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State Capital News

By Vera Sanford

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as well as new procedures to cut down operating cost. Report will be acted on at the February 10 Coordinating Board meeting, together with a request to merge South Texas College of Law at Houston with Texas A&M University.

Dies Secretary of State
Gov. Smith's first official appointment was his secretary of state. He selected former Lufkin Sen. Martin Dies Jr., and Dies was immediately confirmed by the Senate.

Constitutional Amendment
Freshman Rep. Lynn Nabers of Brownwood plans to introduce a proposed constitutional amendment to allow the state to give aid to private colleges and universities.

In the proposal, a committee would determine what it costs to educate the average student at state-supported schools. State then would deduct from that the tuition students pay at state institutions—now \$100 per year—and send the rest to private schools as credit toward the educational costs.

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The aoudad is becoming a respected and prized game in the state. Some hunters drove many miles this year for a chance at one of the big natives of the Atlas Mountains of Africa, now established in the state.

One of 18 rams bagged this season, the average field-dressed weight was 155 pounds, but one weighed in at 205.

Average ram horn for the year was 17.7 inches long, but one big trophy had a horn measurement of 32 inches. The average horn spread was 13.8 inches on rams, with a maximum of 24 1/2 inches on one animal.

Amarillo Diabetes Society To Meet February 4

The Amarillo Area Diabetes Lay Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on February 4, at 7:30 p.m. at the Social Hall of the Polk Street Methodist Church.

The speaker for this meeting will be Dr. John M. Pickett, Amarillo physician and pediatrician. His subject will be "Juvenile Diabetes and Proper Treatment." Parents of children and teen-agers with the juvenile onset type of diabetes will be particularly interested in this program.

The program planned for the meeting in April also will concern parents of young diabetics as it will include the showing of a film on Camp Sweeney. This camp, located near Gainesville is one of 34 camps in 25 states in the United States that provide programs for children between the ages of 6 and 18 have diabetics.

Sessions at Camp Sweeney are three weeks in duration. In addition to recreational programs that are a part of every summer camp for children, these camps have activities that will teach the child to live with his metabolic disorder and how to achieve and maintain good control. Programs vary from camp to camp, but all try to develop the child's self-confidence and independence.

For more information, write to the Amarillo Diabetes Lay Society, 3100 S. Jackson, Amarillo.

Interested persons are invited to meetings of the Society—held the first Tuesday of each month.

Mrs. Ollie Mae Hugg Buried Today

Funeral services for Mrs. Ollie Mae Hugg, 76, of McLean, a long-time resident who died Monday evening in McLean Hospital following a short illness, was held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday (today) in the Church of Christ, Earl Smith, minister, officiating.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home. Mrs. Hugg, a native of Strawberry, Ark., had been a resident of McLean since 1919, when she came here from Strawberry.

She was a member of the Church of Christ. Survivors include her husband, G. T.; daughters, Mrs. Katherine Kite of McLean, Mrs. Maxella Andrews of Port Huene, Calif., Mrs. Bicie Simpson of Pampa, Mrs. Mavis Collins of Dumas, Mrs. Norene Braxton and Mrs. Ethel Pool of Amarillo; sons, Noah of Dumas, Bruce of Goldsmith and Brooks of Amarillo; 23 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren.

Open House Monday For Dr. And Family

An open house is being held Monday night, from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Hospitality Room of the American National Bank to welcome Dr. A. C. Woods and his family to McLean.

Everyone is welcome to come and get acquainted with Dr. and Mrs. Woods.

Stage Band Went To Canyon Festival

The McLean High School Stage Band attended the ninth annual Stage Band Festival at Canyon on Saturday, January 25.

The Stage Band under the direction of Ronnie Shepperd, received a third in Class A. Judges for the contest were J. R. McEntyre, Permian High School; Pat Patterson, Sweetwater High School; Gene Smith, Lee High School.

Accompanying the band and Mr. Shepperd to Canyon were Mrs. Margaret Coleman and Mr. Eddie Bailey.

ADMITTED—Wanda Lamb, Sherill Montgomery, Vestal Bailey, Mildred Castleberry, Josie Burham, Tom Langham, Bunia Kunkel.
DISMISSED—Charles Eadey.



COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP—Betty McDonald, daughter of Louise McDonald, receives her second scholarship check from Bill Kingston, McLean Jaycees president, as Larry Smith, treasurer looks on. This scholarship is given each semester by the Jaycees, to the student who writes the best theme.

McLean FFA Boys Enter Fort Worth Livestock Show

Mr. James Moffett, the local ag teacher, and some of the FFA boys are attending the stock show in Fort Worth this week. The McLean Stock show is not far in the future. The FFA boys and their teacher have done a lot of work to the ag barn this year building on and closing it in.

Hunters Kill Deer In Record Number

Texas hunters this year had the best season ever on record, according to estimates just released by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

They killed 280,037 deer, including 10,189 mule deer, and 24,847 turkeys this year compared with the second best kill in 1966 of 271,599 deer and 18,410 turkeys.

Last year, hunters killed 10,336 turkeys and 239,017 deer. These figures are estimates based on field reports of Department game management officers.

Department biologists attribute the high kill to a large deer population resulting from a plentiful food supply and ideal conditions for reproduction. Deer in all parts of the state in excellent condition.

Hunting at times was slow in some areas due to heavy foliage—the result of the same ideal conditions which made the deer populations high. Census studies made before the season started indicated both high populations and excellent antler growth.

Although the kill was down from last year in some counties, other counties had substantial increases.

The highest deer kill for any one county was in Llano County with 13,000.

ELEMENTARY HONOR ROLLS

HIGH HONOR ROLL
Six weeks grade average of 93-100 with no grade below 90.

Fourth Grade
Carroll Summers, Tina McCurley, Cindy Sherrod, Peggy Van Huss.

Fifth Grade
Johnnie Gree, Cathy Curry, Rhonda Beve, Pamela Lowery.

Seventh Grade
Carol Coleman, Janet Summers.

Eighth Grade
Jim Mac Hall, Karen Stewart, Nan Wiginton, Ann Wiginton.

Claud E. Hunt, 88 Buried Monday

Claud Elbert Hunt, 88, died at 6:30 p.m. Saturday in the McLean Hospital.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church with Dan Beltz, pastor, officiating.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home. Mr. Hunt was born in Tupelo, Miss., and moved here from Dodson in 1960.

He married Myrtle Ellen West of Hollis, Okla., Nov. 20, 1904, and was a retired minister and farmer.

Mr. Hunt was a member of the Missionary Baptist Church in Shamrock.

Survivors include his wife; daughters, Miss Ozella Hunt of Denver City and Mrs. Naomi Thompson of Morton; sons, Cagle of Anson and Lloyd of McLean; a brother, Grover of Wellington; ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

License Plates Go On Sale Monday

For the first time, Texas motor vehicles will wear luminous tags—a safety factor which should help reduce traffic accidents.

