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The mystery of the old picture in last week's paper was solved in short order! The group pictured is the Shaw family: Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, Jewell, Jinks, Wade, Dude, and I.D. The picture was found in the old Shaw home when it was being torn down. Thanks to all our callers for identifying the picture.

From Lyndell Williams column in the TPA Messenger: "One of the problems with being a newspaper publisher is that you can go through your entire career without ever learning if you made more friends or more enemies."

One publisher who did get a reaction from his community was the fellow who slipped on the ice and broke his leg. While he was in the hospital, he received a get-well card from the local chamber of commerce on which the secretary had written this message: "The board of directors of the chamber of commerce has instructed me to extend best wishes for a speedy recovery. The vote was 5 to 4."

Don't forget that the McLean Schools will be dismissed Friday at 2:30 p.m. and will not reconvene until Jan. 5. Superintendent Carl Dwyer said that the school will make up for the days missed during the snow during the Easter vacation.

I hope you take advantage of the home decorating contest this year. This is the first year in a long time that McLean has had a contest for exterior home Christmas decorations. The deadline for entering is Friday (tomorrow), and the judges will visit McLean and look at the outside of the houses entered Sunday night.

Our special thanks to Brad Dalton who assisted us in decorating two light poles on our block in downtown. Linda Ridgway paid for the decorations on one, and the News paid for the other one, but we could never have gotten the decorations up without Brad's ladder, and his willing helpfulness.

The News also needs to thank Allen Patman who made us a very clever black-and-gold Tiger Christmas tree. If you've never seen a black-and-gold tree, come by the News office, and see ours.

The McLean News will publish a paper for Christmas-day, and we will take the next week off! Normally we would have eliminated the last paper in the year, but the calendar played tricks with our schedule. So you will not get a paper Jan. 1. The News staff plans to catch up on some house work, take some trips, and just generally relax without the pressure of a weekly deadline.

A press release from State Representative Foster Whaley's office had some interesting facts about our area. According to Whaley the Texas Commissioner of Agriculture's office reported that Gray County ranks second among the ten counties in this congressional district in income from

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Date	High	Low
12-9-80	41	23
12-10-80	55	26
12-11-80	67	35
12-12-80	70	36
12-13-80	45	37
12-14-80	58	30
12-15-80	63	36



You Called This A Tie, Ref?

TIGERETTE DONNA McANEAR and a Shamrock player struggle for the ball during the Tigerette's first home game last week. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Tigers, Tigerettes Host Shamrock For First Home Game

The McLean Tigers and Tigerettes hosted the Shamrock Irish in their first home game of the season last week, and took one victory out of the three games played.

The Tigerettes played an even game with the visiting Lassies through the first half and then came from behind in the fourth quarter to win 34 to 26. Donna McAnear led the scoring with 10 points, although scoring for the Tigerettes was pretty even. Leslie Skipper scored 8, Missy Billingsley scored 5, Rozanna Eck hit 4, and Susie Billingsley scored 2 points.

The Tigers were not so fortunate with their games however, with the junior varsity boys losing 60 to 24 in the first game of the evening. Scott Stubbs scored 12 points for the JV Tigers.

The varsity boys lost 63 to 28 to the hard-driving Irish. Shamrock jumped to a 15 to 4 lead in the first quarter, and never relinquished control of the game. Scoring for the Tigers were Tim Smith, 8; Mike Lane, 7; James Matheny, 4; David Via, 4; and Billy Joe Skipper, 3.

On Thursday the Tigers and Tigerettes travelled to Samnorwood for the annual Samnorwood Tournament. The boys lost the first game, won the second and lost the third in the tournament while the girls lost their first two games.

In the boys game Thursday, Samnorwood outscored the Tigers 56 to 49. The tournament host team jumped to a 18 to 8 first quarter lead, and led the Tigers 33 to 22 at the end of the first half. James Matheny hit 19 points for the Tigers, and Mike Lane scored 12. Tim Smith hit 8 and Tim Killham scored 6.

In the second game for the Tigers, McLean played even ball with Briscoe despite a 38 point scoring orgy by Morgan of Briscoe. The Tigers led 29 to 27 at half-time, and then the game evened out, with the lead changing several times in the fourth period. The Tigers won by one point, 52-51. David Via scored 14 points for the Tigers, James Matheny scored 11, and

Mike Lane scored 10.

In the final game for the Tigers, the McLean team met Estelline Saturday in a foul-plagued match. Estelline made 22 trips to the free throw line, but McLean never shot a free throw. Estelline led the Tigers 32 to 20 at the end of the first half, and won the game 54 to 46. Scoring for the Tigers were Tim Smith, 14; Theron Stubbs and David Via, 8; James Matheny, 6; Bill Hambright and Mike Lane, 4; and Timmy Killham, 2.

In girls action, Samnorwood defeated McLean 69 to 36. Scoring for the Tigerettes were Leslie Skipper and Tammy Killham, 9; Missy Billingsley, 7; Nora Gately, 3; Donna McAnear and Rozanna Eck, 2.

High School Roll Announced

Students who achieved grades of 90 and above, and 80 and above were listed on the McLean High School honor roll, last week, according to Ron Cummings, McLean High School principal.

On the 90 and above roll were juniors Missy Billingsley, Rene Conner, and Donna McAnear; sophomores Teresa Woods; and freshmen Allen Patman and Bryan Smitherman. There were no seniors on the list.

On the 80 and above roll were

seniors Jo Ann Durham, Rozanna Eck, Jamie Glass, Bill Hambright, Teresa Killham, Mike Lane, Brett Simmons, and Rhonda Woods; juniors Susie Billingsley, April Bryant, Nora Gately, Terri Glass, Pete Skipper, Leslie Skipper, Theron Stubbs, and Cindy Glass; sophomore Brock Crockett, Debbie Hutchison, Robbin Skinner, and Stefanie Houdyshell; and freshmen Kristi Conklin, Doyle Lee, Gregg Mann, and Lance Stovall.

Santa Claus Is Coming To Town!

Santa Claus, the merry old elf who is responsible for Christmas happiness among millions of children, will pay a personal visit to McLean Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m., according to a press release from the North Pole.

Claus, who visits McLean each December 24, will make the early visit so that he can find out what each child wants delivered Christmas Eve night. Claus told The McLean News that inflation has cut into his toy budget this year, but that he was trying to provide most of the toys that the children around the world asked for. "I'm just glad that the sleigh uses reindeer power, instead of

gasoline," the jolly red-checked elf laughed. "Reindeer feed has not gone up near as much as gasoline," he observed. The McLean Lions Club is helping host Santa's visit to McLean. According to publicity officials in Claus' organization, he should arrive on a McLean Fire Department fire truck about 2 p.m.

Council Asks Residents To Decorate Downtown, Plans To Buy Christmas Ornaments Next Year

McLean City Council, faced with the problem of replacing worn-out Christmas decorations, but unable to come up with the money to buy new ornaments, voted Dec. 9 to encourage individuals, clubs, and organizations to decorate parts of the downtown area, especially utility poles, in order that the townspeople not miss the traditional Christmas decorations. The council plans to initiate a community project to buy new holiday decorations in time for the 1981 Christmas season.

In other business during the regular meeting, Mayor Sam Haynes read a letter from lawyer Don Lane who stated that, in his opinion, he felt it would not be legal for McLean City Council to subsidize a doctor in order to attract one to the city. The city had been approached to help sponsor a doctor by guaranteeing a thousand dollars a month for several months. In another letter, Lane advised that charging selected deposits for borrowing books from McLean's Lovett Memorial Library would be legal only when the borrower had an out-of-town address, or a hotel or motel address. After discussing possible legal implications the council decided not to charge deposits at the library.

Boyd Meador and Margaret Coleman were reappointed to the McLean Lovett Memorial Library board, and Nona Mann was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the late Alice Short Smith. Mrs. Mann's term will be for one year. The council voted to help finance a civil defense repeater station to be located on the water tower. The city will pay \$100 toward the cost of installation. Councilman Meador suggested that those responsible for installing the antennae sign a form relieving the city of responsibility in case of an

injury. McLean Fire Department asked the city to buy five joints of 2 1/2 inch fire hose. The council approved a motion to purchase the equipment with revenue sharing funds.

Ordinance 198 was read and approved. The ordinance settled property lines on a parcel of land at Walnut and Morse. Bids for the city's used pipe were opened and rejected. The council agreed to re-advertise the pipe in order to get a better price on it.

City superintendent Bob Glenn requested that, in lieu of unused vacation time, city employee Chester Bohlar be paid for the time worked, and that Glenn also receive payment for two weeks extra work. The council unanimously approved the motion to recompense the two. Councilman Dale Glass

declared eligible for the UDAG program, which helps communities to re-establish industry.

City employee Harlan Poole was presented a gift for 32 years of service to the city. Mayor Haynes said "We sincerely appreciate the 32 years of hard work. We hope Poole works for the city a long time."

In presenting the gift, Councilman Terry commented "We think Poole is one of the finest hands any city could ever have."

Mayor Haynes announced that McLean's population now has been tentatively set at 1157 by the U.S. Census Bureau.

Attending the meeting were Haynes, Stella Lee, Dale Glass, George Terry, Boyd Meador, Bob Glenn, Miro Pakan, Charles Milam, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Poole, and Lisa Patman.

Tomorrow Is Deadline To Enter Contest

Friday is the deadline to enter your home or a neighbor's home in the McLean Chamber of Commerce Christmas Decorating Contest, according to contest officials. Those who wish to enter their home or a neighbor's home in the competition should go to the Pot Pourri Shop, The McLean News, or Parson's Drug, and

give their name and street address. Only houses which have been registered will be judged.

The out-of-town judges will visit McLean Sunday night about 8:30 p.m. to judge the houses. Prizes of \$50, \$35, and \$25 in "McLean" money will be given to the homes judged first, second, and third. "McLean

Money" is money which can only be spent with McLean merchants.

The Chamber is sponsoring the event in an effort to promote civic pride in McLean, Chamber officials said.

Winners of the contest will be announced in next week's McLean News.

McLean Chamber of Commerce

CHRISTMAS DECORATION CONTEST

Name _____ Return coupon to:
McLean News
Box H
McLean, Texas 79057

Street Address _____

Lions Are Sponsoring Drive For Girlstown

The Lions Clubs of District 27-1 are sponsoring their 12th annual Coat and Shoe Fund Drive for Girlstown, U.S.A. East of the 124 girls residing at the Austin, Borger, Lubbock and Whiteface campuses of Girlstown, U.S.A. will be given a gift certificate to be used to purchase a new coat, shoes and other needed clothing for Christmas.

"Some of these girls come to Girlstown with only the clothing they are wearing," said District

Governor Lynn Cherry. "For many of these young ladies this will be the first time in their lives to have a new piece of clothing for their own", said the District Governor.

Any funds raised in excess of the clothing expenses will go toward the purchase of a new van for the Borger campus. Of course, the Lions will accept donations in any amount; however, those persons or groups giving \$100 or more will have their donation designated for a particular girl and they will

receive a thank-you letter from that girl.

"Our giving to this fund is showing these girls that someone really does care about them," said Nolan Grady, the Lions District Girlstown Chairman. "All of us have a need to be loved, especially these girls during this time of their lives," he said.

Tax deductible contributions should be sent to: Girlstown Christmas Fund, Box 67, Amarillo, Texas 79105.

Shaw Elected To Committee

Results of the recent election of a County Committeeman was announced today by Evelyn Mason, County Executive Director, Gray County ASCS. James I. Shaw was elected to a three year term on the Committee to start on January 1, 1981. Shaw will replace Tony Smitherman on the County Committee to represent McLean area. He will serve along with other county committeemen, Keith Davis and Henry Harnly.

The committee is in charge of local programs in the county and reviews and approved most applications for benefits under ASCS program.

Also in the recent election the McLean Community Committee were elected with Billy J. Skipper, Clyde Brown and Tony Smitherman serving for one year on the McLean Community Committee. The duties of the Community Committee are to assist the County Committee in anyway needed.



Looking For Santa

KAREN, 9, OF THE Borger campus of Girlstown, USA, models the coat she wants while her sister, Becky, 11, shows the shoes she hopes to receive for Christmas. The Lions Clubs in Districts 27-1 need your help to make Becky's, Karen's and the other residents of Girlstown have their Christmas dreams come true. [Photo Courtesy of Girlstown]

OPINIONS

VIEWS ARE WRITTEN BY LINDA HAYNES, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED - IF YOU HAVE AN OPINION ON ANY CURRENT SUBJECT WE WELCOME YOUR SIGNED LETTERS.

