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The McLean News



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Oil Leasing Active South of McLean

That some deep oil tests may be drilled in the area south of McLean became a reasonable possibility as an out-of-state oil company took steps to lease a block of thousands of acres of land last week.

Kyle Announces For Re-Election As Sheriff

G. H. Kyle of Pampa this week authorized The News to announce his candidacy for re-election as Gray County sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries this summer.

Doctor Warns Of Sun Stroke

Summer weather is just around the corner and many Texans will try to acquire a sun tan as quickly as possible.

CHICK CHICK



Here is Susie Q. Riffle, best-known chick in the United States. Wearing a fashionable cotton bag costume that is a copy of a French chicken that was picked as winner in the national Fowl Fashion Contest at Kansas City, Mo., recently.

Fire Destroys Jones Grocery East of Town

Fire of an undetermined origin completely destroyed the grocery store owned by Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Jones on Highway 66 five miles east of McLean early Monday morning.

P-T-A to Install New Officers

Installation of the new officers of the McLean Parent-Teacher Association will be held Wednesday afternoon, May 10, in the high school auditorium.

Six Attend State FHA Meet

Mrs. Tommy Hulsey, homemaker instructor, and five members of the McLean chapter of Future Homemakers of America attended a state F. H. A. meeting in San Antonio last week-end.

Population to Be Much Lower Than Most People Estimate

If you live in McLean, or Amarillo, or Pampa, or almost any place else which you think any place else which you think is much, much larger in population now than it was ten years ago—then don't be too disappointed if the official census figures let you down.

C. of C. Directors To Meet Again On Tuesday Night

The 12 directors of the new McLean and area chamber of commerce will meet for their second session next Tuesday night, May 9, at 7:30 o'clock in the Lions Hall.

Judge B. S. Via, Attorney, Dies Of Long Illness

Judge B. S. Via, long-time resident of Gray County, and well-known in the McLean area, died at St. Luke's Hospital in Los Angeles, Calif., Thursday night of last week.

3rd Graders To Give Play

Members of the 3rd grade class of the McLean Grade School will present a play, "Cinderella," this afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Grade School gym.

White to Speak At Legion Meet

Leonard L. White of the 828th field artillery battalion in Pampa will speak to members of the American Legion at the regular meeting next Monday night at 7:30 o'clock.

Alanreed Plans 2 Operettas

Two operettas will be presented by students of the Alanreed schools Thursday night, May 11, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Grade School Band to Play

The Grade School band will present a concert Monday night, May 8, at 7:30 o'clock in the Grade School gymnasium.

Most musical terms are derived from the Italian language. Taft, an ex-president, swore Herbert Hoover into office as president.

Voters to Choose Congressman In Special Election on Saturday

Senior Class To Give Play Next Tuesday

The senior class of McLean High School will present their annual play, this year a three-act comedy entitled "The Boarding House Reach," Tuesday night, May 9, in the high school auditorium.

Complaints Made Concerning 'Racing' Of Cars in Town

Several complaints from local residents concerning the racing of cars in the residential sections of the town have been made recently.

Huelyn Laycock Asks Office of Superintendent

Huelyn Laycock has authorized The News to announce his candidacy for re-election to a second full term for the office of County Superintendent of Gray County.

66 Station Bought by Back

Sale of the 66 Service Station by W. L. (Skeet) Copeland to Jim Back was announced Wednesday.

Methodists Plan Quarterly Meet

The fourth quarterly conference for the McLean Methodist Church will be held Wednesday night of next week.

Fun Nite to Honor Seniors of 1950

Members of the high school senior class will be honored guests at a Fun Nite program at the American Legion Hall Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock.

McLean Baseball Team Wins 1st Game Over St. Francis 17-9

The McLean baseball team, sponsored by the local post of the American Legion, won its first game Sunday afternoon by downing St. Francis 17-9 in Caprock League play.

Meador Loses In Lions Race

Dr. Marshall Harvey of Lubbock was elected new governor of Lions International District 27-1 at the convention in Childress Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday.

Two Make Honor Group

Two McLean college students were recently honored when they were initiated into Alpha Chi, national scholarship society for juniors and seniors, at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Polls to Open At 8, and Close At 7 in Evening

At least 11 people who are legal residents of the 28-county area which embraces the 18th Congressional District will be somewhat relieved when Saturday is over, for that is the date of the special election called by Governor Allan Shivers to determine who will serve as U. S. Representative from this district until January 1.

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Dr. Marshall Harvey of Lubbock was elected new governor of Lions International District 27-1 at the convention in Childress Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, defeating the McLean candidate, Boyd Meador, in a hotly-contested race.

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BIRTHDAYS

- May 7—Mrs. Harold C. Petty, Edna Mae Scales, Oscar Sullivan.
May 8—Mildred Holloway, David McGee, Kathleen Dyart, Eli Dunlap, Oran Back, F. E. Stewart.
May 9—Bennie Lee Smith, Jeff Coffey Jr.
May 10—Homer Wilson, Harvey Shelton, Jane Graham, Mrs. Reep Landers.
May 11—Joyce Beasley, Bobby Joe Brown.
May 12—Mrs. S. R. Jones, Mrs. K. S. Ripoy, Mrs. Allen Wilson, Perry Carruth, Mrs. Bill Reeves.
May 13—Mrs. Woody Wilkerson, Mrs. W. S. Lentz, Charlotte Wilson, James Edward Hall.

SOCIETY

Baptist W. M. U. Royal Service Program Is Held

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock for a Royal Service program.

Mrs. R. L. McDonald had charge of the opening service and business session. Mrs. Hubert Waldrop led the radio mission program, "Around the World." Taking part on the program were Mrs. Cohen Gallegly, Mrs. Howard Williams, and Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr.

At the close of the program, Mrs. Paul Miller sang "From Greenland's Icy Mountains."

Mrs. Bunia Kunkel and Mrs. John Cooper were in charge of refreshments. Present were Mesdames Homer Abbott, R. L. McDonald, Paul Miller, C. B. Lee

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Jr. Howard Williams, Hubert Waldrop, Cohen Gallegly, Paul Wells, Leroy Williams, George Colebank, Oba Kunkel, R. L. Adpling, E. L. Price, and Luther Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Jones of Sunray visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald.

