

"Been Expecting You—Welcome!"

That's the new and official slogan for McLean. Members of the publicity committee of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce selected the slogan Tuesday afternoon in final judging for the contest.

Submitting the winning slogan was Mrs. R. N. Ashby, pioneer resident of this area. Mrs. Ashby had entered a number of slogans, and two of hers were in the final running. She will be awarded a cash prize of \$10 for her efforts.

The official slogan will be used on the two large signboards to be erected by the Jaycees at either end of town. Jaycees also hope that other uses will be made of the slogan by local residents. Other slogans which made the run-off in the contest included the following:

"Hi, Neighbor, Light-n-Hitch," also submitted by Mrs. Ashby. "Not Bigger But Better," submitted by Mrs. W. M. Rhodes. "You'll Yearn to Return," entered by Norma Watson. "Our City Your Town," entered by Don Taylor. A total of 99 entries were received by the judges.



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(More or Less)

## Auto Crash Near Groom Fatal to Two

Two people were victims of a head-on collision of two automobiles on a foggy road last Friday morning about nine miles east of Groom on Highway 66, one dying instantly from the crash and the other dying a few hours later in the Groom Hospital.



MAJOR RAY STEPHENS loses his life

## Ray Stephens Drowns While Aiding Rescue

Major John Ray Stephens, air force chaplain and former pastor of the First Baptist Church of McLean, lost his life Sunday while aiding in the rescue of two men from drowning near Patrick Air Force Base at Cocoa, Fla.

## Funds Drive For USO Nets Total of \$184

A total of \$184.74 has been collected to date in the drive for funds for the support of the United Service Organizations, Howard Horne, chairman of the drive in McLean, said this week.

No more active solicitation of funds will be made, Horne said. However, some of those wishing to contribute to the U. S. O. may have been missed in one of the phases of the drive, in which case the donors are asked to make checks payable to the U. S. O. and mail them to Box V, McLean.

Highest amount collected from one of the three phases of the campaign was taken up by Luke Henley Saturday when he made the rounds of the business houses downtown. Henley collected a total of \$82.50.

Next highest amount collected was by members of the McLean Home Demonstration Club who came back from their twilight drive soliciting with \$64.49.

Last Saturday, workers from the Lions Club collected \$37.75 on the streets of McLean.

## School Board Again Seeks Bids For Elementary Grades Building

Sealed bids for the construction of a new elementary school building for the McLean Independent School District are once more being advertised for, and members of the school board are in hopes that the bids will be low enough to start construction on the new building in the very near future.

The bids will be accepted until 7 o'clock in the evening of Tuesday, November 20, Milton Carpenter, board president, and W. G. Carter, secretary, announced Tuesday night following a meeting of the board with a representative of the architect firm of Nofstger and Lawrence of Oklahoma City.

Plans and specifications for the new structure are on file and open to public inspection at the school manager's office in the City Hall in McLean, and also at the office of Nofstger and Lawrence, 2756 N. W. 23rd St., Oklahoma City. Contractors wishing to enter bids may obtain copies of the plans and specifications by making a deposit of \$25 for them. The deposit is to be returned if the plans are returned within ten days following the deadline for turning in bids.

Bids must be accompanied by a certified or cashier's check, or bidders bond, equal to 5 per cent of the amount of the bid, the official notice to bidders states. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 30 days after the opening date of November 20. The school district, of course, reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Proposed location for the building is at 6th and Main Streets, immediately north of the Veterans school building in the east half of the former park land.

The board advertised for bids slightly more than a year ago, shortly after the outbreak of the Korean war, but prices had advanced so sharply that the \$150,000 bond issue was not sufficient to cover the bids—as a matter of fact, the nearest was \$40 thousand more than the amount available. However, the firm of Nofstger and Lawrence has been architects for several school buildings in Oklahoma City which fall in this price class, and by lopping off two classrooms, the estimate made is about \$142,000. For this reason, the board hopes that the building can be constructed.

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## Wants Vote In '52? Then Pay Poll Tax

Paid your poll tax yet? You don't really need to hurry, since you have through January 31, 1952, to get it paid, but an early reminder may help some.

Next year is an important year, in that the local and state officials will be chosen—in all likelihood—in the Democratic primaries.

And also the president to serve the U. S. during the four years following will be elected in November.

So if you don't like the present officials, pay that poll tax and help vote them out. If you do like them, pay that poll tax and help keep them in.

In addition, the usual city election will be held in April, as will the annual school election, and both are important enough to warrant paying the poll tax fee of \$1.75. Then there may be other elections, special ones, of various natures.

Here, for your information, are important dates on the county, state, and national political calendar for 1952:

January 31: Absolute deadline for poll tax payments.

May 3: Precinct conventions to name county convention delegates.

May 6: County convention to name state presidential convention delegate.

May 22: State convention to select national convention delegates.

July 6: Opening day for absentee voting in first primary.

July 22: Last day of absentee voting.

July 26: First primary election, and county conventions for second primary.

## Cotton Pullers Still Needed

The need for cotton harvest laborers continues to be desperate in Gray and Wheeler counties, according to L. P. Fort, manager Texas Employment Commission, Pampa.

There are a few crews coming in from the South Plains. The dismissing of schools and pullers who are holding non-agricultural jobs, spend their days off pulling. All these are contributing to help the situation, Fort said.

Still the crop is at a crucial period, when high winds or other unfavorable weather could cost farmers untold thousands of dollars.

For the most part farmers are staying with the price of \$2.00 per hundred, which is, in the opinion of most people, the wise thing to do.

## Freeze...SNOW!

Hallowe'en ushered in the first freeze of the fall season Wednesday night and early this morning. And the freeze was accompanied early this morning by a light snow.

