

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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## We Invite Your Attention

to our complete new stock of Hardware, which is now attractively displayed in our new fixtures.

Remember We Are Agents in McLean for the Range Eternal and the Cole's Hot Blast Heater

## Western Lumber Co.

PHONE 4

### Speaking of Bath Tubs

Adam Thompson of Cincinnati was the first man in the United States to use a bath tub. This was on Dec 20, 1842

The installation of the bath tub in Mr. Thompson's home and the actual use of it for bathing in winter, caused widespread publicity, and the newspapers devoted their columns to violent discussions of it. Certain patriots stated that this luxury, designated to corrupt the democratic simplicity of the republic, type of bathing was a degenerate. The medical fraternity denounced it as "dangerous to health, and bound to result in phthisis, rheumatic fevers, inflammation of the lungs, and the whole category of zymotic diseases." Legislation reflected the common feeling.

The Philadelphia Common Council, late in 1843, considered an ordinance prohibiting bathing between November 1 and March 15, and it failed of passing by only two votes. During the same year the Legislature of Virginia laid a tax of \$30 a year on all bath tubs. Boston, early in 1845, made bathing unlawful except upon medical advice, but the order was never enforced and in 1862 it was repealed.

President Millard Fillmore installed the first bath tub in the White House in 1851. This action broke down practically all

prejudice with the result that by 1860 every hotel in New York had one bath tub, and some had two and even three.—Harrison's Monthly.

### Any "Whitewashing" You Want Done?

A preacher came at a newspaper man in this way, says the Krum Banner: "You editors do not tell the truth. If you did, you could not live. Your newspapers would be failures." The editor replied: "You are right. And the minister who will at all times and under all circumstances tell the truth about his members, dead or alive, will not occupy his pulpit more than one Sunday, and then he will find it necessary to leave town in a hurry. The press and the pulpit go hand in hand with whitewash brushes and pleasant words, magnifying little virtues into big ones. The pulpit, the pen and the gravestone are the great saint making triumvirate." And the great minister went away looking very thoughtful, while the editor turned to his work and told of the surpassing beauty of the bride, when, as a matter of fact, she was as homely as a mud fence.

Mrs. Cal Dickey and children returned to Panhandle Wednesday after visiting friends and relatives.

## Calls for Meeting to Decide Some Important Matters Concerning Gin

To the Farmers of the McLean Country and Others Interested in a Gin Proposition:

An invitation is extended to you to be present at a meeting on Saturday, December 24th, in the Odd Fellows Hall, for the purpose of going over the gin proposition. It is desirable that as many of the farmers as possible be present, so it can be ascertained how much acreage will likely be planted to cotton this year, and how much seed will be needed for planting, so that an adequate supply may be arranged for.

It is proposed that an up-to-date plant be installed, of sufficient size to handle the crop, which is another matter to be discussed and decided upon. One thing you may be sure of is that the gin will not be a collection of second-hand junk. Everything will be brand new, with the latest bolly attachments and other modern improvements.

If you want to raise cotton, or want cotton to be grown here, come out to this meeting. It is something that should interest all the people—you included.

Respectfully,  
T. J. COFFEY.

### Red Cross to Spend 30 Millions

Washington, Jan. 14.—The American Red Cross will spend \$30,000,000 this year.

Out of a fund of that amount available for the year's work \$15,000,000 has been set aside for European relief, \$13,750,000 for use at home and \$1,250,000 for completing its program in Siberia.

In making public plans for the carrying forward of the Red Cross peacetime activities, Dr. Livingston Farrand, head of the Red Cross, declared that a considerable reserve must be held for emergency calls such as "such possible events as the opening of Russia to intercourse with the United States."

With appeals infinitely beyond Red Cross resources and unable to count on additions to its total fund during the year, the Executive committee, he said, found it "wise and necessary to consider the application of its funds so that the soundest sense of proportion might prevail."

### McLean Banks Make Excellent Showing

When the call came for statements of condition on December 31st, it found McLean banks in the best condition for several months. Statements appearing in this week's news show a total of \$465,998.98 deposits, with other items in proportion.

The only time when the banks showed larger deposits, so far as we learn, was about two years ago, when the marketing of a bumper crop of maize and kafir was well under way and these products were bringing around \$40 and \$50 per ton. Deposits at that time totalled something over half a million dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. Callahan gave a birthday dinner for their uncle, Mr. Steve Homes, on Wednesday. He was 89 years of age, and all the old Confederate soldiers were present. Those present were: Messrs. and Mesdames Sam Kunkle, E. E. McGee, Will Haynes and Clay Thompson and Messrs. Fulton and Frank Haynes.

