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IN THE SERVICE

LT. PALMER RELEASED

Lt. Ralph Palmer, who was captured by the Japs, Jan. 9, 1945 when his plane was shot down over Formosa, has been released and left Japan Sept. 9 on the NATS Skymaster, enroute to Guam.

Lt. Palmer received what he terms "Putrid treatment" by the Japs. He was beaten, put in three months' solitary confinement on starvation rations, no medical attention in unsanitary prison with inadequate clothing.

Lt. Palmer entered service July 22, 1941. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer, live at Alanreed. His wife lives at Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

Cpl. John W. Cooper of McLean is currently serving in Manila. Cpl. Cooper's military itinerary has included Scotland, England, France, Belgium, Germany and the Philippines.

Having sailed on the first ship to be redeployed to the Pacific from the Franco-German area, he is among the few veterans to witness victories over Germany and Japan within both theaters of conflict. Cpl. Cooper is the recipient of the Philippines Liberation ribbon.

Lt. Francis L. Petty has received his discharge from the army after two years overseas. He has the following decorations: Pre-Pearl Harbor and ETO ribbons, Distinguished Unit Badge, six battle stars for air offensive in Europe; Normandy, France; Northern France, Rhineland, Germany; Ardennes, and Central Europe. He is visiting home folks here at present.

Mrs. G. F. Baker received a telegram the first of the week from her son, Arthur, recently released from a Jap prison, that he had arrived at San Francisco, Calif., and expected to leave for home within two weeks. Mrs. Baker also reports that Dewey Hood, previously reported missing, was also taken prisoner by the Japs and has recently been released.

Cadet Nurse Jewelene Langham of Amarillo and Cpl. Robert Reel of Oakesdale, Wash., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham. Cpl. Reel, who was formerly stationed at the McLean POW camp, has had ten months overseas duty in Germany, Belgium and France.

Mrs. Romain Pugh received a telegram Saturday from her son, Tasso, that he had arrived at Seattle, Wash., and would be home in a few days.

Lt. and Mrs. Hershel McCarty are home from Hobbs, N. M. Lt. McCarty is receiving his release from the army air corps.

Billy Joe Kunkel, A/S, from San Diego, Calif., is visiting home folks here.

Sgt. Bobby John Corbin has received his discharge from the service.

Dean Grigsby of the Merchant Marine is visiting home folks here.

Ralph E. Parker, Shipfitter 1/c, has recently received his discharge from the navy.

C. B. Lee, Jr., is home from Corpus Christi, where he received his discharge from the navy.

Sgt. Troy Corbin of Fort Bragg, N. C., is visiting here on furlough.

Cpl. and Mrs. Herman Petty have entered college at Alpine.

Pvt. Paul L. Kennedy is now stationed in Manila.

Mrs. Laura Byerly went to Amarillo Saturday to the bedside of her granddaughter, Miss Mona Meier. She returned home Tuesday.

Mr. and Howard Bowen of Bayre, Okla., visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pickett, last week.

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY

Washington

October 10, 1945.

To The McLean News and its Advertisers.

The News and its advertisers have cooperated excellently with previous bond drives and the Treasury needs your assistance this time more than ever. Obligations incurred in the achievement of victory have been tremendous. We must bring the boys home as soon as possible, care for the wounded, supply mustering-out pay, and maintain occupational forces in Germany and Japan. These and other aftermath-of-war responsibilities make the success of the "Victory Loan" a must for our nation.

Sincerely,

FRED M. VINSON,
Secretary of the Treasury.

NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn B. Tedder and daughter are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder. Glenn has just received his discharge from the Coast Guard.

We are glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crowley and three children to our community. Mr. Crowley is employed at the Phillips gasoline plant.

Junior Bonner has received his discharge and has moved his family to Kellerville community.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Blackerby have gone to Duncan, Okla., for a few days.

Ernest West of St. Mary's, Calif., has received his discharge from the naval air corps and has telegraphed his parents that he would arrive in Amarillo Wednesday.

A. L. Day has returned from Hereford, where he sold the farm he was to move to soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback have moved to the Phillips camp west of Lefors. A farewell party was given for them at the school gymnasium. A large crowd attended and many lovely gifts were presented.

A farewell shower was given for Mrs. H. W. McCoy, at the home of Mrs. O. T. Owen, sponsored by the ladies of the W. M. U. The McCoys are moving to Graham next week.

Billie Pete Hughes is in the Philippines at present, but expects to be home for Christmas. His present address is SS Mark Hopkins, Maston Navigation Co., of FM, San Francisco, Calif.

HOME DEM. CLUB MEETS

The Kellerville Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. D. I. Blackerby, Wednesday, Oct. 3. Mrs. Blackerby gave a demonstration on home making. The club discussed plans for an achievement day program to be held on the first meeting day in November, and voted to have a club fair in the school gym. Committees were appointed as follows:

Arrangement—Mrs. B. Chapman, Mrs. C. Drum.

Display—Mrs. H. D. Butrum, Mrs. W. H. Ruffie.

