

THE McLEAN NEWS

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Business Is Good Thank You," Say These Merchants

Having heard so much hard times, the News man was surprised to find that business was good today this week, while in conversation with Arthur Erwin, proprietor of the Erwin Drug Co., to hear Mr. Erwin say that his business showed an increase in sales during March, compared to the same month of last year. While his sales do not show as much in dollars and cents, account of reduced prices, the amount for last month shows that goods had actually been sold, inquiry among other merchants in the town revealed that Mr. Erwin was not the only merchant who enjoys good trade, in spite of the business depression.

J. J. Dostalick, manager for the Western Lumber Co., says that reduced prices have made a reduction in the amount of money taken in, but that more goods are being moved than a year ago.

Earle Shell, manager of the City Pharmacy, says business is good, and he is selling more stuff than he has last year. Earle is so blooming all the time, that the News man has a hard time getting him to write an ad for the madhills Jazz every week.

W. J. Lang, manager of Forbis, one & Co., says that business is adding up surprisingly well. He says that the slump in prices has hurt his business about all it is going to, as he has sold practically all the old high-priced goods, and has stocked with new merchandise, bought right.

Luther Coffey, of the T. J. Coffey & Brother store, says that business is gradually getting better all the time, and that some goods sell about as fast as they can be gotten.

E. R. Jones, local hardware and harness dealer, reports a steady increase in sales since the first of the year.

CAIN ACCEPTS SCHOOL FOR ANOTHER YEAR

At a meeting of the school board today this week, Superintendent W. A. Cain accepted the position for another year at a slight increase in salary.

We understand that Mr. Cain had offers from other places at a much higher salary than McLean school could afford to pay a superintendent, but chose to remain with us another year to finish his work of building our school up to be one of the best in this section of the state.

The school board counts themselves fortunate in being able to retain Mr. Cain, regarding him as one of the very best school men in Texas, regardless of the size of the town.

"DO IT WITH ALL THY MIGHT"

Build that house now; construct that highway at once; build that school; that church; repair that broken pavement; build that garage, and even that chicken coop, now—not tomorrow.

Go ahead with your plans; speed the nation on the road to full employment, and thus hasten the day of individual and national prosperity and safety.

Preach this from the pulpit, ye ministers of the gospel; act it from the pews, ye laymen who profess a love for humanity; put it into effect, ye county, municipal and state officials, and remember, ye business men of America, ye men of "big business" and ye men of "little business," that there is something in this infinitely higher and more important than the small amount of money involved which you think you could save by waiting.

Some men put off the day of salvation, expecting to attend to it on their death bed, but not many ever succeed in doing it at that hour. "Do it now, and do it with all your might," should be the motto of every man in America who expects to do any construction work in the near future. "Do it now," and thus do your part toward individual and national business salvation—and even more.

Procrastination is more than the thief of time; it is the murderer of opportunity.—Manufacturers Record.

R. S. Jordan returned Wednesday from Amarillo, where he had been on business.

PRODUCTION IN GULF WELL BELIEVED TO BE ASSURED

Oil in paying quantities was struck in the Gulf Production Company's well in Carson county at a depth of about 3015 feet Tuesday, oil men said here Wednesday.

While the capacity of the well is uncertain, no definite test yet having been made, it is estimated to be a producer of from a few barrels up to 1000 barrels a day.

As soon as the pay was struck, drilling was stopped and a test made by balling. The ball was let down several times and each time was brought up full of oil.

The well has been shut down and officials of the company notified by telegram of the strike. They are now on their way to Amarillo, it is understood.

Rumors were afloat on the streets of Amarillo Wednesday morning to the effect that the hole was standing 2000 feet in salt water, but, while no official confirmation could be obtained in this connection, it is denied by those who visited the well. This would be impossible, it is explained, as drilling ceased as soon as the pay sand was struck. However, the presence of salt water would be no bad indication, it is pointed out, as it is impossible to have an oil field without it. In fact, reliable oil men declare that if salt water was not encountered they would be badly disappointed.—Amarillo Tribune.

BACK IN CENTRAL TIME ZONE ON APRIL 17

Sunday morning, April 17, at 12:01 o'clock, Amarillo will again be in the Central time zone, according to announcement of A. Peterson, division freight and passenger agent of the Chicago, Rock Island & Gulf Railway Company, who has received definite advice from the general offices at El Reno, Okla., that new Rock Island schedules will be effective as far west as Tucumcari, N. M., on that date.

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe officials are now in conference at Albuquerque, N. M., concerning the change, but no definite advice has been received at the general offices of the Panhandle & Santa Fe at Amarillo. An exchange of messages has been made by local Santa Fe officials and authorities, and it is expected that definite announcement as to the Santa Fe changes will be received Thursday.

The Fort Worth & Denver City local agent, J. B. Gibbons said Wednesday morning that he had received no instructions from his officials, but that he momentarily expects something definite.—Amarillo Tribune.

RAILROAD TRAFFIC TIED UP; WASHITA RIVER ON RAMPAGE

The Washita river is on a rampage according to reports received here and has flooded and washed out the track on the Rock Island railroad between Foss and Weatherford, Oklahoma, until it is probable that traffic of all kinds will be tied up on the line until Saturday.

The Rock Island announces that travel will be paralyzed on the road until Saturday.

