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Our week was brightened last week when Burret Kinard brought in a bouquet of roses, amaryllises, and peonies. They were beautiful, and we appreciate your thoughtfulness, Burret.

Dale Killham came by the News Office last week to tell us that his German Shepherd dog had given birth to 15 puppies! I don't know if that is a record (probably not), but that sure is a lot of puppies! If anyone wants a puppy, I'll bet you can call Dale in about six weeks and he'll have some to give away.

Speaking of new arrivals, Andy Haynes and Maggie Allison are the proud parents of seven bouncing baby Beagles. The five girls and two boys were born last week at the Allison home, and our Andy has relaxed considerably now that the babies are here.

In fact, he is so relaxed that he slept through church last week, and forgot to come!

Dixie Jo Crockett bought an old print recently, and as she was checking it over, she discovered that the back of the frame was padded with old newspapers. When she took the frame apart, she found that the paper was The Daily Express from London, England, dated Friday, June 30, 1911.

The paper is wider than the newsprint used by The McLean News. The front page contains one picture, and all the stories are set up in single columns.

The picture has the headline "Paper Bags Cooking For The Army", and the following cutline: "Great success attended the experiment of cooking army rations in 'Express' paper bags at Salisbury Plain yesterday. The officer marked 1 in the photograph is Brigadier-General F. Hackett-Thompson, C.E., and No. 2 is Colonel G.T. Forestier-Walker, A.D.C. to the King."

The fun thing about this newspaper is not just the strange and stilted way that British news stories are written then, but also the vast difference in the subject matter from McLean's news.

Under "Today's Diary" are these items: "The King and Queen attend the King's Fete to 100,000 children at the Crystal Palace. The King and Queen dine with the Prime Minister and Mrs. Asquith. Princess Christian attends the Borough of Hornsey Coronation Fete, Alexandra Palace, 3.30."

A sample of some of the front page headlines: "Food Supplies Cut Off, Towns without Eggs, Butter, or Bacon. Serious Outlook. Effect of the Strike of Seaman" this all headlining a story about the effects of a shipping strike on inland towns in England; "Motorists Leap For Life! Car Hurled Over Brink Of A Precipice (a story about a car wreck) White Women In Danger Offages Which Are Appalling Peril (this a story about white women in South Africa who apparently en-

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McLEAN WEATHER

Date	High	Low
5-5-81	72	49
5-6-81	74	49
5-7-81	72	51
5-8-81	77	55
5-9-81	70	44
5-10-81	66	51
5-11-81	77	41
Precipitation 5-8-81	.30	



Hurry, Holly!

KINDERGARTENER HOLLY HEFLEY tries her luck at the tire run at the McLean Elementary Playday last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Results of Playday Announced

The students at McLean Elementary School enjoyed good weather for a change for their annual Elementary Playday, held last week at the McLean track field. Coaches and other school officials, assisted by members of the eighth grade class, conducted 62 different categories in the nine events.

The PlayDay began at 9:30 a.m. May 6, and was completed with the awarding of ribbons to all six places in each event.

Winners and their categories are as follows:

RUNNING BROAD JUMP
Kindergarten: 1 (tie) D. Crockett, S. Trotter 3. B. McCarty 4. D. McCarty 5. Barker

First grade: D. Harris 2. B. Brass 3. B. Bischoff 4. H. Littlefield 5. D. Johnson 6. A. Bailey

Second grade: 1. C. Christopher 2. M. Acuna 3. J. Wade and H. Hauck (tie) 4. B. Sherman

Third grade: 1. D. Harris 2. S. Smith 3. D. Easley 4. C. Layfield 5. A. Reynolds

Fourth grade: 1. S. Rice 2. K. Tate 3. C. Shackleford 4. A. Walker 5. D. Barker 6. S. Dalton

Fifth grade: 1. A. Reynolds 2. C. Skipper 3. R. DeLeon 4. T. Hambright 5. L. Reid 6. C. Walker

Sixth grade: 1. C. Herndon 2. K. Christopher 3. F. Matheny 4. T. Cummings 5. L. Hickman 6. R. Hensley

FIFTY YARD DASH
Kindergarten: 1. F. Lara 2. M. Campbell 3. K. Littlefield 4. P. Barker 5. B. Hennig 6. M. Darsey

First grade: 1. C. Littlefield 2. C. Immel 3. D. Cole 4. J. Crockett 5. B. Melton 6. R. Griffin

Second grade: 1. H. Hauck 2. L.A. Jordan 3. F. Hickman 4. J.T. Haynes 5. J. Vick 6. D. Yawisiak

Third grade: 1. B. Bowden 2. B. Matheny 3. S. Hensley 4. R. Sanderson 5. A. Reynolds 6. D. Easley

Fourth grade: 1. D. Haynes 2. M. Magee 3. K. Hauck 4. D. Barker 5. C. Dalton 6. F. Morris

Fifth grade: 1. A. Reynolds 2. R. DeLeon 3. T. Hambright 4. T. Fontaine 5. R. Tidwell 6. B. Tidwell

Sixth grade: 1. C. Hembrey 2. R. Hensley and C. Orrick (tie) 3. D. Johnson 4. L. Milam 5. L. Hickman

STANDING BROAD JUMP
Kindergarten: 1. C. Reynolds 2. T. McDonald 3. D. Bowden 4. S. Trotter 5. S. Thrapp 6. M. Darsey

First grade: 1. J. Flores 2. J. Crockett 3. C. White 4. D. Johnson 5. J. Walker 6. C. McCracken

Second grade: 1. C. Carpenter 2. J. Middleton 3. F. Hickman 4. B. Morelos and J.

T. Haynes (tie) 5. M. Thompson

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Sixth grade: 1. S. Crockett 2. A. Harris 3. R. Rhode 4. L. Hickman

75 YARD DASH
Kindergarten: 1. P. Zinn 2. H. Hefley 3. C. Reynolds 4.

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Grand Opening For New Hospital Is Set

Grand Opening ceremonies are being scheduled for the all-new 126-bed Coronado Community Hospital in Pampa July 19, according to Nick Kupferle, III, interim administrator.

This new facility will replace the aging Highland General Hospital in serving the patient needs of Gray County and surrounding areas. The new hospital is located on highway 70 north of Pampa on a 50-acre site designed to accommodate a future medical office complex.

Kupferle said the hospital will be able to offer area residents new medical services as well as a new building, featuring such modern new medical services as nuclear medicine and ultrasound testing.

Coronado Community Hospital is owned and operated by Hospital Corporation of America, the country's leading hospital management service. HCA has been leasing Highland General Hospital from Gray County since 1979.

Ribbon cutting ceremonies are being scheduled along

with public tours of the new facility on Sunday, July 19. Patient transfer is expected to take place August 1.

The new hospital will feature the latest in energy-

saving techniques, aimed at increasing patient comfort and reducing operating energy costs.

Kupferle said the entire building will be wrapped in a thick layer of insulating material to seal in the heat in winter and air conditioning in the summer. All windows will be double-glazed and sealed to ensure energy efficiency.

Junior High Elects Student Council

The McLean Junior High student body elected their student council representatives in elections at the school Monday.

