THE MCLEAN NEWS

Beyan Ball of Alanreed was in Mc-

hildren visited in Miami Sunday.

Lean Tuesday.

Lions Discuss Public Utilities Rates

Baptists Elect Building Committee for New Structure

BIDS WILL County Judge Recommends BE ASKED Many Changes FOR BLDG.

Cash Payment Raised county judge on the first of the time for the regular services next on down with the drill to the earliest C. for this year will be held Monday Water, Gas and Light year, I beg to advise that I have Sunday. for New Church made some inquiries and some in-Building

Baptist church of McLean will soon court the following: I suggest that this court recom- under his leadership. be a reality, according to action taken mend to the district judges of this last night when a building committee county that they use economical dis- under the new minister, it is hoped CLARK-ASHBY WEDDING T. A. Landers, Jesse J. Cobb and they summon for jury duty, as well friends will be present. John Allen Jr. compose the building as the method of handling their committee, with S. A. Cobb, T. N. juries. I mean by that this: If the Holloway and D. L. Abbott the fi- regular panel can be cut from fifty LYMAN ASHBY NOW nance committee, S. A. Cobb being to thirty-six, do so, though it may special treasurer for the building require extra talesmen to be sum-

The finance committee reported a day, and fifty jurors cost \$150 per Mr. Ashby will keep a set of books

advice : The church now has the basement day and lasts over tomorrow and in- penditure. d now the sompleted, worth some 7 or 8 thous- to the next day, if the jurors not in alk it overnd dollars, which will make the the case do not have to report on has made the creation of the office empleted building cost around \$20,-

The \$6,000 cash offering will be each juror. Last year, ending Auged on the building and some \$6,000 ust 31, jurors cost the county \$6,- SMALL BLAZE AT

Not everyone has had a chance to for this to be doubled this year. entribute to the fund, and as there I suggest that we have an audit will be furnishings and other items another thousand dollars in cash will as directed by law. If you think before the fire department could get Market and placed John Stricklin of

me, and the Sunday collection was same published. clumination of his efforts toward I am advised that the basement damage done beginning the new building. under the court house does not ex-

now beine at LAWSON e will re

the furniture was carried from

The building belongs to S. A. Cobb,

and was damaged to some extent.

SOB ASHBY BUYS

riving in good shape.

HOME MONDAY should be done at this time. The bridge east of Lefors across the Red river lacks about 400 feet Fire caught in the Lawson home of spanning the entire river bed. On gualon East Railroad street Monday, This should in my judgment be exwhich was promtply answered by tended rather than be filled in with he fire department and extinguished e appreceiore doing much damage. Most dirt.

I find that all officers that require deputies are paying their salaries out of their fees of office except the sheriff's department. This is proper under articles 3889 and 6692, which provide respectively as follows:

tend under the entire building. If

true. I think by all means that this

FINE HEIFERS "Each officer named in this chapter shall first, out of the fees of his Bob Ashby, together with Homer office, pay the salaries of his depand Prank P. Wilson, has bought uties and assistants and out of comfive fine Guernsey heifers of the missions allowed the tax collector or er Dairy Farm at Wauwa- sheriff's department for collecting tosa, Minn., the young animals ar- the registration fees on automobiles and other motor vehicles. Such com-Mr. Ashby has 15 head of Jerseys pensation shall be used exclusively that he has raised from calves on to pay salaries of deputies, etc." I the farm. He has gathered 66 bales believe you are now allowing five a of cotton from 120 acres this year, deputy sheriff's a salary. If such chich he claims is the poorest crop fees are sufficient to pay such depis has ever raised, due to losing a utles their salaries, then the county and and having to plant over in is not required to pay them. The sheriff is allowing three deputies in up the who believes in the value of adver- one in each remaining precinct of end. dng, and a couple of advertise- the county, which in this case would ul flool nents will be found in the classified be three more, or a total of six.

I also beg to advise that I have examined all accounts filed up to and including the 11th of this month. Mr. and Mrs. John Whatley of You will note from my itemized revisited friends in McLean port of the same that in some instances I have reduced some and disallowed others. All accounts besfaction Mr. and Mrs. Ted Matthews and fore being accepted or approved his dur. little son, Eugene, of Wheeler visited relatives here Sunday.

Respectfully submitted. IVY E. DUNCAN, County Judge.

Mrs. W. C. Pinnell of Wheeler is Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bogan and visiting her daughter, Mrs. Loyse Caldwell, this week.

T. N. Holloway made a business Fred Bentley went to Amarilio trip to Clarendon Tuesday.

> Sammie Cubine made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Eld. McDougald Accepts Ministry Church of Christ

Eld. Robt. McDougald of Ada, Okla. McLean Church of Christ and will grainte wash. be on the field with his family in

Eld. McDougald comes to McLean

Next Sunday being the first service cretion in the number of jurors that a large number of members and

SCHOOL TAX COLLECTOR

Lyman Ashby has been appointed The building will be erected from and once a trial commences to dis- tax collector and bookkeeper for plans furnished by J. Roy Smith miss the remaining jurors for at the school district, with an office at architect, of Amarillo, and will be of least a period of 48 hours or longer. T. J. Coffey's in the old McLean Each juror costs the county \$3 per Ges Co. location.

cash offering Sunday morning, which transacted with 36 jurors, it would cording to a member of the board, was immediately subscribed by the save the county \$42 per day. Like- will be a complete record of the anwise, if a jury trial commences to- nual 35 to 40 thousand dollars ex-

The growth of the school business the second or third day of the trial, imperative, it is said. the county will be saved this \$3 for

LINDSEY HOME SAT. 394.10, and it stands a fair chance

A small blaze in the kitchen of made of the affairs of Gray county the Lindsey e, it is expected that at least for the year 1928, and publish same street Saturday morning was put out this cannot be done at this time, I into action. The truck answered the Shamrock in charge. Rev. D. H. Brynoff, pastor of the will suggest that we reduce the alarm promptly, but the hose would

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

D. H. Brynoff, Pastor

Last Sunday we registered victory in our endeavor to raise \$6,000 for this money has been subscribed, we are ready to go ahead with our church

building program. This is a signal FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH victory for the Baptists of McLean. We ought to witness greater growth and spiritual development in our church work in the future. May church for next Sabbath as usual: God's blessings be on those who have made the present progress possible. Next Sunday we will have all our

regular services. Come and meet with us next Sunday. Let us pray invited to worship with us at all the that the Lord shall have His way in services. our individual lives.

Elmer Reeves of Amarillo was in McLean Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Williams made business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Miss Eunice Floyd is visiting in Amarillo this week

Misses Bobbie Champion and Nita Mr. Ashby is a successful farmer the precinct in which he lives, and Culwell visited in Amarillo last week.

> J. H. Wade was called to the bed side of his father this week.

> Walter Brown of Alanreed was in McLean Tuesday.

> S. B. Morse made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

> in McLean Friday. Herbert Cantrell of Wheeler was a McLean visitor Monday

Mrs. J. L. Crabtree of Amarille was in McLean this week.

Duke Shaw of Pampa visited in McLean this week.

Jim Sullivan made a business trip Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Williams motorto Hedley Friday.

has accepted the pastorate of the reported and they are now in the

This well will continue to go right possible completion.

Two new wells southeast of Lefors vestigation of county aaffairs, and I highly recommended, and as he has have come in at the rate of 125 at T. J. Coffey's office, and enough submit for your consideration at the preached for the local church a num- and 122 barrels per hour, pinched have promised to attend to have a The new auditorium for the First first regular term of this honorable ber of times, it is expected that the in. These wells are on section 4, church will experience a good growth block 1, which has attracted atten-

Maarried, Friday, January 11, 1929, at Austin, Mrs. Johnnie Fay Clark

the State University, who is working occasionally, have come to the agri- Landers and others, Sam

Mrs. R. N. Ashby of McLean, and poultry, treating for diseases and will receive his A. B. degree in June. sickness among poultry, cattle, horses that many people think the rates in very small sum lacking of the \$6000 day. If the court's business can be for the school board in which, ac- He is majoring in chemistry, receiv- and hogs. chemistry greek letter fraternity by give you FREE service. invitation, an honor seldom offered There will also be a night school the matter. It was also discussed 17 members in the university.

