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Put Nite for teenagers will be held in the American Legion Hall...

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Lions Club committee as...

David Gribby, member of the...
class was introduced as...

Boyd Meador of McLean, gov...
of Lions International Dis...

The first P. T. A. meeting of...
the current school term will...

Allen Wilson of Amarillo, former...
resident, went to a lodge...

Public installation ceremonies for...
the McLean Rainbow girls will...

A community revival at the...
back school building, eight miles...

Two social events were held...
by local Baptists during the week...

Dean C. H. Williams of South...
Western College in Oklahoma City...

Dean Williams will have a...
special message for every young...

Miss Rybil Gresham and Cara...
Mark will be at the church...

Miss Gresham is the president...
of the Sunday School and Young...

McLEAN—WHERE EVERYBODY IS SOMEBODY

LOCAL AND
HOME NEWS

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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
AUSTIN, TEXAS
September 27, 1951

ALLAN SHIVERS
EDITOR

Mr. Brad H. Smith, President
Texas Press Association
441 Driskill Hotel
Austin, Texas

Dear Mr. Smith:

With a full realization and appreciation that a free press is a bulwark of the American way of life, I consider it most appropriate that National Newspaper Week is to be observed October 1-8, inclusive. During the present unsettled world conditions it is entirely befitting that this nation and the State of Texas pay tribute to an organization that must play a vital role in the days which lie ahead.

To chronicle the many contributions of the press to our Democratic nation and to the development of a world civilization is impossible. From the smallest hamlet to the largest metropolitan center newspapers constantly have been, and will continue to be, in the foreground championing civic, governmental, educational, cultural and religious improvements. In the field of international events, the diligent efforts of a vigilant press have made the people of our nation the best informed in the world.

A free press means a free people. The history of the world has taught us that nations which censor and hamper a free press do not survive. I am convinced this will continue to be true in the future and that the iron curtain of communistic countries will represent but another chapter in the fate of tyrannical governments which saw fit to interfere with a basic freedom—a freedom of the press. Truly "Your Newspaper Lights the Way of Freedom."

To a free press of Texas, to the members of the Texas Press Association and to our great newspaper industry I offer my sincere congratulations. It is my earnest wish that National Newspaper Week be observed by all Texans with just tribute being paid to a worthy organization and industry.

Sincerely yours,
Allan Shivers
ALLAN SHIVERS

Last Rites for Sidney C. Hunt, Killed in Japan, to Be Today

Funeral rites for Sidney Clay Hunt, warrant officer of the U. S. Army, who was killed in a vehicle accident in Japan August 23, will be held at the First Methodist Church in McLean this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

BIRTHDAYS

Sept. 30—Linda Lee Henley, Mrs. Vernon King, Mrs. H. C. Rippy, Mrs. A. B. Turner.
Oct. 1—George Colebank, Mrs. T. E. Crisp.
Oct. 2—Mrs. J. B. Pettit, John Dee Coleman, Murray Boston.
Oct. 3—Kenneth B. Everett, Mrs. John Cooper, Wayne Back.
Oct. 4—Johnnie Mertel, Glenn Guthrie, John Kelly Lee, Mrs. J. E. Coker.
Oct. 5—Mrs. T. H. Andrews, Mrs. C. J. Magee, Gary Nicholson, Charlie Bogan, Mrs. Orville Cunningham.
Oct. 6—Mrs. Paris Hess, Mrs. Roger Powers, Larue Pettit, Ruth Cooper, Forrest Saitzer, Colleen Crockett, Mrs. Buster Sublett, Mrs. G. D. Nolan.

Fire Prevention Week Planned October 7 to 13

McLean will join other communities throughout the United States in observing Fire Prevention Week October 7 to 13.

The annual Fire Prevention Week is observed during the week of October 9, in commemoration of the great Chicago fire. The fire which caused the most deaths in the history of the U. S. came one day before the big Chicago fire, but was unknown to many people for a number of years. This fire was in Peshtigo, Wis., on October 8, 1871, and took the lives of 1,152 people.

Harvest Season Gets Underway As First 15 Bales Ginned Here

Tigers, Cyclones Meet Friday In Grid Battle

Two three-defeated football teams will meet Friday night in Cyclone stadium in Memphis to attempt to regain that prestige lost in the early-season games.

McLean's starting line-up will likely be about the same as that used in the Shamrock battle. Eddie Reeves will be filling the quarterback slot, with hard-hitting Wayne Smith as fullback. Don Crockett and Dan Cooper will be in the halfback positions.

Photos of Adults To Be Made Here Free of Charge

A photographer from the Hallmark Studio in Dallas will be at the office of The McLean News next Wednesday, October 3, from 2 to 8 o'clock in the evening to take pictures of all adults of the area.

There will be no charge for the pictures, unless extra copies of the pictures are desired.

County Budget For '52 to Be Higher Than '51

Gray County's budget for the year 1952 will be about \$180,000 more than that of the current year, with a great deal of the added expense going for the repair of roads and bridges washed out last spring.

'Cotton in Area Opening Fast, Ginner Report

Only 15 bales of cotton had been ginned by Wednesday noon at the two gins in McLean, but gin managers expect the harvest to get underway in a big way during the coming week.

The cotton which has been brought in has been fair in grade and staple. Jones stated that reports back from the government graders show most of the cotton he has ginned to be strict middling light spotted. The "spotted" grade, Jones pointed out, is what runs the price of cotton down.

Brown's Drug Store to Have Formal Opening on Saturday



Saturday will be a gala day at Brown's Rexall Drug Store in McLean, for that is the date of the formal opening of the newly-remodeled and modernized store.

Harvesting of the cotton in the counties immediately south is also slowly getting underway. In Collingsworth, Childress, and Hall counties, where cotton is raised on a big scale, transient cotton bolls are showing up in large numbers.

Two More Donate To Truck Fund

Two more contributions to the McLean Fire Department's fund to pay for the new tanker truck have been received.

Shamrock Irish Harness McLean Tigers With Score of 51 to 6

In Brief:

McLean Shamrock	6	22
Yds. Down	120	381
Yds. Gain Rush	12	4
Yds. Lost Rush	3	119
Yds. Gain Pass	111	487
Net Yds. Gain	1 of 8.5	of 7
Pass Comp.	1	of 7
Pass. Incomp.	0	of 0
Pen Recd.	7	for 45.8
Oppon. Punt. Recov.	1	of 1
Punts	6	of 1
Punt aver.	31	of 34

Scoring: McLean 6 (Dan Cooper), Shamrock 51 (Jimmy Pennington 18, Ronald Settle 6, Jack York 3, Van Pennington 12, Johnnie Hartwick 6, Charley Francis 6).

against McLean's young team of Tigers as did Phillips. The only difference was in the extra points—the Irish got only three good ones out of eight attempts.

The game was played on Duncan Field in McLean last Friday night, and it appeared the Irish were attempting to run the score as high as possible, for the first team played almost the entire game. The final score was 51-6.

desperate attempt at scoring, when several Irish subs were playing. But Coach Scott McCall sent back in the regulars and the drive was stopped.

touchdown passes. This Pennington was remembered by local fans as the lad who caught two touchdown passes in the McLean-Shamrock game of last year.

York made the kick. Score 26-6. In the fading seconds of the second quarter, Francis tossed a long one to Van Pennington, who went over. The play was good for 48 yards. York's kick was blocked. Score 32-6.

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Remodeling gave all the modern conveniences to the pre-Civil War home above. Among the improvements which gives striking contrast to the old house is the new roof of asphalt shingles in a subdued shade to provide color harmony with the white sidewalls and green shutters.



