

The McLean News

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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Gossip

(More or Less)

3.6-inch rain fell in McLean last night

Rain came near to McLean Wednesday night, but didn't quite get here. Only a sprinkle came within the city limits. However, about one-half inch fell in a relatively small area about one mile east of McLean. None was reported to the south for Tuesday night.

Monday night, Pampa got nearly an inch in rain, and scattered showers were reported in several areas to the north of McLean.

The interior of Cliett Cleaners building has recently been renovated, and now presents a neat and eye-pleasing appearance. Bad places on the wall paper were repaired, and the ceiling and walls were given a coat of light green.

A joint meeting of members of the Dorcas Sunday School class and the officers and teachers of the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church was held Thursday evening at the City Park. A picnic supper was enjoyed by the groups and their families.

Members of the Dorcas class gave those birthdays were in July were given gifts from the class. They were Mesdames O. L. Tibbitts, Irvn Alderson, J. L. Johnson, Frank Reeves, and R. L. McDonald.

We didn't have the names of the girls for last week's paper, at just the same several of the members of the McLean chapter of Future Homemakers of America served at the annual Jaycee installation banquet a couple of weeks ago. The girls who helped were Betty McClellan, Oma Gail McPherson, Pat Shelton, Lois Woodruff, and Dixie Turpen. We're very grateful to these girls for helping us out. Hickman Brown, who was in charge of banquet arrangements, said, "and he just wanted them to know that their aid was a big item in making the banquet the success which it was."

A new home for Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Bunch, soon to be new residents of McLean, has been completed in the northwest part of town by the Ciero Smith lumber company, with the working done by Ed Jones, Hershel Smith, and their co-workers. The new home is modern in every respect and is finished on the exterior with asbestos siding. A ranch, for whom the house was built, will be a teacher in the local school system this fall.

Another new home has been started by the same crew for Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McCarty and family in the northeast part of town. The house, also to be a five-room structure, was begun last week-end when the foundation was laid.

Earl Riley of Mobeetie is the new face to be seen at the Ciero Smith Lumber company. Riley started working this week, and succeeds R. T. Reeves, who was called into the armed forces. Riley, who has been with the same company in Mobeetie, plans to move his family here prior to the opening of the fall school term.

Fun Nite for teen-agers will be held Friday night in the American Legion Hall. The program will begin at 8 o'clock, and all teen-agers are invited to attend. Each girl is requested to bring three sandwiches.

The Bone Boys—a trio of local musicians who blacked themselves as Negroes—presented the program at the regular meeting of the McLean Lions Club Tuesday noon. Hambone (Buck Henley) was the fiddler, T-Bone (Bill Ferguson) played the piano, and Chicken Bone (Conrad Cunningham) held forth at the guitar. The trio played during the meal, and then played several more numbers following the meal.

Donna Gail Stubblefield was Lions Sweetheart for the day, in the absence of the regular sweetheart, Floella Cubine. Guests included Foster Whaley and Earl Smith of Pampa; J. M. Gillpatrick, also of Pampa, who is conducting the meeting at the Church of Christ this week; Minister T. F. Shropshire; and Alan Williams of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine and daughter Floella left Tuesday for (Continued on back page)

Two Churches Making Plans For Meetings

The Baptist churches of McLean and Kellerville will each have a two-weeks revival meeting beginning Sunday, August 17, the pastors, Dr. Buell T. Wells of McLean, and Rev. D. L. Hunt of Kellerville, have announced.

Dr. C. B. Jackson of Dallas will conduct the meeting at the First Baptist Church in McLean. Dr. Jackson is assistant secretary of evangelism for the Baptists of Texas.

Duward Price, music director of the church, will serve as song director during the meeting. Dr. Wells has announced.

The meeting, which will close Sunday, August 31, will feature services twice daily, at 10 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock each evening.

"Everyone is invited and urged to attend these services," the pastor said.

Rev. W. C. Carpenter, Jr., pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church in Portales, N. M., will conduct the meeting at the Kellerville Baptist Church.

Rev. Carpenter was reared in McLean, and is known to many local residents. He is a grandson of Mrs. E. L. Minix, and a nephew of Mrs. George Colebank and Mrs. Sidney Kunkel of McLean, and R. B. Kinard of Kellerville. He held a revival at the Kellerville church in 1948.

Services will be held each morning at 9:45 o'clock and each evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. Hunt said, "Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock each evening preceding the regular preaching services."

