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More than 100 members of the McLean Methodist Church attended the mass meeting held Sunday in the Pampa Junior High School auditorium to climax the week's revival meeting.

Conducting the services here was Rev. J. C. Campbell of Fredricksburg, and the attendance was good at all meetings. Church workers also made numerous personal contacts during the week.

At the mass meeting Sunday, more than 3,000 from the Clarendon district were present to hear the message by Dr. William H. Wallace, superintendent of the Ardmore district of Ardmore, Okla.

Snake troubles popped up again here last week-end. And this time it was a rattlesnake. The snake was killed by Mrs. Betty Dalton near the porch at the home of Mrs. Mattie Bowen. It had four rattlers and a button.

Want a good, extra good that turkey dinner with all the trimmings at the low price of \$1 per person?

You can get just that next Wednesday, November 14, when members of the members of the junior class of McLean High School serve a turkey dinner in the Lions Hall to one and all who would enjoy such a meal.

The dinner will be served only one day, beginning at 11 o'clock in the morning, and continuing until the customers quit coming. And the junior mothers say you can get all you can eat for the \$1 fee.

An 8-pound buck deer weighing 30 pounds was brought back as proof of hunting ability last week by Ross Collier who in company with Arthur Dwyer and Dick Beck hunted for the fleet animals in Colorado last week.

The second annual invitational basketball tournament will be held early in December. Coaches Don Leach and Freeman Melton have announced.

The tourney this year will be sponsored by the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce. President Edman Brown said following a meeting of the Jaycees Monday night.

Both boys and girls will compete in the meet. Schools are now being issued invitations to enter, and it is likely that at least eight boys and eight girls teams will compete for top honors.

Postal Workers Already Thinking About Christmas Christmas comes but once a year... and, from experience, the members of the U. S. Post Office Department begin worrying about it plenty early.

Speech is silver, silence is gold; or, I might rather express it, speech is of time, silence is of eternity.—Thomas Carlyle.

Everybody in the area is invited to attend—and a large percentage is expected to be present at the Armistice observance program Sunday afternoon in the Municipal Building. The program will start at 2:30 o'clock.

Tigers to Meet Wheeler in Last Home Contest

The McLean Tigers will play their last home game of the 1951 season—and the next to the last game of the year—Friday night on Duncan Field when they engage the Wheeler Mustangs in a District 1-A contest.

Game time is 7:30 o'clock, instead of the earlier season time of 8 o'clock, and all fans are reminded to get to the field a half hour sooner than usual.

The Tigers and the Mustangs will be battling to stay out of the cellar on district play. Neither team has actually won a district game, although both own forfeit victories from Clarendon. The Broncos forfeited all games in which Arlis Mooring, backfield man who was found ineligible last week, had played.

The Mustangs have won two games this season, one from the Pampa Gorillas, and the other from a powerful Lakeview Class B team. Wheeler, two weeks ago, knocked Lakeview from the undefeated class 25 to 20.

The game should be a close contest, but the Tigers will once more go in as the underdog team. Playing at home will lend some advantage to the McLean lads, however, and they plan to go into the game to get a taste of victory for the first time this year.

This line-up will include Wayne Smith, Jack Bentley, Dan Cooper, and Don Crockett in the backfield, with Eddie Reeves probably doing the kicking off. Other backs who may see action are Rodney Gunn and Dale Glass.

The end starters will be Don Treu and Gale Plummer, although Wayne Moore, the utility tackle, could be used as a starter. Tackles will be James Jolly and Don Smith, and guards, Jack Hupp and Max Willingham. B. W. Duncan will be the starting center.

BIRTHDAYS

Nov. 11—John Michael Haynes, Theo Heasley. Nov. 12—Mrs. Elmer Decker, J. E. Kirby, Spencer Sitter, M. T. Corbin, Virginia Anne Kennedy. Nov. 13—Mrs. Joe Willis, Jerry Biggers, Charles Bailey, Jo Ann Guthrie, Thomas Ray Caudill, Gene Greer, Leslie Jones. Nov. 14—C. W. Hogan, Jimmy Watson, Jeanine Dorsey, Jackie Groves, Troy Corbin, Mrs. J. O. Holloway, Ernest West. Nov. 15—Beth Brooks, Mrs. Boyd Meador, Mrs. Lula Latson, Mrs. John E. Dwyer, Mrs. Cleve Hancock, Mary Lee Stevens, Billie Jean Wilson, Beth Brooks, Donald Davis. Nov. 16—C. M. Carpenter, Bill Kalka, Mrs. Gene Greer. Nov. 17—Mrs. George Colebank, Jo Ann Turner, Mrs. Inell Fry, Dr. H. W. Finley, Fleta Inell Fry, Mrs. Bill Washer, Mrs. Dale Barker, Mrs. Paul Miller, Freddy Smith, Johnny Horne, Odell Dyer, Leonard Roach.

Armistice Program to Be Sunday

Methodist pastor; Wm. Albert Smith, Presbyterian pastor; and Buell T. Wells, Baptist pastor. A highlight of the program will be the appearance of three high school students, Virginia Beck, Floella Cubine, and Bethie Mantooth; national anthem, high school toasts; which they are entering in the Jaycee-sponsored Voice of Democracy contest.

35 Contestants Entered in Scouts Amateur Show

Approximately 35 contestants have entered the amateur night program, to be sponsored next Tuesday night, November 13, by the McLean Boy Scout troop.

The program is slated to begin at 7:30 o'clock. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for school children. "We have a full evening's program outlined, and we would like to see everyone in this area attend the show," Assistant Scoutmasters James McClellan and Jimmy Don Marris said. "We already have enough good contestants to assure you of receiving more than your money's worth in entertainment, and we are expecting more to enter. All the money made on the show will go for Boy Scout activities, and the boys will appreciate your support."

Three Chosen in Oratorical Contest Here

Three students of McLean High School were chosen as finalists in the "Voice of Democracy" oration contest, being sponsored by the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce, at the regular Tuesday noon meeting of the Lions Club.

The three top speakers, as selected by Judges Guy Beasley, Sammy Haynes, and Don Leach, were Bethie Mantooth, Floella Cubine, and Virginia Beck. Others competing included Donna Stubblefield and Donald Stafford.

The three top speakers will go into the finals, the winner to compete in district contests. The three also will appear on the program of the American Legion Armistice Observance Sunday afternoon in the Municipal Building.

All five have been students in the speech class of Mrs. Jim Back. Guests at the club meeting Tuesday included the speakers and the judges, and Freeman Melton Jr., Donald Stafford was also introduced as the Lion club for the month of November.

Football boys honored at the meeting were B. W. Duncan, Don Treu, Rodney Gunn, and Jimmie Farren.

'Little Tigers' Win District 1-A By Downing Skellytown 34-7

McLean's "little Tigers," the junior high school team of football players, easily won the District 1-A title by downing the Skellytown Panthers on Duncan Field Tuesday night 34-7.

The Tigers scored twice in the first quarter, and once more in the second to take a 20-7 lead at the half. They managed a one more touchdown in each of the third and fourth periods.

