

City Hall-Municipal Building Bond Issue Election Ordered

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McLean and the
Surrounding Area

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Voters to Choose Five Officials Next Tuesday

April 19 Date Set for \$50,000 Bond Issue Decision

Election seeking the issuance of \$50,000 in bonds, the money to be used in building and equipping the new combination City Hall and Municipal Building, has been called by the City Council of McLean for April 19.

A resolution was issued by Mayor Boyd Meador following a special meeting of the City Council last week.

The combination City Hall and Municipal Building would be so that it can be used not only as a civic auditorium but also as a gymnasium which will be utilized by the McLean schools.

Questions concerning the bond issue have already been raised by voters before Mayor Meador. He referred these to M. Smith, partner of the McLean Investment Company, a

bonding firm which handles the city's bonds. Smith's answers to the questions were as follows:

1. Will the issuance of the aggregate of \$148,000 bonds (this includes the \$98,000 which the city now owes and the additional \$50,000) violate any limit of indebtedness?

Answer: Both of these issues are bonds, and before bonds can be issued they must be duly approved by the attorney general of Texas and a recognized market attorney. Before these attorneys will approve the bonds, the record must show that the bonds do not exceed any statutory or constitutional limitation. The answer is therefore: No, the bonds will not exceed any limitation when issued.

2. Will the issuance of the bonds above mentioned necessitate a raise in the assessed valuation or a raise in tax rate?

Answer: No. The bonds will be issued on the present assessed valuation and tax rate. The refunding bonds and the proposed new bonds will be issued in an orderly manner over a period of years so that the tax rate requirement for these bonds will be about \$1.14, whereas the tax rate now required for the bonds now outstanding, due to the higher interest rate and shorter maturity, requires a tax rate of above \$1.25. Therefore, it is not necessary or anticipated that the tax rate or assessed valuation would be raised due to the issuance of the refunding and new bonds.

The calling of the election grew out of a request several months ago from members of the school board. The board, at that time,

was seeking aid from the city in moving the surplus gym bought at the Pampa army air field to McLean. However, it was finally decided, after conferring with various attorneys, that the city would be unable legally to help the school in that manner, since the general laws governing municipalities do not authorize such help.

As a result, the council began investigating means by which a gym could be built. After considerable investigation, it was also found that the city cannot construct a gym, but can construct auditoriums, coliseums, or municipal buildings, and such buildings might then be used for purposes where gyms are needed.

Then, with the aid of bonding company representatives, this proposed issue of \$50,000 in general

obligation tax bonds was worked out, and climaxed with the calling of the election last week.

The bond issue, if approved by the voters, will be subject to approval of the attorney-general. The issue, it is understood, will not be submitted for the attorney-general's approval until after being okayed by the voters.

The bonds will bear interest not to exceed four per cent, and will mature serially over a period of years not to exceed 30 years.

Officers of the election are to be Byrd Guill, presiding judge; T. N. Holloway, judge; Mrs. W. C. Shull and Mrs. S. A. Cousins, clerks.

Eligible to vote in the election will be qualified voters who own taxable property in the city and who have rendered this property for taxation.

Mayor, Two Aldermen, Secretary And Marshal Will Be Selected

Next Tuesday—any time between 8 o'clock in the morning and 6 o'clock at night—is the day when voters of McLean will go to the polls and choose a new mayor, two new aldermen, a city secretary, and a city marshal.

The ballot will look something like this:

Martha Upham, Area Pioneer, Dies in Pampa

Mrs. Martha R. Upham, pioneer resident of the McLean area and one of the most faithful workers of the local Methodist Church, died Monday morning at about 5:15 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sherman White, 610 North Frost, Pampa.

Mrs. Upham had been ill for some time. She underwent a major operation several months ago, and had been staying with Mrs. White in Pampa since December 26 of last year. She had been unable to be up since that time.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist Church in McLean. Rites were conducted by Rev. H. A. Longino, McLean pastor, assisted by Rev. Clyde Smith of the Pampa First Methodist Church.

Interment was in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa under the direction of the Duenkel-Carmichael Funeral Home of Pampa.

Mrs. Upham was born August 24, 1874, in Clay County. She had lived in McLean since 1902. Her husband, the late William B. Upham, was engaged in the hardware business here from 1909 until 1939. He died in 1941. Mrs. Upham was a member of the Methodist church, and had long been a Sunday school teacher.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. White, and Mrs. W. W. Boyd of McLean; and two sons, J. L. Upham of Ventura, Calif., and Dwight Upham of Pampa.

Fallbearers were S. A. Cousins, Charles Cousins, Homer Wilson, Byrd Guill, Frank Wilson, and Roger Powers.

Baptists Hold Study Course

A four-day Training Union study course was conducted at the First Baptist Church during the past week, with Rush Turner, general director, in charge. Mrs. Luther Petty was general secretary in charge of records.

The story hour group was taught by Miss Eunice Stratton; juniors by Mrs. Frank Howard and Mrs. Paul Miller; intermediates, Mrs. Homer Abbott; young people, Rev. Clayton Day; and adults, Mrs. E. L. Price.

A total of 65 enrolled, with 53 awards to be issued to ages ranging from 4 years to 85 years.

Assembly of God Revival to Begin Sunday Morning

A two-weeks revival meeting will begin Sunday at the Assembly of God Church in McLean, Rev. L. R. Green, pastor, announced this week.

Conducting the services will be Rev. Bob Rider of Colorado the pastor stated. Services will be held each evening during the week, and no morning services are scheduled.

The revival, which will begin Sunday morning, April 3, will continue two weeks through Sunday, April 17.

Teen-Agers Plan April Fools Dance

An April Fools dance for teen-agers will be held at the American Legion Hall in McLean Friday night from 8 to 12 o'clock, it was announced this week.

The Fun Nite affair will be given to honor parents at the April Fools, apron and overalls, dance. It will be a "ladies night" affair, with the girls bringing the boys, and with all dances "ladies' choice."

Music will be furnished by the Henley band.

Wilson to Speak To Presbyterians

Frank P. Wilson, principal of McLean High School, will be the guest speaker at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

No services Sunday night are planned.

Niagara Falls lies between Lake Ontario and Lake Erie.

Plans Being Made for Annual Soap Box Derby Event in Pampa

Plans are already being laid for the annual district Soap Box Derby, to be held in Pampa this summer.