Mrs. Brent Chapman, song director of the Kellerville church, will serve as choir director during the meeting.

The Kellerville church will close its meeting on Sunday, August 31, also, Rev. Hunt said, and the public is invited to attend all of the services.

Please, No Fires Tonight—Firemen To Have Picnic

For the benefit of the members of the McLean Volunteer Fire Department—please don't start a fire which will necessitate the calling out of the firemen tonight.

For tonight is the date of the annual firemen's picnic, at which they honor their wives and a few other guests.

The affair is to begin at 7 o'clock, and will be held in the City Park. In the event of rain—which the firemen, along with lots of other people, hope arrives—the picnic site will be in the new fire station.

A program will be presented, Fire Chief Boyd Meador said. Main item on the menu will be fried chicken.

Ouija boards got their name from a combination of the French and German words for yes.



REV. W. C. CARPENTER, JR., a former resident of McLean, will conduct a two-weeks revival meeting at the Kellerville Baptist Church, beginning Sunday, August 17. Rev. Carpenter is now pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church of Portales, N. M.

Not Grid Game—Derbies Win By 29-12 Score

The score was 29 to 12. No, you're wrong, it wasn't a pre-season football game. It was a game of baseball.

And the occasion was the meeting of the McLean and St. Francis ball teams at St. Francis last Sunday afternoon. The McLean Derbies came out on the long end of the score, racking up 13 runs in the 7th inning—the 7th, incidentally, was the final inning since the two teams quit at that point.

To give you some idea of the kind of a game it turned out to be, the Derbies made six home runs and 21 hits. The St. Francis team got two home runs and only eight hits. Banging out homers for McLean were Smith, Sammy Haynes, Johnny Haynes, Claborn, Fern, and Watson. And the Derbies got three triples, also, hit by Smith, J. Haynes, and Fern.

L. M. Watson tossed for McLean, getting 12 strike-outs. Beard, the opposing pitcher, managed to whiff six McLean batters in the wild seven innings.

The game brought McLean to within one game of ending the season. The Derbies will go to Claude next Sunday for the last regularly-scheduled match of the season. Other Caprock League games will include St. Francis at Hedley, and Clarendon at Panhandle.

BIRTHDAYS

- August 10—Jim Back, Mrs. A. L. McCarroll.
- August 11—Linda Fay Smith.
- August 12—Vernon King, Janet Kay Warren, Donna Johnston.
- August 13—J. B. Hembree, Buddy Edwards.
- August 14—Bob McMaham, Ray Hill, Gene Nicholas, Evelyn McConaghe, Winnie Mae Patterson, Thomas Bailey.
- August 15—Dick Wheeler, Nicky Dan Skipper.
- August 16—Barbara Barrett, Mrs. Elmer Gudgel, Mrs. Jack Litchfield, Chas. A. Gatlin.

Drive-In Show May Be Open By September 1

Work on the drive-in theater for McLean—as yet to be given a name—is well under way, and Amos Page, who is building the out-door motion picture theater, hopes to have it ready for business by September 1.

The theater is being constructed just outside the city limits east of McLean on Highway 66. The original site was south and west of McLean, but the new location was considered to be more desirable by Page.

Ramps for parking cars have already been built, and the underground wiring for the individual amplifiers has been completed, Page said. The five ramps which are already built will accommodate 138 cars, and an additional ramp may be completed before the theater opens for business.

The screen will be at the west end of the area, facing east. The projection booth building, which will also house the concession stand, will be located at about the center of the area.

Work on running an electrical line to the theater site was being done Tuesday by a line crew of the Southwestern Public Service company. The poles for the screen were to be erected this week, and actual work on the giant screen should be completed by September 1. However, Page explained, there are many details to be finished, and it is possible the opening date may have to be postponed.

Grogan Loses Posts in Blaze

Approximately 75 cedar posts and some scrap lumber were burned in a fire near the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess R. (Doc) Grogan about nine miles south of Alameda last Saturday.

Mrs. Grogan was burning trash when the fire got out of control. The local fire department answered the call and aided in controlling the burning posts. No damage was done to the Grogan home, and the fire was prevented from spreading to a nearby pasture.

Firemen also answered another call last Saturday. A grass fire near Wib Fowler's home just north of McLean brought out the firemen, but the fire was soon put out without a great deal of damage.

REVEILLE

... with the boys
SN Bobby Bruner, who has just returned from overseas, is here spending a three-weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruner.

