

# THE MCLEAN NEWS

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## Memorial Tribute to Jack Bogan

Memorial services were held yesterday afternoon for Jack Bogan, a pilot, who lost his life in enemy action incident to the sinking of the USS Indianapolis. The program rendered by the congregation of the Methodist Episcopal Church, "Military Chorus," "Heart Divine," "Hallelujah Chorus," "Fulbright, Eastace, Black and Hess," "Psalm 46 and 121—H. A. Longino." (organ background) — "Prayer" (organ background) — "Covering Banner, Organ accompaniment, "American Prayer," "Near to the Heart of the Lord," "Miss Mary Evelyn Foster," "Mrs. Juanita McBroome," "Tribute of Honor—C. A. Oryer," "Message, "God is My Refuge" — "Benediction in verse, "The Open Door," "Rev. Floyd Grady," "Chorus, "Abide With Me," "Honor Guard at attention—A. C. Lee Smith and Lt. Bill Longino." — "Benediction—Rev. Grady," "Prayer, "Organ Chimes"—"Benediction."

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## IN THE SERVICE

1st Lt. Thomas Wilson Beck, who served 16 months in the European theater of operations as a pilot, has arrived home. He is the husband of Mrs. Pauria Ann Beck, and son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Beck. He wears the Air Medal with five Oak Leaf Clusters.

Pfc. Vernon A. King, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth, has been returned to the United States under the Readjustment Program. King was a member of the famous 11th Field Artillery, which saw action as a part of the 24th Infantry (Victory) Division at Hollandia, Leyte, Mindoro, Luzon and Mindanao.

Cpl. and Mrs. Herman L. Petty are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty. Cpl. Petty has just returned from 16 months in Europe with the 35th Infantry Division. He has five battle stars, the Combat Infantryman's Badge, the Bronze Star and the ETO Ribbon.

J. D. Roth, yeoman 3, USNR, is stationed at a Pacific base where he is working for the Casualty and Graves Registration Section of the Navy's Special Activities Division. Roth entered the navy in March of last year and has been overseas three months.

After 11 months overseas service with the Army Air Forces, T/Sgt. Arthur M. Dean of McLean has been honorably discharged from the Army of the United States. He and his wife, the former Bernice Coombs, returned to McLean last week.

2/Lt. and Mrs. Clyde Carpenter left Friday for San Diego, Calif., after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.

R. B. Cooke, coxswain, is serving on the attack transport, USS Pavlic, which was one of the first allied ships to enter Tokyo Bay.

E. L. Peirce has received a telegram from his son, S/Sgt. Charles Peirce, that he has arrived safely in the States and will be home soon.

Frank N. Simpson, seaman 1/c, is serving on the USS Arlington, which has been a training ship for 14 months.

A/C Vester Lee Smith of Victoria, accompanied by his wife and son from Pampa, visited here over the week end.

Chief and Mrs. M. J. Brewster and baby have returned to Lake City, Fla., after a visit with relatives here and at Miami.

Ens. Ercy G. Fulbright of the Pacific coast is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright.

Damon Wade, Cox, reported to Dallas Monday for reassignment.

## Rally Day at Nazarene Church

Rev. J. E. Perryman, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, announces a "Community Rally Day" at the church Sunday, beginning at 10:00 a. m.

Rev. Perryman says that representatives from the business firms of the city are expected to attend as special guests. The program follows: 10:00 a. m. Song, "Onward Christian Soldiers." 10:05 Invocation—Jim Tedder. 10:10 Welcome—Mayor Boyd Mesdor. 10:20 Quartet. 10:25 High points of today's Sunday School lesson—Rev. B. H. Spencer.

10:35 Duet. 10:40 The Sunday School's Responsibility in the Development of Youth for Good Citizens—Judge Sherman White. 11:00 Solo. 11:05 The Relationship Between Literary Training and the Church Sunday School for Youth—E. A. Kimmins, school supt. 11:20 Beautiful Bible to largest family present. 11:25 Congregational song. 11:30 Announcements and regular offering. 11:35 Message by Pastor. 12:00 Benediction.