Paul Brown of Culberson Chevrolet company in Pampa, one of the sponsors of the event, and Jimmy McCune, of the Cabot company in Pampa, were in McLean Tuesday to show movies of last year's derby before local school students and the McLean Lions Club.

The films were shown at the regular Tuesday meeting of the Lions and then taken to the school and shown to students.

Co-sponsors of the event in Pampa are the Culberson company, the Pampa Lions Club, and the Pampa Daily News. Winner of the event at Pampa receives an all-expense paid trip to Arkan,

For Mayor:

Harris King
Guy Hibler
J. M. Payne

For City Secretary:

D. A. Davis
W. E. Bogan

For Aldermen (Elect two):

Dr. J. H. Kritzer
Lester H. Campbell
George Graham
W. L. Copeland
Guy Beasley

For City Marshal:

J. A. Sparks
J. A. Brawley

IMPORTANT!

To be eligible to vote in the city election, payment of the poll tax is necessary. However, certain people are exempt, including the following: The "overs"—if a person was 60 years of age before January 1, 1948 (not January 1, 1949, as many believe), then that person is exempt from payment of the poll tax; the "21-year-olds"—if a person became 21 years of age any time after January 1, 1948, and up through the election day, April 5, 1949, then that person is eligible to vote without payment of the poll tax.

Voters in the city election must, of course, have lived within the city limits for a period of at least six months and the state at least one year prior to the date of the election.

This year's city election has caused considerable interest, although interest was not high a week ago. Much greater interest is expected in the few remaining days before the election.

The three candidates for mayor are seeking the office now held by Boyd Meador. In the city secretary's race, Davis is seeking re-election, with Bogan as his opponent. The five aldermanic candidates are requesting the offices now held by R. T. Dickinson and Roger Powers, neither of whom are candidates for re-election. Only two aldermen are to be chosen, and voters will have the opportunity to scratch three and leave two remaining names.

In the city marshal contest, Sparks is the incumbent, and Brawley his opponent.

Showers Bring .53 of An Inch

Two more series of showers, accompanied by a small amount of hail, brought the total moisture of the year to 6.36 inches, according to a report from Pete Fairbright, local weather observer.

Heaviest of the moisture came last Friday afternoon and night, when 47 of an inch fell. Some hail came with the rain, but the hail was not heavy enough to do any damage.

Tuesday night another light shower came, bringing .06 of an inch in moisture. This shower was also accompanied by a small amount of hail. High winds came with the Tuesday night shower, but no damage by winds was reported. The winds came intermittently, with very quiet lulls in between strong gusts.

This week's moisture, coupled with the heavy moisture in January, is giving excellent prospects for a spring wheat crop in the area. This also applies to areas throughout the Panhandle, where, in some spots, three weeks ago a hard crust was forming in the fields.

The moisture is also giving excellent seasoning for planting of cotton later in the spring. In addition, grass land is being benefited greatly by the showers, and is already green in many places.

Narcissus was a beautiful youth who fell in love with his own reflection in a pool.

Three School Board Members to Be Chosen Saturday

More candidate was filed the closing day—last Thursday—a candidate for the board of the McLean Independent School District to make a total of eight on the ballot. The last filed was that of Emory

The election will be held Saturday with the single balloting at the City Hall.

Listing on the ballot is as follows:

C. Haynes
Reeves
Price
Dwyer
Carter
Lentz
H. Andrews
Crockett

Members to the board to be elected by voters of the district. The terms of Haynes, Reeves, and Ruel Smith expire year, but Smith is not a date for re-election.

The process of filing of names total of 11 were filed.

was the first to announce intention of not running, and two of the others filed, Bill and Paris Hess, also withdrew.

Line for filing of names Thursday of last week, when at name, that of Crockett, added to the list of nominees.

Number of candidates is than in a number of years. ally, there is little interest in the school board race, here or anywhere else, interest is fairly high here year. This is also true in other towns and cities, usually the school elections quiet.

Ms. Scott Dies at Pampa

Funeral services for Mrs. Clytie Scott, former resident of McLean, were held Thursday afternoon at the Central Church of Pampa. She died at a hospital Tuesday night.

Services were conducted by Will Simpson, minister of the church. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery at Pampa.

Mrs. Scott was born at Comanche, October 15, 1892, and moved to McLean in 1934. In the family moved to Pampa. Survivors include her husband, M. Scott; two daughters, Mrs. Gracie Thompson of Pampa, and Mrs. Nina Meeks of Pampa; and three sons, John L. Scott of Pampa, Paul L. Scott of Pampa, and James F. Scott of Pampa.

Where you endeavor to be everywhere you will be at—Goethe.

Look out for the sunlight and winds into your days—Campbell.

Rodgers Girl Hurt in Freak Accident Here

A freak accident Saturday night caused serious injuries to Christa Carol Rodgers, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers of McLean.

The young girl suffered a broken thigh and pelvic bone, and possibly other injuries, when she ran into a moving car shortly before 8 o'clock Saturday night. The accident occurred in front of Cooper's Foods.

Driver of the car was Harry F. Reed of Amarillo, manager of the Herring Hotel storage garage. He was absolved of all blame in the accident by investigating highway patrolmen.

Christa Carol was on the north side of the street and apparently thought she saw her father drive up on the opposite side of the street. She ran across, and then turned back and ran into the left rear fender of the Reed car. Reed's car was moving at a slow speed and he stopped immediately.

The young girl was given treatment by a McLean doctor, and then taken to the Worley hospital in Pampa.

8th Grade Cagers Take First Place In 'Norwood Meet

The McLean 8th grade basketball boys won first-place honors in the 8th and 9th grade tournament held at Samnorwood last Friday and Saturday.

The local cagers downed the Samnorwood five in the finals to cop top honors. The girls team from McLean advanced to the finals but were defeated. The boys had drawn a forfeit in their first game scheduled for Friday night, when the Shamrock team failed to appear.

Gale Plummer and B. W. Duncan were named to the boys all-tournament team.

BIRTHDAYS

April 3—Mrs. Anna Glass, Mrs. M. M. Newman, Charles Williams, H. E. Franks.

April 4—Anna Mae Hill.

April 5—Mrs. Bob James, Mrs. L. A. Rainey, Earl Billingslea.

April 7—Sue Glass.

April 8—Boyd Meador, Wanda Jean Dorsey, John Kirby, Don Montgomery.

April 9—Jan Litchfield, Mrs. Thomas Ashby, Dora Mae Overton, R. L. Winn.