The license plates will be on sale Monday, February 3, since the opening date, February 1, falls on Saturday. The license plates may be purchased at the City Hall.

Plates will have a cream colored background and figures and numerals will be black.

Texoma Catfish Are The 'Peanuttiest'

Channel catfish will eat just about anything, but Lake Texoma catfish may be a little "nuttier" than others when it comes to food.

A recent experimental netting in the upper end of the lake showed the catfishes' stomach chock-full of peanuts, and this set Texas Parks and Wildlife Biologist Ed Bone of Denison to wondering, since peanuts are hardly standard fare for catfish.

Bonn quickly discarded the theory that heavy rains had flushed the peanuts into the lake from nearby fields, since there had been no recent rains. Besides, the peanuts in the catfish were all cleaned halves. There were no whole nuts, shells or brown inner skins.

Bonn considered whether ducks might have ingested the peanuts and then passed them into the water. But since the ducks were grain eaters, their powerful digestive systems would render the peanuts unrecognizable.

Firemen Answer Call To Morgans

The Volunteer Fire Department answered a call Sunday evening to the Charlie Morgan home in the southeast part of McLean.

The back part was the house and a building behind the house was badly burned.

FRIDAY IS LAST DAY TO REGISTER

If you are 21 years of age or older, or will be 21 years old this year, you must register with your county tax collector if you plan to vote in elections to be held in Texas this year. The registration certificate costs you nothing, but it must be secured by Friday, January 31.

Persons over 60 years of age must also register if they wish to vote this year.

Although this is an off-year for state and national elections, there will be some important items that will be brought to a vote, there will be a City election and a school board election and the liquor by the drink issues is being brought up again.

Vehicle Owners Must Have Autos Properly Registered

The chairmen of the Texas Highway Commission and the Texas Public Safety Commission today issued a joint appeal to motor vehicle owners to be sure they have their vehicles registered properly as required by State law.

J. H. Kultzgen of Waco, Chairman of the Highway Commission, and Clifton Cassidy Jr. of Dallas, Chairman of the Public Safety Commission, said computerization of all vehicle registrations in the Highway Department, being completed now, will make enforcement of this law by high-way patrolmen much swifter.

"Many motorists, knowingly or unknowingly, have their vehicles registered illegally in counties other than where they reside, and others who live in cities show only a Post Office box number, instead of their residence address, as required," Kultzgen said.

Computerization of registration records in the Highway Department will be of significant help in enforcement of the registration law, because of the speed with which a patrolman can determine whether a vehicle is legally registered.

The period for registering vehicles is from February 1 through April 1, and urged motorists to be sure they are registered correctly and legally so as to avoid penalty under the law.

HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

Honor Roll For 3rd Six weeks
HIGH HONORS - Grade average of 92 to 100 for the six weeks with no six weeks grade below 90.
HONORS - Grade average of 85 to 92 for the six weeks with no six weeks grade below 85.

FRESHMEN:
HONORS: David Haynes, Jennifer Haynes, Loyce Husted, Marsha Phillips.
HIGH HONORS: Larry Boyd.

SOPHOMORES:
HONORS: Ted Simmons, Rose Mary Blankenburg.
JUNIORS:
HONORS: Linda Pearson, Ramona Smith.
HIGH HONORS: Donna Pearson.

SENIORS:
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Honor Roll for 1st Semester
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McLean Lions And Scouts Will Man Buckets For Dimes

The McLean Lions Club members and Boy Scouts, if the weather permits, will have buckets set up on each side of the highway to collect for the March of Dimes. The men and boys will be happy to take any size contribution. If you are not able to come down town the mothers will be making door to door canvass Monday evening.

Saturday will be March of Dimes coffee day at the local stores. Money taken in from coffee sales will go in the fund. McLean's chairman for the March of Dimes this year is Creed Lamb.

PTO To Have March Of Dimes Monday

A door to door canvass will be made Monday, February 3 in McLean by the members of the Parent-Teachers Organization. If you wish to make a contribution to this worthy cause, have it ready Monday evening and one of these mothers will pick it up.

Ladies who wish to help in this Mothers March of Dimes are to meet at the school cafeteria Monday at 5:00 p.m.

Arthur Hunt, 86 Services Held Today

Arthur (Red) Hunt, 86, died at 3:30 a.m. Wednesday in the McLean Hospital.

Mr. Hunt was born Feb. 22, 1882, in Saline County, Ill., and moved to McLean from Washita County, Okla., in 1909 and was a retired farmer and a Baptist.

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. today in First Baptist Church, with James D. Bristow, pastor of Lela Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Hillcrest cemetery, under direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Survivors are, three sisters, Mrs. G. C. Johnson, Pampa, Mrs. R. L. Jones and Mrs. J. L. Cook, both of Amarillo.

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TRAFFIC LIGHT IN OPERATION AT SCHOOLS

The traffic light in front of the Elementary school is in operation again, thanks to Mr. Bob Glenn and his crew, Mr. Jay Thompson and Mr. George Terry.

The new light will be in operation for traffic observation at the following times each school day:

1. Before school each morning and until about 9:00 a.m.
2. At noon from 11:00 a.m. until 1 p.m.
3. In the afternoon from 3:10 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

The elementary and junior high students are to cross the street at the traffic light and crosswalk only. They are not permitted to cross at any other place on this street.

For moving vehicles the Traffic Light is a Flashing Red Light which means: APPROACH WITH CAUTION AND STOP. THEN PROCEED WITH CAUTION WHEN CROSSWALK IS CLEAR AND CHILDREN ARE NOT AT THE CROSSWALK TO CROSS OVER.

Your cooperation in observing this regulation is appreciated. Cars should not be parked within the area along the curb marked with yellow. This area should be clear at all times in case of fire and children safety.

The school would like to express their sincere thanks to the City, to Mr. Jay Thompson and Mr. George Terry for their efforts in obtaining and installing the new light. Their immediate attention to the safety of our school children cannot go unnoticed without a big THANK YOU!

HOWDY NEIGHBOR

Boyd Pierce

Recently I read of a newspaper publisher who seemed to always get some words out of order or misplace the periods and commas.

Here is his sad story: It seems that a man with a sewing machine to sell placed a classified ad in his paper. The next day the ad appeared and then was followed in subsequent days by three more ads as follows:

Monday
FOR SALE: R. D. Jones has one sewing machine for sale. Phone 958. Call after 7 p.m. and ask for Mrs. Kelly who lives with him cheap.

Tuesday
We regret having erred in R. D. Jones' ad yesterday. It should have read: FOR SALE: R. D. Jones has one sewing machine for sale cheap. Phone 958 and ask for Mrs. Kelly who lives with him after 7 p.m.

Wednesday
R. D. Jones has informed us that he has received several annoying telephone calls because of an error we made in his ad yesterday. His ad stands corrected: FOR SALE: R. D. Jones has one sewing machine for sale cheap. Phone 958 and ask for Mrs. Kelly who lives with him.

