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A Time to Go Forward

So far our religious effort has not been on a scale commensurate with the needs.

We have been too pre-occupied with other things to give proper consideration to Kingdom interest.

THE BAPTIST 75 MILLION CAMPAIGN

Represents the awakened conscience of Southern Baptists to world demands.

Political and social upheavals everywhere show that individuals and nations need something that the world cannot give.

That something is the reconstruction of society and government, along with individual thinking, upon the basis of sound Christian principles.

To supply this supreme need \$75,000,000 is asked in cash and five-year pledges by December 7.

It is a big, comprehensive program, making provision for every division of Christian effort calculated to bring about a permanent peace and order and make the world a saner, happier place in which to live.

Enlist now with your local Baptist Church for

Victory Week
November 30th—December 7th

And Do the Noble Thing
in Providing

Millions for the Master

This Space Contributed For a Successful Baptist 75 Million Campaign by

American National Bank C. S. Rice
M. D. Bentley Citizens State Bank
Haynes Grocery Co. City Pharmacy
T. A. Landers McLean Hardware Co.
Cicero-Smith Lbr. Co. W. R. Webster

Thompson-Alexander

On Saturday evening at three o'clock at the minister's home in Oklahoma City, Rev. Swan, pastor of the Congregational Church at that place, performed the ceremony uniting in marriage James Emmett Thompson and Miss Jessie Mae Alexander, both of this city.

The wedding was not a surprise to their many friends as the young people had been sweet hearts for a long time and the event had been generally predicted.

Mr. Thompson is a prominent young ranchman living south of town and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Thompson and has resided here since boyhood. Miss Alexander is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Alexander of Hedley, but has been living in McLean for the past two years in the employ of the Rock Island. She is a refined and intelligent young woman who enjoys the esteem and admiration of a wide circle of acquaintances.

Miss Alexander told her friends Friday evening that she was going to Hedley to visit her parents, and of course Mr. Thompson was to accompany her to that place, but instead they motored to Sayre that evening and took the night train for Oklahoma City at which place they were married, returning to Sayre Saturday night and from there motored to Hedley by way of Wellington, returning to McLean Sunday night.

Both young people are deservedly popular and we bespeak for them a happy and contented married life. They will be at home to their many friends at the Thompson ranch ten miles south of town after the first of November.

Wednesday morning a farmer from north of town passed through our city with a bale of seed cotton, which he was taking to Shamrock to have ginned. Twenty-odd miles is a long distance to haul seed cotton, and we ought to have a gin in McLean. Our farmers diversify, which is a good thing for everybody. But it would also be a good thing if a thousand or so bales of thirty five cent cotton were marketed here every fall.

Mrs. Walter Carwile and little daughter came in from Houston Saturday to spend the winter with relatives.

B. Y. P. U. Organized

A Baptist Young People's Union was organized at the Baptist church Sunday evening with twenty eight members, all giving assent to the following pledge: "Relying upon divine help, I hereby promise to strive to be true to Christ in all things and all times; to seek the New Testament standard of Christian experience and life; to attend every meeting of the B. Y. P. U. unless hindered by reasons approved by a good conscience, and to take some part in the service aside from congregational singing if it is possible to do so with sincerity and truth."

A constitution was adopted and the following were elected: S. J. Hodges, President; Wayland Floyd, Vice-President; Mrs. A. F. Agee, Secretary; John Cobb, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. M. W. Fowler, Treasurer; Miss Edith Fowler, Chorister; T. N. Holloway, Librarian.

The Union will meet every Sunday at 6 p. m.

Parent-Teacher Association

The Parent Teacher Association will meet hereafter on the last Friday afternoon in the month. The next meeting will be on Friday, October 31. The following program has been arranged:

Vocal solo—Miss Ruby Cook.
Talk on Child Hygiene—Dr. Montgomery.
Round Table Discussion—Mrs. Vannoy, Miss Agee, Miss Fisher.

The first number of the lyceum course came to town Tuesday. This attraction consisted mainly of musical numbers and readings and was enjoyed by everyone. The lyceum committee had good success in selling tickets and not only paid for Tuesday's performance, but have a neat sum to apply on the next one.

D. A. Davis has had the front of his Mission Theatre painted, and has had some racks built to hold posters, which adds considerably to the appearance of the building.

Mrs. Copeland left Wednesday for Dallas after a visit with her son, W. S. Copeland.

Henry Rector was down from Alanreed Tuesday night.

J. E. Cubine has purchased a new Ford Roadster.

Rexall Cherry Bark Cough Syrup

An Efficient and Agreeable Expectorant

for coughs, hoarseness, sore-throat and bronchial catarrh, where a remedy is needed to loosen the cough as well as to lessen the throat and bronchial irritation.

50c and \$1.00

We guarantee this preparation to give satisfaction. If it does not, bring it back and get your money.

Erwin Drug Company

The Rexall Store

For Sale

Farms, ranches and city property. I have some extra fine quarter and half section farms in Oklahoma. Fine for alfalfa, cotton, wheat etc.