Definite details of the nature of the washouts have not been received.—Wednesday's Amarillo news.

The latest report, according to employees of the Rock Island, are that through traffic cannot be resumed before Sunday. The washout happened Monday night, and the first mail to be received from east of it came in Thursday, having been detained by way of Amarillo.

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F. P. REID IS ELECTED MAYOR OF PAMPA

Pampa, April 6.—F. P. Reid was re-elected Tuesday as mayor of Pampa. Other city officials elected were: Aldermen, C. T. Hunkapillar, W. M. Craven, Joe M. Smith, C. D. Woodward and T. H. Lane. City Marshal, Harry Rider.

The new city hall and fire station has been completed and the city officials will conduct the affairs of the city in the new quarters.

J. D. Merriman Jr. of Wheeler spent Wednesday night in the city.

I. X. Kachelhoffer made a business trip to Amarillo Wednesday.

Bryant Henry returned last Friday evening from Amarillo.

Daddy Craig returned Wednesday from Ft. Worth.

Only 70 Votes Were Cast in City Election

At the city election Tuesday, J. W. Kibler was elected mayor, Chas. Guill city marshal, and Earle Shell, Claybourne Cash, C. C. Bogan, Ross Biggers and W. L. Haynes aldermen.

Very little interest was taken in the election on the day it was held, only 70 votes being cast. Considerable work had been done previous to the election, however, and two different tickets had been gotten up and printed. The mayor ruled that such procedure was not legal, and that to make a ballot official, a petition with a certain per cent of the qualified voters as signers, had to be submitted to the proper authorities. Accordingly, blank ballots were supplied to the voters at the polls.

There was considerable confusion at the polls on account of the blank ballot, a number of men refusing to vote with no knowledge as to who had been put in the race as candidates. So The News printed and distributed a circular bearing the two tickets that had been gotten up, for the information of the public.

Of the 70 votes that were cast, J. W. Kibler received the greatest number, 63 favoring him for mayor. Of the Aldermen, Earle Shell received the heaviest vote, 51 being cast for him. The other successful candidates for aldermen each received the following votes: C. C. Bogan 50, W. L. Haynes 46, Claybourne Cash 42, Ross Biggers 41.

With the exception of one man, a complete change in city officials has been voted. Alderman Earle Shell is the only man who was re-elected.

KRAMER-BAILEY

On Monday evening, at the home of Rev. S. R. Jones, in the south part of town, Mr. E. H. Kramer and Miss Fannie Bailey were united in marriage, Rev. Jones officiating.

Mr. Kramer has been in McLean only a few months, having worked with oil rigs at some of the test wells being drilled near here. Since he came to this place, he has acquired a large number of friends, however. His people live at Burton.

Miss Bailey is well known, having been reared in the Heald community and at one time ran a confectionery store in McLean.

The News congratulates the happy couple and wishes for them a long and prosperous wedded life.

ALAN REED BANK ROBBERS ARE SENTENCED TO PEN

Lefors, April 6.—The second week of district court began Monday and the criminal docket was taken up. Two cases were disposed of, the defendants being the parties who are alleged to have robbed the Guaranty State Bank at Alanreed on Dec. 3, 1920. Both defendants pleaded guilty and the jury assessed penalties of five years for E. E. Owens and six years for Dewey Pounds, alias Joe Karty.

Three others are being held in jail awaiting trial on various charges and whose cases will probably be called and disposed of this week.

LEAGUE BIBLE QUESTIONS

What was the result of the battle of Israel with divers kings at the Waters of Merom?
Why did the Lord harden the hearts of Israel's enemies?
How many kings did Joshua smite on the west side of Jordan?
What tribes received no inheritance west of Jordan and why?
Why was Hebron given to Caleb as an inheritance?
How was Othniel rewarded for his valor?
Why did the tribes of Joseph sue for more territory?

Mrs. J. M. Shannon and son, Jesse, of Clarendon are visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. N. E. Savage, and family this week.

E. J. Agee of Weatherford came in Tuesday evening for a visit with his brother, Rev. A. F. Agee, and family.

Miss Oma Arnold went to Clarendon Friday of last week.

Burglars Enter The Post Office

Tearing off a screen from one of the windows and forcing the latch, a burglar entered the post office at McLean Monday night. Postmaster Frank Faulkner says that none of the mail seems to have been disturbed, and that the only trace left was a few burnt match sticks.

The post office inspector at Amarillo and local officers were notified of the burglary, but it seems that no clue has been found.

HIGH SCHOOL BENEFIT ENTERTAINMENT TONIGHT

Programs are out announcing an entertainment at the high school auditorium tonight for the benefit of the school, the proceeds to be used to help defray expenses of the school's representatives to the district interscholastic meet at Canyon April 15 and 16. This entertainment will be given by the expression class of Mrs. Jim Back and the McLean Orchestra. The program follows:

Yankee Doodle—Reed Grogan.
The Color Fairies (playlet)—Elgin Shell, Anna Wingo, Johnnie Vella Haynes, Gorda Lou Haynes, Joelline Vannoy, Dorothy Cousins, Lettie Belle Rucker, Virginia Faulkner, Pauline Crabtree, Ruth Dickens.
All Aboard for Podunk (comedy)—Douglas Wilson, T. M. Cash, Gerude Wingo, Minnie Morse, Vernon Rice, Miss Beulah Tucker, Jobe Abbott, Ralph Jackson, Lula Peters, Ella Abbott, Gladys Holloway, Lola Abbott, Irene Murphree, Flossie Jordan, R. L. Floyd, Beatrice Cash, Lelene Coffey, Frances Noel, Miss Osborne, Lena Sparks, Rex Roby, Gilbert Wingo, Russell Grogan.