Backfield star of the evening was Gary Nicholson, who powered his way for numerous gains. He made four of five Tiger touchdowns, and all four extra points. Aiding him in the running were Glenn Sparlin, who chases were Glenn Sparlin, who made one marker and a number of beautiful runs, and Harvey Shelton. Shelton was the man under on the T formation, as well as making several gains on boot-leg play.

On the line, the standout was Larry Giesler, playing right tackle. Gerald Tate was another outstanding lineman, especially on the defense. Both ends, Charlie Vineyard and Wesley Treat, showed up well also. The entire line played good ball, holding the visitors to a minimum of gains.

Following the game, Co-Captains Shelton and Nicholson were presented with the district trophy, and Skellytown was awarded the runner-up trophy. McLean scored first in the opening period when Sparlin spun around right end and ran 25 yards to tally. Nicholson plunged left tackle for the point. Later in the first period, Sparlin circled right end again for 25 yards to set up the marker. Nicholson plunged left guard for short yardage and the touchdown, but Shelton's attempted pass for the point failed.

M. D. Bentley Found Dead At His Home

M. D. Bentley, pioneer resident of this area and well-known insurance man, was found dead in his home in McLean Wednesday noon. He was 83 years of age.

The exact cause of his sudden death was not determined, although it was believed to have been caused by heart failure. He was ill Sunday with a cold, but was working at his insurance business both Monday and Tuesday.

Bentley had lived alone at his home since the death of Mrs. Bentley in April of 1948. E. L. Price went by to see him at about 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, and Bentley complained of feeling ill. When he did not show up for work all Wednesday morning, Jack Bentley, his grandson who lives next door with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley, went to see about him and found him dead in his bed. Apparently he had died early Wednesday morning.

Funeral arrangements were pending Wednesday afternoon. The long-time resident came to Gray County in 1905, and for a while he was engaged in farming. He was in the hardware business for a time and later in the grocery business. For 14 years, he was Ford dealer here, and since selling that business, he had been engaged in the insurance and real estate business.

A member of the Baptist church for many years, he was active in church work. He was a former member of the McLean Lions Club, and was the first president of the organization after its founding in the late '20's. Survivors include two sons, Bill of Clarendon and Fred of McLean; and four grandchildren, Bobby and Neil of Clarendon, and Jack and Michael of McLean.

Mrs. Ovid Fenton Dies in New Mexico

Funeral services were held Saturday in Clayton, N. M., for Mrs. Ovid Fenton of Amistad, N. M., who died last Wednesday following the birth of a child.

Mrs. Fenton, the former Lydia Switzer, was the sister of Forrest Switzer of McLean and formerly lived here. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer and children attended the funeral services.

Voters of Texas to Decide Fate Of Five Proposed Amendments

McLean Town Of Best Buys On Saturday

McLean merchants will hold their fifth Dollar-Stretcher Day Saturday, under the sponsorship of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, with an array of bargains in service and merchandise being offered to the public.

To publicize the event, more than 2,000 circulars were mailed this week, and the advertising also appears in this issue of The McLean News. A total of 25 merchants are cooperating in the bargain day this time.

In contrast to similar bargain days offered in other localities, the Dollar-Stretcher bargains vary greatly, and include many items of service as well as merchandise.

Here are some of the bargains which visitors to McLean may find: A \$15 trade-in allowed on any mattress on a new \$66.50 mattress at Bill Day Furniture; toilet soap for 5c at Harrell's; three pairs pants cleaned and pressed for \$1 at Master Cleaners; wash and grease job for \$2 at Patterson Magnolia; ladies coat and skirt cleaned and pressed at Bentley's for \$1.

Playtex baby pants for 49c at Brown's Drug; double amount of Gunn Bros. Stamps at Stewart's Texaco Station; three men's suits cleaned and pressed for price of two at Cllett's; boys' cowboy boots for \$5.95 at Stubblefield's; 10 per cent discount on Ironrite irons at McLean Electric.

Ten per cent off on all cook stoves, heating stoves, refrigerators and water heaters at Callahan's; \$2.95 men's dress hats for \$1.95 at Merte's; \$12.95 corduroy suits for \$8.95 at Corinne's; alcohol for \$1 per gallon at Gulf Service; 10 handkerchiefs for \$1 at Mullanan Men's Store.

One-third off on snowsuits at the Children's Wear; 9x12 Gold Seal rugs for \$9.99 at McLean Furniture; 8c Champion plugs for 50c at Chevron Gas; 15.8 cu. ft. home freezer for \$400 at Andrews Equipment; \$18 waffle iron for \$12.50 at T. and G.; pint Upperlube for 52c at Dawson's Magnolia; three towels for \$1 at Brooks; Hunt's catsup for 19c at Cooper's.

Mrs. Butler New Teacher

Mrs. Sula Butler, who has been making her home in San Diego, Calif., began her duties Wednesday as English and speech instructor in McLean High School, Superintendent Logan Cummings announced.

Mrs. Butler succeeds Mrs. Jim Back, who resigned recently when she bought the insurance agency of the late T. N. Holloway. Mrs. Back continued her duties until Tuesday, her final day of teaching.

The new instructor, although living in California recently, made her home in Texas for many years. She has her bachelor's and master's degrees from the University of Texas, where she majored in English and minored in speech. She was a member of the faculty of the Odessa schools for nine years.

Mrs. Butler assumed all of Mrs. Back's classes and other work in McLean High School Wednesday, and will teach both English and speech.



HAROLD P. NUTTER of Camden, N. J., president of the International Association of Lions Clubs, will pay an official visit to District 2T-1, of which the McLean club is a member, on December 6. District Governor Boyd Meador of McLean has explained. Nutter's visit will be the first to this area for an international president for many years. The program honoring him will be held in Amarillo in the form of a western barbecue, with the two Amarillo clubs as hosts. A large delegation from McLean is expected to attend.

Balloting to Be Next Tuesday Thruout State

Voters in the McLean area, along with the rest of the voters in the State of Texas, will go to the polls next Tuesday, November 13, to determine the fate of five proposed amendments to the state constitution in a special election ordered in the closing sessions of the legislature last summer.

Included in the proposals are amendments to increase the ceiling on old age pensions; to triple funds allotted for the purchase of farms and ranches for Texas veterans; to provide for a statewide retirement system for county officials; to raise tax levies in rural fire prevention districts; and to permit investment of the permanent university funds in bonds and common stocks.

A brief run-down of the five amendments is as follows:

H. J. R. 22: authorizes the legislature to provide for a statewide system of retirement and disability pensions for appointive officers and employees of counties. Even if the amendment is adopted, it will not automatically take effect, but enabling legislation must first be passed by the state legislature, and then adoption of the retirement system by individual counties will be dependent on a vote within the county. The legislature is specifically not authorized to make any appropriation of funds to pay any retirement or disability benefits authorized under the amendment. How the pension plan will be financed and administered will be up to some future legislature; but under the terms of the amendment, the money won't come out of the state treasury.

H. J. R. 37: permits the board of regents to authorize the investment of the Permanent University Fund in bonds and preferred common stocks of non-government corporations.