Small Town Tongues

A lot of people around here always thought that boy would come to a bad end. A boy I called him...but he was really a man by the time he got the death sentence for his crimes.

He seemed like a nice enough kid, though...the way he took care of his mother after his daddy died...helped out with that huge passel of kids that were left. Course, he was the oldest, so it was sort of his responsibility to take care of his mother and the kids.

But I've been here long enough that I remember before he was born, how his daddy started courtin' the little girl who was his mother. I always said he was too old for her, and then they got married so quick and the baby came early, too early. It created a scandal, I tell you. But it didn't seem to affect that momma and daddy. They always treated that boy like he was something special, even when he was a little kid. I guess they just spoiled him rotten.

I remember that not too long after the boy was born the daddy got into some sort of trouble with the law and took the family off and stayed away from here for a few years. I figured it was 'cause they didn't want anybody to know how early that baby was born.

But after they came back they entered right into church life, and the life of the community. In fact the boy seemed to have a special feeling for church, and maybe that's where all the trouble started.

There were some wild preachers back in those days. The boy and some of his friends went to hear one of 'em, and he and his friends even got baptized, the old fashioned way...dunked in a river.

And that was about the time he just took off. A grown man...just walked out and left his momma...and took up with the sorriest bunch of poverty-stricken rejects you ever saw. They started going around the country, doing crazy things, saying they were gonna start a new church, and you can bet that the rumors got back here. I felt so sorry for his momma.

No, sir, the last few years he lived, he sure wasn't welcome in this town.

You just wouldn't believe all the stories that started coming back about some of the escapades he and his buddies pulled. And if I had time, I'd tell you all of them.

But suffice it to say, that he ended up like you might guess...caught in the big city, tried and convicted, and last spring he was executed. I don't know what happened to his friends...I guess they just drifted away after he died.

I can tell you that we sure hope our small town doesn't have any more like him for awhile.

Yes, sir, here in Nazareth, we've had all the bad publicity we can stand.

NEWS OF OUR NEIGHBORS

Venezuela Hopes To Strike It Richer In Gold

Caracas (Inter-Am)—Venezuela, already Latin America's number one oil producer, hopes to become its principal gold miner, too.

Official sources here expect that future gold production will top more than 5,000 kilograms annually. Colombia now leads Latin America in gold production with approximately 9,000 kilos annually, followed by Mexico which produces 4,000 kilos. The leader worldwide is South Africa with 600,000 kilograms annually.

A spokesman for the Ministry of Energy and Mines said that the national company MINERVEN has increased its exploration and mining in a 1,000 kilometer zone extending along the Orinoco River basin.

The company recently took over foreign companies' mineral concessions and is considering beginning operations at 10 to 15 mines.

In the same area another company, La Venezolana de Oro, extracts 360 kilograms annually.

Increasing gold prices in the world markets have now made the prospect of finding gold in this region a much more profitable venture than it was just a short time ago.

J.P. Doodles

by Barry McWilliams



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agriculture. Apparently our county grossed \$74 million last year from agriculture.

Floyd County was first with \$107 million agricultural income, and Wheeler County was third with \$44 million ag income.

McLean responded overwhelmingly to the blood drive the city Monday. The drive for Melissa Thompson netted 41 pints in McLean, and 12 in Wheeler which replaced the 32 pints needed for the little girl. Melissa used 16 pints of platelets during her recent illness. The balance of the blood will be credited to the accounts of McLean and Wheeler at the Coffee Memorial Blood bank in Amarillo.

Monday was my first time to donate blood, even though I have been a recipient before. I'll have to admit that I almost chickened out at the door, but when I saw about 25 high school kids lined up to give blood, I knew I couldn't run. Do you know of anyplace else where the high school kids care enough and are tough enough, to donate blood in such a worthy cause?

I learned that the process of donating blood is not at all painful, even though the needles are scary. However, the next time a blood drive comes to McLean, I sure won't hesitate to donate.

Besides, how can old folks refuse to give when our kids are so willing?

Several of us began to wonder if The McLean News office was haunted Monday. One little customer, Perry Adams said she was sure she heard a kitty crying. No one seemed to hear the noise when Peggy did, but a few minutes later we all began to hear the sound, but no cat was to be found.

About that time, a lady parked outside the office started her car and began backing out into the street, when I realized that the cat sound was coming from her car. I ran out into the street and asked her to stop, and since son Scott was standing nearby, I asked him to crawl under the car and look for the cat.

Now, Scott is used to strange requests from his mother, and I am sure that I have embarrassed him on many occasions by demanding that he do something nice for someone, but here we were out in the middle of the street with traffic stopped, and Scott was crawling around under the car looking for a mysterious cat.

Besides the fact that he was wearing his good clothes, he was on his way to the bank to do some business, so he was not too thrilled about rolling around out in the street. However, much to his surprise there really was a tiny kitten under the car. The kitten clinging to the muffler of the car, waiting to be rescued.

Finally Scott retrieved the cat, the ladies went on their way, and we quit blocking traffic, but the strange part of the story is that Scott realized that the kitten was his! and he was sure he had left the little animal locked up at home.

The story had a happy ending, anyway. The kitten was rescued with no apparent injuries, Scott didn't lose his cat, and nobody at the bank cared that he had dirt and grease all over his clothes.

THIS CHRISTMAS, GET A HOLD ON LIFE... WEAR YOUR SEATBELT!



When a traffic accident occurs, there are TWO collisions. The initial crash and the second collision happens when the driver and passengers strike something inside their car or truck. Wearing your seatbelts can prevent the second and most deadly collision. The Troopers of the Department of Public Safety ask you to wear your seatbelt this Christmas and always.

(A message from this newspaper and your Highway Patrol)

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



"Wul ole hoss, I didn't specially care fer you or that calf, but I shore wish you'd bring that new rope back!"

"COW POKES" IS BROUGHT TO YOU BY THE FRIENDLY FOLKS AT American National Bank in McLean FDIC

LINES by LEM O'RICKK

J. Carter is on the way out, Which will make some happy, no doubt; But he'll find there in Plains, Less of stresses and strains And peanut prices very stout!

3) Buying more insurance protection with the amount offered or

4) Leaving the sum with the insurance company who will pay you interest on it.

Cash Value: A whole life policy in force may be worth a specified amount of money if you turn it in should you no longer need the protection or you cannot afford the premiums. The cash value increases through the years that you hold the policy.

Policy Loans: You can borrow money at a favorable interest rate on a whole life policy. The more cash value the policy has, the more you can borrow. However, the death benefit of the policy is reduced by the amount of any outstanding loan.

Tax Shelter: As the cash value builds over the years a policy is in force, this increase in value is sheltered from income taxes. There may be some incidence of tax at the time the policy is surrendered. Money invested outside insurance policies (or municipal bonds), earns interest that is taxable each year.

Another tax benefit comes at the point of settlement when the insurance money, received income tax free, is available to settle estate taxes.

Savings Factor: Insurance premiums for cash-value policies provide a discipline to save for those whose spending habits are detrimental to a planned savings program. The automatic buildup of cash value of an insurance policy provides a nest of funds that might otherwise not develop.

DMIC advises that you read over and compare offers of life insurance coverage that come through the mail or advertisements that appear in newspapers and magazines for the financial opportunities they provide.

insurance buyer's helper

LOOKING FOR A FINANCIAL FRIEND

You have a financial friend stashed away with your important papers. It's your whole life insurance policy and the Direct Marketing Insurance Council (DMIC) has some advice on how to make economic use of it.

DMIC is the association of insurance companies that offer insurance to consumers by mail as well as support insurance agent sales through direct marketing.

How can your life insurance policy help you? Some areas DMIC advises you to check are:

Dividends: Companies offering participating policies may pay insurance dividends, a partial refund of premiums paid. A company that does well with its investments, experiences lower than expected mortality and holds down expenses will be able to refund a portion of premiums to policyholders. You may have a choice of

- 1) Taking the dividend in cash,
- 2) Applying it against the premium,

This Year Send Christmas And New Years Greetings To All Your Friends With An Ad In

The McLean News

Season's Greetings

Here's wishing you a warm, wonderful Christmas holiday that's perfect in every way! Enjoy!

YOUR SIGNATURE

Cost \$7.50

Happy Holidays

To all our dearest friends, go heartfelt wishes for a season rich with love and joy, and blessed with warmth and contentment.

Or Set in Type

Cost \$15.00

Will you be sending fewer greeting cards this year because of the increased cost of postage? Many people will.

Of course you'll still want to mail cards to your closest relatives and dearest friends just as you have in past years, but an attractive, yet inexpensive greeting ad appearing in our December 25 issue will still allow you to express your sentiments to everyone in the community. In fact, a greeting ad will reach many of those people who you had not previously reached via mailed greetings.

Just a visit or call to our office is all it takes!!

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MR. AND MRS. CECIL REYNOLDS

Marsha Hickman, Cecil Reynolds Exchange Wedding Vows

Marsha Vogt Hickman and Cecil Lester Reynolds were united in marriage Nov. 6 at 6 p.m. in First Baptist Church in McLean. The Rev. Buell Wells officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The church altar was flanked with bouquets of white and yellow daisies and a white candelabra.

The bride wore a floor-length silk wine-colored dress. The bodice had a lace overlay, and the neckline featured a pleated ruffle. She carried a white lace-covered Bible, topped with a bouquet of white and yellow daisies accented with baby's breath, white satin ribbons and streamers.

Matron of honor was the bride's mother, Gloria Vogt. She wore a mauve dress.

Flower girl was the bride's daughter, Frances Hickman. She wore a long lime green dotted swiss dress trimmed with white lace and carried a white basket of white and yellow daisies and white baby's breath.

Mike Reynolds, the groom's son, was the best man.

Organist Norma Curry played Lohengrin's Wedding March as the bride entered the church, and "I'll Be Loving You Always," as a recessional.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in Mrs. Hickman's home.

The bride's table was covered with a white lace tablecloth and was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake trimmed with white roses and silver leaves. A flowered heart with two doves perched atop matching wedding bands decorated the cake.

Attending the wedding were the Hickman children, Lisa Frank, Frances, and Kerry; the bride's father, Rodney Vogt of Michigan; the bride's mother, Gloria Vogt; Mark and Mike Vogt, the bride's brothers; Carla Ivie of Houston; Lucille Cullison, grandmother of the bride; Frankie Everett of Jackson, Tenn.; Mike, Dudley, and Mitch, sons of the groom; LaRae Sims; and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reynolds, the groom's parents; Sue Ledrick, the groom's sister, and her daughter Denise Frasier of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hommel, the bride's great aunt and uncle.

The couple spent their honeymoon at Quartz Mountain Lodge in Altus. They are now residing in McLean where the groom is employed by the McLean schools.

Fidelas Class Celebrates Christmas

Members of the Fidelas Sunday school class had their Christmas dinner in the basement of First Baptist Church Dec. 14.

Turkey and all the trimmings were enjoyed by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, Safronia Pettit, Mildred Geisler, Susie Trout, Ada Simmons, Opal Hugg, Bertha Smith, Edith Bybee,

Relia Ayers, Marzie Lismann, Vela Young, Essie Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Joe Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stevens. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Jordan and girls, Mr. and Mrs. J.P. Dickinson, Loree Barker, R.B. Kinard, Buell Wells, and from Shamrock, Ed Haynes.

CHRISTMAS CALENDAR

- DECEMBER 19-Last day of school until Jan. 5; school parties; Baptist youth leave for ski trip to Angel Fire, to return Dec. 22; United Methodist Youth Lock-In.
- DECEMBER 20-SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO McLEAN AT 2 P.M.
- DECEMBER 21-Children's program at First United Methodist Church, 6 p.m.
- DECEMBER 23-Youth group from Brazil will give program at 7:30 p.m. at First Baptist Church.
- DECEMBER 24-Come and go open communion, First United Methodist Church, 4 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Christmas program, Heald Methodist Church, 7 p.m.
- DECEMBER 25-CHRISTMAS DAY

Just in time for Christmas Giving-

Skirts, Coats, Velour Tops 30% OFF

CORINNE'S

County, City Officials Will Attend Meeting

Officials of Gray County and the City of McLean will attend the Area IV Planning and Service Area meeting in Hedley tonight (Thursday). The meeting will be one of four area meetings which will discuss the Panhandle Regional Planning Commissions \$5.3 million budget for 1981.