Rev. and Mrs. Leo McDonald and son of Port Worth are visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald.

Mrs. Leon Waldrop, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Will Griffith of Knox City, visited last week-end in Big Spring with a brother who was ill in the hospital. They also visited a brother at Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Trimble and son Gary of Berger spent Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of last week with his mother, Mrs. Corinne Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Blackwell, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stanley of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McPherson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Lankford and children, Billy and Mickey, of Shamrock visited in the K. S. Rippy and W. A. Lankford homes over the week-end.

POLIO PRECAUTIONS

RECOMMENDED BY THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS



WHEN POLIO IS AROUND, the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis recommends these simple precautions: Keep children with their own friends and away from people they have not been with right along. Don't become exhausted through work or hard play. Don't stay too long in cold water or sit around in wet clothes. And always wash hands before eating. Watch for feverishness, sore throat, headache, upset stomach or sore muscles. They may—or may not—mean polio. Call your doctor and then, if help is needed, contact the National Foundation Chapter in your area.

Employers Urged to Know Law Concerning Hiring of Minors

With the closing of school not far away, a lot of youngsters in this community already are looking forward to carrying home pay checks instead of report cards.

But, without wishing to discourage thrift or good work habits in any way, the U. S. Department of Labor has a word of caution about vacation jobs. And it is directed to prospective employers and parents as well as to the youngsters looking for jobs.

It's this: Injuries for minors under 18 are twice as high as for adult workers. Furthermore, every state and the federal government have enacted laws designed to protect the nation's young citizens.

Whichever statute, federal or state, sets the higher standard governs the matter in any given state.

The best-known federal law prohibits the employment of oppressive child labor in the production of goods for interstate commerce, and makes it illegal to employ such labor in interstate commerce itself—such as in the communication and transportation industries.

What do they mean by "oppressive child labor?" Simply the employment of boys and girls under the minimum ages set for various kinds of jobs.

For instance, under that law (Fair Labor Standards Act) the minimum age for most jobs in interstate commerce itself or in the production of goods for commerce is 16. Children who are 14 or 15 may be employed in a few jobs, but only when certain

rigid conditions are met. Children under 14 may not be employed in any work which is covered by the law and specifically exempt.

But wait a minute. There's a minimum age of 18 years, too. That applies to the so-called hazardous jobs—jobs which the U. S. Secretary of Labor has found to be dangerous. There are seven classes of those which have been found unsafe for persons less than 18. They range from driving motor vehicles and helping on them to operating elevators and work in the operation of saw mills.

The child labor provisions of the federal law do not apply to the employment of children in agriculture outside of school hours for the school district where they are living while employed.

And, of course, there is an exemption for children under 16 employed in agriculture by their parents on their parents' farm. But that exemption does not extend to jobs in mining or manufacturing or to other jobs which the Secretary of Labor has declared hazardous.

There is still another exception for children who deliver newspapers to consumers. There is also an exemption for youthful actors or performers in motion

picture, theatrical, radio, or television productions.

Meet employees know that under the minimum wage and overtime pay provisions of the federal law, minors as well as adults must be paid at least 75 cents and time and a half their regular rates for overtime after 40 hours in any work week, unless specifically exempted.

Any prospective employer can protect himself from unintentional violations of the federal law by obtaining and keeping on file an age or employer certificate for each minor employed, showing the child to be above the minimum age provided for the job he is doing.

Applications for such certificates in Texas should be directed to the local office of the Texas Employment Commission or to the Federal Issuing Officer, U. S. Department of Labor, Room 222, 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke visited their son, Bill Cooke and family, at Lubbock over the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Sitter accompanied them and visited Dr. and Mrs. Lear M. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Jones visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Jones and family.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks attended a Planning Camp at the Methodist camp in Ceta Canyon Monday through Friday of last week.

Mrs. Bunia Kunkel and grandson, Eddie Hugh, visited relatives at Groom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McGee of

Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. J. W. Kibler, Sunday.

Egg-rolling on the White House lawn was introduced during Madison's term of office.

Stalactites are ice-like formations which hang from the ceiling of a cave.

England's sea power came into being with the defeat of the Spanish Armada.

General John J. Pershing was once governor of the Philippines.

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ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 500,628.48
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	453,400.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	21,800.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	100,616.10
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$675.49 overdrafts)	436,325.37
Bank premises owned \$1,000.00, furniture and fixtures	\$2,000.00 3,000.00
Other assets	607.90
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,519,426.95
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,230,438.28
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	34,730.40
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	64,423.65
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	29,541.56
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	25,550.49
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,384,474.38
Other liabilities	229.96
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$1,384,704.34
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Common stock, total par	\$50,000.00 \$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	14,722.61
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	20,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 134,722.91
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,519,426.95
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 53,000.00
STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF GRAY, ss:	
I, Clifford Allison, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
Clifford Allison, Cashier.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of May, 1950.	
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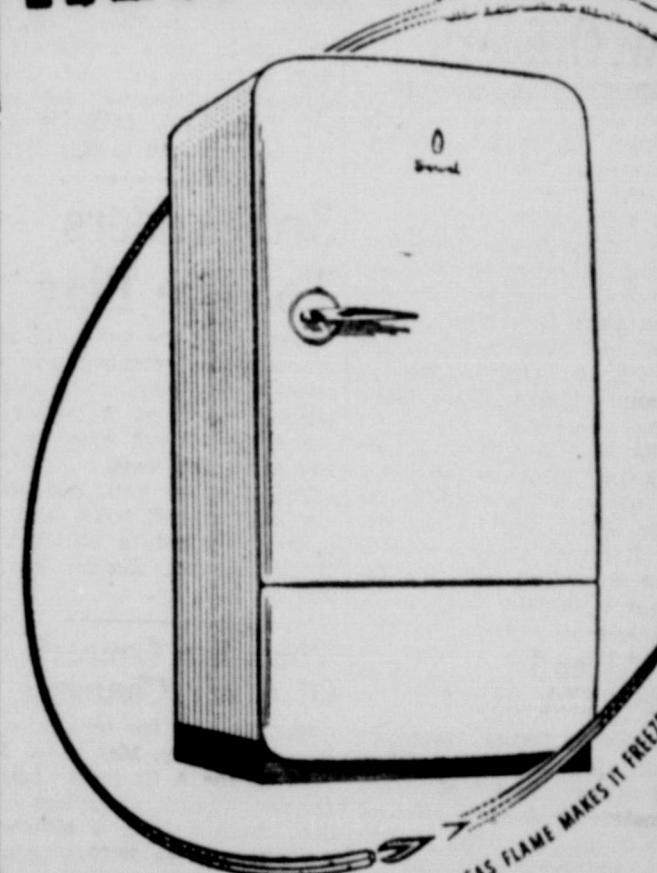
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Mrs. W. C. Skull and son Neal spent Saturday in Shamrock. Mr. Skull spent Wednesday of last week in Wheeler on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Crocker and son of Tulsa visited Mrs. Crocker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cortz, Sunday. Mrs. Crocker remained for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stauffer of Amarillo spent Saturday night in the home of Mrs. Nida Green, and attended church and quarterly conference at Heald Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Graham