ALEXANDER-HENRY

At the Methodist parsonage in Clarendon, at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, Mr. Alva Alexander and Miss Mary Henry of this city were united in marriage, the Rev. C. N. N. Ferguson officiating.

The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. Ruel Shell of this place and Miss Lillian Quattlebaum of Clarendon.

Mr. Alexander is engaged in the tailor business in McLean, and during the year or more he has been here, has acquired a large number of friends among the people of our city.

Miss Mary is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Henry, and has lived in McLean for several years past. She is a graduate of McLean high school, and is very popular in the social set in which she moves.

The News joins in extending congratulations to this happy couple.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

The subject of next Sunday's B. Y. P. U. meeting is Bible study—Parables of the Kingdom.
Leader—Eunice Stratton.
Opening exercises.
Scripture reading and prayer.
Introduction—Leader.
Propagation of the Truths of the Kingdom—Lillian Abbott.
The Difficulties Encountered—Wayland Floyd.
The Growth of the Kingdom—Mrs. Agee.
The Preciousness of Membership in the Kingdom of God—Oma Arnold.
The Final Adjustment—Mr. Savage.

"A PENNY AN INCH AROUND THE WAIST"

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid are giving an apron social next Wednesday afternoon. Every lady who receives an invitation in the form of an apron, please be sure and bring it to Mrs. C. S. Rice's Wednesday, April 13, or if you can't come, please send it.
REPORTER.

AT THE NAZARENE CHURCH

There will be a missionary program at the Nazarene church Sunday evening at 7:15, given by the N. Y. P. S. The public is invited.

Mrs. L. O. Floyd and little granddaughter, Nova Fern Piersall, returned Thursday of last week from a visit with the lady's daughter, Mrs. W. D. Biggers, at Groom. Mrs. Biggers accompanied them home.

Miss Floye Glass went to Ramsdell Wednesday to visit Mrs. Fields.

CYCLONE AT CLARENDON DOES \$150,000 DAMAGE

Clarendon, April 6.—Damage done by the cyclone here Tuesday night is estimated at from \$150,000 to \$200,000. First reports of \$250,000 were exaggerated.

The City Grocery, the Cash and Carry Grocery and Couch's Restaurant were completely destroyed by fire when lightning fired the restaurant.

Telephone service is completely paralyzed throughout the business section. The wagon yard and T. E. Allen's Garage were almost totally demolished by the twister.

The cyclone came at 11:15 when practically everyone had left the downtown section, which is believed the reason no one was injured. The twister appeared at the south end of Kearney, the main street, and swept down it to the railway tracks. The wind apparently hopped from side to side of the street, taking off fronts, awnings, smashing windows and otherwise damaging property.

Lurid lightning played about the streets as the tornado swept down. The few men on the main street said the lightning ricocheted over the pavement in flaming streaks.

In addition to the buildings completely destroyed by the wind and fire, the front was blown out of the laundry plant, the Clarendon News skylight was blown out, the Clifford and Wilkinson grocery was heavily damaged, the roof was blown off the Second Hand Store, and various other buildings damaged to a less degree.

Practically all of the damage was confined to the main street. One residence was moved off its blocks and the two school buildings were slightly damaged.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Junior-Senior class are leading point winners in the recent interscholastic League meet. There are only seven in these two grades (Junior and Senior) and the classes were organized together. Despite our smallness in numbers, we won 59½ points in the meet—more than any other class in school. There gold medals, one silver medal, five blue ribbons and one white ribbon are the trophies won by seven of McLean High's students. Below is the list of points won by the members of our class. One member did not enter any event:

Literary—Lucile Stratton, first place girls' debate, 10 points; Jewell Cousins, first place essay, 10 points; Ralph Jackson, second place senior boys' declamation, 5 points; Melvin Davis, first place, boys' debate, 10 points.

Athletics—Sammie Cubine, first place pole vault, 5 points, first place boys' tennis singles, 5 points, first place boys' tennis doubles, 2½ points; Houston Bogan, first place running high jump, 5 points, third place 120 yard hurdle, 2 points; Melvin Davis, first place mile run, 5 points.

REPORTER.

TWO MEN SENTENCED IN DISTRICT COURT AT LEFORS

Lefors, April 6.—In the district Court of Gray County, Tuesday, John Franklin Hill and John Kinnis were convicted of burglary and each sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

The sheriff will probably leave tonight for Amarillo to convey these two prisoners to the Amarillo jail for safe keeping until called for by the agent of the penitentiary.

Mrs. Ernest Jordan returned Saturday evening to her home in Dallas after a visit with her father, I. P. Evans, and other relatives.

Pat Malcom went to Wellington Saturday night.

