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Gas Rate Case to R. R. Commission Murder Trial" at High School Auditorium Monday

Young Man to Stand Trial for Murder

Summured; Local Citizens to Take Leading Parts

The widely heralded murder trial, "Who Killed Earl Wright?" will be held at the high school auditorium Friday evening, Sept. 21, at 8 o'clock. The young man will be "tried" for the murder of the "killing" of a man by a friend, whom, it is shown, was under the influence of liquor at the time he struck the blow that snuffed a life, and left a widow and a family of fatherless children. The impressive drama-trial is being put on with the co-operation of the churches of the town under the auspices of the Anti-Saloon League, and some 25 local people will take part.

Hayward H. Johnson, superintendent of education for the League, will direct the "trial" and the local committee urges that every person in the community make a special effort to see it. There will be no admission charge, and everyone will be welcome. This drama is taken from an actual court scene in the Iowa courts, where a young man is tried for the murder of his best friend over a sixth of a pint of alcohol. The high school band, directed by Prof. Robt. C. Davidson will furnish music for the occasion. Following is the cast of characters: Judge, T. A. Landers; Sheriff, C. S. Rice; Jack Stiles (bootlegger), Rev. Cecil G. Goff; Deputy Sheriff, Homer Wilson; Frank Lloyd (defendant), Lloyd Hunt; Court Reporter, Alva Alexander; Mrs. French (star witness), Miss Kennedy; Mr. Cook (Coroner), John Harding; Mrs. Lloyd (defendant's mother), Mrs. Jim Back; Mrs. Wright, Miss Lorena Ashby; Counsel for defense, Hayward H. Johnson; Prosecuting Attorney, Claude Williams. The following jury has been summoned: F. H. Bourland, T. J. Coffey, J. A. Ashby, J. H. Bodine, J. J. Cobb, R. H. Corum, Sam M. Hodges, Lee Wilson, E. L. Sitter, W. E. Bogan, George Colebank and Rev. S. R. Jones.

BAND PRAISED AT TEACHERS' RECEPTION

The McLean band came in for praise from the speakers at the P. T. A. teachers' reception last Friday evening. Supt. Boswell said that when he attended the teachers' institute at Canyon, President Hill of the West Texas State Teachers College introduced him as the superintendent from the town that has one of the finest bands in the state. Justice of the Peace C. S. Rice gave high praise to the work of the band for the town, and other speakers expressed pride in the band.

BAPTIST REVIVAL AT RAMSDALL

Rev. Chester M. Savage is conducting a revival at the Ramsdell Baptist Church, with W. N. Pharis leading the song service and Miss Maudelle Dukemeiner of Wellington playing the piano. The following subjects for the evening services have been announced: "Thursday (tonight), 'The Second Coming of Christ'; Friday, 'The Forgiveness of Sins'; Saturday, 'The Lake of Fire'; Sunday a. m., 'The Name of Jesus'; p. m., 'The Gospel in One Word'; Monday, 'The Cleansing Blood of Christ'; Tuesday, 'What Did Jesus Claim for Himself?'; Wednesday, 'The Unchanging Christ.' Services are being held in the afternoon at 2 in the homes, and in the evening at 8 o'clock at the Ramsdell school house.

PTA GIVES RECEPTION TO SCHOOL FACULTY

A reception was given the faculty of the McLean schools, at the high school auditorium last Friday evening, under the auspices of the PTA. A program was rendered in charge of Mrs. R. L. Appling, president of the PTA. Mrs. Appling made a talk outlining the plans of the organization for the coming year, some changes in former plans being mentioned. Mrs. Appling said that a monthly meeting will be held in addition to the regular afternoon meetings, in order that the fathers may attend. Several speakers will be called upon for talks on stated subjects at the evening meetings, and home talent among the children will be used for the afternoon meetings. Speakers for the different organizations of the town were called upon. T. W. Gilstrap responded for the C. of C. J. S. Howard school board, A. A. Tampke American Legion and vocational department, W. E. Bogan Lions Club, Mrs. Tampke American Legion Auxiliary, Mrs. Bogan Child Study Club, Prof. Robt. C. Davidson band, Mrs. J. R. Glass Embroidery Club, Supt. G. C. Boswell schools, T. A. Landers newspaper. Judon Cobb read an original poem and C. S. Rice gave some interesting facts of local school history, beginning 27 years ago. Music was furnished by the high school band. Prof. John Harding gave a piano solo, and George Colebank offered the invocation. Refreshments were served to all present.

SOUTH SIDE CONTRIBUTES MUCH TO PAMPA FAIR

"This side of the county made the fair at Pampa last week a success," said Ralph R. Thomas, Gray county agent, at the Lions luncheon Tuesday. Mr. Thomas said that this side of the county carried off most of the prizes. The speaker stressed the importance of county co-operation and made a plea for harmony in this county. President Williams of the club stated that the Baptist ladies have invited the club members to be their guests at the meeting on October 13, when the Baptist Workers' Conference will be in session here. The invitation was enthusiastically accepted. Dr. E. Amedel was presented as a visitor of the club.

L. M. SMALL DIES TUESDAY

L. M. Small, aged 73, of Shamrock, brother of Judge E. H. Small, died Tuesday morning while on a visit to his son at Strong City. Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church at Shamrock Wednesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. A. Erwin, minister of the First Presbyterian Church of McLean. The deceased was a Royal Arch Mason and a licensed preacher in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

FAMOUS SALE NEXT WEEK

J. Walsman, who bought the stock of The Famous, announces a sale to begin Friday, Sept. 25, in a half page advertisement in this paper. The News is also printing the big sale bills for the store.

NEW FILLING STATION

W. C. Cheney announces a new filling station at the old Buick Garage stand near the postoffice. Sidney Kunkel will be active manager of the station, and it is planned to add a garage in the rear of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glass, Mrs. J. D. Back and Miss Dorothy Cantrell were in Pampa Monday.

Gilstrap to Amarillo; Green New Manager

T. W. Gilstrap, local manager of the Southwestern Public Service Co., since July 1, 1929, has been promoted to the Amarillo office of the company as commercial manager, in charge of merchandise and power sales and advertising. Mr. Gilstrap has been active in civic affairs here, was elected president of the chamber of commerce last January, and is a director in the Lions Club. He has spared neither time nor expense in co-operating with all community betterment enterprises. Mr. Gilstrap left Thursday morning for his new position, and in a conversation with a representative of The News, stated that he appreciates the co-operation given him by the citizens of McLean, and he will be glad to meet any of the McLean folks when they are visiting in Amarillo. Carl O. Green succeeds Mr. Gilstrap as manager here. Mr. Green is a son of Dr. J. A. Green, who came to McLean in 1903 and was very active in civic affairs here. After leaving McLean, the Green family lived at Wellington, Lamesa and Plainview, where Carl entered college, later teaching school, served through the world war, and came to Amarillo after the war, where he was employed by the Santa Fe Railway Co. for five years. Mr. Green became identified with the Southwestern Public Service Co. at Amarillo in 1924, first as storekeeper, having charge of the handling and accounting for materials and supplies, and later as purchasing agent, which position he has held for the past four years. Mr. Green has expressed himself as being very happy to again make his home in McLean, and is anxious to meet his old friends and make new ones.

McLEAN CITIZENS WIN AT PAMPA FAIR

Among those from McLean who won places at the Pampa fair last week were: Kafir, L. O. Floyd 1st, W. H. Floyd 2nd; milo maize, W. H. Floyd 1st, L. O. Floyd 2nd; Boys' 4-H clubs, Hegari, Arthur Howard 3rd; home demonstration work, pillow cases, Mrs. R. F. Sanders 1st; sheer dress, Mrs. R. F. Sanders 3rd. Very few exhibits were entered from this side of the county.

COUNTY AGENT TO WORK ON FAIR EXHIBIT

County Agent Ralph R. Thomas was in McLean Tuesday gathering material for a Gray county exhibit at the Amarillo fair. Mr. Thomas says that, despite the fact that Gray county did not decide to enter an exhibit until the last minute he confidently expects the exhibit to place high at the fair.

GRAY COUNTY TEACHERS MEET

Gray county school superintendents and principals held their first meeting of the year at Lefors Wednesday night. A banquet was served by the home economics department of the Lefors high school. The program was as follows: Invocation, Rev. Vermillion of Laketon; reading, Mr. Groves of the Lefors school; vocal solo, Supt. R. B. Fisher of Pampa; piano solo, Prin. John Harding of McLean; school nursing, Mrs. Downs of Hokkins. Supt. Downs of Canadian was the principal speaker, taking as his subject, "Freedom and Democracy of Play in the Schools." The following were present from McLean: Supt. and Mrs. G. C. Boswell, Prin. John Harding and Dr. A. A. Tampke.

EMBROIDERY CLUB

The Embroidery Club met Wednesday of last week with Mrs. Allen Wilson. Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Josh Turner, D. C. Carpenter, Chas. Cooke, Eddie Winburne, Harold Rippy, Donald Beall, Byrd Gull, C. A. Strandberg, Raymond Glass, J. E. Kirby, H. W. Brooks, L. F. Stewart, C. C. Bogan.

SHAMROCK BOY BREAKS ARM

The first football accident of the season was reported from Shamrock last week, when Charles Westbrook received a broken arm while practicing with the high school team.