FRED RUSSELL BUYS MARKET

Fred Russell has bought the Munch

thurch, has been working in the in- totals as set out in Pickett's audit, not reach the house, and while the in McLean and is well known to all and Furniture Co. to C. S. Doolen say and Landers. An attempt was rest of the new structure for a long ending August 31, 1928, and have the truck returned for more hose, the of the older residents here. He now of Duncan, Okla. blaze was extinguished, with little has markets in Clarendon and Sham- Mr. Doolen has had 16 years ex- plead not guilty and demanded trial, line of market goods here.

Mr. Russell offers some special in-

vertisement on another page.

R. R. Rives, Minister Services are announced at this Bible school 10 a. m.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 Young people 6 p. m. You and your friends are cordially

Miss Dorothy Cantrell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Cantrell, at Wheeler last week end.

Miss Doris Meek of Miami is visiting her sister, Mrs. Floyd Phillips, this week.

Miss Olive Saunders of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Saunders, Sunday.

Miss Lucile Ayers of Dallas is Visiting relatives here this week.

Walter Cash made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday

Vernon Rice of Wheeler visited in McLean Sunday. Geo. Tummins made a business

trip to Wheeler Monday. Miss Ruth Ann Mitchell of Pampa Russell Grogan of Shamrock was

was a McLean visitor Saturday. Ross Cunningham of Pampa vis-

ited in McLean last week.

nd to Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer were in Shamrock Sunday.

N. H. Greer visited in Childress

C. of C. to Elect Officers Next Monday Night

President W. E. Bogan of the Chamber of Commerce says the regular election of officers for the C of

Everyone interested in the comtion again to the Gray county field. munity is invited to be present and take part in the meeting.

AT AUSTIN FRIDAY AGRICULTURE DEPT. AT SCHOOL ACTIVE

Since the holidays, many calls, The bride is a popular student of numbering as many as six a day to by Lions Hodges, Bentley, Rives, culture department of this community, seeking aid in culling poultry, W. Sherman White and T. J. Coffey feeding and brooding old and young

ing highest honors in his class this This is the time to begin terrac- say, who is a member

an undergraduate, there being only on poultry, livestock and terracing that interest on meter deposits is held by this department, which will being paid by only one company at The young people will continue meet once each week in the agricul- the present time. their work in the university, and are ture rooms at the high school building, beginning Jan. 22 at 7 p. m. of about \$1.00 minimum for water, All persons interested are invited 8c for electricity and 30c for gas It's FREE to all.

BENSON SELLS INTEREST

rock and says his chain of markets perience in this line and comes to and the club, acting as a committee will enable him to keep a complete McLean well recommended as a of the whole, absolved Lion Haynes modern merchant.

ilton-Ooolen Hardware and Furni- vote. Mr. Muncie says he will give all ture Co., and their patrons are as- Prof. Carrico was presented as a

CUBINE BROS.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Robt. McDougald, Minister Bible school 10 a. m.

of the lot to the alley line.

Preaching 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Other services as usual. The general public invited to all our services. Come and meet the new

Miss Merle Tummins of Hedley spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tummins

Mrs. Scott Johnston went to Amarillo Sunday.

Miss Mary King visited in Mangum, Okla., last week end.

Joyce Armstrong of Hedley was in McLean Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens of Magic at Wellington Friday. City visited in McLean Saturday.

went to Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. Hershel Miller visited friends in Ramsdell Sunday.

in McLean Wednesday.

LIONS **DISCUSS** RATES

Rates to Be Studied

Lions at their regular weekly lunch-

may be made with local rates. Lion Massay made the motion to appoint the committee after Lion W. S. White had introduced the

McLean high.

Miss Sybil Graham entertained the members present with a couple

Mr. Russell used to own a market in the Benson-Hamilton Hardware Lions, among whom were Lions Masmade to fine John C. Havnes, who C. P. Hamilton Sr. retains his in- to fine the tail twister for a simducements for customers Saturday terest in the firm, which will con- ilar offense, which carried, despite of this week in a quarter page ad- tinue under the firm name of Ham- the tail twister calling for a rising

our church auditorium. Now that his attention to his cattle business, sured of the usual courteous service, new member of the club and responded with a short talk.

Raymond Glass was reported upon IMPROVE GARAGE favorably by the membership committee and elected to membership.

Those present were; Lions Rives, Cubine Bros., Chrysler dealers, are S. Cubine, E. Cubine, Carrico, C. H. having an extension made to their White, W. S. White, King, Beall, building, where a repair depart- Cobb. Dr. Finley, Dr. Coleman, Dr. ment will be maintained under the Campbell, Haynes, R. Campbell, Sitsupervision of an expert mechanic. ter, Davidson, Massay, Hodges, Er-The building belongs to S. O. Cook, win, Bentley, Moore, Christian, Sliand is being extended the full length gar, Upham, Coffey, Landers; Dr. Campbell's side having the more members present.

C. M. STONE SALE FRIDAY

C. M. Stone and Co's January sale opens Friday morning. The sale is in charge of Mr. W. H. Doss of Oklahoma City, who says he is well pleased with the service rendered by minister and take part in the worship. The News in printing the big sale

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Baptist ladies met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Homer Abbott for Royal Service program, which was very interesting. Refreshments were served to fourteen ladies and ten children.

Mrs. T. A. Landers, Mrs. J. E. Lynch and Mrs. J. J. Simmons visited

Henry Laundau of Quinlin, Okla., Frank Bidweil and Henry Benson was a business visitor here Wednesday.

iMsses Cora Greer and Lorene Clyde Windon visited in Amarillo Sparks visited in Shamrock Sunday. Tuesday.

here Wednesday. Mrs. E. B. Hedrick of Alanreed was L. L. Rogers motored to Amarillo

Tuesday.

K. C. Jones of Wellington visited

Idle Island

ETHEL HUESTON

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—On the verge of nervous collapse, due to overwork, Gay Delane, successful New York artist, seeks rest at Idle Island. She rents a cottage, the "Lone Pine," from an Island character, the "Captain," and his sister, Alice Andover, "administrator."

For two hours Auntalmiry slipped softly about the house, gathering together her modest belongings, packing baskets, bags and bundles. And for two hours Gay slept without stirring, moaning faintly now and then. At one o'clock, Auntalmiry prepared dinner for two, with a great pot of strong hot tea, and set the little gateleg table. Then, with a light touch, she wakened Gay.

"Come and eat, dearle," she said gently. "You can rest better on a full stomach."

Gay smiled at her, yawning, stretching luxuriously. "You are a darling," she said. "I wasn't a bit hungry, and now I am." She stood up shaking

Auntalmiry watched her shrewdly. "You didn't begin to rest any too soon," she said significantly.

No. Almost too late, in fact. So far. I am too tired to enjoy resting, but after a while, a week, or a month, how I shall revel in it."

She curled the tips of her shoes, boyishly, about the legs of the chair at the table, and although she was not hungry, the tea she sipped with relish. And as they ate, Auntalmiry descanted at great length on the outrageousness of fifty dollars a month for that rock-pile, told her to look out for the draughty window on the ocean side, and enlarged on the condition of the kitchen woodwork.

