

## Deadline Nears for Candidates of City to File

Although no candidates for the coming city election have filed, the deadline for filing is getting near. To be chosen are three members of the city council, since the names of Councilmen O. G. Stokes, J. J. Lander, and John Cooper were elected last year. Elected last year were Mayor Harris King, Secretary D. A. Davis, and two councilmen, R. T. Dickinson and Roger Powers. A change in the Texas law regarding elections in municipalities makes it necessary for any party candidates to be filed in the form of a petition. Independent candidates do not have to be petitioned to file for the office, and they may either file their own names or some one else may file their names. In McLean, candidates have always been termed independent candidates, since the Democratic party is the only one with any strength in the city. In the case of either type of candidates, independent or party, the names of candidates must be filed 30 days prior to the date of the election. Since the election will be held the first Tuesday in April, that date being April 6, the deadline for filing is drawing near. One of the three councilmen whose terms expire have definitely signified their intentions to run for re-election. One of them has said that he will not be a candidate, and another has indicated that he will not run. The third has made no statement. The school election will be held the first Saturday in April, that date being April 3. Candidates for positions on the school board may file any time between now and ten days before the election.

## City Gets Credit On Fire Insurance

McLean will be granted a five percent credit on fire insurance policies, effective March 1, insurance agents of the city have been informed. The credit last year was neutral, meaning that neither credit nor penalty was given. Only one major fire occurred during the past year. That fire was the burning of the Modern Service Station on Highway 66, which repairs are now under way.

## Methodists Plan Men's Chili Supper

A chili supper for boys of high school age, and all men of the church will be held in the basement of the Methodist Church Monday night beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Special music, including singing by a quartet, will be provided. A general fellowship hour will follow the musical portion of the program, it was announced.

## Tiger Cagers Take Second Place in South Half District 2-A Tourney; Memphis Wins First

The scrapping McLean Tigers, defeated only by the all-victorious Memphis Cyclone, came out of the south half of the District 2-A basketball tournament last week with second place and brought home the "Runner-Up" trophy to show their abilities. The Tigers downed the Wellington Skyrocks in the final game of the round-robin tourney Saturday night by the narrow margin of 35-33. The score was tied at 25 when the game ended, and in the fading moments of a five-minute extension, Johnny Jones grabbed the ball from the other cager and raced to the end of the court to make two points and give the Tigers the game. Haynes had hardly called the tally when the gun

## Patrolman to Give License Exams In City Monthly

Here's good news for car drivers who do not have operator's licenses. A highway patrolman will be sent to McLean the fourth Wednesday of each month, the first visit to be March 24. H. R. Matthews, captain of the Lubbock district of the Texas Department of Public Safety, has announced. The patrolman will have his office at the City Hall in McLean. The movement to obtain a patrolman was undertaken by the safety committee of the McLean Lions Club, of which Cleo Meharg is chairman. Matthews was asked to send a patrolman here each week to give driver's license tests, but the captain stated that due to the shortage of patrolmen, he would be unable to send a man here more than once each month.

## Toastmasters Of Pampa Give Lions' Program

Suggesting that a Toastmaster's Club, to be affiliated with the national organization of Toastmaster's Clubs, be formed in McLean, four members of the Pampa group presented the program at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon. Presenting the program were Ray Salmon, president-elect of the Pampa, club and members, Quentin Williams, Grover Heard, and Walton Moore. Salmon served as toastmaster and introduced Heard, who explained that Toastmaster's Clubs are designed to improve one's speech. He pointed out the advantages of belonging to such a club, and emphasized the importance of the ability to speak, either before a large crowd or to one or a few persons. Williams then was called upon, and he delivered a speech of subtle humor, demonstrating the type of addresses which may be brought before the Pampa organization. After Williams had spoken, Salmon called on Moore, who served as "topic master," and assigned impromptu talks to several of the club members. (Continued on back page)

## McMurry Injured As Car Overtakes

Hall (Mutt) McMurry of Dumas, part owner of the two McLean theaters, was slightly injured Sunday evening at about 6 o'clock when the car which he was driving overturned a short distance west of Alameda. McMurry suffered two broken ribs and a cut on his lip. Control was lost of the car, he stated, when a tire rod was disengaged as he was rounding a curve. McMurry was alone, and was en route to McLean.

## Local Boxers Meet Rockets Friday Night

Fistfight fans will be able to see the McLean Tiger boxers in action for the first time this season (providing freezing weather does not again cancel the matches) when the Wellington Skyrocks invade the local gym Friday night. The fights will start at 7:30 o'clock. Twice this season home matches—both times with the Quanah Indians—have been called off due to icy roads, and Coach A. D. Shaver, who is handling the boxing team, is keeping his fingers crossed for the Friday night matches. Approximately 15 bouts will be fought, Shaver said. Admission will be 25 cents for grade school students, 50 cents for high school students, and 75 cents for adults. Reserved ringside seats will be available.

## Rev. Jackson To Hold Revival For Methodists

Rev. James F. Jackson, pastor and director of the Texas A. and M. Methodist Church in College Station, will conduct a revival at the McLean Methodist Church March 8 through March 14. Rev. H. A. Longino, local pastor, announced this week. Services will be held twice daily during the week, with morning services at 10 o'clock and evening services at 7:30. Rev. Longino said. The visiting pastor is married and has two children. Rev. Jackson is a graduate of the school of religion at Duke University, and was also a student at the University of Edinburgh. At present, the A. and M. Methodist Church is in the midst of a building program of a quadrangle of buildings costing half a million dollars. Besides the regular membership of the church he serves, Rev. Jackson has under his direction 2,400 Methodist students, and hundreds of veteran families.

## BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 29—Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood, H. C. Rippey, Mrs. J. L. Giesler. March 1—Mrs. Jack Blaylock, Doyle Jones. March 2—Clara Anderson, Jerry Lawrence. March 3—Mrs. R. A. Burrows, Mrs. Pete Fulbright, Damon Wade. March 4—Beverly Pressler, Perry Roby, Kenneth Kinard. March 5—Mrs. Joe Beasley Sr., Mrs. C. C. Howard, Vergie Mae Smith. March 6—J. P. Dickinson, Mrs. Arnold Sharp, G. W. Bailey, Bill Mounce, Earl Graham, Jimmy Hill, Robert Macina.

In schools established by the Navy in Trust Islands of the Pacific, classes in the practical use of English are held for the native children. An estimated \$6,995,695 was saved by the navy during the fiscal year 1947 as a result of its employee beneficial suggestion program.

## Moisture Totals .37 of Inch in Area In Past Four Days

Total moisture to fall in the McLean area during the past four days of dampness amounts to .37 of an inch, Pete Fulbright, local weather observer, reported this morning. The moisture includes the shower which fell Tuesday night, as well as the light mists Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. The .37 of an inch brings the total for the year to 1.02 inches, since the snows in January and the first half of February totaled .65 of an inch. The past three nights have been extremely foggy, although the fog this morning was not as heavy as it was Tuesday and Wednesday mornings. Weathermen in Amarillo predict warmer and fair weather for today and tomorrow.

## Senior Rodeo, Supper, Dance Draw Crowd

Cold weather last Friday night didn't prevent the senior class from holding their rodeo and chuck wagon supper as advertised, but it did prevent most people from attending the outdoor event. The dance held in the gym, however, attracted a large crowd which gave the seniors an opportunity to see a profit in their venture. The rodeo, while not very long and not too sparkling, featured such cowboys as Ted Simmons, Billy Frank Harlan, Bill Kalka, Kenneth Hambright, Bobby Massey, and Scotty McDonald, and such cowgirls as Maurine Harlan and Carol Nan Smith. The food served at the chuck wagon supper consisted of stew, beans, apricots, pickles, sour dough biscuits, and coffee. The weather was cold, as said before, so most of the small crowd attending the supper hovered around a bonfire built especially for the occasion. Following the supper and rodeo, (Continued on back page)

## School— SPORTS By Bill Boston

Tigers Win Second Place in District Tournament. The Tigers went into the second half of the district tournament Friday and Saturday with two wins and one defeat and came out with four wins and one defeat and the second place trophy. The Tigers soundly whipped the Shamrock Irish 60-38 Friday night to avenge a defeat earlier in the week by the Irish. Using a fast break and working plays the Tigers were unstoppable and never in danger. Three Tigers topped all the scorers: Haynes 23, Boston 17, and Eudey 14. Shamrock's high scorer was Buice with 11 points. Saturday night found Wellington and McLean pitted against each other for second place. Wellington had lost to the Memphis Cyclone by one point while the Tigers had lost to the same team by 11 points. This made Wellington a slight favorite. The game was called by many the game of the tournament. There was never more than four points difference between the two teams and McLean led all the way until the last minute when Wellington tied it up, 32-32. This game finally went into an overtime period in which Wellington made three points, McLean made two, and Haynes stole the ball for two points, and the game ended 36-35. Haynes and Shelton hit the bucket for nine points while Johnston of Wellington sank 10 (Continued on back page)

## McLean FFA Members Exhibit Top Livestock at Pampa Show

### Plans for Annual Grid Banquet Tuesday Night Near Completion

Plans were being completed this week for the annual banquet honoring members of the McLean Tiger football squad, the banquet to be held Friday night, March 2, in the American Legion Hall beginning at 8 o'clock. Featured speaker on the program will be Frank Kimbrough, head coach of the West Texas State College Buffaloes. He will be accompanied by Clark Jarnigan, assistant coach, and several members of the WTSC squad. Following his address, Kimbrough will show movies of one or more of the WTSC games this past fall. Tickets for the event went on sale last week, and are \$1.50 each. Only 150 tickets are available. Coach George McCarty said this week, and practically all have been sold. McCarty urged all persons who have tickets and do not intend to go to turn them over to someone who can attend, since a full turnout is desired. In addition to the address by Kimbrough, a set of high school students will sing. Awards to the outstanding backfield man and the outstanding lineman will be made by The McLean News. The winners of the

