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Out of the 96 babies entering a Super baby contest recently, Stevie Bruce Hugg, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hugg, former McLean residents, won the honor of being named 2nd grand champion baby, 2nd in health or the best-sized baby for his age, and 3rd in the most handsome boy division. Stevie Bruce is four and one-half months old. The contests were sponsored by the American Legion and the Y. F. W. of Snyder. Stevie Bruce is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hugg and Mrs. Ruth Garvin, and the great-grandson of Mrs. W. M. Tibbets.

A guest speaker from Amarillo will conduct the Sunday morning services at the First Presbyterian Church, with Sunday School at 10 o'clock and preaching at 11. There will be no evening services.

Word has been received here of the death in February of Wm. Noble of Kennecott, Wash., former McLean resident.

Hubert and LaNell Waldrop were honored last Friday evening at a farewell dinner at the First Baptist Church. They are moving this week to Oton to make their home. After dinner, Pastor Buell Wells, on behalf of the group, presented a nice gift to the Waldrops, and also gave Hubert a red bandana handkerchief, since he is going to take up farming. The Waldrops' small daughter, Linda, was sent a gift as she was unable to be present due to chicken pox.

M. W. Standish of Almarred was in town this week and announced that he has sold his Standish Cabins to J. A. Watkins of St. Louis, Mo. Watkins is not new to the Panhandle, having lived in Amarillo back in 1910. He will operate the courts himself, and will call them the Standish Motor Courts. Standish is still owner of the service station adjacent to the courts, but has not announced his future plans as yet.

Chester Goughly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goughly, has been accepted by the Southwestern Medical School of Dallas. He received notice of the receipt of the scholarship this week. The award came as a result of an interview at the Dallas school last fall.

Goughly will enter the Southwestern Medical School at the beginning of this year's fall term. At present, he is attending Texas Tech, where he will receive his pre-med degree in June.

The new light reflectors for the softball and rodeo field have been received by the McLean Lions Club. The club bought the reflectors at a cost of about \$450, and has borrowed money to pay for them. Members of the club hope to raise sufficient money, through various projects such as the McLean Lions-Shamrock Lions basketball games, to pay off the indebtedness. The reflectors are of the regular softball field type, and are expected to provide much better lighting for the softball league play this summer. They will be installed within the next few weeks, prior to the Legion rodeo April 20, 21, and 22.

Fun Nite for teen-agers will be held at the American Legion Hall Friday night at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced this week.

Here's a note from Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bourland, who are on an extended visit in Newberg, Oreg.: Greetings: Used one full week getting to our destination. Came by way of Grand Canyon, Boulder Dam, and then thru Sacramento Valley, hoping we could get around the snow covered mountain roads, but all mountain roads were covered with snow, and snow was falling all the way. However, we had no trouble and really enjoyed all of it. It has snowed each day and night during this week. Certainly a beautiful sight to see. Looks like fairyland.

The Bourland address is 308 B. Center, Newberg, Oreg.

The front of the building occupied by Puckett's Grocery and Market has taken on a new—and neat—appearance during the past week. The entire front of the building has been repainted in a shining white, with a bottom strip of black. The paint work adds much to the appearance of the building.

Appearing on the program at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon (Continued on back page)

Girls Take Second In State Cage Meet

The McLean Tigerettes—a team which practically all spectators at the Interscholastic League's Class A basketball championship tournament said was the best entered in the tourney—finished as second-place winners after losing a heart-breaking 50-49 game to the Comanche Indians in the finals at Austin Saturday night.

Four of the first string members of the local team were forced off the court with fouls before the end of the game, and Coach Don Leach was unable to halt the comeback by the Indians. The Tigerettes had led 33-18 at the half.

A last desperate attempt at a field goal by Florence Jo Coan of Comanche proved good, with only five seconds left to play, to give the Indians the one-point victory.

Here's what Bill Harding said about the final game in the Austin American-Statesman of Sunday morning:

"Comanche took the Class A title after making an amazing comeback. Trailing 33-18 at halftime, the Indians went on the warpath and slowly overcame the deficit, moving out front during the last two minutes of play 47-45.

"But that wasn't all to the ball game. Florence Jo Coan made a free throw after being fouled, and just six seconds later dumped in the winning basket.

"McLean, the team which had everything—two of the finest Class A forwards, the best defensive unit, deception, poise—just didn't have it in the second half. They went stale, missed crisp shots, and threw the ball away on bad passes in trying to meet the fast pace being set by Comanche.

"Joyce Bruner, very able McLean guard, held Florence Jo Coan to a mere three field goals the first 14 minutes of the game. When Bruner was taken out for a rest with a total of four fouls, Coan began hitting the basket almost at will. Upon re-entry into the game, Bruner fouled out as did other regular guards LaJune Chilton and Mary Graham.

"In a desperate effort to halt Comanche, Coach Don Leach moved Gudge and Bonita Bailey back as guards, but there was no stopping Comanche's determined bids.

"The Tigerettes advanced to the finals by winning over Carrio Springs in the opener 40-32, and over Plano in their second game 44-31. In both games, the local girls went ahead early and stayed ahead, although neither of the games was a pushover. Comanche, in reaching the finals, downed Decatur 54-42 and Fredericksburg 58-39.

"Florence Jo Coan of Comanche was high point girl for the tournament with a total of 85 points. Dorothy Gudge of McLean led the Tigerettes scoring with a total of 72 points.

"Of the six girls chosen by the sports writers for the all-tournament team, three were from McLean. Gudge and Bailey were named all-tournament forwards, and Bruner was named as an all-tournament guard. Two other guards, Mary Graham and LaJune Chilton, were given honorable mention.

"In Class B play, Claude, a team of girls which had downed the Tigerettes both times the two teams met during the regular season, captured the state title in that division by winning a close 42-40 decision over Denton Valley.

"In the McCamey league, the independent girls league in which McLean has been entering prior to the formation of the Interscholastic League set-up this year, the Dimmitt girls repeated as state champions at Waco, defeating Cotton Center in the finals.

Nicholson will represent the 18th district in the divisional contest, to be held at Lubbock Friday afternoon. Representatives from the five districts in the division will compete for the honor of going on to the state contests.

The divisional winner will compete at Austin later with four other divisional winners to win the coveted award of representing the state in the national contest. The top four winners in the national affair will be awarded scholarships.

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"We are still short of the quota by more than a hundred dollars," Dr. Kritzer pointed out, "and it is certainly our desire to make the quota. Our chapter failed to get its quota last year for the first time in a number of years, and (Continued on back page)

A membership campaign is being mapped out, and an effort will be made to contact practically every person in the community in the drive. Details for the campaign are now being worked out. Individual memberships are \$5 per year, while firm or business memberships will be worked out by the directors on a graduated scale.

Attending the meeting from a second meeting of the organization, which will also be open



HERSHEL NICHOLSON

Nicholson Wins In 18th District Speech Contest

Hershel Nicholson was certified as winner of the American Legion high school oratorical contest for the 18th District Monday night, when Sandra Burden of Shamrock was forced to forfeit due to illness.

The district contest was held in the McLean High School auditorium before only a small audience. Miss Burden, who was ill last Thursday night and unable to compete then, was present and started her address. However, she became ill during the speech and was forced to quit. She then forfeited to Nicholson, McLean High School senior. Nicholson gave his address (he was to be the second speaker), and also his extemporaneous address, although it was not necessary.

Conducting the meeting was A. J. Montgomery of Shamrock, chairman of the contest committee for the 18th Legion district. Only two of the 45 Legion posts in the district, McLean and Shamrock, had entries. Rhea Smith, 18th district commander of Amarillo, was also present and made a few remarks.

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Grade School Basketball Tourney To Be Held Here This Week-End

Methodists Easter Meet Begins Monday

The pre-Easter preaching mission and visitation of the McLean Methodist Church will begin with the services Monday night, Rev. W. B. Hicks, pastor, has announced.

Services are to be held each night next week, with the exception of Saturday night, March 24, the pastor stated, with the services beginning at 7 o'clock. A different speaker will be featured for each service, and special music will also be provided.

The preaching mission will be climaxed with special Easter services Sunday, March 25, including the reception of new members and the dedication rites for children.

Speakers during the week will be as follows: Monday night, March 19, Rev. W. E. Hamilton, district superintendent of Clarendon; Tuesday night, Rev. S. M. Dunnam, Shamrock pastor; Wednesday night, Rev. John English, Clarendon pastor; Thursday night, Rev. O. W. Carter, pastor of one of the Pampa churches; Friday night, Rev. C. M. Ryan, Groom pastor.

Funeral Rites Are Held Here For Mrs. Cooper

Funeral services for Mrs. Lou Ellen Cooper of Groom, former resident of McLean, were held at the First Methodist Church in McLean Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Conducting the rites was Rev. Lee Goodwin of Hydro, Okla., assisted by Rev. C. D. Clift of McLean. Interment was in the cemetery at Erick, Okla., under the direction of the Claborn Funeral Home.

Mrs. Cooper died at her home in Groom Tuesday.

Survivors include her husband, Jacob C. Cooper of Groom; two sons, Elvin L. Cooper of Zillah, Wash., and Burnis H. Cooper of Groom; one daughter, Clara Hill of Mayfield, Okla.; one brother, Charlie Robinson of Comanche, Okla.; and two sisters, Kate Tucker of Konawa, Okla., and Mollie Robinson of Tahoka.

