

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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## Democratic 2nd Primary Saturday

### Supt. Boswell Installed President McLean Lions Club

#### Lions Hold First Lunch with Pres.

#### Prof. Klingman and Eld Roberts Are Entertainers

G. C. Boswell, superintendent of the McLean schools, was inducted into the presidency of the McLean Lions club at the regular weekly luncheon Tuesday.

Lion Boswell was elected to head the local club in July, but has just returned from a post graduate course at Simmons University.

The boss Lion paid his respects to the club members, giving some interesting side-light of his summer's work. He also paid his respect to Dr. Cooper of Mine who died Monday.

Prof. Klingman, who is leading the singing at the Church of Christ revival, gave a musical reading, "The Hero Funeral," and sang "Nothing but You" as an encore, playing his piano accompaniment.

Eld Roberts, evangelist at the Church of Christ, talked on "The Three Rules." The iron rule, "might makes right," has caused all the misery and woe of the world. The silver rule of Confucius, "Do nothing to others that you would not have others do to you." The golden rule, which is the basis of service clubs, a positive rule for the guidance of everyone who wants to do right. The speaker illustrated all three rules with the parable of the good Samaritan. The robbers practiced the iron rule, the Levite the silver rule, and the Samaritan the golden rule.

Judge C. E. Cary of Pampa spoke in appreciation of the club's work, and Judge Ivy E. Duncan of Pampa made a plea for inter-club relations.

Lion Rice complained that the new district governor had overlooked McLean's attendance at the Clarion zone meeting, and Judge Duncan offered to call the governor's attention to the oversight.

Dr. Tampke requested assistance from the club members in transporting F. F. A. members to the Canyon campment.

Lions Greene, Cook and Caldwell are appointed entertainment committee for next week, Lions Erwin and Williams serving this week.

Witt Springer was presented as a reinstated member.

Eld. Flavil Yeakley, minister of the Church of Christ, was presented as a visitor.

#### BERNIE MORGAN HONORED AT SUL ROSS COLLEGE

Bernie Morgan has been elected to honor membership in the Sul Ross chapter of Scholarship Societies of the South, at the Sul Ross State Teachers College at Alpine.

Mr. Morgan is a McLean high school graduate, entering Sul Ross upon his graduation here.

#### METHODIST REVIVAL CLOSED

The revival held at a big air dome on Main street by the First Methodist church closed Sunday night with 7 baptisms to the church.

Rev. Frank M. Neal, general evangelist of Amarillo, conducted the services, and Rev. S. R. Jones, local pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, sang the song services.

#### LIBERTY SCHOOL OPENED

The Liberty school opened last Monday with about 50 pupils enrolled.

Roscoe Morgan is principal of the school and Orville Cunningham primary teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Jobe Abbott and son visited in Comanche last week.

#### Often a Picnic's Not a Picnic



#### W. T. C. OF C. CUTS MCLEAN'S MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENT

A letter from the treasurer of the West Texas chamber of commerce to the local director states that McLean's membership quota is set at \$30.00 for this year, which is \$70.00 less than formerly. The letter follows:

Stamford, Texas, August 19, 1932.

Mr. T. A. Landers, McLean, Texas.

Dear Sir:

At the annual convention of the West Texas chamber of commerce in Sweetwater, McLean was elected as an affiliated town upon the recommendation of the elections committee that the membership requirements would be fulfilled. Since that time, we have continued to carry your town as one of our affiliations.

Three copies of West Texas Today have been going to your city, and as your director, you have been receiving the president's news letters and other communications.

McLean has a public expenditure committee, and its members have received our budget making manual, possibly attended one of the budget making institutes, and received our communications.

We are pleased to note that your city has a beautification committee. Your city has also availed itself of the services of R. C. Morrison, whose trip in behalf of beautification was sponsored by this organization.

I note, however, that you have not yet paid anything on your 1932 quota. Due to the fact that we are now well into the 1932 year, also to the fact that we want to retain your city's affiliation, I wonder if your town cannot arrange to send us \$30.00 on the understanding that this would fulfill our 1932 membership requirement?

McLEAN AGGIES TO F. F. A. ENCAMPMENT

Wednesday morning, Dr. A. A. Tampke and 18 boys left for a three day encampment at Canyon, where the boys will enjoy swimming, ball games, judging stock, and free barbecue. The agriculture instructors of Canyon College are planning an appropriate program for the boys.

The boys will do their own cooking over camp fire. Coffee and bread were furnished by M System Grocery and Caldwell Bakery, while transportation was furnished by J. E. Lynch.

PLEASANT MOUND REVIVAL

A Baptist revival is being held at the Pleasant Mound school, with Rev. L. H. Shockley of McLean doing the preaching.

A number of conversions are reported, and the meeting will close with the Sunday night service.

LIBERTY REVIVAL CLOSES

The Baptist revival at Liberty school closed Sunday night, with 11 conversions and three joining the church.

Rev. Sidney Johnson of Lela conducted the services.

Miss Ruby Johnson of Wichita Falls visited Mrs. Roy Campbell last week.

#### Trade Trippers Ready Tonight for Ramsdell Trip

Everything is in readiness for a trip to Ramsdell tonight, with G. C. Boswell as master of ceremonies.

These trips are sponsored by the chamber of commerce and everyone has an invitation to meet at the band hall at 7:30 for the trip.

The trippers enjoyed an evening with the Gracey citizens last Thursday with T. A. Landers in charge, and Reuben R. R. Cook, Jesse J. Cobb, Boyd Meador, Dr. Tampke and M. H. Kinard, Jr., making short talks.

Pakan was paid a visit Tuesday night with John Mertel in charge, and Reuben R. R. Cook, G. C. Boswell and Paul Macina making talks.

Next week Heald will be visited Tuesday with Claude Williams in charge; and Thursday Jesse J. Cobb will have charge of the Alareed

#### RED CROSS CALLS FOR HURRICANE RELIEF

According to Chairman Reuben R. Cook of the local Red Cross chapter, the national chapter is calling for funds for the relief of Texas hurricane sufferers. Mr. Cook says that all contributions will be promptly forwarded by the McLean chapter under the names of the contributors.

Following is a copy of the official letter received by Mr. Cook from the acting manager:

"Survey of destruction by the recent hurricane in Brazoria, Matagorda, Wharton and Fort Bend counties begun Sunday morning following the storms, confirms earlier reports of loss of life, serious injuries, and destruction of property. Our representatives report total destruction of five hundred homes and partial destruction of eight hundred homes, with an almost complete loss of crop and personal property over a wide area.

"Chapters in the affected counties were immediately active in the organization of emergency relief and the national organization has assigned eight experienced disaster relief workers for the conduct of emergency relief operation. Headquarters have been established at Houston with E. S. Transue representing the National Red Cross in charge.

"Chapters in Texas are requested to present this information to the press and to the public with an appeal for contributions to the hurricane relief fund. All contributions received should be remitted to this office. The National Red Cross has already made a substantial contribution to the relief fund."

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Oscar Sullivan entertained a number of little folk Friday afternoon in honor of the fourth birthday of her son, Harold Lee.

After various games were played, refreshments were served to the following: Dorothy and Spencer Sitter, Dora Mae and Albert Overton, Johnny and Junior Windom, Coleen and Gary Ray Burrows, L. E. Flowers, Joe Cooke, Doris Nell Wilson, Bobby Beall, Carl Raymond and Virginia Sullivan, and Ava Lee Sullivan of Amarillo.

#### Sterling Rally Held in McLean Last Saturday

Fred Young of Amarillo made a speech in favor of Ross Sterling for governor at a rally held here last Saturday afternoon.

The sound equipment of the tri-state fair was used for amplifying the speaker's voice. The equipment was in charge of Bill Lampe of Amarillo, who used a few minutes outlining the features of this year's fair.

The meeting was in charge of M. D. Bentley, local Sterling-for-governor chairman. Mr. Bentley presented both Mr. Lampe and the speaker of the day.

Judge M. M. McGee of Shamrock requested time for an address, speaking in favor of the national Democratic ticket and attacking President Hoover's record.

One of the largest Saturday afternoon crowds seen here for some time heard the speakers, and there was no heckling of any kind, but good attention throughout the addresses.

#### ROBBERS BREAK INTO MCLEAN HARDWARE CO.

Robbers broke into the front door of the McLean Hardware Co.'s store about four o'clock last Friday morning and stole about \$275 worth of guns, ammunition and tools.

All the high powered pistol and rifle cartridges in stock were taken as well as all shot gun shells loaded with large shot, an automatic shot gun and winchester, all the end wrenches in stock, a large number of safety razors and blades, etc.

From the way the thieves rifled the cartridge shelf, it was indicated that they knew just where the kind they wanted were kept.

#### PRIMARY ELECTION SUPERVISOR

The Election Law (Article 2942) authorizes "any one-fifth of the candidates whose names appear on the official ballot," on or before the day preceding the election, to agree in writing signed by them upon two supervisors of election. The two persons so selected are required to take the oath as election officers, along with the presiding judge of election before the opening of the polls. They must be qualified voters of the county and election precinct in which they serve and subject to none of the following disqualifications:

1. Must not be a holder of an office or profit or trust under the United States, or this State, or in any city or town in Texas (except a notary public), nor have held such an office within the next thirty days.
2. Must not be a candidate for office.
3. Must have paid poll tax.

While the election is being held they are required to remain in view of the ballot boxes until the count is concluded. When any voter permanently disabled from marking his own ballot is assisted by the presiding judge of election, they are required to be present to see that the ballot is marked in accordance with the wishes of the voter, but such supervisors shall remain silent except in cases of irregularity or violation of the law while so in attendance. It is also made their duty to see that each ballot is correctly called, and if they note any fraud or irregularity whatever in the conduct of the election, they are required to report it to the next grand jury.

(Editor's note: The above is printed by request of the secretary of state so that "proper persons representing the opposing sides can be selected for this important post of inspecting the polls.")

#### CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL INTEREST GROWS

Good crowds are attending the Church of Christ revival being conducted by Eld. Luther G. Roberts, baptisms occurring at most every service.

Prof. Wm. G. Klingman is conducting the song service, and Eld. Flavil Yeakley, local minister, says the services will continue all next week.

#### JOURNALIST VISITS ERWINS

E. J. Haling of Fort Worth visited Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin Tuesday and Wednesday. Mr. Haling is a journalist and was here to gather material for an article on Bill Erwin's life. W. A. Shaw, commercial radio operator of Fort Worth, accompanied Mr. Haling. Both gentlemen own private radio stations at Fort Worth.

Little Miss Peggy Marie Greer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Clement, at Gruver.

#### Candidates and Voters Interested

#### County and Precinct Officers in Run-off

The run-off Democratic primary will be held Saturday, and interest among candidates and voters grows keener as the date draws near, as nomination is equivalent to election in Texas.

The district clerk's race, county judge, sheriff, commissioner and constable's races are of especial interest in this end of the county and candidates are busy making final contacts with the voters, a number of statements appearing in the advertising columns of this issue of The News.

The ballot will be short and no difficulty is expected from voters being unable to decide which candidate to vote for in this primary.

McLean voters will have the polls at the Masonic building as was the case in the first primary.

