

THE MCLEAN NEWS

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Young Woodward Killed by Speeder

Regular Summer Trade Trips to Begin Next Month

C. Plans Community Trade Trips

Music and Free Lemonade to Be Furnished

twice-a-week trade trips made to nearby communities, sponsored by the chamber of commerce, similar to the weekly trade trips made last summer, according to a called meeting last night.

planned to use the high school furnish music at each community and free ice-cold lemonade served to all present each

time schedule used last year followed. The first visit will be to Skillet Tuesday night, with Reuben R. R. Cook, of the C. of C., as master of ceremonies.

night, Aug. 4. Heald will be in charge of the first trip, and each Tuesday and Thursday nights will see the following communities visited in the order: Alanreed, Back, Denworth, Enterprise, Gracey, Papan. Other communities may be added next year if time permits.

Obb, trade extension will have charge of providing transportation. John Boyd Meador and Ralph will have charge of the

raised the question of saying that ginners should be charged this year in line with the cotton. Mr. Bentley of the McLean gins are outside concerns, there being ginners here. A. G. Stokely, chairman of a committee to ascertain rates at other gins, if prices can be reduced. Mr. Bentley is on the committee, and stated that a street cotton secured if possible.

re reported seven new gins of the C. of C. W. E. Boyd Meador were in charge a dues collector and each month, beginning

Bogan explained the city saying that the bonded of the city represents a that cannot be reduced. Items can very properly be Mr. Bogan said that now that 25% of the the United States are and drawing salaries

AMS FOR J. P. authorized to announce of J. B. Williams for peace, precinct 5, Gray of the Democratic held July 23rd.

has been a resident for the past year, coming from the state where he has had in law enforcement. the manager of the

states that should be the office of justice of will endeavor to maintain policy of law enforcement give his undivided attention to the office. He has years experience as in Texas, and believes that his knowledge of Texas will qualify the people of McLean territory good service that he seeks.

will appear on the of July 23, Mr. Williams voters write his name in space provided on the of the peace, precinct



H. OTTO STUDER
Candidate for County Attorney

BIBLE SCHOOL PUPILS' HANDCRAFT RECOGNIZED

Pupils doing hand work were given special recognition at the closing exercises of the daily vacation Bible school, held at the First Baptist Church Friday evening.

All work was nicely displayed, and judges awarded first, second, third and fourth places to those doing the best work.

The total enrollment at the close of the school, not counting those who did not attend regularly, was 98 pupils and 13 teachers.

The school was put on without any expense of any kind to the pupils.

Following are the placings made by the pupils in the different departments:

Junior and intermediate boys hand work:

Flower stand—Truit Stewart first, Harold Petty second, Euan Smith third, R. L. Floyd fourth.

Match box—Tom Jack Wade first, Truit Stewart second, Damon Wade third, Joe Brian Carpenter fourth.

Comb tray—Joe Brian Carpenter first, Alonzo Henderson second, Tom Jack Wade third, Truit Stewart fourth.

Primary hand work:

Calendar—Billie Riddle first, Glenda Landers second, Doris Nell Wilson third, Beth Evonne Floyd fourth.

Merry-go-round—Joe Cooke first, Doris Nell Wilson second, Velera Bacon third, Viola Appling fourth.

Cart—Junior Phillips first, Nora Petty second, Billie Riddle third, Junior Shockley fourth.

Junior girls:

Flower vase—Margaret Kennedy first, Billie Jean Biggers second, Dorothy Sue Young third, Julia McCarty fourth.

Handkerchief box—Frances Landers first, Billie Jean Biggers second, Josephine Carver third, Marietta Young fourth.

Intermediate girls handkerchief—Neva Flowers first, Mary Ruth Toliver second, Mavis Brewer third, Martilene Riddle fourth.

POULTRY AND FARM SHOP NIGHT SCHOOL IN PROGRESS

Under the direction of Dr. A. A. Tampke, agriculture instructor, a poultry and farm shop school has been organized, for the benefit of not only high school boys, but also for any others who wish to study along these lines.

On Monday at 8 p. m. farm shop work will be stressed, and on Friday at 8 p. m. the poultry work will be the main theme.

In farm shop, soldering, concrete work, rafters and saw filing and setting will receive special attention.

In poultry, selection of show birds, production birds and culling and selection of eggs will be the phases stressed. Perhaps feeding problems may be taken up if any request this phase.

Rules to Be Adopted for Wading Pool

A committee consisting of Williams, Cook and Bogan was appointed at the Lions luncheon Tuesday to confer with the city council in adopting rules and regulations for the park wading pool.

Some complaint had reached the Lions on older children using the pool, and as it was built for the use of younger children, it was thought best that rules governing who shall be entitled to use the pool and also bathing suit regulations, be adopted.

The committee will also advise with the council in setting grass around the pool at the earliest possible time. Lions Erwin and Sitter, weed cutting committee appointed last week, reported no progress, as no meeting of the city council has been held since the appointment.

The tall twister required all members to answer roll call with a verse of scripture, or pay a ten cent fine.

The table was ornamented with floral decorations, and fired chicken and ice cream was on the menu, several members seconding a motion that the ladies be requested to serve chicken and cream every week, but the president ruled the motion out of order.

Messrs. Bruce of Alanreed, Hill of Pampa, and Marshall of Amarillo were presented as guests of the club.

Retiring President Claude Williams was presented with a past president's pin by the club and given an ovation after a speech of appreciation.

Jesse J. Cobb, vice president, presided in the absence of the president, and Mrs. Raymond Hall played the piano for the song period.

TAMPKE'S STUDENT WINS STATE AGGIE HONORS

Forrest Switzer, a member of Dr. Tampke's agricultural class, has been awarded a State Certificate of Merit in recognition of his excellent work here.

The department of vocational education at Austin awards these certificates to high school boys who make 85% in the state judging contest at Texas A. & M., and who are paid up members of the F. F. A. organization.

Switzer was sixth high individual in the farm shop contest last April. He also won the Texas Tech scholarship.

DR. TAMPKE SELECTS BABY BEEF

Dr. A. A. Tampke, high school vocational principal, was called to the Ivey home last week, where he assisted Charles Ivey select one of the calves on the ranch as a project in fattening baby beefs. Charles has a splendid prospect in the calf selected and much may be expected from all the calves already on feed.

Dr. Tampke insists that all boys should line up with these energetic boys who have taken this forward step in calf feeding. A good beef step is anticipated for McLean the coming winter, with some of the finest calves representing nearly all the leading Hereford breeders of McLean and trade territory.

LEGION ELECTS OFFICERS

Last Thursday night the Andrew H. Floyd post, the American Legion, elected the following officers, to be installed at the beginning of the fiscal year, in October:

Commander, C. O. Greene.
1st vice commander, J. R. Glass.
2nd vice commander, Byrd Jones.
Chaplain, Rev. G. W. Roachell.
Sgt.-at-arms, E. L. Phillips.
Finance officer, F. E. Stewart.
Service officer, Josh Turner.
Liaison officer, Reep Landers.
Executive committee, Floyd B. Roberts, Sam Jones, Jeff Lawson, Ben Critchlow, Milton Banta and C. S. Poolen.

City Council Orders Taxes Collected

The city council, in regular session last Friday, ordered the secretary to notify all who have long standing delinquent taxes, to pay up.

It is the intention of the council to bring suit in all cases that are not taken care of properly.

According to a city official, those who have been paying their taxes regularly have become tired of carrying all the load and have insisted that something be done toward a more equitable distribution of the tax burden.

The school district placed all delinquent tax accounts up to 1931 in the hands of an attorney some time ago, and it is expected that suits will result in all cases that do not make proper arrangements to pay.

McLean Will Enter Railroad Celebration

McLean will be represented at the Fort Worth Denver railroad celebration in Denworth tomorrow (Friday), according to action taken at the Lions club Tuesday.

A committee to arrange details was appointed, consisting of D. A. Davis, Reuben R. R. Cook and C. O. Greene.

It was decided to take the high school band and join the celebration at Denworth, many of the party expecting to take the train there and go on to Pampa, where a big celebration is planned.

This railroad is in a share of McLean's trade territory and it was thought fitting that the town join its neighbors in celebrating the new railroad.

Advices from the railroad people indicate that the party will arrive in two trains, two minutes apart, the first one reaching Denworth at 1 p. m. for a five minute stop.

It is suggested that the McLean party leave town by noon, so as to visit with the Denworth folks a short time before the train arrives.

MISS RUBY COOK McLEAN STERLING CHM.

Miss Ruby Cook has been appointed chairman of the McLean branch of the Sterling for Governor Club recently formed in Gray county, with Mrs. C. T. Hunkapillar of Pampa as county chairman.

Miss Cook is expected to choose such assistants as may be needed.

CARS NOT WANTED IN PARK

Complaint has been raised that cars have been driven into the park near the wading pool. It is understood that cars are not expected to be driven into the park, and especially around the pool, as it is planned to set grass in this section of the park. There is plenty of parking space in the street around the park for all cars.

66 SERVICE STATION MOVES

The 66 Service Station has moved from the old Ford garage location across the street on the corner next to the Meador Cafe.

The new location is being remodeled and decorated. More gasoline pumps have been added and other conveniences installed.

Josh Turner, manager, says that they are now prepared to give prompt and efficient service to all customers.

OLD MONEY TURNS UP

Perry Everett, of the Elite Barber Shop, was exhibiting an old style \$5 bill Monday that had been taken in at the shop. The bill was practically new, and as the average life of paper money is only a few months, this bill had evidently been kept in a safe place for a long time.



J. B. WILLIAMS
Candidate for Justice of the Peace
Precinct No. 5
Who says, "Vote for the man with a smile."

BAGDAD PREACHER AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Rev. N. S. Dimitry of Bagdad made an address at the Church of Christ Wednesday evening.

Rev. Dimitry is a native preacher who has been in this country since 1930. In a conversation with the News editor Wednesday, he stated that all Christians had been driven from his country during the world war, being persecuted by the Mohammedans.

In commenting on the difference in customs here and there, Rev. Dimitry said that preachers in his country are not paid any regular salary, donations of provisions being sometimes given, but everyone, native and stranger, feel welcome to visit the preacher's home and share his hospitality. Ordinary laborers receive 28c for a day's work.

Friendly visiting is practiced there more than in this country, as they do not have automobiles or any places of public amusement. People visit from two to four hours with their friends, partaking of some small refreshment in each home visited.

Rev. Dimitry comes from near the site of the ancient city of Babylon, and says that the scriptural curse on the site still exists. No one will be found on the ground after dark and the city is infested with poisonous scorpions, whose bite means death.