She recommended Lumly Lane for lobsters, and promised to send him up for orders. And at Auntalmiry's suggestion Gay made out a grocery list to initiate her own light housekeep fng, and gave it to that same small oblighing person to leave at the Pier

While they were still at the table, Gus, the taxl boy, came up for Auntthe bill, heavily taden, and Auntalmiry, hastily entching up an armful of costs and dresses, tripped after

Gay waved them away and turned back, yawning, into the pretty cottage, turned again, gratefully, to the wide couch in the shadowy corner, stretched herself out upon it, and closed her eyes.

The afternoon waned. A boy from the Pier grocery store brought her basket of groceries, and left it on the kitchen table without disturbing ber.

Dusk crept out of the forest and

darkened the windows. Quce Gay stirred, restfully, sensed presence in her sleep, seemed to feel the gaze of human eves upon her in the silence, Resentfully she forced the heavy lids to raise. In the shadowy, dying light she seemed to see a small figure cronching near her, and a small face, yellow and wrinkled like parchment, with pinched features and stanting almend-shaped eyes fastened hypnotleally upon her eyes. Beneath one eye a small crescent-bowed sear shone in the yellow parchment. It was the scarred and wrinkled face of a little old Chinaman. Even in her sleep, Gay knew it could not be, and spilled faintly at her foolish fancy, "It is a dream," she thought mist-

ily. "Presim on." She closed her eyes again.

The little yellow face receded into the dusk, the small figure faded noisely into the shadows, and there was not the slightest sound from the small, swift moving feet as he stepped over the sill of the window on the forest side, and pedded away among the

Hours after, when Gay wakened from her sleep, the house was still and dark. The greatness of her relaxation pleased her.

"I shall go on like this for weeks," she thought blissfully, "smelling sweet scents of sea and woods, hearing strange noises of ghestly breaths and phanton footsteps, feeling the touch of fairy fingers- Oh, good heavens, I wonder where the matches pre!"

Raused by this rude thought from the sweet fantasy of dreams, she got up from the couch, and felt about her with outstretched groping hands. Deciding fogienly, to follow the walls until she came to the kitchen door, knowing she would find matches over the kitchen gas stove, she crept along the wall to the left, working her way, hand following hand, until she found them at fast, struck two together, hurricelly, and was glad to have the full light of electricity flooding the room. Doors and windows stood open to the night, as when Auntalmiry left in the afternoon. But on consulting her watch, Gay was amused to find it seventeenth year, Gay had never at

was the hour of midnight. "Well, I slept," she said philosoph-

On the kitchen table she found her basket of groceries, and feeling somewhat refreshed she took a real interest in unpacking its contents and arranging the: neatly on shelves in the little wall cupboard. Carefully she closed and locked the doors and

She opened a can of prepared soup and heated it, made toast, opened a jar of pickles.

For the first time since she left New York, she was sufficiently rested to feel a mental reaction to her environ-

She arranged her modest supper on a tray, and took it to the wall-seat by the window which looked down over the bay. The wriggling, wrinkling lines of many little colored lights in the black showed where boats rode out the night at anchor. Intermittently the black was mellowed, turned to white mist, by the sliding rays of a lighthouse searchlight.

"Nice," she said to herself. "I like it. I'm glad I came. Auntalmiry is a dear, the Captain is a lamb, and that administrator person who tries to be so very bossy is a kind, sweet, gener-

Remembering then that she had not yet so much as seen the upper story of her new home, she left the tray in the window, and, cup of soup in her hand, went up at once to explore, switching on the lights of the stairway from the lowest step. She found it modest enough above the stairs, but clean and fresh, all to her liking. There was a large closet on the landing, and to the left, a nicely appointed bathroom. The bedroom was large and cheerfully bright in furnishing, a bed, an old bureau, a commode and two small chairs match-

Her natural energy somewhat retored by the long sleep, Gay carried per bags upstairs and unpacked them, g the little silken garments away into drawers that smelled sweetly of cedar. She had brought with her nothing but the sheerest necessities for wearing. Her weariness had been so great that her only desire, her only thought, had been to escape, escape from work, escape from the city, find

Gay Delane, not a New Yorker by birth, had become one by labor. Work was her dally bread. She counted ac-



She Counted Accomplishment the End of Lifa.

complishment the end of life, success its great reward. With Gay Delane there was no laterest as to one's poscession, from whence one came, nor from what family line had sprung The sole point of personality to her was this: "What is he doing? What has be done?"

The death of both parents in quick succession had thrown her upon her own resources at the age of seven teen. The last of the family funds. the insurance, all had gone into a final year of practical preparation for life-work, in which, with the incongruously blended driving of necessity and desire, she had studied stenography, and at the same time continued her classes in art under the best teach ers obtainable.

"I've got to work-but I am going to paint," she said.

From the strictly clerical work she had been obliged to accept at first. bread and butter work she called it. she had gradually worked away from it, getting into things more to her taste and her talent, and at last, when she was able, abandoning it altogether Black and white copies of style fig ures, fashion pages, back work of Il fustration, all grist to Gay; and always through the formative years, she kept some bours, mostly at night and on Sunday, for more ad anced study

For the defiulte business of earning a living, she had a remunerative connection with the advertising house of Burnham and Morey, for whom she did conventional paintings in bright

colors at their order. The work not only paid very well, but was varied in type, usually interesting, and exercised the artistic virtues of a quick eye and finger for striking color effects. But always, besides this, she kept on, studying better things, painting in all her hours of lelsure the things her beart desired.

From the day she had entered upon the study of stenography, in her plete vacation, sufficient to give both soul and body recuperation. She said she hadn't time, there was too much to learn, too much to do. Even her one memorable trip abroad, although it continued over a year, had afforded her no rest, for in addition to her studies she had taken with her also a contract for a series of pictures for the Sunday Magazine, so that she returned to New York at last afire with zeal, aslame with ambition, and far less rested than when she went.

But outraged flesh and violated nerves claimed their revenge at last for the eleven years' defiance. For fully six months before the final June torrent of heat forced her into full surrender, she had been a prey to quivering perves that jaugled in a jaded body, and when the inevitable forced itself upon her, she accepted it with a certain joy. If she must rest. she would make that rest a sport. If she must go into retirement, the exile should be a luxurious one. Perhapswho knew?-even on a good little island of idleness taight luck some mulant for an ardent though flaga spirit Adventure perhaps, ent certainly, or even-ah, Ro-

Gay most ardent of free-soul advocates, decrying though she did the ampering confines of marriage, turned always sensitive heart-string to the ming lingers of Remance.

ous worker. For acent, for the self-satisfied. for the indolent, all very well; perhans; but marriage and ambition, passion for accomplishment, were never ites. Gay's first romance, tenat blassom of her ardent young ously promised the full fruitnge of marriage "when the war is over," lay buried with the solwho did not come back. And lay's first passion of grief soon sub ed loto a philosophical reflection niter all it was better so. not the her in her de e nlone. Alone, but nely, free but not unloved.

"Lumley Lane, for Instance," she thought whimsleally. "Lumley the lebeter-man A stern and silent na ture, bronzed and bearded."

her stilled affections!

if on the good and idle island

ond come a fresh awakening for

She smiled to berself as she turned out the lights and slipped into bed The room was steeped in the essence of evergreen. Cay slept, glad for the silence of the Idle Island.

Next morning she wrote a note to her friend. Nancy Moore, asking to have her easel crated and shipped to her, with her paints, her canvases, any many of the pretty useful things of her studio which would add to the charm of her new home.

"It is the Land of Leisure," sh wrote, "the Land of Emotional Lefsure. It is life Island, the World of Wasted Effort, the Center of Stience. amounts to nothing. Every one is intensely busy, but it is the business of passing time. Every one is persist ently intent on doing, but it is the doing of nothing at all. Soft, slow, un

"Hallo!" It was a human voice that boomed out upon the silence like a neighboring foghern that aroused Gay from the mellow mildness of her picture.