No official temperatures are recorded here, but it was believed the thermometers dropped to about 28 degrees. Water standing in receptacles outside was frozen. The snow was light, and barely covered the ground.

## Dawson Buys Local Station

Sale of Bob's Magnolia Station to James E. (Jimmy) Dawson by Bob McMahan was announced this week. Dawson took over the station Sunday.

The new owner is also the owner and operator of the Trail-Inn Motel. Before moving to McLean, he was in the service station business in Borger.

McMahan bought the station several months ago from Andy Watkins, who moved to Shamrock.

In taking over the station, Dawson said: "I invite all of you to come in and meet me, if you do not already know me, and I assure you that the service will be as good as you could want. You will always be welcome here."

## BIRTHDAYS

- Nov. 4—T. A. Langham.
Nov. 5—Mrs. D. C. Carpenter, Mrs. Gladys Smulcer, Tony Preston, F. B. Landers.
Nov. 6—Arthur James Dwyer II, J. L. Hess, Paul Mertel, Mrs. J. L. Bidwell, Mrs. C. A. Gatlin.
Nov. 7—Mrs. Paul Miller, Jr. D. Heard Jr.
Nov. 8—Mrs. J. T. Glass, Gayle Mullanax, Gwendolyn Riddle, Tracy Mertel.
Nov. 9—Mrs. Clinton Ritter, J. C. McCabe, Roy Campbell.
Nov. 10—Mrs. Legon Burris, H. V. Rice, Leon Waldrop, Mrs. J. S. McLaughlin.

## Scouts Plan Amateur Night

The McLean Boy Scout troop will sponsor an amateur night program Tuesday night, November 13, at 7:30 o'clock, James McClellan and Jimmy Don Morris, assistant Scoutmasters, announced this week.

The program will be held in the high school auditorium. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for school children.

"We need all the amateur performers we can get," the Scout leaders said. Those wishing to enter the contest, in which awards will go to the winners, are requested to contact either McClellan or Morris.

## McLean Wins!

The winless McLean Tiger grid team was officially credited with a victory this week—without going to the field—when the Clarendon Broncos defeated all district games due to an ineligible player. The player found to be ineligible was Mike Mooring, senior backfield player who had been playing too many semesters to be eligible.

Clarendon notified each school whom the Broncos have played that all their games thus far were being forfeited. This includes games over Wheeler, McLean, and LeFlore. All District 1-A teams were notified that the Clarendon Broncos had lost to Panhandle. The forfeit gives McLean a victory, three-loss record in district competition.

Thursday afternoon, November 1, is the tentative date for the annual McLean News convention. (Continued on back page)

## Panhandle Panthers Romp Over McLean Tigers by Score of 51-12

In Brief:

	Mc	P
First Downs	10	13
Yds. Gain	187	244
Yds. Lost	10	3
Yds. Gain Pass	0	145
Net Yds. Gain	177	386
Pass. Comp.	6 of 36	0 of 7
Pass. Incp.	0	1
Pen. Recd.	5 for 25	3 for 15
Oppon. Fum. Rec.	1	2
Punts	3	1
Punt Aver.	23	30

Scoring: McLean 12 (Wayne Smith), Panhandle 51 (Dale Roselius 6, Dean Lewellen 12, Jerry Fowler 3, Gary Cummings 12, Delmer Tuggle 6, Marshall Sherwood 6, Jimmy Mitchell 6).

The smooth-operating Panhandle Panthers started scoring in the first minute of the game, and it was good for seven yards. McLean's passing was to no avail. Jack Bentley, who played a bang-up good game throughout the contest, tried three passes but failed on all three, one of them being intercepted and setting up a later tally by the Panthers.

Only a small crowd sat through the rough weather to watch the game. The scoring was as follows: Eddie Reeves kicked off to the Panthers, the ball rolling over the goal and being brought back to the 20. On the first play, Dale Roselius, the man under on the Panhandle T formation, kept the ball, cut back and around right end and ran 80 yards to score. Jerry Fowler's kick was no good. Score 6-0.

Later in the first period, the Panthers returned to the 31. A series of line plays moved the ball to the McLean 49, from where Dean Lewellen went thru right tackle, and ran the distance. Fowler made the kick. Score 13-0.

Still in the opening period, Wayne Smith punted to Gary Cummings on the Panhandle 18. He took the punt on the run, and kept running, right down the sideline for 82 yards. Fowler again converted. Score 20-0. The Tigers took the next kick-off, worked the ball to the Panhandle 10, with Bentley handing in most of the gains. Then, as the second quarter got underway,

Smith went through left tackle 10 yards to score. Smith fumbled on the extra point try. Score 20-6. Later in the second frame, Roselius passed to Jimmy Mitchell to the McLean 6, and from there Delmer Tuggle went around left end to score. Fowler missed the kick. Score 26-6.

Shortly before the half, Bentley's pass was intercepted by Cummings, who took it to the McLean 20. From there Tuggle passed to Marshall Sherwood over the goal. Fowler made the point. Score 33-6.

In the third period, the Tigers, on a sustained march with Bentley, Cooper, and Smith doing the toting, went from the McLean 36 to the Panhandle 4, from where Smith crashed left guard to

score. Smith's plunge for the point failed. Score 33-12. Still in the third period, Mitchell found a hole in right tackle, made a nice 57-yard run and scored. Fowler missed the kick. Score 39-12.

In the final quarter, the Panthers worked the ball to the McLean 46. Roselius tossed to Cummings on the 30, who trotted on to score. Fowler missed the kick. Score 45-12.

Later, Smith got off a short punt, with the Panthers taking over on the 33. Roselius passed to Sherwood to the 12, and two plays later Lewellen plunged through center five yards to score. Fowler again missed the conversion. Score 51-12. The game ended a few plays later.