Chosen to represent next

MHS Awards Assembly Is Monday

The McLean High School Awards Assembly has been scheduled for 10:30 a.m. Monday morning in the high school auditorium, according to principal Ron Cummings.

Awards will be presented to the best all around boy or girl, the best citizen (boy and girl), and best leaders (boy and girl).

Also to be presented are academic plaques and several teachers awards. The public is invited to attend, Cummings said.

Saturday Is Cemetery Clean-Up Day

Arrangements have been made to have trash and weeds hauled off, but it is up to the individual owner to clean each lot, Rodgers said.

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OPINIONS

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Tax Hurts The Little Guys

From the Pampa News...

Although the occasion didn't warrant much fanfare, the recent first anniversary of the windfall profits tax left a lot of small royalty owners in Texas steaming. And who could blame them?

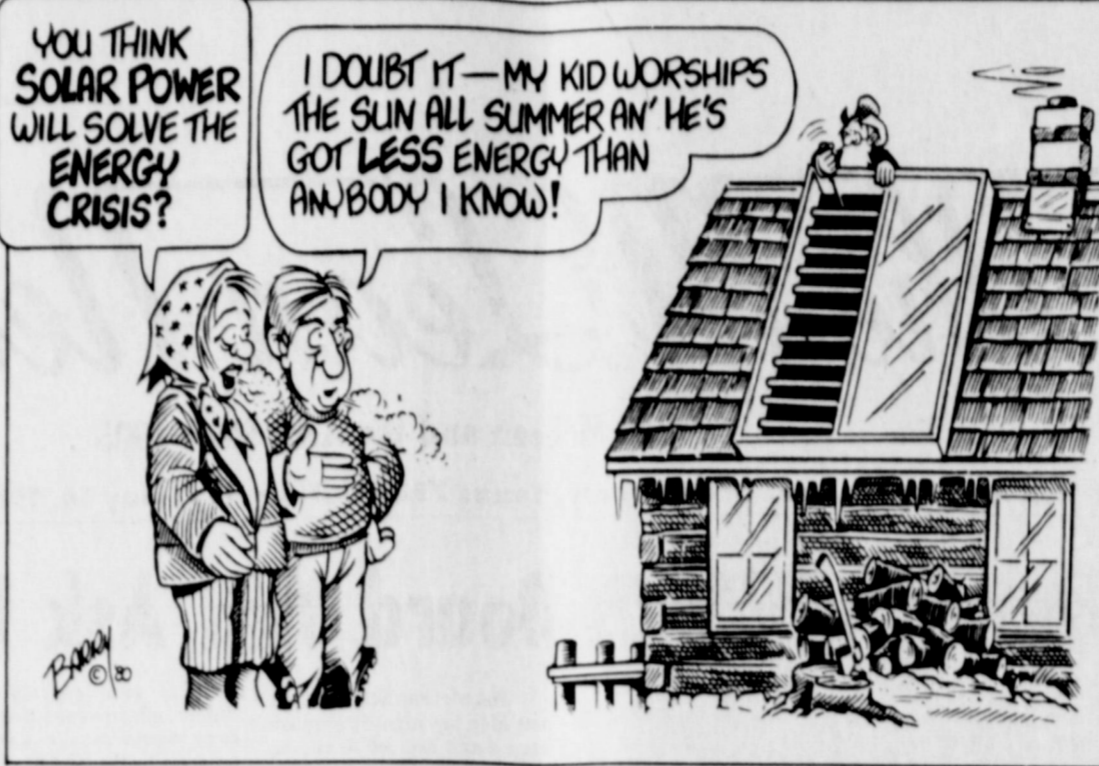
Here they are, those remaining pioneers and their sons and daughters, whose hard work and determination helped them through the years to amass land holdings in the Texas Panhandle. When the oil companies came along, some of the land owners gladly agreed to let their land be used for drilling purposes, in exchange for royalty payments. The resulting checks, they thought, would be helpful for many purposes: Graceful retirements, the education of their children and grandchildren, or reinvestments. And in a number of cases, the small royalty checks were simply seen as one way to help ease the rising cost of living in America.

But all of that was changed last year with the Carter-inspired windfalls tax, which was sold to the American public as a way to "punish" large oil concerns. And as ordinarily happens when politicians assume a stance of social conscience, the results have been altogether different than anticipated in the halls of Congress. The windfall profits tax is not hurting the major oil companies. But it has put a crushing dent on the operations of small independent producers, and in the lives of thousands of small royalty owners.

Nationwide, about 2.5 million royalty owners are paying an excise tax of 30 to 75 percent on varied categories of crude oil. Not long ago, the West Texas Land and Royalty Association surveyed its membership in an attempt to draw profiles of the average mineral rights owners who are being hurt by the windfalls profit tax. Slightly more than 1,000 owners responded to the survey in three West Texas counties; of that number, association representatives were able to put together a rather surprising sketch of those people the federal government wanted to punish with the additional taxation: A great many of them are elderly citizens. About 46 percent, in fact, were more than 65 years of age. Nearly 38 percent said the royalties make up from 50 to 100 percent of their income. As high as 17 percent reported that their royalty incomes amount to \$100 per month or less. Still another 12 percent were also in the small income category, with royalty checks ranging from \$100 to \$250. The bottom line to all this madness is that no one who was the target of the windfall profits legislation has been affected. Instead, this subversive form of taxation has served to harm the working people of the Texas Panhandle and the United States. Efforts are now underway in Washington to have royalty owners exempted from the Windfall Profits Tax. Stopping short of total abolition of the tax, this step would be a most logical step. It should be accomplished, and it should be accomplished soon.

J.P. Doodles

by Barry McWilliams



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endangered when Gladstone commuted a death sentence of a black man who had murdered a white woman); Recored Crowds in the Streets, Plight of Women Caught in the Crush, Scenes and Incidents ("London took its last look at the Coronation illuminations last night and scores fainted in the crush.") and Royal Thanksgiving, The King and Queen Attend Service At St. Paul's ("The last of the three royal processions in connection with the Coronation took place yesterday when the King

and Queen, accompanied by the Prince of Wales, Princess Mary, and other members of the British Royal Family went to St. Paul's Cathedral for the

National Thanksgiving, and afterwards took lunch with the City Corporation at the Guildhall. It was a fitting conclusion

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council, according to junior high principal Dorman Thomas. The group will then elect a president.



On May 6, the House approved a \$26.55 billion budget after a three-day debate that caused a lot of sparks to fly. A Dallas representative and I teamed up to knock a requested \$2 million off the bill for a solid waste disposal pit for the City of Irving. We suggested the City of Irving do as the other cities of the State have done—pay their own way using the \$3 million they collected in the one cent city sales tax in 1980. When we finished, the Irving Representative pulled his Amendment down.

I also discovered the religious colleges of the State had given out (over the last two years) \$1.3 million in grants to out-of-state students. I successfully placed a rider on the bill prohibiting this. I followed with an Amendment to cut their \$36 million budget by 5 percent over the next two years. This failed by an overwhelming vote. I am convinced this matter should be taken to the Courts and totally prohibited.