J. O. Quattlebaum

Phone 163

McLean, Texas

Mrs. Geo. Butler of Goul, Ark., came in Monday to visit Luther Harlan and wife.

Miss Eunice Bullock was down from Jericho Friday, visiting.

A. P. Clark left Thursday for Lubbock on business.

Miss Rena Alsop left Thursday for Amarillo.

Miss Ethel Duncan of Pampa came over Sunday to visit the C. C. Roberts family.

Bill Cooke left Tuesday for near Amarillo to work on a ranch.

J. McCray of Erick was here Monday on his way to Texas.

Dewitt Burks left Wednesday for Amarillo.

We Have Moved

or at least, by the time this reaches you, we hope to have moved to our new location in the old T. J. Coffey stand, at which place you have a standing invitation to call whenever you need anything such as we have to sell.

In spite of the jumbled-up condition of our stock and the large amount of work to be done before we have it straightened up again, we are just as anxious to serve you. There is no time when this store is not—

AT YOUR SERVICE—DAY OR NIGHT

The City Pharmacy

DAY PHONE 6

NIGHT PHONE 22

Why They Trade Here

The reason so many people are trading with us is because they find our shelves filled at all times with the choicest and freshest of Groceries. Another thing is, we pay particular attention to getting deliveries to your home at once. No waiting or becoming annoyed by useless delays. Convenience means much to the world today. We make a specialty of this commodity, and that it is appreciated is attested by the large number of customers we have and the steady growth of our business.

Phone us your Grocery needs. They will receive attention at once.

—our number is 23

Haynes Grocery Co.

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.

Four issues make an advertising month. When five issues occur in the calendar month, charge will be made for the extra edition.

Obituaries, resolutions of respect and cards of thanks charged for at regular advertising rates.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE

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

One of the best assets a business firm can have is the good will of the public. Many keen business men spend large sums for advertising just to create friendliness toward them. No doubt the merchants whose names appear in the advertisement for the Baptist 75 Million Campaign thought they were letting generosity get the better of their business judgment when they contributed toward the expense of publishing it. There are lots of Baptists at McLean, as well as clear-thinking members of other churches, who are intensely interested in the success of the campaign. Nobody is opposed to it. The merchants who paid for this ad will reap a handsome reward in the friendship of McLean church people.

Says an exchange, "Tis said that the glory of our nation lies in the fact that all men are born free and equal. The shame is that they do not remain so." Yes and no. The shame is that they do not all remain free, but what glorifies America more than this first principle of democracy is that all men are not content to remain the mere equals of others. If they were, all

He Made Two Million Friends

Practically every day during the war the Paris edition of a leading New York newspaper carried an advertisement over the name of John Wanamaker, the American merchant prince. This paper was read every day by the soldiers from the Mediterranean to the front line trenches, and on to the Rhine.

Wanamaker did not tell about his great department stores in those ads. But in a land where letters from home were few and far between, his messages, sent by cable from the States, brought thoughts of loved ones and a touch of home-cheer to the hearts of the soldiers.

Those ads made Wanamaker two million friends. They built up a reserve of good will for him and his stores that will pay millions in dividends in the next few years.

The returned soldier passing Wanamaker's or seeing the ads telling about his stores unconsciously thinks: "Hello; here's our old friend of the Paris paper. We'll have to go in and trade with him." For Wanamaker tells about his stores in the home papers. His faith in advertising is unlimited.

The merchants of this town can make friends. They can cash in on good will by getting acquainted with the people thru the newspaper. They can make people think of their stores as the soldiers think of Wanamaker's.

People like to trade at a store that advertises. They know it enables them to buy to advantage. And it makes friends and profits for the merchant.—Exchange.

men would be plodders; we would have no leaders; our country would be in the rut and would soon go to the bow-wows.

The Bible (or some other book) tells us that "truth is mighty and shall prevail." But there would be an unholy uproar if the whole truth were suddenly let loose in this or any other community.

Mrs. Frank Faulkner returned Thursday from Wichita Falls, after a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Cameron and children motored to Clarendon Saturday.

W. E. Williams of Groom was in town Friday on business.

J. R. G. Bird of Pampa was here Friday on business.

John White was in from the Mars ranch Saturday.

THIS WAS NEWS TEN YEARS AGO

Interesting Items to Be Found in The McLean News of Oct. 22, 1909

Frank Faulkner left Friday for a business visit in Sayre, Okla.

Bob Harlan was in town Tuesday with two wolves he had caught with his pack of hounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Mont Noel were in from the ranch eighteen miles south of town Monday trading with local merchants. Mr. Noel was looking after a shipment of cattle.

The barn used for feed storage by F. M. Faulkner and as a warehouse by the McLean Mercantile Co. was destroyed by fire Saturday. The loss amounted to about \$4,000, with \$2,500 insurance.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Earp, ten miles east of McLean, at four o'clock Sunday afternoon Miss Gracie Earp and Mr. Horace S. Rippe were united in marriage. Rev. Early of Ramsdell performed the short but impressive ceremony.

