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I Want to Know

By D. A. Davis

Sure enough, folks, I want to know what we can't have a bald-headed man for our governor these next two years? I'm getting tired of all these curly-headed fire-eatin' folks getting all the good jobs and leaving us bald-headed men out in the cold.

As a general thing most bald-headed men are also level headed and besides that they are the most gentle, most meek, most subdued class of men on earth, and they are generally the most sympathetic and easy going, and above all can stand more ridicule, more insults, more kidding and more abuse than any class of men on earth. So folks, after giving all the candidates a good close summing up I honestly believe the bald-headed man in the race is the man we West Texans should vote for and I honestly believe that if all us bald-headed and semi-bald will turn out and vote for a bald-headed man we can have at least one good characteristic that will go a long way toward making a good governor.

And another thing. Old Tack and myself have been promised the job of totting in the wood and carrying the water down at Austin if our bald-headed candidate gets elected so instead of one man doing the wood chopping and the water carrying, our man proposes that he will give two men the job. As old Sam Braswell over at Clarendon who, by the way is quite bald, is supporting Jimmy Alfred, this will be one time that Sam won't get in on the pie; and as all of our appointees will be bald-headed that leaves Sam out. So if you want to see two bright and shiny faces and still brighter and shinier heads down at Austin for the next two years be sure to vote for our candidate.

And here is another thing I hope you all won't overlook, and that is the other officers from the top clean down to the bottom. Why can't we vote for the man that is the best qualified for the office, regardless of our personal likes or dislikes? What is the use of putting men into office just because they happened to be good friends of ours whom we absolutely know do not have as good qualifications as some other man that is in the race? I've got some mighty good friends that I would not vote for for dog catcher, simply because I know they could not do the job right, and there are some mighty good men running for office that I don't believe would do the job justice, therefore, I am not going to vote for them. In all seriousness, folks, let's lay all our likes and dislikes aside and pick out the best men that are running and vote for them, and when they are elected get behind them and give them our support. Let's stop all this hot-headed radicalism and get right down to good old common horse sense and vote for the best and most capable men that are running. You know, folks, there are just lots and lots of good honest men and women in this old United States of ours, even if the papers are full of gangster news of killings and robberies, kidnappings and outrages. Did you ever stop to think that these kind of people amount to only about 15% of the total population of the United States? And we people who are good law abiding, substantial citizens compose the other 85% and are never heard of at all. The only thing that is wrong with us is we don't do enough thinking or take enough interest in helping better conditions. We just drift along, each man for himself while the criminal element all go together, and the result is the 15% of criminal united efforts is stifling the desires of the 85% just simply because we are not united sufficiently to out vote the 15%. Let's get united, folks, let's get united.

I happened into the bank the other day while old Frank Bell was looking after some hot checks he had not collected. I had a large pocketbook in my hand, and old Frank said "What I want to know is where in the world did you get that great big pocketbook?" "This is what I use to carry around the money that we Methodists are donating to the preacher and the church." I told Frank, but I don't believe he believed a word of it. But folks, it was the exact truth if I ever told it. I took Miss Nona at least an hour to count all those pennies. I sure am glad the church folks pay off in pennies, though, instead of hot checks. It sure don't agree with my religion to get hot checks.

STRATTON-SWITZER WEDDINGS SATURDAY

Miss Rachel Stratton became the bride of Mr. Forrest Switzer at a home wedding, last Saturday afternoon, July 21, 1934.

The house was decorated with cut flowers and potted plants, the bride's mother, an ordained minister of the Pentecostal Church, reading the ceremony in the presence of the sisters of the bride and Mrs. C. H. Puckett and two granddaughters.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Laura Byerly of Pampa, a graduate of the McLean high school and Amarillo Business College. She is at present employed at the Southwestern Public Service Co.

The groom is a son of John Switzer of Middle Water, and is a graduate of the McLean high school. He is employed at the J. R. Phillips dairy farm.

They are making their home here.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

A party was given at the home of Mrs. Clyde Willis Tuesday, the occasion being the 7th birthday of her daughter, Thelma Doris.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served and a number of gifts were received by the honoree.

Among those present were: Wilma Dean Page, Marie Kite, Grace and Hilory Smith, Marjorie and Baby Lochridge, Patsy O'Rourke, Charlotte Bodine, Ila June Wesner, Martha Louise Howard, Mary Louise Bodine, Billie Wanda Wesner, Junior Warren, Junior Wesner, Billie Joe Mounce, Byron Delbert Warren, Laura Warren, Edwad Ayers, Thelma Doris, Dorothy Dell and J. C. Willis, Mildred Warren, Enid and Wilda Joye McMullen, Mary Lee Abbott.

Mesdames John Harris, Cloyce Chambers and son, Walter Smith, Hal Mounce, Travis Stokes, James J. M. Ayers, Carl Heffner, Joe Kite, Ruby Melms, Messrs. and Mesdames Wesner, I. G. Warren, W. R. Montgomery, Homer Abbott, Phillip Dwyer, W. E. Haynes, Humphrey, Messrs. J. W. Dwyer and Jack McCrellan.

Sending gifts were: Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff, Mrs. W. E. Ballard and Mrs. Ella Cubine.

A BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. C. B. Batson entertained with two tables of bridge Wednesday afternoon.

Those playing were: Mesdames Sammie Cubine, John Haynes, Virgil Reagor, G. V. Koons, Floyd Phillips, Hansel Christian, Roy Campbell and the hostess.

Mrs. Campbell made high score and Mrs. Batson second. A delicious plate lunch was served.

MUST NOT CAMP AT PARK

Mayor C. J. Cash calls our attention to the fact that camping is not allowed in the city park. It is understood that a few tourists have used the park for camping purposes lately, but the practice will be stopped.

This ruling does not apply to picnic parties, but to camping at the park.

SHAMROCK BAND HERE

The Shamrock municipal band gave a short concert here on Main street Monday afternoon.

The band was here with a motorcade, directed by Albert Cooper, Shamrock editor, in the interest of Eugene Worley for representative.

DOWN FOR SHERIFF

The News has been carrying the name of J. I. Downs as a candidate for sheriff of Gray county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Mr. Downs has as his slogan "over 11 years a peace officer." He has been chief of police at Pampa for five years and was deputy sheriff and city marshal at Elk City, Okla., for six years.

Mr. Downs says if favored with election he will see that the laws are enforced in a fair and impartial manner, and a deputy will be employed suitable to people in this section of the county.

Jack Crow of Amarillo was in McLean Sunday.

O. G. Stokely was in Pampa one day last week.

Democratic Primary Open Here Saturday

Saturday is the "big day" for candidates, when the Democratic primaries over the state open for voting.

McLean voters will have two voting places this year and voters should inform themselves as to the proper boundaries, in order to avoid confusion.

Precinct No. 17, which is the new precinct cut off of precinct 5, runs 15 miles north and south by three miles east and west with the Pampa highway and Main street forming the boundary lines.

All voters living west of these boundaries will vote at the city secretary's office, with Johnnie R. Beck as presiding judge.

Precinct 5 lies east of the Wheeler county line, west to Main street and the McLean-Pampa highway. This election will be held at the Masonic building, with J. E. Lynch as judge.

There will be candidates' names on the tickets for all offices except those of constable and precinct chairman. Names may be written in for these offices under the proper headings. The precinct numbers should not be confused with the commissioner's precinct, which is No. 4.

Pre-election talk is the quietest ever seen here, no excitement of any kind seeming to have been raised by candidates or their supporters.

A number of candidates have advertisements in this issue of The McLean News, that make interesting reading. Any interested voter can get information as to qualifications by reading them.

With only a few exceptions, the full ticket for county and district officers may be found in our political announcement column on another page.

Candidates above the district include:

U. S. Senate—Tom Connally, Guy B. Fisher, Jos. W. Bailey.

Governor—James V. Allred, Edgar Witt, Tom F. Hunter, Clint Small, Maury Hughes, C. C. McDonald, Edward K. Russell.

Lieutenant governor—Walter E. Woodall, Ben F. Berkeley, Joe Moore, John Hornsby, R. M. Johnson, J. P. Rogers.

Attorney general—Walter Woodard, William McCraw, Clyde E. Smith.

Comptroller—George H. Sheppard, J. J. Jack Patterson, Dolph B. Tillison, Manley H. Clary.

State treasurer—Charley Lockhart, Kay Griffin, Dennis B. Walker, George B. Terrell.

State superintendent—L. A. Woods.

Commissioner of agriculture—J. E. McDonald, Fred W. Davis, C. C. Conley, K. Terrell.

Land commissioner—Walter E. Jones, J. H. Walker.

Railroad commissioner—Lon A. Smith, H. O. Johnson, James L. McNess, W. Gregory Hatcher, John Pundt.

Associate justice, supreme court—John H. Sharp, H. S. Lattimore, James W. McClendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Barnwell and son, Jackie, of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Morrow over the week end. Mr. Barnwell returned home Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Barnwell and Jackie remaining for the week. Mrs. Morrow and Mrs. Barnwell are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. J. S. Morse, Mrs. Hansel Christian, Miss Robbie Howard, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gatlin attended the funeral of C. C. Sloan at Pampa Saturday.

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Mrs. Earl Green is visiting relatives at Wichita Falls.

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CANDIDATES WILL NOT DISTRIBUTE CARDS

County candidates have agreed to not distribute cards to voters on election day as has been the custom in the past.

The custom of standing in line as the voters pass to the polls and distributing cards has resulted in some confusion, and it was agreed to discontinue the practice this year.

BALL-LANDON

On Wednesday, July 18, 1934, Miss Lona Ball of Alameda and Mr. Leon Landon of Panhandle were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Alameda, in the presence of relatives and close friends.

Miss Scoggs played the wedding march from Lohengrin. The bride and groom, unattended, entered and stood before an improvised altar of garden flowers and ferns. Rev. J. W. Weathers, pastor of the Panhandle Baptist Church, officiated, using the ring ceremony.

The bride wore powder blue chiffon and carried a bouquet of pink roses and baby breath. Her going away dress was of blue taffeta with white accessories.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ball of Alameda. She spent two years in Clarendon College, has a M. A. degree from W. T. S. T. C. and taught in the Panhandle schools the past year.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Landon of Panhandle, and a graduate of W. T. S. T. C.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served. A three tier wedding cake decorated with blue roses and love birds was cut by the bride.

After a short tour of Colorado, the young couple will be at home in Panhandle, where they will teach the coming term.

C. C. SLOAN DEAD

Funeral services were held at Pampa Saturday afternoon for C. C. Sloan, aged 40, who died at his home in Pampa following a long illness.

Mrs. Sloan, who survives, was Miss Olive Haynes of McLean, marrying Mr. Sloan in 1915.

Interment was made at Fairview cemetery, Pampa.

With the Churches

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Morning service at 11.

B. T. S. at 7 p. m.

Night service at 8 o'clock.

Revival services each morning at 11 and each evening at 8. Rev. C. J. McCarty will preach at each service.

A general prayer meeting is being held each morning at 10:30. A men's prayer meeting is being held at 4 o'clock each afternoon.

Everyone is invited to attend each service.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister. Sunday school 10 a. m., F. H. Bourland, gen. supt., Mrs. Chas. E. Cooks, supt. primary dept.

Morning worship at 11. Sermon by pastor. Anthem by the choir.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

N. U. Stout, Pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m.

Morning worship at 11.

Missionary Society Tuesday, 3 p. m.

Choir practice Wednesday, 8 p. m.

Epworth League 7:30 p. m.

Evening service 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. I. A. Downey and children of San Angelo are visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Lona Latson.

Mrs. Charles H. Smith of St. Marys, West Va., is visiting her uncles, E. C. and C. B. Reed, of the Hindman Hotel.

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Mrs. H. H. Lamb and daughter visited in Shamrock last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Barber visited in Shamrock last week.

Mrs. E. J. Lander visited in Erick, Okla., Monday.

