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Senior Citizens To Receive No Exemption From City Taxes, Council Says

McLean aldermen met in a called session May 24 at the McLean City Hall, and decided to keep senior citizens on the City's tax rolls. City fathers had been considering giving citizens 65 years-of-age and older an exemption on city taxes, but decided against the proposal. Councilman Bill Thomas pointed out that 63 percent of the taxpayers were in the 65-and-older group. "We can't expect 37 percent of the people to pay taxes for the whole community," Thomas said.

The council also discussed a request by J. D. and Ray Fish to disannex the Fish property from the City limits of McLean. "There's nothing the City can do," Mayor George Terry told the council. He explained that the state law, in ar-

ticles 975 and 973, specifies that disannexation can take place only if 50 people living in the affected area sign a petition to put the question on the ballot for a general election, and/or if the property occupies 10 acres. The Fish property does not fit either qualification, so the council took no action.

Terry told the council that he had spoken to some of the workers of

the Hansen Construction Company who have been using the parking lot at the Marie Foundations factory building. He said

that they had agreed to repair any damage to the lot from the company's heavy machinery. Terry said that he would contact the owner for a written agreement from the company regarding the lot.

Councilmen discussed job requirements with city superintendent Bob Glenn and worker Chester Bohler. Saying "we're trying to do the

best that we can with the money that we have," councilmen told Glenn that they wanted Bohler to learn to use all the city's heavy equipment within a reasonable amount of time. Terry said that he thought that the employees time could be better used if all maintenance employees could use the equipment.

Aldermen said that they were looking at applications for one opening in the city's work crew. Employee Danny Price resigned earlier in the month.

Terry reported to the crew that he had a letter

from county health officer Dr. W. P. Beck stating that Dr. Beck had inspected the dog pens belonging to Mr. and Mrs.

Harlon Pool and found that the dogs and cats in the pens have been vaccinated and that the pens were clean and odor-

free. Attending the meeting were Mayor Terry, councilmen Jim Barker, Loyd Bybee, Bill Thomas, and

June Suggs; Bob Glenn; Chester Bohler; Kathy Carter; and Linda Haynes. Councilman W. A. Bentley was absent.

The Carnival Is Coming!

If all goes as planned, McLean will host a carnival June 17 and 18, according to Mayor George Terry. The Pride of Texas shows, a carnival group which stages the events in other near-by towns, has tentatively agreed to come to McLean June 17 and 18, during the weekend of the annual rodeo and ex-student reunion.

Plans for the location of the rides have not been finalized, Terry said.

Scouts Have Choices Of Camps

Girl Scouts in the 10-county area served by Quivira Council have a "rainbow of choices" at camps this summer. The day camp program is 5 days spent at a campsite exploring nature with hikes, studies, and crafts. The day camp for this area will be held June 13 through June 17 at Camp Mel Davis. Directors will be Janet Stevens and Lori Wormack of Pampa. Girls return home each afternoon following the day camp sessions.

Resident camp is slated for three weeks in July. This camp features

a waterfront program with swimming and canoeing in addition to camping. Red Cross

water safety and small-craft instructors conduct the canoeing lessons,

which are limited to girls who have passed sufficient skills. Girls girls who have passed sufficient skills. Girls may earn Red Cross proficiency classifications in the swim program, geared for all levels of ability.

With a "rainbows of fun" theme, the program will include all types of sports as archery, volleyball, and badminton.

Rehearsals For Band Set

All present and former members of the Mc-

Lean Tigers band are urged to attend band rehearsals June 11 at 10 a.m. or 7 p.m., according to band director Roger

Myers. "The band will march in the McLean

Arts and crafts options include photography developing, crafts, music, dancing and guitar. In addition there will be a hayride, hiking, outdoor cooking, and campfire singing.

The resident camp features a western setting with wood cabins, teepees, and covered wagons for sleeping quarters. Reservations for resident camping must be mailed

Rodeo parade, Saturday, June 18 at 4 p.m., and we

want all the band members to participate," Myers said.

He said that band members can come to either or both rehearsals at the McLean High School band hall.

to the Girl Scout Office, Box 459, Pampa, 79065, by June 6.

Free Testing Set At Library

A special opportunity for McLean and area residents to have pressure canners tested and receive help with their

home canning problems will be provided Thursday, June 9, in the Lovett Library from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Interested persons should bring their pressure canner lid for the testing. If a person is unable to attend on Thursday, he may leave the canner lid at the library with the name on it. The lids will then be tested and may be picked up later.

Persons with specific canning problems, may get individual help at the clinic. Persons may bring problem canned goods or just ask questions.

Donna Brauchi, Gray County Extension Agent, will conduct the clinic. She urges all home canners to have pressure canners tested each year. The service is provided free of charge.

Class Of '45 Information Sought Now

Freddie Johnson Pugh is trying to gather information about the McLean High School class of 1945. The results of the research will be published in an article in The McLean News.

Mrs. Pugh needs addresses or information about the following people: Nettie Wetsel, Norma Jean Batten, Rheta Hale, Virginia Hale, Frank Stewart, Betty Davis Villandry, Una Lee Rhea, Joyce Wardlow, C. A. Myatt, Marjorie Golightly, Kenneth Goodman, Douglas Ivey, Billy Davis, and Bill Hutchison.

If you have information about any of these people, please write Freddie Johnson Pugh, Rt. 7, Box 1544 H, Odessa, Tx. 79763.



COLD, RAINY WEATHER did not keep away those who came to honor the war dead in the Memory Circle at Hillcrest Cemetery in McLean. The

annual Memorial Day service sermon was given by Allen Green, minister of the McLean Church of Christ. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

Exes Should Register For Barbecue

McLean ex-students should be making plans to attend the school reunion, set for June 17 and 18. Those who will attend the barbecue dinner in the McLean city park at noon Saturday should send their money in early, according to June Suggs president of the Ex-Student Association. Tickets are \$5 a plate. Mrs. Suggs said that she hopes McLean residents

would call her and give her the number they expect to attend the barbecue. She said that she will order the barbecue by June 13, and she does not plan to order too many extra plates this year. Registration forms should be mailed to the McLean Ex-Student Association, McLean, Tex. 79057.

Activities planned for the weekend will begin

June 17 at 6 p.m. with registration at the Senior Citizens Building. The first performance of the rodeo is scheduled for 8 p.m. that night, and a carnival has been planned for Friday and Saturday evening.

Saturday at 9 a.m., registration for the exes will begin at McLean High School, followed by the lunch in the park. Class meetings will be

planned for the afternoon, with times and places to be posted at the park.

