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McLean Boys' Judging Team Wins

Montgomery, Bogan and Sparks Head City Ticket

Victory for Present City Administration

Heavy City Vote Polled Here Tuesday

Mayor Jot Montgomery was re-elected for his second term in the city election held here Tuesday. He was re-elected by a margin of two votes. The mayor's race narrowed down to two candidates early in the day. Workers for both sides were busy at the polls closed, getting the votes out, a total of 292 votes being counted during the day. E. Bogan was re-elected secretary without opposition. J. A. Sparks, the only candidate for mayor, was elected, Oscar Goodman being runner-up. O. T. Lindsey, who was a candidate, received two votes. The results of the alderman's race was also a victory for the administration forces, E. L. Sitter and H. Bourland being returned with majorities, and John C. Haynes being the other place. The weather man was nice to the voters, the day being fair and warm, the town seemed to enjoy the election campaign to the fullest.

ALEXANDER NOW OWNER OF DELUXE TAILOR SHOP

P. Alexander has bought the Deluxe Tailor Shop and moved the shop to the Cook building next to the postoffice, where it will be known as the DeLuxe Cleaners. Mr. Alexander used to own a shop and has worked in some of the best plants in this section for over 13 years. He comes to McLean from the National Tailoring Co. Amarillo, where he was in active charge of the cleaning department. Their two shops there the past two years, turning out from 50 to 200 dresses every day, besides other things work.

Mr. Alexander announces his business in a half page advertisement in this issue of The News.

MCLEAN MOTOR CO. SALE

Another page will be found in this issue of The News. The McLean Motor Co. has a sale of used cars. Mr. Shelburne and Carpenter say they have some real bargains for motorists in this sale.

MOD CROWDS AT CHURCHES

Most of the churches in town had large services last Sunday and record crowds for the day. The Presbyterian and First Baptist printed programs for distribution to attendants at the evening services.

COLORED COMICS PLEASE

The colored comic section carried by The News has provoked much favorable comment among its readers, and if the sentiment remains the same you may expect to see a comic section as a regular feature of the home paper. Many have remarked the usefulness of a paper in a town of our size giving this modern service, but it has always been the policy of The News to give a little more than you would expect a right to expect of a small paper, and we are glad to see our readers this additional service.

SCHOOL NURSE SERVICE MAY BE CONTINUED

Miss Cloudman, traveling representative of the National Red Cross, was in McLean Monday and a meeting was held in the interest of making a regular feature of the Red Cross school nursing service.

Several plans were advanced, one of which was to secure aid from the commissioners court, which would entitle the service to state aid for one-half the expenses and use the nurse for three months in each of three different parts of the county with monthly written reports from teachers to the nurse.

"The nursing service is just as much a public utility as sewer service or anything of like nature," said Miss Cloudman. When it was learned that a county health nurse is a part of the county council P. T. A., it was decided to co-operate with the council in working out plans.

It was pointed out that the present nursing service is in no way charity, as the service was paid for by the roll call memberships sold last fall.

Mrs. L. Sligar was appointed junior Red Cross chairman and this phase of Red Cross work will be presented to the schools this year.

Those present at the meeting were: M. D. Bentley, local chairman; Dr. C. B. Batson, Supt. G. C. Boswell, T. A. Landers, Mrs. R. L. Appling, Mrs. L. Sligar, Mrs. Arthur Erwin, Miss Ahlschler, school nurse; and Miss Cloudman.

COUNTY CLOTHING CONTEST

By County Home Dem. Agent. The home demonstration members of the county have been busy making foundation patterns and wardrobe records which will be a part of the county clothing contest to be held June 6 and 8 at the court house. The third and most attractive feature of the contest, to the eye, will be a cotton dress made and worn by the woman entering it. The material used is not to cost over 50c a yard and may be for either a tailored or sheer frock. The woman awarded first place by the judges will be given a trip to the state short course at A. & M. College, July 27-31, by the home demonstration council of the county. The dresses may also be exhibited at the fair.

The members are not only working for themselves, but for their club demonstrators as well, by being A-1 co-operators. The demonstrator aspires to be the recipient of a sewing machine given as first prize in the state wardrobe demonstrators' contest held during the short course. With such weather continuing, won't those dresses be airy in the summer time?

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lander of Perryton visited relatives here this week.

Erwin Rice of Matador visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rice, Sunday.

Mrs. Aldous of Shamrock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cook, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Poeter of Alameda visited in McLean Saturday.

T. N. Holloway and Ruel Smith returned Friday from a trip to El Paso.

Chas. E. Cooke was in Mineral Wells last week.

Garrison Rush was in Groom Friday.

Jess Grogan of Ramsdell was in town Friday.

W. T. Wilson was in Pampa last Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Kibler visited in Pampa Saturday.

Cubine, Hibler, Carpenter Are New Trustees

Sammie Cubine, A. L. Hibler and D. C. Carpenter were the successful candidates for school trustees in the election held last Saturday, with five names on the ticket.

D. M. Davis, whose name did not appear on the official ballot, received six votes.

The ballots were not printed until late Friday afternoon, in the effort to have several names appear, but it was finally narrowed down to five.

The election was quiet, only 138 votes being cast.

The newly elected trustees were sworn in Monday night and assumed active duty on the school board.

MCLEAN BOYS TO ATTEND CANYON COLLEGE

By Dr. A. A. Tampke

Edwin Howard and Clark Stockton attended the herd improvement school at Canyon Saturday and consulted the head of the agriculture department concerning jobs on the college farm to work their way through college next year. These two boys impressed the college officials so well that they immediately contracted with them.

One of the features of the work next year is college livestock judging. Both of these boys are very capable along these lines, and some of us are looking forward to great success for them in that field.

COTTON GROWERS PERFECT COUNTY ORGANIZATION

Members of the Texas Cotton Growers Association met at the city hall Monday and perfected a county organization with L. O. Floyd president and R. S. Jordan secretary.

J. S. Howard, Vester Smith, D. E. Johnson, R. S. Jordan and Mr. Bell were elected delegates to the district meeting at Quanah.

It was voted to hold regular meetings on the first Monday in each month at 3 p. m., to which all members of the Texas Cotton Growers Association are invited.

PIANO HONOR ROLL

First grade—Bobbie Nell Davidson, Lorraine Hodges, Georgia Colebank. Second and third grades—Ermael Floyd, Gwynne Carpenter, Helen Boswell.

More advanced work—Lavern Pettit, Sybil Graham, Lois Kirby, Margaret Hess, Ruth Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Saunders of Amarillo visited in McLean last week end.

Mrs. Johnnie Quattlebaum of Canyon visited in McLean Thursday.

Curg Williams was in Amarillo last week.

Hubert Roach of Shamrock was in McLean Saturday.

Buck Campbell of Pampa visited in McLean Monday.

J. O. Quattlebaum of Amarillo was in McLean Thursday.

Oran Robinson of Amarillo was in McLean Tuesday.

T. N. Holloway was in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Saunders of Amarillo visited in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams motor-ed to Clarendon Tuesday.

Elmer Delaune of Pampa was in McLean Sunday.

Miss Isabel Baley spent the week end in Clarendon.

SCHOOL BOARD ELECTS OFFICERS AND TEACHERS

The new trustees took the oath of office at a meeting of the school board Monday evening, and J. S. Howard was re-elected president of the board and Sammie Cubine secretary.

The following teachers were re-elected to the places now held: Dr. Tampke, Profs. Harding, Rush and McHaney and Miss Seal.

Other positions on the faculty will be considered later.

NOTED COMPOSER TO BE HERE APRIL 27

Robert Harkness, noted Australian pianist and composer of sacred music, will appear in sacred concert at the McLean high school auditorium on Monday night, April 27. Mr. Harkness will be assisted by his wife.

Together they are touring the continent, having left their home in Los Angeles about April 1. The program will consist entirely of sacred compositions played and interpreted by the composer, one number of which will be composed at the suggestion of the audience.

Everyone is invited. There will be no admission fee, but a free will offering will be taken.

HIGHWAY COMMITTEE CONFERS WITH ENGINEER

W. E. Bogan, Jot Montgomery, T. W. Gilstrap and T. A. Landers made a trip to Amarillo Saturday to confer with District Engineer Van London in regard to getting paving started on Highway 66.

The engineer is familiar with the situation here and promised his best efforts, stating that it is the intention of the department to have 66 paved all through Texas by the end of next year.

EMBROIDERY CLUB

Mrs. C. S. Doolen was hostess to the Embroidery Club Wednesday. Mrs. Claud McGowen was a guest of the club.

MCLEAN CAFE SOLD

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Meador have sold the McLean Cafe to J. M. Allen, who is now in charge.

C. C. Warford, editor of the Lefors News, was elected mayor of Lefors Tuesday with a majority of nine votes over his opponent.

Roger Williams, former McLean resident, is reported very ill at his home in South Bellingham, Wash.

Mrs. Walter Taylor and children of Crosbyton are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gray.

Mrs. Maurice C. Snell of Lamesa is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gray.

Mrs. W. E. Clement and Mrs. Emmet Thompson of Amarillo visited in McLean Tuesday.

Bert Smith of Lelia Lake was in McLean Saturday.

E. R. Adams was in Amarillo Saturday.

J. T. Easley of Shamrock visited in McLean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wood were in Wheeler Tuesday.

Mrs. Harold Clement of Amarillo is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Roy Campbell was in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sheets of Wellington visited in McLean Monday.

LIONS CLUB LADIES' NIGHT NEXT TUESDAY

Next Tuesday evening, beginning at 7:45, the Lions Club will observe ladies' night, when each Lion will be expected to bring his wife or lady to the banquet.

Entertainment features will consist of impromptu stunts by the Lions, and an evening of fun is promised. On account of ladies' night, the noon luncheon next week will be omitted and attendance records will be based on the night's attendance.

The song leader was requested to try to get all missing song books returned to the club before ladies' night.

The week following will be known as contact week, when an effort will be made to enlist all former Lions and others to join the club. Lion C. S. Rice will make a 15 minute talk on Lionism at the luncheon to be held during contact week.

The club went on record as endorsing a wire to the legislature to not reduce the scholastic apportionment, and Secretary Reep Landers and Supt. Boswell were appointed to draft a wire.

Dr. Tampke reported judging team winnings, and appreciation was expressed for the favorable publicity given McLean by the winning teams.

It was reported that the club is out of debt, no unpaid bills of any kind being against the club at the present time.

PRIMARY SPELLING HONOR ROLL

Ernie Back, Eugene Stewart, John Byrd, Ruth Ayer, Clint Doolen Jr., Leo Ledbetter, Georgia Nell Browning, Aaron Gill, Donald Dorsey, Ruth Thacker, Mabel Back, Ruby Lee Cogburn, Norma McCracken, Jessie May Lynch, Billy Cooke, Sylvia Edney, James Isom, Margie Lochridge, Daylon Johnson, Jack Bogan.

BREWSTER CHILD FUNERAL

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church for Lovey May, 1 year, 2 months and 26 days old child of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Brewster, who died at Shamrock Monday.

Services were conducted by Pastor Cecil G. Goff, arrangements in charge of Mortician C. S. Rice, interment in Hillcrest cemetery.

SATURDAY TRADES DAY

Saturday will be the second bargain and trades day for McLean this season, and a number of merchants are offering real bargains for the day.

Miss Rose Cohen of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Cohen, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith and baby of Lelia Lake spent the week end in McLean.

Mrs. W. A. Erwin and Mrs. Robert Lynch went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Floyd Phillips of Miami is visiting in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Roark of Amarillo are visiting in McLean this week.

Mrs. E. E. Dishman visited in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Sybil Anders of Amarillo visited in McLean Sunday.

Mrs. J. E. Lynch was in Pampa this week.

Editor Fred Landers of Estelline visited home folks here Sunday.

Miss Frances Kendall spent the week end in Hedley.

C. J. Cash was in Pampa Tuesday.

Boys' Team Win Places Two Shows

First Place Won at Panhandle; Second at Plainview

Dr. Tampke's dairy judging team placed first at the third annual Guernsey show at Panhandle last Thursday and scored only a few points under first at the Plainview dairy show Monday, winning second place.

The team won the silver loving cup at Panhandle, blue ribbon for highest team, blue ribbon for highest individual won by Clyde Andrews; white ribbon for third high maa Clark Stockton; and seventh place to Earl Breeding.

The Panhandle contest was under the supervision of Ralph R. Thomas, Gray county agent.

At Plainview, with 60 students from the strongest vocational departments of 5 counties, McLean won second prize of \$10. They placed second in Holsteins, fourth in Jerseys. Earl Breeding was third high man in Holsteins. Besides the \$10, two red ribbons and one white were received.

DISHMAN BUYS INTEREST IN PIGGLY WIGGLY

Ed Dishman of Hedley has bought an interest in the Piggly Wigly store here and will be the active manager.

Mr. Dishman is a brother of E. E. Dishman of this city and comes to our town well recommended. He will be glad to meet our citizens at the Piggly Wigly store.

DR. TAMPKE SPOKE AT CANYON

Dr. A. A. Tampke spoke on Training Poultry Teams at the Herd Improvement School held at the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon Saturday.