Season's Second Softball Tourney To Begin Here Tuesday Night

Last Rites Held In McLean for 'Fred' Haynes

Funeral services for L. A. (Fred) Haynes, pioneer resident of this area, were held last Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the McLean Methodist Church.

Conducting the rites was Rev. C. W. Parmenter, pastor. Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of the Claborn Funeral Home.

Haynes died Monday at last week in Wichita Falls. Survivors include two sons, Smith Haynes of Jacksonville, Fla., and R. L. Haynes of Tampa, Fla.; and one sister, Mrs. Loula Ladd of McLean.

Haynes was born March 1, 1873, in Julian City, Calif., and was 79 years, 4 months, and 27 days of age at the time of his death.

He came to McLean in 1913 from Greer County, Okla., and was a merchant here for many years. He was a brother of the late A. W. Haynes, also a pioneer merchant. He was a member of the Methodist church and the Odd Fellows Lodge.

Pallbearers at the funeral were Bob Sherrod, Sammy Haynes, Johnny Haynes, Ted Simmons, Jack Brooks, and L. M. Watson. Out-of-town relatives attending the funeral were Mrs. Veta Myers and Mrs. William Smith of Willow, Okla.; Mrs. Frank Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Dwight Holder, and Mrs. O. F. Hudson, of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Wood and Mrs. C. F. Caughey of Pampa; W. L. Haynes of Weatherford, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Nelson of Dimmitt.

Cross Roads, Texas, No, Not Shamrock, But 5-Mile Corner

Shamrock can take down its sign now—proclaiming it's the "crossroads of the nation"—for Shamrock isn't even the Cross Roads of Texas, much less the Cross Roads of the nation.

Cross Roads is now located officially five miles east of McLean on U. S. Highway 66. It isn't Liberty, or Jonesville, or Fryeburg, or anything else except Cross Roads, Texas.

The signs were put up this week by the State Highway Department. Crew workers who erected the signs said that there already is a Liberty, Texas, and a 5-Corner, Texas. So now it's Cross Roads at the well-known "5-mile corner."

Opera Growing In Attendance At Samnorwood

The Samnorwood Grand Old Opera will present the following people on the Friday night program, beginning at 8:15 o'clock at the Samnorwood gymnasium: Dr. E. W. Jones, the Palo Duro Playboys, and Bennett Goodloe, the Rhythm King, from Wellington; Henley Bros. Band from McLean; the Haystack Mountain Boys from Willow, Okla.; the David Family from Clarendon; Brown Bros. from Borger; the Lonesome Valley boys from Erick, Okla.; and Major Franklin and his string band from Sherman.

Major Franklin plays all types of music, has played with Rubin-off, and has been defeated only once in fiddlers' contests. According to Orville Cunningham, superintendent of the Samnorwood school, the Grand Old Opera has gained such wide recognition that it is attracting from 3,000 to 3,500 people at each performance. It is not an amateur show, but attracts professionals, and is being produced to promote the enjoyment of good entertainment. The programs are free to the public, and due to a lack of sufficient seats in the gymnasium, people attending are asked to bring their own folding chairs.

Anyone desiring to appear on the program is asked to contact Cunningham at Samnorwood; Bill Day, McLean; Bill King, Dozier; or Curtis Marchbank or Bennett Goodloe, Wellington. Bookings are made two weeks in advance.

A special invitation is extended to people of the McLean area to attend the programs.

Example has more followers than reason. We unconsciously imitate what pleases us, and approximate to the characters we most admire.—Christian N. Bovee.

"Fan," meaning an enthusiast, comes from the word "fanatic."

Deadline Soon—

AUTO INSPECTION

With the deadline for having 25 cents to maintain the program inspected under the new state inspection law only a few weeks off, several hundred cars in the McLean area remain to be okayed by an official inspection station.

Deadline for the inspection is September 6—in other words, each car must have the okay sticker on its windshield on September 7, or the owner of the car is subject to a fine of not more than \$200.

Inspection stations in McLean include the Cooke Chevrolet company, Andrews Equipment company, Hibler Truck and Implement company, and Dysart Motor company.

The law specifies that a charge of \$1 is made for each car inspected. Any necessary repairs, in order to get the car to pass the test, must be made at the expense of the car owner. Of the \$1, the inspection station retains 75 cents, and the state gets

'Eight Teams Expected To Be Entered in Meet

A second invitational softball tournament, which will close out the softball playing in McLean for the summer, will be held Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights of next week. The tourney will be sponsored by the McLean Lions Club, the organization which also sponsors the regular summer softball league.