A parade is planned for 4 p.m., with a ranch horse race set for 5 p.m. The second performance of the rodeo is Saturday at 8 p.m.

The student reunion will conclude with a dance at the McLean Country Club Saturday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

NAME _____
ADDRESS _____
CLASS _____
NUMBER OF BARBECUE PLATES _____
I PLAN TO BE HERE: FRIDAY _____ SATURDAY _____

Please fill out and return as there will be only a few extra plates of barbecue ordered. Send us your address whether or not you are coming. Thank you. **BE SURE AND PUT THE YEAR YOU GRADUATED!**

MCLEAN EX-STUDENT ASSOCIATION
MCLEAN, TEXAS

jam the distaff side

by Linda Haynes

What a thrill it was when I received the June edition of Accur West with a story about McLean headlined on the cover!

McLean can always use positive publicity, and appreciate the Amarillo magazine's use of the material about our town. Editor David Bowser listed The McLean News a few weeks ago, and I found that he is a connoisseur with a deep knowledge of the Pando area.

If you have not put Accur West on your regular reading schedule, you're missing many interesting stories about Amilo and the surrounding area.

Another area magazine, Focus, which is based in Pampa, is

scheduled to feature a story about McLean in its June edition. Be sure you pick up a copy of this magazine, too.

You'll find that Focus also will be carrying the syndicated column "Loose Marbles" in its future edition. (In case you've never read The McLean News before, I will tell you that "Loose" is a local woman, former associate editor of The McLean News, Lisa Patman.) The column will also be appearing in several area papers. We'll let you know definite facts in the next few weeks.

Is Erma Bombeck's spot on "Good Morning, America" safe, or is "Loose Marbles" going to edge her out? Stay tuned.

When we began assembling last week's paper, I remembered the biggest problem of the summertime: no news for the front page! When school is no longer in session, or the school board doesn't meet, or the city council fails to call a meeting, there are very few truly newsworthy items left that qualify for front page space.

Last week, I threatened to leave the page blank, with the exception of a large headline reading "Nothing Happened in McLean... Please Use This Space For Doodling."

We finally managed to find enough material to fill the space, but it seems that we are faced with almost the same problem this week.

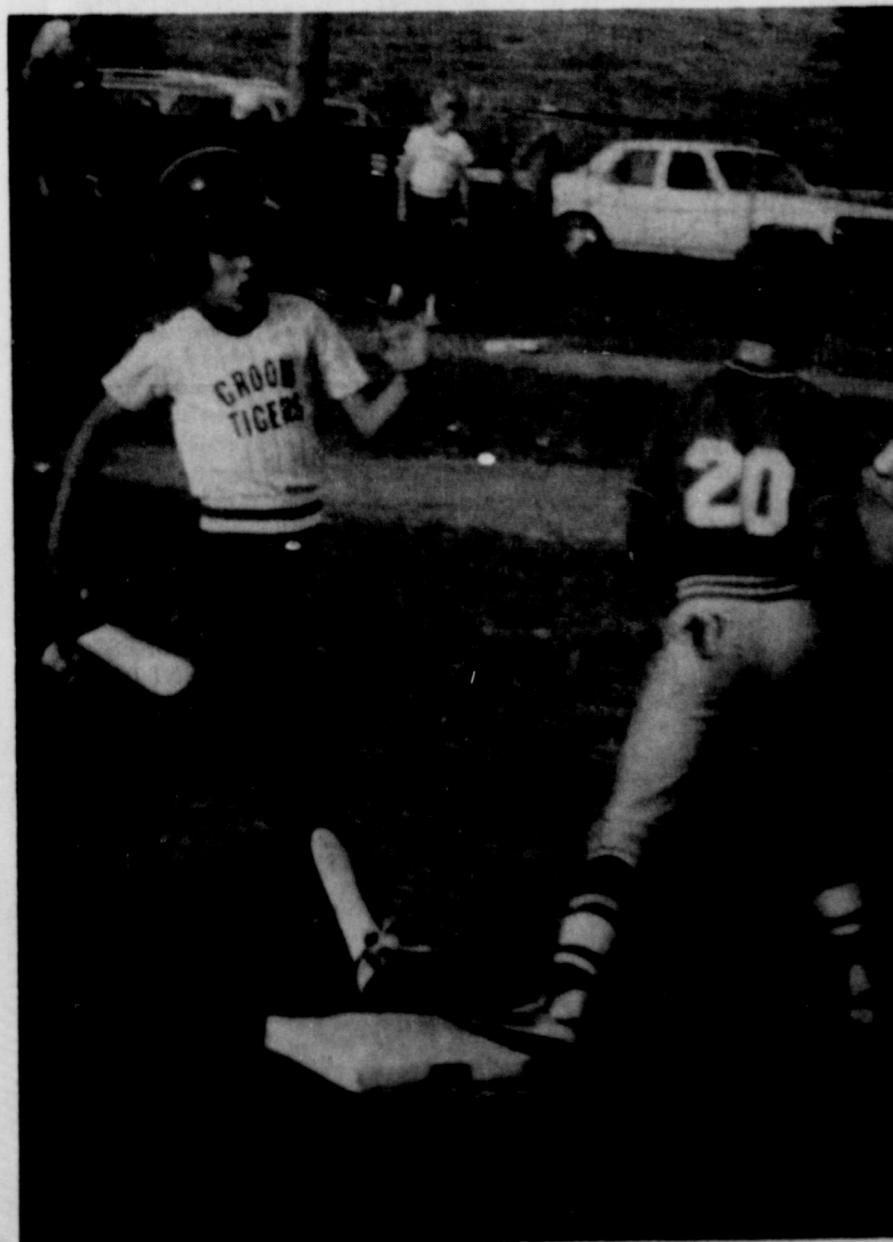
It is this time of the year that I always admire the wisdom of Ben Ezzell of *The Canadian Record*. Years ago, Ezzell converted *The Record* to a tab size, and he fills the front page each week with a few large pictures and headlines about the stories inside the cover. Ben's choice of format is

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Date	High	Low
5-24-83	84	52
5-25-83	82	57
5-26-83	84	55
5-27-83	90	60
5-28-83	88	58
5-29-83	79	59
5-30-83	48	46

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CUB SID BRASS waits for the ball at first base as a Groom Tiger hits the bag. Two McLean Little League teams play on Mondays and Thursdays through June 9. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

opinions

This Injustice Should Be Corrected

by Linda Haynes

Being opposed to welfare fraud is as All-American as apple pie and baseball, but once more the bureaucrats have gone overboard with heavy-handed tactics.

