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Carloads of pipe have been here for the proposed water extensions for which bonds were recently.

Work will begin Monday and will be completed within 45 working days. A contract with the construction Co. of Plainview, Tex., for \$19,438.50 for the job was awarded by the city.

The job consists of 8 inch mains and 13000 feet of 4 inch mains and 13000 feet of 2 inch mains as well as to make connections to existing mains. A construction company will re-lay 4 inch mains and the city will lay 2 inch mains as the city progresses.

It is expected that a ditching machine will be placed at work Monday and the remainder of the pipe shipment will arrive by Tuesday.

Postoffice Quarters Needed; Bids Asked for

The United States postoffice at McLean, Texas, is in need of new quarters and bids are invited for the local postoffice.

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The First Baptist church, recently completed.

Funeral Services Grandma Floyd Monday p. m.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist church Monday afternoon for Mrs. Sarah Susan Floyd, aged 94 years, 7 months and 4 days, who died at the home of her son, L. O. Floyd, August 3, 1929.

The funeral sermon was preached by her pastor, Rev. Hand, Baptist pastor of Gainesville, reading the 31st chapter of Proverbs as a scripture lesson. Rev. B. W. Wilkins, pastor of the First Methodist church, offered prayer, and Rev. W. A. Erwin, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, led the singing, with Mrs. Erwin at the piano. A special song was sung by the grandchildren, and a duet was rendered by Mrs. J. J. Simmons and Mrs. O. E. Lochridge.

Active pallbearers were: Wayland Floyd, Alfond Floyd, Calloway Dean, Will Jones, Lucious Floyd and J. W. Kolb, all but the latter being grandchildren of the deceased.

Flower bearers were: Mesdames W. B. Upham, C. H. Rowe, A. Stanfield, Annie Wilkins, S. W. Rice and D. L. Abbott.

Grandma Floyd was the mother of five children, four of whom survive her, together with 39 grandchildren, 85 great grandchildren and 14 great great grandchildren; a total of 143 descendants, who with other relatives and a host of friends mourn her passing.

Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, with Mortician C. S. Rice in charge of arrangements.

The following out of town relatives were present for the funeral: L. P. Floyd, Miss Dora Floyd and Howard Floyd of Denton; Alfond Floyd, Mrs. Cora Kelly and Mrs. Lela Dozier of Gainesville; Mrs. T. W. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Will Jones and Miss Elsie Jones of Vinson, Okla.; J. C. Dean, Miss Annette Dean, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kolb and family of Lubbock; Mrs. W. D. Biggers and children of Lockney.

BIEGEL LIKES NEWS

August 5, 1929. The McLean News, McLean, Texas.

Dear Mr. Lander: For some unknown reason I have failed to receive a copy of The News for some time. Should such a thing be possible that my subscription has expired, I am enclosing a check for \$1.50, and hope this is the correct amount, although I admit the paper is worth a great deal more. Your weekly editorials alone are worth more than the price you ask for the paper. Also kindly change my address to 4327 Walton Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

Very truly yours, C. H. BIEGEL.

HEAVY RAIN THIS WEEK

A heavy rain fell here Wednesday night of this week, breaking a month's dry spell, and insuring good crops for this community.

Fire Destroys Cleaning House Modern Tailors

When Arnold Jones of the Modern Tailor Shop switched on the electric current in the dry cleaning house, just back of their establishment, Monday morning, a spark ignited the gasoline in the cleaner, flashing up in front of his face, singeing his eyebrows and hair before he could get out of the building.

An alarm was turned in, and the fireboys were on the job within a very few minutes, and despite the danger of exploding gasoline barrels, shoved the hose nozzle in the door of the building and subdued the fire in short order.

The cleaner was damaged beyond repair. The building was built of sheet iron, but the wooden framework was badly damaged, and other equipment damaged, amounting to around \$600.

Contrary to the usual custom, Mr. Jones only carried a silk dress to the cleaning room in place of the whole day's run, so the one dress was the only customer less reported.

Owners of the A & A Cleaners and Service Tailors offered the use of their equipment until the Modern Tailor Shop could make the necessary repairs and replacements to their equipment.

Dwight L. Upham, owner of the Modern Tailor Shop, states that some insurance was carried.

Church of Christ Revival Begins Saturday Night

A revival meeting will begin at the Church of Christ Saturday night, and will continue for two weeks.

Eld. Byron Fullerton of Gotebo, Okla., will do the preaching, and he comes well recommended as a scriptural speaker. The singing will be directed by Prof. Elmer Dennis of Gracey.

The general public is invited to attend all services.

MRS. SMITH FUNERAL ALANREED WEDNESDAY

Funeral services were held at the Alanreed Baptist church Wednesday for Mrs. Martha Ellen Smith, aged 77 years, 7 months and 17 days, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. S. W. Brown, Tuesday morning, Aug. 6, 1929.

Services were conducted by Rev. S. T. Greenwood, arrangements in charge of Mortician C. S. Rice. Active pallbearers were: B. E. Glass, Will Glass, Geo. Oakley, Woody Agee, M. C. Burdine and Spurgeon Johnson. Honorary pallbearers: S. R. Loftin, F. M. McCracken, J. T. Blakney, W. M. Greenwood, John Davis and R. P. Reeves.

Interment in Alanreed cemetery immediately following the services.

Rev. and Mrs. W. A. Erwin transacted business in Amarillo Tuesday.

Bank Customers Should Show Consideration

By M. D. Bentley

A few economical suggestions for both bank and customer. A recent ruling by some of the big city banks has prompted this article. And since McLean is fast approaching the class of city, it seems timely to bring a few practices to the minds of both bank and customer.

First, every customer who has over one check to deposit should list them and add them up, which saves quite a bit of time, not only to the bank clerk, but to you as well if you happen to be waiting on the fellow just in front of you and in a rush to get on your way.

Second, the one dollar check and smaller should be eliminated, and can very easily be done. It costs the bank just as much to handle a one dollar check as a one thousand dollar check. Then write a check for five dollars instead of one.

Then do not impose upon the banker to draw your mortgages and notes where they do not concern the bank. There are people in town doing this class of work for a livelihood, and are better equipped to do it than the banker.

Fourth, all cotton and grain tickets should be handled either in the directors room or the back window, as the front window should be at all times free to take care of the cash coming in, for the fellow with enough cash to make a deposit feels that he is indebted to quite a bit of consideration, and he is, and in these modern ways of doing things time is a very important factor, and sometimes the fellow with a deposit needs to hurry to get in and overcome an overdraft.

Can't we all cooperate in these few simple suggestions and thereby remove all unnecessary burdens that we may unthoughtfully have placed upon the banks? Then I am sure that it will not be necessary for our local bank to even think of placing in operation such rigid rules as some of the smaller cities now have.