Public Health Association Conducts Crusade

Austin—The second tournament of the Modern Health Crusade in Texas will be held between November 1 and February 28, according to an announcement by the State Crusade Director, Miss Louise Hunter, Director of Children's Work, of the Texas Public Health Association.

The tourney of the present school year will be for ten weeks, and it is expected that 500,000 children of the Lone Star State will take up the fight for cleanliness and good health. Last year over 310,000 school children between the ages of 6 and 16, in 135 counties of Texas, became pages, squires, knights and knight bannerets on the field of Health Chivalry.

The Junior Red Cross will this year, as last, sponsor the Modern Health Crusade, which will be directed by Miss Hunter from the state office of the Texas Public Health Association. This Association will have charge of the sale of 20,000,000 Red Cross Christmas seals from December 1 to 10, and is thus enabled to carry the message of good health to the children of the state.

As the children faithfully perform their health "chores" during the ten weeks of the tournament they are promoted in the ranks of chivalry. After two weeks of work they may become pages; in three weeks more, squires; and when the ten weeks are up, knights. They will be presented the badges of their rank. The cause of cleanliness



DOROTHY PHILLIPS "DESTINY"
brilliant Star of "The Heart of Humanity" in her wonderful Big new Masterpiece...

She thought her puny hands could hold back the wheel of Destiny—but she fell in love at first sight and proved she couldn't. Come see if Fate was kind to this woman—who might have been yourself. The season will not own a bigger play. Don't miss it.

—will be shown here
Fri. and Sat., Nov. 14 and 15

Tonight—Wm. S. Hart in "Branding Broadway"—and he brands 'em too.

Saturday Matinee—Mixed Program that you will like, including "Vo-Di-Vill" feature.

Saturday Night—Harry Carey in "Three Mounted Men." Harry always pleases.

At the MISSION THEATRE

\$25 REWARD

I will pay a twenty-five dollar reward for the arrest and conviction of any party guilty of 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

THE ELITE BARBER SHOP

EVERETT BROS., Proprietors

The Best Barber Service Always

In Hindman Hotel Building

Agents for the PANHANDLE STEAM LAUNDRY, Amarillo. Basket Leaves Tuesday Afternoon; Returns on Friday.

BOWEN BROS.

MEAT MARKET

ALL KINDS OF FRESH AND CURED MEATS

Phone 165

SEND US YOUR KODAK FINISHING WE DO IT BETTER

Developing films single rolls, 10c each; packs, 20c. Prints, 2½x3½ and smaller, 4c each; larger 5c. A deposit with order for full amount required. We return any excess. YOU WILL BE PLEASED with our French gloss finish and prompt service. C. M. BRIGGS, Photographer Elk City, Okla.

Cunningham Flower Shop

Bedding plants, Cut flowers and designs of all kinds.

Amarillo, Texas

1909-11 Van Buren St. Phone 1681

HYDEN'S

Optometrist & Manufacturing Opticians
168 Polk Street Amarillo, Texas
Eyes Tested and Glasses made in our own shop. Any lens duplicated from the pieces. Come in and see our equipment. DR. J. M. HYDEN

and good health is combined with the glamor of romance.

The health chores that each child performs are kept on record. They are: (1) I washed

my hands before each meal today. (2) I washed not only my face but also my ears and neck and I cleaned my fingernails today. (3) I kept fingers, peris

Expert Kodak Finishing

Work handled daily at the following prices:

Developing film, any size, 10c per 6 exposures.
Printing 2½ x 3½ (No. 2 Brownie) 3c each; larger sizes 4c each; smaller sizes 2c each.
Printing any size on post cards 5c each.
Money must accompany mail orders.

No Job Too Large or Too Small

Equipped to handle 2,400 prints per hour.

W. D. ORR

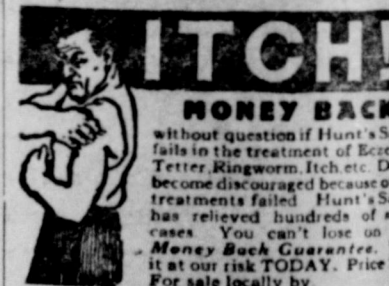
713 Main Memphis, Texas.

John B. Vannoy

Optician and Jeweler
McLean, Texas

Dealer in Clocks, Watches, Jewelry and Silverware.

Does Engraving, and all kinds of Repair Work pertaining to the jewelry trade.



Erwin Drug Company

and everything likely to be unclean or injurious out of my mouth and nose today. (4) I brushed my teeth thoroughly after breakfast and after the evening meal today. (5) I took ten or more slow, deep breaths of fresh air today. I was careful to protect others if I spit, coughed or sneezed. (6) I played out-doors or with windows open more than thirty minutes today. (7) I was in bed ten hours or more last night and kept windows open. (8) I drank four glasses of water, including a drink before each meal, and drank no coffee, tea, or other injurious drinks today. (9) I tried to eat only wholesome food and to eat slowly. I went to toilet at my regular time. (10) I tried hard today to sit up and stand straight; to keep neat, cheerful and clean-minded; and to be helpful to others. (11) I took a full bath on each day of the week that is checked (X) on my record."