MRS. FOSTER ENTERTAINS 1934 SEWING CLUB

Mrs. Wheeler Foster entertained the members of the 1934 Sewing Club Friday with a picnic supper at Sand Spur Lake. Swimming, boating and fishing were enjoyed after supper, the members declaring the occasion to be the most enjoyable since the organization of the club.

Those attending were: Mesdames C. E. Anderson, W. J. Bridge, Callie Hayes, J. M. Noel, C. S. Rice, S. W. Rice, T. N. Holloway, N. U. Stout, W. W. Wilson, A. T. Wilson, W. B. Upham, I. D. Shaw, D. M. Davis, A. Stanfield, D. A. Davis, the hostess and the following guests: Mrs. Walter Foster and son, Johnnie, of Pampa; Miss Eula Faye Foster, Wilbur LeWison, Miss Valeria Stout, and Wheeler Foster.

McLEAN TEACHERS ATTEND NEA

Messes Elizabeth Kennedy, Aline McCarty and Irene McCoy attended the National Education Association during their visit to the nation's capital. They spent from July 8 to 12 in New York City, and are now in Canada.

Miss Kennedy was elected a reporter for the "Omnibus," official college paper.

Miss Kennedy writes The News that West Texas with its heat and wind will look good to them when they return.

LIONS CLUB MEETS

The McLean Lions Club met in regular session Tuesday with Boes Len Greene presiding.

Lion Tamer Cryer presented W. B. Weathered as a guest. Lion Bogan reported for the auditing committee, and Lion D. A. Davis announced plans of the membership committee. Lions Boyd and Cobb were presented as membership team captains.

Several major activities for the club were suggested.

SMITH-YATES

Married, Sunday, July 15, at Clovis, N. M., Miss Doris Smith and Mr. George M. Yates.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Smith of McLean, and a student in the McLean high school.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George L. Yates of Plainview. They will make their home in Plainview.

"JERICHO GAP" BIDS ASKED

The state highway department is advertising for bids on eight miles of grade and drainage construction on the "Jericho gap" on highway 66, estimated to cost \$1,700,000.

The contract will be let July 30, and the road will be constructed north of the railroad, instead of following the present routing.

OLD COTTON MUST BE TAGGED

August 1 is the dead line for securing tags for old cotton, now stored on farms or elsewhere. All cotton sold without tags will be taxed.

YOUR NEWSPAPER

The following was taken from a circular sent to retail merchants by a large wholesale house: "The value of your local newspaper to the success of your business cannot be over estimated. It's worth all the support and cooperation you can give it, for the newspaper is a mirror reflecting the life of the community in which you and your store have an important part."

"Your advertisement is the reflection of your store in the mirror, everybody sees it there. If it is not there, the mirror is dark where your store should be. You are there but you cannot be seen. Your store is open for business as usual, but 'out of sight, out of mind.' To keep in step with the progress of your community to get your share of business you must advertise regularly."

"Take your newspaper publisher into your confidence; he can give you valuable assistance. Establish an advertising budget. Plan a regular schedule for your advertisement. It's a policy that is followed by the most successful stores! It's an idea that will be profitable to you."

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Litchfield, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Litchfield attended a Litchfield family reunion at Alvord last week.

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BATHS

By O. L. D. Tiner

Since the weather is hot and dry, baths are the order of the day. Some people, when they were boys, had an aversion for a bath and have never gotten over it yet. What would be more appropriate these long hot days than a bath in nice clean water and life bouy soap? Baths are more plentiful in towns than in the country where they are needed so badly. You have seen men work a whole week at a thresher when the weather was hot and the dust was bad, and nothing but perspiration to bathe in, and then go home and take a good bath and could sing, "Oh what a change" with great gusto. When I was a boy baths in the winter time were things to be avoided, and a soap peddler was telling a crowd that his soap was extra good for bathing, and a man in the crowd said, very much in earnest, "Who in the heck ever heard of a man taking a bath in the winter time?" One hundred years ago the city of Boston passed an ordinance against bathtubs, but they afterward repented in sack cloth and ashes. Not only boys detested bathing, but I have heard of girls who put on a double portion of perfume and cosmetics rather than take a bath. I ran across an old man in New Mexico for his health, and when I asked him where I could get a bath, he said, "Why, I never bathe!"

With all the different methods of bathing, including tub baths, showers, sponge baths, swimming, and the nudist sun bath, surely there is little excuse for filth on the outside of the body, and with modern medicine and correction diets, there is little excuse for internal filth. By modern science a man can literally take an internal bath and actually bathe and purify his blood stream. You have seen man (and man embraces woman since they have gone to smoking) actually bathe the inside of his lungs with cigarette smoke, but you couldn't call it a very cleansing bath.

I heard one man tell another that he needed to go to a hospital and have the top of his head sawed off and his brain taken out and dipped in a solution of creso dip and water and then replaced before he could do any clean thinking. Occasionally I hear a man, and (I say it with shame) sometimes a woman, give vent to such venomous oaths it looks like it would give them relief to bathe or wash out their mouth with full strength carbolic acid.

The human body needs a daily bath to wash away the outside filth, an occasional internal bath to rid the body of accumulated wastes and poisons, and likewise the mind needs a psychological bath of undefiled religion to cleanse it of vulgarity, false philosophy, rank sobriety, spite, venom and malice, and then as the sailors say, we will be in ship shape. Down filth and corruption, up cleanliness and purity.

W. R. Wise went to El Dorado, Okla., Tuesday to attend the funeral of his brother, Noah Wise. He was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. Johnson, of Dalhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilcoxson and little daughter returned to Dalhart Thursday after a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Corbin.

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SERMONETTE

By Rev. Stephen M. Tuhy
Lutheran Pastor Oviedo, Fla.



Text: "And if thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out and cast it from thee: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell."—Matthew 5:29.

DRIFTING DOWN THE RIVER OF LIFE

Hoarding is one of the peculiarities of human nature. In order to attempt to put our country back on its economical feet, a law against hoarding was passed. It won't be long before people will begin to hoard their riches again. History repeats itself. This, however, shows us that people make many attempts to provide for their temporal, earthly welfare.

Our government is spending millions to avert depression, unemployment and starvation. But how about the welfare of the blood-bought souls? Are they being taken care of? Is your soul starving? What are you doing to avert the starvation of your soul? Are your hoarding spiritual gifts which are given freely by God if they are only asked for? Are your eyes so blinded by your worries regarding your bodily welfare that you are neglecting your soul? Remember the parable about the rich man whose worldly carefulness was very exact but whose neglect of his soul was pitiful? To him God said "Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee." Luke 12:20a.

In spite of worldly carefulness the welfare of our soul must be our chief concern while we are still living in the state of grace. We do not know when the cold hands of death shall cross the threshold of our home and require our soul.

The soul is very precious. We should not let anything in this world harm it so that eventually it would be cast into hell-fire. If any member of our body should become offensive we would rather lose it than to lose our soul. "If thy right eye offend thee, pluck it out, and cast it from thee." The reason is then given: for it is profitable for thee that one of thy members should perish, and not that thy whole body should be cast into hell!"

This Bible passage emphasizes the extreme value of our soul. The body may be destroyed in this life, but the soul is immortal. However, we are to fear God Who can destroy not only our bodies but also our souls in eternal hell-fire. Man cannot give any ransom for his soul. The soul of everyone was bought by the blood of the Lamb of God that takes away the sins of the world. However, whoever does not accept this Gospel teaching cannot be saved. Believe and thou shalt be saved.

While drifting down the river of life let us not become neglectful of our most precious souls. God wants them. He has given us our souls. Why let them starve or become contaminated with the wrong kind of food: indifference, modernism, blasphemy and slander? The only proper food for our souls is the everlasting Gospel of Jesus Christ, the eternal Word of Life. What is the status of your soul?

What do you think of a man who left Congress in 1928 on April 28 and missed fifty important roll calls while campaigning for U. S. Senator now severely criticizing Joe Bailey for coming to Texas to make a few speeches? Joe Bailey returned to Washington to vote on important measures. Don't we need a higher type of statesmanship to represent Texas? Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Years ago the state of New York published the session laws. It is a matter of history that there then was law observance and respect for it, rather than disregard. But unluckily, abuses crept into their publication and they were abolished. Yet the justice of keeping the public informed on all matters has never been denied and never can be.—New York Press Association Bulletin.

The American Red Cross handled 844,000 bales of cotton in 1933, carrying it from the bale to clothing. This is more cotton than was handled by any commercial firm.

The average production of one-fifth of the twenty-five million cows in the United States is less than 110 pounds of butterfat per year. This is below the cost of production.

To clean up bovine tuberculosis in the United States would eliminate approximately 700,000 cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lee and little daughter were in Pampa last Wednesday.

ANOTHER WALKATHON

A professor talking to the mother of a child who had been named for him, wishing to show his appreciation, asked, "And does the dear child walk?"

"Oh, yes, he has been walking for six months," the mother replied.

The professor meanwhile had lapsed into consideration of some perplexing problem, but recalled himself to reply, "Dear me, what a great distance he must have gone!"

Would Joe Bailey as a U. S. Senator from Texas have climbed a fire escape and used a ladies' rest room to enter a Committee Room for a hearing being conducted by him as a U. S. Senator? No, Joe would have faced the music, whatever it was. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Gumoll—"The doctors now say that low-neck dresses wa d off pneumonia." Dunk—"Well, I was at a swell restaurant last night where the girls seemed to be trying to ward off lumbago as well."

PUBLICATION MEANS ECONOMY

Efficient and economical government demands that taxpayers be fully informed at all times of the proceedings and expenditures of our officials. Making records available in the isolated office of a clerk or treasurer is not enough. They should be published at regular and frequent intervals.—Wisconsin Press.

Mrs. Vester Smith visited in Canyon last week.

Cecil and Miss Hazel Dyer were in Clarendon Saturday.

GOOD MEALS

for warm weather served at all hours

HIBLER'S CAFE

A Cool Place to Eat
Open Day and Night

E. F. Ritchey

for

DISTRICT ATTORNEY

31st Judicial District

Qualified by training and court house experience.

Graduate of Law Department, University of Texas. 20 years experience in actual practice of law, and as trial judge, less time served in World War, during which time he has tried many important civil and criminal cases.

Presided as Special District Judge at Pampa, Texas for late Judge Braly, during his illness.

Regrets he has not been able to see each voter, but makes this an individual solicitation for your support.

**Vote for
Andrews
for Sheriff**

Dear Voter:

A short time ago I announced my candidacy for the office of sheriff of Gray county. I have spent every day since then trying to contact the voters in person, but because of the shortness of time before the election next Saturday, it has been impossible to see you all.

I am taking this means, therefore, to ask for your vote and support. I believe the people of Gray county are familiar with my record as a peace officer. If elected, I will serve every section of the county alike, if it takes every cent of fees I receive. I have not and will not make any promises I cannot fulfill. I do pledge an honest, efficient, and conscientious enforcement of the laws are they are written, and to the full extent of the duties of the sheriff in that connection.

I am sorry that I could not see each voter. I will appreciate it very much if you will investigate my character and my ability to serve you as sheriff. I believe you will find that it merits your vote, and I earnestly solicit it.

Yours sincerely,

John V. Andrews

led a 307 life with her Judge," said the applicant for divorce. "You did," said his wife. "You came in with muddy feet and tracked all over the rugs, made yourself comfortable by the fire and waited to be fed. You growled when things didn't go right and snapped at me a dozen times a day."

What do you think of a U. S. Senator from Texas describing Andrew Mellon as the greatest Secretary of Treasury since Hamilton? Don't like it, do you? Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement

J. C. Payne, who is employed in Pampa visited home folks here last week end.

Low purchasing power of the farmer directly affects the entire population, as it restricts markets and reduces manufactures, and throws the population out of work.

Mrs. Frank Stockton and son, Bethany, Okla., visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Abbott, last week.

There are some things we refuse to do to sell a car



There are some things we refuse to do to sell a car. We like sales, but fair-dealing and the confidence of our customers are desirable too.

