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McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, May 23, 1929.

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# City Employs Full Time Secretary McLean Postoffice Raised to Second Class July First

# OFFICE SECOND

#### **Business Increases** Classification of **Postoffice**

owever, Mr. Vannoy states that he a pure life contains no regrets." general delivery window for 15 min- forces of good and evil come from place of small pipe in the residence delivery window will open at 8 a. m. one may become stronger because of in the water district. and close promptly at 6 p. m. on them, if their lessons are heeded. piher days. Night service begins at The graduates were told that their FIREMEN TO ATTEND 6 p. m., and no night service is al- studies are not finished, but that they

while heretofore the postmaster has to neglect the Word of God. first the work will have to be done Hickman the benediction with 26 working hours. Any extra The graduating class marched into to the second class when the previous from the auditorium at the close of

when the business reaches \$40,000. The Pampa postoffice was made a second class office last year and will GRAMMAR SCHOOL HONOR ROLL be raised to the first class July 1st.

## JUNIOR-SENIOR

Mary King Monday evening.

The home was decorated in pink and white, the senior class colors, and refreshments of pink and white ice cream and cake were served.

Hugos, Payne and Partlow, and a Louelle Cobb. Georgia Colebank, Jelly McGowen, Billy Cooke, Clifton number of seniors and juniors.

Miss Johnie Villa Haynes, and Miss Edith Reneau read the class will. Games were played on the lawn, and a general good time is reported.

Fire destroyed the home of Vernon Turner in the north part of town Tuesday night.

Being a small building, the fire had made too much headway when the fire department reached the scene to save anything of any moment.

Miss Ruby Cook visited in Ama-

#### WANTAD FINDS LOST GLASSES LAST WEEK

Mrs. Everett Watkins lost a pair of spectacles last week and inserted sified columns, with the result that the glasses were returned. A neighbor had found them, and up-on reading the advertisement

promptly returned them. want to buy, rent or sell any-

#### Baccalaureate Sermon Given Sunday Morning

pastor of the Pirst Baptist church, with a vote of 32 to 52.

The McLean postoffice will be rais- showing the necessity of being on One reason for the seeming indiff- diplomas, and other numbers will speech. to the second class on July first, guard against the pitfalls of life, erence of the voters was the fact appear on the program. hich, according to Postmaster John "In the battle of life, we cannot hat the council had already de- Miss Lalla D'Spain will deliver the plies ordered for the better yards will occassion some im- afford to neglect the word of God, cided to issue warrants for the im- valedictory address and Miss Letha and gardens contest. Under the new arrangement there known to man," said the speaker, feated; the election only being held reneral delivery service re- "The greatest lives are those that to cave in interest rate, bonds car-Sundays and holidays; are lived in the service of others, and rying a smaller interest rate than

ay find it possible to open the The specker insisted that both the Larger water mains will be laid in

should have definite convictions and Less help will be employed, as the stand for the right at all times, and department will furnish the help. in order to do that they cannot afford

own pocket, as well as having the as- the Church of the Nazarene, and ment. sistance of Mrs. Vannoy in the office. Rev. W. A. Erwin, pastor of the First At a recent meeting of the fire Lonsdale of the east side. Counting hours the office is now Presbyterian church, occupied the day from the help, while after July win delivered the invocation and Rev.

help needed will have to come from the auditorium to the strains of the substitute help furnished by the processional, with Mrs. Willie Boyett postoffice department at Washington. at the piano. Mrs. A. B. Blake gave Holloway. A postoffice is automatically raised a vocal solo, and the class marched year's business amounts to \$3,000 or the service, with Mrs. Boyett playing over, and is made a first class office the recessional.

Kindergarten - Margie Lochridge, Jack Bogan, Mabel Back, Ermadel RECEPTION MONDAY Floyd, Ruth Thacker, Billy Cooke, Wynema Lamb, David Lonsdale, Ernie

Wilson, Donald Dorsey.

win Ledbetter, Donaleta Hall, Frankie present had a delightful time. Roth, Lida Switzer, Jesse Dean Cobb. Those present were: Jessie Mae Talks were made by Profs. Moore, Jeff Coffey, Herbert Green, T. W. Lynch, Doris Simmons, Vada and Hammock, and Carrico, Misses Blount, Jen Coney, Herbert Green, 1.

Henry, Paul Scott, Edna Babbitt, Viola Appling, Bobbie Nell Davidson, Louise Kennedy, Dorothy Sitter, Ruth Wilkerson, Bobbie John Corbin, Willie

> ley, Pearl Stockton, Wilma Sue West, and James Edwin Finley. Joyce Crockett, Eula Fay Foster, nedy, Wilbur Lee Wilson.

4th grade-Ave Swafford, Eva Swaf-Ayer, Bessie Mae Mertel. Geraldine Memphis Sunday. Hall, Maurine Montgomery, Frances Landers, Gwynne Carpenter, Marie

5th grade-Hazel Alexander. 6th grade-Avis Lee McElvaney. 7th grade-Charles Ashby, Louise Wilson, Pauline Ledbetter,

Mrs. E. E. Dishman and sister in Shamrock Sunday. Miss Kezzia Studebaker, visited in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mesdames T. N. Holloway and Ruel Smith were visitors in Clarendon

Mrs. S. D. Shelburne visited in Oklahoma City last week.

Jack Donovan of Mangum, Okla., was in McLean Tuesday.

Matthew Cantrell of Shamrock was

#### City Bonds Carry with Small Vote

The baccalaureate sermon for the The \$50,000 city bond issue for the Graduating exercises will be held S. C. Doolen was elected lion tamer

Rev. Brynoff took for his text two years, very few people taking any deliver the graduating address. passages in 1st Timothy, "Take heed interest. It is claimed that even two The members of the graduating the assembled Lions upon his elec-

that contains the greatest wisdom provements, should the bonds be de- Ashby the salutatory. warrants.

## STATE CONENTION P. -m.

ey for help. At times Mr. Vannoy Wilkins, pastor of the First Methodist firemen's convention at Galveston as for the local club. as added to that amount from his church, Rev. W. Hickman, pastor of representatives of the local depart- C. H. White has been elected man-

iepartment the following officers and unning, with 35 working hours per platform with the speaker. Rev. Er- members were placed on the revised

> Chief-J. A. Sparks. First Assistant Chief-L. L. Rogers.

Secretary-Wood Hindman. Treasurer-Ercy Cubine.

John C. Haynes, S. B. Morse, Boyd and the third birthday of Billie. Hansel Christian.

#### A BIRTHDAY PARTY

3rd grade—R. B. Cooke, Averille and Beth Evonne Floyd, Juanita Christian, Arthur Smith, Leola Had-Bible, Margie and Bubsic Lochridge,

Drucilla Kunkel, Marietta Young, Mrs. Lear M. Jones returned to her FIRE DESTROYS TURNER HOME Doris Simmons, Jack Belew, Hurshell home at Childress Thursday after a Cupell, Milburn Henry, Steve Ken- visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watkins.

> ord, Lois Stockton, Truitt Allen. Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Stephens, Mr. Bill Roth, Burnice Walker, Winifred and Mrs. Buck Campbell visited in

> > Leo Heasley went to Amarillo last

Mr. and Mrs. Jot Montgomery were Amarillo visitors last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer visited

Miss Edith Staples of Sayre, Okla. is visiting Miss Cora Greer. A. L. Grigsby made a trip to Ama

rillo Sunday. H. F. Benson of Shamrock was in

McLean Sunday. Lefors were in McLean Sunday.

