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'Worth of Man,' C. of C. Address

Patty, Back and Davis Winners in Clean-up Contest

T.A. Ladies Were Judges of Contest

and Town in Very Clean Condition After Week

Last week's annual clean-up campaign sponsored by the city and civic organizations was judged by three ladies from the Parent-Teacher Association Monday afternoon, with R. C. Patty placing first, R. Back second and D. M. Davis third.

Many clean places were found, some being considered in the contest, that it was difficult to make a decision, and the ladies asked several to be given honorable mentions, including some homes that were considered for prizes on account of the owners being either on the committee or judging committee. It was remarked by some of the judges that many homes showed no evidence from their usual aspect, as they are always to be found in a clean condition, but on the other hand they say that many places showed the effects of the clean-up campaign.

Every citizen co-operated in the campaign, as some homes were found that no attention had been paid to, but they were in the cleanest condition.

Nothing was done on cleanliness, neatness and freedom from fire hazards or gardens.

Prizes will be awarded by the city committee following the band concert Saturday afternoon.

Prizes placed on the honor roll were: W. C. Cheney, W. A. Erwin, J. Landers, Henry Ayer, Allen B. W. E. Bogan, C. J. Cash and R. Rippey.

Members of the prize committee were: Claude Williams, C. O. Greene, Meador and T. A. Landers.

Ladies who judged the different parts of town were: Mesdames W. E. T. A. Massay, Allen Wilson, Colebank, C. C. Bogan, Billie, Pete Fulbright, T. N. Holloman and J. S. Morse.

McCRANIE BUYS STOCK WORTHEN DRY GOODS

E. (Mack) McCranie of Anadarko, Okla., was the successful bidder for the Worthen Dry Goods Co. last Thursday and has had a lot of clerks busy all week preparing a big closing out sale, beginning Friday morning. A lot of new merchandise has been placed in for the sale.

Chet Finley will be manager of the store, Mr. McCranie having a number of stores in Oklahoma. His policy is to sell for the lowest margin of profit. McCranie personally selects, at the eastern markets, most of the merchandise offered in his stores.

Worthen stock was auctioned by John Cole of the Oklahoma State Credit Men's Association here where a number of spirited bidders participated.

Announcement of the sale will be found in our advertising columns.

CROW FUNERAL AT NEWLIN

Funeral services were held at Newlin for W. T. Crow, aged 76, who died at his home there Saturday morning. Services were held at the Newlin Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. Williams.

Deceased was the father of Mrs. H. Crow of McLean and was a resident of Hall county for many years and a member of the church for 64 years.

Mrs. Crow were present at the funeral.

Sic 'Em



Judge Wolfe Funeral Rites Here Friday

Funeral rites were held for Judge T. M. Wolfe, aged 72 years, 3 months and 14 days, at the First Methodist Church last Friday afternoon. Services were conducted by Rev. W. A. Erwin, minister of the First Presbyterian Church.

Active pallbearers were: Dr. W. E. Ballard, C. C. Bogan, John B. Vannoy, Siler Faulkner, John Hessey and Charlie Thut.

The church was filled with old friends, and Rev. Erwin, who had known him for over a quarter of a century, stressed the fact that the deceased had lived a life of service.

Judge Wolfe was born December 23, 1859, at Dayton, Ohio. He moved with his parents to Indiana at the age of eight, and from there to Vernon, Texas, in 1884, later moving to this section where he spent most of his life. He was one of the earliest pioneers, at one time working for Col. Chas. Goodnight and other ranchers.

Judge Wolfe served Gray county as judge three different times of two terms each, a total of 12 years. He was a charter member of the community Presbyterian Church at Lefors.

Judge Wolfe married Miss Ada White in 1898, who died in 1902. He married Miss Georgia Wilson in 1908, who survives him, with three sons, Murray of Los Angeles, Calif., Glen and Trevor of Lefors, and a daughter, Jeanette, of Lefors. A sister, Mrs. Myers, lives at Clarendon and a brother, F. A. Wolfe, at Moore, Okla.

Arrangements were in charge of Mortician C. S. Rice, and interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery.

THE FAMOUS SALE

Sammie Walsman, manager of The Famous, announces a store-wide sale beginning Friday morning of this week.

Mr. Walsman says that the entire stock is included in the sale, full announcement being found in our advertising columns. The News also printed the big circulars for the sale.

Miss Eunice Coleman visited home folks at Lockney last week end.

McLEAN GIRLS ON HONOR ROLL

Lucile Rice and Sybil Graham have made the honor roll for the spring term at the Technological College at Lubbock, with an average grade of B on 14 term hours of work, according to a report from the registrar's office.

GOODRICH FOR DIST. ATTORNEY

The News is authorized to carry the name of Lewis M. Goodrich of Shamrock in our political announcement column as a candidate for district attorney, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Goodrich says:

"In making the announcement as a candidate for district attorney, I believe that I fully realize the seriousness of the duties to be placed upon me, if elected. I also believe that I know what the duties of a district attorney are and that I am qualified to perform those duties in a manner that will meet with the approval, not only of the voters in this district, but of the officers, court and juries.

"It is my firm conviction that the time has come in our country when the enforcement officers of our land need to be men of conviction and with courage enough to carry out that conviction, whether popular to do so or not. The most of the citizens of Shamrock and Wheeler county know me, and have known of my life among them, from the time I entered the primary grades in Shamrock public schools to this time, and I therefore submit you this knowledge of my life for the answer to whether those who know me believe that I will perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability or not and want to respectfully make this as my only reference.

"I think you need me as your district attorney, and if elected I assure you that I will be on the job and trying to the best of my ability to represent the State in all criminal cases and will give the Grand Juries and Court my entire INTEREST and my earnest efforts."

We are glad to present Mr. Goodrich's claims to the voters of Gray county and bespeak careful consideration at the polls.

W. H. Craig and W. E. James of Alanreed were in McLean Monday.

Large Crowd Enjoys Play by Senior Class

A large crowd enjoyed the play, "My House of Dreams," given by the senior class, directed by Miss Elizabeth Kennedy, Tuesday evening. The play consisted of three acts, representing the passing of five weeks of time, and the players kept things moving in a very pleasing manner.

Cagle Hunt and Laura Lee Howard represented Carl Boynton and Rose Larque, students at Marchmont College; Kathryn Hales was Alice Warwick, the sweet girl graduate; Duard Lynch played Clayton Fisher, in love with Alice; Glenna Bryne, working her way through college, was played by Cleone West, with Bobbie Appling as Vale Bryne, her spinster sister; Mackie Greer was Mark Standish, an art student in love with Glenna; Chloe, a colored maid, played by Addie B. Mantooth, and a truckman played by M. H. Kinard, Jr., added the right touch of humor to the play.

Between acts featured a blackface singing team with Frank Hefner and Art Ware, and a comedy skit by Pete Ballard. Music was furnished by the high school orchestra, featuring a cornet solo by C. C. Bogan, Jr., and a trombone duet by Jesse J. Cobb and Buster Stokes.

Proceeds from the play will be used to defray class expenses.

DAVIS FUNERAL FRIDAY

Funeral services will be held at Memphis Friday, April 15, at 2:30 p. m. for D. A. Davis' father, who died at his home in Corpus Christi April 12, at the age of 74.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Rev. and Mrs. Jno. H. Crow, Alva Alexander, W. E. Bogan, members of the Lions Club and others from McLean expect to be present for the funeral rites.

MRS. APPLING HONORED

Mrs. R. L. Appling was honored at the district meeting of the P. T. A. at Panhandle last week by election to the second vice presidency of the organization.

The next meeting of the body will be at Amarillo.

Landscape Man Tells Lions of City Park Plans

Paul M. Bruce, landscape artist and nurseryman, was a guest of the Lions Club Tuesday and outlined tentative plans for the improvement of the city park.

Mr. Bruce said the west half of the park is ideally situated for the purpose and a little improvement work will make a most beautiful place that will mean much in a social way to the town.

Mr. Bruce suggested that a swimming pool at the park could be made to pay for itself and all expenses of improving the park. The pool, together with a wading pool, would mean no expense for water as the waste water could be used for irrigation purposes.

Mr. Bruce said that the ash and honey locust trees that are planted too thick for proper growth can be thinned and the ones taken out safely transplanted to other parts of the park.

Mayor Massay said that he believes the city council is willing to spend a small amount of money in getting work started on the two west blocks of the park, and that a very beautiful park could be had in a year's time with very little cost to the city.

Mr. Bruce said that a full set of plans could be made for \$15.00, and he was asked to meet with the city council and submit a proposition for plans and to oversee the park work.

C. S. Rice was given a rising vote of thanks for presenting a framed picture to the club.

G. C. Boswell made a motion that all smokers be expelled from the club, later making a motion to table the matter, promising to abstain from smoking during luncheons.

Tail Twister Reuben R. R. Cook was fined for repeating a "Gilstrap" story.

It was voted to count Boyd Meador and C. O. Greene present, as they were attending the Lions district convention at Lubbock. E. L. Sitter and D. A. Davis were also voted present on account of sickness.

Others present were: Lions Massay, Caldwell, Bogan, Cooper, Boswell, Landers, Cobb, Tampke, Cook, Rice and Williams.

Banquet is Enjoyed by C.-C. Members

Gaston Foote Makes Address of Evening

"What are you worth?" was the question asked in the address by Rev. Gaston Foote of Amarillo, before the annual chamber of commerce banquet held at the high school building Thursday night of last week.

Rev. Foote said the way to determine one's worth to the community is to take the difference in the amount of human happiness in the world after he is gone. "Doing the best you can with what you have is the way to live a worth while life," declared the speaker. "You must carry your own burden and help others. People are either blessed or brought lower by our influence."

Rev. Foote insisted that the world is getting better, and compared living conditions and opportunities today with a decade ago.

T. W. Gilstrap, the toastmaster, and Rev. Foote had car trouble and hitchhiked into town at a late hour, the banquet program being half over when they arrived.

Attorney Claude Williams acted as toastmaster until Mr. Gilstrap's arrival, and handled the program in a very pleasing manner. Pastor Jno. H. Crow of the First Methodist Church gave the invocation. Mayor D. N. Massay made the address of welcome. Retiring President T. A. Landers gave a resume of the activities of the past year, and President-elect Reuben R. R. Cook made an address, full text of which appears in another column.

The high school orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Robt. C. Davidson, furnished music. Prof. Davidson played a saxophone solo and Pierce Davidson played an euphonium solo.

Food and service was furnished by the high school home economics class, directed by Miss Ruby Seal.

PIPES FOR SHERIFF

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Gray county, Texas.

In the event of my election, I pledge myself to fairly and impartially, without fear or favor, enforce the law of the land and in so doing so to use Gray county citizens, with no former political affiliations whatsoever, as my deputies, it being my belief that Gray county citizens should be employed in the enforcement of the law of this county. I further pledge myself to co-operate in every way with the law enforcement agencies of our government, and to do so in an economical and sane manner.

It is my belief that my years of experience as a peace officer and my knowledge of conditions in this county peculiarly fit me for the office for which I offer myself as a candidate, and I will appreciate the support of all the voters of this county who believe in an impartial enforcement of the law, with justice for every one.

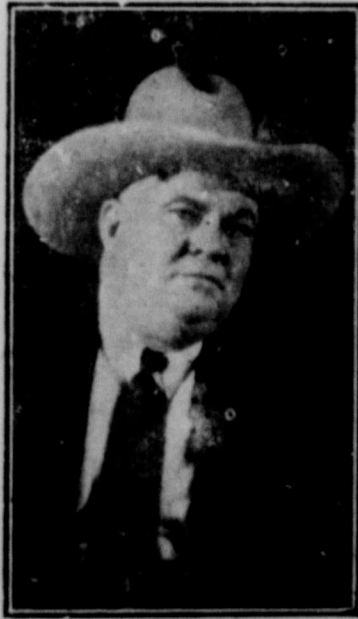
C. E. PIPES.

NEWS OFFICIAL PAPER

The News was designated the official paper for the city of McLean at a meeting of the council Wednesday afternoon.