Don't Forget--Saturday, November 10, is Dollar-Stretcher Day

## GROWING PAINS In Gray County

By FOSTER WHALEY  
County Extension Agent

The two-weeks turnout of school has helped a lot on the cotton pulling in the McLean area, but the labor situation is still rough all over.

By Tuesday, 795 bales of cotton had been ginned at the two McLean gins. Harvesting is probably not more than 35 to 40 per cent complete. One ginner remarked that he has already ginned more cotton this year than he ginned during the entire season last year.

Most of the High Plains farmers who planted cotton this year are talking planting again next year, and a good many of their neighbors are talking cotton also.

With two complete wheat failures fresh in the minds of High Plains farmers, and another "not too promising crop" for '32, farmers are making a rapid change on the High Plains. Grain sorghum and cotton are moving in.

Here's a good ration for a breeding gilt or sow suckling pigs: grain sorghum chops, 62 pounds; ground oats, 25 pounds; cottonseed meal, 9 pounds; meat scraps or tankage, 4 pounds; bone meal, 1 and one-half pounds; salt, one-half pound.

That's all, folks.

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MISS FERN CARVER

## Miss Carver Named Advisor For Local Firm

Howard Horne, local manager of Southwestern Public Service company, has announced the appointment of Miss Fern Carver to be assistant home service advisor of the Amarillo division.

Horne pointed out that the tremendous increase in inquiries about electrical appliances for the homes of Southwestern Public Service customers, particularly electric ranges, made it necessary to appoint Miss Carver as the division's chief home service advisor.

Miss Carver, a native of Perryton, attended Amarillo College for one year, transferring to Abilene Christian College where she graduated summa cum laude, receiving her degree in home economics. She joined the electric light and power company in August of 1930.

The two Ferns, that is Fern Brannen and Fern Carver, conduct schools for the enlightenment of Public Service customers and visit customers' homes when so requested. They are kept busy in McLean as well as the other 15 cities served by the Amarillo division of the company.

Sunday visitors in the home of Granny Bidwell included Mrs. Ona Lea Bidwell and daughter Ina of Albuquerque, N. M., Thomas Bates and daughter Virginia of Pampa, Mrs. Elmer Sparks and son Bernie of Pampa, Mrs. Jack Boyd and Bobby, Mrs. Bob Thomas, and Mrs. Burette Kinard.

Rev. and Mrs. Buell Wells and Mrs. E. L. Price were in Amarillo Monday.

## Donley County— SOIL NEWS

Ninety-seven new farmers have signed agreements with the district since last June, bringing the total number of district cooperators to 431. The new type of agreement called Initial Agreement, inaugurated in June, has been responsible for the increasing number of new cooperators.

With the new agreement only the conservation practices which are to be done in the near future are planned, while formerly planning for the entire farm was required at the time the agreement was signed. Under the new procedure the complete soil and water conservation plan for the farm is developed gradually over a period of years as the farmer or rancher sees the need and is able to put the practices on his land.

The district agreement is an agreement between the Donley County Soil Conservation District and the farmer.

The district agrees to assist in carrying out a plan by furnishing to the farmer such information, technical assistance and other assistance it may have available at the time the work is to be done.

The farmer agrees to develop as rapidly as feasible a conservation plan for his entire farm. He agrees to start applying one or more practices in keeping with the capabilities and needs of his land.

Signing an agreement and becoming a district cooperator is the duty and privilege of every farmer in Donley County.

All farmers or ranchers not already cooperators are encouraged to make application at the local office of the Soil Conservation Service in Clarendon.

There are very few if any farms or ranches in Donley County which do not have an erosion problem or do not need some conservation and soil improving practices.

The goal of the district is for every farmer in Donley County to become a district cooperator by the end of 1932.

The next time you are in Clarendon and have a minute to spare, drop in to the SCS office in the county agricultural building and talk over your soil conservation problems.

Some of the practices for which on-site technical assistance is given are as follows: Terraces, diversion terraces, stock dams, erosion dams, waterways, seeding of grass, seeding of cover crops, controlling sage brush and mesquite, improvement of native range land, etc.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor and family of Friona visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Dalton, Mrs. Betty Dalton, and Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter were in Pampa Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dicky Everett of Tulsa, Okla., visited relatives here over the week-end.

Charles Rae Smith of Clinton, Okla., visited his sister, Naomi Woodrome, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and children, Mrs. W. C. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson and Melvin Rae, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson visited in the home of Mrs. E. J. Simpson in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dorsey and children visited in the Newbury home in Kellierville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones and daughter Pat, and Ella Herndon visited in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards and family were visiting relatives in Lubbock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase visited relatives in Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Bonner and children and Mrs. Bill Nunner of Graham visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl Walls of Shamrock and Mrs. George Colebank of McLean visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ackerman visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee last week.

Frank Stevens of Shamrock visited his sister, Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carpenter of Alanreed visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Frost Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Green attended the fall convention of the Assembly of God Church in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. H. E. Wetsel and Mrs. Robert Howard and Joy Lynn of Lefors visited Mrs. W. N. Tibbets Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty and grandson, Vernon Luther Kennedy, returned home Friday after a visit with Mr. Petty's brother, Horace M. Petty.

### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Board of Education of the McLean Independent School District, State of Texas, will receive sealed proposals at the office of the Board of Education, McLean, Texas, until 7 p. m. November 20th, 1931, for the construction of an Elementary School at Sixth and Main Streets, McLean, including General Work, Plumbing and Electrical Work, at which time and place such proposals will be publicly opened and read aloud; any proposal received after closing time will be returned unopened.

