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State Capital NEWS

By Vern Sanford

Welfare beneficiaries last week got the bad news they had been expecting-- there will be substantial cuts in their assistance payments on May 1. Level of aid will be reduced. Aid to Families with Dependent Children by about one-third, according to Welfare Commissioner Burton G. Hackney. Board of Public Welfare scheduled a meeting Monday (March 22) to place its inevitable approval on the reduction. "The hard fact," said Hackney, "is that no more state money is available under the present constitutional ceiling on welfare expenditures. The legislature has appropriated all that it can appropriate."

Average AFDC grant last month, based on PWD's formula of 75% of "budgeted needs," was \$118.

Hackney estimated the average level will drop on May 1 to about \$80 a month.

In addition to steep cuts, about 4,500 families will be dropped from the rolls altogether, since at the newly-contemplated 50% level of "budgeted needs," they will no longer be eligible for aid. Their income will meet the "standard of need" PWD must recognize with the limited funds available.

As of last month, there were 7,616 Texas families with 63,809 children receiving AFDC benefits. Rolls for the last six months have been increasing at a rate of almost 11,500 a month, according to Hackney.

A proposed constitutional amendment to increase the \$85 million a year ceiling on aid to the blind, disabled and AFDC will be voted on May 18.

Almost simultaneous with PWD's announcement of the cut "actually first predicted by Hackney last November 12," Texas Citizens for Welfare Reform announced start of its active campaign to win approval of the amendment (Proposition 1) on the May 18 ballot.

SENATE PASSES LIQUOR BILL. Senate voted 22-7 approval of the local option liquor-by-the-drink bill and sent it to the House.

Biggest battle in the Senate was whether retail package stores or wholesalers would sell to bar operators. Package stores won out, over the protest of Sen. Joe Christie of El Paso, author of the bill (SB 346).

Measure now calls for \$2,500 license fees for mixed beverage licenses, with \$2,500 first renewal fees after one year, \$500 thereafter.

Bans will be able to serve drinks in one-ounce mini-bottles or standard size containers. Senators rejected by 16-13 a "dram shop" amendment to hold liquor dispensers liable for damages of their intoxicated customers.

Rep. L. DeWitt Hale of Corpus Christi said he will ask for a hearing next week and expects an early floor debate.

"I don't think there is any question but that we will pass a bill of some kind," said Hale. The fight is not over final passage but what's in the bill."

TAX HEARINGS BEGIN. Hearings on the tax bill were to begin in the Senate late this week and continue probably through most of next week.

Gov. Ben Barnes called in all interests to present their case and on all senators to ready their amendments or substitutes for the Housepassed \$42.5 million sales tax-franchise tax-tuition increase.

Barnes expressed hope for more orderly floor consideration of amendments with revenue estimates and amendments prepared in advance rather than at the last minute as usual.

OIL ALLOWABLE SAME. For the third month in a row, Texas Railroad Commission set the oil production allowable at 2.1% of potential. That will allow maximum production of 763,658 barrels a day in April. Actually, about 3,411,000 barrels probably will be the output.

Oil company executives said all evidence points to the need

for a big effort to locate "massive new supplies of crude."

AG OPINIONS. Texas Water Quality Board cannot force the owner of a solid waste disposal dump to post bond for a license. Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin has held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded that: Galveston County contract for delinquent tax collection is not invalid because the attorney entering it is a law partner of a state legislator.

"Legislature would have to vote authority for a county to lease its property."

"City and County may cooperate to establish an ambulance service by joint contract."

"Juvenile court has jurisdiction to declare males delinquent after 17th birthday and females after 18."

"Sheriffs are not bound to furnish county auditors a monthly inventory of supplies, menus and bills for feeding prisoners."

"Highway Department can award federally involved highway contracts which do not contain the general prevailing rate of per diem wages in view of the presidential emergency proclamation."

"If county commissioners make final selection of a bank as the county fund depository, selection may not be retraced."

"Contract for delinquent tax collection entered by commissioners without notice to the county attorney should not be approved."

"Estates of regular state 'hourly employees' are entitled to recover for accrued vacation and sick leave."

CLUBS VIOLATE LAW. Many of the 1,811 private bottle clubs violate Texas law, Alcoholic Beverage Commission has reported.

ABC auditing chief said 197 violations were observed by agents last month in 427 clubs checked, although most can be corrected by warnings.

ABC Chairman Tom Gordon of Abilene promised February checks were the beginning of its crackdown.

Gordon said most of the violations are due to failure of club owners to understand the law.

Commission approved a regulation dealing with standards of identity, labeling and advertising of liquor.

APPOINTMENTS. Charles R. Woodburn of Amarillo, Dan Lester of Jefferson, Phillip C. Bowen of El Paso and Mrs. D. J. Sibley Jr. of Austin were named to the Texas State Historical Committee, and Mrs. Frank M. Covert III of Austin and John C. Caldwell of Albany were reappointed.

STUDY DROUGHT PROBLEM. Governor Smith led a state-federal delegation to Alice late last week to investigate the increasing drought problem in South Texas.

Governor met with local officials, farmers and ranchers. He was accompanied by Agriculture Commissioner John C. White, disaster relief officials and legislators.