The following attended the Baptist workers conference at Wheeler Tuesday: Mesdames R. L. Appling, Lee Wilson, S. A. Cobb, O. E. Lochridge, A. C. St. Clair, Bob Thomas, Cecil G. Goff; Miss Odessa Kunkel, A. C. St. Clair and Rev. Cecil G. Goff.

Mrs. W. E. James of Alanreed was a McLean visitor Saturday.



C. E. Pipes, Candidate for Sheriff

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Reported. The Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Sam McClellan on April 1. Eleven members and three visitors were present. A collection of 80c was taken for the state scholarship fund.

A sewing school will be held in McLean on Monday, April 18th.

The agent asked how much each woman expected to spend on her summer wardrobe. In the clothing contest each woman will make a wash dress.

After the business session the hostess served dainty refreshments.

The club will meet with Mrs. M. E. Flowers on April 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Campbell of Pampa visited in McLean Sunday.

**C. of C. Banquet
Address Made by
President Cook**

By Reuben R. R. Cook
Mr. Toastmaster, Mr. President, and members of the chamber of commerce; ladies and gentlemen:

It gives me great pleasure to be associated with you tonight, and also unusual pleasure to have with us, in the person of Mr. T. W. Gilstrap, a former president of the McLean chamber of commerce, such an eminently distinguished, efficient and amiable toastmaster. I say amiable because he aims so well and seldom hits—and it is for this that he is so eminently distinguished.

By the way, lest I forget, I will let you in on a little secret. Some of you may not know what the "strap" is for in Gilstrap. It is his heritage, that he may have something he can hold on to, especially during the depression.

You can imagine my embarrassment in being initiated into this office in the presence of two former presidents of the McLean chamber of commerce, for they are hard to follow. Please do not misunderstand me. I do not mean to insinuate that they have "gummed up" things so that it will be impossible to get through—but, to the contrary, they have established such enviable records that it will be difficult to equal them. In making this last statement, I had in mind some of the things taught me in my youth and which I have observed every since—especially in instances where they are so obviously applicable: "And now abideth faith, hope and charity; these three: but the greatest of these is charity. It beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things."

None of you appear to me as very serious minded tonight—I am not, as all of you will agree. I consider that we have come together more for a gala affair, but whether to celebrate the incoming of a new president or the outgoing of the old one, I have not fully made up my mind. At any rate I shall not undertake to discuss at this time any of the weightier problems confronting us.

You know that when you expect a big day's work out of an old horse you pour a good feed into him early in the morning. Evidently that is what you are doing to me tonight.

While you had a good president of the chamber of commerce, I don't see why you did not keep him. But it is too late now. Just why you drafted me over my protest, I do not know—an honor and responsibility of which I hardly feel worthy or competent to fill. I protested because I did not think that I could devote the time and effort required to insure its proper functioning. But you have seen fit to elect me and take the risk. With that understanding, I accept the challenge and will serve you to the best of my ability.

I had hoped to resume attendance at the mid-week prayer meetings, get out to Sunday school again and, possibly, aspire to the superintendency of one of the Sunday schools; but now I fear that I will do extremely well to make it to church Sunday mornings. However, if I can manage to continue to pay the checks drawn on the American National Bank, keep the farmers alive thru the Reconstruction Finance Corporation until they can make another crop, keep the Red Cross going until the nurse arrives, and the chamber of commerce out of debt, I shall confidently trust in the leniency of St. Peter when I meet him at the gate. At least, I hope that I may be better than the fellow who, when St. Peter asked him what good deeds he had done to entitle him to admission, recalled, after considerable effort, that he once gave a poor hungry Mexican 15c to get a hamburger and a cup of coffee. St. Peter turned to one of his assistants and said, "If that is all this fellow has done, give him back his 15c and let him go to hell."

Most fortunate for me, you were very thoughtful and wisely considerate in giving me six splendid directors, including two holdovers; the old and experienced secretary, and a bristling electric vice president. I shall depend largely upon their good counsel and co-operation.

I pause here a moment to pay honor and respect to one of the newly elected directors who has since departed this life; one who was elected on my nomination, because I recognized him as a most valuable member, and shall miss him likewise—Mr. C. A. Strandberg.

The great world war was not won by one nation alone—not by disunion, but by the friendly and concerted action of several nations. The president of our great nation would be helpless in the administration of governmental affairs without the co-operation of his cabinet, the Congress, and the army and navy, all backed up by the people.

All big things are accomplished by co-operation. Get acquainted with your neighbor—you might like him. Lack of perfect understanding pre-

cludes co-operation. A Chinaman suffering with the toothache called a dentist for an appointment. The dentist said: "Two-thirty all right!" The Chinaman says: "Yes, tooth hurted all right—what time come?"

One day in Dallas a gentleman approached a newsboy and says: "My young man, c-c-c-can you t-t-t-tell me the w-w-w-way to the union station?" The little fellow looked up at him curiously for a moment and quickly ran away without replying. I told the gentleman the way to the station, but kept my eye on the boy, followed him up the street and purchased a paper from him. I says: "Son, why did you not tell the gentleman the way to the station a while ago?" He says: "D-d-d-did you think I w-w-w-want to g-g-g-g (whistle) get the — — — knocked out of me?"

So, let us trust one another, bear with one another, discuss our problems, help one another, and work together as we live together.

In all my acquaintance and experience I do not know of a more worthy, deserving, appreciative and zealous people than we have in McLean and vicinity. I do not know of a community with greater resources, possibilities and opportunities. I do not need to remind you how our Creator has blessed us with a land of plenty and depths of riches yet untold. Unlike the old man over in East Texas at a Methodist revival, under the arbor in the good old summer time—they were having an experience meeting. The preacher finally called upon a good old soul who was cross-eyed, hair-lipped, and not very handsome otherwise. The old fellow arose very promptly and says: "I don't need to say a word—you can all see what the Lord has done for me."

The chamber of commerce is more than its name would imply. It is a chamber of churches and schools, of agriculture and livestock, of oil and gas—a chamber of the combined interests of all the people.

Let us, therefore, make a long pull, a strong pull, and a pull all together, for every good thing for our town and country, and we shall accomplish things for which we all will be forever proud.

Now, I shall not keep you in suspense as to the policies of the new administration. The following are some of the suggestions and recommendations that I shall make at the first meeting. I hope that these 14 points may go down in the history of McLean like those of the immortal Woodrow Wilson shall go down in the history of the world. Any wit and humor in them is submitted with my apologies, so that if anyone should take exception they may not feel offended.

First—that the postoffice open a sub-station at the depot to give all night service.

Second—that the short order eating places adopt a more appropriate name for the hamburger and change the name of chili to hotte.

Third—a consolidation of filling stations because they obstruct a view of the city from tourists passing thru.

Fourth—that the barber shops furnish free hair restorers to insure a continuation of their hair cutting business.

Fifth—that the Caldwell Bakery put more sugar in their doughnuts and also print some leaflets and put one in each package of doughnuts sold, reading something as follows: "As you travel down life's pathway, brother, whatever may be your goal, keep your eye upon the doughnut and not upon the hole."

Sixth—this has been deleted by my own censor, but it did read as follows: That our rooming houses eject all false rumors, and eject all four-legged roomers.

Seventh—that our new Ford dealer make four cylinders hit before he puts out an eight.

Eighth—that the McLean Gas Co. make our bills look like 30c.

Ninth—that the Southwestern Public Service Co. put the surplus power on the line instead of our bills.

Tenth—that our gins install improved machinery that will turn out more cotton from 2400 pounds of sand, and also that they adjust the price so as to leave a part of the profit for the farmer.

Eleventh—in a position like this, a man has got to recommend some things in which he is personally not interested, but fully realizing my duty to some of my constituents, I am compelled to suggest that our drug stores furnish a better grade of drinking whiskey and free prescriptions.

Twelfth—that our local telephone company equip our phones with an automatic starter. McLean is a 20th century town. Why impose upon it a 17th century phone? As well ask the modern college girl to wear a hoop skirt and bustle.

Thirteenth—now, with reference to our honorable mayor and aldermen: I must say in all seriousness, that as long as I am president of the McLean chamber of commerce, I shall bitterly oppose the adoption by our

city fathers of any additional children unless they are old enough to blow a horn.

Fourteenth—this is a mystery subject—the banking situation. I am just like the rest of you—I don't know a thing about it.

Telephone day 215, night 214, for auto wrecking and towing service. Watt's Garage. Advertisement 1p

Mrs. Blanche Jones of Dalhart visited her sister, Mrs. Ken Rector, last week.

Mrs. LeRoy Williams visited in Magic City Friday.

Mrs. Earl Lee of Fort Worth visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter were in Wellington last Thursday.

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

Wilmer Mercer visited in Wheeler Sunday.

E. B. Reeves of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

Ed Sublett of Abra was in town Friday.

Mrs. Lear M. Jones and son, Albert Earl, of Abernathy visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Altos Arnold and of Chillicothe visited the lady's Mrs. Walter Cash, last week.

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WORTHEN DRYGOODS STOCK
Where They Sell Cheap
Odd Lots But Lots of 'em

Early to bed—Early to rise Permits you to Share in McCranie's Bargain surprise.
by Har. Jarnagin.

When a full blooded Irishman like "Chet" Finley, and a Scotch-Irishman like "Mack" McCranie convince themselves that the buying public really wants low prices, then that uncanny McCranie ability for cutting prices creates a flock of values that do, without any question of a doubt, save you "Plenty Money."

Just take that pile of caps that we checks over the other day. Some were 75c, others \$1, but they were not the styles that would sell for that price, so the boys just clipped them down to 9c each—they are plenty good for everyday caps. Then came along a flock of bow ties. Well, to make a long story short, they were strung and the tag says 1c each. Gazing around the store, we spies a big batch of cotton piece goods. Inspecting the tags, we are thrilled at seeing them marked to 5c a yard, and the original Worthen tags on many of these pieces were 25c and up to 39c.

Browsing down another isle in the store, we catch our breath in front of a rack of men's woolen suits, and the information flapper that is guiding us along informs us they are priced at only \$2.95 each. WOW!—what a man—that can pass up a buy like that! And dresses—dad-gum, the racks are full of them. Mack got all hot and bothered and had over 750 cotton and silk dresses sent here for the sale. "Chet" pulled a prune hem-orage later on, and what a flock of low prices these two lads did put on these dresses and the dresses that were already in the Worthen stock! Believe you me, this sale is going to be some sale. It's plenty hot!

Just as we started around the counter, we bumped into a big dry goods case. It's full of new prints, new patterns; and there are thousands of yards of materials in this case that are going to sell at rockbottom sale prices. We moved over into the shoe section and right then and there that young lady informed us that as far as bargains were concerned we had seen nothing yet, when comparing them to the low prices that had been placed on this Worthen shoe stock—she's right—we were surprised, shocked. Bargains that were rare and always will be vivid and real stared us in the face—hundreds of them, racks of them, arm loads of them. Smilingly the fair damsel urged us to inspect a display of Pepperell sheets, 69c each, and they're 81x90, and—"get this"—a manufacturer's 3 year guarantee. That reminds us of the Irish story. In parting from a friendly gathering, Pat says to Mike: "I'll see you in the funnies," and Mike replying, winks a witty eye, with an "Oh, yeah, between the sheets!"

And it's a fact that Worthen stock is bargained—you'll agree it's a humdinger of a sale. It's the kind of a sale that makes the shaving portion of the population loosen its pursestrings to the women folks—it's your sale, and "don't you forget that."