Copies of plans, specifications and other proposed Contract Documents are on file and open to public inspection at the office of the Board of Education, and at the office of the Architects, Plans and Specifications may be obtained from Noftager and Lawrence, Architects, 2756 N. W. 23rd St., Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, upon a deposit of Twenty-Five dollars (\$25.00) which deposit will be refunded in full upon return of Plans and Specifications in good condition within ten (10) days after bid opening date.

Bids shall be accompanied by a certified or Cashier's check, or Bidders Bond equal to 5% of the amount of the bid; no bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after opening date. The Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive all formalities.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE McLEAN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT, STATE OF TEXAS.  
By W. G. Carter, Secretary.

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Mrs. A. B. Bearden and Mrs. B. B. Bearden of Pampa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Richardson Sunday.

Mrs. Agnes Bearden of Pampa is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. G. Richardson.

Mrs. Luther Petty and grandson, Vernon Luther Kennedy, spent Friday night in Amarillo with Mrs. Petty's niece, Mrs. Elton Walker and family. On Saturday they were accompanied by Mrs. Zora Kennedy and Joanne Webb to Roscoe, where they spent the week-end with Mrs. Petty's son, Rev. Herman L. Petty and family, and Miss Webb's brother, Kenneth Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham spent Saturday night in Pampa with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Billingsley of Hobbs, N. M., and Betty Billingsley of Texola, Okla., visited in the home of Mrs. Billingsley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith, over the week-end.

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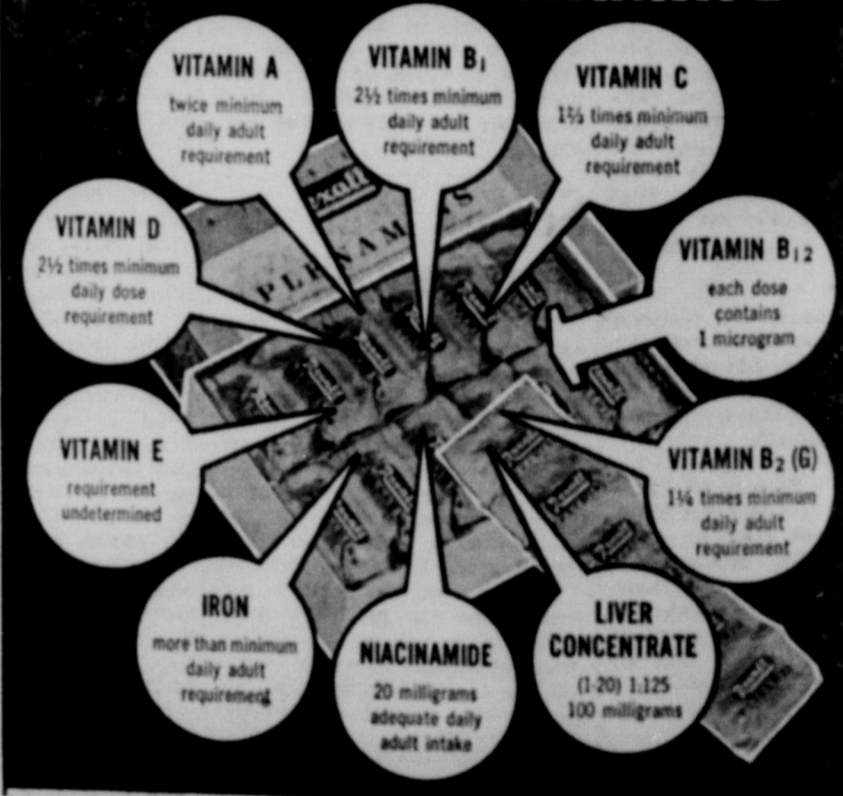
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## Announcing New Ownership of Bob's Magnolia Station

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In the past, I have operated stations in other localities, and I feel that my experience in the business will enable me to give you excellent service.

Please let me again ask your patronage in the future, where you will always be assured of good service and the best in products.

—James E. [Jimmy] Dawson

## Dawson's Magnolia Station

James E. Dawson, Owner

## Thanks To Each of You

Your patronage of the Magnolia Service Station under my ownership has been most gratifying, and I want each of you to know that I sincerely appreciated your business.

Mr. Dawson, the new owner, was in the service station business before moving to McLean, and your continued patronage under his ownership will be appreciated.

Again let me thank you for your splendid business given me while I owned the firm. Your friendships which I have gained in these past months will always be treasured.

Bob McMahan

40 Years Ago—  
**IT HAPPENED HERE**

Taken from the files of The McLean News, November, 1911

**Meeting of Mothers' Club**

The regular meeting of the Mothers' Club was held at the public school building last Friday and a large number of members and visitors were present. As had been announced previously, a specially prepared program was rendered, including music and an interesting paper on the Mutual Relationship of Parent and Teacher by Mrs. C. E. Donnell. Through the courtesy of Mrs. Donnell we reproduce the article in another part of the paper. Following the rendition of the program an interesting business meeting was held. Fifteen new members were placed on the honorary list. One of the most important features of the meeting was the placing of an order for a school bell, the ladies having decided to inaugurate a strenuous campaign looking to the securing of the funds for this

purpose. They also designated December 16th as Tag Day, at which time everyone must expect to be tagged at so much per tag. The funds thus raised will be used in the library.

The secretary reported since the last meeting four books had been donated to the library, several new pictures had been placed in the different rooms, and six dollars had been raised, three each for the library fund and for seating the auditorium.

The next meeting will be held Friday afternoon, December 15th, at 3:30 p. m. Everyone who has the welfare of the school at heart is eligible to honorary membership if they do not care to become working members. The twenty-five cents dues will be placed towards the purchase of a school bell. Hand in your name.

