

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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## Lions Sponsor Scout Cub Pack

In addition to the sponsorship of Boy Scout Troop 25, the Lions Club voted to sponsor cub pack 15, at the regular luncheon Tuesday.

Lion Bible was inducted into the club by Lion Tamer Longino and was presented with membership card and lapel button.

Rev. R. H. Nichols, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was presented as a guest of Boss Lion Landers. Rev. Nichols made a short talk in which he said that he wants to become identified with everything that is for the good of the community, and wants to get acquainted with everyone here.

Ted Twister Little was in a bewildered condition for the first part of the meal, as members had hidden his insignia of authority and he hesitated to fine anyone until it was found.

## Gray-Wheel M. Y. F. Officers

The following officers have been installed for the Gray-Wheel sub-district, Methodist Youth Fellowship:

President, Bill Hutchinson of Pampa.  
Vice president, Mary Hess of McLean.  
Secretary, Patty Wiley of Wheel-

Treasurer, Donald Briggs of Shamrock.

Worship and Evangelism, Jim Carpenter of McLean.

Community Service, James Harrah of Pampa.

Recreation, Kenneth Fugate of Pampa.

Missions and World Friendship, Nell Porter of Dozier.

A meeting of the sub-district was held at McLean last Friday with some one hundred young people in attendance.

## McLEAN BOY SCOUTS

By Scoutmaster F. E. Grady Troop 25 of the Boy Scouts of America wish to express its appreciation of the fine spirit of helpfulness and cooperation with which the citizens of McLean shared Boy Scout day last Saturday. Your contributions will enable us to go far in the re-establishment of a fine troop for the boys of the community, and you will be proud of the equipment that you have helped us to buy. It is our hope that we shall be able to prove ourselves worthy of your cooperation and assistance through our proposed community service and scout "good turns." Our boy scout motto is "Be prepared." It is our purpose this year to "be prepared" to make a real contribution to our town.

Mrs. J. E. Lynch of Lexington, Okla., visited Mrs. R. L. Appling Saturday night. She was enroute to Clovis, N. M., to visit her daughter and husband, S. I. C. and Mrs. C. A. Smith of Oxnard, Calif.

Mrs. Cluck Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Dinsmore of Erick Okla., Mrs. Delma Corbin and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Andrews and son made a trip to Pampa Saturday. Miss Betty Jo returned home with them for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Alderson were in Shamrock Sunday afternoon.

Berman Hunt is an Amarillo hospital for treatment.

## LIBRARY NEWS

Late fiction that everybody is talking about—Green Years by A. J. Cronin, Brave Men by Ernie Eyle, Erike of the Solomons by Osa Johnson, Green Dolphin Street by Elizabeth Goudge.

Juveniles of distinction—Call of the Wild, White Fang, Buffalo Bill, The Bears of Blue River, Little Lame Prince, Lassie Come Home, and many others.

Books were never more important to this country than they are today.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

R. H. Nichols, Pastor  
Upon our arrival in McLean we find ourselves in great anticipation of a splendid fellowship that surely will be ours to enjoy. We are expecting to receive multiplied blessings as we formulate acquaintance with the citizenship of our proud city.

Throughout our ministry here, as we enjoy the inevitable blessings bestowed upon us, it is our sincere desire and hope to be able to merit your friendship. We would be your friend and endeavor to make a contribution to the welfare of McLean. You will find us ready and delighted to render any possible service.

As our arms are wide to receive you, permit us to say that the doors of the First Baptist Church are open with a cordial welcome to one and all. It is our good pleasure to have you worship with us. Especially are we delighted to see in our congregation men wearing the uniform of our great Republic.

Mid-week services Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. followed by choir rehearsal.

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching 11:00 a. m.  
B. T. U. 7:00 p. m.  
Evangelistic service 8:00 p. m.  
Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Nichols.

### PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS CHURCH

Elmer Jackson, Pastor  
Wednesday night prayer service 8:00 o'clock.

Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship at 11:00. Rev. D. R. McNew of Turpin, Okla., one of the conference officials of the Sunday school, will be with us Sunday morning.

Our revival meeting now going on at Alarwood Pentecostal mission, one block east, one block north of Alarwood post office. Services begin at 8:00 o'clock.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

J. E. Perryman, Pastor  
Sunday school 10:00 a. m.  
Morning worship 11:00 a. m., subject, "God's Ability."  
N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m.  
Evening service at 8:00. Subject, "The Blood of Christ."

Next Wednesday night, beginning at 8:00 o'clock, Rev. W. B. Walker, district superintendent of Abilene district, will speak at the church.

Everyone is invited to all our services. Our motto, "A growing Sunday school in a friendly town."