Barber Towels 1c	Men's Woolen Shirts, 1 lot 79c	Dress Pants 49c
ONE OF MEN'S-BOYS TO 1/25 SHIRTS 19c		
60c Wool Mixed Dress Goods 29c	Prints, Bleached Muslin, etc. 1 big lot, to 30c, yd. 5c	
200 Men's CAPS val. to \$1.50 49c	OUT IT GOES "Mack" McCranie cuts loose with a store filled to overflowing with "Soul Satisfying" Sale Values—the entire Worthen stock is sacrificed. Prices are cut to the lowest levels—values are created that are super-sensational. It's your sale, and don't you forget that!	New BED SETS \$3.95 Big rayon spreads and fancy pillows new colors—in fact a new item for this sale—so come early, get here first, choose bargains.
Linen Finish Napkins Values to 25c 8c	1 Lot Mens' SHOES 19c Porch Pillows 23c ea	
Pillow Cases 9c	Men's 50c Kerchiefs 10c	Child's Coats \$1.50 Child's Dresses 4 for \$1.00
Men's to \$2.00 Band Shirts 29c	New Net Hose at 39c	50 Purses Originally to \$1.00 9c
Canvas Gloves 1 big lot, pr. 5c	\$1.25 Drapery 69c	\$1.95 54 in. Wool Flannels 98c
Worthen Dry Goods Stock SALE by the New Owner L. E. "Mack" McCranie		

With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
 Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
 Sunday school 9:45 a. m., T. A. Goff, supt.
 Morning worship at 11. Message by the pastor. Special music.
 B. T. S. at 6:45 p. m., Mrs. B. G. Thomas general director.
 Evening service at 8. Message by pastor. Special music.
 The W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon in the church auditorium. Royal Service.
 R. A. will meet Monday at 4:30.
 Y. W. A. will meet Monday evening Bible study.
 Choir rehearsal Tuesday at 8 p. m.
 Prayer meeting and Bible study Wednesday at 8 p. m. A geographical study of the life of Christ is being made. Bring your Bible, paper and pencil.
 Mr. G. A. Thursday at 3:45 p. m.
 Mt. G. A. Friday at 3:45 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 W. A. Erwin, Minister
 Sunday school 10 a. m., J. A. Ashby, supt., Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, supt. primary department.
 Morning worship 11 a. m. Sermon by the pastor. Anthem by the choir.
 Evening worship 8 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Special music.
 Congregational meeting Friday, 8 p. m. Refreshments will be served. Reports from all departments of the church, and officers elected for next year.

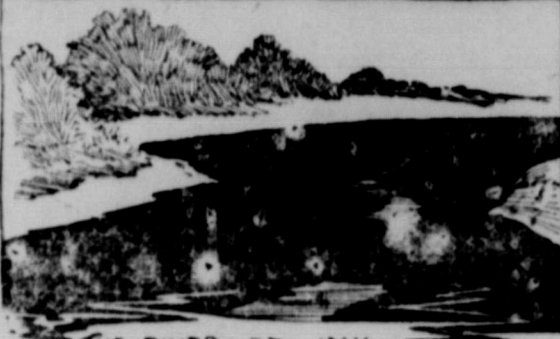
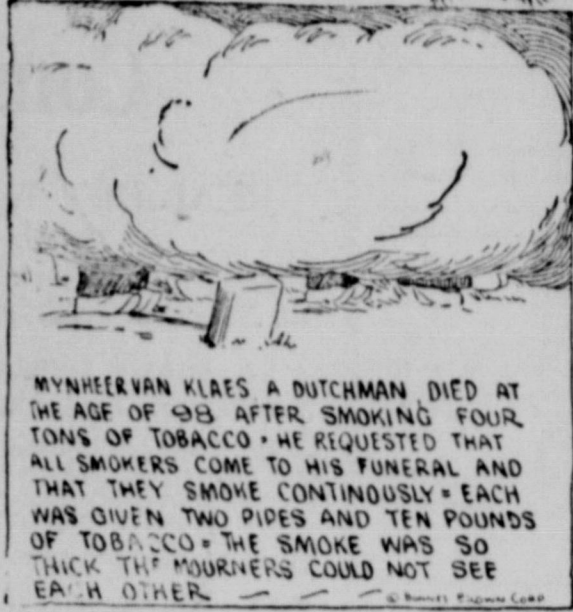
CRAZY QUILT
 P. T. A. is putting on one of the biggest programs of the year. The Crazy Quilt, Thursday night, April 14 at 8 p. m. Everyone interested in good laugh is urged to be present. For a good time. Admission 10c and 15c. Advertisement 1c

HAD HER SUSPICIONS
 Timid Wife (to husband who had fallen asleep at the wheel)—"I don't want to dictate to you, George, but that billboard coming at us so fast—fully fast?"

TRIPLE-ENTRY BOOKKEEPING
 A New Yorker was examining an applicant for a job of bookkeeping. "Of course you understand double-entry?" he said.
 "Sure," said the applicant. "The place I had I kept the books triple-entry—one set for the boss, showing the real profits; a second set for the shareholders, showing no profit and a third set for the income people, showing a loss."

Visitor—"Who is the genteel looking man in that cell?"
 Warden—"He is held as a witness in a street gang murder."
 Visitor—"Where is the murderer?"
 Warden—"Oh, he's out on bail."

Odd—but TRUE



A BIT TOO MUCH
 A Scot was engaged in an argument with a conductor as to whether the fare was five or ten cents. Finally the disgusted conductor picked up the Scot's suitcase and tossed it off the train, just as they passed over a bridge. It landed with a splash.
 "Mon," screamed Sandy, "isn't it enough that you try to overcharge me, but now you try to drown my little boy?"

Bobby—"Mother, did you buy me from the stork?"
 Mother—"Yes, dear; why do you ask?"
 Bobby—"I've often wondered why you didn't pay a few more dollars and pick out a boy without freckles."

THE FINAL CEREMONY
 Hubby—"My dear, why don't you ask my advice on the matter?"
 Wifey—"I intend to just as soon as I decide what I am going to do."
 Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Newman and son, Kelly, went to Okmulgee, Okla., Tuesday to visit their daughter and sister.

If men are all alike, as women say, why do widows remarry?

AUTOMOBILE SERVICE

We can service your car, regardless of make. Oil, gas, greases, Goodrich tires and tubes.
 If in the market for a new or used Chevrolet, see us.
 Pure distilled battery water.
MAGNOLIA SERVICE STATION
 Bob Black, Manager

FARM A HEAVEN TO MANY

The Russell Record quotes a widely known Missouri farmer: "As long as I am on the farm I've got a job. I may eventually lose the farm, it is true, but I shan't walk any streets this winter, anyway." There are about eight million wage earners in the cities of the United States that are wondering where the next meal and the rent is coming from. They are envying the farmer for the first time in many years. Farmers at least have a roof over their heads and plenty to eat. That seems like heaven to many people that are walking the streets.

PERJURY PADLOCKED

Probably it is safe to say that there never was a time when as many people really wanted to see armaments reduced as at present. In some quarters this desire is something like a cursading fervor. The ordinary people of the world do not want any more war, and they are not enamored of the prospect of spending hundreds of millions of dollars at a time when many must go hungry, to support armies and fleets. —Gallup (N. M.) Independent, Feb. 11, 1932.

Let Geneva heed the lesson of recent history, which is the futility of force to settle disputes which are primarily political, psychological and economic. Never was there such preparedness for war as that of Europe in 1914. They prepared for war, and they got what they prepared for.—Lucia Ames Mead in the N. Y. World-Telegram, Feb. 16, 1932.

J. M. Noel was in Pampa Monday.

Fire Hail Tornado
W. E. BOGAN & SON
Insurance
 Life — Auto — Casualty
McLEAN, TEXAS



Friday, Saturday and Monday Specials

NEW SPUDS, per lb	3c
BLACKBERRIES, gal.	37c
SALMON, tall can	10c
CORN, Primrose 2 No. 2 tins	25c
SHREDDED WHEAT, 2 reg. pkgs.	21c
COMPOUND, Jewel, 8 lb	57c
PINTO BEANS, real cookers, 8 lb	25c
SUGAR, pure cane, 10 lb cloth bag	48c
COFFEE, ground by us, 2 lb	25c
JELLO, all flavors, 3 for	20c
MARKET SPECIALS	
BACON, smoked, per lb	14c
MINCED HAM, per lb	13c
CHEESE, Longhorn, per lb	17c

THE FAMOUS DRY GOODS CO.

FORCED BUT NOT BY THE SHERIFF

TO SACRIFICE \$20,000 STOCK!

BEGINNING FRIDAY, APRIL 15, 1932, 8 a. m.

Men's Work Pants

73c

Men's Overalls

48c

Unbleached DOMESTIC

3c

LADIES' HOSE

23c

Children's COVERALLS

37c

Men's Dress HATS

98c

HERE IT IS, GOOD PEOPLE

OF McLEAN AND SURROUNDING COMMUNITIES—"THE FAMOUS," WHICH HAS SERVED YOU WITH THE GREATEST VALUES AND LOWEST PRICES AT ALL TIMES, NOW OFFERS YOU THEIR ENTIRE STOCK AT SUCH RIDICULOUSLY LOW PRICES THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE TO BELIEVE THAT SUCH HIGH QUALITY NEW MERCHANDISE CAN BE SOLD SO LOW. ONE VISIT TO THE FAMOUS DURING THIS SALE WILL CONVINCING YOU THAT THIS IS SO. REMEMBER—OUR ENTIRE STOCK MUST BE SOLD.

THE FAMOUS

THE BARGAIN CORNER OF McLEAN

CRETONNES, CHAMBRAYS PRINTS

8c

Men's OXFORDS

\$1.38

Children's OXFORDS

98c

BIAS TAPE 3 pkgs for

10c

Limit 6 pkgs.

SILK CREPE

54c

Bleached Sheets

49c

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Panhandle Press Association

Several people have remarked the absence of smoking at the chamber of commerce banquet last week. The same thing was true of the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday. Time was when there was no smoking in mixed company, but now it causes comment. However, the consideration of smokers can be appreciated by all those who do not indulge in the weed.

A town not over two hours drive from McLean had 14 fires the first three months of the year and has had all its insurance policies cancelled. Some policies have been cancelled and others raised in McLean, with one of the highest insurance rates we have had for some time. It behooves all of us to help reduce the fire hazard, for every town must pay for its own fires through increased insurance rates.

There is little doubt that a swimming pool in the city park under the direction of the city council would pay good money and fill a long felt need here. If there should be objection raised against mixed bathing, there could easily be stated ways for different sexes, as is practised in some cities. The fact that all waste water could be utilized to irrigate the park is a good talking point in favor of the proposition.

Landscape artists claim that our city park is ideally situated for the purpose and the drainage and lay of the land is as nearly perfect as anyone could wish for. Just a little expenditure of money and some labor, with plenty of water, can make it a thing of beauty for every one. The practice of staking cows in the park is against the city laws, and it will not be permitted, we are told, this year.

Statistics show that picture show attendance is falling off and church attendance increasing. Wonder if the fact that many people think church services do not cost anything is the reason? We all expect to pay for admission to the show, but sometimes fail to recognize our obligation toward keeping church expenses paid; yet if someone did not pay for the church services there would be no churches to attend.

After dinner speeches are generally boring and the shorter ones are the most enjoyed, but this could not be said of Rev. Foote's address at the banquet last week. Many people remarked that it was the best talk heard in McLean for a long time, and all could have listened for a much longer time. We would not be mean enough to suggest that this speech was a "before dinner" one for Rev. Foote, as he arrived late.

In the city elections held last week, Memphis and Estelline voters cast only 44 votes each, while in some other towns a record vote was cast. It is problematical whether a light vote or a heavy one is best for a town, for while a light vote indicates indifference as to what is done, a heavy vote generally means a lot of political activity and chance for division.

McLean's vote this year was of the medium variety, which may be the best after all.

It is a pity that it was thought necessary to top the old trees in the park so severely. They should now be taken up and new trees planted, as they will always be an eyesore after such pruning, and anyway new trees can be grown to size quicker than the old stumps can possibly grow a top. This comes of not having a set plan and a man to see that the plan is carried out, and it is devoutly to be hoped that it may never be thought necessary again.

When mothers clubs changed their name to Parent-Teacher Associations it was through courtesy to the fathers and an effort to have them help in the work, but the change seemingly did not mean much to the men, as a look at the official boards of local, district and state will show mainly mothers' names. The district meeting at Panhandle last week elected all mothers to the offices. It is to the credit of the mothers that they take such interest in this worthy work, and they might as well have credit in name, as well as in fact.

The co-operation shown in the clean-up week was appreciated by all concerned. The judges found that some people had never heard of clean-up week, or if they had it meant nothing to them, but in the main the city is clean; in fact some people who are known to keep clean premises were not included in those mentioned for prizes, but were given honorable mention. We can keep our town clean by just a little attention to details every week, and will not only add to civic attractiveness but add to the health and happiness of all of us.