Many of the Representatives of the Independent Colleges and Universities of Texas (ICUT) strongly oppose furnishing text books to parochial schools on the basis of separation of church and state. This program started in 1972 with less than \$1 million of state tax money approved. They requested \$45 million for the next two years. The House held it to \$36 million. I will bet my life the Senate version will have \$45 million in it for this. The compromise between the House and Senate version will result in a figure higher than 36 million. The Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee is from Abilene where several of the religious institutions are located. \$26 million of our tax dollars went to these religious colleges over the last two years. The sad thing is we sent \$1,300,000 to out-of-state students. This is one of the reasons I am for the Initiative and Referendum. This would be thrown out at the ballot box. The heads of ICUT have to sign a statement "We do not adhere to any particular religious belief in our hiring practices."

Wayne Peveto has come out with a 110 page, band-aid for his S.B. 621 that we passed in the 1979 session in hopes of patching up this big mistake. We have had a few calls asking us not to support H.B. 602 by Lynn Nabers. This would repeal the Peveto bill that has caused chaos in the local ad valorem taxes of the State. But, right now, our phone is ringing off the hook saying get rid of the Peveto bill. Just about every rural legislator voted against this Peveto bill in 1979. The House approved it by two votes and the Senate by one. Now it is the city legislators (who voted for the bill in 1979) who are shaking in their boots. The people, connected with the taxing entities from the big cities (who lobbied the Peveto bill through in 1979) testified before our Constitutional Amendments Committee on several bills to give relief. All 4 legislators carrying legislation voted for the Peveto bill in 1979. The smaller counties have not had as much trouble as the larger ones. The sad thing is that much of the work that some counties have done with one common appraisal district could have been done before the Peveto bill was passed. The fact is, a number of taxing entities were already in the process of using the data from another entity appraisal. The City of Pampa has provided the basic appraisals for both the county and the Pampa Independent School District for years in a most satisfactory manner.

U.S. Congressmen and Senators have to stand for their decision with reference to taxing and spending matters. Legislators of Texas have to stand for their decision in spending and tax matters. But the supporters of the Peveto bill make no bones about telling you we have insulated the appointed boards that set your taxes on the local level. This is counter to the philosophy of a democracy. I believe it is counter to the philosophy of most of the tax paying citizens in my district. It is also counter to my philosophy.

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Senator Bill Sarpalius

Reports



AUSTIN - Budget time has come to Austin again. Every two years, the Legislature makes out the budget for the entire state, and it is really a task.

Every state Agency—about 200 of them—comes to Austin with its hand out. This year, the money is especially tight. About \$2.5 billion in federal funds were used to getting what will not be there. Add the effect of inflation compared to last session, and there is not much left.

Of course, the fact that there is less does not mean that everyone does not want more. Teachers and state employees both want a pay raise, while most state Agencies want to expand their services or at least stay the same. Counties want to keep more of the money they collect and traditionally turn over to the state.

We expect the General Appropriations Bill to run about \$26 billion this time. This is about 18 percent higher than the 1979 budget. Considering the factors mentioned above, it is really no increase at all. The choices are difficult

and most agencies had to sustain budget cuts. West Texas State University and the Panhandle in general sustained a few budget cuts, but when compared to all agencies and institutions in the state, they did fine. We will not have big additions, but we will keep up with the state.

Despite this tight budget, we know there are some things we have to increase. Teachers' salaries are one example. Education is too important to neglect. The need to hire and retain good teachers must be addressed or our young people could have real problems as we move into the 21st Century. State employees also have a problem. Texas is having a harder and harder time recruiting and keeping competent employees. While we need to keep a lid on the number of people the state hires, we need to keep our turnover rate low, too. Turnovers cost money.

We need your guidance as we prepare to spend your money. Please write to Senator Bill Sarpalius, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.

Good News Dept.

MAKING THE MOST OF WHAT WE HAVE

At today's sawmills, computers decide how to get the most from each log and today's thinner saws hardly leave any sawdust.

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We're also recycling more today. In fact, about half of all the paper produced comes from recycling waste paper and wood residues.

It makes good sense to stretch one of our great renewable natural resources through wise use. That's why millions are spent by Boise Cascade and other environmentally concerned companies to look for still better and more efficient ways to grow trees and manufacture wood products.



Mercury whizzes around the sun at the speed of 30 miles per second, completing one circuit in 88 days.

SW Bell Changes Number

The Southwestern Bell residence business office telephone number changes on May 18 for telephone customers in McLean.

The number will become 1-951-2141 on that date, according to Southwestern Bell Manager-Residence Service Center David Ortiz. This number will be Toll Free.

Ortiz said the change will enable the company to provide faster, more efficient centralized method of handling customer telephone business dealing with billing matters, new service, moves or disconnections. He urged customers to jot the number in front of the phone book.

Death

LUELLA CONNER
Mrs. Luella Conner, 83, of Wheeler, died Sunday in McLean.

Services were May 13 in Wheeler First Baptist Church, with Rev. Jerry Hogan, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Wheeler Cemetery.

Mrs. Conner was born in Cottle County. She moved to McLean a year ago from Wheeler, where she had lived since 1915.

She married John Conner in 1916 in Wheeler. He died in 1976.

She was a Baptist. Survivors include a son, N.T. Conner of Lubbock; two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Wall of McLean and Mrs. Iris Waltrip of Portland, Oregon; two brothers, H.O. Miller of Borger and N.L. Miller of Las Lunas, N.M.; four sisters, Mrs. Ruth Hayhurst of Waco, Mrs. Kate Parker of Las Cruces, N.M., Mrs. Barbara Clay of

Chowchilla, Calif., and Mrs. Texas Landtroop of Litchfield Park, Arizona; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

NETTIE L. REED
Mrs. Nettie L. Reed, 88, of Pampa Nursing Center died Thursday in Highland General Hospital recently.

She was born Dec. 17, 1892, in Indian Territory, Oklahoma and moved to Miami in 1923 from Alanreed. She had been a resident of Pampa for three years. She was married to Noah Reed in 1919 in Alanreed. He died in 1961. She was a member of First Christian Church of Miami.

Services were conducted last week in First Christian Church of Miami with Rev. David Presley, interim pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Miami Cemetery.

Survivors include one brother, Hartley Davis of Alanreed; five grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Reed was preceded in death by a foster son and foster daughter.

Letters To The Editor

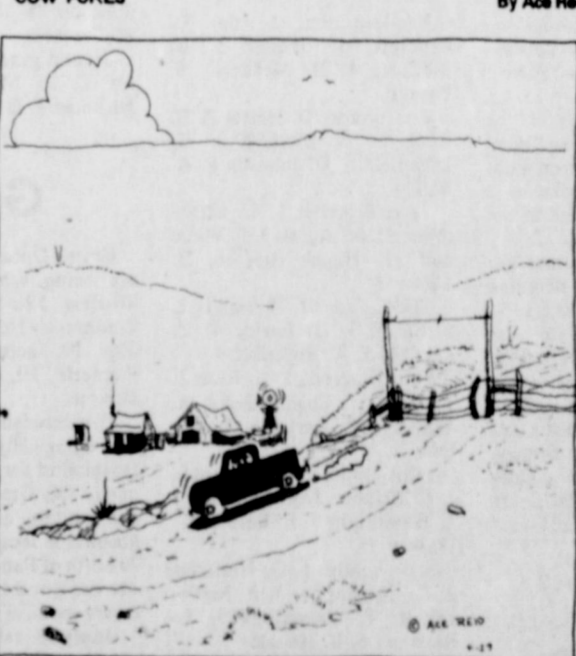
Dear Editor:
I had occasion to visit the Hillcrest Cemetery earlier this year and visit the graves of my parents. I commend the Hillcrest Cemetery Association for the overall appearance and development of the cemetery. This requires a great deal of effort in being so dedicated. The Dwight family appreciates their efforts.