Following is a copy of the official ballot:

- For Governor: R. S. Sterling, Miriam A. Ferguson.
- For State Railroad Commissioner, 6-year Term: C. V. Terrell, Lee Satterwhite.
- For State Railroad Commissioner, 4-year Term: W. Gregory Hatcher, Ernest O. Thompson.
- For Associate Justice of Supreme Court: J. E. Hickman, Wm. Pierson.
- For Congressman at Large, Place No. 1: Pink Parrish, Geo. B. Terrell.
- For Congressman at Large, Place No. 2: Joseph Weidon Bailey, Jr., J. H. (Cyclone) Davis.
- For Congressman at Large, Place No. 3: Joe Burkett, Sterling P. Strong.
- For State Representative, 122nd District: John Puryear, Ivy E. Duncan.
- For District Clerk: Louise Miller Dunn, Frank Hill.
- For County Judge: C. T. (Elmer) Cary, Phillip Wolfe.
- For Sheriff: Lon L. Blanscet, C. E. (Tiny) Pipes.
- For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1: Clem V. Davis, John R. White.
- For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 2: Lewis O. Cox, John Haggard.
- For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 4: W. W. Wilson, M. M. Newman.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 1: J. R. Walls, W. F. (Bill) Salonka.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 2: H. C. (Bud) Cotterell, Frank Jordan.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 4: Jasper Elms, Arnold Steger.
- For Constable, Precinct No. 5: C. O. Goodman, M. M. Ruff.
- For Justice Peace, Precinct No. 4: W. E. James, W. B. Brown.

News from Heald

The Home Improvement Club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. L. Hinton. An interesting program was given and Miss Jones gave a demonstration on lullabies. Watermelon was served to about twenty members and several guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson and son, Woodrow, and Miss Edna McKinsey of Lipon spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rippey and daughter of Seminole, Okla., were guests in the A. P. Rippey home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fulton and family of Lubbock are visiting his sister, Mrs. Walter Bailey.

John Smith of Quitaque visited his brother, Floyd, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brook left Saturday for Salem, Ark., to spend three weeks with the lady's father, Rev. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Lane entertained with a party Thursday night in honor of Miss Sadie Brock's birthday. A large crowd was present and all reported a good time.

Herman Langley is visiting friends and relatives in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and son, Joe Fowler, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hanna and children have returned from several days visit with relatives and friends in Alford.

Mrs. Clara Blair and children were guests of Mrs. Bill Bailey Friday night and Saturday.

Glyndora and Tom Bailey spent Friday and Saturday with Maudell and T. J. Saye.

Mrs. Louise Holmes was the guest of Miss Bill Lane this week.

The Heald women played the Gracey women at baseball Friday afternoon. The score was 20 to 16 in favor of Heald.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Holder and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Corb Jeffries.

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Green of Wheeler spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey entertained with a party Friday night. A good time was reported and a large crowd present.

School started here Monday with a large attendance. The teachers are Noah Cunningham, Misses Johnnie Villa Haynes and Georgia Wilcox.

Josie Lee Lane visited Wilma Holmes the last of the week.

Mrs. Frank Moore is at the bedside of her mother, who is very ill, in Lubbock.

Grandma Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stauffer visited in the George Reneau home Sunday.

Mrs. Tom McKinsey and children of Dumas visited relatives here over the week end. Millard remained to attend school here, and Alta May, who has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Haynes, all summer, returned to her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Elliott and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hanna Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey and children, Mrs. Tom McKinsey and children of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and Miss Alma Brock were Sunday guests of Mrs. Callie Haynes and daughters at McLean.

Roland, Nolan and Wayne Litchfield of Colgate, Okla., visited their father here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Laverne Bailey visited Miss Alma Brock this week.

Miss Fahoma Ladd returned Sunday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Annie Powell, at Ramsdell. Mrs. Powell came with her for a few days visit.

Mrs. Oliver Elliott, Mrs. W. L. Hinton and Mrs. Walter Bailey took their Sunday school classes on a picnic Monday. They went to the Walter Bailey ranch, and after a picnic lunch was spread, games were played by the little folk.

H. J. R. No. 12  
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 55, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 55. 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."

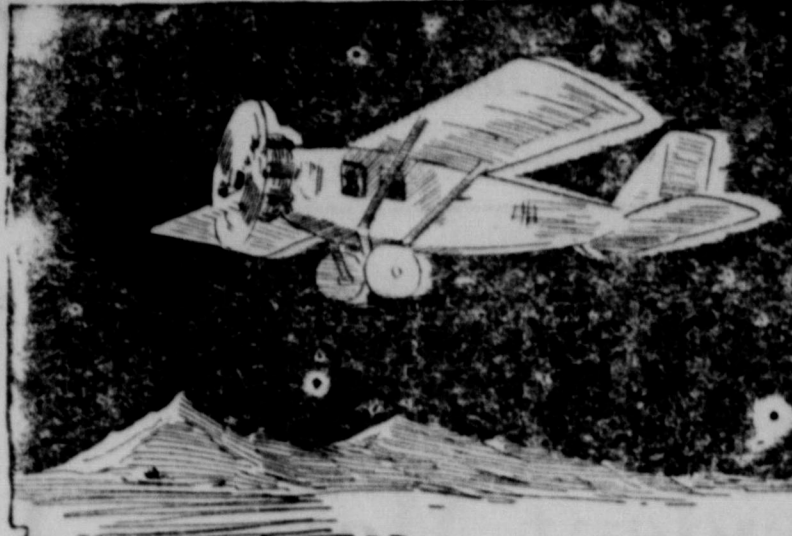
Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the electors of this State qualified to vote on Constitutional Amendments at the General Election in 1932.

(A correct copy.)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

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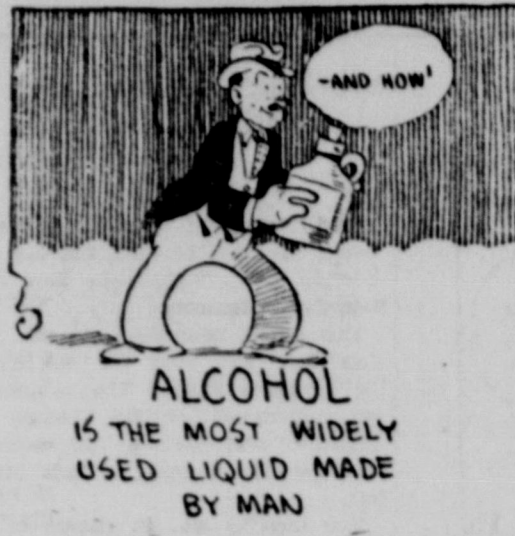
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. St. Clair and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff left Monday for a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

Born, Wednesday, Aug. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bible, a girl.

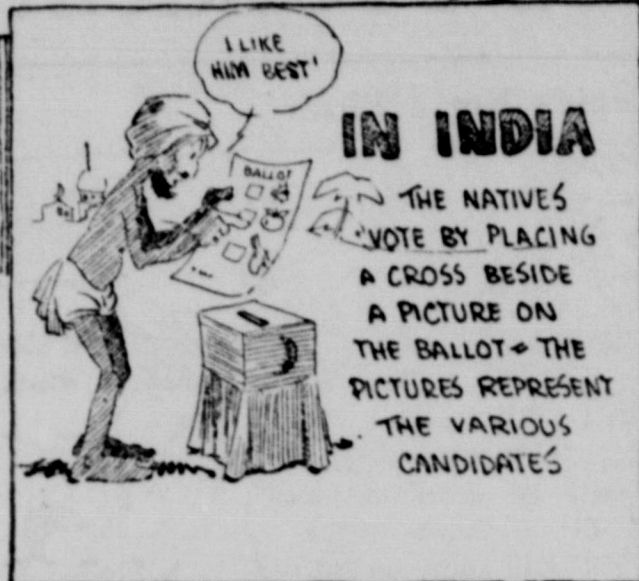


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THE NATIVES VOTE BY PLACING A CROSS BESIDE A PICTURE ON THE BALLOT - THE PICTURES REPRESENT THE VARIOUS CANDIDATES

H. J. R. No. 24  
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 13 of Article 8 of the Constitution of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Section 13. Provision shall be made by the first Legislature for the speedy sale, without the necessity of a suit in Court, of a sufficient portion of all lands and other property for the taxes due thereon, and every year thereafter for the sale in like manner of all lands and other property upon which the taxes have not been paid; and the deed of conveyance to the purchaser for all lands and other property thus sold shall be held to vest a good and perfect title in the purchaser thereof, subject to be impeached only for actual fraud; provided, that the former owner shall within two years from date of the filing for record of the Purchaser's Deed have the right to redeem the land on the following basis:

"(1) Within the first year of the redemption period upon the payment of the amount of money paid for the land, including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee and all taxes, penalties, interest and costs paid plus not exceeding fifty (50%) per cent of the aggregate total;

"(2) Within the last year of the redemption period upon the payment of the amount of money paid for the land, including One (\$1.00) Dollar Tax Deed Recording Fee and all taxes, penalties, interest and costs paid plus not exceeding fifty (50%) per cent of the aggregate total."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1932.

(A correct copy.)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

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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.

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H. 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 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.

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.

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JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

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Henry Lovett of Pampa was in McLean Friday.

J. W. Lewis of Clarendon was in McLean Friday.

**66 Service Station**  
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Courteous Service  
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**JOSH TURNER, Mgr.**

DUNCAN SAYS:

In my race for State Representative of the 122nd District I wish to contrast my position with that of my opponent in matters pertaining to the same.

My opponent is running as the "Collingsworth county farmer." I am not running as a candidate of any class, but expect to represent the farmer, the stockman, the laborer and the business man. Class legislation is dangerous, as illustrated by the twenty-four farmer members of the last legislature voting for the law that requires farmers to buy a license to drive their own truck. My opponent says he "favors" economy and tax reduction, but does not say how he will achieve that end. In my address to the citizens of Gray county in Pampa on August 3rd, a copy of it having been distributed among you, I pointed out the cost and expense of the several bureaus and departments of the State of Texas and told how the same could be reduced. It is my purpose not to follow, but to lead.

The kind of representation that the people of this district are demanding requires a knowledge of the legal departments of our government and of legislative procedure. I possess that knowledge.

I would also like to know how Mr. Puryear would vote, he being a farmer member of the next legislature, if the East Texas farmer representative would again present the bill requiring a gross-production tax on our natural gas. This bill was presented at the last legislature and will come up again. You will find a two hundred word telegram from me, and paid for by me, in the files at Austin, protesting this tax. If this tax becomes a law, it means the driving out of this State all gasoline and carbon black plants. It means the end of such industries for Gray and Wheeler counties. It means the elimination of any possibility of Collingsworth and Donley counties ever having any such industries. It means that hundreds of laborers will be without employment. It means the land owners will have little left as royalty.

There is no doubt in my mind as to the outcome of this race, yet I would like to go to Austin knowing that I had the support of one hundred per cent of the people of my own county. I believe it would be an incentive to me to work harder. So I am going to ask you people who did not vote for me in the first primary to join with the twenty-five hundred other Gray county citizens and make this an unanimous affair.

Respectfully, **IVY E. DUNCAN.**

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Drink plenty of water with pinch of salt. If bloated with gas add a spoon of Adierika. This washes out BOTH stomach and bowels and rids you of all gas. City Drug Store.

Suits cleaned & pressed 40c

Trousers c & p 20c

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The shop that made low prices possible.

S. J. R. No. 25  
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."

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.

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J. S. Morse was in Pampa Saturday.

H. J. R. No. 26  
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 Article VI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 3a, which shall read as follows:

"Section 3a. When an election is held by any county, or any number of counties, or any political subdivision of a county, or any 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 lending credit, 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 rendered 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.

