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Music and Talkfest at Lions Lunch

Music and speeches were the order of the day at Tuesday's Lions luncheon, the hour lengthening to an hour and a half before the program was finished.

Lions Cooper and Caldwell composed the entertainment committee, Lions Cooper presenting Hobby Appling who rendered a baritone solo, accompanied at the piano by Miss Dorothy Jean St. Clair. Lion Caldwell presented Kid McCoy, Jr., who gave a reading as part of his work in the Boy Scout troop.

Marvin C. Davis, district relief officer, was presented as a new member, responding with a short talk of appreciation of the club work, saying that if nothing else is done this year than the sponsoring of the Boy Scout work, the club is well worth while.

J. B. McLaughlin, who joined the club a few weeks ago, made a short talk.

Atty Thurman Adkins was presented as a visitor, and made a speech of appreciation for the way he and Mrs. Adkins have been received here. He stated that they want to be included in all worth while community enterprises.

Lion Williams reported the father and son banquet staged by the Boy Scouts sponsored by the club, which was attended by several Lions.

Lion Biggers announced the volley ball tournament for this week, and President Boyd Meador of the C. of C. announced the regular monthly meeting of that body for Monday evening.

Lion Meador will also be asked to report his activities at the Phillips 66 convention at Amarillo, which he did with more or less satisfaction to the membership.

BACK DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Back is "back," according to a report given by Mrs. L. L. Morse during the Gray County Council of Clubs held in the office of Miss Ruby M. Adams, county home demonstration agent, on Feb. 26.

Mrs. Morse's report shows that 16 cooperators are supplying a strong "back" for the bedroom improvement program which is being carried out in Gray county in 1934. There have been 15 sheets, 16 pairs of pillow cases, 8 candlewick bedspreads, 1 mattress cover, 6 quilt protectors, 6 wool blankets and 9 quilts made since the first of the club year. Sixteen are following the bedmaking suggestions.

During the club meeting in January Miss Adams gave a demonstration on the approved methods of bedmaking and exhibited appropriate bed linens and covers. The goals for the bedroom improvement work were explained as: (1) follow the bed making suggestions; (2) make at least one new bedcover, which may be a cotton piece quilt, or a wool coverlet, or a candlewick bedspread; (3) have all quilts and blankets protected on the edge nearest the face of the sleeper.

From Mrs. Morse's report, the bedroom goals for her club are almost 100% in the first two months of the year.

A BIRTHDAY PARTY

Grace Smith celebrated her birthday with a party, Feb. 1, at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith.

Various games were played, and refreshments of hot chocolate and cake were served. Balloons and gifts were given as favors.

Those attending and sending gifts were: Wilma Dean Page, Sarah Elizabeth Woodward, Annie Crews, Bruce Rogers, Coy Ray Stanley, Martha Joyce and Frankie Sue King, Marie and Billy Charles Eudy, Alonzo Henderson, Wynema Lamb, Mary Ellen and Billy Gething, Dorothy McDaniel, Oene Doolen, Laura Ruth and Grace Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and daughter, Doris Nell, and Mrs. Donald Beall were in Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Jack Gray and children of Lefors visited relatives here this week.

Hooper Abbott was in Pampa Monday.

Miss Alma McCarty visited home of Lefors last week end.

Father and Son Banquet Has Good Program

The father and son banquet staged by the Boy Scouts and sponsored by the Lions Club had a well balanced program last Thursday evening, being, according to Scout Executive C. A. Clark of Pampa, one of the best given in this area.

Claude Williams, chairman of the Lions Club scout committee, was presented with the troop charter and in turn presented the charter to the scoutmaster.

Following are the program numbers:

Bugle call, assembly—Hobby Appling and Jesse Dean Cobb.
Music—Scout band.
Uncle Sam's Message to American Youth—Rev. Cecil G. Goff.
Presentation of Troop Charter—A. G. Post.

Mess call—Hobby Appling.
Toast to Fathers—Charles Finley.
Response—W. E. Bogan.
Solo—Wayland Floyd.

Trombone solo—Clint Doolen.
Toast to Sons—Rev. W. A. Erwin.
Response—Forrest Stout.

Vocal solo—W. D. Biggers.
Cornet solo—Jack Bogan.
Reading—Clyde Carpenter.
Piano solo—John Kirby.

Reading—James Finley.
Cornet solo—R. L. Floyd.
Piano solo—Frank Wharton.
The Value of Boy Scout Work—Rev. N. U. Stout.

Cornet solo—Jesse Dean Cobb.
Songs—Fathers and sons.
Taps—Hobby Appling and Jesse Dean Cobb.

SHOCKLEY MAKES BOND ON NEW INDICTMENTS

Rev. L. H. Shockley has been placed under another bond, now being charged with the poisoning of seven persons, three of whom died. The new bond was set at \$5,000 and signed by Moore Davidson, Myrtle Davidson and W. H. Billingslea.

The trial has been set for June 18, as was the trial under the first indictment and \$8,000 bond.

Rev. Shockley pleads "not guilty" to all of the indictments. Claude Williams of McLean and Clem Calhoun of Borger are the preacher's attorneys.

SIGMA GAMMA

The Sigma Gamma met Monday evening in the home of Mrs. E. L. Sitter, with Miss Pearl Simmons as hostess. Dainty refreshments carrying out the St. Patrick motif were served at the beginning of the meeting.

Miss Nona Cousins led a program on the life of Washington, as follows: Sketch of the Life of Washington—Miss Newman.

Washington the Agriculturist—Miss Katherine Simmons.
Forgotten Facts about Washington—Miss Abbott.

Love Letters of Washington—Miss Kennedy.
Our heritage from Washington—Miss Howard.

Members present were: Misses Lillian Abbott, Clara Anderson, Nona and Jewell Cousins, Sarah Ellen Foster, Winnifred Howard, Elizabeth Kennedy, Idabel Newman, Katherine and Pearl Simmons, Eunice Stratton, Joellene Vannoy, Elizabeth Wilkerson.
Guests were Mrs. Mary Sligar, Mrs. E. L. Sitter and daughter, Frances.

McLEAN GIRL ON PROGRAM

Canyon, Feb. 21.—Pern Landers of McLean took part in a program arranged by Miss McMurry and Mrs. O'Keefe of the West Texas State Teachers College which was given as an entertainment for the Women's Clubs of Amarillo, in the home of Mrs. Allen Early, 2001 Harrison St., Amarillo.

John Brooks was in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. J. M. Noel and daughter, Miss Frances, were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lamb and daughter were in Ramsdell Sunday.

Bryan Burrows was in Pampa last Thursday.

Norvin Ashby of Canyon visited in McLean last week.

L. E. West was in Pampa Saturday.



BOSWELL PROMOTED

G. C. Boswell, former superintendent of the McLean schools, who went to Abilene as dean of the faculty of McMurry College, was recently promoted to dean of the school with a nice increase in salary.

McLEAN F. F. A. TEAMS WIN AT TULSA

By Dr. A. A. Tampke

On Saturday, Feb. 24, the McLean judging teams carried away two of the three large trophies in the Tulsa judging contest. The McLean poultry team went through their sixth contest as victors without suffering a single defeat this year. They had first, second and fourth high scorers and also high in examination. They swept aside all opposition successfully over a wide area, including the strongest teams in the state.

The livestock team also won their trophy over a group of strong teams from north and south Plains, having the third, fourth and ninth high scorers. McLean also placed second in hogs, second in sheep, second in horses and second in beef cattle, having the highest scorer in horses. The McLean dairy team placed seventh, with the team placing first in Jerseys, and fourth high scorer in all events.

This was the largest contest held this year, with 30 teams and 150 contestants in the three events.

1934 JUNIOR CULTURE CLUB

The 1934 Junior Culture Club met last Friday with Mrs. W. D. Biggers, president, Mrs. C. S. Doolen, presided at the business session. Each member responded to roll call with a bit of nature verse. A parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs. Biggers.

The following program was presented, with Mrs. Hembree in charge, who discussed "How to Build a Club."

Reading, "Daisy's Music Practice Hour"—Mrs. King.
Piano duet, "Melody in F" by Rubenstein—Mrs. McHaney and Mrs. Davidson.

"Club Life and Its Interest in the Home"—Mrs. McLaughlin.
Critic's report—Mrs. McHaney.

Members present were: Mesdames W. W. Boyd, Dwight Upham, Harris King, B. F. Gray, Raymond Glass, O. E. Lochridge, A. R. McHaney, Robt. C. Davison; Miss Margaret Glass, Mrs. Murray Boston was a guest.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

AYERS BABY FUNERAL

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Church of Christ for J. B. Ayers, 2 years, four months, 15 days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Ayers of Lefors, who died Feb. 23, 1934.

Services were conducted by Eld. W. B. Andrews and interment was made at Hillcrest cemetery.

Besides the father and mother, one sister, Minnie Bell, two brothers, J. D. and Wayland Dale, and many other relatives are left to mourn his passing.

NEW LAUNDRY TO OPEN

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coleman from Wheeler announce the opening of a laundry at 525 Floral Addition, on Monday, March 5. They state that they are experienced in this line of work and are equipped to turn out high class laundry work.

See announcement on another page.

Mrs. M. J. Everett of Amarillo is visiting her sons, Bee and Perry, this week.

STUDY CLUB GIVES P. T. A. PROGRAM

The P. T. A. met in regular monthly session Friday evening at the high school auditorium, with the Study Club giving the program.

The meeting opened with the singing of "The Eyes of Texas," followed by the invocation by A. C. St. Clair Supt. Cryer gave a brief report of the meeting of the county juvenile welfare board. Mrs. Jim Back led a short Founder's Day number, with candle lighting.

Mrs. Sligar led the Study Club program on the subject of Alaska. The Klondike was discussed by Mrs. Cryer. Mrs. Shelburne and Mrs. Boyett played a piano duet. The Beauties of Alaska were described by Mrs. Greene. Mrs. Sligar and Mrs. Lochridge sang "One Fleeting Hour" and "Bells of the Sea." Mrs. Butler told of the Falmon Run, and Mrs. Back read a poem by Robt. W. Service.