WHEELER MAN BRINGS HOGS TO McLEAN MARKET

S. T. Morgan of Wheeler, in McLean with a half carload of hogs for the local market Saturday.

These hogs were brought to McLean on account of the prevailing high market price offered here.

BAPTISTS RE-ELECT PASTOR

Rev. D. H. Brynoff was re-elected pastor of the First Baptist church at the annual conference held Wednesday evening. Rev. Brynoff is now on his vacation, but is expected home in time for Sunday services.

A full complement of church officers was elected at the same time.

Mrs. Earle Shell and son and daughter, Neil and Miss Elgin, of Dallas visited friends here this week.

Capt. Nusbaum Addresses C. of C. Directors Friday

Capt. Cyrus S. Nusbaum, lecturer, was in McLean last Friday and addressed the directors of the chamber of commerce and others at a meeting held at the city office.

Capt. Nusbaum put on a week of lectures in McLean during January, 1922, for \$200, and his visit here Friday was in the interest of a return engagement.

After full discussion, in which the benefits of the week of lectures was not ignored, it was decided that it would be unwise to ask the business men to finance the project just at this time.

Capt. Nusbaum mentioned the mail order evil, stating that less than 25% of the money expended by any community is spent at home, the rest of the money going to mail order houses or outside towns. The speaker complimented the McLean community by saying that according to Postmaster John B. Vannoy, the mail order business the past year has been much less than two years ago. Capt. Nusbaum sees a real danger to the home towns from the encroachment of the mail order houses, giving a number of interesting statistics to support his view, among which is the leading mail order house's decision to place a retail store in every town of over 5,000 population.

The captain spoke in appreciative terms of the men under consideration for chamber of commerce secretary, saying that there are more misfits in this profession than any other, but that McLean could not go wrong with the men under consideration.

Capt. Nusbaum spent the greater part of the day in McLean renewing old acquaintances. He was very complimentary upon the progressive spirit found here and upon the big town appearance of The McLean News, several articles in last week's issue drawing special appreciative mention.

Following the discussion, President E. J. Lander was empowered to wire a prospective secretary a definite offer of \$250 per month.

It was agreed to use the city office as C. of C. headquarters for the present.

Those present were: E. J. Lander, Jot Montgomery, E. L. Sitter, W. E. Bogan, M. D. Bentley, T. A. Landers, O. G. Stokely, B. F. Gray, W. B. Upham, W. T. Wilson, H. W. Brooks, J. K. Back and Claud McGowan.

BAKERY INSTALLS MODERN OVEN

Loyse Caldwell, proprietor of the Caldwell Bakery, has installed a modern oven in his shop, with a capacity of 5,000 loaves of bread daily.

The new oven is gas heated and has an electrically driven wheel in the inside upon which the bread and pastry is placed. The revolving wheel insures perfect baking at all temperatures.

The new oven cost upwards of \$1600, and is the very latest combination oven on the market.

This bakery has electrically driven mixers, measures, etc., making practically all of the work automatic without being touched by human hands.

The addition of the late model oven makes this bakery better equipped than any other bakery in the Panhandle outside of towns the size of Amarillo, according to Mr. Caldwell.

BAND PROGRAM THURSDAY

A band concert will be given Thursday evening at the band stand in the city park under the direction of Prof. Robt. C. Davidson.

The following program will be rendered: March—Stars and Stripes. March—Lights Out. Selection—United We Stand. Trombone Oddity—Siding Easy. March—Our Director. Overture—Elves. March—New Colonial. March—Queen City.

LIONS ENDORSE PLAN

City Zoning Plan Committee Is Appointed

The Lions Club went on record as endorsing the city zoning plan now adopted by most cities, and a committee consisting of M. D. Bentley, B. F. Gray, T. W. Gilstrap and Sherman White was appointed to work out a suitable plan and present it at the next meeting, to be later presented to the city council with a request for action.

This matter was brought before the body by M. D. Bentley, who spoke of the need of regulations at this time; prohibiting certain classes of buildings to be erected in the better residence districts of the town, establishing fire zones, and restricted districts.

City Secretary W. E. Bogan stated that a uniform sidewalk and curb ordinance is now in effect and that the council is considering enlarging the present fire zone.

A. A. Tampke reported the need of more fire plugs in his part of town, and Mr. Bogan said the new water extensions would take care of this situation.

President Doolen requested Lions Gilstrap and Coleman to present a statement. Lion Gilstrap presented W. E. Bogan, who spoke in appreciation of the club's work, mentioning the better yards and gardens contest as an outstanding example of community betterment. "A club of this kind is needed to start things," said Mr. Bogan.

Lion Coleman presented John Cooper, who spoke endorsing the work of the club.

Entertainment features for the day consisted of a vocal solo by Miss Lorene Sparks, accompanied at the piano by Miss Jewel Shaw. This number was endorsed by the Lions.

Lions Gilstrap and Gray wore dance caps for arriving late.

Those present were: Roy Campbell, B. W. Wilkins, B. F. Gray, M. D. Bentley, A. A. Tampke, T. W. Gilstrap, Reep Landers, Donald Beall, T. J. Coffey, Arthur Erwin, Sherman White, V. A. Erwin, Dr. Coleman, Witt Springer, E. L. Sitter, T. A. Landers, W. E. Bogan, John Cooper, Misses Ruby Cook, Lorene Sparks and Jewel Shaw.

COMMISSIONERS ORDER NEW TEMPORARY JAIL

The county commissioners, in session Friday, ordered a new temporary jail constructed of tile to cost not more than \$1000.

The location for the new structure has not been determined, but it will be used for those that cannot pay their fines, and overnight visitors.

The present jail has been badly over crowded, as many as 41 prisoners being confined in the 12 by 14 foot structure at one time. Many prisoners have been sent to jails in other counties to relieve the congestion.

The new court house will not be needed until the first of next year, making temporary quarters imperative.

PAMPA CAFE OWNER FINED, LAW VIOLATION

A Pampa cafe owner was found guilty by a jury in justice court Saturday for violating the labor law regarding women, and was fined \$50 and cost.

The minimum fine was assessed for the offense of requiring a woman to work more than nine hours a day and more than 54 hours a week.

Mrs. W. M. Westbrook and children of San Angelo are spending their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tillery.

An Adventure of the Scarlet Pimpernel

By The Baroness Orczy

THE STORY

CHAPTER I.—The Scarlet Pimpernel, known during the French revolution as the most intrepid adventurer in Europe, is an Englishman. His identity is unknown, but in England he is hailed as a hero. In France he is feared and hated by the terrorists as a spy, as he has rescued many unfortunates from the guillotine and brought them safely into England. His recent rescue of the Tournon-Agenais makes him the toast of the hour and he is the topic of conversation at a party given by Sir Percy Blakeney, popular London dandy (who is the Scarlet Pimpernel) and his beautiful wife, Marguerite. Lady Alicia Nugget coaxes Sir Andrew Ffolkes to tell of the latest adventure of the Scarlet Pimpernel.