BAPTISTS SET REVIVAL DATE

At a conference of the First Baptist Church held Wednesday evening, it was decided to hold the summer revival beginning as near the first Sunday in August as possible. An invitation will be extended to Rev. E. T. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Memphis, to conduct the revival services.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Caussey have moved to Pampa, where Mr. Caussey has accepted a position with the Brown Cracker Co.

AN OPPORTUNITY

An opportunity is presented to those who would like to subscribe to The News at a reduced price this week. The News is co-operating with the merchants who are sponsoring the weekly trades day, and Saturday you may have a three months' trial subscription for 25c. This rate applies to new subscribers only and no mail orders will be accepted.

It is known that in at least one instance one copy of the paper is supplying five homes, and we hope that the short time rate will enable those who are depending upon their neighbor's copy, to subscribe for themselves.

The subscription rate of The News has never been so low for any one until the present trades day idea was presented, and the opportunity will not be given often, as the regular rate barely covers cost of production.

Next Sunday's Lesson

THE PRODIGAL SON

Luke 15:11-32

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff

At no time did the teachings of Jesus lose their interest for the people in whatever city or country he was in. He had been in Perea probably a month at least before He told the parable of the Prodigal Son. He had been teaching as He always did by words and by His life and ministry that He, the Great Physician of souls, had come to minister to those who were soul sick with sin and needed a physician. The Scribes and Pharisees were in this class, but they would not recognize it and were criticizing Jesus for receiving and eating with those whom they called sinners. This criticism brought from Jesus the parables of the Lost Sheep, the Lost Coin and the Prodigal Son.

The parable does not deal exclusively with the prodigal, but there are two sons described in the story. The father was a wealthy man who had no doubt been very active and used great wisdom in his business and had amassed a fortune. He had grown old and seemingly had turned his farms and business over to his two boys. The older of the two was satisfied with continuing in his father's steps and adding to the fortune which had already been gained. The younger was not so easily satisfied. He desired travel and personal enjoyment. He had more of the spirit of youth in his blood. It may have been that the older son had once had those desires, but as years crept into his life, the fleeting desires of untamed youth were curbed by more sane and better judgment. And no doubt the father had used every effort possible to turn the mind and desires of his younger son, but to no avail.

The boy, a grown man, but still spelled with childish cares, desired to get away from father, brother, and the old things, and be called "Mr."—not have the prestige of the family, to live up to. By the Jewish law one-third of the property at the death of the father would have gone to the younger son and two-thirds to the older one. The father was lenient, as most fathers, and divided the goods while he was yet living. Probably his part of the wealth was taken in money or jewels, the other taking land or business, or buying the younger son's part of the land and the business.

The young man was free! Free to his heart's desires. And probably the older son, being of the nature he was, was glad to have him out of the road. Freedom from restraint led the young man merrily, hastily, and far from safety and sanity—just as freedom from parents, financial straits, or recognized spiritual and moral obligations would do for most of us. How many people when they move from one community to another at once begin diligent work in the church of the new community? They are not known and there is no former standard by which they are measured—how easy it is to become spiritual prodigals.

In the far land came a famine. The young man had entered that land with a sufficiency to have set him up in business and have tided him over the famine in sane, honest living. But what he had was gone and the famine was his to suffer and bear. The famine in that life reminds one of the modern depression in which many of us are suffering. Did God send the famine upon that young Jew? He had enough to tide him over the period. Did God make him throw it away in riotous living? God did not, and therefore God did not send the famine upon him. The fact that he forgot God and threw his goods away in sinful living, and then said in the coin of famine for his neglect of God, is just one of God's laws which we cannot escape. Might it not be said that since the close of the war in 1918 that the nations have been thinking more of prosperity and power, and that we as individuals have thought more of personal and material values than of God, His Kingdom and the power of Christ in the world? Is that not what the prodigal son did? God neither sent the famine nor the depression, but in his living he invited the famine, and the nations in their struggle for power and prosperity invited the depression, and God merely answered the "prayers of living."

The young man arose and returned to his father and was received. Let us learn of him, for indeed our Heavenly Father awaits us with outstretched arms, and says, "If ye then being evil know how to give good gifts unto your children, how much more shall your Father which is in heaven give good things to them that ask Him."

The point of the parable to the Pharisees who were criticizing the Master, was that the older son who was self righteous criticized the old father for his reception of the son that was lost, and who had returned.

His attitude depicts those who are more interested in controversy than in lost souls—in the Godless the sin is low down in the body, and in those who are always criticizing, the sin is high up in the disposition—which is the greater? Sin low down in the body is far more easily remedied, for those guilty of it are seldom self righteous.

News from Skillet

Mrs. Lonnie Preston spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mrs. L. P. Preston.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Martin were McLean visitors Thursday. Lonnie Preston and Bud Kee have been working this week at L. P. Preston's, helping him rebuild his barn, which was destroyed by fire two weeks ago.

Mrs. Robinson spent Wednesday with her family, returning Thursday morning to Amarillo, where her sister, Mrs. Chambers, is in a sanitarium. Mr. Robinson and children spent Sunday and Monday in the Buck Glass home.

Little Sonnie Buck Robinson accompanied his mother to Amarillo Thursday.

The following attended the county met in Clarendon Friday: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Martin and family, Misses Martha Reimer, Ava Lee and Artie Marie Robinson, Katherine Reimer, Cordellah Preston, Juanita Hancock, Fern Martin, Dora Sams and Floy Rowe; Messrs. Robinson, Burr, Clevy Hancock, Bill Burr, Oscar Reimer and Doyle Martin.

Mr. Robinson has been sick this week, but has recovered at this writing.

The trustee election was held at the school house Saturday. Buck Glass was elected and Loss Hancock and Bill Robinson tied for the other place. There will be a run-off later.

The following attended the county meet at Clarendon Saturday: Mr. Robinson and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Martin and family, Lester and Melvin Preston, Oscar Reimer, Clevy Hancock, Misses Martha Reimer, Dora Sams and Floy Rowe.

Clevy Hancock spent Friday night in Clarendon with his aunt, Mrs. Stanley Carlyle.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Skillet school came out with flying colors at the county meet held in Clarendon Friday and Saturday.

In the literary events we entered junior girls declamation and the three-R contest. Misses Artie Marie Robinson and Martha Reimer were our representatives and each brought home a first place gold medal. They

will represent their school in these events at the district meet in Canyon. In the athletic events we entered volley ball and came close to winning with a score of 13 to 18 in favor of Lella Lake.

In track and field events we entered 100 yard dash, Clevy Hancock winning third place; 440 yard dash and mile run, Melvin Preston brought home a first place gold medal in each. We did not get a place in the junior boys broad jump, but our boy jumped 16 feet, which we thought was a very good record to be a competitor against class A schools. Melvin will represent his school at Canyon.

We are very proud of our boys and girls, as this is their second year to enter the interscholastic meet. We feel that we will bring home more honors next year. We sincerely hope to bring home some from Canyon, for our material is on the average with other schools of our class.

Clevy—"What is your nephew doing?"

Oscar—"He is an inventor."

Clevy—"What has he invented?"

Oscar—"Numerous ways of borrowing money from me."

Sonny Buck—"Daddy, is today tomorrow?"

Daddy—"Certainly it isn't."

"But you said it was."

"When did I ever say today was tomorrow?"

"Yesterday."

"Well, today was tomorrow yesterday, but today is today just as yesterday was today yesterday, but is yesterday today; and tomorrow will be today tomorrow, which makes today yesterday and tomorrow all at once. Now run along and play."

Ava Lee—"Are you sure this is a thoroughbred Boston terrier?"

Fern—"Reasonably sure. Why?"

Ava Lee—"Cause I tried him with a plate of beans and he turned up his nose at them."

ism—"My sis explored my pockets last night."

Melvin—"What did she find?"

ism—"About the same as any other explorer—enough material for a lecture."

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BIG BILL

Big Bill Thompson has again won a victory in Chicago. A bigger bag of wind never graced nor disgraced any American city than William Hale Thompson. He is a fraud of the first waters and yet he has an unbelievable following in Chicago. He has the upper hand of things in much of Chicago and is making it count. Big Bill's idea of public morals and common decency is hardly as high as a hog's and the reason that he has gotten such a strong hold on things is because many of the better class of citizens did not think and act when they could have done so with proper results. They have played shut mouth too much now. Big Bill may get finished in the final election but at that he has too much following for a person of his type—Vanguard.

Mrs. Tom Bird of Shamrock visited relatives here last week.

Vick Back motored to Pampa Saturday.

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



POISON in Your bowels!

Poisons absorbed into the system from souring waste in the bowels, cause that headachy, sluggish, bilious condition; coat the tongue; foul the breath; sap energy, strength and nerve-force. A little of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin will clear up trouble like that, gently, harmlessly, in a hurry. The difference it will make in your feelings over night will prove its merit to you.

Dr. Caldwell studied constipation for forty-seven years. This long experience enabled him to make his prescription just what men, women, old people and children need to make their bowels help themselves. Its natural, mild, thorough action and its pleasant taste commend it to people of all ages. That's why "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin," as it is called, is the most popular laxative drugstore sell.

DR. W. B. CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN A Doctor's Family Laxative

The Texas legislature has been grinding out bills without end, seemingly unaware that a few good laws, carefully framed and well considered are of more value than a big batch of bills that are half baked and of little value except to inflate the ego of the man who is hoping to pass his pet hobby. It is by no means proof that the politician who pulls the most wires is the wisest representative of the people.—Higgins News

Grade "A" raw milk at Hibler's Dairy. Advertisement ttc

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THE sun beams cheerfully through an eastern window. The subtle fragrance of the morning coffee adds zest to the morning air, advance notice of the joy to come as you give the "cup test" to the coffee blend of your choice. Coffee roasting is important, of course, but the most skillful roaster cannot make a popular coffee from just one type of coffee bean.

The coffee connoisseur would not deign to drink coffee made from a single type of bean. Neither should the thoughtful motorist allow an unblended gasoline to go into his fuel tank. Gasoline must be blended if it is to possess all the vital properties contained in the three types of gasoline.



CONOCO Gasoline is blended, just as carefully as the finest coffee.

In CONOCO Blended Gasoline you'll find: Natural Gasoline, for quick starting; Straight-run Gasoline, for power and long mileage; Cracked Gasoline, for its anti-knock qualities. Motorists are fast learning that this is so. The result is a fast increasing group of gasoline connoisseurs who have added to their knowledge of the good things of life the fact that good gasoline must be blended.

The CONOCO Red Triangle marks the spots where CONOCO Blended Gasoline may be found. Try it today.

CONOCO

THE BALANCED - BLEND GASOLINE

ABOUT LEGS

I might as well tell you frankly at the outset, Reginald, that you will be sorely disappointed, if you read this little screed. I know your mind, as soon as you read the title, instantly reverted to women's legs, and I suspect that you will find what I have to say rather dull and unromantic. But, to be candid and truthful, even at the cost of seeming to be un-epithalrous, it is women's legs that strike me as unromantic. I must confess that with the rapid rise in skirts and the corresponding disclosure of legs, these have taken on a rather prosaic appearance because whatever of mysterious charm they held when they were carefully screened from public view has been rudely dissipated by the light of common day. In order to avoid particularizing the disenchanting details, I shall content myself with the observation that the legs visible on Main Street rarely remind me of the artistic creations portrayed in magazine advertisements.

Carlisle sardonically referred to man as a forked radish. When I spend a moment or two watching the passers-by on Main Street, I am more than a little inclined to agree with him and with added wonder at the rich variety of shapes the forks assume. A forked radish, however, though it may not be a thing of beauty to contemplate, if it have the power of locomotion by reason of its bifurcation, immediately becomes an object of absorbing interest and opens up wonderful possibilities for romance. The vegetable radish, whether it be unforked or split in its lower extremity, has no go to it, is doomed to remain where it was born until it dies. The romance of legs is the romance of motion. While legs may be used to dance with, to jump with or even to kick fools with, primarily they are for the purpose of transportation.

What absorbing interest a leg would have for us that would fit into and could swing the seven-league boots of childhood memories. And those are the legs that command my attention. What used to be considered the unrestrained flight of a playful imagination has now, come to think of it, become a commonplace. So ordinary is it that you, dear Reginald, have overlooked its stupendous romance. Men, to be more precise, that even the famed seven-league have lengthened their legs so much boots have become, if anything, too small for them. They have certainly become too slow.

Since the day the romantic idea of these boots fired the imagination of the ancient story-teller, man has attended his legs enormously. It might be said that he pulled his own leg to some purpose. When you think it over, carefully, remembering that legs are essentially means for locomotion, you cannot avoid arriving at the profoundly philosophic conclusion that roller skates, bicycles, locomotives, steamships and automobiles are bigger and swifter legs. Should you feel that aeroplanes and dirigibles properly belong in this list, it might be argued with some show of reason that man has also learned how to fly with his legs.

So the first bard who told the story of the seven-league boots had a prophetic insight of man's penchant for legs and locomotion. He sensed to the full the romance of legs, which you, dear Reginald, were too stupid to perceive. The only thing he lacked was sufficient imagination to foresee to what lengths man would go with his legs.

Yours for bigger and better legs—
Lykos, in Independent Press, N. J.