For one thing, we refuse to poison any one's mind against another make of car. We know what our car is and what it will do, and we are ready to tell you about that. But to imply defects in another car is not our business.

We have done our utmost to encourage intelligent buying of motor cars by showing purchasers how to protect their own interests. All that a good producer asks is a customer who knows quality when he sees it. An intelligent purchaser will readily conclude that only a bad product requires bad sales methods.

We refuse to keep dinning in your ears that the Ford V-8 is the best, most economical, lowest

priced car. That is claimed for several cars. Obviously it cannot be true of all. There comes a point where claims and adjectives and all advertising hysteria disappears in its own fog. Personally, I prefer facts.

We say the Ford V-8 is the best car we have ever made.

We say that our 8-cylinder car is as economical to operate as any lower number of cylinders.

We say that we have always been known as the makers of good cars and that the many good, well-balanced qualities of our present car place it at the head of our line to date.

Any one wishing to do business with us on these principles will find our word and the quality of our product to be A-1. What we say about economy, operation and durability will stand good anywhere.

[A letter from Mr. Henry Ford published by the Associated Ford Dealers of this territory]

Henry Ford

**Vote for
CHARLIE THUT
EXPERIENCED — CAPABLE
EFFICIENT — COURTEOUS**

for

County Clerk

GRAY COUNTY

A vote for Charlie Thut is a vote for efficient and economical operation of the County Clerk's office

Mr. Thut has made an effort to see every voter personally, but the duties of his office have prevented his seeing everyone.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

Democratic Primary

July 28, 1934

S. S. Lesson

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff
Pastor First Baptist Church

MICAH SPEAKS THE TRUTH

Kings 22:1-14 lesson text. Golden Rule, 1 Kings 22:14.
The lesson for today Ahab is alive and reigning over Israel. Jehoshaphat is the ruler of Judah. The two kings were on friendly terms. Jehoshaphat was a good king, generally speaking, and in the main followed God through his reign of 25 years. To look at him in this lesson one might think he was some kind of a ruler. But the incidents of this lesson seem to stand as one of the few times Jehoshaphat threw in with evil forces against the command of God. He was severely punished for it in this instance.

He made a visit up to see King Ahab. It was probably in the main a friendly call to promote peace between the two nations. The king of Syria had captured Ramoth in Gilead and was holding it. In fact there had not been a battle between the two countries in three years. Ahab thought this would be a good time to use the good will of his friend and neighboring ruler to help him capture Ramoth again. He proposed to Jehoshaphat that he join him with his armies and go to battle. Of course to do so meant the strengthening of the ties between the two countries. Yet the king of Judah did not want to do a thing that would bring defeat to him and his purpose. Jehoshaphat was anxious to hear what the prophet of God had to say about it. He had been used to hearing God's prophet and abiding by his word. Accordingly Ahab gathered his hundred prophets together. It seems that these prophets claimed to be prophets of the true God, Jehovah. We say this because one of their number, Zedekiah, made a definite prophecy concerning the coming victory of the two kings and claimed that it was the direct word of the Lord. The entire group and individual ones prophesied for a great victory for the conquest. But Jehoshaphat knew the failure of Ahab and his base worship. He knew that there was not likely to be that many prophets of the true God there.

Jehoshaphat called for an outstanding prophet of God. There was one, Micah. Ahab did not like him for he would not prophesy good things about him. Nevertheless the king of Judah wanted to hear him. It was while they were waiting for Micah that Zedekiah made his pompous prophecy. But when Micah came he very boldly told the kings that they would be defeated if they went up to battle. Not only did he prophesy defeat but death for Ahab. The armies were to be defeated, and make a successful retreat without being pursued, but Ahab was to be killed. The prophecy made Ahab very angry. He put Micah in prison. It seems that Jehoshaphat would have done something to have protected the prophet after he was responsible for his being there. But he did not, and neither did he accept his word. He went ahead after calling for the word of God, and listened to the puppets of Ahab with their smooth words and false predictions.

The armies went into battle. Ahab thought enough of the prophecy of Micah, even if he did place him in prison, to change garments with king Jehoshaphat. Nevertheless, a soldier drew his bow and shot almost at random and the arrow found a crevice in the armor of Ahab and he died at sundown. Jehoshaphat had to cry out who he was or he would have been killed for Ahab. The armies went back just as the prophet of God had told that they would.

There was neither reason nor excuse for the loss of life in that battle. God warned, but the kings and the people would not hear. How like that are we today. God has given us His Holy Word, and yet we are not willing to hear and obey it. Men do not have to question whether things come about as God says they will or not. All they have to do is to look about them and back through history with seeing eyes and understanding minds and they may know that the things God says will come about will come just as He has said they will come. God has given to men His Word and has placed His divinely called ministers of that Gospel to warn men. Furthermore, He has established in the hearts of thousands and hundreds of thousands of believers the witness that will testify to the world the power and love of God. This is present in the midst of the land so that no man has a legitimate excuse for not hearing and yielding to the call of God for his heart.

But the lost man is not the only one who is without excuse. There are multitudes of men and women who claim the promises of God who are not following Him. They are like Jehoshaphat. They know, and they

want to know something of the will of God concerning their lives, and yet they are too many times listening with itching ears for someone to say the things they are indulging in are all right. When God through His Word, His preachers, and the conscience of men commands us to turn from the activities of the world, it is time that we turned. If we do not we will be turned by the strong hand of punishment. Then most men under those circumstances whine around about their difficulties. Let us take a lesson from Jehoshaphat and heed God's warnings. Let us do the will of God and rejoice with Him.

Pleasant Mound News

Rev. Cecil G. Goff of McLean was here Sunday afternoon, accompanied by Jim Stevens, Jesse J. Cobb and Reep Landers. Bro. Stevens made a good talk which was enjoyed by everyone present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barber from Shamrock spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Washburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones and son, Cecil, visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bilderback, son, Arthur, and Noel Andrews of McLean were present for the Sunday afternoon service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Markus of Twitty spent the week end in the Privet Sparks home.

Viola Blue is visiting relatives at Dozier.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anglin and children visited in the D. H. Blue home Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery, or were business visitors in Shamrock Friday.

Dorothy and Helen Pierce spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. Belle Henderson and attended the Church of Christ meeting at McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery visited in the G. N. Connell home Sunday afternoon.

Clova Tuck visited Dorothy Pierce Sunday.

Wilma Connell spent Saturday night with Hazel Kennedy near McLean.

A party was given in the M. P. Pierce home Saturday night in honor of the birthday of Miss Helen Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay York visited Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tuck Saturday. Arthur Bilderback and Laverne Kunkel have joined our B. Y. P. U.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers visited at Groom, Amarillo and Canyon Sunday afternoon.

Early 1900 Laughs at 13 Jinx



Barney Oldfield fills his sporty pageant, will be manned by thirteen famed old-time drivers, including Andy Eurt, Cliff Woodbury and Charley Coey. The race will be held at the Chrysler test track at the Chicago World's Fair on Friday, July 13. Thirteen antique cars from Wings of a Century, Barne Oldfield, and his car is number 13. Ch. me!

"A good hoss has always had all the latest improvements these inventors are claimin' an' a lot besides. She's got a self-lubricatin' chassis, permanent body finish, water-proof covering, self-adjustin' springs, automatic danger signals, bumpers fore an' aft, steers by hand, foot, or sound, an' body squeaks are most uncommon. She collects her own fuel, grows her own tires an' inner tubes, jumps fences without wreekin' her ford's rivers without stallin' her motor, an' climbs hills without roads. Then, too, her by-products fertilize the fields for growin' more hoss fuel and her hide, when she's done with it makes harnesses for other hosses."

MAGNOLIA PRODUCTS

Stay with Magnolia and you stay ahead.

C. J. Cash, Agent
Magnolia Petroleum Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Henderson and family and Edgar Henderson of Oklahoma came through McLean Saturday enroute to the Henderson reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stokes at Friona. They were accompanied by Alonzo Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hune of Oklahoma visited their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, last week.

A mad dog in Connecticut is known to have traveled a distance of 147 miles, and also known to have bitten 83 dogs.

Between 6 and 7 million acres of Texas lands have been terraced. Terracing is producing at the rate of about one million acres annually.

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Portrait and Commercial Work
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Mail films to us for quick service
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Own Your Home

To applicants who desire to own their home, and who can measure up properly, and who might be able to carry out a contract, we will consider sale of the following home places on a Rental basis:

- All of Lots 3-4-5, block 13
- All of the West 65-ft. of Lots 11-12-13, block 2
- All of lots 3-4-5, block 83
- All of Lots 14-15, block 110
- All of Lots 19-20 & N. 1/2 of 18, block 93

Look these over; make your selection, and request our purchase plan. All located in McLean.

Wm. Kyle, Agent, Shamrock, Texas

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We are a candidate to supply your home with the best in foods. You will find us qualified to serve you with courteous and appreciative treatment. You have a chance to vote for us every market day.

City Food Store

Service — Quality — Satisfaction

LOW PRICES

- Trousers c. & p. 35c
- Suits c. & p. 60c
- Ladies' Coats c. & p. 60c
- Blk Dresses c. & p. 70c

Let us take your measure for a new suit. A perfect fit guaranteed. Many new samples to select from, and prices right.

MERLE GRIGSBY

Rear of News Office
The shop that made low prices possible.

**Vote for
J. E. Cubine
for Commissioner
Precinct No. 4
Gray County**

a taxpayer in this precinct for the past 23 years.

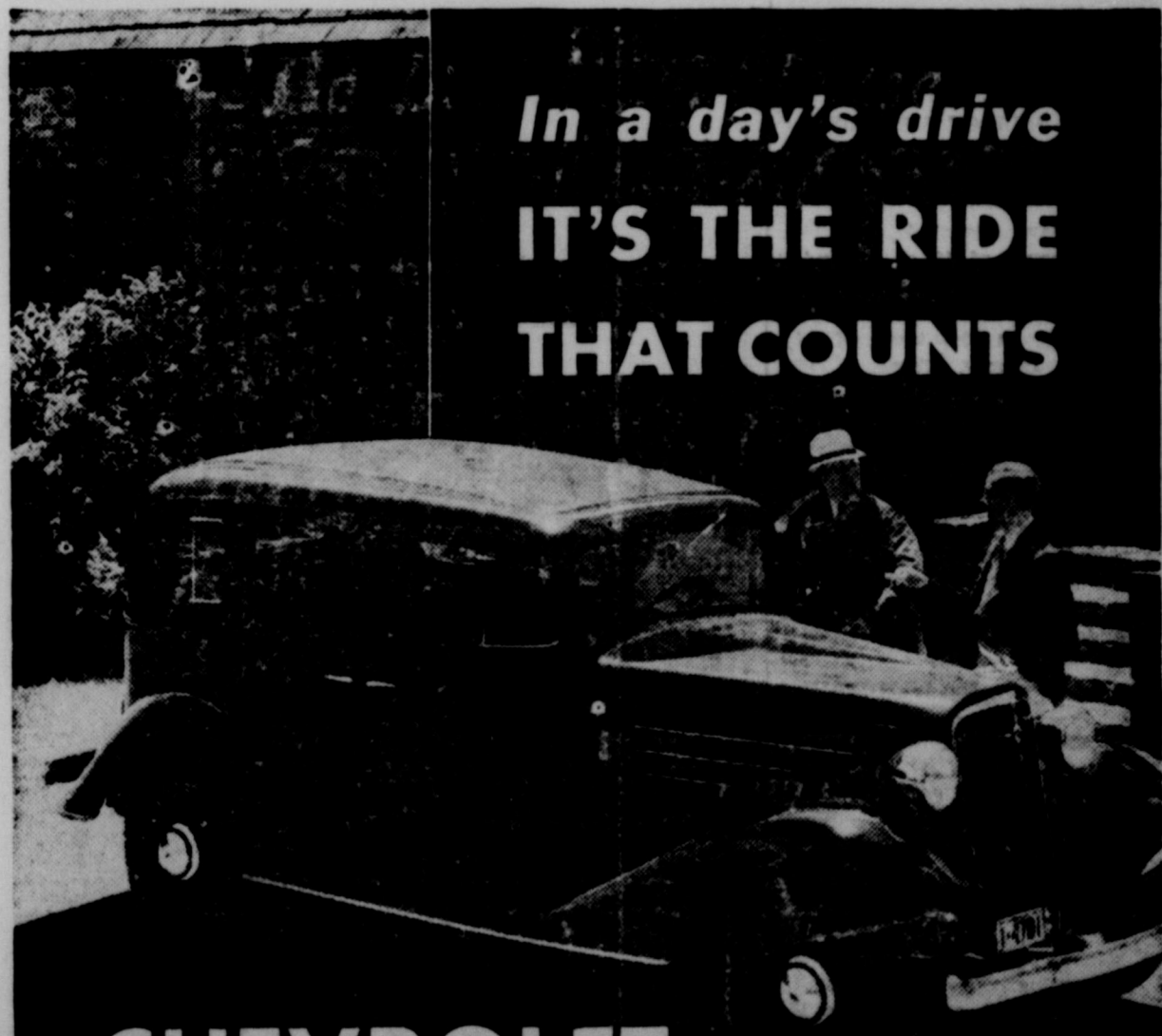
Ask any citizen as to his honesty, and ability for the office sought.