### Grand, Reserve Champion Hogs; Reserve Calf

McLean's representatives of the Future Farmers of America took so many prizes with their entries in the Top o' Texas livestock show Monday at Pampa that there was hardly any left over for the boys from the remainder of Gray County, and Wheeler and Roberts counties. Topping the list of prize-winners was Kenneth Hambright of McLean, whose hog took the grand champion title. Not to be satisfied, another McLean boy's entry, that shown by Vernon Turner, was the reserve champion. Then for the third year in a row, Dickie Andrews, better known during the fall for his football ability, was the owner of the reserve champion calf. Andrews won this same honor last year and the year before. Grand champion calf was shown by Jimmie Harris, 4-H Club member from Kelton, Wheeler County. Here's the way McLean entries stacked up: Senior Calves (Weighing over 800 pounds) Jimmie Harris, Kelton, 1st (this was the grand champion); Vernon Turner, McLean, 2nd; Dickie Andrews, 4th. Junior Calves (Weighing under 800 pounds) Dickie Andrews, 1st (this was the reserve champion); Billy Frank Harlan, 8th. Junior Pigs (Weighing under 225 pounds) Vernon Turner, 1st, (the reserve champion); Eddie Reeves, 2nd; Pete Everett, 3rd; Melvin Pierce, 4th; B. F. Gollightly, 6th; Pete Everett, 7th; Eddie Reeves, 8th; Kenneth Hambright, 9th; and Kenneth Seales, 10th. (Note that McLean entries won all the 10 places with the exception of 6th). Senior Pigs (Weighing over 225 pounds) Kenneth Hambright, 1st (the grand champion); B. F. Gollightly, 2nd. In the sale held Tuesday morning, Hambright's grand champion pig brought \$1.05, and was sold to Pursley Motors. The reserve champion pig, shown by Turner, was bought by Willis Price, also for \$1.05. The reserve champion calf, owned by Andrews, sold for \$1 per pound to the Panhandle Packing company. The grand champion shown by the Kelton lad also brought \$1 per pound and was sold to Lynn Boyd Lumber company. Other McLean calves and the money brought to the owners are as follows: Vernon Turner, 49 cents, bought by Willis Price; Dickie Andrews, 42 cents, to B. L. Hoover; Billy Frank Harlan, 48 cents, to Hobart Ranch; Pete Everett, 47 cents, to Courthouse Cafe. J. W. Simmons, 49 cents, to D. Coleman, 43 cents, Mitchell's Cambren Cattle company; John Grocery; Vernon Turner, 45 cents, to Oak Mill Equipment; Pat Reeves, 41 cents, to Culberson Chevrolet company; Billy F. Harlan, 43 cents, to Ideal Foods; J. W. Simmons, 48 cents, to Courthouse Cafe. In the sale of the hogs, the following prices were received by McLean boys: B. F. Gollightly, 60 cents, to Plains Motor company; Eddie Reeves, 60 cents, to Pampa National Farm Loan Association; Pete Everett, 55 cents, to G. H. Kyle; Melvin Pierce, 51 cents, to Tom Rose Motor company; B. F. Gollightly, 51 cents, to Mac Williams Service Station. Pete Everett, 54 cents, to Boies Dry Goods; Eddie Reeves, 50 cents, to Hughes-Pitts; Kenneth (Continued on back page)

### Some Food Prices Down, But Don't Be Too Optimistic Yet

It took a good while for the market slump of two weeks ago to affect local food prices, but the change finally arrived. Some foods went down in price, but some were still going up. So don't be too optimistic about what a slight market break means. Affected most were the prices of meats, particularly pork. In this week's issue of The News, shoppers can find bacon as low as 47 cents per pound, and it's sliced. It has been as high as 80 and 85 cents for the poorer grades of the popular breakfast meat. Also falling in line are pork chops, down about one-third, and ground beef, down about one-fourth. The drop in the price of wheat also affected the price of flour, with a reduction of approximately 40 cents per hundred pounds. It should be remembered, however, that that is only about a one-sixth reduction, since flour has been high as the proverbial cat's back. On the other hand, such popular items as coffee did not go down in price, and local grocers state that a rise in the price of coffee is likely to come soon. The same thing applies to several other popular food items. Nobody knows—at least nobody around here—just what the market will do next. Most people hope that the peak has been reached, but they also hope that a sudden great drop will not come. It should be remembered that when such commodities as wheat, corn, etc., go down on the market prices, so go the prices paid to the farmers; and when the farmer's products bring little, too to business.



**Mrs. D. R. Randall, Recent Bride, Is Given Shower**

Mesdames W. E. Bogan, H. A. Longino, J. L. Hess, Bob Black, Ellen Wilson, Frank Wilson, J. E. Kirby, and Willie Boyett were hostesses Tuesday afternoon in a "Two-in-One" program at the home of Mrs. Boyett.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at 2 o'clock for a short business session conducted by the president, Mrs. Kirby.

An interesting program on "World Brotherhood" was presented by Mrs. J. L. Andrews, assisted

**SOCIETY**

by Mrs. J. W. Story, Mrs. Ellen Wilson, and Mrs. Bonnie Swanson.

Others attending were Mesdames Earnest Beck, Earl Eustace Frank Rodgers, Byrd Gull, Bill Bailey, R. D. Patterson, R. F. Sanders, Earl Stubblefield, W. L. Hinton, and Christa Carol Rodgers.

Between the programs, refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, and coffee were served by the hostesses.

Piano music was furnished by Misses LaWanda Shaddid and Jan Black.

At 3 o'clock a bridal shower was given honoring Mrs. Donald R. Randall of San Diego, Calif., who before her marriage was Betty Jo Andrews.

Mrs. Johnnie Mertel registered the guests in a lovely bride's book which she had made for the occasion. In the absence of the honoree, her mother, Mrs. J. L. Andrews, received the gifts.

Attending and sending gifts were Mesdames J. A. Sparks, R. F. Sanders, R. L. Appling, Harris King, S. J. Dyer, Earnest Beck, J. W. Story, Paul Kennedy, J. M. Noel, Ellen Wilson, I. D.

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Mesdames Will Bogan, H. A. Longino, R. D. Patterson, Callie Haynes, Frank Rodgers, Elton Johnston, Byrd Gull, S. A. Cousins, Ercy Cubline, D. A. Davis, W. C. Shull, E. L. Crisp, Clifford Allison, Willie Boyett, Bill Bailey, Bonnie Swanson, and W. L. Hinton.

Mesdames John B. Rice, Amos Thacker, Bob Sherrard, Jess Ledbetter, Peggy McDonald, R. N. McMahan, Bill Boyd, J. R. Phillips, Homer Abbott, Granville Boyd, Ross Collier, Bryan McPherson, W. J. Carnes, Johnnie Biggers, Boyd Reeves, and Everett Watson.