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## Rev. J. E. Glenn Lions Speaker

Rev. James E. Glenn, who last year was voted by the Borger chamber of commerce as the most outstanding young man of Borger, was guest speaker at the McLean Lions Club Tuesday. Lion Glenn was presented by Lion Tamer Grady, who also presented Arthur Erwin and P. H. Bourlain as his guests and George Grahn as the guest of Lion Caldwell.

The speaker used as a subject, "Cynicism vs. Sense of Mission," pointing out the advantages of life in America today.

SGT. FOBES WRITES

The following is an excerpt from a letter written to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Fobes from their son, S/Sgt. George Leon Fobes, now stationed in Europe:

Last time I wrote I told you that I thought I was going to be shipped, but that turned out to be a dud for which I believe I am very grateful.

I have been away on a trip. On my trip I covered quite a lot of France and Belgium, so I will now proceed to tell you where all I went. You see I had a little business with a major up at bomb div., so when the major in charge of S-2 here had to go up that way, he took me along. First we went up to Namur, Belgium, to headquarters and spent the night there. That was on Friday night. Saturday we went out to the military cemetery at Poes. It is small, but a very pretty place where several hundred of our boys have been buried. It is kept very nice and those who have sons there need not worry about the care given the graves, for the civilians are hired to take care of them and they do it very beautifully.

Then from there we went over to Dinat, Belgium, which is on the Meuse River. This is one of the most beautiful spots on the continent and I think that one should not miss seeing it if they have the chance to do so while over here. From there we went over to Celle, Belgium, where the Germans were stopped in the battle of the bulge last December. There we saw the tanks that were stopped and what the Americans did to them when they ran out of gas there on top of the hill; plenty of wreckage left around everywhere, both German and American. Small wonder that it cost so much to run the war.

From there we drove on down the border to Bastogne, where there was another great battle of this war during the bulge. Here is where the 101st airborne infantry was surrounded for 12 days and refused to surrender. Patton came to their rescue from the south with his 3rd army. These places are really torn up, but the Belgians have already begun to reconstruct their cities. Everywhere that we went they thanked us for their liberation.

## War Fund Drive Begins Monday

October has been proclaimed "National War Fund Month" and the campaign for funds opens Monday, with \$4,500,000 as the goal for Texas.

Gray county refused to accept the quota set last year and no organized effort was made for funds. The national body set the same quota this year, but lowered it upon refusal again to accept. The county will make a drive in an attempt to meet the new quota.

## S. S. Class Has Lawn Supper

Mrs. Willie Boyett entertained her intermediate Sunday school class at a lawn supper at her home Monday night. The following attended: Jan Black, Jane Graham, Patricia Ferguson, Lynna Dell Mantooth, Von Dell Hommel, Lavetta Jo Gunn, Grace Wilson, Sallie Ledbetter, Jackie Brooks, Johnny Hagnes, Kenneth Carter, Eddie Bob Jolly, Bobby Kramer, Claude Gens Doolen, Dickie Andrews.

## Allison Now School Trustee

Clifford Allison has resigned his position as city alderman to accept an unexpired term on the board of school trustees. Trustees are permitted to appoint members to fill unexpired term, but not true for the city council. A special election must be called to fill vacancies on the council.

reconstruct their cities. Everywhere that we went they thanked us for their liberation. The Belgians, by the way, are a much better looking people than the French; also much cleaner in their homes and towns. One always sees them out scrubbing the walks and even the streets out in front of their homes. There is never a smell that is always prevalent in the French towns.

Then from there we went on that day down to Luxembourg. That is the Duchy below Belgium. This is also a very beautiful drive through the mountains covered with spruce and other timber, besides having wonderful dairy products. This is a great resort country and there are lots of fine hotels. Not fine in our sense of the word, but they are comfortable and extremely picturesque. The city Luxembourg itself is very old and quaint; some of the most beautiful flowers that I have ever seen. Sorry that I don't have a camera so that I could get some pictures, for they have very few post cards here because of the paper shortage. At least every place that I tried to find them they didn't have any to sell.

