

Scouts to Have Night of Boxing Friday, April 23

McLean's Boy Scout troop No. 1 will sponsor an evening of boxing Friday night, April 23, beginning at 8 o'clock, in the high school gym, Scoutmaster Hank Pressler announced this week.

A number of matches will be made among members of the scout troop, and several exhibition matches of heavier boys will be presented.

Following the boxing matches, homemade pies and cake will be served. All proceeds of the night will be used to aid in buying uniforms for the Scouts.

Next Wednesday, all members of the troop will go to Amarillo, where they will be outfitted in their new uniforms. While there, they will also dispose of the old uniforms and magazines which were collected by the troop several weeks ago. The boys will leave Wednesday morning from the high school gym, Pressler said.

On Thursday, local residents are invited to get to see the entire troop in their new uniforms. A parade is planned now to have the Scout members parade with the band to advertise the night of boxing. Immediately following the parade, ticket sales to the fair will start.

S. Returns to Dallas

After time for employers to file their quarterly social security tax returns again—but the Social Security Administration doesn't want your money! J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security office, says that his office again has received a number of tax returns, with money enclosed, which should have been sent to the Collector of Internal Revenue.

When mailed, the quarterly social security tax returns should be sent to the Collector of Internal Revenue, Dallas.

When sent by error to the Amarillo social security office, returns are delayed in reaching internal revenue, Sanderson explained.

He reminded employers who have not yet completed the returns for the quarter ending March 31, that they should expedite in reporting the complete and exact social security tax amount of each employee who worked, for no matter how short a period, during January, February, and March. The return must be filed not later than April 30, 1948, by all employers of one or more persons on work covered by the Social Security Act.

Students Take Festival Tests

Mrs. Willie Bovett presented seven piano students in solo playing at the Music Festival in Amarillo Thursday and Friday of last week, with the following ratings:

June Stubbiefield, Donna Gail Stubbiefield, Sue Glass, and Billy James Rainwater played two solos each with excellent ratings; Billy Eugene Rodgers, three solos with superior and one excellent rating; Dicky Sligar, three solos with one superior, one excellent, and one good; LaWanda Shadid, four solos with three superior and one excellent rating. Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Ringo of Tulsa University, Tulsa, Okla., were judges.

In theory tests, Sue Glass, June Stubbiefield, Billy Eugene Rodgers, and LaWanda Shadid made superior. Donna Gail Stubbiefield, Dicky Sligar, and Billy James Rainwater made excellent.

A daughter was born Monday, April 12, in Pampa to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott.

Jurors for Highway Hearing Are Called

Forty-five prospective jurors for the petit jury to try the case of W. J. Ball, et al. vs. the Texas State Highway Commission are now being called to duty in the 31st district Friday, according to a story in Tuesday's Pampa News. The list has been filed with District Clerk Dee Patterson.

Ball and others, all of whom are residents of Alameda, are asking the court in their petition to grant an injunction stopping the highway commission from changing the route of U. S. Highway 66, which now passes through Alameda.

Surveys indicate the commission proposes to change the route of the highway about one mile east of Alameda. If this plan is carried out, the petitioners assert, the road will miss the town by one quarter of a mile.

Jurors being called to duty are as follows (where the name of the city is not given, the man comes from Pampa):

Lee Harrah, R. F. Field, Groom; D. Jones, John C. Haynes, McLean; J. J. Broome, C. R. Bolin, Lefors; C. B. Cummings, Lloyd Kuntz, E. G. Nelson, John Hankins, C. A. Burton, H. R. Powers, Lefors; Joe Looper, H. B. McPherson, McLean; Paul Wagoner, Vester Dowell, McLean.

John L. Pritchard, Lefors; T. G. Goves, D. E. Holt Jr., E. L. Henderson, W. A. Wagoner, Joe Mitchell, Walter Ollinger, Groom; H. H. Stull, Emmett Gee, R. E. Stubbiefield, McLean; C. M. Blymiller, Ray L. Jordan, Paul C. Crouch, Frank Baker, Bernard Johnson, L. N. Atchison, R. A. Hankhouse.

J. B. Townsend, Clyde M. Brown, McLean; Edgar E. Brown, Lefors; E. A. Arlington, Lefors; Clyde Blackwell, M. E. Doss, Groom; Geo. Adame, E. J. Pafford, Lefors; B. D. Vaughan, Lefors; Frank Pata, Boyd Reeves, McLean; and Leonard Black, Lefors.

J. W. Sullivan To Run Again For Constable

J. W. Sullivan, present holder of the office of constable of Precinct No. 5, this week announced that he will be a candidate for re-election to that office, and authorized The News to announce that candidacy, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries this summer.

Sullivan, who had stated previously that he would not be a candidate for re-election, made the following statement:

"I have been urged by my friends both at McLean and Alameda to seek the office again. I had not intended to run again, but many have come to me and insisted that I be a candidate for re-election.

"It is my hope that my original public statement that I would not run has not inconvenienced anyone, for that certainly was not my intention.

"I feel that my service in the past as your constable enables me to be fully qualified for the office. If re-elected, I will again administer the duties of the office with fairness to all and impartiality to none.

"During the next few weeks, I will try to see all of you. But if I should miss you, I take this means of soliciting your help and influence in the coming primaries."

Henry O. Boyd Announces for Local Constable

Henry O. Boyd this week authorized The News to announce his candidacy for the office of constable of Precinct No. 5, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries this summer.

In making his announcement, Boyd, a long-time resident of this area, made the following statement:

"I have lived in this area for a number of years, and am well acquainted with the problems which confront local officials. If elected to the office of constable, it will be my intention to deal fairly with everyone, and show no partiality to any person.

"During the coming campaign, I plan to see each voter of the precinct, but if I should miss seeing anyone, I wish to take this means of soliciting your support and influence in the primaries. Your vote and help will be greatly appreciated."

Politicians, Here's Your First Chance To Gain Support

Candidates of Gray County, here's your first chance!

The senior class of Alameda will sponsor a box supper Tuesday night, April 20, at the Alameda gym, beginning at 8 o'clock.