Furniture of modern design is gaining in popularity, and understandably so, judging from the attractiveness of this dining set in beautiful hardwood veneer. The light color lends a cheerful note, and at the same time brings out the full beauty of the wood grain. Emphasis on wood design also is found in the plywood flush door with its distinctive veneer face in a darker tone. The drapes and floor covering blend with the furniture, while contrasting dark walls give the final touch to color harmony.

**Donley County—
SOIL NEWS**

Next Tuesday evening, October 2, at 8 o'clock is the time of the election for a supervisor within subdivision No. 3 of the Donley County Soil Conservation District. Alanreed High School gym is the place for this election. The election is in accordance with the provisions of the State Soil Conservation Law, Acts of the 47th Legislature. Like elections are being held all over the state on this date.

Subdivision No. 3 in the Donley County Soil Conservation District is that area north of the Salt Fork Red River and east of the Clarendon-Jericho highway.

All persons 21 years of age holding title to farm or ranch land lying within Subdivision No. 3 and who live in the Donley County Soil Conservation District are qualified to vote in this election.

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**At Home—
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Pvt. and Mrs. John C. Willis are the parents of a girl, born September 24 in the Groom Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 9 1/2 ounces, and has been named Delora Junell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke of Hart are the parents of a daughter, born September 13. Her name is Anita Sue, and she is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson had as visitors over the week-end, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Finley and Mrs. Lillie Henry from Shamrock.

Mrs. Don Alexander and Mrs. Arthur Havens were in Pampa on business over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson visited friends and relatives in Shamrock Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Alexander of Amarillo visited Mrs. J. P. Alexander Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Conatser of Borger visited Mrs. Conatser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis over the week-end.

Mrs. R. L. Appling, Mrs. R. L. McDonald, Mrs. Bill Webb, and Mrs. Bob Thomas were in Amarillo on business last week.

Cpt. and Mrs. Nick Nicholson were dinner guests at the R. N. McNahan home Saturday.

Mrs. A. C. Bryant left Monday to visit relatives in Kilgore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Back and Mrs. Oran Back were in Austin Saturday for the Texas-Kentucky football game.

Mrs. Ruby Williams and son Paul, and Mrs. Zora Kennedy of Amarillo were visitors in the Luther Petty home Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. D. Allen and daughter Mary Lynn of near Miami visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty last Thursday afternoon.

Neil Price of Amarillo was home over the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price.

Marie Brawley is in Shamrock with her father, J. A. Brawley, who is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bentley from Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley Sunday.

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The Wheeler County Municipal Concert Association opens its third season most auspiciously Thursday night, October 4, with the presentation of Angelene Collins and Brent Williams, two of the finest voices appearing on the American concert stage today.

The concert will be held at Clark Auditorium in Shamrock, beginning promptly at 8:15 o'clock. Only members of the Wheeler County Concert Association may attend upon presentation of their membership identification cards.

A brilliant evening seems assured with a program of great entertainment in store for the audience which will hear many of the popular favorites sung either as solo by Miss Collins, soprano, or Williams, tenor, or in special arrangements for the duo. Such numbers as "Let My Song Fill Your Heart," an entire medley operetta show-stoppers, "Without a Song," "Minstrels," and many others planned for the program clearly indicate an evening that no one will want to miss.

Miss Collins is the first singer in five years to have won the coveted Walter W. Naumburg Foundation Award, an honor now frequently reserved for instrumentalists. Her unusually beautiful voice, coupled with immaculate musicianship, won for her the unanimous decision of the judges in a contest which has no par for keen competition.

While still a young lad in Fulton, Ky., Brent Williams was faced with the serious problem of choosing his career. He had two burning ambitions—to be a baseball player and a singer. The two goals were obviously incompatible, and young Brent realized that music was his only purpose in life after all.

It was natural for a youngster to feel a tinge of regret in having to give up baseball, but he devoted himself to the study of music with an intense enthusiasm and ardor.

Mrs. Anna Glas of Amarillo visited in McLean Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard attended the West Texas-Tech football game Saturday in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Pettit and son of Pampa spent Thursday in the Wheeler Carter home.

E. J. Windom Jr. was in Amarillo Friday on business.

Maxie Lisman underwent medical care in Amarillo this week.

COTTON QUIZ

HOW MUCH COTTON USED IN THE UNITED STATES IS GROWN IN THE UNITED STATES?

ANS—APPROXIMATELY 97.5 PER CENT OF ALL COTTON USED IN THE U.S. IS "HOME GROWN!"

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Dumas visited over the week-end in the homes of J. R. Phillips, C. J. Cash, J. A. Sparks, and Bill Cost.

Mrs. Bob Law returned to her home in Burk Burnett Monday after a week's stay with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Biggers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stafford and Janice visited Mrs. Gordon Stafford in a Pampa hospital over the week-end.

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OCT. 6-21 * DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Hopper of Amarillo visited Mr. Simmons' sister, Mrs. L. E. Cunningham, Sunday.

Mr. Ralph Miller and daughter Mary, accompanied by brother, Bob Watkins from Amarillo, visited W. T. Watkins Sunday.

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40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken From the Files of The
McLean News, September, 1911

A Mother's Club Is the Latest Move

The organization of a Mother's Club was announced in last week's News, was perfected at the public school building last Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. There were about 40 ladies present, all of whom became members, and the following officers were elected to serve for the first term:

President, Mrs. A. G. Richard;

Vice president, Mrs. J. W. Fisher;

Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Hest.

Upon a vote it was decided to make the newly perfected organization the "Mothers Co-operative Club of the McLean School." The first meeting will occur this afternoon at the same hour and place, at which time there will be considerable work of importance taken up, among the rest, the receiving of new members. The appointing of the various committees essential to the forwarding of the aims of the club, and the deciding as to the assignment to be made on each member.

It is announced that the membership roll is open to every lady in the vicinity of McLean, and all who have any interest whatever in the welfare of the school and community are invited and urged to identify themselves with this body. The men are also eligible to membership and all who will are invited to join.

We are very much gratified to chronicle the organization of this club and sincerely hope that its life will be long and useful as there are many ways in which it can make itself felt in the work of upbuilding the school as well as the social and moral status of our little city. Every mother, sister and daughter in the city should be a member of the Mothers Co-operative Club of the McLean School.

Touching the work that would come within the range of their activities, we give the following editorial taken from a recent issue of the Ladies Home Journal:

Suppose a Woman's Club in Every Town this winter should forego the study of Esben, of Italian art, or what not, and take "The Town We Live In" as a subject. Suppose a club of that

sort should appoint one or more of its women to see what is being done in the town with regard to the school house, its ventilation, the sanitation and the outside beautification of it. Let another woman be appointed to find out where the young people congregate during the evenings, and whether the school house, with a series of entertainments and dances, wouldn't be a better place. Another woman might see whether the native industries of the town are really being developed, and if there isn't some clever talent that could be brought together into an Arts and Crafts Society. Another woman might find the need of a tea-room which a clever girl or woman, or the club itself, could start. Or a room for the farmers' wives when they come into town, if the town has farming interests adjacent to it. Some woman might be appointed to look into the idea of having a "cleaning-up day" such as they are beginning to have in progressive cities and towns, when everyone cleans up his or her front and back yards and sidewalk. Another woman could see if the common drinking-cup is not dangerous when it is used, and if an ordinance could not be passed to do away with its use. One or two women could look into the milk supply that comes into the town and see if it is pure. Then let each report to the club, and the club, in turn, arouse the interest of the local editors, who are only too glad to print surprising truths about the home town as the newest kind of

news. The club could then put its findings before the local officers, and insist that changes, where they are vital, should be made. Of course, the peaceful serenity of the town will be a bit disturbed, but that is what scores of towns need today, and it would do them and the people incalculable good. And there are always a certain number of progressive persons in any town who can be made to think and do if they see that a consistent effort is being put forth to better the town and make it more livable.

