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Two More McLean Boys Land From Overseas

W. D. Sims received a telegram Wednesday that his son Leslie, had landed on this side of the briny somewhat deep. The message also stated that he would be home in a few days on a furlough.

A telegram came to Mrs. Tom Bird Thursday, announcing that her son, Claire, had landed at Philadelphia, after several months of suffering from the French weather, cooties, M. P.'s., mademoiselles, medicated drinking water, and other disagreeable things well known to soldiers in the A. E. F.

We are always glad to learn of McLean boys setting foot once more on a country that ain't midewed, where the girls speak English, and where a fellow don't have to line up for everything he gets.

J. D. and H. L. Flowers of near Shamrock were shopping in town Tuesday.

Noah Smith of Sayre, Okla., is visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Williams.

W. M. Alston of the Gracey community was in town Monday.

J. E. Ayres and Anson Lee of Graces were in town Tuesday.

John Scott, who lives north of town, was here Tuesday.

MICKIE SAYS

SAY, LOOKIT HERE, JERRY! YOU'N ME IS GOIN' TO MIX IT THE VERY NEXT TIME YOU WADE 'ROUND IN THE INK FOUNTAIN AN' THEN GO FER A STROLL ON THE BOSS'S DESK. I'VE STOOD FER A LOT FROM YOU, BUT THERES A LIMIT, CAT!



Mrs. C. E. Smith and daughter of Hereford came in Monday to visit the Coffey family. They left Wednesday for Erick, Okla.

Miss Lela Clifford returned to her home in Clarendon after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Harlan.

Charlie Sawyer of Shamrock, recently discharged from military service, is visiting R. D. Overton.

Elmer Kirby, J. C. Kinard, Henry Evans and Frank Stratton went plum hunting Monday.

J. C. Studebaker and wife of Wister, Okla., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Pyle.

C. S. Rice and family went to J. S. Stephens' ranch Tuesday afternoon after peaches.

Little Miss Jewel Dean Davis of Shamrock is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Floyd Johnston.

Miss Mabel Watkins is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Evan Sitter.

Ira Chambers and J. I. Bones of Ramsdell were in town on business Monday.

C. M. Carpenter of Buda is visiting his sons, J. M. and C. M. Carpenter.

Sam Pakan and Paul Macina of the Slova settlement were in town Monday.

Frank Bell and wife of Alan reed visited James Sanders and wife Sunday.

Clarence Harper went to Groom Tuesday with a load of fine peaches.

Mrs. V. O. Cooke of Clinton, Okla., is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. C. A. Watkins is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Glass.

P. M. Keller and family of Gracey were in town Monday.

R. W. Crisp and wife of Alan reed were in town Tuesday.

Ed Sublett was in from the Sitter ranch Monday.

M. H. and Henry Kinard went to Pampa Sunday.

Andrew Earp of Miami was in town Sunday.

Baptist Revival

Evangelist R. C. Pender, and gospel singer S. W. Jones of Abilene are here in a great revival meeting with the good people of McLean and surrounding country. The revival is taking on great proportions. Services were held in the Baptist church until Tuesday night, when they moved to the tabernacle in order to have room to accommodate the large crowd. Five were added to the church Tuesday night, three of whom were for baptism and two by statement of letter.

Brother Pender is pouring his soul out for the lost, and is doing some wonderful preaching. His message in the theatre Wednesday was a great spiritual feast. The business men of the town closed their places of business and attended the services from ten to eleven o'clock. Services will be held in the theatre at ten o'clock each day and at the tabernacle at eight thirty in the evening. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services and lend a helping hand in leading the lost to Christ.

Brother Pender is here for the sole purpose of leading the lost to Christ and desires the co-operation of all who love God and His cause in this great work for the salvation of lost souls. Come and get a blessing and be a blessing to some one.—Contributed.

Misses Pearl Guill and Nell Worley returned to Oklahoma City Sunday, after a few days' visit in the Chas. Guill home.

F. E. Robinson, who lives out on the ranch north of town, is driving a new Ford touring car.

Grandma Rogers returned home Monday after an extended visit with friends at Wheeler.

T. J. Coffey left Wednesday for the eastern markets to buy fall goods.

Josh Turner of White Deer is visiting with homefolks this week.

Mrs. Pruitt returned Tuesday from a visit in Garber, Okla.

A. L. Lee of the Gracey community was in town Tuesday.

Carl Hefner of Dalhart was in town Tuesday.