Refreshment—Mrs. Jack Boyd, Mrs. D. I. Blackerby, Mrs. W. E. Elliott.

Advertising—Mrs. W. E. Elliott, Mrs. O. T. Owen.

The club also voted to begin a scrap book with Mrs. W. E. Elliott in charge.

Those present were Mesdames J. Boyd, C. Drum, R. W. Knox, H. A. D'Spain, H. D. Butrum, R. Gossett, V. W. Tinkler, W. H. Ruffie, O. T. Owen, W. E. Elliott, the hostess, and a visitor, Mrs. Ed Thompson. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Owen, Oct. 17.

Mrs. H. W. Finley, Mrs. W. E. Ballard and Mrs. N. A. Greer were in Shamrock one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Finch of Dimmitt visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Pickett, over the week end.

Mrs. F. J. Thosa has returned to California after a visit with home folks here.

C. O. Goodman was in Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Van Brawley of Clarendon visited home folks here Sunday.

WITH THE CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

R. H. Nichols, Pastor

"Let us lay aside every weight and the sin which doth so easily beset us," and attend Sunday school each Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Since we have entered once more the era of standard time, rather than war time, one more excuse has been eliminated and another hour has been allotted in our favor. Surely this will tend to increase our attendance upon Sunday school and the worship hour. During the 11:00 o'clock hour we shall observe the Lord's Supper.

You will be pleased to note the change of time for our evening services. The Baptist Training Union will begin at 6:30, evangelistic services at 7:30. The subject for evening worship will be "The Quest of the Good Shepherd."

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES

The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met last Wednesday for a book review and tea.

Mrs. C. E. Cooke gave a review of the book, "African Logs."

A short business meeting followed the book review, with Mrs. F. H. Bourland presiding.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Don Alexander, Mrs. C. E. Coats and Mrs. T. A. Massey.

Those present for the meeting were Mesdames Travis Stokes, S. R. Jones, Arthur Erwin, F. E. Hambright, Meyers, K. E. Windom, J. B. Hembree, C. O. Goodman, Kid McCoy, Haskel Smith, Dorothy Foster, Mattie Graham, and little Miss Caroline Stokes.

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Baptist W. M. U. met with Mrs. H. W. Finley Tuesday afternoon for mission study.

Mrs. Homer Abbott gave a report on the mission book, "The World of Tomorrow."

Others present were Mesdames Boyd Reeves, Ruel Smith, T. N. Holloway, Geo. Colebank, Leroy Williams.

The next meeting will be at the church Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. All ladies are especially invited to attend this meeting.

SMITH-SMITH

Miss Joy Smith, daughter of Mrs. Luta Smith of McLean, was married Monday, Oct. 8, to Cpl. Roy L. Smith at Walla Walla, Wash. Cpl. Smith, whose home is at Walla Walla, has just returned from overseas. The newly weds expect to visit McLean enroute to their post in North Carolina.

LEFORS REVIVAL CLOSES

The revival services held at the Lefors Baptist Church closed Sunday with upwards of 25 conversions.

Rev. R. H. Nichols, pastor of the First Baptist Church of McLean, led the song services for the two weeks' revival.

LEGION FEED MONDAY

The Andrew H. Floyd Post, American Legion, will hold a feed Monday, Oct. 15, at 7:30 p. m. at the old USO building, according to announcement by J. R. Glass, post commander.

All legionaires and their wives are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kibler and daughter, Mrs. James Douglas, of Oklahoma City visited Mrs. J. W. Kibler and Mrs. J. T. Glass over the week end.

A Womack ambulance brought Mrs. R. V. Kennedy home from Shamrock after an operation, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Weatherby and son of Shamrock visited in the T. H. Andrews home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Clarendon visited here over the week end.

Mrs. Ray Trimble made a business trip to Oklahoma City the first of the week.

Pierson Heads War Fund Drive

Following the resignation of C. M. Carpenter at the Lions Club Tuesday, P. A. Pierson, manager of the Avalon and Lone Star Theatres, was unanimously elected chairman of the War Fund Drive, with authority to pick his own committeemen.

Entertainment features of the program included a demonstration on fire prevention by Ed Spann, Amarillo fire marshal. Mr. Spann was presented by Mayor Boyd Meador.

Fire at Watt Service Station

Fire damaged the Watt Service Station just outside the city limits Monday morning, with several hundred dollars loss covered by insurance.

The station which, with the tourist camp, was recently sold to Wm. Bettin and Walter Kelly, was occupied by Woody Edmond, whose loss was not covered. Friends made up a purse of approximately \$200 for Mr. Edmond.

School Street to Be Patrolled

The highway near the grade school will be patrolled at the noon hour, with Deputy Sheriff C. T. Calvert as patrolling officer.

Sheriff Calvert volunteered for this duty as a service to the children, and cars will be made to respect passage lines across the highway for the children who eat at the cafes across the street.

Three Months Rule Applies Here

According to Fred S. Brown, rent director, the waiting period to secure a house after purchase remains at three months in Gray, Carson and Hutchinson counties, despite the nation-wide announcement that the waiting period would be six months.