In 1980 Congress ordered the Social Security system to review hundreds of thousands of cases of disabled people to see if the people were still disabled or if they could return to work.

We have heard numerous examples of the wanton disregard of the case workers for those who are truly in need. One doctor we've heard about seems to think that even the most critically disabled can go to work doing manual labor. Of course, the doctor receives his fees from the government.

But the most idiotic decision came recently when the government decided to stop disability payments to Roy P. Benavidez.

Two years ago I met the former Marine master-sergeant when he was named Texan of the Year by the Texas Press Association. Benavidez had just received the Medal of Honor from

President Reagan. The Medal was accompanied by a citation telling an almost incredible story of extreme heroism under fire by the former migrant worker from Texas.

Benavidez, in 1968, had been in a rear area when he heard that eight of his fellow Green Berets were trapped in a downed helicopter near Loc Ninh. He returned to the area of his own accord, and rescued the men one by one. While doing so, he suffered severe wounds in his abdomen, back, head, thigh and arms. The wounds left him unable to bend, lift heavy objects, or stand for very long periods of time.

It is bad enough that the fiercely patriotic ex-Marine had to wait 13 years for a citation that should have been presented much earlier. Now our government is adding insult to injury by saying the father of three is no longer disabled and should go back to work.

If this injustice is allowed to stand, we should all hang our heads in shame at the injustice of our government.

Burglary More Serious Than Assault

From *The Canadian Record*, by Ben Ezzell

If you were a little surprised last Thursday when a local grand jury returned an indictment against a fellow accused of an attack on a woman, charging him with "burglary of a habitation", then you have just learned an important lesson about how gravely the law views different offenses. The "attack", especially since it wasn't successful, would have been a minor offense... a legal misdemeanor. But since the attacker pursued his quarry inside her house, he could be indicted for "burglary"... a felony into which the law can sink its teeth with a little more authority.

That's fine, since a felony indictment carries with it substantially more "holding" power than a simple misdemeanor, and may get a little more serious

attention from the courts... possibly enough to head off a repetition of the offense.

But a graver problem, it seems to us, is the fact that the law, in Texas and elsewhere, tends to treat attacks on women, as somewhat less serious than attacks on property... especially when the attacker doesn't succeed in carrying out his full intent. This attitude ignores the psychological trauma which must accompany such an attack, even when the physical damage is minimal.

There seems to be an attitude in the law, and even among some law enforcement people, that in such cases the woman was somehow partly at fault anyway. That excuse was worn out long ago when Adam, after eating the apple in the Garden, offered the lame explanation that "the woman tempted me."

LINES
by
LEM
O'RICKK



The financial summit is o'er,
And no one went out the back door;
They're all happy as long,
As Uncle Sam stays strong;
To protect and finance them more!

The LEGISLATIVE REPORT

by Gib Lewis, Speaker
Texas House Of Representatives

AUSTIN — Some of the most significant legislation of this session was acted upon by both houses last week and is rapidly headed for final passage into law.

For openers, the House gave final approval to one of the toughest measures against the drunk driver of any state in the nation.

Senate Bill 1, by Sen. Bill Sarpalius of Hereford, and cosponsored in the House by Rep. Terral Smith of Austin and myself, passed the House by a vote of 142 to 3.

The bill was significantly amended in the House committee to make it even tougher on drunk drivers than the measure approved by the Senate earlier.

Because it was amended in the House, the Senate must now agree to those changes.

However, I predict the Senate will agree to the House changes and the bill will be headed to Governor Mark White's desk for signing into law in short order.

The Senate also approved last week a House bill and constitutional amendment proposal allowing courts to garnish wages for the payment of child support on parents who fail, or refuse, to make those payments.

The proposal, by Rep. Rene Oliveira of Brownsville, will go to the voters statewide in November for approval.

The House has also passed one of the most important "Sunset" bills of this legislative session.

The bill, by Sen. Kent Caperton of Bryan, and sponsored in the House by Rep. Elton Bomer of Montalba, continues the Public Utility Commission of Texas as an agency of the state.

Both the House and Senate made significant changes in the structure and operating rules of the commission all designed to benefit the consumers by giving them greater input into its electric and telephone rate making procedures.

The House, like the Senate, refused to amend the bill to



Senator Bill Sarpalius Reports



Reports



BRUCELLOSIS

AUSTIN — Texas is the number one cattle state in the nation, ranking first in terms of the number of cattle and calves, beef cattle numbers, cash receipts, value of cattle and calves and the number of cattle operators. The cattle industry is an important part of the Texas economy, and it will continue to be as long as we can market cattle in an orderly fashion with a minimum of restrictions.

A problem facing cattle owners and operators in many parts of Texas is a disease known as Brucellosis. Brucellosis is a contagious bacterial disease found in livestock. The disease causes abortions, reduced or delayed calving and weak calves. Brucellosis isn't transmitted through pasteurized dairy products or processed meat, though it can be contracted by workers in slaughterhouses, or individuals working with infected animals while aborting or calving. In humans, the disease can cause undulant fever which is an intermittent fever accompanied by an infection.

As a member of the Governor's Brucellosis Evaluation Committee, I have heard many concerns from cattlemen across the state who are faced with the problem of Brucellosis. I subsequently worked on legislation aimed at improving the situation in Texas. Many people feel that the Texas statute needed to come into compliance with the national program.

We worked hard to avoid a quarantine. We feel a quarantine could result in a severe blow to the cattle industry in our part of the state. It would restrict the movement of cattle in our area. A quarantine would threaten our industry because we have a large movement of cattle across state lines.

We realize that Brucellosis is one of the most serious diseases of livestock. Affirmative action must be taken to protect our cattle industry. We are concerned about the swiftness with which the disease spreads, and the fact that it is transmitted to humans makes it all the more serious. We will always do all in our means to make sure the people and livestock of this state are protected.

If you have any questions or comments about Brucellosis, please contact us by writing, Senator Bill Sarpalius, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.

Know the language and travel better

The Thomas Cook Traveler has advice for international business travelers with which I agree, only I think it's good advice for anyone traveling overseas: Learn something about the language of the country you are to visit before you travel.

"There's nothing like a well-turned 'Guten tag! Wie geht es Ihnen?' or 'Bonjour! Comment allez vous?' to express your respect for non-Englishspeaking foreign contacts," the publication says.

