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More Taxes, Whiskey Setting In Our Future

By VERN STANFORD

Texas legislators are at work on Connally's recommendations raising \$144,200,000 in new taxes which include a "surprise" proposal to legalize the sale of liquor for the drink.

As local-option, mixed-drink enactment was the major bombshell in an otherwise predictable package of boosts or adjustments in standby sales and business taxes and a transfer of farm road financing to the highway fund.

House revenue and tax committee hearings are due to get under way immediately. Legislative leadership acknowledge some bitter controversies are upcoming for the major revenue program advanced since Connally took over governor's office.

In his 25-minute speech to a joint session of the House and Senate, Connally outlined his plan on how to raise the \$971,000 necessary to carry out his general revenue spending program for the next two years.

Here, in summary, is the governor's tax program:

1. Appeal the sales tax exemption on alcoholic beverages, effective July 1. (Should yield \$26,000,000.)

2. Increase the gasoline tax from 5c to 6c, effective July 1. (Since \$24,400,000 of the total revenue automatically goes to the available school fund, general revenue of this amount would be freed for legislative appropriation. Tax raise would add \$73,200,000 to the state highway fund.)

3. Appeal the 1949 Colson-Briscoe general allocation of \$15,000,000 to farm-to-market roads to leave financing of these roads to the highway department. (\$30,000,000 general revenue gain.)

4. Tax distilled spirits and wine sold at licensed establishments 5c an ounce. (\$15,000,000.)

5. Increase the corporation franchise rate from \$2.25 per \$1,000 to \$3.00, effective July 1.

6. Raise the natural gas production tax from seven to eight per cent of wellhead value, effective July 1. (\$17,800,000.)

7. Connally said he had tried to impose the least possible burden upon the individual and business taxpayers of this state.

8. He emphasized that he recommends legalizing liquor by the glass only on a local-option basis under "strict regulation" with payment by revocation of licenses for repeat sales of liquor offenders. He hit at the existing "permeability" which now permits sale of mixed drinks through so-called private clubs.

9. It is time to bring this matter to the open," the governor said. "My considered opinion that a more-wholesome climate will prevail if liquor can be sold by drink, legally and under tight control."

10. Connally got his biggest applause when he said he would NOT recommend a state college-university increase.

11. **RIKE URGED**—The Legislature has unanimously petitioned the governor to submit as an emergency interim pay raise bill to state employees.

12. Connally did not mention this in his address, however. If a raise would be voted, to effect immediately, another \$100 million in general revenue would be raised.

13. Connally's budget includes an average 30 per cent pay raise for the state government employees, effective Sept. 1.

14. It is not an across-the-board

20 per cent raise. Raises would vary widely by salary groups. For example, lower paid workers would be raised from \$2,640 a year to \$3,024 (approximately 12%), and those in highest classifications from \$12,830 to \$17,784 (nearly 39%). This means a \$32 a month raise to the little fellow and \$412 per month in the high salary brackets.

Connally last week added \$19,000,000 to his spending recommendations for another purpose—to raise to the maximum authorized by a 1963 constitutional amendment welfare grants for the needy aged, blind, families with dependent children and the disabled and to implement the Title 19 program of federal-state aid to the indigent.

Offices in County Courthouse Will Close Saturdays

All Gray County courthouse offices in Pampa will be closed on Saturdays beginning March 4, according to an announcement by County Judge S. R. Lenning Jr.

He said the exception will be the sheriff's office, which will continue to be open around the clock seven days per week.

Judge Lenning stated he found that county offices in surrounding counties do not remain open on Saturdays and that offices in most other cities remain open only five days a week.

Navy Needs Officers For Engineer Corps

The Navy has announced an immediate need for officers for active duty in the Civil Engineer Corps.

Depending upon your level of civilian experience, you may enter the Navy as a lieutenant or lieutenant commander.

Basic requirements for appointment are:

1. Applicants for appointment as lieutenant must be at least 26 but under 38 at time of application. Applicants for lieutenant commander must be at least 32 but under 38 at time of application. Must be a graduate of an accredited college or university with a baccalaureate degree in civil, mechanical, electrical, mining petroleum or architectural engineering, or in architecture. To be eligible for appointment as lieutenant, you must have at least five years of suitable professional experience and 12 years of experience for appointment to lieutenant commander.

2. Selected applicants will be appointed in the Civil Engineer Corps, U. S. Naval Reserve. They will be ordered to active duty for an Officer Indoctrination Class at Newport, R. I., for nine weeks of general officer indoctrination, upon completion of which they will be ordered to attend the Basic Civil Engineer Course at Port Hueneme, Calif., for eight weeks. Appointees will be obligated to serve on active duty for two years following completion of all training at Newport, R. I., and Port Hueneme, Calif.

3. Additional information on this program may be obtained from J. D. Brown, Enc. USN, the local Navy recruiter, at U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, telephone MO 5-5932, Post Office Bldg., Box 1334, Pampa, Texas 79066.

4. Cong. Adam Clayton Powell travels so much that many of his Harlem constituents think he is one of the Globetrotters.



TEXAN OF THE YEAR—Allen Ludden of Corpus Christi received Texas Press Association's 1967 "Texan of the Year" Award. Presentation of the copper, engraved plaque was made to Ludden by TPA Pres. Jim Barnhill, publisher of the Hillsboro Daily Mirror. Ludden, pictured here with his lovely wife Betty White, was honored for the tremendous publicity he has given the Lone Star State on his CBS-TV program, "Password." Presentation of the Award was made at TPA's Honor Banquet at its Winter Meeting in San Antonio. Award is given annually to a former Texan now residing outside the state and bringing recognition to the state.

Dorothy Beasley Is Local Homemaker Of Tomorrow

Dorothy M. Beasley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley, ranked first in a written home-making knowledge and attitude test given to senior girls Dec. 6 and became McLean High School's 1967 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow, it has been announced.