One new board member from each area is scheduled to be selected during the two meetings.

Area IV of the PRPC includes the counties of Briscoe, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hall and Wheeler.

In addition to providing a

budget review, the PRPC staffers attending each meeting will present a preview of the Panhandle Area Agency on Aging's 1981 development plan.

The Area I PSA meeting will be in Dalhart at 7 p.m. for Dallam, Hartley, Moore and

Sherman counties. Area II meeting in Spearman at 7:30 p.m. will be for Hansford, Hemphill, Hutchison, Lipscomb, Ochiltree, and Roberts. Area III meeting in Friona will be held for PSA members from Castro, Deaf Smith, Palmer, Oldham and Swisher counties.



McLEAN BRIEFS

Dewey Pennington underwent surgery last Saturday in St. Anthony Hospital in Amarillo.

Oba Kunkel had surgery Monday in St. Anthony Hospital to repair a broken hip.

Michael Martindale of Pampa spent Saturday and Sunday with his grandparents, Mrs. Minnie Erwin and Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Martindale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ott Davis were in Pampa on business and visited with her sister Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clement.

Among those from out of town attending the funeral services for Juanita Griffith were J.B. Waldrop of Cheyenne, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Logan Cummings of Austin, Mrs. Mary Webb and Mrs. Norma Beshears of Canadian.

Ted Longino of Dallas visited with Eva Peabody and Lavern Carter the last of the week. Mrs. Peabody returned to Dallas with Longino for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Trotter were in Amarillo for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Cook of Shamrock visited in the Ott Davis home Sunday.

Ruth Magee returned home Sunday from Kalamazoo, Mich. where she visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Janice Zimmerman.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howard visited recently with Judy, Jim and Connie Howard in Ruidoso, N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Trew, Carter, Jamie and Judy were in Bryan during the weekend. They attended graduation exercises at A & M University where their son and brother, Dean received his degree in Agriculture Economics.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Trew of Perryton, his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Gill of Miami and her sister and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Stan Thorne of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Lankford and Adria of Red River, N.M. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Arbie Lankford and Mrs. Emily Rippey.

Mrs. A.E. Carpenter was in Wellington Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Glass and Allison of Amarillo visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Terry. Mary Terry returned to Amarillo with them.

Helen Simmons returned home Saturday following a weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless and Mrs. Oma Abbott in Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Pennington were in Amarillo Sunday visiting his brother Dewey Pennington in St. Anthony Hospital, Amarillo.

Mrs. Treva Hernandez and Mrs. Rosa Hernandez of Bowie, Ariz. spent the weekend with Trevas parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wallace.

Mrs. Mary Powell visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Powell in Dumas the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthews, Mrs. Grady Williams, Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew and Mr. and Mrs. Deb Smith were in Pampa Wednesday for graveside services for Price Lee. Mr. Lee was a former McLean resident.

Mrs. Minnie Erwin visited in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Martindale in Pampa, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Reed and children were in Pampa on business Friday.

Mrs. Fred Patterson and Mrs. Wink Gideon visited Mrs. Fayette Barton in Pampa Hospital on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bailey of Miami visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bailey.

Lavern Carter was in Panhandle during the weekend with the Butch Carters.

Mrs. Buck Miller and Mrs. Harvey Hudgins were in Pampa on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Enloe Crisp visited relatives in Dallas during Thanksgiving.

See McLEAN BRIEFS, Page 5

McLean Lodge Has Family Night

Grand Lodge of Texas in Waco was completed Dec. 6 and in conjunction with the event, the McLean lodge held a family night meal and fellowship Dec. 11.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Orphus Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beck and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bogan, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Hupp, Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Kennedy and Judy, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Simmons and Susan, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Winegeart and Angela, Jim Stevens, Robert W. Sprinkles, and Susan Jaros.

Edwin Hogan, district deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, gave the speech. The Hogans are from Pampa.

DPS Investigates Two Wrecks

A St. Louis, Mo. man narrowly escaped serious injury Dec. 12 when the 1979 Chevrolet pickup he was driving left the road and rolled four times. The incident occurred about five miles west of McLean on the construction section of interstate 40. Ricky Lee Phillips, 22, lost control of his vehicle when it left the road and went into a soft spin.

According to investigating

Class Has Christmas Party

By Lucille Cullison

The Mary Martha Sunday School class of First Baptist Church met for a Christmas party in the church fellowship hall Dec. 13 at 2:30 p.m.

Mrs. Lilly Mae Williams was hostess for the party.

A Santa Claus and a lighted miniature Christmas tree and gifts to be exchanged centered a table covered with a red cloth.

The serving table was laid with a white Christmas cloth and centered with Mrs. Santa. Birthday cakes, candy canes, and home made candy were served.

Presiding over the meeting was Loree Barker. Dood Turner gave the opening prayer. The group sang Christmas carols, and Clara Maude Hupp gave the devotional on "The Christmas Story."

Christmas guessing games were led by Mrs. Hupp. Birthday girl was Essie Howard.

Class Has Christmas Party

Christmas gifts were exchanged by the group. Attending were Loree Barker, Bea Lester, Clara Maude Hupp, Verna Hudgins, Lucille Cullison, Dood Turner, Essie Howard, Mary Lou Throckmorton, Jessie Watson, Levie Smith, and Lilly Mae Williams.

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In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



One of our readers (I'm afraid I've forgotten just who!) sent us this recipe to use during Christmas, and we wanted to share it with you.

CHRISTMAS CANDY

By Craig E. Sathoff

When it is Christmas candy time, O any time of year, This peanut brittle recipe Becomes especially dear. You add to one large cooking pan A cup of each of these... White syrup, sugar, water too and blend with gentle ease.

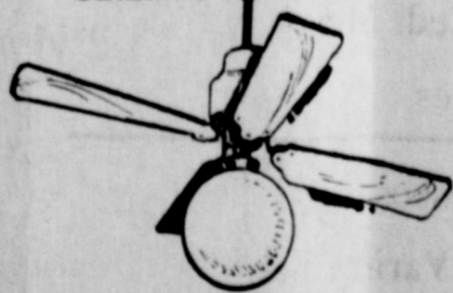
A teaspoonful of table salt, When it is added too, Will mean that you have reached the point When you must cook the brew. So cook it to the soft ball stage And then it's time to add A tablespoon of butter And the peanuts to your pan.

It takes one pound of peanuts That you've purchased in the shell, And shucked yourself ahead of time To make this turn out well. With all ingredients in the pan You cook until it's brown, And take your pan from off the stove- Your candy's almost done.

Stir in one teaspoon soda. Put on a buttered sheet, And let it harden as it will, Then break in chunks your treat. The rest comes very naturally Just eat to suit your will. And have a happy holiday That's peanut brittle filled.

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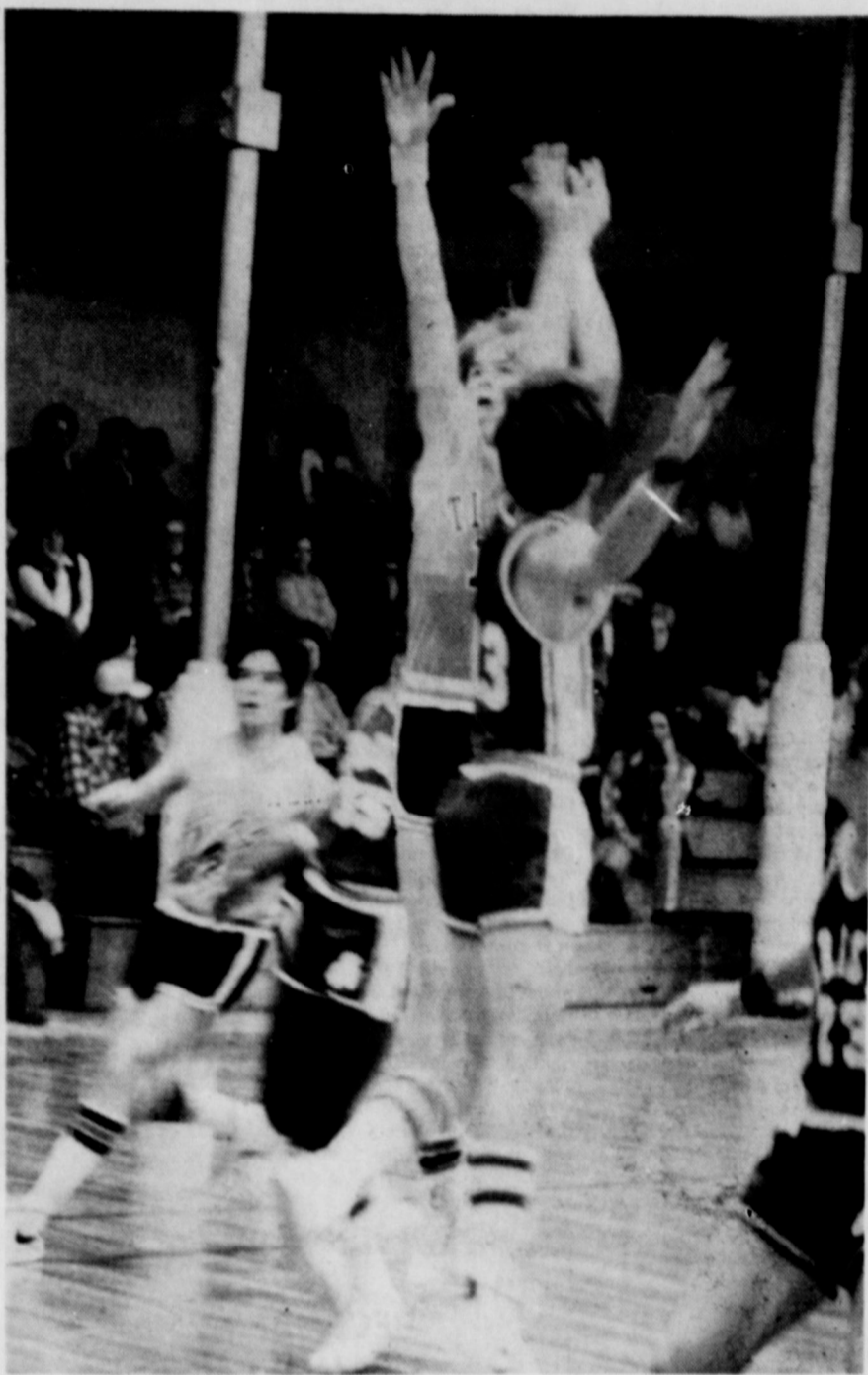
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Jump For The Shot

TIGER MIKE LANE hurls a jump shot during the Shamrock-McLean game last week in McLean. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