The program closed with a vocal trio, "Bonnie Doonee," by Mesdames Bogan, Greene and Sligar.

During the business session Mrs. McMehe's room was awarded the attendance prize. Recommendations from the executive committee were adopted, as follows: that the PTA pay \$5 on a life membership for Mrs. Murphy, buy two cups to be given in playground ball, to invite the county council to meet in McLean the first meeting next year, and to pay \$1 to the state endowment fund.

BEEF SHOW READY OPENING SATURDAY

The third annual beef show will open Saturday, with prizes offered in the various classes.

A street parade will be staged at 1:30 Saturday afternoon, and the general public is invited to visit the show at any time Saturday, as there will be no admission charge.

Foxworth-Galbraith Lumber Co. will be show headquarters, and Dr. A. A. Tampke will be in charge.

GRIFFIN FUNERAL SUNDAY

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Pentecostal Holiness Church for Oscar Griffin, who died Feb. 24, 1934, at the age of 34 years, 2 months and 14 days.

Services were in charge of Pastor G. W. Roachell and interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, Thomas Funeral Home in charge.

The deceased was born at Gainesville, Dec. 10, 1899, and was married to Miss Oma Smith in 1925. The family moved to McLean about four months ago, Mr. Griffin being confined to his bed since coming here, until his death.

Besides his wife, two small daughters, Velma and Thelma, twins; his mother, Mrs. V. C. Griffin, two brothers, Cecil and Rand, two sisters, Mrs. Ethel Sutton, Mrs. Ruby Day, many other relatives and friends are left to mourn his loss.

FREEMAN SMITH FUNERAL

Funeral services were held at the Pentecostal Holiness Church Wednesday for Freeman Smith, aged 46 years, 7 months and 21 days, who died Feb. 26, 1934.

Services were conducted by Pastor G. W. Roachell, assisted by Rev. Cecil G. Goff, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Pallbearers were: Vester Smith, Porter Smith, Ruel Smith, Emory Smith, Homer Smith and Claude Smith. Misses Frances and Marie Atchley were flower bearers.

Interment was made in Hillcrest cemetery, Thomas Funeral Home in charge.

Besides his wife, nine children, six girls, Mrs. Martha Miller, Edna, Letha, Verna, Pauline, Linnie Morzella; three boys, Clarence, Aubra, Clifton; his father, C. D. Smith; four brothers, Oza, Jesse, Noah, Henry; three sisters, Mrs. Sarah Atchley, Mrs. Mittie Davis, Mrs. Bettie Jones; other relatives and friends are left to mourn his passing.

HUNT-THOMPSON

Announcement has just been made of the marriage of Miss Naomi Hunt and Mr. Glen Thompson, at White Deer, Dec. 31, 1933.

The bride is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt of McLean, and is a graduate of McLean high school, later doing work at the West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon. She is now engaged in teaching in the Loco school.

The groom is a citizen of Loco, where they are making their home.

COLEBANK CAR STOLEN

George Colebank, of the City Food Store, had his Nash coupe stolen Saturday night. The car was parked on Main street near the Doolen Hardware, and was taken between the hours of 8 and 10 p. m.

Officers are working on the case, but up to Wednesday night the car had not been found.

Two New Wells Are Brought in Last Week

Two new wells were brought in last week that attract attention to this part of Gray county. The No. 1 Webb of Eben Warner was rated at 3200 barrels for the first few days, but the well had increased to such an extent that it was reported flowing at 200 barrels an hour the first of the week.

The Vulcan Oil Company's No. 1 Kinard in the Gracey community was estimated flowing 60,000,000 feet of gas, spraying oil so that it had to be shut down to erect storage.

The Skelly Oil Company's No. 4 Webb has been finished with an average of 299 barrels commission test.

This part of the Gray county field is coming in for a lot of attention lately, and oil men predict the next big play in the McLean field.

BAND CONCERT PLEASES APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE

An appreciative audience gathered at the high school auditorium Monday night, despite the cold weather, for the concert given by the high school and rhythm bands, under the direction of Prof. Robt. C. Davidson.

Printed programs were furnished courtesy of The McLean News, and each number was given as scheduled in last week's paper.

The high school band played the contest numbers that they will play in Amarillo Friday of this week as a part of the Panhandle Music Festival. The numbers were graded by Prof. R. O. Sandusky, director of the Amarillo high school band; E. L. Sitter and Lee Newman.

The McLean band has won first place in their division at Amarillo for the past few years and expect to go up against some strong competition this year.

A BRIDAL SHOWER

Honoring Mrs. K. W. Brodie, a recent bride, Mrs. Ted Woods and Mrs. Booth Woods were hostesses at a shower at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey, last Friday afternoon. In the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Booth Woods, Mrs. Brodie and Mrs. Bailey. Presiding at the bride's book was Miss Dorothy Cantrell. Colors of pink and white were carried out in the decorations and in the presentation of the gifts by Patay O'Rourke.

A reading was given by Billie Jean Biggers and a piano solo by Emerald Plattner, and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff sang "The Year at the Spring" and "The Perfect Day."

The hostess served lovely refreshments to seventeen members.

The next meeting will be this afternoon (Thursday) with Mrs. W. E. Bogan.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Home Demonstration Club met Friday, Feb. 16, at the home of Mrs. Scott Johnston. Business session was conducted by Mrs. C. T. O'Neal.

Mrs. John B. Vannoy read a paper on C. W. A. work. Mrs. Claud Robinson gave a very interesting talk on a visit to the C. W. A. school in Pampa. Other interesting talks were made.

Dainty refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames C. T. O'Neal, John B. Vannoy, C. Bjerg, E. J. Gething, Gordon Stafford, Claud Robinson, Curtis O'Neal, Leslie Jones, Harris D'Spain, Norman Johnston, and J. H. Wade.

The next meeting will be Friday, March 2, at the home of Mrs. E. J. Gething. Mrs. Gordon will be hostess, and Miss Ruby M. Adams will be leader.

LEGION MEETING TONIGHT

At 8 o'clock tonight (Thursday) the Andrew H. Floyd Post No. 315 of the American Legion will meet in the office of the city secretary. All ex-service men living in this community are invited.

Arrangements for a joint meeting with the ladies' auxiliary on March 15 will be completed. On that date the Legion will celebrate its 15th anniversary. The new officers for 1934 will be in charge of tonight's meeting, and plans for the year will be discussed. The Legion volleyball team will try to take on all comers in the grade school gymnasium at the conclusion of the meeting, which should adjourn about 8:30.

JOHN WELDON BLACKMAN

Funeral services were held Wednesday for John Weldon Blackman, 10 years 10 months, 21 days old son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Blackman of Albreed, who died Feb. 27, 1934.

Services were conducted by Rev. S. T. Greenwood at the family home. Interment was made in Albreed cemetery, Thomas Funeral Home of McLean in charge.

Pallbearers were: Boyd Smith, Coy Palmer, Fritz Barnes and Harrison Worsham.

Dr. W. E. Ballard is recovering from an operation at the Dallas Baptist hospital.

MEDUSA'S HEAD

by Josephine Daakam Bacon

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Chapter 7.—The treatment is a success, but Mrs. White is still fearful that her husband, who has regarded her as a young woman, will turn from her white hair and the revelation of her age. Motherwell accuses her of not loving her husband as he loves her.

"If I did?" she interrupted, in that sweet quivering voice, "if I did? How foolish you are. I love him more than anybody and everything in the world put together! I would black his boots—if I could live near him. I would shovel the snow off his steps in winter—if he would be kind to me when he walked down them! Love him!"

She looked scornfully at the man in front of her.

"You couldn't understand," she said. "I love him too much to break his heart. Mine doesn't matter."

"Of course," said Motherwell slowly, eyeing her, "that is different. If you feel that way toward him, it might be better not to see him, for he has changed a great deal. He's been ill, and that, and the anxiety about you, has aged him, I hear. It might be a shock to you—he was such a young-looking man."

She looked wonderingly at him.

"Ill?" she said. "Poor Cran! Yes, he would be."

Then her pale lips drew down scornfully.

"It is quite plain that you never loved anybody, Doctor Wells," she said. "A shock to me! And do you really think that I loved my husband for the way he looked? You must be a fool!"

Her voice was very quiet.

"I loved him for what he was," she said, "not for what he looked like!"

Motherwell rose and put a strong, browned hand on each of her shoulders.

"And did you never know that a man can feel the same?" he said sternly. "If you didn't, then it is time you learned, Mrs. White, for you are the fool!"

She could not grow paler, but her face seemed to turn cold and wan and her mouth dropped, as she stared at him.

"You—you mean—"

"I mean that it's not your hair—it's not pink cheeks—it's not—good heavens, it's you he loves! You!"

She seemed not to breathe. Two large tears rolled down her cheeks, but her eyes never left his.

He shook her slightly.

"Lord!" he said sharply, "if I were a woman, I wouldn't dare insult a man so! I'd be ashamed—ashamed!"

She shuddered a little, then dropped her face on his hand and cried. After a moment he leaned down to her.

"You'll go to him?" he said softly.

"I'll—I'll go—and see!" she whispered, sobbing.

Coggeshall's cup and spoon clinked in the hall and he beckoned her in.

"That's good," he said, appreciating her filled tray. "See that she takes plenty. And get a heavy coat from the doctor. We ought to be leaving soon. I'll do a little telephoning."

Buried in fur, she sat between them in the curtained car. Hanson and one of the other men disappeared and their chauffeur did not speak beyond a brief, "Yes, sir," to his orders.

Motherwell talked easily, with comfortable pauses, during the journey; the two women made but brief answers. "Why did you frighten us so with those jewels?" he asked quietly. "Didn't you realize we would naturally suppose you had—gone away with them?"

"Jewels?" she repeated vaguely.

"Oh, yes! Why—I had them with me—I was taking them to Glen. I had only one key to the safe. I didn't think it would be better. I didn't mean to stay at the doctor's—"

Her voice sank.

"You shouldn't have thrown the Medusa away, you know," he said suddenly, after another silence.

