

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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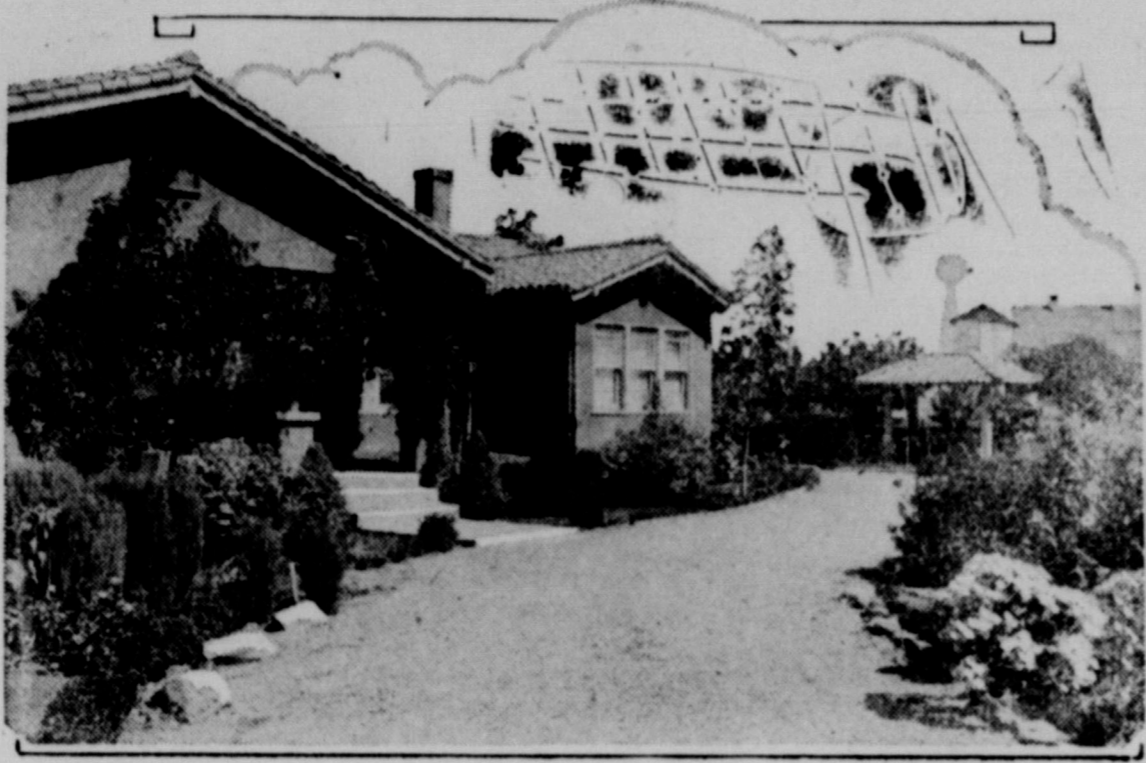
McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, April 20, 1933.

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## Music Features Program, Lions Club Luncheon

Music was featured at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday, with saxophone solos by Prof. Robt. C. Davidson, piano solos by Miss Jewel Shaw and vocal numbers by the club quartet, C. O. Greene and T. A. Landers tenors, Jesse J. Cobb baritone and Reep Landers bass. Miss Shaw also accompanied the saxophone and vocal numbers at the piano. T. A. Landers, club song director, was program chairman for the day. Reep Landers was presented by the club as a new key member. Boyd Meador reported that the club had a successful clean-up week. The setting of the cemetery trees was reported and C. O. Greene was asked to see that they are watered each week and kept properly cultivated this season. It was suggested that the club cooperate with the cemetery association in the care of the cemetery. Tall Twister D. A. Davis proved specially obnoxious, fining several members for infractions of arbitrary rules. Leon Greene apologized for presenting the Legion quartet as the act in the Panhandle a few weeks ago, saying that he had changed his mind and that the Lions quartet enjoyed this distinction; laying himself liable for a lot of kidding when it was discovered that he was a new member of the club quartet.

## GARDEN CONTEST KEEPS UP PUBLIC INTEREST IN APPEARANCE OF CITY



Sioux City, Ia., is one of the enterprising American cities which is maintaining public interest in improved municipal appearance through the Yard & Garden Contest movement. Competitions have been conducted there each season for the past four years. Thousands of home gardeners have been encouraged by this program to beautify their grounds with trees, shrubs, and flowers. The movement includes modest homes as well as the more pretentious places of the wealthier families. Above is shown one of the homes beautified in the contest.

## Tampke's Boys Winners Again at State Meet

Dr. A. A. Tampke's vocational agriculture teams were again winners at the state contest this week, according to a telegram received here. The saw filing team won first place and received the state banner. The dairy team placed first, which insures the Kansas City trip and the right to serve as the state meat judging team for the fourth consecutive year. It is not known the placings of the other teams, but it is understood that they were well up toward the top against teams from all over the state. Dr. Tampke accompanied the boys to the state meet and will probably treat them to a side trip to principalities en route home.

## C. A. Cryer New Head of Schools for Next Year

Supt. C. A. Cryer of the Gruber schools is the newly elected superintendent for next year's term. Supt. Cryer received his A. B. degree from the old Clarendon College and his master's degree from Oklahoma University. He has been superintendent at Gruber the past year, coming from Dimmitt, where he was superintendent for several years. The new superintendent was selected by the trustees from some seven-teen applicants. It is understood that all other members of the present faculty have offered their places; however, some have not as yet signified their acceptance. G. C. Boswell, present superintendent of schools here, has accepted a position at McMurry College as dean and head of the history department. No salaries have been set by the trustees, as it is not known just what the state apportionment will be.

## Graduating Class Numbers Forty-Two This Year

This year's high school senior class numbers 42, the largest class in the history of the school. Commencement arrangements are rapidly being whipped into shape, and the commencement sermon will be given by Rev. W. A. Erwin of the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday evening, May 14, at the high school auditorium. Following are the members of the class: Misses Doris and Audie Myatt, Opal Moore, Beth Word, Mary Reneau, Dazel Lucile Morse, Thelma Louise Wilson, Lucille Scott, Pansie Blanche Pickett, Annie Euva Pugh, Maxine Fowler, L. F. Stewart, Reetha Bernice Johns, Ruth Hess, Lavern M. Pettit, Willie Irene Kennedy, Birdie Lee Stockton, Marjorie Marie Wood, Clara Juanita Exum, Lois M. Hinton, Pauline Ledbetter; Messrs. Glenn Hunt, Allison Cash, William J. Billingslea, Bradley Larado McCoy, Bazel B. Pettit, Millard Windom, Forrest Switzer, Y. E. McAdams, Clois Hanner, Kelly Newman, James Whitfield, Kent Kinard Carpenter, Woodrow Wilkerson, Paul Ledbetter, Eddie Cunningham, Buster and Jock Litchfield, Bert Carpenter, Sidney Callahan, Burnett Greenwood.

## HOME NURSING COURSE TAUGHT AT ALANREED

Alanreed, April 19.—A course in home nursing is being taught at Alanreed, by Miss Howell, Red Cross school nurse. The course consists of 12 lessons, each lesson being two hours long. Students completing the course will be entitled to a Red Cross certificate. The class meets at the school building every Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. In the first lesson, Miss Howell discussed the table of life which consists of understanding, environment, health, broader outlook, mental balance and body vigor. The ladies of Alanreed are glad to have Miss Howell with them and for the privilege of studying this course.

## MARSHAL KILLS DOG; PUNCTURES AUTO TIRE

City Marshal J. A. Sparks shot a stray dog on Main street at the American Bank corner Monday afternoon, and while he succeeded in hitting the dog, part of the shot charge punctured a tire on W. H. Floyd's automobile. Mr. Sparks says he had no idea that No. 8 shot would puncture a tire and he was interested in trying to hit the dog anyway. Some five shot punctured the inner tube and quite a number went through the walls of the casing, stopping at the tube. After May first, Mr. Sparks says that his gun will be heard pretty often until he gets the strays all killed.

## SENIOR CLASS ORDERS INVITATIONS OF NEWS

Following a custom of the past several years, the graduating class of the McLean high school has ordered commencement invitations of The News, a beautiful number being selected which will be ready for delivery in a few days. The News will also print the diplomas for the class this year, the class making a substantial saving in both numbers by patronizing the home dealer.

## ALANREED CLUB MEETS

Alanreed, April 19.—The Twentieth Century Study Club met April 6 at the home of Mrs. J. Wm. Dillard. The subject for discussion was "Indian Welfare." Roll call was answered by current news of Indians. Mrs. S. L. Ball was leader, and discussed "American Tribes and Where Located." Mrs. E. B. Reeves discussed "Indian Arts and Crafts." Mrs. R. E. Paige discussed "Indian Music." Several members told of Indian tribes they had visited. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Misses Lorena Ashby and Joellen Vannoy were in Shamrock Thursday. Mrs. Myrl Archer and baby are visiting in Strong City, Okla., this week. Misses Elizabeth Kennedy and Vera Cummings were in Shamrock Thursday.

## CITY COUNCIL ORDERS STRAY DOGS KILLED

According to a recent action of the city council, all dogs found in the city limits without a tax paid license tag on their collars will be shot by the city marshal. Mayor Cash says that fair warning is being given dog owners so that any valuable dog may be protected, as the deadline for paying dog tax has been set for May 1st. Unlicensed dogs will not be impounded, but will be shot at sight after this May 1st. This action has been taken at the instance of property owners who have suffered deprivations from stray dogs.