A Birthday Dinner

On last Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Anderson entertained in honor of the 74th birthday of Mrs. Anderson's mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Graves. Dinner was served under the trees in regular picnic fashion. There was an abundance of fried chicken, cakes, pies and other good things too numerous to mention. The following guests were present: Mesdames S. W. Rice, T. A. Landers, D. V. Jay, J. E. Neeley, W. J. Foster, N. W. Foster, W. W. Wilson, S. A. Cousins and Miss Inez Shaw; Messrs. J. E. Neeley, W. J. Foster, N. W. Foster, W. W. Wilson. All left at an early hour, wishing the lady many happy returns of the day, and hoping to have the pleasure of always being invited to enjoy the day and the dinner with her. A friend.

Mrs. W. C. Montgomery returned Friday from Washington, D. C., after an extended visit with her daughter, Miss Vida.

J. G. Noel and daughter, Miss Mary, of Mineral Wells are visiting their son and brother, J. M. Noel.

Jno. Sullivan, A. W. Haynes, Will and Frank Harlan returned from the harvest fields Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hatton and son, Erwin, from Granite, Okla., are visiting in the Jim Harris home.

Jno. Ward and wife of Memphis came Tuesday for a visit with J. M. Noel and family.

Mrs. Carl Overton and two little daughters returned from Clinton, Okla., Friday.

J. R. G. Bird and daughter, Miss Grace, from Pampa were in our city Friday.

D. N. Massay returned Friday from an extended trip to Greenville.

Dave Turner and family of Alanreed were in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. W. H. Pieper went to Amarillo Monday for a visit.

H. E. Franks was among our visitors Wednesday.

Allen Wilson returned from Pampa Friday.

"There Goes Old Mrs. Blank"

- ☞ Why have that said about you unless you ARE old?
- ☞ If your spirit and outlook on life is young, then BE young.
- ☞ So far as externals are concerned, we can help you with something from our excellent line of Toilet Preparations.
- ☞ We have a Cream, a Paste, or a lotion for every purpose, suited to the requirements of every type of complexion.

Erwin Drug Company

The Rexall Store

Frank McCombs of Amarillo came in Saturday for a visit with his brother, Luther McCombs.

Will Harlan and Miss Orma Kibler went to Pampa Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. J. W. Sullivan returned Thursday from a visit in Lela.

Mrs. Kate Bowman of El Paso is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Burrows.

Mr. Powell of Ramsdell was a visitor in this city Friday.

A. W. Haynes went to Pampa Monday, returning Tuesday.

Effective Friday night, July 25th, we will start the show promptly at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

We were unable to cancel our film contracts and cannot close for the meetings, but we are going to change the hour to 7:00 o'clock while the meetings are going on, thus giving you plenty of time to see a good movie and get to church by 8:30.

The moral tone of our pictures is excellent, and is condemned only by those who never attend an exhibition. No person, no matter how exacting, will find anything to offend.

Come to the show if you can, but by all means go to the meetings.

THE MISSION THEATRE

SAVING GRACE

or Nell, or Helen, or Mabel, or whatever her name may be, is a good asset to the modern home. She is the one who knows where to buy the food cheap and at its best. She is the one who spends less time in the selection of her food because she knows exactly where to go for exactly what she wants—to

Haynes' Grocery

Our Groceries are the finest that can be bought. Our fresh stock is always fresh and our canned goods are of the present season's canning. Here is where the dollar goes the farthest, and consequently here is where the good housewife will do her table shopping.

Haynes Grocery Co.
Phone 23

OUR DRUGS

are the acme of the apothecary's profession. Your prescriptions are filled quickly at our store, and our price for the medicine is reasonable to the last degree.

Our stock includes toilet articles, candies and perfumes of the best manufacture.

Our store is handy to you and it would pay you to make it a habit to run in when you need something in the way of Drugs. We hope that we may meet you in the near future if we are not already acquainted, and we want to prove to you that we are constant in our effort to serve the public to the best of our ability.