Thursday
NOTICE: I, R. D. Jones, have no sewing machine for sale. I smashed it. Don't call 958 because the phone has been taken out. I have not been carrying on with Mrs. Kelly. Until yesterday, she was my housekeeper but she has quit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDonald are the parents of a boy born December 30, 1968 at Shamrock General Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and six ounces and was named Treavor Leslie. Treavor has one sister named Karen Paige.

Grandparents are Louise McDonald of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Abernathy of Kelton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Culver of Amarillo are the parents of a boy born January 25 weighing seven pounds and 15 1/2 ounces. He was named Russell Lewis.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jack West of Groom and Mrs. Lavern Culver of Amarillo. The great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. West of McLean.



Be still, and know that I am God.—(Psalms 46:10).

After a long weekend of holiday festivities it is good for all of us to take time to be still—to be still, and know God. We should carry with us a sense of renewal—the joy of the spirit of Christ, an awareness that Christ is reborn in us as love, life and peace.

Texas Public School SS Class Meets With Mrs. Helen Ramsey

This year, Texas Public Schools Week has been designated as March 3rd through 7th, and marks the 115th birthday of Texas Education on a full public level.

The Texas Public Schools Week movement was started and has been sponsored by the Masonic Lodges of Texas, in the interest of continuing public educational opportunities.

Parents, relatives and friends of students are urged to visit public schools in their communities particularly at this designated time. It's a chance to see many of the newest teaching innovations in operation, as well as a chance to show, in person an appreciation of the Texas Public Schools System.

Your visit to a Texas Public School is a pleasant and self-rewarding responsibility. Make it a point to "go back to school" March 3rd through 7th. You'll be glad you did!

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson of Abernathy visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sons, last week, while their grandson Todd was in an Amarillo Hospital.



The Mary Martha Sunday school class of the First Baptist church met in the home of Mrs. Helen Ramsey, Thursday afternoon for business meeting and social.

The teacher, Mrs. Mary Howard, brought a short devotional assisted by Mrs. Lillie Mae Williams and Mrs. Ardene Beltz. Mrs. Gladys Smith was elected as vice president of the class.

Several games were played directed by Mrs. Loree Barker. Refreshments were served to those mentioned above and Mesdames: Jessie Watson, Essie Burrows, Dony Baker, Stella Lowery.

News From County HD Agent

JIMMIE LOU WAINSCOTT

Milk can last as long as seven weeks in the refrigerator - if it is stored at freezing temperature or slightly above, U. S. Department of Agriculture research has discovered.

Milk stored at 32 degrees to 40 degrees F. stayed fresh up to seven times longer than milk stored at 45 to 50 degrees F., report Extension foods and nutrition specialists at Texas A&M University.

They suggest homemakers put milk in the refrigerator as soon as possible after buying it and keep milk as cold as possible without freezing it.

The research also has pointed out that milk pasteurized under higher-than-normal temperatures would keep as long as 20 weeks and more.

The specialists say the new findings may lead to drastic changes in the storage and distribution practices of the fresh milk industry. The research, done under USDA contract, is a part of continuing Agricultural Research Service program to protect the nation's milk supply in the event of nuclear attack or accident.

When bonded fabrics came to the market a few years ago, they presented many problems.

Dry cleaners got complaints on separation of fabrics which were bonded together. Problems of puckering, bubbling and peeling resulted.

Manufacturers of bonded fabrics now are setting standards for performance in bond and wear as well as performance in washing and dry cleaning, reports Graham Hard, Extension clothing specialist. Trade associations are helping set up tests and product specifications.

Dr. Hard, who works with Texas A&M University, lists bonded fabric standards:

1. Must hold up under a reasonable number of washing and/or dry cleanings.
2. Won't shrink beyond a certain acceptable limit.
3. Won't crack, peel, pucker or bubble.
4. Will retain drape and ability to breathe.
5. Won't stiffen.
6. Won't absorb odor.
7. Will resist discoloration.
8. Will have no "strike-through" or surface evidence of adhesive.

Researchers predict that these industry standards can be expected to upgrade the quality of bonded fabrics. These higher standards may mean the biggest future for bonded fabrics is in untapped fields - men's wear, home furnishings and industrial goods.



We hope to meet Thy approval Lord

On that we do today . . .

We strive to hear that kind well done

On things we do and say . . .

We can do a right thing at the wrong time but we can never do a wrong thing at the right time.

It is almost impossible to be indefinite enough that we won't get proved wrong once in awhile.

It helps to admit we were wrong, but it is better just to do something right in its place.

A friend can be just a neighbor Who lives across the way. Who comes by just to borrow Or pass the time of day . . .

He may discuss the weather Or weddings in the town; Perhaps prices going up. How skirts are coming down.

But when he comes we always know Our spirits will be better.

He's like a breath of wholesome air Or like a welcome letter . . .

Josh Billings once said: "The best time to hold your tongue is when you feel you must say something or bust!"

The best argument for talking



to one's self is that we always have a satisfied listener.

We feel sorry for the speaker when he has trouble getting started, and sorry for the audience when he has trouble finding a stopping place."

Mrs. E. M. Bailey visited relatives in Oklahoma City last week.

News From Gray County

By Evelyn Mason Gray County ASCS

ACP Program - Stubble Burning

For some time producers who burned stubble lost all ACP payments on their farm. For a time in 1968, the county committee was given authority to approve stubble burning under certain necessary conditions. The committee no longer has this authority. Anyone who burns stubble on any of his farms will lose any ACP payment on all of his farms. There are no exceptions.

Extended Loans

It has been announced that barley, corn, grain sorghums, oats, soybeans and wheat from the 1968 crop which are eligible for price support loans will be eligible for loan extension following the loan maturity date for the applicable crop. In addition, 1967 crops currently under extended warehouse loans will be continued in similar status.

Wool Program

The final date to file application for payment for 1968 unshorn lambs and shorn wool is January 31, 1968.

Cotton Release and Reapportionment

March 8, 1968 is the final date to release your cotton allotment to the county for the 1968 crop. This is also the final date to request some reapportioned cotton for your farm.

The sign-up in the cotton, wheat and feed grain programs will begin on February 3 and end on March 21.

The cotton program allows a participating farm to plant the entire cotton allotment and divert no acre.

ment is made on 65 percent of the regular cotton allotment (if the cotton is planted).

Small cotton farms (10.0 acres or less - 3600 pounds or less) can plant the entire allotment, divert no acres and receive the price support payment plus a small farm payment on 35 percent of the allotment. These small farms can plant no cotton and still receive the small payment on 35 percent of the allotment.

The wheat program will have a minimum diversion of 15 percent (without pay). A farm can plant the entire allotment and divert an acreage equal to 15 percent of the allotment. Maximum diversion is 50 percent of the allotment. Diversion payment is made on the additional diversion above the minimum. Certificate payment is made on 43 percent of the wheat allotment (if planted).

The feed grain program is very much like the 1968 program except that barley is a feed grain in 1968. The minimum diversion is 20 percent (without pay). The maximum diversion is 50 percent of the base with diversion payment made on that diverted above the minimum. Price support payment is made on 50 percent of the base (if planted).