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Floyd Eugene Grady, Minister  
Sunday school for all age groups meets at ten o'clock Sunday morning.

Morning worship is at eleven o'clock, and the evening worship at seven-thirty.

Westminster Fellowship Society meets at 6:30 p. m. and enjoys "fun and fellowship hour" after church.

Beginning with Ash Wednesday, Feb. 14, and continuing through the Lenten season, there will be thirty minute prayer meeting and devotional period beginning at 7:15 p. m. The choir will practice for the Easter musical presentations following that period.

We invite you to share these services of worship, study and fellowship.

Mr. and Mrs. James Emmett Cooke and children of Arnette, Okla., visited in McLean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Allen and daughters visited relatives at Wellington Sunday afternoon.

C. P. Callahan underwent an eye operation at Amarillo last week. He is reported doing nicely.

J. D. Davenport is in an Amarillo hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. Allen Wilson, Mrs. E. J. Windom, Jr., and son visited in Amarillo last week end.

## AMERICAN HEROES

by JULIAN OLLENDORFF



POSTHUMOUSLY a Silver Star was awarded to Pvt. Willis V. McFarland, St. Louis, Mo. When attempting to establish a beachhead on the Rapido River, Italy, Pvt. McFarland's unit was halted by enemy artillery fire. Dropping to the ground, he crawled over the shell-blasted shore to cut barbed wire, discharging his automatic rifle as he went. Thus he advanced through barbed wire entanglements until severely wounded. He gave his life fighting to free Italy, and the purchase of War Bonds will help continue that fight until all of the world is liberated from the Axis yoke.

U. S. Treasury Department

## Soldiers' Wives Organize Club

Working under the auspices of a USO committee composed of Mrs. Leo Gibson, Mrs. W. E. Bogan and Mrs. Mattie Graham, wives of soldiers stationed at the POW camp have organized a club and nursery with quarters next door to the public library.

A meeting was held Monday afternoon and another will be held this (Thursday) afternoon to discuss needs for the room.

A Red Cross sewing machine will be loaned for their use and it is hoped that citizens will furnish needed articles of furniture, including chairs and baby beds.

## Barr to Open Two New Stores

O. L. Barr, owner of the Barr Automotive Service, announces that new stores will be opened in two other Panhandle towns in the immediate future.

Mr. Barr left for Oklahoma City and St. Louis Wednesday to buy goods for the new stores. A franchise for the Texas Panhandle has been secured for a leading brand of tires, in addition to the brand now carried by the stores.

A wholesale business has been developed within the past four months that now includes the entire Panhandle. The McLean store is recognized as one of the leading jobbers of automotive parts in the Panhandle.

## G. I. JANES HAVE PARTY

A Valentine social was held for the G. I. Janes Feb. 13 in the home of Vera Beall, with Pat Beck as co-hostess.

The party got off to a start by each member answering roll call with a valentine quotation. Several games were then played.

Lovely refreshments of angel food cake and ice cream topped with a cherry were served to the following: Syble Bonner, Aileen Cunningham, Louise Dwight, Hazel Taylor, Frances Purdy, Lorine Price, Dorris Windom, Madge Jahne, Ruth Hindman, Joyce Dyer, Joyce Whitefield, Zora Kennedy and the hostesses.

The club members will bowl Tuesday night at 8:00 o'clock. All ladies wishing to become members of the club will be voted in at the next business meeting.

The next meeting will be Feb. 27 in the home of Lorine Price. The program will be on parliamentary law with Joyce Whitefield and Joyce Dyer as leaders.

Subscriptions this week: Mrs. V. Smith, Mrs. Arthur L. Howard, Mrs. Lady Bryant, Leon Crockett, Mrs. Elsie Reece, H. W. McAdams, T. J. Tedder, Mrs. Roy McMullen, Harry McMullen, Sr.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway and Mrs. Ruel Smith were in Pampa Wednesday.

Mrs. Vester Smith made a business trip to Roswell, N. M., Saturday.

## IN THE SERVICE

### J. C. McMahan Killed in Action

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahan have received a telegram from the war department that their son, J. C. McMahan, was killed in action in Belgium, Jan. 22, 1945.

Young McMahan, who was 25 years of age last Dec. 23, was reared in Matador. He entered the service on July 19, 1944, and received his basic training at Camp Hood, Texas.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife and small son, Larry Lammam, of Matador; a sister, Mary Joyce, of McLean; two brothers, Bobby, of McLean, and T. Sgt. Mabry, who is in India.

Mrs. Roy McMullen has received word that her husband has been promoted from second lieutenant to first lieutenant. Lt. McMullen has been overseas for 21 months and received his commission on the field of battle. He has been in Australia, New Guinea, and Admiralty Islands. He was with the first cavalry division on Leyte, and is now on Luzon.