There is no individual freedom in that country as we enjoy in the United States—in fact, Rev. Dimitry says that no country on earth enjoys the freedom we do. Marriages are made at a very early age, all arrangements being made by the parents, and the wife lives in her husband's father's home, many homes having as many as 26 rooms for different families. Women carry water long distances for household purposes and cannot realize the conveniences enjoyed here.

In many of the larger cities anyone who preaches the Christian religion is promptly put to death without the formality of a court trial.

Rev. Dimitry says that no one who comes to this country ever goes back to live, except those who are interested in the spiritual welfare of their neighbors.

The climate in Persia is mild. They have no winter weather and gather three crops per year. Tomato plants, after they have become five or six years old, have trunks like trees.

This is the second trip for Rev. Dimitry to this country, his first one being in 1920. He says that he could not prepare properly for a preacher here, as it would take about 19 years' study to enable him to express himself properly on Bible subjects in our language, but he feels that he can be of great use to his own people after his experiences here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Alexander visited in Hedley Sunday.

D. N. Massay left Monday for Milford, Kans., for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. O. Greene and Miss Ruby Cook visited in Amarillo Tuesday.

Funeral at M. E. Church 3 p. m. Today

Youth's Body Badly Mangled by Auto

William Weldon Woodward, aged 16 years, 9 months and 16 days, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woodward of McLean, was instantly killed when struck by a speeding auto five miles west of Conway, yesterday, while hitch hiking from Amarillo.

The body was badly mangled, the top of the head missing, an arm nearly off, both legs and back broken, with indications that it had been dragged some 200 yards by the automobile.

A front mud guard from an automobile, covered with blood, was found, and officers are working on fingerprint clues, to discover the identity of the speeder, who is thought to have headed for Oklahoma after the accident.

Funeral services will be held at the First Methodist Church this afternoon at 3 o'clock, with Pastor Jno. H. Crow in charge.

Interment will be made in Hillcrest cemetery, with the Rice Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

WOMENS CLUBS MAKE FINE CANNING REPORT

Gray county home demonstration clubs make fine reports on gardening and canning activities for the year, canning being done on a large scale.

The report of both demonstrators and co-operators since last November has been as follows: 4089 quarts of meat, valued at \$2,000; 1254 quarts of vegetables, valued at \$313.25; 1286 1/2 quarts of fruit, valued at \$500; 456 quarts of miscellaneous food, valued at \$114; making a total of 7085 1/2 quarts, valued at \$2,927.25.

Of the 71 club women in the county, 66 of them have gardens. There are 1297 varieties of vegetables, or an average of 19 vegetables per garden. 195 new varieties of vegetables are reported this year.

"All gardens were in splendid condition on report day," said Miss Ruby M. Adams, county home demonstration agent, in her annual report, "and the rains insure a bumper crop in each variety."

Much effort at yard beautification also has been made. Four of the demonstrators reported the planting of 128 shrubs and trees, 89 of which are still living. They include silver maple, yuccas, tammarix, elderberry, lilacs, star jasmine, salvia, native cedars, spirea, currants (for screens), butterfly bushes, paradise bush, and others.

Other co-operators reported the planting of 346 shrubs and trees, 257 of which are now living. Less than \$5 has been spent on these yards, but many dollars' worth of good has been done.

BAPTISTS AT CONFERENCE

The following members of the First Baptist Church attended a workers conference of the Northfork Baptist Association held at Quail Tuesday: Revs. Cecil G. Goff, Robert Mathis, L. H. Shockley, B. A. Cobb; Mesdames O. E. Lochridge, Lee Wilson, Carl Carpenter, H. W. Finley, G. J. Abbott, Cecil G. Goff.

Rev. and Mrs. Goff left for Mangum, Okla., for a short visit, following the services at Quail.

CANDIDATES AT ELDRIDGE

A candidate rally has been scheduled for Eldridge school house Saturday night. All candidates have been invited to speak, and the general public is invited to attend.

News from Heald

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey entertained with a singing Sunday night.

Misses Fahoma Ladd and Christine Hanner spent Sunday with Miss Lavonne Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Elliott and daughter spent Saturday night in the Glyn Finley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey and sons and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and son spent Sunday with Mrs. Bailey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Armstrong, at Hedley. Mr. Armstrong returned with them for a short visit.

Mrs. Jameson of Hamlin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. L. Hinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Saye and family spent Sunday in the E. H. Kramer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bailey and daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Phillips Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nida Green, Mrs. Jack Bailey, Mrs. Ernest Brooks, Misses Gail Ladd, Grace Stauffer and Mary Reneau attended the district League convention at Hedley Sunday.

Ernest Brooks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Julian Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bailey and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer.

Geo. Saye visited his parents at Lefors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burdine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton.

Frank Bailey, Josh Chilton and Andy Nelson were in Wheeler Monday.

Little Miss Marjorie Burdine spent Sunday with Miss Bettye Joe Bailey. James Saye spent Sunday with Johnnie Chilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooks and Joe Fowler spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey.

U. G. Lane, W. J. Chilton, T. F. Phillips and John Haynes were in Wheeler Monday.

Odd—but TRUE

HOLLYWOOD'S
LATEST CONTRIBUTION TO THE
WORLD OF FEMININE FADS IS THE
DOTTING OF 'ROUGE' ON
THE LIPS

CARNIVOROUS
ORCHIDS ARE
BEING GROWN
IN TEXAS
—THEY THRIVE
ON HAMBURGER

THE HINDO
HAS OVER 1,000
KINDS OF MUSICAL
INSTRUMENTS BUT HE
CAN MAKE NO MORE
NOISE THAN OUR JAZZ
MUSICIANS WHO HAVE
ONLY 50 TO CHOOSE
FROM --

IN CHINATOWN,
SAN FRANCISCO, THE
PARTY'S NAME INSTEAD OF
HIS NUMBER IS GIVEN WHEN
CALLING SOMEONE ON
THE TELEPHONE

A GOODLY CHILD

By Rev. L. H. Shockley

We often look at our children in wonder and often ask ourselves in silence what kind of men or women might they be 25 years from now. If you ask the child he will say, "Well, I don't know." In fact he doesn't know. But, dear friend, in a measure we parents do know. He will be just about what we mold him. God, in His Book, said raise the child up in the way it should go, and when it gets old it will not depart from that; or, in other words, it will come to its early training.

Fathers, do we raise our child up the way we want him to go, or the way he will go in spite of a careless father? Some boys of 25 years ago are today fine men, but these cases are but few. It's natural for us to want our boys to be the best boys. We want our town and our community to be among the highest standing in the state. Man has been human all the way down the line since Adam. Moses was just a man, as you or I. When that old man of Levi (Ex. 2:1) was blessed with this boy, he said he is a "goodly child." Most of us say that. But where does the great secret of this leader lie? The parents of this boy believed in God and loved their country. The mother made an ark and put the child therein and laid him in the flags. We believe she knew that the king's daughter would find him. This people had come to where they needed help. Their sins had brought them into this disgrace. They stayed 430 years in Goshen. The king was killing all the boys that were born among the Hebrews. This man was doing what he could to help himself. In God's hands a curse turned to a blessing. While the stars twinkled their timely lights, the boy was set down all alone, looking to God for his defense.

When the king's daughter found the babe, she said, "I'll keep this Hebrew child," and paid his mother daily wages to raise him. For seven years he was trained at home, then was carried off by the powers of Egypt. He went to the top in their schools and was learned in all their customs. Perhaps that nation of people then was seeing great things—hard times. When Moses saw the sins of Egypt, he said "I choose to get out of this." Better to lose in the right than to gain in the wrong. But do we think if a boy makes a blunder, when he hits his boat on a rock, kick him down? By no means. It isn't every boy you meet on the highway that is a bad boy. When our boys stumble they need a hand to catch them before they fall.

When Moses killed the man in Egypt, he left his country and walked 200 miles. While he sat on Jethro's well, the girls came to water their cattle. After he had trouble with those eight shepherds and drove them back, watered the girls' cattle and sent them home, the parents thought the well must have gone dry. They were not used to their girls getting home early. They answered, "Father, we found a fine young man." If our girls are in the hands of a find young man they will get home on time. This girl became his wife, and after 40 years he came back to his early training and redeemed his people. Little Miriam, his sister who watched him in the flags, composed a song of

the great leadership of her brother, Moses, and when she died at Gilgal the song was sung at her funeral.

May God help us parents and bless our boys and girls.

BEER VS. BREAD

"Beer is not bread," said the old fellow who spent his last cent to "rush the tan." He woke from his spree and was so hungry that he begged for food. What he spent on beer would have provided a meal that would have satisfied and he wouldn't have lost his job. Times have changed since then but it is truer today than then that men who employ labor do not want to hire imbibers of booze. Young men who have a vision of a successful business career cut out liquor.—Higgins News.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Skinner visited in Oklahoma this week.

G. M. Abbott was in Canyon last week.

TO THE MEN AND WOMEN VOTERS OF 122ND DISTRICT

Yielding to the persistent solicitation of numerous business and professional men of the four counties in this district, Judge Ivy E. Duncan of Pampa consented almost at the last minute to permit his name to be filed for Representative, subject to the Democratic primary election in July.

Judge Duncan is not a politician, and dislikes the idea of making a campaign for any office. It can be truly said of him, if elected, that the office sought the man, for because of his numerous duties in the management of his own successful business affairs, and his law practice in Pampa, it is a real sacrifice for him to accept office. After having served Gray county as its county judge for one term, he voluntarily retired, but not until he had steered the affairs of the county through the trying period of rapid development to the entire satisfaction of the taxpayers of the county.

We need more men like Ivy Duncan in the Texas Legislature. Especially is this true at the present time when real wisdom, legal knowledge and sound business judgment are paramount. It is extremely important at this time that this district in particular be represented by one of its foremost citizens, and we unhesitatingly recommend him as worthy of your confidence.

- SILER FAULKNER**
T. B. HOBERT
M. K. BROWN
J. N. DUNCAN
MEL B. DAVIS
C. P. BUCKLER
C. S. BOSTON
TRAVIS LIVELY
JET BRUMLEY
P. O. SANDERS
D. C. MOORE
M. M. NEWMAN
CHARLIE TRUT
JOE M. SMITH
C. E. LANCASTER
NEWTON P. WELLS
C. H. WALKER
R. EARL O'KEEFE
C. S. BARRETT
BONNIE W. ROSE
D. W. OSBORNE
E. M. OSBORNE
CLYDE F. FATHEREE
J. R. ROBY
LON L. BLANSCETT
T. B. COBB
A. H. DOUCETTE
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J. S. WYNN
GEO. W. BRIGGS
ALEX. SCHNEIDER
W. A. BRANTON
JOHN B. HEBLEY
M. A. GRAHAM
H. R. KEES
J. O. GILLHAM
E. BARR CLAY
H. LIPPOLO
P. C. LEDRICK
B. E. FINLEY

DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLE

Every governmental official or board that handles public money should publish at regular intervals an accounting of it, showing where and how each dollar is spent. We hold this to be a fundamental principle of the Democratic government.—Wisconsin Press.