She ran to the door, startled at the sudden vocal crash in the stillness. startled more greatly when she saw the feroclous apparition at her door. An lamense man, a monster of a man, with a tuft of bristling orange-colored beard, and a great shock of bristling arange-colored hair, and a great round face like a giant orange, with pink rimmed pale bine eyes.

(Continued next week)

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Arlie Carpenter of Lefors was in

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Hershel Miller Okla., on business Misses Evelyn and P

visited at Ramsdell 8

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HARKINS ullding. device with h was threadly way he spee cold and cles autumn was In Westche ner awaited a pipe and b marry? he s Something

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be didn't, but car about at he had serve how short-te At Columbus "I'm going nounced

stiffly turned the rear of th "Miss Hole or I shall cal fore I turn y stealing my "Your car move with th repeated ove

"Certainly, are very da to 220 Broa In amazed to the office putiently. There was vering voice

man before perhaps this Patrolman self in the t of the raise

I think I'll le girl's name a taxicab at kins to drive

asked Hark

ble car. Come

listins says the pleasantest hours of his life were spent in the Tombs , and as for a bachelor home in Vestchester-why, a New Jersey me, a log fire, two easy chairs and ek at all is much to be preferred.

************** The Mysterious

By WILFRED BROWN *******

Car

HARKINS hurried out of the office was threading his way among the north-bound vehicles; out on the park- think of New York, now?" they inspeeded, for the night was | quired. cold and clear, and the tang of early autumn was in the air.

ner awaited him, then an easy chafr, ion into the stove. a pipe and book by the log fire. Why marry? he asked himself doubtfully, town, all right. Cars scootin' like onely stretch of road.

head. He knew that some one was paved streets. It's a big town-but colding a gun, "What do you want?" it'll never be a success. It's to far he called back.

"Stop!" It was a soft feminine voice, but very firm.

"The famale of the species!" he jaculated, bringing the car to an "Turn around and drive back to 220

Broadway," commanded the voice. "On the way!" called Harkins cheer-No answer, but the something cold

and hard still irritated his ear. He hoped she knew what she was aboutbe didn't, but he obediently swung the car about and headed for his office. I IS YOU he had a great respect for firearms; he had served in France and he knew how short-tempered a gun could be. At Columbus Circle he stopped.

"I'm going to look around," he an-

The gun left his ear, but when he stiffly turned his aching neck he found the rear of the car in shadow and only the gleam of the still menacing

"Miss Hold-up, put down that gun or I shall call a policeman," he yelled. "You? Call an officer?" She was contemptuous. "Drive on, please, before I turn you over to the police for stealing my car."

Heeman's whistle ordered them to move with the traffic. "Your car?" he repeated over his shoulder. "Certainly, or my father's car. You

"Your car?" he blurted, but the po-

are very daring-but please go back to 220 Broadway." In amazed silence he did drive back

to the office building, but it was dark and deserted save for scattered lights. "What shall I do now?" he asked

There was a silence, then in a waering voice she answered helplessly. 'I don't know! I never arrested a

"Neither have I." he confessed, "but perhaps this officer on the corner can

Patrolman Ditty listened to their The girl spoke in a low, cultivated voice, saying that she had drivcar downtown that afternoon to her father's office, had locked it with the safety device and taken the elevator to his private office. Finding conference with a client she e back to the car, settled herself in the tonneau and in the gloom of the raised top had napped a little. "I woke up out on the parkway," she "and so I groped and found the place where my father keeps his pisnd I made the thief turn and

drive back here." your license, miss," growled

with a searchlight. "Wrong "This is the same make but different number. Now, young feller, I think I'll lock you up." He took the girl's name and address, put her in a taxicab and then commanded Harand handling kins to drive to the police station. "Why did you let the girl go?" asked Harkins, peevishly. "She had

> She's J. B. Porter's daughtershe's all right."

At the station house Harkins was itted to use a telephone. He called J. B. Porter's apartment. A clear, sweet voice responded: "I am erry, but my father is not at home.

"This is Harkins, Mr. Porter's legal ite. I am in the Tombs." Tombs?" she gasped. "I am

"Thank you," he grinned into the transmitter. "My automobile was or taken by mistake and here

How strange-you were arrested because some one stole your

car-and with the evidence all against the got away-" he sighed deeply. "Got away?" came the faint echo.

Because she mentioned her father's and-they won't let me talk any more say I'm talking too much." 'Coming right down," he heard before an officer elbowed him away from

Then came J. B. Porter, shaking with laughter, and a lovely girl who eluog to her father and begged Harforgiveness for her blunder, J. B. Porter bailed his future son-in-law of them knew the fact just out of jall, and all went hap-

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The old man uncoiled about six feet of arms and legs, adjusted his In Westchester, a cozy bachelor din- specs, and spat with deadly precis-

"New York," he replied, "is some s he swung around a curve into a lightnin' overhead, dashburned long trains a-divin' under ground, built Something cold and hard touched in's so blamed high you can't see his right ear. He did not move his the top of 'em, miles and miles of

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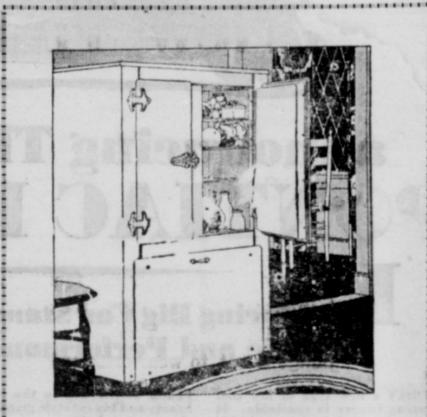
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The practice of regular fire drills in echools, we are told, lessens the incurance risk, and there is no doubt of the value in saving children's the to case of fire. There is no other cafe way of avoiding a serious panic when fire breaks out in a school building.

The News is anxious to publish the comings and goings, club, church and social activities of everyone. We have no pets, and will be glad to sampt any news item, any time, from amone. If for any reason your name eld sox appear in the paper when it should you may rest assured that it to met the editor's fault.

Judge Duncen is eminiently right in recommending the financial reports be published according to law. Judge Duncan is only regarding his oath of office in trying to see that the laws are upheld. This should be the attitude of any office holder, however small; laws are made to be socied by officer and citizen alike, and the law governing the reporting of the use of the people's money

The pend of a new fire truck equipped with a pump has been made very apparent the past few days. The water pressure in the west part of town is not sufficient to put out fire, and the old truck is too slow to get the boys to fires in time. A new siren control from the telephone office would also be a great help in saying property. A very few minutes in getting to a fire mean hundreds of dollars saved to the property owner.

We saw an trate citizen on the way to the office the other morning who certainly could appreciate the enforcement of a dog license ordinance in McLean. A bunch of miscellaneous dogs had made themselves at home in his rose garden, to the detriment of the garden. A strict enforcement of such an ordinance should be welcomed by both dog owners and others. as the man who has a dog that he winks is valuable would not object to paying the tax, and stray dogs are a constant menace to the health and well being of the town.

It is up to McLean to revive the chamber of commerce. Just because mistakes have been made in the pasis no reason for not trying to do something now. No man, or set of men, ever did anything without running the risk of making a mistake, and we are in position to profit by past mistakes and make good use of the present. We have a number of real community builders in McLean Monday and Tuesday, Jan. 21-22 who are handicapped for lack of a David Rollins and Nancy Drexel inplace to work to advantage. The chamber of commerce is democratic and is the most efficient body for continunity activities. A big crowd should be present Monday night for election of officers for the new year.

MANNER OF HIS LOSS

Briggs-"Toe lost my new car." Origgs - Why don't you report it to the sheriff?" Briggs-"Re's the one who took it." America's flumor.