VARSIITY BOYS AND GIRLS

- Nov. 21 Silverton there 6:30
 - Nov. 25 Groom here 6:30
 - Dec. 4-5 Wheeler Tournament
 - Dec. 9 Shamrock here 6:30 p.m.
 - Dec. 11-12 Samnorwood Tournament
 - Dec. 16 OPEN
 - Jan. 2 Wellington there 6:30 p.m.
 - Jan. 6 Shamrock there 6:30 p.m.
 - Jan. 8-9 White Deer Tournament
 - Jan. 13 *Lefors here 7 p.m.
 - Jan. 16 *Briscoe there 7 p.m.
 - Jan. 20 *Mobeetie there 6:30 p.m.
 - Jan. 23 *Samnorwood here 7 p.m.
 - Jan. 27 *Allison there 7 p.m.
 - Jan. 30 *Lefors there 7 p.m.
 - Feb. 3 *Briscoe here 7 p.m.
 - Feb. 6 *Mobeetie here 7 p.m.
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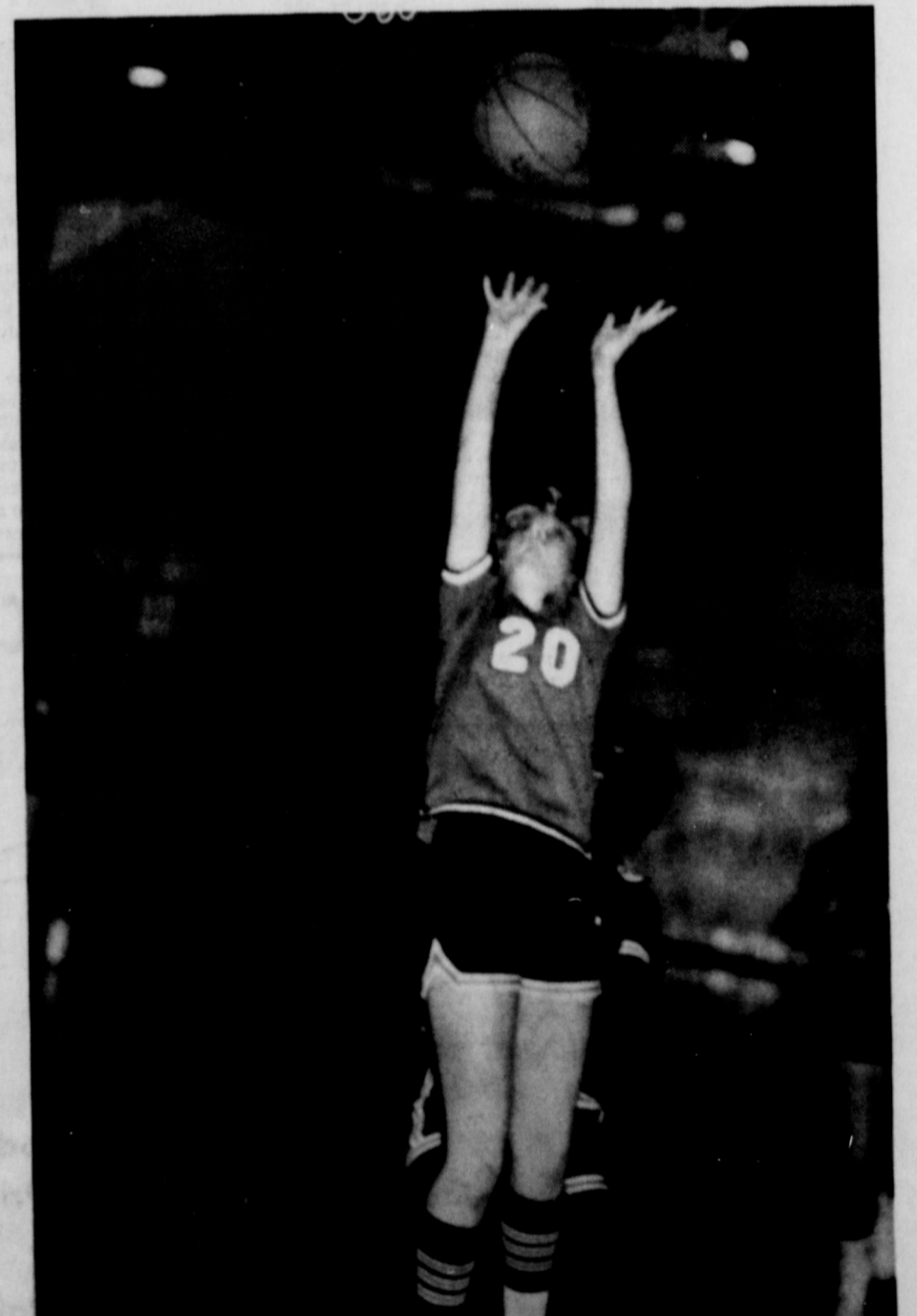
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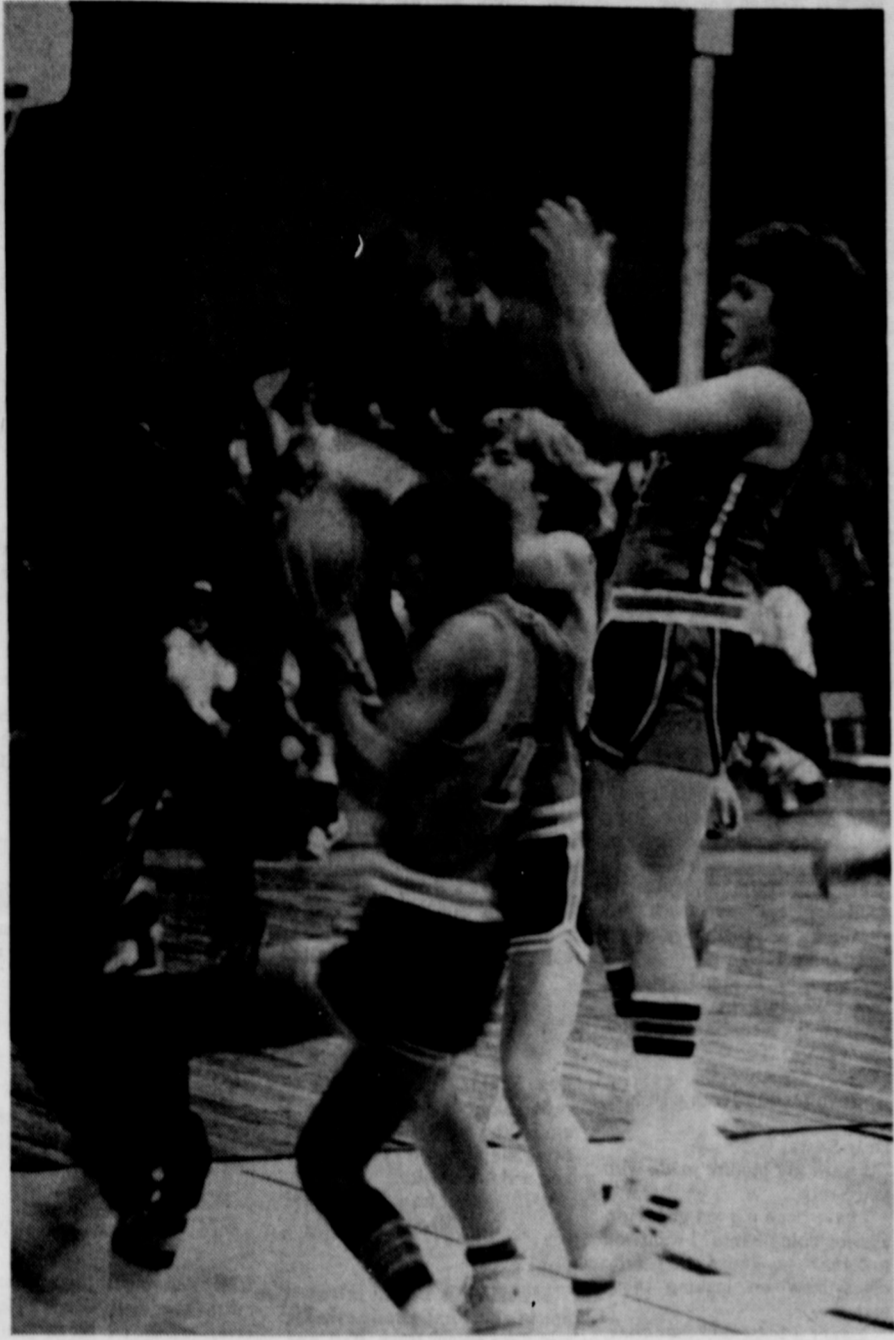
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Is The Ball Coming Or Going?

TIGERETTE SUSIE BILLINGSLEY shoots a high one during the McLean-Shamrock game last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



Don't Hit Me Again!

TIGERS TIM KILLHAM [with the ball], Mike Lane, and Spooky Smith are all trying to set up a shot during the McLean-Shamrock game last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

College To Offer Typing Class

A beginning typing course will be offered at Clarendon College starting in January and will be for students who have never had a typing course before, but who wish to develop the skill.

This will be an opportunity for students majoring in fields other than in the secretarial field who wish to learn to type as an aid to their particular occupation.

It will also be a good opportunity for adults to develop this skill in order to be more qualified in certain job areas.

Students will learn the basic skills involved in being able to type at 30-40 words a minute, type an acceptable business-type letter, and learn other skills necessary for so many occupations.

Those interested may contact the registrar's office at 874-3571.

Clarendon College Will Offer Four Classes In Shamrock

Clarendon College has announced that four college classes will be offered in Shamrock this Spring. The classes scheduled are English 123-Freshman English, Government 213-American National Government, Business 224-Principles of Accounting, and Biology 214-Zoology. The number enrolled in each course will determine if they can be offered by the college.

Classes will meet from 7-10 p.m. each night and the courses carry three semester hours of credit. Dr. Bob E. Riley, Dean of Instruction at Clarendon College stated that numerous inquiries have been made from the Wheeler, McLean, and Shamrock area for college classes and it appears that there will be enough students enrolled for the classes to be taught.

Registration will be Wednesday, January 14 from 6 to 7 p.m. in the Shamrock High School Library. Classes will

begin the week of January 19 and will conclude during the week of May 4. Dr. Riley went on to say "These classes may be of particular interest to area veterans who still are eligible

for G.I. Bill educational benefits. For example, a veteran that is married with two children would receive \$224 per month if they enrolled in two courses."

For further information, interested persons are requested to contact Mr. Ron Gregory, Shamrock High School at 256-2241 or Dr. Bob E. Riley, Clarendon College 874-3571.

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ALANREED BRIEFS

Robert Bruce made a trip to Oklahoma City last week.

Visiting Lena Carter Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce of Amarillo.

Visiting the Robert Bruces over the weekend were daughter Sandra and granddaughter Nicki of Midland. Shawn Bruce of Pampa was there also.

Accompanying the Carl Bakers to First Baptist Church here Sunday were their son Jim of Pampa and a friend.

On the sick list Sunday were Phillip and Onie Gibson, Sandra Dewebber and Bert McKee.

Visiting Polly Harrison this week is granddaughter Chere Cummings of Amarillo.

Visiting the Bert McKees Sunday was granddaughter Brenda of Groom.

The Alanreed Homemakers Club met Dec. 10 in the home of Polly Harrison for their Christmas party. Nell Keese presided in Ruth McLain's absence.

Roll call was "A Thanksgiving Day I Remember."

Each person attending brought a gift and then drew numbers.

Refreshments of cake and punch, mints and nuts were served by the hostess to Anita Bruce, Lena Carter, Mary Davis, Nell Keese, Lucy Goldston, Betty and Ramona Finley, Sophie Hutchinson, Faye Conner, and a new member Louise Dickinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Davis visited in Groom Friday.

Polly Harrison spent several days in Amarillo and Lubbock with the Velton Cummings and James Harrisons last week.

Alanreed 20th Century Study Club met Dec. 11 for their Christmas party. President Mary Davis welcomed everyone, and Rose Hall introduced those on the program. Deanna Hallum gave a reading, Tony Hambright sang, Eddie Brooks

gave a reading, and Rose Hall brought a talk about Christmas and love. Gifts were distributed to those present.

Enjoying the party and the meal were Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Davis, Ellen Stapp, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brooks and Eddie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hambright, Kate McDonald, Hazel Roby, Relia Ayers, Sofrona Pettit, R.B. Kinnard, Nola Crisp, Rose Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hallum, Deanna Hallum, Alicia Hallum, Ada Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Granville Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. K.W. Hambright and Tony, and Miss Carmel Moore.

Lefors Briefs

Dennis Lambert visited with the Don Dorsey family in Victoria. While there he shot two deer. He also visited with his parents in Convent, Louisiana for Thanksgiving.

The Lefors Youth Club held a meeting Wednesday night to discuss the PeeWee basketball program and to register fifth and sixth graders. There will be one boys' team and one girls' team with at least two coaches per team. There will be a \$5 fee perchild to help defray the cost of uniforms.

Royce and Karen Gee spent a few days in Oklahoma City last week.

McLEAN BRIEFS ————— **Continued From Page 3**

Sammy Don Haynes recently was named Intramural Free Throw Champion at West Texas State University. He hit 38 points out of 40 shots. This is the second year out of the last three that Haynes has won the title.

Jack and Lindalee Syfrett celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary Dec. 15 with quiet dinner at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Enloe Crisp recently visited their granddaughter Marilyn Carter in Dallas. Mrs. Carter is the president of Carter Management Consultants in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crockett and children of Pampa were here Sunday visiting their parents, the Vestal Baileys and Marye Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. J.T. Trew were in San Jon, N.M. Monday and Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rogers.

Jim Allison and Jim Hathaway returned home Sunday from a fishing trip to Lake Texhoma. Jim A. boasted of a 7 lb. stripped bass catch. Jim H. caught a fine sea gull. It is reported that this is a first on a top water lure intended for bass.

Mr. and Mrs. O.R. Blankenship attended the Christmas party in her oldest brother's home Philip Howard in Plainview, Dec. 13. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Alton Howard of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ford of Canyon, Mrs. Audrie Howard and daughter Hazel of Borger, Elmo Johnson of Hale Center, and Mr. and Mrs. David Gammage of Plainview.