Currently, the Permanent University Fund, derived largely from oil operations and university lands, can be invested only in certain gilt-edged bonds which pay low rates of interest. Investment of these funds in high dividend corporate stocks could increase the income from a million and a half to two million dollars annually. There would be strings attached, should the amendment be okayed. No more than 50 per cent of the funds could be invested at any given time in corporate stocks. No more than one per cent can be invested in the securities of any single corporation. And no more than five per cent of the voting stock of any corporation could be owned by the university fund.

S. J. R. 8: permits voters in rural fire prevention districts (authorized by an amendment (Continued on back page)

Gins Handle Total of 883 Bales Cotton

A total of 883 bales of cotton had been ginned at the two McLean gins as of Wednesday morning. The amount handled thus far is already more than was ginned during the entire 1950 season. Ginner L. H. Earthman of the Paymaster Gin and S. R. Jones of the McLean Gin said.

Damp weather halted harvesting of the cotton for about a week, but boll pullers were back on the job Tuesday afternoon. The gins expect the cotton to be coming in rapidly during the next two weeks.

Both Earthman and Jones stated that farmers are beginning to use cotton strippers in the harvest. The freeze of last week is bringing on more and more strippers, and will speed the harvest considerably. Cotton is presently bringing about 36 cents per pound, with cottonseed still selling for \$79 per ton.

The moisture total for the past week was only 47 of an inch in McLean, Pete Fulbright, local weather observer, reported. Wednesday of last week, a shower, plus some snow, brought .30 of an inch. Thursday's snow melted down to .15 of an inch, and an additional .02 was recorded from the light snow Monday. The year's moisture total is now 21.54.

Penny Postcards—

DOOMED BY BILL

Postal rates—something which concerns almost everybody—are on the way up. President Truman last week signed a bill which doomed the penny postal card. The increase from one to two cents for a post card is a part of a \$117,000,000 annual hike in postal charges.

The new two-cent rate on post cards goes into effect next February 1. And hoarding of penny cards won't help either, by the way. In addition, there will be a 10 per cent boost in mailing charges for newspapers and magazines on April 1 of next year. The other 10 per cent increases on this type of mail will take effect April 1, 1953, and April 1, 1944, making a 30 per cent hike in all.

special services—such as insured mail, special delivery, registered mail, and C. O. D. deliveries—will go up January 1. The special delivery stamp will be 20 cents instead of the present 15.

The bill also contains a rider establishing a new system of graduation leave for more than two million federal employees, including half a million postal workers.

The new system effective January 6 will be: 13 days for employees with up to three years' service; 20 days for those between 3 and 15 years; 26 days for those with more than 15 years. Military service is counted in figuring up total federal service. The measure also sets up a uniform 13-day annual sick leave for government employees. At present, postal employees get 10 and non-postal workers 15. Unlimited accumulation of sick leave is permitted; at present there is a 90-day limit on such accumulation.

Donley County— SOIL NEWS

Weeping lovegrass, the most often discussed and sometimes "cussed" grass used in this area for re-seeding, has proved to be highly profitable to a large number of district cooperators.

More than 4,000 acres of this introduced grass from South Africa has been seeded in the Donley County district.

Sam Lowe, whose farm is about 2 miles south of Clarendon, seeded 120 acres of weeping lovegrass in the spring of 1950 in a cultivated field.

Due to favorable moisture in the summer of 1950, sufficient growth was made to allow some late summer and fall grazing the first year. Mr. Lowe started stocking this seeded pasture together with approximately 100 acres native range last March and by April had increased the number to 45 grown cows, 46 2-year-old heifers, and 9 calves. Nearly every cow calved and these calves weighed from 450 to 600 pounds when sold. These cattle grazed this area without any supplemental feed (except occasionally in early spring during cold spells cake was fed) until November 3, at which time all but 41 cows were sold.

According to Mr. Lowe, the cattle did as well on this pasture as they would have done on native range. However, he did observe that they preferred the native grass to the weeping lovegrass.

"The advantage of weeping lovegrass," stated Mr. Lowe, "is its high carrying capacity of at

least five times that of native range."

Mr. Lowe planted an additional 60 acres of weeping lovegrass last spring and plans to seed more next spring.

G. W. Johnson, 1 mile northwest of Hedley, seeded his 1 acre sudan patch to weeping lovegrass last spring. Mr. Johnson ran two milk cows on this one acre this summer from June 1 to October 15. "Weeping lovegrass will offer four times the grazing of sudan," reported Mr. Johnson.

G. W. Self of the Hudgins community reports that his hogs having access to weeping lovegrass and alfalfa, spend about one-half time grazing the lovegrass.

J. D. Kennedy, 1 mile south of McKnight, planted 14 acres of weeping lovegrass in April of 1950. About three acres of this area was infested in Johnson grass. Grazing began in June of 1950 with five cows and two heifers. Five acres of native pasture was grazed with the lovegrass during the summer.

In 1951, Mr. Kennedy increased his cattle to nine cows and six calves. However, 14 acres of sudan was also grazed.

He observed that his cattle, although preferring sudan, did spend a part of each day grazing the weeping lovegrass.

"My net returns from the weeping lovegrass made more profit than this type of land in crops," stated Mr. Kennedy, "and I intend to plant 10 acres more next spring."

Sam Abbott of Abilene visited Sunday in the home of his uncle, Homer Abbott.



At Home—

NEW BOSS

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cooper of McLean are the parents of a daughter, born November 1 in Canyon. She weighed 7½ pounds at birth, and has been named Patricia Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pearson are the parents of twin girls, born Sunday, November 4, in McLean. Their names are Donna Marie, who weighed 4 pounds, and Linda Maurine, who weighed 5½ pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Preston of Amarillo are the parents of a daughter, born November 2 in Amarillo. She weighed 8 pounds 11 ounces, and has been named Kathy Loretta. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hunt of McLean, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Preston, also of McLean.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Lady Bryant, Librarian

Many, many new books have found their way to the shelves of the public library this year through the generosity of friends of the library. Book club members are becoming more thoughtful of donating fiction books that are not considered of value for personal libraries.

Very soon now one more shelf will be set aside to accommodate the many fine books dedicated to friends and loved ones to be marked "In Memoriam." Mrs. H. E. Franks and Mrs. Wilb Fowler are our two most liberal givers.

Junior books: Kon-Tiki, Babe Ruth Story, Lion Boys White Brother, Wasa-Wasa (adventure), Merry Old Mobiles on Parade.

Adult books: Kentucky Stand, Proud New Flags, Foxfire, Doctor of Mercy.

Visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cutler and daughter Patsy, and Mrs. Dana Jerald of Detroit, Mich. They were en route to California. Mrs. Cutler and Mrs. Jerald are nieces of Mr. and Mrs. Burrows.

Mrs. Rish Phillips was in Dalhart Monday for the funeral of her nephew's daughter, Helen Freeman. Miss Freeman was one of the four young people killed in a car wreck near Dalhart.

REVEILLE



... with the boys

Sgt. Billy J. Willingham is spending a 15-day leave of absence from the army at Camp Carson, Colo., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Willingham, at McLean. He is scheduled to report for duty November 16.