We stayed in Luxembourg Saturday night. On Sunday we left and drove to Metz, France. Metz is one place that the Germans held out in so long in the south of France. The cathedral is more beautiful than Notre Dame, in Paris. It is quite as famous as Notre Dame. The city of Metz is on the Moselle River and is one of the largest steel manufacturing centers of France. It is very rich but not again in operation, not because they don't have the scrap to start up with, for they have already gathered up all of the salvage and have stacks of it all over the place.

Also saw huge ordnance depots around there covering 10 square miles that were covered with U. S. equipment, just waiting to be shipped to the Pacific.

From Metz we went to Verdun. Verdun, as you know, is the historic battleground of the first world war. There the French held the Germans for four long years. Here the French have a cemetery that must have at least 10,000 graves in it, all lost in the battle of Verdun. The monument there is a beautiful and a gigantic thing. From there we came back into the Moselle River to St. Quentin near the base here.

All in all, we covered about 750 miles in 57 hours. And on these torn up roads that is some trip.

## WITH THE CHURCHES

### FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Floyd Grady, Pastor Sunday, Sept. 30, is Rally Day and Rationation Day in the Sunday school. A special program will be presented by the children and staff of the church school. Classes for all age groups at ten o'clock. Morning worship begins at 11 o'clock. The hour of evening worship will be eight o'clock. Remember that your clocks will be set back one hour, because time changes at 2 a. m. Sunday. The annual Every Church Family Visitation will begin at 2:30 p. m. Sunday. We are hoping to reach every family represented in the church through the use of a large group of volunteer visitors.

### METHODIST W. S. C. S.

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Tuesday for an all day session. Mrs. H. A. Longino was in charge of the morning program, which was a Spiritual Life program. Mrs. Nida Green of Heald brought the devotional. At noon a covered dish luncheon was served. The afternoon program was in charge of Mrs. Clyde Magee, the topic for discussion being "The Open Door to Hospitals." Those assisting in the program were Mesdames Bob Black, Ercy Cubine, Odell Mantooth, Guy Hilber and Clifford Allison. Twenty-two ladies were present.

### BAPTIST W. M. U.

The Baptist ladies enjoyed a program Tuesday afternoon at the church, presented by Mrs. Leroy Williams. The topic for the afternoon was "Women in Southern Baptist History." Mrs. Murray Boston gave a very interesting discussion on Christian women before and since 1888. Mrs. H. W. Finley and Mrs. T. N. Holloway gave talks on women as leaders, which were very inspirational. Mrs. Bunia Kunkel gave the story of Mrs. F. W. Armstrong.

The climax of the program was given by Mrs. Homer Abbott as she told about women as missionaries and "The Unknown Heroine." Special music was presented by Mrs. Herman Petty and Mrs. Boyd Reeves. The church parlor was decorated with beautiful bouquets of dahlias. Lovely refreshments were served to Mesdames Ruel Smith, T. A. Langham, D. L. Allen, George Colebank, Bill Boyd, J. W. Burrows, Howard Williams, Luther Petty, Nora Loveland, Robert Kennedy, and those on program. The ladies will have an all day meeting next Tuesday, Oct. 2, beginning at 10 o'clock, in observance of State Mistsons. All ladies are cordially invited to attend. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

### RADIO SERVICE MOVES

The McLean Radio Shop has moved from the Harris King store to the location just north of Smith Bros. Refy. Co., where they are better prepared to serve the trade. Mrs. Donald Parrish and little son of Pampa visited the lady's sister, Mrs. J. P. Dickinson, over the week end. Lt. Parrish is in the South Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Norvin Ashby and Miss Nora Ashby of Portland, Ore., came Thursday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ashby. Supt. Noah Cunningham of the Quail consolidated school, attended the Administrators Institute in Austin the first of the month.