TIGER POST NO MORE

The Tiger Post that has been published by The McLean News for over three decades, is no more as a part of this newspaper.

The News editor was thanked this week and told that the school would publish its own paper and the merchants of McLean would be asked to underwrite the paper with advertisements.

It is understood that the paper will now be mimeographed and issued weekly.

The News has been glad to be of service to dozens of classes in the past and wants to express best wishes for the new venture.

The records of these classes have now become a permanent community record in the bound volumes of the home town newspaper.

The News will continue to boost for the schools and publish any news item desired.

DOZIER, BARR SALESMAN

Price Dozier, Jr., of Pampa, returned serviceman, has accepted a position as salesman for Barr Automotive Service.

According to O. L. Barr, owner, the firm has three salesmen on the road servicing over 300 accounts in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

The firm has just been made jobbing distributors for the Warco line of brake fluids, knee action fluids and penetrant oils, and also for a line of automotive car paints adding to many other exclusive lines handled.

Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Franks of Artesia, N. M., are visiting relatives here. They go to Wellington Sunday night to begin a revival meeting.

Mrs. V. B. Reagor and son, Tommy, of Amarillo visited relatives here Monday.

Miss Eunice Stratton visited her niece, Miss Mona Meier, at an Amarillo hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Lydia Smith and son visited in Amarillo over the week end.

G. V. Koons made a business trip to Amarillo Tuesday.

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Day Phone 47—Night Phone 147-W

T. A. LANDERS
Owner and Publisher

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

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

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Display advertising rate, 30c per column inch, each insertion. Preferred position, 35c per inch. Resolutions, obituaries, cards of thanks, poems, and items of like nature charged for at line rates.

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 given to the editor personally, at the office at 210 Main Street.

Merchants may expect to be solicited for "donation" advertising in many forms as we make headway into peace times. Such donations should be listed as such and not charged to advertising, but most of us will take the easier way out.

Russia has socialization of land. England, it is rumored, has plans for dividing up the land, and some are talking of government ownership of all land in this country. It is high time for citizens to awaken to the danger of centralized government and make every effort to get away from federalized projects.

Already schemes are being worked to solicit funds to have your serviceman's biography in some so-called history of the war. The only worth while book of this character is where every soldier is mentioned and the book sold on its merits. Where you are asked to pay for the name being inserted and only those who pay are mentioned, it is worthless as a historical item.

Avalon

Telephone 34
Weekly Program
Admission: (tax included)
Adults 35c, Children 9c
Thursday and Friday
"CAPTAIN EDDIE"
Lynn Bari, Fred MacMurray
Saturday only
"SILVER CITY KID"
Allan Lane, Peggy Stewart
"HIGH POWERED"
Robert Lowery, Phyllis Brooks
Sunday and Monday
"NATIONAL VELVET"
Mickey Rooney, Elizabeth Taylor
Tuesday and Wednesday
"WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE"
Fred MacMurray, June Haver
Thursday, Friday—next week
"THE CLOCK"
Judy Garland, Robert Walker

Lone Star

Admission: (tax included)
Adults 35c, Children 9c
Friday and Saturday
"SPRING TIME IN TEXAS"
Jimmy Wakely, "Lasses" White
"BLONDE RANSOM"
Virginia Grey, Donald Cook
Chapter 11 "THE MASTER KEY"

KNOW BETTER

Mose had applied to the philo- sophic white gentleman for a loan. He was turned down, and as a parting admonition the gentleman said: "You are strong and healthy and work is plentiful. Why don't you get a job? Hard work never killed anybody." Mose said: "Yo' sho' is wrong about dat, boss. I'se lost four wives frum nuffin else."

It takes nearly 5,000 honey-bees to weigh a pound.

See This Agency Before You Buy a Car

You will like the low cost of the Bank and Agent Auto Plan

Allison Insurance Agency
of American National Bank

BRAVE MAN

Joe—I hear Smith married a widow with three children so he could be reclassified out of A-1. Moe—Yeah, but the draft board said anyone that brave was just what the army needed.

Quartermaster Sergeant (to new rookie)—Well, speak up there! How do you want your uniform—too big or too small?