CHAPTER II.—The failure of Lauzet, one of the French terrorists, chief of the section in which the Scarlet Pimpernel has recently been operating, to prevent the escape of the Tournon-Agenais brings the condemnation of the government upon him, and he plans with Armand Chauvelin, the bitterest enemy of the Scarlet Pimpernel, to lay a trap for the English spy. Chauvelin has given up a high position to devote his entire time to the work of capturing English spies operating in France—in particular, the Scarlet Pimpernel.

CHAPTER III.—Lauzet causes the arrest of the Deseeze family, father, mother, and little daughter, on a charge of treason, and has it noised about the small city of Moisson, home of the Deseeze family, that the prisoners are being taken to Paris under a feeble escort. In reality six picked men, armed to the teeth, are to be concealed in the coach with the prisoners. Lauzet and Chauvelin hope to lure the Scarlet Pimpernel into an attack on the coach and capture him. The vehicle is driven by Charles-Marie, a half-wit, who is known to have no fight in him.

CHAPTER IV.—The coach leaves Moisson in a downpour of rain. That morning the small city is crowded with farmers and drovers bringing their cattle to market. Chauvelin and Lauzet make their final dispositions for the capture of the bold Englishman and his band. Captain Raffet is in charge of the party. He expects the attack to be made in a forest through which the coach has to journey, and makes his preparations accordingly.

CHAPTER V.—In Moisson there is much sympathy for the Deseeze family, and condemnation for Lauzet. The rumor spreads that Lauzet has arranged to capture the Scarlet Pimpernel (for whose arrest a reward of 10,000 livres has been offered by the government), and he (Lauzet) will pocket the reward. Feeling that in some way they have been outwitted by the official, and that they should share in the reward, a party of youths, inflamed with wine, set out in pursuit of the coach. A drover from Aincourt is particularly loud in his denunciation of Lauzet, and drives the cart carrying the pursuers.

CHAPTER VI.—Captain Raffet proceeds slowly, he and the soldiers in a high state of tension. Late in the evening a halt is made. The approach of a cart apparently filled with roasting youths is something of a surprise. Then to Raffet's astonishment, a band of men whom he recognizes as citizens of Moisson, attack the soldiers, the leader shouting that Raffet has cheated them. The soldiers overcome their assailants, and Raffet, enraged at the attack, orders them to be taken back to the nearest city, prisoners.

CHAPTER VII.—Captain Raffet is preparing to resume the journey to Paris when he hears piteous cries and appeals for help. The men from Moisson tell him they found Chauvelin and Lauzet on the road, beat them, and tied them up. It is their cries, Raffet supposes, which he has heard. Leaving three soldiers to guard the Deseeze family, the captain and the rest of the troops hasten to the scene of the uproar. They find and release the official. Chauvelin alone sees in the incident the work of the Scarlet Pimpernel. In fact, is confident he recognized him among the attacking party.

CHAPTER VIII.—Chauvelin orders the driver of the cart which had brought the party from Moisson to be brought to him. The lout, Charles-Marie, appears in a pitiable state of fear, explaining that he was ordered, by a "drover from Aincourt," to leave the coach and drive the cart back to Mantes, the "drover" promising to look after the horses of the coach.

It was appalling! Almost unbelievable for there were the chief of section in the rural division of the department of Seine et Oise, Citizen Lauzet, and his friend from Paris whom Captain Raffet knew as Citizen Chauvelin, a man who stood high in the estimation of the government, and they were lying in a muddy puddle in the ditch like a pair of calves tied together for market. Raffet might have disbelieved his eyes, had it not been for the language which Citizen Lauzet used all the while that the rope which bound him was being cut by the corporal.

"Thank the Lord," Raffet exclaimed fervently. "That you are safe!" "I'll have 'em flayed alive, the rascals!" Lauzet exclaimed in a voice rendered feeble and hoarse with much shouting, as well as with rage. "The guillotine is too mild a death for such miscreants. They attacked me, citizen captain, would you believe it? Me! Chief of section in the rural gendarmerie! Have you ever heard of such an outrage? They shouted at

us from behind. My friend and I were riding along quite slowly, and we had just turned into the bridge path from the road. We heard the cart and all the shouting, but we thought that they were just a pack of drunken oafs returning from market. So we paid no heed; not even when anon we heard that on the road the cart had drawn up and, chancing to glance back at the moment, I saw those louts jumping better skelter out of the cart. And the next moment they were on us, the lot of them. Ten or a dozen of them they were, the rogues!"

"The miserable scoundrels!" Raffet ejaculated fervently.

"They dragged us out of our saddles," Lauzet continued, "they beat us about the head."

"Name of a name!"

"And all the while they kept on shouting, 'Traitor! Traitor! Give up the English spy to us,' in vain did we cry and protest. They would not hear us, and what could we do against a dozen of them? Then finally they bound us with ropes, wound our cravats about our mouths so that we could scarcely breathe, and lifted us into that jolting cart, where we lay more dead than alive while it was driven by a lout at breakneck speed."

"Have no fear, citizen," Raffet put in forcefully, "their punishment shall be exemplary."

"I have no fear," Lauzet retorted dryly, "for I'll see to their punishment myself. The scamps, the limbs of Satan! But I'll teach them! There we lay, citizen captain, at the bottom of the cart, my friend Citizen Chauvelin, who wore the tricolor scarf of office around his middle, and I, chief commissary of the district, and those ruffians actually dared to wipe their shoes on us! So we drove for a kilometer and a half through the forest. Then presently the cart drew up and all these louts jumped down like a pack of puppies and ran away up the hill with shouts that would wake the dead. The last I remember, for in the jolting and my cramped position I had partly lost consciousness, was that my friend and I were lifted out of the cart as unceremoniously as we had been thrust into it. We were then thrown into the ditch by the roadside, in the mud, just where you ultimately found us, and our cravats were loosened from round our mouths. Immediately we started screaming for help, but there was such a din going on up the road that we felt the sound of our voices could not possibly reach you. Fortunately in the end, you did hear us, or maybe we should have perished of cold and inanition."

"Malediction!" Raffet swore viciously. "And you might have been attacked by those cursed English spies while you lay helpless here. We thought we heard them, and their battle cry, and hurried to your assistance."

Chauvelin showed no emotion. As soon as the rope that held him had been severed he had sat up on a broken tree stump, staring straight out before him into the mist, and meditatively stroking his sore wrists and arms.

