

With the Churches

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. Hickman, Pastor
Our revival at the tabernacle conducted by Rev. J. Warren Lowman, and his evangelistic party, closed Wednesday night, May 30, about 12 o'clock.

The revival was a grand success and God manifested his mighty power in a wonderful way, until men and devils realized that God was on the scene. As nearly as we are able to tell, about one hundred souls prayed through to definite victory and testified to the fact that God was able to save a man from all sin and they believe in a heart-felt religion. Sinners were saved, back-sliders reclaimed and believers sanctified. Bless the Lord for his marvelous grace! Men, women and children from practically every denomination knelt at the altar, seeking old-time religion that saves men from all sin. Several old men wept over their sins and asked for mercy until God heard their cry and kissed away their sins. One man ninety years of age was reclaimed from a back-slidden life. Bless the Lord forever.

Rev. Lowman is expecting to return next year for about a three or four weeks campaign, if necessary. We regret very much to think we had to close with such mighty conviction on the people. There was sixty-one seekers at the altar the last night of the meeting and many of them prayed through.

Our hearts were made to overflow last Sunday morning as we listened to men, women and children testify to what God had done for them during the meeting. We believe every church in town was wonderfully helped as a result of the meeting. We want to thank the other pastors and their people for their cooperation in the meeting.

Regular services next Sunday as usual. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Preaching at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Text for morning service: "See that ye refuse not him that speaketh." Heb. 12:25.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. B. Andrews, Minister
The meetings of the past week have been on the upward trend at the Church of Christ. Especially have the ladies bible class and the young folks meeting shown improvement.

Wednesday at two P. M. some 25 folks gathered at the church building and in a little while had the church yard covered with burmuda grass.

We are hoping to have a beautiful lawn before long.

This work was sponsored by the Ladies Bible Class.

Our services for the week will be the same as usual. You are invited to attend every one.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

R. R. Rives, Minister
You are invited to worship at this church next Sabbath.

Bible school 10 a. m. Preaching by the pastor 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Young people will meet at 7 p. m.

Your presence and prayers will be appreciated at all these services.

D. C. Carpenter made a trip to Oklahoma City Tuesday.

MICKIE SAYS—

EVER SINCE TH' ANSHELY DAYS WHEN FOLKS FROM NEAR USED TO SLIP UP TO BAYLON TO BUY THINGS, THERE HAS ALWAYS BEEN SOME TRADING OUT OF TOWN, BUT NO LIVE STORE KEEPERS EVER GUY THEIR ADVERTISING ON THAT ACCOUNT



JUNIOR B. Y. P. U.

A Great General Who Kept His Promise.

Song: "Standing on the Promises" by Union.

Sword Drill.

Group No. 2 in charge.

2. Five Kings Make War on Gideon—Jaunita Coleman.

2. The Gideonites Ask for Help—Clara Faye Carpenter.

3. Joshua Keeps His Promise—Sybil Young.

4. The Battle—Venita Savage.

5. The Sun Stand Still—Thomas Smith.

6. The Five Kings—Estell Kunkel.

7. Joshua, the Great General—Laverne Kunkel.

Poem—"The Will to Win is Often Half the Battle."—Dories Hall.

Luke Armstrong was in Amarillo Tuesday.

INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Subject—Christian Beginnings in Modern Japan.

A Strange Introduction to the Cross—Madge Landers.

The First Missionaries—Faye Bible.

A Soldier Comes to Japan—Ralph Caldwell.

A Soldier Speaks for Christ—Odessa Kunkel.

A Great Revival—W. C. Carpenter Jr.

A Sacred Pledge—Elwyn Corbin.

A Christian University—William Eastham.

JONES—SMITH

Married. Saturday, June 5, 1928, at the Minister's Home of the Church of Christ, Miss Effie Mae Jones and Mr. Riley Smith. Eld. W. B. Andrews performing the ceremony.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject—The Holy Spirit in the Christian's Heart.

Leader—Merle Young.

Part 1—Loyse Caldwell.

Part 2—Mrs. J. J. Cobb.

Part 3—Relia Sharp.

Part 4—Joellene Vannoy.

Part 5—Elizabeth Wilkerson.

Part 6—Namo Hunt.

Miss Hazel Greer visited in Pampa Sunday.

A number of items were left out of the paper this week on account of reaching this office too late. All country correspondence, church notes and news of like nature, must be in our hands by Tuesday of each week to insure publication.

Forrest Rogers was in Pampa Sunday.

A. A. Ledbetter made a trip to Oklahoma Monday.

BENTLEY INSURANCE CO.