**Thorn Removed After Two Years**  
A mesquite thorn measuring

# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Heasley and Cieta Sue, and Arlene and Marlene Gudel spent the week-end in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and family of Pampa visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lee, Sunday.

Mrs. Valasquer and children and Mrs. Hazel Smith of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Lee Sunday.

Aietta Milham of Pampa is visiting her parents in Alameda.

Mrs. H. E. Barrett visited her daughter Barbara in Phillips Sunday.

Mrs. George Terry returned Friday from Odessa, where she has been visiting her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson were visitors in Shamrock Saturday.

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Marsalee Vineyard visited Jane Graham in Amarillo last week, and attended the home coming at WISC in Canyon Saturday.

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Mrs. J. R. Ayers of Clarendon and Mrs. Addierine Dubose of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones over the week-end.

Mrs. Morris Henderson will leave shortly to join her husband, who has been transferred to Graham.

Mrs. C. B. Lee visited in Graham and Jacksboro last week.

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seven-eighths of an inch in length was taken out of the heel of Master J. F. Watkins, five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Watkins, Sunday night of this week, after having been embedded in the flesh for 27 months.

More than two years ago, while the Watkins family was living on the farm at Naylor, the little fellow stuck the thorn in the fleshy part of the heel and his parents did not know it was there, although a running sore developed and has given him more or less trouble ever since. The thorn, after working its way into the foot until it struck a bone, turned completely around and came out. In looking at the foot Sunday night, the boy discovered the end of the thorn and pulled it the balance of the way out.

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### Carol Nan Smith Becomes Bride of Ike N. Keesee

Carol Nan Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Smith of McLean, and Ike N. Keesee of Lubbock were united in marriage in a double-ring ceremony Thursday evening, October 25, at 8 o'clock in the ranch home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hester of Corona, N. M.

Vows were read by Rev. L. H. Markham, Presbyterian minister of Corona.

Throughout the living room and dining room were arranged baskets of autumn leaves and pale yellow and purple carnations.

Mrs. Hester attended the bride as matron-of-honor, and Mr. Hester was best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a deep red ballerina styled dress of white crepe with orchid carnation corsage.

After the wedding, an informal dinner was served for the family and close friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Keesee will live in Lubbock, where he is employed at a Gulf Service Station.

### Members of WSCS Continue Study of Latin America

The W. S. C. S. of the McLean Methodist Church met in the church parlor Wednesday for the 15th session of the study on "Latin America."

Mrs. J. L. Andrews led the following program: song, "America the Beautiful"; prayer, Mrs. E. E. Bogan; scripture reading, "I Wear Orchids," Mrs. C. W. Parmenter; Mrs. J. C. Campbell gave an interesting report on the church work among the Dutch immigrants. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. W. M. Rhodes.

Those present were Mesdames A. Stanfield, Walter Foster, R. T. Ashby, Ellen Wilson, Frank Wilson, Earl Eustace, J. L. Hess, Campbell, Parmenter, Rhodes, Ben Johnston, C. M. Carpenter, J. A. Sparks, Bogan, Cliff Day, Bill Bailey, Lloyd Hinton, Leon Piles, and Andrews.

Mrs. Elvina Brumley and daughter Phyllis of Pampa visited in the Fred Bentley home for the week-end.

Mrs. Bob Richardson of Eldorado, Okla., visited in the home of Mrs. M. D. Curry Friday and Saturday.

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# Society

### Margie Railsback Named Honoree At Birthday Party

A birthday party was held Friday in the City Park, honoring Margie Ruth Railsback.

After games were played, the group went to the home of Grandma Harlan, where they were served drinks and angel food cake.

The following were present: Janice Page, Johnnie Glass, Sue Adams, Mary Ann Carter, Donna Sue Adams, Pamela Mann, Betty Ruth Dilbeck, Christa Carol Rogers, and Jan Bailey.

Those sending gifts were Karen Day, Mrs. C. P. Callahan, Mrs. Mary Harlan, Mrs. S. C. Railsback, and Mrs. Maggie Hatfield.

### Hallowe'en Party Held at Church For Training Union

The Junior Training Union of the First Baptist Church met Friday night of last week for a Hallowe'en party at the church.

A number of games were played, and refreshments were served to the following:

Eddie Kunkel, Ella Gail Day, Alma Pool, Carolyn Pool, James Vineyard, Flo D. Smith, Jerry Kunkel, Flora Jean Simpson, Bobbie Jean Turner, Lou Vera Taylor, Lequita Wells, Sharel Lynn Barker, Adella Vineyard, Tony Preston, Sondra Graham, Shirleen Guthrie, Phyllis Hancock, Dicky Smith, and the sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Miller.

### Birthday Party Given in Honor Of Mrs. Bidwell

Mrs. Bob Bidwell was honored with a surprise birthday dinner Sunday. Her birthday was October 22.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Culver, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, Donald, Patricia, and Ann, all of Amarillo; Mrs. Belle Baggett of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay and Peggy, Mrs. Lloyd Langley and twin daughters, Paula and Pamela, Mrs. Delbert White, and Walter Burdine, all of Quail.

And Mr. and Mrs. Carol Burdine of Alameda; Granny Bidwell, Guy, Bob, Ruby, and Lea Bidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCabe and John Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bidwell and Terry Don, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Burdine, Jack, Ava, and Alvie.

### Jeanne Bailey Hostess at Meet Of Church Society

The Blanche Groves Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Howard Williams. Hostess was Jeanne Bailey.

A handkerchief shower was given for Bert Henderson.

Present were Bonnie Simpson, Marnelle Ledgerwood, Oma Bell McPherson, Norma Watson, Bert Henderson, Joyce Haynes, Joann Miller, Jane Simpson, and Jeanne Bailey.