Smith said he is exploring the possibility of requesting that the region be designated a disaster area for federal aid in the form of low interest rate loans and emergency livestock feeding programs.

SHORT SNORTS. Governor Smith in ceremonies at Texas Tech University, Lubbock, signed a bill authorizing \$185 million revenue bond program for building eight new higher education facilities.

There were 21,116,000 out-of-state and foreign visitors to Texas last year, and they spent \$1.469 billion, according to State Highway Department calculations.

Senate passed and returned to the House with amendments a bill increasing tuitions of out-of-state students in Texas tax-supported colleges from \$200 to \$500 a semester. (Students already enrolled would be exempt.)



DAVID V. FULTZ AT ATHENS, GREECE

David V. Fultz Returns From Africa

David V. Fultz, minister of the Church of Christ, who returned on March 8th from a Campaign for Christ to Port Elizabeth, South Africa, and visited in the Holy Lands on his return will show some of the pictures of the land and base several of his Sunday evening sermons on the Bible events which took place there.

Among the places visited was Athens with the Acropolis, and Mars Hill being particular places of interest, Sunday evening at 6 p.m. Mr. Fultz will show slides of this place and speak on "Paul on Mars Hill."

Travel of today is much different than that of Paul's day, as Mr. Fultz rode one of the huge 747 Boeing jets from Dallas to Brussels, and a 707 Boeing the rest of the way on the Sabena Air Lines. However there was still travel by donkey and the use of oxen and the single handle plow in many places throughout the holy land.

One Act Play, "Good-bye to the Clown," by Kinoy, (a Samuel French production) and other literary events will be presented Thursday night, March 25 at 7:30 in the High School Auditorium. The public is invited. There will be no charge.

Those participating will be: Stephanie Riley, Craig Corbin, Marsha Ellison, Roderic Fabian, Joe Sherrod, Beth Fultz, Wesley Brown, Cheryl Holmes, Diane Ryan and Becky Adams.

Changes in McLean 1970-71 School Calendar

The McLean Schools will observe the Easter Holidays on Friday, April 9th through Monday, April 12th. Due to the snow storm in February, the changes were necessary in order to make up the days missed. The Easter Holidays were originally scheduled for April 8th through the 13th.

Parents should please note the changes as the students will go to school on April 8th and 13th. The last day of school for this school year will be May 26th. The date was May 25th but has been changed to May 26th because of the days missed during the snow-storm. Please remember: April 9-12 Easter Holidays May 26th Last School Day.

Historical Society To Meet Sunday

By Mrs. Luther Petty, reporter. The McLean-Alanreed Historical Society will meet this Sunday for their regular meeting at 3 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Charles C. Bogan Buried In McLean

Funeral services for Charles Culberson "Cub" Bogan of Dumas, who died at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 16 at his home were held at 4 p.m. Thursday, March 18 in the First United Methodist Church of McLean.

Rev. Fred Brown, pastor of the Pioneer Methodist Church of Lubbock, officiated, assisted by Rev. Robert Brown, pastor of the McLean Church.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Lami Funeral Home.

Born near Weston in Collin County, he lived in McLean from 1907 to 1942, when he moved to Dumas. He married Miss Thelma Beall on June 16, 1916, at McLean. Mrs. Bogan died on Oct. 19, 1969.

Mr. Bogan was a retired employee of the Diamond Shamrock Corp. in Dumas.

While living in McLean, he served on the city council and the school board and was a trustee of the First Methodist Church. He was a member of the First Methodist Church of Dumas.

Survivors include his son, Charles C. Jr., of Berger; a daughter, Mrs. Ann Coker of Turkey; a brother, John of Martiary, N.M.; and a sister, Mrs. Lettie Reed of Romeo, Colo.

Seminar Set For April 6 On "Guiding Youth"

Discussions related to guiding youth and comments from a number of young people on what youth think will highlight the PEP (Panhandle Economic Program) Family Living-Youth Seminar on April 6 in Amarillo.

The seminar will begin with registration at 9 a.m. at the Quality Motel, announces County Home Demonstration Agent.

The theme for the program is "Guidelines for Guiding Young People."

Keynote speaker on the program will be Dr. Bernice Moore of Austin with the Hogg Foundation, University of Texas. She will discuss "Communications within the Family."

Also featured at the morning session will be Leo Forrest of Amarillo, PEP chairman, and Ronnie Parker of Dimmitt, minister of the Church of Christ. Forrest will describe "How Family Living Relates to PEP" while Parker will give a report on "The Whitehouse Conference on Children and Youth."

Edd McLeary of Dimmitt, chairman of the Family Living-Youth Task Force, will reside at the morning program and will deliver the welcome.

The afternoon session will feature two panel discussions, one on "Awareness of Opportunities for Youth" and the other, "Youth Think."

The panel on opportunities will include Robert Holman of Hereford, superintendent in charge of curriculum; Bruce E. Romig of Amarillo, Texas State Technical Institute; and Don Hileman, manager of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce. Holman will discuss "Opportunities through Counseling." Romig will speak on "Training for Youth," and Hileman will talk about "Financing the Training."