"Truly absurd is the man who never changes."
 Auguste Barthelmy

Homemaker News

by Elaine Houston

Are You and Your Family "Good Eaters"?

Eat a balanced diet based on the family food guide to get enough nutrients. Nutrients most often lacking for all age groups are calcium iron, magnesium and vitamin B-6. These were the finding of the nationwide Food Consumption Survey, 1977-78, conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA).

The survey provides nutritionists with information about food-related problems or deficiencies of certain nutrients in the diet. The first three nutrients found deficient in the diets were the minerals calcium, iron and magnesium. Minerals are essential for either building or regulating the body and keeping it functioning properly.

Calcium is the most abundant mineral in the body. About 99 percent of the body's calcium is

present in the bones and 1 percent in soft tissues (muscles, nerves, skin and connective fibers). Calcium helps clot the blood and regulate the heart beat and nervous and muscular systems. In teeth, calcium and phosphorus form crystals similar to those in bones to give them strength. These minerals in the diet are directly related to the hardness of the outer covering of the tooth (enamel).

Important calcium food
 See HOMEMAKER, Page 9



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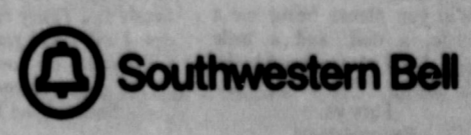
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Letters To Santa

Dear Santa,
My name is Zachery Wynn Helton and I am 2 years old. I have been a very good boy this past year. I would like a tricycle, wagon, and farm set. Please remember my friends.
Love,
Zach

Dear Santa,
My name is Darby Allen. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a train.
Your friend,
Darby

Dear Santa,
My name is Shannon Ruth. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Fast Puppy, My Baby Rash, Fast Bike, and puppy puddles.
Love you,
Shannon

Dear Santa,
My name is Tuffy Sanders. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Dallas Cowboy Football Suit, number 88 or 80, a Goose Down Coat, a Mr. Quarterback, and a race track.
Thank you,
Tuffy

Dear Santa,
My name is Dale Cole. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a race track, toy four-wheel drive tractor, and a disk plow, and a combine and truck and a leather Western Hat.
Your friend,
Dale

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris Taylor. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a gun, BB gun, football, a Mr. Quarterback, and a basketball and goal.
Love,
Chris Taylor

Dear Santa,
My name is Tanner Hess. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Simon Sez, and a football.
Your friend,
Tanner

Dear Santa,
My name is Lee Ayn Jordan. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a baby doll, roller skates and a Baby Cry.
Love,
Lee Ayn

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Melissa Thompson. I am in the second grade. I would like a guitar, a telephone, skis, and a ski suit.
Love,
Melissa

Dear Santa,
My name is Clay Christopher. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a bike and a snow suit.
Love,
Clay

Dear Santa,
My name is Johnny Mangum. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a Mr. Mouth a Spiderman, Fat Wheel, and cleets.
Love,
Johnny

Dear Santa,
My name is David Johnson. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Racetrack. I'll leave cookies and milk on the fire place. I love you.
From,
David Johnson

Dear Santa,
My name is Joseph. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a bike, and a race track, BB Gun, and a Three-Wheeler Bike.
Your friend,
Joseph Flores

Dear Santa,
My name is Brandy Melton. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Dallas Cowboy Cheerleader suit with Pom Poms, a doll that cries when her mother leaves and a trompeline.
Love,
Brandy

Dear Santa,
My name is Scooter Hutchison. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a BB gun, a bicycle and a trampoline and a little Santa.
I love you,
Scooter

Dear Santa,
My name is Johnny Walker. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a pick-up, tractor, B-B Gun, and plow.
Love, Your friend,
Johnny Walker

Dear Santa,
My name is Lee Erin Stubbs. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Doll, and a trampoline, a Puppy Puddles.
I love you,
Erin

Dear Santa,
I have been good. I want a criss cross crash, and my sisters something.
Love, Jeremy Thomas
Age 5

Dear Santa,
I would like a new 270 winchester for hunting big game. I have a 30-06, but it's only good on grasshoppers and butterflies.
Your friend,
Doyle Billingsley

Dear Santa,
I have been a bad, bad boy. I have been writing letters to you and signing other people's names to them. For instance, just a little bit ago I wrote a letter and signed it with Doyle Billingsley's name. Please don't get mad at me, Santa, Doyle will probably beat me up anyway. I love you lots and lots. I will leave milk and cookies for you on Christmas Eve. I love you Santa.
Your friend always,
Mike Johnson

Dear Santa,
I want this please: A Barbie camping set, a baby doll in a baby bed, and some stuffed animals.
Love, Lucinda

Dear Santa,
Will you please bring me a tricycle, a doll, and a little puppy. I will be very good to the little puppy.
Love ya,
Peggy Adams

Dear Santa,
I want this please: A doll, a pink panther, a stuffed dog and a stuffed cat, and some dolls in bunk beds.
Love,
Bert

Dear Santa,
I want this please: A Photo Phone, a View Master, some dolls and a toy pickup.
Love,
Angie

Dear Santa,
Please bring me, a loader and backhoe, an Allied van lines truck, a CHIPS helicopter, and a Coca-Cola truck.
Love,
Mark

Dear Santa,
I want this, please, mom-a-vertbird night patrol, a race car set, an electronic race car game, and a toy motorcycle.
Love,
Lloyd

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Hot Wheels, a slide, a cowboy hat, a toy box, and lots of toys to go in it. I am 1 1/2 years old and have been pretty good.
Please bring my little sister, Shaley, a doll, tub toys, and a Security Bunny. She is 4 months old and has been good.
Love,
Shandon Stalls

Dear Santa Claus,
Will you get me a wagon, a baby that cries, a talking doll, two apples, a picture frame and a picture of Santa Claus. I need a bicycle, Ty some socks, pants and shirts. Daddy some pants, Gran some pants and me a doll, shoes, Granddaddy a carton of tobacco.
Sissy Hill

Dear Santa,
I would like a Lite-Brite and some skates.
Michael Barker

Dear Santa,
I want a trampoline and a Houston Oilers shirt and a Houston Oilers helmet. I love you Santa. I will leave cookies and milk.
From David Johnson
I live in McLean, Texas

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a big race track set and a pink bicycle. I love you.
Mike Campbell

Dear Santa Claus,
Will you please bring me a Zap Zap Race Track and a green bicycle. I've been very good.
Love,
Clay Reynolds

Dear Santa,
Please bring a diaper rash doll for me. Please bring Jill, my little sister, a stuffed play clown. See ya soon.
Love,
Holly Hefley

Dear Santa,
My name is Sherry Morris. I am 9 years old. I have been a pretty good little girl this year. For Christmas I would like to have a Baby Cry For You and Fresh and Fancy (that's make-up). I will leave you some milk and cookies for you.
I love you,
Sherry Lynn Morris

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new set of guns. I've been very good. See ya soon.
Love,
Vance Rodgers

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me a rubber dollie and a tricycle for Christmas.
Love ya,
Melissa Darsey

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a Barbie Doll House and a Barbie Doll. I've been really good.
Love ya,
Kisha Rigsby

Dear Santa Claus:
My mommy and daddy told me I should write you and tell you what I want for Christmas. Well, I tried to tell them that you and I have had several talks on the subject, but they insisted.
As you know, more than anything in the world, I would like for you and Rudolph to come live with me. I deserve so many toys and things that I just couldn't possibly decide on a few, so that would be solved if you would live with me and just make me new toys whenever I want.
Also, having Rudolph around would certainly be handy. Whenever I got tired of the usual routine, I could just take off. (Besides with the new baby coming, I might need Rudolph to take the baby off. You know what pests they can be.)
If for some reason, you don't think you can fulfill my wishes, I guess I'll take a rocking chair. I imagine I'll need it. Mother will probably have me rocking that brat that'll be here soon.
Love and Kisses,
Kristina Carter
Age 2

Dear Santa Claus,
Will you please bring me a choo-choo train, and a play pickup. I've been a good little boy. See ya soon.
Love,
David Hutchison
P.S. I would also like a toy clown.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a new big wheel and a train set. I would like a policeman suit also. I love you.
Shawn Menard

Dear Santa Claus,
Please bring me some of the little men from the Star Wars collection and a race car set. I've been a really good little boy.
Love ya,
Frankie Lara

Dear Santa,
I have been good this year. Please bring me a doll that talks and a baby crib. A trampoline and some play makeup. I need a new teddy bear for my baby sister. Please bring her some baby toys. She is one year old.
Thank you,
Sheryl Trotter

Dear Santa,
I want Baby Crissy. Have fun at the North Pole. Deliver presents to all boys and girls. I have fun at Panama. The town is called McLean. I love you. You have fun Christmas.
Love,
Becki McCarty

Dear Santa,
My name is Heather Winegeart. I am 2 years old. I have been a very good little girl for Christmas. I would like to have a baby just like my cousin April, a table and chairs. I will leave you some milk and cookies under the tree for you.
I love you,
Heather Winegeart

Dear Santa,
I would like a Barbie Doll house for Christmas. Please bring Jamie Big Bird and Count. We have been good this year.
Don't forget to bring Shirley and Bud flea collars.
We will leave cookies and milk for you at D-ma and Popo's house.
Love,
Patsy Barker

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Tonia Lea Webster, and I am 4 years old. I have really been a good girl this year, and have helped my mama a lot. I would like for you to bring some of my gifts to my grandmother's home in Memphis, Texas on X-mas Eve. Then we will be at Dixie and Grandad's on X-mas day for you to leave the rest of my gifts. There, I would like to have a Barbie and Ken doll, with some clothes for each of them. I would like to have a Barbie dream house, ironing board, iron, sewing machine, small piano, and some dress shoes. Also remember Deanna, Cherry, Big Jim, Paige, Trevor and all my little friends at Cherry's. I will have you some cookies and milk! Thank you so much!
Love,
Tonia

Dear Santa,
My name is Joetta. I have tried to be good this year. I would like to have a talking doll, a pair of skates and a cash register so I can play grocery store. I have a big brother, Mark who has also tried to be a good boy. He wants a windmill, a pair of skates and an airplane.
Thank you very much. We will put you some cookies and milk on the desk by the tree.
Love,
Joetta and Mark Bailey

P.S. My Daddy said he had been good too.

Dear Santa Claus,
I would like a golden eagle train set for Christmas. I have been a good boy. Also Santa, I have a little brother who is three years old and he would like a Clip-Clop Wonder Horse and a bunch of other things I can't spell. He has tried to be a good boy too, but sometimes that's not easy.
We will leave you a snack on the table.
Love,
Michael Acuna
Age 7 years
Joshua Acuna
Age 3 years

Dear Santa,
My name is Michael Acuna. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a Golden Eagle Night Glow train set.
Love,
Michael

Dear Santa,
My name is J.T. Haynes. I am in the second grade. I would like to have skis, a ski suit and ski gloves.
Love,
J.T.

Dear Santa,
My name is Christina White. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me some pom-poms and My Doll Has A Secret, Pink house shoes, pink nightgown and pink robe.
Love,
Christina

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a dolls, stove, a piano and a chalk board. Also bring me a real live puppy. I love you.
Peggy Adams

P.S. Bring me a big dump truck so I can play with Jim Bob.

Dear Santa,
Please bring me a big detour race set, a Johndeere flatbed hay truck, a red firebox, an air pump for balls, a tape player, some hotwheel cars, and a strong arm front end loader.
Your friend,
Jim Bob Adams

P.S. Please bring me a new soccer ball.