THINK THIS OVER

You are as young as you possess the spring and elasticity of body and mind which makes it possible for you to adapt yourself to changing conditions. Intellectually, you are youthful as long as you are able to keep pace with your times. Old age comes on when you lapse into the solid mold of days that have passed. If you want to keep your mind from becoming sluggish, you must rely on constant study. If you want to satisfy your desire to know things, to keep mentally young, you must read the things that make you think.

ESSAY ON THE BANANA

A Japanese schoolboy wrote the following essay on the banana:
"The banana are a great remarkable fruit. He are constructed in the same architectural style as the sausage. Difference being skin of sausage are habitually eat, while it are not advisable to eat skin of banana. Banana are strictly member of vegetable kingdom, while affiliation of sausage are sometimes in doubt."

Honest advertising is the quiet, unobtrusive messenger that speeds the dynamo of human desires and compels the individual to greater effort in meeting his wants.—Sam R. Kelvie.

PROFITING THROUGH SERVICE

When merchants build new stores, add additional sales space, install new fixtures, improve their show windows, augment their sales forces, replenish their stocks with the best and newest, it is for the public. Of course they are in business for the purpose of making a living, but to make that living they must first give service, so their first objective is always "to serve and please."

"Fair exchange is no robbery" is a business phrase which has been handed down from generation to generation and now seems to have exchanged his labor for his wage. The capitalist exchanges his money for his interest. The manufacturer exchanges his products for his cost of production plus profit, the professional man exchanges his services for his fees or his salary, the store keeper exchanges his goods for cost plus service charge. Everybody is in business for himself by being in business for somebody else. Like the public official, the merchant is in business for society and therefore every member of that society is his employer, his boss.

One of the compensations of business is that public recognition and appreciation come to none sooner than to the business man who really serves. A flourishing trade is synonymous with public trust and confidence. Service must ever precede success in business.

VARIATION IS SPICE

One may travel up and down a city and find no two houses exactly alike unless they be members of a row of dwellings.

The different makes and models of automobiles number into the hundreds.

Women insist that their dresses, coats and hats be exclusive, but neither will two men be found in identical habilitation.

What is true of houses, automobiles and clothes is also true of breakfast foods, furniture, shoes and virtually all of man's possessions.

The reason is obvious. No two people have identical tastes. That which one finds attractive repels another. The person whose discernment you criticize probably thinks even less of yours.

Life would be a monotonous existence but for this conflict of tastes. Nothing bores like uniformity. What interest would the world hold for humanity if every house was built alike, if the choice of the ten million was good enough for the world, if the wardrobe of the modern woman had as little variation as Eve's, if what one wanted everybody wanted?

If all humanity was of the same opinion on all things, the free-for-all argument would be as extinct as the roc, but why live if you can't argue?

FEEDING HENS SAVED CULLING

Palestine.—It's an injustice to a hen to cull and can her until she has a chance to see what she can do on a better ration. Mrs. C. L. McKinney of Friendship community, in Anderson county, will tell you. Late in January she had her 60 Silver Laced Wyandottes penned awaiting the arrival of Mack McConnell, county agent, but he refused to cull out the poor ones until all had had 30 days of good mash feeding. The previous ration had consisted of cracked corn and garden greens, a ration lacking in protein. One month later egg production had increased from 12 eggs to 50 eggs daily, and only five hens were culled out. Mrs. McKinney figures she is more than making expenses on a low egg market.

NOT A NICE ASSISTANCE

Mistress—"I must get a griller for the kitchen when I'm down town. You know what a griller is?"
Green Girl (with recollections of the zoo)—"Indeed, I do. It's a long hairy monkey the size of a man, and if you want one of those in your kitchen, I'm leaving at once."

THANKS TO VOTERS

I want to thank the voters of McLean for the nice vote given me in Tuesday's election. I will endeavor to continue to merit your confidence.

W. E. BOGAN, 1c

Mrs. Romans—"And does your husband throw his arms around you when he comes home late at night?"
Mrs. Cofax—"Yes, sometimes before I can strike a single blow!"

"We had a sensational case of kidnapping at our house last week." "Really! How did it happen?" "The baby slept all night"—London TH-Bits.

Miss Inez Shaw of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shaw.

MOTTOS

It has been said that a good newspaper man cannot afford to have many friends. This may be true on the larger papers, but it is not true of a country paper. The country publisher cannot afford to publish that kind of a paper. His most valuable asset should be his own personality, his ability to meet people, to make and keep friends. Like a surgeon, he may sometimes have to hurt a friend. Mostly, like the wise physician, he tries to work in such a way that he does not need to hurt anyone. The large paper may prosper on sensational headlines, on playing up the results of weakness. The country paper profits most by playing such things down. The motto of the big paper may be "print all the news that is printable." The motto of the country paper in certain cases may well be "print only the news that must be printed." Many things occur in country towns that would, proportionately, be more sensational than similar happenings in a city, but no good purpose is served by playing them up in a newspaper. On the contrary, they may produce hard feelings, feuds, factions that will never heal. There are times, of course, when the country editor must cup deep, regardless of consequences. But they are few.—The U. S. Publisher.

RULES OF THE GAME

Many rules for the government of human conduct have been laid down and all of them have been broken. Still, it isn't a bad idea to think about some of them occasionally, and if possible, give the sensible ones a trial.
An exchange prints a few, attributed to Walter Johnson, famed pitcher and manager of the Washington Senators, and while they particularly apply to the game of baseball, the principles enunciated are equally applicable to the game of life in general. Johnson says:
"Play fair; be on the level."
"Have respect for discipline."
"Never alibi for failure; accept the breaks of the game as they come."
"Grit your teeth and bear down when things look toughest."
"Live cleanly."
"Don't criticize fellow players."
"Never quit!"—The D. & H. Bulletin

THANKS TO VOTERS

I want to express my appreciation to McLean voters for the vote given me Tuesday. I shall strive to continue to merit your confidence.

E. L. SITTER, 1c

Southwestern Life Insurance Co.

Harold Rippey
Local Representative

THANKS TO VOTERS

I want to thank the voters for the expression of confidence given me in Tuesday's election. I hope to serve you to the end that I may continue to merit your support.

JOHN C. HAYNES, 1c

IN LATER YEARS

"Have any of your childhood hopes been realized?"

"Yes. When mother used to comb my hair I wished that I didn't have any."

Personal interest will always be found hooked close to the heart and soul of successful business.—Ren Mulford Jr.

GOOD FOOD

properly prepared, cooked and served.

Try us for your next meal.

Meador Cafe

Trees and Shrubbery

Now is the time to place your order for trees and shrubbery. We know Panhandle conditions. Let us landscape your place.

Bruce and Sons

Trees with a Reputation
Alanreed, Texas



When PAIN Comes

WHAT many people call indigestion very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated, and food sours. The corrective is an alkali, which quickly neutralizes acids. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips Milk of Magnesia.

One spoonful of this harmless, tasteless alkali neutralizes instantly many times as much harmful acid, and then the symptoms disappear at once. You will never use crude methods when once you learn the efficiency of this. Go get a small bottle to try.

Get the genuine Phillips Milk of Magnesia, the kind physicians have prescribed for 50 years in correcting excess acids. 25c and 50c a bottle—any drugstore.

Some Day

There is perhaps a much desired thing that you are looking forward to some day.

It may be a home, a trip or a cherished dream of your own.

Whatever it is, a growing bank account will bring realization closer.

We want your banking business and will be glad to render you courteous treatment.

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Wesley Knorpp, J. L. Hess, Mrs. Etna B. Clark, E. L. Sitter
J. M. Carpenter

EXPENSIVE CURIOSITY

She—"You don't love me any more. When you see me crying now you don't ask me why."
He—"I'm awfully sorry, dear, but that question has already cost me a lot of money."—Answers.

THANKS TO VOTERS

I desire to thank the voters for the support given me in the city election. It will be my aim to see that your confidence is not misplaced.

F. H. BOURLAND, 1c

BOOST YOUR HOME TOWN

Bentley Insurance Agency

Real Estate

Loans and Insurance

Phone 99 McLean, Texas

FREE Guessing Contest

in our store Saturday, April 18th. 50 high grade baby chicks will be given away Absolutely Free

Cheney, Ashby and Davis

THAT NEW SPRING SUIT

See our line of beautiful new patterns and styles in men and boys' made to order suits. A perfect fit guaranteed.

Cleaning and pressing. We call for and deliver.

Merle's Tailor Shop

Phone 43

REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

Now is the time to buy bargains in town or farm property. Let us show you what you want.

Massay & Stokely

Phone 44 McLean, Texas



FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

BANANAS | **PINEAPPLE**

Nice yellow, per doz. 19c flat, 2 for 25c

TOMATOES | **ORANGES**

Standard No. 2, 3 for 25c Medium size 19c Large size 37c

SALMON | **PEACHES**

Pink, 2 No. 2 cans 25c gallon 52c

FRUITS | **LETTUCE**

for Salad 22c per head 6c



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An extra high grade flour like Amaryllys costs less than a penny more on the pan of bread than the cheap low grades of flour.

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NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION

Thousands of new picket fences enclose garden spots in the drouth area of the south, due to efforts of the Red Cross. "Raise a living first" will be the slogan from now on. Dependence upon cotton to supply the table is dangerous under conditions that have obtained the past two years.

The newspaper is the mirror of the community and is what the outsider judges the community by. An issue filled with live news and attractive advertising like this week's issue of this paper makes a good impression on the reader. Every advertiser profits by being included in the home paper. The prestige of every store, added to the paper's prestige, adds just that much more weight to your advertising message.

Now that the election excitement is over, it is time to think of how we can best cooperate with school and city officials. In 99 cases out of 100 the officer is anxious to do his best for the community and is open to any helpful suggestions. However, many times all he gets is adverse criticism, and this fact is what makes it so hard to get men to allow their names to be used on the ticket for the smaller offices. The kind of officer we have depends many times on the kind of cooperation we give him.

Pampa dog owners must now pay a vaccination fee in addition to the regular yearly license. Between 50 and 60 persons were bitten by mad dogs in Pampa during 1928, and the next year the vaccination plan was tried, with the result that last year not a single mad dog bite was recorded. The city health officer claims that it is much cheaper to vaccinate dogs than to vaccinate human beings, and in some cases humans who are vaccinated are paralyzed for life. There surely is no valid reason why others should not be protected, regardless of what the owner thinks of his pet.

News from Enterprise

Mrs. Claude Brown spent Tuesday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Beck.
Dock Melton is improving after a prolonged illness.
Miss Mildred Beach spent Monday and Wednesday night with Frances Hughes.
W. W. Breeding is the new school trustee of this community.
Slaton and Frances Hughes spent an enjoyable afternoon at the home of T. W. Beck Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hughes sat up all night with Dock Melton Tuesday night.
Miss Mildred Beach spent the week end with her parents near Wellington.
Miss Frances Noel spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel, at McLean.
Miss Ruth Hess was very ill the first of the week.
Miss Ara Ann Beck was ill the latter part of the week.
A large number of our people attended church services and dinner at Pea Ridge Sunday.
An Easter egg hunt was given at the home of Will Melton Sunday afternoon for the little folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Powell and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of O. B. Bratcher.
J. L. Hess and family spent Sunday at McLean with friends and relatives.
Mrs. J. M. Council spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hughes; also part of this week.

News from Heald

Mrs. Ernest Kramer and daughter, Mrs. Frank Bailey and children were Shamrock visitors Friday afternoon. The League social given at the church Friday night was enjoyed by a good crowd.
Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers visited their daughter, Mrs. A. H. Carver, and family at Texola, Okla., Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Woody Green of Wheeler visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Josh Chilton, Sunday.
Henry and Raymond Bailey of Wheeler visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bailey Sunday.
Fred Landers of Estelline visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers, Sunday afternoon.
Grandma Rogers is visiting Mrs. Wiley at Wheeler this week.
Miss Inogene Rutledge visited Miss Mae Ruth Stauffer Sunday.
Misses Fahoma Ladd and Mary Reneau visited Miss Willie Mae Lane Sunday.
Elzy Rutledge visited Woodrow Nelson Sunday.

The Easter pageant at the church Sunday night by the W. M. S. was attended by a good crowd.
Mrs. Julian Holder visited Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries Saturday night and Sunday.
The Easter egg hunt given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey Sunday afternoon was enjoyed by a large crowd.
Mrs. Bill Bailey gave a birthday dinner Sunday in honor of her mother's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Litchfield and sons, Buster and Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and son, Joe Fowler; Mrs. J. E. Berry, Mrs. Rutledge and son, Clifford, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey Sunday.
Glyndora Bailey visited Gail and Wanda Ladd Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey Sunday.
Little Billie Mae Bailey visited Bonnie and Dora Mae Bailey Sunday.

THANKS TO VOTERS

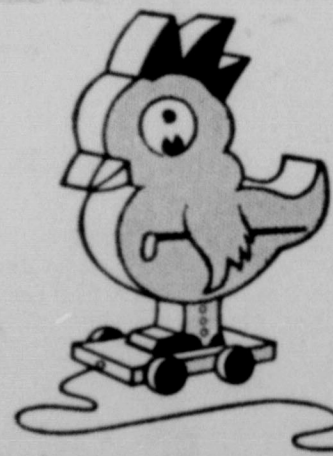
I want to thank those who voted for me in Tuesday's election and those who gave my claims consideration in any way. Your consideration is sincerely appreciated.
T. A. LANDERS, 1p

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Clement of Amarillo visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer, Sunday.

