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City Tax Budget Hearing Friday

McLean High School Receives All Credits Asked for

School Now Has Heavy Credit List

and One-half Credits Added at McLean

By Supt. G. C. Boswell
August 10.—The McLean school was given one whole in general science and a half in home economics this past year by the State Department of Education at Austin. This is all that was asked for the past year and it is all that we could get. If you recall last year we secured credit for different subjects and two this year which is a record for the school should be very proud of. This makes the McLean school one of the heaviest in the state with credits, and it is very high with the state over all large schools of the state. We do not go over thirty credits. We are sure that you people will be proud of this news.

The accrediting committee, the state and the universities of the state have come to see that two years of mathematics will be sufficient for students in the colleges and universities. The local school schedule will be changed to fit into this program. The high school student may now take three or four years of mathematics as has been done in the past. This will need only two to get a degree. This can be two years of algebra and one year of plane geometry. We like to see the parents and students get well acquainted with this school before school begins and to mind what the student should do about math.

REVIVAL CLOSED SUNDAY NIGHT SERVICE

Revival services at the First Church closed with the evening service Sunday night with the attendance of 19 new members, 11 others added to the church by letter. Services were conducted by Rev. Frank M. Neal, pastor, and Rev. M. Maddox of El Paso, and Rev. G. Goff, local choir director. Crowds attended each service. Maddox brought some strong messages to attentive audiences.

TEACHERS TO BE HERE SEPT. 3

A letter to the News editor, from R. McHaney, principal of McLean elementary school, who is post graduate work at the teachers college at Huntsville, that they expect to be home by August 26. School will close August 26. They intend to stop at Snyder for a few days with Prof. McHaney. McHaney and the children are visiting her people at Katy this summer.

Speaking of The News, Prof. McHaney said: "We have enjoyed The McLean News this summer. Each copy has been a pleasure. It makes us feel that the time will hasten when we will be back home."

TEACHERS TO BE HOME NEXT WEDNESDAY

G. C. Boswell, who is doing graduate work at Simmons University in a letter to the News that he expects to be home by Wednesday, August 17.

Boswell also says, "That man who had so much to say about the school going to buy some tea" referring to a statement in "Gossip" in last week's News.

Methodists in Revival Services, Two Each Day

With preaching services at 10 a. m. and 6:15 p. m., the First Methodist Church began a series of revival services this week.

Rev. Frank M. Neal, general evangelist, is doing the preaching. Rev. Neal preached at a revival here several years ago, and is remembered with favor by all who heard him. He is bringing some strong messages and crowds are increasing at each service.

Rev. S. R. Jones, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, is leading the singing, and a large chorus choir has been built up, with an invitation to all singers of the town to cooperate.

Morning services are held at the church building, but the evening services are held in the big aridome on Main street, where comfortable seats have been arranged for all who care to attend.

Pastor Jno. H. Crow invites all people of the community to co-operate in all of the services.



ELD. LUTHER G. ROBERTS, Evangelist

REV. GOFF REELECTED PASTOR BY BAPTISTS

Rev. Cecil G. Goff was reelected pastor of the ensuing associational year, by the members of the First Baptist Church in annual conference last night.

All church officers were reelected, with the exception that Reep Lande, who has been serving as assistant Sunday school superintendent, was raised to superintendent, Ralph Caldwell taking the assistant's place, and Merle Grigsby was elected Sunday school secretary.

The church trustees were asked to buy furniture for the pastor's study.

Vester, Porter and Ruel Smith were in Dallas the first of the week.

John Haynes and C. C. Bogan were in Amarillo Thursday.

McLean May Have Another Gas Company

According to Mayor Massay, three different gas companies will have representatives before the city council Friday to present propositions for another gas distributing plant in McLean.

The propositions will in no way be in the nature of a municipal owned plant but will ask for a franchise to furnish cheap gas to users at a cheap rate as an independent concern, in competition with the company now serving the city.

Joe King of Kansas City was in McLean Friday.

W. E. James and family of Alanreed are visiting in Arkansas and Illinois, week.

Revival Opens at Church of Christ Tuesday

Revival services will open at the Church of Christ Tuesday night, Aug. 16, with Eld. Luther G. Roberts of Stephenville doing the preaching.

Eld. Roberts held the revival for this church last year and has many friends here who rejoice in his coming again to McLean.

The song services will be in charge of Prof. Wm. G. Klingman of Denton. According to Flavil Yeakley, local minister, the general public has a cordial invitation to be present at both the morning and evening services.

Mrs. Geo. L. Tipton of Memphis is visiting her brother, D. A. Davis, this week.

Bond Holders Advise Suits on Back Taxes

Mayor D. N. Massay is in receipt of a letter from the firm that holds about one-third of the city bonds, advising that suits be brought against delinquent taxpayers of the city.

Mr. Massay says that legal notice has been made in many cases and the city will enter suit if taxes are not paid.

There are plenty of taxes due to take care of all outstanding indebtedness and retire some bonds, if they are collected.

Following is the letter:
Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 4, 1932.
Hon. D. N. Massay, Mayor,
City of McLean, Texas.

Dear Sir:
When I visited McLean a month ago I had the pleasure of meeting some of the aldermen and in the general conversation it was understood that the interest of \$660 and the principal bond of \$1,000, both due April 10, 1932, would be paid by August 1st. Up to that date we have received only \$500, which has been credited to the past due interest.

There will be another semi-annual interest payment due in sixty days and we must insist that these delinquent items be taken care of without further delay.

I voluntarily extended the time for payment of these items to August 1st, which was two weeks longer than the time suggested by some of the aldermen.

We have no advice as to the method you are pursuing to raise the money, but I suggested that suit be brought against some of the leading citizens on account of their delinquent taxes, thinking this might have the effect of causing others to come in and pay, thereby avoiding the necessity of suit. It was also suggested that there were some building and loan associations in your city which might advance taxes on the loans they have in your city, if they were notified that suit was going to be brought, in order to avoid this additional expense being incurred.

In view of the understanding I had with some of the members of the council and the talk I had with you when you were in Kansas City, Mr. Mayor, I stated to our board of directors that these delinquent items would be cleaned up by August 1st, and I must insist that they be taken care of at once, and trust that it will not be necessary to have any further correspondence regarding the delinquent items.

Respectfully yours,
WALTER J. BALES,
Vice President & Treasurer.

TRADE TRIPPERS ENJOY SUPPER AT KEWANEE

Supper was served at the Kewanee picnic grounds to the trade trippers and guests, last Thursday evening.

This trip was a combination Denworth-Kewanee-Webb trip, and ice water, steam-cooked roasting ears, buns, weiners and sauce were served.

A large crowd was present, despite the threatening weather, and President Cook of the C. of C. thanked Wm. Blaisdell of Kewanee for the courtesies shown, and explained the purpose of the visit.

Due to the weather, no speaking was indulged in, but after a concert by the band, the trippers returned to town at an early hour.

TRADE TRIP SCHEDULE

Following is the schedule of the twice-a-week trade trips, with the master of ceremonies at each place, as arranged by President Reuben R. R. Cook of the chamber of commerce: August 11, Back, Boyd Meador; August 16, Enterprise, M. D. Bentley; August 18, Gracey, T. A. Lenders; August 23, Pagan, John Mertel; August 25, Ramsdell, G. C. Boswell; August 30, Heald, Claude Williams; Sept. 1, Alanreed, Jesse J. Cobb.