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J. M. Ayers has our thanks for a subscription renewal.

**Dr. Thos. M. Montgomery**  
Eyesight Specialist  
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UNEQUAL REGULATION IN TRANSPORTATION CAUSES DISORDER AND CONFUSION

The instability, confusion and disorder which unrestrained truck transportation has brought about is responsible in large measure for much of the distress in which all business finds itself today. Texas has moved to find a remedy and all concerned in the welfare of this state and its institutions should cooperate in the effort to restore stability and order to our transportation systems.

The Texas Railroads, in these advertisements, have endeavored to place before the people of this state some of the reasons why the existing laws, regulating motor transportation, should be upheld and enforced.

1. The railroads are necessary for the successful marketing of the enormous production of this state, which is used and consumed in every other state in the union.

Uniform, published, non-discriminatory transportation service rates are essential to the orderly conduct and welfare of business.

Unregulated truck transportation inevitably results in discriminatory charges and practices, rebating, unfair and unbusinesslike competitive methods, bringing about losses and commercial insecurity.

The wholesaler, jobber, retailer and local merchant suffer from the unfair competition of truckers and peddlers who, for the most part, are non-residents, pay no taxes and contribute nothing to the community welfare.

The farmer and agricultural producer must have at his command facilities adequate to transport crops and produce which move long distances in large volume, at low cost, by rail.

2. The railroads build and maintain their own roadways, pay heavy taxes for the support of state and municipal governments and institutions, and expend millions of dollars for payrolls, materials and supplies. Railroad workers are substantial citizens, home owners, and valued members of their communities.

3. Rail transportation is the most efficient and economical in existence for the movement of traffic in volume by land.

4. Texas highways belong to the people and are built and maintained at heavy cost. Their use for commercial purposes is a privilege, not a right. They should be kept safe for general use and not prematurely destroyed by heavy trucks.

5. The stability, security and orderly conduct of business require reasonable control and regulation of all transportation agencies.

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With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. G. T., Pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship at 11. Subject, "Christ Departed." Special music by choir.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m. J. A. Ashby
supt. Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke supt. primary department.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES AID

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Crabtree for Bible study and social, honoring Mrs. L. L. Smith.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SOCIAL

The young people's department of the First Baptist Sunday school enjoyed a watermelon feast at the city park Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Gregg of San Antonio were callers at the Presbyterian manse Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Geo. Heinsen of Shamrock, Mrs. A. Stanfield and daughter, Miss Lola Ruth; Mrs. H. C. Rippey and little daughter, Miss Charlie Mae Carpenter and Lloyd Pace visited in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mrs. Roy Brown and children of Higgins are visiting their parents and grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. S. A. Cobb.

Mrs. Florence B. Crabtree, Mrs. Lena J. Stubbs, Aubrey Stubbs and W. J. Fleischer, Jr., of Amarillo were visiting in McLean Wednesday.

Mrs. Leon Waldrop and son and Miss Lucile Stratton visited the former's sister at Knox City this week.

Mrs. G. W. Ellis and son of Amarillo visited in the J. J. Watt home Sunday.

Now try Malted Milk Bread—always fresh—at your grocer's. Advertisement 34-2c

F. H. King and daughter, Miss Lucile, of Mangum, Okla., visited in McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Caldwell and baby of Lubbock visited the former's son, Ralph, Sunday.

Mrs. P. C. Saunders returned to her home at Amarillo Sunday after a visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Barney Fulbright of Elida, N. M., is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Eileen Neill visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Witt Springer were in Oklahoma City Monday.

N. E. Savage of Amherst visited in McLean this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rector were in Oklahoma City Monday.

Roy Sherrard of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Miss Ava Lee Sullivan of Amarillo is visiting her father, Oscar Sullivan.

Hazel Christian was in Pampa Saturday.

News from Ramsdell

Mrs. D. B. Lamb and son, Grover, of Plainview community visited their daughters and sisters, Mesdames The. Scott and Guy Pharis, Tuesday afternoon.

T. Fields and daughter and son, Miss Alma and Wallace, of Hamrock visited in the W. N. Pharis home Wednesday afternoon.

The Home Demonstration Club met at Mrs. Ferd Bones Thursday. A miscellaneous shower was given in the afternoon for Mrs. Guy Pharis, a recent bride.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Exum and children visited in the W. A. Lankford home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pharis, Misses Lillie Mae and Mildred Pharis spent Friday night and Saturday in the D. B. Lamb home at Plainview community.

Miss Veta Lankford spent Friday night with Miss Juanita Exum.

Miss Mary Gudge of Brisco and Little Miss Zenalia Ratchford of Lela returned to their homes Friday after a visit in the Tom Whitley home.

Miss Donah May Exum spent Friday night with Miss Zella Mae Lankford.

Foster Van Sant and son, Joe Carroll, left Saturday for Plainview after a visit with the former's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Sant and Mrs. R. A. Burrows.

Mr. and Mrs. Eibert Bones and son of Panhandle visited in the J. I. Bones home Saturday.

Miss Mildred Whitley spent Saturday and Sunday in the J. G. Gudge home at Brisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Van Sant were guests in the J. G. Davidson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Pharis and daughters, Misses Lillie Mae, Mildred and Margaret, and son, L. C. of Lone MdnouvgGetaoinn numununn Lone Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott and baby, and Claude Lamb of the Plainview community were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pharis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Pharis and children of Lone Mound were supper guests in the W. N. Pharis home Sunday.

Mrs. Stewart and children of Borger spent Monday night in the Tom Whitley home. Tommy Stewart returned home with them after visiting here.

Jeff Franks returned to Kingsmill Wednesday morning after a visit with his mother, Mrs. E. E. Franks, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Crump and Mrs. J. W. Gillian of Amarillo visited T. A. Landers and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke and son, Joe; Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Shelburne were in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Urcie Smith of Oklahoma City is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. H. Mathis.

Born, Thursday, Aug. 18, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carville, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meador and little son visited in Clarendon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Atwood visited in Borger Sunday.

Nugent Kunkel and family of Amarillo are visiting in McLean this week.

Miss Vera Laswell is visiting her mother in Amarillo this week.

Sam Brown of Pampa was in McLean Friday.

Robt. C. Davidson was in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Appling and children visited in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wilson were in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes and children were in Pampa Saturday.

Miss Pauline Muncie of Wellington visited friends here last week end.

Roy Campbell says to put his name back on our list of subscribers.

O. G. Stokely was in Oklahoma City Saturday.

F. R. McCracken of Alanreed was in McLean Monday.

A. C. Huffman of Clarendon was in McLean Thursday.

O. F. Russell and family of Clarendon were in McLean Friday.

Miss Carmen Ulm of Amarillo visited friends here last week.

John Harris was in Pampa last Wednesday.

HUMUS THE LIFE OF THE SOIL

By L. A. Hawkins

Humus is composed of the decaying organic or vegetable matter in the soil. Soils seriously lacking in humus are not productive soils, nor are they available to work.

Humus or organic matter in soils acts like myriads of little sponges soaking up the water when it goes into the soil and holding for the plant roots to take up.

Humus not only adds nitrogen and other plant foods, but improves the physical condition of the soil and makes it favorable for plant growth.

It helps retain the moisture, evens up the soil temperature, makes the soil loose and warm, lets air into the soil, provides a home for bacteria, checks washing of soil, prevents baking and packing, hastens the germination of seeds and encourages early plant growth in the spring.

A fertile soil is inhabited by countless organisms or bacteria. Bacteria in soil are necessary for success with crops and humus is essential to the development and functioning of these organisms. Bacteria contribute to the breaking down of soil particles, decomposition of organic matter, and are essential for the changing in form of plant foods so they may be taken up by plants and utilized in growing.

The soil is not merely an inert mass, but a realm of intense life. Soils that are hard and lacking in humus do not provide suitable homes for these bacteria. These facts make it clear why it is necessary to have humus in the soil to make it grow profitable crops.

Humus is supplied by roots, stubble, green crops turned under, and barnyard manures. Where crop rotation systems are followed, the humus content of the soils is much better than in one crop sections.

By using suitable rotations, legume cover crops can be plowed under, other crops can be fed to livestock and the manure put back onto the land, pastures can be maintained and the droppings from the stock go back on the land and crop residues can be worked into the soil to help keep up the humus content.

Humus is absolutely necessary for good crop production.

Mrs. Biri Glass of Alanreed visited her mother, Mrs. T. W. Henry, Saturday.

Mrs. R. A. Mantooth's name has been added to the list of News subscribers.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Downing of Mangum, Okla., visited in McLean last week.

Jesse J. Cobb left for Dallas Monday.

Mrs. Effie Meroney visited in Dallas this week.

Stanton Gardner made a trip to Dallas this week.

C. J. Cash was in Memphis Tuesday night.

Jack Crow was in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. R. P. Cunningham visited in Amarillo last week end.

Boyd Meador was in Clarendon Tuesday.

Miss Rosa Watkins visited in Shamrock Saturday.

Andrew Watkins was in Clarendon Tuesday.

A. B. Bingham was in Shamrock Saturday.

Alton Smith was in Fort Worth last week.

Mrs. L. H. Babbott of Wheeler visited in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Crisp of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

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. BLANSCKET, C. E. PIPES

For County Judge: C. E. (Elmer) CARY, PHILIP WOLFE

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and little daughter, Misses Verna Rice and Robbie Howard were in Shamrock Tuesday night.

Mrs. Martha Hamilton and children, Mrs. E. E. Dishman and little Miss Jleo Ledbetter visited in Pampa Monday.

Claud McGowen and family of Clarendon visited in McLean last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waggoner of Groom visited in the Frank P. Wilson home Monday.

Mrs. D. C. Regal of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton of Mangum, Okla., were in McLean Monday.

Miss Laura Lee Howard visited Miss Virginia McGowen at Clarendon this week.

Mrs. Jno. H. Crow was in Shamrock Sunday at the bedside of her sister.

Miss Iva Lee Overstreet and Master Wilson Rubert Rector visited in White Deer last week end.

Life is a grindstone, and whether it grinds a man down or polishes him up depends on the stuff he's made of.

Dr. C. B. Batson was in Dallas the first of the week.

Lenard Howard was in Lefors Tuesday.

O. G. Stokely was in Oklahoma City Tuesday.

If you want a man to represent the district as a whole,

A man who stands for economy and tax reduction;

If you want a man who is honest and who will fight for the rights of the people, then vote for

JOHN PURYEAR
Collingsworth County Farmer
For Representative, 122nd District

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barnes were in Amarillo Wednesday, where the latter will receive medical treatment.

John Puryear of Wellington was in McLean Wednesday.

Ben Chilton was in Amarillo Sunday.

Jim Saunders and family of Somerville visited in McLean Sunday.

Harris King was in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Witt Springer visited relatives at Matador last week.

E. F. Springer of Matador visited his mother here Friday.

M. M. Newman was in Pampa Monday.

Miss Mannie Wilson of Amarillo is visiting her brothers here this week.

Dr. W. C. Montgomery was in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curg Williams of Amarillo visited in McLean Sunday.

Fred Haynes was in Pampa Monday.

AND THEY'LL NEVER GET THEM

The wets will have to have the votes of the church women before they can put repeal across.—Will Rogers.

Mrs. C. B. Batson and son returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives in Louisiana.