Dorothy will be awarded a specially designed silver charm, and she remains in contention for state and national scholarship awards ranging from \$500 to \$5,000.

In the program's next step, a state Homemaker of Tomorrow will be selected from winners in all schools of the state. She will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship and her school will be given a set of Encyclopedia Britannica by Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc. The state runner-up's award will be a \$500 scholarship.

Following her selection, the State Homemaker of Tomorrow, together with a school advisor, will join winners and advisors from each of the 49 other states and the District of Columbia in an expense-paid educational tour of Colonial Williamsburg, Va., and Washington, D. C. Climax of the trip will be naming of the 1967 Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow.

All judging is conducted by Science Research Associates, Chicago. This educational testing and publishing firm also constructs and grades the written test.

Started during the 1954-55 school year, the Betty Crocker search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow is designed to emphasize the importance of homemaking as a career. More than five million girls have participated in the program since it began and, with 1967 awards added, scholarship grants have exceeded \$1.3 million.

Baptist Youth Rally In Shamrock Feb. 19

"Let Our Light Shine" will be the theme for a youth rally to be held by the North Fork Baptist Association Sunday, Feb. 19. It will be in the afternoon beginning at 2:15 p.m., at the First Baptist Church, Shamrock.

The program will be featuring music by Howard Cargill and Mike Manly of Hollis, and Eddy Finney of Abilene and Ted Davis Simmons of McLean will give their testimonies.

A filmstrip entitled "If You Love Me" will be shown, which will be followed by a message by Jimmy Wilson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Shamrock.

All youth from this area are invited to attend the rally. Transportation will be provided.

Mrs. Ezell Dies; Funeral Held Sunday

Mrs. Nannie Key Ezell, 71, died at 9 p.m. Friday in McLean Hospital following an extended illness.

Mrs. Ezell, born June 26, 1895, in Oklahoma, moved to McLean from Reardan, Okla., in 1945. She later moved to New Mexico, and returned to McLean some months ago.

Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Sunday in First Baptist Church, with Pastor Dan Beltz officiating, assisted by David Oakley, minister of the Church of Christ.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Estelle Grimsley of Pampa, Mrs. Jewel Wiley of Eunice, N. M., Mrs. Grace Herring and Mrs. Dorothy Bench, both of McLean; two sisters, Mrs. H. V. Mallon of McAllen and Mrs. Hazel Ward of Eunice, N. M.; nine grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Saunders Bull Ninth In National Contest

Eileenmere 1818 Jr., a five-year-old sire owned by George Saunders of McLean and Caldwell & Wagner of Harlan, Kans., placed ninth in the National Contest for the 1966 Sire of the Year.

A newcomer, Eileenmere made ninth place with 1,045 points and also has won many championships in the southwest. He scored these points at the Arizona National, Colorado State Fair, Mid-American Fair, New Mexico State Fair and the Oklahoma Fair. In these shows his calves took 15 firsts, 19 championships and 3 get-of-sire awards. At Pueblo and Topeka, a son, Eileenmere G A C 11, was senior grand champion; a daughter, Saunders Eileen Blossom 16, was calf champion.

Nine calves contributed to the winning points of Eileenmere 1818 Jr. Still a young bull, he should be heard from in sire-of-year competition for some time to come.

Local Team Is Loser In Benefit Game

The McLean Lions and faculty members battled the Amarillo TV 10 Tigers Saturday night in a basketball royal, with the Tigers winning by two points.

All proceeds of the game went to the March of Dimes, and the gate netted \$39.00.

The TV Tigers team is made up of employees at KFDD TV, disc jockeys, announcers and engineers who devote their extra time playing clubs and organizations for worth while projects such as the March of Dimes.

Feed Pens, Alfalfa Discussed For Here

After 50 Years! COUNTY IS DEBT-FREE

Gray County is in the enviable position of becoming debt-free for the first time in 50 years with the final payment this month of 1963 hospital bonds and the final maturity of 1956 road bonds to be paid in March.

In an annual report for 1966 to District Judge Grainger McIlhenny and to the county commissioners court, R. C. Wilson, county auditor, stated, "With the liquidation of the bond issues, we may assume that for the first time in about 50 years the county will be out of debt."

Final payment from the interest and sinking fund of \$67,709 for retirement of road bonds and of \$51,537.50 for retirement of hospital bonds indicated a total disbursement of \$119,246.50.

The report showed the county began its new fiscal year on Jan. 1, 1967, with a balance of \$1,008,509.94. In a summary of balances and receipts, the 1966 audit showed a \$1,155,856.86 balance carried over and receipts, added to a total of 1966 receipts in the amount of \$2,228,297.10, gave the county an operational budget of \$3,384,152.96 from which to pay total expenses of \$2,375,643.02, leaving a balance of \$1,008,509.94 to begin the new fiscal year.

There was a relatively small increase in tax values, with 1966 property valuations of \$57,067,730 up only \$3,300.50 over 1965's assessments of \$56,737,680.

The audit pointed out there was an 11 per cent increase in expenditures for operating the county during 1966, but while it cannot be determined what percentage was due to inflation, it was a pertinent factor, Wilson said.

Reporting on Highland General Hospital, Wilson's audit revealed patient days at the hospital showed a 1966 total of \$31,075 as compared to the 1965 figure of 29,046. This represents an increase of almost seven per cent or about \$70,000 of increased business, according to Wilson.

In a comparative statement of disbursements, payment from the general fund was \$155,918.78 for 1966, which was down over the 1965 figure of \$166,960.09. Wilson said this was received and paid for McClellan Creek Watershed Project in 1965.

Disbursements for salaries in 1966 totaled \$260,508.86 as compared to \$249,832.47, representing an increase of \$10,576.39, which reflects the salary boost to county employees during the year.