Erwin Speaks on Constitution at Lions Club

Rev. W. A. Erwin, minister of the First Presbyterian Church, was the principal speaker at the Lions luncheon Tuesday, bringing a message on the constitution of the United States, as a part of the Lions' observance of Constitution Week. Rev. Erwin showed that constitutional government has the endorsement of the Bible, saying that the ten commandments were a part of the first constitution in history. The Magna Charta was mentioned as the second constitution granted the common people, and the constitution of the United States was the third great contract of common rights. The events leading up to the adoption of the constitution were given and the speaker insisted that a proper reverence for constitutional law should be taught. "The man who does not reverence the constitution and flag of this country should get out," said Rev. Erwin. The speaker placed the constitution next to the Bible in importance and said that we need to obey the constitution in all parts.

SENATOR SMALL DEFINES POSITION ON LONG PLAN

The following letter has been received from Senator Clint C. Small, after his attention had been called to an editorial in this paper commending him for his stand on the Long cotton plan and municipal ownership of utilities: Austin, Sept. 14, 1931. Mr. T. A. Landers, McLean, Texas. Dear Mr. Landers: Please accept my thanks for your letter of September 11th. Before coming to Austin I made a careful study of the cotton situation, and a careful investigation of the sentiment of the farmers I represent. My investigation convinced me that the State could well afford to attempt to do by legislation that which we have attempted to do by agreement for a number of years—that is, to bring about crop reduction and crop diversification. I think we could well afford to cut our cotton crop 50% in view of the distressed conditions. I was requested originally to support the 50-50 plan, and to oppose the Long plan. I committed myself to this program and lined up for the passage of this bill, and after doing so, found quite a reversal of sentiment in my section and quite a demand for the Long plan. I think the people will eventually see the folly of the Long plan, and that when their anxiety subsides they will probably commend the course I have tried to take. I never was more earnest in my desire to do something that will bring about beneficial results. I note what is said about my opposition to municipal ownership of utilities. I opposed the gas bond election in my town because taxes have almost reached the point where ownership of property is jeopardized. I have some rent property that is bringing in rent at a price my tenants cannot afford to pay, yet I cannot afford to cut my rents because I could not pay my taxes and insurance. We must keep the question of taxes constantly before us. I am sure our bonds will bring about a great deal more increase in our taxes than in the reduction of our gas rate. With kindest regards, I am, Very truly yours, C. C. SMALL.

GUY HIBLER TO ATTEND COLLEGE

Guy Hibler has been added to the employees group at the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon and will work in the milk department of the college dairy farm. Guy was added to the group on account of his ability in making butter, chocolate milk and general handling of milk and products. Lother Tampke and Clark Stockton are the other McLean boys at the farm, McLean having more boys at the farm than any other town. Other McLean boys who previously had been given places at the farm will not attend the college this year.

SMITH CHILD DIES

Funeral services were held Sept 14th at the home of Jack Bailey, for J. W. 8 months and 14 days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith. Rev. Williams, pastor of the Head Methodist Church, conducted the services. Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, arrangements in charge of Mortician C. S. Rice.

FAIR STORE SALE

The Fair Store's "Star" sale opens Saturday morning, as is announced in a big advertisement on another page. The News printed the sale bills for the McLean store and also for the Clovis, N. M., store, whose sale opens next week.

Gas Company Asks New Rate Be Suspended

The city council has received a wire from the State Railroad Commission stating that the McLean Gas Co. has filed an appeal to the commission from the new ordinance, asking that the new rate be suspended until the matter is adjusted and asking that the city set a date for the hearing, also asking if a hearing at Austin would be satisfactory to the city. The matter was referred to the city attorneys, Calhoun and Thompson of Amarillo, who advised the hearing in McLean, and stated that they would be free to set a date in about three weeks. Calhoun and Thompson were employed by the city to investigate utility rates, at a fee of \$500 per month, for a period of three months, last year the contract to end in three months unless mutually agreed otherwise. The attorneys have agreed to carry the matter of the gas rates to a final conclusion for the city. It was also a part of the contract with the attorneys that they would advise the council relative to minor matters that might arise.

Commission Hearing Will Be Held in McLean

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TUESDAY MCLEAN DAY AT AMARILLO FAIR

Next Tuesday will be McLean day at the Amarillo fair, and a number of citizens plan to visit the fair on that day. The McLean band has been practicing marching and playing for the parade that will be held in Amarillo Tuesday. An attraction, enroute to the Amarillo fair, stopped in McLean Wednesday, showing an Agouti, a fruit and vegetable eating animal captured near Del Rio, Texas.

OIL COMPANY LAUNCHES ADVERTISING CAMPAIGN

The Continental Oil Company is launching the largest advertising campaign ever sponsored by the company, the first of the advertisements appearing on another page of this paper, and in 1,568 other newspapers with a combined circulation of more than 9,000,000. The campaign will represent the expenditure of a quarter million dollars within the next six weeks, or about half of the apportionment for this year. During 1931 the company will spend more than half of its entire advertising budget for newspaper advertising, and despite the depression, they have increased their yearly advertising budget for this year.

NEW TAILOR SHOP

N. H. Greer has opened a new tailor shop at the McLean Laundry, to be known as the Greer Tailor Shop. Mr. Greer will be in active charge of the shop and has employed Mrs. Morris of Childress, an operator of 26 years experience in tailor work. Mrs. Morris will specialize in ladies' silk dresses and Mr. Greer says all work will be guaranteed. The new shop has contracted for a regular advertisement in this paper, the first of which appears on another page of this issue.

J. E. LYNCH IN SHAMROCK

J. E. Lynch was in Shamrock last Thursday.

CLAUDE WILLIAMS IN WHEELER

Claude Williams was in Wheeler Friday.

Next Sunday's Lesson

THE COUNCIL IN JERUSALEM
Acts 15:22-29; Gal. 2:1-10

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff
Paul and Barnabas returned to Antioch with a wonderful report of their work on the first great missionary journey they had attempted. They remained there with the church at Antioch for a "long time," according to the last verse of Acts 14. After they had been there for some time there came Jews from Jerusalem, who attempted to make the Antioch Christians believe that one must first become a Jew before he can become a Christian. When such teaching as that began, Paul and Barnabas disputed it, for they had just been out on the field and had seen great numbers of Gentiles saved without any regard whatever to the Mosaic law.

The dispute became warm, neither side being willing to give in, so the Antioch brethren decided to send a delegation, including Paul and Barnabas, to Jerusalem to find out how the brethren there felt about the matter. Numbers of the church accompanied their messengers on the way for a small part of the journey and then turned back. As the group went toward Jerusalem they preached the wonderful grace of God to the Gentiles.

When they arrived in Jerusalem, they were first received and had conference with a number of the church leaders. They then brought the matter of their mission before the church. The thing which the Antiochians desired to know had already been a matter of undecurrent in the Jerusalem church. Many of the converted Pharisees were anxious to cling to their Mosaic customs. Therefore, when the matter came up there was a great deal of difference among the members of that church. But it developed that those who had gone to Antioch were not representatives of the Jerusalem church. Finally the church came to an agreement. They wrote a letter to the brethren of the Antioch church. The letter first denied their sanction of those who had troubled the brethren there. They were then exhorted to abstain from meat offered to idols, from blood and from things strangled and from fornication. These they felt were enough for the Christians of Antioch to bother themselves about, without permitting such things of no immediate necessity or eternal value as circumcision according to the Mosaic law. Along with this letter the church sent Judas and Silas as personal messengers to their fellow brethren.

There is in this lesson a beautiful picture of the brotherhood found in the early churches. There were individuals in them who were opinionated and who were willing to go to untoward ends to make their opinions stand up. But while they caused a great deal of discussion and many difficulties, the churches in general were open minded. Thus we find the Antioch church sending representatives to Jerusalem for council purposes, that they might be rightly informed and carry on their preaching and instruction aright. Likewise, we find the Jerusalem church denying false teaching and sending a message to the brethren of Antioch, containing the teaching which they would approve.

It is probable that, since the church at Jerusalem had worked only among Jews, there still remained in the hearts of most of them the feeling that Christianity was for the Jews, either only or primarily. However, the marvelous story of Paul and Barnabas concerning their work among the Gentiles could not be denied. Probably the brethren who accompanied Paul and Barnabas were Gentile Christians, and then finally Peter told of his visions and experiences concerning Cornelius, and the brethren, though stubborn as some of them were, came to "one accord" as the scripture states it. The power and love of Christ Jesus will always bring brethren who heed it to the point of being in one accord concerning Him.

PEACE

If only it were as easy to make peace as it is desirable to have it.

After an immense amount of trouble, the vicar of a country parish succeeded in reconciling two women who had quarreled for years. He even induced them to meet under the vicarage roof.

In his drawing room they shook hands. After an embarrassed silence one of them said:

"Well, Mrs. Tyler, I wish you all you wishes me."

"An' who's saying nasty things now?" snapped Mrs. Tyler.

"I cook and bake for you and what do I get? Nothing."

"You're lucky. I get indigestion."

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

ORDINANCE NO. 42

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 42 WHICH WAS PASSED ON THE 28TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1926, BY THE CITY OF McLEAN, ENTITLED "AN ORDINANCE GRANTING A FRANCHISE TO O. G. STOKELY, ED STOVER, AND B. F. HOLMES, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, TO SUPPLY AND FURNISH TO THE CITY OF McLEAN IN THE COUNTY OF GRAY, STATE OF TEXAS, GAS FOR FUEL, LIGHT AND POWER PURPOSES AND PROVIDING RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR THE DISTRIBUTION AND THE SALE OF SUCH GAS TO THE CITY OF McLEAN AND ITS INHABITANTS BY O. G. STOKELY, ED STOVER AND B. F. HOLMES, THEIR HEIRS, SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS, FIXING N. W. RATES FOR THE USE OF GAS TO THE CITY OF McLEAN AND ITS INHABITANTS."