When first those abominable louts had thrust him and Lauzet in the bottom of the cart and he lay there bound and gagged, nursing his stupendous wrath and hopes of revenge, he had become aware that the driver, who still sat aloft just above him, had suddenly turned and, leaning over, had peered into his face. It had only been a brief glance; the next moment the man was sitting up quite straight again, and all that Chauvelin saw of him was his back, with the great breadth of shoulders and a general look of power and tenacity. But it was the brief vision of that glance that Chauvelin now was striving to recapture. The blue-gray eyes with their heavy lids that could not be disguised, and the mocking glance which had seemed to him like rasping metal against his exacerbated nerves. And suddenly he called to Raffet, "The driver and the cart, where are they?"

CHAPTER VIII
Charles-Marie

The captain's sharp eyes searched the mist that was rising in the valley. "The driver seems to be on the box," he said. "I shall want him to drive these rascals back to Mantes."

"Send him to me at once," Chauvelin broke in curtly.

Raffet gave the necessary orders, although inwardly he chafed at this new delay. The prisoners slowly continued their way, and Chauvelin waited, expectant. For what? He could not have told you. He certainly did not expect to be brought face to face with his old enemy. And yet. . . . But whatever vague hopes he might have entertained were dissipated soon enough by an exclamation from Raffet.

"Charles-Marie! What in a dog's name are you doing here?"

And a weak, querulous voice rose in reply. "He told me I was to run along and drive the cart back to Mantes for him. He—"

"He?" queried Raffet sharply.

"Who?"

"I don't know, Citizen Captain," replied Charles-Marie.

"Who ordered you to leave the diligence and your horses?"

"I don't know, Citizen Captain," protested the unfortunate Charles-Marie. "It's God's truth. I don't know."

"You must know why you are not sitting on the box of the diligence."

"Yes. I know that, for I scrambled down as soon as I saw Gaspard fall on you, Citizen Captain."

"Why did you scramble down?"

"Because the horses were restive. At the first pistol shot they started rearing and I had a mighty task to

hold them. Fortunately, some one came and gave me a hand with them."

"What do you mean by 'some one came'? Who was it?"

"He was a drover from Aincourt, Citizen Captain, and he knew all about horses; and how could I keep four terrified horses quiet all by myself?"

"You miserable fool!"

"All very well, Citizen Captain, but I never was a fighting man, and I didn't like those pistol shots all about me. One of them might have caught me. I say, and it was only right I should find cover somewhere, lest indeed I be hit by mistake."

"You abominable coward!" Raffet rejoined savagely. "But all that does not explain how you got here."

"Well, citizen, it was like this: The drover from Aincourt saw that I was not altogether happy, and he said to me, 'There'll be a lot more fighting presently, when the English spies come to attack.' I said nothing at first. All I could do was to groan, for, as I say, I'm not a fighting man. I went out of the army because I was too ill to fight, and my mother—"

"Never mind about your mother now. What happened after that?"

"He said to me, 'You go and get on the seat of the cart which is up the road. It is my cart. You can drive it back to Mantes and leave it and

my horses at the ponding inn, where they know me. I'll look after those horses for you, and when the fighting's over I'll drive the diligence to Paris. No one will be any the wiser and I don't mind a bit of a fight. I can do a bit of fighting myself.' Well, Charles-Marie went on doubtfully, "there didn't seem much harm in that. I could see he knew all about horses from the way he handled them; but I'm no fighting man, and when I was engaged to drive the diligence from Moisson to Paris I was not told that there would be any fighting."

"So you turned your back on the diligence, like a coward, and crept along here—"

"I didn't creep, citizen. I followed you when—"

"Pard!!" Raffet broke in with an oath. "Another of you that will not escape punishment. If I had my way the guillotine would be busy in Mantes for days to come."

(Continued next week)

MONUMENTS

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FOUR-LEGGED CHICKEN

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Duckling—"Four wooden legs? How come?"

Chick—"She's an incubator."—The Farmer.

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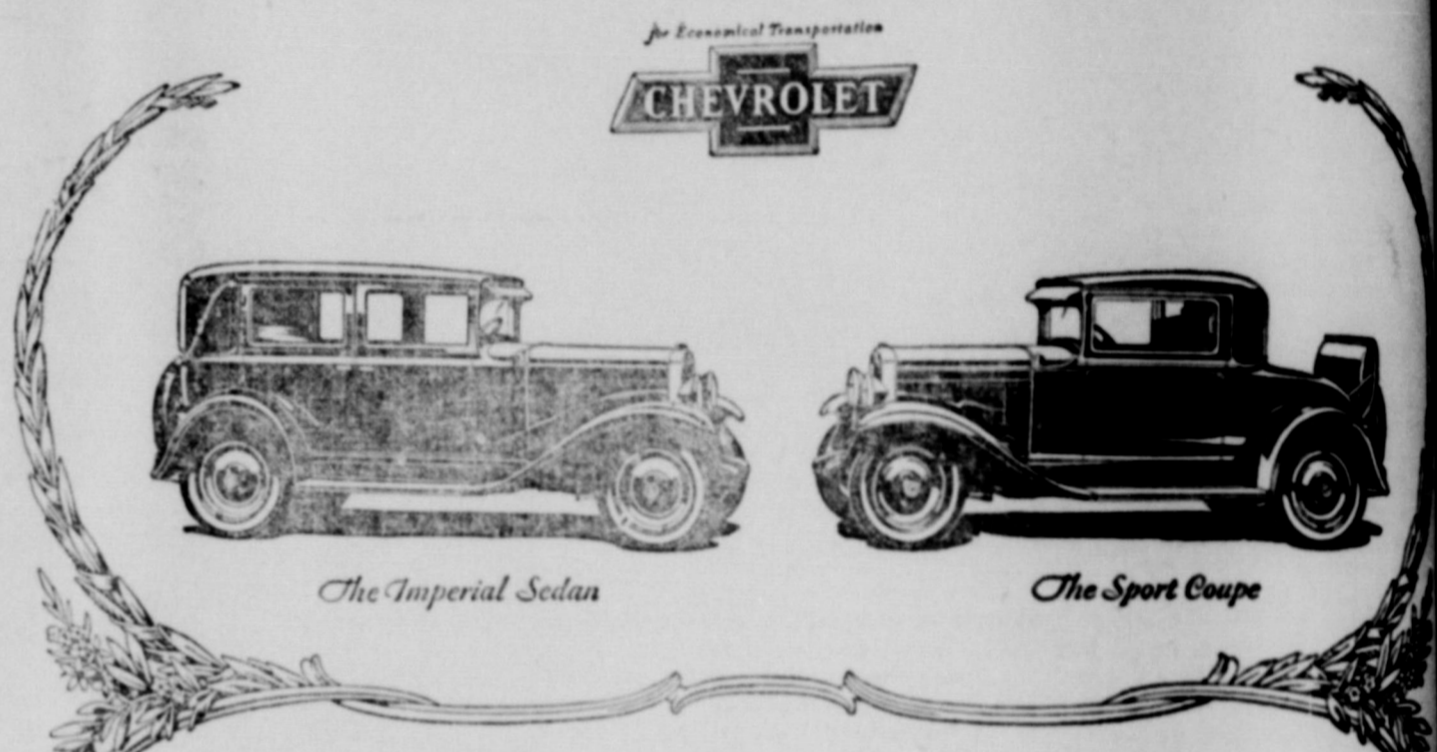
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With the Churches