We were disappointed to see that vehicular trails were being made between and on the graves of our friends, thus destroying the efforts the cemetery association. We were advised by a long-time McLean resident that young automobile drivers were doing this desecration. I, too, was guilty of unthinking acts as a youth in McLean but we did not reach the low quality of entertainment that caused us to show such disrespect. There are plenty of sand hills in Texas for new tracks.

I really do believe that the majority, vast majority, of McLean youth would not condone this type of disrespect. These few should be singled out by peers since it reflects unfavorably upon some really fine young people. These young people should be encouraged to have the citizenship to speak out against this rude behavior and it will stop. Thanks for listening, rather reading.

Your friend,
Bob Dwight

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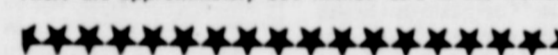
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Five Generations

FIVE GENERATIONS GATHERED Sunday to celebrate Mother's Day at Thomas Nursing Home. Pictured, seated, is Mrs. Ella Perry. Standing behind her are her great-grandson Johnny Ainsworth of Crane, her son J.L. Perry of Hobbs, N.M.; her granddaughter Mrs. Barbara Ainsworth of Hobbs, N.M., who is holding her great-great-granddaughter, Casey LoRae Ainsworth of Crane. Each person pictured is also the first born in his respective family.

Piano Recital Is Sunday

Mrs. Harold Fabian will present her students in their annual spring recital Sunday afternoon at 4 p.m. in the sanctuary of First United Methodist Church in McLean.

Students playing in the recital will be Danna Lynn Watson, Robin Renae Rohde, Angela Ruth Glass, Shawn Ann Crockett, Lee Ann Tate, David Earl Adamson, Thomas DeWayne Adamson, Terri Gaye Glass, Jamie Lou Glass, Rhonda Kay Woods, and Tony Bryan Smitherman.

Annual Banquet Honors Seniors

The Junior-Senior Banquet honoring the 1981 seniors was Friday night in the Starlight Room at the Coronado inn in Pampa. The theme for the evening was "Stand By Me."

The banquet was opened by a welcome from the junior class president, Terri Glass. Senior class president Dusty Sanders responded with a "thank you" to the juniors for the banquet. A skit was performed by sophomores Andy Eck, Brock Crockett, Frank Todd, Eva Anderson, Robin Skinner, and Kim Sanders depicting the senior school days. A movie was shown reflecting the junior and senior special occasions during the year. A total of 110 people were in attendance.



Walking For Charity

BRAVING COLD, WET weather, these brave women walked their pledged amounts for the Cystic Fibrosis Walk-A-Thon last Saturday. Pictured are Louise Johnson, Oma Trew, Bonnie Fabian, and Wanda Sharp. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



Rounding The Corner

WALKERS OF ALL ages participated in the Cystic Fibrosis Walk-A-Thon last Saturday. Pictured are Barbara Hambright, on the left, and Shane Coleman. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

Walkers Raise \$432 For Cystic Fibrosis

Despite chilly winds and occasional rain, 32 walkers braved the weather Saturday morning to complete a Walk-A-Thon for the Cystic Fibrosis drive in McLean. The event collected \$432 for the charity

from 38 sponsors, according to drive chairman Leta Mae Hess.

Taking the honors for the longest distance walked were Jacquie Riley and Joyce Eck who walked to the bridge seven miles north of town and back. Their sponsors were the Dixie Restaurant and Thomas Nursing home. James Smith was next in line for the longest distance walked, as he completed six miles.

Mrs. Hess said that anyone who did not get a chance to donate to the fund could contact her. "I especially want

to thank all the people who got out in the bad weather Saturday to walk for this worthy cause," Mrs. Hess said.

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McLEAN BRIEFS

Mother's Day guests in the home of Mrs. Mattie Wheeler and Dick were Marguerite Burgin and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Burgin, Melinda, Krista, and Courtney, of Groom.

The Fidelas Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met in the parlor of the church Thursday night for a covered dish supper. Hostesses were Relia Ayers and Safronia Pettit.

After supper Joe Taylor led the devotional and Rev. Buell Wells led the closing prayer.

Those present were Elizabeth and Oba Kunkel, Buell Wells, Rush Turner, Lillie Mae and Howard Williams, Lorette Barker, R.B. Kinard, Pauline Miller, Stella Gibson, Nola Crisp, Edna and Joe Taylor, Bea and Claude Lester, Essie Glenn, Vela Young, Ada Simmons, Susie Trout, Ed Haynes, Bertha Smith, Mildred Giesler, Peggy Adams and the hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Steward of Amarillo spent Sunday with her mother, Jewel McCurley.

Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker and Bill Graham attended the Pre-conference Orientation in Pampa at First United Methodist Church Monday evening. Following the meeting they attended a farewell party for Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Appling.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Trew and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Trew are vacationing in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Burroughs and Lindsey of Odessa spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burroughs and his sister, Mrs. David Crockett and her family.

Pat Bailey spent several days in Pampa with her mother, Mrs. Pansy Ballard. Her sister Margie Martin from Louisiana and her brother W.E. Ballard from Dallas were also visiting their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Fleet Prudon of Wellington visited Ruth Saye, Mae Chilton and Jack and Lorena Bailey Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Atchley and Omar spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting with friends and relatives.

Joe Burroughs was in Tulsa, Oklahoma last week on business.

Perry, Kim, and Jay Graham spent Sunday in Canyon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Tucker.

Burret Kinard spent several days in Forgan, Okla. in the home of his daughter, LaJune McReynolds. While there he attended 8th grade graduation exercises for his great-granddaughter, Kimberly Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Glass have returned from several days with their daughter, Mrs. Bill Heckendoron and her family. While there they all went to Six Flags.

Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Simpson of Pampa visited here last Friday.

Emma Jean Tate was in Amarillo last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lester visited his brothers, Ernest Lester in Wheeler and Edgar Lester in Borger and their families on Tuesday.

Ruth Magee left Monday for Baton Rouge, La. to be with her sister-in-law who is seriously ill.

Ruth Pennington guests during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Vermillion of Shamrock and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Whitten and children, Jerry, Kim, and Glen of Erick, Okla.

R. B. Kinard made a trip to Shamrock Friday.

Mrs. Kathy Henslee and children Will and Rachel of Dimmitt are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Graham and her brother, Perry Graham and family.

Recent guests in the Bob Bidwell home were Mrs. Mary Clay of Hedley and Mrs. Nettie Lee and Mrs. Virginia Harris of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carpenter of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Altman and children of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Altman were visitors during the weekend in the home of Mrs. A.E. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Smith of Lefors were in McLean Monday on business and visited with her mother, Mrs. Ben Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Lankford visited last weekend in Chickasha, Okla. with the Jerry Campbell family.

Mrs. A.E. Carpenter was in Shamrock on business Monday.