1. That sub-section (a) under Section 2 of Ordinance No. 42 be amended to hereinafter read as follows:

(a) That the net rate for natural gas sold and used for domestic purposes, other than minimum monthly bills, shall not exceed 36 cents per thousand cubic feet of gas, exclusive of penalty, for the first thirty thousand cubic feet for all gas over this amount of thirty thousand cubic feet.

The rate for gas to the McLean Independent School shall be 25 cents per thousand cubic feet for the first thirty thousand cubic feet and 20c for all gas in excess thereof, and the bill for gas in all schools shall be billed one statement and one billing, as though used through one meter, the reason for this being that the public is one customer in fact.

2. That sub-section (b) of Section 2 of Ordinance No. 42 is hereby amended to hereinafter read as follows:

(b) Grantee shall sell gas for industrial and boiler purposes at a rate not to exceed twenty (20) cents per thousand cubic feet, exclusive of penalties, when the consumer will contract to use a minimum of five million (5,000,000) cubic feet of gas per annum, otherwise said industrial and boiler rate shall never exceed forty (40) cents per thousand feet of gas.

PASSED this 29th day of August, 1931.
JOT MONTGOMERY, Mayor.
Attest: W. E. BOGAN, Secretary.
(SEAL) 36-3c

NICKLE BUYS BIG MELON

Watermelons are selling in the District of Columbia as low as 5c each. Melons are shipped to Washington by boat from Virginia, and also many are trucked to the market from the eastern shore of Maryland. After paying transportation charges, the farmers receive about one-tenth of one cent for each melon.

Miss Rhoda Powell returned Friday from a visit at Exeter, Mo.

Local and Personal

Mrs. Thompson left Sunday for her home at Houston after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. R. McHaney.

Born, Saturday, Sept. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McHaney, a girl, named Velda Vee.

Nugent Kunkel and family of Amarillo visited relatives here last week end.

Porter and Ruel Smith made a trip to South Bend, Ind., this week.

A. R. McHaney and little son, Sid, were Clarendon visitors Sunday.

John Roselius of Alanreed was in McLean Sunday.

Bill Turner of Wheeler visited in McLean Sunday.

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

Vester Smith made a trip to Dallas last week.

Mrs. Wilson Boyd returned to her home at Amarillo Saturday.

Dr. W. E. Ballard was in Wheeler Friday.

Harris King was in Amarillo for medical treatment last week.

Whitney Buchanan was in Amarillo Friday.

Wilmer Mercer visited in Wheeler last week end.

Clark Reagal of Amarillo was in McLean Friday.

FRAUDULENT BEGGAR

A friend told us of a man this week who went to South or East Texas last winter and stood in the soup line all winter and came back bragging on how cheaply he made his trip and how little his living cost was while down there. The man, he said, was a money lender in his home town, and had plenty cash in the banks. Now this is still another thing about human beings we can't understand. Most people would not perpetrate such a fraud on their fellow beings without a remorse of conscience. And we might have fed just such people here last winter from other places. Who knows?—Terry County Herald.

"I think we could be very happy together."
"But do you think we could be as as we could apart?"

NOTICE

The Postoffice Service Station, better known as the Buick Garage, will be open for business Saturday, Sept. 19th. We will give the best service possible and will appreciate a part trip and how little his living cost of your patronage. Sidney Kunkel, Manager. Advertisement 1/c

C. S. Rice was in Wheeler
For ACHES and PAINS
BALLARD'S
SNOW LINIMENT
Penetrates! Soothes!
ERWIN DRUG CO.

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Take advantage of our service when you are in the market for town or farm property. Our years of experience enable us to know values.

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New Mexico Day
Frid. Sept. 25



TRI-STATE EXPOSITION
AMARILLO, TEXAS

\$15,000.00
In Cash
PRIZES

Sept. 21st to 26th

FREE GATE

Dodson's
World's Fair
SHOWS

Wonderful exhibits from every Tri-State county! Big prize awards in every division. Plan now to attend this big event of the year in the Pan-handle-Plains—interesting, educational, and fun for everyone!

No admission charge to the fair grounds or exhibits, 29 acres free parking space, and many wonderful—

FREE ATTRACTIONS

The "Million Dollar Mid-day"—circus, menagerie, museum, carnival—100 acres of canvas, 40 railroad cars, 600 people in rides, 20 foot theatrical bands, prize girls, horses, animals—everything!

"THE FALL OF BABYLON"
NEW CHICAGO REVUE

Chicago's most beautiful show girls in the biggest and most gorgeous production of 1931. Dazzling costumes, marvelous settings, breath-taking scenes—all every night before the grandstand. Also spectacular fireworks, after the show each night. Popular prices.

THE FAMOUS LEONARD STROUD'S
BIG RODEO CONTEST

The best riders and ropers in America will compete for \$1500.00 in cash prizes! Trick riding, broncho bucking, steer riding, roping contest—the best of the West's cow boys in thrilling, death-defying events and exhibits of skill. Every afternoon—at popular prices.

MEADOR
CAFE

Open Day and Night

EXTRA
NEW LAMPS FOR OLD!
\$1.50 to \$2.00 ALLOWED ON ANY OLD LAMP

HERE'S a rare opportunity for you to equip your entire home with the world's famous Aladdin kerosene (coal oil) Mantle Lamps at a big saving. Bring in any old oil or gasolene lighting device of any make or condition, and you will be given the generous allowance of \$1.50 to \$2.00 for it, depending upon the style of Aladdin you purchase. Bring in as many old lamps as you please as long as you purchase an equal number of Aladdin.

Never before has such a broad, liberal, generous offer been made on the new Instant-Light Aladdin Kerosene (coal oil) Mantle Lamp—the most remarkable of all modern white lights. Certainly now you can well afford all the joys and comforts the Aladdin will bring to every member of your household. The Aladdin line comprises table, hanging, bracket, vase, and floor lamps in a variety of handsome and durable finishes.

Come in NOW—Our Stock is Limited
Don't wait. Come in at once and inspect this new 1931 Aladdin. See it demonstrated! Remember this offer is limited both as to time and quantity. Our stock will not last long under so generous an offer. The offer positively will not be extended, so hurry your old lamps in while the opportunity is with you.

Only for a Limited Time
Oct. 15th to Nov. 14th Inclusive

These New INSTANT LIGHT Aladdin MANTLE LAMPS
Will Brighten and Beautify Your ENTIRE HOME!

McLean Hdw. Co.

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for the price of a
Stick of Gum

YOU drop a penny in a slot. Out comes a stick of gum. You think nothing of the expenditure. Equally insignificant is the cost of operating most electric appliances. You can, for example, make a whole pot of coffee for about a cent. And you can even cook electrically for one cent a meal per person. And most other electric appliances are just as economical to operate. In fact, if you paid for electricity as you use it, pennies would pay your electric bill.

you can make

6 cups of coffee
Electrically



Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

C. O. Green, Manager

GOLF GOSSIP

By D. A. Davis

Generally speaking, a father can't be proud of his son, especially if he has won a few prizes in some tournament. Some of my closest friends have been bothered with my bragging about how many prizes my son has won at Plainview and that a wonderful golfer he was. I was awfully disappointed the way he played golf over here last week. He came over with a grand new set of clubs, all dressed from head to foot in new knickerbockers, shoes, and the like, and I thought I was going to see some wonderful golf, but he kinda disappointed me the first round with a 48 to my 41. The next round we tied with a 37, and the next round I played my very best, thinking it would make him play better, but he failed to do any better, and I beat him again. I had all planned out to challenge him for some of our par shooters to play him so he could beat them, in order to make my bragging stand up. We slipped out early the next morning to play a practice round before I made the challenge but he turned in a 53. By that time I was completely disgusted with him, so I came back to the house and bundled up his duds and sent him back home and told him for goodness sake to stay there until he could learn to play golf.

Fenn Bourland is trying awfully hard to graduate before he leaves McLean so he can get his P. S. (par shooter) degree, so when he moves to New Mexico, Arizona, or is it "Arkansas?" he can show those golfers what kind of golfer we guys in Texas shoot. He only lacks one grade now, as he made a 37 a few days ago. Here is hoping he can make a 36 before he goes away, so we can issue him his diploma.

Here is hoping we will be able to have a few more graduates before the season is over. And what we mean is all golfers that shoot a par during the season will be given a diploma showing they have graduated and are entitled to a P. S. degree. Am afraid some of the boys will have to take a full four-year course before they will graduate.

Madison Bentley, I believe, will make the graduating class. He has made a 38 a few times, and is trying awfully hard to make it 36.

A certain lady asked me this question: "What do you do when you make a birdie?" and just to be mean about it, my wife told her that I "generally acted the fool" when I made one. Doggone it.

I don't believe the ladies' tournament will ever be played unless it gets cooler and the wind quits blowing. When wash day comes, no matter how hot, how cold, how windy or how rainy, the "wimmin'" simply put out their washing, but when it comes to playing golf or visiting their husband's kinfolks, the weather has to be just what they will move a peg. But we men never let the weather, business or kinfolks interfere with our game.

The graduating class now consists of Roy Campbell, Pete Rice, Johnny Haynes, Dr. Batson, Victor Back and the "Tooth Puller." Any of the rest of you guys have the nerve to report a 36, let me know and I will put you on the honor roll.

Claude Williams reports that he put a ball on No. 4 green the other day, but did not say whether he drove it off the tee box or picked it up and carried it over there. Whatever you want to believe about it is all right with me.

It seems to me like we are getting a bad break with these changes that taking place. Fenn Bourland and Bill Gilstrap both leaving us will make their places hard to fill, but we are hoping that their successors will be as good golf sports as Fenn and Bill are.