Her—"Before we were married you said that my slightest wish would be fulfilled."

Him—"Yeah, but you've never had one slight enough."

"Does your husband still play golf?"

"No, but he still speaks the language."

SMITH'S DEFEAT

While we have rather admired Al Smith in the past for his outspoken way and his statesmanship, some of the glamour has been worn off by his sulking action in the late Democratic battle for votes. His turning tail and heading for home rather than listen to his victorious opponent speak from the platform of the convention hall, we think, bars him forever from wearing the name of the "Happy Warrior." He is like many other humans, happy in victory and sulking in defeat. He failed in his attempt to "stop Roosevelt," and Mr. McAdoo at the head of Texas and California that stayed with Mr. McAdoo in Madison Square Garden eight years ago, was the man and delegation that put a quietus on the "stop Roosevelt" move this time. Revenge is sometimes sweet.—Terry Co. Herald.

A near-sighted man and his wife were inspecting an art exhibit with critical care.

Man (vainly striving for a better view of the abomination)—"That's the ugliest portrait I've ever seen."

Wife—"Come away, you fool! You're looking at yourself in a mirror."

A lot of people who think they are hard-boiled only have unusually thick skulls.—Pathfinder.

MARY'S WEAKNESS

Flivvers come and flivvers go. Models big and little— But Mary still wants half the road. And wants that down the middle.

"A small amount of money and a heap of energy will give any girl a pretty bedroom," declares Marjorie Warren, Wheeler county 4-H club girl who spent only \$5.95 in winning her place in the county improved bedroom contest.

"If health is to be kept up, people must never dispense with whole grain wheat, evaporated or whole milk, and vegetables," says Dr. Lydia Roberts, director of home economics, University of Chicago.

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TEXAS RAILROADS PAY SUBSTANTIAL PART OF STATE'S TAX BURDEN

Taxes is one of the large fixed charges connected with the operation of Texas railroads. From the standpoint of the welfare of state, counties and communities, railroad taxes are of much importance. This annual obligation must be met from the earning capacity of the rail carriers.

In 1931 the railroads of Texas paid a total of \$8,303,108.47 in federal, state, county, municipal and miscellaneous taxes. The distribution of this amount to the various tax funds is shown below:

	Amount Paid	Per Cent of Total Tax Paid
U. S. Government	\$ 61,270.13	.74
State	1,954,435.47	23.54
County	1,146,669.97	13.81
Roads	1,699,764.15	20.47
Improvement Districts	175,606.87	2.12
Schools	1,437,152.74	17.31
Cities	1,792,994.61	21.59
Miscellaneous	35,214.59	.42
Total	\$8,303,108.47	100.00

It can thus be seen that railroad taxes represent an important and indispensable factor in the economic life of our state. They help in a large measure to pay the expense of our state, county and municipal government, build and maintain highways, pay the cost of drainage and other improvements, and support schools and educational institutions.

It is the desire of Texas railroads to extend this helpfulness to Texas counties and communities in carrying this heavy burden. However, their ability to meet these obligations as they become due depends upon their ability to earn sufficient revenue which to pay this and other heavy expenses connected with their operation.

RAILROADS HAVE ALWAYS SHOULDERS THE SHARE OF RESPONSIBILITIES TO THE NATION, THE STATE, AND THE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES THEY SERVE. AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO TO THE EXTENT OF THEIR ABILITY.

THE TEXAS RAILROAD

NEWS

Robinson, D. C. Garretts and in the J. evening Mrs. C. and Mrs. J. Sunday. Lawrence M. Mr. and Mrs. H. Houlton B. Bell Street. Clemons an Mrs. Gilbe Montgomery of Saturday. Beene of state represent Saturday. Elizabeth Wilk from a visit w. Ed D. Smith. Alma, visited in. X. Miller of Mrs. J. A. Edwards, Sat. Mrs. Carl visited in the nday. Miss Eula Fay er aunt, Mrs. in this week. Skidmore of Sh n Wednesday. Mrs. J. Boston Sunday. Carmichael of Da e Porter Smith Bingham was in Pampa

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

For trade—R. Jerseys. House letter. 27-2p

Some good mi. ttc

Stamp pad in and writing inks a

MACHINE ribbon office.

WANTED

More wives to cream and cake.

REAL ESTATE ANNOUNCEMENTS

is authorized to announcements, su of the Democratic

122nd Distric

CLERK: MILLER DUNN BENTON

CLERK: TRUT

Treasurer: DAVIS

CLERK: LEACH

Precinct No. 4

WYMAN

CLERK: LANSCETT

CLERK: GARY

CLERK: WOLFE

122nd Dist: GOODRICH

CLERK: WHITE

CLERK: STUBER

CLERK: PRACE, Precinct 5: CLAY

CLERK: LAMAS

News from Alanreed

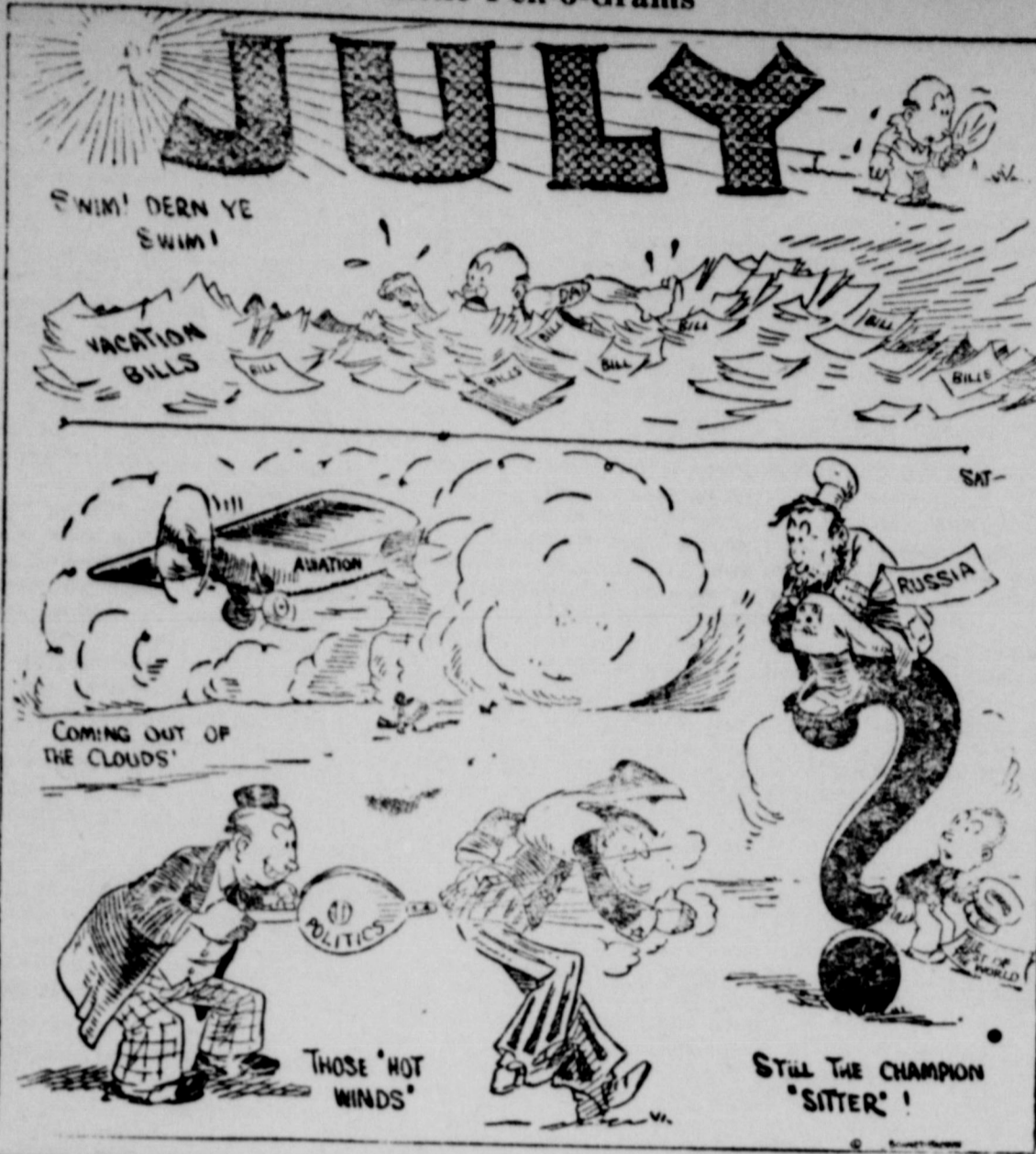
Best Woods has opened up the Cafe, which has been closed for time.
 Mrs. Gilbert Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Minard spent day in the Clemmons home.
 and Mrs. Houston Bell... day night in the R. M. Gibson...
 E. Cubine of McLean was in... Friday.
 Ed Elms is reported very ill... writing.
 and Mrs. Houlton Bell and Mrs. Minard made a business trip away Monday.
 and Mrs. Jack Broyles of... was in Alanreed last week.
 Robin Davenport returned to... D. C., this week.
 Mr. Garrett, Miss Florence... and Mrs. L. J. Minard in the Joe Clemmons home... evening.
 and Mrs. Clyde Easterling visit... in Goldston Sunday.
 and Mrs. Jackson of McLean... Sunday.
 Lawrence Minard spent Mon... Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Green... with her sisters, Mesdames Hous... Houlton Bell.
 and Mrs. Milburn Gibson and... Street spent Sunday in... home.
 Clemmons and daughter, Miss... spent Saturday night with... Mrs. Gilbert Garrett.
 Montgomery of McLean was in... Saturday morning.
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 Elizabeth Wilkerson returned... from a visit with relatives in...
 D. Smith and daughter, Alma, visited in Childress last...
 X. Miller of Lefors visited... Mrs. J. A. Meador and... Edwards, Saturday.
 and Mrs. Carl Overton of... visited in the Jack Cooke... day.
 Miss Eula Faye Foster is... her aunt, Mrs. Ben Pierson, in... this week.
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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
 SALE or trade.—Registered Jerseys. House for rent. 27-2p
 LE.—Some good milk cows. tel. ttc
 NK, Stamp pad ink, show and writing inks at News
 MACHINE ribbons and office.
WANTED
 —More wives to serve cream and cake. 27-4c

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 Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Boston were in Wellington Sunday.
 John Cooper and father made a trip to Hedley Wednesday.
 C. O. Cooper of Canyon visited his son, John, Wednesday.
 Dessert isn't complete without cake! Advertisement 28-4c

BEST MILK
 There is no better milk produced than Grade "A." That is why we are allowed to so brand our milk.
Hibler's Dairy

Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith and Miss Arlee Gridley were dinner guests in the E. L. Dingler home last Thursday.