Public Will Be Present Tax Hearing

Committee Appointed to Recommend Budget

A public hearing has been set for the city tax budget for this year, to be held Friday of this week, beginning at 5 p. m.

All property taxpayers of the city are requested to be present and take part in the discussion.

The budget has been drafted by a committee appointed by the mayor, and contains recommended reductions, the greatest being the matter of the band master's salary which would be reduced to \$75 per month for the balance of the fiscal year, should the recommendations be adopted.

The budget is for the remainder of the present fiscal year ending March 31, 1933. The budget and the public hearing is required by law; however, the law does not state how the budget shall be recommended, the appointment of a committee being the suggestion of the West Texas chamber of commerce, and has no standing in law, the final action being up to the city council.

Expenses of the city totaled \$32,280.16 in 1930; \$30,181.46 in 1931, and the suggested budget shows an allowance of \$24,282.50 for the year ending next March. The fire department expense is cut from \$505.40 in 1930 and \$571.20 in 1931, to \$385. Heat and light is ordered cut from \$157.22 last year, to \$125. Welfare work is increased from \$16.99 last year, to \$100. Jail maintenance is cut completely out. Provision for an audit of the city's books is ordered out. Insurance is cut to about one-third the amount carried last year.

On income, in 1930 fines and license amounted to \$260; in 1931 \$57. Income from this source this year is marked "none," as is street taxes, which totaled \$93 in 1930 and \$38 in 1931. Taxes and water sales are estimated several thousand dollars under the past two years. Rents received amounted to \$195 in 1930 and \$204.90 in 1931, estimated at \$50 for this year.

The budget is only tentative and must be approved by the city council before becoming effective. Copies of the suggested budget are on file at the city secretary's office and will be shown to any interested taxpayer.

According to Secretary Bogan, the city only owes \$2760 past due indebtedness, which is about the usual amount for this time of year. However, in former years, the local banks carried the city's warrants until tax paying time, which cannot be done this year.

FIRE AT YOUNG HOME

Fire damaged the A. T. Young residence Tuesday night, the roof burning nearly off and water damaging the ceiling and walls.

The fire caught in Mr. Young's car, which was parked near the wall, the top of the car burning off and catching the eaves of the roof.

The firemen carried all the furniture out of the house, working in the rooms until the weight of the water caused the ceiling to fall.

TAMPKE SAVES FINE COW

Dr. A. A. Tampke, vocational agricultural teacher of the McLean high school, saved a fine cow for Floyd Smith Tuesday.

The cow was suffering from milk fever and would have died had not prompt action saved her. Dr. Tampke diagnosed the case by telephone, advising treatment, and the cow was much better by the time he arrived at the farm.

Days We'll Never Forget



Judge Suggests Several Changes Expense Budget

Judge S. D. Stennis, in his recommendation of an expense budget as required by law, suggests some changes over this year's expenditures.

The complete budget is on file at the News office, subject to inspection by any interested taxpayer, and a public hearing will be given at Pampa next Monday.

Following are the suggestions for the general fund:

(a) Salary of County Auditor—\$3,500.

The statute provides that the county auditor shall receive \$125 per annum for each one million dollars of assessed valuation or major fraction thereof. During 1931 the salary paid was \$3,500.

(b) Court reporter, 114th District Court—\$1,500.

The statute provides that the court reporter of this court shall receive a salary of \$2,700 and this is apportioned to the different counties in accordance with the number of weeks court is held in each county in the district, making Gray county's part of his salary \$1,500. In 1931, the salary paid was \$1,500.

(c) Court reporter, 31st District Court—\$1,534.40; salary, \$1,409.40; expenses, \$125.00—\$1,534.40.

The same provision applies to the salary of the reporter of this court, with the additional provision for expenses of the reporter in attending court, on account of the fact that he does not reside in this county. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,532.75.

(d) Sheriff—\$1,000.

This is the maximum amount that may be allowed the sheriff under existing law. The sheriff's office is the poorest paid office in the county and the maximum is, therefore, entered under this item. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,000.

(e) County attorney—\$1,200.

The county attorney's compensation is made up of the ex-officio salary paid him, together with such fees as may be collected in case of convictions in justice court, county court and jury cases. It is a matter of common knowledge that the number of these fees collected is noticeably less than heretofore. It is also true that the county attorney, during the road construction program, has been called upon to render more services to the commissioners court than heretofore. Previous amount allowed him was \$900 per year.

(f) District clerk—\$600.

The salary of the district clerk is made up of the ex-officio salary, together with the fees of office. The maximum salary that she can collect is \$420, and the fees of office have heretofore provided that amount. The ex-officio salary heretofore allowed has been \$900 per annum, and this has therefore been reduced to \$600.

(g) County clerk—\$1,200.

The county clerk's compensation is made up of the ex-officio plus the fees of office above the amount necessary to pay deputy hire. Activity in the real estate business is materially less than heretofore and it is not believed that this amount of ex-officio salary is excessive. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,500.

(h) County farm agent—\$1,630; salary, \$1,600; expense, \$30—\$1,630.

The county farm agent is paid one-half by the county and the other half from other sources. The present salary arrangement is \$3,200, of which we pay one-half, and this includes the agent having to furnish his own transportation and automobile expense, and all traveling expenses. The expense item of \$30 is for half of the telephone charge for the joint office of the county farm agent and the home demonstration agent. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,630.

(i) Home demonstration agent—\$1,630.

The same explanation as to salary and expenses applies here as to the county farm agent just above. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,630.

(j) County health officer—\$300.

This is compensation for the county health officer for services in case of quarantine and general health matters, together with attendance upon jail patients. It does not cover any services that he may render to charity patients, as that is not a part of his official duties. The amount paid for 1931 was \$300.

(k) Four county commissioners—\$2,250.

Three-fourths of the salaries of the county commissioners may be paid from the road and bridge fund instead of the general fund, provided the maximum levy is made for general fund purposes. It is anticipated that the maximum levy of 25 cents will be made, and for that reason three-fourths of their salaries is budgeted to this fund. The salary of the county commissioners is fixed by law and is based upon the assessed valuation of the county. The salary of \$2,250 per year is provided for commissioners in counties having a valuation in excess of twenty-four million dollars. It is not believed that the assessed valuation of Gray county will be less than 24 million

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dollars for the year 1932. The amount paid in 1931 was \$2,250.

(l) County judge—\$2,250.

One-fourth of the salary of the county judge may be paid from the road and bridge fund, and three-fourths from the general fund under the circumstances mentioned in the preceding paragraph. The salary of the county judge is made up of the ex-officio salary plus fees of office. The fees of office during 1931 amounted to approximately \$600. The ex-officio salary has heretofore been \$3,000, and three-fourths of it is now budgeted from the general fund, the remaining one-fourth will be budgeted against the road and bridge fund. The amount paid in 1931 was \$2,250.

(m) Feeding prisoners—\$7,250.

The amount actually paid for feeding prisoners during 1931 was \$7,239. The compensation allowed the sheriff for feeding prisoners is fixed by the commissioners court and shall not be less than 40 cents per day nor more than 75 cents per day. The court has heretofore allowed 75 cents per day, knowing that there was a profit in this, but the sheriff's compensation is so meagre and he has to account under fees of office for the difference between the actual cost of feeding prisoners and the amount that he is paid. This is one way we have had of increasing the pay that the sheriff actually receives.

The sheriff is required to make an itemized statement of the actual cost of feeding the prisoners and this is audited by the county auditor, and the difference is compensation received by the sheriff.