Mrs. McMullen, the former Chloe Hanes, and her 22 months old daughter, live with her parents in the Pampa community.

Born Friday, Feb. 9, at a Shamrock hospital to Cpl. and Mrs. Randy Mantooth, Jr., a 7 pound, 13 1/2 ounce girl named Judy Kay. Mrs. Mantooth will be remembered as Miss Ruth Franks. Cpl. Mantooth is with the U. S. forces in the Hawaiian Islands.

2/Lt. and Mrs. Ernest James of San Marcos called at the home of the former's aunt, Mrs. Luther Petty, enroute to Lefors and Pampa to visit their parents. Lt. James has just received his commission at San Marcos Army Air Field.

Roland M. Gibson, BKR 2/c, who has been in the South Pacific for two years, visited his sister, Mrs. Joe Graham, last week. He has been in five major battles, and is now on Treasure Island awaiting a new assignment.

Pvt. and Mrs. Joe Cooke of Clovis, N. M., Sgt. and Mrs. Clarence Kemper of Amarillo visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter have returned from a visit with their sons, Billy Carpenter, P 2/c, at Gulfport, Miss; and Lt. and Mrs. Clyde Carpenter, at Greenville, Fla.

Y 2/c and Mrs. Neal Humble and daughter of Santa Rosa, Calif. came Thursday for a visit with the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Andrews.

Mrs. J. W. Burrows visited in Amarillo Sunday, with her grandson, Lt. W. R. Gossage, who is stationed at Amarillo Army Air Field.

T/4 S Eidon McMullen, who has been overseas for 26 months, visited friends and relatives here over the week end. His wife accompanied him.

Pvt. John E. Dwyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dwyer, is serving in the U. S. Army somewhere in France.

Sgt. and Mrs. Geo. Angelopoulos of Camp Hood are visiting the lady's parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bailey and Dorothy.

Cpl. Wayne Back, who is enroute to Nebraska from Miami, Fla., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie R. Back.

J. P. Dickinson orders the home paper sent to his brother, R. T. Dickinson, S 1/c, at Coronado, Calif.

Sgt. Thomas H. Plum of Camp Hood is at the bedside of his little son at a Shamrock hospital.

Cpl. Guy M. Bidwell, son of

## Gossett Funeral at Shamrock Friday

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 1:30 at the First Methodist Church in Shamrock for Mrs. E. M. Gossett, who died at Shamrock, Feb. 12, at the age of 63 years, 10 months and 8 days.

Services will be conducted by Rev. H. A. Longino, McLean Methodist pastor. Burial will be in Shamrock cemetery, Womack Funeral Home of McLean in charge. Pallbearers will be T. E. Trostle, J. W. Stauffer, Harvey Haines, Jim Clark, Clayton Peabody, Rollin Higdon.

Survivors include four daughters, Mrs. Laura Clark, Wheeler; Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Trostle, Bovina; Mrs. Amalee Quarles, Richmond, Calif.; Mrs. Twila Shirley, Sunray; four sons, Carrol, Richmond, Calif.; Waldon, Mosenci, Ariz.; Raymond, Kellerville, E. M., Jr., England; two sisters and two brothers.

Mr. Gossett died March 1, 1944.

## Hereford Show-Sale Pampa, Feb. 19, 20

The Top of Texas Hereford Breeders Association will hold its first show and sale February 19 and 20.

Thirty-nine bulls and 13 females from the finest Hereford breeding cattle, representing 29 different herds are consigned to this show and sale.

The 4-H and F. F. A. Fat Calf and Pig Show will be held in connection with this breeding cattle sale.

Col. Earl Gartin, nationally known auctioneer, from Greensburg, Indiana, will handle the sale.

This show and sale is sponsored by the Pampa chamber of commerce and everyone is invited to see this parade of fine cattle. Visitors will be comfortable regardless of weather, as the show will be in a gas heated pavilion. For any further information, contact G. T. Hackney, county agent, Pampa, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty, their daughters and grandson were in Amarillo Friday. Mr. Petty received medical treatment and they also visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath Franks and daughter, Miss Joyce, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Page, were in Shamrock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sperber and son from California are visiting the lady's mother, Mrs. Vester Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colebank and Mrs. R. H. Nichols were in Amarillo Monday, the ladies receiving medical treatment.

Mrs. W. P. Tichenor of Astoria, Ore., and Mrs. B. L. Faulkner of Orange are visiting their brothers, W. B. and Jack Mercer.