Walter Cash of White Deer was in McLean Friday

#### Graduating Exercises Friday Night

McLean high school graduating class extension and enlargement of the at the high school auditorium Fri- at the regular luncheon of the Lions was delivered by Rev. D. H. Brynoff, water system held Monday carried day evening at which time Dr. John Club Monday C. Grandberry of the department of Three candidates were placed in at the high school auditorium Sunday A smaller vote was cast than in any history and social science of the Texas nomination, Lions Doolen, Boyd Meaelection here for the past several Technological College at Lubbock will dor and Arthur Erwin. Lion Doolen

#### BENEFIT BASEBALL GAME NEXT WEEK

Plans are bing perfected for a utes on holidays, but it will not be within oneself and that the trials of district of town, and extensions will baseball game to be played between Sundays. The general life may be tests of character, and be made to serve residents not now the business men on the east side of planist, was present and was called in some convenient building under Main street against the men on the upon for a speech. She responded the new arrangement.

L. L. Rogers, Ercy Cubine, Chester he crippled children's fund and re-Lander, Dwight Upham and Hansel maining amount received is to be seen allowed a definite sum of mon- Supt. Geo. Tummins, Rev. B. W. Christian plan to attend the state used to purchase baseball equipment Cobb. Wilkins, Upham, Reep Landers,

ager of the west side team and L. V.

#### A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Reported. Little Miss Catherine Louise and Members-Chas. Guill, Bec Ever- and Mrs. H. S. Williams, in honor of bridge over Northfork river at Lefors.

were: Little Misses Betty Joyce Stover, ble at all times. Mary Ruth and Elizabeth Blake, Peggy Marie Greer, Norma and Pauline McCracken, Dorothy Sitter, Missy lst grade—Juanita Bible, Thelma A surprise party was given Monday, Hodges, Thelma Jean Dishman, Anna ice cream cones and cookies were Ercy Glen Pulbright, James Emmett, D. H. Brynoff officiating.

#### CEMETERY WORKING THURS.

Everyone interested in the cemetery is urged to meet at the cemetery at around the graves. Be sure and be there. Bring tool to work with. C. S. RICE, President

Cemetery Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith returned Saturday from a trip to Galveston.

Miss Mattie Lee Kunkel returned to her home at Cisco last Thursday after a visit with relatives here.

Supt. Frank P. Wilson of Groom was in McLean Friday.

Miss Suvella Bridges visited in White Deer Sunday. Hulon Collier and family of Groom

were in McLean Monday. Misses Opal Moore and Eunice Huff were Lefors visitors Sunday.

Owen Moore was in Lefors Sunday.

P. H. Bourland was in Pampa Fri-

George Montgomery and family of Eld. R. B. McDougald was a visitor in White Deer Sunday.

Norman Johnston was in Mangum Okla, Sunday.

#### **Doolen Elected** Lion Tamer at Luncheon

was greeted by a concerted roar of unto thyself" and "keep thyself pure." members of the council failed to vote. class will be formally presented with tion. He responded with a short

Secretary Sitter reported all sup-

Lions Williams, Sherman White and Baptist church and Chevrolet garage Lixes. The taxes have been handled building, was presented as a guest by

Miss Ruby Cook, recently elected Following the business session of work.

r. A. Landers leading. Those present were: Lions Gray, Meador, Doolen, Ercy Cubine, Chris- STUDY CLUB MEETS tian, Coleman, W. A. Erwin, T. A. Landers, Springer, Sherman Whitee, Bentley, Arthur Erwin, Sitter, Williams Miss Cook and Elmer S. James.

## LEFORS-PAMPA ROAD

Second Assistant Chief-T. N. Master Billie Williams were given a According to Commissioner M. M. discussed. birthday party Monday afternoon, Newman, the Lefors-Pampa road is The following officers were elected May 20, from four until six o'clock, now completed from Back City to for the coming year: at the home of their parents, Mr. Pampa, with traffic crossing the new President-Mrs. B. N. Henry. ett. Chester Lander, Jess Ledbetter, the sixth birthday of Catherine Louise Two miles of paving from the Pampa city limits will be laid, leav- Brooks. Meador, S. D. Shelburne, H. S. Will- The little folks enjoyed the after-ing only about one mile of the road Treasurer-Mrs. Sam Hodges. iams, G. V. Koons, Dwight Upham, noon immensely by playing games that will be impassable in muddy and eating dainty refreshments of weather, the rest of the road being cake and ice cream. Those present of a more sandy nature will be pass-

#### LADD-POWELL

class of the McLean high school by Joe Gray, Julia Mertel, Clyde Car- day 20, in the city park in honor of Dell and Hannah Nell Sligar, Georgia Married, Saturday, May 18, 1929, day each week during the summer, the juniors at the home of Miss Joe Gray, Juna Mertel, Clyde Car. Jessie Mae Lynch's seventh birthday. Colebank and Catherine Louise Will- at the Baptist pastorium, Miss Aimee Dainty refreshments were served to penter, Linley Hugg, Blyvia Baker.

Robert Lack, Jessie Childress, Audrey After various games were played, tams; Masters Billy Grant White, Ladd and Mr. Roy D. Powell, Rev. the following visitors and members:

community.

#### MORE RAIN THIS WEEK

9 a. m. Decoration Day, May 30, and rain seem to the order for this combring their dinner and help clean up munity from the weatherman now. It is claimed that there has never been

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor.

Evening worship 8 p. m. 20 minute song service, and sermon by the Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.

#### We invite you to worship with us

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

R W. Wilkins. Pastor Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching by pastor at 11 a. m. Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Evening sermon 8 p. m. You have a cordial invitation to atend all our services.

Ted Woods was in Amarillo last also contain a list of all the con-

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Norman of list as a supporter of the present Pampa visited relatives here Sunday.

Cecil Landrum made a trip to White Deer last Thursday. Mrs. Bennie Johnston of Amarillo

# CITY SEC.

#### W. E. Bogan Employed **Full Time City** Secretary

W. E. Bogan, present secretary T. A. Landers paid finer to the tail has accepted the proposition, and in twister for infractions of Lions rules, addition to the regular duties of the Elmer S. James, contractor at the office, will assess and collect city heretofore on a commission basis by

the city marshal.

west side of the street, on next Thurs- with several humorous stories that It will be some 30 days before full day, May 30, at the ball park at 2:30 were highly appreciated by the club, arrangements are made for the new

Twenty-five per cent of the pro- the club, a sing-song was indulged in This decision of the council is in ceeds of this game is to be turned to with Miss Cook at the piano and accordance with a recommendation of the city auditor, who recently audited the accounts of the city.

## WITH MRS. HENRY

The Twentieth Century Study Club met Thursday, May 16, with Mrs. B. N. Henry. An interesting study of NOW IN GOOD SHAPE ideals of character as expressed in

Vice President-Mrs. H. W. Finley. Secretary-Reporter-Mrs. H.

sponsor a plan for the beautification of the city park, with Mrs. W. D. Bogan as chairman of a committee for the placing of a wading pool to

The club plans to conduct a story telling hour for the little tots one

Wilson, Donald Dorsey.

Mesdames A. B. Blake, W. E. Bogan,
On and grade—Shirley Johnston, Ed
Served. It is reported that everyone joe and Billie Cooke, Harold, Donald The bride is a daughter of Mr. F. H. Bourland, H. W. Finley, John ridge, L. V. Lonsdale, E. E. Watkins, Allen Wilson, L. Sligar and H. W.

#### GRADE PROGRAM AT SCHOOL TESDAY NIGHT

A program was given by the first as fine a season in the ground at this four grades of the grammar school at the high school auditorium Tuesday

After the raising of the curtain, a continuous program was given, ending with a drill of the youngsters. Despite the muddy weather, a large crowd enjoyed the exercises.

#### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

D. H. Brynoff, Pastor All our regular services will be held

next Sunday. A week from next Sunday we expect to begin our revival meeting. Rev. Marcellus Watkins of Plainview

will be the evangelist. The church will publish a memorial bulletin at the close of the present picture taken of the church and congregation at the first Sunday's ervices. This will be placed on the irst page of the bulletin. It will ributors to the building fund. Every nember's name should appear in this suilding campaign. There will also e a number of other interesting tems in the bulletin

Misses Pauline and Beatrice Muncie eturned to Wellington Wedn

# Idle Island



ETHEL HUESTON

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#### THE STORY

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

CHAPTER II.—Gay finds the cottage is tenanted by an elderly lady, "Annialmiry," who consents to mere te another ahode, the "Apple Tree." Awaking from sleep, Oay imagines she see the face of a Chinaman peering in the window, but on reflection ascribes the vision to imagination. She settles down in her new home, anticipating menths of well-earned rest and recuperation.