A member of Company B, 973rd Engineer Construction Battalion since induction into the army in November, 1950, Sgt. Willingham serves his unit as an equipment mechanic. He entered service at Fort Sill, Okla., reception center, and was assigned to his present company where he completed basic training in April.

In July the engineers were temporarily transferred to Fort Riley, Kans., to assist in rehabilitation of the flood ravaged post. Work was aimed mostly at repair of damaged dikes, rebuilding and resurfacing battered roads and reconditioning buildings overrun by the flood. They returned to Camp Carson October 16.

Cpl. Richard D. McPherson, son of Ollie McPherson of Keller, Mich., has been assigned to Flight "D" of the 5th Air Rescue Squadron at Selfridge Air Force Base, Mich.

The corporal entered the service in October of 1948 at Pampa. He has 33 months foreign service to his credit, spent with Flight "D", 2nd Air Rescue Squadron on Guam, and Flight "C" at Okinawa.

Before entering the service Cpl. McPherson attended McLean High School.

Rodney E. Barker has graduated from the air force's automotive preventive maintenance school at Okmulgee, Okla., A. and M. technical school, according to

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Capt. H. L. Thompson, commanding officer of the 3453rd school squadron.

Pfc. Barker, whose home is McLean, finished the nine-week course in driving.

He is one of the 735 air force trainees who will be trained at Okmulgee A. and M. Tech, a vocational institution of over 30 trades, under the present contract extension. The program has been in operation at the Okmulgee school, branch of Oklahoma A. and M. College, since March 5.

Trainees are being brought to Okmulgee Tech from Lackland air force base at San Antonio. Twenty-eight new trainees arrive each week and 28 complete their course, maintaining a total of 252 men in training at a given time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Edwards were in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones were in Pampa Friday on business.

Mrs. Hershel McCarty and sons and Mrs. Odessa Gunn visited relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Henley and children and Juanita Skelton and son Gary Joe visited relatives in Roswell, N. M., last week.

Mary Lee Stevens of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stevens, over the week-end.

Sandra Key spent the week-end with friends in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harder of Levelland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brooks, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Herndon and Mrs. John Gudgel were in Pampa Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray of Denton came last week for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and sons visited Mrs. W. N. Pharis of Lela, and Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Williams of Shamrock Sunday. Mrs. Pharis returned with them for a visit.

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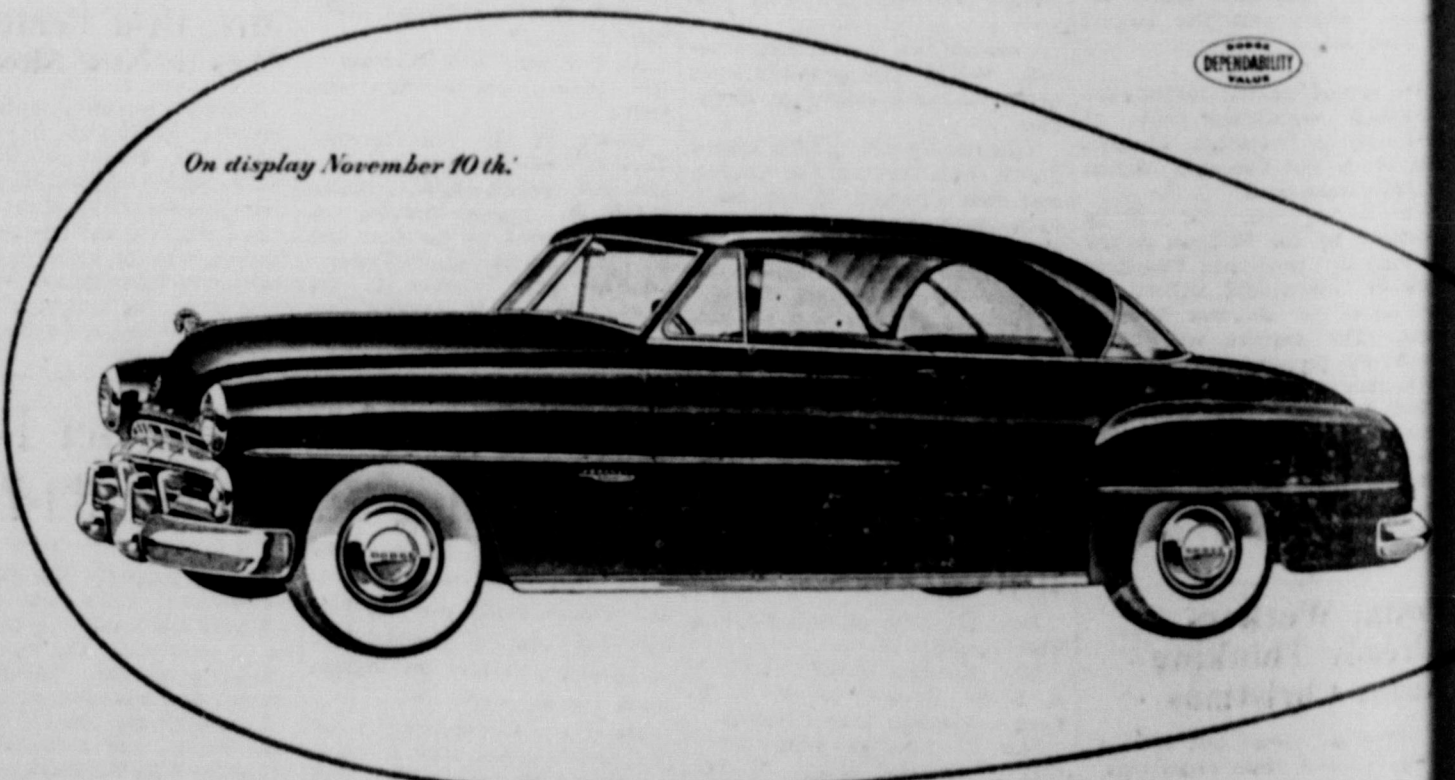
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Robbers Caught
J. W. MARS, who lives about four miles northeast of the city, reported to the officers Thursday morning that he had been robbed of clothing and other valuables to the extent of about \$200 by two men who had just Wednesday night, taking the goods with them.

Messrs. Massey and Harbert began at once a systematic search, sending messages to all the near-by towns for the officers to be on the lookout for the men. About 4 o'clock word was received from Amarillo that Constable Elms had arrested two men filling the description sent him. Messrs. Massey and Harbert went over to the station and got them, they proved to be the men wanted, they were brought here and kept in custody until today when they were taken to Letors, having waived a preliminary hearing.

The two men, it seems, were part of a freight at this station and being out of funds expressed a willingness to work. Mr. Mars secured two hands and took them to his place Saturday. They worked the first three days of the week and on Wednesday night they faded away, taking an overcoat and other articles belonging to Mr. Mars. They went down McCrean Creek until they got opposite Alanreed, when they drifted in to catch a train. Constable Elms was on the alert, however, and they slipped into his custody before they had realized what had happened.