Vote for the man best qualified and who has the best interests of this precinct at heart.

If you want a businesslike administration of county affairs, vote for

J. E. Cubine

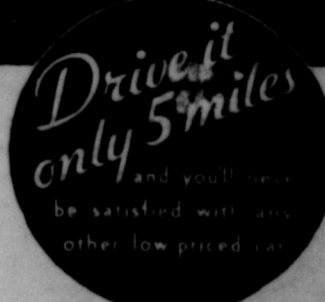
in Saturday's Democratic Primary



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CHEVROLET'S famous KNEE-ACTION ride— what a difference it makes in the whole "feel" of driving! Nothing else in the low-price field comes even close to the sensation of it! The soft, gentle way it smooths out the bumps. The comfort and ease it gives to back-seat and front-seat passengers. The safe, sure feeling it inspires in rough-road or high-speed travel. Unless you try this Gliding Ride, you'll be missing the biggest treat in 1934 motoring!



Chevrolet Motor Co., Detroit, Mich.
Compare Chevrolet's low delivered prices and easy G.M.A.C. terms. A General Motors Value.



Cooke Chevrolet Co. McLEAN, TEXAS

News from Whitefish

The C. W. Club met with Mrs. Shorty Fulton last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Fulton was hostess to six members of the club and three guests. Three tables of bridge were made up. High score went to Mrs. Enloe Crisp. Mrs. E. B. Reeves won high cut for guests.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream, angel cake and devil's food nut cake were served to the following: Messdames Dave Crisp, Litchfield Park, Ariz.; Mrs. E. B. Reeves, Alanreed; Charlie McMurtry, Enloe and Robert Crisp, Noots Davidson, Horace Bullock, Gray; Messrs. Horace Bullock, Graham Reeves and Billie Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Crisp of Litchfield, Ariz., were entertained in the Frank Crisp home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Davenport are visiting relatives and friends in Tulia and points in New Mexico.

Mrs. Lionel Ward and children are visiting relatives in Canyon.

Sunday dinner guests in the John Bible home were Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lee and children, Mrs. Pearl Smith and children, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller. They had as visitors in the afternoon Misses Hazel, Delma and Louise Kennedy; Messrs. Elwyn Corbin, Leo Sparks and Reuben Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller are spending the week in Pampa.

The entire community enjoyed six evenings of good singing and singing lessons last week. The house was crowded every evening and a larger crowd attended Friday evening singing and pie supper. The returns from the pie supper, about \$23, were given Messrs. Ferguson and Keeton who held the school. Everyone taking part in the class was greatly benefitted. Those who did not, enjoyed the good singing and piano music.

Mrs. J. A. Patterson was taken to a Clarendon hospital Saturday, where she will shortly undergo an operation. She was accompanied by Mr. Patterson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall.

Mid-day dinner guests in the Frank Crisp home were Rev. and Mrs. Dallas Dennison and small son of Olton Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Henderson and Miss Willie Dee Hall of Alanreed. Rev. Dennison held a two weeks revival campaign at the Alanreed Methodist church.

Miss Pauline Crisp spent the week in Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Butler and little daughter, Mabelle, of Bradshaw, Calif. spent the week visiting the lady's aunt, Mrs. F. B. Carter, and family.

NOTICE OF SALE OF AUTOMOBILE TO SATISFY WAREHOUSEMAN'S LIEN

On, Saturday, August 11, 1934, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. I am going to sell at auction at my place of business in the C. C. Cook building in the town of McLean, Gray County, Texas, a 1929 model Buick coupe automobile, motor number 2286223, serial number 2211176, 1933 Oklahoma license number 88-828, for the purpose of satisfying a warehouseman's lien which I have against said automobile, it having been stored in my place of business since the 11th day of November, 1933. Said automobile is the property of the Standard Chevrolet Co. of Sapulpa, Okla.

30-2c H. A. D'SPAIN.

SMALL AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

We like the way Clint Small is stressing the matter of law enforcement in his campaign for governor. We do not think that he has a ghost of a chance to be elected, but hope that his fight on lawlessness bears some fruit. Race track gambling is proving to be a business boomerang as well as a lawless institution. It should be abolished. Mr. Small should know, also, that the liquor traffic has always been lawless. His position favoring the repeal of the dry amendment in the state constitution is a concession to the lawless crowd. Give the liquor traffic an inch and it will take an ell. Small made a grave mistake when he announced in favor of repeal. Maybe he is trying to compensate for this mistake by now starting the matter of law enforcement.—Lynn County News.

It is no easy task, this taking care of the home-town merchants' advertising problems. It never will be solved very much by the average merchant, for he thinks his job of merchandising merely includes renting or owning a store building, fitting it up with fixtures and stock, and then making arrangements with the local bank to care for all his profits.—Wisconsin Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Abbott of Claude visited relatives here last week.

A. A. Callahan was in Pampa Saturday.

RADIO VS. NEWSPAPER

"Newspapers are unqualifiedly permanent and are public records. Radio is fleeting as the summer breezes—if you are not there to enjoy it, it is gone forever—if the reception is poor or you miss the message for one of a thousand reasons, it is gone forever. The newspaper can be read when convenient.

"Radio advertising carries only the cold facts without editorial comment and properly so in that the average broadcasting employee is more of a showman than a student of economics, politics and news events.

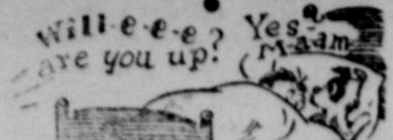
"The newspaper is in every sense a NEWS distributing agency and as such is a powerful one for molding public opinion and if the favorite newspaper has built up and merits the readers' confidence, facts and figures as set forth in its columns are taken at face value without further thought.

"It has been estimated by reliable authorities that over 80% of the newspaper readers follow the political and economic policy of his or her favorite journal.

"NOTHING WILL EVER REPLACE PRINTER'S INK IN THE GAME OF LEADERSHIP."—Miami (Fla.) Sun.

Mrs. Ida Porter, Mrs. R. T. Dickenson and little daughter, Ernestine, visited in Floydada and Clovis, N. M., last week.

ALMANAC



"A lazy boy and a warm bed are extremely difficult to part"

- JULY
- 23—Steve Brodie jumps from the Brooklyn bridge, 1886.
- 24—Waterspout in Nevada kills thirty people, 1874.
- 25—Bleriot first to fly over English channel, 1909.
- 26—George Bernard Shaw, great dramatist, born 1856.
- 27—First trans-Atlantic cable line is completed, 1866.
- 28—Austria starts the great World war, 1914.
- 29—Mussolini, Italy's Dictator, starts.

C. S. Doolen and J. W. Butler were in Taos, Santa Fe, Tucumcari, and other New Mexico towns last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shannon were in Pampa one day last week.

There are almost 9 million fewer horses and mules in the United States now than there were in 1920, which means that 40 million acres of land are no longer needed for growing feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams were in Pampa Friday.

George Downing of Mangum, Okla., was in McLean last week end.

Goodrich for Second Term in Capacity of District Attorney

"I have endeavored to see as many of the voters of the district relative to my candidacy for re-election as possible. Because the duties of the



office command much of my time, it has been impossible to see everyone. To those I have been unable to see, I take this means of asking you for your vote and influence, at the polls Saturday, July 28. I submit you my record as your District Attorney for this term, and I believe that you approve of what I have been doing. If you do approve of my work and the manner in which I have conducted myself, I earnestly solicit your support for a second term, with the assurance that I will continue to do my very best to make you a hand, and feel that my experience better qualifies me to do so for the next two years."

LEWIS M. GOODRICH.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beall left Saturday night for a week's outing in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. West and little daughter are visiting in New Mexico and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bell of Houston visited their daughter, Mrs. D. Hall, Saturday. Mrs. Hall returned home with them for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grundy Pampa visited in McLean last week end.

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605 Tyler St. Telephone 2-2239; Nights, 5426
We prepay delivery charges on orders of \$3.00 or more

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION ENDORSES JOHN B. HESSEY

We, your County Board of Education of Gray County, desire to make these statements concerning our schools: The rural schools of Gray county are in the best condition they have ever experienced since the county was organized in 1902. This is a condition that is very unusual at this time, and has been brought about by being able to secure financial aid from the State Department of Education for the weaker school districts. We believe that during this period of reconstruction it is very essential for the continued growth of our schools to have a man very closely affiliated with the State Department of Education. Mr. Hessey has proven that he is very closely connected with the department, always being able to secure adequate aid when needed. We, therefore, endorse the candidacy and platform of John B. Hessey for County Superintendent of Gray county.

COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Siler Faulkner, Chairman W. S. Wells
J. S. Wynn, Ex-trustee G. M. Counts
(This ad paid for by friends of John B. Hessey)

Vote for Us

We Are a Candidate for Your Good Will

You will find us qualified, efficient, experienced, and courteous. You can vote for us any time you need our services and be assured of appreciative treatment.

CITY DRUG STORE

"More than a Merchant"
Witt Springer, Prop.

for Those Who Like Cleanliness



The woman who wants her home to be clean as well as look clean can't well do without one of the new Electric Cleaners. It will get the dirt you can't even see—the deeply embedded grit that hides in rugs and eventually destroys them if it is not removed. An Electric Cleaner gives longer life and a finer appearance to all rugs and carpets—and, in a way, to housewives, too, for it makes housework easier, quicker, and less tiring.

Your Electric Dealer will be glad to demonstrate one of the new Cleaners in your own home—and to explain how little it costs to buy and operate.

Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company



"Over 11 Years a Peace Officer"

Vote for J. I. DOWNS

--- for ---

Sheriff

OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary, July 28

This ad is paid for by a number of Mr. Downs' friends who have the utmost confidence in the ability of J. I. Downs to make the people of Gray county a good peace officer.