C. P. Hamilton Sr. of Mangum Okia, was in MoLean on business

J. R. Rainwater is a new reader

TIME TO SMILE

By John Milton Samples When the clouds above you frown And the rain comes pouring down, And your rival comes to town-That's the time to smile!

When the world's unkind to you, When you're feeling kind of blue, And your best friend seems untrue-That's the time to smile!

When you're out of every cent, When you're busted, broke and bent, And the landlord wants his rent-That's the time to smile!

When you feel you're down and out Don't sit around and pout With your lips just like a snout-THAT'S THE TIME TO SMILE!

SILVER THREADS

The still young man was prematurely grey, and proud of it. "Looks quite poetic, don't you hink?" he asked the girl. "It does remind me of a poem," he said.

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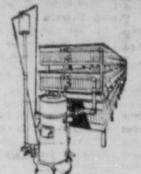
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r Editors-Norvin Ashby Every Thurs 70 for Pries-Lois Kirby, Huelyn Laycock

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Bosh, sure sounds interm't it? Just like a ser-It is only a piece of disfounded on the subject of HE it fust too wonderful how

TIGER POST

Every Thursday

Hammock and

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STAFF

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James D. Burrows

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, those that make everyusiness their business, and Give beauties unexcelled onder how the world will get WANT without them after they are into a fellow's ear. Especialn he is down and out. Just xperienceverything is going wrong, and le world seems against you, om in yowonderful helpers of mankind utes and upon you from the very sky. coal he ong sermon of good and sound

Those long, dry stories only the hous make us more miserable and Let us do you think those "good adhelpful? Let us hope so at but if they would only mix a strain of encouragement and t least a small helping hand, hose golden words, a fellow have the heart to look for ing really good in them. Then ords of advice would not have n, Mgr. said in yein, for they would the seemingly little inant strain of ENCOURAGE-

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nd out the other, cannot be

W MEMBERS IN BAND

McLean high school band will the mid-term grammar school minutes before. tion exercises Friday evening. ry 25, at the high school aud-

nette, one of the judges who the McLean band at Fort

e band to prepare them members of the junior ora Ashby, Harold Hodges.

D'Spain, Frances and Clark mins.

TEAM DEFEATS TIGERS

Priday night, Jan. 11, the n defeated the high school er. How do you spell it?" 27 to 18 in the first basketball of the scason.

CLEAN TIGERS DEFEAT WHITE DEER

day night at the new indoor court, the Tigers swept Vhite Deer team to a very de-

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pment at sligh nt Plan ovoilable fense, but got several long shots of to tell-you, teacher, but I think it you as an advertiser,

The McLean line-up was as follows: Guards, Orville Cunningham and Noah Cunningham; center, Clyde Windom; 'forwards, Cloyd Windom and Huelyn Laycock.

McLean vs. White Deer, Monday, tisement lo-Jan. 21. McLean vs. Wheeler, Tuesday, Jan. 22. McLean vs. Wheeler

THE FLOWERS

By Lalla D'Spain The sweetest flowers grow Beside the garden wall In mellow beds of earth,

The dew of early morn, With drops of cooling rain, To summer's flowery train.

Each looks with happy face Up to the sun-lit sky, Until they can no longer sec, And then they fade and die

> A PSALM OF WORK By Dorothy Cousins

Tell me not in double numbers Of the themes I have to write, Of the geometry problems

That just must be worked to-nite Of the notebooks and the map books That must be handed in tomorrow And we know well from experience Not to do so will mean sorrow.

English is hard, but Spanish harded, And Chemistry's a ghost That will haunt me now and ever Till my hair is gray, almost.

Lives of seniors all remind us Of the work we have to do, And departing leave behind us Grades that somehow got us thru.

A FALSE ACCUSATION

The other morning. Mr. Robert Hammock came rushing into a class conducted by Miss Hugos to get his fountain pen, which he declared he had just left on the desk a few

To his astonishment, the pen could not be found on the desk or anywhere about it.

band will play the following Mr. Hammock was preparing to rs: "Lights Out" march, Mc- search everyone in the room, but "Western World Overture" by when he announced his intentions to the class, all roared with laughter. Greatly astonished, Mr. Hammock He is an American writer asked what was so funny, and re-Vestern World" is among his ceived the answer that his pen was oth numbers are entirely new slipped in the front of his shirt.

P. T. A. MEETS

The Parent-Teacher Association met an, Frances Wilson, Bobby last Thursday, January 10. Talks bby Appling, Odessa Kunkel, were made by Mrs. B. W. Wilkins, Anderson, Clyde Windom, Mr. J. C. Moore and Mr. George Tum-

n and Fred Durham, will play A discussion was held about buye senior band Friday even- ing some new seats and also a new piano.

> Miss Hugos (in English class)-"Ed, how do you spell 'equator'?" Ed Howard-"I don't know, teach-

Miss H .- "E-q-u-a-t-o-r." Ed-"That's right." Mr. Tummins (in geometry class)

-"Any questions?" Winifred Massay-"Yes, what course

Miss Blount (grading algebra padefeat, the score being 41 to per)-"Hugh, how much is three and four?" Hugh Cobbs

the lucky sort. They played fairly will do you more good if you look it up for yourself."

Mr. Price Murdered!

BUILDS GOOD WILL

One of the things which becomes (Note: The following poems were increasingly evident to us as we written as daily work in English IV). travel about is the influence which it is generally conceded that no paof the merchants, it appears to us that many merchants consider too lightly, if at all, the benefits which they derive or could derive from hav-

live paper. For instance, it is not hard to understand that your own advertising will attract more favorable attention in a well-edited, neat-appearing newspaper than in a dull, uninviting sheet. Moreover, the live, readable paper will generally be found to have a large circulation of interest, all of which means dollars and cents to

the standpoint of community news day. which it carries, A well-edited paper chock-full of local news, is bound to create much good will for your town. Whenever the town attempts All winter merchandise must move to put over a community event, of Some of the future games are: out: C. M. Sione and Co. Adver- whatever sort, the local newspaper will largely decide the success or failure of the venture by the publicity which it provides in the news

> We are all interested most in the things we know most about. Therefore, if you have a good live newslocal newspapers may exert on the paper to tell the folks about your progress of the average town. While town, it follows quite naturally that they will be interested in your town per can thrive without the support and will come to trade. Isn't that worth thinking about?-Nebraska

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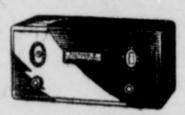
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Quaint Trade Signe

Signs of all kinds were in general use by tradesmen of all classes in the days when the greater part of the population could not read or write. Some of these may still be found in old corners of London, such as the three sugar loaves, indicating a grocer's shop, and the brass dog with his head in a pot, indicating a hardware store, or tronmonger's, as it is called there.

Lamp in Long Voyage

Covered with a thick coating of salt, an Osram lamp has been picked up at a North Wales coast resort. It had been in the water so long that it was a solid brown mass. It bore the identity mark of a place one and one-haif miles away. Despite the lamp's appearance it glowed almost as if new when attached to an electric circuit.

Fame la Fleeting

There is an old story to the effect that Napoleon in the heyday of his glory wondered if there were a man in the whole world who had not heard of him. So he caused a sort of search to be made, which resulted in finding a wood-chopper in the very suburbs of Paris who had never heard of the great Napoleon.

"Movies" in Education

Experiments sponsored by the National Education association and conducted by Doctor Wood of Columbia university and Doctor Freeman of the University of Chicago show that children make 33 per cent greater gains in science by learning these subjects partly through motion pictures.