J. S. Howard and son, Ben, were in Pampa Monday.

Sam Hodges and little daughter were in Amarillo Saturday.

D. N. Massay and W. E. Bogan were in Pampa Monday.

FRESH MILK

milked and bottled by machinery, cooled by Frigidaire. Grade "A"—the best that can be produced.

Hibler's Dairy

Papers and Magazines

Buy your daily or magazine here. Amarillo News, Fort Worth Star-Telegram, Daily Oklahoman, by day, week or month.

Let us furnish any publication you want.

CITY DRUG STORE

"More Than a Merchant" Witt Springer, Prop.

Sheriff's Race

... Think This Over ...

1. Mr. Blanscet is a first term man and now running for his second term.

2. On account of lack of money with which to pay deputies, he has been required to operate the sheriff's office for the greater portion of the time with but one deputy. We submit that his record is exceptionally good, considering this fact.

3. Every major crime (murder, bank robbery, robbery, and hi-jacking) committed in Gray county during Mr. Blanscet's administration has been solved and he had apprehended the violator in each case within twenty-four hours after the commission of the offense and each of them have been tried and convicted.

4. Ninety-five per cent of the criminal cases in which Mr. Blanscet has secured the evidence has resulted in convictions.

5. Mr. Blanscet has been sheriff for all of the people—he is not obligated to any group, clique, or bunch, and no man can honestly say that he has been guilty of any crookedness or corruption in office.

6. Mr. Blanscet and his deputy, Mr. Archer, have treated all persons having dealings with the sheriff's office courteously and respectfully, while at the same time he has commanded the respect of the criminal element by his firmness and fairness.

7. Mr. Blanscet has whole-heartedly co-operated with the other sheriffs and peace officers of the Panhandle as well as Federal officers, and in return has been accorded their co-operation and assistance.

The above facts are submitted by some of Mr. Blanscet's friends, all citizens of Gray county, and without his knowledge, believing that they deserve the consideration of every fair-minded voter. This ad is paid for by his friends.

**THE McLEAN NEWS**

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Phone 47

T. A. LANDERS, Publisher

**SUBSCRIPTION RATES**

In Texas	
One Year	\$2.00
Six Months	1.25
Three Months	.65
Outside Texas	
One Year	\$2.50
Six Months	1.50
Three Months	.85

Display advertising rates, 25c per column inch each insertion. Preferred position, 30c per inch.

Entered as second class mail matter May 8, 1906, at the post office at McLean, Texas, under act of Congress.



When we turned down a necktie peddler the other day he said he did not blame us for trading with the home man, but he found many people who never think of such things. We hope the necktie merchants in town turn down the printing peddlers the same way.

A notice to citizens in regard to the adoption of the county tax budget appears in this issue of The News, as the law requires. The law also requires similar notices to be made by the city and school officials. The law requiring the adoption of tax budgets is new and should have the co-operation of all officials and citizens in order that it may prove its merits, if any.

A news item in a paper published not far from McLean last week said that certain people from that town had attended a union meeting of all churches in McLean the Sunday night before. This was a mistake, as no union meeting has been held here for many years. It has been found that a meeting sponsored by some one church with other people co-operating is much more satisfactory than a so-called union meeting.

A candidate complained to us not long ago that an editor threatened to give him some adverse publicity if he did not advertise with him. We found this hard to believe, as no editor would have any right to try to force anyone to advertise with him for any reason whatsoever. There might be some cause for complaint against the man who would refuse to run the customary announcement in the paper, but certainly not for running advertising, as a man should feel free to advertise where he thinks he needs the votes.

M. G. Koen, prominent farmer who lives just east of town, brought in a fine watermelon and cantaloupe the other day that were just grown to fit an editor's taste. Every once in a while when the hard times just about get the editor's goat some kindhearted subscriber like Mr. Koen makes us a little gift of something to eat that heartens us for the daily grind. Unfortunately, we were not in the office when Mr. Koen left the melons, so do not know whether he has any to sell or not, but there is no doubt of the quality of the melons he raises.

According to a statement by the secretary of state, being mentioned in last week's issue of The Texas Weekly, Governor Sterling has granted 15 full pardons and one conditional pardon to convicts since he has been in office, compared with 3,324 by Mrs. Ferguson during her administration. The secretary of state goes on to say that, compared with the 16 pardons granted by Governor Sterling, Mrs. Ferguson "did, between the date of December 16,

1926, and January 15, 1927 (a period of 30 days), grant full unconditional pardons to 124 robbers, 127 liquor law violators, 133 murderers and 39 rapists; that on the three days of January 15, 16 and 17, 1927, she granted clemency in 160 cases, including full pardons to 35 violators of the liquor laws, 40 robbers, 22 murderers and 10 rapists; not paroles nor furloughs, mind you, but pardons." Here is a record that the people of Texas should not want to see repeated by any governor.

**WRECKER OR BUILDER**

I watched them tear a building down. A gang of men in a busy town. With a ho-heave-ho and a lusty yell They swung a beam, and the side wall fell. I asked the foreman: "Are these men skilled, And the men you'd hire if you had to build?" He gave a laugh and said, "No, indeed! Just common labor is all I need. I can easily wreck in a day or two What builders have taken a year to do." And I thought to myself as I went my way, Which of these roles have I tried to play? Am I a builder who works with care, Measuring life by the rule and square? Am I shaping my deeds to a well-made plan, Patiently doing the best I can? Or am I a wrecker, who walks the town Content with the labor of tearing down? —Edgar A. Guest, Rotarian.

**PARENTHOOD**

Parenthood is an outgrowth of the maternal and social tendencies which prompt the protection of the younger and weaker by the older and stronger generation. The child has always been the greatest factor in establishing home ties. The social life in the home is enlarged and improved by children. Moreover, men and women who do not have children usually have difficulty in trying to find adequate substitutes for the normal emotions which naturally eventuate in parenthood. They lack vital contact with the realities of life and are inclined to be selfish. Married couples who cannot have children of their own creation should adopt children whenever possible, so as to prevent the blank despair which so often overwhelms childless people. Parents who are unable to create more than one child should adopt at least one more so as to give their child juvenile companionship. —Mrs. Norma Selbert, in Child Health

**HEARD IN THE LOBBY**

He (annoyed)—"You kept me waiting for over an hour."  
She—"Yes, but just think, I might not have come at all."

**EAT WITH US**

and enjoy a perfectly prepared and served meal.

**Meador Cafe**  
Open Day and Night

**KNEADING NEWS**

I have heard of "cuss the editor week," but I don't see why we don't have a "cuss the baker week." I guess that's EVERY week, so we need not set aside any time for that. I says, tho, "jest pour it on," because when you are cussing the baker you are just letting someone else alone and are advertising for us, too. Furthermore, I says, "some of these women bakers in the homes would get some cussin's, too, if hubby wasn't afraid to do it." How about it? Its' a good thing my wife don't bake any. In fact, we need an oven at home about as bad as we need an autogiro (whatever that is).

If you haven't tried our Malted Milk Bread, that's something else you might talk about, too. By the way, you can cuss Golden Krust Bread and our Delicious Cakes if you want to, but be sure and come in and buy some.

If you were one of those who came too late to get an apricot pie last Friday for 15c, BE ON TIME THIS FRIDAY AND GET AN APPLE PIE FOR 15c.

**Caldwell's Bakery**  
Caldwell's Golden Krust is "The Toast of the Town"

**IF**

If wishes were horses and beggars might ride;  
If apples should never have worms inside;  
If corn should grow without any care,  
Nor moth nor rust should corrupt anywhere;  
If good things were ours without any pain,  
And wickedness caused neither trouble nor stain;  
If excellence could for a trifle be bought,  
And learning to live cost nary a thought;  
If automobiles could run without any gas,  
And honk their own horns when pedestrians pass;  
If never a dog had ever a flea;  
If ships full of holes could travel the sea—  
What a heaven for fools such a world would be!

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Finley and little daughter, Ruth, returned to their home at Wichita Falls Saturday after a visit with friends here.

**PASTOR URGES PEOPLE TO PATRONIZE HOME PAPER**

"I believe that it is the duty of every citizen to be a subscriber and booster of their local paper, and to this end I have striven every since our present editor came to town," are the words of Rev. J. H. McCorkel, local pastor of the Church of Christ. He stated that he had closely observed our little paper every since he began its publication, and that he had found that we dealt square and clean with all religious faiths represented in the town and explaining this, he said: "The Texola Tribune has taken sides with no church, nor has it fought any church in the town." McCorkel further stated that he had lived in towns and tried to operate a business where the local newspaper had failed, and that he found that the failure of a newspaper in a town had the same effect on the town as did a bank failure.—Texola (Okla.) Tribune.

Mrs. Louise Miller Dunn, candidate for district clerk, and Miss Ola Gregory of Pampa were in McLean Saturday.

**FERGUSON FOLLY**

Jim Ferguson is a shrewd, brainy man. He has a highly attractive personality. He has many admirable traits of character; but he has his weak points, and we think it a most foolish and dangerous thing to give him the powers of the governorship without its responsibilities. The folly of this has already been demonstrated once, and we here and now warn our people against the folly of repeating the mistake.—Lynn County News.

**LITTLE GAINED BY CHANGE**

than 1% need a great change of climate, nor will they benefit especially by going far away from home or friends to make the change, says a New York state health officer.

One of the commonest bores about a newspaper office is the man who proudly tells you that he used to be a newspaper man. In most cases he is now a down and out politician.—F. A. Hazeltine, South Bend (Ind.) Journal.

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695 Tyler St. Telephone 2-2239, Nights, 5426  
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**Carnival Sale**



Piggly Wiggly has joined with manufacturers and jobbers in making possible this great Carnival Sale. The store will truly be a carnival of bargains, and store-wide. Gifts awarded at 11 a. m., 4 p. m. and 8 p. m., Saturday only. And a souvenir for every boy and girl who is accompanied by their parents.

These Prices Good Friday, Saturday and Monday only

**Folger's Coffee**

1 lb	34c
2 lb	65c

<b>SWIFT'S JEWEL</b> Best to buy for bake or fry	<b>63c</b>	<b>XTRA SPECIAL WINDOW BARGAINS galore</b>	<b>10c</b>	<b>MORTON'S SALT</b> Plain or Iodized, 2 reg. 10c pkgs.	<b>15c</b>
<b>CRACKERS</b> Brown's Snowflake, 2 lb box	<b>13</b>	<b>GINGER SNAPS</b> Good ones, 2 lb for	<b>17c</b>	<b>VANILLA WAFERS</b> 1 lb bag	<b>15c</b>



<b>FLOUR</b> GOLD MEDAL "Kitchen Tested"	48 lb	<b>\$1.00</b>
	24 lb	<b>53c</b>

<b>PEACHES</b> Hillsdale, 2 1/2 tin—2 for	<b>25c</b>	<b>SALMON</b> Tall tins, 3 for	<b>25c</b>
<b>GOLD DUST</b> 2 regular 5c packages	<b>5c</b>	<b>MILK</b> small size Any kind, 2 for	<b>5c</b>

<b>Bananas, yellow ripe, doz.</b>	<b>14c</b>
<b>Lemons, Sunkist, doz.</b>	<b>29c</b>
<b>Oranges, good size, doz.</b>	<b>19c</b>
<b>Spuds, Colo. white, 10 lb</b>	<b>15c</b>
<b>Vinegar, pure apple, gal.</b>	<b>29c</b>
<b>Soap, Big Ben, 5 bars</b>	<b>19c</b>
<b>Pork &amp; Beans, V. C., lb can</b>	<b>5c</b>
<b>Salt Blox, Morton's white</b>	<b>42c</b>
<b>Tea, Lipton yel. label, 1/4 lb</b>	<b>18c</b>
<b>Post Bran, 3 pkgs.</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Post Toasties, large pkg.</b>	<b>10c</b>

**FREE!**  
2 giant bars Crystal White Soap with 3 cakes Palmolive or 5 bars Fanchon, for **23c**

Cleanser, Sunbrite, 3 for **14c**  
Butter, Swift Brookfield, lb **21c**  
Bacon, Swift Prem. 1 lb box **26c**  
Cheese, Longhorn, lb **16c**



DON'T FORGET—FREE GIFTS—11 a. m., 4 p. m. and 8 p. m.