New Man for Local Hardware
Will J. Pennington of Erick, Okla., has accepted a position with the McLean Hardware Co., having assumed his new duties today. The gentleman comes to the city and his new work highly recommended as a hardware man of experience and ability, having been engaged in that particular line of activity for the past five years.

Mr. Pennington will bring his family here and intends to make this place his permanent home. He would be pleased to meet and serve the customers of the McLean Hardware company as well as the public generally.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan visited in Shamrock Sunday with Mrs. Mattie Jacobs and Mr. and Mrs. L. Purcell.

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 7th, 1951, 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 Nofstger and Lawrence, Architects, 2736 N. W. 2nd 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 Bidder's 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.

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Dorothy Gudgel and Charlene Hermon were visitors in Amarillo over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Smith and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Elwing Smith and family visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Williams and Mrs. W. V. Paris were in Pampa Monday on business.

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Ted Simmons, Charles Bailey, Sammy and Johnny Haynes were in Dallas over the week-end to attend the SMU-Texas University football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Phillips visited relatives here over the week-end.

Rheumatic Heart Disease Leads Children's Deaths

Rheumatic heart disease is now the first cause of death among children aged 10 to 14, and is second only to tuberculosis at ages 15 to 25. Despite the importance of this disease, its cause and spread is not completely established. No vaccine such as those that prevent typhoid fever, diphtheria, smallpox, and whooping cough has yet been developed, for its prevention and control. We do know, however, some of the danger signals, and with the physician's accurate diagnosis some of the damaging results of the disease may be prevented.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, points out that in general the danger signals of rheumatic fever are pain and swelling in the joints of the knees, ankles, elbows or wrists. The pain is usually felt in one of these centers and spreads to the others. Often times a child will get irritable and cross without any visible signs of a good reason for this attitude; he may cry easily or develop habits of nervousness. A physician should be consulted at once in such a situation, for these symptoms may be the beginning of rheumatic fever.

Exposure to frequent chilling, damp or overcrowded living quarters, a poor diet, an attack of scarlet fever, a bad cold or other infection caused by certain streptococcus germs are likely to be

predisposing factors in the appearance of rheumatic fever. When the disease is suspected of being present, a doctor should be consulted at once.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Leona Thomas, GREETING: You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 17th day

of December, A. D., 1951, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 31st day of October, 1951.

The file number of said suit being No. 10174.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Fred Thomas as Plaintiff, and Leona Thomas as

Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Plaintiff alleges as grounds for divorce that the defendant, without cause or consent, voluntarily abandoned plaintiff for a period in excess of three years prior to the filing of this suit, with the intention of finally separating from plaintiff.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of

its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 31st day of October, A. D., 1951.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this the 31st day of October, A. D., 1951.

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THE TREND?

THERE HAS BEEN so much big news this year that one fact of great political and economic importance has been obscured. The fact is that the session of Congress which just ended gave President Truman's all-encompassing social welfare program the complete deep-freeze treatment.

The roster of failure in this regard was complete. The compulsory health insurance proposal wasn't even given hearings in House or Senate. Nor was the equal rights measure, or the Federal Fair Employment Practices law. Nor was the Brannan plan for production payments to farmers. A bill providing federal aid to medical education did come to a vote in the Senate, and was decisively defeated. The House ignored this scheme completely.

As the Portland Oregonian said editorially, "No President has asked more social welfare legislation of Congress than has Harry Truman. No President has been more ineffectual in the achievement of a welfare program."

Mr. Truman didn't get his way in many other matters, either. The new tax bill, for example, will produce only about half as much additional revenue as the President asked of Congress—even though it will bring the tax burden to an all-time high, save for the peak reached during the last major war.

Mr. Truman cannot blame these setbacks—which obviously rankled him hard—on the Republicans alone. The Democrats have small majorities in both branches of Congress. But a great many Democrats are as opposed to the President's ideas on social and kindred legislation as any Republican. These Democrats are not all from the traditionally conservative South. Some of them have Northern and Western constituencies where Mr. Truman's following is supposed to be strong.

The fact that the President's program was beaten doesn't mean that it is now ancient history. There is one quality in Mr. Truman which is acknowledged by both his friends and enemies, and that quality is stubbornness. He thinks his program is right, and he thinks the masses of the voters want it. If he runs again, he will undoubtedly use it for campaign ammunition, just as he did last time.

In only one big matter did the President get his way almost totally. That was rearmament and the related European aid program. And that program is bipartisan, and it was engineered in large part by Republicans, such as John Foster Dulles and the late Senator Vandenberg. There is much difference of opinion over details both between the parties and within the parties. But there is overwhelming agreement on the broad general principals.

One development, in the view of many, is likely to overshadow all other domestic issues during the next campaign—corruption and irregularities in the government. Even such burning issues as taxation and government spending could conceivably be subordinated to it. In the past, nothing, save war, has so inflamed the hearts and minds of the American people as scandals in high places and graft in the government bureaus. The disclosures that have so far been made are, it is believed, merely forshadowings of even more shocking revelations. That is the kind of thing which has roundly beaten candidates and parties before.

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TALK

By LESTER

Homer Wilson brought in to me the other day a report from the bureau of the census of the Department of Commerce, showing the ginnings as of October 8 in some of the counties of Texas.

Imagine this—Hidalgo County produced a whopping 275,449 bales of cotton this year, in comparison to 104,839 bales in 1950. That's what I'd call a considerable increase. The second largest production, as of October 8, was that of Cameron County, where 238,621 bales had been ginned. Last year, Cameron led the state with 137,596 bales.

The cotton down in the south part of the state, is of course, all harvested. I don't believe, however, the Hidalgo farmers need to worry about leading the state. Lubbock, Lamb, and some of the other counties on the South Plains usually have large crops, but not nearly as large as that down south.

Just imagine again, 275,000 bales of cotton at the present price of about 35 cents per pound. That would be 275,000 bales times 500 pounds times 35 cents, or an approximate total of forty-eight million, twenty-five thousand smackers. Quite a little haul, quite a little haul.

The 1951 cotton crop is going to be much, much better almost everywhere than it was in 1950. In the report, which listed most of the counties, giving the amount ginned at the same time last year, I noticed that practically all of the counties were ahead of last year's crop. Collingsworth had ginned more than 10 times its 1950 amount. Hall about eight times as much, etc. Of course, that doesn't mean the amount will wind up in proportion that much greater.

But the crop is going to be a great deal larger than in 1950. Mainly, of course, because a lot more cotton was planted this year.

I personally would like to see a large crowd of boosters out for the game with Wheeler Friday night. The Tigers haven't done well this season, losing all eight games, although the Clarendon game will go down in the record books as a forfeit for us.

As a result of this losing—I believe I can safely say "as a result"—the crowds have been getting progressively smaller and smaller. The boys, however, continue to try just as hard.

But even a lot of the good old "die-hard" football fans are neglecting our local boys. Some of them are just staying at home. Some of them are forsaking the Tigers and going elsewhere to see what they think will be a "better game."

This isn't the first time in history that a losing team has been neglected by the fans. It happens in almost every town, it happens to almost every college.

But that doesn't make it right. If you are a football fan of the Tigers, then I honestly think you should support them when they are losing as well as when they are winning. Can't ever tell, your support might help them win.