"I threw it as far as I could," she answered quickly. "Into the mud! Under the wheels! A hideous, cruel thing!"

"And yet she was beautiful," he said quietly.

She caught her breath and looked up at him so touchingly that he found her hand and gave it an assuring, friendly grip.

When they drew up at the great portico of the hotel, she shrank back and would not or could not rise. Half lifted to her feet, however, she straightened herself and walked out

and across the hall, barely touching the maid's proffered arm. Down the corridor they went and through a door at which Motherwell knocked, opening it himself.

No one was in the parlor of the suite, and, motioning the woman to a sofa, he knocked on another door at the left. It was opened and he stood alone with Mr. Glaesner.

To him the young man spoke rapidly for a moment, checking with a quick gesture his cry of incredulous amazement.

"I think you had better tell him very quickly," he said. "He mustn't be shocked—and hurt her."

Glaesner passed through a further door and a low sound of murmuring talk followed his entrance. He came out before the young man had time to be impatient and seized his hands, shaking them heartily.

"I can't understand it," he muttered. "It simply doesn't seem credible, what you've told me! By and by, perhaps I shall—but what does it matter? Where is she?"

He followed Motherwell into the parlor, crossed quickly to where the white figure sat stiff, as if frozen there, and bending, kissed her lightly on each cheek.

"Thank God, you're back, Ciela," he said. "You've driven us nearly crazy, my dear. Why, you look like a marquis at a fancy ball! Do you want to break our hearts all over again?"

He smiled warmly at her. Not a muscle of his face betrayed him.

"I never broke yours, Glen," she answered, hardly above a whisper. "I knew that, always."

She turned to Motherwell.

"Come," she said, taking his hand like a child, and they went in together, the jeweler behind them.

She walked a few steps into the room, and stood in the full afternoon sunlight. Her lips parted and she drew a deep breath to speak, but her husband cried out before she could begin. Here was no such calmness as Glaesner had shown; this whole face spoke his wonder and delight.

"Ciela!" he said. "Oh, Ciela! How beautiful you are!"

He opened his arms wide, and with two long, smooth steps she was wrapped in them, kneeling by his chair, her hair against his cheek.

He pressed his hand tenderly against that soft, white fleece.

"I am sorry that this should have happened, if it worried and frightened my dear," he said, and his voice trembled, "but why, why could you not let me know, so that I could help you?"

She raised her face and held it close to his, her hands against his shoulders.

"You haven't seen me, Cranney," she said, "look at me, now! I am forty-six years old—I am not what you thought—I never have been."

He held her face in his hands and looked long at it.

"No, you are never what I thought," she said.

R. S. Jordan has been appointed to serve as presiding officer of said election, and he shall select two judges to assist him in holding the same.

Said election shall be held in the manner prescribed for holding elections in other matters.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 9th day of February A. D. 1934.

C. J. CASH, Mayor of the City of McLean, Texas.
(Seal) Attest: W. E. BOGAN, City Secretary.

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Mrs. D. E. Upham and Mrs. W. W. Boyd were Amarillo visitors last Wednesday.

John B. and Miss Sinclair Rice of Lefors visited home folks here last week end.

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Mrs. Oakley Marsh was in Pampa Thursday.

Mrs. Bill Bentley and son, Bobby, were visitors in Pampa last week.

M. D. Abbott of Sudan visited relatives here last week.

ALMANAC



- FEBRUARY**
- 26—Henry W. Longfellow, great U.S. poet, born 1807.
 - 27—England sees its first game of baseball, 1874.
 - 28—Great comet visible by day over United States, 1843.
- MARCH**
- 1—Napoleon returns to France from Elba exile, 1814.
 - 2—Texas declares independence of Mexico, 1835.
 - 3—U. S. Navy is founded with 13 active ships, 1810.
 - 4—Chicago, with population of 4,170, made city, 1837.

ELECTION NOTICE

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF GRAY, CITY OF McLEAN.

To the qualified voters of the city of McLean, Texas: Take notice that an election will be held on Tuesday, April the 3rd, A. D. 1934, at the City Secretary's office in the city of McLean Gray County, Texas, for the following purpose and none other:

Electing three aldermen.

Every person who has attained the age of twenty-one years who has resided in the State of Texas twelve months and within the corporate limits of the city of McLean six months prior to the date of said election, and is a qualified voter under the laws of the State of Texas, shall be entitled to vote at said election.

No person shall be eligible to any of said offices unless he possesses the requisites provided for voters at such election.

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SERMONETTE

By Rev. Steplan M. Tuby Lutheran Pastor, Pampa Community

Text: "The natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God; for they are foolishness unto him; neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned."—1 Cor. 2:14.

Scores of people possess Bibles which they seldom use. For this negligence they certainly cannot blame their station in life—be it high or low, or their poverty. This Book deals not only with problems of this life but also with the life after death. It points out the way of salvation of mankind; it tells of the plan of salvation: from temporal sufferings (cross) to eternal happiness and bliss (crown).

The natural man, a person who is still in spiritual darkness, one who has not been converted to Christianity, is not able to grasp the mysteries of God with his limited, rational mind. Many people, even among the highly educated class, who read the Bible now and then, consider the Holy Word of God foolishness. This human trait was well known to St. Paul. Concerning this type of people, he wrote under the guidance of the Holy Spirit: "The natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God; for they are foolishness unto him."

We do not marvel at the copious productions of literary monstrosities by men of higher learning who ridicule the Bible and try to solve the problems of life by resorting to their limited brain power.

Ignorance of spiritual things does not warrant ridicule. Only a child of God can understand spiritual things as they are revealed to him by the Holy Spirit through the Word of God. A natural, unconverted person cannot comprehend things which are beyond him. Spiritual things "are spiritually discerned." They must not be rationalized. "The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom."

Those who do not read the Holy Bible in the proper spirit and respect for the Lord, dig for themselves a grave in the infernal regions below. Yes, even those who enjoy a higher education but refuse to benefit by the Words of Life are in the same class. Their learning misses the mark. Much is given them, but all in vain. Christ, who will judge the quick and the

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dead in the last day, says: "For unto whomsoever much is given, of him shall be much required." But, alas, what a painfully embarrassing situation will such people of today be compelled to face on that day of judgment when they will have to give an account of the use and distribution of their talents and gifts which were bestowed upon them by God in this life!

Many people, unguided by the divine Guide-book, employ their talents and knowledge as a foul means to a disastrous end. By not adhering to the timely injunctions of Christ, scores of mortals travel on the wide road at the price of life and property of others, only to lower their own characters into the vilest depths of corruption. A grammar school education or even college training, does not place a stamp of spiritual prestige or good morals upon anyone.

Be our state in life ever so humble, be we rich or poor, be we unemployed, or unemployed, let us take advantage of the privilege of studying the precious Word of God which only can safely guide us through the stormy sea of life.

Country Doctor (who is also a Sunday school teacher)—"Children, who can tell me what we must do in order to get to heaven?"

Bright Boy—"We must die."

Doctor—"That's right, but what must we do before we die?"

Bright Boy—"Get sick and send for you."

Mrs. Rufus Kenedy and little daughter of Alanreed were in McLean Saturday.

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Born, February 23, to Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Chambers, a 7 pound boy.

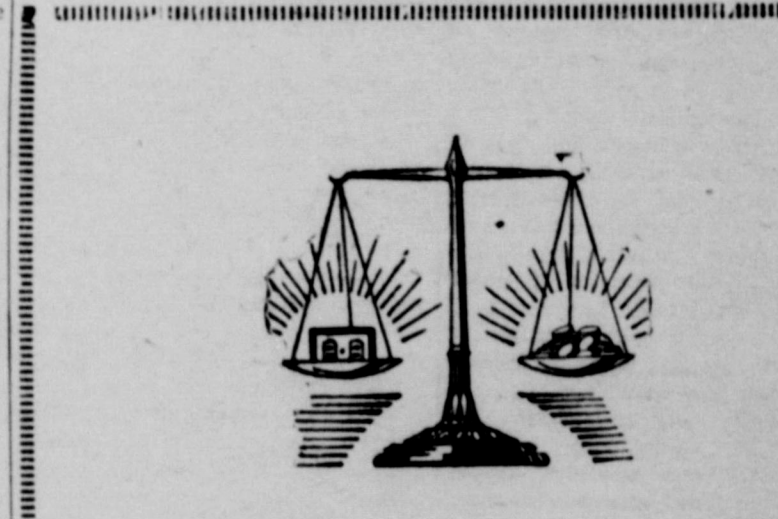
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Electrical outlets seem like little things but they play a big part in the successful management of a home. For instance one new well-placed outlet may mean all the difference between convenience and great inconvenience. You can't hope to get the most out of your modern electrical servants unless you can plug them in wherever you need them.

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Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company

A FAIR QUESTION

Stirred by growing tendency of fellow townsmen to use the newspaper for everything but advertising, a South Dakota editor recently asked them pertinently, in a page one column:

"If a member of your family would send out the obituary in circular letter? If your wife entertained, would you run a slide on screen of the movie show? If were to enlarge your store, would tell folks in a hotel register? If were to have a wedding at home, would you tack the news a telephone post?"

"Then why in heck don't you your advertising in the newspaper too?"—Oklahoma Publisher.

Partner—"That, sir, is my daughter."

Partner—"I beg pardon, I don't know you are her father."

Partner—"I'm not. I'm her mother."—Christian Science Monitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bidwell went Amarillo Friday, the former going an operation for appendicitis.

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BOARDER HENS

By O. L. D. Timer

When a poultry man speaks of boarder hens he has reference to a hen that eats as much as a laying hen and takes up as much room and invested capital as a laying hen, but lays no eggs. A good poultry man is continually striving to eliminate the boarder hen from his flock. He first tries to develop a strain of poultry in which there is as few boarders as possible, and on top of that when one does show up he expeditiously disposes of her by killing her or by sending her up to be eaten by the New York Jews.