Myrtle Billingsley and Pearl Mercer visited in Pampa Monday.

Louise Johnson, accompanied by Anna O'Gorman and Nettie Faye Vineyard of Shamrock were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Liz Gutierrez and daughters of Sant Rosa, New Mexico visited Pat and Grace Flores and the George Orrick family during the weekend.

Verna Hudgins spent Sunday visiting in Erick, Okla.

Greg Henley son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henley, who has

been attending Texas Tech came home Friday to spend the summer.

Chloe McMullen and Emma Jean Tate were in Amarillo Monday morning.

Myrtle Phillips is visiting her daughter Mrs. Duward Herndon and her family in Dumas.

Jana Davis and Rhonda Bush of Canyon spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Shankle and daughter of Oklahoma City were recent visitors in the home of Ott Davis.

Ramah Lou Lankford and Mickey Jackson were in Duke, Okla. on business last Friday.

Mrs. Jessie Mums of Pampa has been visiting her sister Mrs. Virginia Tate. Last Tuesday Mrs. Tate's daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Masters of Amarillo, flew down here and picked up Mrs. Mums and Tate and flew them to San Antonio to be with relatives.

Weekend guests in the home of Vivian Grigsby were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Rollison of Lazbuddie and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Morris of Dumas.

Curtis Simpson is home from Lubbock to spend the summer with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson.

Gail Miller and daughter, Miranda of Amarillo are spending this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harkins. Weekend guests in the Harkins home were son James and his daughter, Mary Kelly of Amarillo.

Joel Wilson of Amarillo spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson and his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly McClellan and children, Lisa and Krystle are moving here from Amarillo.

See BRIEFS, Page 7

VFW Auxiliary Installs Officers

The Ladies Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars to the Johnnie Windom Post # 8565 met May 5 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Pat Guill for the installation of new officers for 1981 and 1982.

Mayme Hathaway was the installing officer.

New auxiliary officers installed were Pat Guill, president; Effie Lou Everett, senior vice-president; Davie Gipson, junior vice-president; Laverne Brooks, treasurer; Lorene Arbuckle, conductress; Mary Dwyer, patriotic instructor; Lucille Cullison, Secretary and reporter; Adell Walker, guard; Dorris Windom, trustee # 1; Colleen Stewart, Trustee # 2; Mary Groves, Trustee # 3; and Betty Logan, telephone chairman.

The next regular meeting will be in the post home June 2 at 7:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR:

Thursday, May 14: Church of Christ will host seniors to a graduation supper at the church annex.
Friday, May 15: Senior class party at Wonderland Park. Junior High Band picnic after school for grades 5, 6, and 7.
Saturday, May 16: All-Sports Banquet at McLean Country Club at 7:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 17: Seniors in morning services at First Baptist Church. Baccalaureate Service for seniors at 8 p.m.
Monday, May 18: High School Awards assembly in auditorium at 10:30 a.m.
Tuesday, May 19: All-School party at Pampa Youth Center.
Friday, May 22: Elementary Award assembly, 10 a.m. in high school auditorium; junior high awards assembly at 1 p.m. in high school auditorium.
SCHOOL DISMISSED FOR SUMMER VACATION at 2 p.m. High school commencement exercises in First Baptist Church at 8 p.m.

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Where Are They Now?... The Class of 1961



Class of 1961

CLASS OF 1961, shortly before graduation. [Photo Courtesy of Mrs. Cecil Back]



School Memories

CLASS OF 1961, probably in the second or third grade. [Photo Courtesy of Mrs. Cecil Back]

NEWS FROM ALAN REED

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. McLain and Brenda visited in Borger Sunday with son and brother Danny McLain and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartley Davis spent Sunday in Groom with Mary's mother Mrs. Hattie Terbush.

Polly Harrison and Lena Carter were in Pampa on Monday and visited with Betty Marshall and the Jerry Carters.

Visiting Jewel Warner Monday was Richard Wagner, Bill Edwards, of Oklahoma City, and Edith Little also of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis May of Panhandle were here over the weekend working on their house.

Polly Harrison received word on her Mother's Day card that grandson Brandon of Amarillo had broken his arm. Brandon and his little sister have often been visitors here at their grandmother's.

There will be a man from the

Gideon Bible Society here at First Baptist Church Sunday May 17. Anyone who has stopped at the hotel, motel, or been in a hospital, is familiar with the Gideon Bible. Come and listen to this servant tell about their work, it should be real interesting. Plans are

underway to have a vacation bible school sometime after school is out. If you would like to help, see Polly Harrison or Alice French. We need keep these young ones occupied.

Mrs. Dorothy Daniels' mother continues to be very ill.

The cemetery is getting in fine shape. Marvin Rawlings has mowed it, and numerous people have been up and worked around the graves.

QUOTABLE QUOTES

I would rather sit on a pumpkin and have it all to myself than to be crowded on a velvet cushion.

Thoreau He lived a life of going-to-do, and died with nothing done.

J. Elbery (Epitaph written for himself)

The best sauce for food is hunger.

Socrates A highbrow is a person educated beyond his intelligence.

Brander Matthews Where your treasure is, there will your heart be also... Proverbs XV-15

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The Class of 1961

On May 1961, the McLean High School graduating class received their diplomas. Dorothy Pakan played the processional for the class to walk in and the Rev. J.B. Stewart, pastor of the Methodist Church in McLean, gave the invocation. Melvin Munn of Pampa was the speaker for the evening. Valedictorian Judy Wyatt and salutatorian Rita Brown also gave speeches. President of the school board, Sam Haynes presented the diplomas to the class who were recommended for graduation by principal Bob Green. Superintendent of schools Lee Welch presented awards. Mrs. Billie Brown sang "The Lord's Prayer" for the benediction. Class sponsors were Jim Boyd and Mary Lou Riley. Jack Back was president of the class, Gary Gordin was vice-president, Carol Boston was secretary, Dennis Roach was treasurer, Ruth Pakan was sentinel, and Judy Wyatt was corresponding secretary.

There have been many changes in the lives of those 28 seniors in the last 20 years. Some live in McLean, others live in nearby towns. Two members of the class are deceased.

We were able to locate information about most of the class members.

Where are they now?
Gary Back was killed in an airplane accident while serving in the Air Force during the Viet Nam war.

Jack Back lives in Garden Grove, Calif., where he is the public relations man for Certified Grocers. He and his wife Cordelia have two sons Tyson S. and Justin 4.

Doyal Billingsley married another member of the class Nancy Meacham. They live in McLean where he works for El Paso Natural Gas Co. and she works as a teacher's aid. They have two daughters Melanie 13, and Melissa 16.

Danny Brown lives in San Diego, Calif. He is working on his masters degree in psychology at San Diego State. He is not married.

Rita Brown Crawford lives in Amarillo. She works for an oil company. She has one son, Shawn, 15.

Carole Boston Boyce and her husband Fred live in Longview where he has a construction company. She works in his office. They have two sons Frederick 9, and Jonathan 6.

Douglas Crockett and his wife Janet live in Pasadena where he works for Air Product Chemicals Inc. They have no children.

Carol Golithly was killed in a car wreck several years ago.