And a special invitation is being extended to all candidates. Music will be furnished by the Texas Swingers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson are the parents of a son born Tuesday, April 13, in an Amarillo hospital. He weighed seven pounds.

Veterans Ag Class Makes Trip To Spur Experimental Station

The veterans vocational agriculture class, under the supervision of Jesse Coleman, Gray County vets school co-ordinator, made a trip to the experimental station at Spur Wednesday to study progress of experiments being conducted there.

The experimental station officials were conducting a field day, giving demonstrations and pointing out the results of various agricultural experiments. The visit was particularly interesting to the class members, since practically the same climatic conditions explained.

Transportation by bus was furnished by C. E. Cooke, local Chevrolet dealer.

More students can be added to the newly-organized tractor mechanics school for veterans, Coleman said. The class, organized a few weeks ago, is now holding sessions three nights weekly in the Gibson Welding Shop. Classes on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday nights begin at 6 o'clock in the evening. Veterans attending are given subsistence allowances under the G. I. bill of rights.

Instructor for the tractor mechanics school is Truitt Johnson, well-known mechanic here.

Plans are now underway to organize another agriculture class, and an organizational meeting will be held Tuesday night at 7 o'clock at the Gibson Welding Shop. Any veterans interested in joining the class were urged this week by Coleman to attend the first meeting. If sufficient interest is shown, the class will be formed in the very near future.

Tigers Take Lead in District Baseball Race

The Tiger baseball squad dropped its first district 2-A game of the season Tuesday afternoon, when the Wellington Rockets ran up a 30-13 score over the local team. Errors were coming freely, and in the initial inning, the Rockets ran up an 8-score lead with only two hits. Results of other games played Tuesday in the district were not known here Wednesday, but McLean still remains on top of the league unless White Deer came through unscathed Tuesday.

The District 2-A baseball race got underway last week with a bang, and the McLean Tigers let it be known they are stronger than expected by copping two games, one over Shamrock and one over Memphis.

In the opening games early last week, McLean downed Shamrock 15-14; Memphis won over Wellington 11-9, and White Deer whipped Canadian 15-1.

In the second series Friday afternoon, McLean took the measure of the Memphis Cyclone 16-13; Wellington and Canadian had open dates; and the Shamrock-White Deer game was postponed due to the district track meet.

Johnny Haynes came out on top of the heap in the slugging department of the Tiger team. Against Shamrock he hit a single and a home run in six times at bat, and in the Memphis game he got five hits in six times at the plate. At Memphis, he tallied a 390-foot homer, two triples, a double, and a single.

Heavy hitters in the two opening games of the Tigers also include Bill Boston and Bobby Bruner. Boston poled a triple in each of the two; Bruner, besides doing some nice pitching, has contributed six hits in eight times at bat for an average of .750 to lead the local hitters. One of Bruner's hits was a triple.

Other boys meeting the ball nicely and contributing to the two victories thus far achieved are Johnny Griffith at third base; L. M. Watson, pitcher and outfielder; Alvis Shelton, center fielder; Bill Eudey, left fielder; Jack Brooks, first base; Petie Everett, first base; and W. A. Bruner, catcher.

Other boys who have been showing up well in practice include Charles Bailey, Earl Trimble, Jimmy Williams, Dick Andrews, Jack Collie, Melvin Pierce, Billy Ellington, Ronald Littrell, Bobby Myatt, Arvin Smith, Jimmy Newton, Bobby Kramer, Ray Mid-daugh, Bob McConaghie, J. W. Simmons, and Don Tindall.

Batting averages for those who have appeared in the first two games played are as follows:

Haynes	584
Griffith	455
Eudey	182
W. A. Bruner	200
Watson	333
Boston	584
Shelton	273
Brooks	333
Everett	600
Andrews	600
Bobby Bruner	750

District Standings:

Team	Won	Lost
White Deer	1	0
McLean	2	1
Memphis	1	1
Wellington	1	1
Shamrock	0	1
Canadian	0	1

Seniors to Get Prevue Proceeds

A midnight prevue, benefitting the McLean High School senior class, will be held Saturday night at the Avalon Theatre, beginning at 11:30 o'clock. It was announced this week.

Proceeds of the show are being donated by Bill Howard, manager, to the class to aid in defraying expenses of the annual senior trip. Seniors will sell tickets in advance.

Gray County's Political Situation Thickens as More Enter Races

'Speakers' Have First Regular Club Meeting

Although only a few men were present, the first regular meeting of the newly-formed Speakers Club, later to become affiliated with the national Toastmasters organization, turned out to be a successful session.

The meeting was the first to be held in the manner prescribed by the national organization. C. W. Bogan, president of the local club, opened the meeting, and turned the program to the toastmaster for the evening, Lester Campbell.

Dr. J. H. Kritzier gave a five-minute prepared speech. The other prepared speech, which was scheduled to be given by Ruel Smith, was postponed, since Smith was unable to be present.

Serving as topicmaster was Boyd Meador, who assigned impromptu talks to John R. Fulmer, Emory Crockett, Bob Sheddick, Bogan, Campbell, Guy Hibler, and J. C. Claborn.

The club will be known as the Speaker's Club until it can affiliate with the national organization. A minimum of 20 and a maximum of 30 members may belong to an affiliated club, and it is hoped to have at least 20 members of the local organization within a short time.

The next meeting of the club will be held in the Lions Hall Monday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. Meetings are at present open to the public.



G. F. SANDERS, 18th district Legion commander, who will preside at the annual district convention to be held in Pampa April 17 and 18.

V. A. Official to Address Legion District Meet

Dr. George Pratt, manager of the Veterans' Administration Hospital at Amarillo, will be the principal speaker at the annual spring convention of the 18th district of the American Legion which will be held for two days in Pampa Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18. G. F. Sanders, Childress, 18th district commander, has announced.

A full two-day program for the American Legion, the 40 and 8, and the American Legion Auxiliary has been arranged by the Pampa post which is commanded by Lee Roy Franks.