Special provisions allotment small farms to divert more under both the wheat and feed grain program.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty visited last week in Amarillo with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Billingsley, also visited a cousin, John E. Rowland and grandson, Vernon Kennedy.

Byran McPherson was in Quanah last Sunday.



FRIGID FISH

The hard-to-explain disappearance of game fish in the winter months can be perplexing, especially when fishin' itch in a guy's arm doesn't respect a layoff.

For many fishermen, weather and lack of prey are tolerated without complaint. But, ask the man going to do when he wants to go fishing, regardless of the elements?

It's simple, they bundle up and go! Fish, being cold-blooded creatures, are permitted nature to maintain body temperatures at a speed regulated by the surrounding temperature. The colder it gets, the sluggish they become, and less food is required to survive.

Yet they do feed on a large scale, and can be induced to hit a baited hook on even the deepest holes, where the water will be warmest.

Drop your offering in the deepest holes, where the water will be warmest. In springs, when known, excellent spots. Fresh water entering from tributaries oxygenates and stirs up the lake in a localized area, creating another preferred fishing spot.

Use baits and lures as if were half asleep . . . but to give them a chase catch up if they desire.

There's one alternative this slow motion angler serve the Mercury lads for Florida or other south where O' Man is a bit more lenient to his fishin' brethren.

What price Electricity... and progress? When you stop and think about it, it's a real bargain!



A MESSAGE FROM ROY TOLK, PRESIDENT SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY



I'm sure the figures on the right will surprise you as much as they did me. Being in the electric industry, I knew that the manufacturers, as well as the people in our Company were doing a magnificent job in holding down costs in spite of the run-away inflation we've all been experiencing . . . but no one had previously published the appliance cost comparisons.

In our own Company, by careful handling and attention to costs, coupled with advances in technology and prudent investment in plant and equipment, we have not only stayed ahead of your electricity needs but have been able to reduce the average cost per kilowatt hour of the electricity used in your home.

In 1948 the average cost of your electricity was 3.89 CENTS per kilowatt hour and today it has dropped to 2.74 CENTS, a reduction of 29.56 PERCENT. Certainly most of us have larger bills today because we use electricity for so many labor saving chores as well as comforts and

conveniences. But, without the dedicated efforts of our employees in holding our costs down, your dollar cost would be way, way up. In fact, the current CONSUMER PRICE INDEX, the measure of how much we all spend as a group on the things we buy, indicated that we're paying 1/2 again as much for most things today as we were paying in 1948. Yet, the average kilowatt hour cost of electricity that you buy from us for your family's use is down 29.56%.

This coming year to keep you fully supplied with electric power and to keep electric service as efficient and economical as possible, we shall invest nearly 16 million dollars in required new equipment.

You may rest assured that your electric service will continue to be modern, dependable and brought to you at the lowest possible price. Reddy Kilowatt, and his fellow workers will see to it.

Despite inflation, the electric industry has kept costs low . . .

How about these price differences over the past 20 years?

■ A DISPOSER

was \$119.50 in '48, now it's \$78.50 and there have been over 100 external and internal improvements made.

■ A DISHWASHER

costing \$339.95 in '48 is \$299.95 now and it offers more cycles, better styling, more setting space.

■ AN AIR CONDITIONER

at \$425 in '48 averages \$175 today and it looks better, works better, and is cheaper to operate.

■ ELECTRIC DRYERS

at \$299 in '48 now range from \$249 to \$299 with electronic dampness controls, many cycles, end-of-cycle signals, permanent press controls - and some models for as little as \$100.

■ A REFRIGERATOR-FREEZER

in '48 at a cost of \$31 per cubic foot is now \$22 per cubic foot and you get no-frost, thinwall insulation, ice-makers, decorator fronts and colors.

■ AN ELECTRIC RANGE

which was \$343 in '48 is \$350 today. And that's with all the modern sophisticated controls and self-cleaning thrown in for good measure.

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Friday, January 31
Pork, ranch style beans, green salad, Doritos, milk.

Saturday, February 1
Burgers, mayonnaise, onions, pickles, french milk and Peanut Butter.

Sunday, February 2
Pork, beans, rice, green milk, pineapple.

Monday, February 3
Pork, cornbread, onions, milk, butter, fruit.

Tuesday, February 4
Pork, whole kernel corn, beans, milk, bread, cake.

Wednesday, February 5
Pork, carrot sticks, milk, cobbler.

News From ALANREED

By MRS. CECIL CARTER

Word from Mrs. H. A. Bullock visiting her daughter is that she was out of the hospital but still not feeling well.

Mrs. Robert Bruce, Mrs. W. H. Davis and Mrs. Cecil Carter attended a salad luncheon and council meeting for the Home Demonstration Clubs at the court house annex in Pampa on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall visited their daughter Kay and her husband at Brownfield over the weekend.

Mrs. M. C. Bardine returned to her home here this week after

a long stay in Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

The Alanreed Chapter of H. D.A. Clubs met Wednesday, Jan. 22 at the home of their president Mrs. Cecil Carter and from there they journeyed out to the Taylor Ranch where Mrs. Judy Easton gave them a lesson in textile painting. The club is using this as a project for the year and plan to have several sessions of painting and fellowship. Members present were Mesdames Cecil Carter, Al Cooke, F. R. Crisp, W. H. Davis, Robert Bruce, J. D. Harrison and A. H. Moreman.

Bob Bruce of Lubbock was home at the Robert Bruces part of this week. Visiting the Bruces over the weekend was the Jimmy DeWebers of Jacksboro.

Mrs. Lois Fulton of Lefors visited her parents the M. C.

SOUTHERN AGRICULTURAL WORKERS

The 66th annual meeting of the Association of Southern Agricultural Workers will be held in Mobile, Ala., Feb. 3-5. Attendance is expected to reach 1,500 and they will come from the 13 Southern States.

Conference theme is Southern Agriculture Plans for the '70's and more than 1,000 papers, covering process and results of agricultural research and educational work, will be presented at meetings of the association's 16 sections.

Burdines on Monday.

The Bill Hermesmeyers are in the process of moving to Lefors.

Eleven per cent of U. S. doctors received training from the Veterans Administration.

Wesleyan Service Guild Met At Church

The Wesleyan Service Guild met in regular session Monday at 7:30 in the parlor of the United Methodist Church.

President Sinclair Armstrong called the meeting to order and the group sang the Guild Hymn with Johnie Rodgers at the piano. The last stanza constituted the opening prayer for the evening. The minutes were read and approved. Fern Boyd gave the treasurer's report.

Mrs. Armstrong told the group that they had been invited to the spring meeting of the Guild in the Tenth Street Methodist Church of Amarillo in April. The invitation was accepted.

Two notes were read, one by Isabel Cousins from Mrs. Lurah Rhodes, now of Muleshoe, a former coordinator of the Guild and WSCS. She expressed continuing interest in each organization. The other was a note of thanks from the family of the late Mrs. Mattie Wilson.