## GOPHER EXTERMINATING DEMONSTRATION TUESDAY

J. M. Hill of the U. S. Biological Survey, in cooperation with County Agent Ralph Thomas, will demonstrate methods of exterminating gophers and moles, at the farm of C. E. Anderson, two miles northeast of McLean, next Tuesday, April 25, at 2 p. m. Farmers interested in exterminating gophers and moles from their fields and gardens should be on hand at the demonstration. For people living in the Alanreed and Eldridge territory, the same demonstration will be conducted at the L. L. Palmer farm, a half mile south of the Eldridge school, at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning.

## FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. TURNER, SUNDAY

Funeral services were held at the Alanreed Baptist Church Monday, April 17, for Mrs. D. W. Turner, aged 56 years, 9 months and 24 days, who died at the family home eight miles south of Alanreed, Sunday morning. Services were conducted by Eld. S. A. Ribble of Shamrock. Interment was made in Alanreed cemetery. Pallbearers were: Lionel Ward, Enloe Crisp, Jap Elms, Noble Fish, D. L. Wood, Harry Guill. Honorary pallbearers were: Monroe Byerly, C. T. McMurtry, A. B. Long, Frank Crisp, J. T. Blakney, Albert Miller, F. B. Thomas, Monroe Fulton, Gordon Spradlin. C. S. Rice, McLean mortician, was in charge of arrangements.

## DOOLEN IN SOLE CHARGE OF HARDWARE COMPANY

C. S. Doolen has bought all notes, accounts, and the stock of the Hamilton-Doolen Hardware Company, and the firm is now styled Doolen Hardware Company, further particulars being promised for our advertising columns soon. Mr. Doolen has some plans in mind for the betterment of the service and his prices will be strictly in line with present conditions.

## SIGMA GAMMA

On Monday evening, the Sigma Gamma met in regular meeting with Misses Frances Noel and Johnnie Villa Haynes as hostesses, in the home of the former. The subject of the program was the life and works of Edith Wharton. Those taking part on the program were: The Life of Miss Wharton, Cressie Turner; A Review of Hudson River Bracketed, Isabel Baley; A Review of The Children, Elizabeth Wilkerson. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and angel food cake were served to the members of the club. At 7:30 o'clock on Easter Sunday morning, the members of the Sigma Gamma assembled in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers for a formal breakfast. The Easter decorations were most artistically carried out, and each table was beautifully set with bouquets of tulips and lilacs for center pieces. The menu consisted of: fruit sections, scrambled eggs, chicken a la king, strawberry marmalade, butter, thimble biscuits and demitasse. After the delicious breakfast, pictures were made of those present. Members present were: Misses Nona and Jewel Cousins, Cummings, Vannoy, Turner, Baley, Simmons, Noel, Wilkerson, McCarty, Kennedy and Rice. Guests were Mesdames Rice and Landers. Miss Rice presided, and the breakfast was daintily served by Marie Landers and Geraldine Bowen. On Monday evening, April 17, the members of the Sigma Gamma met with Misses Baley and Simmons as hostesses, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Sitter. The meeting had been previously set aside for the purpose of election of officers. Officers elected were: President, Lillian Abbott; 2nd vice president, Jewel Shaw; secretary-treasurer, Jewel Cousins; reporter, Nona Cousins; 1st assistant to 1st vice president, Aline McCarty; 1st assistant to social chairman, Lucille Rice. Games of 42 were enjoyed for an hour, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to those present. Miss Howell, the Red Cross school nurse, was a guest for the evening. Clifford Allison was in Clarendon Friday.

## A DOUBLE WEDDING

Miss Bernice Johns and Mr. Billie Gross; Miss L. F. Stewart and Mr. Hubert Gross were married at Sayre, Okla., Saturday. The brides are members of the 1933 senior class of McLean high school.

## NEW CITY COUNCIL MEETS

The regular monthly meeting of the city council was held last Friday, with the newly elected officials in the session. Bills were allowed and all monthly bills were allowed and all keys and special deputy commissions called in. No other business of importance was transacted.

## REEL GRAHAM ON HONOR ROLL

Miss Sydell Graham, McLean high school graduate, who is attending the Texas Technological College at Lubbock, made the winter term honor roll with an average grade of B on term hours work. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell and Mrs. Eddie Howard were in Clarendon Friday. Mrs. S. A. Cousins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Lowry, at Wellston this week. Mrs. Middle Watkins and daughter, Mrs. Emma, visited in Amarillo Monday. Mrs. C. Floyd and daughter, Mrs. Edna, attended the Turner funeral at Alanreed Monday. Mrs. J. S. Hucksbee and family and J. A. Hucksbee, Clovis, N. M., Wednesday. Mrs. Ben Chilton of Amarillo visited her mother here last week end.

## McLEAN-PAMPA ROAD MAY BE TOPPED SOON

Gray county commissioners have accepted engineers' plans for the topping of the McLean-Pampa road and have authorized the county auditor to advertise for bids to be opened May 23. It is planned to top about 22 miles of the road, divided into two sections, beginning at McLean and at the end of the Pampa paving, leaving about nine miles this side of Lefors without topping. The county is offering to pay up to \$50,000 in cash and the rest in paying bonds at par, which is expected to interest several bidders. Mr. and Mrs. D. Clark Regal, Mrs. Billie Lowe and little daughter of Amarillo visited Mrs. Regal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, Sunday. They were enroute to Oklahoma City and Tulsa for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lowry and children of Wellington visited the lady's mother, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, last week end. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Boswell and daughters were in Shamrock Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Rector attended the Turner funeral at Alanreed Monday. Master Billy Grant White of Pampa visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Upham, this week. J. E. Lynch, E. L. Sitter and H. W. Brooks were in Pampa Monday. Toll Moore and son, Alton, were in Pampa Tuesday. Mrs. Georgia Wolfe of Lefors visited in McLean Sunday. Mrs. J. A. Meador and little son visited in Lefors Wednesday. Buck Cooke of Vega visited in McLean this week. Ed D. Smith was in Pampa Tuesday. M. M. Ruff was in Pampa Tuesday.

## NAZARENE REVIVAL GROWS IN INTEREST

Interest in the revival services now in progress at the Church of the Nazarene is growing with each service. Rev. V. B. Atteberry, superintendent of this district, is doing the preaching, and his messages leave no doubt of his stand upon vital matters. Rev. S. R. Jones, pastor of the local church, is leading the singing and Miss Luella Jones is at the piano. Services will be held each night beginning at 8 o'clock, and mornings at 10 o'clock.

## BAND CONCERT SATURDAY

According to Prof. Robt. C. Davidson, director of the municipal band, a free concert will be given on Main street Saturday at 3 p. m. Saturday concerts will be a regular weekly feature from now on, weather permitting. Mrs. Ed Dishman, Mrs. A. T. Young and daughters, Marietta and Dorothy See; and little Miss Sally Jo Alexander visited relatives in Hedley Wednesday. Mrs. C. A. Gatlin and daughter, Miss Clara Pearl, and Mrs. E. J. Lander attended the Turner funeral at Alanreed Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glass and Mrs. J. T. Glass were in Alanreed Monday for the Turner funeral. Arthur Erwin and R. L. Harlan attended the Turner funeral at Alanreed Monday. Mrs. Callie Haynes and Mrs. T. N. Holloway visited their sister, Mrs. Etta Hudgins, at Erick, Okla., Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Kennedy were in Alanreed Monday for the Turner funeral. Miss Ruby Cook returned Monday from Amarillo, where she underwent an operation. Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams were in Amarillo Monday. Mrs. N. A. Greer and son, Eugene, visited in Amarillo Sunday.

## HOME AGENT'S OFFICE DISCONTINUED IN COUNTY

The services of the home demonstration agent for Gray county, Miss Ruby Adams, will terminate June 1, 1933, according to action taken by the commissioners court last week. The motion to discontinue was made by Commissioner McCleskey and seconded by Commissioner Willard at the voting eye. Commissioner Adams was absent when the vote was taken. It was unanimously voted to re-appoint the county agent, Ralph R. Adams, Mr. Wilson making the motion and Mr. McCleskey seconding it.

## BALLARD CHILD FUNERAL

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Crow, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Ballard, at the Humble Pump Station, for their 8 day old daughter, Joyce Evelyn, who died Sunday night. Interment was made in Harmony cemetery in Hopkins county, Mortician S. Rice of McLean in charge of arrangements.

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News from Back

Back and Webb communities united in all day services Easter Sunday. Back had their Sunday school and preaching in the morning. Rev. McManey of McLean preached the Easter sermon. Then both communities had dinner at the Kewanee picnic grounds. In the afternoon services were held at the Webb school house. An Easter program of songs, readings, a piano solo by Miss Anna Beth Gatlin and a violin solo by Miss Eva Dowell, was given, after which Rev. Goff of McLean brought an Easter message.

Clara Maude Quarles spent the week end in Wellington. We are happy to announce the marriage of Hubert Gross and Miss L. F. Stewart. We want to give them a hearty welcome to our community.

W. L. Sartor, who has been sick, has recovered from his illness.

James Carpenter visited Junior, Ruby Lee and W. L. Sartor Monday.

Jack Farris and family have been visiting home folks in Jacksboro.

Lou Juana Roberts visited Louise Farris Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniels and family visited Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Wilkins and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Roberts and daughter, Sonny Boy Back and Charlie Back visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Holloway Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Dowell and son, Donald, spent Monday with Mrs. Vester Dowell.

Misses Oleta and Charlie Marie Back of McLean are spending the week with relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Delver and family visited Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hale and family Monday night.

Miss Lucille Morse spent the week end with Miss Kathryn Hales at Norman, Okla.

E. R. Rigdon and family moved to the Wetzel lease, the fore part of the week.

C. A. Cash, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Cash and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carpenter were visitors in the Milton Carpenter home Sunday.

News from Webb

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer B. Krazer attended an eastern Star meeting in Miami Friday evening.