Fire Hail Tornado
W. E. BOGAN & SON
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McLEAN, TEXAS

Miss Winnifred Howard returned Monday from Flagstaff, Ariz., where she has been attending school.
 Mrs. Frank Wallace and Mrs. C. C. Bender of Pampa visited the latter's sister, Miss Texola Harlan, Tuesday.
 Richard Wischkeamper of Wellington, candidate for state representative, was in McLean last week.
 Miss Josephine Carver, who has been visiting relatives here, returned to her home at Texola today.
 County Judge S. D. Stennis of Pampa, candidate for re-election, was in McLean Wednesday.
 Jim McMurry of Clarendon was in McLean Saturday.
 C. E. Matthews is a new reader of the home paper.
 Jim Taylor of Clarendon was in McLean Saturday.
 Mrs. Spurgeon Johnson of Alanreed was in McLean Saturday.
 L. L. Purvis of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.
 C. E. Pipes of Pampa, candidate for sheriff, was here Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jordan of Dallas are visiting relatives here.
 Joe Johnson of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.
 Paul Morgan was in Amarillo Tuesday.
 Miss May Belle Veatch visited in Canyon Sunday.
 T. W. Barnes of Pampa was in McLean Tuesday.

Judge C. E. Cary of Pampa, candidate for judge, was in McLean Friday.
 H. Otto Studer of Pampa, candidate for county attorney, was in McLean Saturday.
 Felix Jones of Clarendon was in McLean Sunday.

KNEADING NEWS
 Excessive lightness in bread is obtained by an imitation process. In our shop we use the same process that housewives have used for ages. We use compressed yeast (Fleischman's), cane sugar, salt, Borden's milk, shortening, Great West flour, and malt to aid fermentation and add nutrition. We could make an exaggerated size and white loaf, but we would have to give it an imitation process that you would not use, and at the same time lose a lot of the food value and flavor.
 We still pay 15c a dozen for eggs, in trade.
 We have some new nut cookies that are really good, and only 15c doz.
Caldwell's Bakery
 DESSERT ISN'T COMPLETE WITHOUT CAKE!

Screen Special

Until July 23, special prices will be made on screen doors, window screens, screen moulding, screen hardware, screen paint. If your screens need repairs, phone us and we will send a man for this work. All prices reduced on screen goods from now until July 23.

FOXWORTH-GALBRAITH
LUMBER COMPANY
 B. F. Gray, Mgr. Phone 12

It's Popular to Be Plump!

So eat plenty of sweets

Aristophanes

Stands Bewildered

Aristophanes remarked of women, 2300 years ago, "They dip their wool into hot water, according to the ancient plan, all of them without exception, and never make the slightest innovation. They sit and cook as of old. They carry upon their heads as of old." Could you summon Aristophanes into our today—he would stand appalled at the speed of women's present innovations.

Just about everything you are accustomed to becomes out-moded, discarded, in an incredibly brief time. Ways of cooking, serving, traveling; of keeping clean, healthy, beautiful, young—these are the modern tasks, "as of old." But science in alliance with factories and kitchens keeps new ways coming along so fast that poor old Aristophanes and those soft-sandaled women would be breathless with keeping up. Yet you are used to swift change . . . used to comforts that a short while ago were luxuries . . . that a little day from now will seem Grecian-quaint themselves. From advertisements in your newspaper you reap news of these ways to live healthfully, richly, advantageously—youth!

Sit and cook as of old? No, you carry IN your head knowledge of the best that is buyable. Advertisements give you easy, happy surveys of new ways. Glance over all the advertisements you can, every chance you have.

PIGGY WIGGLY
 TURN TO QUALITY
 TURN TO ECONOMY

Friday, Saturday and Monday Specials

CANDY, Sea Side Taffy quart pkg. with balloon	5c
Flour, Yukon's Star & Crescent, 48 lb	79c
Coffee, Our good Peaberry, 2 lb	27c
Salad Dressing, Durkee's or Kraft's 1/2 pt. jar.	9c
Ice Cream Powder & Jello 2 for	15c
Shelled Pecans, fresh shipment, 1/2 lb	19c
PINEAPPLE	
Flat, 3 for	25c
No. 2 Broken slices, 2 for	25c
Gallon	45c
APPLES, gallon	29c
TEA, Lipton's Blue Label	
1/4 lb	15c
1/2 lb	29c
MEAL, Yukon's, 10 lb	19c
SALT PORK, per lb	10c
Picnic Hams, while they last, per lb	10c
SUGAR CURED BACON, per lb	15c
LONGHORN CHEESE, per lb	17c

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Entered as second class mail matter May 8, 1905, at the post office at McLean, Texas, under act of Congress.



Panhandle Press Association

No business man would risk doing without insurance, and advertising is the best insurance for success there is. In fact, it is all but impossible to conduct a successful business without advertising.

We note where some candidates down state tried using the telephone for canvassing, but soon found that ringing a woman up at any old time of day was not conducive to good will, so the practice was dropped.

Congress gave \$190,000 of the people's money to families of senators and representatives who died last year. There is no excuse for giving money to people who do not need it, and it is strange that the taxpayers have stood for this kind of thing so long without protest.

If your merchant's circulars have "printed in McLean" on them, you may be assured that he is practicing what he preaches and is trying to keep McLean money at home, where we may all get a second chance at it. Whether we like it or not, the fact remains that there is no way to have a growing community unless we patronize home folks.

Arthur Brisbane, who is dripping wet, says in a recent article that "Citizens that forced beer into both party platforms want beer to drink, not to diminish taxes." This is one time that Mr. Brisbane has come clean on the question. This is the only reason for wanting the 13th amendment repealed; all other reasons are bunk.

Every subscriber to this paper is paid in advance. This fact should be taken into account by prospective advertisers. A paper with free distribution or one that has a long list of delinquent subscribers, does not have the welcome in homes that the cash paper has. When a man pays for a paper, he reads it. When it is given to him it is automatically placed on a par with circulars and handbills.

As an argument for one candidate in the race for mayor of Amarillo, his record in contributing to community enterprises was cited. Regardless of the effect on the election, this was a good argument. This way of electing a man to office who has never done anything for his community, and then expecting him to change when placed into office, is all wrong. A man's past record is worth more than any other one thing as a qualification for office.

Parties do not of necessity live forever, and it may be that the two major parties have outlived their usefulness as far as national politics are concerned. There is more difference in the two wings of each party than in the parties themselves. Third parties have proven more or less disastrous in the past, but it does not follow that they always will. The rank and file of the voters must have more consideration in party affairs if the old parties are to last.

Most of the nine amendments to the state constitution to be

voted upon this year are worthy of support, but despite the endorsement of press associations, we will vote against the appropriation of the taxpayers' money for a state centennial celebration. Such celebrations may be all right as a patriotic movement, but the main reason for holding them is usually material gain for someone, and whatever interests will make such gain should pay the bill, and not the taxpayers of the state.

People who are able bodied and are offered work and refuse to take advantage of the chance but rather insist that they be furnished charity, should not have any consideration from those in charge of charity funds. It is unfortunate that anyone should be given charity, if there could be work of some kind furnished. The plan of the community chest to can vegetables, using labor that otherwise would not have a chance to do anything for themselves is to be commended.

Those who own mechanical refrigerators may cure pork just as easy now as in winter. The editor of The News has tried this out and can recommend the plan. The local ice plant will chill the carcass overnight for a very small sum and then the meat is salted down in the bottom of the refrigerator just the same as you would in winter, and in a few weeks it is ready to smoke and hang. A 200 pound hog that was worth less than \$5.00 on the market a month ago is now in good sugar cured hams and bacon. The cost for refrigeration is not much, as the meat is already chilled and it takes very little current to keep it that way. Buying a cheap hog might help some farmer and at the same time give yourself some good meat.

During the first six months of this year 532 businesses in Texas, with average liabilities of \$21,357, went into bankruptcy, as compared with 462 firms owing an average of \$19,428 in the same period last year. The number of failures is high for both years, but not so great as during the years 1921-22. The average number to fail now is running at the rate of about 15 per week in Texas, but the liabilities are greater than last year. One firm bankrupt last month had total liabilities of \$150,000 and listed \$5,000 assets, leaving creditors about 3%—the worst failures of the year from a creditor's standpoint. Commercial failures are a part of the system, as many people enter business with handicaps that predispose failure, but most of the failures during these times may, perhaps, be attributed to the depression.

Local and Personal

Wheeler Foster and sister-in-law, Miss Clara Anderson, were in Canyon Saturday.

Mrs. Callie Haynes visited her sister, Mrs. Etta Hudgins, at Erick, Okla., last week.

Mrs. W. F. Harrell of Balanger is visiting her father, C. A. Cash, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colebank were in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sloan of Pampa visited in McLean Sunday.

Miss Corrie Lee Newman returned Wednesday from school at Abilene.

Ruel Smith is in Dallas this week.

The A. C. Ayer children are visiting relatives in East Texas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thut and son of Lefors were in McLean Saturday.

D. A. Davis was in Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ayer were in Mangum, Okla., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ayer visited in Memphis Sunday.

W. W. Shadid was in Dallas Tuesday.

A. F. Smith was in Amarillo last week.

J. N. Phillips of Lefors was in McLean Tuesday.

Mrs. Pete Fulbright and children visited in Alanreed last Thursday.

With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

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

B. T. S. meeting at 7:15 p. m.

Evening worship at 8:30. Message by the pastor. Special music by the choir.

The W. M. S. will meet Monday at 3 p. m. for mission study.

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

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McLEAN INVITED TO ENTER COMMUNITY CONTEST

McLean has been asked to enter the inter-community beautification contest just launched by the West Texas chamber of commerce.

Rules and regulations of the contest, an entry blank and a letter inviting McLean to enter have been received by W. E. Bogan, secretary of the local chamber, from D. A. Bandeen, general manager of the regional chamber.

T. A. Landers, the local director in the regional chamber, has also received an announcement of the contest and a letter from President Wilbur C. Hawk and Chairman Houston Harte of the beautification committee, urging McLean's entry in the contest.