Gary Gordin is married to another member of the class of '61, Peggy Sharp. They live in Dumas where he works for Diamond Shamrock and she does substitute teaching. They have two children Tracy 16, and Val Marie 14.

Shirley Gudgeon Morris lives in McLean. She works at Thomas Nursing Center. She has four children and a six-month grandson. Her children are Dorothea 17, Kim 14, and Floyd and Lloyd, 12.

Mary McClellan Slaughter and her husband Bill run a service station in Odessa. They have two children: Jim 19, and Debbie 14.

Winnie Martindale Moore and her husband Bill live in Amarillo where he works for the postal service. She works part time in the tax office. They have four children: Larry 16, Jerry 14, Rodney 11, and Karen 8.

Ruth Pakan Jones and her husband Charles live in Pampa where he works for Getty Oil Co. They have three children: Mathew 10, Jeredith 3, and Wesley 1.

John Pettit is a Baptist Missionary in the state of New York. He and his wife Marjane have three children.

Barney Pool lives in Amarillo. He is a disabled veteran, having suffered a head injury in Viet Nam. He is not married.

Dennis Roach is an architect in Alexandria, Va. He is not married.

Janine Shelton Morgan and her husband Skip live in

Pampa. He is a representative of Pfizer Drug Co., introducing new drugs to teaching hospitals in the Dallas area. He will complete his Masters Degree this week from North Texas State in Denton. He and his wife Jane have four children Trey 13, Tiffany 11, Wendy 6, and Tyler 3.

We could find no information on Bill Swift of Becky Waller.

Sue Wright Key and her husband Bob live in Glenwood, Ark. He drives a truck. They have six children: Robbie 17, Anita 16, Pam 15, Roland 12, Edna 9, and Joel 7.

Judy Wyatt Whatley and her husband Jim live in Pampa where he works for Gulf. They have three children Jeff 15, Jana 13, and Jason 9.

Frank Yearwood and his wife Carrol live in Pampa where he works for Ingersoll-Rand (formerly Cabot). They have two children, Robert, 16, and JoNita 15.

We could find no information on Wanda Hall.

If anyone has information about the class members we could not locate, please write Where Are They Now? McLean News, Box H, McLean, Texas 79057.



The world's highest mountain, measured from the center of the earth is not Everest, but Mount Chimborazo in the Ecuadorian Andes. It's height is 20,946,233 feet.



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A baby fish is called a fingerling.

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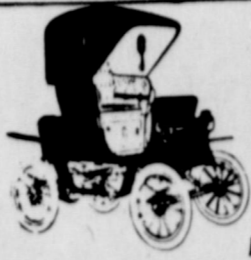


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by Sam Haynes

10 YEARS AGO...
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Mrs. Frank Howard, Mrs. Luther Petty, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Barker and Rev. and Mrs. Herman W. Bell attended the workers conference at Quail last Thursday.
Betty Pearson of Odessa visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Pearson and other relatives over the weekend.
20 YEARS AGO...
JACK SHELTON, ED.
McLean's trail riders, on horseback and in wagons, will head west on U.S. 66 in the early hours of May 25 to

publicize the 52nd annual 66 Roundup, Rodeo, and Horse Show opening here the following week. A host of local and area residents are expected to make the trip to Amarillo, where they will appear on television and parade through the heart of the city May 27.
Two students from McLean are included on the dean's list of graduates due to receive degrees this spring from West Texas State College. They are Sue Barnhill and David Jack Hall.
M.W. Riemer, Navy

yeoman third class, and son of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Billingsley of McLean, is serving aboard the ammunition ship USS Haleakala, which recently departed the U.S. for a five month cruise in the western Pacific.
30 YEARS AGO...
LESTER CAMPBELL, ED.
Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Close were in McLean Monday for a short time visiting Mrs. Close's mother, Mrs. A.S. Stanfield, and other relatives and friends. They are returning to their home in Miles City, Montana, after an extended tour of the south and southeast.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Dean (Sonny) Back of Austin announce the birth of a son. He weighed 8 lbs., 4 1/2 ounces, and has been named Richard Dean II. The Back's are former residents of McLean.
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and children, Sherrell and Casey of Pampa visited over the weekend with relatives and friends in McLean.
40 YEARS AGO...
T.A. LANDERS, ED.
Master Kenneth Graham was the honoree at a party Monday, on his first birthday,

at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.L. Graham. The birthday cake was served with ice cream, and favors of balloons were given to the children. The honoree received a number of nice gifts. Children present were Robert Price of Shamrock, Dorothy Lee and Leah Jean Bearden, Wanda Mae, Mary Lou and Tommy Watkins, Edwin, Mary and Anna Mae Echols, and Shirley Ann Watkins. Adult guests were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price, Mr. and Mrs. McCarty of Shamrock, Mrs. Echols, Mrs. R.H. Bearden, Mrs. Andrew Watkins, Mrs. Addie B. Pen-

son, and Mr. and Mrs. Graham.
For some unknown reason, rumor has been circulated that Supt. C.A. Cryer has resigned his position in the McLean schools. Mr. Cryer says the rumor is false. He has not resigned and has no intention of doing so at the present time.
Tiger Post... 'Snooper Snoopin'. Wonder who the guy in the '38 Chevy that Oma Lee Hardin was courtin' at noon? You wouldn't hold

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OBERLIN COLLEGE
The first college to confer degrees on women was Oberlin College, in 1841.

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- Frozen Shurfine Chopped
BROCCOLI 10 oz. package 41c
- Shurfine
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OXYDOL 35¢ off!!! \$3.19

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CORN 2 - 79c
- Ranch Style
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- Shurfine
PEACHES #303 can 2 - \$1.00
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- Folgers All Grinds
COFFEE 1 lb. can \$2.29
- Easy Way
PAPER PLATES 100 count 99c
- Sunshine Chip-a-roos
COOKIES 12 oz. \$1.09
- Deltex Orange
SLICES OR KISSES 1 lb. bag 89c
- All Flavors!!!
JELLO 3 oz. package 3 - 89c
- GiltEdge Festival
COTTAGE CHEESE 24 oz. carton \$1.19
- Kraft
MARSHMALLOWS 1 lb. bag 79c
- Frozen Shurfine
BROCCOLI SPEARS 10 oz. package 57c
- Shurfine
WAFFLE SYRUP 32 oz. 99c
- Armour
TREET 12 oz. can \$1.39
- King Size
IVORY LIQUID 13¢ off!!! \$1.19

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SAVE ALL THE TIME



appetizing

- Corn King **BACON** 2 - \$2.49
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- CANTALOUPE** 1 - 49c
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- TOMATOES** 1 - 49c
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8 a. m. - 7 p. m.



