## Discussion-

THE GRADE SCHOOL
 demnation nor approval of the pubic.
This articie is merely a discussion, wherein we
tempted to gather the correct facts, inasmuch as
tempiedis article gives our opinion, considering
And thin
conceming whether we think a bond issue
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bell which is ordinarily used to mark the
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to the bullding to determine the cause.
The cause was easily determined, for
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tor ang all
celling. including the metal
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the damage, including the celling repair,
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Coming so soon after the splitting of the
the heating system of the school, most scho
upset. And, we believe rightly so. Some felt that
chlidren should be taken out of school immediately
ind
Lieving the bullding to be very unsafe. This f
nothing new, incidentally, for many have felt
for a long time.
We do not know whether the building
In the first place, we are not qualified
seoond place, we would not say so even if
second place, we would not say so even
to be a good judge of the bullding's
something might happen and we wo
Members of the school board fel
least those with whom we have
same way.
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Regardless of what you may think
whole, or as members individually, the
shool bullding
you are. It
will have the opportunity to decide one way or anot
The financial situation is not good.
representative of the R. A. Underwood
a very reilable firm with which the school
bustness before, was in McLean to study
and to tell the board members
and to tell the board members what
be done. You should realize that
be done. You should realize that the board $m$
not been sleeping, but instead have been $m$
not been sleeping, but instead have been mak
investigations. Frankly, we believe the board c
itself a lot of headaches if it would make known
pubiic a ittlie more often fit
pubic a althe more often just what is going on
our only criticism of the board's actions.
Now here is
Now here is the situation, financlially
we get it (having had experiences of this kind
do not guarantee every phrase we say here to
correct, but we
conot guarantee every phrase we say here t be
corect, but we do belleve this is the right and
dope on the financing of a posstble new buldit
The present valuation of properties within the
Independent School District boundaries is $\$ 2092$
settling on this ngure, a flat 10 per cent deduction
for the estimated amount of taxes which would
collected, leavng the valuation at $\$ 1,833,043$.
As a general rule, the limit on the amoun
Andebteness which a school district may have
is to per cent of the valuation-atter that and
s 10 per cent of the valuation-after that firs
is taken off for the uncollectable taxes.
This means, simply, that Mclean should be

- total bonded indebtedness
much in bonds) of $\$ 188,304.30$.
At the present time, the bonded indebedness
Lean the present time, the bonded indebedn
Sirict totals $\$ 129,700$. Subtracting
sing which might be approved, we
that only an additional $\$ 58,604.30$ could
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sumption that the bonding company
correct in hat bellets-and if youll check
have had eompany
had experience, you will find that the bondin
st always are right.
The possible $\$ 58,000$ in bonds would not build
oulding we need.
if is estimated
needed, if corners were cut protty closely and no mo
misted
Well, H/s simple if you taxpayers are willing per cent (we have it implese: Hy raising out whe valu the ald
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oficlais), the bonded indebtedness limit could be
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inded indebtedness would leave approximately
in onds And the money which might come from
The old bullding would just abo
mainder neceessary for the $\$ 175.000$
Ralsing the
Rasing the valuation of your property 50 per c
in the future pay had been paying $\$ 10$
be possibile to work out a bolutions to the problem.
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the district.
if this be
in favor of voting bows will certainly go down the new bullding. W
Would be quite wring to pay one and onell (Continued on sock pose)


## Annual Drive for Red Cr Saturday Deadline for City Filing



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Saturday Night

Total of 48 Boys Attend Meet To Organize Scouts, Cub Pack





## Wanta Play Ball? Local Team Now

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## Esititorial

hoover and the vets
MOST EVERYONE, by now, has heard of the Hoover
Commission, a group of outstanding men headed by ex-
President Herbert Hoover which studied the federal gov
ernment set-up and made recommendations for what they bellieve are needed changes.
The commision's report is too lengthy for the average The commission's report is too lengthy for the average
person to want to read and study. Parts of the report
are very good, and parts not so good. has to do with the manner in which veterans affairs ar
handied. At the present time, all veterans affairs are
handled through one governmental agency, the Veteran Administration. This system has been found to be quite
satisfactory goverrmemt had six or eight agencies handling veteran
affairs, and through the efforts of the American Legion and Now the Hoover Commision would do away with this
one-stop service agency -the Veterans Administration-ang
replace it with a colle These five bureaus would be 'as follows: 1 . United
Medical Administration - to handie veteran hospitals and
medical to handle all insurance matters: 4. Housing and Home
Finance Agency to handle home loans only; and 5 . Ve
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day. We fgure a daily proft of over
$\mathbf{\$ 1 0 , 0 0 0 ! !}$
What Shall We Feed the Cats?
We will estabhish a rat ranch next door with a million rats. The rats will breed twelve times faster than the cats. So, we'll have four rats to feed each day to each cat. Now, what shall we feed the rats? We will feed the rats the carcasses of the cats after they have been skinned
Now GET tHis:

We feed the rats to the cats and the cats to the rats, and we get the eat skins for nothing!
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