You Get a Whole Lot For Your Money

—when you buy a **VORTEX** hot blast heater

Sides made of heavy material, extra heavy-gauge double seamed steel bottom, heavy fire pot with cast lining and cone grate, heavy steel lining extending to top of stove. Nickel-plated steel top rim, broad nickel-plated cast foot rails, handsome nickel-plated urn, and nickel-plated screw draft in lower ash pit door. A large bailed ash pan together with extra heavy combined poker and shaker furnished with each stove. The ash pit door surface and door jamb are ground and milled to a close fit.

McLean Hardware Company

Join The Panhandle Relief Association

A home mutual life insurance association of Clarendon, Texas. Equitable Rates. Nearly six years old, and only 14 death assessments. \$2.00 to join. \$1.00 per year dues.

ASSESSMENT RATES

16 to 25	26 to 30	31 to 35	36 to 40	41 to 45	46 to 50
\$1.00	\$1.15	\$1.30	\$1.45	\$1.60	\$1.75

Write Secretary Panhandle Relief Assn. Clarendon, Texas

Hades

Chairman Hays said the other to a political reporter:
 "Your attack on the senator was unjust. You misinterpreted the man's words. You were as bad as Villers."
 "Villers and a young lady were conversing on an ocean pier while the bathers down below sported in the breakers or idly strolled the beach. Suddenly the young lady said:
 "'Doesn't that skinny bather look like Helen Gray?'
 "'She sure does,' he said, 'but I don't call her bathing suit gray. It's blue.'"

Ladies Hose

We have just opened up and put on display a good line of ladies hose in black lisle, Cardo brown, dark grey and white. This is a factory to consumer proposition and we believe it is better—you get new goods—Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Co.

I have taken over the McLean Shoe Shop and will be on the job every day in the week, Saturdays included. Z T. Wilson. 42-2c.

D. B. Veatch and C. L. Cooke went to Amarillo Tuesday on business.

R. L. Jones and family of Ramsdell were here Thursday, trading.

The Waitress' Revenge

The Sioux Falls Press tells of a waitress who had occasion to call up a party at another town. She did not get the party with whom she wished to talk. Nevertheless she had to pay for the message under the Burlsonian station-to-station, person-to-person system. She protested vigorously against the charge, but was informed that she must pay for the "report" that the party she wanted was not available for conversation.

A day or two later the manager of the telephone company was waited on by the waitress. Among other things, he ordered a piece of cherry pie. He was advised that the larder was innocent of cherry pie at that time. When he went to pay his bill he noted that he was charged for a piece of cherry pie! He protested, but was met by the waitress who told him that the charge was for the "report" that there was no cherry pie to be had.

Wall Paper

We are selling more than we expected to at this time of the year. Why not let us supply your wants in this line?—Bundy Hodges Mercantile Company.

Miss Lila Smith went to Shamrock Thursday, visiting.

Good heater for sale.—Geo. Bourland 2tp

Expressing Individuality in Clothes

Coats and Suits as shown here permit every woman to select garments suiting her individual taste. The Suit or Coat that is your type—that has that particular something that is you—will be easy to find here among the many new garments that have arrived during the past few days.

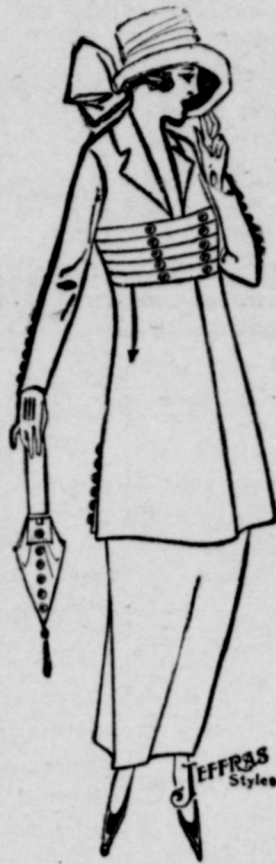
Modish Coats

Straight of line and graceful in every swing, these new coats will surely make a big bid for your favor. Here, too, long shoe string belts are much in evidence—big full snuggle collars invite you to "creep in"—some full belted and very straight, while others have belts only in back and are loose-backed—all of them have those comfy high buttoning collars—all have the most comfortable sleeves ever. And what a range of materials!—Wool, Silvertone and others.

—Attractive Prices

Shoes for Men, Women and Children

Our Shoe Department has never been so complete as now. We have assembled an immense stock of shoes for Men, Women and Children, and you will find our prices as low as good shoes can be sold—in fact, we are now selling Shoes at prices lower than they can be bought from the makers.



Suits Are Many

Many are the little touches and dashes of style that will appeal to you on the various models shown—the low hanging pockets, sometimes double tiered—the shoe-string belts—the high choker collars—the trim cuffs—the new designs in embroidery—all these and other new features will interest you. Silvertone, Gaberdine, Tricotine and Serge in the most wanted shades—all make their appeal to you in this collection.

\$25.00 to \$75.00

We Have Moved

our store to the building formerly occupied by D. W. Pyle & Son. Here we have more room, and have our stock arranged more attractively and displayed more conveniently than at the old location. Also, we have in some new goods you ought to see.

