"My wife has got the antique craze. How did you cure your wife of this business?"

Shaft—"Oh, I just gave her a 1908 model automobile for her birthday."

A man under the influence of small quantities of alcohol has no right to believe his own senses. He cannot trust them to give him correct facts, and he cannot rely upon his judgment for the interpretation of facts.—Dr. G. Sims Woodhead, Cambridge University.

"Dead and doesn't know it!" describes the mental state of the man who takes not enough interest in life to read the newspapers.—Quannah Tribune-Chief.

See the Crosley Icyball at McLean Radio Co. Advertisement 1c

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