"KILLING A TOWN"

A town that never has anything to do in a public way is on the way to the cemetery. Any citizen who will do nothing for the town is helping to dig the grave. A man who "cusses" the town furnishes the coffin. The man who is so selfish as to have no time from his business to give a share of his attention to movements for town improvement is making the shroud. THE MAN WHO WILL NOT ADVERTISE IS DRIVING THE HEARSE. The man who is always pulling back from any public enterprise throws bouquets on the grave. The man who is so stingy as to be howling hard times preaches the funeral and sings the doxology. And thus the town lies buried from all sorrow and care.—The News, Downs, Kansas.

21 Students Go to District Meet at Canyon 15-16

McLean high school will be well represented at the district interscholastic league meet at Canyon on April 15 and 16. There will be 21 contestants from this place, nine of whom won first places in the literary events in the county meet, and 12 won first, second and third places in the athletic contests.

A part of the McLean students will leave McLean on Thursday afternoon's train, to be followed by others on Friday, who will go on the train or in automobiles.

Some mighty fine debaters, declaimers, spellers, essay writers, and athletes have been developed in McLean school this year, and our representatives should take some first places, both at the district meet and at the state meet.

WASHOUT DELAYS HIGH SCHOOL BENEFIT SHOW

The washout on the Rock Island over in Oklahoma kept the films for the "Honest Hutch" movie show from arriving, and according to Manager D. A. Davis of the Missiop Theatre, the exhibition for the benefit of the high school can not be given before Monday night, at which time it has been arranged to show the picture.

The proceeds from this entertainment are to be used to defray expenses of high school students who won in the county meet, to the district interscholastic meet at Canyon on April 15 and 16.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

At the school trustee election Saturday, Jno. W. Kibler and J. S. Morse were re-elected as school trustees, and J. M. Noel was chosen to take the place of Frank Wilson, who refused to accept the place for another year.

There were 58 votes cast in this election, Mr. Noel received 55, and Messrs. Kibler and Morse each received 50.

Satisfaction with the manner in which the board has handled our school affairs seems to be pretty general, judging from the small number of votes that were against the old trustees.

BURKS-ROBINSON

On Saturday afternoon Rev. S. R. Jones performed the ceremony which united in marriage Dewit Burks and Miss Fannie Robinson.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks and has lived in McLean for a number of years.

Miss Fannie is a sister of Ben Moore, who came to McLean from Amarillo several months ago. Both young people have friends here who extend the warmest wishes. They will make their home in McLean.

WOMEN TRUSTEES ARE ELECTED AT SLATON

Slaton, April 5.—An election held here Saturday for the purpose of selecting three members of the Slaton school board was hotly contested. Two women were placed on the ticket by the clubs of the city and they led the ticket by handsome majorities. The contest resulted in the election of Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mrs. J. S. Lanham, and T. D. Johnson.

W. R. Wise and Jim Sullivan returned Saturday night from Amarillo.

Neal Cooper went to Whitedeer Sunday, where he will make his home for the present with his mother, Mrs. Sid Denson.

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The Clarendon News printed a somewhat lengthy editorial in last week's issue, boosting the movement to make Palo Duro canyon a national park. There may be great difficulty in convincing Congress of the grandeur of this bit of Panhandle scenery. It would perhaps be easier to convince the solons at Austin that Palo Duro should be made a state park, but as the legislature is made up mostly of East Texans, that would be a hard thing to accomplish. But when we get Texas divided into two or more states less cumbersome, it might be an easy matter to get the new state in which the Panhandle will lie to take charge of the canyon and make it a playground for all the people.

Last week the Randall County News at Canyon began its twenty-fifth year. Under the capable management of C. W. Warwick, the News has grown to be one of the best of the weekly newspaper properties in the Panhandle, and during the past year some decided improvements have been made in its equipment.

The Rule Review tells of a man who went to a grocery store and bought some eggs on credit, then went down the street and sold them to another grocer for cash, in order to get enough money to go to a person who was when necessity show. Which proves how resourceful arises. Rule is in the heart of a one-crop country, and that a citizen should be reduced to such straits is not surprising. But we have as yet

to learn of any man in the McLean country having to resort to such scheming, for with our diversity of crops and the certainty that one or more of them will yield a fair return, this section is one of the most prosperous in the whole state.

The action of Governor Neff in vetoing the appropriation bill to purchase a site for the West Texas A. & M. College has given impetus to the movement to divide the state. Many who paid little attention to Editor Loomis of Canadian et al. are now heartily in favor of the issue. Mr. Loomis has plenty of facts to support his arguments, and The News predicts that he press of the Panhandle will rally around him as never before. We are even expecting Sam Braswell of the Clarendon News to agree with him.

The News contends that when the Ku Klux Klan branded the initials of their order on the forehead of a Dallas negro, they were mighty careless about the good name of the Klan to place its emblem on such a person.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Harris spent the week end with their son, J. H. Harris, and family at Clarendon. They were accompanied by little Miss Verna Rice, who visited in the J. O. Quattlebaum home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Redwine of Hedley spent the week end visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Shelton, and friends.

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TURN OFF THE POISON GAS

The poison gas of wartime was made by chemists. It caused untold suffering. It was unfair. The poison gas of commerce is made by thoughtless and lazy people—or men with axes to grind. It also causes suffering—it is equally unfair. It consists in whispering stories about companies or people without foundation of fact. It is bearing false witness; it means undermining confidence. It has no relation to the frank and open expose of rotten conditions.

In one case the man who spreads the story takes no responsibility. He doesn't want or need facts. He merely wants to whisper. The man with a real story doesn't have to whisper. If he has the facts, he can speak aloud—and stand back of his statements.