—at Coffey's

This Is a Popular Garage

—because auto owners have learned that here they can get gasoline that won't make their engines billious, lubricants that never fail to do their duty, plenty of free air, repair work that is dependable, and a service that pleases and satisfies. If you are not already one of our regular customers, you should try us out. You may find that you have been missing the best to be had in auto service.

McLEAN AUTO CO.

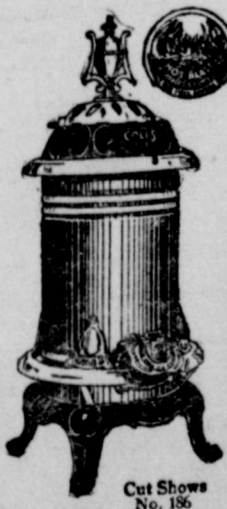
Dodge Brothers Cars

C.S. Rice

Let Us Hand You This Bag of Money —It Represents the Big Saving in Fuel You Can Make With Cole's Hot Blast in Your Home

OUR GUARANTEE

1. We guarantee a saving of one-third in fuel over any lower draft stove of the same size, with soft coal, lignite or slack.
2. We guarantee Cole's Hot Blast to use less hard coal for heating a given space than any base burner made with same size fire pot.
3. We guarantee that the rooms can be heated from one to two hours each morning with the fuel put in the stove the evening before.
4. We guarantee that the stove will hold fire with soft coal or hard coal from Saturday evening to Monday morning.
5. We guarantee a uniform heat day and night with soft coal, hard coal or lignite.
6. We guarantee every stove to remain absolutely air tight as long as used.
7. We guarantee the feed door to be smoke and dust proof.
8. We guarantee the anti-puffing draft to prevent puffing.



Cole's Original Hot Blast No. 116

PIMPLES DISAPPEAR

When DRY ZENSAL is used. It removes those unsightly pimples to stay removed. It is for Dry Eczema and all scaly, dry eruptions. It cures Prickly Heat and Hives. Use MOIST ZENSAL for all watery eruptions such as Weeping Skin and Wet Eczema. These are the prescriptions of the late Dr. N. S. Darling, skin specialist. Doctors prescribe them.

Sold by **The City Pharmacy**
 Nels Darling, Pres. THE ZENSAL CO. Oklahoma City, Okla.

"If"

If you can withstand the temptation of buying a car when you know that you would have to borrow only a little money to pay for it, and that you can stand off the doctor and groceryman, and have a fair idea that you can renew your note at the bank—if you can withstand blandishment of the automobile salesman, you are entitled to some credit, but if in addition your neighbors and your brothers and your brothers in law, and all the rest of the family own and drive their cars, and you still do not fall for the lure, you can consider that you have an extremely well developed backbone.—Wellsville Globe.

Notice to Shoe Buyers

We have just received a new shipment of boys shoes, we believe something that will please and give good service, built in an outing shoe with the chrome (green) sole. This resists wear better than anything we know of. When you want a pair of shoes that will stay with him, try a pair of these. We guarantee satisfaction. —Bundy Hodges Mercantile Company.

Members of the Woodman Circle are urged to be present at the meeting Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Business of importance. Mrs. M. D. Bentley, Clerk.

Jack Stieger and wife were down from Alanreed Friday night for the show.

Miss Mabel Watkins of Lela visited home folks here Friday.

Miss Ruth Bullock was here from Dumus Friday.

Shoe Prices

Shoes seem very high, but we are informed that they will be very much higher in the next few months. We are proud to say that we have a good stock of both mens and boys in dress and work goods that we know will stand up—our reputation is behind them.—Bundy Hodges Mercantile Company.

For Sale—One Fort Worth deep well machine, gasoline pull. \$500 cash or \$600 half cash. See Bob Ashby or call Mrs Nettie Tarley, Phone 1106, Amarillo 42-2c.

Mrs. L. M. Southern made a pleasure trip to Clarendon Saturday.

Miss Ruth Henderson returned Saturday from Dallas.

Oh, Joy!

Champaign, Ill., may be a dry town, but Jack O'Donnell tells us that while there is no wealthy water with bubbles in it in the town, you can find Beers & Beers. They are in the real estate business.—Exchange

Miss Myers and mother left Sunday for Byers after a visit with Mrs. John Grogan.

W. M. Greenwood and family of Alanreed were visitors here Sunday.

Grandma Brooks came in from Clarendon Friday on business.

Bill Harlan and wife were in from the ranch Sunday.

W. W. Mars returned to Ft. Worth Sunday.

I have taken over the McLean Shoe Shop and will be on the job every day in the week, Saturdays included. Z T. Wilson. 42-2c.

Miss Lillian Quattlebaum left Monday for Amarillo to visit her sister.

Miss Jessie Alexander went to Hedley Friday to visit home folks.

Kunkel Bros.

Dray and Transfer Line

ON TIME ALWAYS Phone 150

THERE'S NO RECORD

of a successful man in modern times who did not have the confidence of and use the services of a good Bank.