AUTOMOBILE LOANS

Let us finance your automobile purchases—new, used, or re-finance.

Johnnie R. Back



Restless CHILDREN

CHILDREN will fret, often for no apparent reason. But there's always Castoria! As harmless as the recipe on the wrapper; mild and bland as it tastes. But its gentle action soothes a youngster more surely than a more powerful medicine.

That's the beauty of this special children's remedy! It may be given the tiniest infant—as often as there is need. In cases of colic, diarrhea or similar disturbance, it is invaluable. A coated tongue calls for just a few drops to ward off constipation; so does any suggestion of bad breath. Whenever children don't eat well, don't rest well, or have any little upset—this pure vegetable preparation is usually all that's needed.



With the Churches

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. Hickman, Pastor
Our services last Sunday were fairly well attended and the presence and power of the Lord were manifestly felt. We are exceedingly glad that Christ came out conqueror over death, hell and the grave, and that He ever lives to make intercession for us that we may live above sin. He said in His precious Word that He would not allow us to be tempted above that we are able, but will with the temptation make a way to escape that we may be able to bear it. Thank the Lord, I find that He is able to do just what He says He will.
Our subject for the morning hour next Sunday will be "God's Perfect Way." Ps. 18:30. "As for God, His way is perfect." We are glad to announce to the public that Rev. Claude Hunt will bring the message next Sunday night. Come and bring your friends to hear Bro. Hunt. I am sure his message will bless your heart.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. N. Y. P. S. at 3:30 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8:30 p. m. Bro. L. E. Carter is leader for this week.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
Sunday school will meet at 10 a. m. Come study the Word of God with us. Morning worship at 11.

B. Y. P. U's at 6:45 p. m. A great time for the young folk. Let us make you feel at home.

Evening worship at 7:45.
All circles of the W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Geo. Colebank at 3 o'clock for a social meeting.

Prayer meeting will be held in the church auditorium Wednesday evening at eight o'clock. Following the devotional prayer service we will begin a study of 1st Corinthians. Everyone is invited to all of our services. Come worship with us.

Mesdames H. W. Finley, O. E. Lochridge, E. L. Minix, and R. L. Appling; Rev. Cecil G. Goff and S. A. Cobb, and Henry Bossemeyer attended the Baptist Workers Conference at Kelton Tuesday. Rev. Goff had a place on the program in the forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Meier and daughters of Amarillo spent the week end in the Stratton home. They were accompanied home by Miss Lucile Stratton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bossemeyer of Fayetteville, Ark. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Cecil G. Goff.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers visited relatives at Texola, Okla., Sunday.

THANKS TO VOTERS

I want to express my thanks to the voters of the city of McLean. I appreciate the confidence in my official conduct expressed in the election Tuesday, and assure you of my best efforts to retain that confidence.
JOT MONTGOMERY, 1c

11 Years Constipation Glycerin Mix Ends It

"For 11 years I tried to get rid of constipation," says Chas. E. Blair. "Then at last the simple mixture, Adlerika, made me regular." The simple mixture of glycerin, buckthorn bark saline, etc. (Adlerika) acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel, relieving constipation in 2 hours! Brings out poisons you never thought were in your system. Let Adlerika give your stomach and bowels a REAL cleaning and see how good you feel! Erwin Drug Company.

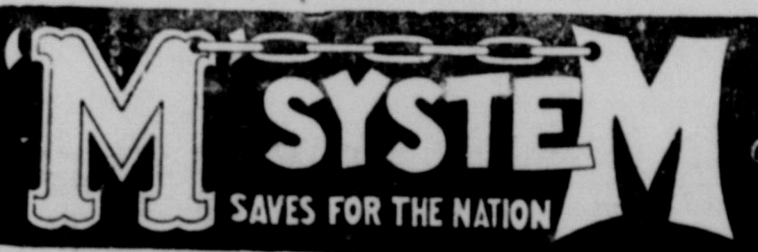
GRADUATION SUITS

Those new snappy spring samples are in. Let us take your measure for that Graduation Suit.

Cleaning and Pressing a Specialty

Service Tailors

Eddie Winburne



FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIALS

- BANANAS per doz. 19c
- LETTUCE per head 7c
- COFFEE Our Special, 4 lb 87c
- CORN White Swan, 2 No 2 cans 27c
- PEACHES New State No. 2 1/2 22c
- PEANUT BUTTER 2 lb can 29c
- SOAP P. & G. or Crystal White, 7 bars 25c
- CORN BEEF 12 oz. can 24c
- JELLO 3 for 25c
- SPINACH No. 1 can 12 1/2c
Del Monte No. 2 1/2 can 17 1/2c
- GREEN BEANS 2 cans 23c
- MUSTARD 8 oz. jar 11c
- BACON Niagara squares, lb 19c
- BACON Wilson's box, lb 35c
- WEINERS, per lb 19c
- HOG LARD, 8 lb bucket \$1.00
- Wilson's Bacon, machine sliced, lb 29c
- BUTTER, Morris Supreme, per lb 31c
- Fish, Oysters, Chickens and Baby Beef

CARD OF THANKS

Rev. and Mrs. Jno. H. Crow visited in Groom Friday.

We want to thank our friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and words of sympathy during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister, Mrs. W. C. Montgomery. We especially appreciate the beautiful floral offerings. May God's richest blessings abide with each one of you.

DR. W. C. MONTGOMERY.
MRS. L. V. LONSDALE
D. SCARBOROUGH.

Mrs. Mattie Graham and daughter, Miss Sybil, visited in Pampa Saturday.

CITY DRAY

Phone 188

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\$4.00

Leave McLean on Train 52 at 10:41 p. m.

April 17th and 18th

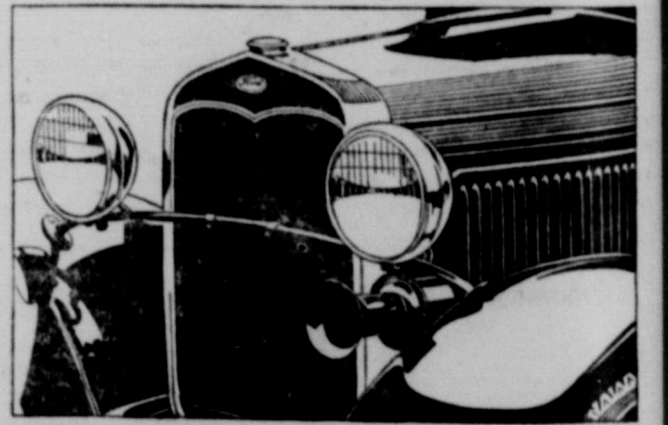
and Train 112 at 10:25 a. m.

April 18th

Tickets good in coaches; also excursion tickets on sale at \$6.00 good in sleepers upon payment of pullman charges. Final limit to return, leaving Oklahoma City Train 51 at 10:15 p. m., April 19, 1931.

See me. E. J. LANDER, Agent

ANOTHER EXAMPLE OF FORD VALUE



Bright, enduring RUSTLESS STEEL is used for many exposed bright metal parts of the Ford

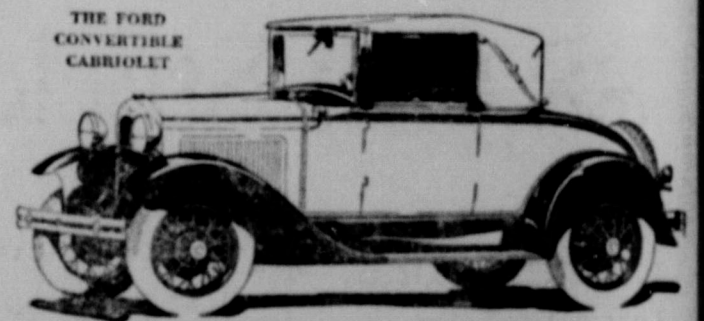
WHEN YOU BUY a Ford you buy enduring beauty. The body finish is made to last for the life of the car and practically all exposed bright metal parts except the bumpers are made of enduring Rustless Steel.

This Rustless Steel has great tensile strength. It is the same bright metal all the way through. A salt test equivalent to forty years' service under the severest weather conditions failed to have any effect on its brilliance. It never requires polishing. All you do is wipe it with a damp cloth, as you do your windshield.

This is just one of many features that show the substantial worth of the Ford. In speed, comfort, safety, economy and long life—in the richness of its finish and upholstery—it brings you everything you want or need in a motor car at an unusually low price.

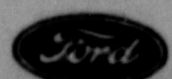
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LOW FORD PRICES \$430 to \$630

(F. o. b. Detroit, plus freight and delivery. Bumpers and spare tire extra at low cost. You can purchase a Ford on economical terms through the Authorized Ford Finance Plans of the Universal Credit Company.)



THE EYES OF M. G. S.

Miss Irene Hayes, Sponsor
The eyes of M. G. S. are looking at you as you work and toil. The eyes of M. G. S. are guiding you while you break the soil. Do not think you can evade them; from 8 till almost four the eyes of M. G. S. are helping you. So why ask for more?
Well, how do you like that for our school song? We have not adopted it yet, but we shall in all probability do so within a few days. If you do not like this, change it or suggest a better one. We shall appreciate any suggestions, but—be sure that you can suggest a better one before you criticize this one.

Here I shall, with your permission, stray from the subject at hand just for a few minutes. If people would never criticize or suggest unreasonable methods until they had perfected better ones, it is quite evident that gossipers would be as popular as a winter hat on Easter Sunday.

Next week you will see through "The Eyes of M. G. S." the students' names who are making A's in any subject. We shall show the subject honor roll in order to encourage the students and to offer an incentive for them to study somewhat harder.

The following personal items were collected at school:

Roy Carlisle, Margaret Vaughn and Beula Marie Bettis have withdrawn. These were good students and classmates, so we certainly regret losing them.

Alton Howard must have talked quite a bit in school because he was out almost a week with a very sore throat. We were glad to welcome him back this week.

Edgar Brewster has been absent because of the death of his baby sister. We are praying for the family in such a sorrow.

Miss Cousins visited in Clarendon last week end.

Miss Kendall visited by the family fireside the past week end.

Miss Baily had a lovely time with her people in Clarendon last week end.

Miss Smith's room had an Easter egg hunt last Friday. The sand storm covered them, but the wind was kind enough to uncover a few. The kiddies found every one of the eggs before they left the park.

Lewis Tolliver and Fred Haley are two noted future football men for the high school string. They may become famous someday, who knows? I have heard of making a million dollars overnight; yes, I have heard about losing it, too.

Mr. McHaney, Miss Coleman and Mrs. Silgar are going to attend the Northwest Texas Teachers Association at Lubbock Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Back and Miss Cummings went to Wheeler to help judge the literary events of the Wheeler county meet last Friday.

Mr. McHaney went to Wheeler Saturday to help with the track meet. Mrs. Sutton went to Groom Friday to help judge the literary events of the county meet.

The greatest celebration of the season came last Friday at noon. The inaugural ball was somewhat eclipsed by this event! Now, do not become impatient! One should always wait until his elders decide to settle comfortably in a chair by the cosy, glowing fire. Thank you for waiting. Now I shall tell! Step back, please. I could never talk when a crowd stifles me. At last! This glorious event which I so briefly refer to was planned and splendidly carried out by the high sixth grade. Pardon me; I have said that once.

A "dinner party" was given in room 13. (That number is not on the door, but it will be if anyone insists that it should be). The food was brought in what we might term the "pot luck" style, but a bystander would rightfully have stated that it was served "grab box" style. Some teachers were invited to have the first "square meal" of a lifetime. Poor Mr. McHaney proudly entered the dining room of the Herring (I mean class room of the high sixth) but he found only generous offers of crumbs. I have not found out how many of these he devoured.

Did you ever hear of making spelling interesting? Sometimes we dream those things, but ah! they are only dreams. There is one class that can tell you more ways than one to make spelling interesting. The first thing to tell you is that in the records of 1931 the low seventh class members—all of them—made hundreds three times. Ripply may consider this item.

We students like to work when it is disguised. Give us a game to play, and we shall work, work, work!

This is the low seventh spelling program for a week with the understanding that we can change if our "feeble brains" so desire:
Monday—Baseball spelling.
Tuesday—Relay spelling.
Wednesday—Dictionary drill.
Thursday—Composition of words.
Friday—Vocabulary spelling.

The low sixth pupils are quite journalistic, for they made some newspapers that were very clever and interesting.

A ROSE GARDEN AT TWILIGHT

By Frances Landers
As the moon is rising over the trees and I see a rose garden in my mind, I wonder at the marvelous beauty of it. If ever there were a more beautiful thing than a rose garden at moon-rise, I should like to see it.

The roses gradually folding their petals as if in sleep, the green leaves sparkling with the early dew, the grass below shining in the moonlight look to me like a part of paradise. I am sure that many of the things in heaven are more beautiful than this; yet, on earth we cannot imagine any so beautiful or more heavenly than this.