Flower bearers at the services were Faye Lewis, Susie Trout, Minnie Erwin, Nettle Morrow, Lola Graham, and Bernelle Daniels. Pallbearers were Chester Cooper, Jesse Cooper, Archie Cooper, Paul Cooper, Clarence Cooper, and Wesley Trout.

Mrs. Cooper was born February 20, 1876, in Cook County, and was 75 years and 23 days of age at the time of her death. She was the Nazarene, having united at a time as a member of the Church of Erick, Okla., at an early age.

She was united in marriage to Jacob C. Cooper of Cook County December 15, 1895. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper had lived in McLean for seven years, prior to moving to Groom in April of last year.

BIRTHDAYS

March 18—Paris Hess, Mrs. Jack Lisman, Mrs. Wib Fowler, Ellen Kay Kritzer, Johnny Vineyard, Jack Mercer.

March 19—Mrs. Bob Clift, Mrs. Barney Fulbright.

March 20—Mrs. Arthur Erwin, Mrs. Odessa Gunn, Howard Hardin, Roger Powers.

March 21—Margaret Glass, Mrs. A. L. Conatser.

March 22—J. D. Shaw, Mrs. B. L. Webb, Frankie Smith, Mrs. Otis Jones, Mrs. Howard Chapman, C. A. Cryer.

March 23—Gale Plummer, Shirley Ann Nelson, Connie Rebecca Marshall, John Mead.

March 24—Floella Cubine, Pat Durham, Margie Janet Ellison, C. S. Doolen, Yvonne Clark.

It is colder at the antarctic than at the arctic.



GLENN A. PARKS

Parks to Lead Church Christ Gospel Meet

Glenn A. Parks of Camden, Ark., a former minister of the McLean Church of Christ, will conduct a gospel meeting at the Church of Christ here, beginning March 20. The meeting will continue through April 1.

Services will be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock. Minister T. A. Robertson announced, and the public is invited to attend.

Conducting the congregational singing will be George F. Saunders, a member of the local church.

Minister Parks served the local church in 1939, and went from here to Clovis, N. M. He is presently minister of the West Washington Church of Christ in Camden.

Three More Filed for School Board Places

Three more names were filed as candidates for the McLean Independent School District board during the past week, Chas. Cousins, business manager of the district, stated Wednesday.

The three new candidates are J. D. Coleman, Guy Beasley, and Spencer B. Sitter. The four previously filed were Clyde Andrews, Ercy Cubine, W. G. Carter, and Milton Carpenter, all of whom are on the present board. Boyd Reeves and Custer Lowary, the other two board members, are not running again.

A total of seven members to the board are to be chosen in the school election this year, as the entire board must be elected when a consolidation takes place.

The election will be held Saturday, April 7, and the deadline for filing names as candidates is Wednesday, March 23.

Date Indefinite for 3rd Game Of Shamrock-McLean Lions

Date and place for the third in the series of basketball games between the McLean and Shamrock Lions Clubs has not been definitely decided, John Cooper, member of the committee in charge of the project, stated this week.

The third game, however, will probably be played next Monday or Tuesday night, depending on whether the Shamrock Lions will be able to play on either of those two nights.

The first game was played at Shamrock Monday night of last week, and all gate receipts went to the Shamrock club. The second game was played here last Thursday night, with the proceeds going to the McLean club. Proceeds of the third game are to be split between the two clubs.

All money raised by the McLean Club will be used to aid in defraying expenses of the Lions softball league this summer. The Shamrock group is using its money on a park project there.

Approximately \$65 was raised in the game here Thursday night.

'Eight Teams To Be Entered In 3-Day Meet

McLean, with its first-class facilities for basketball, is becoming well-known throughout the Panhandle for tournaments, and will play host this week-end to the last of the tournament series this season.

The affair will be a grade school tournament, open to teams of students up through the 8th grade.

The tournament will be held Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, with part of the games being played in the Grade School gym, and part in the Municipal Building. Haydn Bodenhamer, Grade School principal who is in charge of the tournament, stated.

Teams which have entered are those from Kellerville, McLean 8th grade, River Road of Amarillo, Shamrock, McLean 7th grade, Kellon, Lela, and Hopkins. Both boys and girls teams from each of the schools will be entered.

The first three sessions will be played in the Grade School gym, as follows: Thursday afternoon, with games at 2, 3, and 4 o'clock; Thursday night, games at 6:30, 7:30, and 8:30 o'clock; and Friday afternoon, games at 2, 3, and 4 o'clock.

The other three sessions will be in the Municipal Building, as follows: Friday night, with games at 6:30, 7:30, and 8:30 o'clock; Saturday afternoon, games at 1, 2, 3, and 4 o'clock; and Saturday night (finals), games at 6, 7, 8, and 9 o'clock.

Trophies to be awarded at the close of the meet, will be given for first, second, and third place teams, both boys and girls. In addition, a sportsmanship award will go to a team winning that honor, and an individual achievement award will be made, Bodenhamer explained.

Easter Pageant To Be Staged On March 23

An Easter pageant featuring representatives from every class in the local schools, will be held in the Municipal Building Friday night, March 23, Mrs. Jim Back, who is directing the affair, announced this week.

Exact time for the start of the pageant has not been decided, Mrs. Back stated, although it is hoped that all of the audience will arrive in time to be seated before the program begins. The starting time will be announced in next week's paper.

In addition to parts played by students of both the grade and high schools, a number of adults (Continued on back page)

Brothers In Business



Business practices of 1951 are a bit different from those of seventy years ago, but according to William H. Carter (left), a good businessman has to stay young in his thinking, even if he's an octogenarian!

The 86-year-old president of one of the country's most progressive industries, Carter's Underwear, has been active in the knit underwear business for seventy consecutive years. His brother, Horace A. Carter (right) who is executive vice president, has been associated with the company for sixty-six years.

"Mr. W. H." has been affectionately dubbed the "General," and the medal proving how he ranks with his co-workers is a lapel pin with five diamond studded stars. Both brothers feel that eighty years-plus of living and working is the best test of a man's worth. The knitting business founded by their father will be just as old this year as its live-wire president.

Visitors in the Eugene Woodrume home Monday were Mr. and Mrs. Junior Mann and Mrs. Floyd Farker of Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hindman made a business trip to Dallas last week-end. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr.

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**Scratch, Scratch—
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When you itch in one spot, it usually isn't so difficult to find out what's making you itch but when the itching is just general, all over the body, sometimes one place and sometimes another and sometimes all places at once, it's not only aggravating to you, it's also more aggravating to your doctor because it's harder to locate the cause.

Persistent itching is a robber of comfort, and since anything that makes you uncomfortable may interfere with your health and well-being, itching may be considered a signal of distress.

Itches that awaken you from sleep and demand scratching are probably the most nerve-racking of the brand. Other forms of itching may keep you from falling asleep, since some itches start up after undressing, but there is a distinction between the ones that keep you from falling asleep and the ones that break into your sleep.

The timing of the beginning of the itch may give some clue as to its cause. If you itch when you get cold or itch when you get hot or itch at any abrupt change of temperature, that's an important piece of evidence in pinning down the robber.

The manner in which you scratch the itchy areas may also have some bearing on the source of the itch, particularly whether you can stop scratching when you set your mind to it or whether no matter how much you say you won't scratch, you still have to.

Different brands of itchinness frequently arouse different types of scratching. The most common type is dragging the nails over the itchy spot, leaving parallel lines of different depths, depending upon the intensity of the scratch. These lines themselves may create more desire to scratch and lead to that vicious circle that the more you itch, the more you scratch, the more you itch.

Lice, mites, the itches that may accompany pregnancy, tumors, liver disease, kidney diseases and cancer will generally create the uninhibited dragging of the nails over the itchy area. Not only might it lead to more itching but it may also lead to infection, called secondary infection.

Those suffering from nervous disorders frequently use the nails to scratch, too, but theirs is more of a digging with one nail than the dragging of several nails across the annoying area. Neurodermatitis, which is considered one of the very worst of the itches as far as the necessity to scratch is

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concerned, may be distinguished by the high shine on the fingernails because with that affliction you're most likely to rub the backs of the nails over and over and over the body areas and the rubbing gives a manicured look to the nails.

Hives and wheals frequently itch but they usually call for a brand of scratching that doesn't involve the fingernails; you might pinch them, hoping for relief, or push them back into the skin, or knead them like a wad of dough.

The external and internal causes of itching would make a long list. The family doctor can usually eliminate many of the possible causes and then, after scratching them off the list, start in on some of the less obvious causes. Sometimes the doctor who specializes in skin diseases is able to locate the cause more quickly because of his specific knowledge; sometimes the doctor who specializes in female disorders may be able to trace the sources more quickly in women patients; the same may be true in children or old people, that doctors who have gathered their medical knowledge with special reference to the differences in children and the elderly may detect the cause more quickly; since some origins of itchinness lie within the system of nerves in the body, a doctor with minute knowledge of the nerves may be consulted to trace the cause. Allergy specialists often have a medical interest in itchinness.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and family visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Williams of Shamrock, and her mother, Mrs. W. N. Pharis of Lela Sunday.

Palsley shawls were first made in Palsley, Renfrewshire, Scotland.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and daughter Karen visited Mrs. Day's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Franks, in Wellington Sunday.

Bill Day is attending a linoleum school in Amarillo this week.

Doctor Explains Three Major Kinds Of Heart Diseases

What do you know about your heart? Do you know that the three major kinds of heart disease are: rheumatic heart disease, high blood pressure, and coronary heart disease?