I have assumed that the next court will allow the sheriff 75 cents per day for feeding prisoners. While there are fewer cases on the criminal docket from year to year on account of conditions being more settled, it is nevertheless, true that fewer of them are able to pay fines and more of them are serving in jail, so I see no reason for this item being decreased during the coming year. On account of the greatly decreased cost of groceries, it might be well to consider lowering this.

(n) Safe-keeping of prisoners—\$1,750.

The statute provides that the sheriff shall be paid 15 cents per day for safe-keeping of prisoners. In 1931 this amounted to \$1,750, and I see no reason for a change.

(o) Fees of sheriff for waiting on courts—\$1,100.

The law provides for the sheriff to receive \$4 per day for attendance upon the district and county courts, and these courts in 1931 were in session 318 days. It is thought that they will be in session for 375 days in 1932 and the budget is therefore fixed for 375 days at \$4 per day. The amount paid in 1931 was \$1,275.

(p) Vital statistics—\$226.

Fees for vital statistics are fixed by statute and in 1931 amounted to that there will be any material change in this for the year 1932. However, I believe that history discloses that in periods of depression the birth rate increases.

(q) County school board—\$50.

The law provides that the general fund bear the expenses of all meetings of the county school trustees. This does not have any application to local school boards. The amount paid in 1931 was \$50.

(r) Fees of county officers in lunacy and misdemeanor cases—\$136.

There has been an average of about eight lunacy cases per year. The county judge has a fee of \$3 in each case; the county attorney \$10, and the clerk's costs average about \$4. In case of indigent lunatics, the county has to provide certain clothing for the lunatic before they are admitted to the hospital. This item is included elsewhere in the budget. These fees in 1931 were \$136.

(s) Misdemeanor cases, fees of county judge—\$126.

The county judge is entitled to trial fee of \$3 for each misdemeanor case tried and there were 42 tried during 1931. It is not thought that this number will increase. The amount paid in 1931 was \$126.

(t) Conveying juveniles and lunatics by proper officers—\$75.

The officers are allowed actual expenses in both of these cases for conveying lunatics and juveniles to their respective destinations. The amount paid in 1931 was \$56.47.

(u) Assessing county taxes—\$404.

This is made up of expenses advanced by the commissioners court to the assessor during the year, out of the general fund for deputy hire and for his own services. The tax assessor's salary is fixed at the end of the year based upon fees of office for making the assessment on a certain commission per million dollars valuations, payable partly from the road and bridge fund, partly from the school districts, and partly from the state. His salary is limited by the fee bill.

(v) Special valuation assessors for oil and associated properties—\$890.22.

This is the amount that was paid under contract to Thos. Y. Pickett & Co. for the year 1931. There is no doubt in my mind that in order to equalize the values of oil and associated properties it is necessary for the court to have the services of experts in that line. I think the amount we are paying is too high. But this amount is submitted for consideration at the hearing upon this budget and for final determination by the court. I think it should be reduced.

(w) Printing and stationery—\$352.55.

The foregoing item is made up from estimates furnished by the various county officials, all of whom were re-

quested to submit estimates, and were as follows: County clerk, \$1478; district clerk, \$700.95; county attorney, \$31.50; county treasurer, \$234.25; auditor, \$174; four justices of peace courts, \$150; tax assessor, \$215.80.

No estimates were submitted by the tax collector and the sheriff. I have noted for these officers \$150 each, and have added \$150 more to pay for annual reports, election supplies and budget forms. In 1931 these items aggregated \$302.67.

(x) Telephone and telegraph—\$175.

This item covers telegrams in regard to county business and telephone calls in regard to county business, and the amount for 1931 was \$171.05.

(y) Expense of 9th administrative judicial district—\$100.

The amount paid in 1931 was \$19.

(z) Charity—\$450.

This item includes the amount, paid indigents and paupers who are on the regular pauper list, clothing bought for indigent insane, drugs for indigents, hospitalization for indigents, inquests, clothing for prisoners, and autopsy expense.

For 1931 the county expended for the above purposes \$4042.39. The maximum levy that can be made for the general fund is 25 cents; two cents of this will be necessary to retire warrants that were issued against the general fund on account of its being overdrawn. A 25 cent levy, therefore, on a reduced valuation with allowance for increased delinquency, would produce \$4687.5. The general fund was overdrawn on January 1, 1931, \$23,385.07. There was in the general fund on December 31, 1931, \$3,103.74, but the fund would have been overdrawn except for the fact that a great many taxpayers availed themselves of the split-payment plan and we actually collected in 1932 all we could of the 1931 taxes and about 20% of the 1932 taxes. There was a bill out for assessing the 1931 taxes of \$8,917.37. It is thought that 10% of the revenues from this general fund assessment is as much as the county should pay for charitable purposes. The amount that will be paid in 1932 is estimated at \$450. Attention is called to the fact that there is now outstanding \$16900 of warrants that were issued to take up the overdraft in the general fund and these warrants and the interest thereon must be paid from year to

year out of the 25 cents levy.
(aa) Justice of peace fees in misdemeanor cases, inquests—\$3500.
The justice of peace fees for 1931 were \$3,478. Under the law now, the justices of the peace are entitled to collect out of the general fund.
(bb) Automobile for sheriff's department—\$600.
In 1931 the amount paid was \$1000.
(cc) Insurance on county automobiles for sheriff's department—\$77.03.
In 1931 the amount paid was \$15.50.
(dd) Miscellaneous expenses not otherwise listed but chargeable to the general fund—\$500.
Not embraced in 1931 expenditures.
TOTAL \$53,328.30

The foregoing items totaling \$55,228.20 should, in my judgment, be reduced at least 10%, because I do not believe that assessed valuations are going to continue as great and, therefore, the fund will be reduced. I think the tax delinquency is going to be greater, also, and, in my judgment, the overdraft should be reduced from year to year to the end that it ought to be wiped out within the next two or three years. There was no actual overdraft on January 1, 1932, but this was due to the fact that we had collected in advance part of the taxes under the split-payment plan. If the statement made were based upon collections for 1931 as against expenditures for 1931, there would have been an overdraft and this will appear in the statement for December 31, 1932.

There is another source of revenue for the general fund which is interest on daily balances and excess fees returned to the county by various officers. These items should be used for retiring the overdraft in the general fund. However, reduced valuations will likewise reduce the amount of the excess fees, for the reason that these fees were paid largely by the tax collector and assessor.

Another source of income for the general fund is trial fees which are estimated to amount to \$3,500.

Still another source of revenue for the general fund is stenographer's fees paid by litigants which are con-

verted into the general fund which, in 1931, amounted to \$56,628.54.
Item (dd), miscellaneous for intended to cover and include estimate of \$90 for postage for books and records for those as well as miscellaneous items arise.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wilson of Endon visited their daughter Dewey Woods and Mrs. Ken last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston of Rowell, N. M., visited relatives last week.

Mick Dwyer of Amarillo home folks here last week.

H. H. Lamb was in Pampa

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To Each and Every Voter in Gray County

For fear that I may not be able to see you in person before the next primary, due to the fact that my duties as your District Clerk are keeping me busy (one of the District Courts now being in session), I am taking means of thanking you for the assistance that you have given me in the past, as well as express my appreciation for your support in the coming primary on Aug. 27, 1932.

I might say that so far as I know or have heard, no objection has been made as to my qualifications for office of District Clerk of this county, and the only argument that has been advanced against my candidacy is the fact that I am married and my husband is employed. I do not see that the fact that my husband is now employed is any more reason to oppose my candidacy than the fact that my opponent and his wife are now both employed is a valid argument against his candidacy.

