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G O S S I P



(More or Less)

Most Farmers Finally Manage Stand of Cotton

More rain—over one and one-half inches of moisture in all—came to the McLean area during the past week, and farmers are hoping that additional rain will hold off for at least two more weeks.

Most cotton farmers—and a lot of farmers of the area had planned on being cotton farmers this year—Agent Foster Whaley reports.

However, some have planted over as many as three times, and in a few cases, even some of these have no stand of cotton. Others have fields loaded with fast-growing weeds which came up despite the washing rains.

The past week—especially Monday night—proved sad for some farmers living several miles south of town. A heavy hail was reported there, and most of the cotton which was up several inches was literally mowed down.

Properly spaced rains during the coming cotton-growing months, however, will produce a great deal of cotton in the area, that is, of course, if a very early frost does not cut that production short.

The week's downfall of moisture started Wednesday night of last week, and was not reported in last week's News since the paper was printed a few hours earlier than usual. The Wednesday night rain was accompanied by some light hail, and the moisture total was .34 of an inch.

Thursday night, another 1.09 inches of rain fell, and the storm clouds drove many local residents to their cellars. Friday night still another .12 of an inch came to the area.

The total for the month of June is now 3.33 inches, and the year's total is 15.22 inches, Pete Fulbright, local weather observer, reported.

Temperatures have remained fairly high in the daytime hours. Hot suns are aiding the late-planted cotton considerably.

Softball--

Last Week's Results:

Monday night: Lefors 8, Holloway 4 (exhibition game); Cooke Chevrolet 14, Warren Petr. 5.

Tuesday night: Warren Oil 17, Ford-Elite 14; Methodist 11, Post Office 10.

This Week's Games:

Thursday night: Holloway vs. Cooke Chevrolet.

Monday night: Warren Petr. vs. Post Office.

Tuesday night: Elite-Ford vs. Methodist.

Standings:

Team	W	L
Holloway	2	0
Cooke	3	1
Methodist	3	1
Warren Oil	2	2
Post Office	1	1
Warren Petr.	0	2
Elite-Ford	0	4

Trades Day Plan To Be Discussed By Businessmen

Businessmen and women of McLean will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the Lions Hall to discuss the feasibility of promoting a trades day program in McLean.

The meeting was called following a study of such a project by the retail merchants committee of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Hickman Brown, president of the Jaycees, will outline the program which has been formulated by the retail merchants committee, and a general discussion will follow. The proposed plan, or perhaps some other variation from it, will then be either approved or rejected by those present.

"Everyone is invited to attend," Brown stated. "We do not plan to have a long, drawn-out meeting, but hope to be through with our discussions and come to some conclusion in a short time."

Dave A. Parker Dies in Claude; Funeral Here

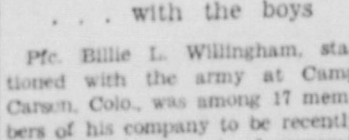
Funeral services for Dave Alexander Parker, 76 years of age, were held Saturday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Claude, Rev. C. W. Parmenter, local Methodist pastor, officiated.

Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of the Claborn Funeral Home.

Parker died Thursday of last week in Claude, where he had been in ill-health for some time. Parker was born November 23, 1874, in Alabama. He came to McLean in 1923 from Prague, Okla. He was a retired railroad worker.

Survivors include one son, Floyd Parker of Clarendon, and one daughter, Verna Moore of Long Beach, Calif.

REVEILLE



with the boys

Pfc. Billie L. Willingham, stationed with the army at Camp Carson, Colo., was among 17 members of his company to be recently promoted to the rank of corporal. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Willingham of McLean.

Cpl. Willingham, now serving his company as an engineer equipment mechanic, is assigned to construction Battalion. He held the rank of private first class since April 23.

Cpl. Willingham entered service at Fort Sill, Okla., reception center, following induction in November, 1950. As a civilian, he was employed by R. W. Adams and sons of Amarillo.

Theater McPherson, BUI 2, landed at Port Hueneme, Calif., June 17. He has been serving in the Aleutian Islands and will be re-assigned for further duty. He is serving with the Seabees.

Laycock New Superintendent At White Deer

Huey Laycock, superintendent of Gray County schools for the past seven years, has resigned from that position to accept a place as superintendent of the White Deer schools.

J. Aaron Meek, principal of the Sam Houston school at Pampa, was named to succeed Laycock at a meeting of the Gray County commissioners court Thursday of last week. Laycock replaces Ray Vineyard, who resigned from the superintendency at White Deer at the end of this last school term.

The new superintendent's contract will start July 1. Laycock served as superintendent of the Hopkins schools for nine years before seeking the Gray County job. He has served one full term and three of the four years on his second term. He holds a master's degree from West Texas State College in Canyon.

Meek is a graduate of Wayland College, Plainview, and taught school near Mobeetie for one year before moving to Pampa. He served as principal of the Baker school there for a number of years, and for the past six years has been principal of the Sam Houston school.

The new county superintendent was elected unanimously by the commissioners, and is to take over his duties July 1.

75th Birthday Party Planned By Clarendon

A caravan of boosters from Clarendon will be in McLean at 3-40 o'clock Thursday afternoon, June 28, to publicize the 75th anniversary party which is being planned for that neighboring city.

The boosters will be headed by R. E. Drennan and J. W. Murphy. The two-day booster trip will include visits to Hedley, Memphis, Childress, Wellington, Shamrock, McLean, Groom, Pampa, Panhandle, Claude, and Goodnight.

The 75th anniversary observance will be held at Clarendon July 3 and 4.

Featured will be three rodeo performances with all the thrills and spills of real pioneer days, horse races, four dances, free barbecue, parade, old settlers get-together, and old fiddlers contest. The combined total prize money for the various contests will be more than \$4,500.

A new rodeo arena will be a highlight of the observance. The arena has just been completed, and includes lighting for night rodeo performances. Seating capacity is 1,000.

BIRTHDAYS

June 24—E. J. Lander, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, John Wayne Sublett, Janice Elaine Stroud, Mrs. J. Frank Bidwell.

June 25—Jimmy Don Morris, Mrs. Gene Woodrome, Janice Magee, Melvin McCabe.

June 26—Bob Black, Jerry McDonald, Bill Miller, C. C. Mead.

June 27—Glen Howard, Don Cash.

June 28—Irven Alderson, Carl Lee Henley.

June 29—Mrs. Chas. Cousins, Fred Bentley, Mrs. Bill Bentley, J. O. Clark.

June 30—Norman Johnston Jr.

Road and Bridge Improvement Bond Issue Election Is Called

Charter Night For Jaycees Friday Night

The charter night banquet for the new McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held Friday night at the American Legion Hall, beginning at 8 o'clock. Members were reminded this week by President Hickman Brown.

Principal speaker for the occasion will be Bill Gilstrap of Amarillo, president of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce and division vice president for the Southwestern Public Service company. Gilstrap is well known here, having served at one time as local manager for the company.

Gilstrap is serving as speaker for the occasion in the place of Wes Izzard, publisher of the Amarillo Globe-News. Izzard had accepted the invitation to speak, but illness in his family caused him to postpone his visit here.

"We regret that Mr. Izzard will be unable to be with us," Brown stated, "but we are fortunate to have Mr. Gilstrap. He is one of the best speakers in our entire area, and we feel that he will have an outstanding message for us."