Judge Wolfe and B. F. Newton started to Lefors Monday but had to return after getting as far as Vlanreed.

Dad Pieper and wife moved to their little home west of the Baptist church Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rice and son returned home Thursday after visiting relatives.

Bert Flint returned Tuesday from Kansas where he has been visiting his brother.

J. M. Noel and Emmett Lefors went to Oklahoma City on business Monday.

L. D. Perry and wife have a new girl at their home.

### Wholesaler Makes Advertising Allowance

Recognizing the enterprise of the City Pharmacy in selling Manophones, the Alexander Drug Co. of Oklahoma City, distributors for this phonograph, have made an unusual proposition to the local dealer whereby they allow him a liberal discount on the wholesale price of every machine, to be used for advertising.

Earle Shell, manager of the City Pharmacy, tells us that he understands there are only three other dealers to whom the wholesalers have made this unusual offer, and as the fortunate ones are the four whose Manophone sales are greatest, this firm is justly proud of the recognition they are receiving. Especially is this true when one remembers that the list of Manophone dealers takes in firms in the largest towns in Oklahoma and the Panhandle.

We call your attention to the half page Manophone ad appearing over The City Pharmacy's name in this week's paper.

### Foster-Baugh

At the home of the bride's parents in Weatherford, on New Year's, occurred the marriage of Miss Vila Baugh to Mr. Doyle Foster of this place, well known to McLean people.

The ceremony was spoken by Rev. W. E. Weaver, pastor of a Baptist church at Weatherford.

The News congratulates this happy couple, who seem to have started the new year right.

W. E. Craig of Alanreed was in town Wednesday on business.

## A Hot Water Bottle

### Should Have a Place in Every Baby's Buggy

When you take the baby out for a ride, place a hot water bottle in the buggy and there'll be no danger of colds and complications.

A hot water bottle in the crib or bed at home will almost immediately quiet restlessness—and give the mother a much needed respite.

## Erwin Drug Company

The *Rexall* Store

## A NEW DRAY LINE

This is to announce that we are operating a dray and transfer business, and solicit a share of your hauling. We promise to serve you to the best of our ability, with promptness and care.

If You Need a Dray, Phone 152

## T. C. Phillips

Josh Turner returned to Groom after spending a few days with homefolks.

Jim Burrows returned to Amarillo Wednesday, after attending to business here.

Mrs. Bee Everett has a good case of lagrippe.

S. E. Boyett and Emmett Thompson went to Amarillo on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stone of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Childress.

Mr. and Miss Roby went to Amarillo Wednesday.

## It's to Your Advantage to Trade Here

Don't just buy and buy, but buy where your health, your interests, and your satisfaction are considered, where you get prices and quality.

When you bring a prescription to us we fill it with that care which has made the Doctor feel perfectly safe when he finds his wishes have been left in our hands.

We will tell you a New Year's resolution that is easy to keep. Here it is: "that you will buy all your drugs and druggist sundries of"

**THE CITY PHARMACY**  
At Your Service—Day or Night

Read our big ad on another page

## Jno. Deere Wagons and Implements

A big car of them came in just the other day. You know what the John Deere name means. It doesn't go on anything that isn't of highest grade.

We intend to get rid of the wagons pretty soon. Better speak up if you want one.

**HAYNES GROCERY COMPANY**

**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

Lockney Beacon: We asked a stranger to subscribe for the Beacon one day last week, and he said the price was too high; in fact he stated that our town had more grafters to the square inch than any town he had ever struck in

Texas. He further stated that he had brought all his flour, meats and other articles of necessity here with him and none of our folks would be able to take any money off of him. On investigation we found that he was a new comer, only been here a few months, had bought a place in the country and was doubtless permanently located in Floyd county. Our conclusion was that he must have hailed from the malarial section of Texas, and was very bilious. He doubtless came to the West expecting to find a race of suckers, but instead he found boosters and very few knockers. Floyd county is not particularly looking for this kind of citizenship, and the Beacon would be glad to chronicle the fact that he had moved farther on or gone back to the hill-billy section from whence he came. A man that is always looking for someone to skin him usually skins every one with whom he comes in contact.