The American National Bank

Member Federal Reserve System

RED CROSS DRIVE TO OPEN NOV. 2

OFFICIALS LOOK FORWARD TO PLACING DIVISION FIRST "OVER THE TOP"

WOMEN WORKERS ENROLL

Campaign Managers Say That Present Drive Is One for Membership, Not Funds.

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- RED CROSS ROLL CALL FACTS
- Begins, Sunday, November 2;
- closes, Armistice Day, Tuesday, November 11.
- Objective: 20,000,000 members in the United States;
- 2,000,000 memberships in the Southwestern Division—the states of Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma and Arkansas. Cost of membership, one dollar.
- Purpose: To maintain Red Cross at present high state of organization and efficiency as permanent national relief agency.
- One million volunteer workers to assist in campaign activities, to be enrolled previous to opening of drive.
- Soldiers, sailors and marines to aid by speaking and writing of the work of the Red Cross in the camps and overseas. Fighting men, in some cases, directing campaign.
- "Four-minute" men, returned service men, lawyers, newspaper men and others qualified, will speak during drive, in theatres, hotels, moving-picture shows, clubs, factories, mills and stores.
- National advertising campaign being waged as preliminary to intensive drive. Newspapers, posters, window displays, flags, cutouts, moving picture films, dodgers, advertising slides, all carrying Red Cross messages.
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When the Third Red Cross Roll Call of members is completed on Armistice Day, November 11, it is expected that 2,000,000 persons in Missouri, Kansas, Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma—the states comprising the Southwestern Division of the Red Cross—will have answered "here" and have been enrolled as annual members of the organization.

Inasmuch as this is a decrease of 255,319 members under the record of last year, when 2,385,619 members were obtained during the Christmas Roll Call from a population of approximately 13,928,000, Red Cross officials look forward to putting the Division first "over the top" with comparatively little difficulty. The nation-wide campaign this year is expected to yield more than 20,000,000 members. As in all previous campaigns, the fee for yearly membership is \$1.

Red Cross Sunday. The campaign will open formally Sunday, November 2, which has been designated "Red Cross Sunday." On that day the story of the Red Cross will be told from pulpits all over the nation. Special programs will mark morning and evening services.

Vigorous preparations are being made, as evidenced by the rapid enrollment of thousands of women workers who will serve as volunteer canvassers during the campaign. More than 1,000,000 such workers are to be obtained throughout the country, whose aid will determine to an appreciable extent the successful termination of the coming campaign.

Reports reaching the Division office in St. Louis tell also of the co-operation being extended by hundreds of soldiers, sailors and marines, who are able, many of them, to tell "first person" stories of what the Red Cross did for them while the fighting was going on. These chaps are being enrolled as speakers, writers and active workers. In addition, "four-minute" men, lawyers, newspaper men and others qualified are scheduled to address audiences during the campaign on the subject of the Red Cross appeal.

Advertising Campaign. Enthusiasm in the campaign is being stimulated by the appearance of thousands of posters, window displays, Red Cross flags and other adjuncts of the country-wide advertising campaign now being carried on. Newspapers are carrying page, half-page and smaller advertisements bearing the Red Cross message, while periodicals, magazines and billboards, as well as street cars, trains, mercantile establishments and department store windows, all carry their quota of Red Cross advertising. Moving picture shows are exhibiting Red Cross films in a gigantic motion picture campaign that has for its object the education of the American people to the present-day needs of the American Red Cross.

Red Cross campaign officials have announced that the present drive is one for membership, not funds. In view of the large amount of work still to be completed abroad and the renewed activity incident to the inception in America of the Red Cross peace program along the lines of First Aid, Junior Membership, Nursing and Home Service, those in touch with the drive situation say the prospects are favorable for increasing Red Cross membership to a figure well over that obtained last year.

POWER OF DOLLAR IS EASILY SHOWN

Keep One Moving and See What It Will Do for Your Community.

PAYS MULTITUDE OF DEBTS

When It Is Sent Out of Town, However, to Pay for What Can Be Bought at Home It Is Gone Forever.

(Copyright.) It is a rather wonderful thing, when you stop to think about it what one lone dollar will do, if it is kept at work. This has been illustrated in a striking manner on several occasions by means of a very simple experiment. If you want to see just how important a role a silver dollar or a dollar bill plays in the life of a community here, is the way to do it. Just attach a tag to the dollar and turn it loose, with the request that every person who receives the dollar make a note on the tag as to how he received it. The result will be an eye-opener.

Here is the way it works: Smith, the lumber dealer, who first possesses the dollar, buys some groceries from Brown and pays for them with the dollar. About that time Jones, the plumber, who had done some work for Brown, sends his collector around and Brown pays the bill with this dollar. Jones owes Green, the printer, a small advertising bill, so he sends this dollar with possibly some others, to Green to pay his bill. Green had just put the dollar in his cash drawer when in comes Black, the milkman, to whom Green owes a dollar for milk delivered at his house. Green takes the dollar out of his cash drawer and pays Black. For some time Black has owed White, the carpenter, for some work done on his dairy house, so now he takes the dollar that Green has paid him and pays up what he owes White. White still owes for some lumber that he bought from Smith, the lumber dealer, so he takes the dollar and squares up his account with Smith. Smith now has his dollar back. Brown has been able to pay his plumbing bill, Jones has squared up with the printer, and so on, all around the circle.