If I were rich and clothed in silk I would wish to have a rose garden such as this, for I could have one blissful moment to carry away my everyday troubles.

The first grades of McLean school enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Friday afternoon at 1:30. The eggs were hidden on a vacant lot near the school and the little folks had a great time hunting them. Among the eggs was a gilded goose egg and a prize was given to the finder of it. Kenneth Browning got this prize. We wish to thank Cobb's Variety

Store and the "M" System for donations of eggs for this hunt.

A health playlet, "Tommy's Tum-my," was given by the pupils of the primary grades on Tuesday evening, April 7. The characters were: Tommy, L. L. Smith; the mother, Georgia Nell Browning; egg, Bobby Boggs; sandwich, Violet Keeton; cookie, Bobbie Nell Davidson; tomato, Wayne Winn; orange, Clint Doolen; pickle, Granville Boyd; cocoa triplets, Gene Smith, Oran Back, Thelma Jean Dishman. An effective health drill was rendered by Margie Lochridge, Velma Mann, Clyde Carpenter, L. C. Kuhl, Ruth Thacker, Junior Man-tooth, Harold Watkins and Ruth Ayer. Folk dances were given by Johnie Mae Scott, Verlyn Hinton, Lorraine Hodges, Dorothy Sue Young, Bobby Boggs, Granville Boyd, Robert Wilson and Troy Shults.

VOLLEY BALL

The boys and girls of the grade school have taken to volley ball lately and some good games are played every day before school, at noon and after school. Some good players are being developed. The boys are already wishing that volley ball for boys should be made a part of the inter-scholastic program for next year.

SECOND GRADE EGG HUNT

Friday afternoon the second grade had an Easter egg hunt on the vacant block east of the grammar school. The golden prize egg was found by Gordon Ward of Miss Baley's room.

During the morning recess a nest containing eggs was placed on each child's desk. The candy eggs were donated by the "M" System and Cobb's Variety Store.

News from Back

Kenneth Meyers spent Sunday in Borger.

Little Jim Copeland, who has had pneumonia, is very much improved. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wilkins of McLean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Wilkins.

Helen Flescher of Borger spent the week end with her parents here. Vernell Copeland, who is attending school at McLean, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Copeland.

Mrs. Cort Meyers and Mrs. John Lantz spent Saturday in McLean. The Easter egg hunt given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wilkins Sunday was greatly enjoyed by the children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Harrison were in Pampa Monday.

H. M. Woodward and family of Borger spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Herndon. Bennie Edney has gone to Hoover for a few days.

Miss Hazel May Ward visited in McLean Saturday morning.

Sunday school was organized at the Webb school Sunday. There were 39 present and there will be Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. You are cordially invited.

Miss Kathryn Eblen visited in Pampa Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flescher, Mr. and Mrs. Meyers and Kenneth Meyers visited in the Lantz home Monday evening.

Mrs. J. E. Cubine, Grandmother Cubine, Misses Ivy Dea and Omah Hinkle visited the Misses Hinkle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hinkle, Saturday.

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EMRGENCY SALE of Used Cars

Beginning Saturday, April 11 -- 10 a. m.

FREE LICENSE PLATES

We will furnish FREE 1931 license plates with each used car sold during the sale. This alone is a saving of from \$3.50 to \$25.00.

We Must Raise the Cash! To do this we are placing on the market at tremendously reduced prices our entire stock of 35 Used Cars to be sold before Saturday night of next week. Come in and see this big sacrificed stock. The lowest prices the Panhandle people have even seen for good O. K. used cars. You'll agree when you see them.

1928 WHIPPET SEDAN

Finish, top and upholstery like new. Motor has been checked over and all necessary work done. Nearly new tires; bumpers and spare tire. Formerly priced at \$150.00.

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In unusually good condition. Has nearly new tires; motor has been carefully checked over. Equipped with closed cab and big stake body. Formerly priced at \$325.00.

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Original light grey Duco finish in good condition. Motor has been carefully checked over. Good tires, good battery, ready to go in every respect. Was \$150.00.

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Attention Used Car Buyers

This is your opportunity to replenish your used car stock at these Sacrifice Prices. Likely never again will prices be so low.

Use Your Circular Check

In our circulars distributed regarding this sale is included a check good for \$10.00 on any used car costing \$100 or more. These checks will be honored **Wednesday, April 15th.**

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No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
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FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—Pure pedigreed Galloway cotton seed; or will trade for other seed. See Geo. W. Sitter or Vester Smith. 12-4p

CORN for sale. As good as raised in community last year—50c bushel. See or phone J. B. Pettit, 1621F4. 15-3p

FOR SALE.—Brown crowder peas. 6c per lb. any amount. Phone 1606F13. ttc

FOR SALE.—Jersey cows. Geo. W. Sitter. 12-2p

MISCELLANEOUS

ADDING MACHINE ribbons and rolls a News office.

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

BOOK COVERS, 1c each at News office.

MERCHANTS.—Give the home man a chance. See our line of calendar samples for 1932. News office.

WANTED

We do general furniture repairing. Sitter Furniture Co., phone 271. ttc

TYPEWRITER ribbons, paper, oil and carbon at News office.

FOR RENT

FURNISHED rooms for rent. See John Cooper or phone 9 or 161. ttc

FOR RENT for cash in advance—320 acres 1 mile northwest of McLean. Prefer renting for pasture purposes only. Make me an offer. C. D. Carmichael, Hillsboro, Texas. 15-3c

APARTMENT for rent. Mrs. John Hales. ttc

LOST AND FOUND

LOST.—Spare Ford tire and wheel between McLean and Alanreed. Liberal reward. Caldwell Bakery. 1c

FOUND.—Purse and money. Prove ownership. G. W. Sullivan. 1p

SONG BOOKS. Please return any Lions song books you may have borrowed, to President Boyd Meador or to the News office, before next Tuesday night. 1

FORTY CENT GAS

A thorn in the side of the larger gas companies likely will be the home-owned gas company over at Shamrock, where the gas supply is close at hand and where the company has announced its fourth voluntary rate reduction since 1925, the rate now being down to 40c per 1,000 cubic feet for the first 25,000 feet, and 35c per 1,000 for the second 25,000 cubic feet.

This reduction, the company there advertises, will give Shamrock as cheap gas, if not the cheapest, in the state of Texas. Rates at some other cities and towns in the Panhandle and Plains area include 40c at Amarillo, 50c each at McLean, Pampa and Breckenridge, and 75c at such cities as Memphis, Wichita Falls, Wellington, Abilene and Childress.

The Hesperian doubts the net value of a forced reduction in gas rates to Floydada people in the long run, but if an amicable arrangement can be reached whereby the West Texas Gas Company could make a voluntary reduction, it would be worth a great deal to the community. Over at Shamrock the company is crowing about the reduction it has made, and evidently the owners of the company and the citizens of Shamrock are mutually enjoying friendly confidence.—Floyd County Hesperian.

ONE TO DISPOSE OF

"I see there's a Monster Sale on at Lacey's this week," said the first woman.

"Good!" exclaimed the second woman. "Maybe I can get rid of my husband."

A PLACE IN THE SUN

Slowly but surely the small community newspaper is reaching its place in the sun so richly deserved for many years. Scores of well-versed metropolitan newspaper men have from time to time paid eloquent tribute to the so-called "country press" as fostering the very best in American journalism. Modern methods of production have made many community weeklies keen rivals of the nearby daily in the advertising field of their territory and now each year an increased amount of national advertising is being sent to the smaller papers, whereas in years gone by the only newspaper mediums considered were dailies in the key cities of the United States and foreign countries.

Bureaus which have made scientific studies of advertising media are beginning to give unqualified endorsement to the rural and small town publications. The Manufacturer and Industrial News Bureau, with headquarters in Portland, Ore., will soon issue a booklet entitled "Industry and the Press," and it will contain this bit of advice to industrial leaders of the nation:

"No branch of general education which reaches the masses of the American people can point to greater achievements than can country journalism. Country papers stand in the front line of defense against schemes that rob the people. They work to encourage industries and pay rolls, build up small communities and make more business for everybody.

"According to N. W. Ayer & Son's Newspaper Directory for 1930, 9,261 daily and weekly newspapers in towns of 25,000 and under report 18,383,736 subscribers. As the directory lists over 12,500 of these papers in the 48 states, it is evident that at a most conservative estimate for those not giving circulation figures the rural press must have in excess of 20,000,000 subscribers. Practically none of this subscription list is duplicated; it is seldom that the same person takes two country newspapers. Any way, it can be figured these 20,000,000 subscriptions reach nearly every home where a paper is delivered.

"It is a great mistake to overlook or exclude the country newspaper in general advertising campaigns. The Manufacturer and Industrial News Bureau believes that these newspapers reach a greater potential buying market in a more direct manner than probably any other medium."—Palsade (N. J.) Palsadian.

WORSE THAN WAR

During the eighteen months of fighting by American troops in France, 50,510 were killed or died from wounds.

During the last eighteen months in peaceful America, 50,900 citizens were killed and many thousands injured in automobile accidents.

In 1930, according to the latest statistics compiled by insurance companies, there were 835,250 automobile accidents in the United States, in which 32,500 people were killed and 962,325 injured, many of them being crippled for life.

Any single disaster taking as many as 500 lives would fill the front pages of our papers with banner lines and big type. Every citizen would be horrified. Yet we kill 625 men, women and children and maim 18,500 every week in the year through wild driving, disregard for the law, and the rude and inexcusable infringement on other people's rights, without creating more than a passing comment.

We confine our insane in asylums. If a wolf makes its appearance in any neighborhood, it is run down and disposed of. If disease breaks out among our livestock, the State spends its money in an attempt to eradicate it, but irresponsible, thoughtless, and sometimes almost brainless drivers of motor vehicles are permitted to endanger the lives and property of citizens at will. About the only arrests made are for unlawful parking. No attempt is made to curb the reckless driver who weaves in and out of traffic at a high rate of speed, who passes other vehicles at intersections and curves, who is always in a hurry with no place in particular to go, and nothing to do when he gets there. He is never arrested until he kills or injures someone or figures in some accident. The only remedy Farm and Ranch can suggest is to round up such drivers and prohibit them from putting a hand on a wheel under pain of serving a long term in jail.—Farm and Ranch.

Mrs. Jack Figh of Amarillo spent the week end with Mrs. Jot Montgomery.

Try our new sun-tan cakes. Caldwell Bakery. Advertisement 1c

Say it with printing; flowers die.

AN EASY JOB

The editor of a weekly paper has an easy job with nothing much to do except to get out 52 issues of his paper during the year. There was a time when it mattered little what it contained, just so he filled it up.

Very often folks bring in stuff "just to fill the paper" when as a matter of fact the modern publisher of a weekly of the right kind often finds himself puzzling his brain how to get all of his news items into the columns without leaving out items of importance.

Sure! Live or interesting items are welcome, but much of it is not. It may be of interest only to a very few, or it may consist that unholy nightmare often referred to as "poetry" of an original nature.

Sometimes an article is written by an interested party lest the newspaper man not possess the ability to properly write it up as it should be written. This is an excellent idea, all right, provided it is written so that the news editor can read it—which is often not the case.

As a contributor, he stands first at the head of the list, because he is asked first. Certainly no one who could write the sympathetic articles appearing in his paper would turn down a chance to contribute, regardless of what the cause might be.

He knows something about every man's business in town and a lot about his private affairs, but is not allowed to publish it because his better judgment forbids. Knowing what "not" to print as well as what "to" print is one of the arts in the profession.—Donley County Leader.

THE FIRST TEST

The first standard to be adopted in any taxing scheme is that the total of revenue to be raised must not exceed the capacity of the community to pay. In the thought of some, the need for governmental activity in the state seeking to socialize its life will always exceed its capacity. Even at the expense of curtailing some activity heretofore thought of as normal and necessary, we cannot disregard that first standard. The strictest economy must be exercised in all governmental expenditures.

We ought not now to increase our indebtedness except in dire emergencies. This rule should apply to the state and to every county, city or other taxing subdivision. For each of them the goal should be that its indebtedness shall be less at the end of each fiscal year than at the beginning.—Dennis Brummitt, Attorney General, North Carolina.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m., F. H. Bourland, superintendent; Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, supt. primary department.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Evening worship 8 p. m.
Christian Endeavor 7 p. m.
Special music at both services.

One who thinks for himself will soon have his doubts as to prohibition dissolved, if he will simply shut his eyes and cast his mind back to the days of the saloon. He knows that he sees less drunkenness today, that there are evidences of very much less poverty, that on the whole life is distinctly on the mend—and that despite the world-wide economic low-tide.

Often we speak of the "average person." Fact is there is no such thing in human existence. Each of us, in feature, temperament or other qualities, possess an individuality all our own. None of us have ever existed before. Nothing precisely like us will ever be.

Life is much a matter of love, home and friendly neighbors. Happiness is a perfume we can't pour on others without getting some of it on ourselves.

A legend doesn't spring from nothing. In the absence of smoke there is no combustion. There must be truth before there is a lie.

Mrs. Kid McCoy and daughter, Mrs. Irene, visited in Shamrock Wednesday.