Georgia Beasley gave the devotional with the theme "One Step at a Time." From the scripture she read Matthew 6:34 and Luke 12:22-26. This was followed by a poem from the San- skrit and a story, "The Pendulum and the Clock," by an anonymous writer. She closed with a prayer "One Step at a Time" by Margaret Rutherford.

Johnie Rodgers was in charge of the program "What's the Good Word?" chapter two of the text, Coming to Life. It is based on the first eighteen verses in John's Gospel.

Key terms studied were Word, Truth, Light, Darkness, Language and How Communicate Takes Place. Each term was defined in several ways by the leader then discussed by the members in as far as its religious connotations are concerned. Mrs. Rodgers closed her part with a poem "One Solitary Life" by an anonymous writer.

The group was dismissed by reading the Guild benediction.

Hostesses Mary Powell and Maybelle Brown served refreshments to the following, Johnie Rodgers, Winnifred Rice, Sue Cubine, Isabel Cousins, Mary Morris, Fern Boyd, Bessie Hamilton, Ruth Whaley, Cleo Turpen,

FIRST AID COURSE FOR RESIDENTS

The McLean Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a First Aid course began on Thursday January 23 at 7:00 p.m. in the McLean Fire Department.

The course is being directed by the Shamrock Volunteer Fire Department.

Interested people will be taught the basics of first aid. If further study is wanted a more concentrated course will be offered. The study will include mouth-to-mouth resuscitation.

People of all ages are invited to attend the course.

TAX SAM SEZ:

Northern Texas taxpayers may not receive all the forms and schedules they need to file their 1968 Federal income tax return in the package mailed by the Internal Revenue Service.

IRS cannot possibly know in advance which taxpayers will need Schedule B to report income from pensions or annuities or who will need Schedule D to report gain or loss from the sale of property.

Taxpayers can pick up most widely-used forms at many banks and post offices. Any forms, schedules or instructions not available at these locations can be obtained by writing to the District Director's office.

Now is the best time for taxpayers to make sure they have all the records, and tax forms they need.

Taxpayers who filed an income tax return last year should have already received in the mail a Form 1040 or 1040A and filing instructions.

Georgia Beasley, Sinclair Armstrong and Jewell Cousins.

The next meeting will be February 10, with Bonnie Fabian as leader.

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Any way you want to slice it, the nicest thing about our food supply is that there is plenty to slice.

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American Farmers Are Best

This has got to mean that American farmers are the best. And they've been helped no little by our system of land grant agricultural colleges and universities which have conducted most of the agricultural research and passed the know-how on to the farmer. There also is no little credit due such free enterprise organizations as those businesses that supply agriculture. Put it all together and you have something to be both proud of and grateful for. We are healthy and strong. And we can help feed less fortunate people elsewhere in the world, not just with food itself but agricultural know-how as well.

Meantime, though, there are two problems at home. The first is how to share the food supply more fully with all our people. Some Americans are significantly undernourished because of poverty. We must find answers to that. Other Americans are undernourished because they make

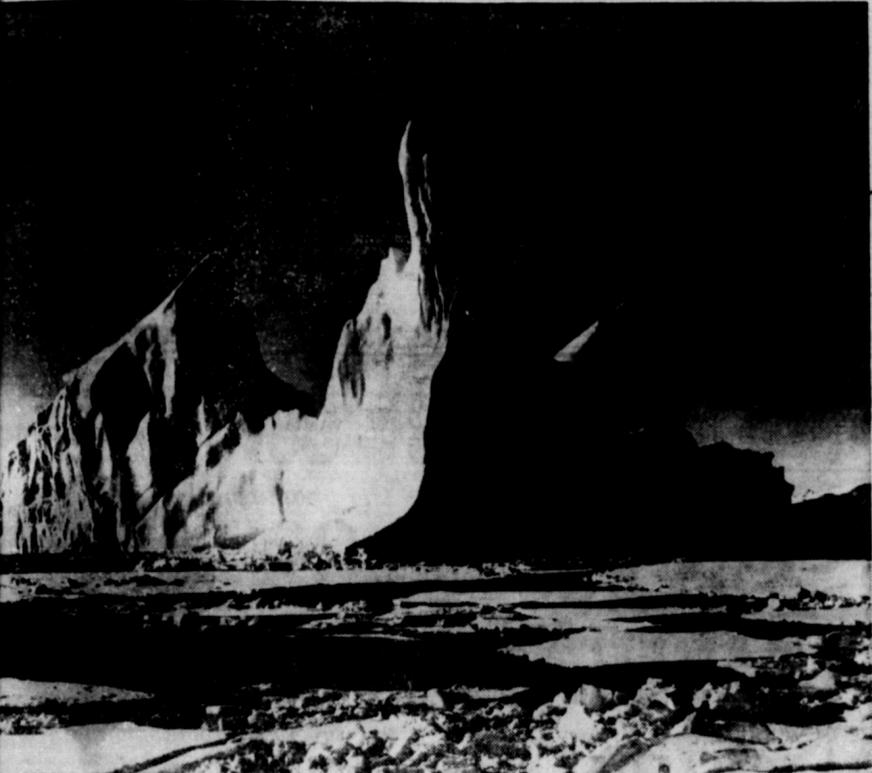
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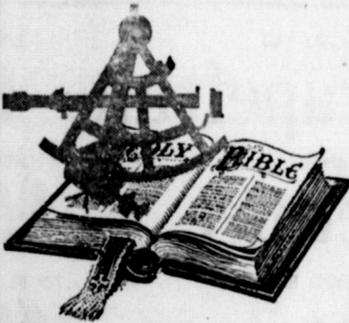
HYBRIDS FOR TEXAS

The Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has developed three new yellow corn hybrids—Texas 42SX, Texas 30A and TAM Dwarf 1. Certified seed will be available to farmers for 1969 plantings. The new hybrids are

the subject of Leaflets 768, 769 and 770. Copies are available from the Department of Agricultural Information, College Station, Texas 77843 or detailed information on each may be obtained from the local county agent.



Too close for comfort



Here's a photograph taken from a kayak. You don't bring a ship this close to an iceberg! For underwater the tentacles of this cruel, cold monster may reach out a mile or more.

Life for some folks is a succession of narrow escapes. But these are adventures we can do without. They don't prove us bold sailors. They simply prove us poor navigators.

Frightened men sometimes turn to religion as a refuge when dangers—moral, spiritual and physical—loom too close for comfort. God does not fail us in crisis.

But the every-day function of faith is to pilot men on a true course through the sea of life. The Church cannot sweep away icebergs. It warns us of their whereabouts and helps us give them a wide berth.