Dear Santa,
I have been a good boy this year. Please send me these toys. A new big wheel. Santa story book. A new train set, a real kitten, and a cowboy hat.
Thank you,
Shawn Menard

Dear Santa,
My name is Grace DeLeon. I am in the second grade. I would like a bike, a doll, and a Simon Says.
Love,
Grace

Dear Santa,
My name is Christie Pyles. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a bike, skis, ski suit, and Mr. Mouth. Merry Christmas! Thank you!
Love,
Christie

Dear Santa,
My name is Dewayne Shackelford. I am in the second grade. I would like a bike and a Simon Says.
Love,
Dewayne

Dear Santa,
My name is Frances Fickman. I am in the second grade. I would like a Dallas Cheerleader set, roller skates, and a Wet and Cry.
Love,
frances

Dear Santa,
I've been a pretty good girl. I am 5 years old.
Will you get me a play stove, play washing machine, a diamond ring, two books, a new toothbrush, a play clock, a microphone, a skate board, a play golf club and a talking doll.
Love,
Sissy Hill

Dear Santa,
I've been a good boy this year. I want Lone Ranger, a truck and Lone Rangers horse. How are you and Mrs. Santa? My sister Haley has been good. She wants a baby doll.
Have a Merry Christmas.
Love,
Blaine and Haley Going

Dear Santa,
How are you? How is Mrs. Santa? I have been a good girl this year.
I want a record player, a baby buggy for my dolls, a night light for my room and a hair dryer and a strawberry shortcake house.
My brother Jeremy has been good too. He wants a truck with a trailer, a set of small working tools and a Hulk doll.
I thought I would let you know we live in Coldwater, Kansas. So please stop by our house.
Love,
Jennifer and Jeremy Hilt

Dear Santa,
I want my picture made with you Santa.
I have been a good girl. How are you doing Santa? I want you to come to my house and get the elves busy on making those toys.
I want a baby doll that cries, a real record player for my mothers little record, and a doll that dances. That is all I want for Christmas.
Love,
Erin McCracken

Dear Santa,
My name is Missy Young. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a bicycle, Pom-Poms, and a Ballerina Doll.
Your friend,
Missy

Dear Santa,
My name is Daniel Harris. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Race track, Ball, and Dallas Cowboy suit.
You friend,
Daniel

Dear Santa,
My name is Juliana Crockett. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me three Dorsey Dolls, a Barbie Dreamhouse, and a Barbie Perfume maker. Pom pom's and a Dallas Cheerleader suit.
Love,
Juliana

Dear Santa,
My name is J.T. Haynes. I am in the second grade. I would like to have skis, a ski suit and ski gloves.
Love,
J.T.

Dear Santa,
My name is Heidi Syfrett. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me pom poms, and a Barbie Dream house, and a mini-wave oven and a Dorsey Doll and a bicycle.
Love,
Heidi Syfrett

Dear Santa,
My name is Catrina Easley. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me Lipstick, chapstick, Pom-Poms, and a Cheerleader suit.
Love,
Catrina

Dear Santa,
My name is Cody Gabel. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a B B Gun, Three Wheeler, Two Seat Go Cart.
Your friend,
Cody Gabel

Dear Santa,
My name is Jerett Coleman. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a Dallas Cowboy football Suit, a bike.
Jerett Len Coleman

Dear Santa,
My name is Destry Magee. I am in the first grade. Please bring me a Houston Oiler football Suit and a farm set.
Your friend,
Destry Magee

Dear Santa,
My name is Angie. I am in First Grade. Please bring me a Holly Hobbie doll, Dr. Drill and Fill and a Teddy Bear.
Love,
Angie Bailey

Dear Santa,
My name is Ben Brass. I am in the first grade. Please bring me a real puppy, a race track, and a bicycle.
Your friend,
Ben

Dear Santa,
My name is Clifford Immel. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me an electronic football game, Johndeere Tractor, and a Plow.
I like you,
Clifford

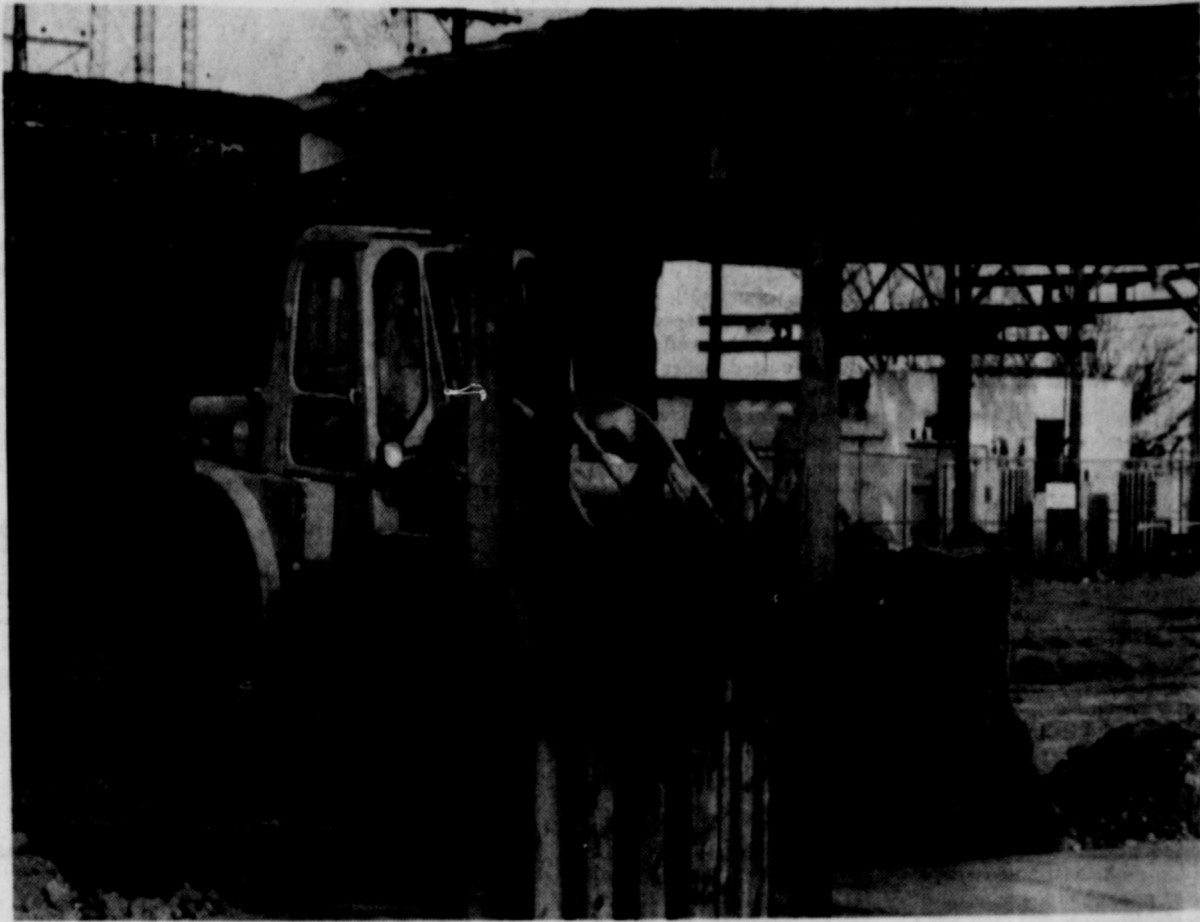
Dear Santa,
My name is Robbyn Griffin. I am in the first grade. Please bring me a doll, some dishes, a bicycle, and a little purse.
Your friend,
Robbyn

Dear Santa,
My name is Christian Carson. I am in the first grade. Please bring me trampoline, and a race track.
Your friend,
Christian

Dear Santa,
My name is Marci Sluder. I am in the second grade. I would like to have a doll, a bike, and ball.
Love,
Marci

Dear Santa,
My name is Chris Littlefield. I am in the First Grade. Please bring me a shotgun, felt hat, bicycle, motorcycle, Go Cart.
Your friend,
Chris Littlefield

Dear Santa
I have been good this year please bring me a doll that talks and a baby crib. A trampoline and some play makeup. I need a new teddy bear for my baby sister please bring her some baby toys. She is one year old.
Thank you
Sheryl Trotter



Park Almost Finished

DON HAUCK IS really not trying to knock down the gazebo on the bank's downtown parking area. Hauck is running the bulldozer helping to prepare the area for blacktopping. American National Bank president Jim Allison said this week that when the blacktopping is completed, the park will be ready for landscaping next spring. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



DOWN MEMORY LANE

From the files of The McLean News by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO

E.M. BAILEY, EDITOR
Mr. and Mrs. Cary Lee of Pampa proudly announce the birth of a baby girl born on Dec. 9. She weighed 7 pounds and 14 ounces and was named Lisa LaDawn. Her grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Whitehead and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee of Pampa. Great grandmothers are Mrs. O.K. Lee and Mrs. Frank Golightly of McLean.

Clifford McDonald is reported doing fine after having surgery Monday of last week in the McLean Hospital.

Teresa Kathleen Mertel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie F. Mertel of McLean and Gary Warner Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner Phillips of Lake McClellan, exchanged marriage vows on Dec. 19 in the candlelight service in the United Methodist Church of McLean. Rev. Robert Brown, pastor of the church, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

20 YEARS AGO

JACK SHELTON, EDITOR
An attractive airline hostess who formerly lived in McLean, was among at least 135 persons who met death last Friday in the collision of two large airliners over New York. The body of Patricia Ann Keller, 23 year old granddaughter of Mrs. W.E. Kennedy of McLean, was found in the wreckage of the United Airlines jet on which she was a hostess.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the McLean Methodist Church for William Erwin Bogan, former McLean city secretary and business manager for McLean Independent School District. Mr. Bogan died Friday at the Wanda Lou Nursing Home in Claude after a lengthy illness.

Sunday visitors at Mrs. R.N. Ashby's home were her son, Paul, his wife, their son, Gene, and his family, all of Amarillo.

30 YEARS AGO

LESTER CAMPBELL, EDITOR

Dorothy Lowe, freshman student of McLean High School, won the honor of being named all-school beauty at the annual Beauty Parade last Thursday night sponsored by the high school Press Club.

L.M. Watson, a star Tiger backfield player, has been named to the annual All Regional squad of the Amarillo Globe-News, each year selected by Frank A. Godsoe Jr., sports writer, with the help of coaches throughout the area.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Longino and son of Sapulpa, Okla., are in McLean for the Christmas holidays.

Billy James Rainwater, who is attending college in Houston, is home for the Christmas holidays.

40 YEARS AGO

T. A. LANDERS, EDITOR
The Cunningham string orchestra played at the Ramsdell pie supper last Friday evening, and a delegation was on hand from the chamber of commerce to take part in the festivities. The C. of C. sent a \$5.00 check to the pie supper committee.

According to reports at the Lions Club luncheon Tuesday, the boy scout troop found good response to the call for old toys, and have a goodly number repaired for the Christmas baskets.

Letters to Santa...I want a gun and a football for Christmas, and a story book and a color book and a train, and an airplane for Christmas..... Edward Lee Dwyer

School News...The quartette, consisting of Frances Sitter, Mary Evelyn Foster, Ruth Bond and Evonne Floyd, went to Wellington Friday to sing for the Kiwanis Club. They were accompanied by Eric Fulbright, pianist, and Robert Gibson, violinist.

50 YEARS AGO

T. A. LANDERS, EDITOR
A town basketball team was organized Monday night with A.B. Bingham as manager and the following officers and team elected: Capt. Rush; co-capt., Hunt; team members, Rush, Hunt, McHaney, Riddle, Capeheart, Mercer, Haley, Caldwell, Powers, Johnson, and Reed.

Following his usual custom, C.A. Strandberg, manager of Puckett's Grocery, has donated Christmas trees to the different churches and Sunday schools that are to have Christmas programs next week.

Mrs. John Lantz and daughters and Miss Gussie Brown attended the Christmas parade in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mesdames Donald Beall, Allen Wilson and Chas. E. Cooke were Amarillo visitors last Thursday.

Fire of unknown origin broke out in the Montgomery Drug Store late Saturday night, and before being brought under control by the fire department, most of the stock was ruined, damage being done to both stock and fixtures by the fire and water, causing practically a total loss. The building was damaged and will have to have a floor, walls, ceiling and roof repaired before it can be used again. Mayor Jot Montgomery, owner of the store, says he will open up again just as soon as the building and fixtures are repaired and in place again and a new stock can be secured.

60 YEARS AGO

M. L. MOODY, EDITOR
Mrs. J.W. Sherrod and son Pearson, of Alanreed, visited their daughter and sister, Mrs. L. F. Wilkins Saturday.

Mrs. Ross Biggers has been quite ill with tonsillitis, but is recovering.

Mr. Ollie Hommel of Alanreed and Miss Beulah Wood of this city were united in marriage Sunday afternoon at the Methodist parsonage, Rev. Osborn officiating.

News from Back...Messrs. Chas. Carpenter, Lewis Morse, R.H. Corum, C.E. Hunt and Bert Lindley went to McLean Thursday with chickens and turkeys for the market...Hundreds of ducks are to be seen on the river, and helping gather delayed crops.

Adv...Bachelor stove with drum, almost new, in first class condition. Price \$7.50, including pipe. Will be left at the old Smith hotel. Call and see it...J.E. Lindley.

Cosmetic Benefits

Question: My mother, a widow in her sixties, recently spent a whole day with a beauty consultant having herself "made over." I think she's too old for this. Should I be concerned?