If we should liken Uncle Sam to a poultry man he would have so many boarder hens in his flock as to be on the verge of bankruptcy. The poultry man has recourse to far better eliminative methods than Uncle Sam has, for he is compelled under the present system of operation to let nature take her course and feed the boarder hen till disease or death performs the eliminative operation, and sometimes that is a slow, painful and costly process. Uncle Sam spends three billion on education and ten billions more than that on crime, or acts committed by criminals or boarder hens. Why should this three billion spent for education produce thirteen billion dollars worth of boarder hens—or if the education is not causing the crime, there is something else causing it that education should correct or eliminate if the education is the real article that most people bank on to the exclusion of everything else. One noted statistician makes the statement that the movies are doing more to neutralize the effects of higher education than any one thing, and something is bound to be guilty. If the movies are not suggesting and creating gold diggers, hi-jackers, racketeers, and divorcees, from whence do they come? And the above people are Uncle Sam's boarder hens of the rankest sort, and like a chronic drinker they are continuously interfering with the laying hens or burdening other people.

There is one institution in town that is full of boarding roosters and I have never seen a boarder hen enter therein. They operate on the theory that what is good for the gander isn't good for the goose. The fact that women enter not therein is a most outstanding indication that femininity is yet far superior to masculinity in some respects, and after observing them closely for about a half century I must unwillingly come to the conclusion that boarder roosters are the most numerous. Everyone knows that a flock consisting mostly of boarder hens is very unprofitable. You know and I know and everybody knows that a population consisting largely of bootleggers, gamblers, hi-jackers, drinkers, gold diggers, lewd women and ambitionless loafers will be eventually morally and financially a bankrupt nation, and until we can eliminate as many as possible, this depression will not be licked with any artificial financial manipulations. Consider the human body and mind—what a wonderful creation of muscular force and intellectual power, and to think that some humans will use all their physical and mental powers to suck the financial blood from his fellow man and then strut around like a boarder hen. I can't understand his viewpoint. Are you an infidel, or do you just not chose to run for a desirable place in the world to come, and risk your chances of getting by?

W. L. Campbell and daughter, Mrs. Inez McLarty, were in Pampa Thursday.

John Stockton of Bethany, Okla., visited in McLean last week end.

Sam Brown of Lefors was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Foster of Hedley visited in McLean last week end.

Mr. Norwood of Arlington was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Glass of Alan visited in McLean Saturday.

Mr. J. L. Bidwell and daughters of Amarillo visitors Friday.

Mr. Fox of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. Goodman was in Amarillo Saturday.

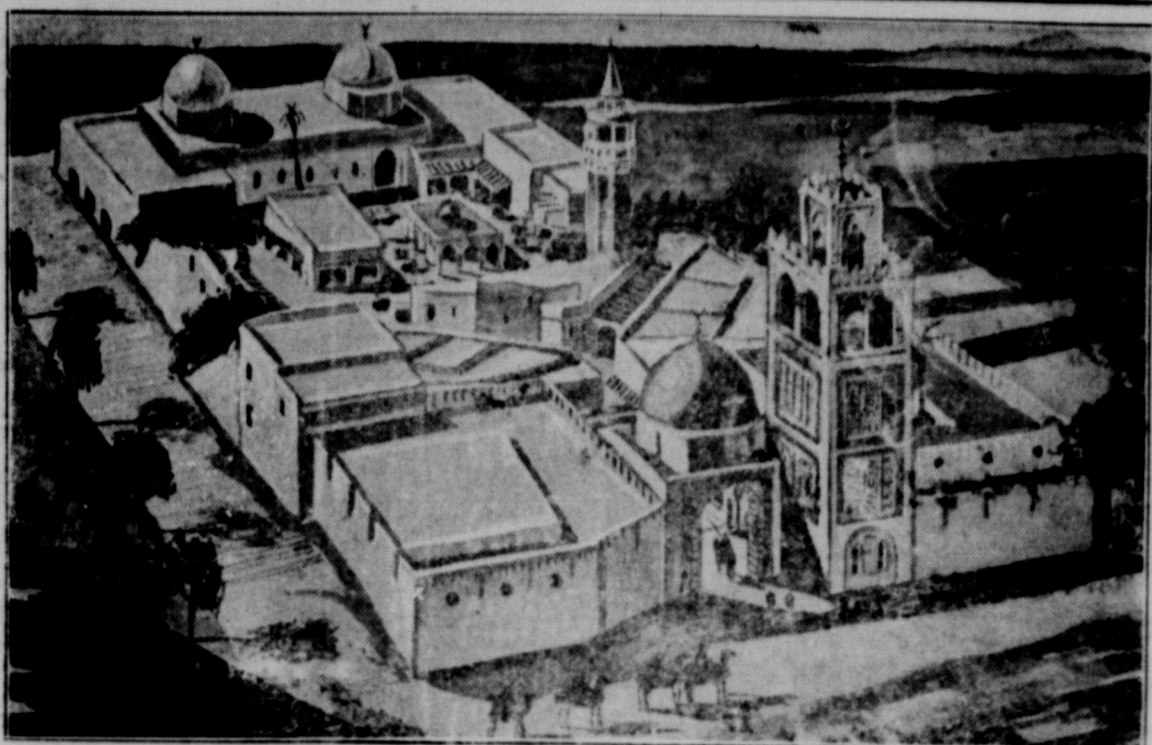
Mr. Jim Boyles and daughter, Miss Emma, were in Shamrock Friday.

Mr. H. W. Finley was in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. Cottrell of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Mr. Bond was in Pampa Friday.

Bedouins New at 1934 Chicago Fair



A Tunisian village, reproducing the color and atmosphere of Northern Africa, will be one of the novel features of the coming summer's Century of Progress Exposition at Chicago opening June 1. Fierce Bedouins, Arab Sheiks, North African craftsmen demonstrating their arts and handicraft, and native merchants displaying their wares will lend a picturesque aspect to the village. Street bazaars, a mosque, an Arab theater and towers and buildings reproducing North African architecture will be features.

"I Want to Know"

By D. A. Davis

Why are some folks so thoughtless in turning down a chance to help the Boy Scout movement in McLean? Just because you are not interested in your own, are you not interested in other people's boys? And does it relieve you of all obligations? How about you daddies that have girls and no boys? Are you not just as anxious to see your girls marry boys that are of the right kind, or do you just don't give a whoop who your girls marry, or are you willing to leave it up to your girls to select the proper son-in-law, which of course they generally do, regardless of your objections? Why not be a little bit interested in boys so that when your girls select their husbands there will be a better variety to pick from? Why can't we be as much interested in raising the right kind of boys as we are in raising the right kind of horses, mules, cattle, hogs and billy goats? Why don't some of you crazy fool daddies get a little common reason in your heads and help put this Boy Scout movement over?

And I want to know another thing. How can the Boy Scout movement be made successful without a few dollars to finance some of the Boy Scout activities? And what other investment will pay more dividends than a few dollars invested in this Boy Scout work right at the present time? Do any of you have any idea just how much property the boys (SOME boys, I should say) have destroyed in McLean the past three years? I know of just one house in McLean that somebody's boy or boys damaged at least three hundred dollars, and if you don't believe me, just take time out and go up to the old Patterson home just north of John Haynes' and take a look at the house and make a rough estimate of the damages done and try to figure out just how much money it will cost to put that house back in as good shape as it was before it was wrecked.

It's a low down dirty shame, folks, sure as you are born, how badly lots of property in McLean has been destroyed, and is continuing to be destroyed. It's simply getting awful, folks, and something absolutely should be done about it. I ain't got a single cent's worth of property in McLean, but it simply makes my blood boil with rage to go about over town and see the ruthless damage that is being done to other people's property, and I tell you right now something should be done. And in what better way can it be stopped RIGHT than to get these boys into a scout troop and give them something else to think about? Why not teach them to be constructive instead of destructive? You know most boys are just like a mule; you have got to give them something to do. In other words, you have got to keep them in the harness. If you don't they will kick the lot fence down and run wild. I don't blame these boys nearly so much as I do you daddies, and I don't mean the boys' "real" daddies either. Every daddy in McLean should take enough interest in his neighbors' boys to help them keep out of wrong doing. You can do it in the right way, so come on, folks, let's organize another Boy Scout troop in McLean and do a little donating of our money to help these boys get started off on the right track, and you will never regret it.

A. E. Ball of Alanreed was in McLean Friday.

Attorney Clayton Heare of Shamrock was in McLean Saturday.

Carillon Tower



This beautiful tower, a feature of the Hall of Science at the Chicago Century of Progress, was one of the outstanding sights of the Exposition last year, and will be even more beautiful in 1934. Its colorings are being changed, and the lighting effects elaborated so there will be a constantly changing color combinations at night.

Miss Pauline Crabtree of Amarillo visited her mother here last week.

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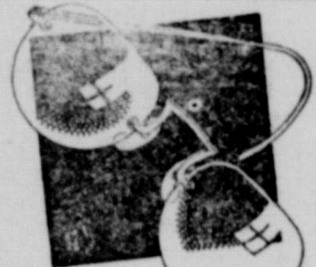
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COUNTY AGENT THOMAS REPORTS BUSY YEAR

During the past twelve months over a quarter million dollars of government money has been handled through the county agent's office with various committees, according to the records of County Agent Ralph Thomas. Of this the major portion has been wheat. To date, \$14,236 in allotment money has been paid out to approximately four hundred wheat farmers of Gray county. The cotton plow-up checks to 212 farmers in last summer's cotton retirement campaign amounted to \$45,461.75.

Farmers who took options on cotton instead of all cash, entered the cotton pool which was a success in agriculture and borrowed \$7,673.76, which, if the pool was closed out at present price of cotton, would pay these farmers \$4,600 additional money. Farmers who sold their option, rather than enter the pool received approximately \$1,600. Crop loans approved which received final approval at the Crop Loan Office in Dallas, amounted to \$25,270, made to 125 farmers. All



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of the above amounts make a grand total of \$258,841.51.

Wheat farmers will receive approximately \$69,000 additional money in June, while this spring's cotton payment on contracts signed up will amount to about \$13,000. Farmers signing corn-hog reduction contracts should receive close to \$10,000 this spring.