**GOLF GOSSIP**

By D. A. Davis

Why in the world can't we all be honest and truthful with each other, folks? My wife says two of the biggest fools in the country went out to play golf this morning (Tuesday), causing me to be late at the Lions Luncheon. In order to keep from being fined I admitted that I had been out playing golf with "Old Brindle Face" and that he beat me, and just because I was honest and square and truthful, they went and stuck a double fine on me for playing with him.

And because I was honest and square and truthful about G. C. Rowell and his doings, he went and bought a dollar's worth of tea at the Corner Drug Store and charged them to me. This dollar's worth of tea consisted of four dinky boxes with about a dozen tees in each box, while right across the street I bought a whole hand full of tees for a dime. It simply ain't right.

And just because I was honest and square and truthful about my golf game last Tuesday evening, I got chewed out something awful by some of the ladies at the luncheon right before company and everybody just because I happened to play a good game of golf. Which goes to prove that you simply can't be honest, square and truthful with your friends any more, and if you folks don't lay off and let me alone I am liable to get mad some of these days and tell something in this column that ain't so.

Here is some more truth. The reason I been so honest and square and truthful was because I been going to meetin', and at times I have under thought some day I might go to heaven when I die, but folks, Frank Neal just about convinced me that I ain't got a chance at all. Old Frank told me good-bye Sunday night without playing a single round of golf with me, just as though I was sure a goner. Poor old Frank, he surely will be lonesome up there all by himself, and I feel sorry for old Frank, folks, I surely do.

Well, folks, the boys have done and messed up our golf tournament again, and it's all because they are afraid I will get to be the champion. I managed to get old Roy and the Dock to play a couple of rounds with me last week and what did I do to them! The Dock came out with 86, Roy got 80, and I came out with 87, just because I did not quite beat them as the poor score I made the first two holes on account of being scared and nervous, but boy, I sure did tear it on their sore backs the last three holes. I beat old Roy, the champion, one hole, and the Dock three holes. So while I was away Monday they got their heads together and changed things around. I would not have a chance in the world. They put all the names in a hat and cast lots for partners, andatched me up with Chuck Cooke, and boy howdy, just watch me trim him good and plenty. And if I can get a chance at old Roy when he is off and I am hot, I'll beat him to a frazzle and be the champion, which is honestly and truthfully and squarely mine.

Pappy Campbell is having an awful time with his rheumatism. Pappy is carrying an Irish potato around for his rheumatism, and he got excited the other day and put his tater down instead of his ball and knocked it to hundred yards. But his rheumatism still holds on.

Poor old Dosh, he simply can't play golf. He is quite a good politician and may succeed in electing a governor, but he simply can't play golf.

I've often heard that when a fellow gets to where he ain't good for nothing else he takes up golf. If that is true, surely we will have another Newman as one of our golfers after this week.

Folks, it seems like I am the only one around here that has the nerve to put his name to all these "Onamus" letters. That ain't square, honest and truthful either, is it? Notice to the merchants of McLean—I absolutely will not pay any bills that are charged to me by anyone but my wife.

They had new neighbors and the wife was much interested in them. A few days she reported:

"They seem to be a most devoted couple, John. He kisses her every time he goes out, and even waves at her from the sidewalk. Why don't you do that?"

"Why don't I?" replied John. "Good heavens! I don't even know her yet."

"Do you think women worry about their clothes as much as they used to?"

"No, they haven't got so much to worry about any more."

Mr. and Mrs. John Brooks and daughter, Miss Juanita, and Miss Paul Young visited in Canadian Sunday.

**WIND AND RABBIT TRACKS**

There are things said by the Miami Chief that are well worth considering. In a small town there are just so many business concerns, of one kind or another.

There are just so many people. Each town, no matter how small, wants a newspaper.

The patronage of each paper covers so much territory.

Each newspaper must depend upon its own territory for support.

If the people of that territory do not support the paper, then the paper is blown up.

The merchant, for instance, appeals to people outside of the narrow limits of his town and tries to reach out further than his community for new customers. Even people from nearby towns are customers.

But the newspaper has only just so much territory to draw from. It cannot depend on foreign advertising. Once in a while some neighboring merchant patronizes another paper, but no merchant likes the home town boosting an out of town competitor. This being true, if the home institutions do not support the paper, the paper will either have to suspend publication or find some means to make the space in the paper pay its own way.

When the farmers are hard hit and have little to spend, business in the small town lags. There is nothing much doing. Therefore, the newspaper has hard sledding. Yet for that, the news columns must be filled and the bills must be met. Just how to keep the paper going is the big problem today.

It is a sad day for a town when its newspaper goes on the rocks.

But neither the Miami Chief or the Higgins News can run on wind and rabbit tracks.

There is no business in a town that gives so much and gets so little in return as the newspaper.

But newspaper folks are optimistic and intensely loyal to the old home town and the Chief has the best wishes of the News as it starts out on its 34th year of service in Miami—Higgins News.

**A STRANGE DELUSION**

Frequently we hear men suggesting that the Eighteenth Amendment be repealed or the Volstead Act modified so as to permit the sale of light wines and beer on the grounds that the government could reap a rich harvest of revenues from the legal sale of these beverages. There is evidence that many of the rich are now advocating repeal or modification in the hope that their own tax burdens would be greatly lightened. They want to shift these burdens to the shoulders of the man who likes his beer. The ordinary housewife can well understand, however, that if beer is brought back and beer saloons thrown open again, the saloon-keepers will get a part of the husband's income that is much needed to pay family expenses; and the ordinary business man can understand that part of the money which the laboring man now spends for shoes and clothing and groceries would be spent for liquor. The notion that the return of legalized liquor would lighten our tax burdens and make business prosperous is one of the strangest delusions of all time.—Lynn County News.

**QUICK THINKING**

A chap came out of the theatre only to find a policeman standing by his auto where he had thoughtlessly parked it, beside a fire hydrant. Instead of claiming it and making certain of a summons, he went to a nearby phone and reported his car stolen. In a few minutes the police gave the information that his car had been recovered—and where he could find it—by the fire plug. He went there, claimed it, gave the cop a cigar, and drove home.

**ON SECOND THOUGHT**

Doctor—"An operation is absolutely necessary to save your life."  
Patient—"And what will it cost?"  
Doctor—"According to your earning capacity. What is your salary?"  
Patient—"Only twenty dollars a week."  
Doctor—"On second thought I believe an operation can be dispensed with. Take this pill and get out."

Customer—"Why don't you advertise?"  
Country Storekeeper—"No, sree. I did that once and it pretty near ruined me."  
Customer—"How was that?"  
Storekeeper—"Why people came in and bought dern near all the stuff I had."

June—"I'm afraid some of the jokes DeWitters tells are a bit off-color."  
Julie—"No wonder—you know he's color-blind."  
Hamlin Smithdeal of Dallas visited in the O. G. Stokely home last week.

**THE EDITOR'S SYMPATHY**

Every week there is something in the Advance that some reader does not like. The editor, above all other persons, can sympathize with you, for in nearly every issue there is something the editor does not like, but in addition to having to read it, as you do not, he has to set it in type, proof it, read the proof, make it up in a page, print it, and then pay postage on it as the paper goes to subscribers. If we don't like it, why do we print it? Because we do not print only the things we like. We are not publishing a paper for ourselves. We intend to print those things that the people of each community have a right to have printed. We no doubt make many mistakes in printing what should not be printed and in not printing what should be printed, but we are trying to serve the people and not please ourselves. We would not do all this work and go to the expense of printing things for our pleasure. We can have a lot more fun playing golf than setting type.—Rotan Advance.

**SEE A LITTLE FARTHER**

If you want to be a winner in the struggle for success, You must always know for certain when the others only guess. You must see a little farther than the other fellows can, You must never doubt your vision, you must never doubt your plan. You must never say "I fancy," "I assume," or "I surmise." These are the words that hint at doubting, at the chance of a surprise. You must see the truth and know it when the rest can't see at all; You must see around the corner—through the metaphoric wall. You must prophecy the upshot of the things you're going to do, And, unlike the other prophets, make your prophecy come true.

—Roger Banwell.

"Yes," said the lawyer to his client, the grocer, "you've got the best case I've ever heard. You can't help winning, and I shall be very pleased to assist you."

"Thanks," said the client, grabbing up his hat and making for the door.

"Where are you going?" asked the astonished lawyer.

"I'm going to settle this case out of court," the other informed him.

"But why waste money?" urged the lawyer. "I've just told you it's the best case I ever heard."

"Maybe," said his client, "but not for me. I've told you the other fellow's side."

Some of our "big men," including important advertisers, fail to appreciate the importance of weekly newspapers. Their influence on public opinion exceeds that of all other publications in the country.—Brisbane.

The boarding house mistress glanced grimly down the table as she announced: "We have a delicious rabbit pie for dinner."

The boarders nodded resignedly—all, that is, but one. He glanced nervously downward, shifting his feet. One foot struck something soft, something that said, "Meow!" Up came his head, a relieved smile crossed his face as he gasped, "Thank goodness!"

First Husband—"Do you believe a rabbit's foot ever brought luck?"  
Second Ditto—"Yes, I do. My wife felt in my pocket once and thought it was a mouse."

Miss Elizabeth Wilkerson visited Mrs. O. G. Stokely, Mrs. Martha Hamilton and E. E. Dishman were in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Theima Young in Amarillo last Thursday.

**Book Bargains**

Popular copyrights now on sale for **only 69c Each**

Select your favorite book now.

**ERWIN DRUG CO.**

The Rexall Store



**SPECIALS**

- WHITE KING, large size ..... 39c
- SOAP, Lifebouy, 3 for ..... 20c
- SHREDDED WHEAT, Niagara, pkg. 10c
- CERTO, per bottle ..... 29c
- COFFEE, Schilling, 2 lb ..... 69c
- TEA, Banquet brand
- 1/4 lb ..... 19c
- 1/2 lb ..... 37c
- VANILLA WAFERS, 1 lb pkg. .... 17c
- Syrup, country flavored sorghum, gal. 45c
- Peaches, Mariposa, sliced or halves 13c
- syrup packed, No. 2 1/2 can
- APRICOTS, gal. .... 35c
- CRACKERS, Brown's Saltine, 2 lb. 19c
- WEINERS, 2 lb ..... 25c
- VEAL LOAF MEAT, lb ..... 10c
- STEW MEAT, lb ..... 5c

**PLENTY FRYERS**

**THE MAN WHO COUNTS**

It is not the critic who counts; not the man who points out how the strong man stumbled, or where the doer of deeds could have done them better. The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena; whose face is marred by dust and sweat; who strives valiantly, who errs and comes short again and again; who knows the great enthusiasms, the great devotions, and spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement; and who at the worst, if he fails, at least falls while daring greatly; so that his place shall never be with those cold and timid souls who know neither victory nor defeat.—Theodore Roosevelt.