The Wheeler game, incidentally, will close out the home games for 1951.

Several old-timers have said that the day of the first snowfall



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of the season means something. If snow falls on the 31st, then we will have 31 snows. If it falls on the 15th, then 15 snows, etc. I am told that some snow fell here before midnight on the 31st.

So it looks like we will have a rough winter. The corn husks were thick this summer on what little corn I took the trouble to look at closely. And I have heard of other signs.

My winter forecast, however, is based entirely on the weather on Friday nights during the football season. I have noticed that if we have bad weather each Friday night at the football games, then we have a rough winter. If the football nights are good, then the winter is light.

This season, so far, the majority of the football nights have been bad. It was raining during the Hereford game, fair at Phillips, chilly during the Shamrock affair, cold at Memphis, raining while playing White Deer, fairly cool at Canadian, cold at the Clarendon game, foggy and cold at Panhandle. Nearly all nights were bad.

Therefore, I figure we'll have a rough winter. A very scientific deduction.

Thanks to both of you who told me you read this column last week. Your remarks were appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Allen, and Mickey and Gloria Jean, of Alarwood, and Pfc. Emmett D. Allen of Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, visited their grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Tibbets, Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and daughters visited in Pauls Valley, Okla. Sunday.

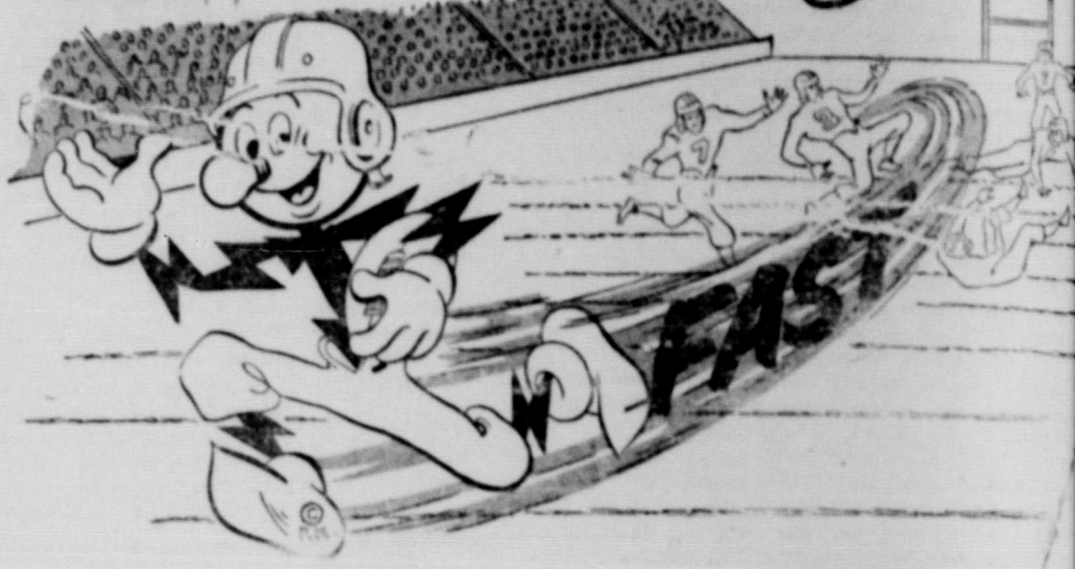
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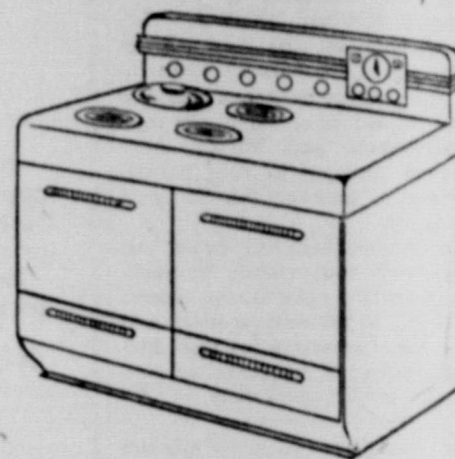
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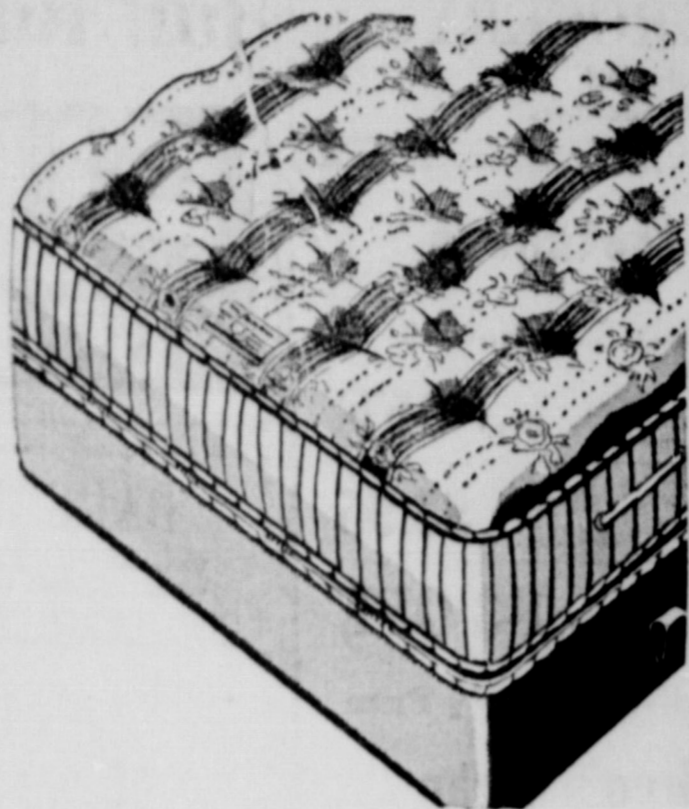
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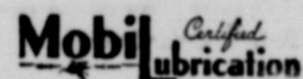
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NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE
 Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Shelburne have moved to our community from San Angelo. We welcome them.
 Mr. Rountree is recovering nicely at Veterans' Hospital, Amarillo. He is expected to be home in about a week. Mrs. Rountree and girls visited him Sunday.
 Miss Marjorie West of Oklahoma City visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. West, over the week-end.
 Mrs. Minnie Jones of Kellyville, Okla., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Claude Medley, Wilbert and Dan Jones, also of Kellyville; nephews of Mrs. Medley, have been picking cotton here.
 Mr. and Mrs. Richard Back, Lawrence Watson, and Barbara Barrett were in Dallas over the week-end to see the freshman S. M. U. football game, and also the S. M. U.-Texas game.
 Earlene and Christine Frost and Ella Ann Herndon are working in Amarillo.

GROWING PAINS In Gray County
 By FOSTER WHALEY County Extension Agent

Bad weather and a shortage of labor are playing havoc with our cotton harvesting. It looks like mechanical strippers might move into the fields now that we have a frost and freeze.

Wib Fowler was in Pampa on Monday of this week and dropped by the office to report having some prairie dogs on his north place. On my regular Tuesday visit I dropped by and we hope to get rid of his dogs with some dynamite flakes.