Through the cooperation of the three railroads in the county, permits were issued by the county agent for farmers and ranchmen to receive reduced rate on 71 cars of feed in drought stricken areas of the county. Farmers and ranchmen were given one-half rate on hay and two-thirds rate on cottonseed cake and meal. A saving estimated at \$2100 was made by this reduced rate.

Besides the duties in agricultural adjustment, the county agent carried on his regular duties as far as he could. Some of the things accomplished included terrace lines run on 380 acres, 4-H Club work, poultry work, etc. Poultry killing and dressing demonstrations were given in cooperation with the home demonstration agent, Miss Adams. Poultry pulling and caponizing demonstrations were conducted by the agent in different parts of the county. Two beef and two hog slaughtering demonstrations were conducted, as well as five pork cutting and nineteen beef cutting demonstrations in ten different communities of the county.

Eighty-two boys were enrolled in the 4-H Clubs of the county. These boys carried on grain sorghum, cotton, baby beef, poultry and various other demonstrations. Twelve boys and two girls fitted and showed 17 calves. The shows in which calves were shown were: McLean, Pampa, Amarillo, Fort Worth, San Angelo, Lubbock and Kansas City. Honors

were carried off at all of these shows. The county agent assisted in putting on the McLean, Pampa and Amarillo shows. A club camp was conducted at the Mel Davis ranch last summer. County Agent Thomas was one of the officials of the dairy show at Plainview last year.

Some of the statistical report of the county agent reads as follows: Farm visits, 410; office calls, 3186; telephone calls, 628; days spent in office, 117; days spent in field, 189; individual letters written, 799; circular letters written, 17; bulletins distributed, 2400.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stockton and son of Bethany, Okla., and Miss Agnes Abbott of Oklahoma City visited the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Abbott, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Koons moved back to McLean from Kansas last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dickenson and little daughter were in Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Darnell and son of Amarillo moved to McLean last week.

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Advertisement for 'RECORD Requirement' featuring 'SALES BOOKS', 'REMITTANCE BLANKS', 'CONTRACTS', 'CREDIT MEMOS', 'PRODUCTION RECORDS', 'OFFICE FORMS', 'GUEST CHECKS', 'APPROVAL SLIPS', 'INVOICES', 'DAILY REPORTS', 'REPAIR ORDERS', 'COLLECTION BOOKS', 'RECEIPTS', 'STAMP BOOKS', 'CHECK BOOKS', 'TRUCK BOOKS'. Includes the text: 'For Every RECORD Requirement We can furnish non-duplicating, duplicating and triplicating books and pads of every kind for every business. Our factory connection assures complete satisfaction—superior quality at low mass-production prices; and prompt service, too. You can buy from us just as advantageously as from the factory, and we relieve you of annoying details. Ask Us About SALES BOOKS CAFE CHECKS AND Manifolding Books'.

THE McLEAN NEWS

Advertisement for 'STOP! save one-half ON YOUR MAGAZINES'. Features a cartoon character and lists: 'Don't wait another minute! Never before and perhaps never again can these wonderful magazines be obtained so low with your home newspaper. CLUB No. D-5 Progressive Farmer, 1 year Women's World, 1 year Dixie Poultry Journal, 1 year Illustrated Mechanics, 1 year Country Home, 1 year Home Circle, 1 year AND THIS NEWSPAPER, 1 Year ALL SEVEN FOR ONLY \$2.25'. Also lists: 'CLUB No. D-6 Southern Agriculturist, 1 year Good Stories, 1 year Everybody's Poultry Magazine, 1 yr. Home Friend, 1 year Country Home, 1 year Successful Farming, 1 year AND THIS NEWSPAPER, 1 Year ALL SEVEN FOR ONLY \$2.25'.

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T. A. LANDERS, Publisher

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may appear in the columns of this
paper will be gladly corrected upon
due notice of same being given to the
editor personally at the office at 210
Main Street, McLean, Texas.

It begins to look as if we
might be forced to admit that
better times are on the way
if 67 new subscriptions written
up during February may be
taken as an indication.

The greatest reward, and
many times the only reward,
for well doing is a clear con-
science. He who expects grati-
tude from the general public is
doomed to disappointment, yet
any time you fail to do as the
public thinks you ought, you
hear from it.

The month's issue of "The
Atlantic" has an article en-
titled "The Elegy of a Country
Storekeeper" that should be
read by every small town mer-
chant. It will give him an in-
sight to his problems better
than anything that has been
printed in some time.

The editor's talking the value
of newspaper advertising may
become tiresome at times, but
the fact remains that when-
ever a man is convinced of the
truth of his statements, it is
something like selling him life
insurance, he will have cause
to thank you for the rest of
his life.

Some people are acquiring the
habit of cutting corners and
turning in the middle of the
street, that, if persisted in, will
result in some real trouble. No
matter if the street seems all
yours at some hours of the day,
it is better to train yourself in
good driving habits, and be
safe.

The State Department of
Health says that "we are prone
to judge people in no small
measure by the kind of yard-
keepers they are," and urges a
general spring clean-up this
year, beginning at the attic,
working through the house to
the basement, and finishing
with the yards and alleys.
A clean-up is advised not
only from a standpoint of civic
pride, but as a sanitary one and
for the prevention of fires.

The Spearman Reporter used
a full page advertisement cop-
ied from one in The News not
long ago, which is not unusual,
but the editor credited The
News with the copy, which
could be appreciated, since it
was original copy.

Most editors think nothing of
taking advertising copy from
other papers without credit,
some even printing editorials
without credit, so it is refresh-
ing to find an editor who is so
careful to give credit on ad-
vertising copy.

It now begins to appear that
the cotton situation is likely to
pass into the complete control
of the Federal government. Maybe
that is the only fair thing to
do this year, as it seems to be
the only way to see that those
who voluntarily signed the
reduction agreement are not
taken advantage of by other
growers, but the danger of
paternalistic government re-
mains the same, even in these
times when everyone and every-
thing seems to be looking to
the government for aid.

We were called upon to do-
nate to several papers being
circulated this week, and at the
same time we volunteered do-
nations of three printing jobs
to worthy causes. Any man in
business has many of these
propositions each week, and
while most, if not all of them,
are meritorious, sometimes so
many of them become a burden
in hard times. When times are
good there are not so many
calls, and a man is in better
financial condition to make do-
nations.

It is natural to turn to our
neighbors when we get into
financial difficulties, and it
would be well to remember them
when we are in the market for
things that they have to sell,
else they cannot long remain in
a position to donate to any
cause. A man must make a
profit, or he cannot stay in
business, and it takes a volume
of trade to make profit, as most
business men operate on a small
margin that is soon taken up
with overhead expenses, unless
they have enough volume to
out them over.

With the Churches

CHURCH OF CHRIST

W. E. Andrews, Minister
Bible study will begin at 10 a. m.
Sunday and continue until 10:45.
The subject for the sermon at 11
will be "Christian Oneness."
The young people will meet at 6:30
p. m. This is a half hour change
in the time. Please remember the
change. Johnnie Back is the leader.
This will be another of the prospective
radio programs. Let's make them
good.
Preaching will begin at 7:30. The
subject will be "The Foolishness of
God." If a service is worth having
it is worth attending.
The Wednesday evening service has
been changed to 7:30.

EVANGELICAL HOLINESS CHURCH

G. W. Roachell, Pastor
Remember our services:
Saturday night service at 7:30.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning service at 11. Message by
pastor.

All you young people please re-
member our P. Y. P. S. meeting each
Sunday evening at 6:30.
Preaching service at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night
at 7:30.
We truly thank the dear Lord for
the blessed good services we are
having. Amen.
We invite everybody to all of our
services. People, take time to pray.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

W. A. Erwin, Minister
Sunday school 10 a. m., J. A. Ashby
and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke, supts.
Morning worship at 11. Sermon by
the pastor, on "Friendship."
The junior choir will furnish music
for the morning service.
Evening service at 7:30. The pastor
will begin a series of sermons on the
Book of Daniel.
Christian Endeavor Societies at 6:30
p. m. Mrs. Sligar and Mrs. Allen
Wilson sponsors.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Cecil G. Goff, Pastor
Sunday school at 9:45 p. m.
Morning service at 11. Message by
pastor. Music by choir.
B. T. S. at 6:15 p. m.
Night service at 7:30. Message by
pastor. Music by choir and orchestra.
W. M. S. Wednesday, 2:30 p. m.
S. S. officers and teachers meet
Wednesday, 7:15 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Choir rehearsal Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

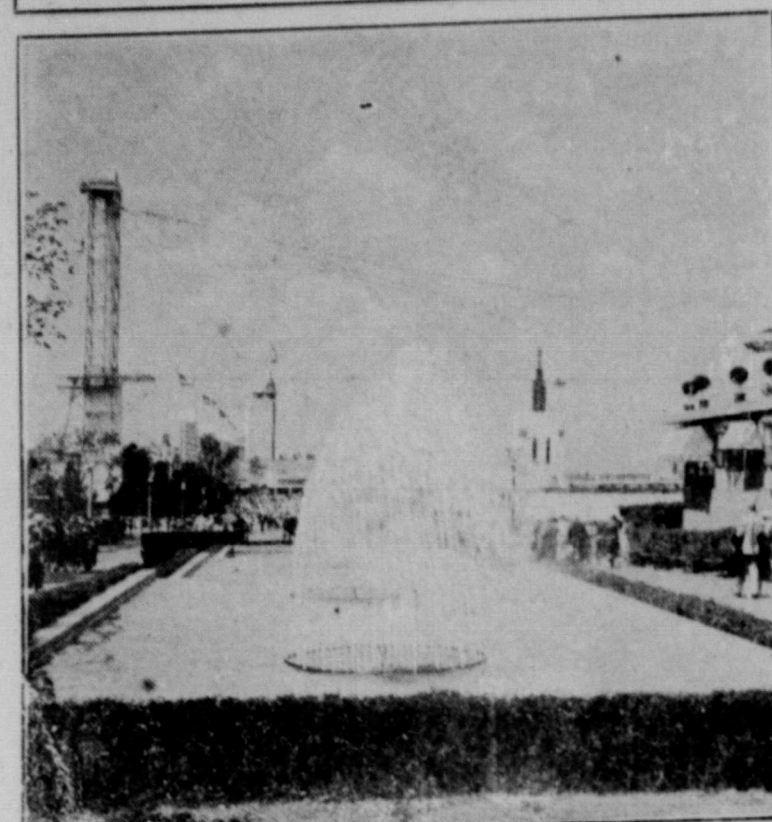
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

N. U. Stout, Pastor
Sunday school 10 a. m.
Morning worship at 11.
Leagues 6:45 p. m.
Evening worship at 7:30.
W. M. S. meets Tuesday, 3 p. m.,
with Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.
Choir practice Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
Prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:15
p. m.