One of childhood's most dangerous foes is rheumatic fever, declares Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer. A child is most likely to develop rheumatic fever when he is less than 10 years of age. However, the disease is not confined to children. In World War II about 40,000 men in the American forces developed attacks of rheumatic fever. This disease may damage the heart valves and muscle. Any child who has rheumatic fever should have the best of medical care, plenty of rest, a special diet, and be free from anxiety or worry. Just because a person has rheumatic fever, is no sign he will have rheumatic heart trouble. But it's important to keep in close touch with the family physician.

Coronary heart disease strikes those from middle age groups and up, more than other forms of heart trouble. And, it strikes men more often than women. Moderation in daily living is very important, for if a person worries too much, works too hard, exercises too frequently and hard, and eats too much, his heart is overworked. Yes, one of the best checks against overburdening the heart is moderation in all things—and plenty of rest.

High blood pressure is another important cause of death. Naturally, the heart has to work harder to pump the blood, when blood pressure is high. An overworked heart needs the care of a physician.

Sometimes symptoms of heart trouble aren't so noticeable; that is why a regular physical examination is so important.

Heart disease caused by syphilis, congenital heart disease, and heart trouble resulting from an over-active thyroid gland, are a few other forms of heart disease.

Stop and think about it for a moment. Do you give your heart enough rest?

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HAVE A BETTER KITCHEN

Every homemaker is concerned with the health of her family, and she's a stickler for making sure that dishes are washed clean before they're put away after a meal. She's right, of course, for a poorly washed dish becomes the breeding ground for bacteria which can have ill effects when that dish is next used.

A lot of research has gone into the proper methods of washing dishes, especially during the past year when so much interest has centered around the home automatic dishwasher. It has been found, for example, that the most carefully hand-washed dishes, rinsed with scalding water, have a bacterial count two and one-half times greater than machine-washed dishes.

Why is this so? Well, first, because mechanical washers that really do a good job use water at temperature hotter than the hands can stand, thus removing all particles of food soil and effectively destroying harmful bacteria. And second, because strong cleaning compounds can be used without danger to the skin.

While the automatic dishwasher does not sterilize dishes in the true sense of the word, it does produce hygienically clean, sanitary dishes. This fact has been recognized by public health authorities who credit the dishwasher with bringing a decided advance in home sanitation. If you are considering a dishwasher purchase, it is wise to select one that assures a supply of water at high temperature. And, of course, you'll want one that will do the job quickly in order to save you kitchen hours.

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Sunday, Monday:
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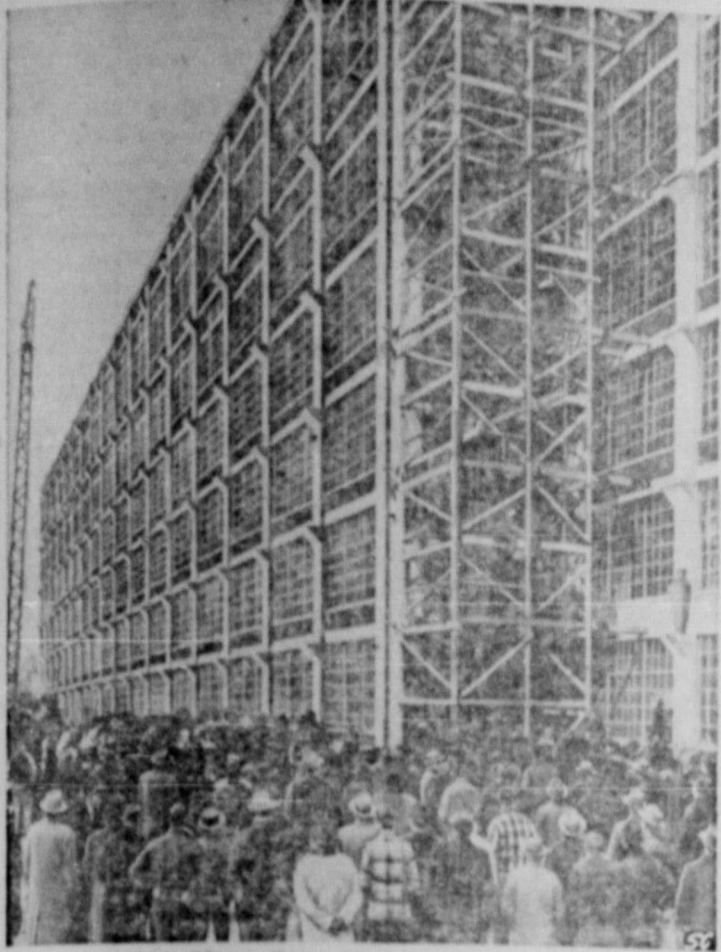
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Lunch hour finds Olson employees watching "their" building progress.

CHICAGO — Employees of the Olson Rug Co. have invested over \$700,000 of their own money at a guaranteed 6% interest in the huge new 6-story \$1,000,000 addition now nearing completion.

Under the unusual "Saving Plan" inaugurated by Walter E. Olson, president, 23 years ago, savings are encouraged on a safe, systematic basis and employees feel they have a real interest in the continued growth and prosperity of the organization.

Interest is paid on employee investments July 1st and January 1st. On the latter date, a check for the full amount of principal and interest is given each employee, which may be re-invested in the company the next day.

"Olson employees have prospered and I am certain that no where can you find a more loyal, steady group of workers who appreciate the fact that we can borrow money at much less than 6 per cent," said Mr. Olson.

SOCIETY

Lois Page Named President of New McLean H. D. Club

The Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, March 7, in the home of Ruth Kemp.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Lois Page; vice president, Eleanor Kritzer; secretary, Loyce Sherrod; treasurer, Margaret Grogan; reporter, Dorris Windom; council representative, Ruth Kemp; alternates, Mary Powell and Maybelle Nash.

Plans for the next meeting were made and Mary Anne Duke will give a demonstration on "herbs and asparagus beds." A seed exchange will be held.

Lovely refreshments were served to the following charter members: Mesdames Odie Claborn, Loyce Sherrod, Margaret Grogan, Lois Page, Babe Brown, Mary Powell, Lurah Rhodes, Maggie Johnston, Evelyn Stubbiefield, Pearl Dickinson, Jo Ann Miller, Eleanor Kritzer, Maybelle Nash, Ruth Kemp, and Dorris Windom.

Mrs. C. E. Cortis Program Leader At Auxiliary Meet

The Ladies Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church met Tuesday of last week in the church parlor.

Mrs. C. E. Cortis was leader of the following spiritual life program on "Faith": "Litanies of Peace," by the group; scripture and prayer, Mrs. Cortis; "What Is Faith?" Mrs. Cortis; "The Battle for Freedom," Mrs. Clyde Dwight; "Peace by Faith," Mrs. Jake Plesher; "Shall We Choose Faith," Mrs. Don Alexander; missionary names and prayer, Mrs. F. E. Hambricht; meeting closed with the Mizpah benediction.

Present were Mesdames T. E. Crisp, Don Alexander, F. E. Hambricht, C. E. Cortis, Cort Meyers, C. O. Goodman, Arthur Erwin, Clyde Dwight, Jake Plesher, and Miss Barbara Dwight.

WHAT'S COOKIN'

In Gray County H. D. Work By Mary Anne Duke County Home Demonstration Agent Windbreaks Planted

The L. P. Eakins, William Waggoner and the Morley Doss families, all of the Grandview community, have planted windbreaks. These windbreak demonstrators are using Chinese elm for the outside row. The next row is of thorny locust, the third and fourth rows are of red cedar. The rows are 20 feet apart and the trees are spaced 12 feet apart in the rows.

These seedlings were received from the Texas Forest Service through the Texas Extension Service and through the Gray County Soil Conservation office. See the agent for details if you are interested in windbreak materials free or at very low cost.

If you want to see a pretty windbreak which has been growing for about six years, then drive by the Fred Haiduk home, which is located several miles west of the Grandview school.

Mrs. Cloyce Chambers and son Ike of Lockney, Floyd Huff of Lockney, Mrs. E. O. Dennis and son Don of Oklahoma City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright Thursday.

Marvin Tindall of Shamrock visited in the home of his sister, Mrs. Hickman Brown, Sunday.

Jud Henley and family of Tinker Field, Okla., visited in the home of his brother, Luke Henley, last week.

Dave Parker was taken to the Highland General Hospital in Pampa Sunday after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson are the parents of a son, Melvin Ray, born March 9 at the Groom hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 6 ounces at birth.

Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McClellan visited in the Otis Lee McClellan home in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble visited her son, Norman Trimble and family, in Borger Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Duncan and son Arnie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Denton in Childress Friday afternoon.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Horrell and sons, Floyd and Lloyd, of Temple; Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Burk and daughter Yvonne of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Burk Jr. of Kress,

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Each day the group had a make-believe trip to some country. If it happened to be Mexico, then all the songs, games, and table programs, as well as the special ceremonial and party at night, were planned accordingly.

Even the food was typical. Miss Moore says your family can do the same.

Some member could plan the menu—another could decorate the table—and all could take part in cooking and serving.

Then, when the kitchen is cleaned and the dishes put away, the living room could be the center of interest for the games typical of the country you are visiting.

You might have to do a little research in the local library or current magazines to find games, songs, and costumes for the occasion, but while you're doing it, you'll find yourselves appreciating and feeling friendly toward this other country.

Sounds like fun—a make-believe visit with your family to some country for your evening at home, or for your community.