Mrs. Bob Dorris and son have returned from Alva, Okla., to the home of the lady's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Allen. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Greene of Portales, N. M., were here Sunday.

## Ration Board To Close Here

The McLean branch of the Gray county war price and rationing board will close this week and the county board will vacate the quarters at the court house and maintain smaller quarters elsewhere in Pampa. Only a few clerks will be retained, as there will be no work except for the price, food and tire panels.

Tires are expected to be off rationing before many weeks and most foods will be free with the possible exception of sugar and fats. Shoes are about at the end of rationing. Rubber boots are free and stoves are off the list. The price panel will probably outlast the rest of rationing and efforts will be made to keep prices in line for all of next year, according to present plans.

O. G. Stokely is the McLean panel member for tires, and T. A. Landers is a member of the price and food panels.

## Tigers to Meet Lakeview There

The McLean Tigers will journey to Lakeview Friday of this week for a game with the Eagles. The Tigers snapped out of it last Friday and won their first conference game with the Wheeler Mustangs on the local field with a score of 24 to 6. The opening game of the season was played two weeks ago with the non-conference Panhandle Panthers, with the Tigers on the short end, but last week things were decidedly different. Coach Hansard confidently expects the Tigers to continue their good work against the Eagles.

## Highway Parking Ordinance Passed

An ordinance supporting the resolution prohibiting angle parking on the highway street has been passed by the city council. The ordinance carries suitable penalties for violations and enforcement will be begun as soon as the ordinance is read the proper number of times and published.

## Nichols at Quail School Assembly

Rev. R. H. Nichols, pastor of the First Baptist Church, was guest speaker at the Quail school last Thursday and sang a solo, "God Bless Our Soldier Boys." Rev. Nichols was with the revival party at the Quail Baptist Church for two weeks.

## CHICKEN FRY HONORS TWO

Mrs. Bill Grant of Syracuse, N. Y., and Vernon King, who has recently received his honorable discharge from the army after serving for more than three years in the Pacific, were honored with a chicken fry at Liberty school house Tuesday night. Some 16 chickens were fried and served with tea and cake to the following: Rev. and Mrs. S. R. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Murph Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Stokes and Caroline, Mrs. R. C. Gibson and Marjorie Kay, all of McLean; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stokes and Bobby of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dorsey and children of Kellerville.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hardin, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lively and daughters, Mrs. B. L. Stokes and sons, Mrs. C. A. Myatt and sons, Mrs. Olen Davis and daughter, Mrs. Elsie Guyton and Paula Ann, Mesdames Kate Stokes, Ella Stewart, Jack Lisman, R. O. Cunningham; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sanderson, J. W. Lively, Misses Annie and Cleo Jones, and the honorees.

I. D. Shaw, Jr., and family have returned to their home in New Mexico after a visit with home folks here. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson have bought the Ernest McIlroy home near the high school. Buddy Watkins underwent an appendectomy at Pampa last week.

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Only two more weeks in which to mail that Christmas package to the boy overseas.

Whitewash changes the appearance of a thing, but the whitewash is never mistaken for anything else.

A few people are parking right on highway street, but the big majority must still be "educated." Steps are being taken to enforce proper parking on the highway.

It is difficult for civilians to understand why the same amount of money used this year will be needed next year for USO activities. Long before the year is over, most of the men in the armed forces will be discharged and will not be eligible for USO entertainment.

The OPA is making an effort to control prices, but there is need for cooperation from buyers if the plan is to succeed. A depression can make as much trouble as war, and one is sure to come if prices are not held in line. Refusing to buy at above ceiling prices will control the black market, and buyers are just as guilty as sellers when prosecution starts.

Mrs. Billy Crisp and daughter have moved to McLean from Amarillo. Mr. Crisp is in Manila.

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**NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE**

Lt. and Mrs. Harold Hinnen and son of Hobbs, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leiland Newberry. Lt. Hinnen is on his way to Ft. Leavenworth, Kan., where he is to receive his discharge.