Jury disbursements were in excess of \$2,213 over 1965's expenditures of \$2,584 as compared to \$4,797 last year. The excess amount was due in part to the Tom R. Vessels trial in Pampa in October. Paving at Perry LeFors Airport, building a new show barn and repairing old ones at Gray County agricultural grounds increased the expenses in the courthouse and jail fund in the amount of \$60,246.26 over 1965 disbursements of \$3,282.68.

Road and bridge improvements, as well as farm-to-market and lateral road improvements during 1966, cost the county \$513,244.03 as compared to \$453,304.91 the year before, an increase of \$60,939.12 for improvements.

PERRY ROBY INJURED
Perry Roby sustained injuries in an accident at the old Zero Locker plant one day last week. After being treated at McLean Hospital, he was transferred to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, where his condition was reported Wednesday to be critical.

McLean FFA Group Participates in Show at Amarillo

The McLean FFA chapter recently participated in the Amarillo Livestock Show, exhibiting both barrows and steers.

Those attending were Roy King, Walter Bailey, Dennis Duniven, Bryan Going, Terry Don Hugg, James Harkins, Brad Dalton, Jim Bible, Danny Jackson, Wayne Jackson and their counselor, Nelson Christie.

Twelve pigs and one calf were shown in the show where competition has never been stronger. In the barrow show, Roy King placed second in the heavy weight Poland class, Dennis Duniven placed fifth in the middle weight Hampshire class, and Jim Bible placed seventh in the heavy weight Hampshire.

The McLean FFA chapter would like to use this means to express their appreciation to Lester Bailey, Peggy King and Frank Going for their interest and support of our local boys by furnishing transportation for the boys and their animals.

FFA-4-H Project Show Scheduled

The annual project show for McLean Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club members has been scheduled for Saturday, Feb. 18.

Nelson Christie, high school vocational agriculture instructor, has promised additional information for next week's paper.

Funeral Rites Today For Lillian Guill

Funeral services for Miss Lillian Guill, former resident of McLean, were held at 1:30 p.m. today (Thursday) in the McLean Methodist Church. Rev. Elton Wyatt, pastor, officiated, and interment was in Rowe Cemetery, Hedley, under direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Miss Guill, a native of Hedley, died Tuesday at All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth. She had resided in Fort Worth since 1962, and was a retired civil service employee. Born April 15, 1895, she was a member of the First Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include 13 nephews and five nieces.

Roy Lyn McMullen At Oklahoma Tech

Roy Lyn McMullen of McLean is one of the 2,041 enrolled at Oklahoma State Tech, Okmulgee, for the spring semester.

Oklahoma State Tech is one of the few schools of its kind in the nation. It is devoted exclusively to the development of industrial technicians in a residential environment. The facilities with 96 buildings house six and one-half million dollars of modern instructional equipment. The 160-acre campus has a collegiate atmosphere in all phases of recreation and club activities.

Local Jaycees Play Pampa Jaycees

McLean Jaycees played the Pampa Jaycees to a 84 to 79 ballgame Monday night, with the McLean Jaycees coming out on top.

Guy Hester and Carey Don Smith were high point men, with David Woods racking up 10, Casper Smith 8, and Robert Martindale 5.

A story from Nel Delhi says marauding elephants have become a major problem. They're also upsetting a major political group in this country.

More than 40 farmers gathered Tuesday night at the American National Bank club room and overflowed into the conference room to hear the possibilities of growing alfalfa hay.

This meeting is the result of interested people in Gray County's continuing prosperity, seeking something to replace the doubtful prospects for cotton in our area.

It was stated that "If the government money had been withheld from the farmer, he would have lost about \$40 an acre on cotton grown in our area" and "who knows how long the government will support cotton, layout land and soil bank."

John Pitts of the Wheat Hart feed lots in Perryton, Buffalo and Rosewell, N. M., presented information concerning growing alfalfa for feed lots, and the possibilities of locating feed pens in this area to consume the total alfalfa crop.

Frank answers were given the farmers in the lengthy meeting, and the outcome of this meeting should mean much to the prosperity of this area.

Foster Whaley, Gray County agent, Noland Johnson, the assistant agent, Truitt Johnson, county commissioner, and other farmers had laid the ground work for this meeting. Many others have helped gather needed information.

Eight hundred acres are now planted to alfalfa within a 10-mile radius of McLean, with farmers willing to plant another 1,000 acres or more if the returns will justify it.

With the possibilities of from \$20 to \$30 a ton for mowed alfalfa in the field, it is needless to say the enthusiasm ran pretty high.

Methodists to Build New Parsonage

The McLean Methodist Church has signed a contract to build a new parsonage at Third and Walnut Street.

The low bidder was Thelmer McPherson of Amarillo. Construction is to be completed in about 90 days on the new brick parsonage.

McPherson and his wife, Georgia, both attended school in McLean. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McPherson, and his wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Barrow. He and his wife and two daughters reside in Amarillo.

Amarillo Firm Gets Highway Contract

A contract for 0.758 miles on FM Road 2300 in Gray County has been awarded to an Amarillo firm, it was announced in Austin this week by the State Highway Commission.

Gilvin-Terrill, Inc., submitted the low bid of \$37,250.84 on the project. Reconstruction of grading, structures, base and surfacing is expected to take 100 working days, according to Chas. W. Smith, district highway engineer at Amarillo.

G. K. Reading, resident engineer at Pampa, will be in active charge of the project while it is under construction.

March of Dimes Campaign Nets \$700

McLean Lions Club members and the McLean Boy Scouts were in a contest a week ago Saturday with their buckets on the two lanes of Highway 66. The money collected went to the March of Dimes. The Scouts collected over \$65 and the Lions brought in nearly \$200.