Fire and Tornado City & Farm Loans
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PROGRAM at the American Theatre

Friday and Saturday

High for comedy—Harold Lloyd in his newest rocket of roars—

"SPEEDY"

The great new comedy on which Lloyd spent over a year producing.

Saturday Matinee

JACK BOXIE IN **"GRINNING GUNS"**

Monday and Tuesday

MARION DAVIES in the leap year picture

You must meet Patsy—she's cute and sweet, but when cupid passes her up, she shows how to play the game to win when hearts are trumps

Wednes'd'y & Thurs'd'y

CLARA BOW IN **"RED HAIR"**

by Elinor Glyn.
Clara the "IT" girl—flames forth as the red-headed flapper. Gentlemen may prefer blonds—but you'd never know it when Clara is around.

Cakes and Pastry

Our bread enjoys a good reputation and our cakes and pastry are given the same care in baking; and we use the same high grade ingredients in their making. We endeavor to make all our goods so that one taste calls for more. Try a fresh pie or a dozen cookies today.

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Bread Is Your Best and Cheapest Food

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Everything you need in hardware can be bought here at reasonable prices.

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It will pay you to let us figure on your furniture requirements.

IMPLEMENTS

We handle quality lines of farm implements.

PLUMBING

We do plumbing and gas fitting. Get our figures before you buy.

Remember the free gold every Saturday.

McLean Hdw. Co.
W. B. Upham, Mgr.

Silk Hose Sale

Friday, Saturday and Monday

June 9th, 10th and 12th

We will sell the famous Vanette line at the following reduced prices

- \$2.75 Values for ----- \$2.39
- 2.50 Values for ----- 1.95
- 2.00 Values for ----- 1.55
- 2.25 Values for ----- 1.70
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- 1.85 Values for ----- 1.39
- 1.65 Values for ----- 1.25

Remember that we have one of the largest stocks of ladies' silk hose in town and we are offering the entire line at the above reduced prices for these three days only.

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FRESH MEATS

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Trusty Jim

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JUDGE BARRY		C. S. Rice
MRS. BARRY		Mrs. W. L. Haynes
GAIYA BARRY	An Adopted Daughter	Mrs. Roy Campbell
REETA WADE	A Two-faced Friend	Mrs. Donald Beall
BURT WADE	Reeta's Brother	Ralph Randell
ROYAL MANTOU	Burt's Rival	L. V. Lonsdale
CLARK	A Busy Butler	W. E. Bosgan
LORA	A Lively Housemaid	Mrs. E. E. Dishman
CAROLINA	A Faithful Negro Servant	Mrs. E. Filer

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Tuesday, June 12 8:30 P. M.

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We also have a new stock of the latest Perfection with porcelain and silver gray Perfectolac (lacquer) finish.

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McLean, Texas

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Three Months	.85

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The churches, schools and newspaper of the town are sometimes called the "Trinity of Civilization;" no progressive community can exist long without all of them.

During this month some member of the regular News force will be on a vacation and early copy from our reporters and advertisers, each week, will be appreciated.

The city council is to be commended for discouraging a carnival from showing in McLean. There cannot be the same objection to a good show, as there is to a carnival with its attendant evils.

The booster trip arranged for neighboring communities will give us a splendid chance to get better acquainted with our neighbors. It is to be hoped that a good crowd will attend each program and that the work will not be left to just a few.

With every indication of a fine crop year, it would be a mighty good time to plan for a fair this fall. Many people are of the opinion that it was a serious mistake to have dropped interest in agriculture and stock raising when the oil agitation hit us a few years ago. McLean has had several successful fairs and the experience gained could be put to good use this year.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

Nellie Beardmore vs. J. W. Beardmore. No. 302.
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 four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon J. W. Beardmore, 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 84th District Court of Gray county, to be holden at the court house thereof in the city of Pampa, Texas, on the second 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 9th day of May, A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 302, wherein Nellie Beardmore is plaintiff and J. W. Beardmore is defendant, the nature of plaintiff's demand being substantially as follows, to-wit: That defendant, J. W. Beardmore, is guilty of unkind and harsh conduct and outrages toward plaintiff and his conduct toward plaintiff has been such as to render their living together unsupportable. Wherefore plaintiff prays for a divorce and for general and special relief.

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 9th day of May, A. D. 1928.

Witness, CHARLIE THUT, Clerk of 84th District Court in and for (Seal) Gray County, Texas. 20-4c

REDHEADS GET TOGETHER

Fair dye for men threatened to set a new fashion in Hollywood when Clara Bow, Paramount star, insisted that her leading man should have hair harmonizing with her own Auburn tresses. Lone Chandler, however, stemmed the tide by offering his own flaming red head as a playmate for that of Miss Bow. Miss Bow insists upon accuracy in her "Red Hair," which will be shown at the American Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, requested that leading man be of the red-headed

type. Although hundreds of Hollywood men offered to dye their hair if it meant an opportunity to play opposite Miss Bow, they were persuaded against this step as the dye could not take care of the temperament idea of the requirement.