The Potts Family at the World's Fair



WHEELER COUNTY FILINGS

(Courtesy Title Abstract Co.)
 MD—Robert R. Osborne to J. P. Ledford, 1/4 int. NE 1/4 section 47, block 13, dated June 4, 1934.
 OL—Gideon Bell et ux to Phillips Pet. Co. SW 1/4 of section 91, block 13, dated May 22, 1934.
 Rat. OL—Mrs. Dora L. Morgan to Northern Tex. Util. N 1/2 of SE 1/4 section 80, block 13, dated July 10, 1934.
 ROL—Shell Pet. Co. to Flora M. Thurmond et vir E 1/2 SE 1/4 section 100, block 17; W 1/2 SE 1/4 section 1, block A-8, dated June 8, 1934.
 TOL—W. R. White to Phillips Pet. Co. N 1/2 of NE 1/4 section 72, block 13, dated May 25, 1934.
 TOL—M. W. Rafferty to Phillips Pet. Co. NE 1/4 section 62, block 13, dated May 26, 1934.
 Casinghead Gas. Cont. Mid-Continent Pet. Co. to Phillips Pet. Co. NE 1/4 section 51, block 24.
 TOL—W. S. Pendleton to Skelly Oil Co. NE 97, block 17, dated June 18, 1934.
 ROL—Shell Pet. Co. et al to J. A. Welch SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 section 7, block A-8, dated Sept. 12, 1932.
 TOL—Hal H. Vaughan to Skelly Oil Co. SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 6, block A-8, dated June 2, 1934.
 TOL—Hal H. Vaughan to Skelly Oil Co. NW 1/4 section 99, block 17, dated June 18, 1934.
 List of TOL's from W. S. Pendleton and Hal H. Vaughan to Skelly Oil Co.: E 1/2 of NW 1/4 section 6, block A-8, dated June 2, 1934. N 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 81, block 17, dated June 18, 1934. W 1/2 of NW 1/4 section 7, block A-8, dated June 9, 1934. NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 section 7, block A-8, dated June 9, 1934. 1/2 int E 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 7, block 13, dated May 21, 1934. SE 1/4 section 48, block 13, dated June 5, 1934. NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 98, block 17, dated June 18, 1934. W 1/2 of NW 1/4 section 34, block 13, dated June 9, 1934.
 OL—Z. R. Deering et al to Skelly Oil Co. E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 section 8, block 27, dated May 12, 1934.
 OL—Hal H. Vaughan et ux to Skelly Oil Co. 1/2 int E 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 72, block 13, dated June 19, 1934.
 OL—Hal H. Vaughan et ux to Skelly Oil Co. W 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 47, block 13, dated June 8, 1934.
 OL—Hal H. Vaughan et ux to Skelly Oil Co. 1/2 int SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 6, block A-8, dated May 22, 1934.
 MD—C. L. Clement to O. T. Nicholson 1/3 int SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 section 34, block 13, dated July 18, 1934.
 OL—A. L. Tinney et ux to L. L. Leedy, N 363 acres of section 34, block A-8 dated May 17, 1934.
 OL—Mrs. Stella Wheeler to L. L. Leedy, SW 1/4 section 36, block A-8, dated June 28, 1934.
 OL—Mary Susie Hays et al to Ben G. Barnett, SE 1/4 section 37, block 13, dated April 26, 1934.
 TOL—W. S. Pendleton to Ben G. Barnett E 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 37, block 13; NE 1/4 & E 1/2 of SE 1/4 & E 1/2 of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 section 24, block 13, (360 acres) dated July 3, 1934.
 MD—J. M. Noel et ux to C. O. Drew, 1/2 int E 1/2 of SW 1/4 section 46, block 24, dated July 3, 1934.
 MD—Serephina D. Whitehead et vir to T. C. Cheatwood, 1/2 int E 1/2 of NW 1/4 and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 23, block 13, dated July 20, 1934.
 TOL—E. M. Kennedy to E. Apple, S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 section 54, block 13, dated July 20, 1934.
 OL—Jack Miller et al to L. L. Leedy, section 33, block A-8, dated

May 17, 1934.
 OL—Mrs. Annie Sivage et al to L. L. Leedy, section 33, block A-8, dated July 7, 1934.
 TOL—B. Johnston et al to O. B. Harvey, 1/2 int SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 section 56, block 23, dated July 21, 1934.
 OL—Jessie Faye Jackson to Christie-Hickman Drilling Co. 1.236 int. SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 section 44, block 24, dated July 10, 1934.
 OL—W. S. Walker et ux to Christie-Hickman Drilling Co., "all our undivided interest" SE 1/4 of NE 1/4 section 44, block 24, dated July, 1934

Texas is the greatest State of the Union in size, one of the greatest in population, in natural resources, and in production of raw materials. Ought we not to have a United States Senator who takes a stand for Texas without taking instructions? Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Before the civil war, each farm worker used 1 1/2 horse power in his daily work. By 1930, each farm hand used 6.7 horse power.

News from Back

Gladys Griggs of Greeley, Colo., who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Flesher, returned to her home Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Dowell, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dowell and baby of Eldorado, Kan., spent several days with their son and brother, Vester Dowell.
 Lenwood Copeland surprised us by getting married when he went to Collinsville last week. He married Miss Zula Light of Collinsville.
 Eva Dowell went to Kansas with her grandparents to spend a month.
 Kliff White and children of Spearman visited in the Lewis Morse home Sunday afternoon.
 Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Gatlin gave a party at the Webb school house for the young people Saturday night.
 Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell, Gladys Griggs, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Dowell were in Pampa Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Myers were in Borger Friday.
 Peggy Lancaster, Cecil Back, Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Back have returned from a trip to New Mexico.
 Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Langard and daughters of Pampa were visitors in the Lewis Morse home last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell visited Mr. and Mrs. Homer Quarles at Pampa. Homer is getting along as well as can be expected.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ivey gave a party for the young people at their home Tuesday night.
 May Lea Morse visited Joyce Dowell Sunday.
 We want to invite everyone to our Sunday school. We had 63 last Sunday, but we need Y O U.
 There were 16 present at prayer meeting last Thursday. Miss Lucile Morse led the prayer service. The lesson was the 15th chapter of Luke. We appreciate our young folks taking part in the religious work of the community.
 Zelma Elliott of Mobeetie visited the Back Sunday school last Sunday.
 We quitted the church quilt Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Bud Back. Those present were: Mesdames James Albright, Elliott, Kratzer, Copeland, Humphries, Lantz, Browning, Walker, Hupp, Morse, Carpenter, Ernest Dowell and Miss Lucile Morse. A pot luck dinner was served and in the afternoon Ansel and Cecil Back froze a freezer of ice cream for the group.

Popular Choice



"Song of the Lark," the painting by Jules Breton was unveiled at the Art Institute's World's Fair exhibit in Chicago, as being the painting which received the most votes in a contest conducted by the institute and a Chicago paper. Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt officiated at the unveiling after visiting the Fair.

Fair Oriental



Pretty Blossom Chan who charms Fair visitors with her exotic oriental dancing in Shanghai Gardens, Streets of Shanghai at the World's Fair, was one of the favorites in the Fair's beauty contests until her elimination in the semi-finals.

NO REASON TO GET LOST

The school teacher was giving her class of young pupils a test on a recent natural history lesson.
 "Now, Bobby," she said, "tell me where the elephant is found."
 Bobby hesitated for a moment then his face lit up.
 "The elephant, teacher," he said, "is such a large animal it is scarcely ever lost."
 Fanhandler—"Can you give me a little help? My wife is sick in bed."
 Citizen—"I could give you a job next week."
 Penhandler—"Oh that would be too late. She'll be well and able to work herself by that time."
 During the war, farmers in the United States plowed up forty million acres of grass land—an area slightly smaller than the state of Oklahoma.

Would Bailey have voted to confirm the appointment of Andy Mellon to represent our Government in England? He would not. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

"Now listen, Doc! I want something to stir me up and put me in fighting trim. Did you put anything like that in this prescription?"
 "No I'm putting that in my bill."

D. C. Carpenter was in Lefors Friday.
 Mrs. John Boyd Coffey was in Pampa Friday.

MARKET SPECIALS

Friday and Saturday

PORK SAUSAGE 3 lb for	20c
HAMBURGER MEAT per lb	5c
HAM HOCK per lb	10c
CREAMERY BUTTER per lb	25c
RIB ROAST Beef, per lb	4c
FRANKS, 2 lb for	25c
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RETAIN THE Natural Beauty OF YOUR SKIN



HAVE you looked at your complexion lately? Really looked at it? ... Is it soft, smooth and clear? Or is it a little coarse, a little rough?
 Winter days play havoc with your skin. Dry air and harsh winds exhaust its natural oils. Cause your face to become lined and old-looking.
 Begin today to use OUTDOOR GIRL Face Powder. Its unique Olive Oil base gives the skin the moisture it needs to remain soft, firm and youthful. Yet OUTDOOR GIRL is fluffy-dry. It doesn't clog the pores.
 In 7 smart shades to blend with any complexion. In large economy sizes at leading drug and department stores — 50c, 25c. Mail coupon for generous free samples.

OUTDOOR GIRL OLIVE OIL FACE POWDER
 For Sale at COBB'S 5c TO \$1.00 STORE

I want the voters of Gray County to know
 I GREATLY APPRECIATE
 their cooperation with me and my deputies
 in my duties as
 Sheriff

and if elected will strive harder to please each and every one, and if I get a majority vote you will never regret voting for me.

Respectfully

Mrs. C. E. Pipes

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the columns of this paper will be gladly corrected upon due notice of same being given to the editor personally at the office at 210 Main Street, McLean, Texas.

Some of the supporters of state candidates who seem to think noise is equivalent to votes, are liable to become disillusioned in Saturday's primary.

Tom Connally looks like the best man for U. S. Senator from this district. His record shows up pretty well from the New Deal standpoint.

Supt. C. A. Cryer suggested for an activity of the Lions Club the placing of school zone signs in McLean. We have one of the most dangerous school zones in the state at the grade school yet no signs have been placed on the highway near the school.

It might be that Edgar Witt is the best candidate to vote for for governor, but the whippers have carried on a consistent campaign saying that he has no chance. Maybe some of us are due for a surprise after Saturday.

Officers of the 66 Highway Association warn towns along the route against any who may attempt to promote schemes and rackets in the name of the association. McLean has lost several hundred dollars in the past to such schemes, mainly trying to advertise the highway before we had a highway to advertise.

Now it is suggested that the draining of lakes for farm land has contributed to the drought situation. If this is true, the building of artificial lakes would help, and there are plenty of sites in this section where water could be impounded with very little work. There are many other advantages of impounded water that would pay, and a little attention to this matter would make for better living conditions in any community.

FORCE OF HABIT

A politician who broadcast a speech last evening claims that the radio misquoted him.—Washington Post.

Under the Ickes Oil Bill the production from a lease could be prorated according to estimated production from the lease. This would mean that the well on your land could be capped even though still flowing when it had produced as much as the engineers estimated was its part of the oil from the pool. Joe Bailey opposed this bill. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Professor Pitkin tells us that there is enough energy in one peanut to keep a high-grade brain going for two hours. This explains why people at circuses and ball games simply have to eat peanuts.—Pathfinder.

When 100 lbs. of pork is worth more than 13.2 bushels of corn, it is considered profitable to feed hogs.

A normal colony of bees consists of one queen, several hundred drones, and from 8,000 to 75,000 workers.

A good rule is "Read before you sign and keep a copy."—N. E. A. Bulletin.

Gas and Gun Guard Gem at Fair



Miss Eleanor Stoner examines, with just a wee touch of justifiable covetousness, the famous emerald cut diamond, La Favorite, which is on display in the diamond exhibit at the new World's Fair. The jewel weighs 50.28 carats and is valued at \$1,000,000.

COSTLY, BUT EFFICIENT TEACHERS AS EXAMPLES

Our town also boasts of one of those wise husbands who buys his wife such expensive chinaware that she is afraid for him to wash or wipe the dishes.—Altoona Tribune.

Boys should be spanked when they begin to smoke cigarettes. A few sound spankings might break the habit. Cigarettes stunt the growth, deaden the reasoning faculties and corrupt the morals of youth, and money goes up in smoke that might be used to a good advantage in putting the boy in a position to make his way in the world. Don't let your boy form the cigarette habit.—Higgins News.

Swas—"Don't you ever change your mind about anything?"
Tika—"Very seldom. I have found I was just as wrong the second after I had changed it as I was before."

Fair Relic



The Mississippi, ancient locomotive which helped to build the South 100 years ago, and is now in Wings of a Century at the Chicago World's Fair, provides a resting place for Mrs. M. O. Peterson, of Des Moines, Iowa, as Opie Read, famed author, tells something of its history.