The panel on "Youth Think" will allow a number of area youth to express their own opinions and give their ideas relating to the program theme. The panel will include Steve Dauer and Ronnie Burks, students at West Texas State University; Debi Goodin and Cindy Youngblood, members of the District I 4-H Council; Kipp Burnett, area FFA president; and Pat Palmer, Wheeler County Home demonstration agent, panel advisor.

Summary remarks will be made by Dr. Moore.

Presiding at the afternoon session will be Mrs. Argen Draper, Deaf Smith county home demonstration agent. She will also offer closing comments.

According to Miss Wainwright, the objectives of the seminar are threefold:

1. Adults develop a workable understanding of youth.

2. Adults become more aware of training opportunities to aid youth in developing their potential.

3. Adults more wisely guide young people in choosing suitable training for their selected careers.

The seminar is being sponsored by the Family Living-Youth Task Force of PEP and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service of Texas A&M University. The Family Living Youth Task Force along with the Agricultural Industry and Agricultural Production task forces are designed to provide overall direction to PEP in its effort to bolster the social and economic development of the Panhandle.

Miss Wainwright encourages everyone in Gray County to attend the upcoming seminar. All of us should be concerned and interested in our youth and their development, and that's what this seminar will be about.

RURAL HOUSING FUNDS INCREASED -- Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin has announced that Farmers Home Administration rural housing program level has been increased to \$4.47 billion for this year. Current mortgage market conditions enabled the Federal program to be increased with without a net increase in budget costs, he said.

Raw silk was first produced in Europe in 530 A.D.



LECCRECIA HOWARD, MISS McLEAN '71, is shown here with her 1st runner-up, Vicki Parr and 2nd runner-up, Jan Coleman.

Leccrecia Howard Is Miss McLean '71

The Miss McLean '71 pageant was held recently in the High School auditorium with Miss Leccrecia Howard being selected to reign as Miss McLean for 1971.

Leccrecia is the 16 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Howard of El Paso Camp. She is 5 ft. 4 in. tall, is a freshman and is a twirler for the Tiger Band.

As Miss McLean she will be eligible to enter the "Miss Grain Sorghum" soon and the "Miss Wheat Heart" in July. In 1972 she will be a contestant in the "Miss Irish Rose" and ride in the St. Patrick's Day parade in Shamrock.

First runner up was Miss Vicki Parr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Parr. She is sophomore and active in various school activities.

Second runner up was Miss Jan Coleman, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Coleman. She is a junior in high school, plays in the band and played basketball.

Miss Rhonda Davis has resigned as Miss McLean for the past year. She is a 1970 graduate of McLean High School and is attending Clarendon Junior College.

OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM BY PRESTON SMITH, Governor of Texas

GREETINGS: EYE BANKS. Eye banks contribute immeasurably to the cause of better sight among all Americans by furthering research in eye diseases and by helping to restore sight through the services they perform in corneal transplant operations.

The eye banks of our State, as exemplified by the Hi-Plains Eye Bank, Incorporated, which serves Amarillo and the Panhandle area of Texas, have done much to help combat the problems of sight in our State by research and assistance in eye surgery.

The Eye Bank Association has designated the month of March as National Eye-Bank Month in the United States.

Therefore, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the month of March, 1971, as Eye Bank Month in Texas, and direct the attention of all citizens to the progress of eye bank programs in our State and the outstanding services they are performing.

Preston Smith

Resolution By Max Sherman Is Adopted

The following resolution commending the Texas Department of Public Safety on its outstanding service to the people of the Panhandle during the blizzard last month was introduced to the Senate by Senator Max Sherman.

The resolution was adopted unanimously and is printed below.

SENATE RESOLUTION 729 WHEREAS, on February 21, 1971, nature dealt a staggering blow to the Texas Panhandle in the form of a severe blizzard; and

WHEREAS, Many emergencies arose out of the situation created by the heavy snow closing all roads and isolating many residents of the area; and

WHEREAS, Local officials in the stricken area called upon the Texas Department of Public Safety to provide helicopters for emergency relief efforts, and two such helicopters with crews were promptly dispatched; and

WHEREAS, These helicopters assisted local law enforcement officers, other State officers and officials and private citizens for a period of approximately five days and actually operated in the air for a total of 72 hours; and

WHEREAS, The helicopter missions included the transportation of an emergency maternity case and a litter patient to the hospital, the rescuing of stranded workers, the transportation of needed medicine, the delivering of food and supplies to isolated farms, and carrying of United State mail, and the airlifting of farmers and ranchers to hay supplies to enable them to feed starving cattle; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate

Charles Bennett, Former Resident Is Buried March 17

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Wednesday, March 17, in Wellington for Charles Harris Bennett, 86, brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boyd of McLean.

Bennett died in St. Joseph's Hospital at 10:55 a.m. Monday, March 15, following a long illness.

He was a retired blacksmith and had lived in Wellington 30 years. Before moving to Wellington he and his family had lived at McLean, and also at Hedley for many years.