One kind of a statement is a service. The whispering is poison gas. This poison gas, whether it be inspired by promoters of bear attacks on the stock market, or people who have forgotten how to sell and need gossip to keep alive, is more than unfair—it is foolish.

Every man who is not a parasite in the economic structure has something to sell. It may be an idea—a creed—or a washing machine.

Many men have forgotten how to sell. They are too busy whispering. But the man who wants to sell his

product has to talk above a whisper. And he has got to think about his own business. He can go out right now and get orders for goods, space, or whatever he is selling, in the time he takes whispering about a rumor or worrying about a cancellation.

The engineer of a train, when he comes for a moment to the valley below the hill ahead, doesn't stop the train. He doesn't invite the conductor to sit down with him beside the track while he tells him hollow-toned ghost stories. He gets his fire well coaled, puts his hand on the throttle and turns on the steam.

It is exactly the right time for all American business to take a hitch in its trousers and go to it. It's time to quit whispering. It's time to turn off the poison gas and turn on the steam.—Printers' Ink.

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THE CITY PHARMACY

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Bill Webb was in from the ranch Tuesday.

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ALSO DURO NATIONAL PARK MOVEMENT IN PUBLIC EYE

The movement on the part of a few leading citizens of the Panhandle to get a national park established in this section, is again gaining quite a bit of public notice. The proposed park area includes several thousand acres of the scenic Palo Duro canyon located in Randall, Armstrong and Potter counties.

This acreage lies mainly in the A pasture. This movement should meet with the approval of all the Panhandle that this natural scenic phenomena be preserved for the pleasure and profit of future generations. It is planned to ask the government to establish this park on the same basis as Yellowstone, stocking it with game and fish. Having been the natural abode of bear, deer, antelope, buffalo, and so doubt elk in the long ago, these animals would prove their thrift without any special governmental assistance except to see that they were not destroyed by man.

Of the smaller game species, prairie chicken, both kinds of quail and wild turkey would soon become plentiful.

The canyon at the above place is most beautiful and rugged. The banks rise to a height of twelve hundred feet with a beautiful green valley below and a meandering stream fed by springs thus assuring water the year round. Not only would this location appeal to the visitor as a beauty spot, but from a historical standpoint. No portion of the Panhandle has afforded the pages of history more data because of its having been up to the very last, the stronghold of the Red man. Many were the battles when "the survival of the fittest" was the only law. What would be more interesting than to read from a history of this location the grave heroic deeds of the early pioneer safely kept in the handsome inn at the entrance of

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The camel, while never a companionable beast, has one human weakness, an insatiable love for tobacco.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Bundy of Hammon, Okla., came in Saturday for a visit with relatives. They will go from here to Illinois to visit relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Cub Bogan and little Miss Minnie Morse motored to Clarendon Saturday to meet the former's sister, Miss Lettie, who was returning from Ft. Worth.

YOU are invited to attend the missionary program given by the N. Y. P. S. Sunday evening at 7:15, Nazarene church.

W. J. Lang went to Memphis Sunday after his wife, who was visiting relatives at that place.

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Clean Up and Paint Up Is Best Way to Swat the Fly

Have you noticed there are not so many flies as there used to be? If you live in one of those cleaned-up neighborhoods you surely have. The little house fly has always been considered a nuisance, a pest, but it is only in late years that we have come to understand that he is more than a nuisance. He is a deadly menace to health. He carries diseases of many kinds, among them the deadly spinal meningitis. Gathering disease germs on the cushions of his feet and on the ends of his "whiskers," he deposits them on food, in water, on the lips of sleeping persons, on clothing, everywhere. He is the busiest known distributor of disease germs. Even the notorious plague carrier, the rat, takes off his hat to the deadly fly. The mosquito confines his activity to malaria. The fly is a wholesale distributor of disease germs of all kinds.

"What," you ask, "has the Clean-up and Paint-up Campaign to do with the destruction of the fly?" Perhaps you supposed the "swat-the-fly" slogan did the job of reducing the swarms of that little pest. You call to mind those wonderful figures of the millions of flies which result in August if you fail to swat just one in March, and Nature progresses perfectly with none of the thousands of mishaps which may occur, there will be millions of flies in August, or there would be if this new idea did not intervene to prevent. For remember this: Flies breed in refuse. When refuse is destroyed the fly finds no happy home in which to establish a family. Likewise, the mosquito breeds in every little bit of stagnant water he can find. Where there is none, the mosquito crop is cut as short as the berry crop in a drought. Tin cans and any other sort of rain receptacle in a back yard or vacant lot make the ideal mosquito breeding places. Now you see how a Clean-up and Paint-up Campaign, which removes the refuse from back yards, cellars, alleys and vacant lots, reduces tremendously the numbers and activity of those disease spreading agents. Not "swat-the-fly" but "remove-the-refuse" is the right slogan for fly extermination.

Ask any health officer and he will tell you that this is the finest kind of sanitary and disease preventing work that can be done. "But," you ask, "why do not the health officers do this if it is so vital to health?" The answer is that they have not the facilities nor the backing of the city government and its ordinances, nor of the people themselves.