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Joe B. Taylors Will Be Honored At Reception



Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Taylor

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Howerton of Lubbock are the parents of a daughter, Ashley Ann, born May 5. She weighed 7 lbs., 12 oz. Grandparents are Cleta Sue and Harris Howard

of Groom and Peggy and Don Howerton of Plainview. Great-grandparents are Cliffie Heasley of McLean, Essie and Frank Howard, of McLean, Earnest Adcox of Groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Blair Thropp of Florida, Tx.

The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Taylor are hosting a reception to honor the couple on their 50th wedding anniversary. The reception is scheduled for 2 p.m. to 4 p.m., June 5, at the family home northeast of McLean.

Joe B. and Edna Taylor were married June 5, 1933 at Lake Kemp, Baylor County, in the home of her parents, Henderson and Vera Wilkinson. They moved to Lubbock where they graduated from Texas Tech and both taught school.

They moved to McLean in 1950. Taylor taught school, and owned a barber shop in McLean.

Mrs. Taylor taught school at Kellierville and Wheeler.

They belong to the First Baptist Church in McLean.

The couple has six children, Don B. of Hereford (married to Betty Jean McClellan of McLean), Dan J. of Evergreen, Colo. (married to Ticie Ann Glenn of McLean), Louvera of Lubbock (married Ray E. Dilbeck of McLean), and Joe B. Jr. of Hereford (married Elaine Baker of McLean), and Lynn Ellen Taylor of Amarillo. One son, Tom Ed, is deceased.

The couple has 11 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Women Meet For Luncheon

The Susanna Group of the United Methodist Women met May 24 at the church for a birthday luncheon. President Katy Graham opened the meeting with a prayer.

The program, "Peter, Disciple of Christ" was given by Grace Glenn.

A table decorated with yellow irises held the meal enjoyed by Marty Cable, Gene Longino, Mary Powell, Robbie

Wilson, Fern Boyd, Verna Dorsey, Helen Black, Isabel Cousins, Eva Peabody, Grace Glenn and Katy Graham.

Joe Graham Dies Friday In Amarillo

J.W. (Joe) Graham, 63, died Friday.

Services were Monday at First Baptist Church with the Rev. Buell Wells, pastor, officiating. Born in Crowell, he moved to McLean in 1927. He married Pearl Stevenson Sept. 28, 1980, in McLean. He retired as a motor grader operator

from Gray County. He was a Baptist.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Gary Graham of Amarillo; two stepsons, John Stevenson of Weatherford, Okla., and Bobby Stevenson of Jeffers City, Wyo.; a stepdaughter, Wanda Keller of Hubbard; four brothers, Earl Graham of

Amarillo, Pete Graham of Tucumcari, N.M., Mutt Graham of Clarendon, and Bill Graham of Grand Junction, Colo.; two sisters, Nella Hix of Delta, Colo., and Mary Henley of McLean; a grandchild; eight step-grandchildren and six step great-grandchildren.

McLean Students Receive Degrees

WTSU--More than 900 students have received bachelor's and master's degrees during spring commencement ceremonies at West Texas State University.

Candidates for graduation numbered 125 for master's degrees and 809

for bachelor's degrees. WTSU graduation ceremonies are conducted at the Amarillo Civic Center Coliseum.

Students earn degrees in the School of agriculture, College of Arts and Sciences, College of Education, School of Fine

Arts, School of Business, School of Nursing and Graduate School.

Graduating from McLean are John Holman, Bachelor of Science in physical education; and Jan Johnson, Master of Business Education.

In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes

Who wants to cook in the summer? Even if you have a good air conditioner that will keep your kitchen cool, you probably don't find the thought of spending time over a hot stove very appealing. Here is a quick, easy dish which can be prepared in your electric skillet for an easy supper.

Speedy Sausage Supper
1 lb. smoked sausage, sliced 1/4 inch thick
2/3 c. chopped celery
1/4 c. chopped green onions

1 small jar chopped mushrooms, undrained
1 1/2 c. water
dash of salt
dash of pepper
1 1/2 tsp. chili powder
2 envelopes instant tomato soup mix
1 1/2 c. uncooked rice

The tree of liberty grows only when watered by the blood of tyrants.

Bertrand Barere
I'm learnin' one thing good. Learnin' it all a time, ever' day. If you're in trouble, or hurt or need

Combine sausage, celery, and onion in skillet. Cook on medium heat, stirring until vegetables are tender. Drain. Add everything but the rice. Cook for a few minutes. Stir in rice. Remove from heat; cover and let stand for 10 minutes.

--go to the poor people-- They're the only ones that'll help -- the only ones.

John Steinbeck
Christianity taught men that love is worth more than intelligence.
Jacques Maritain

McLEAN BRIEFS

Kenneth and Michel Bell, Matthew and Kristen of Pampa.

The Charlie Vineyards of Glen Rose spent the weekend in McLean. They visited her father, J. W. Meacham and her sister, Mrs. Doyle Billingsley and family.

Kay Hallum and Martha Parker attended a meeting of the Texas Panhandle Library System last Tuesday at Amarillo Public Library. Jim Schepke, the West Texas Library System coordinator from Lubbock, was the presenter at the work session entitled, The Learning Library: An Introduction To Public Access Microcomputers.

Eva Peabody and Jean Longino were in Clarendon last Friday to visit with Eva's sister in the rest home.

Visiting with the Roy McMullens over the weekend were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McMullens.

As society advances the standard of poverty rises.

Theodore Parker

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William Feather
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Anonymous
Man is prone to connect the idea of innocence with that of abstinence. There are, however, abstinences which are crimes.

Ernest Hello

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NURSING CENTER NEWS

Sunday, Brother Z. A. Myers of the Assembly of God Church was here to conduct services.

Monday, residents playing Bingo were Buck Henley, Maggie Morris, Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Bill Shaffer, A. L. Welch, Earl Tolleson, Ruby Cook, Inez Fields, Alma Fandal and Ruby Bidwell. Our helpers were Mildred Giesler, Onie Gibson, Bertha Smith and Juanita Smith.

Tuesday morning our residents worked in crafts, our helper was Grace Hanner. In the afternoon some of the ladies quilted.

Wednesday members of the Methodist Church were here for a singing.

Friday, Martha Parker was here with her movies.

Buelah Rippey's out-of-town guests were her sister and brother-in-law.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ferrin from San Bernardino, Cal. Also visiting was her sister, Mozell Reid from Warner, Okla.

Lona Jones' daughter, Rosa Lee of Jacksonville, Ark., was here visiting.