Medical associations are slowly but surely changing in their attitude toward paid advertising in the newspapers. Several medical groups over the country have tried advertising and the idea is growing in favor. To quote from one state association committee report: "The final important consideration to set down here is that it has been proven advertising can be conducted for the medical profession on a strictly ethical plane and with successful results where it employs proper advertising technique." A more liberal interpretation of the medical code will result in greater benefit to humanity, as well as to the profession.

DISTRICT P. T. A. MET AT PANHANDLE

Reported.

"The Challenge of the Children's Charter" was the theme of the ninth annual conference of the eight district of Texas Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teacher Associations, in session at Panhandle, April 7 and 8.

Among the outstanding numbers on the program were:

"The Emotion Life of the Child"—Dr. Geraldine Green, dean of women, West Texas State Teachers College, Canyon.

"The Challenge of the Children's Charter"—Jno. B. Hesse, supt. Gray county schools.

"A More Complete Schooling"—Clint C. Small, Amarillo.

"Atypical Children"—R. B. Fisher, supt. Pampa schools.

"Make the Cradle Safe"—Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner, Claude.

McLean was represented on Friday by Supt. Boswell, Mrs. Alvah Christian, Mrs. Jim Back and Mrs. R. L. Appling, the latter serving on the poster committee.

A feature of Friday afternoon's program was the hearing of inspiring reports from local P. T. A.'s and the election of officers. Mrs. Appling, local president, made an interesting report for McLean's association, and was honored by being elected to the office of second vice president.

A complete list of officers for the coming year is as follows:

President—Mrs. J. E. Griggs, Amarillo; 1st vice president, Mrs. W. B. Le Master, Perryton; 2nd vice president, Mrs. R. L. Appling, McLean; 3rd vice president, Mrs. T. J. Page, Claude; 4th vice president, Mrs. R. E. Weller, Stratford; 5th vice president, Mrs. Cleo Templeton, Wellington; 6th vice president, Mrs. T. H. McKenzie, Panhandle; 7th vice president, Mrs. J. T. Shelton, Vega; recording secretary, Mrs. Ray Callham, Conway; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. D. Westbay.

Amarillo will be hostess to the association next year.



When you begin to garden, have a definite object in view. Make a comprehensive plan of developments.

Soften straight lines and sharp angles where possible. Graceful curves are more pleasing to the eye.

Leave the center of lawn unobstructed, planting the borders with masses of shrubs and trees.

Background and sky line are features not half appreciated. Given a proper setting, a cottage will often be more attractive than a poorly set mansion. Plant heavily behind and to the rear sides of your home if on a big lawn.

For the foundations, remember always—height in the corners, immediately in front of pillars and at the bare wall spaces. Under the windows low or medium plants only.

Lawn furniture—that is, bird baths, seats, rose arches, sun dials, etc., if properly placed make the lawn much more attractive. These little touches help beauty.

Avoid too much variety in mass planting; alternating or "salt and pepper" arrangement is not nearly so effective as grouping plants of each kind.

For front line or border planting especially, choose few varieties and plant more of them. The results will be more pleasing. Plant the taller things in the back of the border and with the lower growing ones alternating and the border plants in curves or groups. Never expect to get mass effect by straight-line planting.

We throw the cut flowers out when they wither and fade. Why not replace some of the growing plants which have not done so well outside?

Sharpen tools to prevent dull days.

Why not get a few houses where the birds can nest? A bath for the birds will give even more pleasure to you than to them.

Nobody wants to plant an oak—they seem so slow in growing. Plant some anyway. Others will benefit as you have.

THE HOME NEWSPAPER

It has been said that no institution not founded on fundamental need can live. The reverse of this is also true. That is why the home newspaper, as an institution, has survived many things; the onslaught of individual opposition, the increase of printing costs, the peril of unpaid subscriptions, the uncertainty of advertising patronage, the problem of professional competition, and the hazards of its own mistakes. Through all of these the home newspaper will live.

When subjected to the test of whether the home newspaper could be done without, there always follows the inevitable reaction of whether the people of the community want to do without it. The more than 17,000 dailies, weeklies, semi-weeklies, and tri-weeklies of the United States and Canada stand as proof of the important service the newspaper renders.

The newspaper is not a fad nor an invention—it is a growth that has been made possible by the co-operation and receptive spirit of the people themselves because of the need for the transmission of news and a circulation medium for advertising products.—Antioch (Ill.) News.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes Quattlebaum and little daughter of Amarillo attended the Wolfe funeral Friday.

Mrs. Eunice Kennedy was in Lefors Friday.

FACTS ABOUT PRINTING

Printing is known as "The Art Preservative of Arts."

Printing ranks sixth among the important industries of the United States as regards value of its product.

Printing in the United States has an invested capital of nearly \$600,000,000.

Printing offers employment to nearly a half million people.

The printing today is replete with labor and time-saving devices, and is being conducted on the basis of expediency and efficiency.

Printing by movable type was invented at Haarlem, Holland, by Lourens Coster about the year 1445, eight years before Gutenberg set up his shop.—Progress.

AT WORTHEN STOCK SALE
CLOSING OUT 77
Ladies SILKEN DRESSES
\$1.00 Each
Originally Up To 20.00 Vals
Childs Dresses
1-Lot \$1.00
4 FOR \$1.00
BY McCRANIES where They Sell Cheap!

THE SOFT ANSWER

Lincoln was remonstrating with General McClellan about the latter's military policy. During the talk McClellan became angry and said: "Sir, do you think I'm a fool?" "Why, no," returned Lincoln. Then with a dry smile he added: "Of course, I may be mistaken."—Net Results.

When the Public Printer gave out the information that the printing bill for Congress last year was \$2,499,999, the Neosho Miner and Mechanic offered and would guarantee to do all the printing that is necessary for the year 1932 for \$1,249,999, which would be just 50% of the cost last year. The offer is also made Missouri to do all the real necessary state printing for 50% of last year's bill.

**Ice Cubes
Iced Drinks
Constant Cold .**

REAL HOT WEATHER COMFORT

On hot days you'll enjoy the comforts of Electric Refrigeration as never before.

In those frosty depths you'll find refreshing coolness at a moment's notice. Ices, ice creams, mousses, ice cubes to tinkle in frosted glasses. Vary your regular menu with the special hot-weather dishes that only an Electric Refrigerator can make—chilled salads, aspics and frozen puddings.

Let your electrical dealer show you the pleasures of the Electric Refrigerator. You'll be surprised at how little it costs!

**Southwestern
PUBLIC SERVICE
Company
C. O. Greene, Manager**

A Safe Farm Program

FEED—FOOD—CREDIT

The present agricultural conditions and the prospect for the prices of all agricultural commodities in the future suggest that a program of live at home for the farmer is imperative.

We wish to point out to the farmers of this territory, as we did last year, that from our viewpoint, the time has come, more than ever, when it behooves every farmer to grow his feed and food at home, consisting of fruits, vegetables, poultry, meat and milk, and have these products preserved in sufficient quantities to feed a family at least one year, and a two year supply of feed for all livestock. It is an utter impossibility to produce any one crop (particularly cotton) and meet your obligations. One crop programs have always proven disastrous.

We have no disposition to dictate to our farmer customers, but it is our seasoned judgment and experience that unless a live at home policy is adopted and continually pursued, farmers can never prosper. We would respectfully urge the planting of gardens this year, and if the gardens should fail, then we would urge that the farmer go to the sections of this country that raise truck and garden stuff in abundance, and buy or barter for the same, thus supplying their home needs with vegetables, fruits, etc., that they fail to raise on their farms. A good many farmers last year employed the barter system, and are this year borrowing very little money as a result of it.

It will be the policy of the following banks to ease their farm loans in the future on whether or not the farmer is following the program as outlined above.

This statement is made at this time so farmers may plan their 1932 farming activities accordingly.

- American National Bank, McLean, Texas
- Agricultural Credit Corporation of Hall County
- First National Bank, Memphis, Texas
- Hall County National Bank, Memphis, Texas
- Citizens State Bank, Memphis, Texas
- First National Bank, Lakeview, Texas
- Farmers and Merchants State Bank, Turkey, Texas
- Estelline State Bank, Estelline, Texas
- First National Bank, Clarendon, Texas
- Farmers State Bank, Clarendon, Texas
- Donley County State Bank, Clarendon, Texas
- Security State Bank, Hedley, Texas
- First National Bank, Childress, Texas
- First State Bank, Childress, Texas
- City National Bank, Childress, Texas
- Producers Loan Company, Childress, Texas
- First State Bank, Kirklind, Texas
- First State Bank, Tell, Texas
- Wellington State Bank, Wellington, Texas
- First National Bank, Wellington, Texas
- City National Bank, Wellington, Texas
- First State Bank, Dodsonville, Texas
- First National Bank, Quitaque, Texas

THE TIGER POST

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 Football Reporter Cagle Kunt
 Band Reporter Juanita Ball
 Agriculture Reporter Erwin Browning
 Sponsor Miss Kennedy

AGGIES GO TO PLAINVIEW

The poultry and dairy teams went to Plainview the last week end. There they competed against some of the strongest teams in the state. The nature of this event was that the team of McLean making the best showing will go to the state contest at Texas A. & M. next week. The poultry teams were the lucky ones.

Results were as follows: J. C. Breeding second in egg judging, J. Billingslea third in exhibition birds, team scored third in exhibition birds, and seventh in all events; Jack Reed was third high individual in Holsteins and received \$1 in cash.

The livestock, poultry and farm shop teams leave for the state contest Thursday afternoon to compete for state honors in the respective divisions. McLean has each year won the Rock Island prize trip to Kansas City and placed third in sweepstakes, and it is expected that even greater results may be achieved this year.

Since McLean has three of the best trained and experienced teams that has ever had.

The probable line-up is as follows: Livestock, Clyde Andrews, Erwin Browning, Bert Carpenter; poultry, Billingslea, Archie Hibler, J. C. Breeding; farm shop, Forrest Switzer, Eagle Hunt, Christal Christian; subs, Yvelle Christian and Arthur Lee Howard.

Mr. Harding and Mr. Tampke are taking the boys in their cars. Outdoor camping will be a feature of the trip.

H. E. GIRLS SERVE BANQUET

Pupils of the home economics department planned, prepared and served the annual chamber of commerce banquet on Thursday night. Sixty plates were served. The menu consisted of: grapefruit cocktail, baked chicken, dressing, giblet gravy, powder peas, mashed potatoes, relish, hot rolls, butter, spring salad, vanilla ice cream, cake, coffee, tea.

The proceeds desired from this banquet will be used to help defray expenses for the girls who will go to the Home Making Educational Rally which meets at Mineral Wells on April 28 and 30.

Following are some expressions of appreciation for the banquet:

"Dear Mr. Boswell:
 It is the consensus of opinion of those who attended, that the chamber of commerce banquet given Thursday night, April 7, was a decided success. A contributing factor to its success was the excellent food and service furnished and the splendid co-operation shown by Miss Seal and the girls of the home economics department. I wish to express my thanks to you and the home economics department for the valuable assistance given and the co-operation shown on that occasion.
 Yours very truly,
 C. O. GREENE, Manager,
 Southwestern Public Service Co."

"Dear Mr. Boswell:
 I am pleased to have the opportunity to say that, in my opinion, the banquet served the McLean chamber of commerce on the 7th, by the home economics class headed by Miss Seal, was excellent. The menu was all that could be desired and the service was first class in every particular.
 Yours very truly,
 D. N. MASSAY, Mayor."

My dear Mr. Boswell:
 With reference to the chamber of commerce banquet at the high school Thursday night, I would like, thru you, to express my appreciation of the nice dinner served by the home economics class.
 The food was wholesome, well planned and prepared; and I was really surprised at the splendid service which was carried thru without confusion.
 I wish you would kindly convey my expressions to Miss Seal and the corps of young lady assistants, members of the class.
 Sincerely yours,
 REUBEN R. R. COOK, President,
 Chamber of Commerce."

Dear Miss Seal:
 It happens to be a charter member of the McLean chamber of commerce and have never missed a meeting including banquets, but I don't think we have ever had a banquet where we had better food and service than was given by your class last year.