Finally the search was brought to an end when it was found that red-headed Lone Chandler was available. "I'm perfectly satisfied," said Miss Bow. "Red Hair" calls for red-headed temperament and I had to insist on having a red-headed leading man."

One of the features of the photoplay "Red Hair" is the filming of the flaming red tresses of Clara Bow and the equally flaming head of Lone Chandler in technicolor. This process brings out this important characteristic of these two well-known stars. Hitherto, owing to the limitations of black and white photography, Miss Bow's hair has appeared dark in all her pictures. Few followers of her plays realize that her hair, far from being black? is a flaming mass of red.

Th' Ole Grouch

YES, YOU NEVER HAD NO EDUCATION AND YOU'VE DONE PASSABLY WELL, BUT THAT AIN'T NO REASON WHY YOUR BOY SHOULDN'T GO TO A GOOD COLLEGE. YOU WERE A LOT COMPETING AGAINST A LOT OF COLLEGE GRADUATES, BUT HE WILL BE, REMEMBER THAT, MISTER.



Farmer Brown who can't afford a radio, affixes a loud speaker to the party-line telephone.—Collier's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Williams of Mobeetie were in McLean visiting relatives Sunday.

There are over 138,000,000 acres of uncultivated land in Texas.

The Texas spinach crop amounts to almost \$4,000,000 a year

Miss Madge Tummins was shopping in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wilmoth of Texas visited here Sunday.

Milton Carpenter was in from the ranch Saturday.

Miss Loree Kinard of Gracey was shopping in McLean Saturday.

Rev. C. E. Hunt made a business trip to Canyon Friday.

Buck Campbell was in Crowell this week.

Bonnie Beauty Shoppe

Belcano Facials
Marcelling
Permanent Waves
Shampooing, Scalp Treatments
MABLE WATSON, Operator
Montgomery Drug Store
Phone 253

Star Filling Station

Marland Products
General Tires
Vulcanizing
Polishing
Greasing
Washing
Service
Phone 131
Ted Glass Prop.

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Poultry, Eggs, Hides and Produce, and Pay Top Prices

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Phone 173

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FEED STORE

We sell feed, flour, salt, coal, seeds, etc., at reasonable prices. Try our service on your next order. We strive to please. Remember the free gold every Saturday.

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We Handle the Best

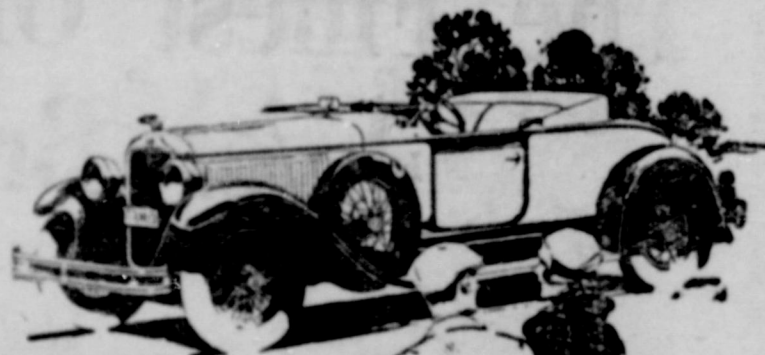
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We can supply your needs in the hardware line at a price you can afford to pay. We handle quality goods and sell at a small margin of profit. Better see us the next time you need anything in this line.

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It's long and low and rakish. Colorful . . . comfortable . . . delightfully easy to drive. And as for quality in chassis and body . . . it's simply unmatched anywhere at its price.

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3-Door Sedan, \$1945; Landau Coupe, \$1965; Sport Roadster, \$1975 (Wire wheels and spare tire extra); Phaeton, \$1985; 4-Door Sedan, \$2145; Cabriolet, \$2155; Landau Sedan, \$2165. New Pontiac Six, \$245 to \$275. All prices at factory. Check Oakland-Pontiac delivery charges—they include license handling charges. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

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Come and See for Yourself

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Better Quality
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McLean, Texas

MICKIE SAYS—

IF OUR REPORTER HAD A BALLOON FROM WHICH TO VIEW THE TOWN, AND A PAIR OF X-RAY EYES TO SEE ALL THAT TAKES PLACE, IT WOULDN'T BE NECESSARY TO DEPEND ON ANYBODY ELSE FOR HELP IN FILLING THESE COLUMNS WITH NEWS. BUT AS IT, OUR REPORTER IS GRATEFUL TO THOSE WHO HELP BY VOLUNTEERING TO SUPPLY NEWS ITEMS.