Mrs. Inez McLarty visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Wilmer Mercer was in Alanreed Wednesday.

Roy Campbell was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Thos. Ashby and daughter visited in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Christian are visiting in Dalhart this week.

Al Bingham of Clovis, N. M., is visiting in McLean this week.

PRESSURE COOKER WORTH MORE THAN MULE

At a meat canning demonstration given by the Bell county home demonstration agent, Miss Maurine Hearn, at the home of H. H. Hardeman, near Palo-Alto, 90 containers of beef were canned in the presence and with the help of 25 people of that community. F. J. Lesker, a member of the group, announced that he was going to buy a cooker if he had to sell one of his mules to get it. On being asked which one he would sell, he replied, "Old Beck, probably. She is the biggest one and will get us the biggest cooker, for we'll need a pretty big one to can for our family of 12."

THE COUNTRY NEWSPAPER

"Without its newspaper, the small town American community would be like a school without teacher, or a church without a pastor. In the aggregate, the country newspaper determines the outcome of more elections, exerts a greater influence for constructive community progress, is read longer by more members of the family and constitutes, with its millions of readers, a better advertising medium than any other group of newspapers or periodical publications.

"When properly conducted, it cultivates so intensively its home news field that city dailies, farm journals and general magazines circulating in the territory become only secondary influences.

"Through service to its community the country newspaper will not merely survive; it will continue to flourish as the most representative, most distinctive, and most wholesome type of journalism America has produced."—John H. Casey, of the Oklahoma School of Journalism.

Mrs. Martha Hamilton and Mrs. W. C. Bushfield visited in Shamrock Wednesday.

M. N. Cohen motored to Amarillo Saturday.

Try our new sun-tan cakes. Caldwell Bakery. Advertisement 1c

Henry Mathis motored to Pampa Friday.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS:

LE BILL BOOSTER HAS HIS FAULTS, BUT BRING MEAN ABOUT MONEY IS NOT ON THE LIST—I DON'T GO ABOUT TRYING TO GET FOLKS TO CUT THEIR FAIR ESTABLISHED PRICES ON WHAT THEY HAVE TO MAKE, WHENEVER GOODS OR LABOR LIVE AND LET LIVE, IS MY MOTTO



PARKING WISDOM

Fred—"Your car is six months old and yet hasn't a scratch on it. How do you manage to preserve its finish, old man?"

Ted—"Quite simple. I make it a rule always to park between new cars."

Mrs. W. E. Bogan visited in Groom Friday.

J. A. Sparks was in Alanreed Saturday.

Mrs. D. A. Davis visited in Pampa Saturday.

A. P. Rippey and daughter, Mrs. Nida Green, of Heald were in town Saturday.

T. A. Cooke is in Mineral Wells this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Upham were visitors in Pampa Friday.

John Saunders was in New Mexico this week.

LADIES FROM MISSOURI

Found in the back of any old cook book, in the "Useful Compendium of Household Hints."

"To test muslin for 'filling'—rub a small section vigorously between the fingers, and note any starchy substance that breaks out of the fibers.

"To test for color-fastness—before buying wash goods of any kind it is safest to obtain small samples of all patterns and soak in clear water.

"To detect cotton in an 'all-wool' fabric—pull the threads apart and apply a lighted match," etc., etc.

How funny they were—these old suspicious-of-everything shopping tests! Grandmother knew them all by heart, and descended on Mr. Biggs, the linen draper, with defiance in her eye. Her little, moistened forefinger shot suspiciously under every proffered length of sheeting or dish-toweling. She took nobody's word for anything!

But how differently you approach a yard-goods purchase in any store today. A name on the selvage . . . a label on the end of the bolt . . . a guarantee-tag that also suggests a method of washing. These are your safety-signals in buying. To the questions "Will it wash?" "Is this pure wool?" or "pure silk?" the saleswoman has only to remind you of the trade name of the fabric. When she mentions a name familiar to you through advertising, your doubts are dispelled.

Yes . . . we still look before we leap, but today that means read before you shop!

You can safely buy goods from merchants who advertise in

The McLean News

The Paper That's Read First

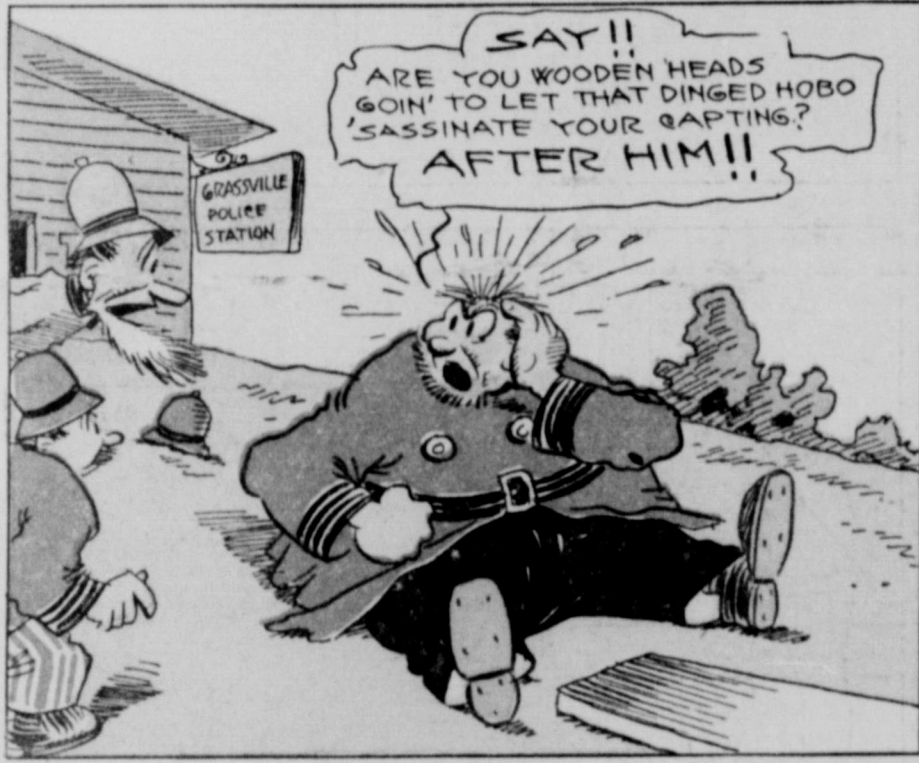
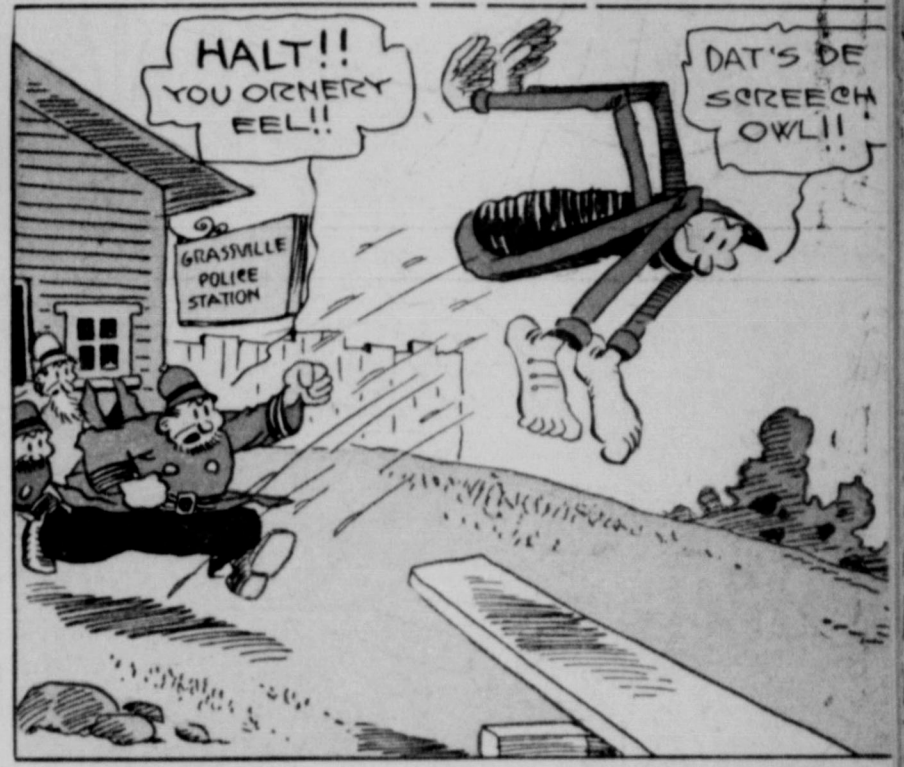
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THE MCLEAN NEWS

The Oldest Newspaper in Gray County — — McLean's Home Paper Since 1904

McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, April 9, 1931.

SLIM JIM AND THE FORCE





Good reducing exercise, if I should effer get too fat!

The Outline of Oscar



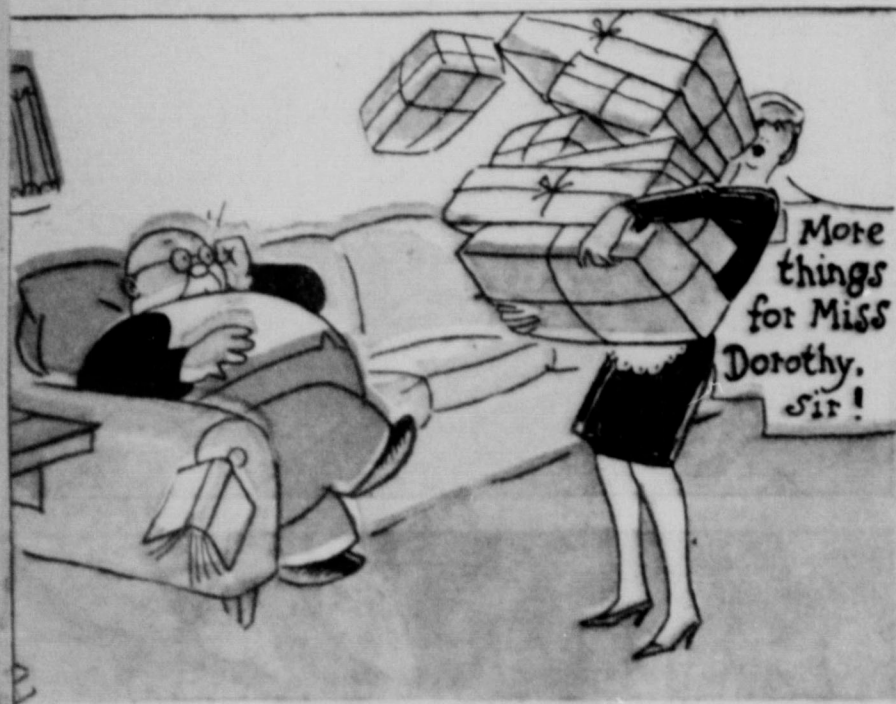
Oh! It's my things!



Isn't this hat just too cute, Daddy?



-and aren't you simply mad over this coat?



More things for Miss Dorothy, Sir!



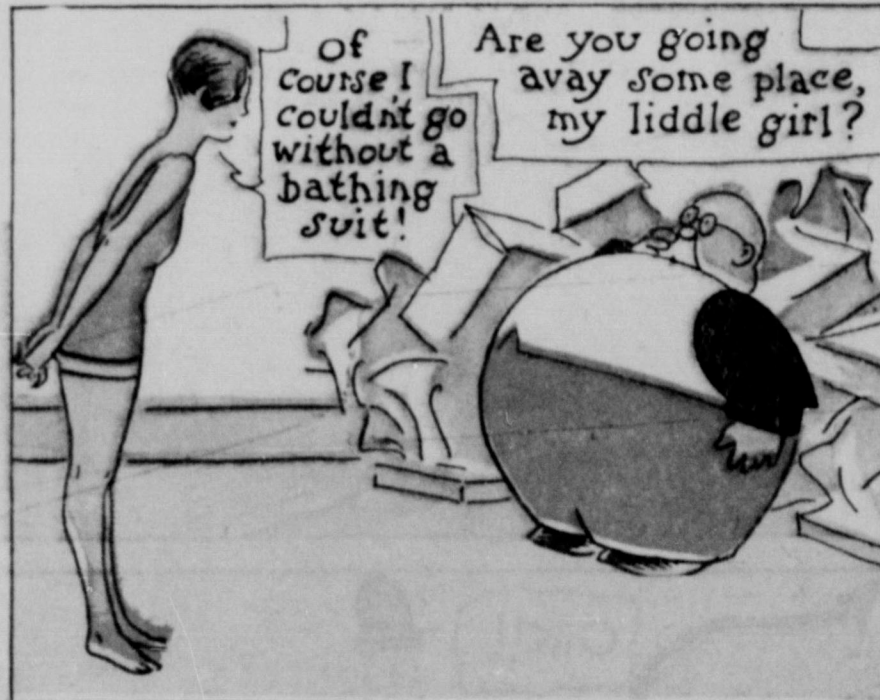
These shoes were so darling that I bought two pairs!



Isn't this evening dress perfectly stunning!