CHAPTER III.—On an expioration of the island Gay, standing on the seashore, is morrified by the appearance of the drifting body of a drowned man, which she nerves heraelf to bring to the shore. A bullet wound in the temple shows the man to have been murdered. Gay covers the dead face with a handkerchief, and makes her way to the "Captain" with the story. Returning with him to the shore, they find no body there, and Gay's story of the includent is set down to an attack of "nerves."

CHAPTER IV.—Gay, unable to convince her insighbors of the truth, draws a picture of the face of the dead man, intending to end it to the authorities as evidence of the apparent erims. She meets a stranger, apparently another, visitor, to whom she tells the story and show the picture. He asks her to let him take it, but Gay refuses. Next day, after a night apent with "Auntaimiry" Gay finds the picture has been taken from the cottage. "Rand" Wallace, wanderer, and considered something of a "black sheep," by the islanders, expecting to find "Auntaimiry," surprises Gay at household tasks. She likes him at once sheep," by the islanders, expecting to find "Auntaimiry," surprises Gay a household tasks. She likes him at once

CHAPTER V. — Gay's acquintance with Rand ripers into affection. She sees the Chivaman again and this time is sure it is not imagination. Rand leaves the Island on business. Gay determines to stay for the winter.

termines to stay for the winter.

CHAPTER VI.—Ine stranger whom Guy had met the day of her discovery of the body introduces himself as lionald Ingram, like herself, a visitor on the Itiand. "Auntainity" tells Gay of her son, "Buddy," who has been missing for years. On Rand's return Gay tells him of the Chinaman. He is impressed, suspicious of Ronald Ingram, and apprehensive of some evidoing in a house known as the "Little Club," apparently unoccupied.

CHAPTER VII .- Rand and Gay real the their mutual love, but the artist is not ready to give un her freedom and marry him. "Auntalmity" is planning her Christmas party, her annual feativity. It is arranged to have it at the "Lone Pine." Rand becomes certain all is not right concerning lagram and the "Little Ciub" house, and investigation convinces him his auspicions are justified.

CHAPTER VIII.—Rand continuing his investigations, sees a party of twenty-five Chinamen leave the "Little Club" house and make their way to the feery and the mainland lugram is with them, seemingly in charge of enerations. He gains admission to the clubhouse and finds sytdence of what he had suspected, the smuggling of Chinamen and narcetics.

CHAPTER IX.—Winter settles on the island without further incident. Auntalmiry continues her preparations for the Christmas party, and Gay and Rand carry on their innocent romance.

CHAPTER X.—Thankagiving day is showed up at the Lone Pine, but Rand breaks through, bringing her Thankagiving dinner, which they enjoy glone. In the middle of December Rand tells Gay he is going to Reston to continue his work of investigation, but will be back in time for the ton to continue his work of investiga-tion, but will be back in time for the party. Returning home ster a brief absence, Gay sees a man in an appar-ently hopeless stage of intoxication making his way into her house. She finds him asless on the floor in an up-stairs room.

CHAPTER XI - Allos Andover appears and recognizes the stranger as "Auntainity" long-missing son. "Buddy" Bridges The two women, to keep bin quiet while the perty is going on, administer intoxicants, but the man gets away and comes back while the festivities are at their height. He has a satisfactory explanation of his absence and the return of her son puts the finishing touch to "Auntainity" happiness. Earth hales her may let be has been made a prisoner, and apprehensive for his safety, makes her way into the "Little Club" There she finds a prisoner she imagines is Rand and with him, Konald Ingram, and a group of men is taken en board a ship.

#### CHAPTER XII

No one questioned Gay's presence in the boot, no one so much as tooked her way, or offered her a word. She dropped upon the beach, cowering, just where shy was pushed in the pushing crowd. Shyly at first she kept her face lowered luto her collar, but later, gaining contrage, the dared to look about in search of Rand. Her eyes found bim at last where he sat crowded horseen two others on the opposite side, and there was no opportunity for her to draw nearer to him at that moment.

The three men, lagram and Hodge, with the one in charge of the boat, stood together and taked. Gay was beside them, but their voices were so creased. low that she could catch only scattered words of what they said, and none but Ingram's, whose voice was

"Hanging around spying- No. d-o it, business is one thing, but nurder is murder. Do as you like, but can't have a land in it. Remember Blakely, Nothing on me but sauggiling and coast running. Few years st. I've got mine salted away.

Remember Blakely." Was it Blakewho had come to her in the cove, with the bullet wound in his brow? Not Ingram, then, who caused that gashing wound, but another, Garman, to whom they were taking Rand. Gay's fingers fondled her pistol, tentatively, but well she realized that any such action would be worse than folly, for these were desperate men, and they were armed. Ingram might stick at murder in cold blood, but self-defense would put a different color on his scruples. If she could only get to Rand, silp her pistol into his hands, release his bonds. Still there was no opportunity, and she

contrive her ends. She would have liked to fling herself across the intervening space and put both arms tenderly about those drooping shoulders.

could think of no subtle expedient to

"If I dared, I would. How surprised they would be. 'Rand,' I'd say, 'kiss me.' I dare say they would all drop dead of astonishment." Her teeth chattered pervously, her knees trembled, cold little smiles wrinkled her "I am going to laugh," she thought, "I know I am simply going to scream with laughter. How absurd this is. Going to sea with a band of murderers.-Ridiculous. People don't do such things. Such things don't happen. I must be losing my mind, I dare say I am crazy, as they think on the Island." A low dry chuckle gurgled through her cold lips. The man at her side turned.

"Cold," he muttered. "They don't put themselves out much to give service, ch?"

Gay's reply was an indistinguishable murniur, but she guarded her thoughts more closely.

The men smoked thirstily. She felt they were not fellows of a common hand, but separate, each for himself, except Ronald Ingram, Hodge and the little Chinaman, and the men who manned this boat. The others held aloof, nor did Ingram show any spirit of camaraderie to one of them. It was some sinister personal business that brought these men together.

Suddenly, in the darkness shead the lights of a ship showed up, lights green, and red, and pale.

Gay fingered her pistol nervously, tempted to fire desperately for help. taking the chance that help would Watching warily she waited a moment. The boat seemed to be heading direct for the ship, not avoiding it; yes, they were making for it. That ship, then, was Garman's, where they were taking Rand. There was no signaling between the two that she could see, but the great majestic monster of the sea slowed, came to a stop, and the small boat pulled alongside,

Ronald Ingram nodded toward the prisoner, "Bring him, Hodge," he said, and then ran quickly up the ladder first of all.

Hodge and the Chinaman prodded Rand up and shoved him to the ladder, which he climbed nimbly enough. though he must have been stiff with the cold and the exposure, as were they all. Gay's first impulse was to crowd forward, to go up the ladder after him, but remembering in time that a nearer view of her person might disclose a lack of mannishness in spite of her boots and knickers, she hung modestly back. One after another they hurried up, and the Chinaman indicated her forward.

Already the ship was heading cast, as the men shambled forward into the corridor and up the stairs into the warm bright smoking room. Gay slipped into a corner in the shadow of the door and crouched there, watchful, catlike.

Hodge came in with the prisoner, shoved him uncerementously into a seat on the opposite side of the door, beyond Gay's sight, and went quickly out again.

She slid forward in her seat and peered around the projection of the door to the opposite corner where Rand sat alone, dejected and sutlen, his chin far down in the woolen collar of his coat.

Daring the bright lights, she got up and crossed the room quickly, slipping into the seat beside him, her arm lying against his.

At the unexpected touch and pressure, he threw himself back in his seat Addenly and looked at her. For the first time she saw his face. She never knew how she repressed the cry of horror that rose instinctively to her lips at the sight of him. She had never seen blm before. The face was sly, vicious, hard, the most evil face of all she had seen that night.