**SAY IT NOW**

Say a word for an effort made, or a result accomplished! At home, at work, or elsewhere, the man who scatters words of praise helps to keep the world moving forward and men to reach the goal to which they set out. A word of praise to the struggling heart is a friendly hand behind the back of one climbing life's hill. The road is long, the incline so steep that the least push forward is a help. A word of praise is one of the few things in this world of which we can possess more in proportion to the amount we give away. Let us not be stingy in our passing out of kindly words.—Tidings.

Mrs. E. E. Dishman and little daughter, Mrs. Martha Hamilton and children visited in Pampa Saturday.

Customer (twice nicked by razor) "Say, Fox, give me a glass of water."

Barber—"What's the matter, hair in your mouth?"

Customer—"No, I want to see if my throat leaks."

NBC—"I read in the paper that science has discovered that singing warms the blood."

CBS—"He must be right. I've heard singing that has made my blood boil."

Host (aside to his wife)—"I wish our company would go. I want to get some sleep."

Wife (aloud)—"Oh, Miss Schnitzell, won't you please sing for us?"

**INSURANCE**

**Life Fire Hail**

I insure anything. No prohibited list.

I represent some of the strongest companies in the world.

**T. N. Holloway**  
Reliable Insurance

**REAL ESTATE BARGAINS**

Now is the time to buy bargains in town or farm property.

**Massay and Stokely**

Phone 44 McLean, Texas

**Vote for Ivy E. Duncan**

Gray County, the wealthiest and heaviest populated county in the 122nd Representative District

has never had a resident representative at Austin. We now have the opportunity of electing a young man of sterling character and ability, well versed in the needs of the county and district, fully capable in every way to truly represent all the district.

(This advertisement really built and paid for by his friends)

**To the Voters of Gray County, Texas**

My attention has been called to a political advertisement issued over the name of my opponent, appearing in The McLean News of August 18th.

I feel that I must, in answer thereto, reiterate the position I have taken throughout the campaign. I feel that the only issue which the voters should consider in this campaign is the respective qualifications of the candidates. I believe that by virtue of my record in office I am fully qualified to discharge the duties of the office of District Clerk of Gray County, Texas, for a second term. I believe that by reason of my record in office under the time honored rule I am entitled to a second term in this office at your hands.

I do not believe that the matters mentioned by my opponent should enter into the consideration of the voters at all. It is true that my husband is now employed, as has been stated, and it is further true that my opponent's wife is now employed and has been employed for the past three years, with the exception of a few months. I understand that my opponent himself perhaps has not technically been employed since he left the Pampa National Bank. However, he is engaged in carrying on an insurance business which he has maintained in Pampa for approximately five years, and also collects a fee as secretary of the junior chamber of commerce of Pampa. I might add that he conducted this insurance business during the time he was connected with the bank. These statements are made merely to keep the record straight. I have no desire that such facts should influence any voter for or against my opponent, and content myself with saying that if you believe that I have faithfully and competently discharged the duties of this office for the past eighteen months, during which time I have been District Clerk, and that I am capable of discharging the duties of that office for another two years, then it is my belief that I am entitled to re-election for a second term as your District Clerk.

Respectfully submitted,

**Louise Miller Dunn**

**AGRICULTURE AS A LIFE WORK**

By F. G. Holden

Six things are essential for success in any line of endeavor. These are hard work, headwork, application, patience, perseverance and honesty. If a boy lacks any of these qualifications he will eventually fail in any occupation he may select as his life work. If he possesses, or is determined to acquire all of them, nothing else offers a greater opportunity than agriculture.

No other work is more honorable or dignified than farming. The great war taught us that no other line of endeavor is so vital to the welfare of humanity.

Agriculture is the heart of all industry. Every other undertaking depends, in one way or another, upon agricultural products for its existence. Forty-one billion dollars are invested in agriculture in the United States, and thirty-six billions in manufacturing. If we were to do away with agriculture, the thirty-six billions invested in manufacturing would not be worth much.

The success of all our manufacturing and commercial enterprises depends upon the purchasing power of the people. The country's greatest purchasing power is centered in the country's greatest agricultural section—the Mississippi and Missouri river valley.

Agriculture is a field of endeavor that will never be overcrowded. At no time in history has there been a greater demand for the right kind of crops for our farm work. The population of the United States is increasing at a tremendous rate. All these people must be fed and clothed. Their food and clothing can come only from the farm.

Someone has said that "a statesman is a man who evolves, conserves and builds a state." There are those who seek to do these things through political power. But real evolution, real conservation, the real upbuilding of a state are not accomplished in legislative halls. The fertility of its soil, the extent of its agriculture, determine a state's growth or decay.

A generation ago farming was an occupation. Today it is a profession—a science. If we farmed like our forefathers did we would all starve to death. It requires training to be a good farmer, but in what trade, occupation or calling can we succeed without training?

To be a successful farmer we must know the science of agriculture. We must know plant life—its needs, its friends, its enemies, its faults, its virtues. We must know the soil—its possibilities, its limitations. We must know how to conserve, how to put back into the soil that which is taken away; how to utilize in the most economical and beneficial manner all agricultural production.

We must know how to substitute machine power for man power, how to use the brain and let gas and horses work. We must remember that profitable production is the result of mind, not muscle. We must know; we must know that we know; we must know why we know.

The science of agriculture is simply the understanding of nature's laws. We are nature's junior partner. When we are dishonest in our dealing with the head of the firm—when we try to cheat nature—we only succeed in robbing ourselves.

The boy who makes agriculture his life work will, of course, succeed more rapidly if he takes a course in some good agricultural college. But this is not absolutely essential. If he will go to work for some farmer who really knows how to farm, and will be determined to learn, he will succeed.

He can secure for the asking, helpful and instructive booklets and bulletins from agricultural colleges and the U. S. Department of Agriculture. These he should study and then put what he learns into practice when the opportunity presents itself.

In the majority of counties, especially in the Corn Belt, there is a county agent or farm advisor, who will be glad to help him in many ways.

He will need to work hard, to have patience and perseverance and application. He will need to use his head. But he will succeed, and when he does succeed he will have mastered the most important profession on earth.

**MAKING UP HIS MIND**

Book Agent (after talking steadily for half an hour)—"Sir, what is the matter? You haven't said a word."

Victim—"I have been trying to decide whether you were a wind-bag or a wind-jammer."

**TOO GENERAL**

Fortune Teller—"You are going to marry a tall, dark man."

The Girl—"Can't you be more specific? All four are tall and dark."

The man who has a chip on his shoulder carries an unnecessary burden.

**BIRDS HELP CONTROL PESTS**

By Zella Wigent

Every year there is a fight against bugs. There's a pest for every plant. Scientists describe over 300,000 kinds of insects and there are many more that have not yet been described. Insects destroy one-tenth of all the grain, fruit and vegetables grown. The damage due to them every year is fully two billion dollars.

Insects lay many eggs and produce a great number of young. It is estimated that one pair of potato beetles in one season, if left undisturbed, would multiply to 60,000,000. The offspring from a single pair of gypsy moths, if not checked, would in eight years become no numerous as to destroy all the plants.

Insects are great eaters. Many caterpillars daily eat twice their weight. This is equal to an ox devouring three-fourths of a ton of grass a day.

Some caterpillars eat 200 times their own weight in 24 hours. This would be equal to a 200-pound man eating 20 tons of food a day. Certain caterpillars in 30 days increase in size 10,000 times. If a boy grew at this rate, he would weigh 40 tons when he became of age.

It takes lots of food to keep such large families of insects growing at such rapid rates.

No spraying material, however cheap and effective, can do all that birds do to kill insects, and the birds do it without cost.

Every destructive insect is on the bill of fare of one or more of our native birds. Even birds that do not eat insects to any great extent themselves, feed insects to their young. The saving of crops due to birds is estimated at \$444,000,000 every year.

Birds are as great eaters as insects are. Many birds eat more than their own weight daily. To give an idea of the number of insects eaten by birds, we quote from Frank M. Chapman: "The stomach of a single cedar wax-wing contained 100 cankerworms; one cuckoo ate 250 caterpillars; 454 plant lice were found in the stomach of one chickadee; a nighthawk made a meal on 600 grasshoppers; a flicker devoured 1,000 chinch bugs; a scarlet tanager ate 630 gypsy moth caterpillars in 18 minutes, or at the rate of 2,000 an hour; a Maryland yellowthroat ate 3,500 plant lice in 40 minutes, or at the rate of 5,200 an hour."

Without birds, insects could not be held in check; few plants could live and the world would be filled with a mass of writhing, biting, crawling things.

**HELP! HELP!**

Rescuer—"Do you mean that this brute held you and kissed you against your will, lady?"

Rescued—"Yes, he did."

Rescuer—"But how could he when he is so much smaller than you?"

Rescued—"Well, I can bend down, can't I?"

Doctor—"You have some trouble with your heart. I believe you are suffering from angina pectoris."

Patient—"I guess you're right, only that isn't the gal's name."

"And when was the baby born?"

"Between the second payment on the radio and the tenth payment on the car."

Now try Malted Milk Bread—always fresh—at your grocer's. Advertisement 34-2c

Jake Erwin of Pampa was in McLean Wednesday.

Frank Hill of Pampa was in McLean Wednesday.

**LANDSCAPING**

Your place can be improved by letting us landscape and set trees and shrubbery. No charge for estimates.

Landscape Artists

**Bruce & Sons Nursery**  
Trees with a Reputation  
Alanreed, Texas

**AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK**

of McLean

UNDER NATIONAL SUPERVISION

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**ABOVE MORAL LAW,  
OR JUST DRUNK?**

Alexander the Great was twenty-seven years old, with five years more to live, when he killed Clitus, the friend and comrade who had saved his life in battle.

"Why do you ask freemen to dine with you, if you are not willing that they should speak their minds?" Clitus had said; and the fair, wine-flushed athlete, who was also the conqueror of the world, snatched a spear and struck the speaker dead.

Then he tugged the weapon out of the bleeding wound and tried to kill himself with it. He was not the god-like son of Zeus now, nor even the oriental despot whom none might approach without the ceremony of prostration. He was just a pitiable drunk, sobbing out his remorse.

Attendants seized him and forcibly put him to bed, where for three days he lay in despair. He called on Lanice, sister of Clitus, and his childhood nurse. As if she were present, he told her how he had requited the mother love she had lavished upon him.

Fearing for his sanity, Alexander's generals summoned certain sophists; and these cunning men assuaged the conqueror's grief by explaining that so great a being as he was above moral law, hence no reproach attached to his deed.

Modern sophistry can be even more simple. "I was drunk," a wife-beater tells his victim; and feels that that should end the matter.—Julia Beazley, Houston, in Texas Outlook.

There is no substitute for Newspaper advertising.

**CLASSIFIED  
ADVERTISING**

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per word.  
Two 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.



DUPLICATING sales books, 5c each at News office.

INDIA INK, Stamp pad ink, show card ink and writing inks at News office.

ADDING MACHINE ribbons and rolls a News office.