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

B. W. Wilkins, Pastor
 Services were well attended last day. Were you with us? If not our church is your church, or if care to visit with us, we will be too glad to have you.
 Services at 11 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. Sunday school 10 a. m.
 The Path of the Just as a Shining Light at 11 a. m. and "Jesus in the Day Life" at 8:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
 Sunday school 10 a. m.
 Morning worship 11 a. m.
 Evening worship 8:30 p. m.
 The pastor will preach at both services.

BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Baptist ladies met at the church today in business meeting. The spring officers were elected for the coming year:
 President—Mrs. Geo. Colebank
 Vice president—Mrs. D. H. Coffey
 Secretary—Mrs. Reep Landers
 Reporter—Mrs. O. E. Lochridge
 All circles will meet at the church on Monday at 3 p. m. for final examination on "Soul Winning."

SENIOR B. Y. P. U.

Subject—Daniel. Interpreter of Dreams.
 Daniel's Long Life—Mrs. A. A. Spoke.
 Daniel's Decision about Diet—Bea Brown.
 Daniel Prays about the Dream—Ed Hunt.
 The Dream about the Tree—Clarice Smith.
 Patriotic Writing on the Wall—Mrs. Watkins.
 Daniel Delivered from Death—Jesse Brown.
 Daniel Foretells the Future—Mrs. Edys Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Webb and children, Mac and Emma Ruth, have returned to their home at Deport for a ten days' visit with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Bob Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray of Tucumcari, N. M., a 9½ pound girl, named Billie.

Editor Walke of the Shamrock News was a McLean visitor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown, a 9½ pound boy, named Ira Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Windom and daughter, of Granite, Okla., visited here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Shell and children, Miss Nell and John Lee, of Dallas, visited here this week.

Mr. C. A. Lester and children are visiting in Wheeler.

Mr. M. C. Street of Alanreed was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Campbell visited in Dalhart Sunday.

Mr. Thompson of Berger visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stockton of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

A PARTY

Miss Lorine Burrows entertained a number of friends at a party Tuesday evening. Refreshments were served, and indoor and lawn games were indulged in until a late hour.
 Among those present were: Misses Vera Laswell, Claudie Ayer, Maudelle Corum, Eunice Huff, Cleone West, Fern Landers, Clarice and Jewel Smith; Messrs. Alton Childress, Fred Durham, Laurence Bourland, Millard Vandom, Frank Corum, Ira Alexander, Clarence Harbison and James D. Burrows; Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Calaway.

WITSELL OPENS CAFE

Bill Witsell has opened a cafe in the building to the rear of the Citizens State Bank, to be known as Bill's Lunch Room.
 Mr. Witsell says he may not have the biggest business in town, but he can easily claim to be the biggest man in town.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Miss Julia Frances McCarty entertained a number of little friends at a party Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being her ninth birthday. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

A WEENIE ROAST

A number of the Baptist young people, accompanied by Mrs. Kate Stokes and sister, enjoyed a weenie roast at the McClellan bridge last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie Smith and daughter, Peggy Louise, of Pampa are visiting the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Richardson.

Mrs. T. A. Cooke and Mrs. E. D. Jordan returned Monday from a two week's visit with the latter's daughter, Mrs. Clyde Barnes, at Shamrock.

Mrs. C. P. Hamilton Jr. and daughter, Martha Ann, visited in Amarillo Tuesday. They were accompanied Miss Jane Hinon of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Roby, T. B. and W. A. Roby and Ernest Duncan visited in Carlsbad, N. M., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Phillips of Kingsville are visiting the former's father, W. C. Phillips.

Clay Edward Thompson returned to his home in Amarillo Tuesday after a visit in the C. C. Bogan home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Hering of Flecho, Okla., spent the week end with Mrs. J. J. Watt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gollightly of Lindsay, Calif., are guests in the Mrs. J. J. Watt home.

Mrs. E. E. Dishman and daughter, Thelma Jean, are visiting relatives at Minco, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and daughter, Doris Nell, and Mrs. G. W. Sullivan motored to Amarillo Sunday.

Misses Oleta Holloway and Bobbie Appling visited Mrs. Ruel Smith at Ardmore this week.

Laddie Williams of Granite, Okla., was a visitor in the Curg Williams home last week.

Miss Lillian Abbott of Norman, Okla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Abbott.

Mrs. John Taylor of Frederick, Okla., is visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Marie Sullivan of Amarillo is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Sullivan.

Mrs. W. L. Campbell returned Sunday from a visit in Dalhart.

James Ayer left Wednesday for a visit in Los Angeles, Calif.

M. M. Newman was in Wheeler Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke visited in Amarillo Saturday.

Hugh Hefner of Denton is visiting relatives here this week.

O. E. Lochridge made a trip to Oklahoma City Tuesday.

Tom Bird and family of Shamrock visited here Monday.

Floyd Phillips of White Deer visited here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McCanlies visited in Woodward, Okla., last week.

The best drinks and most capable service at our curb. Montgomery Drug Co. Advertisement tfe

WHY TEACHERS GET MARRIED

Question: What are glaciers?
 Answer: Guys that fix windows when they are broken.
 Question: What is a peninsula?
 Answer: A bird that lives on icebergs.
 Question: What is a volcano?
 Answer: A mountain with a hole in the top. If you look down you can see the creator smoking.
 Question: Why does a dog hang out its tongue when running?
 Answer: To balance its tail.
 Question: What is steel wool?
 Answer: The fleece of a hydraulic ram.

Question: What are the Christian nations?
 Answer: Those that use cuss words.
 Question: What is etiquette?
 Answer: Saying, "No, thank you," when you mean "gimme."

U. S. COTTON REPORT

released this morning shows crop condition in Texas of an estimated yield of 4,797,000 bales against 5,137,000 bales last year. Estimated condition 69% as against 62% last year.

Estimated yield for all states 15,543,000 bales, compared with last year's crop of 14,291,000 bales. Ginnings to date this year, 86,970, against 88,600 last year.

Our gin is fully overhauled and equipped with modern machinery to take care of your cotton this season.