Misses Sallie Ledbetter, Nadine Boyd, Jan Black, Bonita Bailey, LaWanda Shaddid, and Christa Carol Rodgers.

**Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor**

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church met Tuesday in the church parlor, with Mrs. J. B. Hembree as leader of the following program:

Prayer, Mrs. Hembree; missionary names and prayer, Mrs. Bill Stroud; "Negroes in America and Africa," Mrs. Bill Ferguson; song, "I Would Be True"; "The Life of Esther," Mrs. J. M. Payne; and Rev. Karl Ernst read a letter from Dr. Peepers, seminary professor, stating the present conditions in Germany.

Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Hembree and Mrs. C. E. Cortis, to Mesdames J. R. Glass, Mattie Graham, F. H. Bourland, Jess Kemp, J. M. Payne, Arthur Erwin, H. E. Franks, Kid McCoy, Bill Ferguson, Mistle Paschall, Bill Stroud, Karl Ernst, and C. O. Goodman.

Personnel of the Navy's Air Reserve Training Unit at Lakehurst, N. J., conducted an aerial survey of week-end traffic conditions on an arterial highway near the navy base for the state highway department.

Half the misery in the world comes of want of courage to speak and to hear the truth plainly, and in a spirit of love.—H. B. Stowe.

The highest reward for man's toil is not what he gets for it, but what he becomes by it.

**Spring Edition Of Texas Map Issued to Public**

The spring edition of the Texas Highway Department's official travel maps is being released for public distribution, State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer has announced.

The new four color map incorporates all changes in the road system through December occasioned by the department's vast postwar road building program.

There is a generous display of color pictures representing a cross-section of the state's industrial and recreational assets.

A message from Governor Beauford Jester is printed on the cover. Addressing "motorists everywhere," the governor invites all to "see and travel in Texas, revel in its sunshine, its modern cities, and scenic beauty."

Except for revisions in the road system and the new pictures, the edition is similar to others issued since the war which have been acclaimed among the best of the state road maps published in the nation.

Standard highway warning and directional signs are reproduced on the map to familiarize drivers with road markers.

Size of the Lone Star state is again graphically told by a table of comparative distances. The 868 miles from El Paso to Orange is greater than the 815 miles from El Paso to Los Angeles. It is also further than the 760 miles from Laredo to Mexico City.

Religious truth, tough what points of it you will, has always to do with the being and government of God, and is, of course, illimitable in its reach.—Hitchcock.

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**NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Burns and children of Skellytown spent Sunday with Mrs. Burns' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Bruton and son of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. West and June spent Sunday with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McClellan of Skillet.

Mrs. J. B. Chapman and daughter Lynna Gail are visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Jones Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruerton and son of Pampa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shirley. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDonald and sons spent the week-end at

Higgins visiting relatives. Those attending the W. M. U. meeting at Borger Tuesday were Mrs. Brent Chapman, Mrs. Tommy Austin, Mrs. W. J. Foster, Mrs. Dee Johnson, and Mrs. Ollie McPherson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Dwyer of Sunray were visitors last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer and other relatives.

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**FIRST TRACT:** A tract of land out of Section 17, Block 1, ACH & B Survey in Gray County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

**BEGINNING** at the northwest corner of said Section 17; **THENCE** south along the west line of said section line 540.1 feet; **THENCE** east 40 feet; **THENCE** north 158.2 feet to the beginning of a curve to the right, having a central angle of 7 degrees 46 minutes and a radius of 2825 feet; **THENCE** in a northeasterly direction around said curve to the right 264.2 feet to a point in the north line of said Section 17; **THENCE** west 66.2 feet to **POINT OF BEGINNING**, containing .81 acres, more or less.

**SECOND TRACT:** A tract of land out of Section 13, Block 1, ACH & B Survey in Gray County, Texas, described by metes and bounds as follows:

**BEGINNING** at a point in the north line of said Section 13, 1937.9 feet east of its northwest corner (said point being 42.9 feet west of Engineer's Station, centerline, 237 plus 23.0); **THENCE** south 21 degrees 07 minutes west 4948.5 feet to the beginning of a curve to the left having a central angle of 11 degrees 35 minutes and whose radius is 2905 feet (Engineer's Station 268 plus 86); **THENCE** in a southerly direction around said curve to the left 588.1 feet to a point in the west line of said Section 13; **THENCE** south along said section line 98.4 feet to its southwest corner; **THENCE** east along the south line of said

Section 13, 66.2 feet to a point in its south line; **THENCE** in a northeasterly direction around a curve having a central angle of 13 degrees 12 minutes and whose radius is 2825 feet, 666.9 feet to end of said curve (Engineer's Station 286 plus 86); **THENCE** north 21 degrees 07 minutes east 4979.5 feet to a point in the north line of said Section 13; **THENCE** west 85.8 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**; containing 10.3 acres, more or less.