The many little islands in the South Pacific are the peaks of the largest mountains which form the floor of the ocean.

In England, Indian summer is called St. Martin's summer.

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Editorial

POSTAL SUBSIDY

FROM TIME TO TIME, this newspaper mentions one way or another through which our government is leading us to nationalization and socialism. By this we mean the government is interfering with private business in such a manner to put private business out of business.

Perhaps one of the most obvious ways in which this is being done is through the subsidized parcel post system.

During the past 21 years, for example, the Post Office Department has lost \$649,579,250 through its parcel post operation. Actually, when the system was put into effect, it was meant to be self-supporting. Senator Bourne of Oregon in the Congressional Record of August 13, 1912, said: "Mr. President, it was the desire of the committee and myself to establish a system that we were satisfied would be absolutely self-supporting." The senator was chairman of a committee to set up the parcel post system.

New parcel post rates will likely go into effect in the not-too-distant future, yet the postmaster general has said: "The rates I recommend to the Interstate Commerce Commission are not sufficiently high to make fourth class mail pay its way."

What private industry is being hurt, you ask? Perhaps the hardest hit is the network of express companies set up throughout the United States, a network founded before the parcel post system was put into operation.

During the short span of years since 1946, the express business has dropped off 65%, primarily because of the cheaper, subsidized parcel post system. The express business fell from more than 231 million shipments in 1946, to what will be about 80 million in 1951. This has meant that employment has been reduced from 85,000 to 45,000, and the decrease is still continuing.

Perhaps we believe that express rates are higher than parcel post rates. And our immediate cost does make that belief seem true. But when we realize that the government subsidy is costing us millions each year, then perhaps that parcel post system of sending materials is not so low.

This newspaper would not advocate the discontinuance of parcel post operation. But rather we would advocate that it be made into a self-supporting operation.

Under the present set-up, the government is spending your money and ours to operate a business which does a job at a supposedly lower rate than private industry. Actually, the lower rate is costing us more in the long run, simply because we pay that extra amount in taxes and to collect and allocate all that money costs plenty.

In other words, government competition with private enterprise is most unfair when government operation is subsidized. Some day we must all realize that, or all business will be operated by the government. That is socialism.

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TALK

BY LESTER

You can look over the entire Panhandle, state or nation, and you may find many, many better high school football teams than that of McLean High School.

But you'll have to look mighty hard, and mighty long to find a team that tries any harder than the Tigers of McLean high.

As a matter of fact, last Friday night they appeared to be trying harder in the fourth quarter than in the first, and they were already beaten—behind 46 points. But they kept trying to score again.

Their never gave up! A lot of us could take a lesson from that football team.

I still say the Tigers will develop into a pretty fair little team by the end of another game or so. Don't imagine they will set the world afire with their record this season, but they're doing okay.

And I really believe we can whip those Memphis Cyclones this week if you and I and all the rest of the fans will pack up and go over to that game.

My best compliments to Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer for the wonderful job they have done on beautifying the lawn at the American Legion Hall. It is a stand-out, and Mr. and Mrs. Greer deserve the credit for the lawn.

John Sublett is full of stories. Saw him the other day and he said only shortly before he had had a new cotton sack. But it didn't fit, so he traded the sack off for a pair of knee pads. Said he was gonna use the pads to kneel at prayer meeting.

I told him I doubted if either the sack or the knee pads would undergo much wear.

For the benefit of those who wonder about the age of one J. Lester Dysart, he is now a grandfather, although that fact doesn't necessarily make him old. Mr. and Mrs. Cabot Dysart of Port Leonard Wood, Mo., are the parents of a daughter, born last week. Cabot is J. Lester's son, and is at present doing a stretch of active duty with the army. He was recalled to service a number of months ago, prior to which time he was an architect in Amarillo.

If you think it's all gravy—that sitting up in the press box at football games—you're all wrong. And sometimes you're even more than all wrong. Like last Friday night. We really had a character up there with us last Friday night. He was covering the game for another paper. After every play, not just one or two, mind you, he would ask "what did they make?"—even before the runner had time to get up out of pile-up. Then he would want to know who the runner was, and he would answer his own question, and nearly every time he would be wrong about the runner.

The character, I think, is a screwball. Such should be barred

from press boxes. Especially when I have to be in the press box. I write down a play-by-play account, plus keeping statistics. And that keeps me busy. Screwballs are undesired.

But we sure had one last Friday night.

Attention, all you women: Hickman Brown will give to each of you a free orchid, flown in from Hawaii, if you will visit his store Saturday. It's his formal opening, and you're invited.

Attention, Guy Brasley. Been thinking about that Easter paragon you had so much to do with last Spring. It was wonderful—I've already told you that. Please, please, see that it is repeated. Thanks. Don't forget.

Attention, Ed Lander: When are we going to get some really nice street markers? Thanks. I knew you'd take care of that little detail.

Attention, all you men and women: We have arranged for a photographer to be in our office Wednesday, October 3, from 2 to 8 o'clock, to take pictures of all of you. The pictures will be made free of charge, and an engraving will be made of each of you, for us to use on future occasions. That way we can put your picture in the paper some time when you do something worthy of it—and that is lots of times. You don't have to buy any pictures unless you want some of them. You get to say which of the proofs you would like to have the engraving made from, so that you will know what it will look like when we do use it in the paper.

Frankly, we want the picture of every adult man and woman in the area. We can build up a nice file of engravings in that manner. So please come on in.

You'd be surprised what excuse we can find to run your picture.

And it's absolutely free, unless you want some nice pictures of yourself. That's all the photographer gets for the work—just what you spend on the extra pictures. And if you don't want any, he will be nice and say okay.

So come on in next Wednesday, October 3.

Attention, Jaycee leaders: Some people do not think you are doing much worthwhile. I do think so. Why not get up a letter to all paying members and tell them of the things you have already accomplished, and are in the process of accomplishing? It will help.

Attention, Lions Club: How about making sure the public address system is in use at the next home football game? You'd be surprised at the number of people present at the Shamrock-McLean game who didn't know the exact score when it was all over. You did buy that P. A. system to use, didn't you?

Attention, anybody interested: It would be nice for you to erect a big scoreboard at the football field.

Guests of Mrs. M. M. Newman over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Critchlow of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Singletery of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Newman, Kelly Carl and Nita, of Plainview; and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Etchison of Borger.

Homer Wilson and children, Grace and Joel, were at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Pearl Turner visited her son, Homer Smith of Lubbock, and daughter, Hazel Smith of Amarillo, last week.

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SOCIETY

Dorothea Parson, Jack C. Smith United in Marriage

Dorothea Lue Parson, daughter of M. D. Parson of Shamrock, and Jack Clayton Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Smith of McLean, were united in marriage in Clovis, N. M., Saturday, September 22, at 2 o'clock. The ceremony was held at the home of the pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bride wore a black net gown, street length dress and a corsage of white carnations. Accompanying the couple were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Moore of Amarillo.

Mrs. Smith attended the Lela and Shamrock schools. Mr. Smith attended the McLean schools, and is now employed at Coltexo Plant near Lefors.

The couple will make their home in McLean.

Mrs. Hoot Simmons Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

Mrs. Hoot Simmons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josh Chilton, was honored with a bridal shower at the Methodist church Thursday.