MOTORISTS' HEADQUARTERS

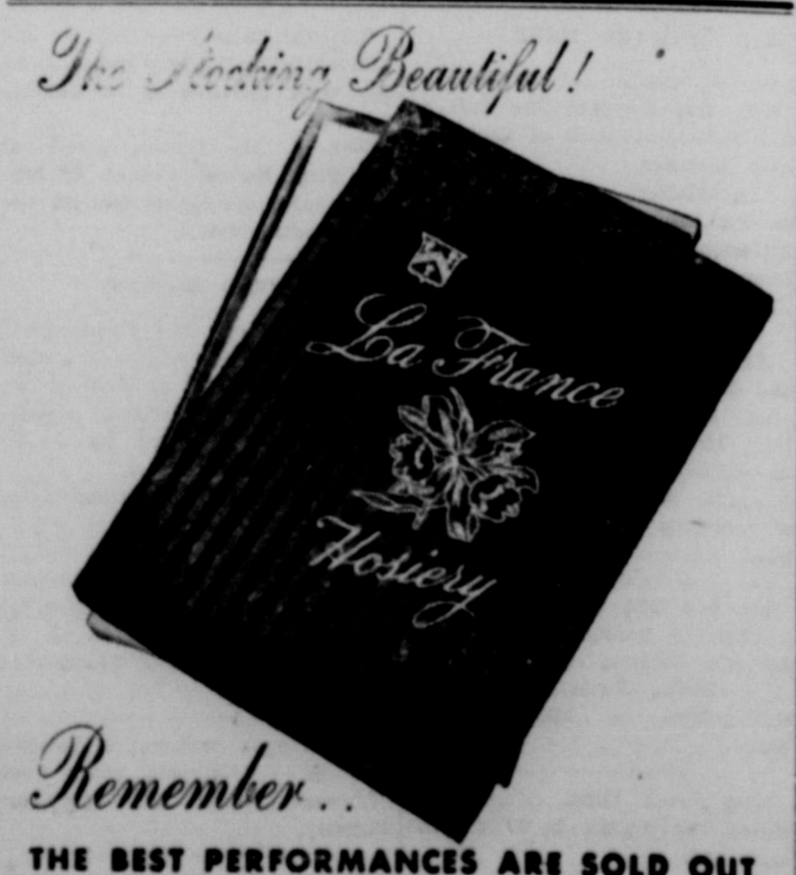
Phillips 66 Poly Gas and Phillips 66 Motor Oils
Service with Courtesy
66 Service Station
W. L. Copeland, Owner

DR. JOHN B. SEGREST
Physician and Surgeon
announces the opening of his offices in the Lone Star Building
Thursday, October 4, 1945
Office Phone 130 Residence Phone 134

DR. ABNER ROBERTS
OPTOMETRIST
PHONE 382
119 West Kingsmill
PAMPA, TEXAS

New Furniture
ARRIVING EVERY WEEK
Studio Suites, Bedroom Suites
Living Room Suites, Rockers, etc., etc.
This furniture is the kind you have been waiting for. Deep springs in the overstuffed divans and chairs—comfortable, beautiful—a real addition to any home furnishing.
Our store is filled with many new items that will be of interest to you. Come in any time and look around. You are always welcome.

Franks Furniture



Remember...
THE BEST PERFORMANCES ARE SOLD OUT
PARKER - PERKINS STORES
McLEAN - CLARENDON

Radio Announcer—The three minutes' silence on your radio, ladies and gentlemen, was not due to a technical breakdown, but was sent to you by courtesy of Noiseless Typewriters.

German U-boats sunk 33 ships in the Gulf of Mexico in 1942 and 1943.

E. Bacher of Port Worth died in the R. S. Jordan last week.

CEMETERY MEMORIALS
MONUMENTS, MARKERS
COVERS and CURBING
S. R. JONES
McLEAN, TEXAS

Friendly Thoughts
By Womack



Motherhood is the most sublime thing in life, giving to the world an infinite blessing of love, devotion, compassion and protection—the bridge between immortal shores.

The delicate requirements of each service are met with experienced and considerate attention.

Womack Funeral Home

ATTENTION
Just received a shipment of radio tubes for most any make radio. Bring your radio in for a check-up now. We have the tubes and parts to fix any kind of radio.
McLEAN RADIO SERVICE
Crosley Radios, Easy Washers
Premier Vacuum Cleaners

THE BEST FEED
is the feed that puts growth and weight on your stock and poultry. That is the kind of feed we handle. Straight feeds or mixed feeds—we keep as complete a stock as the market allows.
Mayfield's Feed tells its own story best
McLEAN FEED STORE
H. L. Thomas Phone 24

FOOD IS WHAT YOU MAKE IT
SO BE CAREFUL WHEN YOU TAKE IT
IT'S SMART TO BUY MUCH CHEAPER
IN FOOD
MODERN MARKET
! FEATURES !

WE PAY TOP PRICE FOR EGGS

Rex	Jelly	5 lb. jar	53c
Sunshine	Crackers	2 lb. box	31c
Pure Cane	Sugar	10 lb. bag	65c

YOUR CHOICE of MODERN MEATS

Loin	Steak	lb.	39c
Nice Fresh Beef	Short Ribs	lb.	21c
Fresh Ground Pork	Sausage	per lb	35c

PRODUCE

Nice Crisp Stalk	Celery	24c
SWEET	Potatoes	lb. 7c
Good Cooking	Apples	10c per lb

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2/4. William T. Cook

ORDINANCE NO. 84
REGULATING THE PARKING OF AUTOMOBILES AND OTHER VEHICLES ON FIRST STREET IN THE CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS, AND REGULATING THE TIME LIMIT FOR THE PARKING OF BUSES, TRUCKS, AUTOMOBILES AND OTHER VEHICLES ON SUCH STREET, PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE SAME, AND REPEALING ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT HEREWITH CONTAINING EMERGENCY CLAUSE HEREWITH.
IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF McLEAN:

Article 1. That from the effective date of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to park an automobile or other vehicle in any manner extending parallel to and within eight feet of the curb of the following street in the City of McLean, Texas, on First Street for one block East and for one block West of the intersection of First Street and Main Street.