It was not Rand. She was alone at sen with the murderous band. Her flesh crawled upon her quiver-

ing nerves as she shrank back. She was sure he could not fall to hear the great pounding of her heart in her throat, the sob on her lips, Rand, Rand!-The name beat in her

ears, throbbed in her pulses. Sheer terror, panic seized her. She grew frantle in terror and despair. She edged away from him, farther, farther, until she reached the door, where she peered out into the dim corridor. Now and then sounded the wair of

The corridor was copty, dimly lighted. Gay edged outside the door and stood a moment uncertainly. Doors down the corridor, to the right and the left. One stood open-a cubinthere were chairs, a dosk, bright Halda. If only she could gain access to some passenger, some traveler, she thought she could not fail to gain protection. Gay slid slowly along the wall until she was beyond sight of those in the

about the room, Beneath a shelf of books along the wall of the cabin a

ate flying leap, she gamed the open

door, the shelter of the cabin. It was

up to the smoking room, a voice called

Gay flashed a frightened glance

empty of occupant.

the foot locker.

wide bunk was made up, the blankets turned back. Beneath the bunk showed a foot locker. But the bunk was wide, and Gay was not large. With movements quick as thought itself, she squirmed under the bunk at the foot, behind the locker, and wriggled up until she was out of sight from the room. In the silence she moved up a little, so that she could stare out from behind the shadow of

The cabin was unusually large, with a bath adjoining. The desk was covered with books, papers, writing equipment. There was a typewriter. On the walls were files of papers, more books, professional instruments, and on a row of hooks were coats, caps, uniforms-men's things. Gay's heart sank. It was a man's room, a seaman's room. There was gold braid on the cuff of the coats on the walls, four

"Oh, dear heaven," gasped Gay. "It is Garman's cabin !"

Her eyes swam dizzily, her head reeled. Garman-who didn't stick at murder-poor Blakely-

Instinctively, half realizing what



"Come On In, Ingram-Cold as the Devil."

she was about, she started to shudder out, feet first, from beneath the bunk. But she was stayed by sudden noises, steps and voices in the cor-

Bring us coffee, Burt .- Come on in. Ingram .- Cold es the doc! (Continued next week)

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and part owner of the Shamrock farms were brought Texan, was a pleasant caller at the News office Tuesday. OWN A BRICK HOME

Roy Powell of White Deer was in

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# A SIGN OF QUALITY and VALUE to thousands of satisfied



#### at these Out. LOOK standing Used Car Values

Chevrolet Touring, 1928, Balloon tires, bumpers, license, Duco finish. Mechanically perfect; \$150 down, balance 1 year GMAC plan. WITH AN O. K. THAT COUNTS

Ford 1927 Touring, new Duco finish; coellent tires, good top, curtains and " holstering: 1929 license, \$125 down. WITH AN O. K. THAT COUNTS

Chevrolet 1927 Coupe. Just as clean as a pin incide and out, with a perfeet motor, brand new Goodrich tires. bumpers, large sicering wheel, 29 license. \$150 down.

WITH AN O. K. THAT COUNTS Ford Coups. New cord tires, 20 li-

cense, good battery, motor O. K. many extras; only \$45 down. WITH AN O. R. THAT COUNTS

1927 Dodge Sedan. Looks like new. \$160 down. WITH AN O. K. THAT COUNTS



#### This Red Tag "with an OK that Counts" is Your Assurance of Honest Used Car Values

You can have perfect confidence in your purchase of a used ca that has attached to its radiate cap the Chevrolet red "O. K. that Counts' tag. This tag, used exclusively by Chevrolet dealers, is attached only to cars that have and checked "O. K" by expert Chevrolet mechanics. To thete sands of satisfied used car burth it has proved a sign of outstandirs quality and value. We now have on hand a wide selection of these fine "O. K." used cars—priced for quick sale. Come in today.

McLEAN MOTOR CO.

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nd proudly our sons their devotion.

hile millions shall listen, to honor and bless. rill there bursts a response from the heart's strong emotion and the earth echoes deep with "Long

Life to the Press."

BOY SCOUTS HERE DISTRICT MEETING

will be here for the various exercises

Mrs. C. J. Cash and son, Billie Mrs. Sammie Cubine and baby visited in White Deer Tuesday.

WORTH TO COMMUNITY

the home town. Discussing the worth northeast corner of cemetery. Reof a newspaper, the Phyetteville Obward. L. E. Witkins, McLeum. 19

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per Two insertions, 3c per word. Three insertions, 4c 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

SOME BARGAINS in used ice refrigerators at the McLean Radio Co.

thy cards at News Office. Congratulation and Write Reminder

FOR SALE -- Maize and kaffir heads \$18.00 per ton. Corn 80c per bushel S. W. Rice, phone 1620F2. 20-4p

5 city lots, Nos. 3 to 7, in block 84. One block from high school. N. E.

FOR SALE .- 2 residences and shoe and harness shop. Cecil Bible, tfc.

mato, cabbage, pepper and sweet potato. Let us have your order today

2 year old fresh Jersey cow with ten days old heifer calf. N. E. Sav-

SOME BARGAINS in used ice rerigerators at the McLean Radio Co. C E Anderson home.

MEN, TOO, will find Butterfly iose savers worth more than their mall cost. They protect your hose and your heel. Up-to-Date Shoe thop. Reep Landers, Prop. 1c

Maize and kaffir heads, \$18 per ton at the barn. N. E. Savage. 1p

POR SALE.-Hay, tomato plants. and two Jersey milk cows. A.

FOR RENT

ed or unfurnished. Phone 178.

FOR RENT.-5 room modern house

tional Bank. H. B. Lovett, tfe

MISCELLANEOUS

GOOD PASTURE to let. \$1.00 per head. Mrs. Francis' place. W. C. Johnston. Ip

Birth announcement cards at News

POSTED.-All roads are closed to Carl Hefner. 1c

GROCERIES are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store.

Goodyear Tires are cheaper a King Motor Co. Advertisement tfc

LOST AND FOUND

LOST -Saturday, May 11, on high-

THE DOCTOR FOR MAYOR " COALS OF PIRE

The only doctor in Scrapville decidcitizens, I am running for mayor. I him in the big town. Scrapville for the past forty years that's another feather in my cap. f I am not elected I am going to Then he wrote, "I am engaged

Birthday, Thank You and Sympad out. When the ballots were countd the old doctor had received all broke." ut one vote, and that was cast by a nan who had just moved into the Nothing doing! Take the feathers own.—Los Angeles Tinies.

ON SALESMENSHIP

J. R. Arbuckle, the coffee king who left an estate of \$100,000,000, is redited with this story which he was vont to use as an example of the een discretion which he contended was necessary to business success A woman well on in years enterd a drug store and said to the

"Have you any cream for restoring he complexion?"
"Restoring, mlss? You mean pre-

erving!" said the druggist heartily. And he rold the woman more than 15.00 worth of cosmetics.

re spending the week end in the

visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McLean Tuesday. T. N. Holloway was in Pampa Tues-

Miss Jewel Shaw was a visitor in Amarillo last Thursday.

Dr. H. M. Coleman visited in

Pampa Sunday. Ben Burks of Shamrock was in

Cash Store. Advertisement tfc

stone Supreme tires.

W. P. Rogers

A farmer boy went to the city ed that he would like to be mayor, so against his father's wishes. The old man wanted the boy to help him on with the following notice: "Fellow the farm, and predicted disaster for Evidently the father was wrong,

forms to make, nothing to say against for in his first letter home the boy in the young explorer's life, recently my opponent; I merely desire to be wrote: "I have a fine position with mayor of this town before I die. I a good company; that's a feather in know every man, woman and child my cap." In his second letter he a pretty girl eating, wearing, holdin this town. I have been present said, "I am breaking into society and ing or driving something that so at every birth, marriage or death in have been put up for a good club; leave the town. But before I go I the most popular girl in town; that's will tell all I know about each one of still another feather in my cap."

the town everyone of legal age turn-ceived a wire collect, saying: "Please telegraph me railroad fare home; I'm

> out of your cap, stick them on your back and fly home."