How Spring Clean-up Helps



Lubbock Leads In Cotton Crop

Lubbock County produced a total of 126,413 bales of cotton from the 1948 crop to lead all other counties in the state in production, according to a report from Homer Wilson, local agent for the bureau of census.

In second place was Hidalgo County with 117,302 bales, and third was Cameron County with 111,919 bales.

Gray County's crop totaled 2,928 bales, this representing the number of bales ginned at the two gins in the county, both of which are located in McLean.

Elias Howe invented the sewing machine in 1846.

**NEWS FROM
KELLERVILLE**

Riggs Fry of Shafter, Calif., visited his son, D. M. Fry, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Bruton of Amarillo visited in the J. M. Bruton home Saturday.

The Lazy Daisies met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Elmer Immel. Refreshments of fruit salad and coffee were served to the following: Mesdames R. F. Watson, V. A. Wallin, Harris D'Spain, W. J. Foster, E. C. West, W. S. Marshall, Orval Thompson, R. D. Holmes, J. W. Harris, Clarence Drum, Edwin Owen, Jack Harris, Brent Chapman, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. W. J. Foster April 7.

S. G. ROBINSON

Attorney-at-Law

Office in

Holloway Insurance Building

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

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Lawley of Wynnewood, Okla., spent the week-end with their daughter, Mrs. Verl Tinkler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Richardson visited friends in Olney over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. DeFries of Borger visited their daughter, Mrs. H. A. Roles and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Brown of McLean spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown.

Mrs. Eunice Cassidy of Borger is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Holley.

The ladies class of the Baptist Sunday School entertained their husbands Tuesday night with a party at the gym. Games were played and refreshments of pie and coffee were served. A good time was enjoyed by all.

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Mrs. T. J. Windom Jr. and Mrs. Ed Lander were Pampa visitors Monday.



Brandenburg, Mont.
March 10, 1949.

Editor, McLean News

Dear Sir:

We decided to write a few lines to let our friends around McLean know we are still alive. It has been a cold winter up here. It got down to 40 degrees below zero several times. The cattle and sheep losses were pretty high in part of the state, but we have been pretty fortunate. We have only lost three or four little calves, and our cows are in good shape.

We moved off the river because of the flood threat last week, but it has turned cold again, so there is no immediate danger now.

We look forward to Monday, because that is the day we get the McLean News. The news from home is next to being there. We think you are doing a grand job with the paper—more power to you!

We would like to hear from anyone who would care to write, and we guarantee an answer.

This is a beautiful country, especially in the spring and fall. We live in the Tongue River Valley, and like it better than any part of the state we have seen.

We saw Granddad, J. A. Haynes, a short while ago, and he is doing fine. He likes up here, but would like to see all his old friends at McLean.

We expect to make a trip back down there some time in the near future. In the meantime, our best regards to everyone.

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Pugh.

SHERMAN WHITE
Lawyer

Is in McLean

All Day Saturday

Of Each Week

In Office of Boyd Meador

Personals

Maurine Thompson of Memphis and Herschel Montgomery of Amarillo were visitors Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carpenter and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter of Perryton visited friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Emmett Cooke and family of Plainview visited in the C. E. Cooke and D. C. Carpenter homes during the week-end.

Bob Black Jr. spent last week-end visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black. He is a student in McMurry College in Abilene.

Mrs. Leo Gibson and grandson Bobby left this week for Los Angeles, Calif. Bobby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gibson of Los Angeles, has been visiting here with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson, for the past three months.

Clyde Allen Windom visited last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Nicholson of Portsmouth, Va., and Glen A. Nicholson of Ashland, Kans., visited during the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Nicholson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our friends for all the beautiful words of sympathy and the beautiful flowers in the passing of our sister, Mrs. W. G. Brinson. May God's richest blessings abide with each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Palmer.

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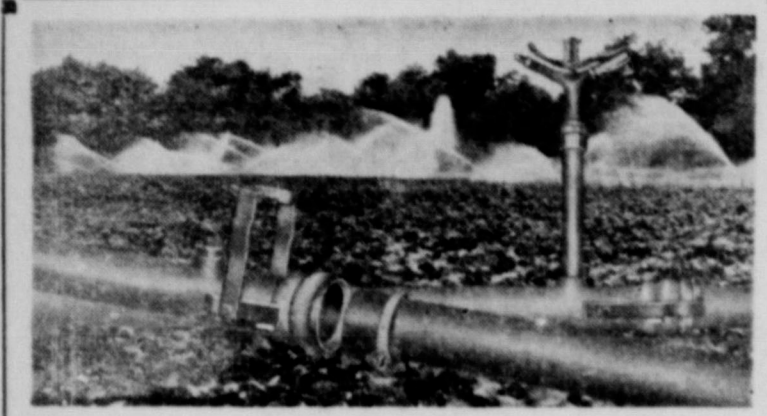
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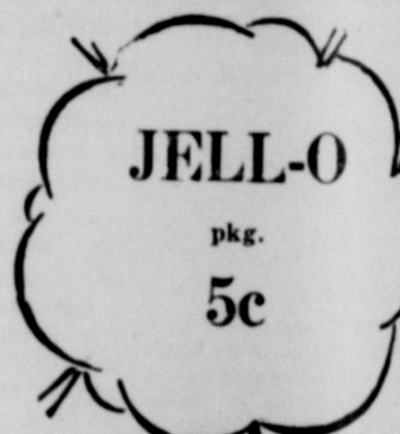
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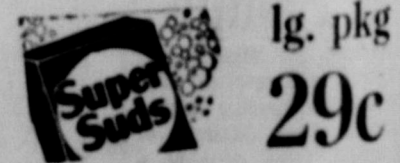
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School News of ALANREED

The community of Alanreed is sponsoring the school ground landscaping. At the time of this writing, shrubbery is being put around the building. Other work to be done is repairing swings and putting up a new fence.

There will be a P-T. A. program Thursday night. Everyone is invited. Remember! Remember! An all-day school picnic will be given April 1 (Friday) at McClellan. All parents are urged to attend, and bring a well-filled basket. Parents will be needed as sponsors. Monday afternoon the Alanreed basketball team played the high school team.

1st and 2nd Grades:
We are sorry to report that Nancy Shields was absent last week due to illness. Everyone is working hard on our play, to be given in an assembly program in the near future. Jerry Goldson, Betty Milham, and Darrel Gibson are tied in the 1st grade reading class. Betty Brown is first, Norman Rhodes second, and David Smith and Harold Knight are tied for

third in the 2nd grade reading. We are looking forward to our April Fools picnic and Easter party. Thursday night we have a few selections for the P-T. A. At the time of this writing we are all present and very busy with our lessons and learning parts to the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Palmer and sons of Pampa were Sunday dinner guests of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Palmer. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Poolee and daughters, Doris and Billie, visited during the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Terry of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Guill and daughter June of Pampa were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs.