Frankly, I believe that this should not enter into question at all. I think I am entitled to a second term in this office on my record for the past eighteen years and because I feel that I am fully competent to discharge the duties of this office. For this reason I believe that I have merited the right of re-election to the office of District Clerk for a second term, and trust that I may have your continued support during this campaign. I am,

Yours very truly,
Louise Miller Dunn

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GOLF GOSSIP

By D. A. Davis
In the world is Dana (that's a name for a man) who I've hunted all over this...

News from Ramsdell

L. E. Flowers returned to his home at McLean Monday after visiting his uncle, Elmer Privett, and family for a few days.

SONG OF THE DECANter

There was an old decanter and its mouth was gaping wide; the rosy wine had ebbed away and left its crystal side;

LOCAL PAPERS GREAT HELP TO COUNTY AGENTS

By Edgar W. Cooley
The county agent can secure no greater assistance than that which will be cheerfully and gladly rendered by the editors of his local papers.

Miss Lucile Stratton is visiting in Amarillo this week.

Mrs. John Prescott of Amarillo visited friends here last week end.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 4c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion.



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Mrs. Jack Sims and baby of Wichita Falls visited in McLean Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell are visiting in New Mexico this week.

Mrs. E. A. Erwin is visiting her son in Portales, N. M., this week.

A. R. Glenn was in Pampa Monday.

Curley Crockett was in Pampa Monday.

W. C. Phillips returned Monday from a visit in Pampa.

TRADE IN McLEAN:

The News is authorized to carry the following announcements, subject to the action of the second Democratic primary, August 27th:

- For Representative, 122nd District: JOHN PURYEAR, IVY E. DUNCAN. For District Clerk: LOUISE MILLER DUNN, FRANK HILL. For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: W. W. WILSON, M. M. NEWMAN. For County Sheriff: LON L. BLANSCET, C. E. PIPES. For County Judge: C. E. (Elmer) CARY, PHILIP WOLFE.

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WHAT SCHOOL AND HOW MUCH?

When we look at the statistics and realize that out of every 1,000 children who enter public schools, 974 reach the sixth grade, but only 260 graduate from high school, it is evident that the education, the establishment of principles, character—in fact, all the preparation for the greater part of our citizenship must be given by the classroom teacher in the elementary school grades and a large percentage of it must be given by teachers of pupils who leave school at the end of the sixth grade or before. Perhaps the figures will be interesting:

"Doctor, tell me what's wrong with me, in plain English, please." "You're lazy," said the doctor. "Now tell me the scientific name so's I can tell my wife." A model wife is one who asks her husband's advice after she has decided what to do.—Pathfinder.

WANTED

More than anything else, they enable the county agents to many times increase the results of their labors, and the county agents have been quick to take advantage of the opportunity. There isn't a real, live county agent in the country who cannot get valuable assistance from his local papers. And the efficiency of the county agent increases in proportion to the number of people he is able to reach and help.

LAMB-PHARIS

Married, Friday, August 5, 1932, at Erick, Okla. Miss Beatrice Lamb and Mr. Guy Pharis. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lamb of the Plainview community, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pharis of Ramsdell. The newlyweds will make their home at Ramsdell.

WHOLESALE GIVES ADVICE TO MERCHANTS

The following was taken from a circular sent to retail merchants by a large wholesale house. "The value of your local newspaper to the success of your business cannot be overestimated. It's worth all the support and co-operation you give it. For the newspaper is a mirror reflecting the life of the community in which you and your store have an important part. Your advertising is the reflection of your store in this mirror. Everybody sees it there. If it is not there, the mirror is dark where your store should be. You are there but you cannot be seen. Your store is open for business as usual, but 'out of sight, out of mind.' To keep in step with the progress of your community; to get your share of business, you must advertise regularly. Take your newspaper publisher into your confidence; he can give invaluable assistance. Establish an advertising budget. Plan a regular schedule for your advertisements. It's a policy that is followed by the most successful store; it's an idea that will be profitable for you."—Stillwater (Minn.) Gazette.

DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Last 5th the Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Alvah with 11 members and seven present. Mrs. Adams was unable to be to sickness, the canning which, tomato juice and cranberries was postponed. Getting and Miss Joell have accounts of their trips set course. We discussed for the evening which will be held at the church on Aug. 18 and 19. "So your husband is suffering hallucinations?" "Yes—Well, every time we with him behind the wheel he is driving the car!"

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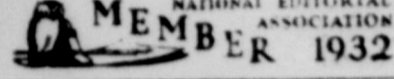
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The law requiring tax budgets to be discussed at a public hearing may be a good thing, but so far, no one has been able to tell us how a common citizen could prevent the adoption of the budget, or keep the officials from spending whatever they want to.

There was never a time when men needed to be optimistic as now. This applies with double force to leaders in any line, for better times depend to a great extent upon how we weather the depression. Any man who becomes a pessimist helps to retard progress just so much. There is too much depending upon the few who still retain confidence, to place anything in their way. Let's encourage the man who has a forward look—he is always the man who helps us toward better conditions.

The city of McLean has its finances in good shape, comparatively speaking, as there is no greater amount of money due now than at this time any other year, and there is never any money on hand at this time of the year. The only difference is that the local bank cannot carry warrants this year as has been the custom in the past. There is no need for anyone to become alarmed over the situation, as there are plenty of delinquent taxes owed by men able to pay them to take care of the emergency, if they are collected, and Mayor Massay assures us that legal steps for collection have already been begun.

One of the great life insurance companies in this country says that a home's loan value is enhanced 10% if it is in a city that is properly planned. A town properly planned and zoned saves cost to taxpayers as well as adding value to the homes. Towns allowed to grow up haphazard with numerous additions and every home owner allowed to have his own way in matters of buildings, walks, curbs, plantings, etc., is a costly proposition in which to lay water and sewer lines, and lacks that attractiveness that proper planning gives. Towns must follow one idea in planning, if they are to be attractive and valuable to home owners.

Mrs. Alex Nisbet, Paul Bullock and Grady Henly of Plainview were guests of Rev. W. A. and Arthur Erwin over the week end. Mrs. Nisbet was formerly Miss Ruth Bullock, who taught in the McLean public schools several years ago. She and Mr. Bullock are niece and nephew of the Erwins.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer and daughter, Mrs. C. R. Bentley, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Henry Benson, in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mrs. W. M. Ratterree and children of Shreveport, La., are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson.

Guy Cox of Childress was in McLean Sunday.

News from Heald

Mrs. J. D. Brock and daughter, Miss Sadie; Mrs. Jnn. Rotenberry and Mrs. Bryant were guests of Mrs. Paul Add and daughter, Miss Fahoma, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and children were in Pampa on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Callie Haynes and daughters, Misses Johnnie Villa and Gorda Lou, of McLean spent Friday with Mrs. Ernest Brooks.

Miss Louise Holmes is the guest of Miss Tony Pugh this week.

Little Miss Marjorie Sutton of Hammon, Okla., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Miss Gayle Ladd spent Tuesday night with Miss Christine Hanner.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton and son visited Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chilton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Chilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hanner and children, Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton and son were guests in the Jack Bailey home Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Blair and children, Misses Christine Hanner, Grace Reneau and Alma Brock visited in the home of Frank Bailey Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elliott and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Finley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Phillips, Misses Fahoma Ladd, Elizabeth Arton, Mary Reneau, Wilma Holmes, Gayle Ladd and Lydia Moore were Sunday guests of U. G. Lane and family.