announce the birth of a boy Sunday, April 30. He weighed 7 pounds and 1 1/2 ounces, and has been named James Patrick.

Mrs. Edward Williams visited with her mother, Mrs. W. N. Pharis, at Leisa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Grigsby and son, Burt of Borger visited friends and relatives here Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Crockett visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Crockett's mother, Mrs. F. H. King, at Mangum, Okla.

Mrs. Johnnie R. Back spent last week with her daughter Dorothea, who is attending ACC at Abilene.

Mrs. George Terry underwent a major operation Thursday of last week in Highland General Hospital in Pampa. She is reported doing as well as can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter and children and Mrs. J. B.

Pettit visited Sunday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Pettit and son.

George Skinner of Borger visited with friends here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tittel and family spent Sunday in Pampa.

Kenneth Carter and Jimmie Williams spent Thursday, Friday,

and Saturday in Sayre, Okla., painting signs to advertise the rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hinton, accompanied by L. Jameson of Vinson, Okla., visited in White Deer Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hughes.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Allen spent Monday night with John Cooper and family. They have just recently returned from Germany,

and plan to make their home in Canyon. Mrs. Allen is Mr. Cooper's sister.

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- 1 can shrimp
- 1 onion, thinly sliced
- 2 tablespoons fortified margarine
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1 cup tomatoes
- 1/4 teaspoon salt
- 1 bouillon cube or 2 tbs. meat extract
- 1/4 teaspoon curry powder
- 1/4 cup water

Prepare shrimp for cooking. Peel the onion and slice in thin slices. Melt the margarine in a heavy pan. Add flour and make a rich golden brown roux. Add onions and brown lightly. Add salt, curry powder, and shrimp. Stir until shrimp are well coated in the roux, and none is left in the frying pan. Dissolve the bouillon cube or meat extract in the water and combine with tomatoes. Push the shrimp to one side of the pan and add the tomatoes. Bring the shrimp back into the sauce, lower heat and cook very slowly 10-15 minutes. Taste for seasonings and add more salt and pepper, if needed. Serve with rice.

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"Captain Carey, U. S. A."

Tuesday:

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"Blondie Hits the Jackpot"

Wednesday, Thursday:

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- Corn TOASTIES 2 for 25¢
- Mity Fine PUDDINGS 3 for 20¢
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SATURDAY IS THE DAY

FOR THE PAST TWO MONTHS, voters of the 18th Congressional District have been subjected to one of the most heated political campaigns ever conducted in the Panhandle of Texas. The occasion has been, of course, the race for the office of U. S. Representative caused by the resignation of Eugene Worley from that position.

Voters have a rather broad choice from which to choose their candidates, since 11 persons, including one who is running on the Republican ticket, have announced for the office.

A brief survey indicates the following professions which the candidates follow: two are long-time residents of Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Aitavene Clark and Talma Smith; one is a retired businessman—E. T. Burk; one is a construction man and state legislator—J. Blake Timmons; one is an ex-farmer and lately a government employee as coordinator of veterans vocational schools—Ronald Davis; one is a farmer-stockman—LeRoy LaMaster; one is an attorney—Walter Rogers; one is an accountant—W. T. Pickel; one is an insecticide dealer—H. J. Bice; one is an insurance man—Woodrow Montgomery; and one is a real estate man—Ben Gull. Gull, incidentally, is the Republican candidate.

Most of the candidates have similar platforms, although some differ radically in a few matters. We do not intend to go into these platforms in detail here, for all have been brought out in previous issues of this newspaper and other newspapers, and on the radio, and in printed matter of various kinds.

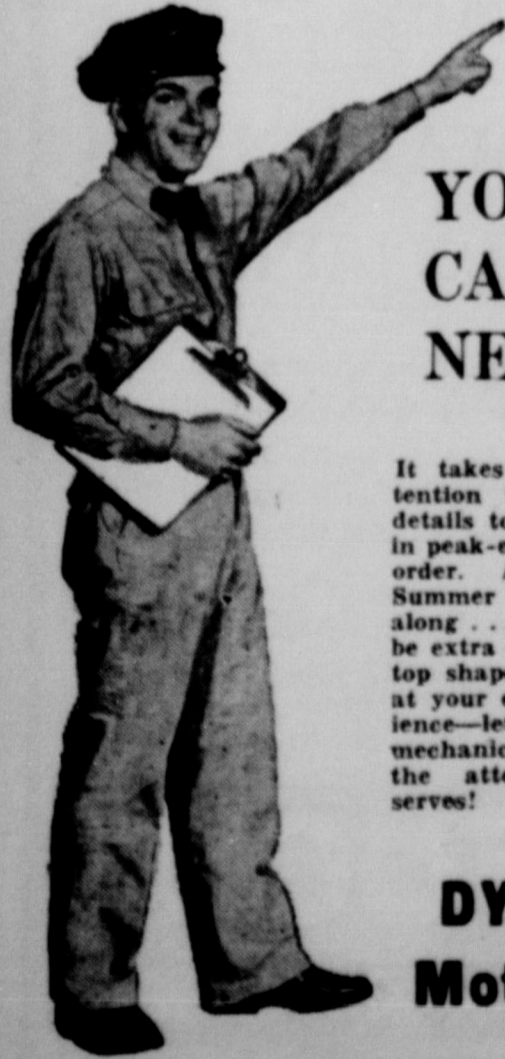
We do not believe, however, that voters should go along with any radical ideas. We do believe, though, that all voters should vote their convictions. We further believe that the platforms of all candidates should be studied, and that the personalities of each candidate should be studied. A person with no ability to meet people, to convince people, to mix with people would be undoubtedly a poor U. S. official, for that qualification is important in such an office.