Mr. and Mr. E. M. Heard and daughter, Dorothea, of Pampa visited in the Wheeler Carter home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Mills and little son of Hooker, Okla., visited the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Windom, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey were in Amarillo on business Thursday.

J. M. Carpenter has returned from Mineral Wells, where he had been for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Anders were in Amarillo Thursday, Mr. Anders receiving medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ashby of Lubbock visited here and at Pampa last week.

Sheriff G. H. Kyle of Pampa was in McLean Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Beck are visiting here from New Mexico.

Mrs. J. L. Bidwell, is now stationed in France.

Sgt. Wilbur Lee Wilson is now stationed at Kingman, Ariz.

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It is wonderful how smart the other fellow is as long as he agrees with our opinions.

Nature gave the job of teaching children to married women long ago, but it has taken a war for school boards to learn that married women are acceptable teachers.

The danger of an epidemic is multiplied in war time. Flies spread disease and right now is a good time to be thinking of preventative measures. Flies come from insanitary stock pens and poultry yards. While it is practically impossible to keep stock pens sanitary, they should be cleaned daily. With concrete floors and the use of disinfectants, flies can be kept down pretty well. Of course, the best way is to keep animals and poultry outside the city limits, as flies do not stray very far from their breeding places.

Complaints are made that chickens are running at large in some parts of town, destroying flower beds, strawberry beds, etc. It is against the law for chickens to be at large at any time of the year within the city limits, and violators are subject to fine. It is also high time to begin the periodic killing of stray dogs. Strays are roaming the town in considerable numbers, as well as worthless dogs belonging to citizens. Dogs and chickens are nuisances just as soon as they leave their owner's property. This fact should be remembered by all owners.

**NEWS FROM HEAD**

A. W. Haynes of Pampa returned to his home last Thursday after spending ten days in this community.

Mrs. Gus Swanson of Liberal, Kan., came Saturday for a few days visit with her mother, Mrs. Lucy Rippey, and cousin, Mrs. Nida Green.

Rev. Mitchell filled his regular appointment here Sunday. He was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reneau. He made several pastoral calls in the afternoon.

Pvt. James Reneau, who has been at Camp Wheeler, Ga., came home Sunday for a few days furlough.

Mrs. Clois Hanner and daughters visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Reneau, Sunday.

Mrs. Amie Jaye and Mrs. Louisa Ladd visited in the J. W. Stauffer home Sunday.

Mrs. Gus Swanson went to Amarillo Tuesday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Lucy Rippey.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday afternoon with Mrs. K. S. Rippey. There were eight members and one visitor present. The hostess served punch and cookies.

Mrs. George Armstrong and Mrs. Will Yoachim spent Friday night at the Jack Bailey home. Mrs.

**SOMEBODY'S STENOG—Synthetic Buttermilk**



**REG'LAR FELLERS—Speedy Come-Back**



Armstrong, Mrs. Bailey's mother, was enroute to Bridgeport; Mrs. Yoachim, cousin of Mrs. Bailey, was moving to San Antonio, where she has a son in a hospital with polio.

Billy Jack Bailey spent the week end with his cousin, Bob Bailey, in Amarillo.

Mrs. Walter Bailey and daughter, Dora Mae, were in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton and daughter, LaJune, were in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Harris of McLean is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Bill Bailey, and family this week.

Little David Knutson had the misfortune Tuesday morning of getting his wrist badly cut on a piece of glass. He was rushed to a doctor.

If it is in good condition, popcorn will expand to as much as 20 times its original size when popped.

When you need a helping hand, just glance at the end of your arm.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to thank the people for their kindness and respect to us after the damage to our home by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearson, Miss Kelly and Mrs. Burgess.

**ANNOUNCING**

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a law office in McLean  
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Show 1:30 p. m., 19th

Sale 1:30 p. m., 20th

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#### SENIOR PERSONALITIES

This week we are presenting the list of the 35 members of the class of '45, which is undoubtedly one of the most prominent to graduate from M. H. S.  
 Joyce Wardlaw was born at Wichita, May 4, 1928. She has attended schools at Alanreed and McLean. Joyce's hobbies are dancing and collecting picture post cards. She likes witty people, cancer Tracy and Deanna Duran. She dislikes "braggers." Her ambition is to ride to France in rowboat. After graduation she plans to become a stenographer. Frank Stewart, who has played on the Tiger football team for the last three years and is this year member of the basketball team, was born July 30, 1927, at Hedley. His hobby is swimming. Frank likes milk and chocolate pie; he dislikes silly girls. His ambition is to become a merchant seaman and he plans to win the war after graduation.