Old Fort Restored

The construction of the original Fort San Carlos de Barrancas, Flu., was begun in 1838 under the direction of Maj. William H. Chase, corps of engineers. A new and more formidable fort has been built behind the original works without interfering with the old fortifications,

Artificial Excellence

Affectation naturally counterfelts those excellences which are placed at the greatest distance from possibility of attainment, because, knowing our own defects, we eagerly endeavor to supply them with artificial excellence. -Doctor Johnson,

"My Child"

"My child is different," is the inion of many mothers who take the trouble to hear a lecture on child psychology, says one who has addressed many such meetings, writing in the Woman's Home Companion,

China Gauges Illiteracy

In China a person able to read only one or two thousand characters is nevertheless considered to be illiterate, for the reason that he is still unable to read an ordinary book or newspaper.-Gas Logic.

Wasted Effort

"Occasionally," says a philosopher, "a man proves his wisdom by seting foolish." Throw that in reverse and you have a man proving his foolishness by trying to act wise .- Toledo

They Naver Borrow

Scientists have discovered that butterflies recognize one another at a distance of six or eight feet. A possible explanation is that butterflies don't owe one another money.

Wide Variation:

Ningara falls are variously esti mated by geologists to be from 5,000 to 50,000 years old, which shows that the age is still a fruitful subject for study.

Resting Place Unknown

History does not give definite in formation concerning the location of Virginia Dare's grave. There have heen a few conjectures, but no real facts are known.

Grand and Glorious

There is no substitute, brother, for the feeling that comes when a fellow is expecting a brickbat and gets a houquet .- Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Galveston's Sea Wall

The sea wall at Galveston, Texas. is 7% miles long and 17 feet high, At Its base it is 16 feet wide and at the top 5 feet in width.

Tough Lines

Every time we count ten before speaking we forget what it was we were going to say .- Toledo Blade. Important to Know

Nothing is more fatal for a speaker than ignorance of how to lose his tem-

per,-Arthur Ponsonby, M. P. An Understudy if you are afraid to train an under

study; you are doing only half your work.-Roy L. Smith.

Briefly Told Men in all ways are better than

RADIOTIC



Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Roach of Groom were guests in the R. S Jordan home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meador and children visited in Clarendon Mon-

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Misses Verna Rice and Robbie Howard visited in Shamrock Friday.

Jack Reeves of Austin is a new 122. 1c reader of The News.

Griffin Pittman of Childress is in McLean this week on business.

went to Shamrock Sunday Geo. Armstrong of Hedley was in

McLean Monday on business. M. M. Newman made a business

trip to Pampa Monday. Charlie Speed of Clarendon was

in McLean Monday on business. R. T. Stevens of Memphis was in

McLean Monday on business. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Wilson vis-

ited at Mobeetie Sunday



Time to have that battery recharged. Bring it in to us.

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FOR SALE.-Almost new Singer sewing machine at a bargain. Phone 252. 1c

FOR SALE .- Jersey cows and heifers from Hibler herd. \$50 to \$75 R. N. Ashby. tfc

FOR SALE.-Bourbon Red turkeys. the big dark red kind. Hens \$4.00 toms \$5.00. Mrs. Everet Synder, Alanreed, Texas. 1-3p

FOR SALE .- Span work horses and span mares, weight about 1150 each. Price \$75 per span. R. N. Ashby. tfc to Wellington Tuesday.

COLORADO land-any size tracts Terms, 6% interest. Will trade for other property. D. C. Christopher.

FOR SALE .- Royal typewriter, practically new. Buford Reed. 3-2p

Birthday, Thank You and Sympathy cards at News Office.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT .- 5 room modern house Feb. 1. Phone 200. Mrs. D. B

FOR RENT.-3 room furnished apartment. Mrs. N. S. Ray, Phone

WANTED

WANTED .- Windmill and well repairing, tower construction a specialty, Ernest Beck and James Anderson 12 years experience, satisfaction guaranteed. W. M. Kennedy, phone 192.

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY to loan. We are prepared to loan you money on your farm at 71/2 %. See us. Smith Bros. tfc

GROCERIES are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. tfc

MATTRESSES built or renevated. Leave orders at News office. Economy Mattress Co., Shamrock,

BARGAIN SPECIAL -The Worth Star-Telegram daily and Sunday only \$6.25. Daily without Sunday \$5.00. With The McLean News 1 year \$7.75 and \$6.50, at News office.

Rev. Jones of Amarillo was a visitor at the Church of Christ Sunday.

Ray McCabe is a new reader of

Bob Williams of Amarillo was in McLean Sunday

Duke Shaw made a trip to Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eual Avers of Clarendon visited relatives here Sunday.

City Taxes Will Become Delinquent Feb. 1, 1929

PAY YOUR TAXES NOW

You will assist the collector, and the taxpayers will save time by paying their taxes now.

See J. A. Sparks at Citizens State Bank

GOOD PIE

and you will agree that it is a good pie, once you taste it. Made from the choicest of materials, baked in a sanitary bake shop under the same conditions you maintain in your own home, it is equal to any home-made pie. Try one of our pies you'll be a regular customer thereafter.

CALDWELL BAKERY

"Bread Is Your Best and Cheapest Food"

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Eld. Bela Watson of Tipton, Okla., preached at the Church of Christ Bund'ay.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and ttle daughter visited in Mobeetie

Mrs. C. C. Bogan, Donald Beall and Millard Anderson visited in Shamrock Friday.

C. W. Meador of Clarendon visited his son, J. A. Meador, Sunday,

Hugh Longan of Ramsdell was in McLean Monday.

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J. T. Vaughn of Amarillo was in

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gregory visited at Kelton Sunday.

Goodyear tires are cheaper at King Motor Co. Advertisement tfc Beat to the transfer of the control of the contr

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Mr. Gressett orders The News sent to his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Abbott,

Bob Harmen of Mangum, Okla., was in McLean this week

Douglas Wilson of Pampa visited here Wednesday.

Norman Johnston visited in Mangum, Okla., Wednesday

New Inings

Are "News"

Every member of every family in this community

is interested in the news of the day. And no items are

read with keener relish than announcements of new

Merchants of McLean have the goods and the de-

sire to sell them. The readers of The McLean News

have the money and the desire to buy. The connect-

Give the people the good news of new things at

advantageous prices. They look to you Mr. Merchant,

for this "store news," and will respond to your mes-

"AN ADVERTISEMENT IS

AN INVITATION"

things to eat, to wear or to enjoy in the home.

ing link is ADVERTISING.

sages. Let us show you that

Chin scraper days are o'er;

An artist now indeed it takes,

A barber who not only shaves,

And clips the neck in styles correct,

Everett and West, Props.

An artist, yes, and more;

But does the famous bobs.

The barbers at the Elite Shop

Who wish the up-to-dat-est bob

If he would hold his job.

The latest cuts in hair.

Invite all ladies fair

ELITE BARBER SHOP

The barber trade has progress made,

O. H. Foster of Amarillo wa McLean last week.

Took Soda 20 Years for Gas-Stops No

"For 20 years I took soda for gestion and stomach gus. One to of Adlerika brought me complete ief."—J. B. Hardy. lief."—J. B. Hardy.
Adlerika relieves stomach gas sourness in TEN minutes. Actin BOTH upper and lower bowel. I moves old waste matter you thought was in your system.
Adlerika give your stomach Adlerika give your stomach bowels a REAL cleansing an how much better you feel. It surprise you! Erwin Drug Co.