The children of the Webb Sunday school enjoyed an Easter egg hunt at Mrs. Gething's ranch Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blaisdel, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Day spent Saturday in Amarillo.

Miss Bennie Purnell spent the week end with home folks at Wheeler.

Mrs. Curt Myers and daughter, Loretta Cochran, were in Pampa Saturday.

The Webb and Back Sunday schools enjoyed a picnic lunch in the Kewanee Grove Sunday, after which a program was given at the Webb school house, followed by a sermon by Rev. Goff. There were over 100 present.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Morse, Mr. and Mrs. George Delver, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer B. Krazer, Mr. and Mrs. Vester Woswell, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Copeland and children, Mrs. Ina Marshall, Racy Morse, Ruth Russell, Mildred, Ruth and Dorothy Krazer, Alice, Joyce and Eva Dowell, Mae Lee Morse, Billie and Glenna Delver attended the Easter program at the McLean Baptist Church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carson and little son and Ethelyn Williamson spent Sunday with the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williamson.

Miss Leota Brown spent the week end in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gatlin, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Krazer were in Shamrock Tuesday evening.

News from Heald

The young folks enjoyed an egg hunt and singing at the Jack Bailey home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Green visited relatives at Wheeler Friday.

Mrs. Clara Blair and children visited Mrs. Bill Bailey Sunday.

Misses Mary Reneau and Elizabeth Aston visited Miss Lydia Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wallace Sunday.

Miss Fahoma Ladd spent Sunday with Mrs. Jack Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Holder and son visited in the U. G. Lane home Sunday.

Buster Litchfield of McLean visited in the Earl Green home Sunday.

"War—what is it, after all—the people get but widows, taxes, wooden legs and debts."—Anchor and Index, Northwood, Iowa.

An economist has been defined as a man who knows everything and can't do anything.

RADIO BEER ADVERTISING

And then there is the radio announcer. Yeah, they'll be with us in spite of beer.

I can hear one of them fellows now saying something like this: "Listen, frans. We have a brief important announcement, please. The sponsors of this delightful program, the makers of three point two (more or less) beer, wish to acquaint you, each of you, with their product. If you are not already one of the many, many sots now using it, I have in my hands a bottle of this perfectly delightful beer, my frans. I unwrap the cellophane wrapping and then I pull off the cap (pop). I tilt the glass slightly in the accepted style of all accomplished beer drinkers. Now I pour this sparkling, amber colored liquid into a glass. I drink (gurgie, gurgie), now my frans, you may listen to the music of Doublesouser and his saturation boys."

Following the music, the announcer breaks in—"My frans, since the music has been playing I have been guzzling some more of this wonderful three point two (more or less) beer. And again I drink one for you here before the microphone." (keepsat process as before).

Announcer continues: "What a drink! What a drink! I never felt so good in my hole life! I will take another. (He does). As I satiated before the program began you are lischtening to ish music by Doublesouser an hush Shaturashun boyish. This bunsh of shoushers is composed of ole Doublesouser and his twin brotherah and their familiesh is all in the studiosh. Pardon me, my frans, while I take another bottle of this delicious amber. (He does). And if this microphonesh, all three of 'em, will shand up here and fight like a man, I will try to explain this beh lubricantsh. Pour some of it into yo' crank casheh—beg yo' pahdon my frans—I got thish programish missed up. Hic. This building ish shaking itself to peaces and I think it ish a quakesh. But we will stay with thish old ship. If you nevah hear from me agains, it will be six months too shooh. Good night adyish. Good night—Sweet Adoline." (etc., on until far into the night.—From the "World's Worst Dick" column in the Moore County News.

TOWN GRAVE DIGGERS

The following was clipped from the Bolivar (N. Y.) Breeze, called to the attention of the News editor by courtesy of A. C. St. Clair:

In nearly every community may be found quite a number of persons who consider themselves leading citizens, but who in truth are helping to dig a grave for their town. They do it through their failure to support the institutions which make the town what it is. They do it by sending away for merchandise which might be bought with equal advantage at home. They do it frequently through thoughtlessness, but sometimes through sheer disregard for the welfare of the community of which they are a part.

The doctrine of buying at home is not advanced solely in the interest of individual merchants. It is advocated because every citizen is at some time dependent upon every other one for his own prosperity. Business men are at fault sometimes as greatly as others in the matter of out-of-town trading.

If the shoe dealer sends away for his automobile tires and the automobile man sends away for his furniture and the furniture man sends away for his clothing, and so on, how can they expect to build local prosperity?

All the fine talk about civic pride that we may indulge in will never make a town, so long as the life blood of the community—the cold cash—is spent elsewhere.

A man may make boasting speeches until he is black in the face, but unless he spends his money where he makes it, he is a home town grave digger.

Supporting the home town by trading with the local merchants, is the fundamental principle of self-preservation and preservation of the community. The citizen who does not support his home town cannot hope for his property to enhance in value, nor for his town to grow and become prosperous. It is the duty of all citizens to first consider the interest of his home town merchants before trading in other places.—Home Town Loyalist.

Frank—"When you proposed to her, I suppose she said, 'This is so sudden!'"

Ernest—"No, she was honest and said, 'This suspense has been terrible.'"

Mrs. Harold Clement and little daughter returned to their home at Jedan Sunday after a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Treer.

News from Pakan

Miss Geneva Russell spent the week end with Mrs. Commodore Shipley at Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buice and family visited the lady's brother, Mr. Thompson, and family at Twitty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cadra and son, Elmer and John, were visitors at Shamrock Friday.

Jake Tarter was called to the John Cadra farm Saturday night.

John Hrcniar, Jr., took the McLean agriculture boys to College Station and Galveston. They left Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Dingler of McLean Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Smith Sunday.

Jake Tarter called at the John Hrcniar and John Cadra homes Monday.

Mr. Pennington of Wheeler visited at the J. J. Sparlin home Sunday.

Paul Valencik and Joe Valencik of Gladstone, N. M., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Valencik, last week.

BEER DRUNKS

The Dalhart Texan wants to know what to call a beer drunk. Hum. We distinctly remember what one editor (not this one) called a beer drunk years ago. He took the drunk printer by the seat of the pants with his foot and kicked him out, and the name he called the printer was not pretty. And the drunk on beer was the most sickening sight we ever saw. He sprawled on the ground in the weeds in the alley, the hot sun beating down on him and the flies swarming over him, playing hide and seek in his nose and mouth. Dirty, filthy and disgusting to the sight and not sweet to smell, the drunk lay there all day and all night and somebody notified the marshal and had the objectionable sight removed. It took that printer a week to sober up and he came back to the shop broke and tried to beg money from this spinner of yarns. He lost his job and went east on the rods. When you say beer is not intoxicating, please call to mind this true story of saloon days.—Higgins News.

How times do change! A few years ago the business man with a ragged suit found little patronage—"he's not a success; we can't do business with him." Today, we're a bit skeptical of the too-well dressed man, and the raggedy merchant is considered the "shrewd fellow, the one we can trust for good values." There's a happy medium, however—don't be deceived.—Chronicle, Weston, Missouri.

1st Tramp—"Say, Weary, I feel dat I kin breathe easier from now on."

2nd Tramp—"Why so, old pard?"

1st Tramp—"Dis is me 40th birthday. I'm 40 years old now. I seen a statement when I was young dat a man does his best work between the ages of 25 and 40, and I kin tell you I've been worried—but now I feel safe."

"The depression is a lot of people learning to do without things their fathers and mothers never had."—Chronicle, Toledo, Iowa.

BUY GENUINE BAYER ASPIRIN at your druggist's, for 15c CITY DRUG STORE More than a Merchant Witt Springer, Prop.

Cut Down Your Food Bill By Shopping Here "The Best for the Least Money" is our promise City Food Store Service — Quality — Satisfaction

MICKIE SAYS—

LEMME GIVE YA A TIP—CULTIVATE TH' NEWS-PAPEE EDITOR—BE FRIENDS WITH HIM—PATRONIZE HIM WITH PRINTING AN' ADVERTISING—HE'S HUMAN, AND APPRECIATES SUCH THINGS, AND HE IS IN A POSITION TO DO YOU A LOTTA GOOD!



SING IT NOW

If you have a song to sing, Sing it now. Let the notes of gladness ring Clear as song of birds in spring. Let every day some music bring; Sing it now.

If you have kind words to say, Say them now. Tomorrow may not come your way. Do a kindness while you may. Loved ones will not always stay; Say them now.

If you have a smile to show, Show it now. Make hearts happy, roses grow. Let the friends around you know The love you have before they go; Show it now.

—Charles R. Skinner, in Monthly Tidings.

WHEN EGGS RUN SMALL

Mrs. Newlywed was complaining to the grocery man about the small size of the eggs he was selling her. "That just goes to show how fresh they are," he explained. "I don't understand," said the sweet young thing. "Why," the dealer went on, "the farmers I get my eggs of are so anxious to rush them to me while they're fresh that they sometimes take them off the nest too soon." "Oh, I see. Thank you so much," said the sweet young thing.

Mrs. Bill Wilcoxson and little daughter, Shirley Ann, of Dalhart visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Corbin, last week.