METHODIST BROTHERHOOD

Reported.
Rev. Gaston Foote, pastor of the
Pampa Methodist Church, spoke to
47 members and visitors at the Men's
Brotherhood recently organized at the
Methodist Church, Tuesday night.
His subject was "What Are You
Worth—not in dollars and cents, but
what are you worth to your com-
munity?"
In addition to Rev. Foote's address
a well rendered program and covered

Singing Fountains for 1934 Fair



A feature of the 1934 Century of Progress exposition which attract-
ed an unusual amount of interest was the Singing Fountains outside the
Firestone exhibit. They will, in a more elaborate way, be a strik-
ing feature of the 1934 Exposition. The flow of water, rising and falling
to the strains of music, is being increased, and a wider range of colors
in the electric lighting effects will be a new feature.

THE CUB POST

MISS NOEL'S ROOM
Our pupils are working on Tiny
Tot story telling. The story we have
chosen is "The Greasy Monkey."
C. G. Curtis has moved here
from Goodwell, has enrolled in our
first grade.
Frankie King spent the week
with her grandparents at Chil-
dress.

MISS BAILEY'S ROOM

We are sorry to lose Troy Lom
and Emmett Shockley. Troy has moved
to Dumas and Emmett has moved to
Santa Fe, N. M.
We are glad to have Billy Matthews
enter our second grade. He comes to
us from Liberty.
We are working on our league
story telling. We hope to have our
first elimination Friday in our room.

MRS. MARRIS' ROOM

We are sorry to lose Conrad Isom
from our third grade. He has moved
to Dumas.
The following have not missed a
word in spelling the past six weeks:
Joe Cooke, Marcella Campbell, Joyce
Fulbright, Johnnie Windom, J. D.
Roth, Arthur Reese and Ercy Ful-
bright. They are hoping to keep this
record the remainder of the school
term.

100% SPELLERS

First grade—Evelyn Davis, Bobby
Morrow, Bruce Rogers, Jesse Ledbet-
ter, Jr., James Hinton, Ila Sue Good-
man, Kathryn Woodward, Raymond
Leon Smith, Glen Chilton, John Floyd
Campbell, Norman Parrish, Dixie
Lonsdale, Otis Lee McClellan, Pauline
Taylor, Martha Joyce King, Char-
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Mrs. W. F. Mullin was called to
Hereford Tuesday to attend the
funeral of her grandson, Virgil West.
Joe Bidwell is in an Amarillo hospi-
tal this week.
Mrs. Leon Crockett is on the sick
list this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Avis Rhodes of Mc-
Lean spent Sunday night with Mr.
and Mrs. Wheeler Carville.
Miss Texola Harlan and mother,
Mrs. R. L. Harlan, were called to the
bedside of the latter's brother, Ben
Lee, at Lubbock, Saturday.
Walter Burdine made a trip to
Hereford Thursday, to take his sister
home.
Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes visited their
daughter, Mrs. Tom Bogard, Satur-
day.
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harlan visited
in the Ivy home a few days this
week.
Mrs. Alma Turman and children of
McLean spent Sunday at the R. L.
Harlan home.
A. R. Evans made a business trip
to Oklahoma last week.
Bob Bidwell of Adrian is spending
the week at home.

News from Denworth

Rev. Greenwood will preach at 11
and 7:30 o'clock at Back school house
next Sunday.

BACK 4-H CLUB

The Back 4-H Club had a short
business meeting Friday, Feb. 23, at
the home of Mrs. Otto Gross. Those
present were Mesdames L. L. Morse,
Thelma Dowell, Amy Back, Lawrence
Watson, Ina Marshall, Lola Hale,
Golda Copeland, Jewel Dowell, Bertha
Humphries, Lancaster, Vera Quarles,
Lela Roberts, Mae Wilkins and the
hostess. A pot luck dinner was served
and the afternoon spent in quilting.
Mrs. Vester Dowell, council member
of the Back 4-H Club, Mrs. L. L.
Morse, Mrs. Ernest Dowell and Mrs.
Nevil Back attended the county
council meeting of home demon-
stration clubs at Pampa Monday.
Each club was asked to send a
woman to the meat show in Amarillo
at 10 a. m., March 5, the show to be
held in the auto building at the
Tri-state fair grounds. The next
meeting of the club is to be making
war on bed bugs.
The 4-H pantry women are to meet
at 10 a. m. on the fourth Monday in
March at Miss Adams office in Pampa.
The 4-H Clubs will have a bedroom
show in Pampa, June 1 and 2.

LOCALS

High seventh: Willa Mae Gressett
went to Shamrock Sunday. Mr. and
Mrs. J. L. McMullen and Mrs. Cash
from Ocmah, Okla., came to see
Mr. and Mrs. McMullen.
Low seventh: Mrs. Koons of White
Cloud, Kans., visited in the Lochridge
home. Mike Wingo went to Okla-
homa City Friday. Georgia Colebank
went to Clarendon Saturday. Thelma
Gray went to Amarillo Sunday.
High sixth: Mr. and Mrs. Barnes
visited in the Cooke home Sunday.
Wynema Lamb went to Shamrock
Saturday and Ramsdell Sunday. Vester
Lee Smith went to Oklahoma City
Sunday. James Everett's grandmother
from Amarillo came Saturday to stay
a short time. Sam Sullivan came
from Lefors to see Mr. and Mrs.
Sullivan.

News from Pakan

The Pakan Women's Club met with
Miss Christine Pakan Friday. Miss
Jones gave a demonstration on gar-
dens.
Godfrey Cadra left Friday with a
group of McLean boys for Tulla,
where they participated in a judging
contest. They returned Sunday.
The Pakan school children gave a
short play, entitled "George Wash-
ington's Birthday," in their Thursday
morning chapel exercise. Several read-
ings were given and songs sung.
Mike Mertel and John Hrcniar
transacted business in McLean Mon-
day.

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S. S. Lesson

By Rev. Cecil G. Goff
Pastor First Baptist Church

TESTIMONY CONCERNING HIMSELF

Printed text, Matt. 11:2-6, 16-19, 25-30. Golden text, Matt. 11:28

When John the Baptist was put in prison, Jesus was preaching, teaching and healing in Judea. John had condemned Herod for the wickedness of his life, and he had imprisoned the last of the prophets at his summer palace in Machaerus on the east side of the Jordan. Here John remained languishing for months. So far as he could see, his own ministry had ended. The Messiah whom he had introduced had gone north into Galilee. As the time passed it is more than probable that John expected Jesus, the Messiah of God, to see that he was released. This Jesus did not do. It is probable that John heard very little of the work, teaching and healing of the Master, as He went about in Galilee. Probably none of the disciples of John went as far as Galilee. Therefore it was very little that John knew of the ministry of Jesus.

John became discouraged, as any of us would have. Finally, in his discouragement, he sent two of the disciples who had faithfully followed and not left him when he was imprisoned. Much might be said for these faithful men who were willing to daily face the possibility of like imprisonment with their leader in order to be near him. Two of them John sent to find Jesus and question Him as to His authenticity of Messiahship. The men went, found Jesus, and asked the question directed by their leader.

Jesus did not directly answer that question. Instead, He told the men to look about and see the work that was being done, and to go back and tell their leader, John, the things they had seen. That was the answer of Jesus. Those two messengers probably remained several days before they returned. During those days they saw and heard things of which they had never dreamed. They heard the mighty teachings of the Master. Such principles proclaimed with such might and power had never before been heard in Israel, to their knowledge. The land was filled with people who were dying with disease. The percentage that was diseased was astounding. Blind men found no relief. A blind man was blind and he had to spend his days that way without hope of recovery. The lame could find no attention that would bring a cure to the broken bones and bodies. No medical men with precision and accuracy for their cases were available. The epileptics were numerous and hopeless. The lepers were outcasts to beg or starve to death and to bear their suffering without sympathy from the populace. The major part of the people were poor, a great percentage too poor to pay for what physical and spiritual means of relief were known in those days. The power of Jesus extended to all needy alike; at least to all those who were willing to trust Him. He had no patronage for the rich. He had service for all. He had love for all. He loved the poor men the same as the rich, and extended to them equal opportunities and compassion in accordance to their needs. With this report the two disciples of John returned to his cell in the prison. John knew that none but the Messiah promised by God, His only begotten son, could come with such a message and do such a work.

Christ left for men, His followers, to do a like work to that He did while He was here upon earth. Christian men need to have a comparable compassion for the sorrow and the suffering of the world and of mankind with that of Jesus. That compassion is not an end within itself,

but a means to the spiritual uplift of the people. So was Christ's, and so should be ours. How far short we fall of this ideal.

In the second passage of scripture Jesus draws a picture of the generation of the days of His ministry. And how easily that picture might be applied to our modern generation, two thousand years after. They were like children sitting in the stock market, and depending on the rise and fall of the stock exchange for their physical existence. One group calls that they have established a type of stock-sharing syndicate and the other group has not bought the stock. Another group calls that they have established a type of relief measure, and the people have not supported it. Before the depression the people gave as their excuse for not attending church and serving God, "too many places to go and things to do." During the depression the excuse is "not enough or the right kind of clothes to wear." Always an excuse.

Christ thanked God for His making the kingdom obscure to some. There are some who are not willing to depend on Christ, God, or their neighbors. They must depend on themselves. They love themselves more than all others. They must come out. Christ calls for the faithful and humble, those who, like little children, turn to their parents for aid and succor. So Christ said that he who loved father or mother or brother or sister, and might have added, himself, more than Him, would be unable to enter the kingdom Jesus the Son of God is revealed according to God's choice, to the humble.