#### THE TUMBLEWEED

Mrs. Payne announced in assembly last Friday what each student in McLean high has been doing to hear. The announcement was that she shall be permitted to print an annual this year. Advance subscriptions may be placed with Mrs. Payne this week. Each class will elect their favorite for the annual. In each class will present a "miniature" for the title, "McLean Magazine." Miss Tigerette will be elected through a penny vote campaign and her qualifications will be based upon personality, leadership, scholarship, and popularity with the student body. Come on, classes—think of some ways of "buying votes" for your candidate. Senior pictures, faculty pictures and group pictures for the annual will be taken February 22.

#### UNIORS SELECT PLAY

The junior play has been selected. It is "Act Your Age." It was voted on by the class and held a large majority vote over the other plays mentioned. We believe it will turn out to be a very good play if we put the sufficient amount of work into it. Characterization is taking place this week and we are trying to pick the best possible cast.

#### McLEAN PLAYERS DEFEAT PAMPA JUNIOR HIGH

McLean's basketballers played Pampa junior high at the Keller-ville gym Thursday night, to defeat them 17 to 12.  
 McLean has had a slightly unsuccessful year because of players quitting school and failing grades, but there has been a trying spirit however, which is typical of M. H. S. The Tiger cagers will finish up their season by attending a tournament at Wellington Friday and Saturday. There are six games scheduled for the Tigers—three on Friday and three on Saturday.

#### TIGER ROARS

Songs that are, or should be sung to the students of McLean high:  
 Melba Miller to Pete Hughes—Don't Fence Me In.  
 Imogene to Bill—The Very Thought of You.  
 Patsy Alexander to all the boys—I'm Nobody's Baby.  
 Cecil to Sammy—How Many Hearts Have You Broken?  
 Harold to Billie Marie—It Must Be Love.  
 Carol Smith to Duane—Let Me Love You Tonight.  
 Glenda to Berwyn—Please Don't Say No.  
 Claude Doolen to Barbara Marshall—She Broke My Heart—in Three Places.  
 Johnnie Cubine—Swingin' on a Star.  
 Puffy to Virginia Chambers—Carry Me Back to Old Virginia.  
 Johnnie Chilton to Rae—Wait for Me, Honey.  
 Sue Drum—Waitin'.

Irma Ruth—Take It Easy.  
 Mary Hess—I'm Makin' Believe.  
 Pete Hughes—Eleven Miles from Leavenworth.

Mrs. Mazzotti—Don't Carry Tales Out of School.  
 Norma Stewart—Take the Long Way Home.  
 Jane Drum—I'll Walk Alone.  
 Bill Thacker—I'll Be Glad When You're Dead, You Rascal, You.

Virginia Hale to Paul Miller—I Dream of You.  
 Iva Dell Rippy to Bill—What a Difference a Day Made.

**The Kellerville Party**  
 Frances, who was that cute little senior? Couldn't be Dickey, could it?

Carol, the gym will never be the same after that fall.  
 Seems like Pete and Melba are cooking on the front burner.

Bobby Beall and Barbara aren't doing so bad.  
 Couples at the party are Sammy and Cecil, Bill and Imogene, Pete and Melba, Richard and Dorothy, Dickey and Frances, Johnnie and Carol, Bobby and Barbara.

David Hamlin was sort of sad cause Mildred Edney wouldn't go with him.  
 Seems like Jeanette Autry was trying to corner Joe Hopher, but she didn't have much luck.

Oh, Johnnie, you great big handsome hunk of man, I was all alone in the gym Friday night and you didn't see me a time. Only a grade schooler for competition.  
 In cross question and crooked answers that old love pain Dorothy Clark and Don Montgomery were going to marry.

Hey, girls, you should have been there at the party Friday night. Bill Ferguson was on the loose.  
 Who was that boy that was making eyes at Margie West?

Why didn't Bob Evans tell the girls that he was leaving? We could have given him a good send off.

**ASSEMBLY PROGRAM**  
 The McLean high school student body heard from Foy Wallace, Jr., on the subject "What Can Man Believe?" in assembly Friday. He ended his talk by saying that his ancestors may have hung by the neck, but they didn't swing by their tails.

Mr. Wallace, from Oklahoma City, was here preaching for the Church of Christ last week.  
 The girls' quartet, which includes Mary Hess, Ann Wilson, Earlene Eustace and Patty Rippy, sang several songs before and after the speaker's talk.

**TRADE IN McLEAN**

### NEWS FROM DENWORTH

Bill Ferguson went to Sedan Kan., to attend his father's funeral.

Rev. Brown preached Sunday at Denworth. He and Mrs. Brown spent the afternoon in the Dowell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob James of Borger spent Saturday night in the Fred Browning home and attended Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ivey and children were in Amarillo Saturday on business.