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ON MAKING A NEWSPAPER

Getting out a good newspaper is a of them correct? nurried or demands greater pains, you should be a newspaper editor. self in an editor's position-could you

octly, offhand, the names of a large you write their initials correctly without resorting to the telephone directory or other authority? Could ou write down, offhand, the names f your city officials, your school board, your county officials, your leading state and national officials, and money alone would be far too getting all the names, initials and offices correct? Could you gather the threads of a story from half a dozen ersons and weave them into an inelligent, readable account the first writing? Could you write seven columns of material of 1,200 to 1,400 week after week, year after year. and when you had finished those even, pound out two or three columins more before press time? In writing a headline, could you call to mind in a moment enough synonyms so that you would not repeat the main thought in the same words? Could you judge in a minimum of time what size headlines, and what position in the paper, should be given to each of the 75, 100 or more stories that might go into your paper? Could you decide in a moment, or exercise "snap" judgment, or the

dozens of questions a newspaper man | must face daily and get a majority

We won't tire you-but if you could

work is carried on under pres- only after continual, diligent study on, chickens, and itch." sure, a race against time. Put your- and years of practical experience. You have heard dozens of persons remark that they could turn out a Could you, for example, spell cor- newspaper, and a good one, too, a bit better, in fact, than the one they reentage of the residents of this are getting. That is not true, unless own? If you could do that, could they have gone through the years and study that a good newspaper denands of its makers.

Were it not for the peculiar fasination associated with newspaper work, there would be no newspapers for there is no greater taskmaster scant compensation. - Redwood (Minn.) Gazette.

that they are afraid of you if you treat them right. They can't under-

McLean Filling Station

Oils, Gas and Accessories Sudden Service

agnolene Ford Oil will make your Ford run better. Floyd Phillips, Mgr.

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Our many years experience in the real estate business enables us to give you worthwhile advice in these matters. We have some bargains listed now that will make money for you. Come in and talk it over

Massay, McAdams & Stokely

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Western Lumber & Hardware Company

Roy Campbell, Mgr.

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If something unforeseen should happen tomorrow and you should lose your jobwhat? Would you because of lack of finances be forced to give up your home and pleas-



ant surroundings? Not if you take time by the forelock and start saving now while earning. Then you will have a bank account to care for you in time of need.

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ITCHING TIME

Straw had been placed in the chicken house and grain thrown in it to figuit one. No other job that do these few simple things and a make the chickens scratch. Little mes to mind is quite so taxing, so thousand and one more difficult ones, Leah, aged four, had been watching flea loops da loop. them with great interest. One day The point we wish to make is, that she went out and they were not as started, be it either daily or weekly, one can produce a good newspaper industrious as usual, so she said, "Go Edwin Howard were in Shamrock

"Do you play the piano,

"I'm afraid not. "Don't you sing, then?"

"Not a note." "Miss Archer-Jenny! Marry me!"

Miss Frances Noel of Canyon College spent the week end with home

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EXPLAINED

Tony-"Why your leetle dog curla Guisseppi-"Maybe

Paul and Johnnie Mertel and

Goodyear tires are cheaper King Motor Co. Advertisement tfc.

F. H. King's subscription has been Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's

Magnolia

Petroleum Co. C. J. CASH, Agent

Cash Store. Advertisement tie

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NEOST ENGENEDESTANT CHECOHIE OF DEGREE SEAD ESTREET

Certain American people are getting on in the world. Many of them are just starting. But they're headed up the ladder. Their ideas of luxury and beauty are expanding. They want finer homes, finer furniture, finer automobiles.

During the past three years, hundreds of thousands of these progressive Americans have been buying the Pontiac Six. Some of them have bought it as the first car they ever owned. But to most of them, Pentiae has represented the first big step up from the lowest priced field.

For this progressive group, Oakland has now created a brand new Pontiae Six. It represents an even greater advancement over everything else in its field today than the original Pontiac represented in 1926. It will take its buyers farther than ever up the ladder of motor car quality in one step. Watch for the



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Southwest Telephone Co.

Limit to Train Speed Under Best Conditions

When railway beds have been made shades." s nearly perfect as possible; when the lines have been straightened and far as practicable leveled, and when the best types of locomotives and cars have been devised, how fast will steam be able to earry us?

An answer to this question, based on a scientific examination of the conditions involved, is furnished by an authority on facts relating to railconds. One hundred miles an hour is about the limit of speed suggested.

Another very important question growing out of the first is: Within what distance can a train running 100 miles an hour, or but little less than 150 feet a second, he stopped? The reply is that under the most favorshle conditions a distance of nearly half a mile would be required. A train running a mile a minute can be stopped, it is estimated, within a disinnce of 900 feet. By adding only two-thirds to the speed, therefore the distance required for bringing the rain to a standstill would be increased almost three times.

It is evident that when we are whirled across the country at the rate of 100 miles an hour "a clear track" will become a far more important necessity even than it is today.

Widely Varying Ideas of Things of Beauty

Ways that are not our ways always eem funny. "Civilized" visitors to l'apua, New Guinea, says the New Or-Times-Picayune. moved to laughter at the fact that in that "benighted land" dogs' teeth are used as money. It used to be the same when our own folks here in America found the "absurd" Indians carrying strings of shells (wampum) darkness?-Tennyson. as a medium of exchange. In both these exotic cases the money tokens also were regarded as things of beauis and worn as such by the females of the species and sometimes by the more esthetic of the males.

But, after all, is it any more laughable to regard dogs' teeth as beautiful than it is to find charm in elephant or walrus tusks? Yet Ivory, especially carved ivory, has been a civilized treasure perhaps since civilization began; not only ivory, but even plain bone. And how about our civilized admiration for turtle carapaces and the esteem in which we hold the shells of the pearl oyster and the esthetic vogue of the conch shell cut up and worked into cameos? After, all, is not "clean as a bound's tooth" one of the popular metaphors?

Hardy's First Emplyoment.

The illustrious Thomas Hardy started his business career as an architect. He was associated as an employee with Sir A. Biomfield at 8 Adelphi terrace, London, the house now occupied by the British Drama league. To commemorate his association with the house, a panel has been placed in the which had been dormant for some Hardy, O. M." The first floor of 8 Island are several lofty volcanic fice of Mr. (afterward Sir) A. Blomfield, and here Thomas Hardy, aged twenty-two to twenty-seven, was in his employment as an architect in the years 1862-1807. Here he saw the Thames embankment being built and wrote some of the poems that were to be published many years afterward.

Instinct of an Insect.

A waspilke insect, called the ichneumonda, has a tail like a siender hair from a horse's tail, with which it drills through wood with this hairlike drill and with such accuracy that hits the spot where wood-boring larvae lie buried. The drill is bollow, and down this bollow tube is shot an egg which lives on the wood-boring larvae

Just how these insects know where to bore with such unerring accuracy is a mystery, but it is of great economic value, as it destroys many insects harmful to agriculture.

His Chance Small.

A commercial traveler calling upon a new customer produced by mistake a enapshot of his flancee instead of his business card.

"That's the firm I represent," he

The customer examined the somewhat determined-looking features of the young woman and returned the photograph with the remark: "I'm afraid you'll never be manager of that Bem !"-London Tit-Birs.

Wasn't Fooling Wifey.

The goif professional was giving his wife a few lessons, He was a very goodpoking fellow, and an interested crowd of girls gathered round to watch.

"Now, dearest," said the pro, audibty, "you hold the club like this; and then, sweetheart, you take up your stance like this; finally, darling, you hit the ball like this."

"That's enough," snapped his wife. You're not trying to teach me-you're trying to attract a few clients."

Pitcher Proverb.

"The pitcher goes so often to the water that it is broken at last." This is the form in which the English provthe common folk sayings of several nations. Its most famous expression In literature is in Cervantes' Don Quixote; "So many times the pitcher goes to the fountain!" Menning that it gets broken. But the same proverb is found four centuries earlier in a French writer, Gautier de Coinci.

QUIET QUIPS

A curtain speech-"Pull down the

Ambition is wound up with the key

How long does it take an inchworm to get cold feet?

name is cranky. It is a miracle if a railroad depot can be made cozy.