The grade school children donated \$40 and the Mothers March Monday night brought in \$299, making the total amount contributed so far over \$700.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Adrian of Chillicothe visited Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston and Mrs. Willie Boyett.

FACTORY FACTS

MARIE FOUNDATIONS REPORT

Number of Employees 208
Produced—Bros 1,211 dozen
Girdles 661 dozen

Sew Sew Club Meets With Mrs. Peabody

The Sew Sew Club met Monday, Feb. 6, in the home of Mrs. Eva Peabody.

The day was spent in sewing and working on hobbies, and a box was packed for Girlstown. A delicious luncheon was served at the noon hour.

Those present were Mesdames Mary Groves, Minnie Groves, Vela Corcoran, Laura Goodman, Bennie Wayne Smith, Betty Thacker, Jeanette Kennedy and the hostess, Eva Peabody.

HOSPITAL NOTES

VISITING HOURS:
2-3 p.m. — 7:30-8:30 p.m.
No Morning Visiting Hours

ADMITTED: Perry Roby, Nora Clawson, Faye Oudley, John A. Endsley.

DISMISSED: Marye Crockett, Perry Roby (transferred to Amarillo).

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Fulton of Lefors visited Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Peirce Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter of Alarwood were Sunday visitors in the E. L. Peirce home.

American Indians demonstrated in Las Vegas, Nev., against government policies in Indian affairs. They don't want to take back Manhattan Island.

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Boy Scout Council Purchases Land for Boy Scout Camp

The Adobe Walls Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America has announced the completion of a transaction for the purchase of 480 acres of property near Mo-beetle for the development of a new Boy Scout Camp.

Frank Culberson, Adobe Walls Council president, called a special meeting of council officers on Feb. 8 at the Scout Service Center in Pampa for the purpose of laying out preliminary plans for the development of the camping area.

Frank W. Atkinson, assistant director of the engineering service of the National Boy Scout Council, will be in Pampa Feb. 10 to tour the new camp property, and to meet with the council camping and activities committee at 7:30 p.m. at the Scout Service Center. At this meeting, Atkinson will make recommendations for building the new camp.

The first phases of development will be the laying out of campsites and the completion of conservation work already begun. Boy Scout troops and Explorer posts will begin this work as soon as the projects are decided upon.

George Newberry, chairman of the council camping and activities committee, says that while the council will begin active development of this new camp right away, plans now call for the council summer camp to be held at Camp Kiowa near Canadian as usual this summer.

HONOR ROLL

RENEWALS: J. O. Clark, J. D. Alexander, C. M. Powell, Tom Harlan, B. F. Robinson, Lillie Pickett, S. A. Cousins, Miro Pukan, Mrs. J. A. Wheeler, Reo Heasley, J. Boyd Smith, F. J. Hess, C. J. Magee, Mrs. George Zimmerman, Avalon Theatre, Mrs. J. S. Morse, Mrs. E. T. Morris, Mrs. Jessie Hill, Walter C. Miller.

CHANGE: Mrs. R. A. Mantooth, Box 87, McLean; Kenny D. Smith, Box 53, Laurel, Mississippi.



THANK YOU KISS—Pert Angelia Reddick of Dallas gives 1967 Easter Seal Appeal Chairman Stanley Marcus a thank you kiss on behalf of the 16,031 crippled children and adults who received help in 1966 from Easter Seals. Marcus is heading the 1967 Easter Seal appeal to extend Easter Seal services to even more disabled Texans this year.

Investment Tax Credit Suspended

There are several income tax changes this year that will affect farmers, ranchers and other self-employed people. According to James I. Mallett, extension farm management specialist at Texas A and M University, there are two noteworthy suspensions.

First, the 7 per cent investment tax credit on machinery and certain real property has been suspended on investments of over \$20,000 for the period Oct. 10, 1966, through Dec. 31, 1967.

Mallett says investments which otherwise qualify for the investment tax credit and were purchased during the current tax year and before the Oct. 10 suspension, are still eligible for the tax credit. The tax credit can mean quite a reduction in income taxes since it's deducted directly from the amount of taxes to be paid.

However, taxpayers may still select up to \$20,000 of investments made during the suspension period (Oct. 10, 1966-Dec. 31, 1967) to be eligible for the investment credit. Mallett says taxpayers need to decide which tax year, the remainder of 1966, or all of 1967, to make investments up to \$20,000 for the investment tax credit.

The carryover period for unused investment credit has been extended from 5 to 7 years and the 3-year carry-back period is unchanged, he says.

Another suspension—the right to use rapid depreciation rates on buildings costing \$50,000 or more is suspended except for “buildings whose construction was begun before Oct. 10, 1966, or where the taxpayer was under contracts in effect on Oct. 9, 1966, calling for later construction.”

The suspension applies only to property that would be used in a trade or a business—not property used for investment or rental purposes. The legislation does not affect the right to claim the 30 per cent first year additional depreciation on tangible personal property with an expected useful life of six

years or more for use in a trade or business.

In another change, the minimum amount of combined wages and self-employment earnings subject to social security tax has been increased from \$4,800 to \$6,600. This legislation did not affect the self-employment tax rate which is still 6.15 per cent for the 1966 tax year, says Mallett.

The maximum amount of gross income which may be used by farmers reporting their self-employment tax by the option method has been increased from \$1,800 to \$2,400, says Mallett.

The gas tax refund of 6 cents per gallon on gasoline used on a farm for farming purposes must now be claimed as a tax credit on the annual income tax report and must be filed before the end of the tax reporting period, usually April 15. The tax credit has been extended to include the federal tax on lubricating oils, diesel and special motor fuels used other than in a highway vehicle. Gas tax credit will not be allowed on late reports.