The burdens of life are more than some can bear. The yoke of the world is heavy, from the cradle to the grave. It is so for Satan has and upon the yoke of each his throne. But Christ offers to bear the burdens of each one. He will take our yoke and bear it and give us His instead. His yoke is the glory of the Son of God. What man would be so foolish as to refuse it. How can a man saved by Christ fail to bear the yoke of Christ with other than a kingly bearing.

THE TIGER POST

Editor..... Charles Ashby
Senior..... Emma Jean Ayer
Junior..... Juanita Brooks
Sophomore..... Gwynne Carpenter
Freshman..... Eula Faye Foster
Home Economics..... Mozelle Glenn
Agriculture..... Wilburn Lynch
Sponsor..... Elizabeth Kennedy

The Gray County Interscholastic League will meet in McLean on March 29, 30 and 31. Director General is Supt. Cryer. Other directors are: Vera Cummings, declamation; M. W. Graves (Lefors), extemporaneous speaking; R. E. Paige (Alanreed), spelling; Imae Hastings (Lefors), essay; G. B. Rush, athletics; Vera Carpenter (Lefors), story telling; A. R. McHaney, arithmetic; Mrs. Cecil G. Goff, choral singing; Corrie Lee Newman (Webb), picture memory; Charlie Mae Carpenter (Back), three R contest; M. L. N. Baze (Hopkins), music memory.

The district meet will be held in Pampa, and Pampa will not participate in the county meet. Schools entering contests are: high schools—Alanreed, McLean, Lefors; ward schools—Hopkins 2, Lefors, Alanreed, Grandview, Hopkins 1, McLean; rural schools—Back, Bell, Farrington, Hoover, Meriten, Webb, Eldridge, Laketon.

Below is the program for the meet: Thursday, March 29
All tennis, 9:30 a. m.; playground ball, 1 p. m.; preliminaries in volleyball, 7:45 p. m.

Friday, March 30
Assembly, auditorium, 9:30 a. m.; choral singing, auditorium, 10 a. m.; Arithmetic, room 1, 10:30; extemporaneous speech, room 2, 11; three R's

room 4, 11; music memory, room 3, 11; picture memory, room 5, 11. Story telling 3, auditorium, 1 p. m.; story telling 1 and 2, auditorium, 1:30; spelling 4 and 5, room 1, 1:00; spelling 6 and 7, room 5, 1:00; spelling 8 and above, room 2, 1:00; essay writing, room 4, 1:00.

Rural declamation, auditorium, 2:30; ward declamation, auditorium, 7:30; high school declamation, auditorium, 8 p. m.

Saturday, March 31
Playground finals (if not completed) 9:30 a. m.; senior track, 10:00; junior track, 1 p. m.; volleyball finals, 7:45

VALENTINE SURPRISE PARTY

On the night of February 14, the freshman room mothers treated the class with a surprise party at the home of S. W. Rice. At first, table games were played and then the valentine box was opened. Delicious refreshments of fruit punch, cake, and red and white candy were served to the freshmen, the room mothers, Mrs. S. W. Rice, Mrs. N. W. Foster, Mrs. M. H. Patterson; the sponsor, Miss Vannoy, and Miss Katherine Simmons.

AGGIES AGAIN SUCCESSFUL

The McLean Aggies added two more trophies to their list on Saturday, at the Tullia contest, as they won the poultry and livestock judging contests.

Arthur Ray Ledbetter, was high scorer and Charles Finley was second high, with Wilburn Lynch winning fourth in the poultry contest. This makes the sixth consecutive contest which has been won by the McLean poultry team. Verne Harris, James Emmett Cooke and James Lee Rice were all well above 400 points, and any of these three substitutes could have won in the contest. Pampa was second high in the contest.

The livestock team won by a close margin over Post. Christal Christian was third high individual, Brownie Cable fourth, and Elton O'Neal ninth. The dairy team placed fifth in the judging of Jerseys, J. C. Breeding being fourth high individual.

There were 30 teams competing, with 14 boys in all events. There were eight livestock teams, ten poultry and 12 dairy teams. Some of McLean's best contestants were sick with measles, and next Saturday their presence should be of much help.

The E. F. A. boys will show their fine hogs and calves down town Saturday, and other members of the organization will compete in judging contests with out of town boys.

The poultry team will officiate under the direction of Principal Harding

in holding a poultry contest, in which the 1935 team will try their skill against such high scoring teams as Pampa and Silverton.

SENIOR REPORT

The committee for commencement exercises has not completed the programs as yet, but the tentative program for the commencement sermon is given below. The seniors feel most fortunate in the securing of the speaker for this occasion.

The program will be held May 13, at 8:15 o'clock at the high school auditorium.

Processional—Mrs. Willie Boyett. Song, "Onward Christian Soldiers." Invocation—Rev. Cecil G. Goff. Mae quartet—Messrs. Sitter, Shelburne, Biggers and Reep Landers. Scripture reading—Rev. W. A. Erwin. Two numbers by Glee Club. Sermon—Rev. Gaston Foote. Benediction—Eld. W. B. Andrews. Recessional—Mrs. Willie Boyett. The seniors are working on "The Clay's the Thing," to be presented soon.

JUNIOR REPORT

The junior class is sponsoring the reproduction of "The Man from Nowhere," the play which was so well presented on last Tuesday evening. The play in its first production was indeed a success. Every part was well acted and each person seemed especially well fitted to his part. The immense audience was an inspiration to the cast. The junior class is attempting to make money for the junior-senior banquet, and as so many people requested it, this play is to be given again.

HOME ECONOMICS

The home economics supervisor visited the local home economics department last week. She commented upon the beautiful fish and flowers in the department. She said that the canning that was done by the second year foods class in the early fall was very nice. She left instructions for some new shelves to be built in the storage

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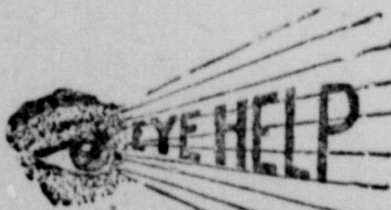
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closet of the foods laboratory, and this has been done. Also, as the recommended, the furniture in the foods laboratory is receiving a new coat of paint, which will make the department much more attractive.

Out of the Past

By Eld. W. B. Andrews
Minister Church of Christ

Have you ever been busy through a day and then looked back at its closing and seen little or nothing accomplished? This is a story of a man who said he was "busy here and there," and in spite of the things that claimed his attention, the whole day found himself condemned to death for neglect of his duty.

There had been given to him a prisoner whom he was told to guard with his life. That was his whole mission for the day, but there were many other things he wanted to do. He found a number of things that could not wait until tomorrow. He did not intend his prisoner to escape, but while he was doing the less important things the man eluded him.

Evening came and with it came the reckoning. Perhaps he was surprised at the loss of his charge. Hadn't he been working hard? He had had no idle hour the whole day long, but now he must die for neglect. He had not learned the necessity of putting first things first. His life is our lesson.

Jesus went to Bethany one day and visited in the home of two sisters. One of them was concerned about the house while the other sat at His feet to hear any word He might speak. They were both busy, but one was approved while the other was censured by the Master. Of the one who sat and listened, Jesus said, "She hath chosen the better part."

Sometimes people in business find themselves too busy with social duties, sports and other things to attend to their business. They may never be idle, but a business just won't run itself.

There has been put in each of us an undying something called a soul. Our chief purpose in life is to cultivate that spirit; to keep it alive and sensitive to the Master's will. But there are a great many who find no time in their busy lives to attend to this captive, and as sunset comes they find lives filled with things of little moment. The captive escapes. A life is worse than wasted that neglects the thing that gives man supremacy over all other things of earth. The whole duty of man has been put in one sentence: "Fear God and keep His commandments." Jesus put it: "Seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness."

Everett Watkins of Borger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watkins, last week.

Mrs. Dick Dickenson and daughter and Mrs. Ida Porter visited in Lubbock last week.

Homer Abbott was in Pampa last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Abbott of Shamrock were in McLean last Wednesday.

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By Charles McManus



DIVERSIFIED FARMING BENEFITS GREATER

To the cotton farmer who has already reduced his cotton acreage by diversifying with other crops and livestock in previous years, and who feels the government cotton program is unfair to him, the corn-hog contract may offer interesting possibilities.

Suppose a farmer changed from an all-cotton farm system to half cotton and half feed a few years ago. He milks cows and feeds hogs and raises chickens for a steady year round living, and takes his cotton money in the fall for paying the bigger bills.

In many such instances it works out that the diversified farmer may sign a corn-hog contract to reduce corn acreage or hog production or both, and receive government benefit checks that will total just as much or even more than those received by the all-cotton farmer.

THE OBITUARY PAGE

Important subjects are not always pleasant ones. There are many things more cheering and pleasant to talk about than death, but few are more important.

It has been said that man discovers the obituary page when he is very quiet. He opens it and reaches the age of about forty-five.

We may study many things in an impersonal, abstract way; but not so with death. This is a personal matter. It comes to all. Every day thousands go this way; no one knows when he may pass the gerat divide.

To desire life, to want to live, to fight death, are instincts planted in man by God. It was God's original plan that man should never die. Although sin has entered the human family, bringing death in its wake, yet the desire to live is as strong today as when planted by God in the human breast.

The grave has no charms. Even the thought of it sends a shudder over us. We think of our loved ones who have been snatched away by death, and our eyes well up with tears. The whole earth is in mourning because of the cruel hand of death.

But the day is soon coming when there shall be no more death." Rev. 21:4. This very thought cheers our hearts. To live in a land where there will be no mortuaries or funeral coaches will be a blessed privilege.

It will be well for every person, young and old, to discover the obituary page. This is what Moses meant when he prayed, "So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom." Psalm 90:12.—Selected.

The paper published in a certain state penitentiary has recently been forced to suspend publication because there were no printers in that institution to set the type and get out the paper. This circumstance is considered very creditable to the craft.