Gillespie and Thomas Funeral Home Rear of Masonic Bldg. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are Licensed Embalmers Ambulance Service All calls answered, day or night Flowers for all occasions. Day Phone 116 Night Phone 115

TEXAS TERRACING JOB ONE-QUARTER FINISHED

College Station—A total of 110,000 Texas farms have one or more terraced or contoured fields aggregating 6,291,000 acres, and 18,375,000 more acres need terracing, declares M. R. Bentley, agricultural engineer in the Extension Service at Texas A. & M. College. The statement is based on a recent survey made by county agents in which much additional light is thrown on the organization and equipment of Texas for terracing operations. There are 8,000 farmers and 6,500 boys in the state trained and qualified to run terrace lines. Mr. Bentley points out, and 3,400 farm levels are available for their use. A total of 5,700 special terracing machines and terracing plows are owned by individuals or by communities. County road grading machinery has been used in constructing terraces on a total of 270,000 acres. The average cost of this method based on figures from 11 counties, was 72 cents per acre. During 1932 a total of 618,426 acres was reported by county agents as terraced or contoured in their counties which is a decline of 40% from the all-time record of a million acres made in 1931. The number of farms on which terracing was done, however, increased from 10,191 farms in 1931 to 13,933 farms in 1932. Estimates of how much terraces increase land values, made by farmers, national farm loan association secretaries, farm mortgage institutions, and real estate associations give an average increase of \$8.54 per acre. The yearly increase in crop values from terraced land is estimated at \$2.68 per acre per year, according to the averaged estimates of scattered reports made late in 1932.

Mrs. Jeannie Chauman and son, Buddie, of Endee, N. M., were dinner guests in the John B. Vannoy home Friday.

Dr. H. W. Finley and Witt Springer attended the Turner funeral at Albreed Monday.

GOLF VS. CROQUET

A golfer was considerably exhausted by the actions of a very young man in front. And it happened of bow legs. Finally, the exhausted, the victim drove the deliberate player in his ball passed neatly between the golfer's legs.

This breach of etiquette galled the gentleman with the arched pinning, and he marched back to the offender. "Do you call that golf?" "No," answered the other "but don't you think it's a good croquet?"

THE RANGER

There was serious rioting in Texas town, and the Texas rangers to quell the same. When the next day from the capitol, one ranger off.

"Where is the rest of you?" demanded the mayor. "The rest?" replied the ranger. "You ain't got but one you?"

Mrs. Benner—"Do you my baby is the most beautiful in the world." Mrs. Edwards—"Well, what evidence! So is mine."

John Harding and Gary were in Shamrock Thursday.

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"FILURIA"

by F. BOSH

Have you been around the corner to get a mug of our NEW SPARKETY? ... The bootlegger will do that. ... The bootlegger is on the hands of the charity missions, but glory be! he can do in our prosperity and can preserve his pride and hold his up in decent society as before. ... The angelic driver was in a hurry to get his cargo of King, amber colored, foaming, frothy to his famishing friends ... The kang was not strong enough to hold its liquid, supercharged with life, and it burst with a tremendous which echoed and re-echoed from crag to crag in thunder-storms. ... The property soon went to the rabbits, who was the president of the board of trustees of the rabbit school, called a meeting of the board. ... The editor of the Mount Hope Clarion was standing on a street corner recently, and nothing better to do, compiled statistics. ... The publisher predicts that daily newspapers will soon be printed on perfumed paper, and so busy opines in the Weeping (Web) Republican that some day we need a disinfectant right in our noses.

With the Churches

DISTRICT CONFERENCE METHODIST CHURCH

Jno. H. Crow, Pastor Wednesday evening, April 26, at 7:45, Rev. W. H. Strong will preach. The local choir will give a special musical program and the American organ quartet will sing. Conference will be called at 9:30 a. m. Thursday Rev. M. M. Beavers, reading elder, will preside over the conference. At 9:45 G. C. Boswell will give the address of welcome. 10 to 11, business session. At 11 Rev. J. F. Michael will preach. Lunch will be served at 12 in basement by Woman's Missionary Society. Afternoon session, 1:30 to 5:30. Dinner will be served at 6:30. At 7:45 Dr. J. W. Hunt will preach. Friday, April 28, conference called at 9:30. Preaching at 11. Lunch at 12. Afternoon session 1:30 to 3:30. We want to urge our local people to attend these services. We extend a special invitation to the other churches of the town. All services as usual Sunday.

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. services at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 8 o'clock. Message by the pastor. Special music by the choir. The Junior G. A. will meet at the regular time in the church basement. Choir rehearsal Tuesday, 8 p. m. The W. M. S. will meet Wednesday at 3 p. m. in circles. Prayer meeting will be held Wednesday at 8 p. m. in the church basement.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister Sunday school 10 a. m. J. A. Ashby and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, suprs. Morning worship at 11. Sermon by the pastor. Anthem by the choir. Christian Endeavor 7 p. m. No preaching at night. Junior choir Monday, 4 p. m. Ladies' Bible study Tuesday, 3 p. m. Choir practice Wednesday, 8 p. m.

LIBERTY SUNDAY SCHOOL

There were 56 present at Sunday school last Sunday and 66 present for the Easter service following the Sunday school. It is expected that there will be preaching after the Sunday school services next Sunday.

WEBB SCHOOL HOUSE

Rev. W. A. Erwin, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will preach at the Webb school house Sunday at 3 p. m.

The editor of the Stamford (Neb.) Star, according to the Lincoln Spark, finds time, when he is not chasing news items and ads, to sell ice, read meters, read the government rain gauge, act as town clerk, run for state representative, occupy a church pulpit frequently, carry mail and raise a family. In addition, Mr. Wear has time to beat all comers at checkers or chess. He can also hang paper, paint buildings and take a two-row corn weeder apart and put it back together with his eyes shut. In a recent issue of the Star Mr. Wear announced that he is now in the business of buying cow hides. If that man doesn't watch out he'll have his hands full one of these days.

J. H. Sweet, of the Nebraska City News-Press, asked the question, "What has become of the old-fashioned debtor who was always sick in bed for three days at the beginning of each calendar month, when collectors are wont to call?" To which Allan May replies in the Auburn Herald: "He is still in our midst, but he remains in his place of business and tells the collector that he can't pay because of the depression."

R. A. Summers remarks in the Seward (Neb.) Blade that a Sioux City landlord has advertised a house for rent for several months without success. Maybe it's the depression, but more likely it is because of the sign on the house itself, which reads "This house for rent; tenants must keep the Ten Commandments."

The Hay Springs (Neb.) News says that which is too often true: "One of the serious troubles today is that business men generally are licked before they turn the key in their stores each morning."

According to the Tonkawa (Okla.) News, a newspaper man's bitterest enemy is not the man he has abused, but the man he has failed to praise.

Use printed salesmanship.

JUST FOR FUN

NOTHING UNUSUAL

"Did you give the man a third degree?" asked the police officer. "Yes. We brow beat and badgered him with every question we could think of." "What did he do?" "He dozed off and merely said now and then, 'Yes, my dear, you are perfectly right!'"

SOME REDUCTION

Polly—"And how is your husband getting on with his reducing exercises?" Anna—"You'd be surprised. The battleship he had tattooed on his chest is now only a rowboat."

HOW HE HAS GROWN

The following appeared in the "Frantic" column of one of our leading newspapers—"If V. M., who deserted his wife and baby boy twenty years ago, will come back, aforesaid baby boy will knock hell out of him."

STIMULATED

"How long have you worked in this office?" "Since the boss threatened to fire me."

NOT GUILTY

Teacher—"Peewee, did you throw those wads that are sticking on the blackboard?" Peewee—"No, teacher, mine didn't stick."

GOT THE WORKS

Ralph—"Before Amos was married he said he would be the boss or know the reason why." Chester—"And now?" Ralph—"He knows the reason why."

NOSE SIESTA

"Did you hear Robinson snoring in church this morning? It was simply awful." "Yes, I did—he woke me up."

"Does you take this woman for thy lawful wedded wife?" asked the colored parson, glancing at the diminutive, water-eyed, bow-legged groom, who stood beside two hundred and ten pounds of feminine assurance. "Ah takes nothin'," gloomily responded the bridegroom. "Ah's bein' tooked."

A young couple were occupying the porch swing rather late that night. The girl's mother called out: "Sue, what are you doing, up so late?" Sue replied: "Looking at the lovely moon."

"Well," retorted the mother, "it's time to send the lovely moon home."

"You're looking bad, old man," said an acquaintance to Brownie. "What's the trouble?" "Domestic," replied Brownie briefly. "But you always said your wife was a pearl." "So she is. It's the mother o'pearl that's the trouble."

Stranger—"What were those groans I heard coming out of that building? Is it a hospital?" Officer—"No, that wasn't groans. It was the owners of a store talking over business."

"Hello," called a feminine voice over the telephone. "Is this the Humane Society?" "Yes," was the reply. "Well, there's a book agent sitting in a tree, teasing my dog."

Jimson—"I don't believe in long engagements, do you?" Simpson—"Yes, I do; why shouldn't a young couple be happy as long as possible?"

Mother—"I can't think, for the life of me, Reuben, where that boy of ours gets his temper from. No one can say it's from me." Reuben—"No, he didn't get it from you, 'cause you've still got yours."

The traveling salesman called the head waitress over and complained: "Where's my honey?" The head waitress replied, with great dignity: "She got so fresh we had to let her go."

She—"What was that noise when you came in last night?" He—"Night falling." She—"Oh, excuse me. I thought it was day breaking."

"Our teacher talks to himself. Does yours?" "Yes, but he doesn't realize it—he thinks we're listening."

"But how did you get her to believe such an outrageous lie?" "I told it to her in strict confidence."

An there's the story concerning a Chapchat clergyman, who, at a dinner, had to listen to a talkative young man who had much to say on Darwin and his "Origin of the Species." "I can't see," bawled the young whippersnapper, "what difference it would make to me if m' grandfather was an ape." "No," skirrnished the clergyman, "I can't see that it would. But it must have made a great difference to your grandmother."—Wampus.