Punch and cake were served from a lace-covered table, decorated in gold and black.

Those who attended were: Ella Ann Herndon, Mrs. C. P. Callahan, Mrs. Josh Chilton, Joan Simmons, Mrs. V. A. Simmons, Dora Mae Bailey, Mrs. J. J. Rallsback, Margie Ruth Rallsback, Mrs. Nida Ripoy Greer, Mrs. Bob Law, Mrs. Tincy Olson, Mrs. Bill Bailey, Bonita Bailey, Jeanne Bailey, Marsalee Wrayard, Dortha Chase, Bethie Marchoth, Patsie Jones, Donna Subblefield, Virginia Beck, Mrs. E. J. Windom, Pat Patterson, Sue Luby, Texetta McCurley, Mary Graham, Dorothy Gudge, Sadie Smith, Floella Cubine, Sue Glass, Jess Subblefield, Betty Jo Patterson, and Bonnie Sutton.

Sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smallwood, Lorena Bailey, Eddy and Lea Bidwell, Julian Eber, Mrs. Ben Chilton, Mrs. E. R. Kramer, Phynelpha Harlan, Mary E. Harlan, Mrs. J. R. Glass, Mrs. Earl Eustace, Mrs. Paul L. Eneedy, Mrs. Logan Cummings, Mr. Jim Back, Mrs. Fred Bentley, Elton Johnston, Mrs. Milton Carpenter, Effie Lou Everett, Mrs. Earl Subblefield, Mr. and Mrs. John Chilton, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey, W. J. Chilton, and Wayne Wood.

Mrs. Carl Jones Hostess at Meet Of Pioneer Club

Mrs. Carl Jones was hostess and program director for the Pioneer Study Club in her home Thursday afternoon.

The guests on arrival were served refreshments from a lace-covered table centered with a beautiful floral arrangement.

The club president, Mrs. B. L. Wain, welcomed the new members, Mrs. W. W. Shadid and Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong, and then held a short business meeting and presented each member with a new year book, outlining the club's activities for the coming year.

For the program, Mrs. Jones presented Mrs. Webb, who reviewed the book, "The Edge of Time." This book was of special interest, having been written by Louis Grace Erdman, who is a native of the Panhandle of Texas. It is a story of the first settlers in the Panhandle, of their hardships and loneliness as they settled on Cold Water Creek near Mobeetie in the year 1882.

Members attending were Mesdames June Woods, Jesse Coleman, C. W. Parmenter, W. W. Shadid, Logan Cummings, Sinclair Armstrong, Forrest Hupp, J. D. Coleman, H. W. Finley, B. L. Wain, C. R. Griffith, and the hostess.

HONORED AT DINNER

A dinner was held Sunday, September 23, honoring Pfc. Glen Curry, at his home in Cheyenne, Okla. Those present were Mrs. M. D. Curry and Edwin Curry from McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Brigg, Tom and Mike, of Elk City, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Ballinger, Joe and Donna of Cheyenne; and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Oon and Jackie, Pfc. Curry left Tuesday for Fort Lawton, Okla., Wash., where he is stationed.

Charles Woodrome and Bill West visited in Erick, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Woodrome and Don were in Pampa Saturday on business.

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Circle of W. M. U. Meets in Home Of Mrs. Williams

The Nina Hankins circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Williams.

Mrs. Leroy Williams called the meeting to order and conducted the business session, during which new members were recognized. These are young married women who have come into the circle.

Following the business meeting, Mrs. R. L. Appling gave a Bible story, and Mrs. Buell Wells a mission story.

Those present were Mesdames Boyd Smith, Una Newsum, Frank Simpson, Granville Boyd, Kenneth Simpson, Charles Bailey, Joe Graham, Paul Miller, Leroy Williams, W. W. Edwards, Buell Wells, Johnny Haynes, Gene Herron, R. L. Appling, and Howard Williams.

Mrs. A. J. Wyatt and son John who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Patterson, have returned to their home in Redondo Beach, Calif.

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By FOSTER WHALEY County Extension Agent

Carl Money of Albreed is back in the money gain. At the Sears swine contest at Amarillo last Monday, Carl won \$15 for 12th place in competition with some 50 Panhandle and South Plains counties. Carl won \$8.50 as first place with his gilt in Gray County, and was representing Gray County in the Amarillo contest.

Alvin Dauer, south of Pampa, placed 6th in this contest with his boar. His prize money amounted to \$25. Congratulations to these outstanding 4-H Club boys.

Jim Mahan, assistant county agent, reported a nice club meeting at the McLean Grade School last week. Officers were elected, enrollment cards filled out, and a discussion was held regarding the projects for the coming year.

A 4-H recreation party was held Friday night at the Legion Hall in McLean.

Some lucky Texan is going to win a \$1,000 bull for "throwing the ball" in a contest announced by the State Fair of Texas in connection with the Pan-American Hereford Show to be held October 6-11 at Dallas.

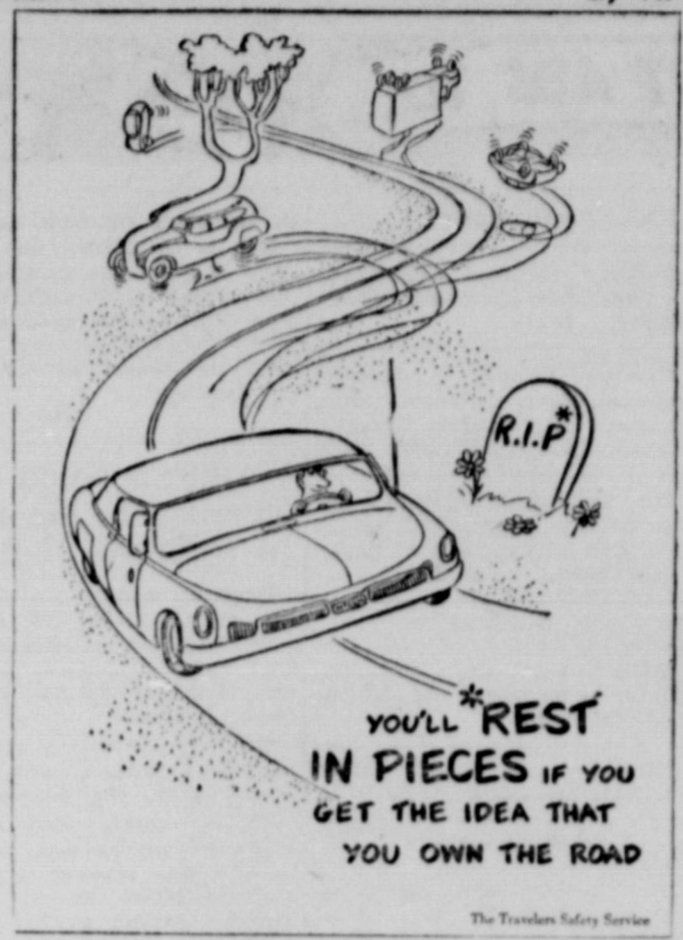
The bull, a registered Hereford, will be awarded to the Texan owning 25 to 300 head of commercial or grade beef cattle who best completes the following statement in 25 words or less: "I need a better purebred Hereford bull to improve my herd because..."

Those desiring to submit entries in the bull contest may obtain entry blanks by writing the livestock department, State Fair of Texas, Dallas 10.

Gray County farmers are urged to attend the field day to be held at the Amarillo Conservation Experiment Station beginning at 9:45 o'clock Wednesday, October 3. The station is located near Bushland, west of Amarillo on Highway 66.