B. F. Shepherd, president of the Amarillo Jaycees, sponsors of the McLean organization, will be on hand to make the charter presentation to Brown. As the first president of the organization, Brown will preside at the banquet.

Musical selections will be furnished by Bill Day, vocalist, and Dicky Shigar, pianist.

More than 100 tickets to the banquet have been sold locally. Amos Page, secretary of the organization, said. A large delegation from the Amarillo club is expected to attend.

McLean Ball Club Takes Shamrock By Score of 7-2

The McLean baseball team won another game Sunday afternoon when the local nine came home from Shamrock with a 7-2 victory.

Striker occupied the mound for the local team, allowing the Irish only five hits during the game.

Next Sunday afternoon, McLean will play Wheeler in another Panhandle League encounter.

Other league games will include Mobeetie at Kelton; Shamrock at Allison; and Briscoe at Miami.

Airport, Tax Assumption Slated for Call

Gray County citizens will vote July 28 on a bond issue for \$300,000, the money to be used for improvement of the roads and bridges in the four county precincts.

Necessity for calling the election grew out of the recent heavy damage by flooding waters throughout the county. In Commissioner Earnest Beck's precinct alone, two very important bridges and their approaches were damaged by the heavy rains in May.

As a result of this damage, the county had no money with which to repair the great damage throughout the county. Funds could have been borrowed on warrants, but this would have meant that in the next few years, the four commissioners would not have had sufficient money to maintain the roads.

The \$300,000 bond issue also will include a four-mile stretch of farm-to-market road leading to the northwest field site at Pampa.

Two more issues will probably face the voters on the same date, although neither has yet been officially called.

The first will be for another bond issue, totaling \$168,700 for improving airports in the county. Of this amount, \$15,000 would go to McLean for use in constructing an airstrip at the former P. O. W. camp site. This election will probably be called by the commissioners at their regular meeting on July 9.

The second of the two elections—other than that for the road and bridge bonds—will be to allow the voters to decide whether the county should absorb the 30 cents general use ad valorem tax which the state has relinquished.

Since last year's overall state and county tax rate amounted to \$17.2, the county's assumption of 16 of that 30 cents concerned would actually amount to a total of \$1.58 for state and county taxes next year. The county would levy \$1.16, while the state would levy 42 cents for schools, colleges, and confederate pensions, making the \$1.58 overall total. This is a drop of 14 cents over last year.

However, the voters would have to approve all three questions at the July 28 election.

The airport bond election was not called at the meeting last Saturday, since airport improvement bonds elections must be held less than 30 days after being called. Therefore, the commissioners delayed calling the airport bond election until later, so that the road and bridge bonds could be voted upon at one single election. The law states that road and bridge bonds cannot be voted on less than 30 days after such issues are called.

County Judge Bruce Parker was quoted in the Pampa News as saying: "On this 30 cent levy, we will eventually be faced with it and we might as well do it now. Besides, it actually means we can have our cake and eat it, too. We can, if the voters approve, have our airports, repair our bridges, and at the same time reduce our overall tax rate by 14 cents."

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R.I.P.* by VIP

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Communism Revolt Against God, Chaplain Back From Korea Declares Here

Capt. Clayton Day has a story to tell.

Capt. Day, now a chaplain in the U. S. Army and a former resident of McLean while serving here as pastor of the First Baptist Church, returned to the U. S. two weeks ago from Korea. He was here over the week-end, speaking at both Sunday morning and evening services at the Baptist Church, and then appearing before members of the McLean Junior Chamber Tuesday noon.

His story is the same story which he told the boys in the front lines in Korea. It's a story of why those boys are engaged in terrible

battle in Korea, and it's a story all Americans should hear.

These are excerpts from Capt. Day's address before the Lions Club Tuesday at noon: "It is a crime in Communist Russia for parents to impart religious instruction to their children."

"Communism arose, historically, not as a revolt against despotism and deprivation, but as a revolt against the universe—a revolt against God. In the middle ages, when church and state were united, the antecedents of modern Communists proclaimed themselves 'Liber-worshippers' and worshiped Satan, rather than God. Communism arose as an expression

of hatred of deity. Only when the church and state became separate did Communism develop into a political movement.

"Communism then divided its attack equally on two fronts—first, the war against organized government; second, the war of annihilation of religion. Lenin finally realized that a Communist state must be built upon a foundation of atheism in the minds of the people. From the start of the Bolshevik revolution, he employed every artifice and atrocity, however heinous, to destroy religious faith among the Russian people."

"Satan has followed in Lenin's steps. He knows that dictatorship

cannot last unless religion is fatally and forever crushed. Hence atheism is a required course in every school in the Soviet Union.

"Communism stands in direct opposition to capitalism. Capitalism is that economic theory dealing with property which gives to the individual the right to own, sell, transfer, or bequeath that which he honestly attains, because of the exercise of his own initiative, energy, skill, genius, or labor. Communism stands in direct opposition to this principle. It denies the right of the individual to own, transfer, sell, or bequeath that which he attains. In a Communist country, all the machinery of the government is brought into play to enforce this principle."

Following his talk, Capt. Day asked for questions. In answer to one query, he stated that it was the general consensus of opinion among the men in Korea that General MacArthur should not have been ordered back to the U. S., but should have been left in Japan as a statesman. MacArthur has done much for the Japanese people, and he is loved and adored there, the chaplain explained. The Japanese respect him as a great leader, and as the one who has aided them in overcoming many of their after-war difficulties.

Contrary to published accounts, did the U. S. forces, Day said. Moral, Day said, is important in the Korean war. He emphasized that the "men in Korea feel that America is forgetting them." He also said they continually ask themselves, "Why are we fighting?" and then he pointed out that his part in the war was largely to try to outline the dangers of Communism to those men on the front lines.

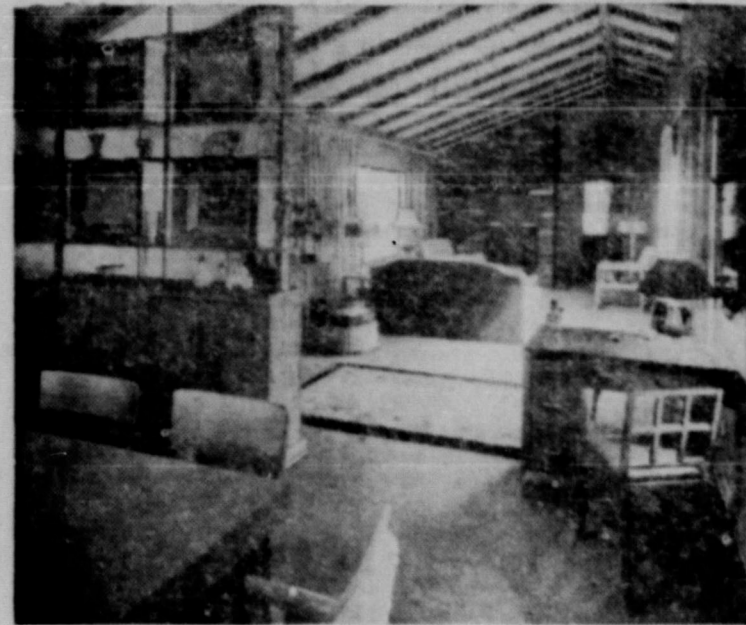
Capt. Day returned to Fort Worth, where his family has been living during his overseas duty, late Tuesday. He is to report to first of this year—as was good as or better than that of the U. S. forces. The Chinese also had more equipment at that time than time.