Registration will start at 12 noon at the Schneider Hotel, Saturday. At 1:30 o'clock that afternoon an open house for auxiliary members will be held at the city club rooms at the city hall. At 3 o'clock an 18th district 40 and 8 wreck will be staged. At 4 o'clock a tea for auxiliary members will be given at the city club rooms. At 6 a dinner for registered 40 and 8 delegates will be enjoyed in the Palm room. This will be followed by a business session of the district 40 and 8. At 8 o'clock a Pan American program, "Argentina," will be presented for the auxiliary. Saturday's program will be climaxed with a dance starting at 9:30 o'clock in the American Legion building with music by R. E. Smith and his 11 piece orchestra.

Sunday's activities begin bright and early with a breakfast for all district commanders and adjutants at 7:30 o'clock at the Courthouse Cafe. At 9:30 the general session of the American Legion and Auxiliary will open at the Junior High School auditorium on West Jenkins Avenue. Welcome address will be by Robert W. Curry of Pampa with response by Mayor Warren Jenkins of Higgins. Dr. Pratt will make his address and this will be followed by a business session.

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No Quorum—Votes Not Yet Canvassed

A meeting of the city council was scheduled for Monday night of this week to canvass votes of the election held April 6, but no official session was held when a quorum failed to appear.

Mayor Harris King stated that another meeting would be called in the near future to canvass the votes, and conclude the business of the present council.

BIRTHDAYS

April 18—Larry Ledbetter, Thos. Ashby.

April 19—Mrs. J. T. McCarty, Charles Cousins, C. P. Callahan, Mrs. Truman Thompson.

April 20—C. J. Cash, Haskell Smith, Eddie Grigsby, Mrs. Melvin Dean, Mrs. Fred Bentley, Mrs. Pete Chilton, Lynnda Douglas, Louise Hornsby, Lloyd Erwin.

April 21—Laura Mae Switzer, Harold Meador, Carl William Back, Mrs. Pauline Smyth, Mrs. Luke Henley.

April 22—Mrs. Clifford Allison, John Frederick Graham, Donald Gene Holder.

April 23—Boyd Reeves, J. R. Back, J. P. Alexander, Mrs. John W. Dwyer, Tommy Nichols, Kenneth Goodman.

April 24—Jimmy McCarty, Rosa Lee Jones.

Three Now Seek Precinct No. 5 Constable Job

Gray County's political scene is gradually becoming more and more cloudy as additional candidates are placed on the list, and the southern precinct of the county is no exception.

Just a few weeks ago, the office of constable of Precinct No. 5 had no candidates, and this week there are three. The three who have authorized The News to announce their candidacies are J. W. Sullivan, incumbent, D. W. (Buddy) Watkins, and Henry O. Boyd.

Sullivan had announced originally that he would not seek re-election, but changed his mind this week upon the insistence of friends, he stated. Watkins announced several weeks ago. Boyd joined the ranks of the candidates this week.

A county race now drawing the most attention is that for the office of county judge. So far there are two candidates, County Attorney Bruce L. Parker, and John O. Pitts, Pampa businessman. Still another businessman there has stated that he would be in the race.

The sheriff's race still has only two candidates. One is the present sheriff, G. H. Kyle, and the other is Jeff Guthrie, former deputy. Rumors are that another Pampa man may enter this race.

District Clerk Dee Patterson has also annexed opposition in her race for re-election. Announcing recently for that office was A. L. "Pat" Patrick.

Charlie Thut, county clerk; F. E. Leech, assessor-collector; and Oia Gregory, treasurer, as yet have no opposition for re-election. B. S. Via, Pampa attorney, who is seeking the office of county attorney has no opposition for that office.

Most-desired office seems to be that of commissioner of Precinct 2 (the precinct in which Pampa is located). There eight men are seeking election. They are Nat Lunsford, Z. H. (Pop) Mundy, Clyde Organ, E. C. Schaffer, W. A. Noland, J. W. "Bill" Graham, Bertie Vaught, and Irvin W. Cole. The present commissioner, Wade Thomasson, has not announced for re-election, although he is expected to do so shortly.

In the local precinct, Ernest Beck is asking re-election as commissioner, and is being opposed by O. L. Tibbets. W. E. Green, candidate for re-election as justice of the peace here, as yet has no opponent.

Wheeler School Group Named

Senator James E. Taylor, chairman of the Gilmer-Alkin committee, has announced the names of members of the County Advisory committee on education in Wheeler County.

Those appointed to membership on the county committee were submitted to the Gilmer-Alkin committee by school officials and heads of civic organizations. Each member of the committee was mailed a copy of "Let's Look at Our Schools in Texas," as a guide for county committees in the study of their local school system. This is being done in each county throughout the state.

Those named on the committee for Wheeler County were: T. M. Britt, Allen Kavanaugh, Elmer J. Moore, J. B. Clark, W. O. Garrick, Bob Taylor, Claude Brown, L. D. McCauley, Claude Barker, W. W. Hughes, Bennie Schegel, J. B. Henderson, Mrs. Lucille Zeigler, Thurman Adkins, and Frank Wofford.

Dr. L. A. Woods, State School Head, to Speak at Kellerville

Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of schools, will be the principal speaker at a teacher-trustee banquet to be held at the Kellerville school cafeteria Monday night. It has been announced by H. M. Wiley, president of the Wheeler County school board. The banquet will start at 8 o'clock.

Co-sponsors with the county school board will be members of the Kellerville school board. A crowd of at least 300 teachers, trustees, and wives or husbands, is expected to be present.

NEWS FROM LIBERTY

Services every Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Kate Stokes returned home Monday from a visit in Amarillo. Mrs. Everett Dorsey and Mrs. Sanders were shopping in Pampa Tuesday.

Kenneth Davis visited with relatives over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Stokes visited Sunday with an aunt who is in the Wheeler hospital.

Mrs. Olen Davis and Sue were in Pampa Tuesday.

Mrs. Ella Stewart, who has been in South Texas for the past few weeks, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mrs. T. A. Langham and mother visited relatives in Oklahoma over the week-end.