We are supposed to have a specialist in the county in the near future to work with us on prairie dog eradication. People having dogs should drop me a card and I will get you on my list and we'll get rid of this very costly pest.

Here is another service you can avail yourself of—that is, trees for windbreak plantings. The cost is \$1.00 per hundred trees, F. O. B. Alto, Texas. You order from Texas Forest Service, Indian Mound Nursery, P. O. Box 312, Alto, Texas. Here are some varieties you can order: Arizona Cypress, Chinese Elm, Cottonwood, Osage Orange, Red Cedar, Parvifolia Elm, Russian Mulberry, Sycamore, Thornless Honey Locust. Order blanks can be had by writing the above address.

The following information was taken from 1952 Outlook Report of Bureau of Ag Economics: The number of cattle on farms January 1, 1951, was up 6 million from three years earlier and was

within 1.4 millions of the 1945 high. The number is being increased this year by 5 1/2 or 6 million more, and will set a new record next January. A further gain is likely during 1952.

Almost all the expansion the last few years has been in beef cattle. The number of milk cows has been steady and the number of young dairy cattle has risen less than one million.

As inventories have increased, slaughter has been reduced. Cattle slaughter for 1951 is the smallest since 1943 and calf slaughter the smallest since 1941. A somewhat larger slaughter is expected in 1952, and substantial increases are due thereafter.

If the law of supply and demand would still work, we might expect a decline in beef cattle prices in 1952, but with the Korean war, price controls, and other government programs, it would be hard to predict.

Miss Patricia Ferguson, student in N. T. S. C., Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ferguson. She had as her guests, Misses Betty Latimer and Dawn Holland of Dallas. The girls are also N. T. S. C. students.

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Elmer Decker and son Bobby were Amarillo visitors over the week-end.
 Mrs. C. A. Myatt visited in Amarillo over the week-end.



SOCIAL SECURITY NEWS
 "I will bring my social security card tomorrow." "I have lost my social security card but I know my number." "I have my number copied down on this piece of paper." Reliance on such statements by employers causes more trouble than anything else connected with the keeping of correct social security records, according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo social security office.
 Wages reported by employers on their quarterly social security tax returns are posted to the employee's individual wage record. If the name and the social security number do not agree then it becomes necessary to re-contact the employer for the correct account number before the worker's wages can be posted to his credit.
 Sanderson emphasized that employers could save time and money not only for themselves, but also for the government by reporting each worker's name and social security account number exactly as they appear on the worker's social security card. Workers are urged to show their employers their social security cards when they go to work and

not guess at their account numbers. If an employee changes the spelling of his name or a woman worker marries, the social security office will issue another card bearing the same number but the new name. These changes can be made by contacting your Amarillo social security field office, Room 324 of the new Post Office Building, and filing an application for the change.
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SOCIETY

Impressive Vows Unite Miss Shadid And Oscar R. Gray

Marriage 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 1523 East 7th, Amarillo, were read Sunday afternoon, November 4, at 3 o'clock in the First Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Karl Ernst of Dumas, former local pastor, read the double-ring ceremony against a background of palm leaf fern, baskets of orchid colored mums, and cathedral candelabra. The sanctuary was draped in white, and the altar was accented with a spray of orchid cushion mums tied with satin bows. The bridal path was marked with matching mums and a white aisle cloth.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white satin with a long train of Chantilly lace, and a three-quarter length veil. White orchids, with a shower of shattered mums, made up the bride's bouquet, which she carried on her arm.

LaWanda Shadid, sister of the bride, was the maid-of-honor, and the bridesmaids were Pat Ferguson and Gerry Florey of McLean, Joan Robinson of Pasadena, Peggy Agan of Amarillo, and Betty Ann Latimore and Dawn Holland of Dallas. Junior bridesmaids were Pat Shadid, sister of the bride, and Lilla Pearl Gray, sister of the groom. The maid-of-honor and the bridesmaids wore identically-styled gowns, Miss Shadid's being purple and the others lavender. Each carried a fan-shaped bouquet of chrysanthemums. The junior bridesmaids wore pink formals and carried bouquets of mums.

The best man was the groom's brother, H. M. Gray Jr. Groomsman were Jack Brooks of White Deer, Alvin Agan of Amarillo, Jimmy Hefley, James Gray, and Donny Ray of Shamrock, and Bill Shadid of McLean, brother of the bride. Candle lighters were Betty Jean Wehba of Vernon and Doyle Brown of Shamrock. Mrs. Travis Stokes, organist, played "Claire de Lune," by Debussy; "Trompait Romance," by Schumann; "Ah, Sweet Mystery of Life," by Victor Herbert; "Oh, Perfect Love," by Dornby; and "Always," by Irving Berlin. Mrs. Karl Ernst sang "Because," by Guy D'Hardelot; "Through the Years," by V. Youman; and "I Love You Truly," by Cara Jacobs. The traditional wedding marches were used for the professional and recessional.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlor. The refreshment table was laid with a white silk cloth with purple and orchid ribbon streamers across the center. Genevieve Wehba of Crowell served the wedding cake, and Kathleen Wehba of Vegnon poured the punch.

Donna Gail Stubblefield was at the guest register, and piano selections were played by Norma Watson.

Mrs. Gray is a graduate of McLean High School, and is a student in West Texas State College in Canyon.

Mr. Gray is a graduate of the Shamrock High School, and is also attending West Texas College.

The bride wore a tan traveling suit with white orchids for the honeymoon trip to New Mexico. The couple will live in Canyon, where they will continue their studies.

Out-of-town guests at the wedding included Mrs. Fred Wehba and children, Mr. and Mrs. Mike D. Bird and sons, of Crowell; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wehba and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wehba and Jimmy, of Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Honany and children of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Wehba and children of Elk City, Okla.; D. Wehba and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wehba of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Baracata, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wood and son D. L., and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Johnston, of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Gray and family of Amarillo; Mrs. Billy Hefley, Gerry and Joy, Mrs. G. D. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Agan, Mrs. Walter Ellenbee, J. D. Clay, Mrs. Sue Cotvey, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. John Hrnejar Jr., Jerry and Joyce, Mr. and Mrs. V. Light, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gray, Mrs. M. A. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray, and Louise Gray, of Shamrock; Mrs. H. A. Robertson of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cryer and Jane Alice, of Borger; and Mrs. Earlene Walton of Hereford.

Mrs. Bunia Kunkel has returned from a visit with relatives at Bakersfield and Rabella, Calif.



MRS. OSCAR RAYMOND GRAY

Phynelpha Harlan Becomes Bride Of Bobby Rhoades

Phynelpha Harlan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harlan of Kellerville, and Bobby Rhoades of Cherokee, Okla., were united in marriage October 19 in the home of the justice of the peace in Clovis, N. M.

Marriage vows were read western style for the couple. The bride wore sky blue riding slacks, a yellow shirt, and a blue hat. The groom's riding pants were gray and his shirt was white.

The couple made a wedding trip to Enid, Okla.

Mr. Rhoades is employed with Claude Hayles in Weatherford, Okla., where they will make their home.