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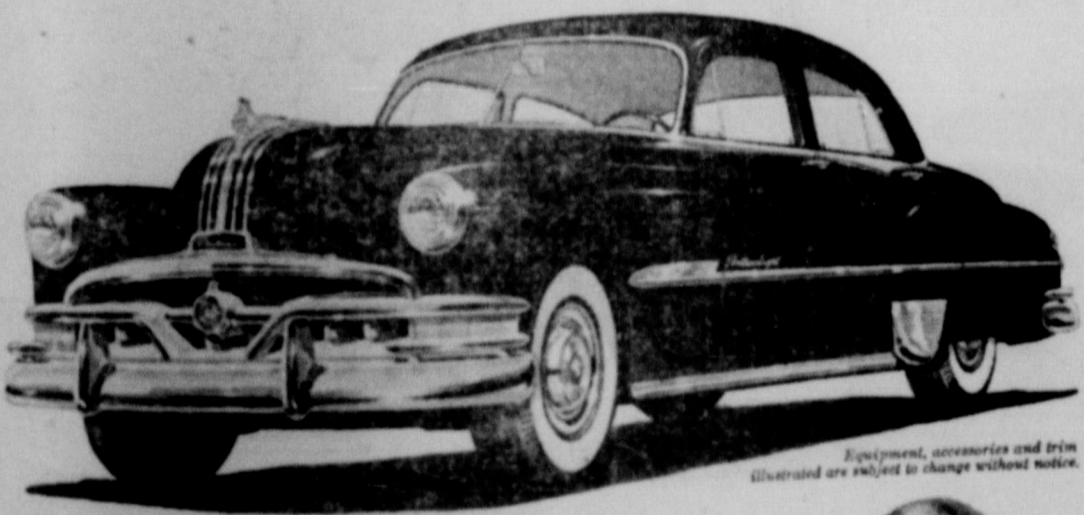
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THE CAUSE OF THE CRIPPLED KIDS

THE CURRENT FUNDS drive of the crippled children's societies of Texas offers the people of the state an excellent opportunity to add another category in which they are the "biggest."

By the manner in which they respond they can show just how "big" their hearts are.

The money derived from the Easter Seal drive will be used to aid children crippled as a result of a number of causes. The name of the Texas Society for Crippled Children means what it says, and where help is needed, the society endeavors to give it.

One of its main efforts is directed toward aiding children with cerebral palsy. Around 8,000 youngsters suffer from this affliction in Texas alone.

Cerebral palsy is not a disease. It is a condition brought on by injury to the brain. As a result of that injury, many of those who suffer from it are unable to do so much as stand even with the aid of crutches and braces. Virtually all of them have speech difficulties and cannot talk intelligibly.

Treatment is directed toward educating other portions of the brain to perform the functions of the injured part. Muscular control thus developed results in correction of these difficulties to a degree that those so treated are capable of normal, or near normal, living.

But this treatment is slow. It is expensive. The society must have a lot of money to carry it on. And this money must come from donations such as it seeks in its present Easter Seal promotion. It gets no state funds.

The effort began February 25 and will go through Easter Sunday, March 25. Contributing to it will be investing in human happiness and well-being that will pay rich dividends to all concerned.

Popular Recipe for Parties



Here's a smart, easy way to entertain. Invite your friends over for a game of Rook and surprise them with a real chef's treat, spaghetti served with a canned spaghetti sauce, made with either meat or mushrooms. Dish it up in individual casseroles while the Rook enthusiasts are adding up the score. This makes a winning recipe for repeat parties, too, because with a pack of Rook cards you have a choice of 150 different, exciting games. For variety, try serving your spaghetti topped with a grated parmesan cheese flanked by bread sticks and raw vegetable appetizers.



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Forecast For A Home With A Future



The brawn and brains of the Lions Club, Highland Park, Ill., built this house. Materials and labor contributed by the members cut expenses so the house could be sold at profit for scholarship and civic project fund. The plan snowballed when a national home magazine offered the services of a famous decorator to add the feminine touches.



Closeted in back of this elegant fireplace is some valuable storage space. The clear white pine walls, treated with a dark stain, blend with china furnishings in brown, gold, rust, lime and yellow. Blueprints for this ranch-type house are offered in the February issue of the American Home Magazine.

LES TALK BY LESTER

My heartiest congratulations to Coach Don Leach and all members of our fine girls basketball team. I'll agree that losing by one little old measly point is hard to take, but we are all very proud of you for reaching the finals in the state Class A tournament. It's something, you know, that no team from McLean has ever done before—in any sport. So we think you are all wonderful, and I repeat, we are all very proud of you.

Our girls, incidentally, finished the season with a record of 30 victories and only four losses. The first of the four losses was to Mobeette in the opening game of the season. Later our girls soundly defeated Mobeette. Two of the losses were to Claude, the team which won first place last weekend in Class B play. And the fourth was to the state champion, the Comanche team, in the finals Saturday night. Except for the defeat by Mobeette, our girls have been beaten only by the two state champions, Claude and Comanche. Not a bad record at all.

We are all proud of the fine record you have, and especially of your winning of second place honors at Austin.

About our national leadership: Just read where a man says the three greatest tragedies to happen in the U. S. during its history were (1) the Chicago fire; (2) the San Francisco earthquake; and (3) the failure of a certain men's clothing store in Independence, Mo. And not necessarily in that order, either!

A few days ago, I saw the first robin of spring. As a matter of fact, I saw two robins, so I suppose they fly around together in pairs.

Which reminds me that spring will soon be here. Wednesday of next week will be the calendar's first day of spring. Already the weather has indicated several times that spring is here. Yet we have had cool days off and on.

What are your plans for the spring season? Are you going on picnics? Are you going fishing occasionally? Are you going to do that long-put-off yard work? Or are you going to let spring come and go without additional worry and work?

Personally, I have big plans for this spring. However, I imagine that my plans will materialize very, very little. It's nice to make them, though, isn't it?

Here we go again, only this time I believe it will work. As you know if you read this column once in a while, I am a strong believer in chamber of commerce work, regardless of what you call the organization doing the work. I have regretted a great deal the fact that we have been unable to make a chamber of commerce here function properly. At least, we haven't been able to do so since I have been here.

This time, the organization will be a slightly different type. It will be a junior chamber of commerce. Now that doesn't mean just a little chamber of commerce. It merely means that the office holders will be limited to those who are 21 through 35 years of age. Any other persons may work, may serve on committees, may be active members; but only those 21 through 35 years of age may hold office. In other words, the officers and directors, that group which decides what the organization will

do or will not do, will be young men. But they will need the help of the older men, physical help as well as financial help.

The idea, to me, is that a junior chamber of commerce will answer our needs. Let's all go along with it, cooperate, work, etc., and you can never tell just what this little town can do.

If you haven't contributed as yet to the fund drive of the American Red Cross, make it a point to give something. There are those who do not believe the Red Cross is a worthy organization. I have heard it over and over from men who were in the service. One complaint is that the Red Cross charged the boys on the front for doughnuts and coffee. C. W. Bogan, who was a high-ranking officer in the air corps, tells me the army theater command told the Red Cross to make these charges, not to give the coffee and doughnuts away. That is just one complaint I have heard. Many men in service say they are opposed to the Red Cross because they never saw the Red Cross in action on the front. Perhaps they didn't. Neither did I. Neither did I see the Salvation Army in action on the front, but

that doesn't mean they were not there.

Then I have heard that the Red Cross spends most of its money for administrative purposes. Which is not true, of course. Take our drive here, for example. The quota is \$981. Of this amount about \$400 will remain in the local chapter's funds. It will be used, as needed, for all types of relief work, and there will be absolutely

no administrative charges in its spending. Of the remaining amount, some will be used for administrative work, naturally, but only a small percentage.

Too often we jump on an organization like the Red Cross because we feel we didn't get our just share of its outpourings. Just being plain selfish, in other words. That has happened in the case of the Red Cross on many occasions.

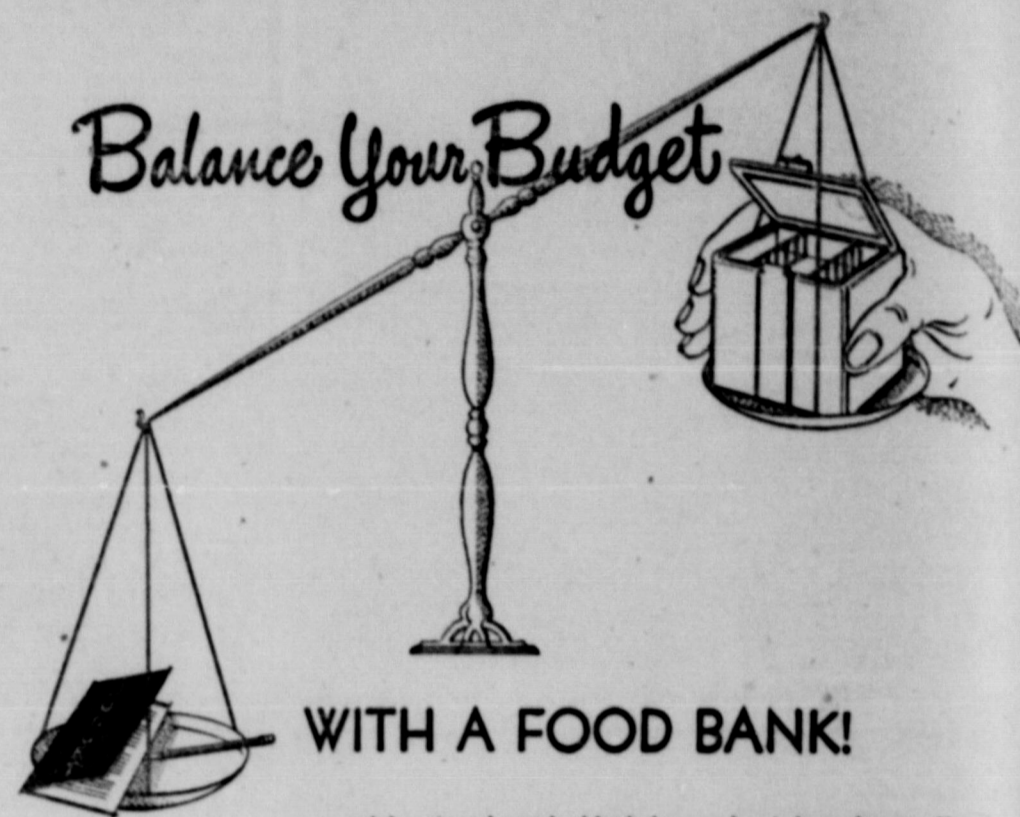
And will continue to happen, I suppose.