What Might Have Happened. Now suppose that Smith, instead of buying his groceries from Brown, had purchased them from a mail order house in a far distant city and sent his dollar to pay for them. Brown would not have had that dollar to pay Jones, the plumber; Jones could not have paid his printing bill; the printer would have had to stand off the milk man; White, the carpenter, would not have got the money for the work he had done for the milkman and Smith would not have got the money which White owed him for lumber.

This is all so simple that it requires no student of economics or professor of mathematics to figure it out. Anyone can see that when Smith sends that dollar to Chicago or some other city where the mail order houses flourish, that dollar is gone so far as Smith and Jones and Green and the rest of the people in Smith's town are concerned. That dollar will never come back to pay any bills in Smith's town. And the thing that stands out most striking, but is most often overlooked, is that Smith, the man who first spends the dollar, is hurt just as much when he sends that dollar out of town as is the home grocer from whom he might have bought his groceries.

Now just multiply this one dollar by a hundred or a thousand or ten thousand. One dollar may not seem to make much difference in the average town, but a thousand dollars or even a hundred dollars does make a difference. Just as one dollar will pay a dozen or a hundred small bills, a hundred or a thousand dollars will pay a dozen or a hundred big bills. When Brown, the grocery man, owes a thousand dollars and can't pay it, he is headed for the bankruptcy courts. When Jones, the plumber, can't collect the money which is due him from Brown or maybe a dozen Browns, he is headed in the same direction as Brown. And so it goes all around the circle until it hits Smith or a dozen Smiths who have sent their money out of town to add to the fortunes of the mail order men.

Buyer One Who Is Hurt.

Thus, it will be seen that this buy-at-home proposition is really a selfish one with the man who buys the goods. He is not hurting the home merchant when he sends his money out of town, any more than he is hurting himself.

Every sensible man knows that his livelihood depends upon whether business in his town is good or not. If business is not good, he cannot make a good living for himself and his family, no matter how hard he may work, and business cannot be good if the business men in the town are not making money. This is a plain business proposition for every man and woman in the community. By spending their money at home they are helping the home merchant only incidentally. They are buttering their own bread. When they send their money to the mail order house, they are not only hurting the home merchant incidentally but—a thing more important to them—they are likely to be taking the bread out of the mouths of their own children.

Inventor of "Big Bertha" Is Insane

The inventor of the "Big Bertha," which first shelled Paris on March 23, 1918 from a distance of nearly 80 miles, now is an inmate of the German state asylum in Andernach. Men whose minds failed to stand up under the strain and horrors of war are his only companions.

The inventor does not associate with the other inmates. At rare intervals he speaks with the doctors or nurses in the hospital, then only a few words. But, once when an American soldier entered, the German's face lighted up like that of a child with a new toy. To the astonishment of the hospital attendants he at once approached the visitor and began to converse with him in English.

As he talked his interest in the young American seemed almost pathetic. He asked of America, America's part in the war, what America expected to do with Germany, and was particularly anxious to learn what America thought of the German air raids during the war and the bombardment of Paris by the "Big Bertha."

Then, as if afraid that the young soldier from overseas was about to sentence him to some horrible punishment, he suddenly began to tell the story of his own life.

As a young man he had studied at the greatest universities in Germany. Chemistry and mechanics had been his favorite subjects, and in these he showed great aptitude. As was natural in Germany at that time, his researches soon took him into the field of perfecting weapons of war. His work in this line attracted the attention of his government. They gave him every opportunity for study. He was sent to England, America and France. In those places he studied at close range the guns used by the armies, the chemical composition of explosives and the methods of manufacturing great shells. When he returned to Germany he was given stock in the Krupp works at Essen. Profiting by his studies and what he had learned in other lands, he set about to develop what would eventually be the largest cannon in the world.

This came August, 1914, and the war. According to the inventor, his efforts were redoubled. The big guns, which destroyed the forts of Belgium, were not sufficient. For years, the inventor said, he had dreamed of a planned weapon that would reach Paris, and when the war came, he, together with the greatest scientist of Germany, began working on the cannon.

In the spring of 1918, the inventor said, they believed their plan had been accomplished. The great gun was finished and moved to a spot in the lines from which its shells could reach Paris. Finally came the day when it was fired for the first time on Paris. Apparently it was a success. For a few days all Germany celebrated, the inventor said. For him, however, this joy was shortlived. Hardly had the celebration ended when the allies seemed to take a new lease on life. Instead of discouraging them, the big gun appeared to have driven them to greater efforts.

"Then came the stories of the sufferings caused by the gun," the inventor said. "Instead of killing soldiers we had murdered women and children. My nights became sleepless. When I did drop into a doze my dreams were terrible. I became sick with the thoughts of my work. I lost weight. I could not face my family, and the sight of women and children on the street made me faint. Then something snapped."—Exchange

Mens and boys leggings—just received a new shipment—Bundy Hodges Mercantile Co.