A. C. Kenneth L. Bruton of Peru, Ind., has gone to San Pedro, Calif., for separation. He will be on inactive duty and will be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Carruth went to Eastland Friday on account of illness of relatives. Mrs. Carruth remained in Eastland.

O. T. Owen and H. W. McCoy made a trip to Graham over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Blackerby have returned from a week's visit in New Mexico and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Earles are spending a few days with their daughter and son-in-law, Cpl. and Mrs. Robert Oakley, at Ft. Sumner, N. M.

Mrs. J. N. Clark was honored with a pink and blue shower Sept. 20 in the home of Mrs. Ed Railsback. Many useful and beautiful gifts were received by the honoree.

The Boy Scouts of Troop 70 were given a week end outing at Gethings Lake. Several merit cards were passed. Those attending were Dee Johnson, Weldon Earles, Carl Wall, Jr., David Hamlin, Cordell Pugh, Charles Boyd and Jimmie Newton.

**SCOUT MOTHERS CLUB**

The Scout Mothers Club met in special session in the home of Mrs. D. I. Blackerby, to elect new officers. Those elected were: President—Mrs. Blackerby. Vice president—Mrs. R. W. Cox. Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. Brent Chapman.

Reporter—Mrs. Walter Elliott. Those present were Mesdames Chapman, Elliott, Knox, Jack Boyd, and the hostess.

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stration Club met in the home of Mrs. Tinkler. A demonstration on serving canned meat was given by Mrs. H. A. D'Spain.

The following officers were elected for the new year:  
President—Mrs. D'Spain.  
Vice president—Mrs. Clarence Drum.

Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. H. D. Butrum.  
Reporter—Mrs. Ray Gossett.  
Asst. reporter—Mrs. Jack Boyd.  
Parliamentarian—Mrs. O. Owen.  
Council delegate—Mrs. Boyd.

Home food supply demonstrator—Mrs. Drum.

Home improvement demonstrator—Mrs. Brent Chapman.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames R. W. Knox, W. E. Hamlin, Jack Boyd, Clarence Drum, H. D. Butrum, Brent Chapman, Orlo Owen, H. A. D'Spain, Walter Elliott, the hostess, and a visitor, Mrs. H. E. Barrett.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. D. I. Blackerby Oct. 3. Bring your dollies for exhibition.

Mrs. Bill Cash and son visited last week end in the Allison Cash and Floyd Phillips homes at Dumas.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodrome and two sons visited friends in Pampa Sunday.

Albert Thompson moved his family to Wellington Sunday.

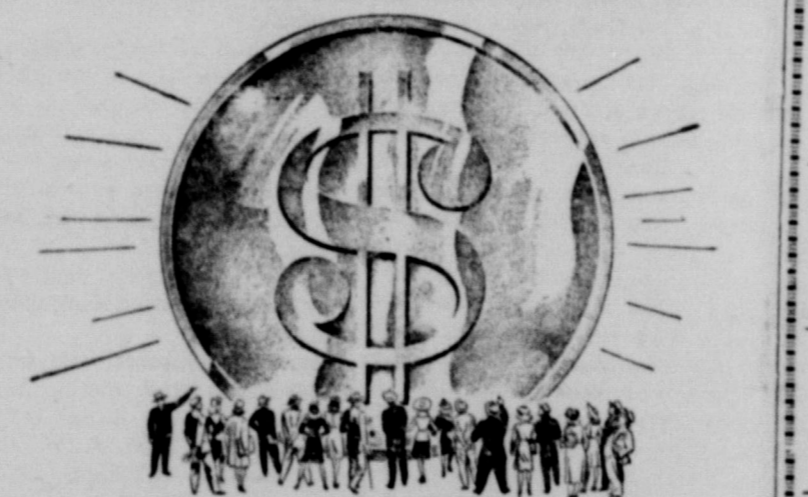
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Mrs. A. P. Andrews of Los Angeles, Calif., visited her sister, Mrs. Jess Kemp, last week and this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Foster and daughters, Misses Sarah Ellen and Mary Evelyn, of Borger visited here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Montgomery visited the lady's sister, Mrs. Kit Williams, at Childress Friday.