It's Up to the People Themselves

The people themselves must awake to the situation, and they must do the work; not for a day, nor a week, but all the time. There is a whole lot of the burrah spirit in our way of doing big things. The way we took hold of the big things that had to be done during the war was proof of this. When public interest is aroused and the people get the idea of acting together to put something over, that thing is bound to go "over the top." That is the secret of the success of this idea. In cities and towns, now numbering several thousand, where the people have caught the idea and had their civic pride aroused, they have taken hold of the Clean-up and Paint-up Campaign and performed wonderful prophylactic feats. Thousands of tons of refuse have been carted away, and many square miles of dirty back yards, alleys and vacant lots have been cleaned and made, and kept, both sanitary and presentable.

An old shack may be a fire risk that menaces adjoining buildings or a whole block, but anything that breeds or spreads disease menaces the lives of the whole city. That fly does not belong to you, nor to me, nor to anybody. Neither does a mosquito. I may maintain the breeding conditions and he may take disease to a neighbor; or a neighbor may be his grandfather and he may visit my family with his germs; or he may be the product of a refuse strewn vacant lot belonging to some absentee owner. Therefore it makes little difference in the menace to my family if I merely keep my own premises spick and span. From the health standpoint alone, no man, owner or tenant, can say that he has no interest in the property conditions of his neighborhood.

Health not the Only Reason

But health is not the only reason for this campaign. The clean city is the beautiful city, the attractive city, and therefore the prosperous city. Just as it is necessary for the individual to keep himself clean and his clothing looking well if he wants to be well received and do business, so it is necessary for a city to present a clean and attractive appearance. This seems so self-evident as to require no argument, but it is not. There are slovenly persons and to their own harm, just as there are slovenly cities to their own detriment. Such persons need to be aroused to the harm they are doing themselves in their lack of pride. So also the civic pride of a community's citizens needs to be aroused. Indeed that again is the great idea, to get the people to go into this campaign through a spirit of awakened loyalty to their town as much as, or more than, because of their realization of the benefits in health and living conditions and the preservation and increase of their property values.

How to Have Good Neighbors

Are you proud of your city? Do you think it is a fine place in which to live and do business? Do you feel a sense of satisfaction when sightseers from other cities drive past your own home and notice your lawn with its shrubbery and flowers that make the fitting set-

ting for your attractive well-kept home? Well, you know that one swallow does not make a summer. One single clean and attractive home will not impress visitors, except to show the hideous contrast of its surrounding neighborhood. It is the whole neighborhood and the whole city which furnish visitors their impressions and estimates of the conditions, of the public spirit, and of the business and property values and prospects of your neighborhood and your city. The cleaner you keep your own premises the more interested you should be in seeing that the whole city is kept clean to match your own standards. That is not only a proper civic pride, but it is your right to expect cleanliness and orderliness all around you for the protection of both your health and your property.

The attractive, thrifty cared for home, in a clean and pretty neighborhood of such homes, will bring so much more spot cash and such a quicker sale than one in a dirty, run-down neighborhood, that it becomes patent that besides all the safety and comfort and pride one finds in Clean-up and Paint-up, there's real money value and profit in it. But in this, in its perfection, one must have good neighbors. Houses, like men, are judged by their associates. The way to have good neighbors is to be a good neighbor.

Don't Take a Bath—"Unless"

What's the use of urging a seedy, unkempt, unfortunate, almost a down-and-out, to "Take a bath," unless the man is certain to go further and fully restore himself, and commit himself, to self-respect and its maintenance in all its forms? There must be the basis of physical fitness in condition and appearance to justify his self-respect and that basis must be so substantial and obvious to all as to be a constant incentive to stay clean and presentable. Accordingly he must abjure his old and seedy garments and clothe himself with new habiliments that reflect his restored self-respect, that publicly pledge him to its continued maintenance, and that are a constant actual incentive for his observance of all the daily routine details necessary thereto.

In household and neighborhood and community cleanliness there is no such constantly impelling incentive as painstaking! Here is a simple lesson in psychology that explains it:

Did you ever think of the reason for the now common practice of painting the corners of stairway landings in public buildings, schoolhouses, factories, etc., in white or some other light color? It is because practically nobody, children, workmen, nor even the tobacco chewing ward heeler, will defile a conspicuously clean painted surface. Therefore these corners, formerly the havens of filth, are easily kept clean. Any office building manager can tell you how his janitor force can raise or lower the habits, the class of his tenants, the reputation of his building, the frontage and floor space values.

Clean-up is the negative, the destructive part and Paint-up is the positive, the protective, the constructive part of the work. You can't paint up until you've cleaned up, and you can't keep things actually clean and sanitary and germ-proof unless they are painted or varnished or enameled. You know that the very best household can't do it. Think of them trying to on such things, for example, as bathtubs and washbowls that are not enameled, floors that are not varnished or painted, woodwork and kitchen and bathroom walls that are not painted! That's why every inch of surface in all hospitals is painted, varnished or enameled.

And talk of forest conservation. More money wasted in the damage and deterioration of property through lack of paint than is generally recognized. We are inclined to look upon painting as an expense, when it should be considered as an insurance against certain loss. Prof. H. H. King, who conducted an extended series of paint tests at Kansas Agricultural College, declares that "the loss through lack of painting exceeds the loss by fire."