Norma and Faye Baker of Borger spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. V. Dowell and attended church and Sunday school here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rath of Lefors visited in the Browning home Sunday.

Cpl. Leo McDonald, who has been home on furlough after 16 months in the South Pacific, left Monday for Quantico, Va., for screening school.

Mr. and Mrs. Burdwin are the parents of an 8 pound son born Jan. 30.

The W. M. S. met with Mrs. Brown during the month of January. Refreshments of pie, coffee

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POWERS DRUG CO.

and cocoa were served at the last meeting.

Kenneth Meyers is suffering from a back injury sustained in starting an engine.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hedrick and family of Lefors visited C. R. Griffith and family this week.

Mrs. Vester Dowell and granddaughters visited the girls' mother, Mrs. C. D. McDowell, at Amarillo two days recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Webb visited their son, Pvt. Felton Webb, at Oklahoma City recently. They were accompanied by Scotty McDonald.

The Byrd expedition to the South Pole sailed in a fleet of four ships, and was the most elaborately equipped expedition that has ever undertaken polar research. More than a million dollars was spent in outfitting. Besides the ships' crews, there were 82 scientists, engineers, aviators, and radio experts, plus 79 dogs.

Descending planes always have the right of way at an airport. The theory is that those on the ground can never know how important it is for a plane to effect a speedy landing.

Let us serve instead of rule, knock instead of push at the door of human hearts, and allow to each and every one the same rights and privileges that we claim for ourselves.—Mary Baker Eddy.

**APPRECIATION**  
 I have sold the Meador Cafe to Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Watkins, who are now in charge, and I wish to thank my friends and customers for the nice business given me.

**FAYE CAMPELL**

**GET MORE MILEAGE with**  
 Phillips 66 Poly as and Phillips 66 Motor Oils  
 Always stop at the Phillips sign for more mileage.  
 J. R. Glass, Agent  
 Phillips 66 Products

#### All forms of INSURANCE

No Prohibited List  
 All my companies have A-1 ratings

**PROTECTION PAYS T. N. Holloway**  
 Reliable Insurance

#### CO-OPERATION

If you have a ratty old fence between you and a neighbor, get together and tear it out so you can mow the weeds; or a run down building you won't fix up, sell it to somebody who will, while the price is up.

**A. T. WILSON**  
 At the Hermitage

#### CHIC-O-LINE FEEDS

**EGG MASH**  
 composed of yellow corn meal, wheat bran, gray shorts, meat and bone scraps, soy bean meal, pulverized whole oats, alfalfa meal, buttermilk, limestone, salt, cod liver oil, iodine and manganese sulphate.

Chick starter, growing mash cottonseed meal, and cake

**S. R. JONES**  
**McLEAN GIN**

## Furniture Sale!

### Our Entire Stock 25% OFF

Beginning Friday morning, our entire stock of furniture will go on sale at 25% discount from regular prices.

Here is a chance to buy brand new furniture at a big saving. Better come early.

**25% OFF!**

Free estimates on upholstery work

## McLean Furniture

W. B. Mercer, Prop.  
 Phone 167

**DR. ABNER ROBERTS**  
 OPTOMETRIST  
 PHONE 382  
 119 West Kingsmill  
 PAMPA, TEXAS

## Save Your Car

It may be a long time before you can buy a new one. The best care for your car is to see that it is properly lubricated. If it has begun to lose pep and act sluggish, it probably needs a lubrication job. We are greasing specialists and you will get the correct lubrication here—the kind of job that means your car will last longer and run with less cost.

Bring your car in any time—day or night.

### Barr Automotive Service

24 Hour Service

Get this "SIX-STAR SERVICE SPECIAL" today

See Your CHEVROLET DEALER

You'll say "First in Service"

See your Chevrolet dealer today for this famous "Six-Star Service Special"—designed to give new life to war-worn cars. Let him help to keep your car serving dependably for the duration. Remember—all signs indicate: MORE PEOPLE GO TO CHEVROLET DEALERS FOR SERVICE THAN TO ANY OTHER AUTOMOTIVE DEALER ORGANIZATION.

- LUBRICATE THROUGHOUT
- CHECK STEERING AND WHEEL ALIGNMENT
- DE-SLUDGE CAR ENGINE
- TUNE MOTOR
- SERVICE CLUTCH, BRAKES, TRANSMISSION, REAR AXLE
- ROTATE TIRES

BUY MORE WAR BONDS HELP SPEED THE VICTORY

**Cooke Chevrolet Co. McLean, Texas**



Alfred D. Reckley, 21, Pittsburgh, Pa., radio operator, can smile now. War Bonds are providing treatment for the wounds he sustained while flying a bomber on a mission over Central Germany.