FOR RENT—4 room house furnished. Paul Flak. See John Mertel. 35-2c



LOST, on August 18.—Traveling bag containing lady's clothing. Mrs. John B. Vannoy. 1c

**WANTED**

WASHING wanted. Rough dry 5c per lb. Finished 8c per lb. Mrs. I. M. Young, 410 First St., on 66 Highway. 1p

WANTED.—Homes for pupils who want to work for their board and room; also homes for those who want to pay board. G. C. Boswell. 1c

**Vote for**

**W. W. 'Bunk' Wilson**

**for County Commissioner**

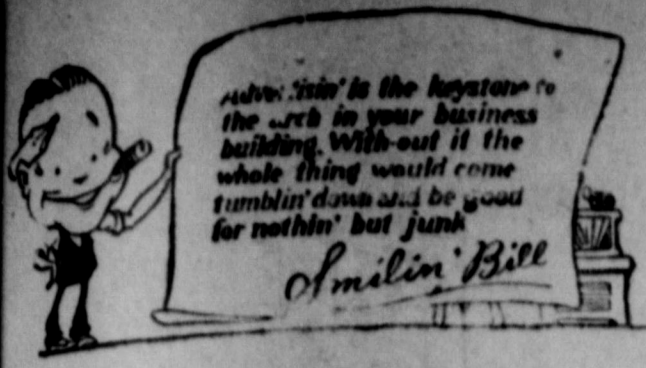
**Precinct No. 4**

**FOR A SAFE, SANE  
ECONOMICAL AND  
PROGRESSIVE  
ADMINISTRATION OF  
COUNTY AFFAIRS**

Mr. Wilson is qualified in every way for the office and will work for the best interests of the taxpayers and everyone concerned.

He will give his entire time to the office and will favor the employment of home labor at a fair living wage.

This advertisement paid for by friends of Mr. Wilson, all taxpayers and voters in this precinct, in the interest of good government, believing that his qualifications deserve the consideration of the voters.

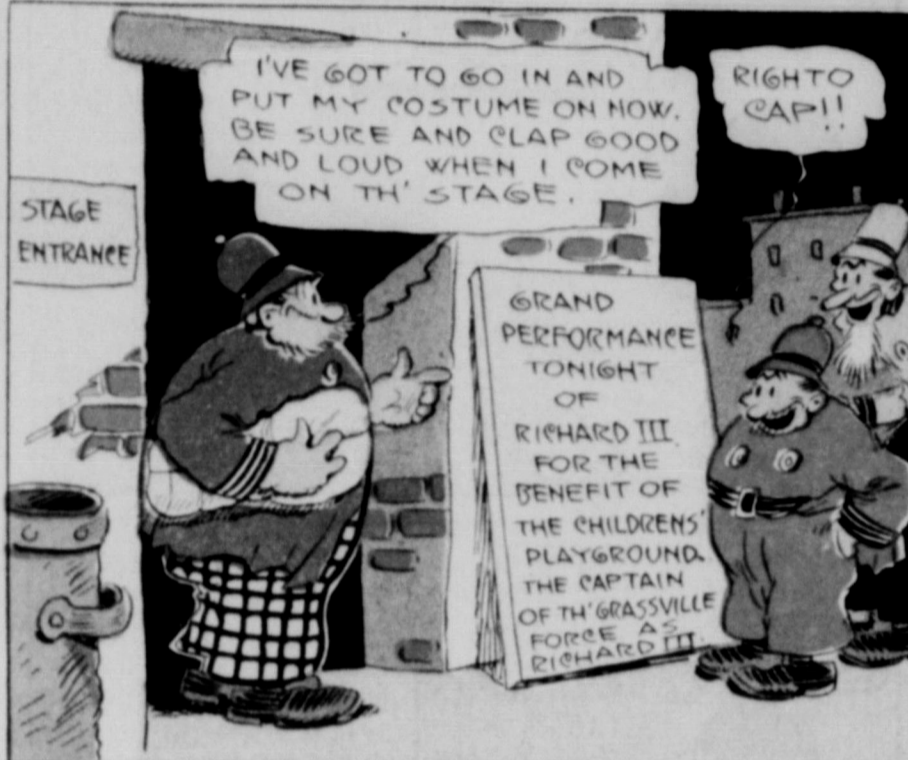


COLORED COMIC SECTION

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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

McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, August 25, 1932.



# PETER RUTTER



WHO'S ALL WET? I TELL YOU IT WAS RAINING WHEN I CAME OUT A MINUTE AGO, EV!!

GOLLY - IT'S RAINING AGAIN! I'LL HAVE TO GO IN AND PUT MY RAIN CLOTHES ON AGAIN!

HA! HA! DIDN'T I SAY YOU WERE ALL WET!

I TOLD YOU SO!!

## EXPLOITS OF EVE ~ ~ By Wilfred R. Cyr



HAMS HAVE GONE DOWN.

I DIDN'T KNOW THEY WERE UP



I MEAN THE PRICE OF HAMS - CURED HAMS

HOW STUPID OF ME - BUT REALLY I DIDN'T KNOW THEY WERE ILL!



YOU'D BE A GREAT ONE TO GET MARRIED! HERE WE ARE ENGAGED AND YOU DON'T KNOW THE FIRST THING ABOUT HOUSEKEEPING

IN OTHER WORDS YOU BELIEVE THAT - IN TIMES OF PEACE - I SHOULD PREPARE FOR WAR!



FOR INSTANCE SUPPOSE WE WERE MARRIED THIS MORNING - WHAT WOULD YOU GIVE ME FOR DINNER?

I'D GIVE YOU A 'TONGUE ROAST' IF YOU EXPECTED ME TO GET A MEAL ON MY WEDDING DAY



YOU'RE JUST TRYING TO DODGE THE ISSUE! DON'T SUPPOSE ANYTHING, THEN - JUST HOW WOULD YOU GO ABOUT TO GET UP A MEAL?

YOU'LL BE THE ONE TO DODGE THINGS - IF YOU EXPECT ME TO COOK AFTER WE'RE MARRIED - YOU CAN AFFORD TO HIRE ALL KINDS OF SERVANTS!



MAYBE I CAN - AND - MAYBE I WILL - BUT IT TAKES SOMEONE WHO KNOWS - TO OVERSEE THEM!

DON'T GO AWAY, DEAR - KNOW YOU LOVE PAN-CAKES AND SAUSAGES - SO I HAVE



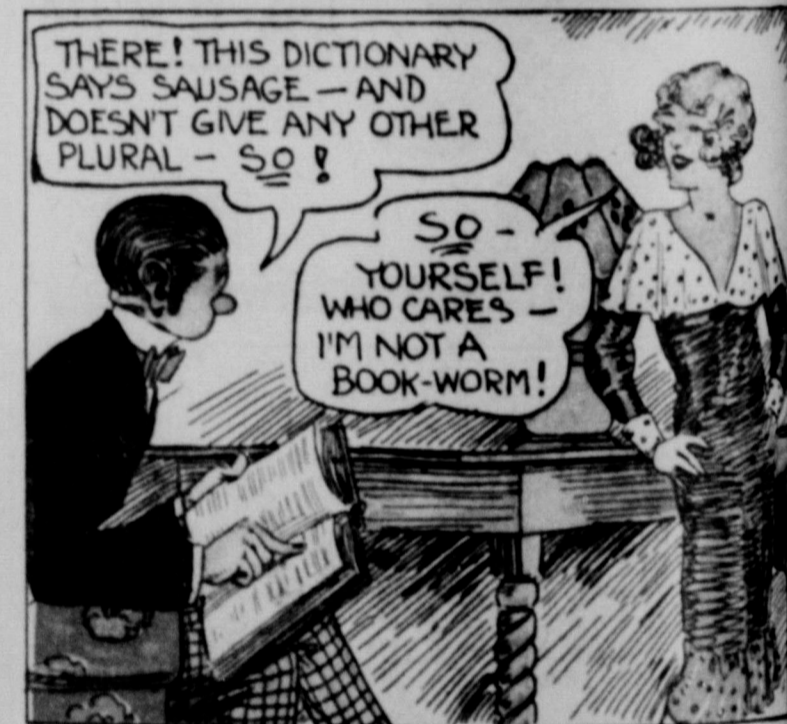
HEE-AH-HA! - SOME MISTAKE FOR A GIRL WITH A COLLEGE EDUCATION HEE-AH-HA!

IT IS NOT A MISTAKE! YOU SAID THE OTHER DAY YOU COULD EAT A POUND OF SAUSAGES



NO-NO-NO! I NEVER SAY SAUSAGES - IT'S INCORRECT - I SAY SAUSAGE - WITHOUT THE 'S'!

WHAT DIFFERENCE WOULD THAT MAKE? THE EXTRA 'S' WOULDN'T GIVE YOU INDIGESTION!



THERE! THIS DICTIONARY SAYS SAUSAGE - AND DOESN'T GIVE ANY OTHER PLURAL - SO!

SO - YOURSELF! WHO CARES - I'M NOT A BOOK-WORM!



DON'T YOU CALL ME A BOOK-WORM!

WHAT KIND SHALL I CALL YOU? SH-H-HH - HERE COMES PANSY!



LISTEN, PANSY, TO SETTLE AN ARGUMENT, IF YOU WENT INTO A BUTCHER SHOP, WOULD YOU ASK FOR A POUND OF SAUSAGE OR SAUSAGES?

NEITHER! I DON'T EAT THEM!



BUT IF YOU DID - WHAT WOULD YOU CALL FOR?

A DOCTOR - THAUGHTAGETH MAKE ME THICK!



GOT UNDER HIS SKIN - BY LINKS

GEE WHIZZ! THIS IS PAINFUL.

WHAT'S THAT OLD KID?

LOOK AT MY HEAD.

HAVE YOU BEEN PLAYIN' WITH WILD CATS? IT'S ALL CHEWED UP -

A WIRE HAIR BRUSH DID THAT.

I WOULDN'T BRUSH MY HAIR WITH THAT THING -

OH! IT'S ALLRIGHT AS A BRUSH.

MY WIFE USED IT AS A WEAPON -

Wilfred R. Cyr



Next Sunday's Lesson

POINTS FOR BUILDING THE TABERNACLE

By Rev. Cecil G. Coffey... text about building the tabernacle...

acceptable. v. 27, 28. The leaders and men of high rank had greater possessions...



GETTING READY FOR SCHOOL

By Dr. William J. Scholes... Children with good minds sometimes fail to learn as readily as they should...

Every child deserves the privilege of starting to school without unnecessary handicaps...

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Gray County, Texas, will meet in a special call session on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock a. m. at the courthouse, in the City of Pampa...

Hints for the Household

By Betty Webster HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Porch Meals

Show your family a good time. Nowadays, young and old crave the outdoors. The porch meal is sure to please all...

COOKING HINTS

- 1. Don't make yourself any unnecessary work. 2. Plan simple meals. 3. Set your table prettily—not expensively. 4. Have a waste basket near you when you clean up.

Resberries in Cantaloupe

A refreshing dessert: Resberries, Sugar, Cantaloupe. Method: Wash and chill raspberries. Halve the cantaloupe. Fill with berries and chill. Sprinkle powdered sugar with them.

A Simple Frozen Dish

Freeze your fruits right in the can for ice cream or salad. This pertains to peaches, pears, pineapple, cherries, raspberries, fruit salad, etc. Method: Pack can in ordinary pail. Use equal parts of ice and salt. Let it stand 3 hours. Unpack when ready to serve. Dip for a few seconds in hot water. Cut off top of can at one end. Take out fruit. This makes a pretty cylinder of frozen fruit.