Lean Tuesday.

visited in Shamrock Sunday

Mrs. L. H. McLarty of Lubbock is Bob Walker of Shamrock was

King Motor Co. Advertisement tfc

TIME EXTENDED

our Red Gas Pump, we will give the free gas June 15 in, place of June 1.

> Lucky Hill Service Station L. M. Anglin, Prop.

sointed in the qual-

L. L. Rogers

We offer complete automobile service, from free air to a brand new set of Fire-

Washing, greasing, storaage, gasoline,

We sell Whippet and Willys-Knight cars.

**Rogers Service Station** 

LOOK AT YOUR SHOES

Everybody Else Does

oil, accessoriees, tires and tubes. Drive

in and let us show you.

little daughter, Joan, and Mrs. W. L. Campbell visited in Wheeler Monday.

Trade in McLean

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CO.

C. J. Cash, Agent

Why People Like This Modern Store—

Bright, clean, modern, inviting-fresh, wholesome, high quality foods-and lowest possible prices that quality foods can be sold for. You get all these things that you demand at the "M." Home owned with chain store advantages.

J. C. Ford, Owner

NOW ON DISPLAY!

The NEW Remington Portable

With Eight New Features



The world's most popular portable typewriter-the first with standard 4-row keyboard-now vastly improved with 8 new features . . .

A NEW STREAMLINE BODY-added beauty and even reater strength.

TYPE BARS ALWAYS IN WRITING POSITION-no raising or lowering.

PERFECT VISIBILITY-nothing between your eye and what you write-no shadow on your work at any time.

NEW CARRIAGE-RETURN LEVER—cooler NEW PAPER BAIL - holds paper tight to extreme hot-

NEW CARRIAGE LOCK-protects machine from

NEW MARGIN RELEASE—on the keyboard.

Reep Landers, Prop. THE McLEAN NEWS

P-TO-DATE SHOE SHOP CONSTRUCT DATE AND ADDRESS AND ADD LA CALL

Let us rebuild them for you and you won't need to be ashamed of them. We guarantee our work.

priced for

T. A. LANDERS, Publisher

Entered as second class mail matter May 8, 1965, at the post office at McLean, Texas, under act of Congress.

News Building, 210 Main Street Phone 47

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

One Year Six Months ... Three Months One Year.

Six Months

Three Months Display advertising rates 25c per column inch each insertion. ferred position 30c per inch.



1919 MEMPER 1919 NATIONAL & EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION

Newspaper advertising is one kind that does not antagoraze the prosproperly worded. Many other forms of advertising are only tolerated by the customer, because he has no

Pampa is after contractors and own ers who fail to take out building permits in that city. A recent ruling get permission to work on any build might be a good idea for the council building permit is only a bit of red tape that costs the building nothing. but may mean a great deal to the welfare of the city, and the owner as well.

#### ANVIL PARK RODEO NEWS BULLETIN

Canadian, Texas, May 81 .- The 7th will be held here June 13, 14 and 15 this year. Preparations are in hand to make this the largest show that has ever been held in the North Panhandle. Livestock is arriving every few days, consisting of Brahms steers to ride, and Mexican longborns for the steer wrestling. The Corporation has been accumulating bucking horses for the last seven years in the Southwest, and today they have 50 head of top bucking horses, that are carried winter months to buck a few seconds each day for the three days rodee held here each year. These horses are given a critical test and examine-

Leonard Stroud and his Congress of Cowboss and Cowgirls will have mg of trick and fapcy riding, roping been a World's Champion cowboy is even getting better each year in his new and thrilling acts that he will give for the approval of the

If you came fast year, you will not mites it this year. Make your plans to attend the largest and best Rodeo ever given on the North Plains. Advertisement 1p

Sanitary equipment at Hibler's Dairy. Advertisement 21-2c

Groceseavare cheaper at Puckett's Cash Strife. Advertisement tie Goodyear . Tires \_ ere \_ cheaper - at

Moter Co. Advertisement tie

ery Drug Co. Advertisement

#### NO CHANCE

Steve-"What would you say if I were to ask you to marry me?" Clara Nothing. I can't talk and

To be exempted from paying school laxes in Blaty, a father must have top

If you want to be smiling and fresh And are survious to stay that way, Remember the story of Lot's wife, And don't look behind you today.

Reminiscence is eften times foolish, Retrospection is apt to be sad; To turn into a pillar of rock salt, Of course would be just too bad.

The present is active and passing; The past has ceased to exist; The future lies far on before us Where the mountam-top's lost in the

If you're living, your eyes are intent On the scenes and the roadway

But if gazing at tracks you've stepped out of.

dead! W. A. W. in The Chaser

Dr. Montgomery was exhibiting bex of the largest strawberrice ever A. L. Hibler. Dr. Montgomery raises fine strawberriees, but he says these

To live in the presence of great truths and eternal laws; that is what she's in her bath. keeps a man patient when the world ignores him and calm and unspoiled selling scap."--Life. when the world praises him. - Balance

Texas has ask of the land are of the United States

In 1927 the domestic exports from Texas amounted to \$647,000,000.

Sammie Cubine was in Amarillo last

Erey Cubine was a visitor in White

Mr. and Mrs. Curs Williams were in Amarillo Thursday of last week.

**HARDWARE** 

AND

**IMPLEMENTS** 

We handle standard brands of quality

You won't be disappointed in the qual-

ity of anything we sell, as our years of

experience enables us to select the proper

McLEAN HDW. CO.

W. B. Upham, Mgr.

COMMERCIAL

BANKING NEEDS-

demand reliability, good faith and integ-

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with their bankers select this institution

for this personal touch that means so

The Citizens State Bank

Capital, Bond and Surplus 054,750.00

much from time to time.

J. S. Morse, President

hardware and farm implements. We are

always glad to show you through our line

whether you are ready to buy or not.

articles for all local conditions.

#### CADELOGO AUNTID

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her pipe."

#### GOOD PRESCRIPTION

Doctor (at filling station)-"Have ticle says that a person speaks on an rou some of that pasoline that stope average about 12,000 words a day."

Attendant-"Yes, str!"

#### THEN MENRY AMD-

"My raker doesn't cut at all." Why, Eenry, you don't mean to You are a pillar of salt, and you're tell me that your beard is tougher then the offeleth."

#### A PAST WORKER

"Well, you don't have to try to ge

#### HAPPY COINCIDENCE

Maid-"The lady can't me you; Agent-"Oh, that's all right; I'm no quiet.

#### BRIGHT DUT DUMP!

He-"How is that back the on your She (looking over the side of the car)-"Oh, it's all right. It's flat on the bottom, but it's round on top." Thursday and Friday, May 23-24

Down at Coleman the Lions Club has placed road signs reading: "This is God's country. Don't drive through it like Hell."-Graham Leader.

Mise Nite Culwell visited at White

She-'I spent my vacation up

Wife (with newspaper)- This ar-Hosband-"I've always said you were above the average, dear."

#### TAKEN LITERALLY

"I asked her if I could see her

"And what did she say?" "Baid she would send me a picture

#### FOUND HIS LITTLE BOSS

A little lore, a little hate, And that was life; A little hanging on the gate, And then a wife. -Florida Times-Union

#### BRAIN CAPACITY

Prank-"I always say what I think Ethel-"I wondered why you were

## **AMERICAN** THEATRE

"THREE WEEK ENDS"

with Clara Bow Comedy and Paramount News Matinee Friday

Saturday, May 25 Hoot Gibson in-BURNING THE WIND"

Comedy

Monday and Tuesday, May 27-28 Madge Bellamy in-

"FUGITIVES" 3rd Chapter "TARAN THE MIGHTY Comedy

Wednesday, May 29

# "VOICE OF THE STORM"

Comedy and Paramount News Bargain Night-Admission 10c & 15c

#### CERTAINLY NOT

Boy (in hardware store)-"I wan Hardware Man-"Do you want steal one?