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Genesis 13:1-11	Genesis 13:12-18	Genesis 14:1-16	Genesis 14:17-24	Genesis 15:1-6	Genesis 15:7-21	Genesis 16:1-14
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ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Z. A. Myers, Pastor Sunday Services Bible School 9:45 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Worship 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:00 p.m.	McLEAN METHODIST CHURCH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Services will be held each Sunday morning, Rev. George McDonald will bring the message.	FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Dan Beltz, Pastor Sunday Services Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Worship Service 10:50 a.m. Training Union 6:30 p.m. Evening Worship 7:30 p.m. Wednesday Service 7:45 p.m.	CHURCH OF CHRIST E. E. Smith, Minister Sunday Services Bible Study 10:00 a.m. Morning Service 10:50 a.m. Evening Bible Study 6:00 p.m. Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Wednesday Ladies Bible Study 9:30 a.m. Midweek Worship 7:30 p.m.	KELLERVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST ALANREED FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 10 a.m. Church Services 11 a.m. Training Union 7 p.m. Church Services 8 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wed. 8 p.m. W.M.S. Monday 2 p.m.	CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE HEALD METHODIST CHURCH
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An Open Letter to all Students, Ex-Students and Former Teachers of the McLean and Alareed Schools:

As you probably know, there is a widespread movement to establish museums in small towns. The idea behind this is to preserve articles no longer in use that have had their place in history. These museums are intended to benefit school children as much as anyone else, though we hope to make ours a tourist attraction as well.

Several months ago John C. Haynes, President of the Alareed-McLean Historical Society, appointed a committee to work on plans for a museum. We have many items promised and already in our possession an interesting number, varying from a tin bath tub used by a local moonshiner to mix his mash to such rare articles as a 104-year old handwoven bedspread, the late Dr. W. C. Montgomery's "little black bag," complete with instruments, and the late Dr. C. E. Donnell's registry of babies he delivered in and around McLean from 1905 to 1915.

We also have several Indian skeletons and artifacts in excellent state of preservation. Our greatest need is money to buy or construct a suitable building for the displays. The committee has been working on this for some time and has done reasonably well, but we feel that the time has come for an intensive drive which can be culminated at the school reunion now set for Friday and Saturday, September 12-13, 1969. The McLean - Shamrock game will be played here that night and other interesting events are being planned. Do come if you can.

A plaque, indicating the class that has donated the most and the class that has given the most according to enrollment, will be displayed prominently in the museum.

The committee plans to rent a building and have a good display ready by September 12.

Many to whom this letter will be sent have already contributed. Donations have also been made in memory of some friend or loved one who has died. We trust you will give this your thoughtful consideration and help if you can. Any sum given is income tax deductible. Checks made out to the Alareed-McLean Area Museum may be sent to: Ruby Cook, Chairman of the Museum Committee, Faris J. Hess, Chairman of the Advisory Committee, Jewell Cousins, Sec. Treas. of the Museum Committee, Joyce Smith Haynes, all of McLean (79057) or to Rose Turner Hall, Supt. of Schools, Alareed (79002). Cash may be sent if you prefer, and we will give you a receipt.

Clip out the form below and send in while you are thinking about it.

I _____ of the Class of _____ of _____ School am enclosing or will give \$ _____ to the Alareed-McLean Area Museum.

That's all, folks, but we do hope you will let us hear from you.

GRAZING SYSTEMS FOR PROFITABLE RANCHING

That's the title of a new publication recently released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. A good system of grazing, say the authors, can be defined as manipulating animals to obtain maximum sustained livestock and forage production at a low cost. Considerations for a grazing system are divided into categories based on the use of natural forage and include degree of use; flexibility of grazing; combination stocking and planned use. Each is discussed in detail by the authors. Copies are available from local county agents.



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WSCS Met Monday At Church

The Womens Society of Christian Service of the United Methodist Church met Monday morning in the church parlor. Mrs. Bill Ferguson and Mrs. Calip Cannon were hostesses for the social after which the following program was given. Song Let the Lower Lights be Burning; Prayer, Mrs. Nida Green; The Study of John, Mrs. Mary Morris.

Present were Mesdames A. E. Carpenter, Nida Green, John Dwyer, A. W. Lankford, Gerald Tate, Bill Bailey, Madge Page, Chas. Cooke, Jess Coleman, Evan Sitter, Bill Ferguson, Calip Cannon, Lee Steel, Lena Pettit, Elton Johnson, Roy McCracken, W. L. Hinton, Cliff Day, C. B. Peabody, Sophia Hutchinson, Bob Black, Willie Boyett, Bob Glenn, Mary Morris, Ben Brown, Miss Jewell Cousins and Debra Hutchinson.

The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Mary Morris.

Quilting Club Meets With Mrs. McClellan

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. Jack McClellan on Thursday for a quilting.

A pot luck dinner was served at noon to: Mesdames Velma Willis, Barbara Hambright, Berna Smith, Juanita Smith, Eva McClellan, Verna Biggers, Alma Glass, Ruby Boyd, Zora Sanders, Vivie Burch, Venice Wright, Mr. Leon Crockett, Mr. Sam and Jack McClellan and the hostess.

News From HEALD

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Gray of El Paso visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Davis Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford visited in Hereford Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lankford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Clements and son Todd of Pampa visited Sunday in the Ott Davis home.

Mrs. Arlie Grigsby is staying with her granddaughters Elizabeth and Rebecca Norman while their mother is vacationing in Hawaii with their father Richard Norman from Vietnam.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rippey and Mrs. Estelle Roach of Shamrock visited in the K. S. Rippey and Mrs. Nida Green homes one day last week.

The Heald W.S.C.S. met with the McLean W.S.C.S. Monday morning in a Bible study taught by Mrs. Harold Morris at the Methodist Church.

The Heald Church enjoyed their fellowship supper last Friday night and especially the pictures of the Holy Land made by the Rev. and Mrs. Harold Morris on their trip to the Holy Land in 1966.

Mrs. Bob Bidwell and her sister Mrs. Mary Clay of Quail were shopping in Pampa Monday and also visited their brother and wife the Burdines in Alareed.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Tate attended the wedding of his nephew and visited his parents in Oklahoma over the weekend.

My Neighbors



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Centennial Culture Club Has Luncheon

The Centennial Culture Club met in the home of Margaret Chapman for the anniversary luncheon on January 15. A luncheon carrying out the New Year was served to Dot McEachern, Myrt McCoy, Oma Abbott, Flora Humphreys, Fidelity Stubbs, Edith Florey, Loree Barker, Bea Lester, Margaret Chapman and Marie Baker.

A reading in verse form was given by Margaret Chapman of the clubs past year. A gift was given to the outgoing president, Margaret Chapman. New officers elected were: Oma Abbott, president; Edith Florey, vice president; Loree Barker, secretary and treasurer.

Ryan McPherson was in Dimmitt on business Wednesday.

OUTDOORS IN TEXAS

Most anglers take along an extra spool of line for emergencies. And it's a great idea.

Usually this "spare" is unexpectedly needed to replace the line on your favorite reel or to add more line to the reel spool.

More often than not the need for line is real urgent. Often you run short of line or your supply runs out at a most inopportune time. Some times it happens right in the middle of the lake.