Article 2. That from the effective date of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to park a bus or truck in the City of McLean, Texas, on First Street for one block East and for one block West of the intersection of First Street and Main Street.

tion of First Street and Main Street in excess of five minutes.
 Article 3. That from the effective date of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person to park any other automotive vehicles in the City of McLean, Texas, on First Street for one block East and for one block West of the intersection of First Street and Main Street in excess of one hour.

Article 4. Any person or persons who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by fine not exceeding One Hundred Dollars.

Article 5. Any ordinance or part thereof heretofore enacted which is in conflict with this ordinance is hereby repealed.

Article 6. The fact that the present ordinances of the City of McLean are inadequate for the regulation of traffic and the protection of human lives and property creates an emergency and an imperative necessity that the constitutional rule which required ordinances to be read on three days be suspended, and is hereby suspended, and this ordinance shall

take effect and be in force from and after ten days after its passage and second publication, and it is so ordained.
 Passed this the 21st day of September, 1945.
BOYD MEADOR, Mayor.
ATTEST: W. E. BOGAN, Secretary

NOT A REFORMER
 No, we are not a reformer. We learned years ago that it was pure bunk to attempt telling people how to live or act.
 The cigarette manufacturers did the most effective kind of advertising a few years ago when they pictured beautiful women with a cigarette between the teeth. Today, it seems that a large majority of the women around public places are smoking.
 Whether this is good for the women or good for the nation, is something over which we have no control.

But it sure alarmed us to see a group of 11 high school girls, chaperoned by the mother of one of the group, all rushing the cigarette counter, and then all walking into the coffee shop puffing a cigarette, including the mother.
 It was not so bad to see the woman, probably nearing her 70th year, puffing at a cigarette, but when she pulled a flask from her handbag for a nip—well, gosh dangd, if that looked right.

Maybe we are on the old fashioned side. But, mind you—no reformer.—Canyon News.

Doctor—“I don't like to bring this up, but that check you gave me came back.”
 Patient—I don't like to mention this, either, but so did my gout.

Buy printing in McLean.

H. B. Hill Says:
 Advice is worth nothing if kept to ourselves, but usually worth little more if forced upon others.

TRACTORS
 Complements, Repairs
 Parts, Accessories
 Used Cars
S. McLAUGHLIN
 John Deere Tractors
 and Implements
 South and DeSoto Cars

CLEANING and PRESSING
 Expert Workmanship
 Courteous Service
 Made-to-Measure Suits
MERCER DRY CLEANERS
 Jack Mercer, Owner

TRACTOR GAS
 We are licensed dealers in Refund Motor Fuels and will be glad to take care of your needs, in addition to your highway fuels.
STANDARD SERVICE STATION
 Odell Mantooth, Owner



Looking into the future?
SO ARE WE...
 What does the future hold? Will our world be a better, brighter place in which to live? We all hope so!
 But of this one thing we are certain. Electric service will play a more important part in your life than ever before. In the home, new comforts and conveniences will be yours. Electricity in industry and on the farm will bring new economies, better working conditions.
 Yes, we are looking to the future, anticipating your electric needs and we will be ready to serve our customers with an abundant supply of electric service at the lowest possible rates.

SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY
 20 YEARS OF GOOD CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC SERVICE

GET MORE MILEAGE
 with
 Phillips 66 Poly Gas and
 Phillips 66 Motor Oils
Phillips Petroleum Co.
 J. R. GLASS, Consignee

INSURANCE
LIFE FIRE HAIL, etc.
 All kinds of life policies
 Representative Southwestern Life Insurance Company
Boyd Meador Insurance Agency

GOOD FOOD and Excellent Service
McLEAN CAFE
 Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Watkins
 Owners

LET US SERVICE YOUR CAR

66 Service Station
 Where Courtesy Is Our Motto — and Your Patronage Is Appreciated
W. L. COPELAND J. C. HOLLOWAY } Owners

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES

Take It Easy . . . don't buy sight unseen

People are asking us to take advance orders on radios, refrigerators, washing machines and other household items, although we do not have the new models as yet.

But even if some of you are willing to buy a pig in a poke, we are reluctant to sell that kind of poker. Doolen Hardware formerly had, and will soon have again, large stocks of electric items, and radios, refrigerators and washing machines. You can add the many other comforts and pleasures American genius has devised for the home.

We urge you to wait until you can see them. That is the most honest service we can give you. Certainly part of our value to you is that we are experienced in seeing to it that what we offer you is sound and desirable merchandise. We don't think that we can do that without seeing the goods. We can't do it from pictures or by reading specifications or listening to descriptions. And if we can't do it, can YOU?

Certainly, we do not say that you cannot place an order for a radio made by a firm whose good reputation is known, but if you wait until you can see that model, you'll be a lot better satisfied.