Mrs. H. N. Barrott of Moon, Okla., Mrs. R. M. Stone of Gruver and Mrs. W. L. Ripsey of Amarillo are visiting in the A. P. Ripsey home this week.

Mrs. Ernest Brooks entertained with a slumber party Monday night, honoring Miss Elizabeth Aston of Vernon. Those present were: Misses Laverne Bailey, Gayle Ladd, Alma Brock, Mildred Finley, Grace Reneau, Cecil Brock, Lydia Moore, Wilma Holmes, Christine Hanner and Elizabeth Aston.

M. Stone and Mrs. C. A. Crier of Gruver, J. B. Kite and Max Wiley of Wheeler were visitors in the A. P. Ripsey home Sunday.

Miss Marvaret Kramer and daughter visited with her cousin, Miss Maud-all Saxe.

Bennie Finley spent Saturday night and Sunday with Melvin and Vestal Bailey.

Miss Cecil Brock was the guest of Miss Mildred Finley Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Nelson and children have returned from Abilene, where they visited her father and other relatives.

Mrs. W. N. Holmes visited Mrs. Romain Pugh Monday.

Misses Lou and Sadie Brock, Earl Lane and Charlie Nicholson visited A. R. Clauson and family at McLean Sunday.

FRED LANDERS HEADS LIONS CLUB ZONE

Fred Landers, editor of the Estelline News, was elected zone chairman of this group of Lions Clubs at Clarendon Tuesday, succeeding Boyd Meador of McLean.

The Clarendon meeting was one of the best attended zone meetings held this year, only the Claude club being without representation. McLean had the largest out of town representation with nine members present, the local luncheon being called off in order that members might attend the Clarendon meeting.

The next meeting will be at Childress.

Those present from McLean were: Meador, Rice, Tampke, Cobb, Williams, Caldwell, Davis, Greene and Erwin.

S. G. C. B. CLUB

The S. G. C. B. Club met Wednesday at the home of Miss Nora Ashby. After business was attended to, a discussion on verbs was conducted by Miss Lola Ruth Stanfield.

Several contests were given, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Y. W. A. TO HAVE SOCIAL

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist Church will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Cecil G. Goff for a social. All girls of Y. W. A. age 17 or above, and unmarried, are invited to be present and bring a picnic lunch.

VOCATIONAL TEACHERS TO MEET

All teachers of vocational agriculture on the north plains will meet with the state supervisor in conference at Amarillo, August 15-16. This conference takes the place of the teachers institute with vocational teachers.

Feb Everett was in Pampa Monday.

Hospital Bills Are Going to Be Plenty



News from Gracey

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Bailey and children of Hedley spent the week end at the Hefer and Fred Silgar homes. Henry Kinard of Dalhart visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Kinard, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Webb visited their son, Arthur, and family at Canadian a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Koons of McLean visited at the R. L. Harlan home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ware and family of Frederic, Okla., spent the week end at the Ware home.

P. M. Keller and son, G. W., left Sunday for Dallas to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harlan spent Sunday at the Will Ivey home at Back.

H. M. Belew and son, Jack, of Clayton, N. M., visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Belew, last week.

The baseball team played Pleasant Mound Sunday at McLean. Gracey won.

Mrs. Elmer Ware and children visited at the J. O. Clark home at Heald Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Nelson and family returned Friday from a visit with relatives at Tuscola.

The singing class met at the Ware home Sunday night.

Everyone enjoyed a party at the home of Mrs. O. L. Derrick Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Ware and children spent Sunday at the Grandpa Ware home.

Born, Friday, Aug. 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Derrick, a boy.

Dewitt Matthews is visiting his sister, Mrs. Alice Holmes, this week.

Several from here attended a party at the Thompson home at Magic City Wednesday night.

Miss Betty Jean Webb and brother, Thelton, visited their Grandma Webb Monday.

W. W. Harrah of Pampa, pioneer resident of Gray county, was here Tuesday.

Henry Kinard of Dalhart visited home folks here last week end.

M. M. Newman was in Amarillo Saturday.

Tom Massay was in Wichita Falls Saturday.

Born, Saturday, August 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Abe Derrick, a boy.

With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A class for every one.

Morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor. Special music by the choir.

B. T. S. at 7 p. m. Join our young people and work for the Lord. Evening service at 8:15. Sermon by the pastor. Special music.

The W. M. S. will meet Monday afternoon at 3 in the church auditorium for mission study.

The Y. W. A. will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 in the basement of the pastor's home for mission study.

Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday at 8:15 p. m. Choir rehearsal will be held Friday night at 8:15.

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. The pastor will preach at Skillet at 3 p. m.

No service at night, or during the week, on account of the revival at the Methodist church.

BAPTIST W. M. S.

The Baptist W. M. S. met at the church Monday afternoon for Bible study and business. A very interesting study in the Book of Numbers was led by Mrs. Goff.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Geo. Colebank; 1st vice president, Mrs. Bob Thomas; 2nd vice, Mrs. H. W. Finley; 3rd vice, Mrs. A. R. McHaney; treasurer, Mrs. Carl Carpenter; secretary, Mrs. Murray Boston; Sunbeam leader, Miss Odessa Kunkel; Y. W. A. counselor, Mrs. C. G. Goff.

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TO THE VOTERS

OF LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT NO. 122

With this I want to thank my supporters among the voters of District No. 122 for their handsome attitude toward me.

I suppose that the 2188 men and women that decided to vote for me did so under the assumption that I would make a clean campaign. I can assure them that I carried out this implied mandate in full, and that the reputation of each one of my four competitors, so far as my tongue and my pen are concerned, is as good after the campaign as it was before. The three lawyers who ran against me returned the compliment in like spirit.

I had a very definite and clear-cut idea of what I would try to do in case I was sent to Austin. It is obvious that if the producers of the new wealth of this district and of Texas could have the opportunities guaranteed under the Federal and State constitutions—equal opportunities and equal burdens—the general welfare and well being of all citizens alike would be more in line with what we all wish and hope in our moments of quiet reflection.

If the man now to be chosen to represent this district in the next legislature should prove to be unequal to such a task, I shall in all likelihood make the race again. Yours cordially,

RICHARD WISCHKAEMPER

Miss Lola Mercer went to Shamrock Wednesday for medical treatment. She was accompanied by her mother and brother and Mrs. Ed D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Callahan returned Tuesday from Gilmer, where they had been for Mrs. Callahan's health. They were accompanied by their nephew, Britton Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Andrews and son, Claude, of Childress visited in the T. H. and J. L. Andrews homes this week.

Claude Killingsworth of Wellington visited in the W. H. Ayer home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McElvaney and daughter of Clarendon visited in the H. C. Ripsey home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnes visited their daughter, Mrs. C. F. Seago, at Lela Monday.

Mrs. J. E. Lynch and little daughter, Jessie May, visited in Amarillo Wednesday.

Misses Sarah Ellen Foster and Clara Anderson were in Shamrock Thursday.

Mrs. Walter Foster and son of Pampa visited relatives here last week end.

Mrs. Gus Fwonston and daughter of Dalhart visited in the H. C. Ripsey home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stone of Oakland, Calif., are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Henry Neill of Lefors visited in McLean this week.

Pete Fulbright and family are visiting in New Mexico this week.