There will probably be two ball-

Society



Attractive country home above bares slight resemblance to ordinary dwelling at right, same house before modernization. New roof of asphalt shingles in blue-blend provides color harmony.



This cozy dining-living room, designed by W. H. Schumacher, Oklahoma City, Okla., architect gains much of its warmth and charm from plywood and hardwood veneer wall paneling and built-in cabinets. Mr. Schumacher specifies hardwood plywood, equally adaptable to remodeling and new construction, for its stability, permanence, beauty and low maintenance.

Two Music Clubs Close Activities In Final Meeting

The Junior and High School Music Clubs met in joint session Friday afternoon, June 15, at 4 o'clock in the Boyett studio. This meeting marked the close of the year's activities for the two clubs.

The first part of the program was presented by students of the Junior Club. Those appearing on the program were Christa Carol Rodgers, Ernestine Fuqua, Bobby Weaver, Sherry Hefner, Kay Stubbs, Othella Eustace, Patricia Shaddid, Dorothy Paskan, Laura Mae Switzer, Deanne Clayton, Jackie Don Bailey, Pauline Erwin, Betty Ruth Dickinson, Cieta Sue Heasley, Monta Jean Kennedy, Mauree Miller, Gayle Mullanax, Barbara Ruth Carter, Glenda Switzer, and Mollie Erwin.

Immediately following the above program, Mrs. Willie Boyett presented pins to the students of both clubs having made the honor roll nine consecutive months and obtained the required number of grade points. The following received pins: Barbara Ruth Carter, Lester Sitter, Bobby Weaver, Monta Jean Kennedy, Dicky Sligar, Donna Gail Stubblefield, Laura Mae Switzer, Barbara Jane Barrett, Barbara Nell Williams, Bobby Decker, Gayle Mullanax, Sherry Hefner, Dorothy Paskan, and Kay Stubbs. Sue Glass, Mollie and Pauline Erwin, and Betty Ruth Dickinson received pins earlier in the year.

The High School Club gave the last half of the program which featured Shirley Allison and Donna Gail Stubblefield in repertoire playing. They were assisted by Barbara Nell Williams, June Stubblefield, Sue Glass, Bobby Decker, Dicky Sligar, and Barbara Barrett.

The following students played their own compositions: Ernestine Fuqua; "Tulip Time," Barbara Ruth Carter; "Cheerful Weary," Barbara Nell Williams; "Expedition of the Firefly," Fiocella Cubine; "Opus No. 1 in C Major," Dicky Sligar; and "Senior Commencement Song," Barbara Jane Barrett.

The following students of Mrs. Boyett, Barbara Nell Williams, and Dicky Sligar made the honor roll for June: Christa Carol Rodgers, Sherry Hefner, Kay Stubbs, Bobby Weaver, Othella Eustace, Patricia Shaddid, Dorothy Paskan, Ernestine Fuqua, Laura Mae and Glenda Switzer, Deanne Clayton, Jackie Don Bailey, Pauline and Mollie Erwin, Betty Ruth Dickinson, Cieta Sue Heasley,



MRS. FRANK SIMPSON

Miss Jane Williams Becomes Bride Of Frank Simpson

In an impressive ceremony read in the First Baptist Church on Saturday evening, June 16, at 8 o'clock, Miss Jane Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Williams, became the bride of Frank Simpson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson.

Rev. Buel T. Wells, pastor, officiated at the single ring service which was read before the altar flanked by tall baskets of pink and white peonies.

Mrs. Kenneth Simpson, organist, played a medley of nuptial music preceding the ceremony, using the traditional wedding marches, and accompanied Miss Norma Watson as she sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because."

Miss Jo Ann Grigsby of Pampa was maid-of-honor. She wore a pink suit with white accessories and a corsage of white carnations.

The bride, entering on the arm of her father, who gave her in marriage, was lovely in a two-piece pastel blue suit with which she wore white accessories. She carried a white Bible topped by a bouquet of pink rose showered with streamers of white and pink satin.

Paul Miller served as best man, and Pat Reeves and Benny Cooper were ushers.

Mrs. Simpson is a graduate of McLean High School. She was a member of the 1951 graduating class and was active in all extra-curricular work.

Mr. Simpson attended school in McLean and at Texas Tech in Lubbock before he served in the navy during World War II. He has been employed at the local post office for the past two years. The couple will make their home on North Grove Street after a wedding trip to points in Colorado.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton of Hereford were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Walton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Eustace. Othella Eustace accompanied them to Hereford for a two-weeks visit.

Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kritzler and children, Jimmy and Kay, visited in Edmond, Okla., over the week-end with the Bob Sheddick family.

Monta Jean Kennedy, James Carter, Lester Sitter, Mauree Miller, Gayle Mullanax, Barbara Ruth Carter, Barbara Nell Williams, Bobby Decker, June and Donna Gail Stubblefield, Shirley Allison, Sue Glass, Barbara Jane Barrett, and Dicky Sligar.

Mrs. Clifford Allison and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield were hostesses for the occasion and served lovely refreshments to 39 visitors and 26 club members.

Good Fences Make Good Neighbors



—Photo by Santa

Good fences make good neighbors... and your offering of iced coffee (caffeine-free or regular) to your laundry-hanging, sister-in-law should cement that relationship forever. What better place to share a snack than in your own back yard where over-the-fence recipe-swapping has become a venerable American institution. Here are recipes to please the gal next door, no matter what her age, health or disposition—instant caffeine-free iced coffee and a quickie salad.

Instant Iced Coffee
Place one rounded teaspoon of instant caffeine-free coffee in a

tall glass. Fill glass half-full with tap water and stir until coffee is dissolved. Then add ice.

Cottage Cheese Dip
1/2 lb. cottage cheese
1/2 cup sour cream
2 tablespoons chopped chives
Salt and pepper

Combine 1/2 lb. cottage cheese, 1/2 cup sour cream and 2 tablespoons chopped chives. Season with salt and pepper. Use for dunking celery hearts, carrot curls and crisp crackers arranged on relish tray.

Members of F. H. A. Enjoy Swimming Party and Picnic

Sixteen F. H. A. members met at the McLean public swimming pool Tuesday evening at 5 o'clock for a swimming party and picnic. The affair was one of the get-togethers in which the F. H. A. girls participate each summer.

Attending were Dortha Chase, Deanna Stubblefield, June Stubblefield, Barbara Nell Williams, Gna Gail McPherson, LaVerne Williams, Collette Crockett, Wilma McElroy, Ella Ann Hernandez, Patsie Jones, Dixie Turpen, Ticie Glenn, Pat Shelton, Sue Glass, Fiocella Cubine, Mrs. Tommy Hulse, sponsor, and one guest, Marilyn Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman W. Spear and children, Cathy and Mary, have returned to their home in Debuque, Iowa, after spending the past month with Mrs. Spear's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson.

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Mr. and Mrs. George McCarty and children, Sandra and Mike, of Las Cruces, N. M., visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glass of Amarillo were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass.

Mrs. Jack Mercer and Mrs. W. A. Bruner of Abilene visited with friends and relatives here over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom Jr. and sons, Clyde Allen, Eddie, and Pat, spent Sunday with Mrs. Windom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson, in Amarillo.