Formerly, the gas tax refund period was July 1 to June 30 and claims were to be filed by Sept. 30, according to the A and M specialist. Since this is the first full year for the new filing system, farmers will claim credit for federal tax on gasoline purchased



By VERN SANFORD

Hunters talk of deer season and shooting fatalities like the two are synonymous. Most believe that the novice is largely to blame for the hunting accidents.

But many a careless veteran hunter has been involved in a needless mishap simply because he failed to realize that hunting accidents are not the select happenings of a few beginners.

In the typical hunting accident it is not the tyro who is to blame. It is the veteran hunter! Usually the beginner is wary of his weapon and treats it with respect. On the other hand the veteran has hunted too long to be concerned. Familiarity often breeds carelessness.

It also is ironic to know that most shooting accidents do not occur during the deer season. In fact a great majority happen while hunting birds or other small game.

Nationwide statistics reveal that the typical person who causes a hunting accident is a male over 20 years of age with more than three years of hunting experience. At the time of the mishap he was not under the influence either of drugs or alcohol. Most such incidents happen between the hours of 1:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. . . . and in clear weather. Typical weapon is a shotgun. Victim was standing between 11 and 50 yards from the shooter and discharge of the gun was accidental. Only one out of five victims survive.

These statistics debunk a lot of the popular theories about shooting accidents.

Very few accidents happened because the victim was mistaken for game. Most of them were the direct result of careless gun handling.

Often when a veteran hunter brings a weapon into camp or enters a vehicle, the gun is loaded. It shouldn't be! Or he throws it around haphazardly as he slips under a fence—never bothering to check the safety device. Or he props it idly against a tree or stump or fence post . . . where it can easily fall . . . and the jar set off the primed cartridge.

Carelessness is easy to come by. A few years back some Texas nimrods were winding up a dove hunt. A veteran hunter pumped

the cartridges from his shotgun. Then he casually pointed the muzzle skyward and pulled the trigger. “BOOM!” went the gun—scaring the daylight out of his buddies.

Sheepishly the guilty one remarked, “Guess I didn't get ‘em all out.”

He could have been pointing the weapon toward one of his companions . . . instead of the sky. In that case, someone would have become another statistic and there would be one more needless shooting fatality in the books.

Far too few people realize that no gun ever caused an accident. A gun is merely a tool. Blame rests with the human who guides the destiny of the bullet.

Every hunter owes it to himself and to his friends to acquire safety discipline. He must be on the alert and never guilty of gun mismanagement. Good gun manners are acquired through discipline and determination . . . plus consideration of the safety of others.

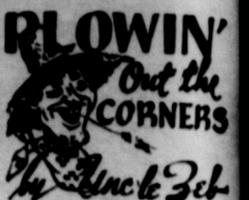
Most hunting accidents cannot be blamed on the young and inexperienced. Statistics prove that the accident levels among shooters usually reach their high peaks after a person has been hunting and using firearms for years. Sometimes, after three or four years of hunting, a shooter reaches a point of casual acceptance of gun handling. When that happens . . . watch out!

People are all too quick to shrug off careless gun handling.

In a party of hunters, anyone guilty of such careless violation should be reprimanded. Unfortunately it isn't the careless one who is likely to suffer. Usually it's the innocent bystander who gets hurt. All of us know that alcohol and gunpowder do not mix. Yet we too often condone the person who nips on a bottle while out with a gun.

We also know that a muzzle, whether loaded or unloaded, should never cross a party. But we let such carelessness pass unnoticed. We know, too, that a loaded gun should never be brought into camp or into a car.

Yes, we overlook the obvious.



Now and then we meet someone who doesn't know what he is going to say next, but says anyway.

We may be a fine upstanding citizen, but that makes little reference to a banana peel.

Some of the busiest folks in town may only be picking up the beans they have spilled.

It's almost a ten to one bet these days that when someone slaps you on the back he is trying to make you cough up something.

A contented neighborhood is said to be one in which everybody thinks he is getting along just a little bit better than everyone else.

One fellow thought himself important that he should have for attendance, B for being present at all times, C for can't go along without me, and D for damn if I give them a chance to find out.

If we make our peace with the present, As moments so swiftly pass by We'll need have no fear for the future, Nor over the past shall cry.

The toughest of all secrets to keep is the opinion we have of our own self.

But—when this happens, the unforeseen should not come as a surprise.

There is absolutely no excuse for a hunting accident. It only happens when someone becomes careless. You don't have to be out wandering through the woods to be in danger. Accidents can happen in camp, or in your home. Gun handling discipline does not start and end in the woods. It should be everpresent!

Mrs. Woodrow Nelson of Dittmatt called on Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Peirce Sunday afternoon.

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Presbyterian Ladies Have Meeting

The Presbyterian ladies met on Tuesday for Bible study led by Laura Goodman.

The book of Philippians is the study, and Joy in an Anxious Age.

Fifty dollars was sent to Floyd Grady and family, a former pastor who is now a missionary in Brazil.

Present were Mesdames Vita Cooke, Vergie Everett, Laura Goodman, Viola Glass, Alma Glass, Myrt McCoy, Barbara Hambright and son, Gene.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

40 Years Ago

The following were among those from McLean who attended the associational B.Y.P.U. meeting at Shamrock Sunday afternoon: Misses Floye, Madge and Fern Landers, LuEuna Holloway, Bobbie Appling, Lillian Carpenter, Elizabeth Wilkerson, Ozella and Naomi Hunt, Lillie Williams, Eunice Stratton, Faye Bible, Mannie and Oma Lee Abbott; Messrs. R. L. Appling, Jesse J. Cobb, Walker Jones, Chester Savage, Buster Nicholson and Jobe Abbott.

C. J. Cash returned Friday from Hot Springs, Ark.

Miss Ozella Hunt of Shamrock spent the weekend with home folks here.