The kindergarten class, composed of Mun Davis, Mont Noel, N. A. Greer, Clayborn Cash and J. A. Meador, is slowly but surely improving. They are beginning to learn what you mean when you holler "Fore!"

Say, if any of you fellows run across any farmers wanting their cotton ginned, send them out to the golf course.

FIRST QUARREL

"I'm going home to mother," said the bride.
"I'll go along," said the young husband, "then we can both get a square meal."
"You'll do nothing of the kind," sniffed the bride, wiping away her tears. "Just for that I'll stay here and make you suffer, if I have to wear out a dozen can openers."

Miss Vera Laswell and brother, Roy, of Amarillo are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. L. E. Cunningham, this week.

News from Alanreed

Roy Murphy of Wheeler spent Monday night in the Ollie Elliott home. R. P. Reeves spent the week end with his daughter, Mrs. C. T. McMurtry.

Mrs. M. T. Walker and daughter, Stella; Mrs. J. H. Gull, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gull visited Clay Cash at McLean Monday.

John Hesse's vacant house burned Tuesday. The wind was very high, but nothing else was damaged. The fire was of unknown origin.

E. B. Reeves and son, Jesse, made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. Andy Word made a business trip to McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Elliott of Wolf City and Mrs. D. S. Elliott of Belton are visiting in the Ollie Elliott home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Garrett and daughter, Jackie Joan, spent Thursday night with his brother, Gilbert Garrett, on their way home from Colorado.

Arville Ellis and Miss Alfa Jones from Clarendon visited with Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy from McLean spent an enjoyable evening in the home of Jim Bryant.

T. H. Baker, aged 54, a farmer and well known citizen of Alanreed, died Tuesday at 3 p. m. at the A. L. Johnson ranch headquarters, three miles northwest of Alanreed. His death came as a result of a prolonged illness. Mr. Baker was a resident of this community for about two years. Funeral services were held Wednesday at the First Baptist Church. Rev. J. L. King, pastor, and Rev. S. T. Greenwood conducted the services, burial was made in Alanreed cemetery. He leaves to mourn his death, a widow, two sons and two daughters of Graham, two stepsons and three stepdaughters of Alanreed, two sisters and three brothers.

Mrs. W. W. Whitsitt made a business trip to Amarillo this week.

Mrs. Clyde Easterling and little daughter spent Tuesday with her niece, Mrs. Lawrence Minnard.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Castleberry visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrod Wednesday.

Local and Personal

Miss Johnnie Villa and Gorda Lou Haynes and LaEuna Holloway visited at Weatherford, Okla., last week end. Miss Gorda Lou stayed to attend school this term.

Jack Cooke and sister, Mrs. Carl Overton, of White Deer attended the funeral of their brother, Ross Cooke, at Fort Worth Monday.

Miss Lillian Parks of Knox City is visiting Miss Jewell Cousins this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. King of Mangum, Okla., were in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Groves of Brownsville visited in the E. J. Lander home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Major of Memphis visited the former's sister, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, last week end.

Mrs. Callie Haynes and mother, Mrs. Sam Kunkel, visited at Erick, Okla., last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Jordan and little daughter of Amarillo visited in the R. S. Jordan home Sunday.

T. D. Nored of Clarendon was in McLean Monday.

Jot Montgomery made a trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. Harvey of Clarendon was in McLean Monday.

Harris King is in a hospital at Mangum, Okla., this week.

Mrs. Wilson Blakney of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Harris King and children are in Mangum, Okla., this week.

D. C. Carpenter was in New Mexico last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp returned Monday from a visit in New Mexico.

A. W. Haynes was in Amarillo Saturday.

Miss Lena Davidson of Ramsdell was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Clell Windom of Oregon is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eva Rogers.

T. J. Tedder was in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Terry Hudgins of Erick, Okla., visited relatives here this week.

A. F. Smith visited at Memphis Sunday.

SCHOOL TUITION LAW

Austin, Sept. 8, 1931.

Supt. G. C. Boswell, McLean, Texas, may hear Mr. Boswell referring to your letter of Sept. 5th.

The high school tuition law provides that pupils six to twenty-one years of age residing in a district that does not offer the high school grade in which they are properly enrolled may attend high school elsewhere, even outside the county, at the expense of the district of residence and of the state, provided the district of residence is levying and collecting a local school tax. You will not from the above that transfers for high school purposes are not restricted to the county of residence and that they may be made after August first; that is, the pupils may be certified as beneficiaries of the tuition law and attend high school, even though they may not be transferred in the regular manner.

Yours very truly,
L. W. ROGERS, First Assistant State Superintendent.

Printed salesmanship pays.

TROUBLES OF AN EDITOR

To be verbose is inadvisable, to prevaricate is foreign to good taste, to magnify is as bad as to minimize, to elucidate in one syllable words is tedious, to be sacriligious is unwarranted, to assume to be a pedagogue would be far fetched.

To make a mountain out of a mole hill is unwise, to procrastinate we are prone, to emulate great writers we would aspire, did we not realize our shortcomings so acutely; to hesitate is fatal, to cogitate produces argument, to emancipate all from unenlightenment would be an Herculean task.

To set down in simple language the events of a rather humdrum existence is all that is left to do, even if we could do more. It is not for posterity that we write, but for your present entertainment and satisfaction.—A. P. Gregory in the Porter (Okla.) News.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke attended the funeral of the former's brother in Fort Worth Monday.

Hugh Miller of Ramsdell was in town Saturday.

Rev. W. A. Erwin and Evan L. Sitter went to Amarillo Wednesday to attend the meeting of Amarillo Presbytery, which met at the Central Presbyterian Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Harrell of Balanger visited the lady's father, C. A. Cash, Monday. They left Tuesday for Dalhart to make their home.

Mrs. C. B. Batson and son returned Tuesday from a visit with relatives in Louisiana.

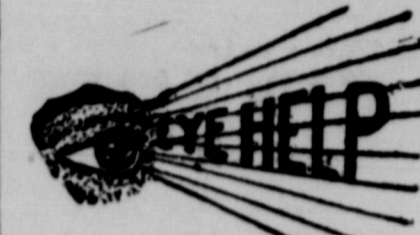
N. E. Pogue visited his mother at Chillicothe last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith of Paken were in town Saturday.

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This stock bought at 25c on the dollar and priced accordingly.
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The News editor is in receipt of invitations to a birthday dinner for Dr. J. E. Nunn of Amarillo, and to attend Press Day at the fair, next Wednesday, but it is the wrong day of the week for us to get away from work.

During the past fiscal year ending July 31, the world consumed more foreign cotton than American cotton. Export cotton from America has almost reached the vanishing point. There is food for thought in these statements.

The regular report of the county treasurer of Randall county was published last week, as the law directs, in the Canyon News. This report is complete and should be interesting reading to the citizens of that county.

We note an exchange carrying five columns of "free" plate matter, which amounts to a page of a four-page issue, that is nothing but advertising, pure and simple; yet the advertisers paid nothing for the space. As long as publishers will fall for the "free" stuff, just so long can publicity men draw high salaries to get their stuff by the publishers.

In speaking last week of the advantages of the city manager plan of city government, we had no intention of intimating that members of the McLean council get anything for their services, as they cut their salaries off some time ago. However, the salaries of the councilmen are but a negligible part of the expense of running a city government under the old aldermanic plan.

The editor of the Texas Weekly says that the passing of any kind of cotton control law in a Democratic state should be enough to cause Thomas Jefferson to turn a double somersault in his grave. He also quotes a Democratic Chief Justice of the State Supreme Court: "Property consists not merely in ownership and possession, but in unrestricted right to its use and enjoyment. To destroy these elements destroys the property itself, annihilates its value, and ownership is rendered a barren right. All laws to such effect are void." But maybe these men did not live in a time when he cry of "something must be done" was as loud as it is today. Future results will be an interesting study to thoughtful citizens.

QUICK THINKING

A darky and his "yaller" girl were walking along together.
"I see skeered mos' to def, Rastus."
"What am yo' skeered ob, woman?"
"I see skeered yo'ose gwine to kiss me."
"How kin I kiss yo' when I see got bucket on mah haid, a wash pot one han' an' a turkey gobbler in udder?"
"Oh, well, I wuz thinkin' yo' could de bucket ob watah on de groun', de turkey down an' turn de h pot ovah him, den set me on wash pot, frow yo' ahms around an' des hep yo'sef."

With the Churches

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

W. Hickman, Pastor
Our revival closed last Sunday with a wonderful service. There were 11 at the altar and most of them prayed through to victory, the service continuing until 1 o'clock. The revival proved a great blessing to the church as well as the salvation of the lost. Bro. Cagle preached some wonderful sermons and his message on "The Value of a Soul" was the greatest I have ever heard on that subject. He is a mighty man of God and the result of his powerful messages will never be known until the final judgment and consummation of all things. We need more preachers who will preach the torments of a burning, flaming, smoking, sizzling, damnable devil's hell. Sin is a heinous monster. We wish to express our thanks to everyone who assisted in the revival in any way, and we pray God's richest blessings upon you. We will have our regular services next Sunday as usual. Sunday school at 10 a. m., preaching 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Prayer meeting each Wednesday at 8 p. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
Sunday school at 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Proving Israel."

B. Y. P. U's. at 7 p. m.
Evening worship at 8. Message by the pastor.

The W. M. S. will meet in the church auditorium Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock to observe the Prayer Week program.

The Y. W. A. will meet Monday night for an out door meeting and to study "The Window."

Prayer meeting will be held in the auditorium Wednesday night at 8. Choir rehearsal will be held in the church auditorium Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m. F. H. Bourland, supt.; Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, supt. primary department.

Morning worship 11. Sermon by the pastor. Anthem by the choir. No services at night on account of the revival at Magic City. There have been good crowds and interest each night this week. The meeting will close Sunday night.