**CAN YOU BEAT IT?**

The Record claims a unique distinction. Exchanges please note: There is not a professional card in the paper. From reading the Record's advertising columns there is not a doctor, a dentist, nor a lawyer in this town. If there is another town in the United States that has a paper that does not carry a professional card, let it stand up and be counted.

We don't know whether it is because the professional men of Canadian are ashamed of their vocation or whether they are ashamed of the Record. We hope neither.

If you fellows will come on in and let the world know that Canadian has some professional men, we will risk collecting the advertising bills. Of course, we want a little compensation for handling the ads, but that is secondary to the fact that every week we send out a paper which does not carry a professional card. Such a paper has the appearance of a boycott and makes Canadian look to the outside world like a cross roads village with some sort of a temporary boom.—Canadian Record.

If the editor of the Record will look at his exchanges he will find that his sheet isn't so bloomin' unique after all. The McLean News claims this same distinction. It does not carry a single professional card, and hasn't for years. What you have said you have said well, Bro. Loomis, and about all we care to add is a hearty "amen."

**Sixteen Years Old—Even Horn Toots**

A rear tonneau door, two cylinder touring car manufactured by the Ford Motor Co. in 1903—the year of that company's organization—and in use since that time, is still "on the job." It is an 8-horse power car, has a 78 inch wheel base, a five gallon gas tank and is owned by A. C. McCarthy of Portland, Oregon.

Of course the Ford isn't exactly possessed of the latest lines and it is beginning to wear slightly, but mechanically—why even the aged brass horn works. The machine is now being driven on business trips through Oregon and Washington by McCarthy who doesn't expect to be in the market for a new Ford for some years to come since he's kinda got acquainted with the old one.

\$25.00 weekly Men—Women. Advertise. Start Candy factory at home, small room, any where. We tell how and furnish every thing. Specialty Candymaking House, 5 South 18th St., Philadelphia, Pa. 45 10c.

**To Our Customers**

The year 1919 has closed. With the closing of the year many of our customers came in and closed up their accounts in full, giving them a clean slate to start in with for 1920. To you who have been so thoughtful in doing this we want to thank you very much. To those who still owe us—REMEMBER—we must pay our bills and in order to do this we must collect last year's business, not just a portion, but the accounts in full up to January 1st. We have had to carry many accounts over into this year on account of car shortage. We don't mind doing our part in this matter, but we believe those of you who wish to hold your crops longer should make some kind of arrangements with us for what you owe us, so we will not be compelled to carry all the load. We believe this is fair to all concerned. Kindly get to us if possible by the 20th, so we in turn can relieve those we owe.

**Remember**

Our terms for the year 1920 are strictly 30 days. All bills due the first of each month. Shortening of terms by the jobber makes this change necessary to us. Please bear this in mind.

Yours for a prosperous 1920,

**BUNDY-HODGES  
MERCANTILE COMPANY**

**The Gray County Local Mutual Aid Association**

A Home Institution Organized to Furnish to Its Members Life Insurance at Cost  
T. M. Wolfe, Secretary

**Purpose**

The purpose of the organization is, by eliminating all unnecessary expenses, to furnish life insurance to its members at cost.

**No Salaries**

There are no salaried officers to be paid. The initiation fee of \$3.00 will pay the cost of organizing, procuring charter, paying state license, etc. The running expenses, cost of printing and mailing notices, policies, etc., and keeping the records is paid out of the annual dues paid by each member and cannot exceed one dollar per year, and is payable on or before December 1st of each year.

**Fees**

On joining each member pays an initiation fee of \$3.00, annual dues \$1.00, and \$1.00 to the beneficiary fund, making a total cost of membership of \$5.00.

Upon the death of a member, an amount equal to \$1.00 for each member is immediately paid their beneficiary, and the secretary of the association immediately notifies each member of the death, and of an assessment of \$1.00 against each member, which must be paid within 15 days under penalty of suspension. This is repeated each time a death occurs, and there can be no other money assessed or collected, except the \$1.00 per year dues.

**Membership**

The membership of the Association is limited

See C. J. Cash or W. H. Peters, McLean, Texas

to 1,000, and the maximum insurance to each member is \$1,000.00. Any white person, male or female, from 18 to 55 years of age inclusive, of good moral standing and of good health, may become a member by signing an application and paying the solicitor \$5.00 which, as explained above, covers all costs, for which they will take a receipt. If elected to membership by the investigating committee, they will receive a certificate of membership. If rejected, money will be refunded to them.