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THERE'S MORE THAN ONE TRICK

with a waffle iron! Use packaged mixes for cornbread waffles... for hot gingerbread waffles. And try adding finely chopped ham to regular waffle batter. Delicious! (Takes only one or two cents' worth of electricity to make all the waffles your family can eat!)

FRUIT SALADS ARE FESTIVE-LOOKING!

And you can prepare them ahead of time. Slice the fruit, cover it with lemon or grapefruit juice and keep chilled in the refrigerator until time to serve. (Just one penny's worth of electricity protects a whole refrigerator full of food for almost two hours!)

FOR A SWEET fresh refrigerator, wash inside with a lukewarm solution of bicarbonate of soda or borax. Wash metal ice trays with hot water to which bicarbonate of soda has been added.

(About 5c worth of electricity will "refrigerate" your food for a week-end!)

WHEN CLEANING TILE or tile board, add a handful of starch to water. It gives a nice shine. When starch sticks to your iron, remove it by spreading salt on a newspaper and rubbing the hot iron over it.

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DO IT TODAY

ROY KEATON, a native of Texas, is the director-general of Lions International, an office which he took over during the past year. Each month he writes an article for a monthly letter put out by Lions International. In the April issue of the letter, Mr. Keaton's article included the following which we think fully worthy of reproducing:

Henry Van Dyke once wrote that "half of the secular unrest and dismal, profane sadness of modern society comes from the vain idea that too many men feel themselves bound to be critics of their neighbors and associates, and they let no day pass without finding some fault with the general order of things."

Complimenting is working with God, according to George MacDonald who wrote: "If I can put one touch of rosy sunset into the life of any man or woman I shall feel that I have worked with God."

Perhaps we have all heard the story of a noted editor who read of a particular outstanding achievement by a friend who was also an editor. He thought he would write him immediately and congratulate his friend. But he was busy at the time and other pressing things caused him to delay. After several days had passed he decided that he wouldn't write as he was certain that his friend had received scores of letters and calls about it. A month later he met his friend and told him how he had planned to write and why he had failed to send commendation. "How many letters or calls do you think I received?" he asked. The other editor guessed a hundred. But the answer was "Not a single one." Apparently they had all left the job to someone else.

No day is ever lost if you have said one complimentary word. It is a sad thing sometimes when we stop to think of all the kind deeds done in the world by loving friends and associates, and how little note we take of them.

It is not the attainment of phenomenal knowledge or the accumulation of a lot of money that marks the superior leader—it is more the acquiring of certain personality habits—the habit of searching for the good and passing it along. There's nothing mysterious or phenomenal about it—just search for the good in others and then pass it along.

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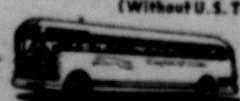
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CHICAGO	16.85	30.35

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TALK

By LESTER

Like something on the light side for a change? Okay, here goes with some stolen squibs:

She said that she was just a little pebble on the beach of his life, so he asked her to be a little boulder.

When you want to get next to something there's real money in, go over and lean on the bank. Or sit on the window ledge.

She said that if he was her husband she'd give him poison; and he said that if she was his wife he'd take it.

The best cure for love at first sight is to take a closer look.

He used to catch her in his arms before they were married. Now he catches her in his pockets.

One sure way to double your money is to fold it and put it in your pocket.

When your outgo exceeds your income, your upkeep is your downfall.

Then there's the husband who didn't speak to his wife for three days. He was too polite to interrupt her.

Biography of a four-time widow: She first married a millionaire, then an actor, then a preacher, and then an undertaker. One for the money, two for the show, three to make ready, and four to go.

The housewife was sitting in the breakfast nook, meditating, when she heard a knock at the back door. Thinking it was her young son, she called out loudly, "Here I am, darling."

A brief silence and then a man's voice boomed out loudly: "This is not the regular milkman, ma'am."

A diplomat is one who can tell you to go to hell so tactfully that you look forward to the trip.

The Communist recruit was being indoctrinated into the party. "And," admonished the organizer, "if you had two million, would you be willing to share it with your comrade?"

"Yes." "If you had two new automobiles, would you be willing to give one to your comrade?"

"Yes." "If you had two shirts, would you be willing to share them with a comrade?"

"No." "Why not?"

"I have two shirts."

"I see by the papers where a woman sued a doctor for operating on her husband."

"That's ridiculous! What was the charge?"

"Opening her male."

Curious ideas about anatomy prevail in the press at various times. It was stated the other day that a colonel was recently "shot in the ticket office." Another story says a man was "shot in the suburbs." Others recently noted: He kissed her upon her reappearance"; She whipped him upon his return"; "He kissed her in the midst of her excitement"; "Mr. Blank walked in upon her invitation"; "She seated herself upon his entering"; "She sat down upon her being asked"; and "She fainted upon his departure."

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Over a cup of tea, Mrs. McBride and Mrs. Jones were discussing their sons in Korea.

"Mike writes he's been in the hospital but is getting around with a Jeep . . . whatever that is," said Mrs. McBride.

"Why, it's an automobile," replied her friend.

"Glory be," said Mrs. McBride, "and I was thinking it was a female Jap."

He was a handsome and highly eligible bachelor attending an elderly friend's wake. The deceased's young wife, appropriately but attractively attired in black, was dabbing her eyes intermittently.

After an interval of expressing his condolence to the widow, he asked gently if he might have something as a remembrance of his departed friend.

After a little thought the young widow said, "Would I do?"

Had enough? Okay, then.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Johnson and Alice Jane, and Mrs. Alice Watson of Corsicana visited in the Clyde Holloway home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Taylor and sons Bobbie, and Stevie, of Oklahoma City visited Mr. and Mrs. Ted Street last week.

Fear of punishment never made man truly honest. Moral courage is requisite to meet the wrong and to proclaim the right.—Mary Baker Eddy.

GOOD HEALTH



Answer to Question No. 1:

1. A baby should be inoculated against diphtheria between the ages of three months and nine months. It is dangerous to wait any longer because the disease is particularly serious in very young children. There were 15,536 cases of diphtheria in 1940. Early figures for 1950 indicate the number of cases has been halved during the ten-year period.

Answer to Question No. 2:

2. Doctors in Hillsdale, Michigan, conduct each physical examination of a patient with the

possibility of cancer in mind. Since early detection is the primary factor in curing cancer. Thereby every doctor's office becomes a small cancer clinic. This has been accomplished by complete cooperation between citizens and doctors in a joint effort to detect cancer early.

Answer to Question No. 3:

3. An otoscope is an instrument which directs a ray of light into the ears, making it possible to detect abscesses and other disorders.

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E. L. Cubine is hereby appointed Election Judge, who will appoint his assistants.

E. J. Lander, Mayor of City of McLean, Texas



Free AIR

"You seem to have plenty of intelligence for a man of your position," sneered the lawyer, cross-examining the witness.

"If I wasn't under oath I'd reply the witness.

Ken: You look all out of sorts today. What's the matter?

Bob: Plenty. It's my rheumatism. The doctor told me to avoid all dampness and you've no idea how silly I feel sitting in an empty bathtub going over myself with a vacuum cleaner.

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WHAT'S COOKIN'
In Gray County H. D. Work
By Mary Anne Duke

Chigger Control
We're having quite a few people ask what to do for these "pesky chiggers." To find out the easy way if chiggers are really present, James A. Deer, extension entomologist, says place a piece of black cardboard edgewise on the ground. If chiggers are there, you'll see the small pinkish mites moving rapidly over the cardboard.