Born at Zepher on Oct. 11, 1884, he was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bennett, and married Miss Annie Foster Nov. 27, 1904 at Carlton. He was a member of the Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. C. H. Bennett; a daughter, and two sons: Mrs. James C. Kensten of St. Louis, Mo. R. W. Bennett and J. H. Bennett of Amarillo; a brother, J. C. Bennett of Sun Valley, Calif.; six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

Burial was in Memorial Gardens under the direction of a Wellington Funeral Home.

Brother Of Local Resident Is Buried Tuesday

Funeral services for Thomas C. Ellington, 63, who died Saturday afternoon in Highland General Hospital, Pampa, were held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the Pampa Church of the Brethren.

Rev. Bryce Hubbard, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Memory Gardens Cemetery by Duendel Funeral Home.

Mr. Ellington, born in Longview on June 14, 1907, moved to Pampa in 1927 from Plainview.

He was a member of the Church of Brethren.

Survivors include his wife, Frances; one daughter, Mrs. Clay Long; two sisters, Mrs. Mimmy Shelton of McLean and Mrs. Don Trimble of Amarillo; a brother, J. W. of Paden, Okla. three grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Failure To Sign Tax Returns Delays Refunds

So far this year 2,075 North Texas taxpayers have not received their expected tax refunds simply because they failed to sign their federal income tax returns before filing them.

Since an income tax return is a legal document, it must be signed before the Internal Revenue Service can process it and issue a refund, Ellis Campbell, Jr., District Director of Internal Revenue of North Texas, said today. Signatures of both husband and wife are required on joint returns, he added.

To help reduce the number of missing signatures, Form 1040 shows the signature line-- and other error-prone information areas--highlighted in red ink.

Other causes of delayed refunds are missing Social Security numbers, arithmetic mistakes, and failure to follow instructions accompanying the tax forms.

Mr. Campbell asked taxpayers to use the blue pre-addressed name label that came on the cover of the package containing their blank Forms 1040. The top part of the label should be removed from the package and placed on the tax return. If the return is prepared by someone other than the taxpayer, we urge the taxpayer to give the label to the preparer and ask him to use it on the return to be filed with IRS. Use of the label allows the IRS to process the return faster without verifying the taxpayer's identification.

So far this year, the IRS Service Center in Austin has processed 149,075 refunds worth \$32,786,915.08, Mr. Campbell reports.

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MR. AND MRS. DOYLE LEE McCURLEY

**Karen Kane,
Doyle McCurley
Married February 19**

Karen Lea Kane became the bride of Doyle Lee McCurley February 19, 7:00 p.m., at the First Presbyterian Church of Gillette with the Rev. Harry Hurt officiating at the double ring ceremony.

The couple exchanged vows before the altar lighted only by white candelabra and a single light illuminating the cross in the church chancel.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her brother, Frank W. Kane.

Mrs. Clark Izzard sang, Each for the Other and My Love for Thee, accompanied by Mrs. Don Dickey on the organ.

The bride's floor length gown was fashioned of white skinner satin with a high stand-up neckline, long sleeves, fitted at the top, full from elbow to wrist with tiny button cuff closing. The divided overskirt fell from an empire waistline into a chapel train outlined in lace medallions. The neck, the shoulders, the sleeves, and the empire waist were also trimmed in medallions of lace with seed pearls and iridescence. Her fingertip veil of illusion net fell from flowers of white velvet outlined in seed pearls. The bride carried a cascade bouquet of white carnations with a corsage center and satin ribbon streamers ending in baby's breath.

The bridesmaids, Jeannie Pownall and Carol Garst were attired in dresses of peach with blue flower design, styled similarly to the brides gown, and large blue hats. They carried bouquets of peach and blue carnations with peach satin streamers ending in blue jaisies.

Colley Addison and Echo Allee, nieces of the bride, served as candle lighters. They wore dresses and hats matching those of the bridesmaids, as did the lovely little flower girl, Shelley Graham, friend of the groom. Frank C. Reynolds, nephew of the bride, was the ring bearer.

The best man, B.C. Graham and groomsmen, Verlan Knight were close friends of the groom. Rodney Addison, Jack Allee and Russel Mark Allee, nephew of the bride, served as ushers.

For the something old, the bride chose to use her grandmother's engraved engagement band as her wedding ring. Her grandfather, William R. Wright, gave her grandmother, Ollie M. Marquiss, this ring in 1890. The ring was also used by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Kane, when they were married in 1943. A new white handkerchief, borrowed earrings, and a blue garter took care of the new, borrowed and blue. To carry out tradition, Frank Kane placed a six pence in his sister's slipper just before escorting her down the aisle.

The bride's mother chose to wear an ice blue silk suit with silver accessories. The groom's mother was attired in a navy and white knit dress with black accessories.

The reception was held following the wedding ceremony in the church parlor. The bride's cake was three tiered above a base of four heart shaped cakes, and was served by the bride's sister, Joy Lynn Voiles. The book-shaped groom's cake was cut and served by Susan Coleman of San Diego, California, a friend of the bride. Both cakes were served from lace covered tables carrying the bride's colors of peach and blue in skirt flounces, candles and flowers.

Mary Zoe Allee, Kathleen Reynolds and Myra Mae Addison, sisters of the bride, served coffee and punch and seated guests.