A piece of shrapnel sent Pfc. Charles Shropshire, 21, Lexington, Ky., to the hospital, where his leg wound is mending, thanks to War Bonds. Shropshire was wounded in a sudden Nazi assault while setting up a machine gun on a Belgium front, when the enemy shell struck close enough to wound. Buy more Bonds, Shropshire urges.



Tech. Sgt. Paul Fordham, 31, Southampton, N. Y., was one of three men injured when an Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress took a shelling over Germany. The damaged plane got back to England, but this B-17 engineer was knocked out with a shattered left thigh. Now he has an extra good word for all the people at home who buy War Bonds to heal wounded fighters.

U. S. Treasury Department

**WAR BONDS**  
*in Action*



"Tin Fish" goes down a hatch on first stage of its journey to sink an enemy vessel. War Bonds pay for these deadly missiles used in submarines and also save money for your post-war necessities.

Regardless of the 1932 pledge not to bring back the saloon, and the crying need for war materials, the largest amount of liquor the nation has ever seen was drunk in 1944. It ran to \$54 per capita—for every man, woman and child in the nation. The consumption of liquor in Washington, D. C., leads the nation. What about putting a big per cent of those engaged in the liquor business back into useful occupations?—Canyon News.

It is harder to fly a plane from east to west than from west to east. The earth, turning on its axis from west to east, drags along an envelope of atmosphere, which, when added to the prevailing winds that also move in the same direction, make it necessary for west-bound fliers to buck headwinds all the way along the westward route.

To refuse to see in others that which one does not wish to express in one's self is to reduce the Golden Rule to hourly and daily practice.—Alma Shierbaum.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

**RATES**—One insertion, 2c per word. Two insertions, 3c per word, or 1c per word each week after first insertion. No advertisement accepted for less than 20c per week. Lines of white space will be charged for at same rate as reading matter. Black-face type at double rate. Initials and numerals count as words. All ads cash with order, unless you have a running account with The News.

**FOR SALE**

**FOR SALE**—Fresh milk cows and heavy springers. Bob Massey. Phone 1618P22. 7-2p

**FOR SALE**—Maple dinette suite with china closet; gas heater. Rev. R. H. Nichols, phone 105.

**AIRMAIL** envelopes, boxed stationery and correspondence cards at News office.

**RUBBER** bands and Scotch tape—small shipment at News office.

**LOST AND FOUND**

**LOST**—"A" gasoline coupon book. Carlton Patterson. 1p

**LOST**—2 No. 4, 1 No. 3 ration books. David and Wayne Woods.

**FOR RENT**

**BEDROOM** for rent. Mrs. L. E. Cunningham. 1c

**FOR RENT**—Farming land, crop or cash rent. Mrs. Luther Petty.

**WANTED**

**WANTED**—Community correspondents for this paper from Alanreed, Heald, Kellerville and Eldridge. Supplies furnished at News office.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**WILL PLOW** gardens. Good team and tools, reasonable prices. J. W. Sullivan. 1p

**STORAGE** room at News office.

**OUT OF TOWN PRINTERS PAY NO TAXES HERE LET US DO YOUR PRINTING**

**NEWS FROM LIBERTY**

Sunday school and preaching each Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Ewing of Elk City, Okla., visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Curry, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey visited in the Morgan home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hardin and Mrs. Jack Lisman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lisman at McLean.

Mrs. D. M. Davis of McLean visited her son, Olen and family Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Lively, Mrs. R. O. Cunningham and Mrs. Fleeta Little were in Shamrock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey visited their son, Everett, and family at Kellerville Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian Robinson and children of McLean visited their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey, Saturday night.

Mrs. Oleeta Matthews returned Friday from a visit with relatives at Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Waldrop visited in the Hardin home a short while Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey were in Amarillo Wednesday.

Mrs. R. C. Gibson and daughter and Miss Norma Lee Myatt of Borger visited their parents and grandparents here over the week end.

Clyborn Roth of Kansas is visiting home folks here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stokes and son of Shamrock visited in the Roth home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lively and children visited in the Roth home Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Sanderson visited Mrs. H. L. Dorsey Tuesday afternoon. Miss Sue Davis visited her grandmother, Mrs. D. M. Davis, in McLean Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Windom were in Spearman last week end.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To: C. F. Anderson, greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 3rd day of April, A. D. 1945, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray county at the court house in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 13th day of Feb. 1945. The file number of said suit being No. 7780. The names of the parties in said suit are: Anna Anderson as plaintiff, and C. F. Anderson as defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: That plaintiff and defendant were married February 19, 1944, and continued to live together until June 1, 1944, at which time the defendant became extremely intoxicated and cursed and abused this plaintiff, and left her and from that day he has remained away and the plaintiff does not know his whereabouts and says that she is entitled to a divorce.