Annie Eudey's daughter, Marie Fennel and husband Milford and Annie's son Charles and wife Betty took her out Saturday. She went fishing at Deer Park Trailer Park in Miami. She caught a six pound catfish.



THOMAS NURSING CENTER resident Annie Eudey went fishing in Miami Sunday and caught a six-pound catfish. [Photo Courtesy of Betty Lopez]

LIBRARY NOTES

by Sam Hennes

Duke, A Love Story
An Intimate Memoir of John Wayne's Last Years
By Pat Stacy with Beverly Linet

This new book written by John Wayne's companion of his last seven years, is a very poignant and touching story of Wayne's immense popularity and of the love he had for people, and of their limitless admiration and love they had for him.

Frank Sinatra's comment on the book was "A most warmly written book about a giant of our times. I cherish the memories of a good and decent man. There was no better friend." Maureen

O'Hara, who appeared with Wayne in a number of movies, said, "My mother, a wise and wonderful woman, always said to her daughters, be a man's last love, not his first love. Pat (Stacy) was Duke's last love. She has written of those years sensitively, with class and dignity and warmth, and never cheating anyone else of their own class and dignity. Read this book and rejoice and weep with all of us who like Pat and loved the Duke."

"Duke, A Love Story" is a stunning, deeply moving book; the warm, funny, tender, and finally tragic story of the last years of one of America's

most beloved men-by the woman he loved.

This is "Duke" the man, tender, loving, stubborn, generous, cantankerous, impulsive, humorous, and, finally, full of rage at the cancer he had to battle for the second time in his life; the cancer that, as Stacy cared for him day after day and shared his agony, cut away at the man who had been so vital and strong - but to which he refused to succumb.

This wonderful book is a revelation, a book full of joy and sorrow and courage - the real John Wayne brought to vivid, loving life. It is now available at Lovett Memorial Library.

'Blended fire ants' effective treatment for sting allergies

COLLEGE STATION — A concoction that could be called "blended fire ants" may be as effective as venom in controlling severe reactions to the insect's painful sting, say Texas A&M University researchers.

Tests on 71 patients of varying ages, most with a history of severe allergic reaction to stings from the imported fire ant, indicate for the first time that medication produced from blended whole body extract is as effective as extract from the venom, said Dr. Barry Paull.

SKInformation

by Linda Allen Schoen

Winter's over, skin is in, so it's time to adopt the freshest skin care regimen under the sun.

Healthy, radiant skin, so desirable, especially in summer, is often dulled by over-powering soaps, cleansers and makeup routines.

Lighten up your regimen and let your best skin shine through.

Start with fresh, pure basics for cleansing. Mild Neutrogena Soap and water are top choices for several reasons:

- 1) It rinses completely better than any other soap made in America.
- 2) If a soap rinses completely it cannot cloud, dull, irritate or interfere with your skin's natural vitality.
- 3) Immaculately clean skin is better prepared to let your moisturizer provide all its therapeutic benefits.

Choose a pure, clean moisturizer by making sure it is free of heavy mineral oil and has a light, smooth application.

Demand the extra protection of sunscreen in your moisturizer to really protect against premature wrinkling.

Loose powder or a light foundation will even your skin tone without looking heavy. Use a cover stick to mask any imperfections.

Keep a balanced diet from all four food groups (skin that's malnourished usually looks duller).

Daily exercise keeps skin and muscles toned, while providing skin with all the oxygen it deserves to look its best.

I really can't see any advantage of having one of your party in as President. I would rather be able to criticize a man than to have to apologize for him.

Will Rogers
I'm not denyin' the women are foolish: God Almighty made 'em to match the men.
George Elliot

ALANREED BRIEFS

The Alanreed Home-maker's Club met May 25 in the home of Ruth McLain. Roll call was "What encourages me," and was answered by Anita Bruce, Lena Carter, Mary Davis, Onie Gibson, Davie Gipson, Lucy Goldston, Polly Harrison, Sophia Hutchison and Ruth McLain.

Anita Bruce gave a program on driving skills and care of the car, and showed slides. After the program, Ruth gave the minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report. Polly Harrison gave the council report. Refreshments of pie, snacks, coffee and punch were served to nine members and Michelle Nobles, Brenda McLain, Bradley McLain, Paul and Kaye Bruce. Beginning in June, the club will meet only once a month.

Danny McLain reported that daughter Sherry was severely hurt in a

motorcycle accident, but is steadily improving.

The small son of the Yorks, who also live on the Johnson Ranch, received injuries this week when a horse stepped on him. He underwent surgery Wednesday.

The Dick Dragoos, James Armbrister and Bill Tidwell enjoyed the holiday on the lake.

Visiting Ruby Gilbreath over the holiday were son Lindsey and family of Farmington, New Mexico.

Visiting his parents, the Jack Standishes during the holiday were son Sam and family of Clyde, Texas.

Mrs. Nita McKee had daughter Margie and family of Spearman visiting during the holiday.

Tony Polito of McLean accompanied James Nobles to First Baptist

Church where Reuben Coronado of Hereford spoke in behalf of T.A.N.E.

The Robert Bruces had daughter Sandra and Nicki from Midland here during the holiday along with two friends.

Visiting Onie Gibson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Don Bednorz and Kristi of Panhandle and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Vineyard, Debbie and Shane of Glen Rose.

Visiting with Polly Harrison during the holiday were son James and family of Lubbock. Ana stayed for a longer visit.

Visiting Lena Carter on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bruce and Shelby of Amarillo.

Visiting the W. H. Davis' last week and during the holiday were Mr. and Mrs. Dale May and David of Midland; Mr.

and Mrs. Kylon Sitz and children of Denton; Mr. and Mrs. Willis May of Panhandle; and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and Ross of Amarillo.

Memorial services were held in the Alanreed cemetery at 12 noon, May 30, with Brother Archie Cooper giving the message. Audio effects were by Don Ross and Bob, and the equipment courtesy of O. J. Milam.

Don't forget Alanreed Homecoming, June 12. The gym dedication will be at the same time. Registration will be at 11 a.m. at the gym.

The Cemetery Association hired Sid Keese to do the cemetery mowing and with the help of all concerned, has gotten our cemetery in real good shape. Our special thanks to Glenn Hallum who helped with the big mowing.

Beginning Sewing Course Planned

by Donna Brauchi
"Sewing For Beginners", a sewing short-course, will be taught by Donna Brauchi, Gray County Extension Agent. Interested persons should enroll before June 1 for the series of five classes to be offered beginning June 27.