Guill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Palmer. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Whittington of Big Spring were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Allen and family. Mr. and Mrs. Luke Armstrong and Miss Effie Rankin were business visitors in Shanrock and Wellington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Knight and children were in Sayre, Okla., during the week-end visiting relatives and friends and attending to business. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Glazer of Upton, Wyo., are visiting his sister, Mrs. R. D. Hill, and family. Mr. Glazer worked on the Parker ranch north of Alanreed in 1916, which is now the Mel Davis ranch. He enjoyed seeing and talking to a lot of friends that were here then. These stories you hear about the weather in Wyoming are not just stories. He brought pictures and showed them of houses being half-buried in the snow. Some were buried up to the roof—believe it or not, it's true. And they are anxious to get back to Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hubbard of Odessa were here over the week-end visiting his sister, Mrs. Cecil Glazer and family. They were also visitors of Mr. and Mrs.

R. D. Hill and family. Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Reams and daughter Sherry Jo of Monahans were week-end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hill and family. Mr. and Mrs. Granville Simmons and baby visited her brother, Richard Allen and family, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Mary McAnear of Clarendon visited with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. McAnear. Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones of McLean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Patton Sunday. J. T. Goldston and sons, Fred and Jimmie Don, visited with Mr. Goldston's mother, Mrs. John Goldston of Clarendon, Saturday.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rhodes and children were Mr. and Mrs. Andy Rhodes and children of Borver and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Rex McClellan of McLean. J. C. Duncan and sons, who are working in Amarillo, spent the week-end here.

Mrs. Jimmie Hill and daughter Ann were in Pampa Saturday for dental treatment. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Halbert from Pampa were week-end guests of Mrs. Halbert's parents and

brother, Mr. and Mrs. Foreman Stubbs and Bill Stubbs and family. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hall and daughter Kay were business visitors in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Heydon Hensley of Memphis visited Sunday with Mrs. Hensley's mother, Mrs. Mattie Graham. Mrs. Graham returned to Memphis with them for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and Mrs. G. W. Sullivan of Hereford spent last week-end here visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Sullivan, who was injured in a fall here some time ago, is now able to walk by using a cane.

Glenda Joyce Smith, student at Colorado Women's College in Denver, is visiting this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith.

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Work of State P-TA Explained

(Editor's Note: This is another in the series of articles dealing with organization and functions of Parent-Teacher Associations.)

State Office: The Texas Congress owns its own "Home," a beautiful little building at 408 West 11th, Austin. It is the only congress in the United States that owns its own building. It was purchased without any special solicitation of funds.

State Work: The state work is financed by the state's portion of membership dues. An extension fund is maintained by special contributions, such as Life Membership, interest on the Endowment Fund, Founders' Day, and Texas Congress birthday.

The State Branch serves the locals as follows: Preparation and distribution of local unit packages, distribution of state and national information and literature for carrying on selected activities and programs; information and help in organizations and program planning; compilation of local statistics; interchange of local experiences; publishing the state organ and other helpful literature; planning and conducting an annual state convention.

The National Organization. The individual membership of the local associations in the state branches constitutes the member-

Doctor Gives Study Required Of Osteopaths

"The osteopathic profession is intensely proud of its constantly higher educational standards," said Dr. James H. Kritzier of McLean this week. "Our profession is rapidly gaining recognition for the thoroughness of its training and for the soundness of the osteopathic concept."

This concept is that the body is a complete entity within itself, capable of curing its own ills if its structural integrity or balance is maintained. Osteopathic physicians and surgeons do surgery, administer drugs and do corrective manipulative therapy in line with the osteopathic concept.

Osteopathic physicians and surgeons must have two years of pre-medical training in recognized colleges or universities, and the average student has three and one-half years before entering professional colleges. The six osteopathic colleges require a total of 4400 hours of professional study before graduation. The famous Harvard Medical School requires only 3877 hours for graduation.

Following graduation, young doctors, both allopathic (medical) and osteopathic must take an examination before a board composed of nine medical doctors and three osteopathic doctors to get a license in Texas. Virtually all young doctors, medical and osteopathic, spend one year as an interne before beginning practice. Those planning to specialize in surgery spend from two to five years additional time in residencies in surgery.

Subjects studied by osteopathic and allopathic students at their colleges include: anatomy, including embryology and histology; physiology, biochemistry, pathology, bacteriology and immunology, hygiene and sanitation, pharmacology, general medicine, general surgery, obstetrics and gynecology.

"Due to the propaganda campaign conducted in Texas in recent weeks trying to discredit the osteopathic profession along with others it is felt that a statement of our educational requirements is necessary to avoid confusing the public," said Dr. Kritzier.

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ship of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, the nation-wide organization through which the parent-teacher movement is promoted. The address of the National Office is 600 South Michigan Boulevard, Chicago 5, Ill. The national organization was founded February 17, 1897, in Washington, D. C., by Mrs. Alice McLellan Birney and Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst.

The name "Parent-teacher" is not copyrighted, but it has been earned by the reputation achieved in 48 years of service by the national, state, and local organizations. Does it not seem, then that groups using the name should be in membership with the organization responsible for the name?

There is no self enrichment without self enrichment; no self enrichment without self expenditure.—Dean Inge.

IS MY DOCTOR GIVING ME THE TRUE FACTS?

Misrepresentations by Political Powers of Organized Allopaths (M.D.s)

THEY SAY: Dr. Miller, President of Texas Medical Association: "Under the laws of Texas today you have no legal guarantee that this man treating you is qualified to do so."

ANSWER: Why should the proponents of the present Basic Science Law make a ridiculous, unfair statement of this kind. Have they never read the Medical Practice Act operating since 1907?

IN THEIR PROPOSED Minimum Standards Bill they state that it is not too much to ask anyone practicing the healing art to be examined in the Basic Sciences. Dr. Miller says technically the Basic Science subjects are these: "Anatomy, Physiology, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Pathology, Hygiene, and Public Health."

ANSWER: Are they so uninformed that they do not know the present State Medical Board examines in Anatomy, Physiology, Chemistry, Bacteriology, Pathology, Hygiene, AND ALSO Histology, Diagnosis, Surgery, Obstetrics, Gynecology and Medical Jurisprudence?