Cleaning up without painting would be but half doing the work, though of course painting is not the year round job that cleaning is. But it is necessary whenever the paint is so worn that the material is exposed to the elements, or when the building is so dirty that the premises have a run-down and neglected aspect, detrimental to its value, to the standing of its owner or occupant, and to the looks and reputation of the whole neighborhood.

The Power of Community Spirit

Of course, if a man does not keep his premises clean and attractive as a measure of health and economy and personal pride, he is not likely to do so as a concession to good neighborliness unless the moral pressure of such a campaign as this is brought to bear upon him. But the power of community sentiment has been found to work wonders in stimulating the improvement of neglected premises, to the satisfaction of everybody, in the better appearance and increased property values of the entire neighborhood. There is such a thing as arousing civic pride and a sense of neighborhood duty in the minds of thoughtless and negligent citizens, and nothing ever has been so successful in doing this as the Clean-up and Paint-up Campaign.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Harlan and little son of White Deer came over the first of the week to visit with relatives.

Misses Ruth Jordan and Eunice and Lucile Stratton made a business trip to Amarillo Saturday.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

of City Treasurer for the six months beginning October 1st, 1920, and ending March 31st, 1921.

Receipts	
Oct. 1 Bal. cash on hand	\$ 20.06
Oct. 13 Show license	.50
Nov. 10 Taxes	9.00
Nov. 12 Taxes	2.38
Nov. 19 Taxes	97.25
Nov. 22 Taxes	11.30
Nov. 26 Taxes	2.88
Dec. 1 Taxes	30.35
Dec. 8 Taxes	12.10
Dec. 10 Taxes	11.20
Dec. 13 Taxes	23.60
Dec. 16 Taxes	34.55
Dec. 21 Taxes	21.50
Dec. 27 Taxes	15.00
Dec. 30 Taxes	14.85
Jan. 3 Taxes	50.35
Jan. 5 Taxes	65.82
Jan. 6 Taxes	17.80
Jan. 8 Taxes	12.10
Jan. 12 Taxes	17.07
Jan. 14 Taxes	46.17
Jan. 19 Taxes	55.80
Jan. 21 Taxes	57.15
Jan. 22 Taxes	105.02
Jan. 24 Taxes	63.45
Jan. 25 Taxes	182.81
Jan. 27 Taxes	60.00
Jan. 28 Taxes	25.65
Jan. 28 Taxes	26.60
Jan. 28 Taxes	153.10
Jan. 29 Taxes	40.89
Jan. 31 Taxes	27.35
Feb. 1 Taxes	215.68
Feb. 2 Taxes	78.27
Feb. 10 Taxes	20.55
Feb. 11 Taxes	4.00
Feb. 12 Street tax	45.00
Feb. 14 Street tax	21.00
Feb. 14 From fines	5.00
Feb. 14 Street tax	30.00
Feb. 15 Street tax	12.50
Feb. 17 From fines	15.00
Feb. 18 Street tax	4.23
Feb. 25 Taxes	13.00
Feb. 26 Taxes	3.85
Feb. 26 Taxes	33.80
Mar. 1 Taxes	17.69
Mar. 3 Taxes	6.50
Mar. 4 Street tax	11.00
Mar. 7 Street tax	6.20
Mar. 14 Taxes	59.25
Mar. 14 From fines	9.75
Mar. 22 Taxes	3.00
Mar. 23 Taxes	3.80
Mar. 31 Taxes	\$2,034.92

Disbursements	
Oct. 30 Walter Free, street work	\$ 6.07
Nov. 10 Kunkel Bros., drayage	15.00
Nov. 26 J. A. Miller, street work	13.50
Nov. 27 J. F. Ledbetter, work on well	6.50
Nov. 27 M. Roe, street work	16.80
Nov. 29 S. J. Roe, street work	16.00
Nov. 30 Ted Glass, street work	7.60
Dec. 4 J. T. Glass, street work	7.80
Dec. 8 S. J. Roe, street work	6.40
Dec. 11 Ray Robinson, work on well	2.50
Dec. 18 Geo. Boardland, work on well	6.09
Dec. 21 Geo. Boardland, marsh salary	25.00
Dec. 23 Chas. Jordan, street work	8.10
Dec. 27 Geo. Boardland, work on well	1.50
Jan. 1 T. W. Henry, commission on taxes	22.00
Jan. 7 Geo. Boardland, work on well	6.00
Jan. 8 Cicero-Smith Lumber Co., lumber for culvert	189.95
Jan. 14 R. B. Johnson, street work	12.00
Jan. 21 Geo. Boardland, marsh salary	25.00
Jan. 21 Geo. Boardland, hauling of horse	1.00
Jan. 26 J. R. Phillips, street work	15.00
Feb. 2 T. W. Henry, commission on taxes	61.00
Feb. 2 Russell Grader Co., street grader and drag	91.16
Feb. 11 D. B. Veatch, repaid loan	800.00
Feb. 11 D. B. Veatch, interest	77.33
Feb. 17 McLean Hdw. Co., well repairs	24.50
Feb. 28 M. D. Bentley, gas and oil	35.86
Mar. 1 M. D. Bentley, oil	5.50
Mar. 3 T. W. Henry, commission on taxes	4.85
Mar. 3 A. T. Wilson, hauling of dog	1.00
Mar. 11 M. D. Bentley, gasoline and oil	40.20
Mar. 11 Buck Cooke, street work	17.40
Mar. 12 Jas. F. Headley, marsh salary	25.00
Mar. 14 J. T. McCarty, work on well	3.00
Mar. 15 Geo. Miller, hauling off dog	1.00
Mar. 17 Chas. E. Cooke, street work	54.25
Mar. 18 Clark & Courts, election blanks	3.94
Mar. 19 Dewitt Patty, street work	22.40
Mar. 24 M. D. Bentley, oil and gas	13.75
Mar. 31 Bal. cash on hand	343.06

CLAY THOMPSON,
City Treasurer.