Birthday Party Given in Honor Arthur J. Dwyer

A birthday party was given in honor of Arthur James Dwyer Tuesday, November 6, in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer.

The favors were reindeer and Santa Claus hats. After games were played, a pink and white cake and ice cream were served to the following: David Hefner, David Guill, Kelly McClellan, Michael Johnson, Jimmy and Ellen Kay Kritzer, Marvin and James Todd, Bobby Glass, Michael Keith Bentley, Nelson Dwyer, Mrs. Helen Glass, Mrs. Joanne Hefner, Mrs. Zella McClellan, Mrs. Louise Johnson, Mrs. Eleanor Kritzer, Mrs. Marion Bentley, Mrs. Durham, and Mrs. John Dwyer.

Members of FFA Enjoy Skating Party Party at Aianreed

The boys of the McLean F. F. A. were honored with a skating party Monday night in Alnareed. Refreshments were served to 16 boys, three visitors, and the F. F. A. instructor.

Those present were Troy Smith, Rodney Gunn, James Jolly, Don Trew, Harold Smith, James Andrews, Ronald Holley, Alton Carpenter, Arthur Vineyard, Carol Pettit, Virgil Wiggley, Benny Spales, Bobby Decker, Jackie Pool, Mario Coleman, Warren Henley, and the F. F. A. teacher, Vernon Gibson. Visitors were Mrs. J. D. Coleman and Mrs. Vernon Gibson and son.

The first rodeos on record were held in Greece.

George Washington was born in Virginia, at that time a British Colony.

Largest reptile in the U. S. is the alligator.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Mitchell and daughters of Amarillo were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling.

Music must take rank as the highest of the fine arts—as the one which, more than any other, ministers to human welfare.—Herbert Spencer.

Midshipmen are so called because originally they had quarters amidships.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed bids will be received on Monday, November 19th, at 3:00 p. m. o'clock at the business office of the McLean Independent School District on 1936 Chevrolet school bus. This equipment may be seen at bus barn at high school. Bid proposals may be secured by contacting business manager at the City Hall. School Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
W. G. Carter, Secretary.

Duck Season Opens Friday

Wishing Texas sportsmen "good hunting" during the waterfowl season opening at noon November 9, the director of law enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission listed some reminders for successful shooting.

They are:
Daily shooting hours on ducks and geese are from one-half hour before sunup to one hour before sundown.

Bag limits are five a day and ten in possession for ducks and five a day and five in possession for geese. The geese bag may not include more than either two Canada geese (or its sub-species, Hutchins or cackling geese) or two white-fronted, or one of each.

All waterfowl hunters over 16 years of age must have the federal stamp costing \$2.

Shotguns may not be larger than 10 gauge; rifles may not be used to shoot waterfowl.

Waterfowl may not be shot on any state or federal refuge or preserve. Also they may not be shot on any public road or highway.

Waterfowl may not be taken from any power driven boat or from a boat under two or sail.

The director of law enforcement suggested hunters keep these added hunting dates in mind:

Mourning dove, south zone, November 15; general state open season on deer and turkey, November 16, with many local laws taking precedence over the main statute; deer season west of the Pecos, November 20 to 25 inclusive, with one deer limit; general state open season on quail, December 1, with many county regulations prevailing.

Election—

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passed two years ago) to increase property taxes within the district from the present ceiling of 10 cents on the \$100 valuation to a maximum of 50 cents on the \$100, upon approval of a majority of the taxpayers in the district. This amendment will be of interest only to areas where such districts have been organized.

H. J. R. 2: permits the Veterans Land Board to continue its program of state-financed purchase of farms and ranches for Texas veterans.

The amendment would lift the ceiling on the fund—provided by the sale of state bonds—from \$25 million to \$100 million, allowing the board to issue another \$75 million in bonds to finance new purchases. The original \$25 million has long since been exhausted. The amendment provides for issuance of bonds,

U.S. Needs Civil Defense TEN BASIC SERVICES FORM CORE OF HOME FRONT PROTECTION

(This is the ninth of a series of articles on civil defense, based on the booklet "U.S. Civil Defense" prepared by the Federal Civil Defense Administration. It may be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. for ten cents.)

By MILLARD CALDWELL, Federal Civil Defense Administrator

The Federal Civil Defense Administration, for the sake of national uniformity, has set up these basic services: Warden, Fire, Police, Health, Welfare, Engineering, Rescue, Communications, Transportation, and Staff. You can imagine what a gigantic task it will be to man these various services. Some 15,000 volunteers are needed for this purpose.

The backbone of civil defense is the warden service. It is the source of neighborhood defense leadership before, during, and after an enemy attack. The warden's job is to help save lives and property. Before an emergency, his main duty is to help people prepare; during an emergency, he conducts people to safety; after the emergency, he helps restore order.

Wardens must be volunteers, well known and respected in the community, whose leadership will be accepted by their neighbors and fellow workers. As a general rule, each warden post will be responsible for a residential block or factory area where about 500 people live or work. Several wardens may be assigned to such a post.

They will teach people how to protect themselves, instruct them in civil defense regulations, distribute civil defense information, keep lists of the people in their charge, and gather information about buildings and equipment in their neighborhoods.

Their records will include the home address, age, and physical condition of all persons in their charge. They also should know which people need special care and how to get in touch with their relatives and friends.

Other Important Duties
Wardens have other important duties too. If a warning sounded, they would conduct workers or the

occupants of buildings to safe areas. They would have the responsibility of helping to prevent panic among the population, render first aid, and performing rescue duties. If needed, they would help other services to fight fires and clear debris.

They also would help restore orderly life of the community immediately after an enemy attack. They would take a roll call of people in their areas. If anyone were missing, or needed nursing, medical care, they would report facts at once to the control organ.

The warden service works directly with individuals, families, neighborhoods, and employment groups. It is the link between the specialized civil defense service and the people.

Women Have Important Role
Women must play an important part in the warden service. It is especially true of houses for most women are at their posts day and night. Usually, they know their own neighborhoods better than men can ever know them. Women should interest themselves in the warden service as first step in the organization of civil defense for their neighborhoods.

Outstanding men and women who can assume responsibility are urged to volunteer for the warden service. (The next article will discuss other civil defense services.)

bearing three per cent interest, as needed. It also paves the way for extending the program to Korean veterans as well as Texas veterans of World War II.

H. J. R. 6: proposes to increase the ceiling on state old-age and welfare pension payments from \$35 million to \$42 million annually, and provides for a maximum monthly payment, out of state funds, of \$30 for needy aged.

Principal reason for the proposed increase is to permit Texas to get a maximum share of federal aid in the old age assistance program. Money expended from this state fund is matched by the federal government at the rate of 60 cents in federal money for each 40 cents of state money.

By limiting its own payments, the state has failed to qualify for the maximum amount available from the federal government.

Surely human affairs would be far happier if the power in the hands of the few were distributed more than sufficiently to those that men govern nothing more difficult than their tongues.—Benedict Spinoza.

Silence is the perfectest blessing of joy; I were but little happy if I could say how much.—William Shakespeare.

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