WILL THE MEDICAL DOCTORS Please explain how the patient's health will be better protected by requiring a young qualified doctor to take the same examinations twice by two boards? Who is going to pay this unnecessary expense for him?

THE SPONSORS of the so-called "Basic Science" or Minimum Standards Act say they want the Public to be sure that all practitioners of the Healing Arts have at least a minimum education.

ANSWER: Are they so uninformed that they do not know that the present law requires two years of College work plus four years of eight months each in a Reputable Medical School?

THE SPONSORS of Basic Science or Minimum Standards have advertised in the public press that this will be a fair bill because no Chiropractor, Naturopath or Osteopath will be a member of this board.

ANSWER: Why didn't they also exclude Allopaths (M.D.s)? For the perfectly clear reason that they will have two M.D.s from the faculty of a medical school on this Board, although they are not in active practice.

THE ALLOPATHS (M.D.s) state that the Minimum Standards Law (Basic Science) will control the practice of unlicensed Doctors in Texas.

ANSWER: It is absurd to contend that a new law with less police power could be enforced as well as the present medical laws, which have protected the public health of Texas for over 40 years.

Dr. Tate Miller, President of the Texas Medical Association, stated in a recent broadcast that all he could say of other types of doctors or branches of the Healing Arts studying the Basic Sciences was that their catalogues say they do.

Here is a comparison of the Education Background of Osteopathic and Medical Physicians. Schools approved by American Osteopathic Association must require: Minimum of 2 years premedical college work (as must all approved M. D. schools). We list a comparison of Osteopathic education as required by the Six approved Osteopathic Colleges and Harvard Medical College (M. D.s) in their required subjects:

	Standard of Osteopathic College Requirements Are:	Harvard Medical School (M.D.s) Requirements Are:
1. Anatomy, including Embryology and Histology	814 Hours	440 Hours
2. Physiology	264 Hours	232 Hours
3. Biochemistry	198 Hours	232 Hours
4. Pathology, Bacteriology and Immunology	572 Hours	479 Hours
5. Pharmacology	220 Hours	129 Hours
6. Hygiene and Sanitation	176 Hours	124 Hours
7. General Medicine	1166 Hours	1219 Hours
8. General Surgery	770 Hours	705 Hours
9. Obstetrics and Gynecology	220 Hours	317 Hours
	4400 Hours	3877 Hours

TOTAL HOURS required by Osteopathic Schools 4,400.
Total Hours required by Harvard Medical School (M.D.s.) 3,877.

The Osteopathic Schools Are Inspected Yearly by the Bureau of Colleges

DO THE M. D. SCHOOLS have similar requirements for inspecting colleges? NO!

Every Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon in Texas has a license to practice Medicine and Surgery which is identical to the license under which the Medical Doctor practices.

HOW LONG WILL THE PEOPLE, whose generous subscriptions and gifts have built the big hospitals of our state, allow the M.D.'s to dominate these institutions and bar QUALIFIED OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS and their patients from these tax-free institutions? M.D.s, do you want Educational Standards or Monopoly?

Can an M.D. get a license in the State of Texas without being examined by an Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon? NO! — Every applicant to practice Medicine and Surgery in Texas must be examined by a board composed of six Allopaths, two Eclectics, one Homeopath (All M.D.s)—a total of nine M.D.s—and three Osteopaths.

Can the Legislature create special privilege for any school of practice?

The answer is NO. The Texas Constitution says: "The Legislature may pass Laws prescribing the qualifications of practitioners of Medicine in the State, and to punish persons for Mal-practice, BUT NO PREFERENCE SHALL EVER BE GIVEN BY LAW TO ANY SCHOOL OF MEDICINE."

THE MINIMUM STANDARDS OR BASIC SCIENCE BILL SHOULD BE OPPOSED FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS

The composition of the board would be Monopolistic in favor of the M.D.s. No other school is represented on the proposed board.

It would restrict the licensing of qualified physicians between states by reciprocity. The Medical Board during the last two years has licensed over 700 Doctors who had qualified themselves in other States. Under the proposed Basic Science Law none of these men could have been licensed in Texas.

It would place qualified Doctors in double jeopardy — they would have to take the same subjects by two Boards.

MEDICAL PUBLICATIONS HAVE REPEATEDLY PLUGGED FOR THIS BILL AS A SCREEN TO KEEP OUT OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIANS.

It is the first step on the part of the M.D.s to change the present Medical Practice Act to one they can control for selfish reasons.

Only a very limited number of qualified physicians (M.D.s) realize what the Minimum Standards Practice Act is, nor do they realize what the Minimum Standards Act will do for the Health of the Public in the Future. As a matter of fact, the chances are that not 5% of the M.D.s in Texas have ever read the new proposed Basic Science Law. As a clarification, ask your own Doctor if he has ever read the proposed Basic Science Law.

This is an educational advertisement that you, The Public, may be informed.—Write Your Senator
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TWO ELECTIONS

WITHIN THE NEXT few days, local voters will have the opportunity to cast their ballots in two separate elections, both of which are important to the area as a whole.

First of these elections will be Saturday, when three members to the board of the McLean Independent School District will be chosen.

The second of the elections will be next Tuesday, when voters will elect a mayor, two aldermen, a city secretary, and a city marshal.

Both elections are important to people of the McLean area. Both give the citizens an opportunity to choose their school and city leaders for the next two and three years. This is not only an opportunity but a privilege of the democratic system of government. As residents of this great country, we should always remember this is a privilege not common in all countries of this world.

The three members chosen for the school board will serve terms of three years each. There is no pay, no salary at all attached to any of the school board offices. Instead the job requires time, effort, and a great deal of thought. In return, usually members receive only criticism. When something done by the board meets approval by citizens, it is rare indeed that the board members are ever given a pat on the back. But the criticism comes quickly when something does not meet approval.

The city officials will each be elected for terms of two years. In the mayoral race, three men are asking the office; in the alderman race, five men are seeking the two vacancies; in the secretary's race, two are asking the position; and in the city marshal's race, two are requesting election.

Voters will have a choice this year. Interest in both the school and city election is running higher than usual. The vote should be fairly heavy, despite the fact that only 202 people within the city limits paid poll taxes this year. Dopesters on local elections figure the total vote will be about 300 in the city election, but not so high in the school election.

Regardless of how you vote, make it a point to go to the polls Saturday and again on Tuesday if you are a qualified voter.