Don't misunderstand us. It's our business to sell goods. If you want to place orders with us, sight unseen, we will take them. But we don't think that's the way satisfied customers are made.

You've waited years for these items - - take your time now!

One thing we can promise - - the time you'll have to wait won't be LONG.

FOR ALL THE THINGS YOU'RE GOING TO NEED, ALL YOU NEED IS - -

Doolen Hardware
 — Your Serval Refrigerator Dealer —
 Natural Gas Refrigerators
 Kerosene Refrigerators
 Bottle Gas Refrigerators

HARDWARE GIFT GOODS

- PUCKETT'S**
 Friday and Saturday
SPECIALS
- Marmalade Scully's — 2 lb jar **18c**
 - Red Boy Mustard quart jar **10c**
 - LYE 3 cans **24c**
 - 1 lb SODA Arm & Hammer — 3 for **23c**
 - K. C. Baking Powder 25 oz. **19c**
 - Diamond Matches 6 box carton **28c**
 - HONEY Bestyett — 2 lb **56c**
 - Puckett's Best Flour 25 lb **\$1.08**
 - Snowdrift Meal 25 lb **\$1.15**
 - Tomato Soup No. 2 can **9c**
 - Post Toasties 3 11-oz. pkgs. **25c**
 - Okay Bran Flakes 2 10-oz. pkgs. **12c**
 - COFFEE Schilling's — 2 lb jar **59c**
 - PEAS Early June — 2 cans **25c**
 - Tomato Juice 2 No. 2 cans **25c**
 - PINTO BEANS 4 lb **35c**
 - Sunshine Crackers 2 lb **31c**
 - Pure Cane Sugar 10 lb **65c**
 - Hershey's Cocoa 1/4 lb **10c**
 - Daricraft Milk 6 tall cans **49c**
- STORE HOURS:**
 WEEK DAYS 8:00 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.
 SATURDAY 8:00 a. m. to 9:00 p. m.

BUILDERS' TOOLS
DISHES
STOVES
RADIOS

WASHING MACHINES
ELECTRIC IRONS
REFRIGERATORS

A TOWN PEST

"What troubles me is how they get by with so much. You see, it is like this: We came to this town a year and a half ago and bought a home. On the next lots to ours there was a storage-house which was condemned and which the owner was required to tear down. This made him mad and he let the lumber and tin and junk fall and it is still there, going to waste. Now I know you are wondering why I am making such a fuss about this. Well, it causes a lot of insects and rodents, so that I can't clear my house of rats and mice, no matter how hard I work. We've asked the owner to move it, but he won't. We have asked the authorities to do something about it, but to our surprise they told us the owner was on the board himself. We have gone to our neighbors and they say they can't do anything, since they have been friends so long. What can be done about this? Your help will be greatly appreciated."

I don't know that there is anything that can be done, other than to continue your impertunity where the owner of the property himself is concerned. After a while he may be induced to listen to your just plea. A lawsuit might bring about the desired result, though that is always problematical and entails no little cost besides engendering animosity and bitterness. He appears so tied up with the authorities that—as is so frequently the case—you'd be only "butting your head against a stone wall" in any attempt to force him to do what he seems so obstinately bent on not doing. Possibly the best and only thing to do is for you to endure this nuisance with as good grace as possible. This may serve to gain your point more surely and quickly than a resort to force. Many folk have little consideration of the rights and liberties of others. They are selfish, often mean, riding roughshod over any opposition. Sometimes it seems as if they "fear not God, neither regard man." They are, or think they are, a law unto themselves, and if thwarted in any manner take out their spite on weaker folk and in petty little ways—just as seems apparent in this case. These men and women make up the ranks of life's Hitlers, Goebbels, Himmlers, Mussolinis, Hirohitos and like ilk—though in a lesser degree. Like every other pest of whatever breed they frequently must be simply endured until perhaps they bring about their own downfall by an excess of greediness. Probably they may serve some useful purpose after all, if only to cause us the more greatly to appreciate honest, unselfish, friendly folk—J. K. T. in Star-Telegram.

EMBARRASSING

"I wish the boys wouldn't call me Big Bill."
"How come?"
"These college names stick, and I'm studying to be a doctor."

Miss Mary Lee Abbott of Canyon visited here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wood were in Amarillo Thursday.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES—One insertion, 2c per word.
Two insertions, 3c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion.
No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
Lines of white space will be reading matter. Black-face type charged for at same rate as at double rate. Initials and numerals count as words.
All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with