**Benefits**


The beneficiary money is deposited in the bank and can only be paid out on the death of a member, by order of the directors, signed by the proper officers of the Association. Both the secretary and the treasurer are required to give \$1,000 bonds.

**Independent Organization**

This organization is entirely independent of any other organization. It is chartered separately under the laws of the State of Texas, and its members pay no dues or assessments to keep up any state lodge. Its membership is to be composed entirely of people who live in Gray county and within a radius of 25 miles of McLean.

**Officers**

The officers and directors are all good men of established reputations, whose integrity is a guarantee that only those honestly entitled to membership will be received.



**Every Ford Owner Should Know**

Just what Ford Service is, and why it is different from ordinary garage service, and why it is more profitable to recognize the Authorized Ford Dealer. The Ford Dealer is a part of the Big Ford Family. He carries a large stock of genuine Ford parts for repairs and replacements so you don't have to wait while he sends for them, and he uses only genuine parts because he knows the imitation parts aren't dependable and don't wear.

He has a thoroughly equipped up-to-the-minute garage with tools that enable his Ford Mechanics to efficiently and properly make any repair—from a minor adjustment to a complete overhaul. And when the work is finished, his bill represents the reasonable, standard Ford prices.

Now, we are Authorized Ford Dealers—a part of that great Ford Service organization which was formed chiefly to put within each community a dealer who would have more than a passing interest in Ford repairs and adjustments. We are prepared and equipped to render prompt, careful Ford service. Drive in or 'phone and we'll come after your car.

Ford Sales and Service **M. D. Bentley**

**A BANK'S OBLIGATION TO DEPOSITORS**

A bank arises to the full height of its obligations to its depositors only when it is organized to extend sound financial guidance, such as will develop success. Those of our depositors who have sought such service have found us receptive to their solicitation and fully competent to solve their business problems.

**The American National Bank**  
MEMBER FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$30,000

**THIS WAS NEWS TEN YEARS AGO**  
Interesting Items to Be Found in The McLean News of Jan. 21, 1910

Friday afternoon at the public school the pupils of Mrs. Horton's room entertained those from Mrs. Boyett's room with an interesting program. Also quite a few patrons were present and enjoyed the affair.

At the local I. O. O. F. hall Monday evening occurred the joint installation of officers to serve the ensuing term in the Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges.

Arthur Erwin and wife returned Friday from a holiday trip to Graham and other Texas points. They report a most pleasant visit.

John Haynes visited in the city Sunday with his brother, A. W. Haynes.

I. D. Shaw of Alanreed was a caller on our streets Tuesday afternoon.

J. W. Kolb was down from Alanreed Saturday afternoon.

**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.

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

**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.

**HYDEN'S**  
Optometrist & Manufacturing Opticians  
168 Park Street  
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

**SEND US YOUR KODAK FINISHING WE DO IT BETTER**  
Developing films single rolls, 10c each; packs, 20c. Prints, 2x3 1/2 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 Elkh City, Okla.

**Cunningham Flower Shop**  
Bedding plants, Cut flowers and designs of all kinds.  
Amarillo, Texas  
1909-11 Van Buren St. Phone 1081

**General Rules For Tax**

The upper courts the question of w... the following of interest to wom...  
1. Poll taxes in midnight, January  
2. The amount counties collect \$1. One dollar of thi... school fund, the state General county is allowed... more tha... for a county... county does...  
3. Every woma... of 21 and 60... to vote in th... Girls who wi... July, 1920, in... procure exem... January 31... to in pe...  
4. Poll taxes in... by those li... thousand or... towns are not... tax collector... an office... length of time i... notice having be... date and place.  
5. In towns or... of less than ten t... agents may be used... All tax collectors... which they must... request of partie... pay poll taxes. T... address, nationalit... of residence in sta... are to be given... the name of the... person except a... or a county... designated as the... person may act as... number. Th... when properly fill... by checks or... payable to... turned over to the... who mails the re... the individua... and the tax.

OR WHOM WE V... Presidential Ele... Congressmen... Governor... State Senators... State Represent... all other State... All County Offic... the State Legis... law under w... od or bad laws... the men who ar... These men... people who... responsible for the... to represent t...

### General Rules For Paying Poll Tax

The upper courts have decided the question of woman suffrage and the following rules will be of interest to women:

1. Poll taxes must be paid by midnight, January 31, 1920.

2. The amount varies; some counties collect \$1.50, some \$1.75. One dollar of this goes to the state school fund, fifty cents to the state General Fund. Each county is allowed by law to assess no more than twenty five cents for a county general fund. Every county does not levy this sum.