The summer softball league in McLean ended Thursday night of last week, when Holloway's team won a thrilling 5-4 game over the Methodists in the last half of the 7th inning. Holloway's trailed most of the game, and were behind 4-3 when they went to bat in the bottom of the 7th.

In the opening game, the Post Office downed the FFA team 6-4 to take third place honors. The two games ended the league play for the summer months.

Three out-of-town teams have already definitely entered the tournament, J. C. Claborn, Lions president, said. The teams are the Pampa Foundry, the Phillips team from Lefors, and the Skelly-Schaeffer plant team from Skellytown. The Lions Club will sponsor one local team, and another is expected to be entered from McLean.

Several more out-of-town teams will be entered, Claborn said. The Shamrock league is being contacted, and it is hoped that at least one team from there will enter. It is also probable that the Texaco team from Lefors may enter, and the Sayre, Okla., all-stars may appear here again.

Admission will be 25 cents for adults and 10 cents for school children during the four nights the tournament is held. All net proceeds will go into the activity fund of the Lions Club.

Each team will pay an entrance fee of \$25, with the winning team getting \$10, second place \$50, and third place \$25.

Farmers Union Opens Office

The Farmers Union Insurance has opened its state office in McLean, in the building next door to the City Barber Shop.

W. F. (Bill) Stubbs, state manager of the insurance division of Farmers Union, stated that the office will, at the present time, be open only on Saturday and Monday of each week.

The former local agent, Mrs. Hazel Smith, has moved from McLean, and the firm has no local agent at present. As soon as a licensed agent is employed, the office will be open each day, Stubbs said.

Buffel Grass? Winter Will Tell

Paul Kennedy's half-acre of buffel grass may freeze out this winter, but it certainly has done well to date without any rain.

Kennedy planted the small patch of the new grass last spring following a rain, and it has had no moisture since. For a while he believed it needed to be replanted—and as a matter of fact, he would have replanted it if he had had more seed. But he had no more, let it go, and surprising to him, the grass came up.

The buffel grass may be seen on Kennedy's quarter-section of land about one mile north and east of McLean.

No one knows just what results the grass will yield from year to year. Kennedy's is the first in the McLean area, although there are a few small trial patches in Donley County close to Clarendon. The winter weather in this area may prove too much for the fine grazing greenery, but that trial is yet to come.

But Kennedy will make money on his half-acre patch. The seed cost him \$8 per pound, and he bought only two pounds—all he could get at the time.

The yield of the small patch will be about 25 pounds, and at \$8 per pound, brother, that ain't hay. Of course, there are some expenses, the highest of which is gathering the seed. The harvesting is done by hand, since this type of grass isn't being combined, at least not yet. Kennedy has to hire someone to do that harvesting, and it is gathered by simply stripping the small stems.

All the seed doesn't ripen at one time, either, which means it must be stripped by hand, more than one time.

The plant takes on heavy roots, Kennedy said, and may be able to withstand the cold weather. But for grazing, the buffel has proved very, very good in areas where it has proved its mettle. The grass contains a high percent protein; higher, Kennedy

says, than the popular blue panic grass.

Kennedy is also having 50 acres of land broken 20 inches deep at the present time. He has one 56-acre plot deep broken, part of which is in cotton, part in alfalfa, and part in melons.

Immediately north of the cotton is more cotton on land which has not been broken deeply, and the cotton on the deep-broken land is taller, more productive, and is withstanding the hot weather much better than the regular sod land. The regular land, incidentally, is only in its third year of production, having been broken to planting only three years ago.

Kennedy, who is superintendent of the McLean schools, rents out the land, but still manages to keep a good tab on it. He is doing an excellent job of soil conservation and crop diversification on the quarter section, in an effort to make it more productive as the years pass.

8th Annual Boys Ranch Rodeo To Be in Amarillo on August 31

August 31 and September 1 are the dates set for the big eighth annual Boys' Ranch rodeo.

All the boys from America's first boys' ranch will take a two-day rest from their chores and sports to give the people of this area a first-hand look into what kind of cowboys they really are when they present their eighth annual rodeo in Amarillo over the Labor Day week-end.

Two performances will be held, at 2:30 on Sunday, August 31, and at 8 on Monday, September 1, at the Tri-State Fair rodeo arena in Amarillo. The Will Rogers Range Riders are sponsors of the rodeo, but the show will be put on entirely by the young cowboys from the ranch.