The purpose of the contest is to promote the beautification of the West Texas landscape and appearance of West Texas communities by stimulating competition between the cities in beautification and clean-up activities. All affiliated towns of the West Texas chamber are eligible for competition in the first year's contest which will close with the 1933 convention in Big Spring. The contests have been announced to run for a five-year period—the same time of the all-Texas beautification program launched last year, and of which this contest is a part.

A loving cup will be awarded annually at the conventions of the West Texas chamber of the regional chamber that Texas chamber to the town showing the best results in beautification activities as determined from reports made prior to the convention covering the year past. In addition, the winning city will have its name carried in West Texas Today each month for a year, together with a description of the honor won.

Home planting and beautification, painting and repair, city property beautification, and county and rural beautification will be factors in the judging.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kibler and children of Oklahoma City visited relatives here last week end.

Miss Maydell Christopher of Childress visited Miss Thelma Smith last week.

Mrs. M. Keith of Hobbs, N. M., visited her sister, Mrs. Geo. Skinner, last week.

Mrs. Ed Dishman and Mrs. C. S. Rice were in Shamrock Friday.

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THE NINE AMENDMENTS

The nine amendments to be submitted to a vote of the people of Texas this year are as follows:

An amendment restricting the right to vote on bond issues to owners of property duly rendered for taxation.

An amendment giving exemption from state taxes to \$3,000 of the assessed value of all residence homesteads.

An amendment allowing investment of university funds in county bonds, city school bonds, municipal bonds, of Texas counties and cities, as well as in federal and state bonds to which investment in is now restricted.

An amendment providing a new system for tax sale of delinquent property, with lower redemption costs if redeemed in the first year.

An amendment prohibiting release of indebtedness to the state of any unit thereof except delinquent taxes which have been owing ten years.

An amendment permitting retired United States soldiers to vote.

An amendment authorizing the Texas centennial celebration and permitting the Legislature to make appropriations therefor.

An amendment combining the offices of tax assessor and tax collector in all counties that have 10,000 or less population.

An amendment changing the law governing the voting of bonds so that Gulf counties may issue bonds for seawalls and other protective works with a favorable vote of two-thirds of all property owners, as at present.

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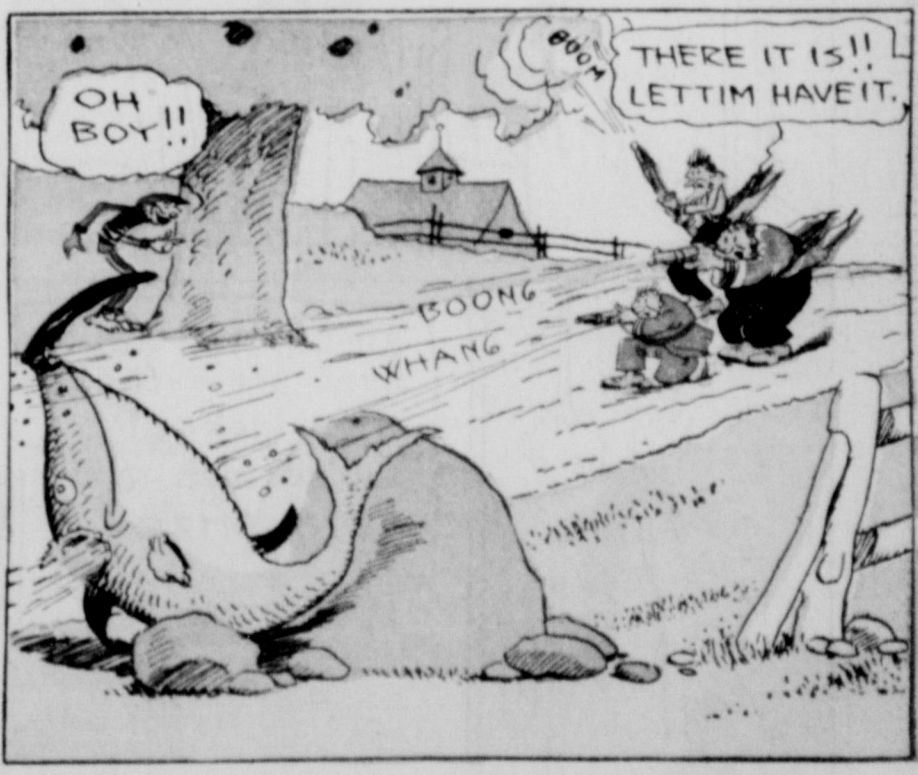
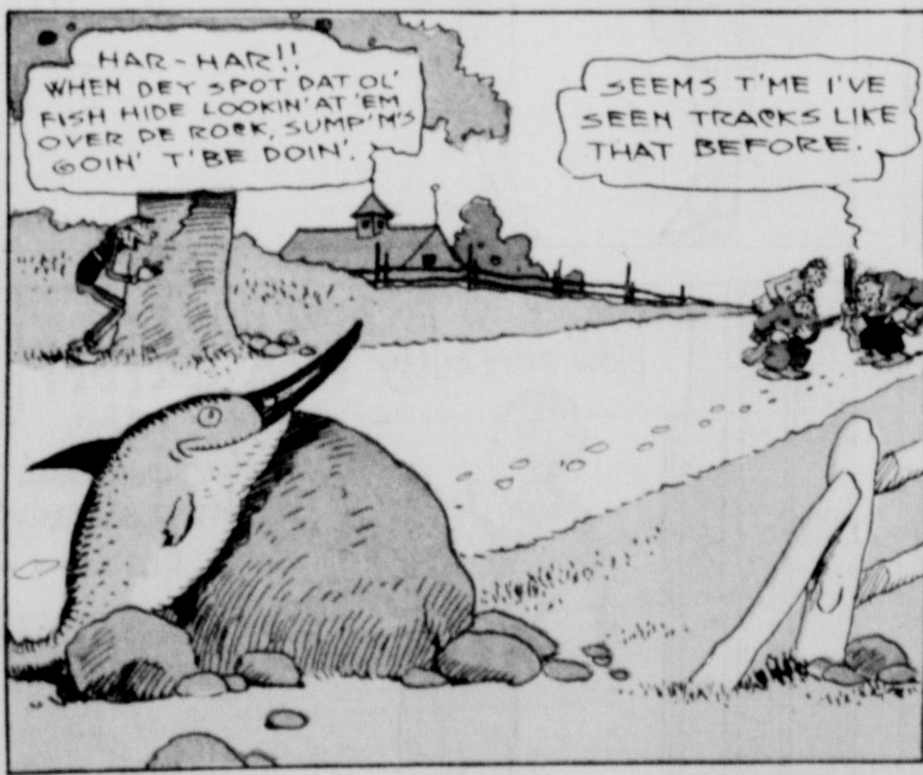
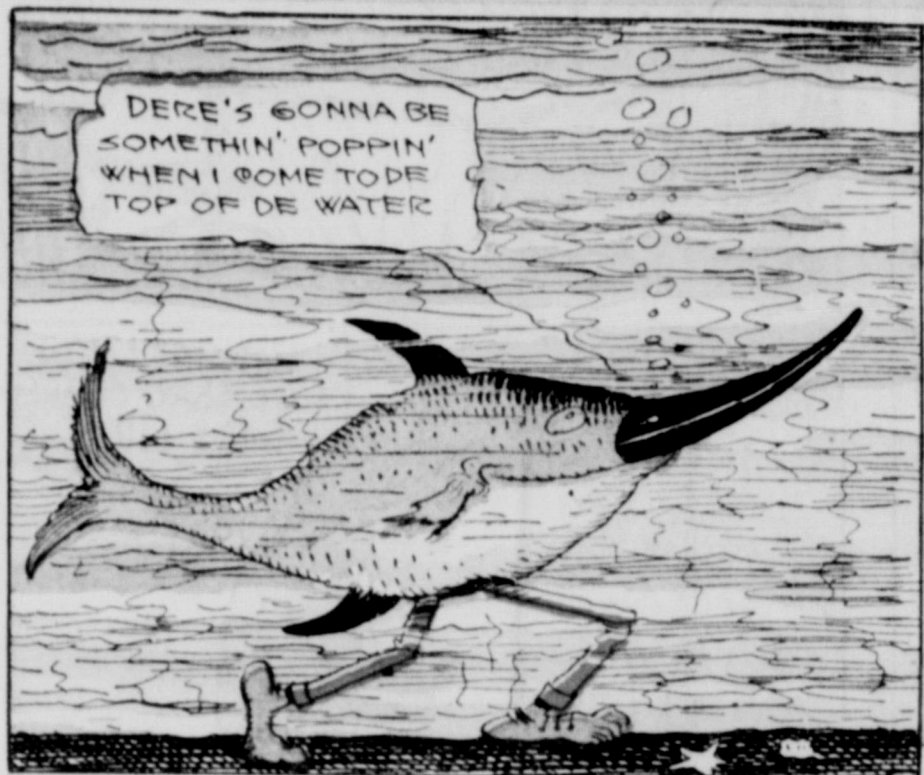
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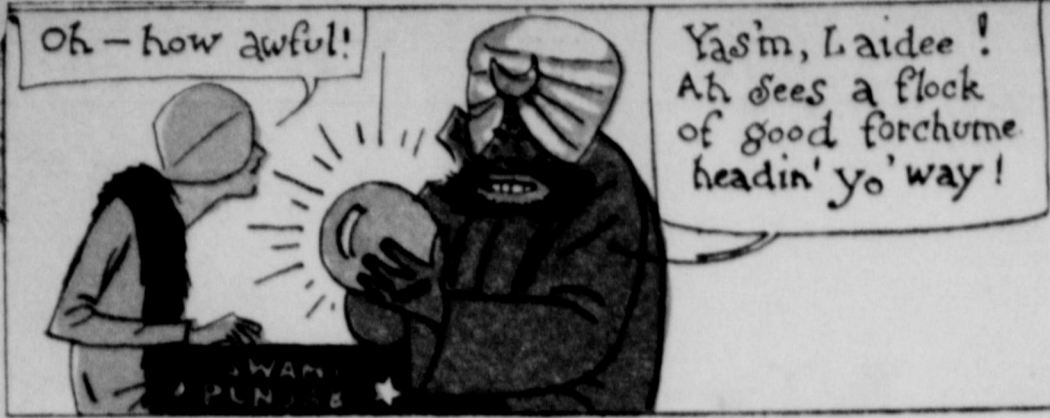
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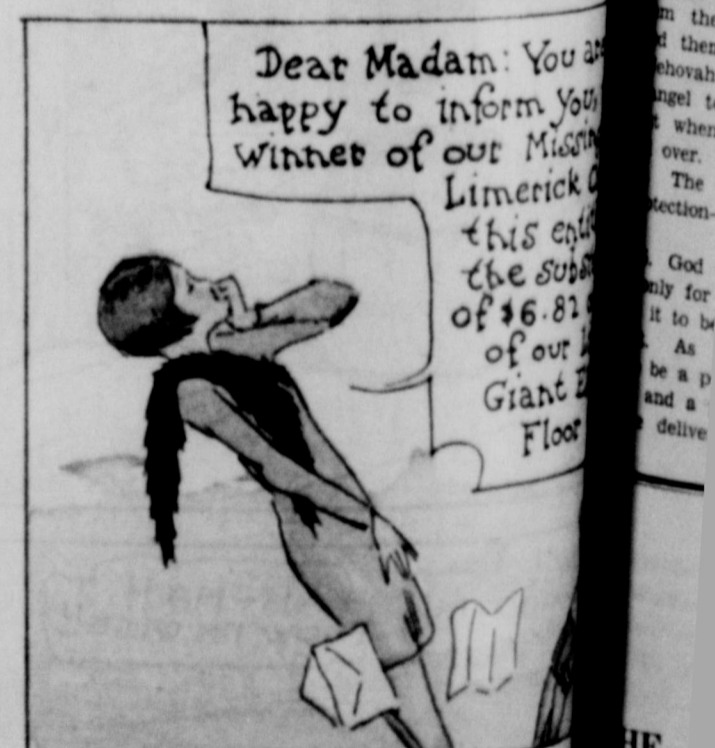
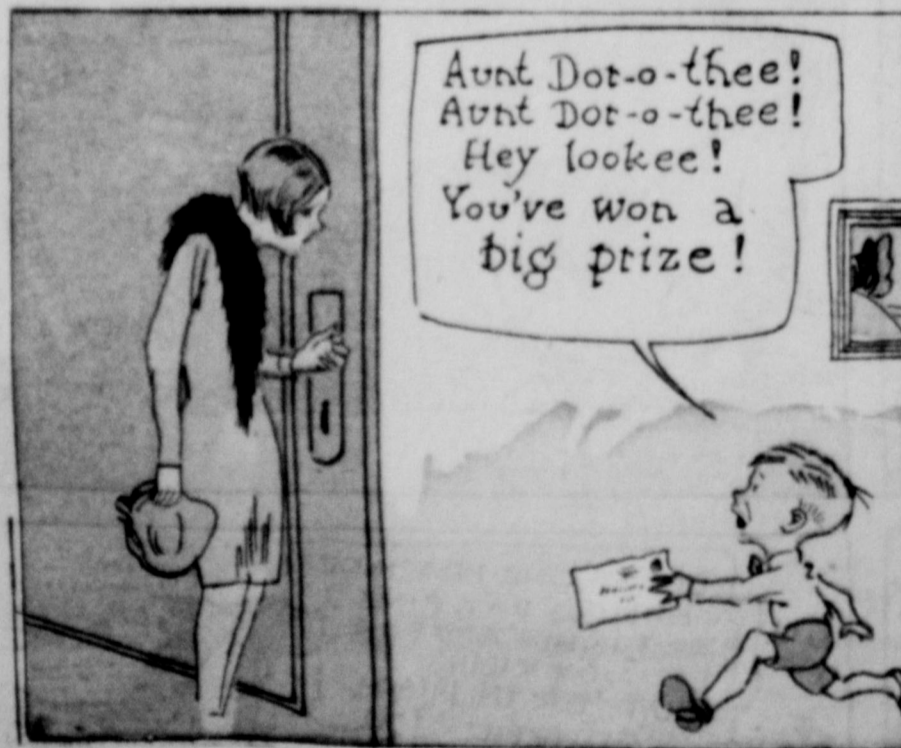
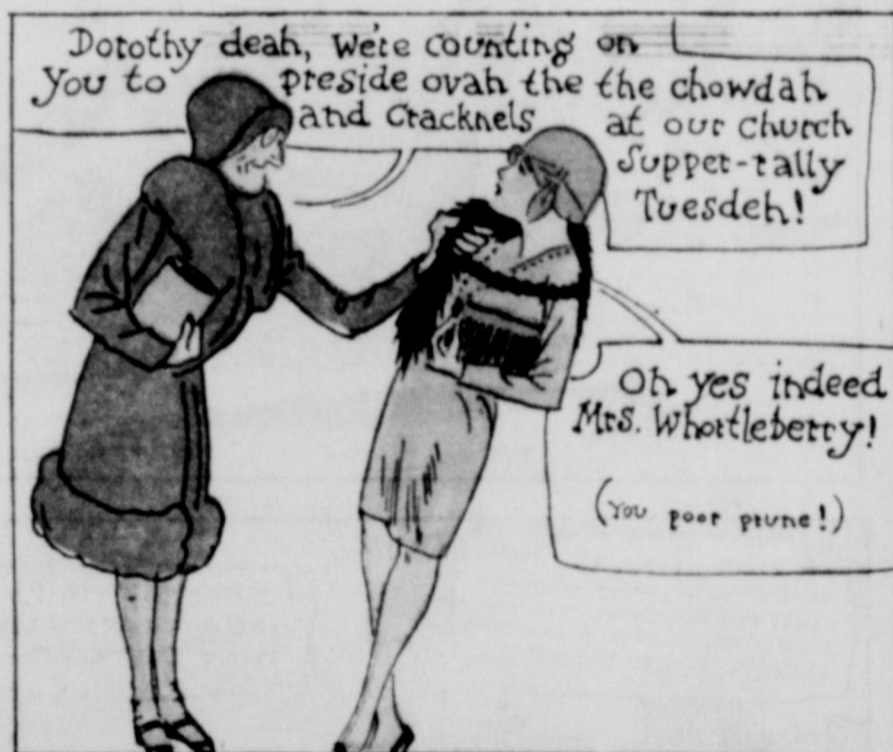
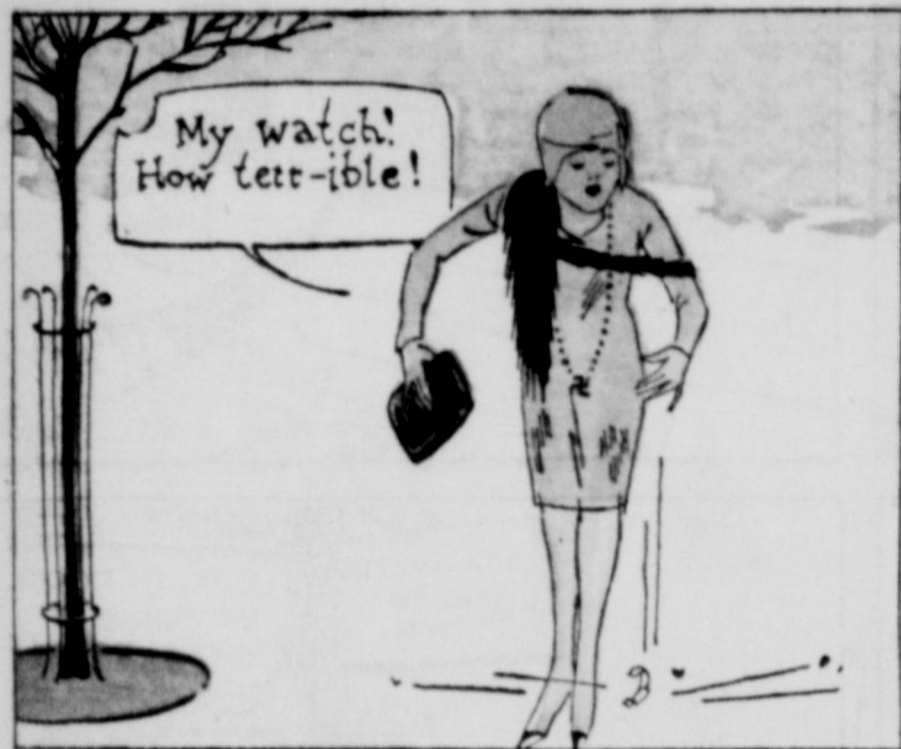
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Next Sunday's Lesson