### Farewell Dinner Given in Honor Of Mr., Mrs. Hill

A farewell dinner was given Sunday honoring Mr. and Mrs. Jinks W. Hill at the country home of C. G. Hill and Miss Ada Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Hill are leaving Alameda to make their home in California.

The afternoon was spent in visiting and picture-taking.

Out-of-town guests attending were H. O. Hill of Hot Springs, Ark., Mrs. T. E. Crisp and J. D. Davenport of McLean, Roy Howard of Lefors, Mrs. R. D. Hill and Miss Joan Hill of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Palmer of Sanford.

Attending from Alameda were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Allen and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Hill and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Mug Castleberry, Mrs. Hugh Castleberry, Mrs. E. C. Woods and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill, J. A. Hill and son, Mrs. Earl Johnson, Mrs. Bobby Jack Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Jinks W. Hill, C. G. Hill, and Miss Ada Hill.

### Shadid-Gray Vows To Be Read Here Sunday Afternoon

Nuptial vows for Darlene Shadid, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shadid of McLean, and Oscar Raymond Gray, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gray of Amarillo, will be read at the First Presbyterian Church in McLean Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. Karl Ernst of Dumas, former pastor of the McLean church, will officiate at the wedding.

Friends of the couple are invited to attend the ceremony and the reception in the church basement immediately following the ceremony.

### Harvest Supper Given in Honor Of Reneau Family

Friday night in the Legion Hall, a Harvest supper honoring Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reneau, Totha and A. D., who are leaving for California, was given by members of the Liberty Home Harvest Society.

Harvest colors in fall flowers and vines decorated the tables. Group games for the children were played, while the adults enjoyed forty-two and canasta.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. George R. Reneau, James Reneau, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dorsey and Butch and June, and Nathan Greer. Members and their families were Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rainwater, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Billingslea and Ben and Max, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Taylor and Tom, Joe B. Jr., and Lou Vera, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roth, Mrs. B. L. Stokes, and Gene, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cantrell and Burl, Linda, and Rose Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Clois Hanner and Glenda, Neida, and Martha, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken and Ernie and Marceline, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Miller and Maureen and Joe, Mr. and Mrs. Orphus Tate and Gerald, Nancy, Pee Wee, and Harry.

### Dorcas S. S. Class Luncheon Is Held At Reeves Home

Members of the Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church held their monthly luncheon Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Frank Reeves.

The following whose birthdays were in October, were presented gifts from the class: Mrs. F. E. Stewart, Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mrs. A. B. McPherson, Mrs. T. H. Andrews, and Mrs. R. B. Jones. Mrs. Bill Boyd was among the number, but was unable to be present.

Others present were Mesdames H. W. Finley, R. L. McDonald, Boyd Reeves, J. B. Caudill, R. N. McMahon, Homer Abbott, Luther Petty, Ross Collie, Bob Thomas, Essie Glenn, Velma Betchan, Buel Wells, and Bill Reeves; Miss Eunice Stratton, Rev. Buel Wells, and little John Reeves.

### Darlene Shadid Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

A bridal shower was held in honor of Darlene Shadid, bride-elect of Oscar Raymond Gray, in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church Thursday, October 25, from 2 to 4 o'clock. The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary members were hostesses.

The church basement was decorated with orchid and white. Tea was served to approximately 150 people from a lace-covered table.

Lynna Reeves presided at the guest book, Marsalee Vineyard and Sue Glass played piano numbers, and Jane Graham of Amarillo served the tea.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. H. M. Gray and Jane Graham of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McEee and Billy of Lefors spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham.

Charter No. 14165 Reserve District No. 11

### REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

### American National Bank in McLean

of McLean, Texas, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on October 10, 1951, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 528,860.71
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	512,568.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	29,300.00
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	150,410.75
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$8,992.10 overdrafts)	416,889.80
Bank premises owned \$1.00, furniture and fixtures \$1.00	2.00
Other assets	964.75
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$1,641,996.01</b>
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$1,273,975.11
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	18,830.66
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	10,408.83
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	160,088.12
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	16,250.49
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$1,479,553.21</b>
Other liabilities	337.71
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$1,479,890.92</b>
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock: Common Stock, total par	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	32,105.09
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	30,000.00
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$ 162,105.09</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS</b>	<b>\$1,641,996.01</b>

### MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 53,000.00

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF GRAY, ss:

I, Clifford Allison, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CLIFFORD ALLISON, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25 day of October, 1951.

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For Sale—8-ft. Servel refrigerator; also 8 sq. sheet iron. See Mrs. R. B. Jones, or call 174J. 43-2p

For Sale—2-piece living room suite. See A. H. Reneau, at 5-mile corner. 43-2p

For Sale—Modern 4-room house and 6 lots. J. D. Taylor. 43-2p

For Sale—My home in east part of town, 2 blocks north Watt's Filling Station; 3 lots, 22 bearing fruit trees. Tom Langham, Box 703, Phone 49W. 1p

For Sale—Almost new 35,000 BTU Dearborn gas heater. See Bill Cash, Phone 140J. 1c

For Sale—One sow and pigs; 11 weaner pigs. Mrs. H. E. Franks, Phone 27W. 1c

For Sale—Green tomatoes and sweet potatoes. At Bryan Roby home, Phone 230J. 1c

**FOR RENT**  
For Rent—Small furnished apartment, \$25 month. Call or see Mrs. Richard Back, 603 N. Grove, Phone 169W. 39-tfc

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**Stephens**—  
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Sulphur Springs, where funeral services are to be held. Time of the services was not learned here early this week, although the body was expected to arrive there today. Baptist churches in this district will be represented at the services by Dr. A. J. Quinn, district missionary.  
Mrs. B. L. Stokes, and Mr. and Mrs. Orphus Tate, Nancy and Harry, enjoyed the Longhorn Carnival at Lela school Tuesday. Nancy Tate cake walked seven times and won six cakes.

**NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Chapman went to Enid, Okla., to visit relatives over the week-end.  
Mrs. R. H. Rountree and girls spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting Mr. Rountree, who is in the Veterans Hospital recovering from burns which he received in a gas explosion in his home. He is getting along nicely.  
J. M. Bruton made a trip to Oklahoma City Friday for a check-up at McBride's Clinic.  
Mary Beth and Margaret D' Spain came home for the week-end from Abilene Christian College, Abilene, bringing with them as guests Jolene Kirkpatrick, Dorothy Adams, Julian Hill, and Don Liles.  
The Lazy Daisy Club met in the home of Mrs. Brent Chapman Thursday. Refreshments of jell-o salad and Cokes were served to Mesdames E. C. West, J. W. Harris, C. Drum, O. L. Thompson, W. S. Marshall, A. A. Wharton, R. B. McReynolds, S. B. Kiser, R. B. Kinard, Bud Holmes, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Drum November 8.  
L. F. McDonald and Clifford made a trip to Higgins Monday to visit his parents.  
The Kellerville school cleared \$250 from the Halloween carnival held last Friday night. A good time was enjoyed by all.  
David McPherson is at home again after being injured in a car wreck last week. He is getting along right.  
Mrs. Rhodes of Louisiana is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rhodes and Sandy. Sidney Rhodes is principal of the Kellerville school.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris have returned from attending Grand Chapter of the Order of Eastern Star at San Antonio. They report a wonderful time.  
Mrs. Yert Tankler was called to Wynnewood, Okla., last week on account of the illness of her mother. She has returned home and reports her mother is much better.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Moss have returned from a vacation spent with relatives and friends in Oklahoma and Texas.

**Club at Liberty Meets in Home of Mrs. Wells**  
Liberty Home Demonstration Club women were guests in the home of Mrs. Jim Wells this week.  
During the business meeting, Mrs. B. L. Stokes was elected president; Mrs. Roy McCracken, vice president; Mrs. D. L. Miller, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Olen Davis, reporter; Mrs. E. G. Cantrell, council delegate; and Mrs. Clois Hanner, alternate delegate.  
Refreshments were served to Mesdames Grace Hanner, Linnie Reneau, Ida Davis, Ann Cantrell, Ann Miller, Eula Faye Stokes, Mae Rainwater, Mary McCracken, Jane Lankford, Virginia Tate, and the hostess.  
The next meeting will be November 6 in the home of Virginia Tate. A demonstration on master mix will be given. Others are welcome to join or visit the club.

**Children's Deaths From Burns Could Have Been Avoided By Prompt First Aid**  
Fire burns are responsible for more deaths among children between the ages of one and four and five and 14 than any other cause, according to the National Safety Council. Some of these fatalities might have been averted if simple, but immediate first aid treatment, such as a covering of petroleum jelly, had been given.  
The American Red Cross states that a burn is regarded as an open wound and must be treated as such to prevent infection. A covering of the burned area acts as a protective barrier against germs in the air and also gives relief from pain.  
In America, almost every kind of covering has been tried, from a coat of varnish to the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense's recommended petroleum, the best-known brand of which is Vaseline. This is soothing, doesn't irritate the skin, and keeps bandages from sticking... all important factors in the treatment of burned skin.  
Even small burns need attention. A generally-accepted "rule-of-three" is suggested in first aid treatment of burns:  
1. Cover fine mesh gauze with petroleum jelly and place directly on the burn. A new sterile petroleum gauze dressing which comes already prepared may also be used.  
2. Bandage firmly, but not so tightly as to affect circulation.  
3. Call a physician immediately if the burn is deep or covers a wide area. Such immediate care not only eases discomfort and protects the burn from outside infection, but it also may prevent unsightly scarring.

**Steps Taken For Rebuilding Dam at Lake**

First steps in rebuilding the Lake McClellan spillway damaged during recent floods has been cleared, G. S. Vineyard, chairman of the Lakes Improvements committee, has announced.  
Jimmie Caserta, supervisor of lake projects of the Soil Conservation Service, Amarillo, informed local officials recently that the SCS has agreed to include the project in its budget. Vineyard said the Washington office has requested further information concerning the project to support requests for funds to rebuild the spillway.  
The Soil Conservation Service plans to submit a request next spring as a supplement to the 1952 budget of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Should the supplementary budget be approved, the department believes it can complete work on the spillway in 1952. However, if the item is handled with regular budget requests, construction could not be completed before 1954.  
A campaign now is underway to raise funds to support the project. County Judge G. W. Hefley, Wheeler, is in charge. Total quota for the Lake McClellan area is \$3,650, and the various towns and communities have been given a proportionate part of this quota. All money will be spent at the direction of the executive board of the improvement committee, and any funds left over after the project is completed will be disbursed among contributors on a pro rata basis.  
A survey is now being conducted by the SCS office in Amarillo to gather facts and figures on damages caused by the recent floods and estimated damages that might be caused, should the spillway go out.  
Officials of the Lake Improvement committee feel that satisfactory progress is being made and that there is a good chance of securing funds for rebuilding the spillway in 1952.



10-year-old Peggy Baird gives immediate first-aid to her burnt arm.