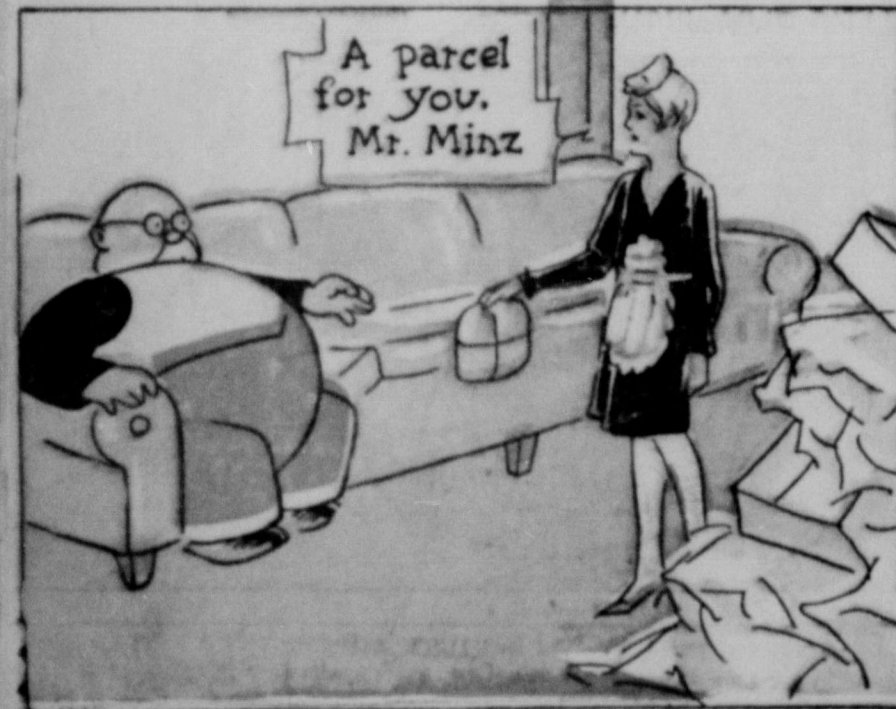
Oh! -and I a-dore this other frock!



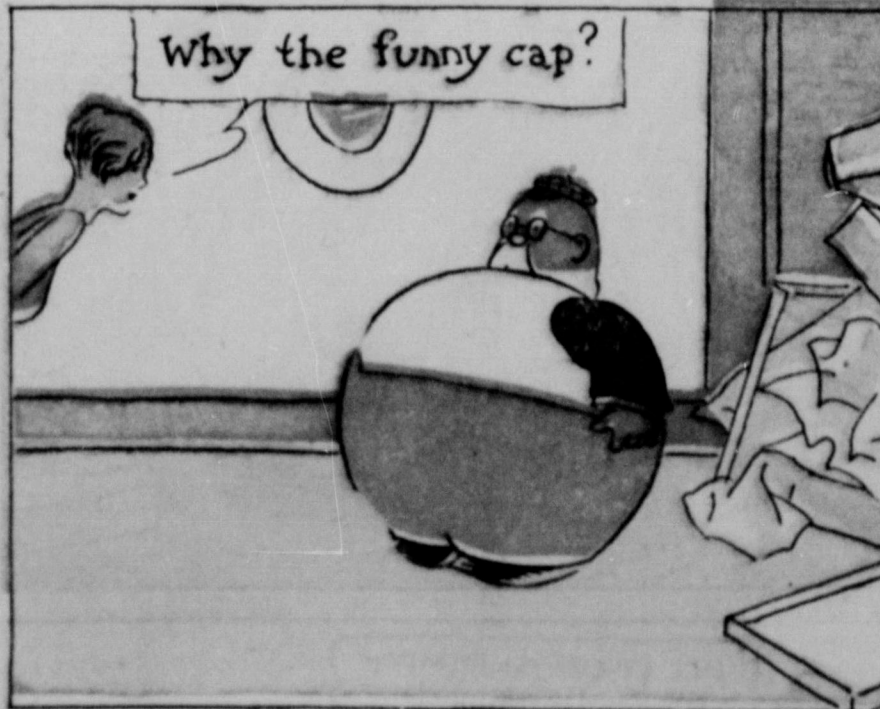
Of course I couldn't go away some place, my little girl? without a bathing suit!



Just up to Silvermine for the week-end, Daddy dear!



A parcel for you, Mr. Minz



Why the funny cap?



Oh, for my trip to Europe!

ROSES BRING MEMORIES ETC BY LINK

YOU BROUGHT ME ROSES, HUBBY?

YES, 'CAUSE YOU LOVE 'EM SO.

?? THEY'RE ARTIFICIAL.

SURE, MONEY. - WHY?

WHY DIDN'T YOU GET REAL ROSES? NO SMELL TO THESE.

NOW JUST WAIT - DON'T WORRY

I'M NOT SO DUMB, - JUST SPRINKLE A LITTLE OF THIS ON 'EM.

? LILAC PERFUME!

The Handsome Man

by MARGARET TURNBULL

Illustrations by IRWIN MYERS

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THE STORY

CHAPTER I—Returning to London practically penniless, after an unsuccessful business trip to South America, young Sir George Sandison takes dinner with his widowed stepmother, his old nurse, "Aggie." He has not approved of her marriage to his father but she makes an explanation of the reasons for it. There is little left of the estate, and Lady Sandison proposes they go to the United States to visit her brother, Robert MacBeth, a wealthy contractor. With no prospects in England, Sir George agrees.

CHAPTER II—With his young daughter, Roberta, MacBeth is living on his estate, an island. The girl longs for city life, and is dissatisfied. MacBeth is a victim of arthritis and almost physically helpless. Leaving her father, after an interchange of words, Roberta meets Lady Sandison and Sir George, and assumes they are the new cook and butler, who had been expected. She directs them to the house, realizing with some surprise that the man is the handsomest she has ever seen.

CHAPTER III—MacBeth had not been apprised of his sister's coming, or of her marriage, but he is glad to see her and invites the two to stay. Roberta is keeping a "date" with a young man, "Jack" Navarro, about whom she knows little, though she thinks she is in love with him. MacBeth arranges that Lady Sandison take charge of the household at a salary, and Sir George act as his secretary. Roberta is told of the arrangement and is not cordial.

CHAPTER IV—Roberta tells her father she is "not interested" in Sir George, while the young man takes an attitude of complete indifference to her antagonism. An anonymous letter informs MacBeth of his daughter's meetings with Navarro. He makes light of the matter and orders the possibility of over the safe conveyance of a pay roll for a big viaduct he is building. It is arranged that Roberta drive Sir George to a bank in a nearby village, where he is to be introduced to the manager and next day take the pay roll to the workers. Sir George sees Roberta with Navarro and, recognizing him as the adventurer type, is alarmed for the girl's welfare.

CHAPTER V—In Philadelphia a gathering of "business men" of which Navarro is one, discusses the possibility of stealing the pay roll, which has all along been Navarro's objective. The matter is left to him. Roberta takes Sir George to the bank and later introduces him to her circle. She arranges a dinner and dance in his honor for the following Saturday.

CHAPTER VI—The girl drives Sir George to the construction camp, where he meets young Raymond Browne, engineer in charge. She leaves them while they talk business, returning slightly wounded in the hand, having, she explains, been "winged" by some rabbit shooting. Sir George's hat and light coat had been in the car, closely visible and the young Scotsman is satisfied the shots were meant for him. The girl says she only had a mere glimpse of the man who did the shooting. MacBeth is more uneasy.

CHAPTER VII—During the dance Sir George sees Navarro, outside the house, evidently waiting for Roberta. He tells the girl, resenting what she calls his "interference," she has a hurried meeting with Navarro. While waiting with MacBeth, Sir George pines through an open window, apparently in pursuit of some one.

CHAPTER VIII—Sir George is intercepted in his pursuit of a listener at the window by Roberta and the intruder escapes. It is arranged that Sandison, with the pay roll, is to walk from the bank to the construction camp, the idea being that he will not be suspected of carrying it.

CHAPTER IX—Alone, Sir George arrives at the bank, gets the pay roll, and consals it on his person. Three men attempt to hold up the bank. Sir George is able to prevent the robbery, one of the thieves being wounded and the third escaping. On his way to the camp he meets Ray Browne, arranged, with a car. Though the two are pursued, and shots exchanged, they reach the camp safely. Roberta appears, driving rapidly.

CHAPTER X—Roberta tells Sir George he is to take her car and go home at once to secure Lady Sandison and MacBeth of his safety. He does so. Roberta begins to doubt her love for "Jack," and a talk she has with Lady Sandison increases her perplexities. Sir George discovers a marriage license has been issued for Roberta and Navarro.

CHAPTER XI—Roberta, planning to meet Navarro, is intercepted by Sir George, but she evades him, driving off in her own car. Remembering the announcement of the issuing of the marriage license, he is overwhelmed with fear that she has planned to elope with the young adventurer who has fascinated her.

It was too much for Jack. He started the car, determined to get out of it at any cost. As for the girl, if he was fool enough to sulk by that fellow she could stick, he was not going to wait for her. The wind was blowing the flames toward him now, half in despair of his carefully laid plans, half out of a desire to justify his actions, he gave a loud call: "Come on, Roberta!"

There was no reply, but as the car started it was suddenly checked. Jack had forgotten that his enemy was six foot three, but Sir George was not. As he saw the only hope of the girl and himself about to be lost from them, he dropped the girl and flung himself forward on the running board. "Fine arm stole about Jack's neck. As the machine bounded forward wildly, Roberta screamed and the car came to an abrupt stop.

A voice in Jack's ear had said: "But it off you foot, until the girl is in, or I'll strangle you. I don't mind telling you I'd enjoy doing it." Sir George, still with his hand on the girl's neck, motioned to Roberta to get in. "Now you can hurry, my man, as I've never hurried before. You'll

hear something presently when the flames reach my car."

He released Jack's throat, as the girl climbed in, but still on the running board with his hand on Jack's arm, they dashed for the other side. There was a muffled explosion.

"There goes Ray's car," Sir George called to Roberta, smiling at her with an absurd, stinged and blackened face, like a man badly made-up for a minstrel show. "And I was worried about not having enough petrol." He leaned heavily on Jack's shoulder and shouted in his ear: "Here come the fire engines! We have only one chance in ten of getting off this bridge on dry land. Unless you rip out a little speed it will be a spectacular plunge into the Delaware for us."

"Oh, hurry!" screamed Roberta. The fire was running along the roof. The exit toward which they were making was screened with smoke, flickering here and there a little darting, flickering tongue of flame.

"To the left!" Sir George shouted in Jack's ear. "There's less fire there, and sound your horn, you fool! Make those idiots hear!" The horn sounded again and again. Through the smoke they could see people running hastily. Roberta could hear them call. "There's a car! Look out! There's a car coming through!" But the village fire engine was at the entrance filling more than half of it and Jack was wildly swaying from side to side.

"To the left!" roared Sir George and then he relinquished his hold on Jack and, gathering all his strength, leaped over and half-pulled, half-pulled Roberta across behind the driver. They rolled together off the car as Jack leaped and the car smashed into the fire engine.

CHAPTER XIII

Sir George opened his eyes to a Danteque world on fire, or so it seemed to him. It was full of shouting, too. After a moment he saw that the bridge was flaming and burning to the skies and the noise was the shouting of the crowd at the collapse of the main part of the bridge. It was a tremendously spectacular picture, quite terrible in its beauty.

He was about to give himself up to contemplating it, when his only half-awakened mind began to speculate where he was. Then as he moved slightly his whole mind was suddenly alert. He was in frightful pain, but that fact somehow did not puzzle him as much as the question, Where was Roberta?

He must have said it aloud for from somewhere above him he heard a voice say very gently: "I'm here, Sir George."

He saw then that his head was on a woman's knee. It was Roberta's knee, and above him Roberta was bending solicitously with a very grimy face.

"You quite all right?" "Oh, Sir George, I thought—I thought—" She shuddered. "Don't," he put out his hand to touch her but he winced as he did so. "I say, Roberta, you are shaking me quite awfully," he said after an attempt to sit up.

"I'm sorry. Lie still, until I finish with your face. They have sent for a doctor."

"Oh, I scarcely need a doctor," he assured her. "It's only that I need a little rest, I think." He closed his eyes but he opened them immediately now ever, to say, "Where's Jack? Is it Jack you need a doctor for?"

"No," Roberta answered shortly. "Jack's all right."

"Where is he?" Sir George asked, trying to rise.

"Oh, do lie still. Don't try to get up," Roberta begged. "It was the car that smashed, not Jack."

"Too bad," he murmured and then looked anxiously at the girl and tried to sit up again. "You won't go away with him, will you, Roberta, and leave me?"

He was surprised himself at the childishness of his plea and ashamed of the woe-begone voice in which he had made it.

But Roberta seemed to find nothing wrong with it. "Of course, I won't leave you. Close your eyes while I put this stuff over your poor burned face and hands."

She was gently spreading cold cream from a tube which she had taken from her vanity case over his face.

"Oh, that was what it was that hurt me." Then he opened his eyes and said again in an anxious voice: "Roberta, don't leave if I slip off again, will you?"

"I promise I won't leave you."