Junior choir Tuesday, 4 p. m.
Senior choir Wednesday, 8 p. m.

WEBB SCHOOL SERVICES

Sunday school at 2 p. m. and preaching at 3 every Sunday at the Webb school house, about 6 miles north of Otto Gross's filling station. Rev. C. C. Warford will preach Sunday, Sept. 20, and Rev. W. A.

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Erwin Sept. 27.

We have had wonderful co-operation from the churches all around us, and we do thank God and you for it. Everybody please come, and we will do our best to make you feel welcome.

CHARITY FUND TO BE JEALOUSLY GUARDED

If those who refuse to work when an opportunity is given, and who expect to impose upon the generosity of the American people this fall and winter, think they are going to be fed, they aer due for a rude awakening.

Clarendon people, like other responsive citizens, will certainly do the best they can for the truly worthy unfortunates this winter, but there is to be no duplication of effort and there is to be a more rigid investigation before aid is extended.

If it be a "hard winter," those who would "ride free" are going to feel it keener than anyone else, for necessity forces Clarendon and every other town to clamp down the lid on any but the most worthy cases of charity.

Another thing—these gypsies that range from one town to another in search of food; they may as well pass on, for they will receive scant attention in Clarendon. — Clarendon News.

LEGISLATOR RELIEF

Most of us are always ready to ply some questions, whether they concern us or not, and what we aim to ask is, perhaps, none of our business.

But—if the legislature can tell the farmer how much to plant, when to plant, and what to plant, why can't the legislature tell Texas women and Texas jellybeans that they must pull off their silk and rayon underwear and don cotton undies? We just asked the question. Now you answer it, and if you say one is logical and the other is not, please tell us why.—Terry County Herald.

"Are you in favor of women taking part in public affairs?"
"It's all right if you really want the affairs public."—Bennington Banner.

"Can I marry your daughter?"
"Can you lend me \$25?"
"Yes."
"Yes."

ADVERTISING AND PRICES

Vast sums spent by large manufacturers and merchants for advertising are responsible for a popular superstition to the effect that advertised goods are higher in price than they would be if they were not advertised. The word "superstition" is used advisedly, because it has been demonstrated many times that advertising lowers, instead of raises, prices.

Advertising campaigns are costly and the consumer must pay for them, but they are paid for by new business the advertising attracts. There is nothing paradoxical in a situation where a manufacturer or merchant adds an extensive advertising appropriation to his budget and then turns around and cuts prices.

Million-dollar advertising programs make it possible for the manufacturer to lower his prices by so increasing his production that he can effect real economies through mass production and can spread his profit over a greater number of sales.

Advertising enlarges demand and thereby makes it possible for the retailer to buy stocks in larger quantities at lower cost. Moreover, goods well advertised are more than half sold before the customer enters the store, which lowers sales resistance and sales costs.

The price tags on advertised commodities are, in themselves, proof that business can save money for its customers by spending millions for advertising.—Eau Claire (Wis.) Leader.

J. W. Palmer of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Boyd Meador was in Amarillo last Thursday.

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The court room was packed with spectators, who awaited the return of a jury that had been out over two hours. Finally they filed in and the foreman announced the verdict of "guilty." The judge then sentenced the prisoner to 20 years in the penitentiary. Immediately the attorney for the defense was on his feet protesting.
"Your Honor," he shouted, "the defendant is a very sick man. He won't live 20 years."
"That being the case," responded the judge, "I will reduce the sentence to life imprisonment."

"Did you hear about the man who was on the fair grounds yesterday?"
"No. Did a lion or something lose?"
"Worse than that. The speaker trienne who does a Lady Godiva each performance forgot and had his hair bobbed."

Mrs. J. H. Lankford of Amarillo visited in the Prock Cunningham home this week.

J. A. Sparks was in Alanreed Friday.

SHOE SHOP

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Luna, 10 bars for 25c

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3 baby tins 10c

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2 tall tins 15c

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HONEY Iowa with comb \$1.19

OATS Crystal Wedding with glassware 21c

FLOUR AMARYLLIS 48 lbs. \$1.00
Western Scout 48 lbs. 75c

MEAL 10 lbs 25c
20 lbs 39c

Coffee FOLGER'S 1 lb 39c

FEED new shipment mill run BRAN 59c
SHORTS 75c

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Love Game Won at Tennis
By LEETE STONE

ET WHITE was distressed. She longed for romance, a cozy, chintz-lined home in the suburbs, a flower garden to fuss with, and a lean, well-considered specimen of man to welcome her in time for dinner every evening. Janet did not get her smoke. Nearly every night she dreamed of an uptown apartment where some day she would live gallantly from the street of Rome and claim her for his bride. But it was nothing but a dream. Day after day she conscientiously tapped her typewriter in a Wall Street brokerage office, and calmly refused the spoken dinner invitations of the sleek who was noticeably shop-

She harbored on bitterness the day that Rose Bailey returned from a "vacation club" cruise to Miami on the ship of Fred Daggert, first violinist of the Dan Amstutz orchestra. Rose announced to an awed group of fellow typewriters that she and Fred were short on the march to the tune of wedding music.

It was the fruition of her very old dream enacted before her very eyes. The thought of it, all day long, she took dictation and transcribed, buoyed her up and then thrust it down into crypts of despair. Why did it happen to her? This beautiful thing! Well, it was indeed too good to be true. In her heart she knew she was every bit as attractive and charming as Rose; and she had saved more money than Rose. Why not for her "journey's end?"

Janet had both character and common sense. She knew that the day of balling around looking sweet enough to eat and waiting for an eligible male to propose had long gone by. Hard times and depression in financial centers as well as a world of unemployment, were making young men wary of responsibility regardless of the dictates of their hearts.

All at once she realized that Rose Bailey had taken the wise way, which she intentionally or not. And Janet realized that another year or two of tapping the typewriter and sweating in the torrid New York to save her vacation money would render her as shop-worn as the office sheik. Which would ruin her chances with the sort of man she hoped to win.

So Janet risked all on a single throw of the dice. With no hope of its being granted she applied for a six weeks' leave of absence from the firm. It was granted—the first lucky omen. Then she withdrew all her savings six hundred dollars, and for two hundred dollars bought a round-trip ticket on one of the smaller, one-class merchant steamers sailing to and from London.

The first day at sea was ideal. The water was smooth as a pond; the sun did not sting; the air was tonic itself. Janet was so happy and relaxed after her four years of close work that she almost did not care about the outcome of her quest for true romance.

Nevertheless, as she stood on the sidelines of the little deck tennis court watching a gay foursome volley the ring of rope back and forth, Janet took discreet cognizance of all the men on deck. There were only two she intuitively divined that could make her heart strain at its mooring. And only one of these, the tanned, serious looking man of twenty-nine or thirty, who stood watching the game near her, looked like the type who loved a home, a pipe, books and a pretty wife to come now and then and sit on the arm of his big leather chair. The other chap was one of the four playing deck tennis. He looked like a college athlete out for a vacation on father's money; but the fact remained that he, and he alone, had already even in the midst of a strenuous game flashed at Janet a score of blinding glances.

"Shall we take the winners on for a set?" It was the quiet, studious voice of the man who was standing near her.

"Love to!" Janet returned; mentally murmuring, "This is luck!"

So it came about that every bright morning of the ten-day voyage, Janet played deck tennis with her serious acquaintance. He was always polite, courteous; friendly even; but that was all. And every evening she danced and later stood by the stern rail watching the moon-lit wake water with the hermetically sentimental college boy.

Until the night before they were to dock at London! That night she missed her university specimen at the dance. Feeling a little low-spirited she sought the deck, huddled in the lee of a lifeboat, and marveled at the mystery of moon and stars.

"Hello, Janet!" She whirled in surprise. This was the grave, magnetic voice whose tones she had learned to cherish as they said "deuce!" and "forty love!" at deck tennis. He came closer and they leaned against the rail.

"Janet—it's a love game for you! I want you for a partner always. Won't you play?"

"Do you read women as you read books," the girl whispered, snuggling closer to his broad shoulders. "Who are you, Lee?"

"Practicing psycho analyst at Oxford, but don't let's talk shop, dear—let's plan a little home to play in. We must have deck tennis in the back yard—eh?"

ENOUGH'S ENOUGH

I attended that "cotton" meeting at the court house in Wichita Falls last Friday night. I wish the governor could have been there and got a first-hand impression. The statement that 125 farmers from this county voted for the governor to call a special session to pass the Long cotton holiday bill is a false statement. There was not one-third that number of farmers from this county at the meeting—Irrigated Ike in Iowa Park Herald.

The Hon. Irrigated Ike has a penchant for reality. He is disinclined to accept hearsay at 100%. He sized up the audience for himself and was prepared to discount the report of the number represented. It is doubtful if the farmers in general are as excited over the cotton debacle as the sensational element makes out. And may it not be high time for somebody to say a word for the quiet, un-demonstrative farmers of Texas who patiently, but none the less really resent the hullabaloo over their alleged "distress" condition? The thing is greatly exaggerated. The majority of Texas farmers are self-contained, self-reliant, and animated with personal pride. They are not as vocal as many of those on the fringe of the crowd, but undoubtedly they object to being placed with the indigents and represented as being reduced to the condition of public wards. Clean cotton is not new. It occurs periodically, and good farmers in the cotton country know how to unprepare against it. They are not babes in the wood. They are not perennial gullibles. They know how to provide, and do provide. State Press wishes to go on record as rejecting and condemning that order of hysteria which dejects all our farmers as helpless, pitiful creatures who are dependent upon cotton quotations for a decent existence. It is not so. There is still strength and pride and resource in Texas farms in Texas farm homes. Certainly there is a certain amount of farm labor in a bad way. Even so, it is in better case than the "proletariat" of city labor.—State Press in Dallas News.