Little Martha had gone to church and on her return home her mother asked her how she liked the singing. "I liked it very much, although the people all said it was bad," she replied. "All the people said it was bad? What do you mean, dear?" "Oh, it was so bad that when they were praying I heard them say, 'Lord, have mercy on us miserable singers.'"

"Mrs. Smith, ma'm, will you take this money of mine and keep it for me?" "Why yes, but why should I? I thought you were going to be married."

"So I am, Mrs. Smith, but do you suppose I would keep this here money in the house with a strange nigger?"

"Beg your pardon, but what is your name, sir?" the hotel clerk asked. "Name?" echoed the indignant guest who had just signed the register. "Don't you see my signature there?" "I do," answered the clerk. "That's what aroused my curiosity."

A tramp sign painter who jitted through Tonkawa (Okla.) won the admiration of the editor of the News by just one little idea he had painted on the side of his car. It read: "If it doesn't pay to advertise your business, then advertise it for sale."

Mrs. Asker—"Do you favor the short work day and the five day week for men?" Mrs. Nayber—"I should say not! Husbands are around the house and in the way too much of the time already."

Plappre Flo—"I stopped by to go to school with you, Sue. The wind is blowing fierce outside. You better prepare for it." Sue—"Gracious! I suppose I'll have to wash my knees!"

"I hear the new minister is a wonder. Is his wife equally fine? Does she do anything to bring people to the church?" "Oh, yes. She makes her own dresses and she wears a different one every Sunday."

Goofus—"How do you explain that lightning never strikes in the same place twice?" Rufus—"That's easy. After lightning strikes once, the same place isn't there any more."

Mrs. Blab—"Before they were married, he said he would divide everything 50-50 with her." Mrs. Gab—"And doesn't he do it?" Mrs. Blab—"Oh, yes; he takes \$50 and gives her 50c."

Teacher—"Now, Josephine, can you explain what is meant by the word 'unaware'?" Josephine—"Yes, 'unaware' is what you take off just before you put on your nightie."

Fond Mother (to daughter)—"What did the editor say when you presented your poem to him?" Daughter—"He said he couldn't print it because he was out of poetry type."

Egbert—"The dentist examined me and told me I had a large cavity that needed filling." Herbert—"Did he suggest any particular course of study for it?"

Youngster—"I'm looking for a job." Butcher—"Well, I like the looks of you, but I can't afford much help." Youngster—"But I won't be much help, sir."—Cornhusker Countryman.

Prisoner—"It is hardly reasonable to charge me with being a forger, when I can't sign my own name." Judge—"You're not accused of signing your own name."

Teacher—"What is the difference, James, between electricity and lightning?" James—"You don't have to pay for lightning."

Bride—"Cutberth, dear, how does my record so far compare with your mother's?" Groom—"You're fusses are nothing like the ones mother used to make."

Smiff—"Do you believe that marriage is a lottery?" Peck—"No; in a lottery a man is supposed to have a chance."

CITY CLERK 50 YEARS

George M. Bridgeman of Manover, N. H., has just been elected town clerk for the 50th consecutive one-year term.

Everett and Henry Smith were in Dallas last week.

W. M. Smith attended the funeral of his brother at Dallas last week.

John C. Haynes was in Pampa Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Dyer of Goldston visited relatives here last week end.

Mrs. Y. B. Lee was in Goldston Friday.

W. C. Collier and son, Hubert, of Amarillo were in McLean Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Porter Smith were in Dallas last week.

Misses Aline McCarty and Jewell Cousins were in Shamrock Thursday.

Vester and Ruel Smith were in Dallas and Fort Worth last week.

W. E. James of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

L. O. Floyd was in Shamrock Saturday.

Sherman White and James Todd of Pampa were in McLean Friday.

F. E. McCracken of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

Haskel Belew of Amarillo was in McLean Friday.

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FOR SALE

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

ADDING MACHINE ribbons and rolls at News office.

DUPLICATING sales books, 5c each at News office.

FOR TRADE

COWS to trade for horses, or will take two horses to work for their feed. Bob Ashby.

LOST AND FOUND

FOUND.—Fountain pen. Describe and pay for this ad. News office.

LOST.—\$5.00 reward for return of spotted pointer dog. Dr. C. B. Batson.

JUST DON'T GIVE A DAMN!

Darkey Smith sold Darkey Jones a mule. Jones soon noticed that the mule would not stay in the road or furrow—that he ran into stumps, trees, fences.

Jones went back to Smith and said: "Nigger, you sold me a blind mule."

"Naw," replied Smith, "dat mule ain't blind—he just don't give a damn!"

If your car shimmies and wanders and weaves like that mule, bring it to us. We are experts on steering gear, wheel alignment, excess tire wear.

No charge for test and inspection.

PAMPA BRAKE & ELECTRIC

Across the Street West of City Hall Pampa, Texas



THE MCLEAN NEWS

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Phone 47

T. A. LANDERS, Publisher

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Table with subscription rates for Texas and Outside Texas, including One Year, Six Months, and Three Months.

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

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

MEMBER

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Texas Press Association
Panhandle Press Association

Mighty few people ever amount to anything who do not try to help the other fellow amount to something.

Most men's idea of a snap is another fellow's job, but if they could change places a while, they might change his opinion.

The News is indebted to the Dallas News for a complimentary copy of the Texas Almanac. This year's edition of the almanac has much more information than formerly, and is well worth the price asked for it.

It is foolish to kid ourselves into thinking that the evils of pre-prohibition days did not amount to much. They were just as real as some of our problems today, and the repeal of the 18th amendment will bring them right back with renewed force.

And now the R. F. C. fund committees are taking the position that those who refuse to make a garden are not entitled to any other assistance, according to reports from other towns. Seeds and plants will be furnished and workers will be required to tend their gardens. Community gardens are also part of the plan in towns, the products of which belong to the relief committees for distribution, and not to the workers.

The Randall county treasurer's quarterly financial report was published in the Cannon News last week as the law directs. It is becoming more and more popular to let the man who pays the bills and collects the officers see how his money is being used. The law directing publishing reports is a good one, as far as intention goes, but at the present time there is no penalty for failure to publish, so that most of us never know what is done with our tax money.

According to a survey recently made by the School of Journalism of the University of Southern California, subscribers to the home town paper buy from 12 to 21 per cent more merchandise from local stores than do non-subscribers. In the smaller communities this ratio runs as high as 25% at times. The investigators are convinced that the retail business in the smaller communities would be 20 to 25% less than at present, if there was no newspaper advertisement.

These figures can be duplicated over and over in thousands of small towns over the country. The advertisers keep the trade coming to town, and both advertisers and non-advertisers profit; however, the advertiser profit most—the non-advertiser gets the overflow trade. This is another thing that has been proven many times right here in McLean.

Subscribers to the home paper are among the most progressive and loyal citizens of the community, they have the money to buy what they want, as is evidenced by their paid-in-advance subscription to the home paper. They know that advertisers sell cheaper and deserve the confidence of their customers.

It is the policy of the editor of this paper to patronize advertisers and advocate the patronage of advertisers by others, as a matter of good business judgment.

THE CUB POST

- Editor-in-chief: R. L. Floyd
6B Reporter: Lela Mae Phillips
6A Reporter: Willa Mae Gressett
5B Reporter: Marion Thompson
5A Reporter: Clyde Carpenter
Spelling Reporter: Lorene Moore
Primary Reporter: Margaret Kennedy
Music Club Rep: Jessie May Lynch
Band Reporter: Spencer Sitter
Sports: Raymond Dalton
Glee Sports: Julia McCarty
Dance Sports: Mrs. Jim Back
Cyclist: Maxine Fowler

PLANO HONOR ROLL

Third and fourth years—Willie Louelle Cobb, Ermadel Floyd, Billie Jean Biggers, Dorothy Sitter, Juanita Carpenter, Georgie Colebank, Loyce Landers; beginners—Beth Evonne Floyd, Genevieve Boswell, Jessie Mae Lynch.

EGG HUNTS

Various rooms had their annual Easter egg hunt Friday. Miss Simmons' room had an egg hunt on the north part of the school ground. Mrs. Reep Landers, Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Roberts hid the eggs. They all had a very nice time. The 5B class enjoyed an Easter party. At 3:30 Miss Turner announced that we would all find an egg on the floor when we entered the room. To our surprise we found paper eggs tied to a string. Of course, we followed the string to see what was on the other end, and found a candy egg concealed in a box. The prize string was tied to a golden rabbit. After the egg hunt we played some interesting Easter games with much hilarity. When the games were over we enjoyed matching paper rabbits for partners. Mrs. Byrd Guill, at this point, announced that we were wanted in the cafeteria, where she and Mrs. Chas. Cooke and Mrs. Peb Everett had prepared delightful refreshments of ice cream and cookies, the latter being furnished by Caldwell's Bakery.

Mr. McHaney's room had an egg hunt on the vacant lots near Mr. McHaney's home. Mrs. Cash, Mrs. Finley, Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. McHaney hid the eggs. Afterward they were served with apples and cookies. Everyone had a nice time, and thank our mothers for their help and Mr. Caldwell for the cookies.

Mrs. W. L. Campbell and Mrs. Homer Abbott planned the egg hunt for the first grade. The children brought eggs, Caldwell's Bakery furnished the cookies, and the room mothers furnished lemonade.

Friday afternoon Miss Baley's pupils had an egg hunt. The prize egg was found by a guest, "Stubby" Hamilton. Twenty-eight was the largest number of eggs found by any one pupil. The lucky boy was James King. We wish to thank the mothers of our room for hiding the eggs for us.

Last Friday afternoon Mrs. Harris' room had a nice egg hunt west of the school building. Bobby John Cochran found the prize egg. The room mothers, Mrs. Langford and Mrs. King, hid the eggs.