3. Every woman between the age of 21 and 60 must pay in order to vote in the July primary. Girls who will reach 21 before July, 1920, in order to vote must procure exemption receipts before January 31. These must be sworn to in person but cost nothing.

4. Poll taxes must be paid in person by those living in towns of one thousand or over. Where such towns are not county seats, the tax collector or his deputy opens an office for a certain length of time in that town, notice having been printed of date and place.

5. In towns or communities of less than ten thousand, legal agents may be used to pay taxes. All tax collectors have blanks which they must send out upon request of parties wishing to pay poll taxes. The age, name, address, nationality, and length of residence in state and county are to be given together with the name of the agent. Any person except a candidate for office or a county official may be designated as the agent. One person may act as the agent for any number. These blanks when properly filled, accompanied by checks or money orders made payable to the agent, are turned over to the tax collector, who mails the receipts directly to the individuals who have paid the tax.

### FOR WHOM WE VOTE IN 1920

Presidential Electors.  
Congressmen.  
Governor.  
State Senators.  
State Representatives.  
All other State Officials.  
All County Officials.  
The State Legislature makes law under which we live. Good or bad laws are the results of the men who are sent to Austin. These men are chosen by the people who vote. We are responsible for the men who are sent to represent us. Failure to

vote does not relieve us of this responsibility nor prevent legislation which reacts evilly upon our children. Pay a poll tax and help choose your representatives from President of the United States down.

### Probate Notice

STATE OF TEXAS.  
TO THE SHERIFF OR ANY CONSTABLE OF GRAY COUNTY—GREETING:

You are hereby commanded that you cause to be published in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in Gray County, Texas, at least once each week for twenty days exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day hereof, the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS. TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF ELIZA K. CAMPBELL, DECEASED: John Frasier and Fred Hale, Campbell have filed in the County Court of Gray County, Texas, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of Eliza K. Campbell, deceased, filed with said application, and for the letters testamentary of the estate of Eliza K. Campbell, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said court commencing on the third Monday in February, 1920, same being the 16th day of February, 1920, at the Courthouse thereof in Lefors, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said court on the said day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at my office in Lefors, Texas, this 18th day of Dec., 1919.

W. R. Patterson,  
Clerk of County Court of Gray  
[SEAL] County, Texas.

The smile that won't come off is of little value to the world. It is founded upon nothing and is gauged by its origin.

### Dirt Roads

The highway running east and west is but a sad and sorry jest. In droughty seasons it will do; then motor cars along it choo, and loaded teams climb up its hills, and dislocate no poles or thills. And this is why I some times say the government should do away with rain and moisture of that stamp, so that the road may not get damp. For when the water drips and peltts, that doggone highway simply melts like sugar in a cup of tea, and there's no thoroughfare to see. Some drowning mules we may behold, and autos from the culverts rolled, and swearing men who ply the jaw and say there ought to be a law. We've blown in millions more or less to make that road a big success. We've graded and we've plowed and dragged, we've engineered and cussed and bragged, we've foundered horses by the herd, to make the highway less absurd. And when the weather's good and dry it pleases the aesthetic eye; it's scraped and manicured so nice we think it's surely worth the price; we bowl along its dusty miles, our faces wreathed in beaming smiles. Then Pluvius uncorks his trough, it rains, and the stuff is all off. I wonder if we'll ever rise, unswerving purpose in our eyes, and build the kind of roads that last through vernal rain and wintry blast?—Walt Mason.

Canyon.—An examination was held in Amarillo Wednesday for the purpose of choosing a new postmaster for this place. A number of citizens are seeking the office.

Pep Everett has sold his home to Booth Woods.

## Mission Theatre

The Best Attractions—Always

Comedy Tuesday and Friday nights | Our new Light Plant is Coming soon



TONIGHT  
**HARRY CAREY** in  
**"HELL BENT"**

You who have seen Carey need no urging. Those who are not coming Friday nights are missing a good picture.



SATURDAY NIGHT  
**Elsie Ferguson** in  
**"THE SOCIETY EXILE"**

Henry Arthur Jones, the great English dramatist and Elsie Ferguson, the great screen star, have here provided a one hundred per cent dramatic entertainment. The staging details, gowns and sets are consummately beautiful. The acting is superb. The story is as tense and entertaining a tale as has ever been put on the screen.