RISE AND WALK

Herbert N. Casson sends this timely message to American business men from London. Mr. Casson is owner and publisher of Efficiency Magazine, the principal business magazine in Europe:

"You are depressed. You think you are crippled. You are afraid of the future. You are full of fears. You have half of the gold of the world and half of the machinery and most of the automobiles and all the sky-scrapers.

"You have the greatest home market in the world and the largest corporations that the world has ever seen. You are ruled more by ideas and less by tradition than any other people in the world. You usually have done what you thought you could do. How can it be possible that a progressive nation of 120,000,000 people can be wrecked by the exactions of a little handful of fools in Wall Street?"

"When a horse balks, the balk is in his head, not in his legs. He moves on when he thinks he will. And when an American business man is depressed, the slump is in his head. There is nothing serious to prevent him from making money if he thinks he will.

"When fear rules the will, nothing can be done, but when a man casts fear out of his mind, the world becomes his oyster. To lose a bit of money is nothing, but to lose hope—to lose nerve and ambition—that is what makes men crionies.

"This silly depression has gone on long enough. Get rid of it! It is inside of you. **RISE AND WALK!**"—Distributor's News.

DANCE HALL SHOULD CLOSE

We do not believe that Tahoka needs a public dance hall. With the kindest of feelings toward the gentleman who persists in running one within our business district, we insist that he should respect the desires of a majority of our citizenship and close the doors of his place of amusement. Many nice people doubtless attend the dances given at this hall, but it is also a gathering place for many undesirable characters. Several breaches of the peace have already occurred. It is fortunate that no difficulty has as yet had serious consequences. It is to be hoped that none such will occur. But if some remedy should be enacted at one of those affairs, it would be too late then to remedy the damage done. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. The manager of the dance hall should close it.—Lynn County News.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Dean and baby and father, C. Dean, of Wood-river, Ill. are visiting their sister and daughter, Mrs. Jesse Cobb, this week.

News from Heald

The shower given in the Jack Bailey home Friday night for Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham was attended by a large crowd.

Mrs. Haskel Smith, Mrs. Luther McCombs, Mrs. Paul Ladd and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge attended the club fair at Wheeler Friday.

Glenn and Francis Eastham of Magic City visited in the Hershel Bratcher home Saturday night.

Little J. W., the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith, died Sunday afternoon.

Tom Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Smith and family of Quitaque, Mr. and Mrs. John Lee of Matador attended J. W. Smith's funeral Monday.

Raymond Bailey of Wheeler visited his sister, Mrs. Ernest Kramer, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rutledge visited in the Floyd Smith home Sunday.

Mrs. Mildred Windom of Portland, Ore. and brother, Forrest Rogers, of Branson, Colo. are visiting their mother, Mrs. Eva Rogers.

Reep Landers of McLean and brother-in-law, Dr. Amedel, of California visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Grigsby and family of McLean and Mr. Earp of White Deer visited Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Grigsby Sunday.

Glenn and Francis Eastham, R. A. Reneau, Millard McKinzie and Leonard Christian visited Clifford and Elzy Rutledge Sunday.

J. E. Berry visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. T. F. Phillips returned Sunday from Shamrock, where she has been for an operation. She was accompanied home by Miss Mertice Phillips of Dozier.

Miss Edith Reneau and Mr. Paul Stauffer were married at the Heald

church Wednesday, Sept. 16, Rev. C. H. Williams officiating. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Reneau of Heald. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stauffer of the Pakan community.

A FRIENDLY WORD

Jasper—"I haven't a good word for this feller Jim."
Dexter—"Well, they ain't much good said about him. But I'll say one good thing about Jim, he wasn't always as mean as he was sometimes."

NICE NEIGHBOR

Mrs. Jones—"It's Mr. Smith at the door."
Jones—"What does he want now? He's got every garden tool I possess."
Mrs. Jones—"He wants to borrow you for a bit of digging."—Humorist.



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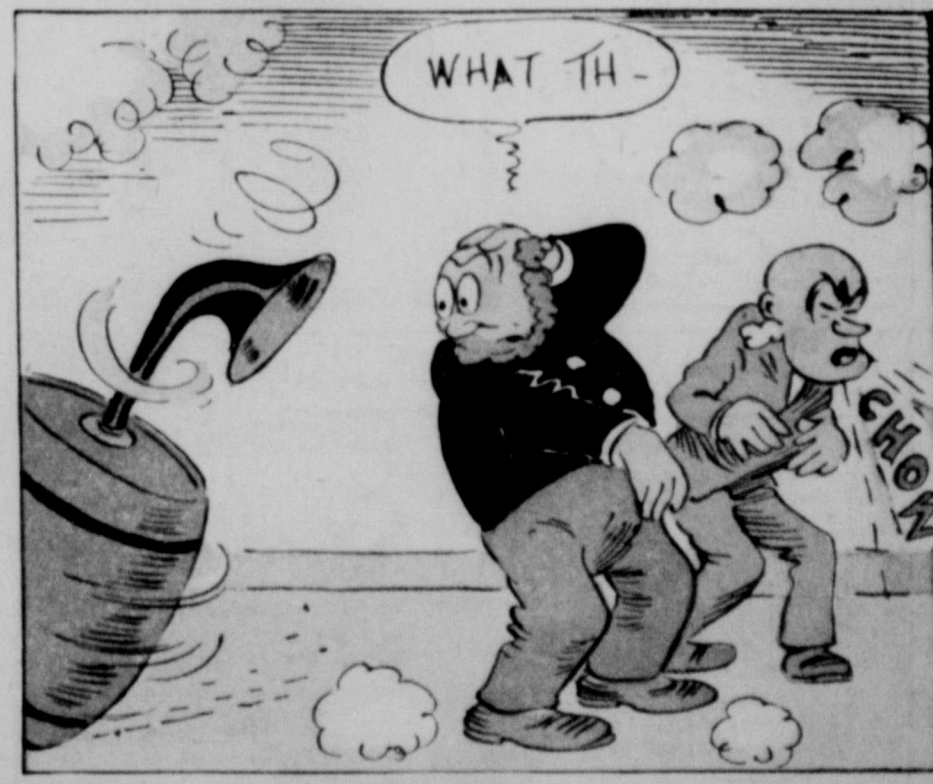
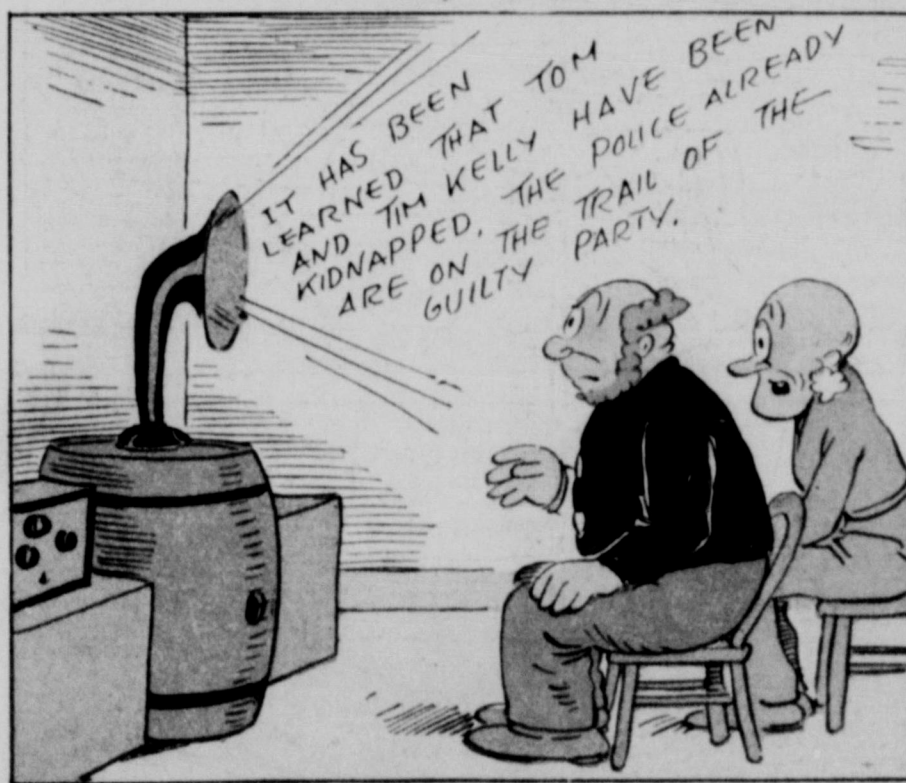
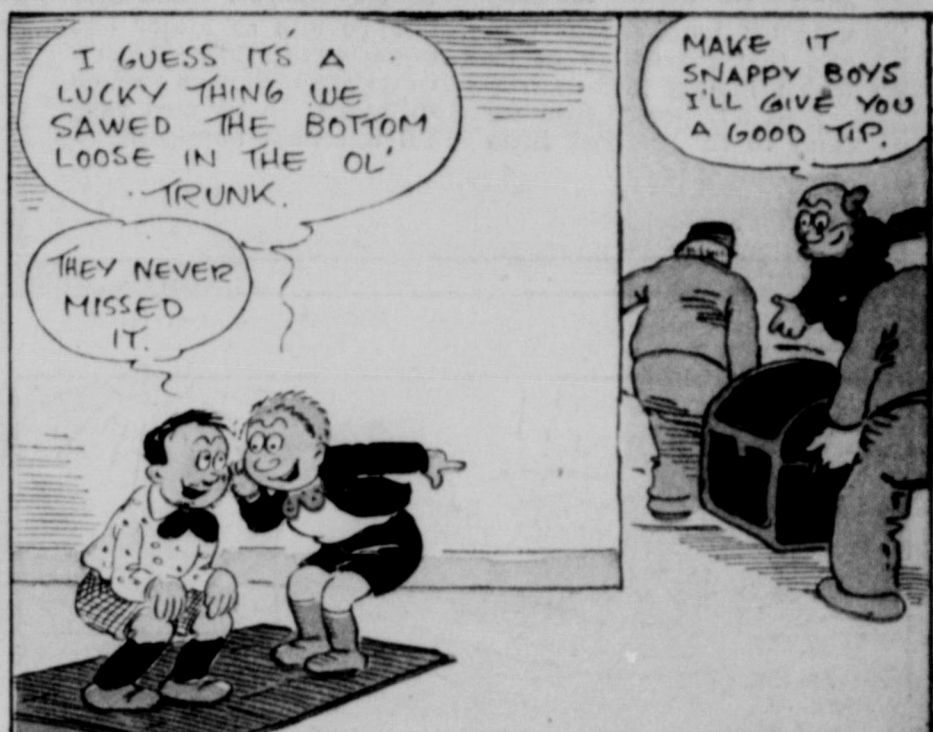
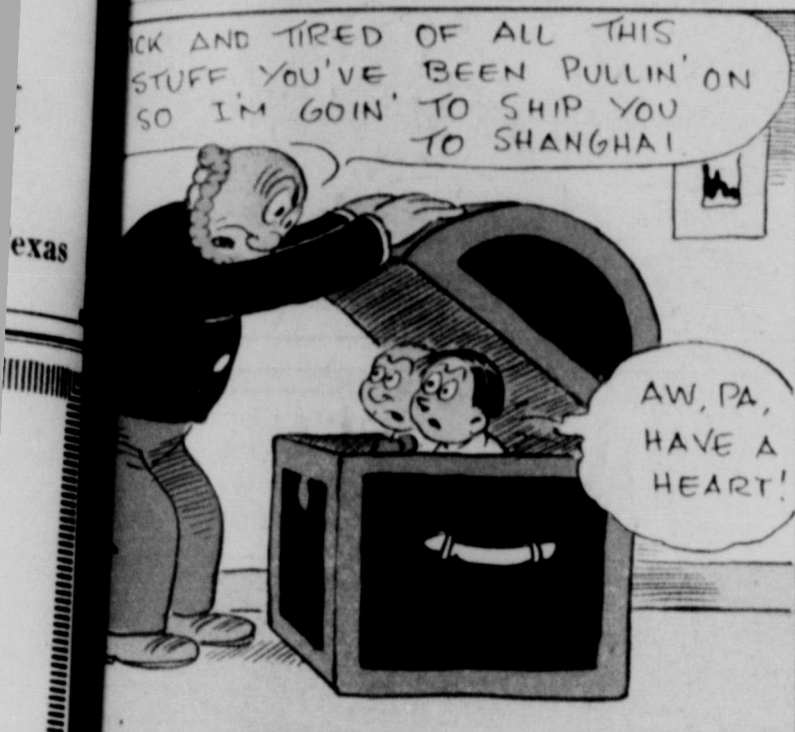
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IN THE TORRES STRAITS