Miss Pauline Cunningham of Hale City visited her uncle, R. P. Cunningham, last week end.

Little Miss Katie Lee Ivey returned Saturday from a trip to College Station.

Mrs. Ed Dishman and Mrs. S. A. Cousins visited in Hedley Sunday afternoon.

Little Miss Tollette Bird of Fort Beard, N. M., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Myrl Archer.

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

Mrs. C. R. Bentley of Hereford is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer.

Geo. Thut of Lefors was in McLean Monday.

Mrs. H. M. Barrett of Oklahoma City visited relatives here this week.

Miss Sybil Young visited in Amarillo this week.

Miss Marie Watt visited in Quanah last week end.

Frank Golightly and son, Chester Gene, visited in Quanah Saturday.

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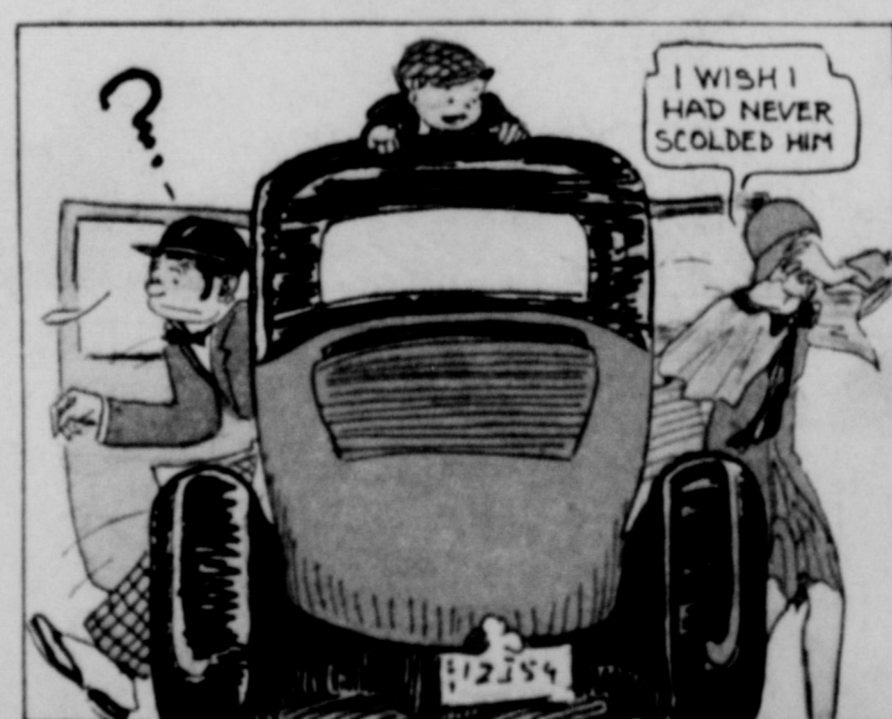
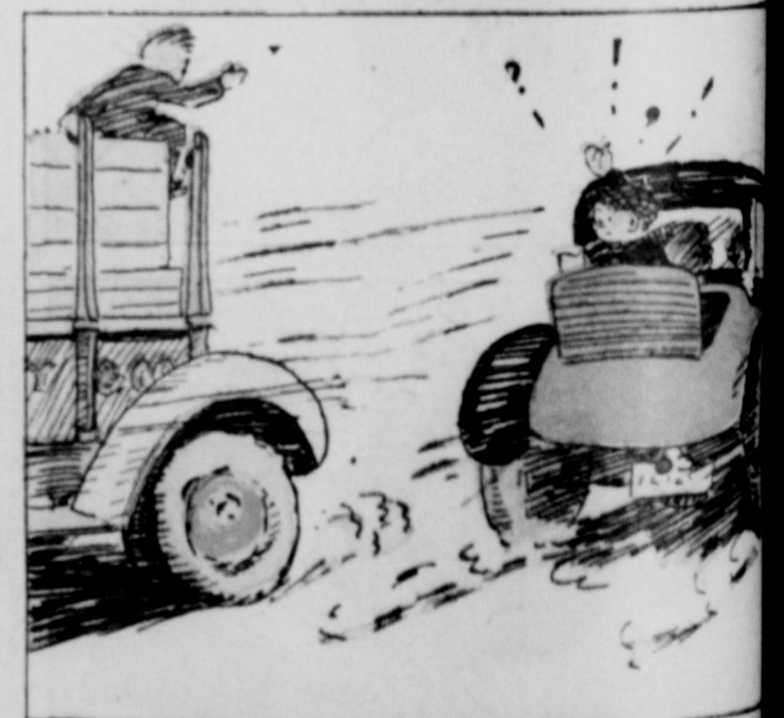
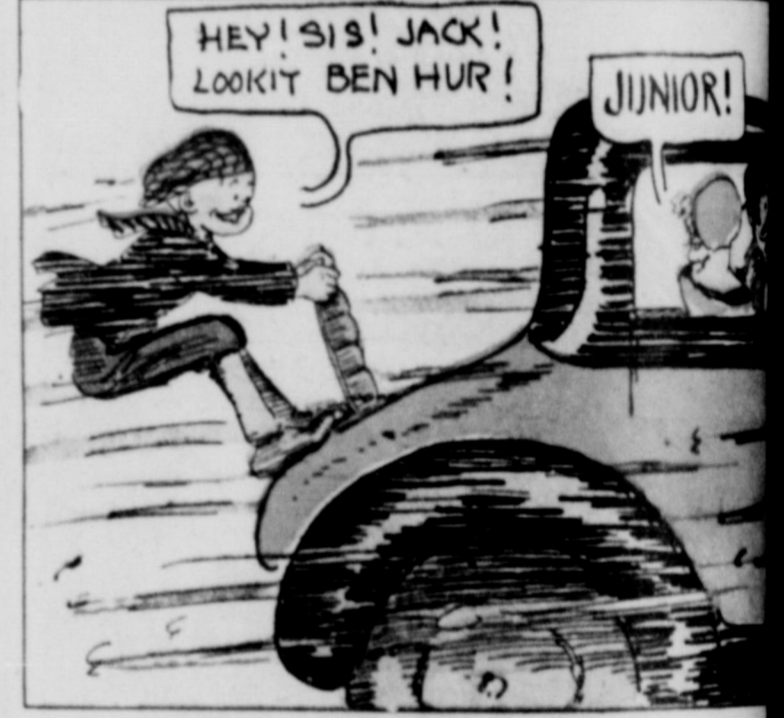
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EXPLOITS OF EVE ~ ~ By Wilfred R. Cyn



Hints for Household
By Betty We

Sandwiches
Sandwiches used to be a light refreshment meal. But for a properly planned luncheon, a cold drink makes a delightful accompaniment. Sandwiches with chop or with or without a fried egg are always appetizing. Use lettuce, tomato, onion, coffee and fruit with your sandwich.

COOKING H
Summer Meal Course
Beef hash and beef, new cream sauce, tomato sauce, and potato chips, beed potatoes, meat, potato

Beef with green pepper and tomatoes. 1 tablespoon butter. Mix sauce a few. Heat in butter sauce.

Tasty Macaroni
Cook macaroni and grated cheese in half. Broil macaroni.

Pudding
Puffed cherry dough.
Make your own. Roll out. Bake in oven and roll. Make and pinching plate in steamer. Serve with sauce.

Foamy Butter
powdered sugar

Cream butter separate eggs and add 1/2 cup. Lighted 1932. Corporation.

Mrs. John and the late Toll Moore.