AT YOUR SERVICE—DAY OR NIGHT

THE CITY PHARMACY

EARLE SHELL, Manager

PHONE 6

The McLean News
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

M. L. MOODY... EDITOR-PUBLISHER

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

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SUBSCRIPTION PRICE

One year.....	\$1.50
Six months.....	.75
Three months.....	.40

This paper is proud of the Mission Theatre and the class of movies Mr. Davis is securing for exhibition in our town. This theatre has been styled "the show with a mission," which sounds queer to those who are opposed to moving picture shows and have never taken the trouble to investigate this one, but we believe it is performing a real service to the community in providing wholesome entertainment. Nobody with a practical mind will deny that entertainment is a necessity. Nobody with the best interests of our young people at heart wants this cinema place closed, thus forcing our youth to go to other towns twenty or more miles distant in search of the pleasures they insist on having. Obviously such things have their dangers. It would be a good thing if the theatre could be closed at least on Tuesday and Friday nights during the revival meetings, and the management would be glad to do so if it were possible without heavy loss. The high class pictures being shown have to be arranged for weeks ahead, and there is no cancelling a film contract after it has been made. Expenses go on just the same, and they are heavy—so heavy one cannot reasonably expect any firm or individual to bear the loss alone. Not being able to close, Mr. Davis has announced his intention of doing the next best thing—showing his pictures early enough that the people may attend both the movies and the re-

Ad Brings an Inquiry After Six Years

(From the Texaco Star, employees' magazine for The Texas Co.)

We were looking for the text for this "ad" page the other day—when along came this letter:

Welland, Ont., June 23, 1919.

The Texas Company,
5 West St., N. Y. C.
Gentlemen:-

Please send me a copy of "Maintaining a Motor Car"—is your product on sale in Buffalo?

Yours truly,
G. W. STALKER.

P. O. Box 604.

Now, there is nothing remarkable about this letter, except the booklet asked for is out of print for years.

And by the keyed address we can tell that Mr. Stalker referred to an advertisement which appeared in a popular magazine in February 1913.

"There is a thought there," said we, "Two of them, in fact."

First—Nobody can tell how long an ad will last, so therefore, in anything we print we must be reasonably certain that we say nothing which we will have to retract in the course of a year or so.

Then it occurred to us that we must not only tell the truth about our products, but to give the greatest service, we must tell the whole truth where we have at our command all the good things which can be and are said about our oil.

vival, thus removing what would otherwise be a hindrance to the latter's success.

One serious disadvantage to our town, and one that has been the source of much inconvenience for the past two years, and has doubtless kept many good families from coming here, is the shortage of houses for rent. The school board has employed a good man for superintendent the coming year, a man in whose ability to build up a school the people have confidence. In conversation with the News man this week Prof. Teague expressed the fear that he would have to resign and take work where he could get a house to live in. From the success he has had elsewhere, we believe it would be a misfortune to our school to lose him. We have lost a number of good and valuable citizens through a shortage of rent houses, and will continue to do so unless something is done. Houses are renting at a price that

makes them bring a fair return on the money invested, and if those who have large interests here would build rent houses, we believe they would profit, both directly and indirectly.

The News is of the opinion that not enough importance is given to religion by those whose minds are occupied by business cares or other secular things. No one will deny that good live churches are a benefit to a town in many ways, that they create the only environment fit to rear children in, improve social conditions generally, and are an asset of no little value to the business interests. It is also evident that the commercial development of a town depends somewhat on the condition of the churches. It therefore behooves the business men of a town to close their stores during services when a revival meeting is in progress, for these days the growth of the churches depends almost entirely upon the success of the revivals, and anything within reason that tends to promote their success is good business policy. We believe that in closing their stores for an hour each day during the revivals, McLean merchants will lose little, if any, trade, and the loss will be negligible when compared with the gain that will come to them indirectly through the added success of the revival, brought about by their co-operation.

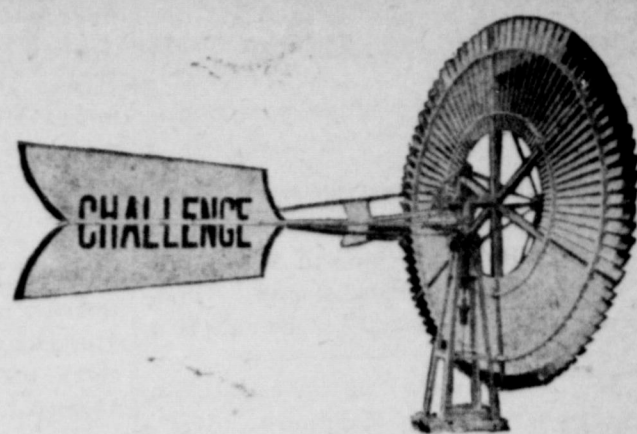
Lord McCauley said that "nine tenths of the calamities which have befallen the human race had no other origin than the union of high intelligence with low desires." From this it would seem that, in many instances, compulsory education is the wrong idea.—Hedley Informer.