The gift table was attended by Gail Friedman of New York City, Mrs. Darlynn Nicholas of Miles City, Montana, Susan Hladky and Ginger Marquiss of Gillette. The guest book was in charge of Pam Vanmille of Guernsey, Wyoming.

The bride is a graduate of Campbell County High School and completed stewardess training at McConnell Airline School in Minneapolis, Minn. She was employed as a stewardess for American Flyers Airline out of Ardmore, Oklahoma and at the Stockmen's Bank in Gillette.

The groom, son of Mrs. Jewel McCurley of McLean, Texas, is a graduate of McLean High School, McLean, Texas. He is now a foreman for Edwards Engineering Company, where he has been employed for the past two years.

Moving into a new home? To make the job easier, label each carton, stating contents and the room in which you want the box placed. Pack together those items you will need immediately upon arrival at your new home. Have them loaded on the van last so they can be unloaded first.

Mrs. Luther Petty was a dinner guest of Mrs. Estelle Roach of Shamrock Saturday.

A survey made last fall showed more than 2.3 million acres of crop and rangeland, mostly on the High and Rolling Plains of Texas, could suffer severe infestations of grasshoppers this spring. Reed Green, Extension

survey entomologist, advises farmers and ranchers in the area to keep a close watch on the situation, especially if weather conditions are favorable for a good hatch and survival during the hopper hatching season.

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"By contrast, McLean recorded 1,086 telephones, which is more than all the telephones in the country of Portuguese Timor," said George Newberry manager for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Whether a tiny South Pacific island or a midwestern American city, each telephone user played an important role in boosting telephone growth in the world.

These figures are based on 1969 statistics presented in the American Telephone and Telegraph booklet "The World's Telephones." They are the most recent statistics available since it takes about a year to collect information from all countries in the world.

According to the booklet, the United States leads all countries with 114,798,000 telephones. Runners up are Japan and the United Kingdom, with 23,131,888 and 13,947,000 respectively.

"We Americans have set another record -- that of being the chattiest nation in the world," said Newberry. "Each man, woman and child in America carried on an average of 745 telephone conversations during the year which is more than the combined average of our counterparts in Mexico, Brazil, Chile, Greece and the United Kingdom," he said.

Newberry pointed out that even though countries like Greece, Brazil, Hong Kong and Korea lag behind the U.S. in total telephones, their telephone growth rate is more than double the 7.3% world average.

"It will be a long while before they equal telephone concentration in the U.S., which is one phone for every two people," he said.

To dramatize his point, Newberry compared Texas with its 4,809,702 to Sweden which has 4,306,906 phones.

"With the other four states of Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas and Missouri served by Southwestern Bell, the total company phones at the end of 1969 surpassed the number in Canada. Southwestern Bell had 10,011,433 phones compared

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Plans Being Made For Cripple Children At Lion's Camp

The Texas Lions League, which has operated a summer camp for handicapped children at Kerrville for the past 18 years, has added a new dimension of service this year with a special three-week camp for diabetic youngsters in cooperation with the diabetes associations of Texas.

League President Everett J. Grindstaff of Ballinger said the pilot program would be known as the Texas Lions Camp for Diabetic Children.

The special summer session (June 7 through June 25) will be held at the facilities of Camp Manison near Friendswood, between Houston and Galveston, where a diabetic camp has been operated for the past 14 years.

The League is the non-profit charitable organization which represents all the Lions of Texas, Grindstaff said.

"The diabetic camp represents another important step forward by the Lions of Texas in serving children who require special attention," Grindstaff said.

At the home camp in Kerrville, nearly 12,500 blind, deaf, mute and crippled children have enjoyed two weeks of summer fun. During the months of the year, the League--in cooperation with the State Commission for the Blind--operates a rehabilitation center for adults at the camp and has aided more than 800 Texans who have lost their sight.

The diabetic camp will have 110 youngsters, 6 through 16 in the pilot program. Dr. Luther B. Travis, an associate professor in the department of pediatrics of the Texas Medical Branch at Galveston, will be medical director. Tom Manison will be camp director.

The goal of the new program -- aside from having fun and developing camp skills--is to help diabetic children learn they can lead happy, normal lives by following good health practices and to give them self-confidence when they have to leave home.

Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Bailey, Levi, Charlene and Brent of Pampa visited the E.M. Bailey family Saturday.

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CARD OF THANKS I wish to thank my friends for remembering me with the many beautiful cards I received on my 90th birthday. May God bless each of you. Mrs. L. L. Palmer

CARD OF THANKS On behalf of my husband and myself, we wish to express our appreciation to the fine people of McLean for their kindness shown to my husband and myself during his stay in the hospital. Also a special thanks to the nursing staff and cooks. And a special thank you to Dr. Woods and Dr. Fablan. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gibe

Derby Town Tops To Have Salad Supper

By Lucille Cullison, Reporter The Derby Town Tops Club met for their regular weekly meeting in the Fire Hall building on Monday at 7 p.m.

Marilyn Mounce, leader brought the meeting to order and called the roll with members answering with their weight loss or gain. Marilyn took care of the club business and marked the contest charts and asked all members to remember to call their telephone buddies or send them cards. She also presented "charms" to each member eligible to receive a charm. Cheryl Smith, co-leader weighed in the members and recorded the weight chart. Mary Bybee, Secretary took care of the minutes and club records.