The News does not intend to attempt to tell any person how to vote in the special election Saturday. There are too many candidates capable of holding the office for us to single out any one of them.

But we do urge that you go to the polls and vote. Remember your vote is not lost simply because the candidate for whom you voted does not win. That lone vote counts as much as a vote for the eventual winner.

Remember also, when considering the candidate and his qualifications, that election to the Congress of the U. S. does not endow a person with wisdom—that person must already have that wisdom or he or she will do no good.

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LES TALK BY LESTER

As I start this article, I intend that all of it—or most, at any rate—shall concern the McLean and area chamber of commerce which is now in the process of being organized. As I say, I intend it to be that way, although there is no telling how I will wind up. I never know when I start one of these columns what will come out next.

Please note that I said "McLean and area" chamber of commerce, not just McLean chamber of commerce. For that is what the organization will be, one to serve the entire area, not just McLean alone. Only by this means, and only with the support of the entire area, can the organization be a success.

Most people are fully aware of what a chamber of commerce can do, and does, for a city or town. Such an organization boosts and boasts the town, does all in its power to get new industry, attempts in every way feasible to build up the town.

So I won't go into details on that. All businessmen of the town know, or should know, that an active chamber of commerce will be very beneficial to business in general.

Now how about the area? What good will a McLean and area chamber of commerce do for the farmers and ranchers?

That question was asked by J. D. Coleman, a member of the new board of directors. Dee, as you know, is a rancher, and does a little farming. Anyway, he wanted to know just what good a chamber of commerce would do him and others like him. So at the first meeting of the new board last week, Dee asked:

And boy, oh boy, he was swamped by about three or four directors who wanted to answer his question.

First off, Tex Ritter, who teaches the ag class in the veterans vocational school, who lived many years on a farm, and who studied agriculture at Texas Tech, gave a short answer which sounded very, very logical. Tex said, "Mr. Coleman, a farmer says he has no business in a town, and therefore need not help support a chamber of commerce, but actually all of the farmer's business is in town. It is all transacted in town." Maybe those aren't Tex's exact words, but they contain his meaning.

Then Felton Webb, who is a pretty big rancher himself, thought of several things a chamber of commerce can do to help the farmers and ranchers. Why, says Felton, a chamber of commerce can work toward obtaining a veterinary for this area. A chamber of commerce might be able to get a dentist to locate here. Felton said some other things which a chamber of commerce might do, but right off I can't think of all that was said.

Next was Dee's brother, Jesse Coleman, who said a whole lot about what a C. of C. can do for the farmer and rancher. Jesse says that such a group could sponsor farm clinics, where experienced speakers would talk and bring information to farmers concerning planting, feeding, etc. Jesse believes the town of an area should be able to become an information center, so to speak, for an area. Jesse also pointed out that a chamber of commerce could work towards a dairy program, possibly the installation of a creamery and milk route, and perhaps obtain other industries here which would provide better and more accessible markets for farmers and ranchers.

Now don't misunderstand me, I do not mean to be running down Dee Coleman for asking that

question. Dee is a very good friend of mine, and a very smart man. He knew all these answers, but figured that the meeting was a good place to have them aired.

So much for that part of the chamber of commerce.

Now here is something else which should be straightened out. It seems that some people of the area believe that a chamber of commerce here would be affiliated with the U. S. chamber of commerce and the West Texas chamber of commerce. But that isn't so. A McLean and area chamber of commerce would function only for McLean and this area. It would have nothing to do with the U. S. C. of C. or the W. T. C. of C. There are no dues to be paid to either larger organization. Each of the two—the U. S. and the W. T. C. of C.—have members of their own. For example, The McLean News is a member of the W. T. C. of C., and has been every since I have been here. Yet we have had no active local C. of C. since I have been here. I can join the West Texas group, or not join. Since I believe the W. T. C. of C. does accomplish some good, I belong.

The directors of the new local organization will meet again Tuesday night, May 9, at which time officers will be elected—a president, a vice president, and a secretary-treasurer. Also to be voted on is a system of dues. Then the membership drive will begin.

It is my hope that each of you, whether you are a farmer, a rancher, a businessman, or just an employee of some other person or firm, will see your way clear to aid in supporting a McLean and area chamber of commerce.

To make it successful, everybody's help will be needed.

And by the way, it has been said that no one will cooperate here in McLean. It seems to me that the fine cooperation between the American Legion, the Lions, and the citizenship in general showed up pretty well in the erection of the new rodeo arena, and softball and baseball field.

It occurs to me that we can get things done in McLean, if we are willing. And when you have a couple of never-say-die guys like George Terry and Bob Sherrod working, such things as having a rodeo or anything else can be accomplished splendidly in a short period of time. These two, with the help of other Legion members and still other people, proved that point and proved it emphatically.