Mrs. J. H. Wade is visiting relatives at Jacksonville.

Tom Clark of Amarillo visited here last week.

Judge Clark of Shamrock was in McLean on business Friday.

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<b>BAB-O</b>	can	9c
Your Choice of <b>MODERN MEATS</b>		
<b>Hot Boneless</b>	lb.	
<b>Bar-B-Q</b>		45c
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<b>Sausage</b>		35c
<b>Grade AA Beef</b>	lb.	
<b>Roast</b>		29c
<b>FRESH PRODUCE</b>		
	nice solid head	
<b>Lettuce</b>		10c
	nice solid heads	lb.
<b>Cabbage</b>		3½c
	2 bunches	
<b>Carrots</b>		15c
<b>Apples</b>	lb.	9c

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Callahan and son of Lefors visited in the C. P. Callahan home Saturday.

Mrs. Fannie Rector of Dalhart visited in McLean one day last week.

Durwood Jones of Dalhart visited his uncle, Dewey Wood, last week.

Mrs. Nora Loveland of Canyon is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lisman attended funeral services for Lisman's father, P. C. Lisman, Sherman, Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. S. J. Dyer and Mrs. E. Dyer were in Pampa on business Friday.

Luther Petty and family visited in the W. E. James home at Lefors Saturday night.

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**THE TIGER POST**

**TIGERS CRUSH MUSTANGS**

Behind the blocking of a great line, the speedy backfield of the Tigers romped to victory over the Wheeler Mustangs, Friday night.

Richardson shifted from end position to the backfield for the game and proved to be very successful. He blocked for three speedy touchdowns, the farthest being for 64 yards in the final period. Kenneth Preston, Sammy Haynes and Simpson also looked great in the pigskin. High praise was given to Bill Mounce for his help in opening the holes in his blocking-back position. Shelton and Bob Black led on the line.

Scoring began on the fourth play of the game for Coach Mounce, the team and the audience. This was the exhibition perfect blocking as Richardson scored in the period on a trick play.

Hansard says the team played greatly in the period of week and promises more improvement for Friday night when the Tigers travel to Lakeview to play with the Lakeview Eagles.

On, McLean, and back to the Tigers.

When you ever see so much of Between all of the hues of the sweaters and skirts, we all soon be color blind.

When you see our cheer leaders? They were dressed in white sweaters that had a large M on the front. With these they wore slacks. How did Bill, Gloria and Faith look in these—hub!

The senior boys seem to be going in male fashions with the bright bow ties. Let the other classes try, but I don't see that their ties will ever be able to outshine Bob Black's red and green tie.

When Terry wore a green checkered pinafore with a thin brown belt. With this she wore white brown moccasins. With her hair, this made a bomb!

What caused Gloria Gunn's outburst of laughter in her history? Could Jack Spencer be involved?

What's this? Imogene Peabody with Dick Everett at the game Friday night. There must have been a switch in the game.

Once again Shorty (C. A.) is seen in the halls of McLean. Sue Davis and Eulamae seem to be taking over. What about this, girls?

Did Simmons is really lucky in Meiba Stoks. How does he like it?

Bill Thacker says that she has a date for the senior and junior banquet. Joe Ed sure is a fast walker. Or did Bill ask him???

The history classes seem to be going to town. (Look who the teacher is—an old-age deceiver).

Does Bill Mounce want an A in speech class, or a date? After all, Bill, she's gone through that once.

What is this about Frances and Harold Richardson? A couple.