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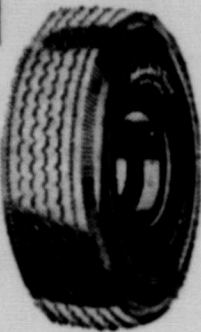
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SOCIETY

Junior Music Club Meeting Is Held In Boyett Studio

The Junior Music Club met April 2 at the studio of Mrs. Willie Boyett. Hostesses were Mesdames Jack Boyd, A. A. Watkins, and L. M. Watson.

Bobby Boyd, Marie Watson, Mary Lou Watkins, and Wanda Rose Watkins played their repertoires of piano numbers, in addition to the regular club members. Donna Ruth Magee received a pin for ten months attendance and the required grades.

On the honor roll for March were Shirley Allison, Bobby Boyd, Barbara Carter, Floella Cubine, Beth Brooks, Betty Dickinson, Mollie Erwin, Pauline Erwin, Ticie Glenn, and Glen Howard.

Monta Jean Kennedy, Donna Ruth Magee, Billy Eugene Rodgers, Lester Sitter, Glenda Switzer, Laura Mae Switzer, Frankie Tucker, Barbara Nell Williams, and Mary Lou Watkins.

Others appearing on the program were Sue Glass, Betty Jean McClellan, Donna Gail Stubblefield, and June Stubblefield.

Senior T. U. Class Is Given Dinner In Dowell Home

Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell entertained the Senior Training Union Class of the First Baptist Church with a turkey dinner Sunday in their home.

Attending were Bill Willingham, Marnelle Ledgerwood, Dick Grigsby, Bonnie Willis, Wes Langham, Mildred Holloway, Scotty McDonald, Ethel Hugg, and Helen Brooks.

Pictures were taken in the afternoon and all attended Training Union and church that night.

A two-weeks course in library training under actual working conditions is being taken in the Tulsa Public Library by Miss Norma Jean Wade, who is an Oklahoma University student at Norman, Okla. Miss Wade is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Wade of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Simms are visiting in the home of Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. J. T. McCarty.

Locals

Mrs. Joe Bidwell and son Terry Don have returned home from the Wheeler hospital, where Terry Don has spent the past week recovering from bronchial pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning and daughter Joy, and Mr. and Mrs. Vester Dowell attended the Baptist baptismal services at LeFors Monday night.

Mrs. Luther Petty and grandson Vernon Kennedy, returned home Tuesday from a visit with relatives at Amarillo, Kress, and Canyon. Mrs. Petty attended the Panhandle Press convention in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Ray Rath is reported ill with pneumonia in the home of a daughter in Pampa.

Billy D. Rice and John B. Rice visited Thursday of last week in Pampa at the Worley hospital with their sister, Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong, who underwent a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price and son Neil, and Cliff Callahan were Sunday visitors in Hollis, Okla., in the home of Mrs. E. L. Price Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Deen and daughter Carole Ann of Merkel visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and with other friends. The Deens are former residents of Kellerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibbs and son Billy left Sunday for their home in Pine Bluff, Ark., after a few days visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clevy Hancock, and in Alanreed with Mrs. Leonard Glass.

Mrs. James G. Kostka and little son Jimmy arrived Saturday from Evansville, Ill., for a visit with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McCarty.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne returned Monday from Austin where they visited in the home of their

daughter, Mrs. Bob Houze and family. Bobby Houze, who has been visiting here with his grandparents for the past three weeks remained with his parents.

Visitors in the Odell Mantooth home Thursday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mantooth, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mantooth of Harrah, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Randy Mantooth and family of Pampa. Wayne Mantooth, who has been in the army, has just returned from Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Savage of Plainview were recent visitors in the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. W. Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan and Cliff, and Neil Price attended the Crosley dealers appliance meeting in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. M. D. Bentley left Friday for Mineral Wells where she will visit with her sister, Mrs. Annie Freeman.

Miss Mary Lee Abbott of Borger visited over the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott.

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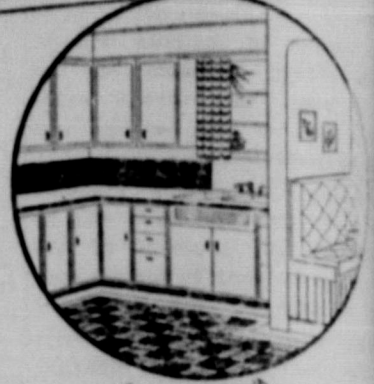
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NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Sgt. Earl Barrett of Randolph Field spent the week-end visiting his mother, Mrs. Jack Boyd, and his grandmother, Mrs. H. H. Hutchins of Pampa.

Jack Harris, Edwin Owen, and Joe Bruton went to Lake Pauline and Groesbeck Creek over the week-end. The report was that the wind blew too hard for fish to bite.

S. B. Kiser moved his house to a location just south of McLean Monday.

The revival at the Baptist Church closed Sunday night with

14 conversions and several coming by letter. Rev. W. C. Carpenter of Raton, N. M., was the evangelist.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wood and Annmy have moved from the Warren Corporation to McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rippey will move to Kellerville to fill the vacancy.

W. H. Bagnes has returned from Oklahoma City, where he was called on account of the illness of a brother.

Mrs. Frank Harlan returned recently after undergoing an operation at the Worley hospital in Pampa.

Miss Glenda Joyce Smith has returned to C. W. C. at Denver, Colo., after spending the Easter holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith.

Mrs. Edgar Dyer and children of Woodland, Wash., arrived last week for an extended visit in the home of their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper.

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Before an altar formed by a slender white cross set in a base of green vine and white lilies, flanked by Easter lilies, Miss Alice Billy Corts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Corts of McLean, and Donald Ross Crocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ross Crocker of Tulla, exchanged wedding vows in an impressive ceremony at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday afternoon, March 28, at 4 o'clock.