Blackberry Pot Pie with Molasses Dip

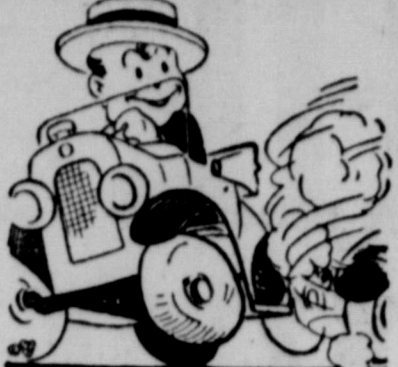
1 1/2 pints of flour. 2 heaping teaspoons of baking powder. 2 heaping tablespoons of lard. Little salt. Milk. Washed blackberries. Method: Mix dry ingredients. Stir in milk until mixture is thick enough to drop. Put in pan (iron kettle or preserving kettle preferred). Put a layer of biscuit dough—alternating. Cover with boiling water and let cook 15 to 20 minutes. Serve hot immediately with either hard sauce or molasses dip, or both.

Molasses Dip

1 cup molasses. 1 heaping tablespoon butter. Method: Let it boil thoroughly but not quite as much as for candy. Serve hot.

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Smilin' Charlie Says



"Women drive in where men fear to steer!"

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pierson of Canyon visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson, last week end.

Mrs. S. A. Cousins and daughter and son, Miss Nona and S. A., left Monday for a few days' visit in Carlsbad, N. M.

Mrs. Ken Rector and Miss Iva Lee Overstreet were in Shamrock Saturday.

Miss Sinclair Rice returned Sunday from a visit at Temple and Waco. Miss Mary Edge of Bryan is visiting Miss Sinclair Rice this week.

Buss Williams of Groom was in McLean Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Powell of Ramsdell, Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Gatewood Mrs. Bob Babb and Mrs. Arthur Umberson of Amarillo visited in the J. R. Phillips home Sunday.

Mrs. S. W. Rice and daughter, Miss Lucile, are in Lubbock this week, where the latter will receive her degree from Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Olson of Roanoke are visiting the lady's sister, Mrs. D. M. Davis.

Mrs. A. Stanfield visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams, at Mangum, Okla., last week end.

T. M. Cash of Amarillo visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Loyce Clement of Amarillo visited in McLean Sunday.

Leslie Powell of Dill, Okla., visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Frances Springer of Spur visited her father, Witt Springer, Friday.

Mrs. Sam McCiellan is a new subscriber to The News.

Mrs. E. Crisp and Mrs. Tibbett of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Norman of Pampa visited in McLean Saturday.

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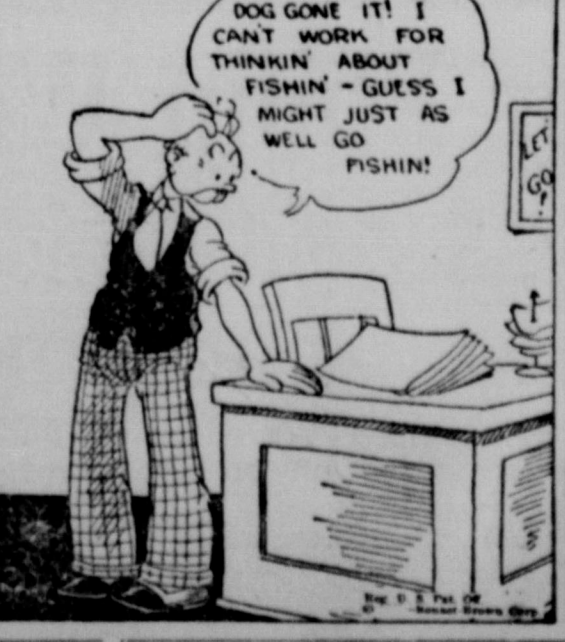
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THE FAMILY NEXT DOOR There's always a Killer



**CHOICE RECIPES**

By Miss Ruby M. Adams, H. D. A.  
GREEN TOMATO MINCEMEAT

- 1 peck green tomatoes.
- 3 pounds brown sugar.
- 2 pounds raisins.
- 1 pound suet or coconut.
- 2 tablespoons salt.
- 1/2 cup water.
- 2 teaspoons ground cinnamon.
- 1 teaspoonful ground cloves.
- 2 teaspoons nutmeg.
- 3 cups chopped apples (if desired).
- 3 lemons, thinly sliced (after yellow is grated off).

Chop or slice tomatoes thinly, or put through a food chopper. Sprinkle salt over them and allow to stand for 1 hour. Drain 5 minutes. Drain off all the liquid by pressing the tomatoes as dry as possible. Add the suet or coconut and the 1/2 cup water. Return to the fire and simmer for 20 minutes. Stir in the sugar and boil until dissolved; then add spices and boil rapidly for about 20 minutes, or until thick. Pack hot and process 25 minutes until boiling water. One pint mincemeat or enough for one large pie can be made from 2 quarts of tomatoes.

**OKRA AND TOMATO GUMBO**

- 4 tablespoons butter or bacon drippings.
- 1 pint chopped onions.
- 2 quarts fresh tomatoes (cut in quarters).
- 1 quart okra (sliced).
- 4 teaspoons salt, or to taste.
- 2 pepper pods (without seeds).
- 3 tablespoons chopped parsley.
- 1 bay leaf (crushed).

Heat the fat, brown lightly the okra and onions. Add the bay leaf, parsley, chopped tomatoes and pepper pods. Allow this mixture to steam in a covered pan for five minutes. While hot fill No. 2 sterilized cans to within 1/2 inch of the top. Seal and process at 10 pounds pressure for 50 minutes. Clean and label cans before storing.

**CHICKEN GUMBO**

- 1 fat chicken weighing 4 or 5 lbs. (Old fowls may be used).
- 2 No. 3 cans tomatoes (or corresponding amount of fresh tomatoes).
- 4 to 6 pepper corns.
- 1/2 teaspoon thyme.
- 2 No. 3 cans of okra (or corresponding amount of fresh okra).
- 2 quarts boiling water.
- 6 large onions.
- 3 tablespoons butter.
- 3 tablespoons lard.
- 2 bay leaves (crushed).
- 2 red pepper pods (chopped).
- 2 tablespoons salt (or to taste).
- 6 tablespoons chopped parsley.
- 2 cups chopped celery (leaves may be used).

Clean and disjoint the chicken, using the head and feet (do not use liver). Melt the lard and the butter in frying pan. When hot, fry chicken to a light brown color, but cooked through. Remove the chicken and add to the boiling water. Cover and cook until the meat slides from the bones. While the chicken is cooking, chop celery and onions fine. Place celery, onion and okra in the frying pans where the chicken was browned. When lightly browned, combine celery, onions and okra with the tomatoes, bay leaf, thyme, pepper corn, chopped pepper, parsley, and salt. Cook until the tomatoes and okra are almost done. Canned okra and tomatoes may be used. This will require only bringing the mixture to a boiling point. Remove the chicken from the bones—cut meat into one inch lengths (do not use the feet). Strain stock through coarse mesh sieve to remove any bones. Combine the chicken, strained stock, to the vegetable mixture. Heat to the boiling point. Fill sterilized cans (No. 2) with the boiling gumbo to within 1/2 inch of the top of can. Seal and process at 15 pounds pressure for 45 minutes. Clean and label the cans before storing. Served steamed rice moulded in cup with chicken gumbo poured around it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bodine, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bodine and little daughter of Tucumcari, N. M., visited in Tennessee last week end.

Misses Sinclair and Lucille Rice were in Canyon last week.

Mrs. Eunice Kennedy was in Pampa last Wednesday.

Johnnie and Miss Laverne Biggers of Dozier visited in McLean last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Toll Moore visited in Skellytown Friday.

Bob Francis of Amarillo was in McLean Friday.

E. J. Lander was in Amarillo Friday.

Miss Opal Moore visited at Quail Friday.

Vick Back was in Pampa Saturday.

**Odd—but TRUE**

**HOME CANNERS PROFIT FROM LIQUOR RAIDS**

Eastland.—Glass jars, bottles, bottle cappers and bottle caps seized by the sheriff in bootlegging raids in Eastland county have been turned over to Miss Ruth Ramey, home demonstration agent, and her home demonstration club members to use in their big canning and food preservation program. Three bottle cappers have been furnished three clubs which have club houses, and the equipment is in constant use. Small kegs and large crockery jars have also been supplied by the sheriff for pickle making.

The commissioners court has issued 45,000 cans to families not able to purchase them, receiving in turn half the cans filled with home grown food. This is to be used by the court in charity work next winter. To date 360 families have been helped in this way.

**ALICE, THE HATTER, AND THE MARCH HARE**

The Hatter: "Prohibition has just ruined the brewers and distillers and there is more drinking than ever."  
Alice: "But if prohibition has ruined the brewers and distillers, how can there be more drinking than ever, and if prohibition caused more drinking than ever how can it ruin the brewers and distillers?"

The Hatter and the March Hare (in chorus): "You are very silly!"

**AN EASIER LIFE**

Farmers, especially, will chuckle over this story of one of their fellow toilers who was delivering farm produce at a state institution for the insane. One of the patients, who had been detailed to help him unload, said to him, "You're a farmer, ain't yuh?"

The countryman admitted that he was.

"I used to be a farmer once," confessed the patient.

"Is that so?"

"Yep! I've done a lot of farmin' in my time. But say, did you ever try bein' crazy?"

The startled farmer replied that he never had.

"Well," said his helper cheerfully, "you just ought to try it! It beats farmin' all holler."

I defy you to find a single total abstainer who has (a) ruined his home thru total abstinence; (b) thrashed his wife thru taking water; (c) sent his children out into the street—shoeless—to beg in order to supply him with water; (d) suffered from cirrhosis of the liver, delirium tremens, Bright's disease, or gout thru drinking water.—Col. Alfred Porcelli.

"Alcohol is especially dangerous to the developing brain of the child and the adolescent, and to the nervous system of women."

W. R. Webster and daughter, Mrs. Etta Mann, visited relatives at Wellington last week end.

C. O. Greene and Jesse J. Cobb were in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. J. B. Paschal of Elsworth, Kans., visited in McLean last week.

Miss Nerine Smith visited relatives at Lelia Lake last week.

Ralph Caldwell visited his brother, Loyse, at Dalhart last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cash of Amarillo visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks were in Shamrock Sunday.

Born, Sunday, Sept. 4, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnston, a girl.

Mrs. John Harris visited in Clarendon last week.

Miss Jewell Cousins was in Canyon last week.

W. T. Wilson was in Amarillo Friday.

Phil Reeves of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis and daughter, Mrs. R. E. Paige, visited in Shamrock last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harlan visited in Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee visited in Shamrock last Sunday.

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2 lb	69c
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WEINERS, 2 lb for	25c
RIB ROAST, per lb	5c

**CHICKENS!**  
Headquarters for school lunch meats

Miss Agnes Abbott left Monday for Oklahoma City, where she is employed in the schools.

Mrs. D. B. Veatch and daughter, Miss Maybelle, moved to Canyon Saturday.

Dave Turner of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Graham visited in Shamrock last Sunday.

P. F. Yoakman of Amarillo was in McLean Saturday.

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

J. R. Back was in Pampa last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Marshall visited in Shamrock last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston visited in Arlington last week.

Mrs. J. Boston visited in Pampa last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Smith visited in Memphis last week.

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