There is nothing wrong with the idea of compulsory education. The trouble is that one of the principle things in educating is too often overlooked. If more attention was paid to inculcating the right sort of ideals, there would be fewer "unions of high intelligence with low desires." An educational system with low ideals produced Kaiser Bill, and permitted the greatest calamity in all history to come upon the world. If Bill had gotten the right kind of education, the world's history for the past few years would have been altogether different, and infinitely brighter.

Trade with Germany has been resumed. Those wanting German goods please do not all speak at once.—Randall County News.

Why not all speak at once? It will take that to make an order big enough to be noticed.

Sometimes we hear a knocker say McLean is the sorriest little old town in the country. We don't believe he is right, but we'll bet dollars to doughnuts he's one



Windmills

Before you buy a windmill, let us show you the Challenge. No wrist pins to give trouble, direct center lift, bend rim wheel. Takes care of itself in the highest wind.

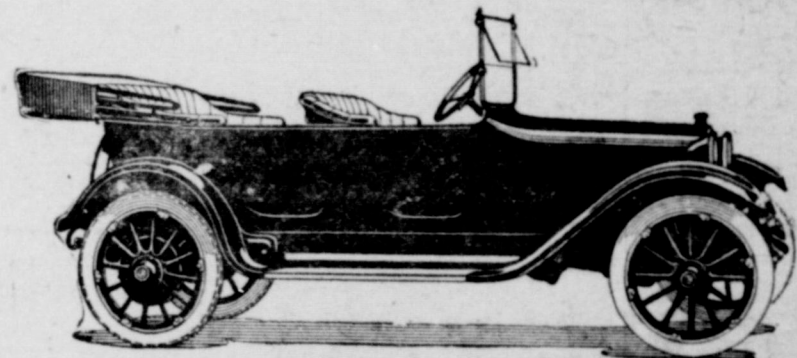
All Kinds of Hardware, Furniture and Undertaking

Phone 42 **C. S. RICE** McLEAN

**DODGE BROTHERS
MOTOR CAR**

The first consideration in buying an automobile is the service it will render—its dependability under any and all conditions.

The Dodge has won its spurs with the A. E. F. in France, over roads and at speeds that would have racked and ruined many well-made cars that try to compete with it. For dependability and year-round service, the Dodge is without an equal at anything near the price. If interested in this superb car, let us give you a demonstration.



McLEAN AUTO CO., Dodge Dealers

Mission Theatre

Friday Night, July 25
**Norma Talmadge in
"BY RIGHT OF PURCHASE"**

Saturday Night, July 26
**Douglass Fairbanks
In "HE COMES UP SMILING"**

Tuesday Night, July 29
**Pauline Fredrick in
"ZAZA"**

\$25 REWARD

I will pay a twenty-five dollar reward for the arrest and conviction of any party guilty of tampering with any telephone wire or in any other manner tampering with the lines. The state law on the subject is as follows:

Penal code, Art. 784: If any person shall intentionally break, cut, pull or tear down, misplace, or in any other manner injure any telegraph or telephone wire, post, machinery or other necessary appurtenance to any telegraph or telephone line, or in any way willfully obstruct or interfere with the transmission of any messages along such telegraph or telephone line, he shall be punished by confinement in the penitentiary not less than two nor more than five years, or by fine not less than one hundred nor more than two thousand dollars.

McLEAN TELEPHONE EXCHANGE

of those birds who buy from catalog houses and have a part in keeping the town from getting any better.

J. E. Cubine went to Oklahoma City with a car of cattle Sunday, returning Tuesday morning.

A nice line of chinaware in transit. Dress up that china closet with pretty dishes.—McLean Hdw. Co.

Frank Stratton and wife of Granite, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirby from Saturday until Monday.

Rev. W. M. Baker, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Hereford for the past fourteen years, left last week for Waxahachie, where he accepts another pastorate.

Get your fruit jars, caps and rubbers from C. S. Rice.

FOR THAT WELL

A Car of Well Casing and Pipe came in this week. See us for well supplies of every kind.

We Sell Fairbanks-Morse Gasoline Engines and Eclipse Windmills

Western Lumber Company

Rules and Regulations for the Care and Distribution of Free Textbooks

1. District boards of trustees may designate a superintendent, principal, teacher or other employe as the proper person to enter into bond in the sum of fifty per cent in excess of the value of the books consigned to them by the State. The bond may be an individual bond, and need not be executed by a surety company.