The work done by the Red Cross is similar to the services of a doctor. When you need him, you need him badly. So give.

Guess that's enough for this time. See you later.

Thirty-three years usually constitute a generation.

Balance Your Budget



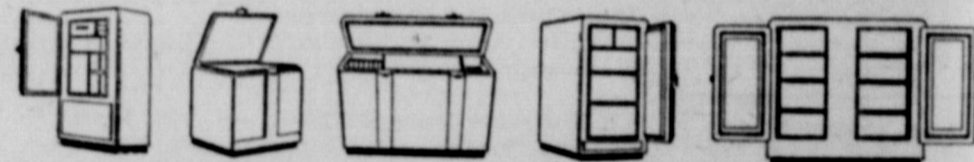
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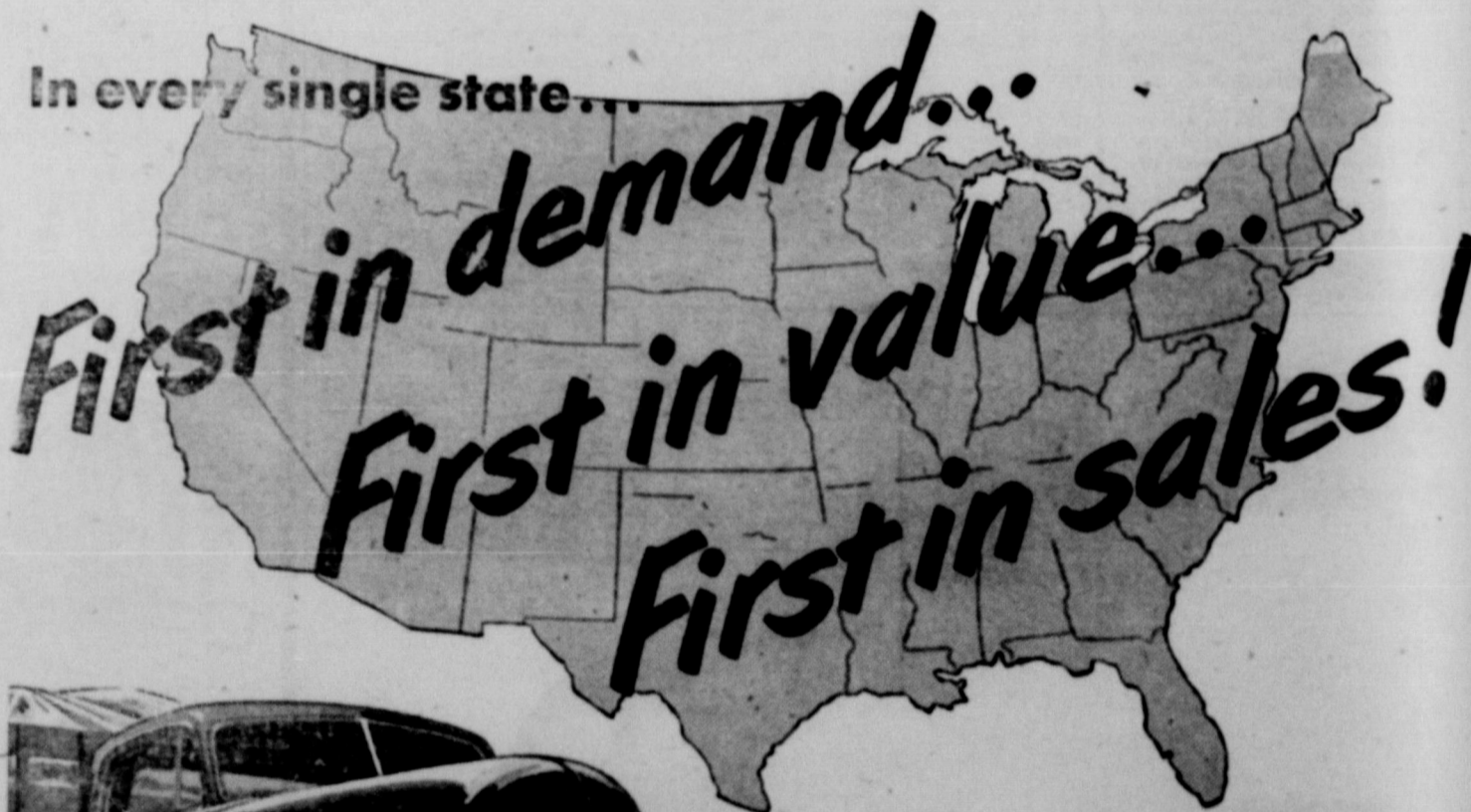
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from a fortnight's visit at Dalhart. Allie Pearce has announced his engagement, we understand, and will be married in June to a young lady in New York City.

LeRoy Freeman received this week a beautiful new piano from Amarillo.

A part of the young people enjoyed a social evening at Mrs. Wilson's pretty home one night last week. The evening was spent in singing and a discussion of the topics of the day.

Lefors Items

Lefors is a little knocked out as to sickness. C. M. Smith is having quite a time with pneumonia; Mrs. Smith and one of the children are very sick; then Grandpa Smith is and has been sick for some time. He is getting old and is of course naturally feeble.

J. S. Denson and C. L. Upham are having phones put in this week and the good people of the county can call them up at any time after office hours at their homes and they will be glad to serve in any way as far as their official capacity directs.

George and Uncle Henry Thut shipped a car each of fat hogs and calves Saturday night and we hope they will find a good market for them.

Our school is simply fine. Mrs. McMurry is a number one teacher and we are going to have something extra as an entertainment on the last day of school. Better come and let the little folks entertain you for a short time.

Hurrah for Lefors! She is sure coming to the front.

Heald Victorious

The first matched ball game of the year was pulled off Saturday afternoon when the school team from Heald arrived in the city with their war paint on and declared themselves to be the original untamed pigskinned artists of the woolly west. Their hand was soon called by the high school nine, with the aid of one or two from the first nine, and a game of ten innings was played, the final score being ten to nine in favor of the originals.

It was a good game for the first of the season and the playing was even on both sides up to the ninth inning—right here the town boys put in Billy Biggers and in retaliation the originals put Roy Rice up to the bat. There were no outs and the two men reached the bases when Rice stepped up and slung a hot one out over the second baseman and under the center fielder. This brought in two scores and settled the result.

The Heald boys were jubilant

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Taken from the Files of The McLean News, March, 1911

Ramsdell Notes

Our telephone line is now finished and we have 15 miles of well constructed phone system.

C. C. Franks and W. T. Wilson were in Shamrock Wednesday.

Mr. Barlow and family from Marshall County, Kansas, have arrived in Ramsdell and will take up their residence here. They own a quarter section north of town.

Miss Fay Smalley departed for Oklahoma Tuesday, after having spent two weeks in this vicinity.

Our school closes Friday with a nice entertainment. Mrs. Gull promises a splendid entertainment. All are invited to attend, especially the patrons.

Prayer meeting services Sunday night were well attended and Bro. T. J. Williams, the leader, talked on preparation, which was interesting and appreciated.

Mrs. Susie Gull was the guest of Mrs. W. T. Wilson Sunday.

LeRoy Freeman and wife returned home during the week

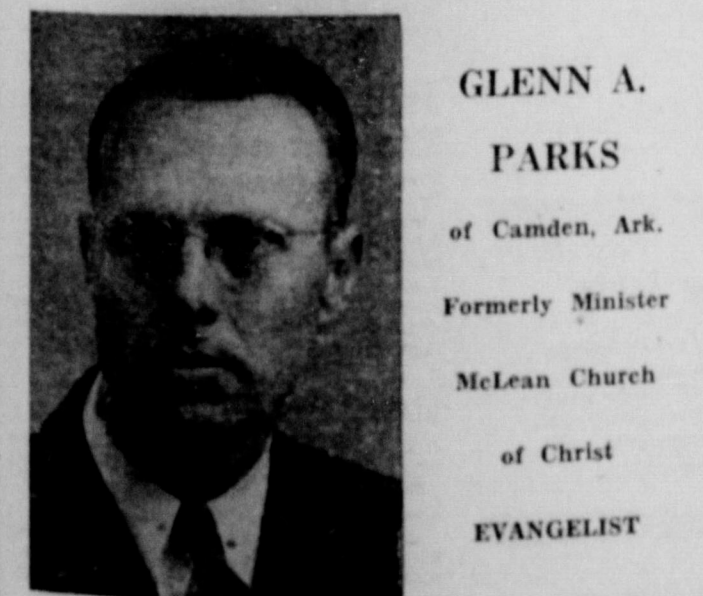
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Just take a look at your own kitchen and count your blessings. Cabinet sink? Dishwasher? Electric or gas range? Refrigerator? Electric mixer? Home freezer? Automatic laundry? Garbage disposer?