Boy-"No, I want to buy one."

Young America-"Say, Dad, do you know that the weeks are shorter in Kansas than in any other state?" Dad-"No. Why is that?" Y. A .- "The wind blows four days

Cheerfulness and content are great beautifiers and are famous preservers of youthful looks.-Dickens.

out of the week."

Mrs. Pete Fulbright and little son are visiting relatives at Dodsonville

Mrs. W. C. Collier of ted her father, W. C.

isiting relativee

Johnnie R. Bed

Insurance

Fire, Hail & Tom

#### ELITE BARBER SHOP

The barber trade has progress made. Chin scraper days are o'er, An artist now indeed it takes An artist, yes, and more; A barber who not only shaves, But does each famous bob. And clips the neck in styles correct,
If he would hold his job. The barbers at the Elite Shop Invite all ladies fair Who wish the up-to-date-est bob,

The latest cuts in hair. Everett and Carpenter, Props



Here's the windmill that asseres your having planty of water in every season. more water in the lighter winds. Runs amooth and easy. Selfadjusting in all winds. The

Demnater No. 12 peeds allest once a year. Has Timken? Bearings, Machine Cut Ges Positive Brake. Let our espeienced windmill and pamp so show you a sample on cur to

CICERO McLean, Texas

Also carrying a complete line of Dempster Water Supil



## All the machinery is on topyou never see it, never oil it, barely bear it

All the mechinery is on top-do you realize the importance of this simple statement? This achievement is the result of fifteen years of painstaking research to determine the simplest, the most efficient design. It has made the General Electric Refrigerator one of the outstanding engineering accomplishments of recent times.

All the mechanism, together with a permanent supply of oil, is contained in an hermetically sealed steel casing. Here it is safe from dust and difficulries. This distinctively electric refrigerator operates so quietly you can searcely hear it. It is plugged into any convenience outlet as simply as an electric iron—there is no plumbing, soldering or wiring to be done.

Please plan to visit our display rooms. Any model may be bought upon deferred psyments.

OPEN EVENINGS

# GENERAL & ELECTRIC Refrigerator

McLEAN RADIO CO.

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LUB GIRLS' SLOGAN

p-A peck of green quart of milk is the onions alone," ning beautiful given es, clothing specialist on Service. Asked what with clothing work plied, "You must have look well. The slogan for girls with bad compoor posture.

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15,000 club girls are makall of their own clothes Texas, and hundreds of is emphasized in this is are learning that simign and choice of color much to do with good

of the clothes made by only nominal, for home where stress the point and workmanship count money. Last year the of school dresses made tants in the 4-H Appro-Contest was only \$1.90 plete school costumes The more elaborate party ed \$2.85 and the entire

nearly 2,000 girls are the contest in about 100 cal winners will bring to to A. & M. College to enter the state-wide eted by Mrs. Barnes.

THE CITY, BUT-

parade of 4-H Club boys t long ago, one of the as carried an immense which were painted these Like to Visit the City n Is the Place to Live." the new spirit of farm in modern and pro in present day 4-H ther similar projects have nity to learn practice many valuable iculture which were un the youth of their father: grandfathers and grand-Club work projects give responsibility and experh create an interest in ulture and a love for the

on the farm, but abou portation facilities have wish to visit it. As the h running water, electric f farming as a life work 4-H Clubs alone. These own 175,000 head of live-1,000,000 chickens. The their property totals \$12, Organizations of tihs kine play a tremendous part in of agriculture.

C. Dunaway left Tuesda; h's visit in Arkansas and

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our curb is always open

Drug Co. Advertisement

ority of the world's allonly in the mind. The

begins to think himself I've lost another pupil,"

or as his glass eye the kitchen sink.

North America's only

from 30 to 40 per from 20 to 30 per cent SHOULD BE EXILED

Mrs. Newsome-"There's an account in the paper of a man who lives Newsome-"Well, any man who lives club girls by Mrs. on onions ought to live alone."

SOMETHING LACKING

"Are you getting anything out of clothes rack if you that course in salesmanship?" "Not much. I'm afraid I'll never we can't make clothes the man who sold me the course."

Medical specialist-"If anything omes to worry you, cast it aside."

MARY'S LAMB AGAIN

lamb follow you to school nowadays?" ing added to the agriculture build:
Mary-"What? At fifty miles an ing.

Average rainfall over Texas as a whole is 31.08 irghes. There is a the family sewing be- difference of 35 inches in extreme appropriateness of dress East Texas and extreme West Texas -the Beaumont area showing 45 inches and El Paso 10 inches.

> Statisticians predict the population of Texas in 1950 will be 7,015,000, and that of the 2,500,00 predicted increase, only 140,000 will be in farm

> There is nothing in the world so nuch admired as a man who knows how to bear unhappiness with courage .- Seneca.

In turkey production Texas leads il the other states in the union, but n other kinds of poultry it is well

GATHERIN IN THE "SUCKERS"

The National Better Business Bustock selling concerns issue "tipsteer I ned plenty of space." 15 million, to push the sale of ques- then?'-Flim Flam. tionable securities.

informed investors are defrauded of millions of dollars annually with little or no legal redress.

this year is to be bet- be one-tenth as good a salesman as seek advice on investments. Make inquiry from a reputable investment banker or responsible broker dealing in stocks or bonds listed on recognized exchanges.

> of Texas. New score cards for agriculture at the 1929 exposition which has recently been adopted puts, every county in the state on an equal valued at \$566,000; 91,900 tons of cab-

> > QUITE THE THING

Small Boy-"Wanna see the dent

Assistant-"He's out just now." Small Boy-"Well, when do you ex-

Gasoline, Oils, Greases, Tires Tubes, Accessories

Victory Filling

Station Hope and Lynch, Props.

## **VIGORO**

A Plant Food

For Gardens, Lawns and Shrubbery

Results far out of proportion to cost. Try a sack of this plant food and raise a prize garden.

Cheney and Colebank



**Specials** 

For Friday and Saturday This Week

Anna Lou Dresses

Regular \$1.95 values for only\_\_\_\$1.49 1 lot dresses, \$1.49 values, for

Real Bargains. Come Early. COBB'S VARIETY STORE

Member Ben Franklin Chain

1.00M AND TO SPARE

As a result of such activities, un-

Don't go to a horse doctor if you

Patient-"Thanks, doctor. I'll re- privilege of selecting their own crops accepted him, told her he, had the have just graduated from college." member that when your bill comes for exhibition at the 1929 State Fair wrong number Teacher—"Mary, why doesn't the footing. A third more space is he bage valued at \$1,760,000, 5,000,000 amb follow you to school nowadays?" ing added to the agriculture build; bushels of spinach valued at \$2,250.

pect him to be out again?"

Victory Service

Let Us Service Your Car

Ladies' Rest Room

The National Better Business Bureau has estimated that questionable too wded. When I do arithmetic like this refrain? sheets" which have a circulation of Sh "Why not do it in your head, frain the better I like it."

Grocer (after filling molasses jug) shopping)-"What do you want with - Here's your molasses, sonny; a new frock?" where's your dime?" Boy-"I left it in the jug."

CLEAN MEAN

The meanest man in the world is the guy who proposed to an old maid atives?", Texas counties have been given the over the teelephone and, after she had He—"Yes, I have two brothers who

> In 1928 Texas produced and marketed 2,830,000 quarts of strawberries

C. E. Cooke was in Amarillo on ousiness Friday.

Tom Andrews of Amarillo was in sclean on business Friday.

& A CLEANERS

Cleaning and Pressing Repairing

Made-to-Measure Suits

Paul G. Armstrong Manager ... Phone

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I insure anything. No prohi-

bited list. I represent some of the strongest companies in the world.

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MEADOR CAFE

Modern Equipment Pleasant Service

Your Patronage Appreciated .