2. The distribution of text books to the pupils may not be placed in the hands of any merchant or mercantile establishment dealing in any kind of school supplies. Section 13 of the law expressly forbids this.

3. The distribution of books must be made by trustees, superintendent, principals, teachers, or such employes of the board of trustees as they may designate to do the work.

4. School trustees must provide some secure place of storage for books for such time as they are not consigned to pupils. In small schools, locked cases of either wood or steel should be provided. In towns or cities secure storage rooms should be provided. Books stored in large quantities must be insured until distributed to pupils. Trustees desiring to purchase steel cases will find it advantageous to apply to the Department of Education for a list of those that have been approved.

5. Printed book labels will be furnished by the Department of Education. These labels must be pasted on both inside covers of each book. The labels furnish blanks for the number of the book and for the name of the child to whom the book is consigned each year. Teachers should see that these blanks are properly filled.

6. Teachers must require pupils to cover all books consigned to them. Covers of heavy paper are preferable to those of cloth. Patent book covers may be used if desired, or paper book covers supplied by merchants as advertisements. The teacher must require the pupil to remove the book covers

when the books are returned.

7. All books must be fumigated before reissue. Directions for fumigation should be obtained from county or city health officers. The county superintendent should apply to the county health officer for instructions and should give to trustees or rural schools directions for the proper fumigation of books.

8. Duplicate book cards for all pupils will be supplied by the State Department of Education. Teachers must enter on these cards the name of the child, the name and residence of his parent or guardian and fill the proper blanks designating the school attended. On these cards the number of each book issued to the pupil must be entered opposite the name of the book. When a book is returned, its number must be cancelled on the card by drawing a line through the number. When all books are returned, both cards are receipted by the teacher, and one card given to the pupil. The duplicate card must be filed with the principal, superintendent, or school trustee. The card receipt of the pupil must also be signed as approved by the principal or superintendent, except in the case of the one-teacher school. Book cards given as receipts to pupils in rural schools must also show the name and address of the trustee to whom the books are consigned, or the name of some responsible person, to whom application can be made for a duplicate card, in case of loss. In rural schools, the said trustee should assume charge of the duplicate book cards while the school is closed, these to be turned over to the teacher on resumption of work. In case of the loss of a book card, trustees, school officer, or teacher, should give to the child a copy of the one in the possession of the school, unless there is cause to believe that fraud is intended. After the session of 1919-20, pupils who

have previously been enrolled in the public schools of the State of Texas must not be granted free text books save on presentation of a receipted book card.

9. No trustee, superintendent, principal, or teacher may require pupils to make a money deposit to secure the return of books. A pupil or its parent or guardian must pay for books lost or for books wilfully damaged or injured and, failing to do so, shall not be entitled to the benefits of free text books. Reasonable wear is to be expected and should not be penalized.

10. Teachers should post in each class room a copy of the rules for pupils as to the care of books. The teacher should read these rules to the pupils at least once a month, and should inspect the books of all the pupils each month. Pupils in the elementary grades should be required to memorize the "Good Citizenship Code" as given in the Rules for pupils.

11. Pupils from the third grade up must be permitted to take their books home. By permission of the trustees, books may be issued to pupils for vacation study, a record of these books being kept on book cards, as during the school session. Such pupils must return their book card receipt while holding books in their possession.

12. The five percent on the value of the books to be allowed to each school is made to aid in meeting the cost of distribution and care of books. This must include charges of transportation from the station, unpacking, labeling, numbering, storing, insurance for such time as books are stored, distribution to pupils, fumigation, etc. It was not the intention of the legislature that this should merely be added to one person's salary, but that it should serve as a fund to provide partially for extra assistance and for the extra expenses suggested above. It was not expected that this fund would meet the entire expense, but that each school would bear some part of the work or expense, in return for the advantage to the children of free text books provided by the state. The allowance for care of the books, and the money to pay pupils for old books, will not be available until taxes are collected. Schools which have no local funds can only enter the money for old books to the child's credit, and make the payment on receipt of the allowance.

Mrs. Cobb of Mangum, Okla., came in Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Bogan. She left Tuesday morning for Clovis, N. M., for a visit with her mother.

C. A. Watkins came in from White Deer Sunday morning, returning the same afternoon.

Chas Turley and wife returned to their home in Texline Monday night.