Answer: There is no age limit to feeling good about one's appearance. Cosmetics are beneficial to people throughout their lives. According to an independent study conducted by research psychologists the use of cosmetics helps people retain a lively appearance, to communicate vigor and competence, and to grow older gracefully with a sense of dignity and pride.

Particularly in making the transition to senior citizen status, it is critical to feel self-confident and attractive. Your mother is asserting her vitality and her commitment to life.

Gone Fishin

by Jeanette Fish

I collect health information in a note book and from time to time feel it is important to share some of it as a reminder.

Immunizations-Diphtheria is caused by a germ that usually enters through the nose or mouth. It mostly affects children under 15 years of age but adults catch it also. It is a very catching disease. Symptoms are: slight fever, chills, mild sore throat and a general sick feeling with a badly swollen throat. Result: The throat swells up and makes breathing hard. It can cause death. Diphtheria can be prevented by three shots beginning at age two months, with a booster at age 12 to 18 months of age, four to six years of age and every 10 years thereafter.

Whooping cough (pertussis) is caused by a germ in the mouth and nose of those who have it. Whooping cough usually affects children under seven and often kills babies under one year of age. It too is a very contagious disease. The symptoms are: usual cold symptoms which develop into coughing fits, especially at night with a high pitched whooping sound. Whooping cough can be prevented by three shots (same schedule as Diphtheria).

Tetanus (lockjaw) is caused by germs which live in soil, street dust, pastures, barnyards, gardens, etc. Germs enter the body through scratches, deep cuts or puncture wounds. The symptoms are headache, sweating, mood changes, then muscles tighten up, especially the jaw muscles. Tetanus can also be prevented by three shots (same schedule as Diphtheria).

Polio is caused by a virus which usually enters through the mouth. It usually affects children from one to 18 years of age but adults catch it also. The symptoms are sudden fever, headache, upset stomach, sore

throat. There may be stiffness in the back and neck, muscle weakness and pain.

The result can be permanent paralysis and even death. It can be prevented by three doses of polio vaccine on the same schedule as the above DPT.

Measles (hard red old fashioned measles) are caused by a virus which enters through the nose or mouth. It is very contagious. Symptoms are general tiredness, fever and chills, coughing. The eyes water and are sensitive to bright light. Tiny red spots break out on the face and body. It usually lasts from seven to 10 days. The result can be other health problems including pneumonia, bronchitis, deafness and brain damage or death. Measles can be prevented by one shot at age 15 months or older. A booster shot is necessary for children who got a red measles shot

before they were one year old.

Rubella (German or three day measles) is caused by a virus found in noses and mouths of infected people. It usually affects young children but adults catch it also. It is very contagious. The symptoms are slight fever for a day and usually a rash of small pink spots, starting on the face and neck and lasting one to three days. The results are usually mild but if a pregnant woman catches it, her baby might be born deaf, blind or otherwise handicapped. A simple blood test is the best way to see if you need a shot for German measles.

Great progress has been made in the United States during the past few years keeping these contagious diseases under control with vaccines. An important thing to remember though is that with our small world of meeting

many people from many countries in various airports-you can't really know if you are sitting next to someone from someplace where immunization is practiced as diligently as it is in this country. You must keep immunizations current.

"He who has clear ideas can command." Goethe



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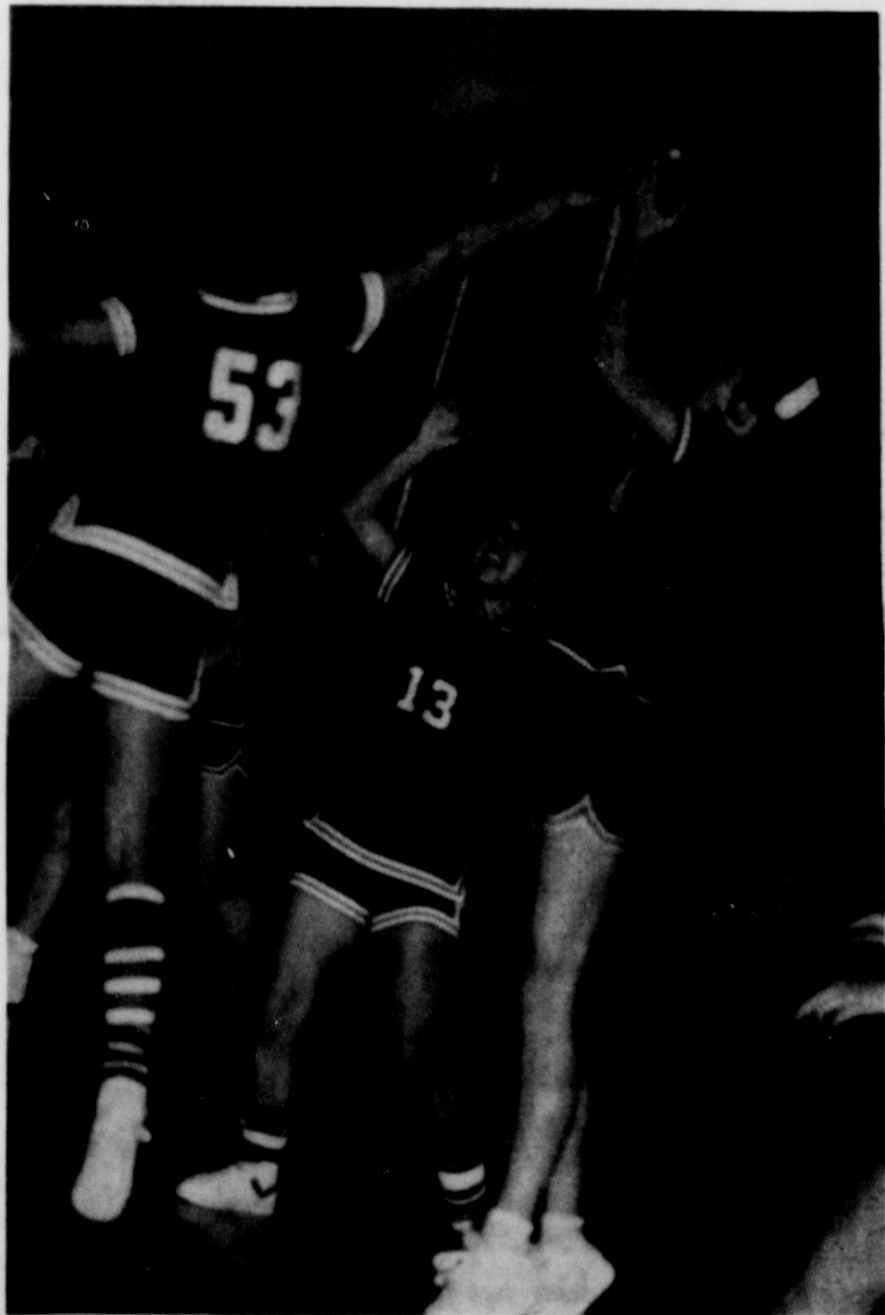
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Anybody Want To Play Train?

THESE MCLEAN TIGERETTES line up to block the ball as Shamrock throws it in late in the Tigerette-Lassie game last week. [Photo by Linda Haynes]



Over The Top, Missy!

TIGERETTE MISSY BILLINGSLEY shoots inside the key during the McLean-Shamrock game last week. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Notes From Your County Agricultural Agent

by Joe Van Zandt

The recent rain and snow have given farmers the best soil moisture conditions since last May over six months ago. This moisture will carry our wheat through the winter in good condition as far as soil moistures go.

Soil Conditions Improved For Soil Sampling:

Dry weather this summer and fall hardened the soils and made the use of a soil sample probe difficult. The recent snows and rains have mellowed soils to improve soil sampling. Generally, the most difficult task of soil testing is finding the time to take the soil samples.

A soil analysis is important for a farmer who has never soil tested, and it is still valuable to resample fields which have been tested. Soils that were tested four or five years ago provided farmers with recommended fertilizer rates for optimum profit based upon lower crop prices and lower fertilizer costs. However, the crop profit situation has changed. Soil fertility levels have increased or decreased so that old recommendations no longer fit field and crop conditions.

Farmers who use fertilizer successfully have their fields tested every two to five years. This allows for the detection of declines as well as excessive build-ups. If a field is to be used under intensive production, a soil test should be run each year. This recommendation applies for fields with special problems.

Soil tests cost only a fraction of your fertilizer or production cost. It is probably the best investment a producer will make. Money spent on the wrong fertilizer results in less net profit for 1981.

Anyone interested in soil tests can obtain information sheets to accompany soil samples, instructions, and mailing cartons at any County Extension Office.

Feeding Rumen "Bugs" 'Key To Cattle Performance:

When feeding cattle, producers need to know that they are actually feeding little "bugs" in the animal's rumen or stomach. These microscopic organisms turn forage into something cattle can use.

Rumen bugs need 6 to 7 percent protein to function properly. So, if hay has this much protein or more, no supplemental feed is necessary for adequate microbial activity and good digestion. However, with low quality hay or forage of 3 to 4 percent crude protein, a protein supplement will increase digestion, total feed intake, and daily gain.

Classes of cattle such as growing heifers, fattening cattle, or cows nursing calves require protein levels of 10-12 percent for good production-levels above those needed by rumen bugs.

One way to determine if cattle are getting an adequate protein diet is to examine their droppings. If droppings are dry and tall, it's a good sign of constipation and lack of protein in the diet.

Small amounts of supplemental phosphorus and protein stimulate these bugs and the digestion process so that mature cattle can use low quality forages that are available this time of the year. A pound of 30-40 percent protein supplement and a few ounces of a good salt-phosphorus mineral can

change poor animal performance into acceptable maintenance performance on low quality forage.

However, young cattle do not have the digestive capacity to use low quality forage effectively. So they need higher levels of protein and energy supplement, higher quality forages or both for acceptable growth rates.

Select Christmas Tree With Care:

Selecting your Christmas tree wisely and giving it proper care will help it last throughout the holiday season...

Buy your Christmas tree early so you can select the type of tree you want. Check for signs of needle shedding and brittleness which indicate that the tree has become too dry. If a tree is too dry when purchased, it will continue to dry out even though it is set in water. Generally, trees available on retail lots are fresh and can be expected to remain usable in the home throughout the Christmas season.

When you get the tree home, cut one to two inches off its base on a slant. Stand the tree in water and store in a shaded area until you're ready to bring it inside. Keep water in the stand at all times and your tree will remain fresh.

In the home, place the tree away from all heat sources, such as fireplace or heating unit. Check the water level often; a tree may use as much as a pint of water a day. Keep your lighting system in good working order by inspecting and discarding wires with frayed insulation, broken sockets and loose connections. Use

only lights and cords that carry the safety seal of Underwriters Laboratory.

As a final reminder, remove gift wrappings and packing materials from around the tree once you have opened Christmas packages.

By selecting a fresh tree and following a few safety rules, everyone can have a safe and happy holiday season.