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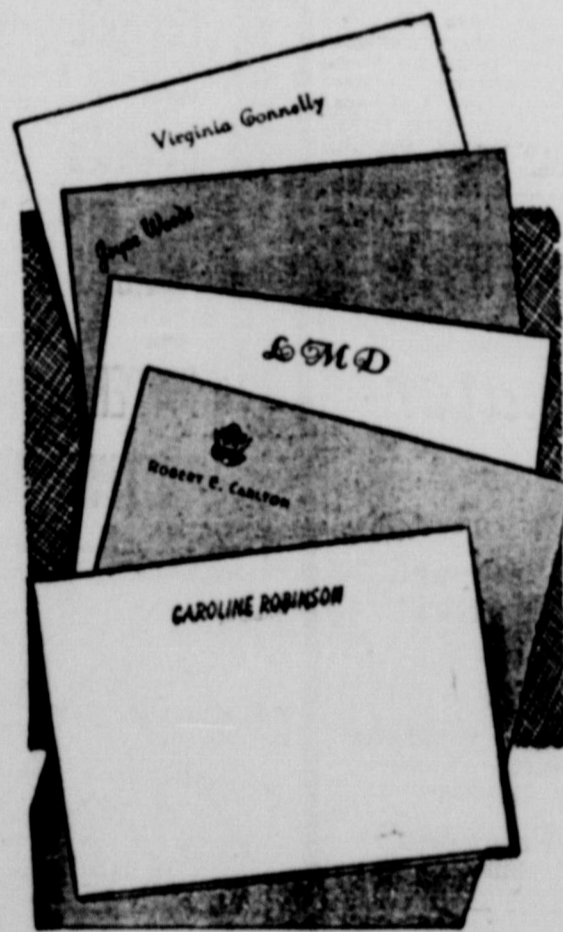
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County Fair still Progressing
The Gray County and McLean
County fair is a cinch.

We had no idea of starting such
a grand movement. In fact,
it was the opinion of the county
commissioners that the
establishment of even meager
prizes would be necessary to
attract the people here.
The hold of the affair has fairly
taken our breath and we can
assure the citizenship of the county
that a fair second to none in
the Panhandle will be pulled off
about the seventh and eighth
of next October.

The premium list is growing
every day and already practically
every section of the state is cov-

ered by a valuable prize—and
there are many citizens to see
while there are still more who
have been seen but are not ready
to announce the amount of their
offering and the product it will
cover. If you are a farmer or
stock raiser of any school you
may begin your preparations to
compete for a prize, as anything
you may have to show will be
included in the list.

And neither are the farmers
and stockmen the only ones who
will compete, as many valuable
prizes are offered and will be
offered to contestants in the
ladies' textile and culinary de-
partments.

In this connection we wish to
say that the fair is not abso-
lutely restricted to Gray County,
but includes the McLean country,
as many of our most successful
farmers are residents of Wheeler
and even Collingsworth County.
Being situated in the corner of
the county, it has been decided
that any farmer or lady that
trades at McLean and makes his
their headquarters for supplies is
eligible to enter and contest for
premiums. One restriction only
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returned from Dallas.

Following is a list of prizes
subsequent to the one printed last
week and we expect to add to this
each week from now until the
time of the fair. So if there is
any product not covered and with
which you would care to experi-
ment please let the fact be known
and the management will see that
there is a suitable prize offered
covering it.

Now let us all work together
harmoniously for the Gray County
and McLean country fair and the
fruits of our work will be
many.

Best 12 ears white corn, \$2.00—
J. L. Crabtree.
Best 12 ears yellow corn, \$2.00—
J. L. Crabtree.

Best peck of apples, \$2.00—
J. L. Crabtree.
Best cushaw, \$2.00—J. L. Crab-
tree.
Best peck threshed wheat, \$2.00
—J. L. Crabtree.
Best bear, any age or breed,
\$5.00—Scott Johnston.
Best 20 stalks kafir corn, \$5.00
—R. S. Jordan.
Second best 20 stalks kafir corn,
\$2.50—Tom Bird.
Second best bear, any age or
breed, \$2.50—Claude Herrmann.
Second best pair hogs, any age
or breed, \$2.50—W. K. Stokes.
Second best 20 stalks maize,
\$2.50—W. K. Stokes.
Best saddle horse, 3 to 4 years
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A Business Change

A. W. Haynes has recently pur-
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business of the City Restaurant
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charge and has associated with
him "Uncle Tip" Frazier, who
has been a cook all the better
days of his life and is well equip-
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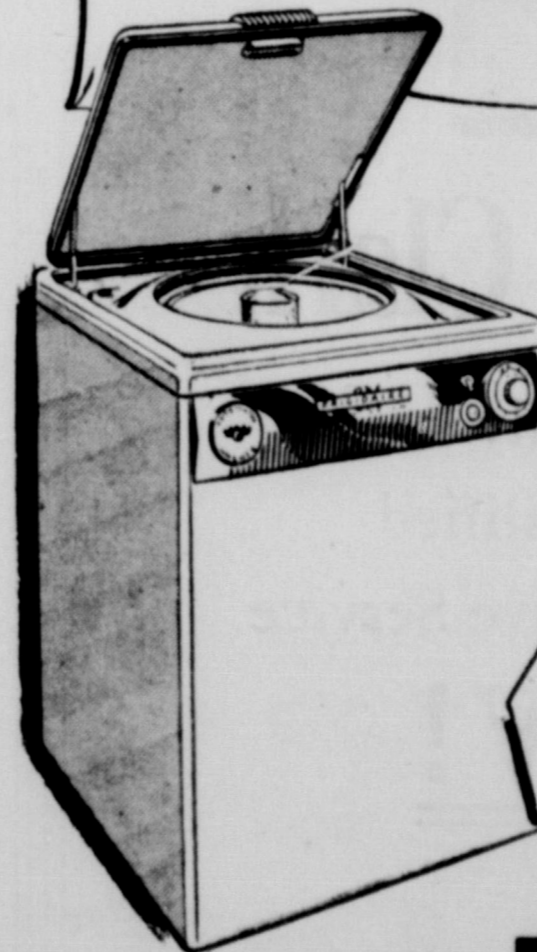
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Liberty Bell Replica to Be Brought Here

The voice of American liberty and independence will ring out in Gray County Monday, June 5. A bronze replica of the original Liberty Bell will visit Pampa on that date, to help promote the sale of United States Savings Bonds during the Independence Drive, May 15 through July 4, according to Judge Sherman White, Gray County savings bonds chairman.

The bell will arrive in Pampa

at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon and depart at 4. While there it will be in charge of the county savings bonds chairman and his committee, who are planning appropriate ceremonies to mark the visit.