Adding line to a spool while afloat is no problem for Gene Aderholt. Gene is an Austin angler who has fished most of his life. He's used to solving his own problems.

Ever try to rewind a spool of line while afloat in your boat? It's not easy even if your buddy is with you to hold the spool. And it's tougher yet if the water is rough. Besides you're wasting a lot of your and your partner's fishing time.

It's a real problem if you're alone, in the middle of the lake. Or at least we thought it was.

But Gene has the answer. It's a neat, fast trick . . . if you know how! And Gene does.

He runs the end of the fresh new line thru the guide at the tip of his rod—then on down the rod through guide after guide—and under the bail of his favorite spinning reel. Next he ties this new line to the reel spool—or to the left-over line that's still on the spool.

Gene then gives the crank a turn or two to see that the line "spools on" properly—and quick as a flash, he's all set to fill the spool.

Question then is how he's going to single-handedly keep the line tension just right to "spool on" properly.

Gene does it so easy it's amazing. He simply tosses the new spool of fresh line (now tied to the reel spool) . . . far out over the water. Then he begins to turn the reel crank.

What happens is almost unbelievable at first . . . that is until you realize what resistance water has.

As Gene turns the reel handle the floating spool of fresh line begins to rotate. Resting flat on top of the water the floating spool spins at the reel handle turns. Resistance of the water is enough to keep the line at just the right tension.

In a jiffy Gene's new line is transferred from the fresh spool to the reel spool, and Gene's back in business again.

He reflects that reel so fast it's hard to realize that the transfer has been accomplished . . . almost before it started. It doesn't take Gene three min-

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utes to do the entire job and get back to fishing.

In fact Gene has convinced this angler that his emergency method beats the old two-person, pencil-in-a spool idea all hollow. Try it next time!

Mrs. Geo Colebank visited in Canyon over the weekend. While there she attended the ordination services of her grandson Bennie Cooper at the First Baptist Church, Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry . . . Mr. and Mrs. Casper . . . Mr. and Mrs. Bill King . . . Mr. and Mrs. Jim Adams . . . tion at Dumas over the week-

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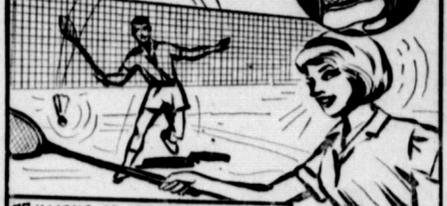
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held March 5-7 in Amarillo's Her-
ring Hotel. The conference is
designed to provide a meeting
place for an "across-the-board"
exchange of information on re-
search and development which
may lead to even better pro-
duction and wide use. Grain
Sorghum Producers Association
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GO SLOW
Turkey producers and process-
ors, meeting recently in Wash-
ington with USDA officials, are
calling for a hold-the-line on
1969 turkey production. The group
said that an increase in next
year's production would bring
lower prices to producers and too
many carried over in storage.
The demand for turkeys in 1969
will be only slightly higher than
in 1968, in the face of expected
larger supplies of red meat and
broilers.

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Monday the 24th day of February,
A. D., 1968, at or before 10 o'clock
A. M. before the Honorable Dis-
trict Court of Gray County, at
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Said plaintiff's petition was filed
on the 9th day of December, 1968.
The file number of said suit being
No. 16,707

The names of the parties in said
suit are: JULIA ELIZABETH
PERRY, as Plaintiff, and J.
R. PERRY, as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being
substantially as follows, to wit:
Suit for Divorce.

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Issued this 8th day of January,
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Given under my hand and seal
of said Court, at office in Pampa,
Texas, this 8th day of January,
A. D., 1968.

Helen Sprinkle, Clerk
District Court Gray,
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The Old Timer



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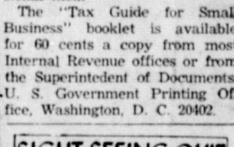
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trict Director of Internal Revenue
for Northern Texas, said the
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Tax Calendar for 1969 listing
all dates on which the various
tax and information returns and
payments are due. An included
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sent you in the courtroom. As
long as you are of age and men-
tally competent, you have the
right to plead your own cause.

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are formidable indeed. As the
United States Supreme Court
observed about a layman in
court:

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lest he be the victim of over-
zealous prosecutors, of the law's
complexity, or of his own igno-
rance or bewilderment.

Nor is the court required to
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through his difficulties. By and
large, he is bound by the same
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his own case? Reasons given are
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I didn't know any lawyers.

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free legal help is now offered at
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defender organizations—an in-
crease of 200 in the last year.

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don't know a lawyer, there are
Lawyer Referral Service offices
in more than 252 cities and towns.
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association) will arrange a try-
out interview with a qualified at-
torney for a modest fee.

Anyone interested in protecting
his rights ought to explore these
possibilities before striking out
on his own.

Dr. and Mrs. Chester Golightly
and son, Allan of Lubbock
visited in Pampa and McLean
over the weekend.

Mrs. Frank Golightly and
daughter, Hazel, visited their
son and brother in Bethany,
Okla., last week.

HONOR ROLL

RENEWAL—Mrs. Pearl Bogan,
Mrs. Kent Eagle, Clyde Magee,
Mrs. Gerald Money, Mrs. George
Zimmerman, Sam Sharp, John
Scott, Fred Thompson, Rosie
Lee Young, W. L. Hinton, Jean
Bible, Byron Burrows, Eddy
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nie Woods, S. W. Public Service,
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Raymond Dalton, Pampa; Mrs.
Richard Dennis, Richardson.

CHANGE—Nona Folley, Claude
T. J. Coffey, San Antonio.

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Girls Win Statewide 4-H
Honors, Plan Chicago Trip



Helen Matus

An eight-year veteran of 4-H
fashion design, in which she
will major at the University of
Texas.

Club work, Miss Hairell has
been an office-holder for five
years. She has the distinction
of being the only girl in Me-
dina County to have placed first
and alternate to the district 4-H
dress revue contest five times
in a row.

She is an old hand at home
management and won a blue
ribbon at the state money man-
agement demonstration contest.
She won three blue ribbons for
home management project re-
cords in Lavaca County, and
took first place in the district
awards program. She has also
received three blue ribbons for
table setting, and three first
place awards in the county
home management awards pro-
gram.

During her 4-H years, she has
sewn 57 garments, raised nine
beef animals, prepared 1,508
dishes and 1,852 meals. She
plans to study journalism next
year.

Marjorie York, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. John York, is state
winner in the achievement pro-



Marjorie York



Brenda Haby



Annette Hairell

Texas may be full of wide-
open spaces, but four young
women from the south central
region have brought honors to
their state by staying right at
home.

They are Brenda Haby, 17, of
Rio Medina; Annette Hairell,
16, of Devine; Marjorie York, 17,
of Wharton, and Helen Matus,
16, of Schulenburg.

Their 4-H projects have been
judged 1968 state winners by
the Cooperative Extension Ser-
vice, and they have been award-
ed all-expense-paid trips to the
National 4-H Congress to be
held Dec. 1-5 in Chicago.