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A man never discloses his own character so clearly as when he describes another's.
Jean Paul Richter

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Mark Twain

Who bravely dares must sometimes risk a fall.
Tobias G. Smollett

Youth is a wonderful thing: what a crime to waste it on children.
George Bernard Shaw

It is surprising what a man can do when he has to, and how little most men do when they don't have to.
Walter Linn

The greatest ideas seem meagre enough when they have passed through the sieve of petty minds.
Henri De Lubac

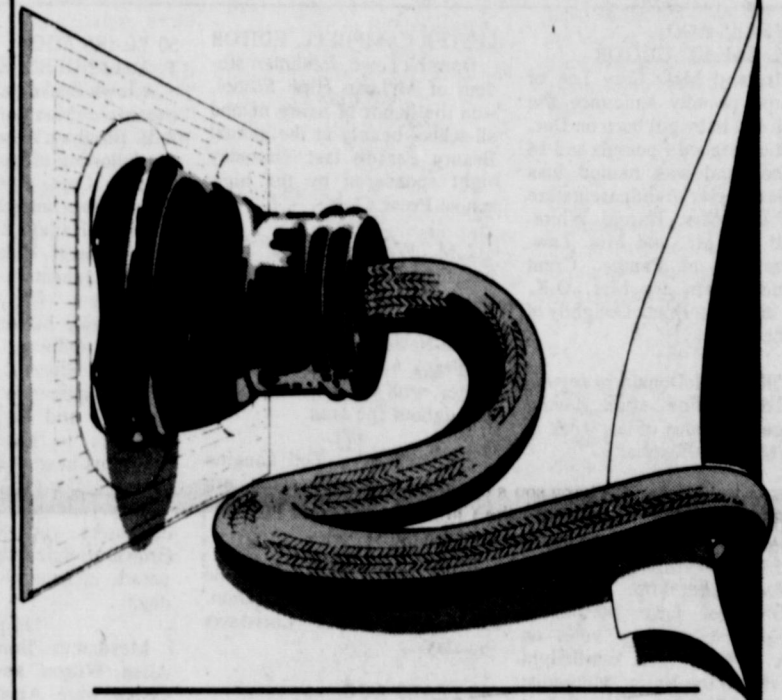
Fate often puts all the material for happiness and prosperity into a man's hands just to see how miserable he can make himself with them.
Don Marquis

Trouble with American transportation is that you get somewhere quicker than you think of a reason for going there. What we need now is a new excuse to go somewhere.
Will Rogers

How few of his friend's houses would a man choose to be at when he is sick.
Samuel Johnson

The illusions of childhood are necessary experiences: a child should not be denied a balloon because an adult knows that sooner or later it will burst.
Marcelene Cox

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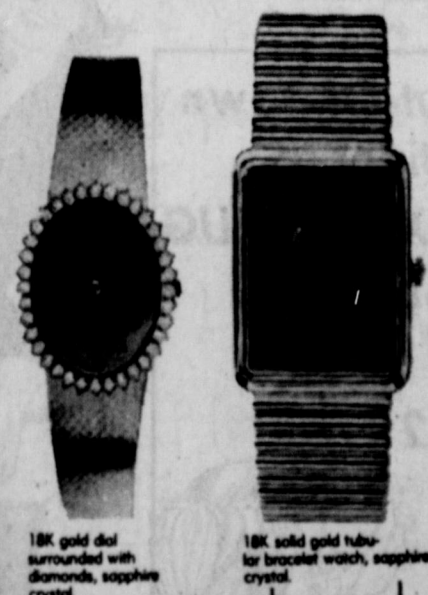
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We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for their prayers and many acts of kindness during the illness and loss of our beloved wife and mother, Juanita Griffith.
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO CHANGE RATES

Greenbelt Electric Cooperative, Inc. has filed a request with the Public Utility Commission of Texas for permission to change its retain rates effective December 15, 1980, or as otherwise directed by the commission. The classes of consumers to be affected are as follows: residential, irrigation, small commercial, large commercial, and security lights. The proposed rates would produce an additional \$126,457.00 in revenue based upon the twelve month period ending March 31, 1980 as the adjusted test year. This represents an increase in the adjusted gross operating revenues of the utility of approximately 7.28 percent. 48-4c

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Loose Marbles

by Lisa Patman

Christmas is fast approaching and, like the rest of you, I have been out spreading the green stuff among the stores, hoping the checks wouldn't reach the bank before the paycheck did, and wondering if I had exceeded my credit limit yet. In other words, it's going to be a heck of a January, come bill-paying time.

And yet, as I look at all the loot I have piled up to give, and think of all that I have given and received in past Christmases, the gifts I remember are the ones that cost the least--the sheet of lined yellow legal paper with a dozen roses drawn on it, a present from a friend who thought I looked a little blue one day--the lovely hand-knitted afghan that my mom spent many long hours on--the plaster impression of a baby son's hand--the tiny stuffed lamb that made a niece's face light up--the Christmas card that made me laugh just when I felt so overpowered by the season.

As I remember all the wonderful moments these have given me, I wonder if perhaps we are a bit too money-conscious about gift-giving. Then I remember that my in-laws always give me brilliant smiles, kind words, and MONEY each Christmas. It always is just the right shade of green, and always, always the right size. And that, my dear friends, just proves that I know very little, if nothing, about the spirit of giving; I don't know why you asked me in the first place.

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sources are milk and other milk-group foods, such as cheese, cottage cheese and custard. Two or more servings of milk and milk-group foods provide 75 percent of the calcium needed. When milk-group foods are restricted in the diet due to allergies, intolerance or dislikes, it is hard to provide enough calcium from other foods.

Other sources of calcium are dried fruits, leafy green vegetables, molasses and dried beans. Obtain 15 percent of the needed calcium by eating four or more servings of fruit-and-vegetable group foods or 10 percent from eating two or more servings of the meat-group foods.

Other food sources of calcium are eaten in small quantities. For example, it takes about five and one-half heads of lettuce, three and one-half pounds of liver, 22 eggs or eight ounces of cooked collards to provide 570 milligrams of calcium. Instead, drink two cups of milk a day for about the same amount of calcium.

Iron-deficiency anemia is one of the most prevalent nutritional problems today. Iron is found in small amounts in many foods. About one-third of the iron available to consumers comes from meat, poultry, and fish. Almost as much comes from enriched bread and cereal products and about one-fifth from vegetables. Consider eat-

ing more dry beans, green leafy vegetables, enriched whole grains and cereals, dried fruits and organ meats. Although magnesium is concentrated in the bones, it is present in all body tissues. It is an important part of enzymes which convert energy in the body. Heart and skeletal muscle and nervous tissue depend on a proper balance of calcium and magnesium. Dietary sources of magnesium vary from rich sources (coca, nuts, soybeans and whole grains), good sources (clams, cornmeal and spinach) to fair sources (oysters, crab, fresh peas and liver). Magnesium occurs widely in foods, but fruits, vegetables, and cereal grains provide the highest amounts.

B-6 is one of the "B" vitamins that help prevent anemia. It is also involved in the use of protein by the cells and is necessary for the conversion of tryptophan to niacin. The intake of this vitamin tends to increase with protein eaten because most animal protein sources are good sources of vitamin B-6. Fish such as salmon and mackerel are excellent sources. Grains and some dairy products are poor sources.

One serving of milk contributes one-third of the amount of vitamin B-6 found in a serving of meat. Vegetarians should take special precautions against vitamin B-6 deficiency.



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Robert Birdseye, the inventor of frozen food, experimented with freezing whales, porpoises, sharks, even an alligator in his quest for practical freezing methods.

Nursing Center News

We are still selling items that were left from the bazaar. We have a few McLean Cheerleader dolls, dress dolls, three poodles, and crocheted pot-holders and Christmas ornaments left. The money we have made will go back into the Activity Department to buy supplies and crafts. We have been needing a good camera, and we plan to buy one before Christmas.

The Church of Christ was here Sunday to conduct church services for the residents.

Monday, ladies from Senior Citizens were here to play bingo with the residents.

Tuesday afternoon we had a wonderful time decorating our Christmas tree. The residents all gathered in the lobby and some of them helped with the decoration. Members of the Ladies Auxiliary were on hand, and Isabel Cousins and Fern Boyd served cake and coffee. It was a very enjoyable afternoon.

Friday afternoon was our birthday party for the month of December. Honored this month were Cora Atchley and Ruth Kemp. Lois Myers, Pauline Miller, and Roger Myers led

the group in singing their favorite Christmas songs, and the residents joined in with the rhythm band instruments. Betty Lopez was here to serve cake and punch to the residents.

There is an expectant mood here at the Nursing Center as we prepare to celebrate the most important birth in history. The days are full, and we are

all having a wonderful time. We'd like to express thanks to everyone who has brought fruit, and to those who have sent flowers. Apples and bananas have been brought by members of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary, oranges by Bill Thomas, and flowers from the ladies of the Methodist Church, B & B Electric, Lamb Flower Shop, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sprinkles.

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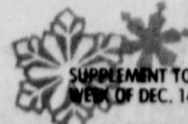
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PINEAPPLE 55¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE 17 OZ. CAN
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CHERRY PIE FILLING \$1.09</p> <p>TALL CAN
MILNOT MILK 2 ~ 79¢</p> <p>IMPERIAL POWDERED OR BROWN 2 # pkg.
SUGAR \$1.39</p> <p>BORDENS OR GILTEDGE 1/2 PINT
WHIPPING CREAM 49¢</p> <p>BORDENS 1/2 PINT
SOUR CREAM 49¢</p> <p>BORDENS 1/2 PINT
DIPS 49¢</p> <p>DEL MONTE GOLDEN 17 OZ. CAN
CORN 2 ~ 85¢</p> <p>RAIDER 16 OZ. CAN
YAMS 2 ~ 89¢</p> <p>PRODUCE</p> <p>BANANAS 4 ~ \$1</p> <p>HEADS
LETTUCE 3 ~ \$1</p> <p>CALIFORNIA
CELERY 4 STALKS ~ \$1</p> <p>YAMS 5 ~ \$1</p> <p>MERRY CHRISTMAS</p> | <p>DUNCAN HINES LAYER OR BETTY CROCKER
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PEANUTS \$2.79</p> <p>CINCH 15 OZ.
CORN BREAD MIX 49¢</p> <p>GIANT SIZE BOX
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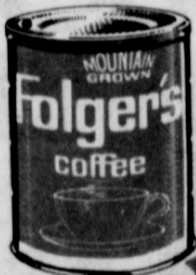
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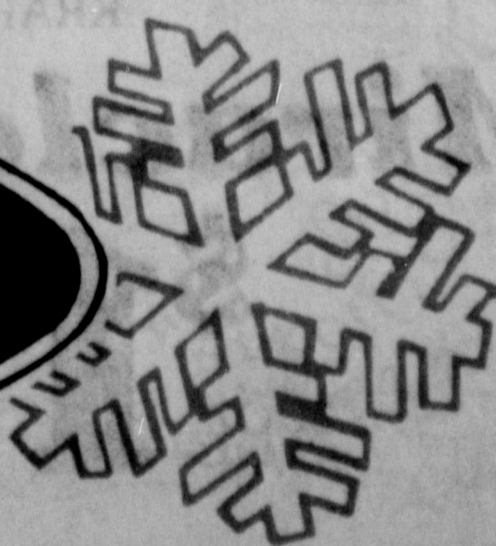
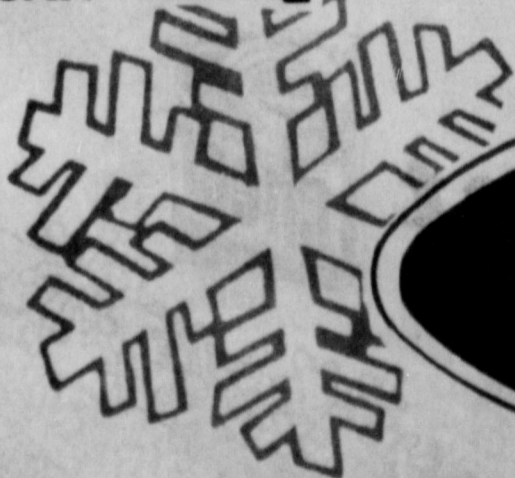
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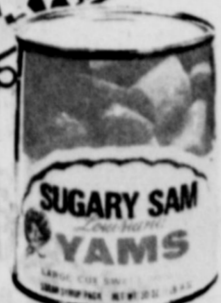
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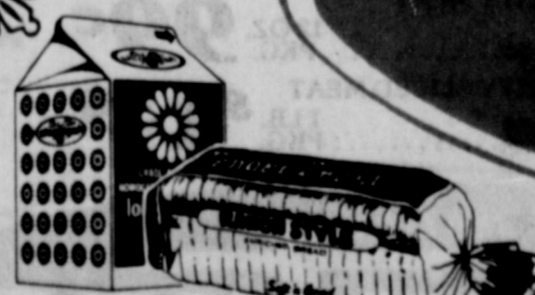
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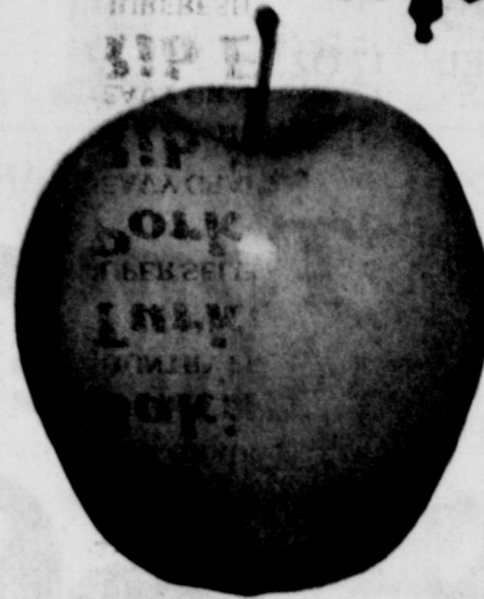
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