Ann Smith, treasurer took care of the finances of the club and recorded the members payments.

There was a tie for the Fruit Basket between Deloris Bailey and Pearl Dickinson with each having the same weight loss. There was a draw and Deloris won and is the weekly queen.

There was an election of new club officers for the coming year. The installation of the new officers and the graduation for Viola Glass as a "Kop" and a salad supper in the Hospitality Room in the American National Bank building on Monday at 7 p.m. Members will be weighed in at the Fire Hall building at 6:30 p.m.

Members present were Marilyn Mounce, Cheryl Smith, Mary Bybee, Ann Smith, Gladys Smith, Pearl Dickinson, Deloris Bailey, Nola Crisp, Linda Pearson, Mary Lou Glass, Viola Glass, Muriel Moore and Lucille Cullison.

At the club meeting on Monday, March 14th, Gladys Smith was the weekly queen and received the Fruit Basket for a 2 1/2 lb. weight loss. The club had a 7 1/2 lb. weight loss at that meeting.

The welcome mat is always out for any new members.

Accessories Add Zip To The Well Planned Room

It takes well chosen accessories to put the finishing touches on any room. Accessories can be the most personal element in decorating and can reveal best the interests and personalities of family members. Equally as much care and thought should go into selecting accessories as in choosing a carpet or an entire color scheme.

Accessories may be grouped according to function into two categories. Decorative accessories are those offering beauty or decoration. Wall plaques, sculptures and paintings fall in to this group. Utilitarian accessories are those that perform a service in addition to being decorative. Ashtrays, clocks lamps and throw pillows are examples. Both types are important in adding the finishing touch to room decor.

In selecting accessories, choose those that reflect your interests and are compatible with other furnishings. Consider size, shape, color, theme, texture and purpose. Arrange or place accessories for convenience and beauty. If placing items on walls, consider them a part of furniture grouping or as the focal point. Guard against cluttering surfaces with tiny, useless objects. And, when merging the old with the new, consider the degree or formality of the items before placing them together.

There are no hard and fast rules that guarantee success in the use of decorative accessories. There are, however, a few basic guides the homemaker can adhere to which will generally lead to more pleasing results. First, use a few well chosen pieces. Empty spaces can add much to the dignity and restfulness of a room. Second, make a plan for accessories. Be sure they will serve their purpose and will be compatible with other furnishings. Third, choose and use accessories of good design. These need not be expensive. Pieces with good lines, shapes and decorative detail can be obtained in all price ranges. When you've found an accessory that is pleasing in line, shape, texture, color and decorative design, and that serves a purpose and fits in with the mood of your room, cherish it. You've found a life-long treasure. And last, arrange accessories so that they make a complete and attractive design. Consider the room as a whole as well as each place where accessories are used.

For additional information on selecting and using decorative accessories, contact Miss Jimmie Lou Wainwright, County Home Demonstration Agent.

Oak Poisoning - Could Be A Problem

Do you have an abundance of shiny (shin oak) on your ranges? The dry conditions and the short dry forage on many of our ranges will make the green buds and young leaves of shin oak quite palatable for livestock this spring. That is when the trouble begins.

Young oak buds and leaves may contain as much as 15% tannin during April but the content decreases as the season progresses. Tannins are toxic to cattle, sheep and goats. Animals may consume up to 50% of their diet without ill effects. 50-75% of oak leaves and buds causes sickness and oak leaves in excess of 75% results in death.

Animals suffering from oak poisoning exhibit emaciation, edema, constipation or diarrhea and mucus and/or blood in the feces. The animals appear drawn, have a rough hair coat and a dry nose. They are depressed and show evidence of discomfort.

Since supplemental feeding alone will not prevent losses it is usually best to defer use on shin oak pastures until the leaves are fully developed. One alternative is to control oak on an area large enough to support the livestock during the critical period of the year. If grazing the area is absolutely necessary, adequate phosphorus nutrition and the use of supplemental feeds containing 1% hydrated lime may reduce losses.

In the event that animals show symptoms of oak poisoning they should be removed from the pasture, and put on adequate feed and water. The use of a mild laxative such as mineral oil may be helpful. For information on other poisonous plants consult Extension Bulletin-1028 and contact your local county agricultural agent.

News From ALAN REED

Mr. and Mrs. James Bryant have purchased a new trailer house and are moving to Shamrock as soon as the trailer is delivered.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Crew of Perryton have moved to the Word place northeast of Alanreed.

Johnny Hermesmeier and Shawn were visiting friends in the Whitefish community on Tuesday the 9th.

Mrs. Floyd Gatlin was in town on the afternoon of the 9th, attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shouse, sister and brother-in-law of Mrs. Mae Wyatt, of the Johnson Ranch was in McLean visiting with her mother Mrs. Walker who is in the McLean Hospital. Ramona Finley visited in the Earnest Foshee home last Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Womash and baby daughter visited with Frank Crisp's Thursday.