Classes will be two hours in length and will be taught in the afternoon. The shortcourse is designed for persons with very little or no sewing experience. A garment will be constructed by each participant during the shortcourse. Participants will supply their own sewing materials and equipment. All participants are asked to bring a sewing machine if at all possible.

The course itself is free of charge. Participants will, however, be expected to purchase fabric and notions for a garment.

To enroll-call or write the Gray County Extension Office at 669-7429 or Star Rt. 2, Box 33, Pampa. Please enroll before June 1.

Educational programs

conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic level, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, and national origin.

17th Airborne Seeks Names Of Members

The 17th Airborne Division Association, composed of men who served as paratroopers and glidermen in the 17th Airborne Division during World War II, is conducting a membership drive to locate all former members. If you served with this Division, please contact Edward Siegiej, Secretary-Treasurer, 62 Forty Acre Mountain Road, Danbury, Connecticut 06810, for details of the Division Association as well as information about the 30th Annual Reunion which this year will be held at the Peabody Hotel, Memphis, Tennessee on Aug. 11-14.

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6,300 Jaycees at Seoul World Congress

SEOUL—Planting of 1,000 trees as part of the Jaycees' "global forest" program was one of the many highlights of the recent Jaycee World Congress held in Seoul, with 6,300 members attending from 70 countries.

In a welcoming speech to the convention, Prime Minister Kim said, "Together with you, the Korean people eagerly seek permanent freedom, prosperity and peace on earth. Based on

love and friendship, we are trying to discuss and cooperate with people throughout the world for the fulfillment of these hopes."

In between and after business sessions, the delegates had opportunities to view the historic palaces, the sprawling markets and fine shops of Seoul, the magnificent museums and the ages-old temples and shrines of the city and the surrounding area.

Whenever you are sincerely pleased you are nourished.
Ralph Waldo Emerson

We are here to add what we can to life, not to get what we can from it.
William Osler

NOTICES

The City of McLean is now accepting applications for a general maintenance person. This applicant should be proficient in the operation of the following eq. 1. Backhoe 2. Motorgrader 3. Sewer rotor and other general maint. eq. Job consists of the following:

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2. Sewer system maintenance.
3. Gas system maintenance
4. General street maintenance
5. Other duties as assigned by Mayor and/or city council.

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DOWN MEMORY LANE

Compiled By Sam Haynes From The Files Of The McLean News

10 YEARS AGO...

E. M. Bailey, Ed.
Barney L. Pool, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlon Pool of McLean, graduated from Amarillo College Monday, May 14 with an associate in science degree.

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Visiting with his grandmother, Mrs. George Johnson this week is Allen Bailey of Plainview.

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Visitors in the W. G. Pearson home over the weekend were Donna Pearson of Lubbock and Linda Pearson of Amarillo.

20 YEARS AGO...

Jack Shelton, Ed.
R. A. (Lip) Lipscomb, outstanding Texas Lion from Odessa, will be guest speaker next Tuesday at the McLean Lions Club's 35th anniversary dinner in the Methodist Church.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lisman attended graduation exercises for their

daughter-in-law, Leola Lisman, at West Texas State University in Canyon last Sunday.

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Jackie and Mike Johnston of Clarendon and Alice and Shirley West of Groom are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston.

30 YEARS AGO...

Lester Campbell, Ed.
A1/c and Mrs. W. L. Golightly of the Foster Air Force Base at Victoria announce the birth of a son, Stephen Frank, on Wednesday, May 13. Airman Golightly is the son of Mrs. Frank Go-

lightly of McLean.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Turner and daughter of Lefors visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sharp Saturday.

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Edward Dwyer of McLean, senior at Texas Tech, where he is majoring in animal husbandry, has been presented the

Block and Bridle Club's merit award, for having contributed most to the club during the past school year.

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Glen Curry visited with relatives in Cheyenne, Oklahoma, and in Great Bend Kansas, over the weekend.

40 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed.
A warning has been issued by OPA District Director Howard Gholdston to merchants not to accept loose shoe stamps, as this is a direct violation of the OPA regulations.

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Mrs. Homer Abbott, Mrs. Wheeler Foster, Misses Sarah Ellen and Mary Evelyn Foster and Mary Lee Abbott were in Canyon Tuesday, the two latter enrolling in the WTSC.

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Rev. John Thacker, 67, was buried last Thursday at Shattuck, Oklahoma. Rev. Thacker, a Methodist minister, was the father of Amos Thacker of McLean.

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Miss Virginia Blackerby of Borger visited here over the weekend.

50 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed.

Sidney Kunkel and sisters, Mrs. Callie Haynes and Mrs. T. N. Holloway, were in Wellington Monday.

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According to an action of the Lion's Club, the wading pool in the city park should be open for

the season today, subject to the usual restrictions. Only children under 12 years of age are allowed to use the pool at any time.

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Prof. W. D. Biggers of McLean will receive his Bachelor degree at the West Texas State

Teacher's College today, having majored in physics, being a student assistant in that department.

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Funeral rites will be said at the First Baptist Church at 2:30 this (Thursday) afternoon, for L. H. Webb, aged 73 years, 10 months and 27 days, who died May 30, 1933.

60 YEARS AGO...

T. A. Landers, Ed.
The whole town was shocked Monday morning when it was learned that T. W. Henry was found dead in his bed. Mr. Henry had been feeling under the weather for some time, but no one had any idea that he was so soon to pass away. Mrs. Henry cooked breakfast and called her husband before she knew the sad fact of his death. The deceased was born Jan. 16, 1861. He was an old resident of McLean, having come to this section about 18 years ago.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and G. W. Sullivan visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday. Mrs. Sullivan returned home with them.

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Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Huckabee and Rev. R. N. Huckabee attended the Sunday school of instruction at Clarendon Thursday.

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Mrs. Simmons and daughter-in-law Mrs. Claude Simmons from Amarillo, who have been visiting with relatives, returned the first of the week.

News from Back...Mrs. E. V. Back of McLean spent the weekend with her sons, Chas. and Bud Back.

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Adv... Hill and Ledbetter... Attorneys at Law... McLean, Texas.

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Miss Alice Short of Lefors is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. F. Sander.

70 YEARS AGO...

A. G. Richardson, Ed.
The Gray County Local Mutual Aid Association is rapidly filling up and it behooves every citizen in reach of this organization to look into it's merits and secure it's benefits by becoming a member. You can do this by seeing Judge T. M. Wolfe (Secretary) or W. L. Durrett, Solicitor.