Friday afternoon Miss Noel's room had an egg hunt. Marcella Campbell found the second grade prize egg and Barnard Angle the first grade prize egg. After the hunt, we came back to our room and there we had ice cream, made by room mothers, Mrs. Kirby, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Fulbright; and cookies donated by Caldwell's Bakery. Everyone found several eggs and had a very good time.

ASSEMBLY NOTES

By Wanda Estes
Opening assembly, we sang "The Eyes of Texas," then "Ginger Up," "It's a Short Life We Live Here," and the good old tune, "Dixie Land." Bro. Erwin read some of the Bible. He taught us a new song called "The City of Gold." We then had prayer. That was the last time Bro. Erwin will be with us. We have enjoyed having him with us every time he has come.

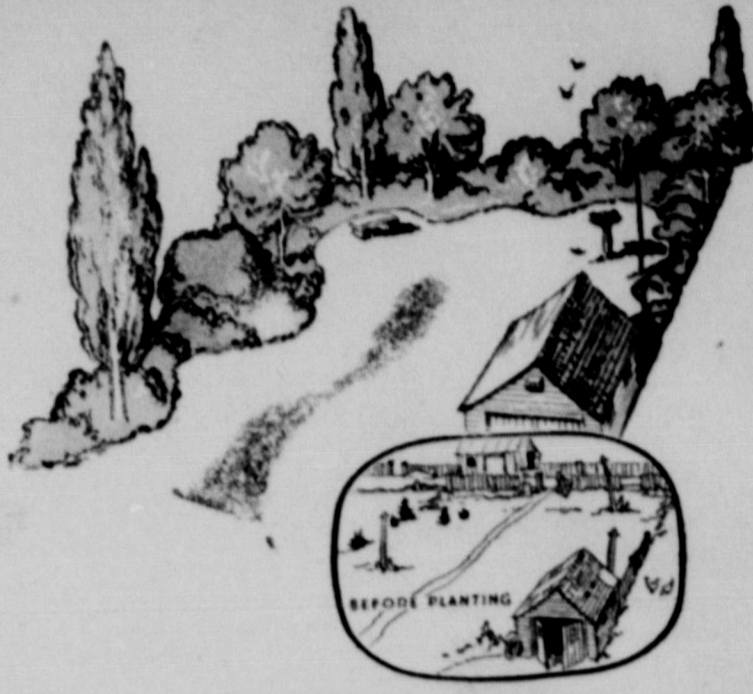
EASTER

By Billie Jean Biggers
Long ago when Christ was on earth He was crucified and put in Joseph's new tomb. On Sunday He arose from the tomb and came out. When Mary and Martha came to visit the tomb they found an angel there who said He had risen even as He had said. They were afraid. Mary cried. After a while Jesus came and said His hand on her and said, "Why cryest thou?" She said, "Where hast thou taken Him?" for she thought it was the gardener. Then Jesus spoke in His own voice and Mary recognized Him. Now when we celebrate Easter we are celebrating the resurrection of Jesus.

EASTER

By C. A. Watkins
Before Jesus was crucified He told His disciples that He would arise

A TRANSFORMATION



TWO OF A KIND

From the dead in three days. On Sunday, three days after His crucifixion, the angels descended from heaven and rolled away the stone, and Christ arose. His mother, Mary, and another Mary came and were weeping. Jesus came and asked them why they wept. And Jesus' mother and the other Mary were glad.

Two casual golf acquaintances were walking across the green when they sighted two women coming over the hill. "I say," remarked one of the men, "here comes my wife with some old hag she has picked up somewhere." "And here comes mine with another," retorted the other icily.

STRAIGHT "A'S"

Seventh grade—Jesse Dean Cobb, Sixth—Ermadel Floyd, Marion Thompson, Georgie Colebank. Fifth—Vada Appling, Eugene Stewart. Fourth—James Fulbright, Third—Glenda Landers, Bernice McClellan, Hallie Nell Slinger, Oran Back, Genevieve Boswell. Second—Johnny L. Windom, Bubby Lochridge, Viola Appling, Marion Wilson, Maudie D. Woods, Imogene Bell, Grey Glenn Fulbright, Wayne Back, Marcella Campbell, Juanita Davidson. First—John Kirby, Billy Carpenter, Jo Ann Campbell, Betty Jo Andrews, Coleen Burrows, Mary Lee Abbott, Mary Evelyn Foster.

Railroads in Gray county were assessed \$30,603.04 in taxes in 1931, as against nothing for busses and trucks, according to figures recently released by Texas Railroads.

Miss Pansy Watt visited in Pampa Friday.



EYES RIGHT

To the school child, correct vision is all-important. Eye trouble of any kind retards mental progress. Have your youngster's eyes examined now, and, if need be, fitted for PROPER GLASSES.

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BRIEFS

By A. P. ANELLO

The Soviet government may be in earnest about the trial and conviction of English citizens for sabotage, or may not. It would appear that it may be a matter of propaganda. At least only very light sentences were given to two out of the five accused. The others were set free. The sentences will probably never serve their terms.

The wheat and cotton markets are again capering about and getting up just a little. As much as the American public may condemn the Stock Market as the perpetrator of the present depression, most of us are glad to see the "beast" raise its head again.

Mr. Judd is making one of the strongest pulls possible for her life. It must be hard getting only a few days stay from death at a time, and that after hard and almost losing fight. We wonder if she, the one so how valuable life was before she committed murder? Her lumberman friend is certainly getting off light.

President Roosevelt's reforestation project is starting off well. Its criticism is being lost. It seems to us that the project is one that has been eminently needed for at least twenty-five years.

We admire Mr. Roosevelt for his dropping the old "spoils of the war" plan of replacing all office holders with party supporters. Inefficient office holders should be ousted, but efficient ones are worthy of consideration.

There is effort being exerted from within the army towards its re-

organization. It might be from without, but coming from is a new angle.

Beer for Texas! Will it ever And when? It isn't making fast headway at the present. ought to be enough people who know what the effect of "stiff" would mean to thousands now happy homes to forever from being legalized. It is to be unable to keep all the and another entirely thing to say "Come on with legal and we don't care how homes it damns."

The world economic conference nearing. Mr. Roosevelt has big job, let's hope he's big handle it. There is a possibility it may bring about a much feeling and relation of international affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Berde little daughter, June Dolores Mrs. Alma Turman of Pampa the ladies' parents, Mr. and R. L. Harlan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Street in Alanreed Monday.

Fire Hail Ten. W. E. BOGAN & SON Insurance Life - Auto - Casual McLEAN, TEXAS



Do You Know ...

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### A PRIZE WINNING OUTDOOR LIVING ROOM



The girls and Miss Vannoy are planning an enjoyable trip to the Home Making Education Rally at Mineral Wells.

#### AGRICULTURE REPORT

About 18 of the F. F. A. boys, including their teacher, Mr. A. A. Tampke, left Saturday for College Station, where they entered judging contests.

Several of the McLean boys have been selected as members of the Texas F. F. A. band, and will go to Kansas City in the fall. These boys went to A. & M. to practice with the band during this meet.

A telegram from Mr. Tampke, which was sent from Galveston, announces the following report of the contests: McLean first in saw filing, third in dairy, and the trip to Kansas City won in livestock judging.

#### ORATORICAL CONTEST

No definite date has been set for the local prohibition contest in oratory, but the preliminaries will be held at an early date.

Below is the second place winner in the Lions Club essay contest. The essay was written by Marie Landers.

**If I Were a Lion, What Would I Want My Lions Club to Do for Our Community?**

If I were a Lion, I would want my Lions Club to be active in every activity of the community. I would want my club to really take an interest in how the community looked, and to do something about it. For instance, I would want my Lions Club to improve the city park, and make it a pleasant place for both the young and the old. I would want

the club to be interested in the school, its activities, and to help the school in any possible way. I would want my club to promote an interest in good clubs and organizations for the young people of the community. I would also want the club to cultivate singing and the appreciation of music among themselves and others. Also, I would want the club to gather funds and material for a public library, which many of us would enjoy and appreciate.

Another very important thing I would want done is stressing of the need of fire prevention and safety first.

The city cemetery could be beautified, and the roads should be kept in better condition.

I would want my club to provide milk and other nourishing foods for the undernourished children of the community, and I would want the club to care for and cheer the sick and at least help support a hospital for those who are unable to pay for medical treatment.

I would want my club to extend

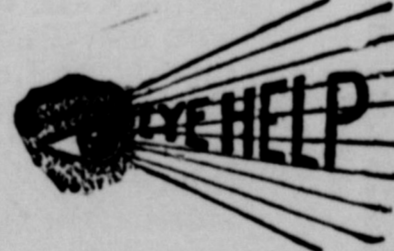
#### NURSE TELLS HOW TO SLEEP SOUND, STOP GAS

Nurse V. Fletcher says, "Stomach gas bloated me so bad I could not sleep. One spoonful Adlerika brought out all the gas and now I sleep well and feel fine." City Drug Store.

#### Grade "A" MILK

The Standard in Milk  
Rich in Vitamins  
Health and Growth in Every Bottle  
**HIBLER'S DAIRY**

#### Dr. Thos. M. Montgomery



Eyesight Specialist  
Will Be in McLean  
the First Friday in Each Month  
Office at Erwin Drug Co.  
Optometrist and Optician  
626 Polk St. Amarillo, Texas



It pays to back a winner



Just as a Royal Flush beats the field in a game of poker, so ADMIRATION COFFEE leads all others in public favor. A hundred thousand Texans switched to Admiration last year.