MEN SHOULD BE BUSY



about their CLOTHES. We have the Clothes and the Wonderful Clever Styles in Waist Seam Models

They are good looking, stylish and comfortable. Clothes, like all other merchandise, is advancing in price and is very scarce and hard to get. We were fortunate, after using our utmost efforts, in getting an advance shipment of these beautiful suits.

Beautiful Men's Ties
A line of handsome silk ties, flare ends, new colors, Pussy Willow silk, Fall silk, in stripes, etc., **75c to \$1.00**

An extra large assortment of men's washable ties, in stripes of leading colors, out of the ordinary at **40c to 65c** these prices

Men's Oxfords
Because we offer these Oxfords at these prices does not signify that they are less worthy in quality. Men wanting oxfords should be sure to take advantage of this opportunity:
A special bargain in one lot of \$9.00 brown Russian calf lace oxfords, a genuine reduction **\$6.00**

Men's Silk Hosiery
A new shipment of Armor Plate silk hose for men. All colors. Cool, clean and comfortable looking for these hot summer days. Your choice at **75 Cents Each**

Men's Underwear
These hot days you need to wear good comfortable underwear. Cross bar nainsook, no sleeves, knee length, **\$1.25** per suit

Fine knit unions with quarter length or full length sleeves, ankle or three quarter length, per **\$1.50 to \$2.00**

Our Goods the Best, Our Prices Reasonable

We can fit you up in a new suit now and give you the kind of suit you want in the material and color best suited to your individual taste. Come in, look them over; you surely will want one of these suits, and the prices will suit you, too. They're guaranteed all pure wool.

T. J. COFFEY

Dry Goods, Ladies and Gents Furnishings

SOME SUMMER! and SOME ICE CREAM too

The healthiest, tastiest pastime for a parched throat or for that all-in feeling is Ice Cream.

The next thing is to get cream that is wholesome.

We guarantee our product to contain good ingredients, with strict attention to cleanliness.

Our parlor is a cool spot. You will have another when you have partaken of our cream.

City Confectionery

Nation Faces Critical Coal Shortage

Says Dr. H. A. Garfield, U. S. Fuel Administrator

BUY YOUR COAL NOW. Coal will be scarce and hard to get later on. We are receiving coal all the time now, but a little later we expect it will be hard to get. LEAVE YOUR ORDERS NOW.

All kinds of Building Material on hand. We also have some bargains in some scrap and cull lumber.

Cicero-Smith Lumber Co. Phone 3

"Lend Me a Five"

That is the habitual sob of the man who has no bank account. His benefactor has a bank account, and that is why the sobber knows it is safe to ask.

It is much better to be putting fivers in a safe place for yourself than to be borrowing from the energy of another man.

Call on us and see what we can do for you in the matter of handling your finances. We are glad to talk to the beginner. We feel that our experience with the savings idea can be of use to him.

AMERICAN NATIONAL BANK

Member Federal Reserve System

Boerne, Texas.—A Thrift Stamp an hour is the wage scale of the school boys of this city who belong to the various War Savings Societies. They are doing what work they can find in town and are also assisting in the harvest. Farmers who have hired these boys all say that the youngsters are worth all they are receiving.

Eclipse and Sampson windmills are the best on earth and we sell 'em. Also anything you need in pipe, fittings, pumps, well machinery, etc.—McLean Hdw. Co.

Mrs. Ballard returned from a visit to her parents at Sulphur Springs Monday.

BOWEN BROS.
MEAT MARKET
ALL KINDS OF FRESH AND CURED MEATS
Phone 165

Walter Evans came in Monday with a discharge from Army service. He, like all the other A. E. F. boys, is glad to be home again.