R.I.P.*

by VIP



The Trenders Safety Service

A tour of the station will be made, where the group will see sorghum variety test, stubble mulch, and soil conservation practices, grade, and livestock experiments in progress.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless of Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Abbott, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Herndon and daughter Ella were in Shamrock Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter and Mrs. Odessa Gunn and son Rodney visited Clyde and Bill Carpenter and families at Perryton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts returned last week from a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Donald Beall left Wednesday for her home in Park City, Utah, after a three-week visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Charles E. Cooke spent last week with the J. E. Cooke family at Hart.

Mrs. Pearl Burr attended the funeral for her brother, Claud Brown, at Saint Jo Sunday. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dalton from Skellytown.

Jane Graham of Amarillo visited in the E. J. Windom Sr. home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bentley and Ralph Keys from Clarendon visited M. D. Bentley over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Booth Woods of Santa Fe, N. M., visited the June Woods family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom were in Dumas Sunday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Windom are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Ware of Bovina.

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You are invited to attend a book review at the Methodist church Tuesday evening at 7:30 sponsored by the Wesleyan Service Guild. Mrs. M. S. Cooper of Pampa will review "The Enduring Hills" by Janice H. Giles. Admission, free-will offering. 1c

IN MEMORY OF OUR MOTHER
 Mrs. L. C. Haynes, who passed away 16 years ago, September 27. More and more each day we miss you, as the fleeting years go by. Some sweet day we will meet you, where we will never say good-bye.
 Her Children.

Wesleyan Guild Meeting Is Held In Andrews Home
 Fourteen members were present at the home of Dorothy Andrews Thursday evening when the Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist church met in regular session.

The program was in charge of Margaret Coleman, with Mabel Bizzell giving the devotional.

The president, Ruth Magee, conducted the business, at which time it was decided to sponsor a book review at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

At the close of the meeting the hostess served a lovely salad plate, tea, mints, and cookies to Mesdames Maybelle Nash, Johnnie Rodgers, Ruth Magee, Sinclair Armstrong, Margaret Coleman, Isabel Cousins, Sue Cubine, Lois Page, Dixie Meacham, Fannie Parmenter, Georgia Beasley, and Mabel Bizzell.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Sue Cubine on October 8, with Alice Hill, district secretary of the guild, in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bogan and son Charlie of Lubbock visited over the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bogan.

Mrs. Lear M. Jones of Brownsville visited her mother, Mrs. C. A. Watkins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James G. Kostka visited Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless at Borger Friday.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Salem and son Tim, and Mrs. Laura Campbell of Turkey, Mrs. L. C. Jones, Mrs. M. M. Nix, and Mrs. Lucy Crow, of Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Peabody and Mrs. J. B. Pottit went to Waurika, Okla., Sunday to take Clay Longino, who has been visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peabody.

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Some girls use pills to get rid of headaches; others use headaches to get rid of pills.

While other presidents have died in office, William Henry Harrison and Zachary Taylor are the only ones whose death occurred in the White House.

If all the land of the earth were covered with the salt of the sea it would make a layer 400 feet deep.

We should endeavor to be long-suffering, faithful and charitable with all. To this small effort let us add one more privilege—namely, silence whenever it can substitute censure.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Basketball has the fewest men per team of any major sport.

Solitary trees are struck by lightning more often than trees in a group.

Budget—

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The county is obligated, it was reported, to keep the northwest field in repair in compliance with its contract with the U. S. government. At least one runway will be brought up to serviceable condition and lights from the present airport moved to the northwest field.

The allocation for regular road and bridge maintenance for Precinct No. 4 (includes McLean and Alanreed) is \$46,337. Other precincts are as follows: No. 1, \$54,835; No. 2, \$82,387, and No. 3, \$37,540.

The special allocation of money, to be used to repair the washed out roads and bridges, includes \$21,000 for Precinct No. 4. Other precincts will receive as follows: No. 1, \$12,200; No. 2, \$24,400; No. 3, \$16,600. This money is being obtained from the revenue which will be brought in by the 16-cent assumption tax approved recently by voters, and the 10 per cent valuation increase for properties other than oil.

The anticipated collection figure is based on a 92 per cent collection of taxes, with the remaining 8 per cent being taken up by delinquencies, discounts, and tax collection commissions. The county tax rate this year will be \$1.16, which, when combined with the state rate of 42 cents, will total \$1.58.

Judge Bruce Parker told the group attending the budget hearing Monday in Pampa that a strong possibility exists that state aid may be available for building the bridge west of Lefors under the farm-to-market road program.

Parker said the state may shift \$58,000 from State Highway 70 and use it to connect the bridge with the town of Lefors on a paving program and build a larger bridge than the county now contemplates. However, the county would have to share in the bridge's construction.

The seismograph, used to measure earthquakes, was first made by a Chinese named Choko.

The spell of cold weather before the warm weather of Indian summer is called "Squaw winter."

REVEILLE



with the boys

Friday Todd from the Air Base at Columbus, Ohio, is on a 10-day leave, and is visiting his sister, Mrs. Arthur Dwyer.

Jimmy Brown of the Air Force visited over the week-end with his grandmother, Mrs. W. L. Brown, and aunt, Mrs. T. A. Langham. He was en route to his home at Edmond, Okla., from California. His grandmother accompanied him to Edmond. Brown expects to return to Korea early in October.

Pvt. John C. Willis is home on a 12-day furlough. Pvt. and Mrs. Willis are the parents of a 6 pound, 9 1/2 ounce girl, born Monday, September 24, in the Groom Hospital. Her name is Delora Junell.

Lieut.-Col. Burl Glass Jr. and family from Washington, D. C., visited his grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Glass, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Glass, last week.

Judson Tibbets, who is with the 31st Weather Squadron at Hickam Field, Hawaii, has been promoted from the rank of captain to major. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tibbets of McLean.

Pfc. Earl W. Johnson and Pfc. Emmett Don Allen, both of Alanreed, have satisfactorily completed an approved training program in basic training, consisting of 385 hours of instruction given at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio.

Both Johnson and Allen have been transferred to Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, for further training, although neither knew the other was to be transferred there. They both left Lackland on the same date, but one went by bus and the other by plane.

Allen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Allen of Alanreed, is a graduate of Alanreed High School, and has attended Clarendon College.

Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson of Perryton. His wife, the former Ann Hill, is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie A. Hill of Alanreed, while he is in service.

8/7c J. N. Smith and Alvin Blacksher are home on a 13-day leave from San Diego, where they took their basic training with the U. S. Navy. They will return to San Diego where Alvin will stay until further notice, and J. N. will be sent to San Francisco to be an LST.

Pvt. Robert D. Black, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black of McLean, is now stationed at Ft. Sill, Okla.

Tigers—

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End starters will be Don Taylor and Gale Plummer. Tackles will be James Jolly and Don Smith, and guards will be Jim Hupp and Max Williamson. The center position will again be filled by Wayne Moore. B. Y. Duncan, who renewed an old injury in the Phillips game, is likely not see any action against Memphis, but should be ready in time for the White Deer after the following week.

Of the starters, two are freshmen—Trey and J. J. Williams. The lone senior in the starting line-up, Jimmie Plummer, Reeves, Cooper, and Wayne Smith, sophomores, Hupp, Moore, Don Smith, and Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith and family, Sunday. Raymond is attending Hart Simmons University in Athens.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smallwood spent Sunday in Stilltown with Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bos.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dwyer of Skellytown visited his mother, Mrs. Betty Dalton, over the week-end.

Ernest Jones from Sunray visited his mother, Mrs. N. J. Jones, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lee of family visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter of Skellytown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Robb visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts of Mobeetie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Robb were in Amarillo on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weneell Love of family visited the E. B. Dren family Sunday.