DUNCAN COFFEE COMPANY

### next Sunday's Lesson

#### SUBSTITUTES SELF-SEEKING

Mark 9:30-43  
By Rev. Cecil G. Goff  
The lesson setting was probably in autumn of 18 A. D. It was in Jesus' mind that the great concept was made. From there Jesus went with His disciples to the mountain of transfiguration which we noted in Sunday's lesson. From there they went to Capernaum. They probably stopped in the home of Peter, the way there had been some conversation among the disciples. It was a possibility among a group that followed out of hearing distance of Jesus, or possibly while Jesus was talking to some sick or weary man when Jesus asked them what the lesson was about. They were unwilling to tell Him. They evidently ashamed of it and had some that He had not heard and not know the subject.

### THE TIGER POST

Editor-in-chief Ruth Hess  
Senior Reporter Kelly Newman  
Junior Reporter George McCarty  
Sophomore Reporter Mozelle Glenn  
Freshman Reporter Marie Landers  
Home Ec Reporter Avalee Back  
Athletics Reporter Woodrow Wilkerson  
Agri. Reporter W. C. Carpenter  
Glee Club Reporter Emma Jean Ayer  
Sponsor Elizabeth Kennedy

#### NEW SUPERINTENDENT ELECTED

The Staff of the Tiger Post, together with the entire student body and faculty, are well pleased with the selection of the superintendent for another year. He is Supt. Cryer of Gruver. He comes to McLean most highly recommended as a school man and a superintendent. A most pleasant and profitable year is expected.

#### FAMILY GOES TO SEE "THE SIGN OF THE CROSS"

Last Thursday afternoon the Texas Theatre of Shamrock gave a gratis preview of the motion picture, "The Sign of the Cross," to teachers and ministers. The high school teachers who enjoyed this treat were: Supt. Boswell and family, Mr. Harding, Coach Rush, Misses McCarty, Kennedy, Cousins, Ashby and Vannoy.

#### SENIOR REPORT

The senior class met last week for the purpose of selecting a minister to deliver the commencement sermon. Rev. W. A. Erwin was selected. The sermon will be delivered Sunday evening, May 14, at 8 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

#### GOLFERS TO CANYON

The McLean high school golf team composed of Allison Cash and Kelly Newman motored to Canyon Friday with Mr. Harding to participate in a golf tournament held there. Eighteen holes were played Friday and eighteen Saturday, medal play. A gold medal was presented to Amarillo for first place and a silver medal to Pampa for second. McLean ranked third.

#### TENNIS PLAYERS TO AMARILLO

Friday, the girls tennis doubles, Miss Emma Back and Ruth Hess, accompanied by their coach, Miss Cummings, went to Amarillo to play in the district meet. They drew Hedley and had to play last. The teams were so evenly matched that 36 games were played before either team won. The games were: 1st set, McLean 6, Hedley 1; 2nd, Hedley 11, McLean 9; 3rd, McLean 6, Hedley 3. Saturday morning the girls had to play Amarillo. The games were: 1st, Amarillo 6, McLean 3; 2nd, Amarillo 6, McLean 2. The Amarillo girls won the district.

#### SOPHOMORE PARTY

The sophomores are really proud of their room sponsor, room mothers and room "papa." They made possible one of the best parties the sophomores have had this year. This party took place at the gymnasium Thursday night. Although it was a rather bad night, nearly all of the sophomores were present and of their parents and high school teachers. Those present, besides the members of the class were: Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Appling, Mrs. Follis, Miss Annie Pugh, Miss Vannoy, Miss Kennedy, Mr. Rush, the room papa, Alva Alexander; and sponsor, Miss Cousins. Games were played until a late hour and then everyone enjoyed ice cream and cake.

#### HOME ECONOMICS REPORT

On Thursday, April 13, the second and third year home economics girls staged a style show in the high school auditorium. It pictured a middle aged couple dreaming of their little girl who had just married and left them for a home of her own. It first pictured her in infancy, next in childhood, then in school days and college life, and last in love and romance.

The winners of the contest were: second year, Bobbie Lynch first, Nova Fern Piersal second, Erma Koen third; third year, Juanita Wade first, Oleta Holloway second, Martha Mathis third.

the awarding of prizes for contests and to stage events that would be for the enjoyment of the whole community.

I would want the club to be friendly to everyone and to be willing and ready to do its work.

#### News from Ramsdell

Mr. and Mrs. H. Longan made a business trip to Pampa Tuesday.

The young people enjoyed a picnic on the creek Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. G. Davidson and son, Floyd, visited in the Lloyd Davidson home at Wheeler Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott and baby and Miss Lillie Mae Pharis were supper guests in the Cadenhead home.

There was a large crowd at Sunday school and church Sunday. Rev. Sidney Johnson preached Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davidson and Mrs. J. E. Cox of Wheeler attended the dinner and Easter egg hunt at the school house Sunday.

Miss Zella Mae Lankford, who is attending school in Amarillo, spent Easter with home folks here.

A large crowd attended the literary Friday night. The next program will be April 28, when a negro minstrel will be given. Everyone is invited to be present.

Claud Lamb of Plainview visited his sisters, Mrs. Theo Scott and Mrs. Guy Pharis, Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grogan, Mrs. Miller and Ross Grogan were dinner guests Sunday in the H. W. Finley home.

Mesdames J. W. Kibler, C. S. Rice, John B. Vannoy and R. P. Cunningham attended the Turner funeral at Alameda Monday.

Sheriff C. E. Pipes and Deputy Roy Stout of Pampa were in McLean Saturday.

Miss Cressie Turner was in Shamrock Thursday.

John B. Hesse of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

W. W. Boyd and M. M. Ruff were in Alameda Saturday.

### ALWAYS AND ALWAYS THE BEST

And now comes news that the radio broadcasting companies are worried over reports that cigarette companies have decided to withdraw from the radio field and concentrate on newspaper advertising in the future. Big business and small business alike experiment with various forms of advertising, always finding out in due time that an advertisement set in attractive display alongside the current news of the day or week is the least trouble to the advertiser, the most effective way to the reader's interest (because it was long ago accepted by him as wholly legitimate) and undoubtedly the least expensive of all forms of advertising. Roger Babson, a recognized authority on business trends, and a firm believer in advertising, said recently: "If it doesn't pay to advertise your business, advertise it for sale."—Clarendon News.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Glass and son of Alameda were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. J. G. Davidson and daughter, Miss Lena, of Ramsdell were in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and baby were in Goldston Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dwyer were in Shamrock Saturday.

Miss Frankie Andrews of Canyon visited home folks here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansel Christian were in Amarillo Friday.

**C. S. RICE**  
Funeral Director  
FUNERAL SUPPLIES  
MONUMENTS  
Flowers for Funerals  
Ambulance Service Anywhere at Any Time  
Phones 13 and 42

**USE THIS OLIVE OIL POWDER**  
then touch your skin...!

**IT'S SATIN-SMOOTH!**  
Your complexion transformed—immediately! Softer, smoother skin—petal fine!  
What a difference lovely skin makes in your appearance! You'll be so delighted you'll never go back to ordinary face powders after you've tried Outdoor Girl.  
For Outdoor Girl—and only Outdoor Girl—contains olive oil. For the first time this proven beauty aid has been successfully combined with powder. A powder more clinging, protective as well as beautifying—yet so light it seems to become a very part of your skin!  
You can now try this \$1 powder in the generous 5c and 10c sizes sold at drug and department stores. The other Outdoor Girl Beauty Preparations come in convenient sizes too, so you may also try them without extravagance—and with equally elating results! If your druggist is out of stock, send the coupon below for the Beauty Kit containing liberal trial sizes of five famous Outdoor Girl Beauty products.  
**OUTDOOR GIRL Olive Oil FACE POWDER**  
SEND 10¢  
CRYSTAL CORPORATION, Dept. M3  
130 Willis Avenue, New York  
I enclose 10¢ to cover mailing costs. Please send me liberal trial sizes of your five famous oils to lavender.  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
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MADE IN AMERICA FOR MISS AMERICA



**JUST FOR FUN**

**HIGH PRICED DOG**

A gentleman walking along the road met a small boy leading a dog. He stopped and asked the boy: "Son, what are you going to do with that dog?"

"Sell him," replied the boy.

"For how much?"

"Fifty thousand dollars."

"Do you think you can get that much for him?"

"Sure," replied the boy.

A few days later the gentleman met the boy again, and asked: "Did you sell your dog?"

"Yes."

"Get fifty thousand dollars for him?"

"Yes, but had to take two cats at twenty-five thousand dollars each."

**WHO BURPED?**

Big Shot Alumnus—"Among all the various branches of collegiate football, passing, I think, develops a man most."

Another Ditto—"And in what form of passing were you particularly adept?"

B. S. A.—"The buck."

**HOW IT STARTED**

Hubby — "You must economize! Think of the future. If I were to die, where would you be?"

Wife—"I should be here all right. The question is—where would you be?"

**GRADING POP**

"Is your boy Josh ambitious?"

"Yes," replied Farmer Cornfossil.

"He's planning to be so rich and successful that already he's beginning to look on me as a sort of poor relation."

**TAKES NO RISKS**

"Hi, there you! Didn't you tell me you never got tired?"

"Dat's right, boss, Ah allus stops and rests befo' Ah gets tired."

**WHAM!**

"Doesn't your wife miss you when you stay out till three in the morning?"

"Occasionally—but usually her aim is perfect."

A Scotchman went to the dentist to have a bad tooth out. He decided to take the gas, even if it did cost extra. Just as the dentist started to get busy, the patient took out his pocket-book.

The dentist remarked: "Oh, you needn't pay me yet. I'll trust you."

The patient replied: "Yes, but I thought if I was going to be unconscious I might best count my money first."

"It is the duty of everyone to make at least one person happy during the week," said a Sunday school teacher.

"Have you done so, Freddy?"

"Yes," said Freddy promptly.

"That's right. What did you do?"