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HOUSEHOLD HINTS

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Sandwiches used to be served just for refreshment and not as a meal. But for a hot summer properly planned sandwich or two, a cold drink and some coffee makes a delightful repast.

Delicious sandwiches can be made with chopped hard boiled beef with or without mayonnaise, with a fried egg and lettuce, or with tomatoes, with tomato or coffee and fruit make an excellent sandwich.

Delicious sandwiches are delicious. Beef sandwiches are delicious. Beef, green pepper, mayonnaise and bread and butter sandwiches are delicious.

COOKING HINTS
Beef Meal Combinations
Beef hash and poached eggs, beef, creamed potatoes and green sauce.
Beef and potato chips.
Beef and chipped beef, fresh peas and potatoes.
Beef, potato salad and iced beef.

Beef with Spanish Sauce
Green pepper (cut up), 1 onion (chopped), 1/2 cup butter, seasoning, 1/2 cup tomato sauce, 1/2 cup beef juice. Heat dried beef and put on buttered toast and serve with sauce.

Tasty Macaroni
Cook macaroni. Add seasoned grated cheese. Cut into halves. Broil and serve with macaroni.

Pudding Cherry Roll
Pitted cherries, dough.
Make your favorite biscuit roll out. Spread cherries (sliced) on top of dough. Roll over and around cherries. Roll. Make ends secure by pinching tightly together. Bake in steamer and steam for 15 minutes. Serve hot with foamy sauce.

Foamy Sauce
Butter, powdered sugar.

DOG BITES
By Dr. William J. Scholes
A dog bite is usually the cause of some anxiety. It often involves the question as to whether the dog is rabid. Now the fact is that, although a great many people are bitten by dogs each year, hydrophobia is comparatively rare. Few people, however, wish to take many chances with dog bites. For it is well known that hydrophobia is one of the diseases in which prevention is far more effective than cure.

The muzzling of all dogs that run at large is the best preventive. Next to that is the efficient treatment of the victims of dog bites. When bitten, the first thing to do is to have a physician treat the wounds. The infectious agent of rabies is carried into the wound in the saliva of the dog. The idea is to destroy the infection before it can be absorbed. To accomplish this, all parts of the wound are flushed out with an antiseptic solution and then thoroughly cauterized.

Take Pasteur Treatment
Any suspicion as to the condition of the dog inflicting the wounds should be an indication for taking the Pasteur treatment. It should certainly be taken if the dog is known to be "mad," or, if it acts sick or queer. If the dog has been killed, as frequently happens, a laboratory examination of its brain will usually show whether or not it was rabid.

The Pasteur treatment offers a rather certain means of preventing hydrophobia. The material used in this treatment is prepared from the ground-up brain or spinal cord of rabbits that have been inoculated with rabies. It is administered by hypodermic injection. The injections are usually given daily for three weeks.

The effect of the rabies vaccine (Pasteur treatment) is to produce an immunity to hydrophobia. Three or more weeks elapse from the time one is bitten by a rabid animal until symptoms of hydrophobia develop. This allows ample time for immunization.



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Tom Bird of Shamrock was in McLean Sunday.
Dave Umphries of Amarillo was in McLean Saturday.

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S. J. R. No. 23
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That the Constitution of the State of Texas, Article 16, be amended by adding thereto another section, Section 60, which shall read as follows:
"Section 60. That the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to authorize a Texas Centennial, commemorating the heroic period of early Texas history, and celebrating a century of our independence and progress, to be held at such times, places and in such manner as may be designated by the Legislature of Texas."
"That the Legislature of Texas be authorized to make appropriation for the support and maintenance thereof, provided, that this authorization shall not be construed to make appropriation for any other future exposition or celebration of any kind or character."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next general election to be held on the Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1932.
(A correct copy).
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

Mrs. Laura Stratton and daughter, Miss Georgia, of Pampa, Mrs. A. C. Meier and little daughter of Amarillo visited home folks here Sunday.

H. J. R. No. 21
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 8, 1932.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:
Section 1. That Section 14 of Article 8 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:
"Section 14. There shall be elected by the qualified electors of each county at the same time and under the same law regulating the election of State and County officers, an Assessor and Collector of Taxes, who shall hold his office for two (2) years and until his successor is elected and qualified; and such Assessor and Collector of Taxes shall perform all the duties with respect to assessing property for the purpose of taxation and of collecting taxes as may be prescribed by the Legislature."
Section 2. That Section 16, of Article 8, of the Constitution of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:
"Section 16. The sheriff of each county, in addition to his other duties, shall be the Assessor and Collector of Taxes therefor; but, in counties having ten thousand (10,000) or more inhabitants, to be determined by the last preceding census of the United States, an Assessor and Collector of Taxes shall be elected to hold office for two (2) years and until his successor shall be elected and qualified."
Section 3. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932.
(A correct copy).
JANE Y. McCALLUM,
Secretary of State.

Mrs. Cecile Bible of Canyon was in McLean Saturday.
Pete Chilton was in Amarillo Saturday.

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THE COMMERCIAL USE OF TEXAS HIGHWAYS IS A PRIVILEGE, NOT A RIGHT

● The highways of Texas are the property of its citizens. They constitute a system of nearly 200,000 miles of road of which 20,000 miles are designated as State highways and the remainder are county roads. All types of road are represented in this system, less than 5% have so-called "permanent" surface.

The total cost of these highways is unknown but it amounts to many hundred million dollars. From 1917 to 1930, inclusive, counties and road districts of the State issued \$248,592,834 in bonds for the construction and improvement of roads and bridges. In the two-year period ending August 31, 1930, the State Highway Commission expended \$89,082,825, of which \$22,488,426 was for maintenance of the State highways.

In view of these tremendous costs the preservation of our highways from rapid wear and destruction is a matter of very vital interest to their owners, viz., the public. It is especially important that they be made to outlast the life of the bonds, which run from 20 to 30 years.

The use of the public highways for commercial purposes is not a right but a privilege which may be withheld or granted subject to such restrictions, regulations and charges as the Legislature may see fit to impose. Such regulations are intended to promote safety, preserve the highways and safeguard the interests of the public.

Texas Railroads, which pay the entire cost of construction and maintenance of their own roadbeds and, in addition, make substantial contributions to the cost of Texas highways, are thoroughly regulated with respect to their services, rates, methods and practices. There is no good reason why commercial users of the highways, built and maintained at the expense of the public, should not likewise be regulated to such extent as the public interest requires and pay such charges as will represent proper compensation for the privileges granted them.

● The statutes governing highway transportation as enacted by the Forty-second Legislature represent the wishes of the citizens of this State and express their desire to give equal rights to all and special privileges to none. These statutes should be given a fair trial and their value ascertained. Unless this is done, a chaotic condition in transportation as a whole will surely ensue.

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Next Sunday's Lesson

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff

Lesson text, Ex. 20:12-21. Golden text, Lev. 19:12.

The four commandments studied last week look in man's relationship to God. The six to be studied this week reckon with a man's relationship to his fellowmen.

v. 12. The sixth commandment declares the necessity for honoring parents. The father in the early homes had been more or less a priest for the home. There was therefore a natural tendency to honor him. God gives a promise with this command, that the one who honors his father and mother shall have his days lengthened.

The Israelites adhered very closely to this command when they failed upon all others. Hebrew children were very faithful to their parents until the day of their death. Many an Israelite had grown children and was still obedient to his father. Such obedience is not known today in our land, save among the Jews, and not always there.