**THIRD TRACT:** A tract of land 80 feet wide and 1307.7 feet long out of Section 8, Block 1, ACH & B Survey in Gray County, Texas, extending 40 feet on each side of a centerline described as follows:

**BEGINNING** at a point in the east line of said Section 8, 1205.8 feet south of its northeast corner (Engineer's Station 133 plus 97.7); **THENCE** south 22 degrees 46 minutes west 525.4 feet to the beginning of a curve to the right having a central angle of 37 degrees 34 minutes and whose radius is 1432.5 feet (Engineer's Station 189 plus 23.1); **THENCE** in a southerly direction around said curve to the right 929.2 feet to end of said curve (Engineer's Station 198 plus 62.3); **THENCE** south 60 degrees 20 minutes west 280.7 feet to the beginning of a curve to the left having a central angle of 18 degrees 18 minutes and whose radius is 1432.5 (Engineer's Station 201 plus 43.0); **THENCE** in a southerly direction around said curve to the left 457.5 feet to end of said curve (Engineer's Station 206 plus 00.5); **THENCE** south 43 degrees 02 minutes west 1696.9 feet to the beginning of a curve to the left having a central angle of 20 degrees 55 minutes and whose radius is 2865 feet (Engineer's Station 224 plus 67.4); **THENCE** in a southerly direction around said curve to the left 1045.8 feet to end of said curve (Engineer's Station 233 plus 13.2); **THENCE** south 21 de-

grees 07 minutes west 208.8 feet to a point in the south line of said Section 8, 1980.8 feet east of its southwest corner (Engineer's station 237 plus 22.0); containing 9.78 acres, more or less.

**FOURTH TRACT:** A tract of land 80 feet wide and 1307.7 feet long out of Section 9, Block 1, ACH & B Survey in Gray County, Texas, extending 40 feet on each side of a centerline described as follows:

**BEGINNING** at a point in the north line of said Section 9, 506.8 feet east of its northwest corner (Engineer's Station 170 plus 90); **THENCE** south 22 degrees 46 minutes west 1307.7 feet to a point in the west line of said Section 9, 1205.8 feet south of its northwest corner (Engineer's Station 183 plus 97.7); containing 2.40 acres, more or less.

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**IN WITNESS WHEREOF** we have hereunto set our hands this 4 day of February, A. D. 1948.

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Foreman Stubbs  
Clyde Gray  
Floyd McLaughlin  
D. M. Jones  
Jurors

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E. C. Bragg, Owner

The judgment day and the day after will be busy days for the most of us.

**Sack says**

Mrs. Martha McDonald and daughter, Mrs. Burton E. Carson, left Thursday last week from Pampa for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will visit for ten days with Mrs. Carson's husband, who is in the navy.

In Fort Worth, they are going to tear down a grand old mansion to make way for a grocery store. Hundreds of veterans are looking for a place to live, yet this fine residence, which could be made into a home for a dozen families, is to be destroyed.

It was beautiful when new and doubly beautiful now because of the touch of time and the aura of memories that pervades its big, high-ceilinged rooms. It has been the scene of balls and dinners. In Paris, it would have been called a chateau; in Italy, a castle—and it would stand for centuries.

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Sixteen Texas boys who would not have been able to enter any college were given their chance in 1946, thirty more in 1947. Their records in college have been excellent. This year's announcement folder lists twenty-eight separate scholarships, with the probability of more being made available before the close of the contest.

Scholarship, character, evidence of leadership and need of assistance are the points on which final winners are selected by a college committee. Application blanks, now in the hands of local high school principals, must be filled out by the boys and returned to the college committee by March 15. From these applications, finalists will be selected to enter a competitive examination to be held at the college May 1 and 2. Winners will be named on the basis of this examination.

Provided by gifts of thousands of former students of A. & M., with additional individual scholarships donated by leading Texas citizens and institutions, the Opportunity Awards give outstanding boys the chance in life which the sponsors believe they deserve. With the cash scholarship, an outstanding boy can earn enough money to complete his college

## A & M Offers Scholarships To Local Boys

Any boy graduating from McLean or Alanreed high schools this year with a good scholastic record and need of financial assistance will have a chance to win his own college education in a competition being conducted by Texas A. and M. College. Notice of the 1948 competition, with entry blanks for McLean and Alanreed boys who want to compete, were mailed to the principals of those schools this week by R. G. Perryman, secretary of the Texas A. and M. College scholarship committee.

Filling the need of giving every outstanding Texas boy a chance to earn his own college education, in spite of possible financial hardships, the "Texas A. and M. Opportunity Awards" program is now in its third year. It offers boys graduating from Texas high schools each year a chance to compete for four-year college scholarships paying \$200 to \$300 per year, plus an assurance of student jobs sufficient to earn other necessary expenses.

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### TROUBLED WORLD

IT IS EXTREMELY hard, during the present-day times, determine whether war is near or far away, since almost every one of our leaders have some different view on the subject.

Some of our leaders insist that there is no possibility of a war between Russia and the United States for a number of years, mainly because neither nation is physically able to conduct a war. In a recent article, it was pointed out that the U. S. has a greater mileage of railroads, by far, than does Russia, and that Russia would need many more miles of railroad before she could conduct much of a war.

On the other hand, some of our leaders insist that war is "just around the corner." Some have even come out with definite dates. Some of the dates have already passed, and some are yet to come. Those who believe that war is near point to the fact that Russia still has several million men under arms, that Russia still has her war machine intact while ours has been disbanded and our men have been sent home.

Then in between these two extremes, one of the proximity of war and one of the lack of any possibility of war, we have leaders who state publicly that war may come "if," or that war will not come "if."

Who are we to believe? Probably the best policy is not to believe any of them too strongly, but to do everything in our power to cope with the troubled situation and evade another war.

There is positively no justifiable reason for having a war, if we start in early enough to prevent the causes for war. But if we should wait until another Pearl Harbor catastrophe, then very few would fail to want war.

The surest way to evade war is to convince ourselves that the world can be "one world," to convince others that nations are our neighbors and not our enemies, and then to convince the world by convincing ourselves that neither we nor they can gain by war.

### Religious SNAPSHOTS

By George Anders

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against all evil. Some people seem to enjoy their job of looking for the faults and mistakes of others.