TUESDAY NIGHT  
**Vivian Martin** in  
**"HER COUNTRY FIRST"**

Uncle Sam has appealed to the movies to help him suppress bolshevism and discontent throughout the United States, and we gladly consent. If you love your country and have a speck of patriotism in your make-up, you will enjoy these pictures.

## A Good Small Farm Close to Town

60 acres, all in cultivation, three-quarters mile south of McLean. Nice young orchard. Good three-room house, good barn. Will sell at a bargain.

**R. S. JORDAN, McLean, Texas**

Charter No. 10957. Reserve District No. 11. No. 295  
 REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE  
**American National Bank**  
 At McLean, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31st, 1919.

RESOURCES	
a Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, (except those shown in b and c).....	\$114,240.75
Deduct: f Foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank, not shown under item d, above [see item 55c].....	7,657.40
Overdrafts, secured \$.....; unsecured \$664.82.....	\$106,583.35
U. S. Government securities owned:	664.82
f Owned and unpledged.....	\$5,483.00
h War savings certificates & thrift stamps actually owned 1,199.86	
Total U. S. Government securities.....	6,692.86
Securities, other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged.....	1,694.41
Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription).....	900.00
Value of banking house, owned and unincumbered.....	2,500.00
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank.....	21,074.95
Cash in vault and net amounts due from national banks.....	107,209.37
Net amounts due from banks, bankers and trust companies (other than included in Items 12, 13 or 14).....	7,500.00
Checks on other banks in same city or town as reporting bank (other than Item 16).....	1,488.30
Checks on banks located outside of city or town of reporting bank and other cash items.....	2,165.57
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$258,473.63</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund.....	5,000.00
Undivided profits.....	\$7,538.88
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid.....	4,811.99
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding.....	17,999.65
Individual deposits subject to check.....	166,139.27
State, county or other municipal deposits secured by pledge of assets of this bank.....	14,546.32
Certificates of deposit (other than for money borrowed).....	27,061.50
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$258,473.63</b>
Liabilities for rediscounts, including those with Federal Reserve Bank (see item 1d).....	7,657.40

The State of Texas, County of Gray, ss:  
 I, C. L. Cooke, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
 C. L. COOKE, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of December, 1920.  
 ROSS BIGGERS, Notary Public.  
 Correct—Attest: GEO. W. SITTER, D. B. VEATCH, A. P. CLARK, Directors.

BANKS  
 Official Statement of the Financial Condition of  
**THE CITIZENS STATE BANK**

at McLean, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1919, published in the McLean News, a newspaper printed and published at McLean, State of Texas, on the 16th day of January, 1920.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts, personal or collateral.....	\$ 78,004
Acceptances and bills of exchange.....	20,573
Overdrafts.....	627
Road Bonds and School Vouchers.....	2,149
Real Estate (banking house).....	2,765
Furniture and Fixtures.....	2,900
Due from Approved Reserve Agents, net.....	156,215
U. S. Govt. Certificates of Indebtedness.....	10,000
Cash Items.....	234
Currency.....	12,339
Specie.....	1,738
Interest and Assessment Depositor's Guaranty Fund.....	2,960
War Saving Stamps.....	846
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$291,352</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$ 25,000
Surplus Fund.....	8,000
Individual Deposits, subject to check.....	234,232
Time Certificates of Deposit.....	24,120
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>\$291,352</b>

State of Texas, County of Gray:  
 We, J. S. Morse, as president, and Clay Thompson, cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.  
 J. S. MORSE, President.  
 CLAY THOMPSON, Cashier.  
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, A. D. 1920.  
 C. C. BOGAN, Notary Public, Gray County, Texas.  
 Correct—Attest: J. S. Morse, W. E. Ballard, M. D., J. M. Noel, Clay Thompson, Directors.

**From Heald**

Miss Ester Hunter visited Miss Allie Harbison last week.  
 Mr. Erwin, who recently bought the Stevens place, has taken possession. Mr. Stevens has moved to Hall Co.  
 Mrs. C. C. Stahl from Kansas is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Harbison.  
 Mr. Pickett has moved to the Brewer place. Mr. Brewer having moved to the Jackson place.  
 J. A. Haynes went to Wheeler the first of the week to attend Com. Court.  
 Hog killing seems to be the order of the day in our neighborhood.  
 Little Nellie Roach has been visiting in the Rippy home for the past week.  
 The sick folks are all improving.  
 A number of our folks have been hunting rabbits since the snow.  
 Owing to the snow Sunday we did not have many at our Sunday School.  
 I want to buy a cast iron wash kettle. Will sell a four-burner New Perfection oil stove with fireless cooker oven. F. P. Wilson.