The matter of a bridge on McClellan Creek was the main subject of discussion at the weekly luncheon of the executive board of the McLean Chamber of Commerce Monday. Those present were L. G. McMillen, D. C. Jones, O. H. Foster, M. M. Newman, O. G. Stokely, Jot Montgomery, W. S. White, C. C. Bogan, Claud McGowan, George Tummins and T. A. Landers.

Mrs. E. J. Lander visited in Oklahoma City Sunday.

Miss Ruby Cook went to Amarillo on business Monday.

courtesy of George W. Sitter, owner of the famous Bar LO Ranch, was served to the delegation of the Pampa district, Future Farmers of America, in session here last Saturday.

Mrs. H. W. Finley was hostess to the Centennial Club on Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Andrews surprised their daughter, Miss Myrtle, with a birthday dinner Sunday. Those present were: H. C. Weatherby of Lubbock, Mrs. H. C. Weatherby and Buster Sublett of Enterprise, Misses Pauline Tidwell, Bessie Mertel and Juanita Hancock.

O. G. Stokely made a business trip to Kansas last week.

Paul Kennedy of Panhandle visited in McLean last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stokely returned the first of the week from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. W. F. McDonald, at Tulsa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd (Pete) Brawley of Sweetwater, Okla., visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brawley, Monday night.

20 Years Ago

Jackets for the McLean High School gridmen, ordered last fall, finally arrived last weekend, and were presented in an assembly program by Coach Larry Sanders Monday.

McLean's up and coming girls basketball team lambasted the White Deer girls here last Tuesday night by the lopsided score of 40 to 13.

Mrs. Emory Crockett left Tuesday for Wichita Falls to be with her mother, Mrs. F. H. King, who is to undergo an operation Thursday at the Wichita Falls Clinic.

Mrs. Willie Boyett presented a studio recital last Tuesday night, Jan. 23, with the following pupils on the program: Monta Jean Kennedy, Mollie Erwin, Billy Eugene Rodgers, Glenda Switzer, Betty Dickinson, Dixie Turpin, Wayne Woods, Sue Glass, Shirley Allison, Frankie Tucker, Beth Brooks, June Stubblefield, Betty Jean McClellan, Barbara Nell Williams, Donna Gull Stubblefield and Floella Cubine.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman are the parents of a son born Jan. 29 in a Shamrock hospital. He weighed 6 pounds and has been named Dennis Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson have received word from their son, Lt. Robert Gibson, that he sailed from Saipan Jan. 27 on the Marine Serpent bound for home. Lt. Gibson has been stationed in Guam for the past seven months.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cash and son, Don, of Dumas visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield were visitors Sunday in the home of Mr. Stubblefield's father, J. M. Stubblefield, in Amarillo.

10 Years Ago

The Happy Harmony Makers Music Club met Friday, Feb. 1, in the chapel of the McLean Methodist Church. Helen Farren, club president, called the meeting to order and presided over the business session.

A farewell bridge party was given Thursday night, Jan. 31, at the American Legion Hall for Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hindman and daughter, Linda, who are moving to Conroe. Hostesses were Mesdames Bill Cash, Hershel McCarty, Custer Lowary, Spencer Sitter and Paris Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Williams of McLean were honored on their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner and reception in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Cooper, in Pampa recently.

Wayne Woods returned to Texas A and M College in College Station last week after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson and Mr.



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Journey's End For A Giant



Two world records off the coast of Australia are captured in this photograph of the largest sea-going tug towing the most massive off-shore drilling rig, over a rugged 5,200 mile voyage from Hiroshima, Japan. The grueling 3-month trip put both General Motors powered units to test through three slashing typhoons and several storms. The massive 8 million dollar drilling rig, called the SEDCO-135E, was brought to search for oil off the coast of Port Campbell, Victoria. The 9600 horsepower, sleek looking Alice L. Moran leaves the rig to begin her long journey back to the States.

Deductible Items On Federal Tax

Union dues, employment agency fees, alimony and certain other expenses may be included among itemized deductions on federal tax returns, said Ellis Campbell Jr., district director of Internal Revenue for northern Texas.

Also deductible are ordinary and necessary expenses in connection with the production or collection of taxable income and the management of property held for the production of taxable income. This includes amounts spent for a safe deposit box for taxable securities, investment counsel fees, income tax counsel and assistance fees, custodian fees, clerical help, appraisal fees for establishing amount of casualty loss, etc.

Divorced or legally separated taxpayers making periodic payments of alimony or separate maintenance under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance, or under a written separation agreement entered into after Aug. 16, 1964, or under a decree for support entered after March 1, 1964, may deduct such payments.

A partial list of additional items of expense which are considered personal and therefore not deductible are: travel to and from work; losses from sale of personal residence, family auto, etc.; home

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repairs and insurance; attorney fees or preparation of a will; safe deposit box for personal effects; fines and tax penalties.

Documents 5109 and 5110, which furnish more detailed information on this subject, may be obtained by dropping a post card to the District Director, Internal Revenue Service, 1600 Patterson Street, Dallas, Texas 75201.

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News From ALAN REED

By MRS. CECIL CARTER

Attending the evangelism conference at Central Baptist Church at Pampa last week were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter, Leo McMahan, Warner Phillips and Albert Yake.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Herridon of Electra (former pastor of Alanreed Baptist Church) visited with several friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Ms. Cecil Carter spent Thursday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter.

Voyne Griffin of Pampa and Brooks Magee were in Amarillo several times last week for medical treatment for Mr. Magee. The Griffins spent Sunday in the Magee home.

Visiting with Mrs. Faye Oakley and the O. W. Stapps over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. George Oakley and family of Stratford. Visitors with them on Sunday were the Paul Averitts of Amarillo.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Greenwood Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Forbes and Mr. and Mrs. Keller of Wellington.

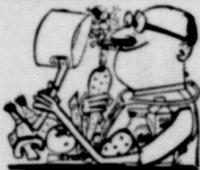
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McMahan and son of Amarillo visited Tuesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo McMahan.