Dear readers, Christ died for our sins; the greatest fact of His love is that He laid down His life for us. He died for all the world. He died that every one of us might have life through faith in Him. He died to save men from eternal doom.

The Good Shepherd gave His life to save from sin. He saves from selfishness and greed, covetousness and jealousy. He saves from death and Satan. He saves for righteousness and God.

It is good to preach, to shout, and sing. You are doing well when you stop and pray. But the best of all is the joy you bring to others along life's rugged way.

Mrs. Jack Burnett of Dumas returned to her home Monday after spending a few days here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood.

J. C. Claborn made a business trip to Pampa Thursday last week.

## TALK

By LESTER

Several people have asked me about the proposed recreation program, what all it will include, whether it will include the construction of a swimming pool, etc.

I would like to get one thing straight. I am not attempting to run this thing, and neither do I intend to do so. I merely suggested the idea, because I think the town needs a program of some sort.

As for what it will include, I really don't know all the angles. If a recreation board is appointed, it will be one of its duties to study similar programs in other small towns, find out what these programs include, add to them or take away, and set up a recreation program. I suppose it should include such things as softball, baseball, tennis, skating, basketball, volleyball, woodcraft for boys, and some kind of craft for girls. The program would include recreation for both men and women and boys and girls. If it were formulated correctly, that would be the job for the recreation board.

As for the swimming pool idea, the three mill tax proposed on the petition would NOT take care of the construction of a swimming pool. It should be realized that a swimming pool would cost in the neighborhood of 20 to 25 thousand dollars. It is my opinion, however, that now, with the extremely high cost of building, it is not the time to construct a swimming pool.

Another thing, regardless of what goes on, some people take the wrong attitude, and think there is some sinister reason behind anyone's proposal. I would like to state publicly that I do not have any conceivable idea about the person who would supervise the summer program. I merely stated that a coach would be the logical person for the job, since a coach is used to handling people, especially young people, and since the program would include a number of sports. The hiring of the person to supervise the program would be

left up entirely to the recreation board.

As for the cost of the program to you as individuals and taxpayers, I'm not sure of the outcome. The petition which is being circulated does not call for an additional tax of three mills on the taxable dollar, but it does call for an allocation for that amount. Some of the members of the city council tell me that the money could be allocated without any raise in the tax rate. I frankly don't know about that. That would be left up to the city council.

One other thing: I am not setting myself up as an expert on recreation programs. In fact, I actually know very little about how they operate. All I know is that I have seen some of the benefits derived from the programs, and I know, if they are properly operated, the programs can be very beneficial to all people.

I haven't been a resident of McLean for a very long period of time, yet I have already made a number of so-called enemies. In the business I am in, I suppose it is necessary. I don't want to make enemies, but I honestly believe I would be editing a very poor newspaper if I didn't suggest such worthwhile things as a recreation program, and if I didn't work to gain these things.

Who knows? The recreation program might be a complete flop, although I don't think it would be.

I will admit one thing, however. It will be a flop if all of us don't give it our hearty cooperation.

The rodeo, chuck wagon supper, and dance sponsored by the senior class last Friday night turned out to be a success. The supper was held outside, and there weren't many in attendance, but I went and I thoroughly enjoyed the food. I will have to admit that I had the heartburn about an hour after eating, due to the fact that I had three helpings of that stew.

You may be one of those opposed to dancing, but the dance was very nice, and very well conducted. I enjoyed most of all the square dance exhibition. Some day I am going to learn how to square dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Nath Franks and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Presler and daughter Beverly spent Sunday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mantooth and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dickinson and Nancy returned last week from Amarillo, where Mr. Dickinson received medical treatment.

Miss Imogene Cummings returned Monday to Dallas after a few days visit here with her sister, Mrs. Roger Powers.

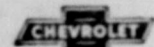
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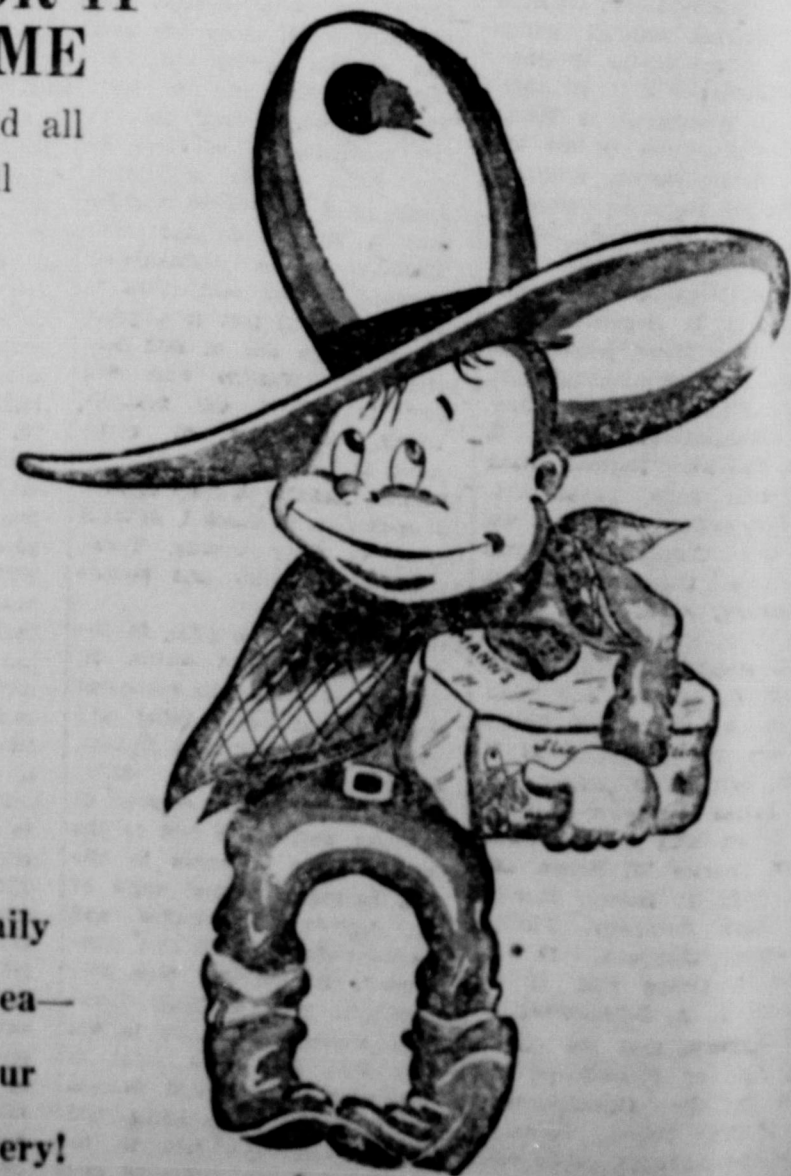
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# Society