The boys participate in every event that is seen in any professional show plus added special attractions such as trick riding and roping and the clown acts. There will not be any absence of thrills and spills because the boys are competing for prize money and for the honor of being named as the best all around cowboy of the year, which is judged according to points received in the various events.

Also on hand to entertain the audience will be the world famous and highly colorful Bit and Spur Riding Club of Kansas City, Bud Lucas with his troupe of rodeo acrobats, and the well-known stars of stage, screen, radio and television, the Whippoorwills and Georgia Brown, who appear with Roy Rogers on all his programs and in the movies.

All proceeds from the Boys' Ranch rodeo will be used for the Boys' Ranch expansion program which will help provide for many

more boys. General admission tickets for adults are \$1.50, and children's tickets are 75 cents. Reserved seats are priced at \$2.25. Tickets will be available by mail at B. F. Goodrich, Vance Hall Sporting Goods, and Henry Blackburn's Sporting Goods stores in Amarillo, or at the arena on the two days of the rodeo.

Mr. and Mrs. Price Webb and family of Clarendon spent Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Guthrie.

Miss Peggy Ann Coble of San Francisco, Calif., is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Smith and family.

Mrs. D. P. Bowman and daughter Judy of Oklahoma City are visiting her sister, Mrs. Bill Cash and family.

George Brown made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and Mrs. Tom Hefner were Pampa visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Angle and family of Plainview are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Ramey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lee spent Saturday night and Sunday in Skellytown with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smith. They visited in Pampa Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Caudill Pugh and Mr. and Mrs. Otis McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thornton of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Berry of Wellington were Sunday guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Trew and Mr. and Mrs. Nep Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Witt of Canadian were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wiggins of Lefors visited Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Flowers of Canadian spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Trew.

Nelda Hanner, Rose Ann Cantrell, and Claudia Lamb, all of Lela, visited with Mauree Miller Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Russell and family of Amarillo spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hibler.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Word, George Orrick, and Drew Word were in Chillicothe Monday to attend the funeral of Ernest Word.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price and son Neil, and Mrs. Velma Betchan were in Hollis, Okla., Sunday visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Sweett and Linda Herring of Wichita Falls spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Omcr Smulcer.

Mrs. L. F. Hauck made a business trip to Canyon Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley is visiting in Mobeetie with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Trout and family.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hinton and daughter Donna spent the week-end in Clarendon with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jenkins made a business trip to Pampa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Stroud and children of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Skipper and children, and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman and children of Amarillo are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman and family.

Mrs. David Booth left Monday for Norfolk, Va. to join her husband, who is stationed there in the navy.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Kunkel of Pampa spent Sunday here in the homes of Mrs. Bunia Kunkel and Oba Kunkel and family. Mrs. Oba Kunkel returned home with them to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bynum and children of Chowehilla, Calif., visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Simpson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cliett and daughter of Pampa, returned Saturday from a two-weeks vacation trip to California.

Marie Watson left Monday for a week's visit at Hobart, Okla., with Sandra Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson and family and Glenda Smith attended the homecoming at Goodnight Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Turner and daughter of Lefors were McLean visitors Monday.

Mrs. Ethel Cantrell of Amarillo spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green.

Mrs. W. E. Green visited in Denver, Colo., last week with her son, Walt Green, who is ill.

Mrs. W. L. Tevey and son W. L. of Breckenridge are visiting this week with Mrs. Madge Page.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cooper and family of Amarillo spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Windom are visiting this week in Bovina with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ware.

Mrs. E. J. Windom, Mrs. E. J. Windom Jr. and sons, and Mrs. Marsalee Vineyard were Pampa visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Erskine of Fort Worth and Mrs. Vernon Johnston of Dallas visited last week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves. Mrs. Erskine and Mrs. Johnston are sisters of Mrs. Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Nicholson left Tuesday for Muleshoe to visit with their daughter, Mrs. Merle Stevens.

Mrs. George Humphreys and son Jack are visiting relatives in Arizona this week.

ELK CITY'S

14th Annual

RODEO

Aug. 21-22-23

Three Nights
Thurs.-Fri.-Sat.

First year in our new Rodeo Park—2,000 additional seats—plenty of comfortable seats for all.