Even if you don't have all these things, they are all available and within the reach of nearly every homemaker. Just think of the time these commonly accepted appliances save in a day's work.

Consider the dishwasher, for example. While the modern cabinet sink has taken much of the sting out of the dishwashing chore, the manual labor involved can easily consume an hour or more a day. And when company comes . . . !

One survey among automatic dishwasher users indicated that the machine reduces dishwashing time by nearly two-thirds. And the modern units, using water hotter than the hands can stand, wash dishes and cooking utensils more hygienically clean than can be done the old-fashioned way.

Not only does the dishwasher save time (one new machine does the entire washing and rinsing job in less than 10 minutes!) but it modernizes the kitchen for years to come. It brings both convenience and beauty and makes the homemaker truly a "kitchen capitalist."

Defense Plans Require Study

It is hoped that we may achieve orderly thinking and make concrete suggestions for use by local and state committees in planning the medical phase of civil defense and disaster relief in the very near future, said Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer and state medical defense director.

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Veneral Diseases Still Head List In Number of Cases

Here are some ominous statistics to ponder.

Estate Health Officer George W. Cox reveals an average of 98 veneral disease cases were uncovered each day of 1950. Total new cases of syphilis and gonorrhea for the year just passed reached 35,863.

"We had more cases of syphilis last year than the combined total for tuberculosis, smallpox, scarlet fever, polio, diphtheria, malaria, and typhoid fever," the state health official said.

Veneral disease far outnumbered any one of the eighteen other communicable infections reported in the state, with the single exception of influenza.

"It isn't an enviable record," Dr. Cox declared. "Not for gonorrhea, anyway."

Statistical records kept by the state health agency show a sharp reduction in syphilis rates, but gonorrhea cases have remained almost constant, with 1950 showing a slight increase over 1949.

Dr. Cox said it indicates a "large segment of the people are not aware of the seriousness of gonorrhea infections, or else they're indifferent to their own health and that of others."

"It is a common misconception that gonorrhea is a minor ailment, when the truth of the matter is that it's a serious disease, capable of causing permanent body damage.

"Untreated gonorrhea can cause blindness, sterility, arthritic conditions, and have other serious consequences," Dr. Cox asserted. "Sometimes it requires operative procedures."

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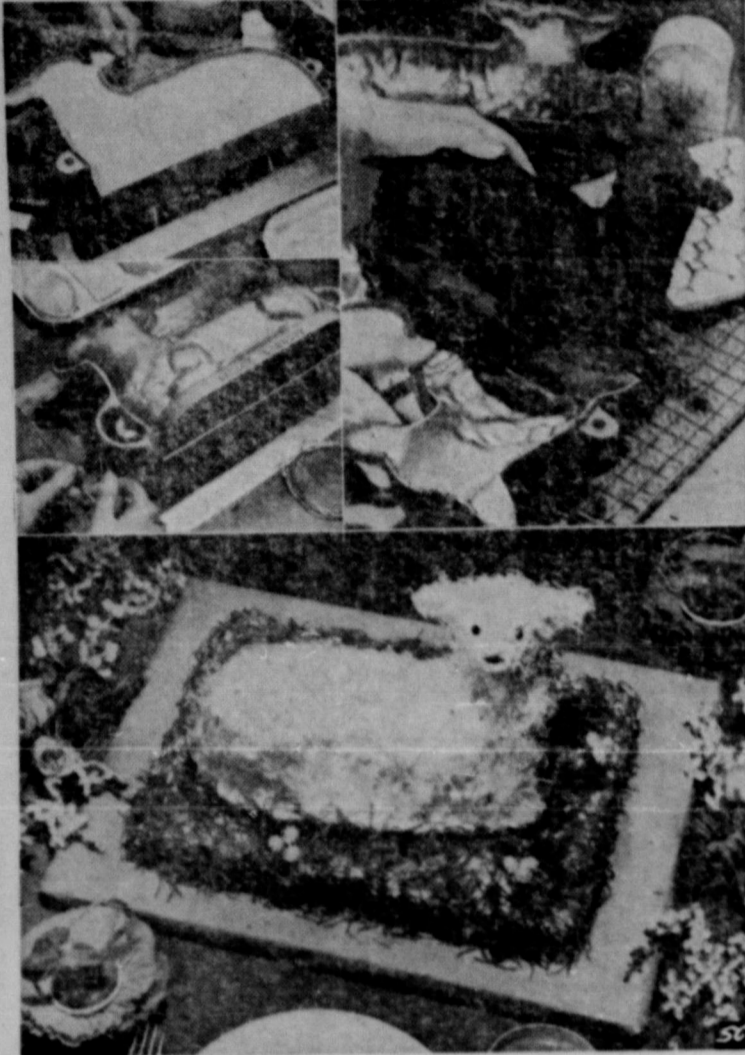
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How to Do It

Turn 1 package white cake mix into bowl. Add 2 egg yolks and 1/2 cup milk. Blend, then beat 2 minutes. Add 1/2 cup milk. Blend, then beat 1 minute longer. (Beat cake vigorously by hand or at a low speed of electric mixer.)

Pour batter into face half of well-greased lamb mold. Be sure some batter is placed in each ear. (Top left) Cover with back of mold and wire mold together. (Lower left) Place mold face-down on baking sheet and bake in hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes.

Meanwhile prepare second package of white cake mix as directed on package. Turn batter into 13x9x2-inch pan, which has been lined on bottom with paper.

After lamb cake has baked 15 minutes in hot oven, reduce heat to 350° F., place second cake in oven, and bake both cakes 35 minutes longer.

Remove cakes from oven and open mold, removing back of mold first. Allow lamb to cool in face of mold about 5 minutes. Loosen cake from sides of mold and remove carefully. (Top right) Stand lamb cake on cake rack until cool. Cool other cake in pan on cake rack for 5 minutes, then loosen from sides with spatula, turn out, remove paper, and turn right-side up on rack to cool.

Frost oblong cake with Seven Minute Frosting. Tint 1/2 cup coconut a delicate green and sprinkle on top to represent grass. Then frost lamb cake with remaining Seven Minute Frosting and cover with untinted coconut. Use raisins for eyes and nose and a slice of maraschino cherry for mouth. Place lamb on center of cake base, as pictured above.

The R. L. Howard family of home of Jack McClellan and family Borger spent the week-end in the city.

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Violin Concert In Shamrock

Helen Kwalwasser, dazzling young American violinist, will be the next attraction on the 1950-51 Wheeler County Municipal Concert Association series. The concert will be held in Clark Auditorium in Shamrock April 3. Miss Kwalwasser played her first composition at the age of three, made her solo debut at six, was proclaimed, at 11, a genius by the famous violinist, Kreisler, and conquered the skeptical New York critics at 19 when she first appeared at Town Hall. Now at 22 she has won fame in Europe during two extensive tours and is one of the most sought after young artists in this country.

On November 5th of last year, Miss Kwalwasser made her Montreal debut with the Canadian Broadcasting Orchestra, and, as usual, her press notices ran true to form. Thomas Archer gave her a sparkling send-off when he wrote in The Gazette: "The violinist best displayed her unusual talents as an executive musician in Mozart's Concerto in D Major, which was beautifully played by both soloist and orchestra."

CARD OF THANKS

I take this means of thanking my many friends for their kindness and thoughtfulness during my illness. The cards, flowers, gifts, food, visits, and any other services rendered in my behalf are deeply appreciated. May the kindnesses you have shown me return to you double in your hours of need.

Joe B. Hembree.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Purcell of San Jon, N. M., visited last Friday with Mrs. Purcell's sister, Merle Bentley. Miss Bentley went home with them for the week-end.

N. H. Greer and family of Muleshoe visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer, over the week-end.

Jack Wade, a former resident of McLean, moved back here last Sunday after living in Borger for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sanders were in Pampa Saturday afternoon.

W. C. Simpson made a trip to Groom Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hulseby and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Sanders visited Mrs. Don Leach and son Ron Earnest, in St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington last Wednesday.

Mrs. Ted Simmons and Mrs. Olen Davis were in Pampa on business last Friday.

Mrs. Maude Duncan and son Arnie spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Mullin, in Turkey.

Ted Simmons was in Amarillo the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Chase and family visited W. L. Scarberry and family in Wellington Sunday.

J. C. Hickerson spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hickerson of White Deer.

Your Home



Did you know that our favorite feathered friends can transmit certain dangerous diseases to us? I was simply amazed to learn from my doctor that parrots, parakeets and even the cheerful little canaries that we enjoy so much as household pets can be the cause of serious illness to yourself and members of your family.

One of these diseases is called "psittacosis," caused by a virus that lives chiefly in parrots. When transmitted to a human, it may be really dangerous, even fatal. It affects all ages and sexes, so I know you'll want to make sure that your youngsters are protected from it.

It's a good idea to keep a close check on your bird pets—watching for loss of appetite, ruffled feathers, sleepiness, occasional shivering or convulsions. These may indicate the disease and should be investigated at once. No one wants to risk an illness for a member of the family, even if the pet is a favorite!