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Mrs. Ed Wehba and family of Vernon, and Mrs. Mike Bird and son of Crowell left Sunday for their homes after a few days visit in the W. W. Shadid home. Other visitors in the Shadid home were Carol Blackburn and Sue Stryon of Amarillo. Darlene Shadid returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Creed Bogan and daughter Marilyn of Borger were Saturday and Sunday visitors in the homes of W. E. and C. W. Bogan.

Carole Nan Smith, who is attending school in Amarillo, visited over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Smith.



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LES TALK

Be sure to vote Saturday in the school election.
Be sure to vote Tuesday in the city election.

Then there is another election coming up on April 19. To me, and to all other residents of McLean, it is important.

The election will be on a \$50,000 bond issue. If passed, the money will be used in erecting a combination city hall and city auditorium. The auditorium will be so constructed that it can be used not only as an auditorium, but as a gymnasium, too.

Personally I think such a building would be one of the greatest assets to the town and school which we could erect.

But I won't comment any more on it in this week's column, since there will be others written before the election. It should be pointed out, however, that if the bonds are approved by the voters, the attorney-general will also have to approve them before they are issued.

Bill Rutherford of Dumas, publisher of the Moore County News and present governor of Lions International District 27-1, was in McLean last Thursday night to attend the McLean club's Ladies Night affair.

He spoke to the Lions and their wives on Lionism, and his message was one of the best on Lionism I have ever heard.

I had the pleasure of talking to him quite some time Friday morning before he left. I asked if Dumas is still booming. His reply: It's growing so fast it's getting away from us. No doubt you have read many, many accounts of the boom the town is enjoying. The peculiar thing is that Dumas has been booming for several years now, and apparently will continue to do so for several more years. The population is already estimated at more than 5,000. Just a few years ago it was a wide place in the road. Good wheat crops are one reason, but industrial development has had more to do with the growth of Dumas. Oil and gas, too.

As district governor, Mr. Rutherford has a total of 73 clubs under his jurisdiction. During his year as governor, he is supposed to visit each of the clubs, and keep them all going good. He has done a remarkable job at doing just that.

Those present at the Ladies Night affair last Thursday were glad they went. They enjoyed his message on Lionism. I wish that others who do not belong to the club could have heard him, too. Then they would truly want to join.

Had a fellow tell me the other day that he wouldn't say how he was going to vote, but that he was behind me in the contest for alderman in the city election next Tuesday. Haven't had anybody else even say that. But if I vote for myself, that would be one vote anyway. Even had one man tell me I would be sorry if I vote for myself. You see, he has been a member of the council in the past.



Remember when Bureaus were just pieces of furniture?

Daffy-nitions: Matrimony—a public institution that costs a man his Bachelor's degree while his wife gets her Master's; Middle Age—the time in life when a man stops wondering how he can escape temptation, and begins to wonder if he's missing any; Adolescent—A youngster in his early nineties; Playboy—a glib woman-chaser with a top hat, white lies, and tales; Overweight Glamor Girl—a woman who is no longer her old siph.

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Never did get my four opponents, George Graham, Guy Beasley, Dr. J. H. Kritzer, and W. L. Copeland, lined up on a mass printing job for candidate cards. Thought I might print all of them at one time, and kinda give them a cut rate on the printing. But couldn't swing the deal. Lost that prospective business. Needed it, too, after the bad months in January and February.

Been noticing that Bill Day finally got around to putting in a display window in his furniture store. Said he thought he ought to get a write-up on it. Then C. P. Callahan (I call him Cal-houn) painted his little display window and put a back on it. Said he thought he ought to get a write-up, too.

Finally got my building rewired. Bill McCollon and Gene Herron did it. They said they did a good job. Hope so.

Claude Hinton had a little tough luck the other day. Was putting in a new piece of the high-powered plate glass at Shedrick's and broke the glass.

Joined the American Legion the other day. Just got around to it. No reason for not having joined before. Just hadn't. Already got a job—you guessed it, on the rodeo advertising committee. So be sure and attend the rodeo. You'll hear more about that, too.

Got a lot of plans for the summer. Nope, not going anywhere. Just got yard plans, and things in general to do around the house. Plan to work with Lester Dysart and build a fence and outdoor furnace between our two back yards. Planning now.

Change our minds every day. Eventually, maybe, we'll get something done. Also want to fix up the home air conditioner so it will do more good. Still just planning on that. Did get some more grass seed set out in our front yard where the old grass had about died out. May never come up, but it's planted anyway. Trying to get some rose bushes to live, but think they're already dead. Should have got Mrs. W. S. Lentz to help us with this matter. She's good at that sort of thing, is licensed landscaper, etc. The difference between her gardening and mine is that she knows what's she doing. I don't. Enjoy it, though.

Went to the junior play Friday night. Grandpa Edward Dwyer and his twin sister were both good. So were all the rest of the members of the cast. They only forgot their lines two or three times—that I noticed at least. Good play. Glad I went.

After trying (and I mean just that) to ride a donkey in the basketball game last Saturday night, I feel that I am in need of instructions in how to get on—and stay on—a donkey. First time I ever tried it, and I was a complete flop at it. Thought maybe I just had a mean old donkey, but then I noticed that Bob Sherrod, an expert at riding, didn't have a bit of trouble with the same animal. Thank goodness I don't have to ride a donkey every day.