Many people have remarked that this year's banquet was the best staged by the C. O. C., and no

small praise is due the class and yourself for the perfect food and service.

Very truly yours,
 T. A. LANDERS,
 Past President C. O. C."

PRINCIPALS AND SUPERINTENDENTS BANQUET

The banquet for the superintendents and principals of Gray county will be held in the high school building on Friday evening, April 15. It is to be served by the home economics girls.

SENIOR PLAY TUESDAY NIGHT

The senior play was presented in the high school auditorium on Tuesday evening. Each character performed his part well. The play was well presented and those who attended enjoyed it. The proceeds will be used to defray expenses of graduation. The seniors wish to express appreciation to all who attended.

PIANO HONOR ROLL

First year—Johnnie Mae Scott, Vada Appling, Marie Landers.
 Second and third years—Fern Martin, Willie Louelle Cobb, Ermadell Floyd, Georgie Colebank, Helen Boswell, Dorothy Sitter, Anadel Sligar, Shirley Johnston.

More advanced work—Lavern Pettit, Margaret Hess, Ruth Hess, Jewel Shaw.

The following letter was received from the state department of education this week:
 Miss Aline McCarty,
 McLean, Texas.
 Dear Miss McCarty:

I have had a good deal of pleasure in looking through Nora Lee Morgan's "Geometry in Jewelry," which I am enclosing herewith. I want to compliment her upon the kind of exhibit that she has put up, and I want also to compliment you for inspiring her to do that kind of work.

It occurs to me that the kind of work that you are doing, according to your letter, is very worthwhile. It would be a pleasure to look through all of your note books if time permitted.

The commercial world makes use of geometry in almost every way. There isn't a pattern in dress goods for either men or women that is not geometric in its foundation. There isn't a figure in print goods but that is based upon geometry. It is found even in the water lining of stationery, and you would be surprised at how much of it there is in nature.

If you will ask the butcher's boy in your class to bring you a piece of liver, you will find geometric figures in that. If he would take a bone and saw it in two, you will notice the geometry in that; if you will have some farmer's boy to take a keen knife and cut a corn stalk at about forty-five degrees, you will observe that the pith in the core is laid out geometrically. There is some boy in one of your classes who either has or can get a hat band or a belt made of the skin of a rattlesnake. You will find geometry there. You will find geometry in the skin of a bullsnake and in the hide of the armadillo. In fact, I call to mind just now nothing in nature except the soil where geometry does not play its part.

M. B. BROWN,
 High School Supervisor.

IT IS ALL FOR THE BETTER

It is all for the better, I figure,
 Whatever shall befall us in life—
 Be it pleasure each day forever,
 Be it always sorrow or strife.

For the world is a school of correction
 For the angels who once went astray—
 Forgetting our former connection
 When we entered this body of clay.
 Whether wise, or a fool without fruition,
 We are equal, as the children of God;
 For this, in the plan of creation,
 Was ordained by the triune of God.

Predestined to give Him our service—
 In some way we must each play our part—
 Be it service like Paul's or like Judas',
 From that service no one must depart.

But the "crown" is for him who shall earn it,
 And the "stars" for the just and the pure.
 The reward is for all who shall win it,
 And torment for the poor evildoer.
 —John B. Vannoy.

O. G. Stokely and daughter, Mrs. Martha Hamilton, returned Saturday from Kansas, where they attended the funeral of the former's mother.

Miss Clara Anderson of Canyon visited home folks here last week end.

J. R. Phillips and family visited Tom Phillips and family at White Deer Sunday.

News from Alanreed

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bell and Alpha Hall visited S. C. Ball and family at Hedley Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miniard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gibson.

J. T. Wilson of Clarendon was in Alanreed Tuesday.
 The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Clemmons was buried in the Alanreed cemetery Wednesday.

Vester Hines sustained a broken leg Monday evening while playing baseball.

Mrs. Houston Bell visited Mrs. Lawrence Miniard Tuesday evening.
 Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bell spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Easterling and Mrs. L. J. Miniard made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mack Reece and Alvis Moreman made a trip to Memphis Monday.

Lawrence Miniard and Charlie McMurry made a trip to Romerio Tuesday.

Mrs. L. J. Miniard visited Mrs. Clyde Easterling Tuesday.
 Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Messer, a boy.

News from Ramsdell

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Exum of Lindsay, Okla., and J. L. Exum of Shamrock visited in the E. Exum home Tuesday.

Mrs. Arrie Phillips returned Thursday from a visit with her son, Giles, at Shamrock.

Mrs. Tom Whitley and children visited in the E. Exum home Thursday afternoon.

R. A. Burrows visited Mrs. Burrows in looking through Nora Lee Morgan's "Geometry in Jewelry" which I am enclosing herewith.

Mrs. Arrie Phillips spent Monday night in the E. Exum home.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ramsey of Kansas City, Mo., came in Saturday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. J. I.

Bones.
 Mrs. W. N. Pharis and daughters called in the W. A. Lankford home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fields and children of Shamrock visited in the J. G. Davidson and W. N. Pharis homes Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Batson and son have returned from a week's visit in Arkansas. Dr. Batson attended the State Medical Association at Little Rock and visited his parents at Conway.

Mrs. Ken Rector and Miss Iva Lee Overstreet were in Clarendon Thursday.

Ray Wilson of Pampa was in McLean Friday.

J. A. Haynes was in Erick, Okla., Friday.

Mrs. J. W. Dorsey of White Deer visited her sister, Miss Iva Lee Overstreet, last week.

Geo. Thut and family of Lefors attended Judge Wolfe's funeral here Friday.

Miss Georgia Wilson of Amarillo was in McLean Friday to attend the funeral of Judge Wolfe.

Geo. P. Wilson of Amarillo was in McLean Friday to attend the Wolfe funeral.

Miss Gorda Lou Haynes of Weatherford, Okla., visited her mother, Mrs. Callie Haynes, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Abbott were in Lefors Friday.

Mrs. Eunice Kennedy was in Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Copeland of Lefors attended the funeral of Judge Wolfe Friday.

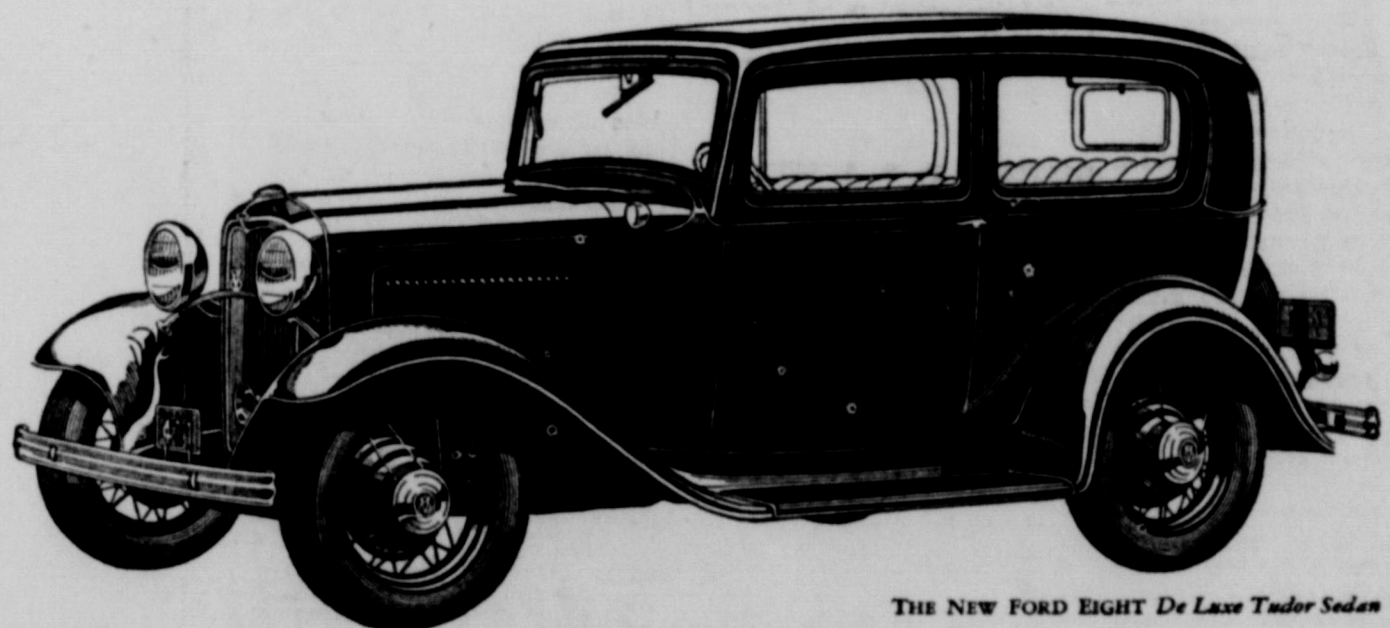
Jot Montgomery went to New Mexico Friday.

W. J. Ball of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

66 Service Station
PHILLIPS PRODUCTS
 Wholesale Headquarters
LEE TIRES
 Courteous Service
at Ford Garage
JOSH TURNER, Mgr.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday
ORIGINAL Rexall
ONE CENT SALE
 NOW GOING ON
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THE NEW FORD
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THE NEW FORD EIGHT De Luxe Tudor Sedan

Eight-cylinder, 90-degree V-type, 65-horse-power Engine • Vibrationless
Roomy, Beautiful Bodies • Low Center of Gravity • Silent Second Gear
Synchronized Silent Gear Shift • Seventy-five Miles per Hour • Comfortable
Riding Springs • Rapid Acceleration • Low Gasoline Consumption • Reliability

New self-adjusting Houdaille double-acting hydraulic shock absorbers with thermostatic control . . . New rear spring construction . . . Automatic spark control . . . Down-draft carburetor . . . Carburetor silencer . . . Bore, 3 1/16 inches. Stroke, 3 3/4 inches . . . Piston displacement, 221 cubic inches . . . 90-degree counterbalanced crankshaft . . . Large, effective fully

enclosed four-wheel brakes . . . Distinctive steel-spoke wheels with large hub caps . . . Handsome V-type radiator . . . Graceful new roof line and slanting windshield of clear polished plate safety glass . . . Single-bar bumpers, chromium plated . . . Low, drop center frame . . . Mechanically operated pump drawing fuel from fourteen-gallon gasoline tank in rear . . . Choke on instrument panel

. . . Individual inside sun visors . . . Cowl ventilation . . . Adjustable driver's seat . . . Choice of Mohair, Broadcloth or Bedford Cord upholstery in all de luxe closed types.

THE NEW FORD FOUR-CYLINDER CAR
 An improved Ford four-cylinder, 50-horse-power engine, operating with new smoothness, is available in fourteen body types at \$50 less than the corresponding V-8 prices listed below.

A GREAT NEW CAR AT AN UNUSUALLY LOW PRICE

Roadster . . . \$460	Coupe . . . \$490	De Luxe Roadster \$500	De Luxe Tudor \$550	De Luxe Fordor . \$645
Phaeton . . . 495	Sport Coupe . . 535	De Luxe Phaeton 545	De Luxe Coupe 575	Victoria . . . 600
Tudor Sedan . . 500	Fordor Sedan . . 590		Cabriolet . . . 610	Convertible Sedan 650

(F. O. B. Detroit, plus freight and delivery. Bumpers and spare tire extra. Economical terms through Authorized Ford Finance Plans of Universal Credit Co.)

Local and Personal

Mrs. Geo. Heinson entertained with a one o'clock luncheon Thursday of last week. Those present were: Mrs. A. Stanfield, Mrs. E. L. Sitter, Mrs. Ercy Cubine, Mrs. J. R. Boston, Mrs. Ed Dishman.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bogan, Mrs. L. Sligar, Mrs. G. V. Koons and Miss Frances Noel attended an Eastern Star meeting at Mobeetie Tuesday night.

Born, Tuesday, April 12, 1932, to Rev. and Mrs. Chester M. Savage of Lela, a 7 pound boy, named Courtland Bernard.

Mrs. Sam Kunkel and daughters, Mrs. Callie Haynes and Mrs. T. N. Holloway, visited at Erick, Okla., Friday.