Lucinda was testing the devotion of Rastus, and she said: "Suppose it's a dark night an' we're in a deep woods an' a boa-constrictor comes wigglin' through the grass an' a wildcat a boundin' through the brush an' a lion roarin' an' makin' fer us a mile a minute. What's in'er you do?"

Rastus scratched his head and exclaimed: "Dar ain't goin' to be no 'we'. I ain't a goin' to be there, no suh!"

Cora—"Would you marry a man for his money?"

Dora—"Not exactly. But I'd want him to have a lovely disposition, and if he didn't have money he'd very likely be worried and ill-natured."

Scene Will Change at 1934 Fair



As the visitor travels up the Avenue of Flags from the north entrance of A Century of Progress at Chicago, which again opens on June 1 of this year, he is impressed with the magnificent entrance to the building just ahead. It is the north entrance of the Hall of Science.

Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Cubine and son, John Clayburn; Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine visited at Carter, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lamb and daughter were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grundy of Lefors visited the lady's sister, Mrs. L. E. West, Sunday.

Miss Eula Lee Thompson of Canyon visited Miss Irene Caldwell last week end.

G. B. Rush visited in Lubbock last week end.

Cleve Goodrum was in Pampa Sunday.

Miss Jewel Turner visited in Pampa Sunday.

Bill Harris of Hedley visited his brother, John, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddget visited relatives in Oklahoma last week.

Mr. F. H. Bourland and son, Laurence, were in Amarillo Friday.

L. B. Godwin is a new reader of The News.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Bruce of Alanreed were in McLean Wednesday.

Mrs. Clarence Beasley of Shamrock visited Mrs. J. C. Payne Wednesday.

W. H. Coon of Dalhart was in McLean Thursday.

Tom Kirby of Jericho was in McLean Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Porter of Shamrock visited in McLean last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Puckett were Shamrock visitors Sunday.

Marvin C. Davis was in Pampa Friday.

Brady McCoy of Canyon visited home folks here last week.

Mrs. J. W. Kibler was in White Deer Wednesday.

Mrs. Bob Bond was in Pampa last Thursday.

Mrs. E. L. Exley was in Pampa last Thursday.

W. B. Upham was in Shamrock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan visited in Amarillo last week.

Miss Addie B. Mantooth visited in Clarendon last week.

RAIN TODAY

Following some of the coldest weather of the winter, a slow rain began falling early this morning (Thursday), with threatening clouds as we go to press.

Justice of Peace—"Do you mean to say, Rastus, that you struck this man under conditions utterly uncontrollable to you?"

Rastus—"Yessuh, Jedge, das wat I means."

J. P.—"Well, please explain just how that was, will you?"

Rastus—"Well, you see, Jedge, hit was like this—jes' supposen some fellah comes along what you don't likes anyhow an' he hauls off and calls you a thick-lipped, wooly-headed son of a . . . 'I can't say de res' of it, Jedge, wouldn't you up wid yo' fls' an' hit him, Jedge?"

J. P.—"I cannot rule on that, Rastus, for I am not thick-lipped and wooly-headed."

Rastus—"Yassuh, I understands dat, Jedge, but jes' supposen he calls you de kine what you is."

Mrs. John W. Cooper has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp were in Shamrock Saturday.

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CANST THOU BEAT IT?

Consider the editor! A child is born unto the wife of a merchant in town. The physician getteth 35 plunks. The editor writeth a stick and a half and telleth the multitude that the child tippeth the beam at nine pounds. Yea, he lieth even as a centurian. And the proud father giveth him a Cremo.

Behold the young one groweth up and graduateth. And the editor putteth in the paper a swell piece. Yea, a peach of a notice. He telleth of the wisdom of the young woman and of her exceeding comeliness. Like unto the roses of Sharon is she, and her gown is played up to beat the band. And the dressmaker getteth two score and four iron men. And the editor getteth a note of thanks from the sweet girl graduate (maybe!) And the daughter goeth on a journey. And the editor throweth himself on the story of the farewell party. It runneth a column solid. And the fair one remembereth him from afar with a picture postal card that costeth six for a jitney.

Behold, she returneth, and the youth of the town fall down and worship. She picketh one, and lo, she picketh a lemon. But the editor calleth him one of our promising young men and getteth away with it. And they send unto the editor a bid for the wedding, and behold, the bids are fashioned in a far city.

Flowery and long is the wedding notice which the editor printeth. The minister getteth his bit.

The editor printeth a death notice, two columns of obituary; three lodge notices, a cubit of poetry and a card of thanks. And he forgetteth to read proof on the dead, and the darn thing cometh out "Come to Her Last Roasting Place."

And all the while An amateur actor was singing, "For Bonnie Annie Laurie, I'd Lay Me Down and Die."

Voice from the audience—"Is Miss Laurie in the audience?"

pulleth out their ads and cancelleth their subs, and they swing the hammer even unto the third and fourth generations.—Eagle, Delano, Minn.

DON'T QUIT

When things go wrong, as they sometimes will, When the road you're trudging seems all up hill,

When funds are low and the debts are high, And you want to smile but you have to sigh,

When care is pressing you down a bit, Rest if you must, but don't you quit. Life is queer with its twists and turns,

As everyone of us sometimes learns, Any many a failure turns about. When he might have won had he stuck it out.

Don't give up, though the pace seems slow— You may succeed with another blow. Often the goal is nearer than it seems to a faltering man.

Often the struggler has given up When he might have captured the victor's cup.

And he learned too late, when the night slipped down, How close he was to the golden crown. Success is failure turned inside out— The silver lining of the clouds of doubt.

And you can never tell how close you are, It may be near when it seems afar; So stick to the fight when you're hardest hit— It's when things seem worst that you mustn't quit.

—Anonymous.

Mrs. Sam Hodges was a visitor Amarillo last Wednesday.

Sheriff C. E. Pipes of Pampa in McLean Saturday.

Mrs. P. V. Dishman of Hedley visited relatives here Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Dishman was a visitor Amarillo Friday.

Troy West of Borger was in McLean Wednesday.

Johnnie R. Back was in Pampa Tuesday.

J. A. Meador was in Lefors Friday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to carry following announcements, subject to the action of the Democratic Party in July:

For Representative, 122nd District:

JOHN PURYEAR

For County Clerk:

CHARLIE THUT

J. V. NEW

For Tax Assessor-Collector:

F. E. LEECH

EDWIN G. NELSON

For Sheriff:

C. E. (Tiny) PIPES

For Co. Supt. of Schools:

JOHN B. HESSEY

W. B. WEATHERED

For County Treasurer:

D. R. HENRY

For County Judge:

C. E. CARY

For District Clerk:

W. S. BAXTER

FRANK HILL

For District Attorney:

LEWIS M. GOODRICH

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

W. W. WILSON

"Trade at Home"

ALSO APPLIES TO

Printing

Having your printing done at home helps keep McLean dollars circulating in McLean—and, at what time were they ever more needed at home than now?

How can a business man expect all the home trade when he himself buys his printing and office forms from mail order houses or from high pressure traveling salesmen in order to save (?) possibly a few dollars a year? We are glad that there are very few business men of this kind in McLean. But there are enough such little orders here and there to support a McLean family or two that would spend they money they earn at home. What would you think of your newspaper man if he bought socks from the house-to-house peddler or through the mail?

Think about this, Mr. Business Man. Are you building McLean and her institutions, or are you helping the people of Austin, San Antonio, Dallas, or some out-of-state city?

Your dollars are needed at home, Mr. Business Man, Give your next printing order to—

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UNFAIR

By O. L. D. T.

When you say a man is unfair, he considers it a great insult. If you say he is unfair, he will look around like a "possum" and say "I looked at you from the same angle that I looked at a ne . . . I once possessed a little girl that had lost its shape a . . . to feed or run up to a pig . . . girls made fun of it, so . . . in some weeds by the road. The neighbor b . . . to come across it and . . . he brought it straight ar . . . my mother and told her . . . my hat. After a while . . . and my mother told m . . . Pore had brought in my . . . I looked at it with a sad . . . and said, "Mama, I wish . . . made that boy." This . . . deemed unfair to the bo . . . tentions were the best . . . I was in a bank once . . . nice little girl stepped . . . daddy and said, "Papa . . . dimes to buy a pound of . . . corn with," and he sa . . . don't need any popcorn." . . . "Now, daddy, when you . . . you go and buy that," . . . not get the dime. I c . . . unfair to her. When . . . down to the pool ha . . . games till far into th . . . leaves till his wife and chil . . . with barely enough to . . . and spends his money . . . and lets them make out . . . own, he is unfair and . . . When a man takes h . . . helps a bootlegger pay . . . new, glistening car, h . . . himself first, and then . . . to society, his family, h . . . and his creator. I lived in a commun . . . had two music instruct . . . paid a fixed salary, r . . . car, smoked good cigars . . . the picture show at w . . . was one of the nicest . . . I ever knew; a real la . . . school. A farmer wen . . . neighbor's cotton patch . . . this lady picking cot . . . look of surprise on his . . . "What does this mean . . . said, "I taught music . . . weeks from the time . . . and not a soul offer . . . any money. I had to . . . money somehow, so thi . . . sure way I knew to s . . . you think the commun . . . in this case? Lastly, if a man to . . . half the night trying . . . some other fellow's fan . . . most unfair of them . . . eventually fall into t . . . woman. On the oth . . . despond. Takes a hard . . . wages and buys all h . . . cooked, all her clothes . . . and gads about lots an . . . about saving something . . . day (or a dry day in . . . she will eventually fall . . . same slough, or final . . . all the unfair. The way some me . . . wives, no wonder a . . . the following: Bring out your rubber . . . Bring out your rubber . . . I'm taking my man to . . . And I aint a gonna b

BAND MATTERS

The mothers of the high school band met afternoon and perfect session with Mrs. D. president, and Mrs. secretary and publicit

The first objective of the band will be a banquet, to be given ton at the Chevrolet gara

The following comm: entertainment, Mrs. C. S. Doo Cooke; refreshment, Mrs. M. E. Flot Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. B. daughter, Thelma Jo. Oklahoma City

Mrs. Martha Han her children in kinde

Mrs. D. Shelburne an