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Adv... Drop in and see us about dinner time. We serve the best 25c dinner in town... Red's Restaurant.

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Adv... We carry a full line of McChesney spurs and bits... Call and Bill.

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Adv... Laredo, Texas, Bermuda onions \$1.00 per crate of 53 pounds... W. L. Haynes.



THIS PHOTO SHOWS a group of McLean students. Among those pictured are Arthur Lee Howard, Charles Ashby, Archie Hibler, George

McCarty, Christal Christian, Lavern Pettit, Pauline Ledbetter, Robert Brew, Bruce Graham, Paul Ledbetter and Harold Hodges. [Photo Courtesy of Bruce Graham]

Gray County Gardening

by Joe VanZandt
Horticultural Activities

If you haven't gotten a lot of your garden planted already, now is certainly the time to plant beans, peas, cucumbers, summer squash, muskmelon and watermelons. Also, you may want to sow lettuce seed every two to three weeks to keep salad greens coming along. Use heat tolerant varieties such as Buttercrunch, Ruby, Salad Bowl, and Tendersweet. If possible, plant lettuce on east side of a fence to avoid excessive heat.

Flowers For Summer Color

If you've waited until now to get your flower bed planted or if early spring flowers are beginning to fade it's not too late to plant. The following are some of the flowers that you can still plant which will perform well in hot weather.

Lantana for an extra hot, dry place try Lantana. They come in many beautiful new color variations: yellow with orange, white, the old-fashioned lavender and many others. Small plants planted now will quickly grow into ground cover. Space plants about 12-18 inches apart and by mid-summer you'll have a riot of color. Lantana is another good plant for a hanging basket in the sun.

Zinnia-have guaranteed summer heat tolerance and ability to grow under adverse conditions. The summer garden is not complete without a colorful mass of this old favorite. Even though Zinnias have been around for many summers, there are many new and improved varieties of vivid colors and durability. Zinnia blooms now range in size from tiny border hybrids to giant Dahlia-flavored types.

Portulance-unsurpassed as a summer border or rock garden plant. Often called "Moss Rose", this summer annual prefers the sun and will tolerate dry, hot conditions to produce warm vivid blankets of gay colors.

Salvia-a persistent summer annual, producing bright scarlet or blue

spikes of bloom throughout the hot summer until cut down by frost. The rich red varieties are most showy when displayed against a background of green or white. The faded blooms of this annual should be cut often to encourage abundant color.

Cosmos-produces rich yellow or orange blooms in mid-summer up until late fall. Its success often spreads to abandoned gardens and sometimes escapes cultivation, demanding little or no care. The All-American selection "Diablo" produces brilliant-colored blooms which will brighten any garden bed until winter.

Marigolds-love hot weather and, with the exception of having an attack of spider mites occasionally, you'll find them easy to grow. If mites attack, use Kelthane once a week for three weeks, being careful to spray the underside of the leaves. New marigolds being brought out each year are almost as numerous as new petunias so you will probably have a hard time deciding which ones to plant. Especially intriguing are the new mule or triploid marigolds, which don't produce seed and thus continue to bloom throughout the season. Some of the large flowered forms, like Happy Face are also spectacular and make good hot weather plants.

Gallardia or firewheel-a little annual that grows along the roadside but there are a number of improved varieties offered in the seed catalogs and you should try some of these for spectacular hot-weather flowers. While the wild form will usually produce flowers an inch to an inch-and-a-half across, it's not unusual for some of the cultivated varieties to be four inches or more in diameter. Some of the new selections are perennial in their growth habit. Two of the best are Torchlight which will reach a height of 24-30 inches whereas Goblin is a dwarf plant of 12" covered with two to three inch flowers.

Gardening With Hanging Baskets

If you lack the yard space for flowering annuals or vegetables, try growing them in hanging baskets. Hanging basket gardens can add a tomato, cucumber or flowering plant to your porch or balcony without taking up much space.

Any type of drainable container will work fine, whether it's wood, plastic or a wire basket. Line containers with peat moss and make sure they are securely attached with strong hooks. Outside baskets need to be watered daily. If mixing different plants in a basket, start with upright plants at the

center, then add trailing plants around the edge of the pot. Be sure plants in combination baskets have similar sun requirements.

Vegetable baskets can be an attractive source of homegrown food. Ask for varieties that have been developed especially for growing in baskets or containers.

Cherry tomatoes, cucumbers, lettuce, radishes and herbs make productive baskets. Be sure not to crowd vegetable plants, especially tomatoes, so that they can develop properly.

Use a porous planting mix in hanging baskets. Garden soil can be too heavy to drain properly and may contain insects, weed and disease.



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Michael Henderson
June 3
None
JUNE 4
Ed Howard
Teresa Mertel Phillips
JUNE 5
Lawrence Watson

Mrs. A. N. Hardman
Scott Stringfellow
JUNE 6
Reo Heasley
Emory Smith
June 7
Ruby Cook
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JUNE 8
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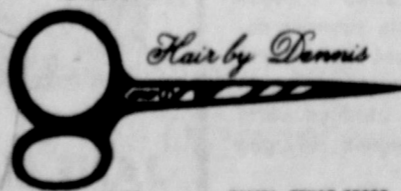
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Two Warren Employees Honored AT Retirement Dinner Recently

Two Warren Petroleum employees who will retire soon were honored recently with a dinner and gifts at the Warren plant.

Bill Holmes will retire June 30 after almost 38 years with the company, and Troy Corbin will retire June 25 after 37 years with Warren.

Holmes plans to more actively pursue his farming interests after his retirement. Corbin is building a recreational vehicle campground east of McLean.