The Morris Masons visited in the M.B. Trout home last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H.H. Womash visited with the Frank Crisp on Saturday the 13th.

Mr. F.B. Carter was in McLean on business on Saturday the 13th.

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My Neighbors

"Hmmm-I don't like the looks of that eye..."



Rhonda Stewart Plans June Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Stewart announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rhonda, to Dan Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Estes of McLean.

Plans are being made for a June wedding in the home the bride-elect.

BIRTHDAYS

- MARCH 19 Marilyn Kay Ballard, Michael Ray Bybee, Mildred Hill
- MARCH 20 Howard Hardin, Judy Kay Averett
- MARCH 21 Margaret Glass, Mrs. S., Mrs. A. L. Conatser, Preston Morgan, Loree Watson, Sandra Skipper, Robert E. Lacy
- MARCH 22 NONE
- MARCH 23 Marilyn Mounce
- MARCH 24 Margie Janet Ellison, Paul Everett
- MARCH 25 Dennis C. Bryant, Mrs. Frank Rodgers
- MARCH 26 Mrs. Jim Back, Mrs. Lana Jones
- MARCH 27 Mrs. F. R. Crisp
- MARCH 28 David Miller, Ruth Sullaway
- MARCH 29 Eddie Hugh Kunkel, Linda McDonald
- MARCH 30 Frankie Yearwood, Kate Day
- MARCH 31 Granville Simmons, Charlie Elms
- APRIL 1 Richard Lee Everett, J. R. Glass

Specialist Robert H. (Bobby) Petty visited his grandmother, Mrs. Luther Petty, Saturday and Sunday. He is stationed at San Antonio with special Green Beret Forces.

Mr. and Mrs. E.M. Bailey, Patsy, Crol and Mark visited Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Bailey and family in Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Bailey and Pam Sunday.

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Texas Policyholders Advised What To Do When Storm Strikes

The vulnerability of Texas to the ravages of wind and hail has been painfully established -- by such super destructive hurricanes as "Celia" which, in 1970, caused \$310 million in insured damage; by the statistical reality that tornadoes hit the Lone Star State far more frequently than any other -- including the \$50 million Lubbock tornado last May -- and by perhaps the most dangerous hailstorm in U.S. history which caused some \$24 million in insured loss at Amarillo in June, 1969.

From 1965 through 1969 alone 684 tornadoes struck Texas, killing 17 persons, injuring 232 and causing damage in the hundreds of millions. The insurance industry is prepared to meet the challenge presented by these property damaging natural catastrophes, according to the Texas Insurance Advisory Association and has established special procedures to deal with the large volume of insured losses and chaotic conditions that follow such storms.

To help storm victims, the TIAA says, insurance adjusters will work overtime in an effort to settle claims promptly and fairly, with the hardship cases handled first. Often hundreds of additional adjusters are flown in from all parts of the nation to speed the investigation and processing of claims.

TIAA, an Austin based organization of insurance companies who write about 85% of the property insurance in Texas, notes that insurance representatives will keep the public informed through newspapers, radio, television and other media, as to what steps storm victims should take and as to the progress being made by the adjusting forces.

Assuming you are the one with property damage, it's only natural that you will want necessary repairs to be made both quickly and properly and the TIAA advises how you can help:

- Notify your insurance agent, telling him the extent of your damage. He will report the loss to your insurance company and have an adjuster call on you.
- Make whatever temporary repairs are necessary to prevent further damage by wind or rain. This should include boarding up or otherwise covering broken windows, covering holes in the roof and siding with temporary materials. Keep a record of the cost, if any, and

provide the insurance adjuster with itemized bills. * For your own protection, deal only with a reputable contractor in having temporary repairs made or obtaining a loss estimate.

* Let your insurance agent know where you will be if you must move into temporary quarters. If your policy covers additional living expenses, keep a record of those expenses for your adjuster.

* If possible, be prepared to provide the adjuster with an inventory of damaged personal property -- furnishings, clothing, jewelry, etc.

The TIAA notes that the public should keep in mind that each individual is only one of many who is effected by the storm damage -- possibly one out of several thousands. The most urgent cases MUST get first attention. Cooperation on every individual's part will contribute to the insurance industry's prompt and fair settlement of storm claims and its efforts to rapidly return the affected community to normality.

TAX MAN SEZ:

The good IRS folks are concerned about retired taxpayers. Congress has provided a number of tax benefits for taxpayers who have retired, but IRS finds that many taxpayers that are eligible don't claim the benefits. Quite a few taxpayers forget to claim their extra exemption when they pass age 65. Many don't claim the very important retirement income credit, which can reduce a retired couple's taxes by as much as \$457.20.

If you qualify for the older Americans' tax benefits, take them. You may even want to mark your return "RIC" and let the IRS Service Center compute your tax.

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My Neighbors



ANGELA MARIE WINEGEART

June Wedding Plans Are Being Made By Angela M. Winegeart

Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Winegeart of McLean, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Angela Marie, to Thomas Ray Kesterson son of Mr. and Mrs. A.G. Kesterson, also of McLean.

Angela is a senior of McLean High School. She is a member of the FBLA, FHA and The Order of Rainbow for Girls Assembly #95 of Pampa.