Issued this the 13th day of February, 1945. Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 13th day of February, A. D. 1945. DEE PATTERSON, Clerk, Dist. Court, Gray County, Texas. By LOUISE STUART, Deputy. 7-4c-

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to extend to our friends sincere thanks for their kind words and deeds of sympathy in time of our trouble, also for the floral offerings. May God's richest blessings be with you.

Mrs. J. C. McMahan and Larry Lammar; Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahan, Mabry, Mary Joyce and Bobby.

Mrs. Thelma Stewart of Childress is visiting in the C. P. Calahan home.

Mrs. T. H. Andrews and Mrs. Homer Abbott were in Amarillo Thursday.

Mrs. S. J. Dyer and Mrs. Kenneth Dyer were in Shamrock last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Banta of Borger visited here the first of the week.

Arle Carpenter of Lefors was in McLean Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis visited relatives at Childress Sunday.

Peanuts may be salted in the shell by soaking in a 10% salt solution before roasting.

**Avalon**

**Weekly Program**

- Thursday**  
"THE SEVENTH CROSS"  
Spencer Tracy, Signe Hasso
- Friday and Saturday**  
"MY PAL, WOLF"  
Sharyn Moffett, Jill Esmond
- "THE SINGING SHERIFF"**  
Bob Crosby, Fay McKenzie
- Sunday and Monday**  
"TALL IN THE SADDLE"  
John Wayne, Ella Raines
- Tuesday**  
"GOIN' TO TOWN"  
Lum and Abner
- Wednesday and Thursday**  
"NONE BUT THE LONELY HEART"  
Cary Grant, Ethel Barrymore

**Town and Farm In Wartime**

**RATION REMINDERS**

**Meats, Fats**—Red stamps good through 36 good through March 31. T5 through X5 good through April 28. Y5, Z5 A2 through 1 good through June 2.

**Processed Foods**—Blue stamps X5 through Z5, A2 and B2 good through March 31. C2 through O2 good through April 28. P2 through M2 good through June 1.

**Sugar**—Stamp 34 expires Feb. 28. Stamp 35 good through June 2.

**Shoes**—Airplane stamps 1, 2, 3 in book three good indefinitely.

**TRADE IN McLEAN**

**PUCKETT'S**

**SPECIALS for the Week End**

- Cane Sugar**  
10 lb cloth bag  
**65c**
- Sunshine Crackers**  
per lb  
**17c**
- Shelled Pecans**  
1/2 lb  
**59c**
- Tomato Soup**  
Scott County, 20 oz. can  
**10c**
- Puckett's Best Flour**  
50 lb  
**\$2.15**
- KRAUT**  
quart jar  
**23c**
- Diamond Matches**  
carton of 6  
**29c**
- Onion Sets**  
gallon  
**95c**
- Diced Carrots**  
Scott Co. No. 2 can  
**10c**
- CARROTS**  
bunch  
**5c**
- CELERY**  
large stalk  
**22c**
- Temple Oranges**  
per lb  
**9c**
- Grapefruit**  
Ruby red, per lb  
**7c**
- CABBAGE**  
per lb  
**5c**
- Peanut Butter**  
Pecan Valley, 24 oz.  
**33c**
- SOY BEANS**  
3 No. 2 cans  
**10c**
- Fancy Tomatoes**  
2 No. 2 cans  
**25c**
- SARDINES**  
tall can  
**14c**
- Advance Shortening**  
4 lb  
**79c**

**How to build a home**



**with SHEARS!**

Planning a home for after the war? Lots of people are. Some of them are war brides. Some are home-lovers who wanted to build but had to wait. If you're one of them, you know there's not much chance now to build or furnish.

However, that's no reason to stop planning. Now's the time to get your IDEAS together. Go shopping with shears for things to make your future home livable and comfortable.

Electric appliance makers have already given a preview of what they expect to produce. Home-makers' magazines are full of plans for step-saving kitchens, for better-arranged rooms throughout the house. New lighting of all kinds is shown. Why not start your "new home" scrap book today?

When you do, remember that the All-Electric Home will give you the most convenience, comfort and livability. If you are going to build, make your house plans all-electric, and be sure you include adequate wiring in your ideas. Your architect or builder can help you.

**Southwestern PUBLIC SERVICE Company**

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

We have bought the Meador Cafe and will be open for business Friday under a new name.

We are not newcomers in this business and we expect to give you the kind of food and service you like.

A share of your business appreciated.

**McLEAN CAFE**

**MR. AND MRS. BUDDY WATKINS**