Union Notes

C. D. Trusty and children returned this week from an extended visit in Clay County.

C. L. Morris and family spent Sunday at the J. P. Williams home.

Jim Ferguson of Ada, Okla., is visiting at the W. J. Jeffus home.

Miss Ellen Corcoran spent last week at Miami visiting in the Ernest Black home.

J. M. Noel of McLean bought a bunch of calves last week from P. P. Corcoran.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Bowers of Grimes, Okla., were callers at P. P. Corcoran's Sunday.

Bud Scribner and Lige Powers attended court at Wheeler last week.

The editor of the Hansford Haedlight is rejoicing because Henry put a starter in his new Fords, and says that it will be quite a spiritual uplift because people are wont to loose considerable religious fervor cranking Fords in cold weather. Better tip that off to Henry, that he is an apostle of religion. It's a new one for him and doubtless he would like to add that to his other "holier than thou" attributes. The item also indicates that the Haedlight editor has considerable experience winding up a Ford. At Canadian they have designated the new cars as the "Self-Commencing Fords."—Canadian Record.

I want to close out my entire stock of millinery, dry goods and notions by Nov. 1st. If you need anything in my line, see me at once, as I can save you money. A new crate of comforter sized cotton bats to go at \$1.00 each. Mrs. W. T. Wilson.

A good line of mens gloves in the house. Also mens winter underwear and wool shirts—Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Co.

I have taken over the McLean Shoe Shop and will be on the job every day in the week. Saturdays included. Z. T. Wilson. 42 2c.

I. N. Starns returned from Quannah Tuesday to attend to business here and will move his family to Quannah.

Mrs. Connie Price returned Thursday from Goodlett where she has been visiting.

J. H. Collier and family of Groom were here Friday to visit J. L. Collier and wife.

C. S. Rice and wife attended the unveiling at Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

S. R. Kennedy and son of Alanreed were in town Monday on business.

Miss Miriam Wilson of Alanreed was in town Tuesday on business.

Dave Turner and wife of Alanreed were here Wednesday on business.

Otis Harbert, a traveling sales man, was over from Canadian Tuesday.

Miss Opal Roberts and a crowd of friends motored to Pampa Sunday.

Clay Thompson and family returned Monday night from California.

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

Dewitt Patty and Dewitt Burk went to Amarillo Wednesday.

J. W. Burles went to Shamrock Thursday on business.

W. S. Copeland and wife were over from Lefors Tuesday.

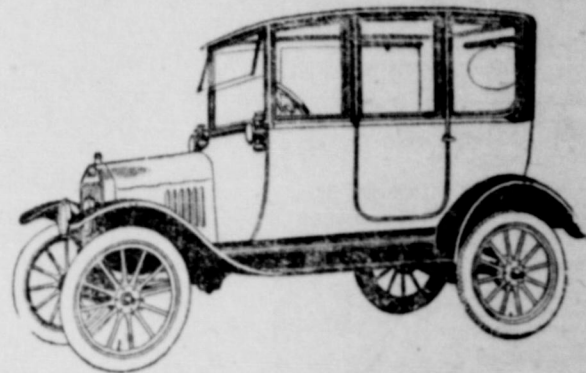
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M. D. BENTLEY GARAGE

Ford Sales and Service



If every newspaper in the country would stop printing a word about these interminable strikes and lockouts and squabbles generally, there would soon be an end to the whole troublesome mess. Publicity is the life of strife.

Our office devil insists that beauty is only skin deep, as they claim. But, he adds, some people have a hide as thick as a walrus.

Whenever there is nothing else left in life that is funny, we can always squeeze a titter from our own jokes.

W. H. Peters has traded his Chevrolet car for a Buick Six.

Lee Crockran of Oklahoma was here Monday on business.

The Rock Island repaired both of their wells here this week.

W. L. Haynes went to Alanreed Tuesday on business.

Miss Plucett of Lefors was here Saturday shopping.

Johnnie Back went to Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Buena Moore went to Shamrock Thursday.

L. M. Southern has bought I. N. Starns' crop.

J. A. Brown left Monday for Shamrock.

U. F. Mann moved to Amarillo Tuesday.

Dad Pieper and wife came back Tuesday.

Program for Next Week at the MISSION THEATRE

Tuesday Night

Marguerite Clark in "Let's Elope," and Mutt and Jeff comedy.

Wednesday Night

Special Mutual program. 7 reels.

Thursday Night

Select Picture special, "The Lone Wolf. 8 reels.

Friday Night

Paramount-Arcraft special, Elsie Ferguson in "Eyes of the Soul. Also an Elinor Field comedy. 7 reels.

Saturday Night

Dorothy Phillips in "The Talk of the Town," and Elinor Field comedy. 8 reels.

It costs money to make money, and you can't very well make money unless you have money. So there you are—go to it!

"It is a wonderful treaty," and "it is a conglomeration of treason." All according to the way you look at it.

We might, of course, all get busy and outprofit the profiteer.

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