This county is one of 87 in Texas that will be visited by the bell, the chairman said. The bell will make its appearance in about 120 Texas cities and towns which represent 85 or 90 per cent of the state's population. The bell will start on its 5,000 mile tour following the state "kick off" of the Independence Drive in Fort Worth on May 16. The state quota for the drive is \$25,000,000 in Series E bonds. The slogan is "Save for YOUR Independence—"

GOING STRONG



Although 72-year-old Charlie Dismar, of Washington, D. C., lost both legs four years ago, he puts in ten hours a day as a Red Cross volunteer. Confined to his wheel chair at home, he cuts and strings labels for sterile supplies at Walter Reed Hospital. "It helps to know I can still be useful to somebody," Dismar says.

Buy U. S. Savings Bonds.

The bell is an exact duplicate, except for the crack, of the original Liberty Bell which is preserved in Independence Hall at Philadelphia. The crack is simulated in the duplicate bell so that it will have the same "voice" that proclaimed liberty 174 years ago when this nation declared itself "free and independent." The bell will be rung during the ceremonies.

The bell is one of 49 that the copper industry is furnishing as its contribution to the Independence Drive. One bell each will tour the 48 states and the District of Columbia during the seven weeks of the drive. Companies cooperating with the Treasury Department to make the bells possible are Anaconda Copper Mining company, American Smelting and Refining company, American Metal Company Ltd., Kennecott Copper company, Miami Copper company, and Phelps-Dodge Corporation.

The Texas bell and the 48 others will be transported on

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specially equipped trucks that are being furnished by the Ford Motor company.

"The visit of this bell gives the people of this county the opportunity to see an authentic replica of America's most cherished relic," the county chairman said. "I hope the largest possible number of our citizens, children as well as adults, will make plans to see and hear it."

The chairman said that additional details would be announced as plans for the ceremonies progress.

A large group of people from the Lela Methodist church attended church services Sunday morning and conference in the afternoon at the Heald Methodist Church. Rev. W. E. Hamilton preached and conducted the conference. Those attending church from McLean were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kramer and Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Mrs. S. M. Hutchinson, Johnnie and Bill, were in Paducah from Friday until Sunday at the bedside of Mrs. Hutchinson's father, J. F. Young. Claude Young returned them home Sunday, after their father was reported improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dwyer of Shamrock, and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Todd of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and son Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Davidson and children and Eva Davidson of Wheeler were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Bones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fulton of Los Angeles, Calif., visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willis and Bonnie, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Sunray visited with his mother, Mrs. N. J. Jones, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Glass of Austin visited with his mother, Mrs. J. T. Glass, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keys of Clarendon visited in the homes of Fred Bentley and M. D. Bentley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey and Dora spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Griffith at Denworth.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: DOROTHY F. CUMMINS, a widow, and ANDREW MOORE, GRESTENG:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 29th day of May, A. D. 1950, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 11th day of April, 1950. The file number of said suit being No. 4095.

The names of the parties in said



Poems:
Grandmother says,
And it's probably true,
That she never thought of doing
Things I do.
I'll grant that she didn't,
But hasten to add,
I'll bet that she would have
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With all the world to swirl and dodge in,
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suit are EVA McDANIEL, ET VIR T. O. McDANIEL as plaintiffs, and DOROTHY F. CUMMINS, a widow, and ANDREW MOORE as defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Plaintiffs allege that they are lawful owners in fee simple of the following described premises situated in the County of Gray, State of Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being all of Lot No. 10 in Block No. 16 of the Talley Addition to the City of Pampa, Gray County, Texas.

That defendants on the 10th day of January, 1950, unlawfully entered upon and dispossessed him of such premises and withheld from him the possession thereof.

This suit is brought as well to try title as for damages, and plaintiff relies upon title by limitation.

Texas, this the 11th day of April, 1950.
DEE PATTERSON, Clerk Dist. A. D. 1950.
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NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

The Lazy Daisies met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. New Barker. Refreshments of gingerbread, whipped cream, coffee, and tea were served to Mesdames John Gregory, Harris D. Spain, Durant Brock, Clarence Drum, Brent Chapman, Raymond McReynolds, Bud Holmes, J. C. West, Joe Harris, Elmer Immel, and the hostess.

The young people's class of the Baptist church had a wister road at Sand Spur Thursday night. Those enjoying the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond M. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Immel, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brown, Rev. and Mrs. H. P. Bishop and Junior, Mrs. Elmer Immel and children, and Mrs. L. F. McDonald and children.

The Boy Scout explorers of Kellerville troop 70 joined other explorers of the district at Palo Duro Canyon Saturday. They left Kellerville at 5 o'clock in a car and jeep. After arriving at the head of the canyon they hiked in full packs on the Comodoro Trail to San Valley, where they camped. They also visited the museum at Canyon. Explorers making the trip were Billy Wayne Harris, Junior Bishop, Luther Thompson, Tommy Bolin, Linden Immel, Jimmy Farren, Gene Farren, Don Haslam, and Archie Farren, senior Scoutmaster. They returned Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruton spent the week-end at White Deer visiting their son and family. Mr. and Mrs. K. L. Bruton and Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Holley and Ron went to Lugert Lake, Okla., Sunday.

The P-T A met Tuesday night in the school auditorium. Rev. H. P. Bishop was the guest speaker, using "How to Get Along Together" as his subject. The Shamrock band and chorus gave a concert which was enjoyed by all. Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served.

The Baptist Associational Brotherhood met Tuesday night at the Kellerville church with 150 present. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Mildred Scruggs spent the week-end at Duncan, Okla., visiting her sister, who is very ill.

NEWS FROM LIBERTY

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club women enjoyed an all-day meeting with Mrs. Henry Roth Tuesday. Fried chicken and all the trimmings were served at noon to Mesdames Archie Farren, James Foster, B. L. and W. R. Stokes, Roy McCracken, Luther Petty. In the afternoon a demonstration was given on preparing apparatus and strawberries for freezing. It was also learned that poke salad and lamba quarter may be prepared in the same fashion for freezing—3-minute scalding and then cooling in lead water. Members present for

the regular meeting were Mesdames A. Rensau, H. H. Sanders, A. E. Carpenter, Olen Davis, and O. O. Tate and one visitor, Mrs. J. E. Weeks of Wheeler, mother of Mrs. Sanders. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Orphus Tate May 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. Jones lost their station Monday morning in a fire. It was a total loss, but none of the other buildings was damaged. Due to telephone trouble, they had to make a trip to town to notify the fire department.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis visited in Wargor Sunday with Kenneth and Frances Davis.