Mrs. J. M. Noel and daughter, Miss Frances, Mrs. D. C. Carpenter and Mrs. John Harris were in Shamrock Monday.

Mrs. T. A. Landers and son and Miss Eunice Stratton visited relatives in Canyon and Amarillo last week end.

Geo. Springer of Roaring Springs visited in the Witt Springer home this week.

Mrs. Floyd Phillips, Mrs. Sammie Cubine and little son visited in Miami Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brooks, Tuesday, April 12, a nine pound boy.

Miss Bennie Burk returned to her home at Hollis, Okla., Saturday after a visit with relatives here.

Mesdames Harris D'Spain and Jim McClellan visited in Shamrock Monday.

Mesdames R. W. Coleman and Martin Dwyer visited in Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cary, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hodge of Pampa visited in the John Hales home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jordan and little daughter of Amarillo visited in the R. S. Jordan home last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke and Mrs. S. D. Shelburne were in Shamrock Monday.

Mrs. Pete Fulbright and children and Miss Ferguson visited in Hollis, Okla., last week end.

Mrs. Lee Atwood and Mrs. T. A. Bonham visited in Shamrock Tuesday.

D. A. Davis left Saturday for Corpus Christi to attend the bedside of his father.

Little Miss Mona Cathryn Meier of Amarillo visited her grandmother, Mrs. Laura Stratton, this week.

C. E. Johnson and LeRoy Williams were in Magic City Saturday.

Miss Jessie Cash is visiting in Amarillo and Dalhart this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Delaune of Pampa were in McLean Friday.

Walter Smith was in Pampa last week.

A. F. Smith and G. V. Koons made a trip to Oklahoma City Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Upham visited in Pampa Wednesday.

T. H. Andrews' subscription figure have been moved up another year.

Rev. and Mrs. N. E. Savage of Amherst are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan were in Groom Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin were in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. John Hales visited in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rice visited in Pampa Tuesday.

Clifford Allison visited his mother in Clarendon last week end.

Tom McCarty was in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Johnnie Back was in Shamrock Monday.

Tom and Lee Harlan were in White Deer Saturday.

M. T. Cantrell of Wheeler visited in McLean Friday.

Harris King was in Pampa Monday.



The modern idea about home grounds is that every square foot should serve a purpose. Land is expensive, and the time has passed when a home owner was content to use only that portion of his lot upon which his house stood. Today, if he is up-to-date, he considers his home to embrace the entire area of the ground to which he has title, and he develops every part of it to perform a definite function, useful or ornamental. This idea has resulted in a transformation of the back yard. Formerly it was the most neglected part of the home grounds. A view of even a fine residence section from the alley was far from edifying. Land of great value, and capable of use which would justify its value, was usually devoted to rubbish heaps, clothes lines and miscellaneous storage. Houses turned their backs to all this, and owners only went into the back yard when wearing their old clothes. But this has now been changed; and the back yard in the modern home grounds is transformed into a beauty spot, the most inviting part of the home, the outdoor living room. Many modern houses are designed so that the living apartments com-

municate directly with the outdoor living room; and this is highly desirable if it can be arranged. It is often possible to adjust an old house to give this desirable connection; and always, with some thought, an easy and inviting access to the back yard can be worked out. The private garden in the rear offers more opportunity for individual expression than the front yard, where planting must be for the public. A certain restraint is called for in front, and harmony with neighboring plantings is desirable. But in the private garden one should express his own idea of outdoor beauty. There should be planting to give privacy and screen out unsightly views. This may be arranged so that passersby on the street can get a glimpse of the beauty within without privacy being destroyed. Comfortable furniture, perhaps a swing, seats, chairs and a table, will give the yard the look of an abiding place. Bird houses will attract feathered visitors to entertain us. And flowers will help make the outdoor living room the source of joy throughout the summer.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jno. H. Crow, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m., C. S. Rice supt., Mrs. C. C. Bogan supt. junior department, Miss Frances Noel assistant. G. C. Boswell general supervisor Christian education.
Special music.
Preaching service 11 a. m.
Epworth League 7 p. m.
Evening service 7:45.

Mrs. Herman Lee visited in Amarillo last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke were in Amarillo Friday.

News from Heald
Mrs. Ernest Brooks was in Amarillo Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brock visited in the T. C. Landers home Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stauffer, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Elliott and daughter visited in the Reneau home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and son were in Wheeler last Thursday.
Miss Alma Brock visited Miss Christine Hanner Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Earl Green and children of McLean visited in the Bill Bailey home Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Holder and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. Jeffrie and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and son, Misses Sadie and Lou Brock, Dwight Holder, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brock took dinner in the U. G. Lane home Sunday.
Mrs. Clara Blair and children visited in the Bill Bailey home Sunday.
Little Joe Fowler Brock spent Saturday with Vestal Gene Bailey.
Miss Fahoma Ladd visited Miss Mary Reneau Sunday.
Miss Glyndora Bailey spent Sunday with Miss Wanda Nell Ladd.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brock, Earl Lane, Dwight Holder, Misses Sadie Brock and Willie May Lane attended singing at Magic City Sunday afternoon.
George R. Reheau and Hugh Miller were in Shamrock last Thursday.
T. F. Phillips went to Shamrock Tuesday.
Miss Juanita Bryant is visiting in the Walter Bailey home this week.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
The News is authorized to carry the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July:
For Representative, 122nd District:
JOHN PURYEAR
D. O. BEENE
For District Clerk:
LOUISE MILLER DUNN
For County Clerk:
CHARLIE THUT
For County Treasurer:
MABEL DAVIS
For Tax Assessor:
F. EWING LEECH
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
W. W. WILSON
M. M. NEWMAN
J. E. CUBINE
For Sheriff:
LON L. BLANSCET
C. E. PIPES
For County Judge:
S. D. STENNIS
For Dist. Atty., 31st Judicial Dist.:
LEWIS M. GOODRICH

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
RATES—One insertion, 2c per word.
Two insertions, 3c per word.
Three insertions, 4c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion.
Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type at double rate. Initials and numbers count as words.
No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with The News.

FOR SALE
BOOK COVERS 1c each at News office.
INDIA INK, Stamp pad ink, show card ink and writing inks at News office.

MISCELLANEOUS
TO LEASE—Section of grassland, good well and mill. Mrs. A. Stanfield. Phone 103. 1p
We do general furniture repairing. Sitter Furniture Co., phone 271. 1c
Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. tfc

IF THE PERSON who "borrowed" a flat blade garden spade last winter will return it, no questions will be asked and it will be appreciated, as the owner needs it. 1p

FARM LOAN APPLICATIONS EXPIRE APRIL 30

April 30, 1932, is the last date for applications for farm loans, and those desiring loans are warned to get their applications in before that date. Information may be had from Banker Reuben R. R. Cook, L. L. Palmer or County Agent Ralph R. Thomas. G. L. Geesey, field inspector for this district, says that some 28 applications for loans have been sent to Dallas up to the present time, more than half of the \$3,000 asked for now being in the hands of the applicants and the balance will be sent them within the next thirty days. Other applications in this district follow:
Armstrong county, 11 applications, \$1,940 asked.
Carson county, no applications.
Donley county, 17 applications, for \$1,793.
Hemphill county, 14 applications for \$2,260.
Roberts county, 1 application for \$50.
Wheeler county, 102 applications for \$15,592.

NEW FORD ON DISPLAY

The new eight cylinder Ford automobile was in McLean Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week on display at the City Motor Co. The new model has many mechanical and body improvements that will appeal to all motorists, and the company expects to have a local demonstration car in stock by about Saturday of next week. Mr. Springer, owner of the company, says that they have installed the most modern greasing equipment possible to buy and expect to handle the highest grade greases and oils for their customers, as well as only genuine Ford parts for repairs. A policy of the firm will be regular inspection of all cars sold by them at regular intervals, without cost to the customer.

A young lawyer had been retained by a farmer to prosecute a railroad for killing twenty-four hogs. He wanted to impress the jury with the magnitude of the injury. "Twenty-four hogs, gentlemen," he said, "just think! Twenty-four—twice the number there are in the jury box."

BUY PRINTING IN McLEAN

OFFICERS EXCESS FEES PAID

Excess fees for 1931 were paid to Gray county by the tax collector, tax assessor, county clerk and county attorney, reports for these officers show. The largest amount given back to the county in excess fees was \$4,245.50, and came from Tax Collector T. W. Barnes' office. Amounts paid back to the county by other officers were as follows: County Attorney Charlie Thut, \$323.02; Tax Assessor Sherman White, \$197; County Clerk F. E. Leech, \$1,273.11. Other offices maintained by fees reported no excess fees. The net income from fees of many of the officials cannot be calculated until uncollected fees are in hand. Those officials who are under but near their maximums will retain enough to make up their maximums, if they receive that much in collections, while those already above their fees allowed by the law will turn all monies collected to the county. Sheriff Lon L. Blanscet, balancing his books, found a profit of \$2,058.07, out of this \$51.43 was outstanding and not all can be collected.

KNOWS HER INSECTS

Mr. J.—"My dear, this book is a remarkable work. Nature is marvelous! Stupendous! When I read a book like this, it makes me think how lowly, how insignificant is man." Mrs. J.—"A woman doesn't have to wade through four hundred pages to discover that!"
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Paige of Channing visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, Friday night.
Mrs. Ernest Abbott and children returned Saturday from a visit to Amarillo.

Southwestern Life Insurance Co.
Harold Rippey Local Representative

Poor Time to Let Go of the Gun



BUY PRINTING IN McLEAN

A Classified Want Ad in
The McLean News
WILL SELL IT FOR YOU!
Don't think that buyers are as hard to find as the proverbial "needle in the hay stack." **Not—if you advertise!** People, these days, are "bargain hunters." And, more than 1,000 people in this community make it a weekly practice to watch the Classified Want Ad columns of the paper for the "buying opportunities" listed there.
Phone 47 now!

Charlie Says—

"It's a funny thing so many people are always ready to condemn the money class then work so blamed hard tryin' to be one of it!"

COLORED COMIC SECTION

THE MCLEAN NEWS

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

McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, April 14, 1932.

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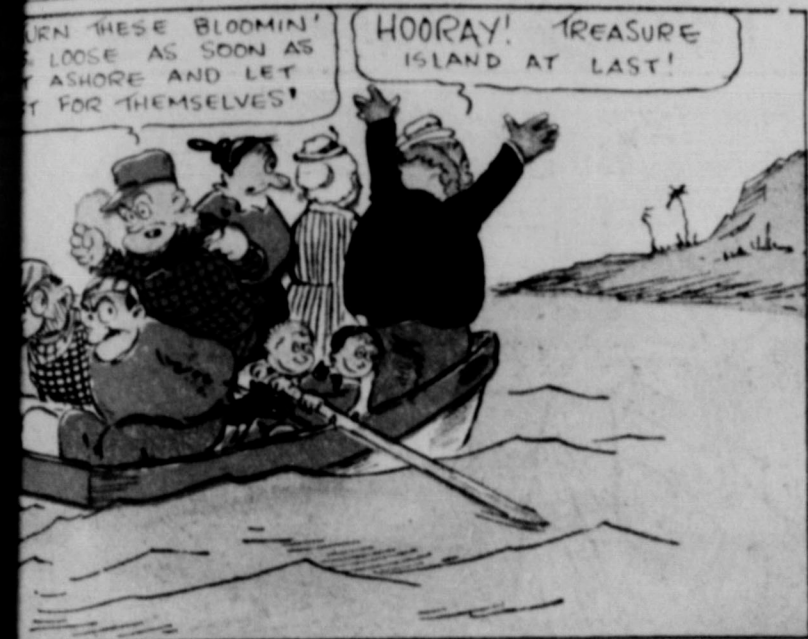
**NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS
AND CREDITORS**
OF
CITIZENS STATE BANK
McLEAN, TEXAS

Citizens State Bank, McLean, Texas, closed its doors on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1932, and is now being liquidated by me as provided by law. If you have a claim against said bank, you are hereby notified to present the same with legal proof thereof to me at Austin, Texas, within ninety days after the 3rd day of March, 1932.

Forms for proof of claim will be sent to every known creditor, and additional forms may be procured from the office of the Banking Commissioner, Austin, Texas.