LOST AND FOUND

LOST, Sunday evening—Parker fountain pen. Reward. J. A. Collins. 1p

WANTED

WANTED.—Waitress and dish washer. Bennie's Cafe. 1c

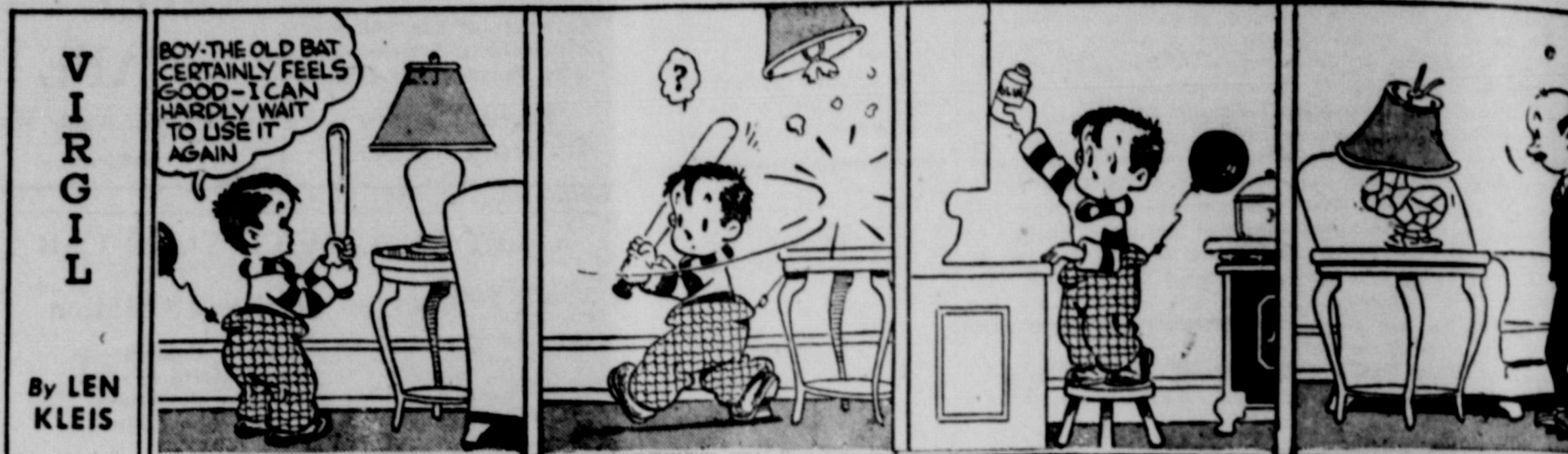
WANT to buy 30 White Leghorn pullets ready to lay this fall. Claud Casey, Lefors, Texas. 1p

WANTED.—Radio technician. If not first class, do not apply. Harris King. 1c

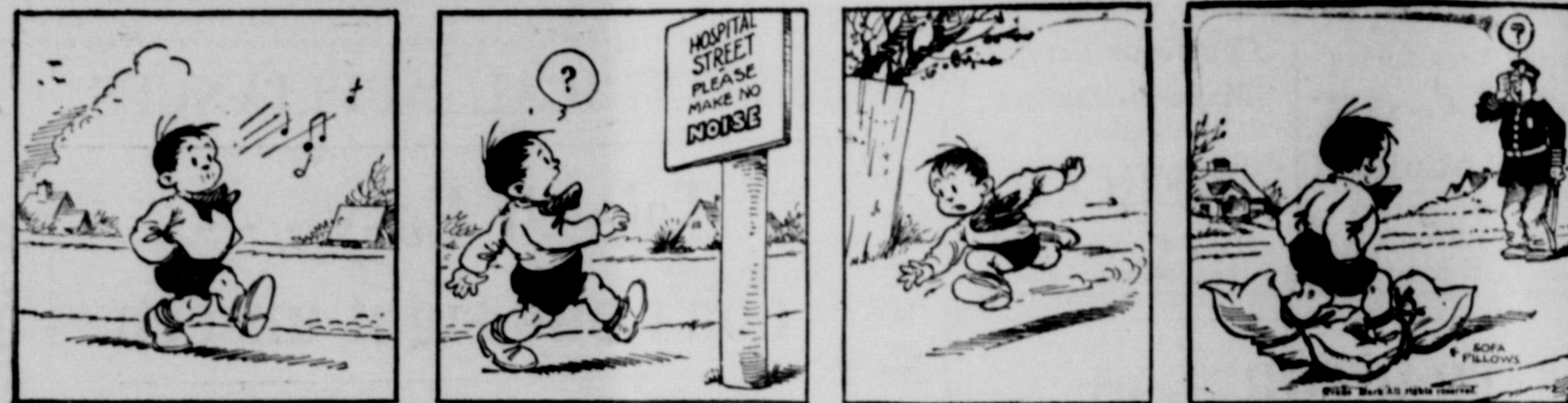
MISCELLANEOUS

CASH BUYERS mink and kaffir. Call or write Vandover's Feed Mill & Store, 541 S. Cuyler, phone 792, Pampa, Texas. 41-4p

SOMEBODY'S STENOG—Hurry It Up, Please



REG'LAR FELLERS—Shhh!



LIBRARY NEWS

By Mrs. Gibson
Here is a test given to a would-be radio announcer. If you can read the following paragraph clearly and without mistakes in 30 seconds, you can boast of above average diction:

I bought a batch of baking powder and baked a batch of biscuits. I brought a big basket of biscuits back to the bakery and baked a basket of big biscuits. Then I took the big basket of biscuits and the basket of big biscuits and mixed the big biscuits with the basket of biscuits that was next to the big basket and put a bunch of biscuits from the basket into a box. Then I took the box of mixed biscuits and a biscuit mixer and biscuit basket and brought the basket of biscuits and the box of mixed biscuits and the biscuit mixer to the bakery and opened a tin of sardines.