BY-PASS ROADS

NOW IN STYLE

By E. E. Duffy
Wandering cows no longer determine courses for highways. Today, city streets and rural roads near populous centers are usually located by regional planning experts who forestall regret with study. One of the greatest offerings of planning commissions to the congestion-worried motorist is the by-pass.

By-passes are simply city-avoiding roadways. In the early days of this modern highway building era, it was the avowed purpose of highway associations to place as many big towns and cities as possible on the route, and these routes passed directly through the so-called fortunate cities. The thought on this has changed.

Forcing traffic through cities is no longer held advisable, for the profit accruing to the larger city is of doubtful volume, and the attendant traffic congestion and dis-

comfort doubtless make it uneconomical. Forward looking communities are solving the problem by designating and constructing by-pass routes which carry traffic around and not through the city. Smaller communities find it profitable to construct substantial connecting routes that will attract trade but not through traffic.

Smaller cities and towns are also seeking the wisdom of the by-pass. Many state highway departments now route main state highways around towns rather than through them, with wide connecting etobe for those who care to stop.

BRAVE

Landlady—"Don't be afraid of the bacon, Mr. Newby."

Mr. Newby—"I'm not. I've seen a piece twice as large, and it didn't frighten me a bit."

Miss Jessie Cash of Peterson Creek spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. J. R. Phillipp.

Her Dreadful Past

The Amazing True Story of a Girl Patricide

PERHAPS you recall reading in the newspapers the case of Gretchen, the girl who poisoned her father—and then, at her trial, refused to utter a word in her own defense. You read of her conviction and incarceration. There, apparently, the story ended. But really it was only the beginning of one of the most amazing human dramas ever enacted.

In prison Gretchen performed her duties in utter silence; nothing interested her; she kept to herself—an outcast branded for life.

Then Mary Howard came to the prison to teach. Her heart went out to the little daughter of the

slums. She tried, by kindness and encouragement, to make Gretchen feel that she was not a pariah but a girl like other girls.

At first Gretchen feared and distrusted her, but later with her head in the kindly teacher's lap, her body wracked with sobs, she told for the first time the dreadful story which had she told it to the jury, would probably have resulted in her acquittal.

The complete story of the events leading up to her dreadful crime, her trial, imprisonment, eventual parole, and the glorious success she is now making of her life, is entitled "Out of the Slums" and appears in July True Story Magazine—now on sale. Don't miss it!

Tune in on the True Story Hour broadcast every Friday night over WOR and the Columbia chain, 9 P. M., Eastern Standard Time.

Out Now!

Partial Contents
Things No Woman Can Stand
Three Loves Men Are Like That
The Sin That Found Him Out
The Marriage Bargain I Played with a Boy's Love
—and several other stories

July True Story
At All Newsstands—only 25c

George Tummins made a business trip to Canyon Friday.

Miss Lorene Meek of Miami visited here Thursday.

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All modern conveniences included

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AW, NOW!

He—"Do you know what they call eggs in Denver?"
She—"No; what?"
He—"Eggs."
She—"You mean thing!"

Mr. and Mrs. Loyse Caldwell and daughter Margaret Inez visited in Pampa Thursday.

A. W. Haynes left Sunday for Glen Rose for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Morse were in Shamrock Wednesday.

Mrs. W. L. Campbell visited in Pampa Friday.

Who's Your Barber?

You will find the best of barber service at our shop. Courtesy and appreciation extended all customers.

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City Dray and Transfer

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Sudden Service

Magnolene Ford Oil will make your Ford run better.

Floyd Phillips, Mgr.

WHY, OF COURSE!

"Well, she didn't wear mourning very long."
"What would you expect? She wasn't married to him very long."

J. W. Mars of Peterson was in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Crisp of Alanreed was shopping in McLean Saturday.

PREVENTION

Captain—"What is the best method to prevent the disease caused by biting insects?"
Corporal—"Don't bite the insects."

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

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



A Cool Drink

Wholesome, pure and clean, from a frigidare cooled fountain, served just as you like it.

Visit our fountain often.

Erwin Drug Co.

The Rexall Drug Store

ANNOUNCEMENT

We are pleased to announce, that we are putting in the full line of COOKS PAINTS AND VARNISH CO. products.

On Saturday, June the 16th, we will have complete demonstrations on all their products, having with us a man from the factory to show you in either manner how to beautify your home at very small cost.

Register for Prizes

The COOK PAINT AND VARNISH COMPANY will give away magazine racks, flower vases and other gifts for the home. The hour will be from 2 to 6 p. m. All are asked to register between these hours for the prizes.