Miss Haby, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. James Haby, is state
champion in the clothing pro-
gram, sponsored by Coats &
Clark Inc.

Miss Haby, who has been a
4-H member for seven years,
previously had been chosen as
dress revue teen queen of Me-
dina County. She has presented
demonstrations on clothing
care.

She has been a junior leader
for four years and has held an
office in her local club for six
years. Besides using her sewing
skills, she has instructed her
4-H Club in food and nutrition
study.

Annette Hairell, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hairell, is
winner in the home economics-
consumer education program,
sponsored by Montgomery
Ward.

Marjorie York has been chosen
as food preservation, horticult-
ure, poultry, photography, elec-
tricity, soil evaluation and lead-
ership. Miss York plans to use
these experiences as back-
ground for her future career in

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DOWN MEMORY LANE

50 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins assisted by Mrs. J. A. Crockett entertained a number of the school boys and girls last Friday night. They played games and had a jolly good time.

A birthday dinner, in honor of James Myers, was enjoyed at his home north of town Sunday. We understand that it was Mr. Myers 62nd birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kester Rippy and Mrs. Nida Green went to Clarendon last Friday to meet their brothers, Sgt. Harold C. Rippy and Horrace S. Rippy.

Mr. Dan Kennedy is home in Alameda on a furlough.

Rhea Veal who has just been released from Army service is in McLean visiting friends.

Arthur Erwin received word last week that Lt. William P. Erwin, who has been an aviator in France for over a year has returned to the United States.

40 Years Ago

Five new members were voted upon favorably by the Lions at their regular luncheon Tuesday: S. D. Shelburne, O. N. Elliott, Witt Springer, Cecil Landrum and A. A. Tampie's.

Cloyd and Clyde Windom were picked on the all-star teams at the Pampa basketball tournament last week.

Mrs. C. S. Rice was the honoree at a surprise birthday dinner given at the Rice home on west second street last Friday noon.

J. M. Carpenter has bought Troy West's interest in the Elite Barber Shop, and the firm is now owned by Everett and Carpenter.

At a meeting of the school board this week, Geo. Tummins was tendered the position of superintendent of the McLean schools for next year's term.

30 Years Ago

What promises to be the event of the year will be held tonight, when the P.T.A. and Lions Club present the Womanless Wedding at the high school auditorium beginning at 7:30 p.m.

C. W. Bogan, McLean high school graduate, received his "wings" and commission as 2nd lieutenant in the army air corps of the West Point of the Air at San Antonio, Wednesday.

C. A. Cryer was re-elected superintendent of the McLeans schools, at a meeting of the board of education held Monday evening.

The Glee Club, which consists of fifty members, planning to sing at the chamber of commerce banquet February 3 and at the Presbyterian Church Feb. 12.

Mrs. Charles Finley, a recent bride, was honored with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke last Friday afternoon, with Mesdames H. C. Rippy, E. L. Sitter, J. M. Noel, R. L. Appling and Paul Kennedy assisting the hostess in the receiving line.

20 Years Ago

The Kellerville Baptist Church destroyed Tuesday afternoon of last week by fire will be rebuilt.

Fire of an undetermined origin completely destroyed the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Henley, about a quarter of a mile southwest of town, Monday evening.

The Senior Music Club met January 27 in the studio of Mrs. Willie Beyett, Norma Chapman and Patsy Tindall presented their repertoire playing six selections each.

Robert P. Gibson, policeman in Hollywood, Calif., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson, was accidentally shot in the left shoulder last Thursday. The wound was not critical.

10 Years Ago

Coach Warren Woodson, of New Mexico A&M will be guest speaker of the McLean football banquet February 6 when the 1968 fight-in' Tigers will be honored.

McLean High School's annual Press Club beauty contest will be held Monday night Feb. 2, at 8:00 in the high school auditorium. It was announced this week. There are 48 girls entering the program.

R. N. McCabe was honored with a birthday dinner Sunday in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brown announce the arrival of a boy on Monday, Jan. 26. Richard Don weighed 8 pounds and 1 ounce. He has a brother, Ronnie. Grandparents are Mrs. M. E. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrad.

Oraibi, a Hopi Indian village in Arizona inhabited uninterruptedly since 1540, is the oldest town in the United States.

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HISTORIC PHOTO
This 1869 photo is of the celebration in Utah when the Pacific Railroad was completed, linking Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and California. Similar pictures will be taken May 10, 1969, when the historic scene will be duplicated.

NEWS OF CONSERVATION

By LYNN McDANIEL

Funds for the Great Plains Conservation Program for Gray County have been obligated at the present time.

We have signed Great Plains contracts with Bob Sherrad, J. D. and Ray Fish and Elmer Balch this year. These contracts obligated all the funds allocated to Gray County at the present time. We do not know when to expect funds to enter into new contracts.

We are accepting applications for Great Plains Contracts which we develop conservation plans for and hold until funds are available. As these plans are developed they are put on a list in order of time received and we will sign contracts as long as funds last when funds become available.

We will sign contracts starting at the first on the list and work down as far as the funds will last.

If you have conservation work needing assistance and want a Great Plains Contract, I suggest you contact the local Soil Conservation Service office and develop a basic plan.

Social Security Information

When you start thinking about retirement, remember that you will need evidence of your age to prove your entitlement to social security benefits, Travis C. Biggs, manager of the Amarillo social security office, said.

If you have a birth or baptismal certificate, you should take it with you when filing your application. If you do not have a certificate, you should attempt to obtain one from the Bureau of Vital Statistics of the state where you were born or the church where you were baptized. Either of these two documents, if recorded before you were age 5, should be enough to establish your date of birth.

Many births were not recorded 60 to 65 years ago, however. If yours was not, do not have a delayed record made now solely for social security purposes. When you file your claim, bring in the reply you receive showing your birth was not recorded, and other evidence will be used to establish your age. Such documents can be old insurance policies, voter registration records, children's birth certificates, applications for marriage licenses, school and federal census records or any other old records.

In any case, don't delay filing your claim for benefits because you can't locate age proof, because the social security people will help you locate the best records for this purpose.

The Amarillo social security office is located at 1006 S. Adams and is open from 8:15 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. weekdays, and is open until 6:30 p.m. on Thursdays.

HAY QUALITY IN '69

It depends mainly, says Neal Pratt, Extension agronomist, on two factors—ample fertilization of the hay fields and harvesting the crop before it reaches the mature stage. Too, he adds, adequate rainfall, as was the case in 1968, would materially aid production. He suggests a soil test now to determine fertilizer and lime needs.

CARD OF THANKS

There is no place any where that is as good in which to be sick as McLean. Our nice hospital, good doctors, kind and efficient nurses and towns people who show their interest in the sick. To say "Thank You" to all of them just isn't enough. Words can't express the gratitude I feel for the flowers, visits, cards and the acts of kindness shown me during my long stay in the hospital. May God bless you everyone and may you have health and happiness during the new year.

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