It is a poor sport that is not worth the candle.-Herbert.

It is written that even the best writer may write wrong by rote.

It is better to marry and be boss than never to have bossed at all.

When a brainstorm becomes a tor-

nado, it is time somebody be locked up.

The worst beating a bully ever gets is from some man who doesn't want to fight.

Plenty of men can be found who envy a man who has time to attend the matinee.

walts on himself. Cultivating the will power is like building a dam that is always in dan-

ger of giving way. And what is fame in life but half dis-fame, and counter-changed with

If a woman could retain her beauty forever she might in some instances get along without brains.

The history of all the world tells us that immoral means will ever intercept good ends.-Coleridge.

Sun's Light Obscured

A plunge into intense darkness, accompanied by heavy showers of choking volcanic dust, was the terrifying experience of the crew of the cargo steamer Emlynian on a voyage from Singapore to Suva recently. Near the overcast, and before many minutes had passed the ship was in the midst lows of inky blackness. Heavy dust descended on the sea and all over the heavy clouds became less dense and

Lengthy Chess Game.

A game of chess between the Unfversity of California and Stanford, which started in 1925, may be finished in another ten years. Seven players at the University of California started the game in 1925. Fred Christianion is the only member of the original Bear team who is still attending the university. Each day at noon the California team decides on a move, and mails it to Stanford. Stanford mails its move to Berkeley. And so the game continues. According to Christianson, the university of Callfornia has a bit the edge after more than three years of playing.

Music in Politics.

British women politicians have taken to music as an aid to politics. A National Conservative Musical union win, as president. The objects of the union include the playing of British music, the awakening of musical interest in the constituencies and the holding of musical competitions. Prizes offered include a \$500 national challenge cup, a competition shield and a plane scholarship.

This Turtle Contented.

The turtle which has lived in the zoological park in Washington for many years seems perfectly contented in his grass-filled enclosure says Ng- tion clubs there. "These dresses. ture Magazine. It dines off carrots as states the home demonstration agent contentedly as though he had never Mrs. Lemma Perry Boles, "are of been accustomed to a diet of thorns in an arid wilderness where he had to travel miles for a drink,

A four-and-a-half-foot muskalonge, caught by M. W. Withey at the government dam at Grand Rapids, Mich. may have attained 100 years, accordgame and fish department.

With Big Alimony.

She-I suppose you know Alice mar-He -- Oh, yes. They're separated

now, aren't they? She-No-just she and her husband plied sadly. "I happened to move are separated.-Life.

Feeling the Boy. "This story begins 'Pandemonium reigned." Who was Pandemonium,

"Well, if Pandemonium rained, I "My daughter has some castoff guess he must be the clerk of the garments, but I'm afraid the beather.

News from Liberty

W. B. Gregory and family of Mc-Lean, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gregory of section visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell Sunday.

Mrs. Mollie Francis visited the past ten days in the Luther Petty home. Mr. and Mrs. Vester Smith and children. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lee and Miss Edith Fleming of McLean were Sunday visitors at the Y. B. Lee

Miss Opal Nelson is staying with Mrs. J. G. King.

Luther Petty and family and Mrs. Mollis Francis took dinner Sunday in the W. E. James home at Alanreed. Mrs. Francis remained for an indefinite visit.

Miss Ionia Alderson visited at the W. H. Hawthorne home at Heald last week end. W. H. Hill of Shamrock spent Sat-

If one is ignorant, the demagogues will get him if he doesn't watch out. urday night with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mr. and Mrs. Doy Holloway spent the week end at his father's, J. O.

> Holloway. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Back of Back called at Luther Petty's Tuesday. A party was enjoyed at the Y. B.

Lee home Saturday night. Mrs. Haward Hardin and daughter, Oma Lee, visited at the H. C. Nelson home Tuesday. In the cafeteria of life only the best

of everything comes to the man who Stone's January Clearance Sale opens Friday morning, Jan. 18th, Advertisement 1c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE CTATE OF TEXAS. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Gray County-Greeting: You are hereby commanded to

summon by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in Gray county, Texas, for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, I. Scott, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Justice Court, Precinct No. 5, Gray county, Texas, at a regular term thereof, to be begun and holden at the office of C. S. by Dust From Volcano Rice, Justice of the Peace, at Mc-Lean, Texas, on the 8th day of March, 1929, then and there to answer the suit of W. B. Upham, plaintiff, against I. Scott, defendant, filed in said court on the 16th day of January, A. D. 1929, for the sum of Malay archipelago, at eight o'clock \$146.00, being numbered on the dockone morning, the sky suddenly became et of said court No. 631, the nature of plaintiff's demand being as fol

Suit upon one certain promissory note payable to The Citizens State Emlynian. Many minutes passed and Bank of McLean, Texas, in the printhe dust continued to fall. Then the cipal sum of \$75.00, dated November 30, 1928, due on demand and paygradually daylight came through the able at McLean, Texas, with interest pall. The dust or ish was from one at ten per cent per annum from of the volcano peaks on Flores island, date until paid, and providing for ten per cent additional as attorney's library with this inscription; "Thomas time. On the southern side of the fees, and for the sum of \$62.73 for chased by defendant from plaintiff, as per sworn account of file in my office. Plaintiff prays judgment for entire amount due on the note and account with interest and attorney's

Herein fail not, and have you before said court on the 1st day of the March term of said court this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand officially this the 16th day of January, A. D.

C. S. RICE. Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 5, Gray County, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for kindness to us since losing our household goods by fire. The many nice things received at the has been formed, with Mrs. Baldwin, shower will ever remind us of your wife of Prime Minister Stanley Bald- thoughtfulness. May you all be spared a similar calamity.

MR. AND MRS. W. H. AYER.

CLUB DRESSES AT 78c EACH

Waco.-Club dresses of cotton suitable to wear at club meetings and simple enough to serve also as house dresses, have been made at a cost of 78c to \$1.25 by 102 McLennan county good color and design, excellent constructed and will launder easily." The making of them is part of the comprehensive home making program conducted there, the importance of which is best judged by the fact that the entire membership of 203 women report making or saving \$85,ing to Thaddeus Surber, superintend-ent of fish propagation for the state try raising, food preservation, home improvement and clothing.

> "How did you find your steak?" asked the waiter of a patron in a very expensive restaurant.

"Just luck," the hungry man rethat small piece of potato, and there

"Got any old clothes for the hea-

wouldn't wear such clothes'

then?"

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Glass of Alan-

McLean Saturday

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

Richard Bain of Clarendon was in

John B. Rice of Canyon College visited home folks here last week end. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovett of Le-

fors were in McLean Saturday. Goodyear tires are cheaper at King Motor Co. Advertisement to

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Roper visited relatives in Erick, Okla., last week.

Henry Benson left Tuesday to make L. B. Muncle and family reed were McLean visitors Saturday. his home at Shamrock, where he is Clarendon Tuesday. They connected with the Benson Furniture companied by Misses Maybelle and Winnifred Howard.

CHIROPRACTIC

Many a man goes crippling down the street, You're sorry for him whenever you meet. All these years he has hobbled along He might have enjoyed being straight and strong If he'd only known what he was about, And had some Chiropractor straighten him out.

Dr. H. M. Coleman, D. C. House Calls Day or Night

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Announcement

I have bought the Muncie Meat Market, and will carry a complete line of fresh and cured meats.

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As an extra inducement to have my friends and customers visit the market under the new management, we will give away free to every customer Saturday of this week a 1/2 pound package of sliced sugar sured bacon. We will also sell pure home-made lard for 11c per pound Saturday.

A fresh ham will be given away at 3 p. m. Feb. 1, as the Muncie Market had advertised.

You may expect the best grade of fresh and cured meats here, and a share of your business will be appreciated.

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