FARMERS GIN

Hope & Lynch
 Owners

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

RATES.—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 3c per word. Three insertions, 4c per word. Or, 1c per word each week after first insertion.
 Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type, double rate. Initials and numbers count as words.
 No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.
 All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with The News.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE.—Chicken house, nearly new, cost \$200, size 22 by 24 feet. Priced at \$65 cash. Harold Rippey, tfe

Congratulation and Write Reminder cards at News office.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENTS 5c each at News office.

FOR SALE.—Elberta peaches, ready Aug. 11. \$1.50 per bushel at orchard. J. E. Moore, W. L. Carpenter place, adjoining town section, northeast side. 1p

FOR RENT

FOR RENT.—5 room modern house. T. J. D'Spain. tfe

MISCELLANEOUS

GROCERIES are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. tfe

TAKEN UP.—Male shoit, weight about 80 lbs. D. A. Driggers. 1p

A. A. LEDBETTER
 Attorney-at-Law
 McLean, Texas

KEEP SMILING
 H. M. Coleman, D. C.

Chiropractor
 Phone 2
 Over Piggly Wiggly

MEADOR CAFE
 Modern Equipment
 Pleasant Service
 Your Patronage Appreciated

H-H Filling Station

Gasoline, Oils, Greases, Tires
 Try our service. You will like it.
 Tubes and Accessories
 B. N. Henry, Prop.
 Phone 58

Mr. and Mrs. Loyse Caldwell motored to Wheeler Tuesday.

Miss Lorraine O'Malley visited in Pampa Tuesday.

Sam Brown of Alanreed was in McLean Tuesday.


S. A. Cobb motored to Pampa Tuesday.

PATRONIZE THE ADVERTISERS EXTRA COPIES THE NEWS 5c

A GOOD PLACE TO EAT
TULSA CAFE
 Bell Phone System
 A. M. Clardy, Prop. Lefors, Texas

ELMER S. JAMES
 General Contractor
 Amarillo and McLean
 Designs and Estimates Furnished
 We Will Build Sidewalks on Easy Terms
 McLean Office at Chevrolet Garage

Good Feed Is Essential



In order to reach the highest point of efficiency in production, poultry and livestock must have feed that possesses strengthening and fattening qualities.
 PURINA is just that sort of feed.

Cheney and Colebank

SPECIAL DISCOUNT

for Cash

I have opened a garage at the old Rogers stand and will sell for cash only. Everything I have to sell will carry a discount for cash, from gasoline to tube patching. If you are interested in lower prices for cash, I want your business.

I offer complete automobile service, storage, washing, greasing, tires, tubes and accessories.

Drive in and get my prices. You can save money here.

HARRIS KING
 Pay Cash and Pay Less

August 7, 1929.

Dear Friend:
 You will have a chance at some bargains in phonographs, radios and other merchandise in the auction sale in our window, beginning Wednesday, Aug. 7th.
 The articles will be placed in the window and marked down 50c each day until sold.
 Come in and examine the machines.

Cordially yours,
McLEAN RADIO CO.

McLEAN NEWS
Published Every Thursday

T. A. LANDERS, Publisher

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

News Building, 210 Main Street
Phone 47

SUBSCRIPTION RATES
In Texas

One Year	\$2.00
Six Months	1.25
Three Months	.65
Outside Texas	
One Year	\$2.50
Six Months	1.50
Three Months	.85

Display advertising rates 25c per column inch each insertion. Preferred position 30c per inch.



A little consideration of bankers and their customers is needed in McLean, as a view of a congested teller's window will disclose any busy day. The only way for the public to continue to enjoy certain privileges is not to abuse them.

A professional man spoke in appreciation of the McLean bank advertising the other day. He said he watched for these little "preachments" every week and that he got good ideas from them. Advertising of the kind published by our banks is instructive, interesting and well worth reading, and we have many readers who tell us that they look forward to their appearance each week.

A paid chamber of commerce secretary cannot render the service expected, unless he receives full cooperation from the members of the organization and all those who are interested in the upbuilding of the community. Paying dues will not be enough, but it will require attendance at meetings and serving on committees. One man cannot do everything by himself; he can only suggest and direct community forces.

All newspapers have to turn down free advertising that attempts to get in their columns under the guise of news every week, but seldom does anyone offer to pay for a purely news item, yet that is just what happened to The News this week. One of our good friends offered us real money to run a local item. Of course we were glad to explain that we want all news items of this kind that we can get each week, and we make no charges of any kind for printing them.

Now, if the Lions committee can work out an acceptable plan for city zoning, including the segregation of negroes, we will have taken a long step forward and will avoid a lot of trouble in the future. A zoning plan can be adopted now that will not work a hardship on anyone, but a little later when objectionable features are already established in the residential districts, someone will lose money and friends over what must eventually come.

Shamrock's volunteer fire department threatens to resign unless the public observes a little cooperation in keeping out of their way when putting out a fire. The McLean fire department is similarly handicapped when making a run; however, several persons have paid fines for running over the hose here. In the fire Monday morning, a large number crowded right up against the fire, despite the danger of exploding gasoline barrels that might have killed dozens. The fire department is needed to protect property, and ordinary sight seers should keep out of the way until the danger is past.

Capt. Nussbaum stated to the chamber of commerce directors last week that in his opinion it is regrettable that some service clubs are organized in the smaller towns and then neglected by the district officers until they are forced to disband for lack of interest. It is a fact that everyone not interested in such clubs to the extent that they are willing to pay the dues and take the time to attend sessions, yet very few would say that they are devoid of merit. In the larger towns it is possible to interest enough members to carry on a live organization, while in the smaller towns it is more of an effort, because using the same proportion, we do not find as many people who enjoy such work.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Grigsby of White Deer visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss Caldwell of New York City and Miss Brown of San Bonita visited Dr. and Mrs. W. C. Montgomery and Mrs. L. V. Lonsdale this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Matthews and son, Eugene, of Wheeler visited in the Loyse Caldwell home Sunday.

Miss Nita Bridges of Hedley visited her uncle, Frank Bidwell, Sunday.

C. J. Cash and family left Thursday for a visit in California.

W. T. Wilson motored to Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Crisp of Alanreed was in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskel Smith visited in Groom Sunday.

Glen Wolfe of Lefors visited in McLean Friday.

W. C. Collier of Amarillo was a McLean visitor Saturday.

Cleo Edwards was in Pampa last Thursday.

Art Mathis of Pampa was in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Farrar and children, Eleanor and Doris, from Williamson, Ga., are visiting their brother and uncle, E. L. Dingler.

The best drinks and most capable service at our curb Montgomery Drug Co. Advertisement 1fc

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Back of Pampa spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cash of White Deer visited relatives here Sunday.

Tom Blake visited in New Mexico last week.

Blendy Cantrell visited in Claude Friday.