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pierson were visitors last week with relatives and friends in Woodward, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shedrick attended market-week in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland made a trip to Amarillo last week for dental treatment.

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### Baptist S. S. Class Is Given Party In Graham Home

The Willing Workers class of the Baptist Sunday School was entertained with a forty-two and wahoo-party Friday evening in the home of Mrs. Joe Graham. Refreshments of cherry pie and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Billingslea, Miss Margaret Glass, Miss Marjorie Fowler, and the hostess.

### Gary Joe Graham Is Given Party On 3rd Birthday

Gary Joe Graham was entertained on Saturday, February 21, with a party given in the home of his mother, Mrs. Joe Graham, honoring him on his third birthday anniversary.

Games were played and refreshments were served to Nona Ruth Beck, Joyce Beasley, Cynthia Ann Rice, Jobye Jones, Larry Williams, Ben Billingslea, Donna Sue Graham, Kay Stephens, Pam Mann, Chunky Walker, Jeff Kivlehen, Sharon Kay Kivlehen, Howard Williams, Mrs. J. L. Mann, and Mrs. Joe Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worthington of Mobeetle and Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood of Brice were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Smallwood and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pittman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kiser are the parents of a son born Thursday, February 19, in Shamrock. He weighed 7½ pounds and has been named Phillip Rex. Mrs. Kiser and Phillip Rex returned to McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hancock made a business trip to Amarillo last Friday.

### Miss Annie Jones Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

Miss Annie Jones was honored with a wedding shower Thursday, February 19, at 7:30 o'clock in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Wayne Brister, Vester Dowell, Homer Abbott, Olen Davis, Jim Stevens, D. M. Simpson, and Boyd Reeves.

Miss Nadine Boyd secured names for the bride's book and Miss Mildred Holloway presided at the punch bowl. Recorded music was played as the guests assembled. Attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Leo Gibson, Paul Miller, Johnnie Mertel, Frank Howard, Claude Simmons, C. A. Myatt, R. L. McDonald, H. W. Grigsby, C. P. Callahan, Bill Moore, and H. E. Wetzel.

Mesdames Velma Betchan, Kid McCoy, Homer Abbott, T. N. Holloway, W. Boyett, C. M. Carpenter, Boyd Reeves, Lucille Parker, Marvin Simpson, L. B. Blocker, C. E. Cortis, and George Colebank.

Mesdames C. B. Lee Jr., John Cooper, Frank P. Wilson, Luther Petty, C. B. Lee, A. D. Nichols, Frank Stewart, Clyde Dwight Sr., W. L. Hinton, J. L. Hess, Bill Boyd, Wayne Brister, and Buck Glass.

Mesdames Verna Burris, J. W. Burrows, H. F. Magerkurth, J. A. Rawley, Thomas Perkins, K. S. Rippy, Nath Franks, Joe Simp-

son, Lorene Guyton, Paul Guyton, W. W. Guyton, Jim Simpson, and W. C. Kennedy.

Mesdames F. H. Bourland, Ray Stephens, Robert Howard, T. E. Crisp, Carl Sullivan, W. C. Shull, T. A. Langham, Frank Rodgers, Callie Haynes, Paul Pierson, Carl Jones, Guy Beasley, and Olen Davis.

Mesdames Corinne Trimble, Era Kibler, Lady Bryant, Frank Reeves, Travis Stokes, S. R. Jones, Vester Dowell, B. W. Brown, W. A. Gaines, R. O. Cunningham, Kate Stokes, and Tom Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foster Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hudgins, Mr. and Mrs. Harris King, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Heasley, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Stokely, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Jones, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Reneau, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Reneau, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hembree, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westfall, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Rippey, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rainwater, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sale, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Klucas, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Hoeke, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Foster Jr., Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Meyer, and G. W. Terry.

Misses Cora Blocker, Eunice Stratton, Mildred Holloway, Cleo Jones, Mary Lee Stevens, Iva Nora Simpson, Ann Wilson, Pat Durham, Margaret Glass, Nadine Boyd, Marnelle Ledgerwood, Sue Davis, and Caroline Stokes.

Mrs. I. W. Huber of Amarillo visited with friends here Sunday.

Arthur Dwyer and Jim Sullivan made a trip to Pampa Tuesday.

### 'Peace Day' Topic Of Program for Pioneer Club

"Peace Day" was the featured program topic at the Thursday afternoon meeting of the Pioneer Study Club, with Mrs. Earl Stubblefield as leader of the program, in the home of Mrs. W. E. Bogan.