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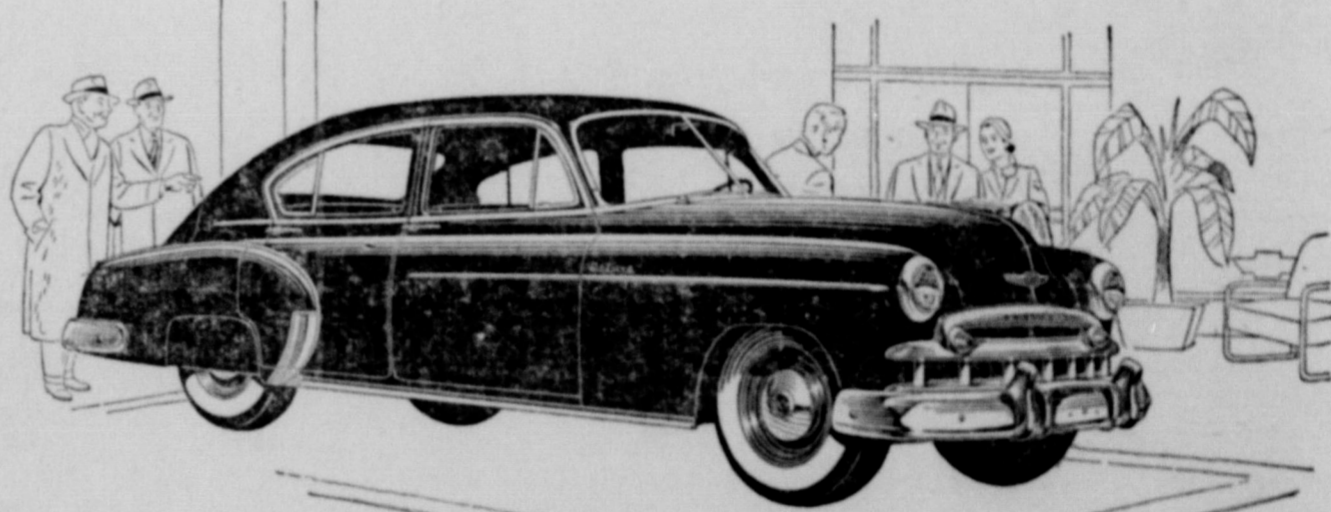
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Honored at Party
On 5th Birthday**

Mrs. A. J. Dwyer entertained
her niece, Barbara Jane Todd,
with a party on her 5th birthday
Friday.

Games were played. Favors of
Easter eggs and balloons were
given.

Present were Clyde Richard
Brown, Ronnie Brown, Mike Jen-
kins, Patricia Jenkins, Rolena
Chase, Bobby Orrick, Gary Joe
Graham, Elaine Williams, Phyllis
Hancock, Marvin Todd, Jane
Todd, Arthur James Dwyer, Nona
Ruth Beck, Mrs. Harold Todd,
Mrs. Johnny Jenkins, and Mrs.
Clyde Brown.

Mrs. Bob Black is visiting this
week with relatives at Deport and
Blossom.

**Miss Sybil Weaver
Becomes Bride of
Douglas L. Cox**

Wedding vows were exchanged
by Sybil G. Weaver, daughter of
Mrs. Alma V. Weaver of McLean,
and Douglas L. Cox, son of Mr.
and Mrs. Robert H. Cox of Waco,
Saturday afternoon, March 26, in
the Calvary Baptist Church at
Waco.

Mac Barbee, Church of Christ
associate minister, read the double-
ring service before an altar decora-
ted with white snapdragons,
baby's breath, and baskets of
white gladioli and stock flowers,
flanked on either side by white
candelabra.

Proceeding the ceremony, Mrs.
Edwin Denham sang "Ich Liebe
Dich" and "Beauca"; accompanied
on the organ by Mary Margaret
Witte. "Claire de Lune" was
played softly as the candles
were lighted. The traditional wed-
ding marches were used for the
processional and recessional.

Matron of honor, Mrs. Wayman
Ristole of Abilene, and brides-
maids, Miss Bennie Williams and
Miss Lois Richards of Temple, wore
dresses of blending pastel shades
of pink and lavender crepe. Their
accessories were navy and white,
with corsages of pink and yellow
mixed flowers.

Sam Ernest Dean of Waco served
the groom as best man, and
Alva Walsh and D. Y. McDaniel
were ushers. Honorary ushers
were Paul C. Wilson and William
Taylor, all of Waco.

For her wedding, the bride chose
a powder blue dress with navy
accessories. Her bridal bouquet
was white iris centered with an
orchid.

Following the wedding, a recep-
tion was given by the bride's
mother at the Morris tea room,
where cake and punch were served
to seventy-five guests. Miss Mark
K. Beedy presided at the bride's
book. Miss Jeannette Johnson served
the wedding cake, while Miss
Elizabeth Riddleover and Miss
Janis Harris presided at the punch
bowl.

Mrs. Cox graduated from Mc-
Lean High School with the class
of 1943. She attended West Texas
State College at Canyon, A. C. C.

in Abilene, and nurses school at
John Sealy Hospital at Galveston.

Mr. Cox is a graduate of Waco
High School, attended Baylor
University at Waco, and is now
a senior at A. C. C., where he
is majoring in chemistry.

After a short wedding trip to
Austin, the couple will be at home
in Abilene.

Mrs. Cox was feted with a tea
on Friday afternoon at the T. L.
Beedy home in Waco. Assisting
with hostess duties were Mrs. E.
L. Harris and Mrs. Ed Goddard.

A rehearsal luncheon was held
for the bridal party and attend-
ants at the Morans Lunch Room.
There were twenty attending.

**Church Council
To Buy Oxygen
Regulator Head**

An oxygen regulator head, to be
made available to the public at
any time, will be bought by the
Fifth Tuesday Council of Church
Women, it was decided at a regu-
lar meeting of the group Tues-
day afternoon at the First Baptist
Church.

The session was a regular meet-
ing of the council, and the follow-
ing program was given: song,
"Sweet Hour of Prayer"; invo-
cation, Mrs. S. R. Jones; "Faith
in Our Surroundings," Mrs. Wayne
Brister; "The Importance of Re-
turning to Religion," Mrs. Clyde
Magee; solo, Jessie Ellen Seay;
devotional, Mrs. L. R. Green;
"Faith in Our God," Mrs. Laura
Byerly; "Faith of Our Fathers,"
congregation; closing prayer, Mrs.
J. L. Hess.

Registering were Jessie Ellen
Seay, Eula Mae Scales, and Mes-
sames Frank Howard, Paul Miller,
Boyd Reeves, T. A. Langham, J.
L. Hess, Clyde Magee, George
Colebank, Wayne Brister, S. R.
Jones, J. E. Kirby, Bob Thomas.

Mesdames Harris King, J. L.
Andrews, J. B. Hembree, Cort
Meyers, Laura Byerly, Clayton
Day, C. C. Howard, W. E. Bogan,
R. L. McDonald, Luther Petty,
T. E. Crisp, C. O. Goodman, P. E.
Hambright, Mattie Graham, Guy
D. Pharis, L. R. Green, and R. L.
Appling.

Rev. Clayton Day, Mrs. R. L.
McDonald, Mrs. R. L. Appling,
and Mrs. Luther Petty attended a
recent meeting of the North Fork
Baptist Workers conference at the
Fresno Baptist Church.

Mrs. Harold Todd of Lefors
spent the week-end with Mr. and
Mrs. A. J. Dwyer.