**Increase in Auto Storage Rates**

Hereafter the rates for auto storage will be: Per month \$5.00; day storage 25c; night storage 40c. Webb Motor Co.  
 There is money in raising chickens, especially early spring fryers. Get an Old Trusty incubator and get in the game. Western Lumber Co.  
 What is your idea of a "Blind Husband" anyway? \$5.00 reward for the best answer. The Mission, Feb. 21.  
 Mrs. Boydston of Texhoma returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Heasley and family.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Doyel Foster returned Monday from Mobeetie after visiting relatives.  
 If you had a husband, what would you do to open his eyes? The Mission, Feb. 21.  
 Peb. Everett and family moved to the Hindman hotel Wednesday.  
 Carl Hefner left Wednesday for Frederick, Okla., on business.

Misses Watkins and Close of Lela were in town Saturday visiting the C. A. Watkins family.  
 Five dollars reward for the best answer to "What is a Blind Husband?" The Mission, Feb. 21st.  
 Anyone knowing Hodges, who has a team in my pasture, please call me. Mrs. A. A. Christian. 1p  
 Does a husband have to have his eyes punched out to be blind? The Mission, Feb. 21  
 W. S. Copeland of Lefors was here Thursday and Friday collecting taxes.  
 Miss Annie Alexander left Thursday for a visit with her sister.  
 Misses Smith and McClellan went to Amarillo Monday; visiting.  
 R. L. Parker of Wheeler was over Wednesday on business.  
 Walter McAdams has purchased the Guill hotel.

Floydada.—Sam Fort, son of G. R. Fort, broke an arm while pitching baseball for his team at the Sand Hill school one day last week. The arm was broken above the elbow by muscular contraction as the ball was being delivered. The occurrence was an unusual one, rare instances of the kind being noted by medical men.  
 Wellington.—Last week a contract was closed and approved for a deep test for oil on a block of acreage near Dozier in Block 22, in the northwest part of Colingsworth county. The test is to be made by the Booster Development Co., of Fort Worth.  
 Mr. Bender of Pampa made a business trip to our city Saturday.  
 Have you a Blind Husband in your home? The Mission, Feb. 21.  
 Second hand sewing machine for sale. Mrs. S. R. Jones. 1tc  
 One gentle pony for sale. Frank Stockton. 50-5s.  
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Miss Vella Wilson left Friday for Midlothian to visit with friends

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A small hot blast heating stove, an ice chest, a sewing machine, a kitchen table, a center table, and a violin. Call Mrs. Homer Crabtree.

Van Webb has purchased the S. H. Bundy home.



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### A Strange Accident

Rollie Smith happened to a strange accident last Friday. He was sick in bed. The doctor left there at twelve and was called back in about an hour and a half. When he reached there he found that Mr. Smith had been struck in the head with a sharp pointed instrument.

Mrs. Smith said that she was in the kitchen and had not heard any sound of anything. Mr. Smith awoke and it seemed to him that he was falling through the floor. Then they discovered the wound on the right side of

his head. But they had no idea as to how it happened.—Wellington Leader.

On Monday of last week fire of unknown origin completely destroyed the home of Lester Simpson of west of town. The loss is \$3,000 with \$1,500 insurance.—Higgins News.