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Brown Drug Formal Opening Saturday

Formal opening of the newly decorated Brown's Rexall Drug Store will be held Saturday, September 29, Hickman Brown, owner of the store, announced this week.

As a highlight of the opening, Brown will give an orchid to each of the first 500 women to visit the store during the day. The Vanda orchids are to be flown from Hawaii especially for the event.

Free balloons will be given to the children who attend the opening, Brown added.

"We cordially invite you to visit our store on the occasion of our formal opening," Brown said. "We had planned to have the opening only a few weeks after taking over management of the store, but felt that it was in need of remodeling before such an event could be held."

"We have now completed that remodeling task, and have built our stock of fine merchandise up to the point where we feel that you can show pride in McLean's Rexall drug store. It is our hope that every woman in the area will come to see us, for we have ordered 500 beautiful Vanda orchids to be given away, absolutely free. We are not asking that you buy anything to get an orchid—just visit our store."

Remodeling of the store was begun late in May, just at the close of the school term. The old flooring, badly worn, was torn out and a new concrete floor run in the building.

Next step was the installation of new fountain equipment, including all refrigeration facilities for the best in fountain service.

The store was rearranged to allow more room for displaying more merchandise, and an asphalt tile floor was put down in the store.

Complete new lighting, planned by representatives of the Southwestern Public Service company, was installed, and a new ceiling in the building. The lighting included the installation of indirect fluorescent lighting under the storage balcony in the building.

"It is our sincere belief that our store is as complete and as modern as you will find anywhere in the area, and we are truly proud of it," Brown said. "We certainly hope you will visit us on our opening day Saturday."

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Hickman Brown, Pharmacist

It kinda runs in the family—as a matter of fact, both sides of the family—this drug business which Willis Hickman Brown Jr. is in.

Brown's father is in the drug business, and his grandfather used to be—the grandfather, now 84, figures he's spent enough time in the business.

And to top that off, Mrs. Hickman Brown is a licensed pharmacist, too, as is her father, Hubert Tindall of Shamrock.

To avoid any confusion as to which druggist we're talking about later on in this story, we'll point out that the McLean Brown has a grandfather by the name of V. T. Brown, who now makes his home on a farm near Madison, Ala. For many, many years, he was a druggist, and only recently retired from the business. Then the McLean Brown's father, W. H. Sr., is owner and operator of the Huber's City Drug in Vernon, and is a licensed pharmacist.

So it was only natural that Hickman (from now on, the McLean Brown will be referred to as Hickman) should be a druggist, too.

He was born in Birmingham, Ala., December 17, 1924, to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, who now make their home in Vernon. Hickman attended elementary school in Birmingham, and then moved with his parents to Dallas. There he attended and graduated from Woodrow Wilson High School.

Only a few months after his graduation, Hickman got into Uncle Sam's army, in April, 1943, and remained there until discharged in December, 1945. He wore the rank of staff sergeant at the time of his discharge.

Following his discharge from the army, Hickman entered the University of Texas, from where he graduated with a B. S. degree in pharmacy.

During his work at the university, he met a girl named Loree



ONE OF A FAMILY OF DRUGGISTS

Tindall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tindall of Shamrock, and they were united in marriage in September, 1949. She is also a licensed pharmacist. The couple has one son, W. H. Brown III.

Hickman bought the Powers-Tindall Drug Store from Roger Powers, who was operating the store, and Hubert Tindall slightly more than one year ago, and has been sole owner and operator since that time. Last summer, following the close of the school term, a three-months remodeling job was begun on the store, and was completed early this month.

The druggist has been very active in civic work since moving to McLean. He is president of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce, and is serving as tall twister in the McLean Lions Club during this year. He was chaplain of the Floyd-Corbini-Flory Post, American Legion, last year. He and Mrs. Brown are members of the First Methodist Church in McLean.

Uncle Sam Says



The moral fibre of our Americanism is today on trial. The dark clouds of aggression are still ominous. In the defense of our freedom two things are essential—preserve our national economy and utilize to the fullest America's tremendous productive power. The purchase of U. S. Defense Bonds gives every American the opportunity to share directly in strengthening our economic power. Make today your "D" Day with Defense Bonds!

U. S. Treasury Department

Menu Magic



PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

Children have always loved peanut butter, and they are certain to love crisp, crunchy peanut butter cookies even more. These cookies served with a glass of milk make a wonderful after-school snack.

Peanut Butter Cookies

3½ cups sifted all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon soda
1 cup margarine
1 cup peanut butter
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
½ teaspoon vanilla
Sift the flour and soda together. Cream the margarine until light and fluffy. Cream the peanut butter into the margarine, mixing in the brown and white sugar. Beat the eggs one at a time, and add vanilla. Mix in the sifted dry ingredients. Form the dough into small balls and put on a lightly greased baking sheet. Press lightly with a fork to make a criss-cross design on top of each cookie. Bake in a moderate oven (350 to 375° F.) for 10 to 15 minutes. This makes about six and one-half dozen cookies.

For other nutritious, taste-tempting recipes write today to National Cotton Council, P. O. Box 76, Memphis, Tenn., for your free copy of the new 24-page, two-color recipe booklet, "Menu Magic with Margarine."

There are about 250 religious denominations in the continental United States.

Geyers were first found in Iceland before the advent of recorded history.

Our Heartiest

Congratulations

to

Brown's Drug Store

We readily join others in congratulating Hickman Brown on the formal opening of his beautifully-remodeled drug store, and we know that all of you share with us a true pride in this fine store. Our area will in the future be served well by Mr. Brown and his staff and it is with pleasure that we invite you to visit his store on Saturday.

Planned Lighting Is Important



Naturally, we are also extremely proud of our part in the remodeling—the installation of the planned lighting scheme. When you build or remodel—home or business—you are invite to let us aid you with your electrical problems. We guarantee all of our work, and we feel you'll be well pleased.

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T. and G. Electric

George W. Terry, Owner

McLean, Texas

Free Orchids for Women at Store Opening



Congratulations to Brown's Drug Store

It is with pleasure that we extend our heartiest congratulations to Brown's Drug on the occasion of its formal opening Saturday.

We are happy to have been able to furnish much of the materials used in the remodeling work, and invite each of you to look to us for quality building materials. Our aim is to serve you, and serve you well.

Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

Carl Jones, Mgr.

Congratulations,



Brown's Drug Store

On Your Formal Opening

We're mighty proud of your new store, for it's truly a credit to our area—modern, well-stocked, and beautiful, too. And we're also mighty proud of the part we had in the remodeling—the laying of the fine long-lasting asphalt tile flooring.

Mr. Businessman, we invite you to inspect the flooring in Brown's Drug; and we believe you'll agree that a beautiful floor adds much to the value of any store. And then we invite you to let us give you an estimate on any of your tile and linoleum needs.

Bill Day Furniture

McLean, Texas

Modernity—
NEW FOUNTAIN



AT THE NEW, modern fountain in Brown's Drug Store, Hickman Brown, with back to camera, talks with Clifford Allison. Behind the fountain is Mrs. Earnest Beck. A complete new fountain was installed recently by Brown with the supervision of Lane's Ice Cream representatives from Amarillo.



FEATURED IN Brown's Drug Store are booths for fountain customers. Shown are Oma Bell McPherson and Norma Watson, seated in one of the booths. Talking with them is D. A. Davis.

Modernity is the keynote of Brown's Drug Store, remodeling of which was completed only recently. The store will hold its formal opening Saturday, Hickman Brown, owner, has announced.