Rev. Karl Ernst, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Travis Stokes, pianist, played nuptial music and accompanied Laurence Bourland of Tulla, who sang "To Have, to Hold, to Love," and Mrs. Karl Ernst, who selected the traditional number, "Because." Mrs. Stokes also played the familiar marches. Alice Ruth Crocker, sister of the groom and a student at Oklahoma College for

women, lighted the candles which were placed in candelabra between tall white baskets of gladoli to form the background for the improvised altar. Miss Crocker wore a pale blue sheer dress with pink carnation shoulder bouquet and a black picture hat.

Mrs. J. W. Malone of Morse attended the bride as matron-of-honor. She wore a light blue-gray suit with off-face hat. Her shoulder bouquet was of pink carnations and baby breath.

Charles H. Edmonson of Beaumont, a high school classmate, served the groom as best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in an original off-white wool suit with aqua accessories. Her hand made hat, formed of aqua roses embedded in black illusion, was tilted off the face. For something old and borrowed she wore her mother's pearls. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and baby breath which topped a small Bible the groom had carried during his service as a marine. The satin frill was showered with ribbons knotted with pink rosebuds.

Mrs. Corts, mother of the bride, wore a black suit and hat with pink blouse and shoulder bouquet of pink carnations.

The mother of the groom selected a gray suit with flower hat and black accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

Senior ushers were F. H. Bourland and Arthur Erwin. Jim Scott and Don Heard of Tulla served as junior ushers.

Following the ceremony, the guests were honored at an informal reception in the church parlors. Mrs. Maynard Johnson of Pampa presided at the guest book. The table was spread with a hand-made lace cloth. The silver candlesticks that held the tall tapers had belonged to the great, great grandmother of the groom. They were brought to America by Maria Augusta Christina Richter, a musician of Weimer, Germany, who married in this coun-

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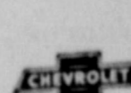


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After some weeks, he wired again, saying, "Fred. Send money for train fare home."

His wife unfeelingly telegraphed back: "Use feathers and fly home."

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try and was the great grandmother of the groom.

The three-tiered wedding cake was served by Mrs. Don Alexander, and Mrs. J. B. Hembree presided at the punch bowl. Wedding gifts of the couple were on display at the reception for the benefit of Tulla friends who attended the wedding.

For the wedding trip, Mrs. Crocker chose a tailored suit with black accessories and short topper. Mrs. Crocker was graduated from McLean High School, was school pianist and Lions Club sweetheart. She attended West Texas State at Canyon for two years, where she was a member of Pi Omega sorority. She then entered Trinity University at San Antonio, where she is a music major.

Mr. Crocker was graduated from Tulla High School in 1942. He attended NTAC at Arlington before enlisting in the marine air corps in December, 1942, where he served three and one-half years. His overseas duty was aboard the aircraft carrier Vella Gulf, which operated in the South Pacific. Following his discharge,

he entered Trinity University. After April 12, the couple will be at home in San Antonio, where they will continue their studies at Trinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hughes and children of White Deer visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hinton.

Mrs. S. B. Kiser has returned to her home after spending two weeks in a hospital in Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Lufe Smallwood returned last week after a visit with Dan Smallwood and family in Dallas.

Miss Low Ann Graahm underwent a tonsillectomy at a Pampa hospital recently.

Persona non grata is a Latin phrase meaning a person not acceptable.

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TELEPHONE POLE POLITICIANS

THE OLD SAYING in Texas is that politicians begin to come out when the dogwood blooms. Up in East Texas, where there is plenty of dogwood, local politics this year seem to be warming up ahead of schedule. The dogwood isn't out yet, but the candidates are. Soon the local and state campaigns begin to pop, and then we'll see, once more, the usual crop of telephone candidates.

These are the fellows, most of them candidates for state office, who send someone around to plaster telephone poles, trees, and barn doors with a picture of what (they hope) appears to be a fine, upstanding citizen, a man who wants your vote to put him in office. You can see the pictures everywhere, but you seldom see the man. He wants you to vote for him on the strength of what his picture has to offer, but he's too busy elsewhere to visit you in person or through your home-town paper, to tell you what he stands for.

This may be good politics, but it certainly isn't good logic. From a standpoint of good sense, it seems to us that a simple statement of policy and platform by a politician, printed in the newspapers, would better serve any candidate than his picture on a thousand telephone poles. As voters, we all need to know more about a prospective office-holder than "his face can tell us; perhaps not much more, out enough to be able to say to ourselves—"There's a man with sensible, practical ideas, with a background worth something in public office."

Another type of campaign material that has been used in Texas in past years is just about as worthless, and that is the campaign newspaper. These are newspapers in name only, and a discredit to the name, at that. The press in this country has built itself a fine reputation for integrity, for presentation of all the news, and for fair treatment of both sides of any controversial issue. The campaign newspapers seek to trade on that reputation, and are published in the belief that the people will assume that everything that finds its way into a newspaper must be the truth. Not bound by the laws of libel and the responsibilities for fairness that govern bona fide newspapers, the campaign sheet can and will print any kind of irresponsible untruth and half-truth, to further the cause of the candidate who is paying the bill for publication. As molders of public opinion, these sheets are worth little, for the people have learned by experience that the truth isn't in them, and never will be. About all that can be learned from a campaign newspaper is that the candidate has spent a great deal of someone's money, bought a large amount of scarce newsprint from black market sources, and engaged a high-powered publicity staff, to blanket the state with news (so-called) about his candidacy.

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TALK

BY LESTER

Things which I would like to see:

The streets in McLean marked and the houses numbered. I have mentioned this time and again and I want to take this opportunity of thanking the many residents who have agreed with me that it is a good idea. But please see member of the city council and ask them to spend some of your money in marking the streets. House owners and renters will have to put up their own numbers—if they can find anybody who can tell them accurately what their house number should be.

A baseball team for the city organized, and a lighted field for the team to play on at night. I imagine we'll have a pretty fair little team this summer, but the lights are something else. To properly light a baseball field would cost considerable money. I know of one town which lighted a field at a cost of about \$2,500. But even if we can't have one, I can still say I would like to see one here.