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THE MOST UNKINDEST CUT

He-"Very much. The more you re-

THE OPPORTUNIST Husband (to wife who has been

Wife-How thoughtful of you, darling; I'd like a new hat to go with it."

VERY DISTANT Lady-"Have you any distant rel-

AUTOMOBIL SERVICE

Washing, Greating Federal Tires and Tubes Gasoline and Accession Quick Se.

Chevrolet Service Station

REAL ESTATE

If you are in the market for a home, or are looking for something that will pay profit on your investment, we may have just what you are looking for. We have many bargains listed that will bear the fullest in-

> Massay, McAdams & Stokely McLean, Texas

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Eyesight Specialist

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Why bother with poor lumber when you can get good lumber from us at about the same price? The time saved in working it up more than makes up th ediffer-

Building materials and hardware of all kinds.

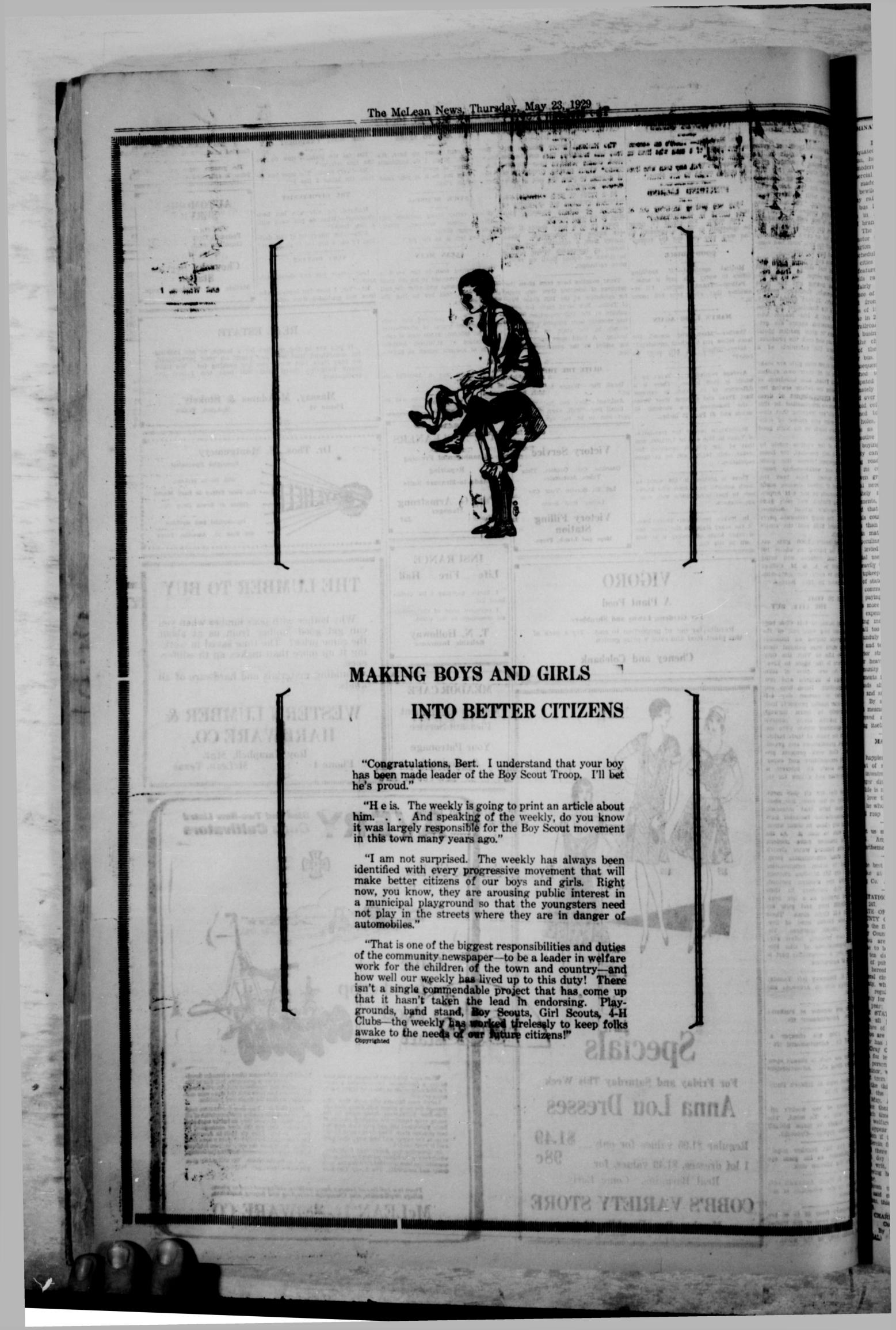
WESTERN LUMBER & HARDWARE CO.

Roy Campbell, Mgr. Phone 4 McLean, Texas

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J. LIULYT - LETHISTICHE Give . a good crop a good

hen your listed corn is young, is the time ay a foundation for profitable growth, rful cultivation at this time brings a gen-



MATE ANTIQUE ROADS

By E. E. Duffy

airly clear picture of the imas to a number of causes the passenger car and the

highways are being ted a dozen years ago: Unely much of this traffic is over roads as old fashioned as collars Automobiles are not d to jiggle over washboards. les, or surfaces that wear out as well as tires and other

mying new highways, a comcan best serve itself by orroads thoroughly in keeping its current traffic needs, and greater importance, its poents, but it can be truthfully that not a single community is country has more well paved than it has good use for. matter of road building has uliarities. The criticism has levied that those making comuse of the highways should dly taxed for the construction paying their share, and somemore than their share, of the too frequently heavy vehicles duly blamed for the excessive and tear of the public highway. or streets naturally deteriorate heavy traffic and clearly the nity must build substantial nts for this commercial travel. ds should be built that are By so doing transportation is means that the public is bene-

#### MAKING FRIENDS

ippiest business in the world is of making friends; restment on the street pays er dividends.

and its cost is lowered

is more than stock and bonds. love than rate per cent: he who gives in friendship's name reap as he has spent.-Rotary.

Any amount. Smith Bros

us make you a farm loan a

best drinks and most capable at our curb. Montgomery Co. Advertisement tfc

### TATION BY PULBLICATION

E OF TEXAS. TY OF GRAY.

the Sheriff or any Constable of County. Texas-GREETING: are hereby commanded to to be published once a week. en days, exclusive of the first of publication, before the return hereof, in some newspaper of al circulation published in said by which has been continuously regularly published in said y for a period of not less than ear; the following notice: STATE OF TEXAS:

all persons interested in the re of Earl Kerr, a minor: are hereby notified that D. H. has filed in the County Court ray County, Texas, an applicafor letters of guardianship upor erron and estate of Earl Kerr w, which will be heard at the term of said court, commencing e third Monday in May, A. D. the same being the 20th day May, A. D. 1929, at the court thereof, in Pampa, Texas, at time all persons interested in welfare of such minor are cited pear and contest such appliif they see proper to do so. n fail not, but have you then there before said court, on the day of the next term thereof wit, with your return thereon.

tinder my band and seal court, at office in Pampe this the 22 day of April, A. D.

ing how you have executed the

ARLIE THUT, Clerk County, Court, Gray County, Texas by LOUISE MILLER, Deput

## ILLINOIS HOUSEWIVES

honored place in small town home" has been adopted be supplied with running water under on a another woman of the same transportation scheme, as the slogan of the Illinois Home pressure at less cost than homes church an hour or so before church of the highway is Bureau Federation for the year 1929, located in some of the larger cities, time. She found her seated in a King Motor Co. Advertisement the al- and for the years to follow. The A home water system adapted for small back room putting the finish-Home Bureau and other cooperating farm and small town use will provide ing touches on a new dress which agencies have taken over the task of running water at an average cost of she withed to wear that morning. Motor coaches and helping every housewife in the state 1 cent per 100 gallons, while residents in some instances have re- to realize her dream of running water of New York City, for example, pay back room for?" asked the caller. branch line steam transporta- at the turn of a faucet and are offer- 2 cents for 141 gallons of water. The latest railroad to enter ing several prizes to those who make Since a good home water system sewing in here?" transportation field is the the greatest improvement in their lasts for many years and operates "Yes, I do," smiled the worker,

ture of this service is that it of a pure, healthful drinking water water in the farm home exists in e of the highway may be ob- bucket "full of poetry and poison." which is used many times a day

> tily burden of the housewife. The University of Illinois is co- the drudgery of homemaking. perating with this project by offering nelp and advice to anyone in the

system or sewage disposal system.

did you do that?"