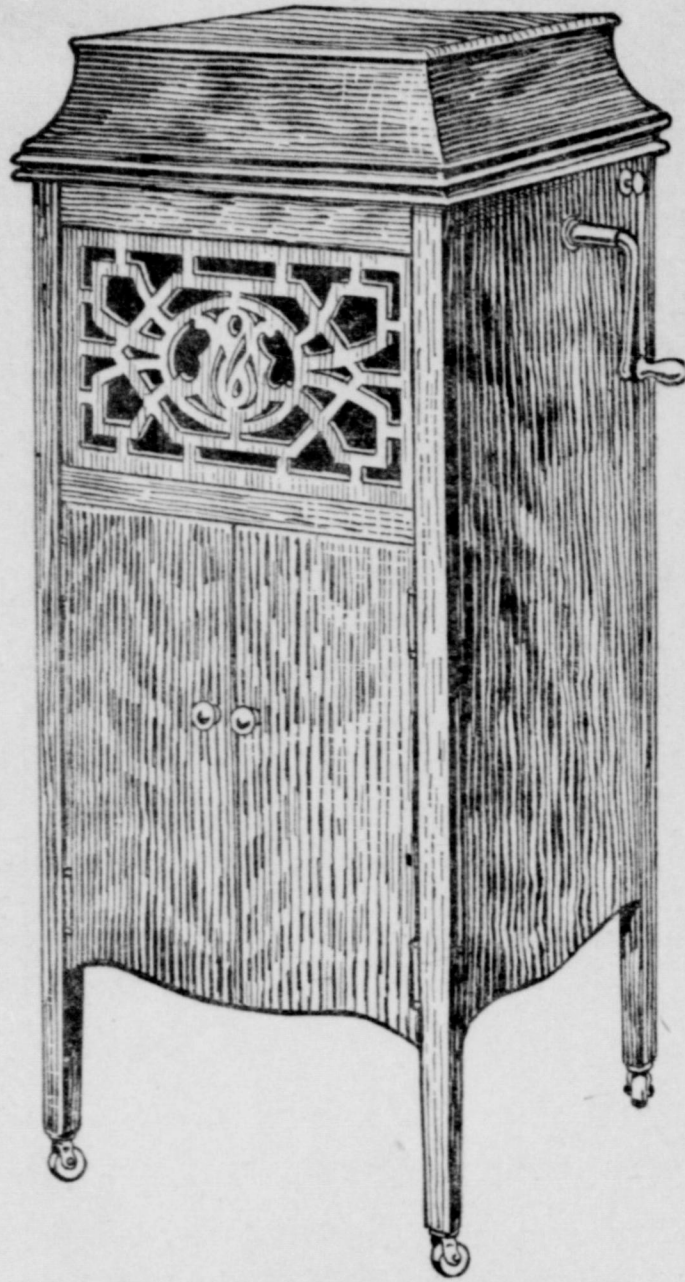
Rhode Island Reds.—I have a very choice lot of young cockrels for sale. Call me, 146 1/2. Mrs. L. W. Wilson. 3 2p

Homer Crabtree of Texline came in Sunday on business.

Tulia.—a recent meeting of the board of trustees of the Tulia Independent School District, provision was made for paying each teacher \$10 per month additional to the salary each has been getting heretofore. This raise began January 1st, and continues for the remaining five months of the present school term.

Canyon.—The Normal College opened the winter quarter last week with 65 new students, bringing the enrollment up to 559.

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#### Mr. Hill Asks for Re-election

Hon. H. B. Hill asks that we make mention in the News that he will be a candidate for re-election as representative, and that he will appreciate it if the voters shall remember this during the months intervening between now and the democratic primary. Pol. Adv.

Mont Noel sold two car loads of cattle to John Cubine who in turn sold them to Emmett Lefors. The latter took them to Oklahoma City Monday.

New Perfection four-burner oil stove and oven on the floor and for sale to anybody who wants it. Western Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hunt are entertaining a new boy, who arrived in their home Tuesday.

What is a Blind Husband any way? The Mission, Feb. 21.

Wanted.—500 pounds cow peas. S. B. Fast.

#### Obituary

Mrs. Ida V. Turner, wife of E. T. Turner, was born in Patrick county, Va., Aug 13th, 1874. She left this world of pain and sorrow at 1 o'clock a. m. Jan. 7, 1920.

At the age of 23 she gave her heart to God, and became sanctified two years later.

At the age of 25 she was married to E. T. Turner. To this union were born six children, two of whom have passed on before her. She was a faithful and devoted wife and mother, a kind and loving daughter and sister.

She leaves to mourn her death a husband; four children, George, Willie, T. J. (Jack), and Vallie; two step-daughters, Mrs. Nora Absber of Granfield, Okla., and Mrs. Ola Worley of McLean; a father and mother, Mr and Mrs. G. W. Pigg of Erick, Okla., three brothers, John, Reace and Fletcher Pigg of Erick, Okla.; four sisters, Mrs. Sallie Eagan of Jester, Okla., Mrs. Bettie Cochran of Mangum, Okla., Misses Texas and Sallie Pigg of Erick, Okla.

Her life was one of sacrifice, and it can truly be said of her that "She has done what she could"

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Byrd Guill of Amarillo came in Friday to visit his brother, Charles.

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