While my animal friends, Kangy and Singoot, and I were cruisin' with Tops'l Barney, he anchored his schooner in th' harbor at Thursday Island in th' Torres Straits. Th' schooner was goin' to be there for a few days so Kangy, Singoot and I set off in one of th' ship's boats to do a little explorin'.

While passin' over a reef a few feet below th' surface of th' water we saw big masses of pink and white coral, spotted and striped shells, and strange fishes that stared up at us with big goggled eyes. In and out of th' wavin' seaweed wriggled long, savage sea-eels that glared up at us with a hungry look.

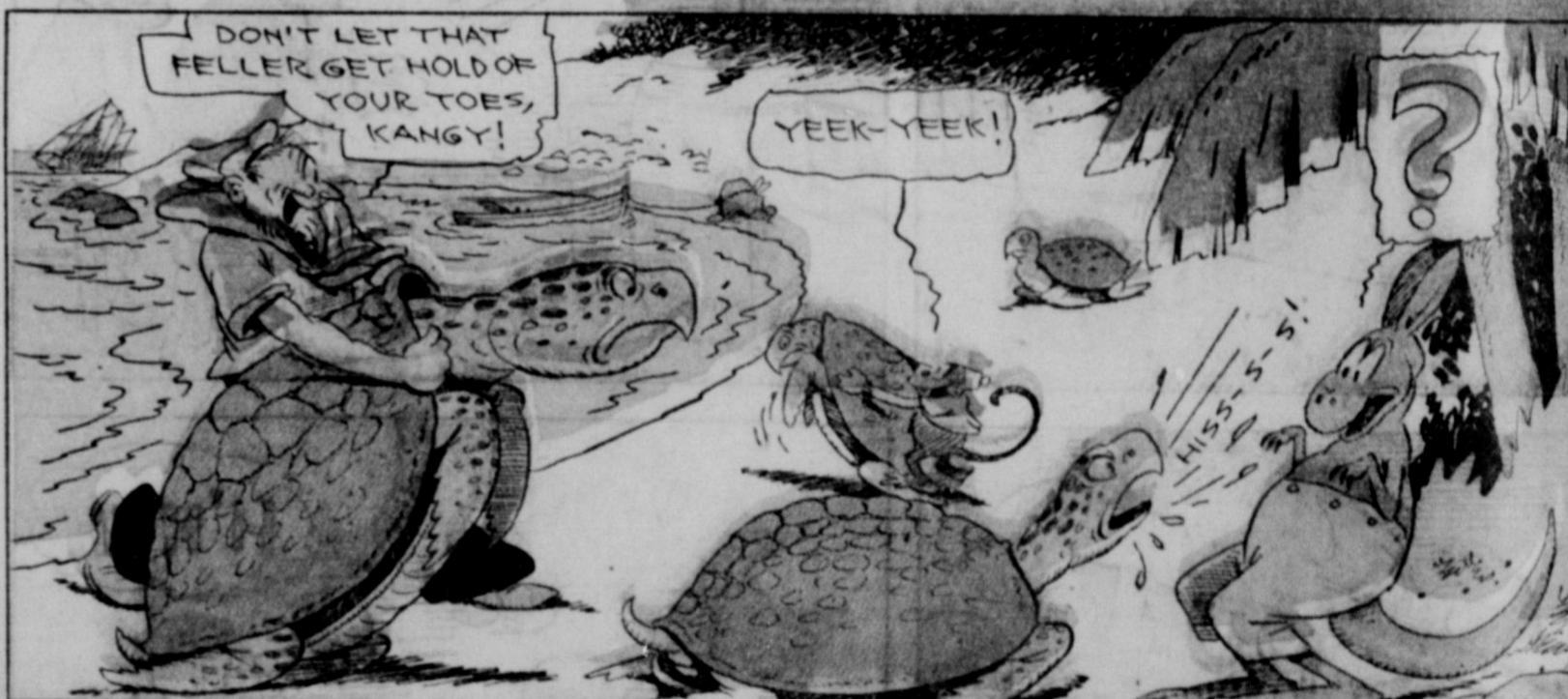
Well s'r, pretty soon we came to th' prettiest little

tropical island you ever saw, with cocoanut-palms rustlin' in th' warm breeze. Th' island seemed so mysterious and quiet that I decided to go ashore to see what we could find. When we landed I spied some whoppin' big sea-turtles.

I thought I'd show Kangy and Singoot some real fun. So, after tellin' them not to make a sound, we crept up close to th' turtles, jumped in among 'em and hopped on the backs of th' three biggest ones. You'd have laughed if you could have seen us ridin' those big scared turtles. But just as we got 'em goin' good they flapped into th' water and swam away. Then we saw th' prints of human feet on th' beach. In my next yarn I'll tell what happened.



THE YARNS OF BOB AND BILL



I LOVE A GOOD STORY.

SO YOU DONT KNOW ANY NEW STORIES, HUH? THINK I'LL ASK SOME OF THESE STRANGERS.

HAVE YOU HEARD ANY NEW STORIES?

OH, I KNOW WE'RE NOT ACQUAINTED BUT DONT LET THAT KEEP YOU FROM TALKING TO ME.

HAVE YOU HEARD ANY NEW STORIES?

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McLEAN NEWS IN LIBRARY

Staff of the Tiger Post wishes to express the appreciation of the school to Mr. T. A. Landers for his help in sending The McLean News to the school library and to the school paper. Mr. Landers has done innumerable deeds of kindness for the school, and each is duly appreciated.

SCHOOL OPENING A SUCCESS

A great number of the patrons gathered with the school students and teachers to open the school season of 1931-32. A great spirit of enthusiasm prevailed during the opening program.

Howard, president of the board of education, made a very appropriate and interesting talk. The band played beautiful selections for an attentive audience.

PEP SQUAD ORGANIZED

The pep squad was organized on Thursday afternoon. Cleone West and Laura Lee Howard were elected yell leaders. These senior girls are very capable for these positions.

FACULTY RECEPTION

The members of the faculty were entertained on last Friday evening with a reception given by the social clubs of the town. Every organization in town was represented.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE STUDENTS BUSY

The vocational agriculture department has been organized with approximately fifty students enrolled this year.

The class has organized a P. F. A. chapter, and names of officers will be reported at a later date.

The poultry judging contestants are meeting most every night to mold in shape to compete in the Tri-State judging contest to be held next week.