Welcome news to all of us mothers is the fact that one of the newer antibiotic drugs, aureomycin, is proving very effective against psittacosis, as well as more and more other dangerous bacteria. A product of the Lederle Laboratories, the drug is the result of years of study and research and is daily proving helpful in overcoming so many serious illnesses. We can certainly be grateful for such wonder drugs as aureomycin—for they not only lessen our fear of diseases, but give us the confidence that we can keep our children well and strong.

Among those attending the girls basketball tournament in Austin last week-end were Lester Dysart, Gale Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Nevil Back, Mrs. John Gudgel, Mrs. Bill Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Street, Oleta Back, Dale and Sue Glass, Phynelpha Harlan, Mr. and Mrs. Logan Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and daughter Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roth, Mrs. Sybil Lively, and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Henderson of Groom visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan Sunday.

Personals

Amos Page went to Oklahoma City Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Jones visited Mr. and Mrs. Roger Powers in Lubbock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page were in Pampa Wednesday.

Mrs. Mannon Nix and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dekle of Shamrock visited in McLean last week.

Howard Horne went to Pampa last Thursday on business.

Merle Bentley was in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. E. H. Kramer was in Pampa Monday.

ORDER FOR CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
CITY OF McLEAN

I, Harris King, in my capacity as Mayor of the City of McLean, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held in said city on the 3rd day of April, 1951, for the purpose of electing the following officials for said city: Mayor, two Aldermen, City Secretary, City Marshal.

That in accordance with an order adopted by the City Council of said city, said election shall be held at the following place in said city, and the following named person is hereby appointed officer for said election.

In city election precinct, at the City Hall building in said city, with E. L. Cubine as presiding judge.

That said election shall be held in accordance with the general election laws of this state and only resident qualified voters of said city shall be eligible to vote at said election.

That the City Secretary shall give notice of said election by posting a copy of this order in the City Hall of said city, which posting shall be done not less than 30 days prior to date fixed for said election.

That immediately after said election is held, the officers holding the same shall make returns Council of this city as required by the general election laws of

this state.
A copy of this order shall also serve as a writ of election which shall be delivered to the above appointed presiding judge for said election.
9-3c Harris King, Mayor.

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Working in his laboratory here Barnhart read each of the 80,000 definitions four or five times, a task he has engaged in for more than 20 years. Four years of preparation and an initial investment of nearly a half-million dollars is represented in The Thorndike-Barnhart, published by Doubleday and Company, one of the world's largest publishers. The new book is the first all-new quality dictionary to be sold at a low price.

Many new techniques were developed by Barnhart, who began his work with the famous educational psychologist, the late Dr. Edward L. Thorndike. Their combined efforts have made the modern dictionary a useful tool for the average reader, rather than a mere history of the words in the language.

Three basic principles guided the preparation of the Thorndike-Barnhart. First, all definitions were stated in words less difficult than the word defined. Second, all synonyms were keyed to the definition of the appropriate meaning of the word. Drawings were used freely wherever necessary to clarify definitions. Finally, the 80,000 words used in the book were chosen on the basis of a scientific count, showing which words appear most frequently in adult reading matter.

Another feature of the book is the correct labelling of Americanisms. It is the first popular dictionary to label specifically those words which have originated in this country.

HAVE A BETTER KITCHEN

For many a homemaker the kitchen serves as much more than the room in which she prepares meals and does the clean-up job afterwards. Frequently it serves as her "office." Here she keeps the family's budget, writes checks to cover the household bills, copies and files recipes that look enticing—and helps the children with their homework.

Sometimes the modern kitchen is criticized because it doesn't allow for such "extra curricular" chores. But there's no reason why modern steel kitchen equipment can't be arranged to provide the comfortable and efficient facilities for this part of the homemaker's work.

Take a look at the arrangement illustrated below and suggested by the Youngstown Kitchens Planning Service.



Here a standard base cabinet top is swung between two standard steel base cabinets at a level 30 to 31 inches above the floor. It is firmly supported on a wood strip secured to the wall and by bolts secured to the side panels of the cabinets.

This forms an ideal kitchen desk, with drawer space handy in the adjacent cabinets. The top is smooth, making an ideal writing surface, and is easily kept clean.

"God is love." More than this we cannot ask, higher we cannot look, farther we cannot go.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Hemorrhage—SOMETHING WRONG

Hemorrhage is commonly considered to stand for any excessive bleeding, but actually means any escape, excessive or slight, of the blood from the tube-like vessels it flows in. It may always be considered a sign that something isn't going right; how wrong things are will depend upon the source of the bleeding to a large extent.

A nosebleed, for instance, may be a very slight affair resulting from the rupture of those small varicose veins in the lower front part of the nose. It may come from injuries to the nose such as squeezing the nose too hard or picking the nose, or it may originate from the inside as a result of high blood pressure.

A small piece of cotton or gauze placed in the nose will usually stop the bleeding unless the source is higher up and back in the nose, in which case it may be necessary for the doctor to pack the whole nasal cavity to stop the flow before he can discover the source.

The spitting of blood is usually a sign of irregularity in the respiratory tract, any place from the mouth on down to the lungs. Blood spit out will nearly always be accompanied by sputum which may be only slightly tinted or may be a decidedly frothy pink. Swallowing hard or rough objects which may scrape the wet lining of the respiratory tract or cause inflammation by their lodging in the tract may cause a puncture of some of those blood vessels lining the respiratory tract and bring blood to the mouth.

High blood pressure and hardening of the arteries may be general diseases which would cause the spitting of blood. Tuberculosis is notorious for the amount of blood spit out with coughing. Any swelling or sores that develop along the respiratory tract, whether single instances or as the result of certain diseases, may lead to this sign of disorder.

The vomiting of blood is a different matter. The source of bloody vomit is considered to lie within the digestive tract, usually in the upper part. Sometimes the vomiting of blood is not distinctly red and bloody; it may appear more like coffee grounds in the material brought up.

Blood from the bowels is also considered an intestinal tract irregularity. Hemorrhoids or tears in the wall of the rectum will usually account for bright red blood in the stools, whereas darker blood is generally considered to arise from disorders in the large intestine. Black, sticky stools are frequently a sign of intestinal hemorrhage; black stools may result from medicines containing iron or bismuth, but are generally not sticky like the black stools of hemorrhage.

Peptic ulcer is the most common causes of intestinal hemorrhage, either bloody vomiting or bloody stools. There are many other possible causes of this disorder, though, with cancer as one possibility, so the presence of bloody discharge not only from the intestines, but from any other part of the body should be considered a signal deserving medical attention. One or an occasional slight nosebleed is perhaps an exception; persistent nosebleed or a heavy nosebleed that resists staunching the flow should serve as a warning.

The body has wonderful de-

fenses to stop the flow of blood to one spot, build back the amount of blood lost, and keep the blood circulating to other places that are not endangered. But these defenses can be overworked by the constant abnormal loss of blood and the organs that function in the defense set-up may require outside help. If no help arrives, the sudden loss of blood may cause death. If the loss is slow over a period of time and no help is given these defenses, it may lead to that state known as secondary shock. Fainting is the most common phase of primary shock. Some people actually faint at the sight of blood, of course; others faint from the loss of blood.

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another will talk baby talk, a third will play the role of a holy terror. Sammie becomes a kleptomaniac and worse, and Doris, having had an operation, will harp on that. What a mixup and what fun in the telling. After almost two hours of side-splitting laughter Agnes and Henry emerge victorious and the "kids" are ready to accept their new parents.

You will not want to miss this exciting three-act play.

Characters are Agnes Martyn, a widow, Patsy Hommel, Bob, her son, George G. Oakley, Marise, her elder daughter, Ella Mae Castleberry, Gracie, her youngest child, Bonnie Trout; Miss Lydia, her sister-in-law, Joan Hill; Henry Turner, a widower, Wallace Cox; Doris, his daughter, Betty Allen; Sammie, his son, Jimmie Shaw; Begonia, the Martyns' dainty cook, Dorothy Brown; Nicodemus, the Martyns' colored handy man, Ray Miller.

NEWS FROM ALAN REED

The Alanreed Junior and senior play, "A Ready Made Family," is set for March 23. It is a 1 1/2 hour, three-act play.

Here's the situation: Agnes Martyn, a widow, while vacationing meets an old sweetheart, Henry Turner, a widower, and they become engaged. Neither tells the other of the children at home, three in one household and two in the other. The youngsters, having heard of the big surprise and not feeling any too good about it, plan to upset the matrimonial apple cart by acting their worst before their prospective step-parents. One will have fits,

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Serfass, Mrs. Neville Back, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Randolph of Adams, Okla., visited in Dumas Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph have been visiting here and remained in Dumas for a visit before returning to their home.

Mrs. Oleta Grubaugh visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Loman of Hart.

Mrs. G. F. Vineyard and daughter made a trip to Amarillo Wednesday on business.

Mrs. E. J. Windom and Mrs. Leo Gibson went to Amarillo Tuesday.

Red Cross—

(Continued from page 1) we hope that we will not fall short again this year.

Contributions may still be made at the office of Dr. Kritzer, The McLean News, or with Mrs. Cousins at the City Hall.

Contributions to date, not including those listed in last week's paper, are as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bones, \$5; Mrs. June Woods, \$2; Mrs. Shannon Barker, 40; Mrs. Charlie Nicholson, \$1; Charlie Nicholson, \$1; Elwin Curry, \$5; Mrs. H. Williams, \$1; Mrs. Paul Kennedy, \$5; Mrs. Lucille Parker, \$1.