Deer says emulsions of some of the newer insecticides like chlordane, lindane, and toxaphene are effective in chigger control. Apply chlordane or toxaphene emulsion at the rate of two pounds per acre. These sprays can be applied with knapsack sprayers, using 20 to 25 gallons per acre or about one gallon to each 1,800 square feet.

What's in a Food
Here's help for another common question to the agent: "Where can we find out which foods give us the most nutrients for our money?"
For those who want a general idea of the nutritional value of familiar foods, the number of calories different foods provide for body energy and the amount of protein, key minerals, vitamins and other nutrients the foods contain, specialists in the U. S. Department of Agriculture have prepared an 8-page leaflet, "Food Values in Common Portions."

The leaflet can be ordered at 35 cents a copy (coin, not stamps) from the Superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D. C. A 25 per cent discount is allowed on orders of 100 or more copies.
The leaflet also shows the National Research Council's table of recommended daily dietary allowances for individuals, popularly known as the "nutrient yardstick." This table makes it possible to judge roughly how well a day's food provides nutrients needed, and also how well a particular food can contribute to the body's needs.

Atomic Attack Film
The film, "Survival Under Atomic Attack," has arrived. This film is an official U. S. Government Civil Defense film. The film shows the bomb's true dangers as well as secrets to save your life in case of an atomic attack. Contact the agent's office for the use of this film.

HAVE A BETTER KITCHEN

Sleazy drawers probably have caused more ragged tempers than any other single kitchen annoyance. You may have one in your kitchen... a drawer that inevitably settles down like a mule and refuses to budge just when you badly need something it holds.
In that same kitchen "rogues gallery" is the drawer that screeches like a banshee when you pull the handle, and the drawer that has no stops and falls to the floor with a crash, scattering its contents every which way, unless you're careful.
These are some of the kitchen difficulties that the people designing modern steel kitchen equipment have ironed out. You won't find sticky drawers in cabinets that have brass runners on the drawer guides, for brass has been found to be a nearly perfect drawer bearing surface. It's long wearing and no matter how heavily you load the drawers they will slide easily on the brass runners.
And quietly, too, for the brass is softer than the steel of the drawer runners, and seldom do squeaks develop. In event a noise does occur, a coating of soap or paraffin wax will quickly remedy the trouble.
Another feature of standard, factory made cabinets is that the drawers are interchangeable. They are made to fit either undersink cabinets or base cabinets. So, if you decide that the utensils in a drawer would be handier in another spot, merely exchange the drawers. You aren't bothered with loading and unloading.

Give for the joy of thankfulness that you have it to give—Herbert Hoover.
Highways and highballs don't mix.

Sizing Up Women
by MURRAY SICES



The fashion designing business must be bad this season. Judging from the names of the latest high fashion shades, the designers are a mighty hungry lot.
Iced coconut is the contribution of a fabled fellow with an overdeveloped sweet tooth, while banana, currant and strawberry ice are descriptions used by a fruit-loving dressmaker and white is described as wax, white rose, and magnolia in the most elite of elite circles.

One noted cosmetician is known far and wide for his overwhelming fondness for radishes. His best known lipstick shade is a bright, true color called Red-Red; so we may look forward to a new improved version of same called Radish-Radish.
It might reach the point where the description of one's ensemble will sound like the family dinner menu.
For example:
A Blueberry dress, complemented with cream of wheat colored scarf and belt. Accessorized by muskmelon shoes and bag and topped off with an iced coconut chaparral. With radish-radish lipstick, of course!

What will they think of next department! One of America's leading auto manufacturers has just introduced NEEDLEPOINT upholstery for the rear seats and doors, of its 1951 sedan. Matter of fact, we're convinced that the day will come when, milady's car seat covers will be geared to suit her clothing wardrobe. After all, polka dot seats might ruin the effect of a striped gown.
They can't do this to us department! If you wake up some morning and think your bedroom's been invaded by a fugitive from the jungle of Africa, don't be alarmed. Open the other sleepy eye and you'll find your wife all decked out in the latest lingerie fashion... leopard skin print satin unmentionables. Unmentionables is right!

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Powell, and Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nash of Alameda visited Sunday with Mrs. Dot Hindman of Shamrock.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Kemp recently were Mrs. Kemp's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Major, and her sister, Mrs. A. P. Andrews of Phoenix, Ariz. Mrs. Andrews has returned to her home, and Mrs. Major has moved into the property belonging to Mrs. Pat Carmichael on Clarendon Street, and will make her home there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Williamson of Spearman visited Mr. Williamson's aunt, Mrs. C. P. Callahan and family, Friday of last week.

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July 25 Final Cut-Off Date To Apply for GI Bill Training

Veterans Administration this week answered several questions veterans have been asking most frequently about the July 25 cut-off date for starting GI bill training.

The July date applies to World War II veterans discharged before July 25, 1947—and this includes most who served during the war. Veterans discharged after the 1947 date have four years from their discharge in which to begin training.

Many veterans have asked whether the filing of an application for training before the cut-off date is sufficient to enable them to train afterwards.

V. A.'s answer is no. A veteran actually must be in training by the cut-off date in order to continue afterwards. VA said it will consider a veteran to be in training, even though he has temporarily interrupted his course for reasons beyond his control, such as the summer vacation.

A veteran who had once started a course and now cannot resume it because he has returned to extended active duty is also considered to be interrupted for a reason he cannot control.
Other veterans, in school under the GI bill during the regular school year, have asked whether they will be required to attend summer school in order to return to class this coming fall, after the cut-off date.

Those veterans need not attend summer school, VA replied. Their summer vacation will be considered an interruption which is normal to all students—and therefore beyond their control—and they will be permitted to resume training this fall in the same field of duty.

A number of veterans who have had GI training some time in the past have been asking whether, because of that fact, they would be exempt from the July 25 cut-off date, and could start new courses after that date.

The cut-off date will apply to them, VA said, unless they have returned to military duty and won't be able to start a course on July 25 for that reason.

Many World War II veterans who have gone back into uniform have been concerned about the

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forthcoming cut-off date and how it will affect their future plans for GI bill study, VA stated.

VA's answer is that a veteran who interrupted GI bill studies and since that time has re-enter-

ed service will be permitted to continue his training after discharge, even if he gets out after July 25. His post-service training, which must begin within a reasonable time after discharge, will be limited by his remaining enlistment and the July 25, 1956, wind-up of the program.
But a veteran who has never had any GI bill training, and has gone back into service, will be bound by the July 25 date, VA said.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank visited their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr. in Dallas over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wib Fowler and daughter Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Billingsley and son Ben attended the annual Punk family reunion Sunday at Gary, Okla., at the Roman Nose State Park. This is a reunion of the family of Mrs. Fowler. They stopped in Thomas, Okla., for a short visit with Mrs. Pearl Hindman and son Rob.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Grier of Dumas visited relatives in Lean over the week-end.

Mrs. H. W. Grigsby returned Friday from Phoenix, Ariz., visiting with her parents, Mr. Mrs. N. E. Savage. Mr. Savage is seriously ill. They are former residents of McLean.

A cubic foot of gold weighs about 1,200 pounds.