Arthur Rippy returned Saturday from an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. L. E. Cunningham has returned from an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. Mattie Graham visited her son, Bruce, at Higgins last week.

YOUR HEALTH

You don't think much about it when you feel well—but you would be worried over a long lay-off on account of sickness. **INSURANCE PROTECTS YOU**

ARTHUR ERWIN INSURANCE

All Forms of **INSURANCE**
No Prohibited List
All my companies have A-1 ratings
PROTECTION PAYS
T. N. Holloway
Reliable Insurance

DR. J. E. HEWETT
Optometrist

Glasses Fitted
Broken Lens Duplicated
For appointment Phone 345
Shamrock, Texas

To clean neglected paint brushes, with no commercial cleaner at hand, soak them in hot vinegar. In a short time they will be clean and pliable as new.

Mrs. W. F. Harlan, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Harlan of Skellytown visited Mrs. J. W. Kibler Sunday.

Johnnie Cubine of Canyon visited his grandparents here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Mead and children of Pampa visited home folks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brewer of Borger visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Helen Harlan of Norman, Okla., visited Mrs. J. W. Kibler Sunday.

Mrs. T. H. Andrews was in Shamrock Monday.

BENNIE'S CAFE

The Best Foods
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TEXACO

Gasoline, Oils, Greases, Kerosene—the best the market affords.

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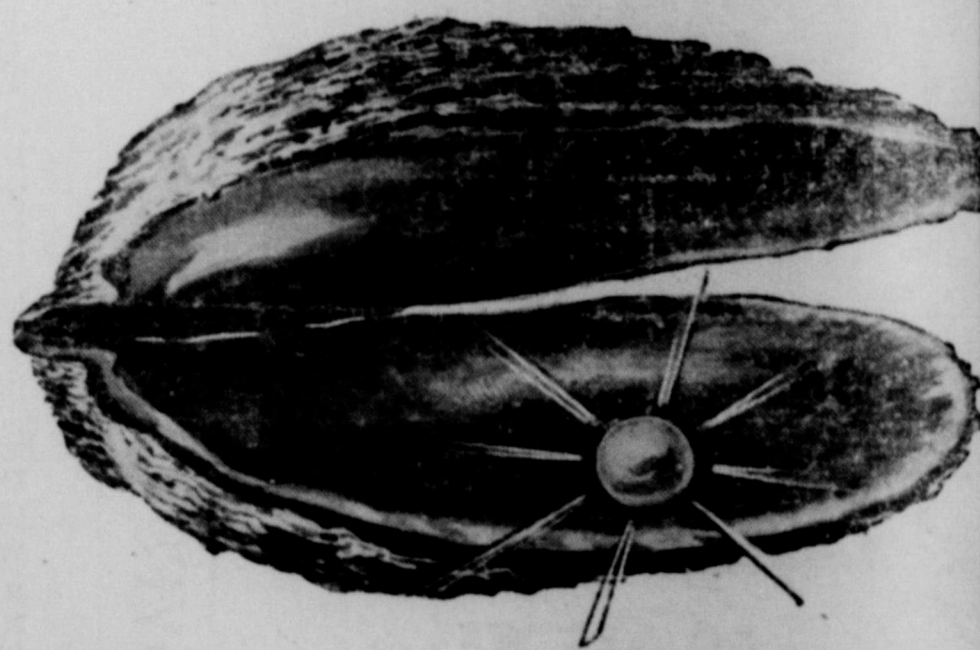
GOLDEN GRILL CAFE

Fine Foods
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MR. AND MRS.
W. B. MERCER
Owners

First Texas settlers found Indian rubber trees growing wild along the Colorado River near Austin.

Mrs. M. T. Powell, Mrs. Lewis Powell, Mrs. Emmett Powell and Miss the teacher if dad is on school board.—Quillen.

WHAT'S IT WORTH?



You CAN make a cultivated pearl by dropping a grain of sand inside an oyster.

The oyster surrounds this irritating grain with a secretion. Slowly, the pearl grows.

When it's as big as a seed, you might remove it and sell it. It would be worth something—not much, but something.

But you'd be much wiser to leave it there—month after month, year after year, while it continued to grow. By and by it would be worth much more. And if, at the same time, you went on growing more and more pearls in more and more oysters—you'd be surprised how your fortune would

grow!

Your Bonds work the same way. And they're a lot more convenient than oysters.

If you keep the Bonds you now have till maturity, they'll be worth four dollars for every three you invested. And if you keep on buying more and more Bonds, you'll find you've done an amazing thing—accumulated enough to make many a dream come true!

Keep buying Bonds—and hang on to them! For security. A home of your own. College for your children. Leisure in your older years. For those Bonds are the safest investment on earth!

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POWERS DRUG CO.

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Lighten your house...
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