"That's quite all right," he heard himself saying, and then he slipped off into something that seemed like a heavy black curtain of mist.

He was roused after while by a sharp pain that cut through all the curtains and clouds that hung about him, and brought him suddenly back to life again and conscious that competent fingers were busy about him. "I say, what do you think you're doing?" Sir George asked. "And who are you, anyway?"

"The doctor," a pleasant voiced middle-aged man said, "and your ankle isn't broken, only sprained." "Thanks awfully. Glad it's no worse." "Aside from a sprained ankle and a bad cut on your thigh, both arms burned, your eyebrows and some of your hair gone and your face burned and scratched, I can give you a clean bill of health."

"Charmed, I'm sure," murmured Sir George. "Do I get up now and walk?" The doctor looked at him a little dubiously. "You don't walk to amount to anything for several weeks,

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Mr. and Mrs. Neal Cooper visited relatives in White Deer Sunday.

Buck Cooke of Vega visited in McLean Saturday.

The doctor nodded and completed his bandaging, then spoke a few words to Roberta, giving directions and medicine. "I will be in the hotel for a while if you should want me."

He crossed to the window and looked out. "The bridge is still burning. Lucky you people got over when you did."

He nodded to his patient. Roberta went with him to the doorway. Opening the door made them all instantly aware that the hall downstairs was filled with noise and clamor, quite distinct from the sounds that came from the burning bridge, the fire engines and the crowd.

Roberta turned and looked toward the bed. "Jack!" she exclaimed. "That was Jack's voice."

It was unmistakably Jack's voice—raised in exasperation, hoarse and angry.

Sir George pulled himself up on his pillow. "Get me some clothes, Doctor. I have to go to that—fellow. He must not get away until I have seen him."

"Be quiet," the doctor told him peremptorily. He called downstairs in a clear incisive voice. "Bring this man up here."

Jack appeared, disheveled and begrimed, escorted by two village constables and the landlord.

"Feller says he's a friend of yours," the elder constable said to Roberta. "Caught him makin' off in a car 'at didn't belong to him."

"Sure thing," said the younger constable, who conversed without disturbing a wad of tobacco that unduly distended his long jaw.

"Know him?" Judge Ariett asked of the man on the bed but his glance included Roberta. "Though very stout and resembling more than anything else one of the funny 'tumble' toys invented for children, the judge managed to give a pleasing impression and was a thoroughly friendly soul."

"Yes," said Sir George quickly "only too well."

"I'm," Judge Ariett took in Jack, the constables, Sir George and again Roberta. "Seems his tale is that he was helping himself because the lady told him to get a car, somehow, anyhow, to take you to the hospital."

(Continued on next week.)

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YE DIPLOMATIC ED

A good looking Clermont blond took newspapers to task last week for making so many wisecracks at her type. It is just as natural for editors to wisecrack blonds as it is for blonds to look pretty.—Clermont (Fla.) Press.

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"What kind of a woman is his wife?" "Well, he has as much chance of going out alone as one of the Siamese twins would."

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	Charlie Mae Carpenter
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STATION MHS (Weekly Broadcast)

Hello, everybody!
Well, well, here we are back again on the air. At this time we are bringing to you various talks from those of the senior class that care to express themselves.
Our first speaker of the program is Miss Doris Ruff . . . Miss Ruff . . .
"Hello, teachers, friends and dear old classmates.
"In starting, I wish to thank members of the radio station MHS for being so kind as to give me this opportunity of expressing my love and appreciation for McLean high school. Although I have not spent my entire high school course here, as some of the seniors have, I am sure I love it just as dearly as they do, and I shall always remember it as my ideal school. I shall always remember, too, the dear old senior room, and the smiling face that greeted me every morning as I entered the room. That smiling face, and the hearty 'good morning' went with me the whole day long, and memories of Aline McCarty, my sponsor, shall go with me through life.
"It thrills me to think of my graduation, but it also makes me sad, for I know that it will mean good-bye to many, if not all of my classmates. Because, as our parents have chosen our road of travel thus far, we must take up the voyage and continue to travel until we reach our goal. My wish to the seniors is that if they never reach the top, they will keep climbing. Again I thank you."
We sure do thank you, too, Doris. We sure do. Next we will hear from Miss Georgia Stratton . . . Miss Stratton . . .
"Howdy, friends and radio listeners. I haven't been able to figure out just why I was asked to make a speech, 'cause I'm not very good at talking, but here I am starting this

microphone in the face and trying to say a word or three.
"It won't be very long now until we're wearing those caps and gowns (we hope). And, oh boy! oh boy! have we had fun! I've been awfully proud of us since the league meet, and you know, folks, our senior class has got it, those, these and that—no foolin'! What we don't know just isn't worth our time to learn. If you don't believe it, wait till I tell you. The other morning Gene Corbin and I were carrying on one of our regular fourth period study hall confabs and I just asked her, natural like, what a law suit is. She sez, 'Well, I don't know unless it's a policeman's uniform.' Well, she may be right. And say, Ed Wilson (she's my tennis partner) is so sensible you wouldn't believe it. She actually thinks you can't buy watches in a chain store. That's what she gets from associating with me. No, not watches—intelligence.
"Ha, ha! Pardon me while I snicker. A man just now told our announcer that his salary had been docked. The announcer said, 'Oh, so you've got a ship come in, too!' It's amazing how smart we seniors are. The announcer is about to throw me out, so I'll turn the 'mike' back to him. Toodle-oo."
We sure do thank you, Georgia, we sure do. Next we will hear from Miss Charlie Mae Carpenter . . . Miss Carpenter . . .
"Hello, friends! I am very happy, as our superintendent, Mr. Boswell, would say, to be able to express my appreciation of my high school over Station MHS.
"I have come to love this school, I suppose because it has grown to be a part of me. Of course, there were hard times as well as good ones, but joys cannot be appreciated without sorrows, and as our graduation time approaches, all the unpleasant things are blotted out and leave only happy memories, so that we can leave here with a feeling in our hearts that our school days must surely be the happiest ones of our lives. We love, admire and appreciate our instructors who have so patiently waited and helped us when we stumbled. We will be indebted to them all of our lives.
"Of all the songs we sing . . . not excepting 'The Eyes of Texas' . . . I like our pep song. The words certainly ring true when 'It's the good old, fashioned P-E-P, the pep that you can't turn down.' M. H. S. does

have pep, and I have never seen pep needed when it wasn't on the spot.
"Listen to that song, juniors, sing it and make it mean something. The burden will soon be shifted, and it's up to you to keep that good old fashioned pep alive.
"To the underclassmen, we want them to know that even though we have 'ragged' them a lot, we are backing them in everything they do, and at the close of the year, with mingled tears and laughter, we leave the load for them to bear and show what stuff they are made of.
"I've spent glad days within these walls.
My class companionship was sweet. And though I go where Duty calls, Memory's chain shall be complete. O, may the God of Truth and Love, The King we worship and adore, Send down His blessings from above On McLean High forevermore.
"I thank you."
We thank you, too, Charlie Mae. Next we will hear from Marvin Gardner . . . Mr. Gardner . . .
"Well, folks, I don't have much to say and don't know how to say what I do have, but here goes. I am tickled pink to have the opportunity of speaking to you through the MHS 'mike.'
"All of my high school days have been spent in McLean, and I don't see how I could have picked a better school or community anywhere. My senior year has been one of the happiest of my life and I have one thing to say about the class as a whole. They are the best all-around boys and girls you will find anywhere, and you juniors or any other class will have a hard time beating them.
"Next I wish to say that the faculty is top-notch and I believe all the seniors appreciate the interest and backing they have given and shown us this year.
"I hope the football team next year will be a fighting and winning bunch and I wish them all the luck in the world. Give the pig-skin to 'Cricket' Christian and watch him cross that line. I hope 'That good old Tiger line' gives every student the thrill it does me and makes a chilly feeling run up and down your back bone.
"And now I wish to say that word which is always hard to say—Good-bye. Six more weeks and school will be out for vacation and I'm sure I can return to these halls and rooms and really cry, but I can't right now because, you see, I'm a senior!"

We sure do thank you, Marvin. We will now listen to Clara Pearl Gattlin . . . Miss Gattlin . . .
"Hello, folks. As I never made a talk before the public before, I don't even know how to begin.
"I wish to say that I surely have enjoyed my school years in McLean high school. I have enjoyed knowing the teachers and students that I have met during my school days. I hate to say 'Good-bye' to the school days, the friends, and the many good times I have had. We as students think we have to work too hard while we are in school, but there are few of us who will not realize that most of our happiest days are spent during our school days and wish we were back in school.
"I hope that the students who attend McLean high school in the future will enjoy the work and like their teachers and classmates as well as I always have in the past, and that they will yell for that 'good old Tiger line' as hard as I did last year.
"Thank you."
Sure do thank you, Clara Pearl. Next we will hear from Fahoma Ladd . . . Miss Ladd . . .
"Hello, folks. I was sure surprised to think I had an opportunity to talk to you. I have really enjoyed my McLean high school years. I have gone to school here for three years and I'll declare I never enjoyed any year like this one. The teachers have been awfully nice and I can't ever express my thanks to them for their help. When I think of leaving McLean high school this year for good, I feel sad. It will be great fun to lie awake some summer night and hear Mr. Boswell saying, 'Pep up and sing 'The Eyes of Texas.' If we didn't sing it with all our might he'd say, 'Oh, begin over and sing it!'
"Well, good-bye, everybody, and good luck!"
We sure do thank you, Fahoma. Next we will hear from Grace Bidwell . . . Miss Bidwell . . .
"Friends: I am certainly proud of the years I have spent in the McLean school. I had the privilege of coming to this school when I was in the seventh grade.
"I have had a hard time getting to go to school. I thought for a while I would quit, but now I am certainly glad that I did not. I have had a good time all through my high school years with my classmates and teachers.
"I wish to thank each and every

one of my classmates and teachers for the kindness they have shown me and for all the help they have given me during my school years.
"I have been interested in all of the activities of the McLean school and hope they keep on improving in the future like they have been doing in the past."
Thanks, Grace. You have just heard from Grace Bidwell, and now we will hear from I. D. Shaw . . . Mr. Shaw . . .
"Hello, everybody. How are you? Between grass and hay, I guess.
"Well, just to get down to the point, I have been asked to talk to you folk of Station MHS. You all know how long men make their minutes. Well, I'm different because I make my minutes on an occasion like this very short.
"I wish to say I have enjoyed living in this community very much because I have made many good friends. As this is my senior year, and you all know what fun seniors have, I have had 'oodles and oodles' of fun. When we seniors rise and sing 'The Eyes of Texas' or our senior song it makes everyone peppy. That's how peppy we are.
"We have swell teachers, too. They are always happy and ready to make others happy, and when we get together you can imagine what fun we have.
"I think one of my classmates is 'rearing' to get to the 'mike.' So adios."
We surely do thank you, I. D.
Hello, everybody! This is James Burrows, your announcer, speaking. I wish to thank all of these seniors for their talks—they are sure nice, in my opinion.
I want to say that this school year has been the "peppiest" and the happiest of my high school life. The just tribute to this successful year is to our splendid faculty. With their good will and friendship and pep they have revived the school spirit and aroused the students and community.
The community, in turn, has been a great cog in the machinery of our school. Our football team was backed loyally throughout the season. Cups were bought for the interscholastic league meet. They were always willing to help us at all times, and we sure appreciate it, too.
We've fought together, won together, lost together. In unity we've played the game through, but now, as we near the crossroads, we know

that the partings are due. I wish you all the luck in the world. May success be yours in your style. But let's not forget our dear old school.
And those days that were worth while.
I thank you, Station MHS signing off—toodle-oo. . . .

FRESHMAN CLASS
The freshman class met Monday, April 6, 1931, to elect new officers to replace those who have resigned and those who have been promoted.
Those elected were: President, O. C. Kuhl; treasurer, Avalee Back; reporter, Buell Ellison.
Rosalie Shearon was elected secretary at the first of school and will continue to hold the office. . . .

THE MUSICAL TEN
The Musical Ten met in Mrs. Boyett's studio on April 3. In the absence of the president, Lola Ruth Stanfield, the vice president, Charlie Mae Carpenter, acted as chairman. The minutes were read by the secretary, then the roll was called and each member answered with the title of Schubert. The leader, Margaret Hess, asked questions on the life of Schubert.
There were two new members, Margaret Jewell Shaw and Mrs. Everett Watkins.
The following Schubert program was given:
Hedee Roses—Arlene Hickman.
Ballet Music from Rosamunde—Charlie Mae Carpenter.
A Part of Rosamunde—Ruth Hess.
A Second Part of Rosamunde—Margaret Hess.
Vocal duet, Who Is Sylvia?—Margaret Hess and Lois Kirby.
Minuet from Octelle—Kathryn Hales.
Piano duet—Mrs. Watkins and Jewel Shaw.
Scherzo in B Flat—Lois Kirby.
Serenade and The Erl King—Sybil Graham.
Ave Maria—Jewel Shaw.
Then the criticisms were made by the critic, Ruth Hess. The class voted on first, second and third place. Sybil Graham was given first, Jewel Shaw second, and Lois Kirby third. In the business meeting the class decided to have the initiation of new members.

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