They were accompanied by Cooper, who remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon King of Sue visited over the week-end in Vinson, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boggs of Lubbock spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bogan. Charlie Bogan returned Lubbock with his parents.

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"SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

These last ten days of June are probably the most dangerous days the nation has ever faced.

Whether or not this country goes into a complete dictatorship will depend a great deal on Congressional action on renewing so-called "emergency" laws that are expiring.

Renewal of the Price Control Law as well as the Marshall Plan comes up for Congressional consideration. C. W. Harder

Already, the pattern of the coming dictatorship is etched over the face of the land.

"Price Controller" Michael DiSalle blatantly stated over a television program what bureaucrats want out of Congress. It's chilling to contemplate.

As DiSalle talked, rushing along the ether waves with his broadcast were echoes of the tramp of boot-shod Brown Shirts through Nuremberg, and the heavy tread of the heavy-hearted hopelists in parade past the high reviewing stand in Moscow's Red Square.

For the peacemaker Fuchs and Confusion now wants Congress to give him authority to license every business in the United States. Then, he states, if any business violates any regulations he concocts he just suspends that business. The liquidation could be employed if violation were intentional, or accidental.

The charitable comment on his spoken demand would be that he is stupid. However, DiSalle's Federation of Independent Business

Salle is intelligent. Therefore, the eventual goal becomes alarmingly apparent. His further remarks substantiate this cause for alarm.

For he then says the nation's supply of consumer goods is possibly the highest it has been in history and predicted ample supplies in the foreseeable future.

He is too intelligent not to know if that is true, the law of supply and demand and free competition will regulate prices.

Congress could profitably consider a permanent "Anti-Dictatorship for the U. S. Committee" to be headed with all the intelligent zeal that marks Senator John Sparkman's (D. Ala.) chairmanship of the Senate Small Business Committee.

There would be a lot of work for such a committee. For example, there should be an investigation right now as to why American taxpayers should continue to give more billions of dollars to Europe.

Stuart Symington, new RFC head, condemns in a speech the world tin monopoly of British, Dutch, Belgian and Bolivian interests who jacked the tin price at the start of Korea from 74 cents per pound to \$1.80. Three of those nations have received billions of dollars of Marshall Plan gifts.

But the tin story does not end there. The Marshall Plan is giving tinplate to these countries from whom the nation now buys tin at these excessive prices.

Watch these ten days. American democracy is at stake. Americans can, and probably will, lose practically all freedom in these ten days unless Congress proceeds with caution.

NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hampton and boys returned Friday from a two-weeks vacation, which they spent fishing in Oklahoma.

Pfc. Charles H. Boyd of Carswell Air Force Base was home for Father's Day. He had to return Sunday night.

Mrs. Earl Boyd is home with her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, while S/Sgt. Earl Boyd is in school at Chanute Air Force Base in Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Tinkler of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with their son, Veri Tinkler and family.

Rev. Hunt and family returned Thursday after a week's vacation visiting his father at Saltillo, who has been ill.

Jerry Hamm and Ruth Sorenson of Chillicothe, and Guy Hawkins of Oklahoma City are visiting in the home of Rev. Hunt and family.

Local Brotherhood meets Thursday at 8 o'clock. Every man of the community is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Jones and family left Thursday for a two-weeks vacation. They will visit in Laredo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Newbury returned Thursday from a trip to Kansas. Mr. Newbury attended the annual reunion of the 35th Division in Topeka. Mrs. Newbury stayed in Wichita with Mr. Newbury's sister, Mrs. Knutson.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Haslam and family left Saturday for Riverside, Calif., where they will visit Mrs. Haslam's mother and brother for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gray last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Owen and Gail left Saturday for a week's vacation to visit friends at Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sargent and family spent the week-end with their parents at Claude and Clarendon.

Mrs. Sargent's brother, Morris McGovern and family of St. Paul, Minn., spent Sunday night with

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sargent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Burns and family of Skellytown, and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham of Pampa spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller.

Mr. Farren, Mr. Carr, and their Explorers and Scouts aided men of the community in working on the church yard.

The Lazy Daisy Sewing Club met Thursday, June 14, with Mrs. Archie Farren. Refreshments of marble cake, ice cream, and lemonade were served to Mesdames Clarence Drum, Bill Holmes, Edwin Owen, H. A. D'Spain, E. C. West, J. W. Harris, A. A. Whorton, R. D. Holmes, Brent Chapman, W. S. Marshall, S. B. Kiser, a guest, Margie West, and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. B. Kiser June 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Medley had as visitors in their home last week-end Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Forest and son of Skellytown, nephew of Mrs. Medley, Mrs. Ernest Rose of Okemah, Okla., sister of Mrs. Medley, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Cornelison and children of Pampa, daughter of the Medleys.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Elliott and family of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kiser of Amarillo spent Sunday in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kiser.

Frank Crumrine and daughter spent the week-end in the home of his sister, Mrs. Brent Chapman.

GROWING PAINS

In Gray County

By FOSTER WEALEY

County Extension Agent

From all reports, the poison grain which the Paymaster Gin handles for us at cost, is really doing the job in killing kangaroo rats. One or two fellows reported seeing as many as 165 dead rats where the grain had been put out. Care should be exercised in the use of this grain as it is deadly poisonous to man.

The situation looks some better from the cotton farming standpoint. Most farmers have a

stand. Some have planted over for the third time. In some cases where the rain kept the people out of the field, grass and weeds just about took over. In a few cases, some farmers have plowed up and planted over.

A progress report on cotton variety tests run by the Texas Agriculture Experiment Station has just come to my hand and I would like to condense this information and relay it to you. The progress report was released May 22, 1951, and the test was run at Big Spring.

A total of 16 varieties were tested under identical growing conditions during the years '48, '49, and '50.

On top of the production list was Hi-Bred, with an average yield over the 3-year period of 214 pounds lint per acre. Second was Deltapine (TPSA), with an average of 211 pounds lint per acre. Third was stonproof No. 1, with an average of 206 pounds. Also tied for third was Paymaster 64, with a 206 pound average.

Stoneville (TPSA) fell down to 199 pounds of lint per acre for 5th place.

Some of the lower yielding varieties were Rowden 41b (TP SA), 179 pounds; Early Foster, 166; Martha Early, 164.

Metane, Clett was tested in 1950 only and it yielded 391, leading all other varieties for that year.

Joy Williams, assistant home demonstration agent, asked me to mention in my column that the 4-H boys and girls of the McLean and Alameda area will have a recreational party on the evening of July 14. It will be held in the American Legion Hall. Our thanks for the excellent cooperation the American Legion of McLean has been giving me in this matter.

I will not be in McLean next Tuesday for my regular day, since all the extension agents are required to be at the state 4-H Round-Up and Agents' Conference at College Station on the A. and

M. campus. I will be back the following Tuesday.

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W. L. Pevey Jr. of Breckenridge visited recently in the home of his uncle, Amos Page.

Visitors in the R. O. Cunningham home over the week-end were Donald Cunningham from Wichita Falls, Eddie Cunningham and family of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham and daughter Karen of Samfordwood. Mr. and Mrs. James Keith of Amarillo called at the Cunningham home Sunday afternoon.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Pittman and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hendricks of Clarendon were transacting business here last week and visited in the T. G. Smallwood home.

Barold Meador of Houston is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Meador. His wife is with her parents in Gruber and will see him here later.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bizzell are attending clothing market this week in Oklahoma City.