One of the first tasks in the remodeling and beautification of the store was the installation of a complete new fountain and refrigeration facilities. The work was done under the supervision of representatives from the Lane's Ice Cream company of Amarillo.

Along with the fountain was installed a refrigerated unit for storing and preserving foods used in the sandwiches which are served at the store. A variety of sandwiches are offered daily, and have proved popular with numerous people who desire snacks at the noon hour, as well as in the evening.

Lane's Ice Cream is served exclusively at the fountain, and several flavors of the well-known frozen products are kept on hand at all times.

One of the most popular items, especially during the morning hours, is the coffee which is served. Brown's uses Golden Light coffee, and it is made in the convenient glass coffee-makers.

The booths were moved to the north wall, at the west end of the fountain, in the remodeling of the store. All booths were redecorated to make them modern in every respect. Formerly the booths were located in the center

of the store, but by moving them, Brown has made more room available for displaying merchandise.

State Water Supply Short

A water conservation program must be started immediately by towns, water districts, ranchers, and farmers, declared Dr. George W. Cox, state health officer. The present situation is extremely grave and immediate action is necessary to relieve drought areas and prevent such conditions occurring in the future.

Dr. Cox said, "Our diminishing water supply, and in many places in Texas the total lack of sufficient water, brings about an emergency that imperils the life and health of the citizenship and brings about a substantial economic loss.

"Without water, industry cannot operate—homes cannot exist—crops cannot grow—forests would disappear—game and fish would die—the earth would become a desert—and the human race would perish!

"Municipalities must make plans for additional water supplies. These may come from the construction of dams to impound water during the time of rains and with additional wells. How-

ever, the construction of dams is the more practical, as the water level in Texas is getting lower each year.

"An additional water conservation program throughout the state that will provide for the impounding of flood and rain water will contribute more to protecting the health of our people and add more to our economy than any other known project that could be undertaken. To wait three to five years to develop such a program could prove to be our greatest domestic tragedy."

Ethel Barrymore popularized the lines, "That's all there is, there isn't any more."

The first ironclad warship was built in the 16th century for the Korean Navy.

Skunks Carry Rabies Germs, Doctor States

Texas farmers and ranchers in the Red River Valley region and in Southwest and Central Texas have been warned to begin killing skunks—lots of them—before cold weather brings an increase in rabies cases.

The grim warning is contained in an animal morbidity report compiled by the State Department of Health. The idea is to pinpoint rabies infested areas as warning to people in adjacent areas.

State Health Officer George W.

Cox said Texas had areas "bigger than most states" which are completely free of rabies.

"From now on we're going to call our shots by county of occurrence. It isn't going to be 'Texas rabies' any more," the health official declared.

"Livestock owners should have active skunk killing programs, especially in the Red River Valley area, when winter approaches and skunks huddle up with livestock in dilapidated barns," the report cautioned.

Current focal points of skunk rabies are, the report indicated, in Harris, Matagorda, Fort Bend, and Lavaca counties. Another focus exists in the region of Comal and Hays counties, and in

Central Texas, in Travis, Bell, Coryell, Lampasas, and McLennan counties.

"The trend is eastward in Central Texas," the report said.

Titus and Hopkins, an area hit hard last year, continues to have a serious problem, causing health officials to caution livestockmen in the eastern part of the Red River Valley to be especially vigilant against skunk invasions of barns and outhouses.

The rabies morbidity report is something new in disease control. Modeled after the method used to keep tabs on cases of human communicable diseases, it is part of the general protection the state health agency is providing.

For July the report shows dogs, 6 feres, 6 cats, 4 sheep, 4 calves, 3 pigs, 2 civets, and 1 cow were diagnosed as rabid at the state bureau of laboratory

Bexar and Harris counties were hardest hit during July. Each reported one case of dog rabies each day of the month.

At birth, a kangaroo is one or two inches tall.

Taste is the least developed of the five senses among the animals.

A little thought and a little kindness are often worth more than a great deal of money. Ruskin.



Mr. Brown,
Genial Owner of
BROWN'S DRUG STORE
SAYS,



"It really surprised me that the new lighting system in our store was so reasonable in cost. It has resulted in more satisfied people coming in to the store and they all seem happy at being able to see the various pieces of merchandise so plainly. I like the way that the Public Service people worked on the planning of the lighting. They simply outlined the requirements for best lighting and then left it up to me to decide what amount of money I wanted to invest in good lighting."

Reddy's always ready to help you with your lighting . . . simply call him.

We Add Our—

Congratulations To Brown's Drug Store

This fine drug store is certainly a credit to any city or town, and it is with pleasure that we extend our heartiest congratulations to Hickman Brown on the occasion of his formal opening.

It has also been our pleasure to serve many of the hardware and paint needs of Mr. Brown during his remodeling work. Our store is completely stocked with the best in all types of hardware, and we invite your patronage at all times.

McLean Hardware Co.

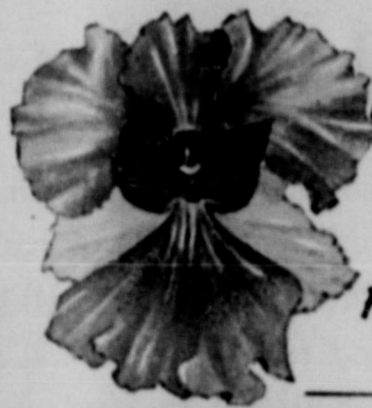
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McLean, Texas

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SATURDAY
SEPT. 29

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BALLOONS
For the Kiddies

Everybody's invited to Brown's Rexall Drug Store for the formal opening Saturday . . . and the first 500 women who visit the store during the day will receive ABSOLUTELY FREE A BEAUTIFUL ORCHID flown direct to us from Hawaii. And there'll be free balloons for the kiddies, too. Remember, there's no charge for the FREE ORCHIDS, nothing to buy. So come one, come all, to Brown's big formal opening, get your FREE ORCHID, and take advantage of the many bargains offered.

And may we take this opportunity to thank each of you who has complimented us on our store since the remodeling was completed. Your words of encouragement have meant much to us, and we sincerely appreciate them. It is our sincere hope that we can continue to serve your drug needs in every capacity, and that we can progress with this great little city of McLean.



View of Interior of Store

All Cosmetics Subject to State and U. S. Tax

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AT OUR **Rexall**
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MILK OF MAGNESIA, 6 oz. - - - - - 13c
MINERAL OIL, U. S. P., qt. - - - - - 89c
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Cory 8-cup COFFEE MAKER, \$4.50 val. - \$2.95

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SLIPPERS **\$1.00**

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CREAM Reg. \$2.20 Size **\$1.10**

BABY NEEDS

CEROL BABY CEREAL - - - - - 29c
JOHNSON-JOHNSON BABY POWDER, 1lb. 39c
QUICK-SWABS, box of 200 - - - - - 43c
EVEN-FLO NURSING UNIT - - - - - 19c
STORK FORMULA PITCHER - - - - - 49c

VITAMINS

STEWART'S DROPS FOR CHILDREN - \$ 1.98
HOMICEBRIN LIQUID, pt. - - - - - \$3.49
UNICAPS, 100's, reg. \$3.11 - - - - - \$2.89
BEXEL SPECIAL FORMULA - - - - - builds rich red blood - - - - - \$5.49

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REXALL ADHESIVE TAPE, 1/2x10 - - - - 29c
QUICKBANDS, plain or merch. - - - - 49c
TINCTURE OF MERTHIOLOTE, oz. - - - 19c
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE, 1g. - - - - - 39c