On the sick list this week were Carrol Burdine and Faye Oakley. Mrs. Oakley entered the McLean Hospital Monday evening for X-rays and further tests.

The W.M.S. of Alanreed Baptist Church met Monday, Feb. 6, in the church for study. The meeting was opened by the president, Lena Carter. Norma McMahan gave the prayer call and Lela Sherrod had charge of the program. Leo McMahan gave a talk on evangelism and afterwards everyone enjoyed a question and answer period.

Alanreed Baptist Church is in a study course on Wednesday nights on the book of Amos. Special cottage prayer services will be held in the E. R. Sherrod residence Thursday night as a preliminary to the coming revival March 26.

Texas economists are trying to find out how much daylight Texas will save if the state goes on daylight saving time.



Doctor in the Kitchen

by W. W. Bauer, M.D.
Consultant, National Dairy Council

DIET AND HEART DISEASE

The increasing number of deaths from heart diseases and related conditions, such as stroke, has stimulated many varieties of research into possible causes, measures of prevention and means for treatment.

Diet, naturally, has come in for a great deal of attention, as it always has when an explanation is sought for a biological phenomenon. Thirty or more years ago when the longevity of the Bulgarian people was much in the news, it was commonly attributed to their use of a fermented milk, and there was a great vogue in this country for Bulgarian milk, which was no better or no worse than our own well-known buttermilk. Today, we can conclude that in addition to the indubitable benefits of milk in their diet, there were at least two other factors—heredity and hard work—contributing to Bulgarian health.

Inherited Factors

The inherited structure of the tissues determines their maximum efficiency; short of this, which cannot be exceeded, there is room to exercise such useful influences as may be controllable. Some families show a trend toward early development of high blood pressure and arterial disease, and this trend is generally regarded as inherited.

The heart and the arteries are living tissues, and therefore require good nutrition. Excess weight is a known factor in heart and arterial diseases; weight control is a matter of food intake versus energy output. Therefore diet is a factor. But so is activity. It has frequently been observed that a sedentary life is more conducive to the currently im-

Two McLeanites Enroll for Spring Semester at LCC

Two McLean students are enrolled for the spring semester at Lubbock Christian College and are now attending classes.

They are Joyce Saunders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Saunders; and Harry Tate, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orphus O. Tate.

Miss Saunders is a freshman majoring in art education. Tate is a sophomore majoring in chemical engineering.

LCC is celebrating its 10th anniversary this year. All campus events will be directed toward highlighting this decade of development.

An evening college has been initiated this year, allowing students to earn up to six hours of credit at night.

Mrs. Bradley Is Host to Study Club

The Pioneer Study Club met this week in the home of Mrs. Theron Bradley.

Mrs. June Woods brought an interesting program on the "Youth of Winston Churchill."

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following: Mesdames Jim Allison, Sinclair Armstrong, Jim Back, Morris Brown, Jess Coleman, Harold Fabian, Robert Green, Guy Hester, John Jones, Paul Kennedy, Creed Lamb, Miro Pukan, Alice Short Smith, Ewan Sitter, June Woods, Jack Riley, W. E. Bogan, H. W. Finley, and one guest, Dan Wileman.

TAX SAM SEZ:

Students who work during the summer and earn less than \$600 are not required to file an income tax return. Unmarried students who earned less than \$300 usually don't owe any tax. However, it is very important for students to file a tax return if they worked during the year and income tax was withheld from their wages. They must file if they expect to get their refund. Just like Dad, most students like to get a refund.

The correct size socks is just as important as the correct size shoe, say clothing specialists. They should fit loosely around the toes. The correct length is one-half inch longer than the longest toe so that all toes lie straight and comfortable.

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FOR RENT—Two three-room unfurnished apartments with garage. Mrs. Nida Rippey Green, GR 9-2053. 17-tfc

FOR RENT — Apartment, with private bath. Inquire at McLean Cafe or call GR 9-2768. 33-tfc

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All of the items listed are to be a one package bid. The School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Can be seen at the School Bus Garage between 8:00 am. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. All bids must be in by 7:30 p.m., February 7, 1967.

Mail bids to H. H. Worsham, Business Manager, Box B, Alareed, Texas 79002. 3-3c

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: PHILLIP BERNARD HENTHORNE, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 27th day of March, A. D., 1967, at or before 10 o'clock a.m., before the Honorable 31st District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 4th day of January, 1967. The file number of said suit being No. 15,904.

The names of the parties in said suit are: ZONA VONDEAN HENTHORNE as Plaintiff, and PHILLIP BERNARD HENTHORNE as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce and custody of minor children.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 7th day of February, A. D., 1967. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 7th day of February, A. D., 1967.

HELEN SPRINKLE, Clerk District Court, Gray County, Texas By GWEN GRAY, Deputy 6-4c

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To the nurses at McLean Hospital, Dr. Fabian, and to those who shared our vigil in the last hours we give a special thanks.

Mrs. R. B. McMillen Jay Ben and Marilyn

It Takes 20 Years To Grow a Foot

Leading foot doctors and members of the National Foot Health Council say it takes 20 years to grow a foot.

Most babies are born with perfect feet, but by the time they reach their first birthday, 8 per cent of them have foot defects. The percentage rises as children advance in age, says Miss Fannie Brown Eaton, extension clothing specialist at Texas A and M University.

Permitting children to walk too soon, or develop poor walking habits starts them on their way to a lifetime of foot trouble. Buying the wrong size and kind of shoes or letting a child wear out-grown or ill-fitting shoes further increases the possibility of permanently injuring a developing foot.

A child first needs shoes when he begins to stand. High laced shoes are best, because they provide ample toe room and have flat pliable soles made of leather.