Have you seen the new Frigidaire automatic washers at the McLean Electric Co.?

Frank Wilson has returned to his home after receiving medical treatment at Tulsa, Okla., for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bow visited friends in Sunray Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Mercer attended funeral services for a sister-in-law in Amarillo Saturday. She returned via Pampa and completed arrangements for making her home there. She left for Pampa Tuesday.

Misses Irma Ruth Fulbright and LeWanda Shaddid of N. T. S. C. Denton, spent Father's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright, and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shaddid.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks and Linda of Dumas, Pfc. Chalmus Moore of Fort Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Jairrel Moore of Amarillo, and Mrs. T. H. Plum of Big Spring were visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore, over the week-end. Mrs. Plum and children accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Brooks to Dumas for a visit. She will also visit in Amarillo before returning here the last of this week.

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Welch's GRAPE JUICE 24 oz. bottle 39c

MEAL Aunt Jemima 10 lb sack 79c

Kuner's SAUERKRAUT No. 2 can 12c

Dreher's Sour PICKLES quart 29c

SOFTEX TISSUE roll 12c

Heinz White VINEGAR gallon 87c

TEA Lipton's 8 oz. pkg. 59c

SPINACH Del Monte No. 2 16c

CHOICE MEATS

Washing Powder All Large Size pkg. 32c

Cudahy's BACON sliced lb 49c

Sun Spun OLEO lb 29c

Pinkney's FRANKFURTERS lb 44c

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HANDY HINTS By Mary Lee Taylor

Cut out the good sections of worn rubber gloves to make handy rubber bands for kitchen use.

Miss Meril Bentley, Bride-Elect, Is Given Shower

A bridal shower honoring Miss Meril Bentley, bride-elect of Drew Word of the Air Force, Santa Monica, Calif., was given in the home of Mrs. Pete Fulbright Tuesday evening, June 19, from 7 to 10 o'clock. The young couple plan to be married late in July in Santa Monica.

Hostesses for the occasion included Mesdames Charles H. Hall Jr., H. D. Butrum, Guy C. Saunders, T. A. Robertson, George Saunders, Pete Fulbright, Dolph Burrows, and Walter Sargent. The bride's book was designed by Mrs. Jimmy Newton, and was of ivory satin with gold ribbon, cut-out flowers, and printing of gold. Mrs. H. D. Butrum registered the guests.

Music throughout the evening consisted of piano selections by Barbara Barrett, and vocal selections by Palmer Wheeler.

The table was beautifully appointed with a white linen maderia cloth, and a heart-shaped arrangement of red roses and gypsophila, flanked by crystal candle holders and white tapers. Mrs. Sargent presided at the crystal punch service, assisted by Mrs. Burrows.

Registering and sending gifts were Mesdames Elton Johnston, Betty Wood, W. W. Shadid, R. A. Glass, Ernest Beck, George Anders, W. H. Blakney, J. D. Coleman, Carl Wood, Kitty Hibler, Dorris Windom, Alice Smith, R. F. Sanders, H. E. Barrett, Chas. Cousins, J. R. Back, W. M. Rhodes, C. R. Guyton, Roy Barker, Leonard Glass, R. B. Jones, Fidel Stubbs, Alma Turman, Wib Fowler, Truitt Stewart, T. N. Holloway, Bob Sherrod, Garrett and Ada Hill, Luke Johnson, J. A. Brawley, E. J. Lander, Paul Mertel, E. J. Windom, Bob Black, C. B. Peabody, Charles Weaver, H. W. Brooks, Marvin Hall, Carl Jones, Gene Woodrome.

Mesdames Leon Waldrop, Pete Henley, Bill Bailey, Ted Simmons, C. R. Glenn, Marie Sawyer, Doc Orogan, Willie Boyett, Sam Brown, W. A. Frier, A. B. Word, J. J. Reese of Navajo, Ariz., J. M. Brown, John Blizna, Bill Reeves, Cleo Heasley, George Van Hus, Everett Hall, George Bailey, Scotty McDonald, Oren Pluqua, Odessa Gunn, Ryan Sitter, Vita Cooke, Ernest Watson, Sherman Crockett, M. G. Mullanax, W. O. Hommel, C. E. Cooke, Foreman Stubbs, Elizabeth Dunn, Norman Grigsby, George Orrick.

Mesdames Boyd Meador, Claude Powell, Emory Crockett, Frank Reeves, H. W. Grigsby, Joe Graham, Travis Stokes, Leroy Williams, Edwin Howard, Bill Webb, T. A. Robertson, J. B. Hembrere, Ernest Godfrey, F. J. Hess, J. R. Phillips, Milton Carpenter, T. A. Massey, Kid McCoy, T. E. Crisp, George Terry, Corinne Trimble, R. D. Patterson, J. L. Andrews, Bill Day, Alma V. Weaver.

Misses Shirley Allison, Barbara Barrett, Patsie Jones, Faye Glenn, Lavetta Kay Sawyer, Norma Watson, Eunice Stratton, Oma Bell McPherson, Margaret Glass, and the hostesses.

Clarendon—

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pacity is more than 1,000. Matched horse races will be held Tuesday afternoon, July 3. An estimated 5,000 people are expected to attend a free chuck wagon barbecue July 4. The barbecue will be prepared by John Snider of Amarillo. The parade will be held at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald have returned from a two-weeks visit with their sons, Leo and Scotty McDonald and families, at San Diego, Calif. Mrs. Scotty McDonald accompanied them home for an extended visit with relatives and friends.



Household workers and farm employees who have been included in the social security program for the first time since January 1, 1951, must get a social security account number card by June 30, 1951, John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo social security office, said this week.

Wages earned by these people during April, May, and June, 1951, will be reported by their employers during July and the social security number of each worker must be included in the report.

"If the individual has never had a social security number, an application can be secured at any post office, employment service office, or social security office. It should be completed in ink and mailed or brought to the social security office, 324 Post Office Building, Amarillo. A card bearing the applicant's name and social security number will be mailed immediately. The worker should then show the card to his employer so that a record can be made of the number, Sanderson said.

Workers who have had such cards, but who have lost them, should file an application for a duplicate number. The application is made on the same form as for a new number, but the form contains a question which informs the social security office that a duplicate number is required.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Lady Bryant, Librarian

Help Your Library Have a Successful Sale

"The time has come," the librarian said, "to figure out a budget; to list each separate item so the library board may judge it; the money's in the public crib, of that there is no doubt—My ever-present worry is just how to get it out. Which brings the thought of buying books that we so sorely need. We've planned a sale, and ask your help. We hope that you will heed."

The City Library plans to have a sale June 30, beginning at 10 o'clock, the proceeds to be used in buying children's books. We need your help by your contributions of any items that have resale value. Some have already given pot holders, aprons and coasters that they have made, and any new item will be appreciated, and sold for a good cause.

The school students have become more and more dependent on the city library for help during the months of school work. They have formed the habit of using the library, and during the summer months they continue to read; numerous patrons of our library are children. We need to buy some new books for them, to keep up this interest and to keep them as patrons. Money made from our sale will be used for this purpose.

Please contact Lady Bryant at the library concerning any items you will contribute toward our having a successful sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooke of Lubbock were visiting Sunday in the C. E. Cooke home. Their little daughter Carol Ann, who has been visiting her grandparents, returned home with them.