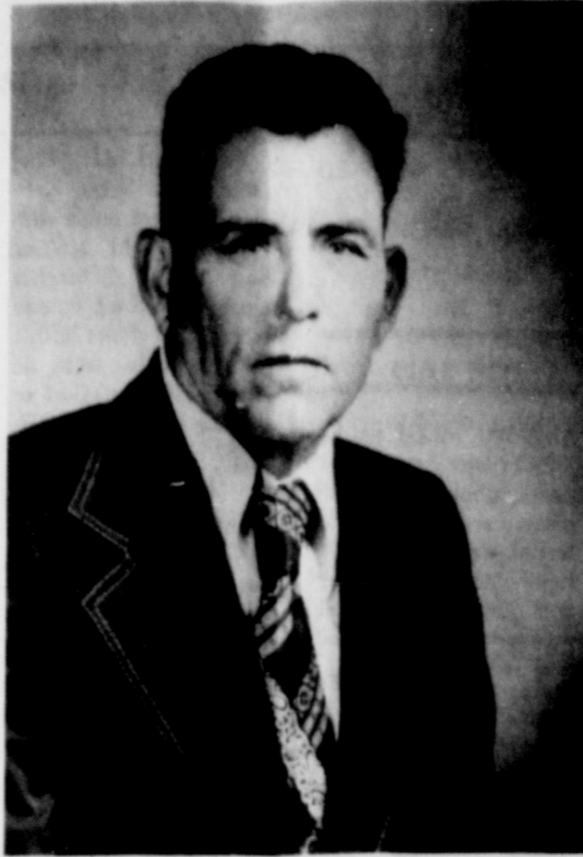
Corbin and his wife Jerry have three sons, Troy Don, Clinton, and Craig.

Holmes and his wife Ruth have two daughters, Betty Cunningham and Cherylan Holmes.

The world is dying for want, not of good preaching, but of good hearing. George Dana Boardman



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TROY CORBIN

Young Adults More Likely To Die In Texas Auto Accidents

Texans between ages 15 and 34 are two and a half times more likely to die in an auto accident than are all other Texans, according to statisticians for the Texas Department of Health.

And the auto death rates for these young Texans are expected to increase while the rates for the same age group nationwide are projected to decrease.

To better understand this major health problem, statisticians Linda Lloyd and Pat Venus analyzed motor vehicle accidents among 15- to 34-year-old Texans from 1970 through 1980. Their findings appear in the May issue of *Texas Medicine*, the journal of the Texas Medical Association.

In 1980, motor vehicle accidents were the fourth leading cause of death for all Texans, the report says. But for the 15- to 34 age group, these accidents were the leading cause of death. "In that year, more than half of all Texans who died in motor vehicle accidents were between the ages of 15 and 34; however, less than one third of the population was in this young age group," the statisticians write.

The group with the highest risk of dying in an auto was males between ages 20 and 24. Among females, the 15-19 age group led.

The report notes that three factors contribute substantially to motor vehicle fatalities: speeding, alcohol and non-use of seatbelts. Speeding and driving while intoxicated each caused 24 percent of all fatal accidents statewide.

As for seatbelts, only 11 percent of drivers nationwide use them and this figure is declining. Detailed information on seatbelt use in Texas is not available, but one study suggests that the percentage of Houston and Dallas using seatbelts is smaller than the national figure.

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'Make It Click' Campaign Promotes Safety

"I pledge, for the next two weeks, to buckle-up, to protect children by placing them in safety seats, and to child safety seats, or to encourage my fellow passengers to get into the buckle-up habit."

That's the "Make It Click - Drive Defensively" safety belt usage pledge, and you're encouraged to take it, said George R. Gustafson, Executive Director, Texas Safety Association.

This year the Texas Safety Association and many McDonald's restaurants across the state are participating in the National Safety Council's "Make It Click - Drive Defensively" campaign which runs from Memorial Day to Labor Day.

Many groups in Texas will be asking friends and neighbors to sign the "Make It Click - Drive Defensively" pledge this summer. Many McDonald's restaurants in the state will be distributing pledge cards beginning June 20. Other groups such as the Texas Safety Association, safety councils in Dallas and Houston, private corporations and government agencies will also be participating in the program.

Gustafson said one major aim of the program is to encourage continuing use of seat belts. "Hopefully, after persons see how easy it is to use the belts, they'll continue wearing them," Gustafson said.

According to the Texas Safety Association 14,000 to 18,000 lives nationally could be saved yearly if all passengers in motor-vehicles wore safety belts at all times.

Gustafson said that safety belts are effective because they eliminate the "human collision" inside cars. "When your vehicle hits something,

people injured in motor vehicle crashes in 1980 were not wearing seatbelts.

The National Highway

you as an occupant will continue moving inside the car after the car has stopped," he said, "then you'll have a second collision either with someone in the car or with something else in the

LBJ boyhood home, library are among Austin area attractions

By Gordon M. Quarstrom

AUSTIN—Lyndon B. Johnson, the 36th president, came from this part of Texas and never during his service in Congress, as vice president or as chief executive of the United States did he fail to let the world know where his roots were and where his heart was.

LBJ still looms big in Central Texas, even years after his death.

The LBJ Library here in Austin is the prime city attraction, drawing visitors from around the world.

And nearby, 65 miles from Austin, is the LBJ Historical Home Site. Only the Washington and Lincoln home sites attract visitors in such numbers. More than 400,000 come to visit each year.

The home site is near Johnson City, where Johnson was born. It is easily reached from here via excellent highways.

The State of Texas and National Park Service have cooperated in making possible a well-rounded story of the Johnson family at the LBJ ranch site. Visitors view the ranch, but since Lady Bird Johnson still resides there, it is not open to the public.

The LBJ Library, a short distance from downtown Austin, has been an interesting place to visit over

Traffic Safety Administration estimates that 50 percent fewer deaths from motor vehicle crashes would occur annually if

every driver and passenger wore a seatbelt.

Applying this estimate to Texas suggests that 2,150 lives would have been saved in 1980 had all Texans worn their seatbelts.

against a telephone pole," he said. "In fact, statistics indicate that you are 25 times more likely to be killed if you're thrown from the vehicle," he added.

Persons who would like to encourage their friends

Eastern, United and American. Amtrak also serves Austin.

Austin is a lovely city, not spoiled by recent expansion. There are great parks, a splendid setting on Town Lake, numerous historic sites, fine hotels and motels and excellent dining places.

It is famed for its Tex-Mex food, which I believe to be the best you'll find anywhere.

The good people of Continental Airlines have a list of things one should see when visiting in Austin. Included are the LBJ Library and Johnson Home Site, which I have listed, and these others:

The Texas capitol, of pink granite, second largest capitol building in the U.S. (Only the national capitol is larger.)

The French Legation, dating back to 1841, when Texas was a republic.

The O. Henry Home, containing many belongings of the great author.

The Governors' Mansion, a stately structure built in 1853.

The Texas Memorial Museum, with outstanding historical, archeological, geological and biological displays.

University of Texas Tower and grounds, in the city's heart.

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- **What not to take with the medicine.** Some medicines don't mix with alcohol, others shouldn't be mixed with other drugs.
- **What side effects the drugs can cause.** Medicines may produce a variety of other reactions. Not all people will have the same side effects but you should know what the possibilities are.



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