Other topics discussed during the afternoon were "United Nations Council at Work," and "Children of Russia" by Mrs. Paul Pierson; and "Is Russia a Menace to Peace," and "Country and Conditions of Russia" by Mrs. H. H. Wade.

Members attending were Mesdames C. W. Bogan, J. D. Coleman, Emory Crockett, Logan

Cummings, C. R. Griffith, J. H. Kritzler, W. S. Lentz, C. J. Magee, P. A. Pierson, Roger Powers, Earl Stubblefield, H. H. Wade, June Woods, and W. E. Bogan.

David, of Newberg, Oreg., are visiting relatives here. Mrs. George is a granddaughter of Mrs. John Gullledge and a niece of Mrs. F. H. Bourland. The Georges made the trip in their plane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. George and children, Alcia, Mary, and

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## Sports—

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 points and honors for the night.

McLean Whalers Wheeler Two Out of Four

The grade school lost both of their games to the Wheeler Mustangs while the high school took the Mustangs in the cleaners. McLean girls 15-11, McLean boys, 27-21, Tuesday night.

The Tiger boys started out carefully, holding only a 23-4 margin at the end of the first quarter and at the half a 25-12 lead. Then came the devastating last half in which the Tigers scored 42 points to the Mustangs' 3. The Tigers team was composed of all senior men in this game, Myers, Shirley, Boston, Shelton, and Smith.

Myers, playing center, went wild and led the scorers for both teams with 29 points while Gains hit 13 for the losers.

The Tiger girls, preparing for this week-end's regional tournament at White Deer, showed great spirit and team work in compiling a 36-20 score. After the first quarter it was never any doubt as to who would be the winner.

Goalie of the Tigers hit 22 points for the scoring honors while Jody Reid of Wheeler was close behind with 18 points to her credit.

## Tuesday Night's Games End Home Season

Last Tuesday night's games with Wheeler closed the basketball season at home.

The boys are through for this season while the girls are to go to White Deer Friday and Saturday.

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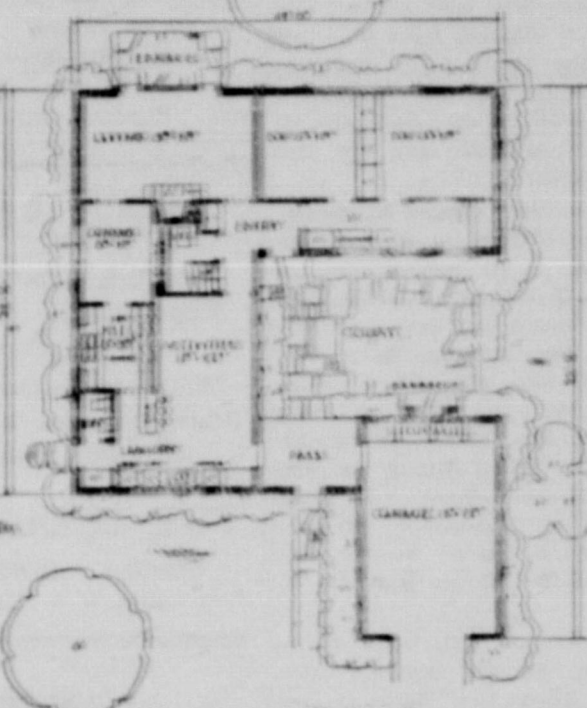
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## Toastmasters—

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 men, including the Lions president, Cleo Michay.

The Pampa Toastmaster's Club meets once each week, and various members are assigned speeches, thereby giving them actual practice in speaking before an audience. The group here Tuesday stated that more clubs are wanted, and they were desirous of such a club being formed here.

Accompanying Williams, who is the district and conservationist, was Wayman Pittman, newly-appointed head of the SCS work unit office in Pampa.

Testing carrier aircraft and V-bombs together, the navy hopes to adapt rocket warfare for surface vessels. First firing was with a captured German V-4 from the deck of USS Midway at sea.

Canadian Wins Boxing Match  
 The Tigers journeyed to Canadian Tuesday night to engage the Wildcats in a boxing match. The Tigers won six, lost nine, and tied one. Two of these wins and losses were by knock-outs. No names were kept of the opponents.

High School:  
 Johnny Morris lost, 2-1; Johnny Vineyard won, 2-0; Jack Brooks won, 2-0; Kenneth Carter lost, dec.; Cliff Callahan, draw.

Grade School:  
 Jackie Bentley won, dec.; Rodney Gunn lost, dec.; George Graham lost, dec.; Wayne Moore lost, dec.; Brooks Hugg lost, dec.; Joe Crockett lost, dec.; Don Crockett won, dec.; Fred Brister lost, dec.; Ricky Muntz lost, dec.; Bill Shadick won, dec.; James Andrews won, dec.

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## Senior Rodeo—

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 those attending that portion of the affair retired to the gym, where a large crowd gathered to enjoy the dancing. Highlighting the dance was a square dance exhibition, put on by four men and four women. Later in the evening a cake walk was held. Music was by the Texas Swingsters.

## FFA Winners—

(Continued from page 1)  
 Hambrick, 30 cents, to Paulhandle Packing company.

Kenneth Seales, 58 cents, to Willis Price; Bob McComaghe, 30 cents, to Julie Hess; Vernon Turner, 11 cents, to American National Bank of McLean; Dale Johnston, 30 cents, to Ed Dunning; David Wilson, 30 cents, to Courthouse Cafe; Kenneth Seales, 31 cents, to Smith Shoe Store.

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