Mrs. R. L. Appling, Mrs. Homer
Abbott, Mrs. R. L. McDonald, Mrs.
Luther Petty, Mrs. Guy D. Pharis,
Mrs. Clayton Day, Mrs. E. L.
Price, Mrs. Bunia Kunkel, Mrs.
Hershel Smith, and Mrs. J. E.
Smith Jr. attended a W. M. U.
leadership course at the Lela
Baptist Church Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Marshall
announce the birth of a daughter
Wednesday, March 23. Connie
Rebecca weighed 9 pounds and
four ounces.

Mrs. Luther Petty and grandson,
Vernon Kennedy, left Wednesday
for Abilene to attend the Baptist
Training Union convention, and to
visit her daughter, Mrs. Nora
Loveland. Mrs. Zora Kennedy of
Amarillo will join them over the
week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and
daughter Karen spent Sunday vis-
iting with Mrs. Day's parents, Mr.
and Mrs. W. R. Franks, in Well-
ington. Karen remained with her
grandparents for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland
and Mrs. J. T. Gullede were in
Tulla and Plainview last Thurs-
day attending to business and
visiting in the home of Laurence
Bourland.

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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF McLEAN COUNTY OF GRAY TO ALL QUALIFIED VOTERS OF THE CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY, AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of McLean, Texas, on the 19th day of April, 1949, to determine whether or not the City Council of said City shall be authorized to issue the general obligation tax bonds of said City in the amount of \$50,000 for a public building, to-wit: constructing and equipping a City Hall and Municipal Building; and which election was duly called and ordered by the order of the City Council of said City, passed on the 23rd day of March, 1949, and which ELECTION ORDER is made a part of this Notice, and is in words and figures as follows, to-wit:

ELECTION ORDER THE STATE OF TEXAS CITY OF McLEAN COUNTY OF GRAY

ON THIS the 23rd day of March, 1949, the City Council of the City of McLean, Texas, convened in special session at the regular meeting place thereof in the City Hall, there being present and in attendance the following members:

Boyd Meador, Mayor; O. G. Stokely, E. J. Lander, Guy Hibler, Aldermen, and with the following members absent: R. T. Dickinson and Roger Powers, constituting a quorum; at which time the following, among other business was transacted, to-wit:

It was moved by Alderman Lander and seconded by Alderman Stokely that there be submitted to the qualified voters of the City of McLean, Texas, who are property taxpayers therein, and who have duly rendered their property for taxation, a proposition for the issuance of the general obligation tax bonds of said City in the amount of \$50,000 for a public building, to-wit: constructing and equipping a City Hall and Municipal Building.

The above motion carried by the following vote:

AYES: Aldermen Stokely, Lander, and Hibler.

NOES: None. Thereupon, Alderman Hibler introduced an order calling an election for the purpose of submitting the proposition to a vote of the qualified property taxpayers of said City, and moved the passage and adoption of said order. The motion was seconded by Alderman Stokely. The motion carrying with it the passage and adoption of the election order, prevailed by the following vote:

AYES: Aldermen Stokely, Lander, and Hibler.

NOES: None. THE ELECTION ORDER is as follows:

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of McLean, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purpose hereinafter stated; therefore

BE IT ORDERED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS:

I. That an election be held on the 19th day of April, 1949, which date is not less than fifteen (15) nor more than thirty (30) days from the date of the adoption of this order, at which election the following proposition shall be submitted to the qualified electors who own taxable property in said City, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

"SHALL THE CITY COUNCIL of the City of McLean, Texas, be authorized to issue FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$50,000) of general obligation tax bonds of said City, maturing serially over a period of years not to exceed thirty (30) years from the date thereof, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed FOUR PER CENTUM (4%) per annum, payable annually or semi-annually, for a public building, to-wit: constructing and equipping a City Hall and Municipal Building in and for said City; and to provide for the payment of principal of and interest on said bonds by levying a tax sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and to create a sinking fund sufficient to redeem said bonds as they become due?"

II. That said election shall be held at the CITY HALL in the City of McLean, Texas, and the entire City shall constitute one election precinct.

III. That the following named persons are hereby appointed officers of the election, to-wit: Byrd Guill, Presiding Judge; T. N. Holloway, Judge; Mrs. W. C. Shull, Clerk; and Mrs. S. A. Cousins, Clerk.

IV. That said election shall be held under the provisions of and in accordance with the laws governing the issuance of municipal bonds in cities as provided in the General Laws of the State of Texas, and only qualified electors, who own taxable property in the City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, shall be qualified to vote.

V. That the ballots of said election shall have written or printed thereon the following:

OFFICIAL BALLOT
 "FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF,"
 "AGAINST THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS AND THE LEVYING OF THE TAX IN PAYMENT THEREOF."

AS TO the foregoing proposition, each voter shall mark out with black ink or black pencil one of the above expressions, thus leaving the other as indicating his or her vote on the proposition.

VI. That a copy of this order, signed by the Mayor of the City of McLean, Texas, and attested by the City Secretary, shall serve as proper notice of said election.

VII. That notice of said election shall be given by posting and publication of a copy of this order, at the top of which shall appear the words: "NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS." Said notice shall be posted at the City Hall and at two other public places in said City, not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date on which said election is to be held, and be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in the McLEAN NEWS, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of McLean, Texas, the first of said publications to be made not less than fourteen (14) days prior to the date set for said election.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this the 23rd day of March, 1949.
 Boyd Meador, Mayor, City of McLean, Texas.
 ATTEST: D. A. Davis, City Secretary, City of McLean, Texas. (SEAL)

Council of the City of McLean, Texas, and under authority of law.
 WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF THE CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS, this the 23rd day of March, 1949.
 Boyd Meador, Mayor, City of McLean, Texas.
 ATTEST: D. A. Davis, City Secretary, City of McLean, Texas. (CITY SEAL)

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I still intend to see each of you, but if I should miss soliciting your vote and influence, I would like to take this opportunity of doing so.

I will sincerely appreciate any help you may give me in the city election next Tuesday.

Guy Hibler

Candidate for Mayor

(Pol. Adv.)

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... that I am asking you for your vote and influence in the City Election Tuesday, April 5, 1949.

I am very grateful for the years I was privileged to serve you in the past. And at this time I am asking for the opportunity to serve you again.

Thank you for your vote and influence.

W. E. Bogan

Candidate for City Secretary

(Pol. Adv.)

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Your vote appreciated.

Harris King -- Candidate for Mayor

(Pol. Adv.)

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