**Court Awards Amarillo Man \$23,000 in McLean Crash Suit**  
E. E. Cockrell of Amarillo was awarded \$23,000 damages from Lawrence Blasberg of California in district court in Pampa last Thursday, for injuries he received in a car wreck two years ago on Highway 66 just east of McLean.  
Cockrell entered suit for \$125,000, alleging permanent leg injuries that would prohibit him from ever working again. Judge Lewis Goodrich had sent the 12 jurors back to re-deliberate when they indicated they were hung on several points, and they returned their verdict two hours later.  
The case arose from a head-on collision on October 30, 1949, east of McLean, in which Blasberg, L. L. See, and Cockrell were severely injured. Wheeler County Commissioner Don Rives of Shamrock was killed in the wreck.  
The case first came into the district court last year, styled L. L. See vs. Blasberg, on the same collision. See was given permission to be dismissed as a plaintiff the day the Cockrell trial started. Although See gave no reason for petition of the dismissal, court officials hinted that he had made a settlement with Blasberg's insurance company.  
The trial took on a more complicated nature when attorneys for Blasberg filed a cross action in the case making Blasberg a cross-plaintiff and Cockrell a cross-defendant. However, Blasberg's petition merely asked for damages but stipulated no definite amount.  
Blasberg was charged by highway patrolmen with driving on the left hand side of the road and was fined \$200 and court costs of \$18.05 on November 18, 1949.

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**Gossip**—  
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All-Electric Cooking School. The school was held in August of 1950, and met with favorable response. This year, the class will be held in the American Legion Hall. The hall is now in the process of being repainted inside, and it was believed it would be a more attractive place for the class. The Southwestern Public Service company, and local electrical appliance dealers, will again cooperate in the school. Miss Fern Brannen, home service advisor for the public service company, will conduct the school.  
November is being observed throughout the U. S. by American Legion posts as American Appreciation Month. Posters proclaiming the month as such are being posted by the Floyd-Corbin-Florey Post 315, Howard Horne, commander, said, and the posters will be changed each week.  
The month is being divided into a religious week, education week, economics week, and government week.  
Highlight of the observance in McLean will be a religious-patriotic program Sunday afternoon, November 11, at the Municipal Building. The program will, of course, be open to the public, and a large crowd is expected to attend. Making arrangements for the program are three local ministers, C. W. Parmenter of the Methodist church, Wm. Albert Smith of the Presbyterian church, and Buell T. Wells of the Baptist church.

**REVEILLE**  
Jan Black, McMurry College student, has been elected as one of McMurry's representatives to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."  
Jan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Black, is secretary-treasurer of the student association, having held that office for the last two years.  
She was McMurry Campus Queen for the year 1950-51.  
Cpl. Johnny Vineyard left Saturday from Camp Stoneman, Calif., for Okinawa. His new address is Cpl. Johnny Vineyard, Provision Sqd. No. 650, APO 239, cf P. M., San Francisco, Calif.  
Capt. Clayton E. Day and Pvt. Glen Farmer of Fort Sill, Okla., visited friends here Monday.  
Sgt. Larry R. Ledbetter, who is with the Tyndall Air Force in Panama City, Fla., has been promoted to staff sergeant.  
Pfc. Rodney Barker is home on a three-weeks furlough. After his furlough is over, he will go to New Jersey, from where he will be sent to Germany for overseas duty.  
Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Harold E. Richardson and children of Oklahoma City visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Richardson, Thursday.  
Eula Mae Scales, who is attending Bethany-Peniel College in Bethany, Okla., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scales, over the week-end.  
Grace Wilson is recovering from a tonsillectomy.

**Club at Liberty Meets in Home of Mrs. Wells**

**No One Hurt In Car Crash**  
No persons were seriously injured when a 1936 Dodge sedan and a tractor-trailer truck were involved in a sideswipe collision on Highway 66 nine miles east of McLean early Tuesday morning. The accident occurred at about 7:15 o'clock.  
Billie Wayne Felton of Amarillo, driving the truck, was attempting to pass the sedan when one of the truck wheels caught the car. Both vehicles were going east.  
Driving the sedan was Charley Eugene Mann, 34 years of age, of Fort Bragg, Calif. He was accompanied by his wife and four sons.  
The accident was investigated by Highway Patrolmen Calvin Harrell and J. D. Heard.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Winston of Weatherford, and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Norman of Pampa, visited in the homes of Mrs. Winston's brother and sisters, J. R. Phillips, Mrs. C. J. Cash, and Mrs. J. A. Sparks, over the week-end. Mrs. Winston's brother, Floyd Phillips of Dumas, spent Sunday night in the Bill Cash home.  
Mrs. Ben Jones is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Dixie Warren, in Dumas.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tidwell and children of Hedley visited Mrs. Hester Adams over the week-end.

**Jan Black In 'Who's Who'**

Jan Black, McMurry College student, has been elected as one of McMurry's representatives to "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities."  
Jan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Black, is secretary-treasurer of the student association, having held that office for the last two years.  
She was McMurry Campus Queen for the year 1950-51.

**NEW BOSS**  
Mr. and Mrs. Marvis Godfrey of Amarillo are the parents of a girl born Thursday. She has been named Linda Merlene. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Baker, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey.

**Personals**

Haskell Smith visited Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Henderson in Clovis, N. M., over the week-end.  
Ella Herndon and Earlene Frost were in Pampa Tuesday on business.  
Visitors in the R. O. Cunningham home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Cunningham and children of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham and Karon of Samnorwood.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and daughter Chris were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. Mrs. C. A. Wolfe of Hollis, Okla.  
Mrs. Jeannie Chapman, Mrs. Ruth Chapman of Amarillo and Mrs. Rose Hall of Abilene visited Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Tuesday on their 61st wedding anniversary.  
Mrs. R. L. McDonald and Bob Thomas were in Amarillo Tuesday on business.  
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**TIM HOLT**  
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