Any little novelty that you might have, bring it with you, and they will be glad to decorate it free for you.

The COOK PAINT AND VARNISHES are the leaders on the market, and have been chosen for our lumber yard here, because we believe there is no better. All these products are fully recommended.

We will be glad to have you with us.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Company

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McLEAN, TEXAS

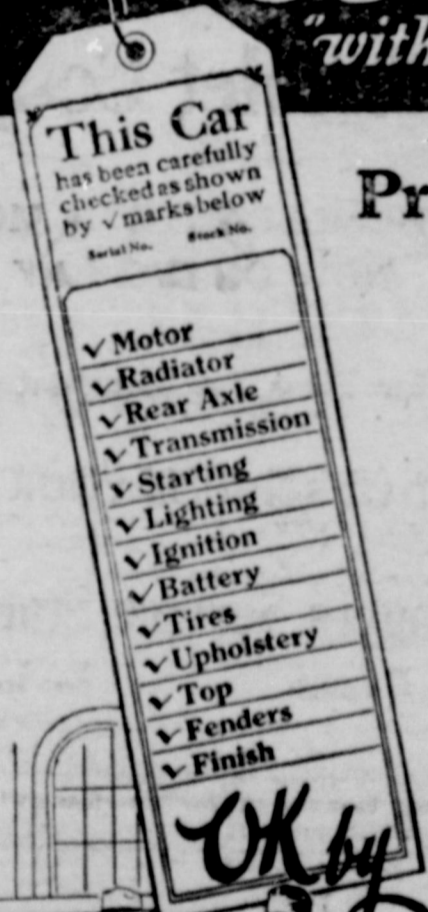
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Come in today while our selection is complete. You are sure to find the car you want—and our red "O.K." tag is definite assurance of quality and value.

McLean Motor Co.

McLean, Texas

QUALITY AT LOW COST

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RATES—One insertion, 2c per word.
Three insertions, 3c per word.
Or, 1c per word each week after first insertion.
Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type double rate. Initials and numbers count as words.
No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
All ads cash with order unless you have a running account with The News.

FOR SALE

WHY NOT give us an order for about 3 dozen eggs and a couple of chickens to be delivered to your door every Saturday until you say stop? Reep Landers.

COLORADO land—any size tracts—terms, 6% interest. Will trade for other property. D. C. Christopher. tfc

POTATO PLANTS and other plants now ready. Book orders now. Roby's Plant Farm, east of town. Phone 182. tfc

INFERTILE eggs, guaranteed strictly fresh—delivered Saturdays during summer—25c per doz. Reep Landers.

Groceries are cheaper at Packett's Cash Store. tfc

FOR RENT

HOUSE for rent. Inquire at News office.

FOR RENT—7 room modern house, furnished or unfurnished. A few pieces furniture for sale. Phone 87. lc

FOR RENT—Two modern houses with gas, water and light connections. One 3-room, other 4-room. L. O. Floyd. 22-3c

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

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

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

Letter and invoice box files at the News office.

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

MECHANTS' sales books at News office.

REMINGTON Portable typewriters offer every advantage; a standard machine may be bought on monthly payments at the News office.

BEST GRADE typewriter oil at News office.

ADVERTISING AND FAILURES

A Chicago advertising man, after studying business failures in 34 leading cities, announces that 84 per cent of the firms that went under were not newspaper advertisers.

That little story points to its own lesson. The world may very well make a beaten path to your door if you are manufacturing a better mousetrap than your neighbor, but first of all it has to know that you are doing it. The business head who thinks he can get along without advertising is trying to live in an outworn era.—Exchange.

Erey Cubine made a trip to Pampa Sunday.

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
IVY E. DUNCAN
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
MABEL DAVIS
For County Attorney:
JOHN F. STUDER
F. A. CARY
For County Commissioner, Precinct 1:
JOHN B. WILLIAMS

IMPOUNDED NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that a bay mare about 8 years old, taken up at the City Pound will be sold to the highest bidder, Saturday, June 16, 1928, at 2 p. m. at the Frank Haynes Wagon Yard, unless claimed before that date.
J. A. SPARKS
City Marshal

Advertisement—2tc

About 52,000,000 acres of public lands of Texas have been appropriated for public school purposes in this state.

The permanent school fund of Texas amounts to about \$76,000,000.

H. E. Franks was in from the ranch Tuesday.

Enoch Bentley was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Ralph Randall made a trip to Oklahoma City Tuesday.