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Racing For The Finish

CLIFFORD IMMEL AND Chris Littlefield race for the finish line during the first grade fifty yard dash at the annual McLean Playday last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



JIM ANDERSON COMES in an easy first in the 220-yard dash at the McLean Elementary Playday last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



BILLY BECK TURNS on the steam to clinch a win in the 220-yard dash at the McLean Elementary Playday last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

PLAYDAY — Continued From Page 1

S. Hill 5. m. Barker 6. D. Bowden
 First grade: 1. D. Magee 2. T. Sanders 3. T. Hess 4. D. Doie 5. H. Syfrett 6. A. Bailey
 Second grade: 1. J. Shackleford 2. C. Christopher 3. J. Cummings 4. H. Hauck 5. M. Yelich 6. B. Sherman
 Third grade: 1. D. Shackleton
 Third grade: 1. T. Lara 2. L. McCarty 3. S. Coleman 4. K. Orrick 5. Luc. Langley 6. J. Armbrister
 Fourth grade: 1. S. Brass 2. L. Morris 3. D. McAnear 4. G. Mann 5. T. Lopez 6. W. Smith
 Fifth grade: 1. J. Anderson 2. J. Parker 3. R. DeLeon 4. D. Ridgway 5. T. Fontaine 6. R. Tidwell
 Sixth grade: 1. M. McCarty 2. K. Christopher 3. A. Harris 4. T. McDonald 5. S. Crockett
TIRE RUN
 Kindergarten: 1. F. Lara 2. K. Riggsby 3. H. Hefley 4. M. Campbell 5. P. Adams 6. M. Barker
 First grade: C. McCracken 2. J. Coleman 3. C. Easley 4. B. Brass 5. T. Hess 6. Griffin
 Second grade: 1. J. Middleton 2. M. Yelich 3. C. Pyles 4. C. Carpenter 5. B. Morelos 6. M. Thompson
 Third grade: 1. B. Bowden 2. S. Coleman 3. T. Jones 4. F. Hickman 5. S. Layfield 6. M. Wade
 Fourth grade: 1. T. Lopez 2. K. Woods 3. D. McAnear 4. K. Williams and T. Cummings (tie)
 Fifth grade: 1. D. Ridgway 2. C. Skipper 3. L. Reid 4. J. Adams 5. S. Jackson 6. C. Walker
 Sixth grade: 1. McCarty 2. R. Rhode 3. T. McDonald 4. A. Glass 5. C. Orrick 6. Hickman
SOFTBALL THROW
 Kindergarten: 1. T. McDonald 2. B. Hennig 3. M. Barker 4. P. Zinn 5. K. Littlefield 6. M. Darsey
 First grade: 1. T. Sanders 2. T. Hess 3. D.Z. Magee 4. D. Cole 5. C. White 6. M. Young
 Second grade: 1. J.T. Haynes 2. Shackleford 3. L. Jordan 4. M. Thompson 5. M. Yelich 6. Yadvisiak
 Third grade: 1. Joe DeLeon 2. T. Lara 3. D. Sprinkles 4. D. Watson 5. Yadvisiak 6. K. Beck
 Fourth grade: 1. D. Via 2. Morelos 3. K. Hauck 4. A. Hensley 5. B. White 6. R. Young
 Fifth grade: 1. T. Fontaine 2. J. Anderson 3. R. Tidwell 4. R. DeLeon 5. S. Jackson 6. J. Kennedy
 Sixth grade: 1. Hickman 2. M. McCarty 3. D. Immel 4. L. Milam 5. Harris

2. Beck 3. F. Matheny 4. D. Immel 5. C. Hembree 6. T. Cummings
HURDLE RUN
 Kindergarten: 1. C. Reynolds 2. F. Lara 3. S. Hill 4. H. Hefley 5. D. Bowden 6. B. Melton
 First grade: 1. C. Gabel 2. D. Johnson 3. H. Syfrett 4. Crockett 5. J. Crockett 6. B. Melton
 Second grade: 1. G. DeLeon 2. C. Pyles 3. F. Hickman 4. B. Morelos 5. J. Vick 6. Yadvisiak
 Third grade: 1. T. Hess 2. J. Sheets 3. Bischoff 4. Sanderson 5. D. Watson 6. Yadvisiak
 Fourth grade: 1. K. Sluder 2. A. Brass 3. S. Acy 4. B. White 5. G. Mann 6. R. Young
 Fifth grade: 1. H. Green 2. C. Skipper 3. T. Fontaine 4. L. Reid 5. S. Jackson 6. C. Walker
 Sixth grade: 1. M. McCarty 2. L. Milam 3. T. Cummings 4. A. Glass 5. C. Hembree 6. Hickman
100 YARD DASH
 First grade: 1. J. Coleman 2. Cody Gabel 3. B. Bischoff 4. T. Sanders 5. C. Immel 6. D. Crockett
 Second grade: Results not available. Competitors were J. Cummings, D. Shackleford, C. Christopher, C. Carpenter, M. Acuna, and J. Vick.
 Third grade: Results not available. Competitors were K. Beck, S. Hensley, S. Barker, F. Hickman, J. Sheets, and S. Smith.
220 YARD DASH
 Fourth grade: 1. C. Bowden 2. S. Brass 3. C. Shackleford 4. S. Acy 5. K. Sluder 6. S. Morelos
 Fifth grade: 1. J. Anderson 2. H. Green 3. A. Reynolds 4. J. Parker 5. D. Ridgway 6. B. Tidwell
 Sixth grade: 1. B. Beck 2. D. Immel 3. F. Matheny 4. J. Rice



IF DETERMINATION WILL win, this kindergarten youngster should get a blue ribbon. Frankie Lara tries his luck at the tire run. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



KINDERGARTENER MELISSA DARSEY competes for the first time in the McLean Elementary Playday, this time in the standing broad jump. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



MIKE CAMPBELL, A kindergarten student at McLean, tries to have the best time in the tire run at the Elementary Playday last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

DOWN MEMORY LANE

out on us would you Oma Lee? Well, it does seem as though the Back-Courts romance has definitely gone on the rocks--not even publicity can help the affair.
50 YEARS AGO...
T.A. LANDERS, ED.
 George Colebank, Reep Landers, and John Cooper were elected to the active board of deacons at the First Baptist Church Wednesday evening and an ordination service is planned in the near future. The active board now consists of L.O. Floyd, T.A. Landers, D.L. and G.J. Abbott.
 According to A.B. Wood, a syrup factory will begin operations this season on the G.J. Abbott farm. Msrs. Wood

and Abbott have two power can mills, and it is expected to have a gas-fired furnace with a capacity of from 150 to 250 gallons of syrup per day.
 Mrs. T.A. Landers entertained the following at dinner last Sunday: Supt. and Mrs. G.C. Boswell, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Goff, Prof. and Mrs. Robt. C. Davidson, Misses Aline McCarty, Vera Cummins, Ruby Lee Seal, Profs. John Harding and Garrison Rush.
60 YEARS AGO...
M.L. MOODY, ED.
 M.I. Moreland of Alareed, Rock Island section foreman, sustained a broken leg Sunday morning when the motor "hand car" on which he was riding left the rails. His

wound was dressed by the company surgeon at this place, Dr. Montgomery, who took him to a hospital in Amarillo. We understand he is doing nicely and is expected to recover quickly.
 During the baseball game Saturday afternoon, fire was discovered among the bales on cotton in the yard south of the depot. The burning bales were rolled away from the other cotton there, and the loss held as low as possible. Only two bales were destroyed, the other four being damaged only slightly. The fire is supposed to have originated from cigarettes being smoked in the vicinity by small boys.

70 YEARS AGO...
A.G. RICHARDSON, ED.
 My handsome driving and saddle stallion will make the season at the Crabtree barn, will be here on Tuesdays and Saturdays of each week. If you want to raise a good harness or saddle colt, look this horse over. Usual terms and fee. R.L. Harlan, McLean, Texas.