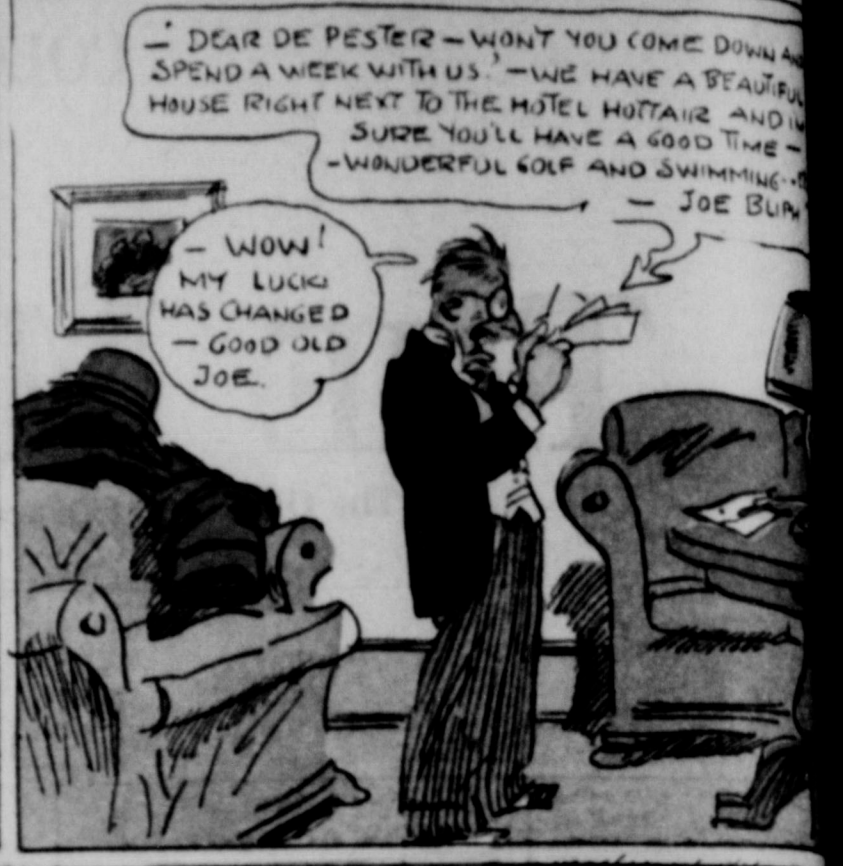
JAMES SHAW,
Banking Commissioner of Texas.
Dated at Austin, Texas, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1932.
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C. S. RICE
Funeral Director
FUNERAL SUPPLIES
MONUMENTS
Flowers for Funerals





- I GOT A LOT OF LUCK BUT, ITS ALL BAD - I HATE TO THINK WHAT THOSE TANNED UP SHEIKS DOWN THERE HAVE ON ME -



- DEAR DE PESTER - WONT YOU COME DOWN AND SPEND A WEEK WITH US - WE HAVE A BEAUTIFUL HOUSE RIGHT NEXT TO THE HOTEL HOTTAIRS AND I SURE YOU'LL HAVE A GOOD TIME - WANDERFUL GOLF AND SWIMMING - JOE BLUM

- WOW! MY LUCK HAS CHANGED - GOOD OLD JOE.



JUST MONEY FARE TO GO BACK - I'M ALL BE BETTY



?

- HELLO JOE OL BEAN - SO DECENT OF YOU TO HAVE ME DOWN!

- GLAD YOU'RE HERE LESTER - COME RIGHT UP TO THE HOUSE AND MEET THE FOLKS



- ER-ER HOW DO - HOW DO

- NOW WE'RE ALL SET - I TOLD YOU I'D GET A NICE MAN FOR YOU GERT.

- SUCH A BORE DOWN HERE - NOT ENOUGH MEN TO GO 'ROUND



- HE'S NO JOHN GILBERT BUT HE'LL HAVE TO DO SIS -

- GET READY, LESTER - WE'RE ALL GOING FOR A SWIM

- OW - I'M IN FOR IT - MY ONLY SALVATION IS THAT I'LL BE ABLE TO SEE SOMETHING OF BETTY



- WELL, THAT LETS HIM OUT - THEY'RE IMPOSSIBLE.

- WHY ITS LESTER DE PESTER WITH THOSE AWFUL BLIPS

- I HEARD HE WAS VISITING THEM - HE'S MADE A MONKEY OF HIMSELF WITH THOSE LUMBERS



!?!?

- SO YOU KNOW THAT BUNCH EH, LESTER - LOTTA HALF-WITS WE WOULDN'T ASSOCIATE WITH -

- COME ON LET'S MOVE DOWN THE BEACH AWAY FROM THEM -

- AND SOME PEOPLE THINK THAT GIRL IS ATTRACTIVE - MY WORD!



BY PULAD. SIR - HE REEL -

NEW HED DINING IN MA

NAU DO

YOU CARE work so blamed hard tryin' to be one of it!

OUR OLD ONE IS OAK -

HERE'S A WALNUT SUITS

WHAT EVER?

I'LL SHOW IT TO YOU - IT'S DUSTY WALNUT.

YOU'VE GOT A LOTTA CRUST TRYING TO SELL ME DIRTY FURNITURE.

DIRTY? THAT ISN'T DIRTY DIRTY WALNUT IS THE NAME OF THE FINISH.

Sunday's Lesson

CALL OF ABRAHAM

Gen. 12:1-9. Lesson 1-9.

of the call of Abraham is have been about 1921 long this was after the fall, we have no way God had been disappointed and Eve, and again in Cain He raised up Seth, the Adam, to be the pro- His people. The people, the time of Noah, had wicked and godless that become exasperated. He punishment upon His crea- form of the flood, and Noah and his family. As sons again came on, they He again resorted to of one to be the father This choice He placed am.

father of Abraham, was of Shem. He had three am, Nabor and Horan, in Ur, but Terah went Haran, a journey of hundred miles. There definitely called Abraham father of His people and his children greatly them mighty promises. had called Terah's fam- ur of the Chaldees. Ac- Gen. 15:7 and Acts 7:2, with Abraham. It is pos- God spoke also to Terah, when they reached stopped, and Terah, after died. God then spoke to and called him to leave his the country of Haran, et tell him where he was called him away from was an exceedingly wicked probably, so was Haran, to direct Abram to a new

idea of a separate race built on Abraham's seed, Abraham was not to per- the fulfillment of God's but his seed was to be the

d identifies Himself with ace and promises not only but to bless those who ed to curse those who curse promises that the new race blessing to all the families ns of the earth. To the ple God revealed Himself, at for them to be a mis- people. He meant for them all men to join them in the worship of Jehovah. This by the fact that always in He mentions the protec- given to strangers among o, any stranger might be- bebrew who so desired, and ough the ceremonial rites, ally God intended to bring to the world from among adants of Abraham. abraham heard God as He arose to leave Haran. He now where he was going, following God's command, at of seventy-five.

raham left with his wife, et, his nephew, and Lot's ere were just four of them company of servants. That probably mounted toward nd persons travelling with This is known by the fact en they reached Canaan, produced 318 trained soldiers ght to rescue Lot (14:14), directed them to Canaan, ised land.

raham arrived in Canaan em, at the oak of Moreh. that the Canaanites pos- land. He stopped, possibly God's orders.

God appeared to Abraham med the fact that he had the land God had promised. abraham built an altar and of-burnt offering to God in He was pleased with the had dealt with him and show it. How often ought bly show our thanks for of us?

raham moved east of

Bethel and pitched his tent between Ai and Bethel, or Luz, as it was called until Jacob named it Bethel. Again Abraham built an altar and worshiped God.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

By Betty Webster

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To prevent moths from getting into rugs during summer months, rub a thin layer of camphor into the floor under your wool rugs and the moths will not bother your rugs.

For Mending Tablecloths
Save threads that are pulled when straightening edges. Wrap around an empty spool. Then when tablecloth wears, use saved threads to darn and the darn will hardly show.

COOKING HINTS

Orange Pudding
This is a refreshing dessert after a heavy meal.
2 tablespoons gelatin.
1 full cup cold water.
1 full cup boiling water.
Juice of 2 oranges.
Juice of 1/2 lemon.
1 cup sugar.
Method: Dissolve gelatin in cold water. Add boiling water, fruit juices and sugar. Mix well. When this starts to cool and gelatin begins to stiffen, stir in 1 bottle of whipped cream. Pour in mold and set away to cool. Serve with sweetened whipped cream.

A French Soup

1 small lump of butter.
2 or 3 large onions.
1/2 cup flour.
1 pint boiling water (2 cups).
1 1/2 pints hot milk.
2 or 3 mashed potatoes.
Method: Melt butter. When hot, add onions sliced thin. Stir and cook until red. Add water. Dissolve flour and add. Then add hot milk and mashed potatoes. Mix well. Stir and simmer a few minutes.

Salad

Cabbage and pineapple together make a delicious salad.

BAKING HINTS

Chocolate Nut Cookies
1 cup sugar.
1/2 cup butter.
2 squares melted chocolate.
2 eggs.
1/2 cup flour.
1/2 teaspoon baking powder.
2 teaspoons vanilla.
1 cup chopped nuts.
Method: Cream butter and sugar. Add the melted chocolate. Add 2 eggs well beaten. Then flour and baking powder. Last of all, vanilla and nuts. Drop small teaspoonfuls on buttered baking sheet. Bake until brown. Remove from tins before cookies get cold.

Flank Steak and Potatoes

Flank steak.
Little flour.
Potatoes.
Onions.
Can of tomatoes.
Method: Pound flour in steak. Place in bottom of casserole. Season. Slice potatoes on top of this. Season. Cut up a few onions. Add tomatoes over all of this. Bake slowly for 2 hours.

Rhubarb Pie

1 cup chopped pie plant.
1 cup sugar.
Yolks of 2 eggs (beaten).
1 tablespoon melted butter.
1 tablespoon flour.
Method: Mix well. Bake in a single crust.

Baked Hominy with Cheese

2 cups hominy.
1 tablespoon butter.
1 tablespoon flour.
Little salt and pepper.
1 cup milk.
2 eggs.

1/2 cup grated cheese.
Method: Cook the hominy in boiling salt water until done. Make a white sauce of butter, flour, milk and seasoning. Beat egg yolks. Mix with grated cheese. Mix well with cooked hominy. Then fold in the stiffly beaten whites. Bake in a moderate oven about 20 minutes. Serve with or without tomato sauce.

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HUNTSMAN SCHOOL PICNIC

Reported.
Miss Teack, of Huntsman school, her pupils, and a few outsiders spent Friday afternoon on the creek.
We left the school house about 12:30 and walked to the creek, about a mile south. We rode from there in a wagon to the big creek, where we had a weiner and marshmallow roast.
After lunch we played in the sand and jumped off a high bank into the creek. We had a very good time and would like to go again.
Telephone day 215, night 214, for auto wrecking and towing service. Watt's Garage. Advertisement 1p

Mrs. Everett Watkins returned Saturday from a visit with relatives in Amarillo.

J. I. Watson of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Walter Brown of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

Mrs. Henry Neill of Lefors visited in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Glass and son of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

W. W. Mars of Fort Worth visited in McLean last week end.

Harry Bechtel and Tex Rhodes of Lubbock were in McLean Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bird of Shamrock were in McLean Saturday.



THE BEST DRINK

By Dr. William J. Scholes
Water is still the best beverage. It is not only the best, it is the one necessary beverage. Nothing else can take its place. This is not surprising when you remember that water comprises about two-thirds of the composition of the body.

As a necessity of life, water rank: ... dance with air, food and sleep. It is necessary for the carry- ... on of almost every function of the body. The chemical reactions occurring within the cells take place in a medium of water. It is the medium in which waste is eliminated through the kidneys and the skin. It is an important constituent of the digestive juices. It helps to prevent constipation. By its evaporation from the skin it plays an important role in the heat regulation of the body. Of course, everyone drinks water. But there are many people who do not drink enough of it. There may be some people who drink too much water. It may be possible to over-work the kidneys by drinking too much water. But there are probably not very many who damage themselves in this way.