The material from which children's shoes are made should be porous enough to allow perspiration to evaporate, and flexible enough to allow the foot to bend easily.

Summer shoes or play shoes should provide the same support as shoes worn to school or for dress wear. Sneakers and canvas shoes, which do not give as much support as other shoes, can be worn for short periods of time.

As every parent knows, young feet grow rapidly. The National Foot Health Council recommends that new shoes should be provided for youngsters often.

To insure a correct fit, have both feet measured for length and width, with each foot bearing weight, each time a pair of shoes is purchased. Straighten the child's toes and socks. The correct size should fit the larger foot. Allow 1/2 to 3/4 inch between end of the toes and end of the shoes.

The widest part of the foot should fit into the widest part of the shoes. The arch of the shoe should fit well up under the arch of the foot. The heel counter should hug the heel. It should not slip up and down as the child walks.

The toe boxing should be high enough to clear the toes, and the toe of the shoe should be rounded. Take your time selecting a child's shoe. Consider fit before style and appearance. A good fitting shoe does not have to be "broken in."

When cleaning stone areas such as marble or slate vanity tops, don't leave a deposit of cleaner or any damp cloth or sponge on the surface. Porous stone is easily stained and difficult to restore to good appearance.

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Q—I married a widow with two young children last summer. Can I claim the children as dependents?

A—If you provided more than half the children's support for the year, then you may claim them as dependents. If your wife provided over half their support, she can claim the children as dependents on her separate return or they may be claimed on a joint return.

Q—Can I claim two exemptions for a dependent over 65?

A—No. You may only claim one exemption regardless of the dependent's age. The additional exemption for being 65 or over may only be taken by a taxpayer filing his own return.

Q—Why do I have to put a Social Security number on my tax return?

A—The law requires persons filing returns to furnish a tax number. Since the majority of taxpayers already have Social Security numbers, these numbers are also used for tax identification purposes. Taxpayers who forget to list their number will have refunds delayed until the number is supplied.

Q—I teach in high school. Under what conditions will summer courses be deductible for tax purposes?

A—The courses will be deductible if the primary reason you took them was: (1) for the purpose of maintaining or improving your present teaching skills, or (2) expressly required by your employer to maintain your salary, status or job.

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Feb. 14—Mrs. Ed Jones, Mrs. Oba Kunkel, Bird Jones, Frank Hulsey, L. T. Goldston, Val Everett Smith, Gay Louise Martin, Sandy Blackshear.
Feb. 15—Paul M. Bruce.
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News From HEALD

Edgar Lee Bailey of W.T.S.U. was home over the weekend.

Mrs. O. O. Tate visited her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Masters, and family in Amarillo last week. Toni came home with her grandmother for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Altman and Allen of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carpenter, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Cofer visited a sister in Ranger last week.

M. and Mrs. Jack Hull of Shamrock visited in the K. S. Rippey home Thursday evening of last week.

Mrs. Caleb Smith and Jimmie Harris visited Mrs. Bidwell one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford visited the Jack Hulls of Shamrock recently.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Tate visited their granddaughter in the hospital in Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford visited their son and family in Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bailey and family were in Wichita Falls and Oklahoma City over the weekend.

A Texas Legislator seeks a flat \$20 auto registration fee in a bill that would make it easier for the tax collector to add up a day's receipts.



RECEIVES PRESS HONOR—Sergeant Major of the Army, William O. Wooldridge of Brownwood, Texas, was honored by Texas Press Association with its 1967 "Distinguished Service Award" at the Association's Winter Meeting in San Antonio. Wooldridge, shown here with the copper, engraved plaque, presented by TPA, is the Army's Number One enlisted man and the first ever to hold the title of Sergeant Major of the Army, a position created in July, 1966. In making the plaque presentation, TPA Pres. Jim Barnhill, publisher of the Hillsboro Daily Mirror, said "We are most proud to pay tribute to the Sergeant Major for the tremendous service he has rendered our nation and for the fame he has brought to Texas."

Congressmen complain that they can't get by on their \$30,000 salary. They would prefer to be paid at a rate of so much per word.

Mrs. Monroe Berley of Crown Point, Ind., and Bill Crisp of Lockney visited in the T. E. Crisp home this week.

NEWS OF CONSERVATION

By VAN MILLS

Gary Doss plans to construct a pit type pond and a waterway on the farm he operates just southwest of Pampa.

Fertilize cut areas. It is very important to fertilize cut areas where the land has been leveled. A 4-inch cut removes practically all of the available phosphate. There was no reduction in yield where there was a 1-foot cut made and the cut area was properly fertilized. The cut areas should receive from 150 to 200 pounds of phosphate initially per acre, or 80 pounds annually for three years. Where the cut area is to be put in maize the area should receive 150 to 200 pounds of nitrogen per acre, and 100 pounds of nitrogen where the area is to be put in wheat.

The steady growth of soil and water conservation districts during the past quarter-century has been an impressive record of America's belief in democratic action at the grass-roots. There are now more than 3,000 conservation districts working to conserve land, water, forests, wildlife and other related resources.

Although conservation district leaders do not foresee any immediate resource crisis on the horizon, they believe one consequence is certain: the conservation and de-

velopment task in the years directly ahead is going to be formidable. For example, the population of the United States will require over twice as much production from its agricultural land by the year 2000.

By the year 2000, production of wood from the forest resources of the country will need to be double. America will need 600 billion gallons of water a day in 1980. We now use about 350 billion gallons daily. Each year more than a million acres are being taken out of agriculture, primarily for highways, housing and other urban uses. Also by the end of the century, the demand for recreation will triple.

We are still losing some 500,000 acres a year as a result of erosion and other land damage, rural and urban. Wasted hills and valleys, urban sprawl, uncontrolled rivers, polluted waters and despoiled forests are not proud symbols of a free, responsible people.

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