Mrs. Geo. Cash returned Saturday afternoon from Maud, Oklahoma, where he was called to the bedside of her mother. Mrs. Julia Lenore Stearns. Mrs. Stearns died Monday, May 8th, after a lingering illness of many weeks with bronchial troubles. She was sixty-four years old, and leaves, besides her husband, a large family of children and grandchildren to mourn her passing.

Adv... **HINDMAN HOTEL...**
 Rates \$2.00 per day... Special rates to weekly boarders... All meals \$.50--children \$.25.
 A party of young ladies enjoyed a "couch" party given for Mrs. Fannie Morgan at the Richardson home Friday night of last week.



Superstition has it that if your ears ring, tingle, burn or itch, someone is talking about you.

OH BOY! IT'S FROM PARSON'S!

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You've got someone working on it for you in the Southwest. Southwestern Public Service is using Wyoming coal to make electricity in its new power plants. Because some of the old plants run on fuel that just plain costs too much.

Electricity could cost a lot more than it does. But thank goodness it doesn't — because of coal.

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FOR SALE

BULLS FOR SALE: Registered with papers, 5 to 7 year-old bulls, 3 Charolais, 3 Herefords and 2 Red Brangus. Call Don Taylor, Hereford at 364-4621 or Joe Taylor 779-2963.

FOR SALE: 3-bedroom A-frame apartment; 3-bedroom 14 x 85 trailer with bath and a half; and a small trailer, all on seven lots. Furnished or unfurnished. Call 779-2674 or 779-2771.

GARAGE SALE: 319 E. Third. May 14 through 24.

FOR SALE: 160 acres south of Shamrock-fenced-water well one half royalty. \$300 per acre.

3 BEDROOM HOUSE, carpeted, storm cellar, 10 lots all fenced. Call 779-2297 or Amarillo 353-1896.

FOR SALE OR trade: 4 apts. corner of West First and Cedar. No agents please.

FOUR LITTON MICROWAVE oven. \$298 each. Terry's Electric.

BARRELS FOR SALE: Call 779-2743.

FOR SALE: 2 bedroom home, also a 4-bedroom home both in McLean. Call Linda L. Harlan Gainey at 373-9764 Amarillo.

REAL ESTATE SALES

Very affordable home in good location - ready for occupancy. Three bedroom large den, 1 3/4 baths, cellar, and attached garage. Excellent condition.

Three bedroom on corner lot near school, very good buy. Large three bedroom dwelling, efficiency apartment, double garage, lots of storage space. Excellent location. Purchaser can occupy immediately.

Commercial building already occupied - good returns on investment.
JANE SIMPSON AGENCY

FRONT YARD SALE at 413 Cypress, Saturday, May 16 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.



SPACIOUS TWO-STORY house, with two bathrooms, greenhouse, extra rooms could be used for bedroom or den. Recently remodeled throughout. Surprising price.

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY ON 5 lots. 900 sq. ft. with kitchen facilities.

HOUSE ON 20 acres outside city limits. 3 Bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths. Assumable note.

3 BEDROOM, 2 BATH double-wide mobile home on 2 blocks in Alanreed.

IDA HESS 779-2641
JIM ALLISON 779-2461
779-2915 779-2649

FOR SALE: 1971 Prowler Travel Trailer. Phone 779-2361 or 779-2129.

3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE: boys clothing size 10-12; some furniture, little bit of everything. Friday and Saturday. 705 East Second.

FOR SALE: 50 gallon gas tank. Call 779-2930.

FOR SALE: Ermilo love grass seed. Cleaned, bagged, certified. Call 779-2258.

FOR RENT

SMALL TRAILER HOUSE for rent, furnished. To see, call 779-2674.

NEED CARPENTER WORK Done? Call Leland Myers 779-2734.

GET READY FOR SUMMER New and used air conditioners Parts and Service Call Lloyd Bybee 779-2601 B&B Electric

SEPTIC TANK CLEANING
CALL 779-2263 after 6 p.m.

I WILL DO upholstery in my home. Have fabric samples. Contact Carolyn Coleman. 779-3100.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST BLOND LIMOUSIN bull-approximately 3 years old. No horns. Last seen north of town. Call Clay Gabel at 779-2027.

WANTED

WANT TO BUY a used freezer. Call 779-2152.

WANTED: ORIGINAL ARTS & crafts on consignment. Call 779-3164 or 779-3131.

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Grandmother's Tea

MORE THAN 80 mothers, grandmothers, secret grandmothers, and FHA members attended the annual Secret Grandmother's FHA tea Monday night in the McLean Lions Club. Pictured on the front row are Mrs. Nora Gately, Mrs. Gladys Smith, and Mrs. Shirley Todd Smith. Second row are Mrs. Fern Boyd, Mrs. Barbara Hambright, and Mrs. Frances Kennedy. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



Look At The Gifts!

THIS LOOKS LIKE Christmas. Mary Groves seems to be saying as she looks at the array of gifts at the Secret Grandmother's FHA tea Monday night. (Photo by Linda Haynes)



CARMEL MOORE SERVES punch as Mrs. Imogene Glass takes a cookie from the buffet table at the annual Secret Grandmother's tea last week. (Photo by Linda Haynes)

LIBRARY NOTES

by Sam Haynes

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A Chinese proverb says: "If you have two loaves of bread, sell one and buy a lily."

Whom the Lord loveth he chasteneth. Heb. XII-6

Lips, however rosy, must be fed. A. B. Cheales

Life is not a spectacle or a feast, it is a predicament. George Santayana

To do injustice is more disgraceful than to suffer it. Plato

Birthdays

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| MAY 15
Walter Craig Corbin
David Haynes
Bobbi Brown | MAY 16
R.J. Turner
Clinton Corbin
Steven Kirby | MAY 17
Elton Johnston
Mrs. Frank Reeves
Mrs. James Coleman
Mrs. Jim Watson |
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In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



I have two new recipes for you this week, since I have been lazy and not written this column for a couple of weeks. One of the recipes has "been making the rounds" in Groom and the other comes from Wellington. I haven't tried either one, but I have been assured that both are delicious. First, a super-fattening ice cream recipe from Joyce Eck. She says this is all the rage in Groom.

The next recipe is from Connie Dwyer at Samnorwood, but she says she thinks the recipe came from Wellington originally. At any rate, Connie tells us that it is wonderful!

KRISPIES DATE BALLS

1/2 cup butter or margarine
1/4 cup sugar
1 lb. pitted dates, cut up (2 1/2 cups)
1 egg, well beaten
1 tbsp. milk
1/2 tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1/2 cup chopped nuts
2 cups crushed Rice Krispies finely chopped nuts or coconut

Mix butter, sugar, dates. Cook over low heat, stirring constantly until butter melts. Remove from heat. Mix egg, milk, salt, and vanilla; add to date to mixture. Cook over very low heat, stirring constantly, about 10, 12, or until dates are soft and blended in

with other ingredients. Remove from heat; stir in nuts. Cool 5 min.; stir in Rice Krispies. As soon as mixture is cool enough to handle, form into small balls and roll in finely chopped nuts or coconut. Makes 75 small balls.

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