THE PASSOVER

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff
 Golden text, 1 Cor. 5:7.
 Lesson text, Ex. 12:21-28.

1491 B. C. Moses returned to Egypt. He started with his wife and sons, but they soon changed their minds and returned to Jethro. They joined Moses when the children of Israel were out of Egypt. (Ex. 4:1-6.) Aaron met Moses on the way to Egypt and continued the journey with him.

The first thing done in Egypt was to call the elders of the children of Israel together and present to them the commands to Moses concerning his people. The elders and people considered the possibility of freedom, and Aaron then went before Pharaoh and requested that the children of Israel might have the privilege of going three days into the wilderness and there sacrifice to Jehovah. Pharaoh would not hear God's men, and he accused them of causing trouble in the work of the children of Israel.

He also felt, no doubt, that the talk of vacation and worship was an affront to the subjection he held over the God's people. Therefore, he commanded the duty of finding the straw which was put in the bricks made by the Hebrews. Theretofore it had been straw. When it had to be sought, the number of brick made per day was reduced. Punishment was laid upon the slaves to the point they could not bear it, and they turned to Moses and Aaron.

Pharaoh was visited. Still Pharaoh refused Moses' request. Miracles were performed, with no avail. God sent the much loved and worshiped Pharaoh and his tributaries into blood, and the Goshen. Pharaoh repented and asked for God's children to leave, but recinded his permission as soon as the river was red. So he did in the case of the other plagues sent upon the people—frogs, lice, flies, and a deadly disease to beasts, hail, locusts, blackness, and death. In no case did God's children suffer from any one of the plagues sent by God to convince Pharaoh of the truth that is children leave Egypt.

When Pharaoh finally ordered the death of his presence after the plague of the ninth plague—death, and kill it for the passover. The law as later known, whether or not, was that not more than ten or more than twenty should be killed. Two families might be killed. Two families might be killed. Two families might be killed.

The hyssop used in sprinkling the blood of the lamb on the doorposts was a red hyssop. The children of Israel were to stay in the house that night. The blood of the lamb was to be eaten. He wanted to kill the blood, but He also wanted the blood upon the part of the lamb. He wanted the Egyptian to know that He was directing the blood of His children. Too, it was to be eaten at the time when the lamb of God, without sin, should be slain. His blood might cover the sin; that sinful man might be clean by, and be safe without blood of Christ.