Mrs. Lopez Hauck, \$1; Miss Gussie Bledsoe, \$1; Miss Leona Forbes, \$1; James Prock, \$1; Mrs. Helen McWilliams, \$1; Mrs. Chas. Weaver, \$2; Haydn Bodenhamer, \$2; Mrs. Jack Bailey, \$1; Mrs. J. M. Noel, \$1; C. O. Goodman, \$5; Mike Hanner, \$5; Mrs. Clinton Ritter, \$1; Mrs. Harvey Grigsby, \$1; Mrs. Kenneth Simpson, \$1; Mrs. Byrd Gull, \$5; Bob Massey, \$1; Mrs. Ollie Tindall, \$5; Mrs. Mattie Graham, \$5; Mrs. Era Kibler, \$10; Mrs. Alma Weaver, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash, \$5; Mrs. Edna Graham, \$1; Mrs. Floyd Guthrie, \$2; Mrs. Willie Boyett, \$25; Mrs. T. H. Andrews, \$1; Andrews and Johnson Equipment company, \$10; Mrs. Jim Simpson, \$5; Mrs. W. E. Ballard, \$1; Mrs. Mrs. Cohen Gallegly, \$1; Mrs. R. N. Ashby, \$1; Mrs. George Humphreys, \$5; Mrs. J. E. Kirby, \$5; L. M. Watson, \$1; A. Goodwin, \$3; Harry Harlan, \$1; Mrs. Ella Cubine, \$1; Mrs. Roy Barker, \$1; Mrs. Anna Shadid, \$5.

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Bryan Roby, \$1; T. B. Windom, \$1; Dora E. Sanders, \$5; Mrs. T. G. Barbee, \$3; Newt Barker, \$5; Bob Thomas, \$5; R. B. Kinard, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tibbets, \$5; Sue Jones, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shelton, \$1.

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John Sparks, \$1; D. A. Davis, \$5; O. E. S., \$5; Bob Black, \$2; T. A. Robertson, \$1; Wib Fowler, \$5; Chas. Cousins, \$5; F. L. Dalton, \$1; G. N. Wade, \$1; Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood, \$1; C. M. Corcoran, \$3; Mrs. Bob Sherrod, \$1; Sam Haynes, \$1.

Mrs. E. T. Duncan, \$1; Clyde Brown, \$2; J. L. Andrews, \$5; Boyd Reeves, \$5; J. I. Martindale, \$1; Mrs. K. E. Windom, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. Reo Heasley, \$3; Mrs. H. E. Franks, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Rose Collier, \$2; Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, \$1.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling, \$5; Mrs. E. R. Sherrod, \$1; A. H. Moreman, \$1; Mrs. J. J. Palmer, \$1; Mrs. Cecil Carter, \$1; Mrs. B. W. Moreman, \$1; Mrs. Bessie Gracey, \$1; Mrs. S. T. Greenwood, \$1; M. W. Standish, \$20; Mrs. J. D. Carpenter, \$1.

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REVEILLE



with the boys

Miss Fern L. Landers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers of McLean, has been recalled to active duty with the U. S. Naval Reserve, and was to report to Charleston, S. C. March 12. Miss Landers was a lieutenant in the USNR during World War II.

Drew Word, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word, left last Friday for Lackland Air Base in San Antonio.

Bob Black Jr. has entered the air force, and his address is A. C. Black, Robert D. AD 18389683; Pre-Flight Section, Class 52-B, James Connally Air Force Base, Waco, Texas.

Ronald E. Littrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gray, has been transferred from San Diego to Treasure Island, Calif. His new address is Ronald E. Littrell, S. A. Company R, Brks. 23, Electronic School, Treasure Island, Calif.

After twenty years, "Granny" sees his girl friend, Genevieve, again—at High School Auditorium soon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald visited in Fort Worth last weekend. They were accompanied home by their grandson Randy who visited here a few days before going to California with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Leo McDonald.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cash were C. A. Cash and family of Amarillo and Bill Cash and family of McLean.

Icebergs are always formed of fresh water.

A. C. Bryant, \$1. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood, \$2; Betty Ruth Dilbeck, \$7; Ray Dilbeck, \$5; Mrs. Lurrah Rhodes, \$1; Dusty Rhodes, \$5; Mrs. Oba Kunkel, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Giesler, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Crockett, \$1; C. C. Howard, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Smith, \$1; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sharp, \$1; J. L. Giesler, \$1; Mrs. Pearl Mercer, \$5; Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Moore, \$7; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Gray, \$1; Mrs. O. V. Smulcer, \$1.

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Legion Presented Award for Work in Membership

A Certificate of Meritorious Service was presented by Rhea Smith of Amarillo, 18th district commander to the Floyd-Corbin-Florey Post 315 of the American Legion in McLean for membership achievement over a period of four years, in the regular meeting of the post Monday night.

The local post was one of four in the state of Texas to receive such certificates, and the only one in the 18th Legion district. A total of 46 posts are in the 18th district.

Smith made the presentation to the local commander, George W. Terry. The award is given only to posts whose membership is above the average for a period of four years.

Special guests at the Monday night meeting, in addition to Smith, were A. J. Montgomery and Bill Burden of Shamrock, and B. F. Shepherd, Walter Shaller, and Henry Daniels of Amarillo. The three Amarillo men were here to aid in explaining Junior Chamber of Commerce work.

Absentee Votes May Be Cast

Absentee balloting for the city election, to be held Tuesday, April 3, began Wednesday. City Secretary D. A. Davis announced.

Balloting by those who will be unable to vote in person on election day will continue until three days prior to the election, according to state election laws.

To be chosen by voters this year are the mayor, city secretary, city marshal, and two aldermen. E. J. Lander is the lone candidate for mayor, Davis and George Colebank seek the city secretary's office, and J. A. Sparks is asking re-election as city marshal. Five men have announced for the two aldermen's positions. They are C. P. Callahan, Ruel Smith, Hickman Brown, Lester Campbell, and J. Lester Dysart.

Broke on the eve of your wedding day—what would you do? Find out at High School Auditorium soon.

Two brides and two mothers-in-law—poor Stoney! Sympathize with him at High School Auditorium soon.

Showers Yield .30-Inch Here

Showers Friday and Saturday brought a total of .30 of an inch in moisture in McLean, Pete Fulbright, local weather observer, reported.

The showers apparently were general over most of this immediate area, and light showers fell in practically all sections of the Fanhandle.

The week-end moisture brings the total for the year to 2.11 inches, Fulbright said.

Temperatures dropped during the week-end, with the coldest coming Monday night, when the thermometer fell to about 18 degrees.

Gossip—

(Continued from page 1) were four piano students of Mrs. Willie Boyett. Each of the four students, Gayle Mullanax, Mollie Erwin, Donna Ruth Magee, and Bobby Decker, played two numbers to the enjoyment of the Lions and their guests.

A special guest of the club was Coach Don Leach, whose girls basketball team took second-place honors in the state Class A tournament at Austin last week-end. Coach Leach was unable to attend the meeting of the club last week when the team members were guests of the club.

In addition, a number of out-of-town visitors were present. These visitors included several men attending a district session of co-ordinators of the various vocational schools of the area, and also several visitors from the Southwestern Public Service company who were handling the program for the district meeting. Jesse O. Coleman, coordinator of the Gray County veterans school, served as host for the district program.

O. L. Barr has bought the County Line Grocery and courts and has moved his entire stock of automotive parts to his new location. The new business includes not only a grocery stock and seven cabin units, but also a service station. The purchase was made from Steve Owens of Wellington. Barr will continue to handle a complete line of automotive parts, he stated this week, and will in addition operate the service station, the grocery store, and the cabins. He plans enlargement of the stock in the near future.

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Local FHA Group Meets in Home of Mrs. Tommy Hulsey

The McLean F. H. A. chapter held its regular meeting Monday night, March 12, in the home of Mrs. Tommy Hulsey, F. H. A. sponsor.

Co-hostesses for the meeting were Virgie Pierce, Lorene Clift, and Betty Gudge. Officers were elected for the school year, 1951 and 1952. Lorene Williams was named president. Other officers chosen were Colene Crockett, vice president; June Stubblefield, secretary; and Ann Cooper, treasurer.

Plans were made to attend the area F. H. A. meeting, which is to be held at Amarillo March 13. Following the business session, Mrs. Hulsey read her favorite readings from the book, "The Prophet," by Khalil Gibran.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hulsey, Wilma Melroy, Virgie Pierce, LaVerne Williams, Lorene Clift, Iva Mae Adams, Colene Crockett, Faye Glenn, Pat Patterson, Margaret Biggers, Betty Patterson, Sue Glass, Shirley Johnson, Barbara Beck, Bettie Mooth, Donna Stubblefield, Phoebe Cubine, Dortha Chase, and Jo Stubblefield.

Pageant—

(Continued from page 1) will take part. Adults will be used primarily to aid in the change portion of the program, it was explained.

Actually the pageant has a definite name, Mrs. Back explained, although the principal theme will be "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord," and the general theme will be along the lines.

The first portion of the program will be given by the grade school students, and the second portion by the high school students. A decorative setting will be used as the background for the pageant, and the numerous Bible characters will be dressed in attractive costumes.

Would you like to meet a stranger at Diamond O?—in High School Auditorium soon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman of Pampa visited Sunday in the homes of Mrs. Norman's mother and aunt, J. R. Phillips, Mrs. J. Cash, and Mrs. J. A. Sparks.

Marshee Windom and Nels Nichols from West Texas State College in Canyon visited friends and relatives here over the weekend.

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