Loyse Caldwell was in Wheeler Sunday.

Donald Beall was in Amarillo Friday.

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement 1fc

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cheney and grandchildren, Norvin and Nora Lee Ashby, are visiting in Missouri, Kansas and Illinois this week.

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Star Filling Station
Marland Products
General Tires
Vulcanizing
Polishing
Greasing
Washing
Service
Phone 131 Ted Glass Prop.

Notice
TO CITY TAXPAYERS
Please call at city secretary's office and render your city taxes for 1929. I expect to complete this work by August 15th.
W. E. BOGAN
City Secretary

WE HAVE BOUGHT
Bundy-Hodges Mercantile Co.
Watch for Our Formal Opening
Friday and Saturday of Next Week
McLEAN MERCANTILE
Prices Talk

SAVE WITH SAFETY
100 AT 000
The Rexall Store
FOR HEARTBURN AND CONSTIPATION
Sixteen Ounces—60c
Puretest Milk of Magnesia
is a reliable antacid for counteracting excess acid in the stomach and is a gentle laxative for restoring the bowels to normal. Sold only at your Rexall Drug Store.
ERWIN DRUG CO.
The Rexall Drug Store

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cheney and grandchildren, Norvin and Nora Lee Ashby, are visiting in Missouri, Kansas and Illinois this week.

MARIE-MAC SERVICE STATION
Marland and Gurf Gas and Oil
We Fix Flats and Wash Cars
24 Hour Service
E. E. McLAIN, Mgr.

Johnnie R. Back
Insurance
Fire, Hail & Tornado

A & A CLEANERS
Cleaning and Pressing
Repairing
Made-to-Measure Suits
Paul G. Armstrong
Manager
Phone 257

DRAY SERVICE
When You Want It
Phones 213 and 193
City Dray and Transfer
D. C. Christopher Prop.
Office Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co.

PLANT TREES
Place your order now for fruit and shade trees, shrubbery, etc. We know Panhandle needs, and you can depend upon our trees and plants.
Bruce and Sons
Trees with a Reputation
Alanreed, Texas

WHEN
you need a repair job done, when your battery needs repairing or recharging, when you need a flat repaired, or want your car washed and greased, when you need gasoline or oil or need pure distilled water for your battery, or air in your tires
— Drive Around —
we will be glad to fix you up. Now located first station west of postoffice.
GRIGSBY MOTOR CO.
Hudson-Essex A. L. Grigsby, Prop.
McLean, Texas

SUMMER BAKING
The thermometer does not bother the housewife who buys her baking needs here. Regardless of changes in temperature, she is assured of the best possible product from our ovens.
Let us do your party baking—whatever you need.
CALDWELL BAKERY
Bread Is Your Best and Cheapest Food

BUILDERS' SUPPLIES
We handle the best grades of all building materials and are always glad to furnish estimates on your building needs. Our hardware department is kept well stocked with the things you need, and you will find low prices here, also.
WESTERN LUMBER & HARDWARE CO.
Roy Campbell, Mgr.
Phone 4 McLean, Texas

WHAT PIGGLY WIGGLY DOES FOR THE HOUSEWIFE
Piggly Wiggly has located stores in your neighborhood, so you have the privilege of downtown prices with home community convenience.
Piggly Wiggly has fought for the privilege of buying foods and supplies direct from the manufacturers and producers so that you might get more actual benefit from every dollar you spend for groceries.
Piggly Wiggly helps you save money and get the very best food supplies.
Piggly Wiggly has proved that it is easy to keep a store clean, bright and attractive.
Piggly Wiggly guarantees you quality goods, kept clean and sold fresh every day.
Piggly Wiggly specializes on fruit and vegetables and sells so much of these commodities that you are always sure to get the freshest green goods every day.
Piggly Wiggly money back if not satisfied is the most efficient basis of merchandising known to retail endeavor and this is your assurance of getting your full money's worth.

OFFERS BEST PROHIBITION ARGUMENT

A woman thinks about the prohibition was made when Rose Ila Grindell blowing letter, which was the Columbus Dispatch re-

alized manufacture and wine and whiskey come predict that it will—enjoy having husbands their pay checks in the children prefer a drunken

insurance companies con-drinkers as better risks abstainers;

nk and business corpora-ble for clerks and book-are habitual drinkers; aletes who train on beer

eat total abstainers; perimentents post at the their factories this sign, and drinking men wanted; dit men decide to class a "and "boozer" as a bet-ask than a sober man;

ctors tell their patients and drinker has a better pull through a serious op- in a total abstainer, and eat automobile corporations to assist in placing a every cross road so their can get as tipsy as they make driving as dangerous

ADVERTISERS PAY IT ALL

advertising bills do you pay? merchant who does not adver-the advertising bills for no does.

merchant in business pays for whether he uses it or not. competitor's advertising takes away from him, the would have made on the what his competitor's ad- casts him.

ve perhaps wondered how can afford to spend such sums for advertising. This fathom. Their competitors advertise and whose busi- take, pay for their adver-

Jones family is a customer They have \$60 they intend with you. They read the of your competitor and ed to spend their \$60 with ed of spending it with you. e makes 20%, or \$12 on the deducts, we will say, the \$1 cost, and has \$11 profit an advertising has cost not got back its cost and had it would not have had ex- the advertising.

paid for this advertising? the advertiser pay? No. He the cost and profit besides. the purchaser pay? No. He y the regular price.

who did pay? merchant that did not adver- ed for his competitor's adver- He not only paid for the llow's advertising, but he paid his cash drawer the profit his or made on the sale. The at that doesn't advertise pays ertising bill for the one that e pays in loss of sales and loss s.—Bluff (Calif.) News.

STRANGE "CANT"

can't cure ham with a hammer. can't weigh a gram with a gram- and socks with a socket. can't pull docks with a docket. can't liber up clams with a clamor.

can't pick locks with a pickle. can't cure the sick with a sickle. can't pluck figs with a figment. can't drive pigs with a pigment. can't make your watch tick with a

can't make a mate of your mater. can't get a crate with a crater. can't catch moles with a molar. can't make rolls with a roller, can't get a wait from a waiter. can't raise crops with a cropper. can't shave your chops with a

AGGRESSIVE MERCHANTS

don't know what kind of a foot Jack Stricklin of the Terry Herald works to induce the sale of Brownfield to advertise. He puts out a line of some kind brings home the bacon. He nev- uses less than ten or twelve and last week he had fourteen check full of big ads. The ants of Brownfield took four in a solid block to set forth the stages of trading in Brownfield. evidently believe that it pays ertise.—Lynn County News.