Six Glasses a Day

It seems to be the generally accepted opinion that one should drink at least six glasses of water a day. Water may be taken freely between meals. A reasonable amount may be taken with meals, if it is not used as a substitute for the proper chewing of food. Food should never be washed down with water. And very cold water, rapidly swallowed, may chill the stomach and retard digestion.
Water not Fattening

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Some people fear that water will make them fat. As important as water is, it contains nothing that is capable of making fat when taken into the system. Just be certain that the water you drink is pure and will not be the means of introducing disease germs into the system. Then be sure to drink enough of it. It is the only real thirst satiation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lovett of Pampa visited in the W. C. Cheney home Friday, and attended the Wolfe funeral.

Mrs. G. J. Abbott and son, Ernest, visited in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Callie Haynes and daughters visited in the J. A. Haynes home at Heald Friday night.

Mrs. Z. W. Latson returned last week from a visit in Fort Worth and Cisco.

Mrs. Jack Figh and little daughter, Peggy, of Dalhart visited Mrs. Jot Montgomery last week.

Miss Edith Fleming of Amarillo visited in McLean Sunday.

W. B. Gregory and family visited in Wheeler Saturday.

NOTICE TO DEPOSITORS AND CREDITORS OF CITIENS STATE BANK McLEAN, TEXAS

Citizens State Bank, McLean, Texas closed its doors on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1932, and is now being liquidated by me as provided by law. If you have a claim against said bank, you are hereby notified to present the same with legal proof thereof to me at Austin, Texas, within ninety days after the 3rd day of March, A. D. 1932.

Forms for proof of claim will be mailed to every known creditor, and additional forms may be procured from the office of the Banking Commissioner, Austin, Texas.
JAMES SHAW,
Banking Commissioner of Texas.
Dated at Austin, Texas, this 13th day of March, A. D. 1932.
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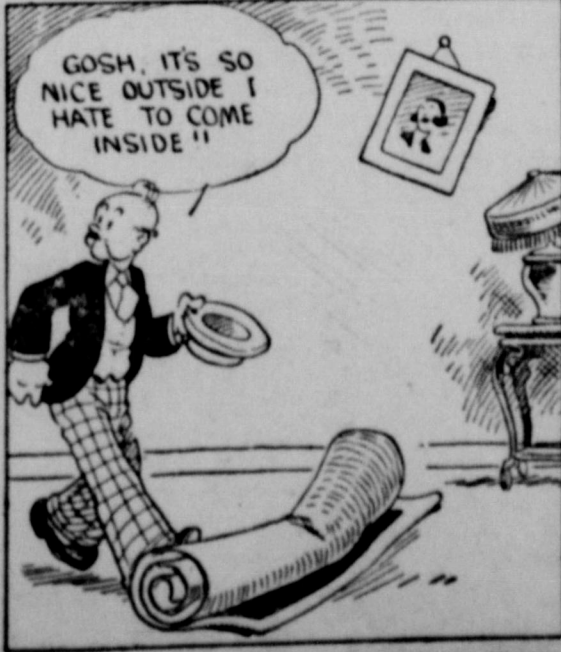
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A World's Record



MORE than three thousand births without a single loss of either mother or child! That is the official Piatt County record of Dr. W. B. Caldwell, in fifty years' family practise in Illinois.
No wonder mothers have such entire confidence in giving little ones Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin! If you have a baby, you have constant need of this wonderful preparation of pure pepsin, active senna, and fresh herbs. A child who gets this gentle stimulant for the stomach, liver and bowels is always healthier. It keeps children's delicate systems from clogging. It will overcome the most stubborn condition of constipation. It builds them up, and is nothing like the strong cathartics that sap their strength and energy.
A coated tongue or bad breath is the signal for a spoonful of Syrup Pepsin. Children take it readily, for it is really delicious in flavor. Taste it! Take Syrup Pepsin yourself, when sluggish or bilious, or you are troubled with sick headaches and no appetite. Take some for several days when run-down, and see how it picks you up.
It is a prescription preparation which every drug store has ready; in big bottles, just ask anywhere for Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin.



THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR

So Said Serious?"

Isn't Dirty? It is the Finish.

THE OPTIMIST

Sponsor, Miss Hayes ANTI-CANTS HISTORY REPORT

Today we had a test. Our one question was "Texas Revolution as I see it." We brought out all the facts, even if it was a theme.

We have been finding out the attitude of most all the Mexicans. We had special reports on Indians yesterday.

We are studying the Republic of Texas now.

SPORTS

By Junior Braxton This week is six-weeks exams. We get our report cards Wednesday.

We have been playing football. We have two teams. We beat them 30 to 0 Thursday. We beat them 24 to 12 today.

We have already started the exams.

MUSIC

By Willie Louelle Cobb We have been singing out of our little music books the last week. On April 7, Miss Coleman, our music teacher looked at our books to see how badly treated they had been.

PERSONALS

By Georgie Colebank Mabel Bogan visited in Lefors Saturday.

Jack Bogan went to Wheeler county Sunday.

Billie Bert went to Amarillo Friday.

Marion Thompson spent the week end in Lefors.

Ruth Thacker spent Sunday in Weatherford, Okla.

Ruth Berry visited her sister in Alameda Tuesday.

By W. C. Stotts

The best friend a man has may turn against him

When his days are few and his happiness is dim.

A man who proves to be your nearest and dearest friend

May turn against you and be your enemy in the very end.

A man's money may fly away from him when he needs it more than anything else;

His only friends may turn against him when he is in a hard combat

And can hardly defend himself.

But a dog will stick by him and help him defend.

And will not turn against him, even in the end.

A man's dog will stick beside him in whatever happens: bad or good.

And would go to heaven with him if he only thought he could!

He will kiss the hand that has no food for him to eat;

He will guard his door when the wind howls and the snow covers him sheet after sheet.

If you are sick and have no medicine to doctor,

He will lick each wound and sore.

The dog will guard you and accompany you in sorrow and happiness

And will ask no more.

When the master dies, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, never to return again;

But if you look back at the grave, the faithful dog will remain.

His head between his paws, his eyes sad, beside the grave the dog will take his breath.

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Dear Opt:

If you had been an Englishman, would you have taxed the colonists?

Would you put a high tax on stamps? Although it was a little tax on tea, would you have done that?

If you had been the colonists over here, would you have paid the tax?

You know most of the colonists thought that they shouldn't have been taxed. We don't know; the Englishman might have had the right to tax the colonists.

We really should not say which was right, because we don't know for sure.

An Interested Reader.

BILLY'S WALD

By Ermadel Floyd

Billy was about five years old. He was the only child in the family and of course he got what he wanted.

Every time his mother told him in a kind voice not to do something, he would say: "If you treat me that badly again, I'll go way out in the woods."

One day he was rolling his truck on the piano bench and his mother said, "Please don't do that." Then Billy said: "If you say that again I'll go way out in the woods." "All right," said his mother, "you may go now. I will fix you a sandwich while you get your coat." His mother did this to teach him a lesson. He was so dazed he didn't know what to do. He got his hat and sandwich and started out.

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ENGLISH 5

By Ermadel Floyd

We have studied nouns for two weeks and are wanting something new. We are studying pronouns. Pronouns are not like nouns at all,

for it takes more thinking in pronouns than it does in nouns. Today two groups went to the blackboard. The first group wrote the rule for a pronoun which was: a pronoun takes the place of a noun. The second group played a game when they went to the board. Each one took his place at the board and wrote a sentence with nouns in it. When everyone had finished, the teacher said shift, and each one moved up one. The one on the end went to the other end. The nouns were made to vanish, and the pronouns gallantly took their place.

I WISH

By Runelle Grigsby

I wish: Olive could write.

Charles could fuss.

Runelle had curly hair.

Frankie could hind catch.

Willie Mae was pretty.

Betty could draw.

Julia could pitch.

Evelyn was a librarian.

Lorine was tall.

Anna Fay was fat.

IF

By Wimma Mae Gressett

If: Charles could sing.

Runelle could talk.

Willie Mae could laugh.

Julia could act silly.

Evelyn could write.

Olive could be sweet.

Frankie could see straight.

Lorene could fight.

Betty had short hair.

Anna Fay could eat.

Joe Billy could be a pest.

Edwin could run.

Billy D. could act cute.

L. E. could act dignified.

We would all be better off!

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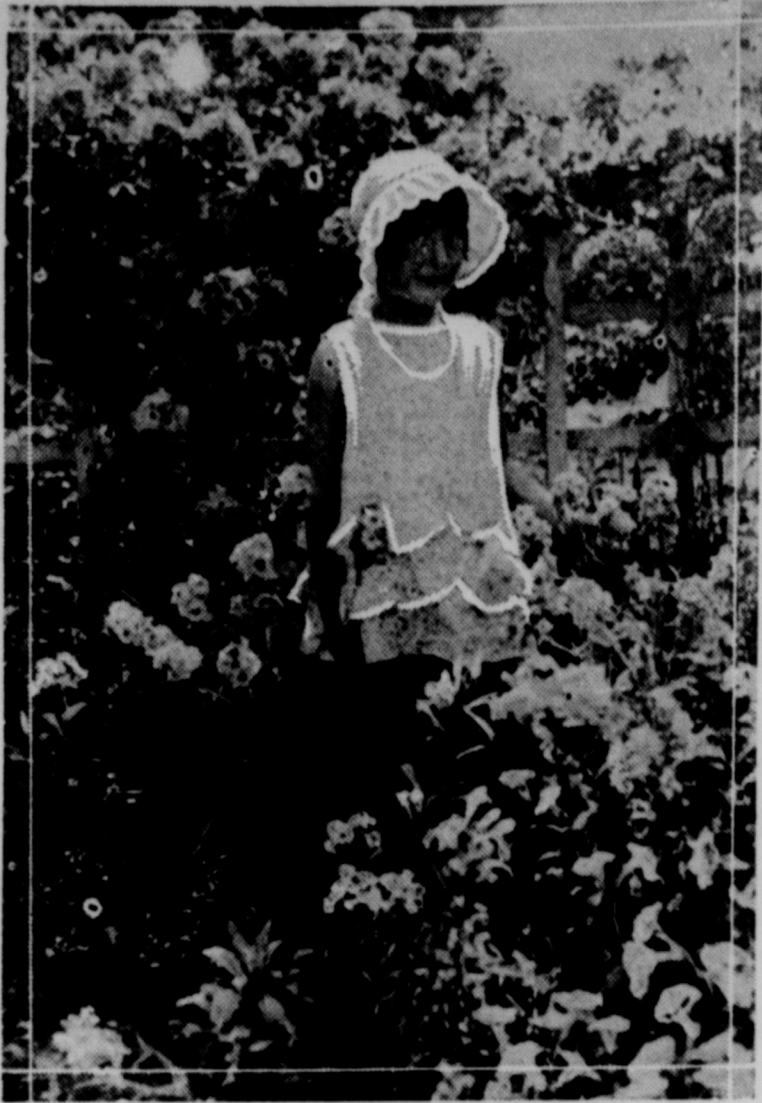
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Lois Emery, aged 6, lives at Pomona, Calif., and she is a lucky girl, indeed, for she has just been chosen "Little Miss America" for 1932. Her garden took first prize in the National Yard and Garden Contest, winning over hundreds of other beautifully planted home grounds from all parts of the country in the amateur class. The little "Garden Queen" is quite

an unusual child. Her appreciation and love of beautiful growing things was so pronounced when a baby that she attracted wide-spread attention. The first word she spoke was "flower," even preceding the word "Mama." She pronounced it "flower." Aside from winning the national title Lois is lucky in another way. Her father is a policeman.

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The Bethany (Mo.) Republican-Clipper is of the opinion that building concrete barricades for safety zones is the correct idea, since anything hitting them at fifty miles per hour will get more than twenty years, probably, and will get it without jury expense.

M. L. Johnson went to Phoenix, Ariz., last week.

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Here is the way it is done in Oklahoma and how it is done in every state of the Union. Coweta ran his car into a station curb, barely missing a little girl. The judge whom he pleaded guilty, year in the penitentiary.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bales Pampa were in McLean Friday.

Miss Agnes Finley visited in Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Shelburne were in Amarillo Friday.

A. W. Haynes visited in Oklahoma last week.

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