W. N. Bowen and Jane Yakes have gone and got hitched. We wish to wish them luck in the future.

This year we have some new names. They are: Carol Smith—Gwing Shift. Bill Ford—Model A. J. E. Perryman—Jeeep. Norman Origsby—Nona. Vernelle Christie—Beef. Mary Hess—Gussie. Blanton Garvin—Jack. Ode Shelton—Bogger Red. C. A. Myatt—Clem. Ray Longino—Tubba.

Wayne Blafford seems to feel that way toward Clarice Hartman. They certainly do tick sick. This Haynes kid (Sammy) sure has no time when the subject is Haynes. It seems that he and Thacker were in the groove

Friday night. We wonder how Sammy got his cold??? Contagious things, aren't they?

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Donald Barry, Ruth Terry  
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Barbara Stanwyck, Dennis Morgan  
Tuesday and Wednesday  
"UNCLE HARRY"  
George Sanders, Ella Raines  
Geraldine Fitzgerald  
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John Wayne, Ann Dvorak

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"HIS BROTHER'S GHOST"  
Buster Crabbe, Al St. John  
"SEE MY LAWYER"  
Olsen and Johnson  
9th chapter "THE MASTER KEY"

Mrs. Ethel Cantrell of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green, over the week end. She was accompanied by Mrs. Earl Lee.

C. C. Bogan of Dumas visited in McLean Friday.

C. E. Cooke made a business trip to Amarillo Friday.

**H. B. HILL SAYS:**  
"Sometimes we may learn more from a man's errors than from his virtues."—Longfellow.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Decker and son, Bobby, left Sunday on a business trip to Mountainair, N.M.

Dewey Wood and children were in Amarillo Sunday to visit Mrs. Wood at a hospital.

**CEMETERY MEMORIALS**  
MONUMENTS, MARKERS  
COVERS and CURBING  
**S. R. JONES**  
McLEAN, TEXAS

Mrs. Calvin Johnson of Sherman visited in McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanner have moved to Amarillo.

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If you have life insurance you may rest assured that your family will not be in want after you're gone.  
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**MORE SEATS AVAILABLE**  
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Additional buses and service will be added as fast as possible.

**Give to the War Chest Victory Fund**

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**NEWS FROM DENWORTH**

Mr. and Mrs. Moot and daughter, Mary Ann, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDonald Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burdine and family visited in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Rath and family of Lefors visited his brother, Ray Rath, and family Sunday.

Wade Stracener of Lefors visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rath Sunday, and attended church at Denworth in the evening.

Bob Matthews and son, Vendie, of Pampa visited in Denworth Sunday.

**LIBRARY NEWS**

By Mrs. Gibson

One by one the pleasures of life in America are released from wartime restrictions. That the wonder world is out there just waiting to be caught up with, no one will deny. But in spite of aims for full production and full employment, the appearance of some new ideas, and the fuller exploitation of the older ones, civilian life will be so changed that we would not be recognized six months hence. One wonders about the phenomenal growth of the picture periodicals as contrasted with the relatively static circulation of their verbal competitors. The duel between pictures and words is by no means imaginary. The easiest way to convince yourself is to watch your reaction to any paper or magazine in which the emphasis is equally or almost equally divided between pictures and text. And now we have the Bible via comic strip!

**NEGRO PREACHER'S SERMON**

You may notch it on de pallin' as a mighty risky plan  
To make your judgment by de clothes dat kivers up a man;  
For I hardly needs to tell you how you often comes across  
A fifty-dollar saddle on a twenty-dollar hose;  
An wukin' in de low ground, you diskliver as you go,  
Dat de finer shuck may hide de meanes' nubbun' in a row.

I think a man has got a mighty slender chance for hebbin  
Dat holds on to his piety just one day out o' sebben;  
Dat talks about de sinners wid a heap o' solemn chat,  
An' nebber draps a nickle in de missionary hat,  
Dat's foremost in de meetin'-house for raising all de toons,  
But lays aside his l'gion wid his Sunday pantaloons.