Th' Ole Grouch

ANY MAN WHO WONT CUT HIS GRASS IN SUMMER, OR SHOVEL SNOW OFF HIS WALKS IN WINTER, SHOULD BE MADE TO MOVE TO TH' COUNTRY, FORTY MILES FROM NOWHERE, SEZZI



Mrs. Leon Waldrup of Enterprise was shopping in McLean Tuesday.

Mrs. E. B. Hedrick of Alanreed was in McLean Tuesday.

Houston Bogan was in Lefors Sunday.

Fred Bentley and Clyde Windom were in Lefors Sunday.

Don't Neglect—

that old windmill too long. Let me fix it up.

We put up new ones too. Well troubles corrected. Satisfaction our foreword.

W. M. Kennedy
Phone 192

Groom Mutual Hail Association

GROOM, TEXAS

Our rates are the lowest.

R. S. Jordan
Agent

McLean, Texas

Tailor Service

We Call for and Deliver

Let us have your next clothes cleaning job. You will like our work.

Telephone 223

Modern Tailor Shop

DWIGHT UPHAM, Prop.

**Whippet Coupe
and
Cabriolet Coupe**

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Our Tires Are Guaranteed

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STOP, THIEF! LOCK YOUR CAR!

You may sit next to an automobile thief in the subway, trolley or ferryboat. I have often questioned these men as to why they persisted in following such a calling; their answers were practically all the same: "It's such easy money." The average owner of an automobile does not employ a chauffeur; the car, therefore, must be left unguarded most of the time. This is the thief's great opportunity—the unguarded, unlocked car. A man drives up to a cigar store, runs in for a package of cigarettes; he leaves his car running for the moment, and, even though he may have been in the store but a few seconds, upon emerging he finds his car gone.

I am now paying fifty dollars for the same theft insurance that but a few years ago cost me ten dollars.

Now, then, is the average human being to protect his car from the ever increasing auto thief? Regardless of the ignition lock which is on the car when purchased, every car owner should have some form of auxiliary lock put upon his or her car. Car locking devices are many and varied. I believe in some form of steering-wheel locking device; this prevents the steering-post from being turned in any direction; should someone start the engine the car could be propelled in but one direction, and also a device that locks the transmission.

The records show that a car equipped with any form of auxiliary lock is seldom stolen, compared with the unprotected car. In other words, so many thousands of cars stand about the streets of any great city, equipped with no form of lock save the ignition lock, and are "easy money" that the thief usually does not take any other cars.

To my mind, each car should have a title, the same as a piece of ground. A person buying a second-hand car should demand a clear title. There should be plenty of private marks on your car to assist in identification if it be stolen, and recovered. There should be a greater interstate care when the cars are licensed. Thieves alter cars very quickly. A small touring car stolen at twelve o'clock noon is dismantled; and at two o'clock the same day the wheels are on a commercial body going to the West Indies, while the engine and top are on another chassis bound for the Maine Woods. The theft of automobiles is a serious thing which we should do everything in our power to stop. We can help by always locking the car if left vacant even for a moment.

UGHT TO DIE

Street Singer—"And for Bonnie Annie Laurie, I'd lay me down and die."

Passer-by (sotto voice)—"I'm sorry I can't find her for you."

WHO'S WHO

Smoky School Teacher—"Now can anyone tell me anything about Aaron?"

Wife—"I can. His name is the first one in our telephone book."

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Sant of Ramsdell were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. S. L. Sugg of Houston is visiting her sister, Mr. W. B. Upham this week.

Burl Glass of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Ivey was in from the ranch Saturday shopping.

Carl Hefner made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

W. L. Craig of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

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LET'S LOOK ON THE OTHER SIDE OCCASIONALLY

Life in the country isn't all good but it isn't all bad, either. All too frequently critics of American agriculture compare the poorest conditions on the farm with the best conditions in the city. This is so obviously wrong that it needs no comment.

If the bet of conditions in the country are worse than the poorest conditions in the city, it is time we were giving real attention to the problem. But, is it true? I think not. Therefore, it won't do to compare the best of the city with the worst of the country. Neither will the reverse get us anywhere. Average city against average country might get us somewhere, the city's average to include the conditions in slums, on railroad streets in the mill village and the exclusive residential sections, the farm average to include the Master Farmers, the average farmer, the tenant and the laborer.

Now if we haven't a yard stick to measure all these conditions and if we cannot assign to all these their proper index number, perhaps it would pay us to look at the bright side of farm life for a little while.

How many real farm homes are there in the South from Virginia to Texas? What proportion of our farm homes have modern conveniences? What is the difference between the net cash income of the average farm family and the average city family? Sure, the farmer works hard for his, but the average man in the city gets up to the tune of a whistle, goes to work to dinner and quits work all to the same tune.—Z. P. Metcalf, in The Progressive Farmer.