Kesterson is a 1969 graduate of McLean High School and attended West Texas State University. He is presently employed at Marie Foundations in Pampa.

A June 4 wedding is planned.

\$450 Million To Be Spent In Texas During 1971

Southwestern Bell will spend a record \$460 million in Texas during 1971 to keep ahead of demand for telephone service.

The company's expansion program, despite a general economic slowdown last year, is \$66 million more than the amount spent for new plant and equipment in 1970 according to H.D. Schodde, the company's vice president for Texas.

Schodde said the company's 1970 Texas operations showed continued growth, which he termed "very good", although the rate of that growth slipped somewhat from 1969 operations.

He pointed out that the company added nearly 300,000 phones to its network in Texas during 1970, bringing the total of Southwestern Bell phones in service in the state no more than 5 million. He said another 300,000 are expected to be added during 1971.

Schodde also noted that customers in Texas used their phones more in 1970 than ever before. As an example, he pointed out that the number of completed long distance calls on the average business day increased by nearly 75,000, to a total of more than 850,000 in the state.

Southwestern Bell remained one of the state's largest employers, recording a net gain of 2,000 employees during 1970, which brought the company's Texas work force to just under 35,000. Payroll to these employees jumped nearly \$40 million to about \$273 million annually.

"Considering the general economic conditions that prevailed in 1970, we felt that our growth during the year, while less than in 1969, was very good," Schodde said.

By the end of 1971, Schodde noted, Southwestern Bell will complete a three-year period in which it will have spent over a billion dollars for construction in Texas.

"This money has been used to provide service to new customers, to introduce new services, and to maintain and improve the quality of existing service," he said.

The red maple is the most abundant maple in Texas.

Methodist Guild Have Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Monday night, March 22 at 7:30 p.m. in the church parlor. The meeting was called to order by the president and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Mary Brown gave a report of the Conference Annual Guild meeting held at Pampa March 19 and 20. Those from McLean attending were: Winnifred Rice, Isabel Cousins, Fern Boyd, Johnie Rodgers, Jewell Cousins and Mary Brown.

The devotional was given by Bonnie Fabian, using the theme "Living From Within" by Dr. David Goodman. Johnie Rodgers presented the Easter program using the book of Luke which contains many of the Miracles performed by Christ. The closing song "With

TEXANS NAMED TO NATIONAL CATTLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Two Texans, Tobin Armstrong of Armstrong and James W. Campbell of Pampa, have been named by Secretary of Agriculture Clifford M. Hardin to the 36-member National Cattle Advisory Committee.

REMOVING OLD WALLPAPER

One of the easier ways to remove old wallpaper is to soak the wall paper with warm water and scrape from the top down.

out Him" was sung by Bonnie Fabian.

Hostesses were Marye Crockett and Cleo Turpin. Others attending were: Ruth Whaley, Sue Cubine, Jewell Cousins, Verna Burris, Isabel Cousins, Ruth Magee, Mary Powell, Fern Boyd, Winnifred Rice, Gorda Lou Barnett, Mary Brown, Johnie Rodgers and Bonnie Fabian.



SHERRY ODELL CALCOTE

Many veterans with chronic, long-term kidney conditions will be provided home dialysis (artificial kidney) units during the next two years.

Calcote - Martin Plan May Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Calcote announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Sherry Odell, to Barry Michael Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy John Martin of Denison.

Sherry is a 1970 graduate of McLean High School and is attending Clarendon Junior College. He is attending South Eastern College at Durant, Okla.

A May 19th wedding has been planned.

FOOD PROTEIN RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER

Texas A&M University is establishing an international protein research organization in its expanding program to develop better and cheaper human food and feeds, to be known as the Food Protein Research and Development Center.

Tips On Caring For Suede

Now's the time of year to think about cleaning your suede clothing, reminds Fannie Eaton, Extension clothing specialist at Texas A&M University.

Suede is genuine leather, turned inside out and buffed to a soft, velvety nap. It is a sturdy fabric, yet certain grooming techniques are required to keep suede looking its best.

Brushing will remove most stains from suede and will keep dust from settling in the nap.

But if brushing doesn't do the job, then a soft gum eraser, emery board or chalk cleaner will. Chalk cleaners (in stick of aerosol can) also can be purchased in household or notions departments.

Suede is waterproof; however, if it gets wet or rain-spotted, dry away from heat. After it is dry, brush with a terry

towel to restore its original appearance. Brush the nap in one direction.

Most wrinkles in suede will hang out overnight. If wrinkles persist, press with an iron at the "rayon" setting. Use heavy wrapping paper as a press cloth and press on the right side of the garment. Press with a light, quick hand.

If further cleaning is necessary, have it done by a professional dry cleaner. He may not do the work himself if he is not equipped to process leather clothing, but he will know

how to have a specialist do it for you at no more cost than you would have to pay by dealing direct.

Be sure that your suede articles don't get too dirty. Stains and soil can become embedded in the skins, making them impossible to get out.

When storing suede garments for an extended period, hang the garments in a well ventilated closet. Cover with a cloth, not a plastic bag to keep dust-free. Air is good for suede, like all leather, it "breathes."

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