Hubby-"I was afraid your mother might read it."

RUNNING WATER CHEAPER ON FARMS THAN IN CITY

"Running water in every farm and Farm and small town homes can a considerations churchgoer was called an editor."

at small cost, the expense per day "but He won't make half the talk edules between several prin- The sponsors of this contest are or per week of use amounts to very about it that the neighbors would if etties of Nebraska. A signifi- placing special emphasis on a supply little. This low cost of running they saw me. in the home-from some other source spite of the fact that the water nan the old, germ-catching water system is one piece of equipment Cash Store. Advertisement tfc by are also particularly anxious broughout the year, and which probof 1928 which show the lowest that running water be piped into ably does more than any other mode in 20 years. One of the lead- every farm kitchen to relieve the ern convenience to lighten the work of the housewife and to eliminate

> state who wishes to install a water won a cash prize in a short story Southern Memorial Association, has AND THEN THE FIGHT WAS ON received a nice graduation gift from article on "How to live to be a remarkable thoughtfulness upon the hundred" out of the magazine. Why part of the officers of the Associa

> > EXTRA COPIES THE NEWS 5c

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Mardin

the R. O. Cunningham home Sat- saw one, but from those who have urday night.

Pampa Monday and Wednesday. W C. Johnston.

rock spent Sunday with Mrs. Hayes' one. prother, H. M. Roth, and family. night for Amarillo.

C. A. Alderson and daughter, Miss stroke under par he shoots a "birdie." Ione, Sunday afternoon.

Taylor of Abra and Miss Iola Taylor makes it in three shots under par of Shamrock spent Sunday night he has shot a "dodo." And only with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wood.

Spurgeon Johnson and family of The philly-loo bird's chief article of Alenreed, Mrs. Andy Nelson and chil- diet is lost golf balls. If you drive a aren of Heald, Dexter Glenn and fam, ball right down the center of the my of northeast of McLean, Ezell fairway, and are unable to find it welson of Gracey, Miss Opal Burcham you may be pretty sure that phillyvisited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nelson loo bird has gobbled it up. When

Miss Beulah Lovelace of McLean cal- And the strangest thing about the ied on Mrs. W. C. Johnston Thurs-matter is that as soon as the gold

iled with Mrs. Cunningham's mother, ity of the bird makes it extremely

Alanreed took dinner Thursday with dilling this bird with any degree of her mother, Mrs. Mollie Francis.

Clarabell Hardin Sunday. of McLean and the former's parents, striped paint. Paint the golf balls Prague, Okla., called at the Y. B. hilly-loo bird swallows the ball the Lee home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Luther Petty and children ocate the bird. called on her mother, Mrs. Mollie To kill it, the best way is to cut Francis, Thursday afternoon.

day afternoon.

ing with his grandparents, Mr. and (Kans.) Clarion. Mrs. H. C. Nelson, for a few days.

#### HELPING TO BUILD TEXAS

Gainesville Retail Merchants Asso- of the week. ciation last year saved Gainesville merchants \$5,500 by "turning down" or fradulent advertising members patronizing schemes not sanctioned by the censors. Of 31 advertising "schemes" submitted, only three were recommended to members

Petroleum and natural gas represent the most important mineral regraphite, gold, silver, copper, iron, and mica are found in either the region, while coal and ignite are produced in many parts of the state. are known to exist in Texas, but have not been developed. Asphalt, carbon black, celestite, cement, clays, including several deposits of kaolin, Fuller's earth, gas, natural gasoline, guano, limestone and limee, maganese-all are produced in Texas.

The Texas public road system comprises about 180,000 miles, of which "improved." State and Federal high ways total 9,645 miles and there are about 10,000 miles of gravel, sandclay or other "improved roads."

ds in Dallas, will be one of the st buildings of its kind in Amerinaving an arena space of 100 by feet, and a seating capacity of

More than 200 bands from various be entered in the \$10,000 band contest to be held during the 1929 State Fair of Texas, according to officers of the Texas Band Teachers Association.

One-third of the commercial spincrop of the United States is grown in Texas, most of it in the Rio Grande Valley.

Texas now ranks third in citrus fruit production in quantity and first

us ranks second in value of

#### THE PHILLY-LOO BIRD

Thee editor of the Publishers Aux-Miss Edith Reneau of Heald spent iliary, a trade paper put out by the Friday night with Miss Clarabell Western Newspaper Union, wants to know something of the habits and A. L. Morgan and family visited life of the philly-loo bird. We never we learn that the philly-loo bird is sucher Petty attended court at a frequenter of golf courses, and lives in the south in winter and any Miss Noleta Johnson of Heald lace where a golf course is used in spent the first of the week with Mrs. summer. To the average golfer the ard is invisible, which accounts for Grover Hayes and family of Sham- he fact that few people have secr

If a golf player makes a hole in a Mrs. Willie Gibson left Sunday entain number of strokes by playing perfect golf he is said to "par" the Luther Petty and family called on hole. If he makes that hole in one If he shoots it in two under par he Henry Taylor of Dallas, Charles has shot an "eagle." And if he those golfers who have shot a "dodo" Miss Geneva Corbin of McLean was or have made a hole in one shot a Thursday night guest of Miss Clara- are able to see the philly-loo bird It is invisible to all others.

and daughters, Misses Opal and Levie you lose a ball in the rough, or in a ditch, it is a pretty good bet that Mrs. Jack Terrell and children and the philly-loo bird has nabbed it ball is swallowed by the bird, the ball R. O. Cunningham and family vis- ecomes invisible. And this invisibils. Della Craig, at McLean Sunday hard to capture or kill, as only a few people can see it.

Mrs. W. E. James and children of The only method used so far in certainty is to use specially prepared Miss Lethia Roth visited with Miss balls as balt. You take some red and white striped stick candy and Mr. and Mrs. Homer McElveney dissolve it in hot water, making wev. and Mrs. Bill McElveney, of with this striped paint and when the saint will still be visible so you can

out a section from the heart of a Several from here attended the bac- tornado, where the air pressure is calaureste sermon at McLean Sunday. motion. Armed with this section of Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Lee and daugh- arified atmosphere you get as close ter, Miss Alta, visited with Mr. and is possible to the bird and throw the Mrs. W. M. Smith at McLean Sun- are atmosphere all over him. Then the bird just flies to pieces and the Woodroe Nelson of Heald is stay- ball drops at your feet.-Claffin

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Wallace of Lelia Lake and Mrs. N. E. Gambrell of Fort Worth visited the ladies' The Censorship Committee of the sister, Mrs. Annie Wilkins, the first

#### **NEWSY NEWT**

OLE CAPH CRAB ORDERED A STEAK SMOTHERED IN ONIONS AT TH' "GREASY SPOON" CAFE, AND WHEN IT SHOWED UP, OLE GAR LOOKED AT TH' TIM DAB OF CHIONS ROOSTIN' ON TOP O' TH' LIL RUNT WUL SURE EASY SUFFOCATED!"



Mollie-But, Florence, Maurice is Florence-"I know, but I want a weetheart, not a pill."

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The printer is brought into connents that are required of the printct with all other vocations and professions. No vocation or profession in really exist without the printing cress. From text books to novels, from pamphlets, to newspapers, from ickets to tax bills, no man can evade he printed word.—Henry P. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Holloway and aughter, Miss Lacuna, visited in aducah last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton Jr nd little daughter spent the week nd in Mangum, Okla.

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