Mexico at Fair



This is an every-day street scene in the Mexican village at the World's Fair in Chicago. Fifteen foreign villages offer the visitor the equivalent of a tour of the world in a day or two at the exposition this year. Low travel costs and added Free Fair features make a Fair vacation cheaper this summer.

HONEY

Poetic fancy always has been stimulated by spring and blossoms and bees. The poor little bee, humming his way from flower to flower, always is thought of as leading a gay, colorful and care-free life. But if information put out by the Michigan state department of agriculture is correct, there is more tragedy involved in the making of honey that helps down the morning waffle than in any other food production.

The elders, the graybeards of the bee colony, are those that chance to be born, or hatched, rather, after the busy season in the fall. They may go through the winter and early spring coming to the ripe maturity of six months of age. But a worker bee hatched just at the beginning of the honey-gathering season probably will wear out its wings and its life in a few weeks.

Getting together a single pound of nectar is a job requiring 23,000 trips. And four pounds of nectar go into the making of a pound of honey. In terms of sentiment from the bee's point of view, one may well exclaim, "What price honey!"

Joe Bailey in and out of "Ties has stood for the rights of the working man. He has stood for the right of collective bargaining. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

NO! APPENDICITIS—GAS PAINS FOOL HIM

"I had such pains in my right side I thought I had appendicitis. But it was only gas. After taking Adlerika I've had no trouble."—W. L. Adams
You can't get rid of gas doctoring the stomach. For gas stays in the UPPER bowel. Adlerika reaches BOTH upper and lower bowel, washing out poisons which cause gas, nervousness, bad sleep. Get Adlerika today: by tomorrow you feel the wonderful effect of this German doctor's remedy. City Drug Store. RR-3

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Washing, Greasing, Storage
Parts for popular cars
All work guaranteed
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OR TWEEDLEDEEM

A divinity student named Tweedle Once wouldn't accept his degree, 'Cause it's tough enough being called Tweedle.
Without being Tweedle D. D.

Under the Ickes Oil Bill one well on an 80 acre tract could be allowed to run only 1/4th as much oil as an offset well on a 640 acre lease having one well on it, if both wells had the same potential. This would not help deplete the oil fields in Gray county. Joe Bailey opposed the bill. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

De Ford—"Old Digs isn't much good, is he?"
Judge—"No; all he does is to earn the money for his family to spend"

Texas is one of the four leading states in the union in the production of rice.

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I represent some of the strongest companies in the world.
I insure anything. No prohibited list.

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Place orders now.

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BARBER SERVICE

Modern Shop
Expert Barbers
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Elite Barber Shop

Movie Actress—"I want to get a divorce."
Lawyer—"For what reason?"
Actress—"Dear me! Do you have to have a reason?"
Mrs. T. N. Childress of Lark and sister, Mrs. T. W. Barnes, of Pampa were in McLean Wednesday.
County Clerk Charlie Thut was in McLean Thursday.

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We Guarantee to Please You
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SHOW YOUR COLORS

Hold Precinct Convention
Saturday, at 8 a. m. the 28th
in every precinct, and send delegates to County Convention Saturday, the 28th, at 6 p. m. in Mission Building, Pampa
V. E. von BRUNOW
Chairman Republican Executive Committee

Vote for F. E. Leech

for

Tax Assessor-Collector

GRAY COUNTY

EXPERIENCED — CAPABLE
EFFICIENT — COURTEOUS

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE APPRECIATED

NOTICE

The American National Bank of McLean, located at McLean in the State of Texas, is closing up its affairs. All note-holders and others, creditors of said association, are hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment.

J. B. HEMBREE, Vice President.
Dated at McLean, Texas, July 17, 1934.
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to carry the following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary in July:

For Representative, 122nd District:

JOHN PURYEAR
EUGENE WORLEY
Shamrock
PHILIP WOLFE

For County Clerk:

CHARLIE THUT
J. V. NEW

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

F. E. LEECH
EDWIN G. NELSON

For Co. Supt. of Schools:

JOHN B. HESSEY
W. B. WEATHERRED

For County Treasurer:

D. R. HENRY

For County Judge:

C. E. CARY
J. P. WEHRUNG

For Judge, 31st District:

W. R. EWING

For District Clerk:

W. S. BAXTER
FRANK HILL

For District Attorney:

LEWIS M. GOODRICH
E. F. RITCHEY

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

W. W. WILSON
M. M. NEWMAN
J. E. CUBINE

For County Attorney:

SHERMAN WHITE

For Sheriff:

MRS. C. E. (Tiny) PIPES
J. I. DOWNS
R. B. STOUT
J. F. MEERS
EARL TALLEY
JOHN V. ANDREWS

VOTE FOR W. W. WILSON

for Commissioner Precinct No. 4

Two years ago our present commissioner was elected on a platform of economy, efficiency and common sense. The records show he has delivered the goods. The following figures taken from the County Auditor's report for 1933 are good news to the taxpayer:

	1-1-33	1-1-34
Indebtedness outstanding	\$1,517,200	\$1,151,500
Authorized but not issued	1,023,000	473,000
Total	\$2,540,200	\$1,624,500
Less bonds owned	30,000	52,000
Total	\$2,510,200	\$1,572,500

The policy of the present commissioners' court has been to retire bonds and warrants ahead of maturities, when possible. These retirements, added to current maturities and savings in construction costs, has lowered the bonded indebtedness of the county, in the year 1933, by \$366,700. The possible indebtedness has been reduced by State assumption of highways, \$937,700. The comparison of the operating expenses of the county for the last four years follows:

1930	1931	1932	1933
\$232,466.70	\$199,192.60	\$197,722.96	\$155,844.87

showing a saving in 1933 of \$41,878.09. These

figures show why the present commissioners were able to lower the tax rate from \$1.10 to 95c. These figures also show why Gray county was able to sell the bonds necessary to build the entire McLean-Pampa road. Bond buyers, both local and outside, are not now afraid to invest their money in a county showing such a healthy financial statement, and managed with such good judgment. The court has also gotten State and Federal approval on a loan of \$120,000 from the P. W. A., \$36,000 of which is a grant and \$84,000 a loan secured by Gray county bonds. This loan will top the entire road.

The foregoing explains why our commissioners can build the McLean-Pampa road, giving employment to the people, and business to the merchant, and not raise the tax rate over 5c, and probably not at all. Is that what we want? **WE'LL SAY IT IS!** We wish to commend our commissioner for his part in accomplishing these things, in the face of the most discouraging conditions of history. **We urge his re-election for a**

Second Term

believing it to be a great injustice to deprive him of his accomplishments and experience of his first term.

The savings of Mr. Wilson and other commissioners made it possible for them to meet the requirements of the C. W. A., and get \$65,000 of C. W. A. money spent in the county, without which there would have been untold suffering last winter. The McLean-Pampa road work will be a great relief from present and future suffering. He has thus helped the laboring man. Do you appreciate it?

The county funds are now absolutely protected by the best depository bond in Texas, due to the present commissioner's efforts.

He has helped the taxpayer, whether farmer, cattleman or merchant. Do you appreciate it?

**He is clean, able,
efficient**

**Let's give him a
Second Term**

VOTE FOR W. W. WILSON



FLAME OF THE BORDER

By VINGIE E. ROE....

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THE STORY

Chapter 1.—Seeking death by throwing herself from the summit of Lone Mesa, to escape dishonor at the hands of a drunken desperado, Sonya Savarin allows herself to be rescued by her suddenly sobered and repentant attacker. The girl is a self-appointed physician to the Navajo Indians, living on an Arizona sheep ranch with her brother, Serge, his wife, Lila, and small daughter, Babs. For a year she has been engaged to Rodney Blake, wealthy New Yorker, but her heart is with the friendless Navajos and she evades a wedding.

Chapter 2.—Sonya pulls Little Moon, wife of Two Fingers, a Navajo, through the crisis of an illness. Two Fingers is deeply grateful. Returning to her brother's ranch accompanied by Rodney Blake, Sonya befriends another Indian family. Blake leaves for New York, with Sonya's promise to join him in a year.

Chapter 3.—In the desert village, shopping, Sonya again meets the man whose advances she had repulsed on Lone Mesa. He tells her he bitterly regrets his action and has never had a minute's peace since that day. Sonya is affected, but unforgiving. At the home of a friend she hears rumors of a Border bandit, "El Capitan Diablo," who crucifies his double-crossers and has a dire reputation as a despoiler and murderer, vaguely connecting him with her attacker.

Chapter 4.—Sonya pays a visit to Little Moon and finds her well on her way to recovery. On her return she rides to the top of Lone Mesa. There she again comes upon the strange young man, but she no longer fears him. When he reiterates his sorrow over his misconduct she indicates forgiveness and assures him a man can always change for the better.

Chapter 5.—Befriending the wife of Hosteen Nez, a Navajo, she adds him to her circle of devoted friends. In the desert she again meets the man of Lone Mesa. An airplane suddenly appeared, and warning Sonya to get out of sight and stay there, the stranger goes to the plane and transfers something to his saddlebags, after which he rides away. At a neighborhood dance she meets the mysterious stranger of the Mesa and demands that he tell her his name. Finally he confides to her that his right name is Starr Stone, that his mother believes him dead, and that he goes by a different name in this region. He departs at the command of a tall, fierce Mexican, with whom he is mysteriously associated. The "Servant" warns Sonya.

"Only a strange old man I met at Myra's. You know—the old mad preacher who rides the Reservation on his donkeys. You've heard of him."

"Oh, the Servant of the Lord? Yes, I have. Never saw him before, tho. Well, let's get going, girls. Babs, lazybones, sit up while daddy fixes the robe for you. That's the girl."

CHAPTER 6

Shadows of Death

If Sonya Savarin had been troubled before, had searched her soul with fearful and bewildered eyes, that summer night plunged her into chaos. Shame was in her, and a breathless flame of ecstasy, and a fear that mounted hourly.

And knowledge. Knowledge, terrible, complete, devastating. Destiny had reached and taken her, body and soul.

All that her life had meant was gone—her plans, her future, everything. Rod Blake, New York, safety and assurance, the sane and ordered things of everyday, they were all swept into the discard like so much trash. And in their place stood Starr Stone—her blood leaped at her first conscious use of his name—renegade, mystery, what she did not know—and with him danger, wrong, disaster. He had touched her with his mysterious power, and she had turned and followed him. In her soul she had turned and followed. Like a bird charmed to its death, she had bent her eyes on his, and she was

lost. There was nothing in this world but Starr Stone's face, the blue light of his eyes the curve of his lips, the grace of his lean body.

Rod Blake was a dream, a fantasy. His face was a stranger's face, his voice a far-off echo. There was nothing real about him, had never been to her, she knew now. There was nothing real but this man, this renegade, this outlaw who followed where a master led, and left behind him a great flare of light that glowed with shadows in her heart.

Fire and flame and darkness, joy and ecstasy and sorrow, fear and a



Sonya Told the Story of the Man of Lone Mesa, and Lila Listened With Inheld Breath.

vast strength, these were her portion, now given to her.

Presently she pushed her hair back from her forehead, went to the pool in the dark corner and, kneeling, washed her face with her hands. It was a strange baptism of abnegation, of acceptance. Whatever was to happen

in the new future she was committed to it body and soul. Whatever happened to Starr Stone would happen to her; that she knew beyond all questioning.

The next day she met Lila with a grave face, and the smart little woman looked at her and set down the cup she held.

"You may as well come clean, Sonya darling," she said gently. "Not to do so will only prolong the agony."

"I know," said Sonya soberly. "Come out in the patio. There's still time before we have to begin supper."

And there with the sun going down the western sky and the shadows lengthening about them Sonya told the story of the man of Lone Mesa, and Lila listened with inheld breath.

At its close they looked silently at each other.

"You will understand, but Serge never will," said Sonya, "so we'll not tell him until we have to."

Lila laid her hand on Sonya's arm. "Rod!" she said. "We have forgotten him!"