"I went to see my aunt and she was happy when I went home."

Mother—"Bessie, why don't you try to be a good little girl?"

Bessie—"I do try, awfully hard."

Mother—"But you don't succeed very well."

Bessie—"Why, mother, just think what a bad little girl I'd be if I didn't try at all."

Askit—"Do you believe anyone can do more than one thing at a time?"

Tellit—"Certainly. There's a typewriter girl in our office who can typewrite, chew gum, hum the latest songs and plan what she is going to tell the boy friend the next time she meets him—all at the same time."

The paragrapher on the Atchinson (Kan.) Globe states that he once knew a managing editor who would not permit the society reporter to write that a solo was rendered; he insisted that lard, and not a solo, is rendered.

"Gasoway's speeches have improved a lot since he got somebody else to write them for him."

"Yes, and they'd be improved a lot more if he could get somebody else to deliver them for him."

College Senior—"What would you advise me to read after I have completed my course and graduated, Professor?"

Professor—"I would suggest the 'Help Wanted' page."

Smiff—"Do you believe marriage is a lottery?"

Peck—"No; in a lottery a man is supposed to have a chance."

Doctor, after painting throat of patient—"That'll be \$3, please."

Patient—"Suffering cats! I had our whole kitchen painted for \$2.50."

**A WEDDING WRITE-UP**

How-It-Might-Be-Done Item, contributed by James C. White of the Brownwood Bulletin, who writes:

I have just noticed in your April issue the model funeral story written but not published by C. L. Holden of the Holden (Mo.) Progress, and is recalled to my mind a wedding write-up which I perpetrated and actually published March 15 in the Bulletin.

My story was fiction, of course, but had its inspiration in a terrible row with a woman's store operator, who threatened to stop her advertising because we refused to name the designer of the wedding gown in a recent marriage here. Such is the life of a country editor, but it has its little compensations.

The story, which appeared in Mr. White's "Around the Supper Table" column reads as follows:

We have often thought that it might be a good idea to mention every business concern interested in each item of news, such as a wedding, for instance. Since free advertising costs nothing, a more generous distribution of it would at least be interesting. For instance, a paragraph from a wedding announcement might be made to read as follows, or thereabouts:

"Last evening at the First Presbyterian Church, erected by the J. B. Moore Construction Company, Miss Iodyne Simpkins, (ribbons, needles, thread, tatting, etc., Hemphill-Pain Company), was wedded for better or for worse to Mr. Woodrow Wilson Spradlin (fourth assistant attendant, Texas Company filling station, gasoliner, oils, free air), in the presence of a few selected friends.

"The bride wore a charming gown made by the Shop of Youth, with shoes from Sears, Roebuck & Co., gloves from Neiman-Marcus, hat from Dave Knobler's, and the necessary unmentionables garnered from the mammoth stocks of Montgomery Ward & Co., Woolworth's and the Renfro Drug Stores. The groom wore a hand-me-down suit which had been renovated by the DeLuxe Cleaners, his shoes having been shined by the staff of Lon Smith's news stand. They left for a wedding trip in a model T Ford, recently conditioned by the Harris Motor Co., following the wedding dinner at which was served spinach from Harlow's, potatoes from Emisons', meat from the Help-Selfy stores, fresh cookies from the Harper Bakery, and ice cream from the Alamo Manufacturing Company. They will be at home eventually in a house on Fourteenth Street rented from W. A. Bell & Company."

A football played had gone to a western town and was instructing a group of eager young cowboys in the arts of football. "Mind," he said, "if you can't kick the ball, kick one of the players on the other side. Now let's get busy. Where's the ball?"

"Never mind the ball; let's get on with the game," cried an enthusiastic pupil.

"Nothing that is false ever does anybody any good," said the soapbox orator.

"I have false teeth and they do me a lot of good," retorted an old man in the audience.

J. H. Gillespie of Brice visited his son, Layton, Saturday and Sunday.

**ALL LINES OF BEAUTY CULTURE**

We specialize in permanent waves. We use only the best of material and equipment.

We give Herbox scalp treatments. Give us a trial—you will be pleased.

**Vanity Beauty Shoppe**  
MRS. R. L. APPLING

**THE NEWSPAPER MAN**

R. B. Peattie, in the American Press, tosses this bouquet to the newspaper man:

If you want a receipt for that popular mystery known to the world as a newspaper man, Take all the wonderful persons in history, Jumble them up in the best way you can;

The talent of Dickens portraying humanity, Punch of a Dempsey in landing a blow,

The wit of Mark Twain without his profanity, Gift of Belasco in staging a show, The boldness of Shaw in exposing quackery,

The push of a Pershing pursuing a foe, The knowledge of Johnson, the satire of Thackeray,

Restraint of a Howells, the weirdness of Poe, The force of Macaulay without his verbosity,

The craft of a Caesar in conquering Gaul, The detail of Zola without his atrocity, Firmness of faith like another St. Paul,

An Osher, a Mayo, a Flexner in medicine, Grace of Pavlova conducting a dance, In physics an Einstein, or even an Edison,

The sardon humor of Anatole France, Much of sincerity, none of mendacity, But honesty, courage, and great perspicacity.

Take of each element all that's reducible, Mix them and stir them the best that you can,

Watch the result when you empty the crucible; The residuum is a newspaper man.

**THE ENGLISH BARBER**

A man visiting an English country town went to the local barber shop for a shave. The barber made several slips with his razor, and pasted a small piece of paper over the cut to stop the bleeding. When the operation was over the victim handed the man half a crown.

"Keep the change, barber," he said. "It's worth half a crown to be shaved by so versatile an artist. Why, you're a barber, butcher, and paperhanger all in one."

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows of Ramsdell were in McLean Saturday.

**POULTRY FLOCK PAID**

The demonstration poultry flock of Mrs. F. H. Shultz in Wharton county last year paid for all the groceries, some of the clothing, seed for the farm, and left \$6 per month for other purposes, she has reported to Miss Aileen Burton, home demonstration agent. From a flock of 100 hens and from chicks raised, Mrs. Shultz sold \$228.57 worth of eggs, fryers and cull hens with an actual cash outlay of \$35. Her laying flock ration consisted of corn or maize and skim milk. Two-thirds of her income was from fryers. Worm infestations, which she learned to control by giving individual capsules, cut egg production below the Extension Service standard during two months.

**TEXAS TAX LAWS**

Municipal corporations having the right to impose purely regulatory measures and determine the reasonableness and necessity thereof could fix a license fee of \$50 upon wholesale dealers in fruits and vegetables. City of San Antonio v. Teague, 54 S. W. (2nd), 566. (Ct. Civ. Appl. —San Antonio).

There are two classes of people who do not need to advertise, writes Editor Merwin, in the Beaver City (Neb.) Times-Tribune. Those who do not expect any business and those who have made so much money by generous, tactful advertising they have retired from business with a fortune.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodrome of Lookaba, Okla., visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Y. B. Lee, last week.

**PSALM OF AN AD**

I look into my mail box  
And what d'ya s'pose I see?  
A business-like envelope  
All addressed to me.

I open it very carefully,  
And try to be so neat—  
And there's a circular saying:  
"Our bargains can't be beat."

I take the stately letter  
And tear it half in two,  
But when I get the old home paper,  
I read the ads clear through.

So, if you're wise and advertise  
In the old home paper,  
I'll buy everything that I need  
From apple sauce to garden seed.

—Adopted.

Men must expect to work and sacrifice for their work if they are to accumulate enough of this world's goods to live with any degree of comfort.

An intelligent person does not know all—he knows where he must look to be enlightened on the particular subject.

**CLAUDE WILLIAMS**  
Lawyer  
General Civil and Criminal Practice  
in All Courts  
THEATRE BUILDING  
Phone 60 Res. Phone 261

Why condemn France, refusing to pay nineteen million dollars in interest on her debt? United States, turned around fourteen million to Austria, West Plains (Mo.) Claim many an American stores bills at the local stores for the money to buy gasoline, car, cigarettes for his wife, for the little card parties on Saturday nights?

Man criticizes woman for extravagances, but she has two dollars worth of cash to get a twenty cent riddle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Adams in Santa Rosa, N. M., last week.

**PHILLIPS PRODUCTS**  
GASOLINE OILS  
Lee Tires and Tubes  
Boyd Meador,  
PHILLIPS 66 WHOLESALE STATION  
66 SERVICE STATION  
W. K. Wharton,  
PHILLIPS 66 SERVICE STATION  
L. L. Rogers,

**Look for the Spare Cash in Your Barn and Attic!**

TODAY people want bargains. The day when used articles were spurned because everyone wanted the latest styles and most up-to-date models of furniture is past. What everyone is looking for today is an opportunity to buy serviceable goods at a reasonable price.

That unused baby crib, or that unused bed and springs, the carpet which was displaced several years ago, and are now collecting dust in your attic, can be turned into money. Look in your barn. There is the plow that hasn't been used for years. Maybe you have too much hay. Money can be obtained from all these things and hundreds of kindred articles, if you are able to find men who will buy them.

The News goes into hundreds of homes and literally thousands of eager buyers scan the want advertisements for bargains. Among its readers are those who want to buy the articles which you would like to turn into cash.

The cost of News want advertisements is small. A minimum charge of 25 cents is made for all such advertisements.

Phone 47

**WARNING!**  
to Dog Owners

All dogs without tags will be shot after May 1. Secure your tags from the City Marshal, J. A. Sparks.  
By order of the City Council.  
**CITY OF McLEAN**  
C. J. CASH, Mayor

**REFRESH YOURSELF**

at our fountain. Your favorite cold drink made and served just as you like it.  
**ERWIN DRUG CO.**  
The Rexall Store

**The McLean News**

The Paper That's Read First