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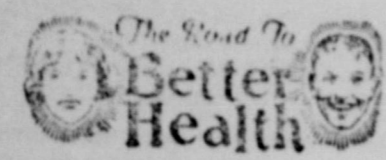
God called for such a sacrifice for that one time, but it is to be kept as a perpetual feast, both as Dr. Spittman says, and as a prophecy. A memorial of deliverance from Egypt;

and a prophecy of the Christ to come, Who was to deliver His people."

v. 26, 27. Moses gave the reason the feast should be kept, and to this day his same words are used in keeping it. The feast is a family affair rather than a congregational or national affair. To this day, when the family is gathered together for the feast, the youngest son in the group asks, "What mean ye by this service?" The oldest man in the group then answers by telling the story of the circumstances under which the feast originated and how it has been kept through the years.

The coming of this final blow brought God's people to the altar of worship. The long night of slavery was over, and God was making His final preparations to lead His people to freedom.

v. 28. The children of Israel did not question the truth of Moses' command or the necessity of carrying it out. They did according as they were commanded. Should we as Christian people do as well, God would rule the world, and sin would be shackled and bound.



INSOMNIA

By Dr. William J. Scholes

Many apparently healthy people are troubled with insomnia. It is not always easy to locate the cause in any individual case. Even though one regards himself as perfectly healthy, careful examination may reveal the beginning of disease. The abnormal wakefulness may be a symptom of faulty functioning of one or more organs. When this is the case, the treatment of the insomnia is the treatment of the abnormal condition on which it is based.

If no disease is present, the habits should be carefully investigated. Some people are wakeful because they indulge in tea or coffee, or use too much tobacco near bedtime. These sometimes result in a nervous stimulation that makes sleep impossible. Much mental effort during the evening may also make the mind too active for sleep.

Late Meal a Cause

The cause sometimes consists in eating too heartily a short time before going to bed. This is especially likely to be true if there is any tendency to digestive disturbances. On the other hand, some people have difficulty in sleeping if they are hungry. In such cases a glass of milk and a cracker, taken at bedtime, is all that is needed.

A bedroom that is too hot, or poorly ventilated, may cause restlessness. So may a bed that is too soft, too well covered, or otherwise uncomfortable.

Drugs Are Dangerous

Efforts to overcome insomnia by means of drugs are usually unsatisfactory and dangerous. Many sleep-producing drugs are habit-forming. They should be avoided except when prescribed by a physician. A warm bath, a hot foot bath, and sponging the head with cool water before going to bed are safer remedies. And the sleep produced by these simple measures is natural and refreshing.

But the cause of the insomnia should be sought in the habits or in the presence of some beginning disease. Removing the cause is the best way to a cure.

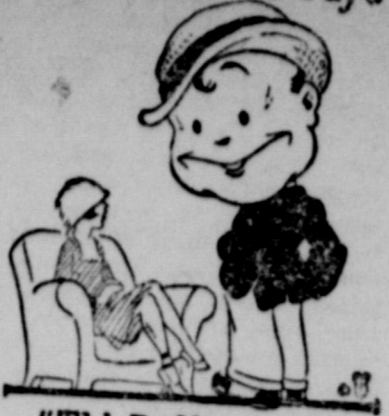
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Mrs. T. A. Bodine and children, Tom, Jr., and Barbara Gail, of Tucumcari, N. M., visited relatives here last week end.

Mrs. T. W. Henry and little granddaughter, Sally Jo Alexander, are visiting their son and uncle, Bryant Henry, in New Mexico.

Mrs. Loyse Caldwell and children returned to their home at Dalhart Thursday.

Smilin' Charlie Says



"Th' Belles usta set their caps 't catch th' beaux 'now t' catch th' Shieks th' Shieks set their—knee caps."

Hints for the Household

By Betty Webster HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Picnic Time

The picnic season is a joyous time for all. 'Tis the time to be prepared so that at practically a moment's notice one can pack a tasty lunch. The main idea is to have the food on hand and other items to go with it.

Purchase plenty of paper napkins, colored paper, paper plates, paper forks, paper spoons.

Have a shelf ready with: Jelly and jam, cheese, bottled goods, salad dressing.

And—have plenty of eggs or cold meat in the ice box.

Paper Napkin Uses

Buy plenty of cheap napkins. Hang some near sink. Use to wipe hands; wipe floor, wipe stove; wipe spots; wipe greasy pans, and be handy to wrap food in when necessary.

COOKING HINTS

Potato Salad

Cold boiled potatoes. 3 slices of bacon. Teaspoon of flour. Small 1/2 cup of diluted cider vinegar.

Chopped onions. Salt and pepper to taste.

Method: Cut up potatoes. Cut up bacon in small cubes. Fry bacon crisp. Remove bacon and make a sauce by mixing flour in hot fat until smooth. Then add vinegar. Mix well. Pour over potatoes. Add bacon, onion, salt and pepper. Serve immediately.

How to Cook Rhubarb

Wash rhubarb. Cut up and place in double boiler. Add sugar. A tiny pinch of soda if desired—no water. Cook until tender.

BAKING HINTS

Roast meat or bake meat loaf the day before if you are planning to use it for sandwiches.

Blueberry Muffins or Cake

1 pint sifted flour (2 cups). Pinch of salt. 2 teaspoons baking powder. 1/2 cup butter. 1/2 cup sugar.

1 egg. 1 cup milk.

1 heaping cup blueberries. Method: Melt butter in baking pan while oven is heating. Beat egg. Add sugar and salt. Then add flour and baking powder sifted together. Next add milk. Mix well. Flour blueberries and add last. Pour into cake pan or muffin pans and bake twenty minutes to one-half hour.

9-ur milk may be used with 1/2 teaspoon soda instead of baking powder. To make extra good, beat yellow and white separately. Put beaten white in last before berries.

GENERAL HINTS

To Remove Fingerprints from Painted Doors and Woodwork

1. Wipe surfaces with a soft flannel wrung out of water to which a few drops of ammonia has been added. Then rub with soap. After stains have been removed, wash with clean water and dry well.

2. Oatmeal is a good white paint cleaner. Dip a damp cloth in oatmeal and rub over surfaces. Then wipe with a clean damp cloth.

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HOME TOWN BEST ON EARTH

Fair competition is the life of trade. Home business institutions that are helping to pay for the maintenance and improvements of a city, are entitled to the trade of the citizens of the home city.

Outside business concerns do nothing toward the building of the home city and local merchants should not be forced to compete with them.

Buying away from home should be stamped out forever. Every dollar and every activity should be united to make business of the home city better. Now is the time to get busy and make local business better.

Every citizen should take an active and positive stand on all things that go to make local business better.

All should take a mental inventory and find out how they stand in ability and honesty of purpose and willingness to make the home city bigger and better.

No man is a success who only enriches himself. The man is a success whose success enriches the community.

There is only one city in the world in which to live and prosper, and that is the city in which you live.

A good way to boost the home city is to buy from the local business concerns who advertise in local papers.

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Mrs. S. W. Rice and daughter and sons, Miss Sinclair, James Lee and Billy D., visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. D. A. Herron, at Lone Wolf last week.

Mrs. Will Harlan and little son, Orman, of White Deer visited the lady's mother, Mrs. J. W. Kibler, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pettit of Wheeler visited in the Ralph Caldwell home last Thursday.

Mrs. D. A. Davis returned Sunday from a visit with her sons, Melvin and Marvin, at Plainview.

D. A. Davis was in Memphis Sunday.

Mrs. Morris Abbott of Canyon visited relatives here Sunday.

Elmer Reeves of Alanreed was in McLean Sunday.

W. O. Alexander of Burkburnett visited in McLean last week.

BUY PRINTING IN McLEAN

Miss Mannie Abbott of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Abbott, Sunday.

Mrs. Jerry Workman and little son, Jerry, Jr., are visiting relatives in Paris, Texas.

W. C. Phillips is visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. A. Bodine, at Tucumcari, N. M., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wafford of Shamrock visited in McLean Sunday.

Mrs. Leon Bodine and children visited in Canyon Saturday.

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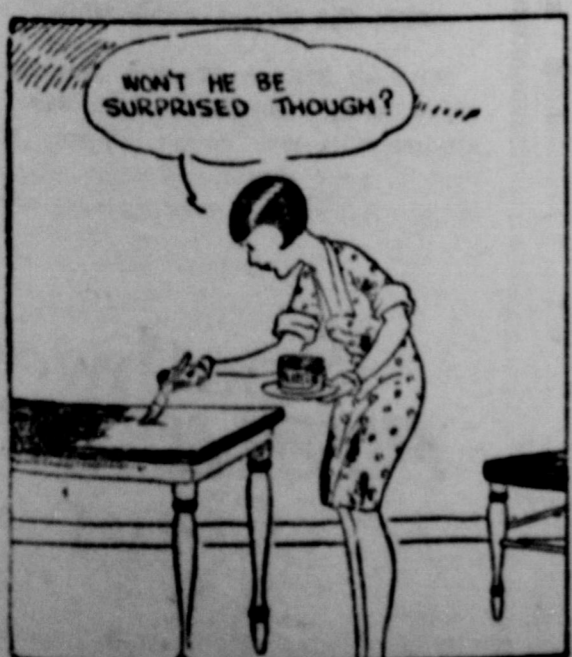
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Loans and discounts	\$136,852.69
Overdrafts	33
Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	17,053.42
Banking house, \$7,500.00; furniture and fixtures, \$4,200.00	11,700.00
Real estate owned other than banking house	6,551.40
Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	3,238.67
Cash and due from banks	8,249.99
Outside checks and other cash items	973.44
TOTAL	\$184,619.94

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus	5,000.00
Undivided profits—net	3,525.14
Due to banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	1,601.75
Demand deposits	80,762.11
Time deposits	16,870.34
Bills payable and rediscounts	51,830.60
TOTAL	\$184,619.94

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CLIFFORD ALLISON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1932.
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 Correct—Attest: J. M. CARPENTER, REUBEN R. R. COOK, D. N. MASSAY, Directors.



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Methodist Pastors Pass Dry Resolution

Nineteen ministers of the Methodist churches in the Clarendon district passed a resolution condemning the wet action of the Democratic convention.

Rev. R. N. Huckabee, secretary of the conference, presented the resolution signed by Presiding Elder Beavers and himself, in the following speech, using as a subject, "Dry Democrats, Let Us Repease the Party."

"The great issue before the dry, Christian Democrats of the South today is, what shall we do with our presidential votes? Shall we organize a new party? Shall we vote as many did in 1928 for the Republican candidate? If so, what is to become of our party and prohibition? There is a vast difference in the prohibition planks of the two parties. The Republicans said it was not a partisan but a personal issue. This leaves the individual voter or congressman free to vote his convictions. The Republicans voted to submit this issue to the people of the states. The Democrats not only declared for submission, but also commit the Democrats to voting wet if it is submitted. The Democrats also proposed an immediate liberalization of the Volstead act so as to allow the sale and manufacture of beer and wine.