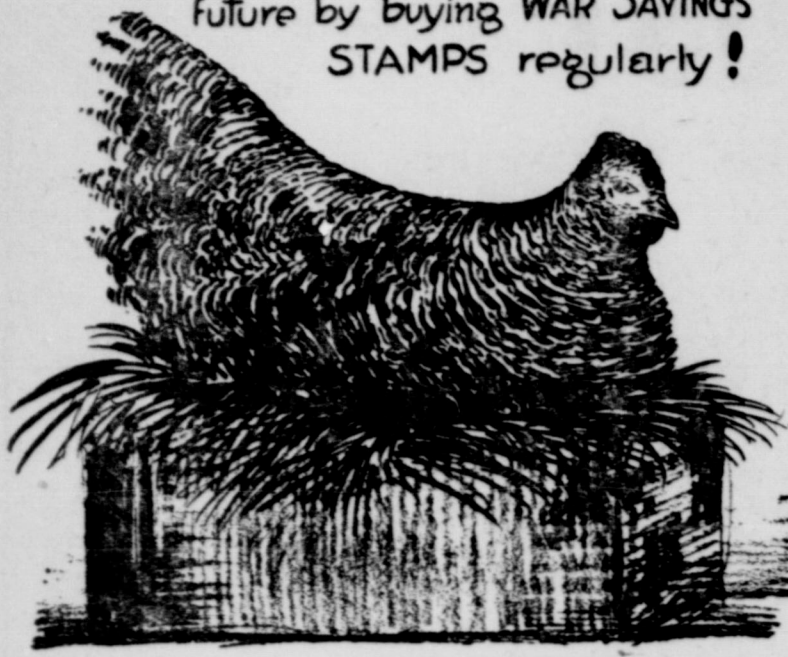
Homer Crabtree went to Amarillo Monday.

Aluminum ware—a large assortment of the best we can get will arrive soon.—McLean Hdw. Co.

Mrs. Cowan and two daughters of Baird are visiting Mrs. J. T. Foster this week.

LAYING GOLDEN EGGS

The Hen that lays every day is a gold mine—Take a lesson from the hen—Lay up for your future by buying WAR SAVINGS STAMPS regularly!



From the way some members of a certain auto party who are spending their vacation in Colorado are writing post cards to their friends in McLean, some are inclined to suspect they are not having as much fun as they anticipated. It is usually when a fellow gets away from home, turns blue and homesick, that he writes all his friends, telling how much fun he is having. But we hope this is not true of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Boyett, Emmett Thompson, and Misses Hattie Thompson, Jessie Alexander and Frankie Mae Upham.

Shoes built on the Munson Army last are correct fitting, comfortable, durable—just the thing for the service you want a work shoe to give.—Bundy Hodges.

Mrs. Robert Francis and children of Ochiltree who have been visiting in the C. E. Francis home for the past three weeks, returned to their home Tuesday.

FOR SALE—1000 bundles Kafir at 5cts. See Frank Stockton, one mile south of McLean. 27-5p.

We have the balin' wire to tie that hay with, and it is for sale.—McLean Hdw. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Turley returned Monday to their home in Boswell, Okla.

W. A. Back of Northfork was in town Monday.

P. M. Keller of Gracey was in town Monday.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to thank each of our many friends and neighbors for their noble deeds of kindness, for the beautiful flowers, fruits and numerous other dainties received during our long illness. May God's richest blessings be yours. Mr. and Mrs. John Mayfield and family.

If you are in the market for a piano, let me get you a good one at an honest price, saving you from \$40 to \$75 on a good standard make. A piano that will stand up. Don't buy some cheap off brand.—S. H. Bundy.

We are glad to report that Mrs. John Mayfield is rapidly improving and able to be up again, after suffering with nervous prostration for the past eleven weeks.

Big Boned Poland China Pigs

About two months old, thrifty, registered, \$25.00 each. Mrs. L. W. Wilson, McLean. Phone 146. 111. 30 2p

Mrs. Chas. Smith and daughter, Miss Grace, left Wednesday after a visit in the Luther Coffey home.

30 barrel wooden tank, nearly new, for sale. Will sell worth the money.—Sam Hodges 30 2tc

Rob Tipton, Paul Lush and John Haynes were down from Pampa Sunday.

John Sullivan went to Shamrock Saturday for a visit.

Dewey Campbell came over from Pampa Monday.

Goodnight Ranch is Sold

Col. Chas. Goodnight has sold his ranch and buffalo herd, but the purchasers retain Col. Goodnight at a good salary for the remainder of his life to continue his scientific research in cross breeding of live stock. As is well known, Col. Goodnight has very successfully crossed the buffalo with the black Poll Angus cow and has a very fine animal, which he has named "cattalo". This "cattalo" is a very fine type of beef, a grown cow weighing fifteen and sixteen hundred pounds. The dressed robe from one of these cows will sell from \$250 to \$500. Col. Goodnight is also cross breeding the Karakules and red Jersey hogs. He has a number of these cross bred hogs and thinks he will develop a hog type that will produce a larger amount of meat and a grade of lard that will not be so greasy, having in it a percentage of tallow that will reduce its greasy effects, which so often is offensive to a delicate constitution.