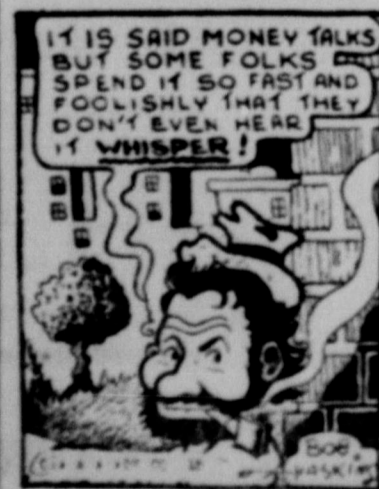
A swimming pool in McLean. A lot of other people would like to see a swimming pool here. It's not likely the city will put one in right away, because the cost is pretty high, and the city would probably have to ask the people to vote bonds to pay for one. But I hear rumors that an individual may put in a swimming pool here, providing help from the right sources can be had. Things may be looking up more than I know.

A lot more new houses in McLean. There has been some postwar building in McLean, but not enough. I would like to have one built for myself and my wife, but at present I cannot afford the cost. I would hate to go in debt any further, and to build a home would mean just that. Nevertheless, I would like to see more new homes here.

A lot more remodeling of buildings downtown. There are some terrible looking buildings in McLean. Some look even worse than the News building looked before last summer's face-lifting.

A nice drive-in cafe in Mc-

BoBo by Bill Day



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Lean. If and when the double highway goes through here, a drive-in could do an excellent business, providing it looked nice and providing the owner served good food. It would stop a lot more tourists, and they would spend considerably more money here if they stopped.

More publicity like the type Lewis Nordyke of the Amarillo News gave us. If you didn't read it, he said McLean was a very pretty and progressive town. Such words won't hurt the town. Also in the Tulsa Herald, H. M. Baggarly, the editor, said in a recent issue: "While over at McLean Sunday, we were impressed with the tremendous amount of paved streets in the residential area. It seemed that almost every block on which there were homes was complete with curb, gutter, and pavement. And the estimated population of McLean is less than half that of Tulsa." That kind of publicity won't hurt either.

Less talk of war, less chance of one coming soon.

More money in my bank account.

SAFETY HINTS

"Don't throw your weight around," advises W. J. Elliott, chief of the Texas Highway Patrol.

"Remember that when you are sitting behind the wheel, you are driving a car that weighs more than 2,000 pounds, and the pedestrian crossing the street only weighs an average of 150 pounds. It isn't quite fair, is it?"

The Texas Highway Patrol is cooperating in a nationwide "Know and Obey Traffic Laws" program, and Chief Elliott said that accidents involving pedestrians are one of the biggest killers. He pointed out National Safety Council statistics to back up this assertion.

Pedestrians at intersections account for 28 per cent of all urban fatal accidents, and 35 per cent of all fatal accidents are non-intersection pedestrian mishaps. In addition, 27 per cent of all pedestrians killed in business and residential areas were crossing at intersections without signals, and 38 per cent were crossing between intersections.

Captain Polk Ivy of the Amarillo district emphasized the following things to remember for the driver in giving pedestrians

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right-of-way:

1. When pedestrians are crossing at unsignalized intersections, drivers must give them the right-of-way if they are walking in the crosswalk or where a crosswalk might be.
2. When pedestrians are crossing at signalized intersections they should obey the signals, but drivers turning right or left must yield the right-of-way to pedestrians crossing on the "green" or "walk" light.
3. Pedestrians do not have the right-of-way between intersections and therefore they should cross only at corners.
4. Drivers must be alert for pedestrians crossing between intersections, particularly at night, even though the walkers should look out for the cars.
5. Know and obey the rules!

Attending the annual Presbyterian in Memphis April 1 were Rev. and Mrs. Karl Ernst, Mrs. Mattie Graham, and Mrs. Alma Turman. They also visited in the home of Mrs. Graham's daughter, Mrs. Heydon Hensley.

COTTON QUIZ



Wes Langham was a visitor in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal McElroom of Skellytown left Monday of last week for their home after a few days visit in the home of Mrs. McElroom's father, W. L. Hancock and family.

Miss Mary Hess left last week for Columbia, Mo., where she is a student at Stephens College. She had been visiting for the past week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Henley of Hereford have been visiting in the home of C. C. Henley.

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Margaret O'Brien Movie Scheduled

The little angel of the screen, Margaret O'Brien, will be presented in her final child picture, "Tenth Avenue Angel," at the Avalon Theatre Sunday and Monday, Bill Howard, manager of the theater, said this week.

The picture, starring little Miss O'Brien, with Angela Lansbury, George Murphy, and Phyllis Thaxter, was only released in January, Howard said. Regular prices will prevail.

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LIBRARY NEWS

By Lady Bryant, Librarian

The circulation record of the public library for children and young people shows that animal and adventure stories top the list of favorite reading. Most in demand are books by Thornton W. Burgess, Jack O'Brien, F. W. Dixon, Margaret Sutton, and Carolyn Keene.

Such romantic stories as only can be written by Curwood, Hill, Loring, Baldwin, and others continue to interest young readers as they did fifty years ago.

Little Miss Muffet sat on a tuffet.

A book-of-the-month in her hand.

Along came a spider and sat down beside her,

And said, "Gee, to read must be grand!"

Civil Service To Have Exams

The Civil Service Commission has announced examinations for the position of conservation aid, with entrance salaries ranging from \$1,954 to \$2,394.

Employment will be with field headquarters of the Soil Conservation Service in Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, and Missouri.

Application forms may be obtained from any first or second class post office, or the executive secretary, Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, U. S. Department of Agriculture, 1114 Commerce street, Dallas.

Among those attending the Music Festival last week in Amarillo were Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Rodgers, Mrs. R. E. Stubblefield, Mrs. J. R. Glass, Mrs. B. J. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sligar, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rainwater, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shadd, Jerry Stubblefield, Ann Sligar, Chrysta Rodgers, and Judy Glass.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson left Saturday for Mineral Wells for a few days visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan were Sunday visitors in Groom with Mr. and Mrs. Minard Henderson.