HUSBAND OBJECTED

He—"We don't see as much of you as we used to, Mrs. Farleigh."
She—"No, my husband objects to low-cut dinner gowns."

MUTUAL ADMIRATION

"Norman admires everything about me—my voice, my eyes, my figure, my hair."
"And what do you admire most about him?"
"His good taste."

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hess were in from the ranch Saturday.

Herman Phillips made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

Floyd Phillips was in Pampa on business Friday.

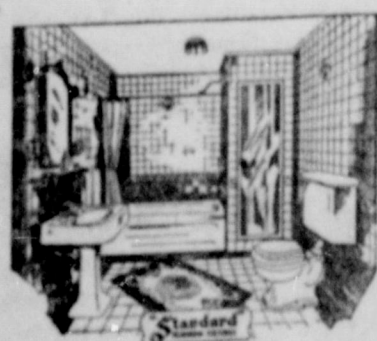
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WHY NOT?

First Partner—"But you can't withdraw from this business now. You gave me your word of honor."

Second Partner—"Well! It's my honor, isn't it? Can't I do what I like with it?"

Miss Frances Neel left Thursday for a visit with friends and relatives in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp were in town from the ranch Saturday

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She—"Where in the world did you get that horrible necktie?"
He—"The laugh's on you. You gave it to me last Christmas."

Col. Oscar Fogg of New York, president of the American Gas Association, says: "The cities of Texas are a living example of the day when all American cities will be smokless because they can do it better with gas." Colonel Fogg was struck by the clear atmosphere of Dallas when he attended the recent gas convention.

EASILY REPLACED

Wife (tearfully)—"You've broken the promise you made me."
Husband—"Never mind, my dear, don't cry. I'll make you another."

Junius Watson of Dallas is a guest in the home of W. S. Copeland this week.

Mrs. Essie Payne returned from a visit with friends at Clarendon and Wellington Friday.

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Daughter—"Never mind, mother, we must respect his last wishes."

Mrs. Marie Copeland is visiting in Shamrock this week-end.

Mrs. Roy Campbell visited in Pampa Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and little Miss Joan Haynes visited in Clarendon Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Savage visited relatives at Goldston Saturday and Sunday.

MOTOR CAR FIRES

Here are some very interesting experiments with gasoline as conducted by A. H. Hoffman, Agricultural Engineering Division, University of California.

Nowhere and at no time are knowledge and a cool head more at a premium than when fire reaches gasoline. Every year automobiles and trucks by the hundreds are burned up while their owners stand helplessly looking on.

Mr. Hoffman has repeatedly caused an electric spark to pass between the very closely spaced points of a spark plug placed inverted and submerged in a quart milk bottle filled with gasoline. The spark showed bright and was sharply snapping, but no ignition of the gasoline resulted. The same spark made the pass while the plug was held in the mixed gasoline vapor and air above the liquid gasoline at the top of the bottle promptly caused a slight explosion, followed by a surface burning of the gasoline vapor, which, while slow at first, became more rapid as the heat generated caused a quicker vaporization of the fuel. Closing the mouth of the bottle with the palm of the hand cut off oxygen supply and in a second extinguished the fire. If the fire had been permitted to burn until the un-

equal heating had cracked the bottle and permitted the gasoline to flow out, a large surface area would have been exposed to the air, making possible a very rapid increase of the fire. Even then, however, the application of anything that would serve to exclude the air from the fluid gasoline would have smothered the flames.

With the same quart bottle half full of gasoline, a lighted match applied to the mouth ignited the one pint of mixed air and gasoline vapor causing a stronger explosion and a slight after burning at the surface of the gasoline which was easily put out because it was difficult for air to get in fast enough to keep the fire going. With the bottle emptied of gasoline but still wet, the explosion was much stronger but not enough to endanger the bottle so long as the mouth was not covered.

Similarly with a gasoline tank, the more nearly empty the tank is, the greater will be the volume of mixed gasoline vapor and air and the stronger will be the explosion if fire gets to it. Also the

smaller the opening relative to the volume of the mixture the more powerful the explosion. Of course, it is never altogether safe, to say the least, to hold a lighted match to the mouth of a large gasoline tank, whether full or empty, because, even if the tank did not burst, there might be enough gasoline and oil soaked wood, upholstery, etc., in the neighborhood to cause an explosion.

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Miss Vernita Savage and Miss Ora Pearl Shannon are visiting their grandparents at Goldston.

Miss Kezzie Stodolaker of Altus Oklahoma is visiting her sister, Mrs. E. E. Dishman this week.