I nebber judge of people dat I meets along de way  
By de places what dey come from and de houses whar they stay;  
For de banty chicken's awful fond o' roosting pretty high,  
An' de turkey buzzard sails above de eagles in de sky;  
Dey ketches little minners in de middle of de sea,  
An' you finds de smalles' 'possum up de biggest' kind o' tree.

—Anon.

**RATION REMINDERS**

**Last Date for Use**

**Meats, Fats—Red Stamps**  
V2 through Z2.....September 30  
A1 through E1.....October 31  
F1 through K1.....November 30  
L1 through Q1.....December 31

**Sugar Stamp 38**.....December 31

**Shoes—Airplane stamps 1, 2, 3, 4 in book 3 valid indefinitely.**

Bill Ferguson, Misses Kathryn Brooks, Ann Bogan and Mary Lee Abbott of Canyon visited home folks here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cryer and daughter of Berger were in McLean Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Waters and son of Lefors visited in the C. P. Callahan home Sunday.

Miss Loraine Hodges of Pampa visited home folks here over the week end.

Miss Bennie Mae Wade of Berger visited home folks here over the week end.

J. P. Dickinson made a business trip to Pampa Thursday.

Luther Willis of Wheeler was in McLean Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Phifer of Albuquerque, N. M., is visiting here.

**SOMEBODY'S STENOGRAPHER—What an Offer!**



**VIRGIL**  
By LEN KLEIS



**REG'LAR FELLERS—Dark Business**



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Oregon's principal crop, wheat, totals 20,424,000 bushels a year worth \$18,263,000. Oats, barley, corn and rye are grown in substantial quantities. Its apples, pears and cherries are major economic items. Vegetables thrive there. Oregon produces almost 8 million bushels of potatoes and 660,000 sacks of onions yearly. All that rolls up added wealth for the Nation behind your Bonds.

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**SPECIAL RATE** on the Amarillo Daily News, renewals only, at The McLean News office. If

Mrs. W. A. Glass of Alanreed visited her mother, Mrs. C. A. Watkins, Saturday.

Miss Jewell Cousins of Berger visited home folks here over the week end.

J. P. Dickinson visited his sister, Mrs. J. A. Harper, at Amarillo Sunday.

C. P. Callahan made a business trip to Alanreed Tuesday.

**CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING**

**RATES**—One insertion, 2c per word.  
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No advertisement accepted for less than 25c per week.  
Lines of white space will be reading matter. Black-face type charged for at same rate as at double rate. Initials and numerals count as words.  
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**FOR SALE**

FOR SALE—Wicker divan with springs. Nice condition. Mrs. W. C. Shull, phone 94. c

**FOR SALE**—Large fryers, \$100 each. 2 blocks north, 2 west of signal light, 66-Pampa Highways.

**LOST AND FOUND**

LOST, Friday night at football game—Eversharp fountain pen. Reward. J. T. Little. 1c

LOST—Brindle screw-tail bulldog. Reward. Raymond Smith. 1p

**MISCELLANEOUS**

ATTENTION farmers and ranchers—Let me cut your feed. All new equipment. L. J. Peden, 5 blocks north, 1 east of post office. 38-3p

McLean Taxirab. Call us at the Golden Grill Cafe. Phone 167. 1p

**WANTED**

WANT to buy milk cow. W. C. Shull. 1c

O. G. Stokely made a business trip to Shamrock Friday.

Mrs. Floy Past of Berger visited here over the week end.

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**It's Hard to Believe--- NOW!**

But we have the Bendix Automatic Washing Machine on display at our store. We invite you to come in and see it.

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In fact, we intend to carry a full and complete line.

**BENDIX automatic Home Laundry**  
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**YOU'LL** enjoy seeing this marvelous new BENDIX as much as we enjoy showing it. It's truly a washday miracle. Be our guests. Come in today if you can. See how it washes, rinses, damp-dries—even cleans itself and shuts off—all automatically. Note that you can do an entire washing—and never even wet a finger. It will astonish you, and you'll surely want a new BENDIX for yourself. So, please—we urge you—come quickly and make sure of getting your BENDIX SOON.

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