"No," said the other, "not I. Rod will be one of the things I'll have to face—one of the dangers. I shall write to him tonight and tell him."

"What?" the word was in italics.

"Oh, not about Starr Stone or any of the other tragic things I've told you. Only that I cannot marry him."

"And you'll have him here as quick as the air lines can bring him," said Lila quietly.

"You're right," said Sonya after a moment's thought. "I'll not tell him—yet."

Serge came home from his day's riding dusty and tired, weary for sleep. As he was washing at the bench beyond the door he called to them.

"Sis," he said, "I think there's going to be work for you ahead. I saw old Hosteen T'so today from up Long Ruins way, and he told me there are two sick Indians over there."

"Did he say just where they were?"

"Yes. In a hogan by Blue Water hole. Said there was a rug for you if you'd come. The medicine man's been making sings for them, but they're no better."

"H'm. Darn these medicine men!" said the girl, her brows drawing together. "They kill more patients than I can ever save. I'll start early in the morning."

"If you take my advice you'd better keep a sharp eye out for that very thing—the medicine man. Don't eat anything around where he is, and watch your trail for traps."

"I will," said Sonya. True to her plan, the girl was out on the desert next day before the sun was up. The thoughts which had moldered in her mind for hours now beset her again. Where was the man who was her man? Where did he follow that monstrous master, and why? What was the power which had turned him from her without a backward look? Was it fear, or some strange loyalty beyond the comprehension of a normal mind? What did

it pretend? And who was the master? Who but that one from across the Border whom the mad Servant called Beezebub? The terrible prince of bandits who crucified those who double crossed him. Sonya shivered in the coming day. What had he said to Starr Stone?

"Hombre, you disobey. Let's go!" Where had they gone? What would he do to him? And why had he disobeyed, in what? With deep intuition she knew the disobedience had to do with her, with his arm about her in the public place.

It was a small thing. Not a double cross. Yet the very thought of the sinister words chilled her to the bone. "Come," she told herself. "Snap out of it. There is something dark and terrible here, but Starr Stone—again she thrilled at the mental sound of his name—"will take care of himself. He'll come back to talk again."

At Blue Water she found what she had expected, and a great deal more. Two Navajos, an old man and a young one, lay in the hogan hot with fever. From the shelter of a skeleton brush canopy over an outdoor cooking fire Yellow Buck, the medicine man whom she had seen at Two Fingers', watched her with flaming eyes in his wrinkled face.

Critically the girl studied the two sick men. With stethoscope on the hot brown breasts she knew her course. The old man was beyond help, his lungs already stiff with congestion, sunk in coma. The young one not so bad.

"Bad business," she told herself. "Spanish flu—summer flu—or I'm very much mistaken. This one," she said

to the women, pointing to the old man, "is about to go on the Long Journey. I come too late. This one we'll try to hold. Get me hot water in the cooking baskets and cold water from the hole. Also a warm stone wrapped in cloth."

In two hours the ancient one was gone on that long journey and she helped the women carry him out and lay him decently under some blankets in the canopy's shade.

(Continued next week)

No. 14165.
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER
OF THE CURRENCY
Washington, D. C., May 25, 1934.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that American National Bank in the town of McLean, county of Gray, and State of Texas, has complied with all the provisions of the Statutes of the United States, required to be complied with before an association shall be authorized to commence the business of Banking;

Now therefore, I, J. F. T. O'CONNOR, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that American National Bank, in the town of McLean, county of Gray, and State of Texas, is authorized to commence the business of Banking as provided in Section 5132 of the Revised Statutes of the United States. In testimony whereof witness my hand and seal of office this 25th day of May, 1934.

(SEAL) J. F. T. O'CONNOR
Comptroller of the Currency

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I will appreciate any consideration you may give me in Saturday's Primary.

J. P. Wehrung

Candidate for

COUNTY JUDGE

Gray County



VOTE FOR —
Mrs. C. E. (Tiny) Pipes
Candidate for
SHERIFF of Gray County
Democratic Primary

Vote for

CLINT C. SMALL

for Governor

The outstanding candidate in the race, whose years of governmental work has qualified this Panhandle citizen for the governorship of Texas. He has served in this section of the State as City Attorney, County Attorney, County Judge, District Judge and State Senator. His record is unsurpassed for service to his district; among the many pieces of constructive legislation are:

HIS SUCCESSFUL FIGHT FOR THE SMALL RIVER BILL

THE SMALL LAND TITLE VALIDATING BILL

THE GASOLINE REFUND TAX BILL

His work made safe for the farmers and landowners of Texas patents to the lands they purchased of the State.

The tax refund on gasoline means a million dollars each year to the farmers of the Panhandle.

We need a governor who understands our needs, who will protect our rights, and who has proven his merits.

WE HAVE IN OUR OWN CANDIDATE

Clint C. Small

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Here's a candidate that runs like wild-fire because it has the confidence of the people and really keeps its promises. A vote for Chevrolet is a vote for the best qualified candidate in the low-priced field. Economy is an important plank in its platform. Chevrolet, better able than ever, to serve the people, now sells for less than at any time in its history. Vote for Chevrolet.

We wash and grease your car for only **\$1.00**

Cooke Chevrolet Co.

Sales  Service

RUMORS GROW

Have you ever heard of the farmer accused of stealing a sheep? He made his neighbors believe he moved into the county. It so chanced that he to the town banker for an extension of credit. The banker was but he said, "I would like to make the loan, but you know, it reported that before you came stole a cow from a neighbor. This overwhelmed the poor and next year he rented a in another state. Everything in the district refused to play with the children of a "man who was a horse

more retellings of that tale had made the man into a "jail bird." Most of what know about other people is not and many of the circulated stories of men and women were led by malice.

wish somehow that the Apostle's advice with reference to seeing material goods, "Provide all honest in the sight of all might somehow be made to to the opinions which we receive concerning our neighbors. Each individual is as a baseball, has his seamy side, and it is un-ly for us to continually dwell on the imperfections of another. I have three rules with which I to measure my conversation. I ask them so often that I do not get having them.

"Is it true?" I have often been mented from telling some story but another, by checking my sources information before opening my mouth. One of the greatest crimes committed in the World War was the of ignorant people with lies concerning the brutality of their enemies. It was done for a purpose stirring people to madness. Have not fairly itched to "pass on" the juicy bit of report, which you found was untrue? Go to the areas of the tale you hear, particularly if it is a reflection upon the character of a young man or woman, for "word wounds" are often el to the soul.

"Is it kind?" I recommend this to you. I am sure that I would happier if I could recall the usual things I have thoughtlessly said out other people. There is something sacred about personality which the mouth of unkindness never re-acts. Many of the newspaper stories and rumors could well be dispensed with because the publishing of them is an unkindness. A reporter would think of putting a dagger into the ribs of a man or woman, but he could write up that which charity ought to have covered up and forgotten.

We are not born with kind hearts. We have to conquer ourselves into kindness. The law of kindness is merely the golden rule laid down upon our unruly tongues.

"Would I want it said about me?" This rule has often restricted my conversation. You and I may say, "I don't care what people say about me," but the facts are that we do care, and well we may, for when the fourth person tells a rumor, he relates it as "The Truth." Say not of another what would blacken your own reputation.

"Let something good be said," is a line from a modern poet who spoke the truth. Finally, brethren, let us ever remember the words of our Master, who, when confronted by a woman accused of sin, said, "Neither do I condemn thee; but go and sin no more."—Dr. J. W. Holland in Oklahoma Farmer-Stockman.

Under the Ickes Oil Bill we would not have had over one-third as many oil wells drilled in Gray County as we have. Joe Bailey actively opposed the bill. Was Connally against it? He refused to say while Congress was in session. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement

The stout lady on the scale was eagerly watched by two small boys. She dropped in her penny, but the machine was out of order and only registered seventy-five pounds.

"Good night," gasped one of the youngsters in amazement. "she's hollow!"

Lunatic (in asylum yard, meeting new superintendent)—"Who are you?" Superintendent—"I'm the new superintendent."

Lunny—"Oh, it won't take them long to knock that out of you. I was Napoleon when I came here."

Visitor—"What line do you expect your boy to go in to?" Father—"I've decided to make a lawyer of him. He just likes to get into a quarrel and mix in other people's business, and I figger he may as well get paid for it."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Story and children of Memphis visited the lady's mother, Mrs. J. W. Story, Sunday.

Fair Charmer



Mary Elizabeth Bort, Long Beach, Calif., one of three survivors in nationwide Dental Charm contest, who will vie with the other two, Mildred M. Smith, Wilbur, Wash., and Georgie W. Berry, Richmond, Va., at the Fair, to be crowned Charm Queen during week of July 22

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Holloway, Mrs. Ruel Smith and daughter, Mrs. Ralph Caldwell and Mrs. Durwood Riddle were in Amarillo last Wednesday.

CARD OF THANKS

To our friends and neighbors in Gracey community and McLean, we take this way of thanking you all for the respect and sympathy that have been shown to us in the past. We thank each and every one for their liberal donation to us. May your lives be long and happy. We shall remember you people always.

Walter, Margie and Joice June Burdine.

Joe Bailey stands four square, that footed and openly for his convictions. No dodging—no hiding out on roll calls—a leader—not a follower. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Vester Smith and son, Vester Lee, were in Houston last week.

WHEN McLEAN PEOPLE Think of GOOD FOOD They Think of MEADOR CAFE

Home Made Pies
Open Day and Night
J. A. Meador, Prop.

ENTITLED TO DISCOUNT

Mrs. Brown—"Don't you think, doctor, you rather overcharged when Johnny had the measles?"
Doctor—"You must remember, Mrs. Brown, that includes twenty-two visits."

Mrs. Brown—"Yes, but you forget that he infected the whole school."

Joe Bailey challenged his opponent Sudan grass, sorghum, Johnson for joint debate of the issues where the voters could hear them discuss the issues face to face. The challenge was not accepted. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Mrs. Martha Orr of Quitaque is visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. E. Gill, this week.

If women keep on taking men's places in industry, politics, etc., we may soon have to revise that phrase and say "Let Georgiana do it!"

**Reynolds & Adkins
ABSTRACTS**

(Wheeler and Gray)

FEDERAL FARM & CROP LOANS

Jerome Stanley Adkins, Manager
In Thurman Adkins Law Office
McLean, Texas



VOTE FOR

John Puryear

Collingsworth County Farmer

for

SECOND TERM

as Representative of 122nd Dist.

He has served the people and not special classes.

He has no corporation paying his expenses.

He is qualified, honest and fearless.

Why not give a man a second term who has worked for the people.

**Vote for
Edwin G. Nelson**

Candidate for

**ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR
OF TAXES**

Gray County

I will appreciate your vote and influence

Your Vote and Influence Appreciated

W. B. WEATHERED

Candidate for

County Superintendent, Gray County

Subject to Action of Democratic Primary
July 23, 1934

Age 31 - Eight years teaching experience
a degree - permanent high school certificate

**YOUR SUPPORT WILL BE
APPRECIATED**

**J. F. Meers
for Sheriff
of Gray County**

I have made an effort to see every voter in the county, but if I have by any chance missed anyone, this is a personal solicitation for your vote and influence.

In asking for your vote, I am doing so sincerely and confident that I am qualified to discharge the duties of the office in a fair and impartial manner. If favored with election, I expect to be sheriff of the whole county and will see that everyone who has any dealings with the office has a courteous hearing.

If favored with election, I will be glad to employ a deputy suitable to this section of the county.

I will appreciate anything you may do for me in Saturday's election.

**J. F. Meers
for Sheriff, Gray County**

A Taxpayer Here for Over 30 Years

**Vote for
W. R. Ewing
for
District Judge**

BECAUSE:

He is a man of broad and varied experience as a trial judge;

He has been tried and not found wanting;

His record on appeal is not questioned;

He is a man of unquestioned ability, character and integrity;

He is fair, impartial, and considerate to all alike, high and low, rich and poor;

He conducts his courts so to render as little hardship and inconvenience upon jurors as possible;

He keeps the costs of the courts to a minimum.