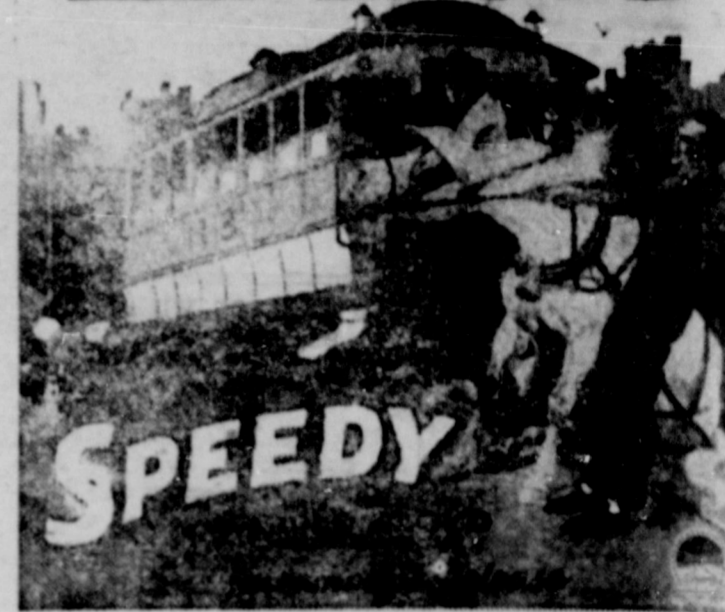
R. M. Mitchell of Wichita Falls was in McLean on business this week.

Sammie Cubine was in Amarillo Sunday.

J. N. Barr made a business trip to Shamrock Saturday.

A. W. Haynes visited in Pampa Friday.

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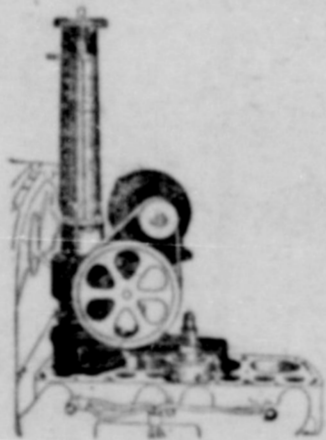
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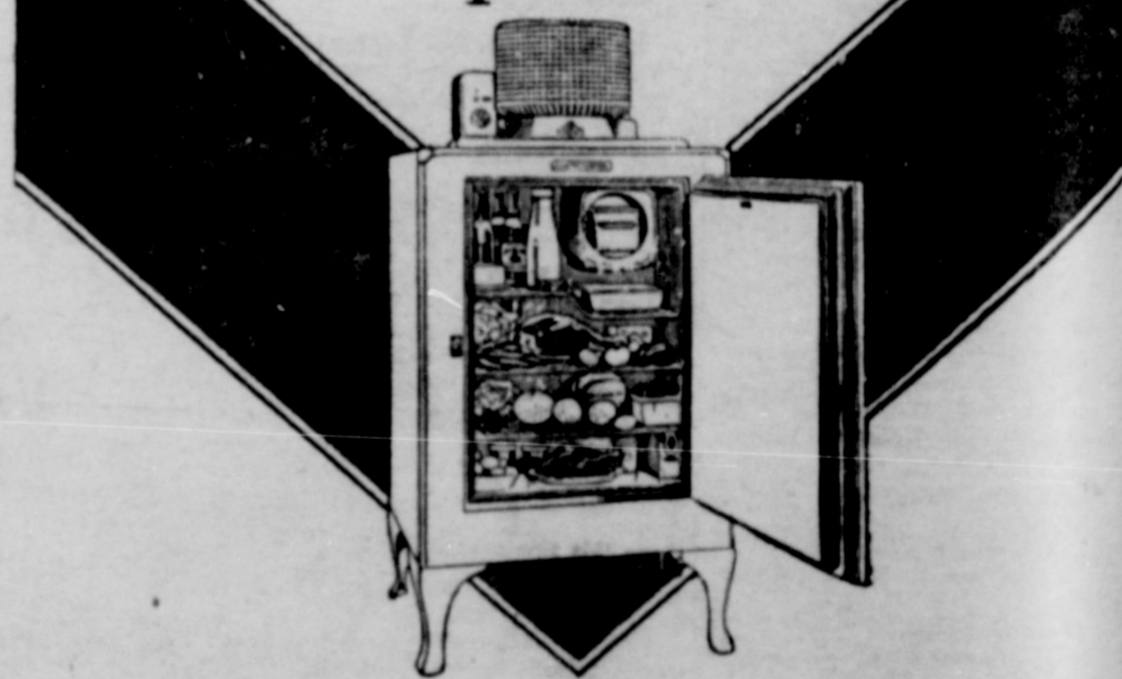
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