CARD OF THANKS

All the members of the Andrew H. Floyd post of the American Legion are extremely grateful to those people who aided in making the annual rodeo the success which it was. Without the help of everyone concerned, we feel that the rodeo would not have been such a success, and we appreciate your cooperation and support a great deal. Thanks again and again.

Andrew H. Floyd Post, American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Heshel McCarty, and LaVetta Jo and Rodney Gunn visited Sunday in Perryton. Mrs. Odessa Gunn returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. George Orrick and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word of Alanreed attended the funeral services for Mr. Word's brother, Ben Word of Chillicothe, last Friday.

Visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ashlock of Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sweeny of Stratford and James K. Hicks of Spearman.

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LaWanda Shadid in NTSC Choir

LaWanda Shadid of McLean was one of the members of the North Texas State College women's choir which presented a concert in the NTSC library auditorium April 18. Under the direction of James Oakley of the NTSC School of Music, the 33-voice choir performed two students' winning compositions from a contest sponsored earlier this year. Contemporary works and a group of 16th century Madrigals composed the rest of the program.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our thanks to our neighbors and friends of Alanreed and to the fire department of McLean for helping in extinguishing the fire at our place. We shall ever remember your kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Blakney

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bivins and Mrs. Karon, all of Benjamin, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Darwin and Mrs. Carl Gene and Edgar Alan. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson are the parents of Mrs. Darwin, and Mrs. Bivins is a cousin of Mrs. Darwin.

Genuine Ford Lawn Fertilizer. Six pounds for \$1.25, which should be sufficient to cover average law in McLean. Now is the time to apply this fertilizer. DISART MOTOR CO.

Are you tired of paying high income taxes?

BEN GULL, the candidate for Congress from Pampa, has pledged himself to fight to lower your taxes. HE HAS PROMISED THAT HE WILL NOT SEEK A PERMANENT JOB ON THE FEDERAL PAY-ROLL WHEN HE GOES TO WASHINGTON.



BEN GULL

How many other candidates in this race can make that promise?

BEN GULL is interested in ELIMINATING unnecessary Federal jobs and saving the taxpayer money. He wouldn't take a job in a Federal Bureau if it were offered him.

SEND THE MAN TO WASHINGTON AS YOUR CONGRESSMAN WHO WILL WORK TO CUT THE BUREAUS AND THE BUREAUCRATS TO THE BONE. The only Federal job BEN GULL ever held was — "Sailor, U.S. Navy." He is one of the few candidates in this race who has never been a contented feeder at the public trough.

Let's open the windows and let some fresh air into our government.

Blect BEN GULL to CONGRESS

Val-Sweet 46 oz. can
GRAPE JUICE 39c

Powdered or Brown
SUGAR 1 lb box 10c

GARDEN FRESH VEGETABLES

FRESH IN REFRIGERATOR
CARROTS bag each 15c

Fresh
TOMATOES lb 15c

Fresh
GREEN BEANS 2 lb for 25c

Fancy
BANANAS 2 lb 25c

Finest Quality **MEATS**

Fish Fillets Perch lb 36c

Pinkney's
Frankfurters lb 34c

Oleo Meadolake Plain lb **23c**

Sausage Pure Pork bulk lb 29c

Specials Good Friday & Saturday

Spring Tonic for Your Pocketbook and LAZY APPETITES TOO!

Folger's
COFFEE 1 lb can 68c
2 lb can \$1.35

Mother's Pride
FLOUR 25 lb sack \$1.58

Del Monte No. 2 1/2 can
Peaches 24c | **Apricots 29c**

Del Monte 14 oz. bottle
Catsup 18c | **Peas 19c**

CRISCO 3 lb can **74c**

Van Camp's 303 can
PORK & BEANS 10c

Standard No. 2 can
TOMATOES 10c

All 5c
GUM 3 for 10c
box of 20 67c

HERSHEY CANDY BARS 3 for 10c

CRACKERJACKS 3 for 10c

Del Monte Cream Style
CORN 303 can 16c

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FOR SALE
 For Sale—Half and Half cotton seed, \$1.25 bushel, planting seed; 4-600-16 tire and tube, \$10.00. M. H. Patterson. 16-3p

CHICK-O-LINE CHICK FEEDS.
 For the baby chick to the laying hen. See S. R. JONES. 14-4c

Dahlia bulbs—assorted colors, all double flowers. Live sprouts on each bulb. Get yours now. Mrs. Roy Kiser, Floral Addition. 17-4c

For Sale—3-room modern house at 703 Grove. Reasonably priced. See Joe Bidwell. 1p

CERTIFIED COTTON SEED, hybrid delinted, Lockett 140, Cluster, Northern Star, and Storm-proof. See S. R. JONES. 14-4c

Maryland sweet potato slips for sale; also tomato, pepper, cabbage plants ready to go. John L. Giesler. 1p

For Sale—15-ft. International

Unusual business opportunity in a local business for man who is able to supply a small amount of capital. Write Box D, c/o McLean News, for details. Replies will be kept confidential.

home frozen food locker, used only 4 months. Priced right. See J. Boyd Smith, Phone 28J. 1c

For the graduation gift—a portable R. C. A. Victor or Crosley radio. Callahan's. 18-2c

For Sale—FERTILIZER in 80 pound sacks. Present price \$39.95 per ton, subject to market change. See S. R. JONES. 14-4c

SACRIFICE SALE
 2 new Crosley Shelvador refrigerators at very low price.
 1 new Crosley electric range.
 We are now agents for Servel gas refrigerators, and will discontinue our Crosley line of refrigerators. Our present stock of Crosley refrigerators and ranges will be sold at sacrifice.
 Callahan's, Phone 84. 1c