It is difficult to say whether the lack of obedience on the part of children has broken down the sacredness of home relations, or the crumbling of home life has brought about the disgraceful lack of obedience on the part of children, and the failure of parents to demand obedience. Where young people have gone beyond the pale of decency, in almost every instance it is the result of the failure to keep God's fifth commandment.

v. 13. God here forbids murder. And God elsewhere in His commands gave the law of death as its punishment. It was carried out, and therefore murder was scarcely known among the Jews. Likewise, today, where the punishment for murder is carried out most strictly, there are few murders. In our country there are more murders per 1,000 population than in any nation on earth. The reason is a lack of law enforcement. When men murder, instead of paying with their lives, most of them either go free, or receive comparatively short terms which are shortened still more by so-called good behavior.

v. 14. God designates two kinds of adultery in His word; namely, physical and spiritual. The reference here is to physical adultery, since spiritual adultery, in principle at least, is included in the first two commandments. Adultery is rampant in the land today, even though God forbids it. And both individuals and countries guilty must pay and pay God's penalty.

v. 15. God commands that men not steal. The sin of stealing goes deeper than many think. The man who steals a chicken is a thief, so is the man who holds up a man or a place of business. But no more is such a character a thief than the man, the company or the firm that takes undue advantage of a man who has no way of defending himself. This is often done in rates or in interest. Firms such as oil, mining, lumber companies, etc., which in isolated places maintain commissaries and force their employees to pay exorbitant prices, are thieves. Men, men who are responsible, will answer to God and pay the penalties. Likewise, firms protected by the law and given the right of making certain per cent of profit that pad the original costs in order to justify themselves before the law in exorbitant rates, are in the business of stealing, and some men or men must answer to God.

v. 16. Lying and stealing go together. They aid and complement each other. The man who steals, lies and vice-versa. Many a man who doesn't mind lying would be offended if he were accused of stealing, but the liar is a thief of the truth. God makes no distinction among liars. So if you don't want to be a liar in God's sight, tell the truth.

v. 17. Covetousness is desiring that which another has. It is a form of selfishness. When a man is selfish, he is covetous. The two—if there is any essential difference in them—walk hand in hand.

The modern trend of education is to let a child follow his own desires. Many educators maintain that one ought never to tell a child not to do a thing—always tell a child what to do, and never in a negative form. If the child is doing wrong, give him something right to do rather than correct him negatively. Upon such basis has been worked out a highly theoretical idea of education in which there is some good.

We know, however, that no man need think he knows more about education than God. Eight out of the ten commandments are in a negative form, and so all the way through God's word. God knew that anyone who did not know that there were some things he could NOT do could not serve Him. Any parent who fails to teach his child that there are some things he must NOT do, is training the child for the courts and the pen. The parent may be able to always place a right thing in the

hands of his child, but the day will come when nature and passion will bring him low in disgrace because he does not know that there are some things that a sensible, decent man cannot do. The individual who does not know that there are some things that he must NOT do is utterly devoid of will power.

**H. J. R. No. 24
PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON
NOVEMBER 8, 1932.**

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"Section 2a. When an election is held by any county, or any number of counties, or any political subdivision of a county, or any defined district now or hereafter to be described and defined within the State and which may or may not include towns, villages or municipal corporations, or any city, town or village, for the purpose of issuing bonds or otherwise raising credits, or expending money or assuming any debt, only qualified electors who own taxable property in the State county, political subdivision, district, city, town or village where such election is held, and who have duly registered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote and all electors shall vote in the election precinct of their residence."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1932. (A correct copy).

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F. H. King of Mangum, Okla., was in McLean Friday.

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Louie Qalaway was in Pampa Monday.

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AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON
NOVEMBER 8, 1932.**

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas: That Article 5, Section 1, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 5a. The Legislature shall have no power to release or extinguish, or to authorize the releasing or extinguishing, in whole or in part, the indebtedness, liability or obligation of any corporation or individual, to this State or to any county or defined subdivision thereof, or other municipal corporation therein, except delinquent taxes which have been due for a period of at least ten years."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments at the General Election in 1932. (A correct copy).

JANE Y. McCALLUM, Secretary of State.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Berry of Altus, Okla., visited in the E. E. Dishman home last week.

Mr. Will Harlan and children of White Deer visited the lady's mother, Mrs. J. W. Kibler, last week.

Phillip Howard of Mainview visited in the W. D. Howard home last week.

Mrs. Etta Mann visited in Amarillo Saturday.

W. W. Shaddid was in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Roy Campbell and Miss Robbie Howard visited in Amarillo Monday.

Estel Bowen was in Shamrock last Thursday.

Howard Hardin was in Pampa Friday.

Mrs. John B. Vanney visited her uncle at Lubbock last week.

Ben Chilton was in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jap Neill of Leters visited in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Shamrock visited in McLean Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Harman and Mrs. of Borger visited in the County last week end.

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To the Voters of Gray County

Just a few days before the last Primary, reports were circulated that Judge Philip Wolfe had been connected with banks at Mineral Wells and Eastland that had been closed. In order that those who might have been misled by such statements, we have procured the following statements signed by responsible citizens of the towns mentioned, in order to present the true facts to the honest voters of Gray county, and at the same time we wish to warn you to watch out for last minute campaign propaganda in the run-off election Aug. 27, that we are sure will come from the same source as in the first primary, and will be put out to mislead the honest voters of Gray county who are fighting for right.

TO THE CITIZENS OF GRAY COUNTY:

WHEREAS, a former citizen of Eastland, Texas, Philip Wolfe, is now making the race for the office of County Judge of Gray County, Texas; and WHEREAS, the undersigned have been informed that there is now being circulated a statement that the said Philip Wolfe, our former citizen and neighbor, was connected with the First State Bank of Eastland, Texas, when the same went broke. The undersigned statement that Mr. Wolfe was not connected with the First State Bank at the time that it discontinued business, and we further state that he was never at any time connected with any bank in Eastland, Texas, at the time said bank went broke.

We further state that Philip Wolfe served the City of Eastland as City Commissioner for about three years during our "boom" period and, in addition, acted as Treasurer for the City of Eastland during such time, and we are glad to state that he not only made a good, fair and conservative city commissioner, but he was also an efficient, capable, and accurate treasurer, and the audit of the city books covering his service showed every item of the city receipts and expenditures properly accounted for.

We take pleasure in commending to you citizens our former citizen and neighbor, **PHILIP WOLFE**.

Dated at Eastland, Texas, this 26th day of July, 1932.

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| C. L. Garrett (county judge) | A. C. Simmons (merchant) |
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| Geo. L. Davenport (Judge 91st District Court) | T. A. Bendy |
| L. Y. Woods (insurance) | Frank Judkins (lawyer) |
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| P. E. Day (oil operator) | Omar Burgett (deputy oil and gas supervisor, R. R. Com.) |
| J. F. Little | E. R. Townsend, M. D. |
| Dr. H. B. Tanner (sec. C. of C.) | T. M. Johnson (retired farmer) |
| E. A. Davidson (oil operator) | U. R. Neill (druggist) |

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We, the undersigned citizens, having lived in Mineral Wells for the past fifteen years and more, and having been acquainted with the banking institutions of our city and with Mr. Wolfe do say that Mr. Philip Wolfe was not connected with the Bank of Mineral Wells when the same was closed in 1925, or for many years prior thereto. Mr. Wolfe at one time did work merely as an employee of said bank, which was many years prior to the closing of said bank.

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