A FINE BIT OF SENTIMENT

Once the house was lovely, but it's lonely here today. For time has come an' stained its walls an' called the young away; An' all that's left for mother an' for me 'till life is through

Is to sit an' tell each other what the children used to do. We couldn't keep 'em always, an' we knew it from the start; We knew when they were babies that some day we'd have to part. But the years go by swiftly, an' the littlest one has flown, An' there's only me an' mother now left here to live alone.

Ah, there's just one consolation, as we're sittin' here at night— They've grown to men and women, an' we brought 'em up all right; We've watched 'em as we've loved 'em an' they're splendid, every one. An' we feel the Lord won't blame us for the way our work was done.

They're clean an' kind an' honest, an' the world respects 'em, too; That's the dream of parents always, an' our dreams have all come true. So, although the house is lonely an' sometimes our eyes grow wet, We are proud of them an' happy, an' we've nothing to regret.

—Towns County Herald.

OF SOME VALUE

One day Billie said to his little sister, Mary: "Say, Mary, if it weren't for you the family tree would die off."

"Why?" inquired Mary. "Because," answered Billie, "you're the sap."—The Farmer.

Happy Morgan was in Pempa last Thursday.

MERCHANT CAN SUCCEED IF—

AS OTHERS SEE US

One of the largest and most successful advertising firms in this country has as its motto, "Keeping everlastingly at it is bound to bring success."

Success is not built with an occasional and sporadic effort. It is only achieved when the individual puts forth his best efforts continuously over a long period of time.

The same thing is true of advertising. The businessness of this country that stand out as successes have become so largely through advertising. They have spent large sums advertising and backed it by good merchandise and real service.

These are the two stepping stones to success in the business world. Liberal advertising, modern merchandising includes liberal advertising.—Ex.

AT LEAST THE AD WAS READ

"Do you find that advertising brings results?"

"I should say it does! The other day we advertised for a night watchman, and that night the safe was robbed."

Victory Service

Gasoline, Oils, Greases, Tires Tubes, Accessories

Let Us Service Your Car

Ladies' Rest Room

Victory Filling Station

Hope and Lynch, Props.

THE TOWN THAT GROWS

Miss Mary Simmons visited her aunt, Mrs. L. E. Ham, last week.

ROY L. FENDERGATE, M. D. Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat

OLIVER-EARLE, D. D. G. Suite 304-305

Amarillo, Texas Phone 4457

Mrs. Jim Boyles and daughter, Miss Frances, and Miss Jane Campbell motored to Shamrock Friday.

Remember our curb is always open. Montgomery Drug Co. Advertisement

Frigidaire cooled milk. Hioler's Dairy. Advertisement 30-2c

Groceries are cheaper at Pucpret's Cash Store. Advertisement 1c



Cartoon by James Burrows

No, this man isn't contemplating suicide, but it is a sad scene just the same. He is parting with an old friend—a shoe that was easy on his foot. It was all so unnecessary, too. If he had only brought his shoes to us in time, we could have rebuilt them at a nominal cost and they would have given him several months more of comfortable wear.

Up-to-Date Shoe Shop

Recp Landers, Prop.

OPPORTUNITY

There is more sure money made in real estate investments than anything else. We have bargains listed for the homeseeker that will stand any investigation. Let us show you.

Massay, McAdams & Stokely

Phone 44 McLean, Texas

Should this ERRING WIFE be forgiven?

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SHAMROCK FIRE DEPT. THREATEN TO RESIGN

Shamrock, Aug. 4.—Several of the Shamrock volunteer fire department are on the verge of resigning, it became known Wednesday, as a result of the lack of cooperation on the part of the citizenship.

There was a grass fire Tuesday afternoon and motorists swarmed the streets and the neighborhood from where the alarm was turned in to the extent that the fire department would have been powerless had the blaze been a serious one.

The fire department has asked and begged with motorists to cooperate by pulling to the curb when the truck starts down a street and to remain at least 100 feet away from the truck when it parks, members of the department said. But citizens insist on disregarding the pleas and refuse to exercise any reason, greatly handicapping the firemen.

"The fire fighting is entirely voluntary on our part," said one of the firemen, "and if the people don't think enough of their property to stay out of the way and help us, all they can, why I don't see any reason for us to be worrying and working our heads off."

If the fire boys can be prevailed upon to continue their work, city officials will be asked to instruct officers to arrest and prosecute every person who violates ordinances affecting the work of fire fighting.—Shamrock Texan.

AD PROMOTER EARNS \$52 IN DAY'S VISIT

Shamrock, Aug. 4.—"Thirty-nine dollars is too high for that job," said a transient advertising peddler who called at the office of The Shamrock Texan recently to find out the price for printing a piece of advertising which he intended to sell to Shamrock merchants.

The price quoted him was taken from the Franklin Printing Catalog which is standard the world over. The man admitted he would sell the advertising for \$100 and that he could sell it in half a day. He said he could save \$7 or \$8 on the printing however, by sending it to a company which specializes in printing envelopes.

He paid a church society \$25 to sell the advertising, making a profit of \$52 during his day's stay in Shamrock. All he did was to furnish the ladies with some samples of printed envelopes.—Shamrock Texan.

Misses Jewel Shaw, Bonnie Miller and Fern Upham were visitors in Clarendon last Thursday.

Charlie Back is in Amarillo this week for medical treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Floyd and family.

I have moved my machine to my home, where I am prepared to do your pleating and hemstitching. Mrs. Sam Hodges. Phone 109. Advertisement p.

John Boyd Coffey of Spearman spent the week end with home folks here.

Groceries are cheaper at Puckett's Cash Store. Advertisement t/c

EDITOR PRESENTED WITH FINE MELON

Prof. Toll Moore was a caller at the News office Tuesday and handed the editor the biggest musk melon seen this year.

The melon appeared to be of the quill variety, but had grown short and fat and the quality left nothing to be desired.

Mrs. L. H. McLarty returned Wednesday from a visit in Lubbock.

Miss Lois Marie Wilkins of Alanreed visited in McLean last Thursday.

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We take this means of thanking our friends and neighbors for their words of kindness during the illness and death of our mother and grandmother. Mrs. F. M. Bateman. May God bless each of you.
A. L. Morgan and family.
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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Blakney of Alaureed visited Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Landers at Heald Sunday.

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No. 2 Standard CORN	10c
Van Camp PORK & BEANS medium size	10c
No. 2 1/2 Delmonte PEACHES	27c
10 lb Bucket Pure Texas HONEY	\$1.40
5 lb Bucket HONEY	75c
6 Boxes MATCHES	18c
Canned SOUP, all kinds	10c
75c BROOM	40c
4 lb Package RAISINS	32c
1 lb Calumet BAKING POWDER	25c
1 Peck Irish POTATOES	50c
10 lbs. SUGAR	59c
15c worth Tissue TOILET PAPER	10c
Can MILK, small size	5c
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