SENIOR CLASS ORGANIZED

The senior class met and organized on last Wednesday morning. The class selected Miss Kennedy as sponsor.

The seniors are full of pep, and they mean to enjoy their last year in school. A representative from a publishing house met with the class and they agreed to start a magazine selling campaign.

HOME ECONOMIC NEWS

There is an increase in enrollment

in the classes of the home economics department this year over that of last year. Twenty-eight girls were enrolled at the beginning of school last year. Now we have fifty-four.

Various girls of the department are making cream and selling cream each day at noon, in order that we may aid in securing funds for the department. The materials are being donated by different individuals.

The Foods 2 Class is quite busy studying the unit of food preservation. Various members of the class are donating materials such as tomatoes, peas, etc., and these are being canned for the department.

The following is an outline for the Foods 2 Class: Unit 1-Foods and Related Subjects.

Topic 1-Preservation of food.

Topic 2-Economic practices in the home.

Topic 3-Foods and hospitality.

Topic 4-Foods, preparation and service, dinners.

Topic 5-Equipment and care of kitchen and dining unit.

Topic 6-Digestion as it relates to health.

Topic 7-Illness in the home.

The foods 1 and clothing 1 classes have learned what their height and weight should be according to their age.

These pupils are striving to attain their correct weight.

FIRST FOOTBALL GAME

The thrill of seeing the Tigers come on the field for the first game of the year was ours last Friday afternoon. The Groom Tigers and the McLean Tigers were evenly matched, and fighting with the old school spirit.

GAME AT QUITAQUE FRIDAY

The game Friday will be at Quitaque. We hope the boys play as well as they did last Friday. We send our thoughts with them, even though we can't all go along.

CONSTITUTION WEEK OBSERVED

Rev. W. A. Erwin was in the chapel program on Tuesday morning. He made a very splendid talk on "Constitutional Government."

RADIO PRESENTED TO H. S.

On Monday morning, Mr. Gilstrap, representing the Southwestern Public Service Co., presented the high school with a lovely new Zenith radio.

Trade at Home

The Vegetable TONIC HERBINE CORRECTS CONSTIPATION ERWIN DRUG CO.

McLean Elementary School News

The name given above is not the official name of our news section, for the pupils are seriously considering a "peppy" name for the school news.

Lo-ers (pigeon holes) were assigned to the fourth grades. These pigeon holes are located in the back of the study hall, and the pupils are being trained in responsibility as well as in book knowledge.

The students of the fourth, fifth and sixth grades are showing great ability in getting to their different classes on time.

The lunch hour is now a very pleasant twenty minutes. Everyone who brings his lunch assembles in the study hall. After giving thanks to the One we need in a time like this, we enjoy our lunch like one big happy family.

INVITATION TO THE PUBLIC

We, as teachers and students, invite you, friends, to visit our school at any time. See what your boy or girl is doing. We have open house to those who are interested in the school children and the school.

ICE CREAM SOLD TUESDAY

Ice cream was sold Tuesday, for the purpose of buying art and penmanship supplies. The materials for

the ice cream were donated, for which we wish to thank the following: James Emmett Cooke, milk; Jeff Coffey, sugar; Edna Babbitt, eggs; Louise Kennedy, eggs; Luella Cobb, sugar; Jot Montgomery, cones; Mrs. O. E. Lochridge made the cream. About \$2.00 was realized from the sale.

Soon the classes plan to put on some good programs. We shall give the schedule at a later date.

Strict economy is being practiced with the pupils this year. They are writing on both sides of the paper, saving every scrap of paper for further use, using the back of paper in note books used last year, and in many other ways we are trying to meet our problems and needs.

LUNCH HOUR

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CLASS ROOMS

Each room is more attractive this year since each teacher has her own room. The music room is a wonderful addition to our school. Students are very proud of this airy, attractive room. Another attractive room during the entire day. It seems that the students have so much pride (or is it that we have nothing to waste?) in keeping paper off the

floor. Everyone seems interested in doing his part to help save in every possible way.

Our school paper has just been born. It is weak, but it will grow if it gets co-operation and encouragement.

4-B ROOM

Mr. and Mrs. McHoney have a new baby girl who weighs 8 1/2 pounds. Her name is Velda Bee.

The basketball team is practicing and are playing the seventh grade today after school.

4-B ROOM

There are 33 of us and we are planning to make this year a good one. This is our first time in departmental work, but we like it. We are devoting our home room period to reading things that all boys and girls should read.

THIRD GRADE

We have an enrollment of 31.

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Most of our work thus far has been review. We plan to have a very profitable and pleasant year.

Waylon Johnson has had his tonsils removed, so he is not able to attend school this week.

5-A ROOM

The enrollment of this class is 33. This is an enthusiastic group; some plans will be reported later. Citizenship classes are observing constitution week.

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News from Ramsdell

Guy Pharis, Taylor Franks, Lloyd and Floyd Davidson returned Monday night from Colorado.

W. R. and Homer Stevens of Knox City left Wednesday after a visit with Mrs. Franks and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Carver called in the W. A. Lankford home Thursday evening.

Mildred Whitley returned Saturday from McLean, where she has been working.

Joe Phillips of Lefors spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. H. Longan.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Franks and children were guests in the G. C. Carver home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lankford and daughters; Misses Donah May Exum and Esther Ellen Franks were guests in the W. N. Pharis home Sunday.

Rev. Williams of Shamrock filed his appointment Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bell and daughters of Heald called in the W. N. Pharis home Sunday evening.

Miss Zella Mae Lankford spent Sunday night in the E. Exum home.

A revival meeting began Monday night, conducted by Rev. Chester Savage. Everyone is invited to attend.

Miss Eunice Stevens of Panhandle is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lewis Powell.

Miss Juanita Exum is ill with tonsillitis at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Blackburn of Lefors visited in the J. I. Bones home Thursday.

CIGARETTE SMOKING

The spectacle of small boys puffing cigarettes and cigars and mingling with other boys and girls here is not an inspiring one. Perhaps nothing drastic can be done about it, but we suggest that the proper agencies make an effort to suppress it. The example is not one which can be approved, especially when the smokers are as young as 10 years of age.

Parents who encourage their children to smoke, thinking it is "cute," are not only doing an injustice to their own offspring, but to other children as well.—O. E. H. in Pampa Morning Post.

DAD'S ROLE

"Funny, ain't it, pa," said Johnny, "that everybody in our house is some kind of an animal?"

"What do you mean?"

"Why, mother's a dear and baby's a little lamb and I'm a kid—can't think what you are, pa."

"I'm the goat, my son."

"Will you tell your sister I'm waiting?"

"I did, and she said to tell you the line formed in de front hall."

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman White and son of Pampa were McLean visitors Friday.

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The Swisher County Hospital, backed up by all the doctors connected therewith, are advertising a cut of twenty dollars on all operations for or removing of tonsils and adenoids, along with furnishing the hospital FREE. We know that we would run across some real live doctors some time. These doctors do not believe that it is UNETHICAL TO ADVERTISE, else they would not advertise as they are now doing. We have often wondered why the best doctors in the United States kept their expert practices and their knowledge of curing suffering humanity, in the background, by not advertising and LET THE PEOPLE KNOW. If you have anything good for humanity, LET THE PEOPLE KNOW by advertising it. Why "hide your light under a bushel?" If you can aid suffering humanity, tell the people where you are, what you are, and the LOW price it will take to be made well again! People are depending upon the doctors to tell them by ADVERTISING. Advertising is what is moving the world today, and the time will come when doctors of note will tell the people how to get cured and not leave them to guess at what they can do for suffering humanity. The ice has been broken, and if some HIGHER UP DOCTORS do not put the brakes on and stop those not so high up from advertising, as ALL DOCTORS should advertise, then our people will know when to consult a doctor and what doctor to consult for certain ailments. So mote it be!—Claude News.

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We have heard reports to the effect that in portions of West Texas where cotton is opening, many persons out of work have refused to pick at 40c and 50c per hundred. Many people were fed by the Red Cross last winter and there are probably some who are expecting the Red Cross to feed them again this winter. Cotton picking will soon be in full blast in Lynn county. All unemployed people will doubtless have the opportunity to go to work. Those who refuse to pick cotton at the wages which farmers can afford to pay should be noted, so that the Red Cross, if it feeds anybody this winter, may know in advance who is deserving. "He that will not work shall not eat" was a motto adopted by Capt. John Smith at Jamestown and it would be a good motto for the Red Cross to adopt this winter. —Lynn County News.

Mrs. Carnie Stidham of Canyon visited her mother, Mrs. J. W. Burrows, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis were in Shamrock Friday.

LET THE BUYER BEWARE!

Happy is the man who has a keen sense of values when he makes a purchase.

The bluff countryman was on a shopping expedition. Passing a hatter's window reminded him that his own headgear was rather shabby, so he entered the shop and asked the price of a grey valour that took his fancy.

"Twelve dollars, sir," said the assistant.

"But where are the holes?" the countryman asked.

The assistant appeared bewildered for a moment, but managed to ask: "What holes?"

"Why, the holes for the ears of the ass that would pay twelve dollars for a hat like that," replied the other, as he made for the door.

Reuben R. R. Cook was in Pampa Monday.

BRINGING UP CHILDREN

A nursemaid rushed into the presence of her mistress and shrieked: "Oh, my goodness, ma'am, the twins have fallen into the well. What shall we do?"

The mother lit a cigarette and calmly replied, "Go to the library and bring me the last number of 'Modern Motherhood.' There's an article in it on 'How to Bring up Children'."

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Norman of Pampa visited their grandfather, W. C. Phillips, last week end.

W. B. Brumby of Claremont in McLean Saturday.

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