On account of this splendid progress of cross breeding and the desire for perpetuating the herd of buffalo on the Goodnight ranch, a proposition was before the Texas Legislature last winter to buy the ranch and buffalo and establish there a breeding and feeding station under the supervision of the A. & M. College. The property was offered to the State for a consideration of \$120,000 and had the session of the Legislature been prolonged three weeks we believe the deal would have been consummated. Since the regular session, however, the ranch lands have been leased for oil development and a test well is now being put down on the ranch. This has had a tendency to increase the demand for the land and the sale consummated a few days ago was for a consideration of \$160,000—Panhandle Herald.

Helena, Texas.—Members of the Benjamin Franklin War Savings Society of this city gave a program at the school house during Thrift Message Week, which included speeches on thrift by two of the children. A number of Thrift and War Savings Stamps were sold. Most of the members of this society are now working in the fields around here, helping with the harvest, and are investing their wages in Thrift Stamps.

According to the Hereford Brand, a contract has been signed whereby a test well for oil will be drilled near that city, as soon as machinery can be secured.

FOR SALE—Thrift and War Savings Stamps at postoffices, banks and other agencies. Value guaranteed by United States Government.

Otto Mayfield, who has been working in the harvest fields for the past few weeks, spent a few days at home last week, returning Sunday.

We were glad to see Grandpa Burrows able to be in town Saturday, after being sick so long.

Wear khaki pants and shirts for work. We have them in the best quality.—Bundy-Hodges.

Miss Vida Heasley and Mrs. Perry Everett left Thursday for a pleasure trip to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Henshaw left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Haskell County.

Mrs. Luther Harlan motored to Clarendon Thursday, returning the same day.

Mrs. Jesse Cobb was in town Thursday from Northfork.

Ogie Johnston left Monday for the harvest fields.

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Methodist Church.

McLEAN.—Preaching first, second and third Sunday morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 a. m. each Sunday. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Woman's Missionary Society each Tuesday at 2:30 p. m.

ALANREED.—Preaching on fourth Sunday, morning and evening. Sunday school 10 a. m. each Sunday.

HEALD.—Preaching third Sunday 3:30 p. m. Sunday school 2:30 p. m. every Sunday.

CARPENTER.—Preaching on first Sunday 3:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. every Sunday.

GRACEY.—Preaching second Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

ELDRIDGE.—Preaching on fourth Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

B. J. OSBORN, Pastor.

Nazarene Church.

Sunday school every Sunday morning. Prayer meeting every Thursday night.

Preaching services every Sunday night.

Revival meeting beginning Friday night before 4th Sunday in August, at public tabernacle, Rev. J. Walter Hall will do the preaching.

S. R. Jones

Baptist Church.

Sunday School at 10 a. m. every Sunday. C. S. Rice, superintendent.

Ladies Aid meets on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Minix president.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening.

Preaching every Sunday, morning and evening.

Presbyterian Church.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. Arthur Erwin, superintendent. The Ladies Aid Society meets every Wednesday at 3 p. m. Mrs. C. A. Watkins, president.

Mrs. E. D. Francis and little Miss Earnestine, also Mrs. Robert Francis and children visited Mr. and Mrs. W. E. James of Jericho last week.

WANTED—Men, women and children to buy Thrift and War Savings Stamps. At postoffices, banks and other agencies. Always worth the money.

J. B. Townsend, pioneer citizen of Paducah, died July 12, as a result of injuries received in a well machinery accident.

Mrs. Ira Unsell of Groom came in Thursday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Collier.

Get a Sealey mattress and snooze in comfort.—Bundy-Hodges.

Ralph Tipton and Dewey Campbell went to Pampa Tuesday.

Ben Overton returned Thursday from Groom.

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Notice

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LOST—Years in which you did not save. Begin buying Thrift and War Savings Stamps today.

Mrs. C. C. Cooper made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

S. M. McLarty and two sons of Vernon were in our city Sunday.

Chas. Sims and family were in from the Noel ranch Thursday.

Leon Montgomery was in from the Y. O. U. ranch Friday.

J. W. Burrows of Amarillo was in the city Friday.

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R. L. Grigsby returned to his business in Iowa Park Tuesday.

Miss Johnnie Waldrop was among our shoppers Friday.

Jack Cooke returned from Clinton, Okla., Friday.

Mr. and M. s. Reeves were in town Friday.

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