ADVERTISEMENTS

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paper is to be loser. There is much that is interesting in the advertisements in addition to the opportunities they offer to buy necessary things with more information than might otherwise be had. Advertisements stimulate business for the advertiser because they remind the possible customer of his needs—or her needs, to be more specific. Stimulated sales mean stimulated production and stimulated production means stimulated pay rolls. We could all get along by wearing overalls and shirts only, speaking of the gentlemen, and skirts and blouses only, speaking for the ladies. But to dress meagerly would mean to manufacture meagerly, to farm meagerly, to buy and sell meagerly. Economy consists of the purchase of needed things without extravagance as to price. Advertisements afford guidance in this matter. However, it is scarcely necessary to admonish people to read advertisements. Everybody does read advertisements—everybody who reads at all. And even those who can't read can look at the pictures. Advertising is as much a force in modern business as railroads and telegraphs. The non-advertiser must depend upon large profits from slow sales, for he can expect only the drop-in trade, of which there is always some, but never enough to pay adequate returns on the time which is invested in waiting for it.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT

Whereas the Supreme Ruler of the Universe has, in his wisdom, called from earth Brother S. E. Boyett of McLean, Gray County, Texas, who was a Scottish Rite Mason, a member of Dallas Consistory and of the Shamrock Scottish Rite Club, and

Whereas Brother Boyett had lived in Gray county for many years, and was a devoted husband, a man of strong Christian character, as well as a real Mason, therefore be it

RESOLVED, by the Scottish Rite Club of Shamrock, that in the death of Brother Boyett his wife has lost a faithful companion, we have lost a courageous brother, and his community one of its most beloved and admired citizens, and that his wife and relatives may be comforted by remembering the noble life he lived, and be it further

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Boyett, the Scottish Rite Herald, the McLean News and the San Saba News. E. H. Small, H. B. Hill, J. B. Clark, Committee.

SAYS PRESENT TAX SYSTEM IS INJUSTICE TO FARMERS

Austin.—That the Texas farmers bear a disproportionate share of taxation due to an antiquated tax system, and that he is standing in his own light by seeming to oppose investigations and reform, was the high point of an address delivered recently by Edmund T. Miller, professor of economics and sociology, University of Texas, on the occasion of the second annual meeting of the Southwestern Political Science Association in Austin.

In presenting the subject of "State Tax Reform and the Farmer" Dr. Miller made out a convincing case against the present tax system, appearing as it does to make the farmer a victim of considerable "oversight" on the part of the tax assessors. In support of the statement that farmers are overtaxed generally throughout the United States, he referred to a report of the joint legislative committee on taxation of the state of New York made in 1916. Such states as California, Minnesota and Michigan have made studies of the actual situation, he said, comparing weight of taxation borne by farmers with that borne by manufacturers and others. Minnesota in 1908 found manufacturers taxed at less than one-third of one per cent of gross product and 2 per cent of net, while agriculture showed 4.7 per cent of gross product and 6.88 per cent of net. In Michigan a similar condition was found. Emphasis was laid on the fact that investigations were followed by changes in tax system which were designated to remedy the injustice to the farmers.

"No investigation of a character similar to any of the above has ever been made in Texas," continued the speaker but added that such was necessary as a basis for an intelligent and effective revision of taxation methods. The farmers, he said, by opposing investigations and change, are standing in their own light.

No changes have been made in this respect in Texas since the adoption of the Constitution of 1876, and none of real importance since the beginning of statehood in 1846, Prof. Miller stated.

In conclusion he said that all

property should be taxed, whether producing or not, that all should be taxed at an equal rate unless exempted by law. Emphasis was placed upon the fact that at present this tax is left to locally elected officials with no state supervision over them. As a result persons are taxed according to their inability to escape, and the farmer is the holder of most tangible property. Attention was called to a successful system operating in Minnesota, and the speaker closed with a rejection of the single land tax system, and restatement of the necessity for a competent tax investigation.

Mrs. R. S. Thompson and daughter, Miss Hattie, went to Clarendon the latter part of last week.

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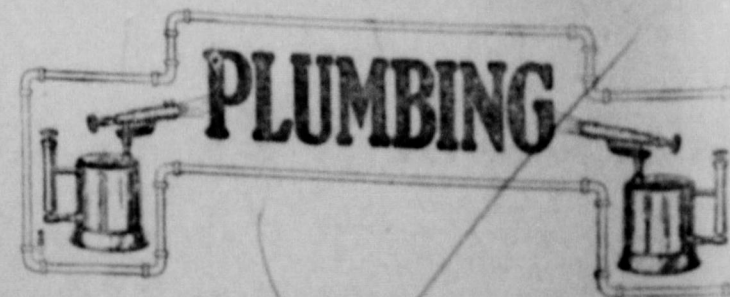
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