DENTAL HELPS

FASTEETH, 1g. size - - - - - 79c
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POLIDENT, large - - - - - 49c
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How many have you?
It costs \$2.00 a year to keep a rat and the rat population on many farms runs into the thousands!
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DO A REAL JOB

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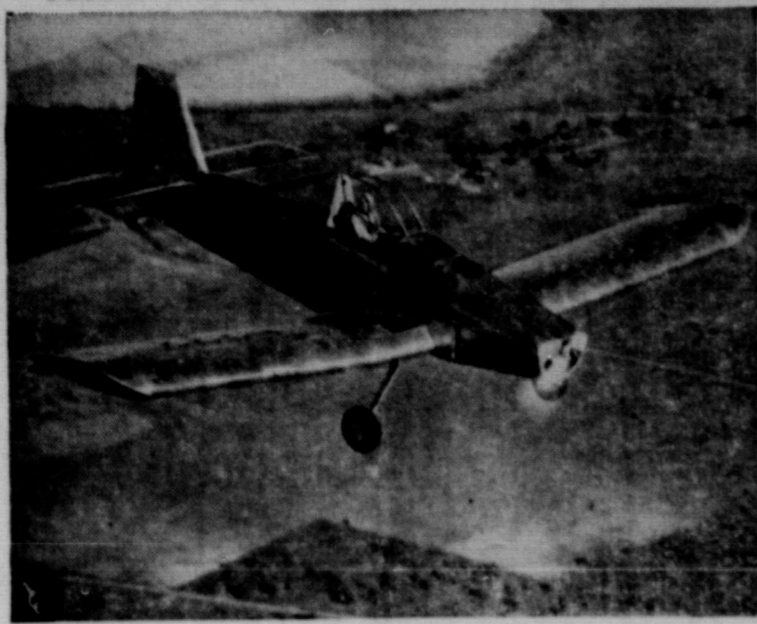
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YOU CAN DEPEND ON ANY DRUG PRODUCT THAT BEARS THE NAME **Rexall!**



FLYING 'WORKHORSE' DESIGNED FOR FARM USE



This 'workhorse of the air' is a new experimental airplane designed especially for performing such farm operations as crop dusting, spraying and fertilizing. The experimental plane, designed and built for the Civil Aeronautics Administration by Texas A & M College in cooperation with the National Flying Farmers' Association and the aircraft industry, now is making a series of appearances in the cotton-producing states.

Catherine Stinson, a Texan, was flying school in the United States the first woman to operate a States.

Uncle Sam Says



In these critical times defense at home and in the field is everybody's job. A most important part of that job is maintaining the economic strength of America. That's a patriotic job every American can perform. Series E Defense Bonds are now a better buy than ever before. Simply hold these maturing E Bonds for another 10 years and you will be better able to buy that home, to educate the young ones, or to retire. It's as easy as that. U. S. Treasury Department

Free Orchids at Brown's Drug Saturday

A large shipment of fresh Hawaiian Vanda orchids is due to arrive here by plane Saturday. They are to be given away at Brown's Rexall Drug Store during its formal opening on that day. Hickman Brown, proprietor, told The News that 500 blossoms are to be picked only hours before they arrive here, in their natural habitat in Hawaii, processed and packed at Honolulu's International Airport, and will be on their way via air express. The Hawaiian Islands are over 2,000 miles from the United States mainland. The exotic Vanda orchid from Hawaii is two and a half inches long. Originally developed in Singapore where they were used as garden borders by Malay princes, these orchids have been raised and developed in Hawaii for over 100 years. Brown explained. These full grown orchids are considered to be one of the hardest, yet one of the most delicate members of the orchid family. Vanda orchids are grown in large numbers on the "Big Island," Hawaii (where Mauna Loa, one of the world's few remaining volcanoes, still erupts every few years), and on Oahu, best known as the location of Honolulu and Waikiki Beach. They are nurtured by Hawaii's tropical sun, the unusual soil formations of lava cinders, and hundreds of inches of rain that falls in certain sections of the islands each year. Brown, owner of the Rexall Drug Store at McLean, says that eighty per cent of the women in this country have never received an orchid. During the Brown's Rexall Drug Store's opening, every lady who visits the store will receive a beautiful Vanda orchid fresh from Hawaii free, as long as the supply lasts. Weather Bureau's forecast said to be accurate 85 per cent of the time. Headchese is not a cheese, but a form of sausage.

Congratulations To Brown's Drug Store On Its Formal Opening

McLean is fortunate indeed to have such a splendid store among its many other fine institutions of business, and we happily add our congratulations to Hickman Brown on his progress and his foresight. It is our sincere hope that he will continue to meet with success in the future, for he has demonstrated his progressive attitude in beautifying his store.

THERE'S NO QUESTION ABOUT IT!

Adequate insurance coverage is essential to any proper business operation, and it gives us much pleasure to serve Mr. Brown in a portion of his insurance needs. Let us discuss with you any insurance matters you may be troubled with.

BOYD MEADOR
General Insurance



Congratulations to Brown's Drug Store

On the occasion of the formal opening of the fine, newly-remodeled Brown's Drug Store, we extend our most sincere best wishes to Hickman Brown. We feel that his store will be the success it deserves.

And we are happy that we were chosen for the plumbing work in the store. We feel that we are capable of doing the best work, and invite your patronage, too.

C. O. Goodman
Plumbing Phone 83W

BEACH GAMBLER!



They call this smart looking cotton swim suit "beach gambler" because it is printed with a domino design. This gay two-piece swim suit was designed by Brigrance in Hope Skillman's popular cotton with an embroidered effect.

We, Too, Are Proud of

Brown's Drug Store

And Offer Our Sincere

Congratulations



Yes, it's a privilege to pay tribute to Hickman Brown on the occasion of the formal opening of his newly-remodeled drug store, for the store is a great credit to the McLean area.

And we are happy that we were able to aid in the remodeling work, by laying the concrete floor, renewing the ceiling, and handling most of the paint work. We sincerely believe that such foresight on the part of Mr. Brown will aid him greatly in the future.

Claude Hinton
General Contractor

Jiggs Hinton
Paint Contractor

Lane's Ice Cream

Only Is Served and Sold at

Brown's Drug Store

And We Join Others With

CONGRATULATIONS

For This Beautiful, Modern Drug Store

We are proud to have had a small part in aiding Hickman in the improvements of his fine store—certainly a business which will do credit to any city, large or small. We worked with Mr. Brown in the installation of his new fountain, and we know that you can always be assured of the best in fountain service there.

We are also happy that Mr. Brown has chosen LANE'S Ice Cream to serve you, and we feel that you will be highly pleased with each delicious bite. It is the pleasure of LANE'S Ice Cream to join others in inviting you to visit daily your beautiful drug store.

Lane's Ice Cream
Amarillo, Texas

VILLAGE



(More on page 5)

Bill Mounce... Mrs. Hal Mounce... been elected capt... Merzio A. and I... ball team. Bill... student as well a... at the college. I... tored a knee in... practice, and was... one or two game... played in last w... will be ready ag... when the team p... final homecoming.

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The castor bear... in a 10-acre plot... as an experiment... their worthiness f... handicraft, efforts... to obtain a ne... making the beara...

Four members... High School fo... honored as those... "biggest" hear... of the McLean La... regular Tuesday... 1951.

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Canyon Library
District One of... Association wi... annual meeting 28... at West Texa... Canyon.
Dr. Donald Bur... of the University... of the activ... will be the... morning, and the... the best sessio... have.
Texas is divi... library chairs... Pecosville area... based on Distric... 44 count... from the state li... in Borden and... the month.