"But the Republican plank calls for an act which is definitely the first step in the repeal of the prohibition amendment. Neither party calls for a submission of this matter to the people on a test vote. Both parties ask congress to pass an amendment to the constitution which would, if ratified by three-fourths of the states, repeal the 18th amendment. Article five of the Federal Constitution is not headed 'submission,' but is headed 'amendments.' The very wording of this article precludes the idea of congress 'submitting' amendments to the states. When they hand down an amendment for the states to ratify, they are in that act proposing or endorsing said amendment. Witness the wording of the constitution: 'The congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses deem it necessary, SHALL PROPOSE AMENDMENTS to this constitution . . . which shall be valid . . . as part of this constitution when ratified by three-fourths of the states.' Thus congress cannot pass the buck. When they pass a matter like this down to the states, they are in that very act 'proposing an amendment' to the constitution. This is the first step in repealing. Other steps cannot be taken until this is done. So we see the Republican position on this part of the question is like the Democratic, really wet, regardless of any slogan you may hear to 'Let the people decide this issue.' So what is the most practical thing for dry, Christian Democrats to do?

"The Chicago Democratic convention witnessed a great struggle for supremacy in the party between the wet, Tammany-controlled large cities of the nation—and the dry, regular Democrats of the South and West. The Tammany-controlled element was headed by Al Smith, Raskob, Curry, Schouse, and Senator Walsh of Massachusetts. The other element was headed by W. O. McAdoo, Senator Walsh of Montana, Carter Glass and Cordell Hull. The former are directors and prominent workers of the Association Against Prohibition. The latter are traditionally dry. Raskob, in the opening of the convention, dwelt extensively on the 18th amendment and declared this to be the dominant, social and economical issue of the convention. His national committee has conspired to make this the dominant issue of the convention and national campaign to follow. The other element contended that prohibition is a social and moral question and cannot be introduced into a political party without overshadowing all other important issues. Party tradition and Woodrow Wilson were quoted to no avail. The wet press, wether Chicago and the desire to win the fall election stampeded the convention. The convention adopted the wettest plank ever introduced into a political convention in this country, by a vote of more than four to one. They took over bodily the program and plans of the Association Against Prohibition and committed the membership of the party to work as hard for the repeal of the 18th amendment and the modification of the Volstead act as they could be expected to were they active members of the Association Against Prohibition. All of this was done in the 'interest of real temperance,' with the beer and wine plank thrown in. The people asked for bread and were given a drink.

"How did such a great, radical wet victory occur in a party where three-fourths of the representatives came from territory which is traditionally dry—where their representatives in congress have heretofore not dared to vote any way but dry?

"We are not here attempting to assess merit or demerit on the dry defection from the Democratic party

in 1928. But we face a practical question which must be met. Many dry Democrats of the South left the party in 1928 and have stayed out of the convention until the present. They were uncertain as to what was best to do. We can now see that the prohibition cause at the national Democratic convention suffered severely because too many dries had stayed out of the county and state conventions where the policies of the party were made and instructions to the national delegates were given. Texas, for example, was dry as the Sahara desert in the 1928 convention because the dry element was on the job before the convention shaped the policies of the party. This time the Texas delegates voted for the policies of the Association Against Prohibition. This did not represent Texas sentiment, but it did represent the compromising attitude of those whom the dries have left in control of the party.

"In the Chicago convention the prohibition plank which was adopted was promoted and written by those to whom the party surrendered in 1928. But before the convention was over the true Democrats rallied with one of the most significant victories in this generation—a victory for the people against the privileged rich who want to shift their taxes from their pockets to the poor man's throat. Smith and Raskob and Schouse accepted the invitation of the victors to turn the reins of government over to those who can see something the nation needs besides a glass of beer.

"In Texas we are soon to have the privilege of voting as to whether the Democrats of our state are wet or dry. This may have been designed to keep the dries out of the party. But the Democratic party is going to run this state. What sufficient reason is there that the ruling party of our state should be denied the presence and counsel of those who left their party because of Smith and Raskob in 1928? The latter are now discredited. Let us make it permanent.

"Shall we stay out because the party has been in the fog and swamps for four years? What would Washington do? Did he quit when he was defeated by the liquor interests in his first race for public office? Those who resented his severe criticism of the drink evil defeated him with a shower of ballots at the rate of more than six to one. But when the whiskey rebellion came on and tens of thousands of people were in open revolt against the whiskey revenue and good citizens were being tarred and feathered because they were for the law, did Washington say, 'Let us repeal the law and let the people have their way?' His response was to send 15,000 soldiers into the disturbed area. He had to keep an army of 2,500 men in this territory all one winter. But when the soldiers came out the people had a deeper respect for the law and stronger love for the union, and Washington had demonstrated that he was not a quitter.

"Dry Democrats, our victory is partially won. McAdoo has been restored to his rightful place from which he was knocked by Smith in 1924. Let us continue the fight in the ranks of the party until such men as Cordell Hull of Tennessee, Pat Harrison of Mississippi, Robinson of Arkansas, Glass of Virginia, and William Gibbs McAdoo cannot be hooted down in a convention of Democrats. By going back into the party and working for your ideals in the party you strengthen the cause of the 18th amendment by 50%. Let us all together rebuke those who have perverted genuine Democracy and made the party of Jefferson and Jackson and Wilson and Bryan a beer party and an adjunct to the Association Against Prohibition.

"Hope for victory in this method of procedure comes from the fact that now Tammany is defeated and discredited. Resentment is deep against those directors of the A. A. P. who forced this issue upon us. Rebellion is in the air. Let us ignore the wet plank and recapture the party. 'On with the battle!'"

RESOLUTION

"Whereas, the national Democratic party has adopted a plank in its platform to commit the members of the party to the repeal of the 18th amendment of the constitution and to commit our members in congress to vote for the same;

"Whereas, ours is a representative government and not a government by or for a party or faction and the party which presumes to speak for the people of a congressional district or state is exceeding its prerogative; "Whereas, neither party in its national convention has proposed a test vote of the people of the nation to ascertain the sentiment of the people concerning their attitude on the 18th amendment, but both parties have proposed the submission of an amendment to the constitution which would, if passed by three-fourths of the states, repeal the 18th amendment;

Whereas, our congressmen and senators represent a district and state which are dry and should so vote on this matter (witness article five of the Federal Constitution is not headed

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"Therefore, be it resolved by the pastors of the Clarendon district of the M. E. Church South, assembled in Clarendon, Texas, July 6, 1932, that we hereby petition our congressman, Hon. Marvin Jones, and our national senators, Hons. Morris Sheppard and Tom Connelly, to vote against the proposed wet amendment to the constitution, thus expressing the will of their constituency rather than the dictates of a party convention."

KILL RATTLESNAKES

Suppose the repealists succeed—suppose that enough states vote to set it aside. Suppose these same states vote to repeal their state prohibition laws. Suppose we turn the liquor traffic loose. What kind of country will we have? Does anybody believe for a moment that conditions with respect to the liquor traffic would be improved? Certainly not. In fact, every thinking man knows the conditions would be intolerable. Even the wettest of the wets, like Al Smith and Ham Lewis and Jim Reed and Governor Ritchie, et al—admit that there must be some sort of regulation and control of the liquor traffic. Can the states control it better without the aid of the national government than they can with the aid of the national government? It would be folly to so contend. Repeal national prohibition and turn the matter back to the states as the wets advocate, and it will be all the harder for the states to prohibit or regulate the traffic. For the counties or the cities to do so by local laws in this day of paved highways and speeding automobiles would be an utter impossibility. For the evils of the liquor traffic to be stamped out, all the agencies of government must be employed everywhere and all the time. Repeal of the eighteenth amendment will not solve the liquor problem. It will only aggravate it. Modification of the Volstead act will not solve it. It will only render it more difficult. The only safe way to deal with a rattlesnake is to kill him.—Lynn County News.

The Selkirk grace offered by Robert Burns at the request of the Earl of Selkirk nearly 200 years ago might well be adopted by many Texas farm families this year, particularly those having 4-H pantries. Said Burns: "Some hae meat, and canna eat. And some wad eat that wad it; but we hae meat and we can eat, and sae the Lord be thankit."

Lufkin.—A small cannery for the benefit of mill hands in preserving their garden produce has been established by a local sawmill at Diboll with the help of Miss Gladys Young, home demonstration agent of Angelina county. Canning is done three days a week and more often if necessary. Miss Young reports that the mills at Kelly's Manning, Camp Nancy and Ewing are making similar plans.

"Before we were married you swore you would never look at another woman." "That was only a campaign promise."

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THE LIQUOR QUESTION

The liquor question of the election tickets this year will disturb the voters' minds more than anything else could do. All economic questions will be forgotten. Means and measures will be pushed aside and the entire interest of the campaign will be around this problem. If liquor should return, it would not return prosperity, but would add to the suffering and pains of millions of women and children. If liquor is returned, it will not do away with crime, greed and graft, but will add to these crimes. The antis are charging prohibition with all the ills of the day, and therefore the strong appeal of the present time. The News is always for majority rule on every public question, and has realized for some time that another vote must be taken on the prohibition question, but thinks it ill-advised at this time when so many more important questions confront our nation.—Canyon News.

NOT DESPERATE

Lady—"Well, do you want a meal badly enough to work for it?"
Hobo—"Madam, I'm hungry—not desperate."

"Where did the car hit this man?" asked the lawyer, when questioning the attending physician at the trial.

At the junction of the dorsal and cervical vertebrae," responded the doc. The foreman of the jury rose in his seat and remarked: "I've lived in this county upwards of fifty years and I know every crossroad, but I never heard of any such place; I believe it's a made-up case."

Jones—"A lady called me handsome the other day. Do you think it is sinful of me to feel a little proud of the compliment?"
Smith—"Not at all; it's the lady who is the sinner, not you."

"Oh, Mr. Blake," cried the landlady in a flutter, "I've seen a large rat in the pantry—what shall I do?"
The boarder looked up from his paper. "Shut the door," he returned, "and let it starve to death."

"Women don't interest me. I prefer the company of my fellow men."
"I'm broke, too, brother."



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irate Father—"You impudent boy! You want to marry my daughter! And tell me, do you think you could give her what she's been brought up to?"

Suitor—"Er—yes, I think so. I've a very violent temper myself."

A man in a hospital for mental cases sat fishing over a three-foot A visitor, wishing to be entertained, remarked:

"How many have you caught?"
"You're the ninth," was the surprising reply.

Doctor—"Where is that lady said you would bring me?"
Rastus—"Well, doctah, she finally got well."

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