Carl Jones was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams left Monday for a trip to Fort Worth.

C. W. Bogan made a business trip to Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Dusty Rhodes made a trip to Amarillo Monday.

Stennis Goes to Security Meet

Judge S. D. Stennis of Pampa participated in a regional meeting of county chairmen for the Treasury Department's security loan in Amarillo Monday of last week. Judge Stennis is Gray County chairman for the security loan, which will be conducted throughout the nation from April 15 through June 30.

County and community leaders from the Panhandle and Plains sections of the state attended the meeting, at which final plans for the drive were made. Others from this area who attended were F. E. Imel of the Citizens Bank & Trust company of Pampa, and A. A. Schuneman of the First National Bank of Pampa.

State leaders for the security loan urged an all-out effort during the drive, and described how the people of the U. S. can curb inflation, guard against possible depression, and provide economic security for themselves and the nation by investing in U. S. savings bonds.

Speakers included Dr. W. H. Irons, vice president and economist, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas; Nathan Adams of Dallas, chairman of the treasury's advisory committee for Texas; and Harry Owens of Dallas, state director of the treasury's U. S. savings bonds division.



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Texas Sand, owned by Buck Henley of McLean, won a 220-yard matched race over Sioux City Sue, owned by Carl Lambert of Pampa, in horse races held in Pampa Sunday.

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W. C. Shull visited over the week-end in Wichita Falls with a sister.

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According to Greek mythology the 100 eyes of Argus were, after her death, put into the tail of the peacock.

The loss of material objects of affection sunders the dominant ties of earth and points to heaven.—Mary Baker Lddy.

Thanks to All For Your Cooperation

The McLean Lions Club wishes to thank all those people who aided in any way with the annual Lions Club minstrel held last week. As the only service club in the city, it is our purpose to be of service in any way possible, and should you need help in our work, please feel free to call on us.

Again we say thanks to all who helped us with the annual show.

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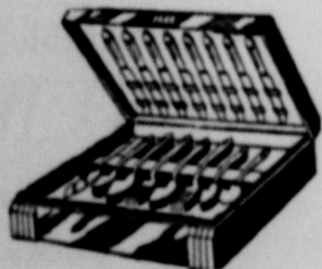
Set No. 1—Plates, saucers in forest green; cups and bowls in lime.

Set No. 2—Plates, saucers in mulberry; cups and bowls in pink.

20-pc. set Service for 4 only **\$8.50**

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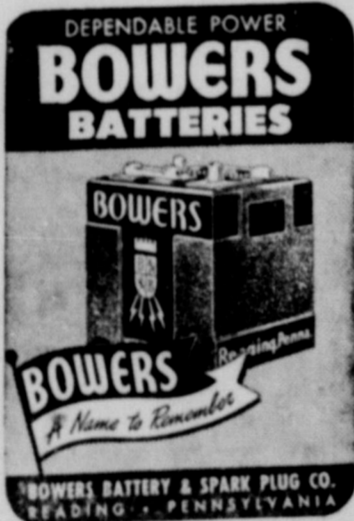
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For Sale—Good used boy's bicycle. Callahan's. 1c

For Sale—Allis-Chalmers 35 model, and all equipment. Also brooder house, iron-wheel wagon, mowing machine. See Raymond Eppich. 14-2p

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Fryers for sale. See C. E. Kenley, Phone 187 J. 1p

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Sunday, Monday
"Tenth Avenue Angel"
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Tuesday, Wednesday
"Little Mister Jim"
 "Butch" Jenkins, James Craig, Frances Ottford

Thursday, Friday
"A Slight Case of Murder"
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Lone Star

Friday, Saturday
"Adventures of Don Coyote"

wheels. See Emory Crockett, Phone 172. 1c

For Sale—5-piece red chrome dinette suite, and a vanity dresser. Mrs. Wayland Ayers. 1p

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LIQUOR is our public enemy number one. Always vote dry. S. R. Jones. 4-15c

Expert local and long distance moving. For more information, call Bruce and Sons, Phone 894, Pampa. 10-15c

McCormick-Deering parts. P. & O. parts. International truck parts. Hibler Truck and Implement Co. 28-15c

Want to trade—My house in Amarillo for 5- or more room house in McLean. Lee Newton, at variety store. 14-2p

Come in and see our unadvertised bargain. Bill Day at Franks Furniture. 1c

LOST AND FOUND

Found in Avalon Theatre—pair of gold-rimmed glasses. Owner may have by calling at News office and paying for this ad. 1c

Lost or Strayed—Red male hog wt. about 300 lb. Notify John W. Dwyer. 1p

Vets' Survivors May Get Insurance

Many people still do not know that old-age and survivors insurance payments under the Social Security Act may be payable to survivors of World War II veterans.

John E. Sanderson, manager of the Social Security Administration field office at Amarillo, pointed out that since this protection is based entirely on military service, it is not necessary for the veteran to have held a social security card or to have normally been covered by the Social Security Act. Among those groups which normally are not covered by social security but who are protected by this amendment are agricultural workers, professional men, and the self-employed.

In general, this legislation provides protection to survivors if the veteran served in the armed forces at least 90 days, was honorably discharged, and death occurred within three years of the date of his discharge. The amendment does not provide for benefits to survivors of servicemen who died while on active duty. However, the survivors of servicemen who died while on active duty and who had worked in employment covered by the Social Security Administration long enough to be insured may still be eligible for benefits under the regular provisions of the Social Security Act.

Sanderson said that since these benefits are not automatic claims must be filed at the nearest Social Security Administration field office.

Resident's Relative Dies in Oklahoma

Mrs. Mary Jane Kimberlin of Pauls Valley, Okla., grandmother of Mrs. Lester Dymart of McLean, died at about 9 o'clock Tuesday night in Pauls Valley.