DON'T EXPERIMENT!

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cline and son of Amarillo visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. Earl Stubblefield, last week.

Jerry Morrow visited his father and other relatives at Plainview Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Arrie Phillips of Ramsdell visited in the J. R. Phillips home last week.

Mrs. C. C. Sloan of Pampa visited her sister, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Saturday night and Sunday.

J. C. Fite of Pampa has accepted a position with the Standard Food Market.

Nugent Kunkel and family of Amarillo visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bond and son and Mrs. B. C. Franklin visited relatives in Canyon City, Colo., last week.

Miss Jewel Glass visited her aunt Mrs. C. T. Calvert, at Erick, Okla., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland are on a vacation trip to Colorado Springs this week.

Mrs. Olga Green of Ralls spent Thursday with her aunt, Mrs. Belle Henderson.

Mrs. Kate Stokes left Thursday for a visit with her son, Roy, at Friona.

Miss Fern Reed of Seminole, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reed, of the Hindman Hotel.

Miss Helen Robinson of St. Marys, West Va., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rossin of Oklahoma moved to McLean last week.

Miss Marie Landers has returned from a visit at Canyon.

D. A. Davis was in Shamrock on business Wednesday.

From 1865 to 1890 over 15 million cattle were trilled out of Texas.

Johnnie Mertel was in Shamrock Sunday.

Vester Smith was in Canyon last Thursday.

Sammie Cubine was in Amarillo one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Corbin were in Shamrock Thursday.

T. E. Yeldell and family visited in Fort Worth last week.

George Lloyd of Friona was in McLean last week.

Van Webb of Miami was in McLean one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bingham were in Amarillo last Wednesday.

J. A. Sparks was in Pampa Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rogers of Colorado were in McLean last week.

Mrs. Ruby Harris visited in Erick, Okla. last week.

Miss Fern Landers of Canyon visited home folks here the first of the week.

J. E. Lynch was in Shamrock on business Wednesday.

GENIUS IS RIGHT

The American Indians, according to Prof. Berry, of the University of Missouri, were "the greatest agricultural geniuses in all history." That statement will require a great deal of proof and clarification. Are not our modern white farmers, with their irrigation, their fertilization, their adaption of crops to the soil, and so on, more proficient at their job than those under-privileged savages? Undoubtedly, yes. In those respects our white men are the best farmers ever known. It must have been in the matter of labor saving that the Red Men were superior. They knew a thing or two about that. We men have machinery, of which they are justifiably proud, but machinery, we admit, does only a part of the farm work that must be done. The Red Men, not so easily satisfied with imperfection, had women who did it all.

Willie—"Dad, what do they mean by twiddle?"
Dad—"That refers to arguments advanced by the other side."

The Potts Family at the World's Fair



NEW "FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH"

Science now tells us that if Ponce de Leon had eaten common foods containing vitamin G he wouldn't have crossed the uncharted seas in search of the fountain of youth in Florida. Although specific use of this vitamin has not been developed fully as yet, its discoverer asserts that it promises "lengthened youth for the human race."

Will not the adolescent, in their eager pursuit of maturity forego tomatoes, spinach, liver, yeast and other essential foods containing the youth-preserving and old-age-defying vitamin G? And will not men and women who should be growing up gorge themselves on these selfsame foods, thus depriving the country of all maturity and making it a land of eternal youth?

Here is glorious news for those who desire eternal youth, but it is likely to complicate rather than simplify one of the greatest problems of life—that of growing old.

Should this news get abroad, the old will act childish to escape the spinach diet and spinsters will not dare ask for vitamin G foods for fear of confessing the advancing years.

Will science never learn to leave well enough alone? Here is a system that has endured through the ages, and for all the complaints heard from both youth and old, it has worked well. Science might improve upon nature but youth would still look wistfully forward and old age wistfully backward.

Skinker—"Miss Coy, I am a candidate for your hand."

Miss Coy—"Very well. How much of an allowance do you promise to allot to me a month, am I to be the boss of the house, or are you, who is to do the cooking, how many days a week will I have off, and what is your attitude toward members of my family who may want to live with us? In short, what is your platform?"

Young Man (to her little brother)—"Johnnie, it may be cruel to tell you, but at the party last night your sister promised to become my wife. Will you forgive me for taking her away?"

Johnnie—"Forgive you! Why, that was what the party was for."

Joe Bailey is willing to answer roll call on any measure and register his vote. He does not "dodge" the vote. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Fair Balladier



Patsy O'Connor, 3, youngest entertainer in the World's Fair at Chicago, sings mean torch songs and old Irish ballads, and dances nightly for visitors to the Irish village. There are three generations of O'Connors in the show.

Jim—"And are you secretly married to her?"
John—"No—she knows it."

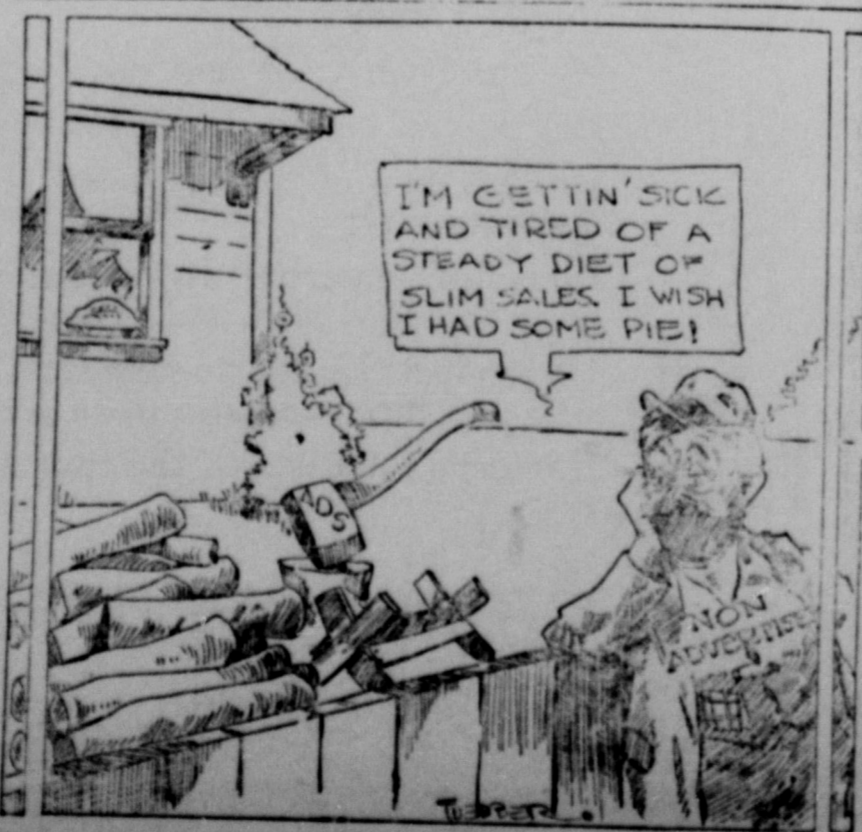
Your 'BOY'
wants a Remington Portable

EVERY youngster likes to operate a typewriter. If there is one in your home, your boy will do his homework on it... and get better marks. It helps him learn spelling and punctuation... gives him another means of self-expression. Full instructions on the "Touch System" with each machine.

For Sale By

The McLean News

How About Using the Ax?



Joe Bailey volunteered at the beginning of the World War and saw service overseas with the 314th Field Artillery. He can be depended upon to do the right thing about legislation concerning the Soldier Boys. Vote for Joe Bailey for U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

Only about 15% of the horses and mules in the United States are under four years of age.

The present birth rate of horses and mules is only about 3.7 of that necessary for replacement.

TRADE IN McLEAN

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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

FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE or trade.—Dodge sedan good; 2 mares, 1 colt, Crosley radio. Need some good milk cows. Jim Devore, 3 mi. SE Alanreed, on Hays place. 1p (The above adv. contained the word "mules" last week instead of "mares," as corrected).

See the beautiful new model Remington portable typewriter for only \$45.00, at the News office.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS, pretty stock designs, 5¢ and up, or printed to order on wedding vellum at a reasonable price. News office.

PRINTED gummed labels for parcel post packages, 1¢ each at News office.

BIRTHDAY CARDS, many beautiful designs, 5¢ each, at News office.

ADDING MACHINE ribbons and rolls, typewriter supplies of all kinds at News office.

FLOOR SWEEP, \$2.25 per 100 lb drum. News office.

TYPEWRITER ribbons all makes, 60¢ each. Portables, 49¢, at News office.

PLENTY of red top cone seed and seed corn. Cooke Chevrolet Co. 1c

RUBBER stamps, pads and ink, at News office.

DUPLICATING sales books, 5¢ each at News office.

WEDDING announcements at News office.

Candidate cards at News office.

MISCELLANEOUS

STORAGE under daily supervision News office.

BARGAIN rate on Amarillo Daily News. From now until Dec. 1, 1934 for only \$2.25. Subscribe at The McLean News office. 26-5

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, Sunday or Monday—Lady's diamond ring. Return to News office for liberal reward. 1c

CARD OF THANKS

Joe Bailey, having seen his comrades bleed and die, has voted for those among them who are now sick and crippled, and he continued to do so even in the face of the President's veto. Is it fair to condemn him as not being a patriot on this account? Vote for Joe Bailey as U. S. Senator. Political advertisement 1p

We wish to express our thanks for the kindness shown us at the funeral of our mother and grandmother for the beautiful floral offerings.

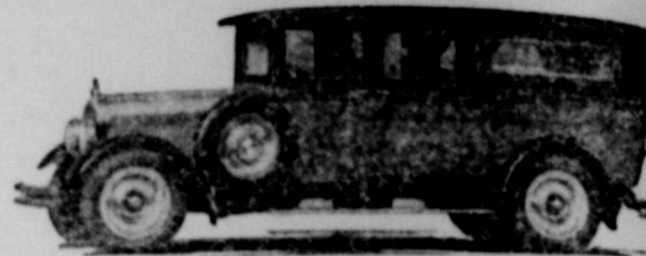
THE HIBLER FAMILY

Bonevizer—"Is it true that my wife has brain fever?"
Mdvani—"Why no, but she's the next thing to it."
Bonevizer—"What's that?"
Mdvani—"Hat fever."

Barber—"Shall I go over it again?"
Victim—"No, I heard it all the first time."

Texas is the leading pecan producing state in the nation.

Printed salesmanship 1p



C. S. RICE, Funeral Director
Funeral Supplies Monuments Flowers for Funerals
Free Ambulance Service, anywhere, any time Phones 13 and 42

STANDARD FOOD MARKETS
"SELLS FOR LESS"

Outstanding Values for All Week

Corner 1st & Main
FREE DELIVERY
PHONE 30

HEART OF GOLD FLOUR HEART OF GOLD
High Patent, Fully Guaranteed
48 lb sack \$1.69 | 24 lb sack 89c

COFFEE Break o' Morn pkg. LB. 19c

MATCHES these will strike 6 box 26c

CORN FLKS, Miller's toasted 2 boxes for 17c

PURE CANE SUGAR
In sanitary cloth bags. There is no substitute for pure cane.
10 LB. bag 55c

PRUNES fresh Italian GAL. 28c

B'LBKBER'ES fine for pies GAL. 41c

PEACHES yellow cling GAL. 46c

CHERRIES sour red pitted GAL. 48c

PINEAPPLE fancy crushed GAL. 68c

Armour's Vegetable SHORTENING Armour's Vegetable
Fresh pure Vegetable Shortening
8 LBS. FOR 59c

COCOA Hershey's Breakfast LB. 17c

MILK Armour's Veribest 3 tall or 6 small cans 17c

K. C. Baking Powder 50 oz. can 29c 25 oz. can 19c

DELICIOUS SALTED CRACKERS DELICIOUS SALTED
They're always fresh at STANDARD'S
2 LB. box 19c