Full line of refrigerators, all prices and all sizes. One Hot-point electric range at special price. Let your old stove be the

down payment, balance to suit your income. Harris King. 1c

LOWER PRICES, on cottonseed meal and cake, by the sack or by the ton. S. R. JONES, at McLean Gin. 18-1fc

FOR RENT
 For Rent—4-room furnished apartment for couple. Harris King. 1c

MISCELLANEOUS
 Expert local and long distance moving. For more information, call Bruce and Sons, Phone 934. Pampa. Agents North American

Political Announcements

The News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For Congressman, 18th District: J. BLAKE TIMMONS
 LeROY 'PETE' LaMASTER

For State Representative, 122nd District: GRAINGER McILHANY

For District Judge: H. B. HILL
 LEWIS M. GOODRICH

For County Treasurer: OLA GREGORY

For County Clerk: CHARLIE THUT

For County Sheriff: G. H. KYLE

For County Superintendent: HUELYN LAYCOCK

For Commissioner, Precinct 4: EARNEST BECK
 JESSE ROBERTS
 CLYDE BROWN
 L. G. WALDROP

For Justice of Peace, Prec. 5: C. S. RICE

For Constable, Precinct 5: LUTHER (LUKE) HENLEY
 J. A. (Jim) WHEELER

Van Lines, serving the nation. 44-1fc

I am now butchering hogs and cattle at my place, where W. A. Ayers formerly slaughtered. Contact me at any time. I will also buy some cattle. J. A. Meador, Phone 113J. 9-1fc

SERVICE STATION—EVERY motorist knows that happy motoring depends upon good servicing. When you come to us, your car is handled by experts. Stop here before you go on any trip. Gulf Service Station, Ernest Watson. 1c

WANTED
 Wanted—Second-hand baby high chair. Phone 271 W. 1p

Sun Stroke—
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same rays which burn the skin and extensive application of direct sunshine to the skin may produce painful and severe burns which actually may endanger life.

The state health officer advises those who wish to obtain an extensive suntan to get it by slow degrees. Expose small portions of the skin to the sun for a short period of time. When tan-

Cancer Causes 7,271 Deaths

Deaths from cancer in Texas reached a total of 7,271 during the past year, indicating that a warning against cancer quacks and so-called cancer cures is justified by the State Health Department. Early diagnosis and competent treatment could have prevented many of these deaths, states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.

"There are but two ways of treating cancer. First, by surgery and second, by the use of radium or X-ray. Treatment must be started early and in the hands of a competent surgeon. Surgery is relied upon to remove cancerous tumors and is used in nearly two-thirds of the cases. X-ray or radium is used to advantage for the remaining group. Frequently the two methods are combined. Self-medication, serums, colored lights, pastes, salves, and diets are valueless.

"The great protection against cancer is early diagnosis. Every case is an emergency and it is

ing is established, exposing a greater area for a longer period of time should prove safe and comfortable.

Two Recitals To Be Sunday

Students of Mrs. Willie B. will be presented in recital Sunday afternoon in the McLean High School auditorium, it was announced this week.

Grade school students will be presented at 4:30 o'clock, high school students at 6 o'clock.

The public is invited to attend each of the two recitals.

Mahogany trees are cut by light of the moon because they are then freest of sap and richer color.

George Washington had no ponies for the identity of his slave to the president.

Wind must travel at least a mile a minute to be a hurricane.

SAVE MORE by Shopping Here

Gold Medal FLOUR 10 lb bag 85c
 5 lb bag 45c

Folger's Coffee lb. 73c

Armour's TAMALES 2 3oz cans 35c

Kimbell's MEAL 10 lb bag 49c

Diamond brand TOMATOES No. 2 can 10c

White Swan Pure Apple Butter qt. 19c

White Swan Pure Cane Syrup, 5 lb 45c

Diamond brand sour or dill PICKLES full quart 25c

PRODUCE

Fresh NYDA 19c

Fresh TOMATOES 21c

LETTUCE 10c

BANANAS 15c

MEATS

Shred Slab BACON lb 35c

HAM-BURGER lb 42c

Armour's Cloverbloom BUTTER lb 65c

McLean Food Store

Lafe Smallwood Phone 139

Now Under New Management

I have bought the new 66 Service Station from W. L. (Skeet) Copeland, and took over active management of the business Wednesday morning.

It is my hope that I will be able to serve you in your service station needs in the future, and it is my intention to give you the best and most efficient service possible.

Drop by at any time—you will always be welcome.

—Jim Back

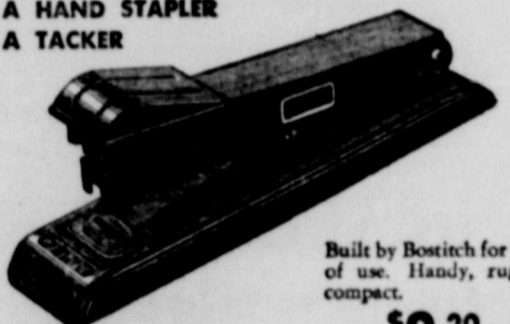
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OUR USUAL SPRING SALE IS HERE!

F-R-E-E!
 A valuable gift for the first 150 ladies to visit our store during this sale—and ladies, you'll use this gift every day.
F-R-E-E!
 Ask us about details of the big, fine gift to be awarded at close of the sale, Sat., May 13.

You Will Have the Opportunity of Shopping for Furniture at Ridiculous Prices; for Instance:

- 4-pc. Poster Bedroom Suite, reg. \$129.00, sale **\$99.00**
- Innerspring Mattress (if bought with bedroom suite) reg. \$29.50, sale **\$16.95**
- 80 Coil Platform Springs, reg. \$9.95, sale **\$4.95**

Platform Rockers



As Low as **\$14.95**

Beautiful velour color, 2-pc. Sofa Bed Suite reg. \$129.00, sale \$89.00

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 OUR TERMS HAVE TO BE CASH
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Boy Scouts... Fishermen!!!

Slightly Used While They Last
CANVAS FOLDING COTS - \$3.95

Beautiful Decorators Table Lamps, 30 in. high
 Regular Price \$48.00 per pair
BUY ONE FOR \$24.00
THE OTHER FOR \$1.00



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