Gossip—

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day—except for blisters from the hot sun. After one day's recuperation, the boys went on another outing Wednesday. So at least a part of their disappointment was gone.

Brown's Drug Store is gradually taking on a complete new look. The new floor covering was laid recently by one Bill Day, and the booths have been installed. Now people can get in and out of the store without danger of tripping over something. And Owner Hickman Brown is smiling again, for once more there's a little money coming in to help defray that which has been going out during the past few weeks. The store, and no fooling, is going to be uptown when Brown gets through.

Mrs. J. W. Burks of Memphis, former resident of McLean, was visiting friends here Wednesday. She called at the News office and said, "Put it in the paper that I was here and called on Mrs. Callie Haynes, and she wasn't at home." (Mrs. Haynes had asked that she visit her when she came to town.) Mrs. Burks was accompanied by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Lonnie Burks of Shamrock.

Road, Bridge—

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The tax assumption questions can be included on either the ballot for the road and bridge bonds, or the airports bonds ballot. However, all three elections will be held on the same date to save the county some election expense.

Rev. and Mrs. Buell T. Wells and children, Morris and Laquita, and Mrs. Lucille Parker left Saturday evening for San Francisco, Calif., to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Funk of Fort Morgan, Colo., visited Monday in the home of Mr. Funk's sister, Mrs. Wib Fowler.

John Patterson of Clayton, N. M., visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Patterson.

Riley and Gwendolyn Gillum of Erick, Okla., are visiting in the homes of Miss Beulah Riley and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lander.

Guests at a Father's Day dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Villandry Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Chester Bird and Carolyn Bird of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Guydel Woodburn and daughters of Amarillo, Mrs. Donald Davis of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davis and son Ralph, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Sublett and sons, and John Sublett.

Dotted Lines



On the dot of fashion is this polka dotted French crepe with its gently rippling neckline by Fashion Frocks of Cincinnati. The softly draped all collar ends in a self tie.

Mrs. W. D. Clawson was admitted to the Highland General Hospital in Pampa Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Reese of Navajo, Ariz., has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word, and her sister, Mrs. George Orrick. Her son Jimmy, who has been visiting here, accompanied her home.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanner have been visiting their parents recently. All were here with the exception of one, Amos Hanner of San Diego, Calif. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Dodd, Alva Dean, Jamie, and Paul, of Alford; Mr. and Mrs. Clois Hanner, Martha, Nelda, and Glenda, of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cunningham, Patsy and Eddie Otto, and Mr. and Mrs. James Keith of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hanner Jr., Diane and Michael, of McLean.

You can have keys duplicated at the McLean Electric Co.

Mrs. E. S. McDonald of San Diego, Calif., and Mrs. Bill Carpenter and son Billy Lynn of Perryton are visiting their mother, Mrs. Olessa Gunn, and other relatives this week.

George Terry has been dismissed from Highland General Hospital in Pampa after undergoing surgery last Thursday.

Miss Nancy Nichols and Johnny Spam of Canyon visited Mrs. Johnny Vineyard Sunday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hohstadt of Gruver announce the birth of a daughter, Diana Kay, born June 6 at Highland General Hospital in Pampa. She weighed 6 pounds and 7 ounces. Mrs. Hohstadt, the former Shirley Glass, is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass.

Visitors of Mrs. E. L. Minix in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kunkel and Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank Tuesday through Thursday of last week were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter, Jimmie Harold and Verna Kay, Opelousas, La.; Mrs. John Taylor and two children, Johnnie and Jimmie, Hones Path, S. C.; Carl Carpenter and Gary Carpenter, Sandown; Jeniece Shirley, Denton; Mrs. Frank Turbush and daughters, Frankie, Barbara, and Bonnie, Groom; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Kunkel and children, Bernice and Burl, Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kunkel and daughter Jo Ann, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Burette Kinard, Kellerville; and Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and daughters, Toni and Teresa, were in Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. Charlie Corcoran and Mrs. W. C. Shull and son Neal were in Amarillo on business Tuesday.

Jan Greer of Littlefield is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer.

Barbara and Linda Haley of Pampa are spending this week with their aunt, Mrs. H. L. Chase and family.

Lester D. Sitter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer B. Sitter, has gone to Western Life Camp, Montezuma, N. M.

Rev. Wm. Albert Smith of the First Presbyterian Church has been called to Los Angeles, Calif., because of the illness of his sister. He was accompanied by his family and will be away about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson, Philip Lisman, and Edward Simpson are on a vacation trip which includes points in and near Denver, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willis returned Monday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Osborn, at Logan, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless of Borger visited on Father's Day with Mrs. Bayless' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott.

Miss Nancy Nichols and Johnny Spam of Canyon visited Mrs. Johnny Vineyard Sunday.

THE HOUSE CRIME INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE



TEXAS CRIME PROBERS—Pictured above is the five-man committee named by the Texas House of Representatives to investigate organized crime in Texas during the next two years. The second public hearing of the committee is slated for June 25 when the committee will delve into the activities of the Maceo gambling group in Galveston. Left to right the members are Horace B. Houston, Jr. of Dallas, Waggoner Carr of Lubbock, Chairman Fred V. Meredith of Terrell, Bill Wood of Tyler, and Charles Murphy of Houston.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere appreciation for the many kindnesses and words of sympathy extended to us in our recent bereavement. May God bless each of you.
Floyd A. Packer and Family
Verna Moore.

Miss Bonita Bailey returned Tuesday after a visit with her sister, Mrs. William E. Warren, in Kansas City. Janet, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren, is visiting here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Hughes and children, Wayne, Susie, and Jean, of White Deer visited Sunday with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hinton.

Mrs. Jim Back and Darlene Shadid, who are attending summer school in Canyon, were home over the week-end.

Guests in the Glenn Florey home, this past week were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Florey and son Tom of

Downey, Calif. They were accompanied by Mr. Florey's nephew, Dick Nichols, also of Downey, who will spend the summer with his uncle.

Janice Page, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page, has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Salyer of Betram, the past two weeks.

Mrs. W. E. Ballard was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things—Philippians.

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FOR SALE

For Sale—Chrome dinette suite and table-top cook stove. John B. Guill, Phone 118J. 24-3p

For Sale or Trade—A 3-section drag harrow, new, 5-row or 210 inches. Has tractor hitch. B. L. Webb. 1c

For Sale—Two used gas ranges; two used Servel refrigerators. McLean Electric Co. 1c

"Cheaper by the Dozen." Now is the time to fill your locker or home freezer with nice battery-fed fryers. 36¢ per lb.—no orders for less than a dozen at this price. A. H. Benezue, 5 miles east on 66. 25-3p

For Sale—White Auto Store in McLean. Excellent opportunity to enter business for small investment. W. E. Bogan, Box 671, McLean, Texas. 25-2c

White table-top cook stove for sale. Inquire at Elite Courts, Mrs. J. L. Boardwine. 1p

For Sale—General Electric refrigerator, new motor, \$75.00. Am not like Lester Campbell—don't want all the money—will sell \$25 down, \$25 per month to responsible party. E. J. Lander, Phone 62. 25-2p

For Sale—Weaner pigs A. L. Grigsby. 25-3p

Bill Day sells Hoover vacuum cleaners. 25-1c

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For Rent—3-room unfurnished modern apartment. Phone 253J. Paul Kennedy. 8-1c

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