Mrs. Kimberlin, who has visited here in the Dymart home a number of times, suffered a stroke Friday of last week, and had been critically ill since that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dymart and son Gale Plummer left Friday for Pauls Valley, and Mr. Dymart returned Monday. Funeral arrangements had not been made Wednesday morning.

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A cool drink of water is always close at hand in a new cotton drinking water bag which keeps the liquid cool by an evaporation process. The bag is handy for a working man, for it's designed with a handle that attaches it securely to a tree or a truck door, the National Cotton Council reports. The bag is made of lightweight cotton canvas.

CHAMPION DESIGNER



Miss Louise Temple of Dallas captured highest honors at the Southern Methodist University School of Design. A classic one-piece frock of white cotton poplin she created was selected as the best fashion design from more than 1,800 sketches made by students at the school, sponsored by the Dallas Fashion and Sportswear Center.

★ ★ Fashions ★ ★



Boilers dress shown above as pictured in the April issue of Good Housekeeping magazine is ideal for travelling. Note the matador-high jacket, the embroidered cummerbund, the dropped neckline of the dress beneath. In green, navy, brown, or black; rayon; sizes 7 to 15; about \$35. Carlye dress. Duchess fabric.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. West announce the birth of a daughter born Sunday, April 11. She weighed six pounds, and has been named Joyce Ann.

BOYCE HOUSE Gives You Texas

Almost 25 years ago, Brady sent out a motorcade to extend an invitation to the sheep and goat raisers to attend the convention which was to be held that year in that city and I went along, being in those days a young newspaperer for the old Fort Worth Record.

Just as soon as the motorcade—consisting of about 20 cars with nearly 100 persons—came to a stop in the first town, somebody stepped out of the waiting crowd and asked, "Where is Boyce House?" When this had happened four or five times, the other motorcaders—none of whom had ever heard of me until that trip—began to be impressed.

That was the same trip that a fellow newspaper man imbibed rather freely across the Rio Grande and when he got back to the hotel, gave me his pocket-book to keep for him. Next morning he'd forgotten all about it, told me he'd been robbed and when I told him I'd be glad to make him a loan and he eagerly agreed, I pulled out his pocket-book and handed it to him to his great surprise and delight.

Then there was another newspaperman and he had just raised the water bottle or a drink when the car hit a chug-hole and he almost strangled. We pounded him on the back and at last he gasped, "Don't tell anybody; they wouldn't believe it was water—or else they'd say I was so unused to drinking water that it strangled me."

Tragedy threw its shadow across the trip. In Del Rio, an attorney gave the address of welcome and then we "fell to" on the barbecue dinner. An hour or so after the speech, the attorney was stricken with a heart attack and died.

At Sonora, there was a dance on a platform in the center of town and it was quite a scene to hear the fiddles going and see the cowboys chumping about the dance floor in their high-heeled boots.

A citizen told a story of a shooting which he said had taken place in the town's wild-and-wooly days. Two men were playing a game of pool one night. One player stooped over the table to make a shot and the instant that he bent, a bullet came through a window and killed his adversary.

Quite an interesting experience was that Brady motorcade. It doesn't seem like towns have them any more.

Legion—

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 lowed by memorial services conducted by the department chaplain, Rev. Alan Harvey-Brooks of Burger.

Business session of the Legion will be held Sunday afternoon with addresses by James R. Gleason, Stamford, fifth division commander, and Henry Teubel of Tulsa, fifth division membership chairman.

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COUNTY JUDGE

He has served you well as County Attorney. His record is good. Promote him to County Judge.

WESTERN SCENERY



There's no need for a Horace Greedy to tell young men to "go west" these days—this typical sample of California scenery speaks for itself. This golden-haired girl of the west wears a sunny smile and a new "double duty" ensemble by Cole of California. A full skirt in the same plaid cotton fabric turns a two-piece evening suit into an attractive play dress.

Attending the boxing matches in Childrens Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brister, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hupp and son, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Barrett, and Sherman Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clifton returned last Thursday from a ten-day stay in Hot Springs, N. M.

Mrs. Jo Burrows returned Saturday from a week's visit in Dallas with her sister, Mrs. Ira Sanford.

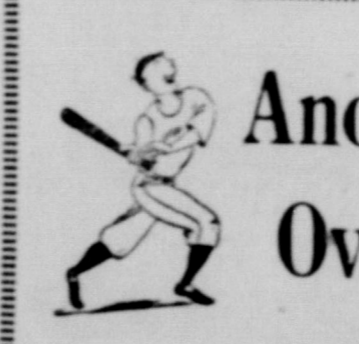
W. L. Hancock spent Sunday in Wellington visiting with J. D. Boyle.

The flag of the Confederate States of America during the Civil War was called the "Stars and Bars."

Puppets worked by strings are marionettes.

The greatest rise of the ocean's tide at any one point is 50 feet.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
 Next Meeting Night
 Tuesday Night . . . 7:15 p. m.
 April 20 . . . Legion Hall
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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stockstill of Pampa are the parents of a son, William David Jr., born April 11 at the Worley hospital in Pampa. He weighed seven pounds. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Franks of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stockstill of Pampa.

Rev. Ray Stephens is holding a revival this week in Matador.

Mrs. Fred Bentley visited the week-end with her husband who is employed at Dumas.

The Senior Class of Alanreed is Sponsoring
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Rights-of-way easements for the four-lane di through the sou county are now a committee of men, and work the obtaining of buy the needed

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The highway completed, a highway throug of Gray County now under consr County.

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Vineyard
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Two members High School 1 tured the Dist their weights in district tourna Saturday night. The two win Vineyard, in th and Dickie And weight" class. finalist from t Freddy Brister, lical kayo to worth of Shan Andrews, in weight title, a second knocko tips of Welling Lean football heavyweight (Pampa Golden year.

Vineyard, wh nical kayo ove ponent in the

School Gymna

The McLean District board been notified given ten da tively whete War Assets building form- creation build Army Air Pla The buildis use as a gym and men fo the Pampa A by 14 feet. the school \$1,300, since ceive an 80 from the set ture of \$4,500 The notice ent Logan spected the t ago and m h in the 1