Butler Brothers
Homecoming Rodeo

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE UNDER ORDER OF SALE

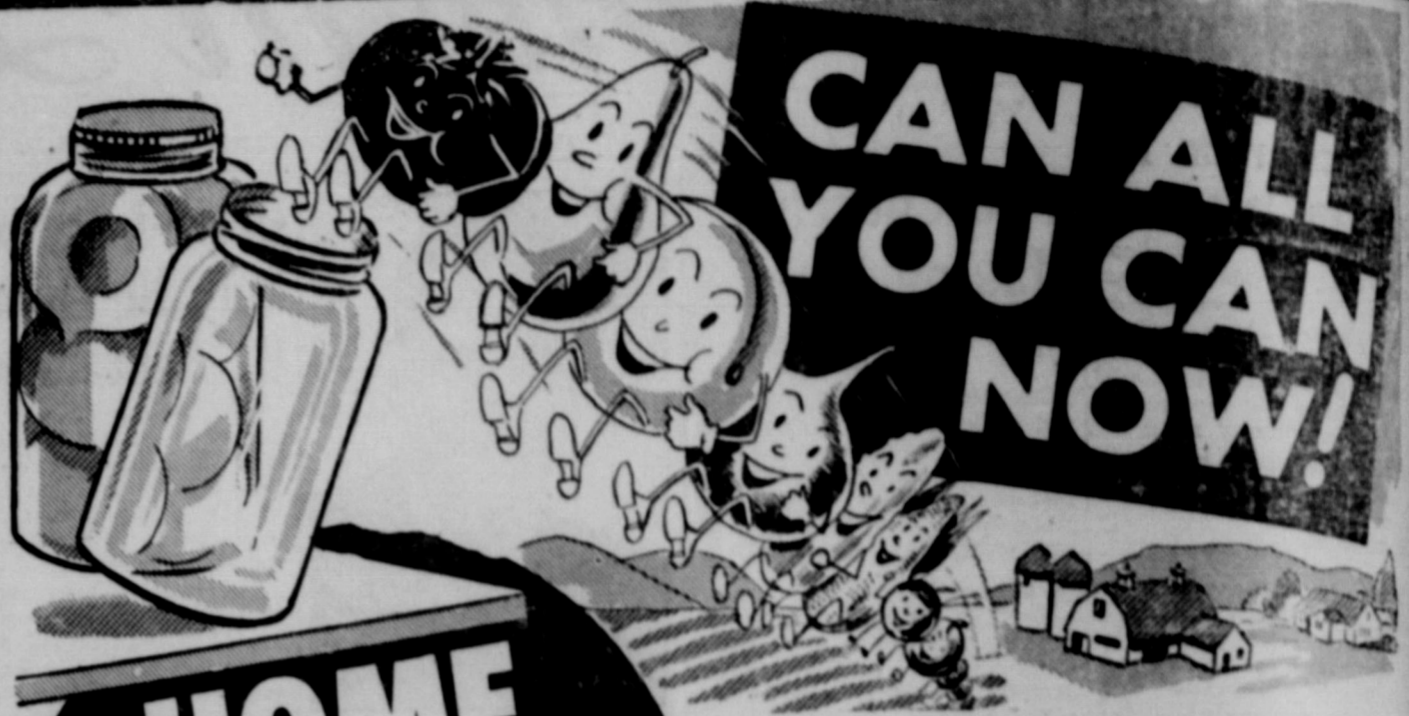
STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GRAY
O. G. STOKELY, Plaintiff
VS.
FRED BENTLEY AND MARIAN BENTLEY, Defendants
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS.

Whereas by virtue of an order of sale issued out of District Court of Gray County, Texas, on

a judgment rendered in said court on the 7th day of July, A. D., 1952, in favor of the said O. G. Stokely and against the said Fred Bentley and Marian Bentley, No. 10379 on the docket of said court, I did, on the 4th day of August, A. D., 1952, at 5:30 o'clock p. m. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Gray, State of

Texas, and belonging to the said Fred Bentley and Marian Bentley, to-wit: All of Lot 14 in Block 25, of the original town of McLean in Gray County, Texas; and on the 2nd day of September, A. D., 1952, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on said day, at the court house door of said county,

I will offer for sale and sell public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said Fred Bentley and Marian Bentley in and to said property. Dated at McLean, this 4th day of August, A. D., 1952.
R. H. Jordan, Sheriff of Gray County, Texas.
By Jimmie Shelton, Deputy.



HOME CANNING Sale!

CAN ALL YOU CAN NOW!

Start your home canning now . . . and do it by easy, economical stages as each crop becomes plentiful and prices are lowest. And to put lasting flavor in every jar you can or freeze—come to COOPER'S for all your canning needs . . . for luscious, juicy-ripe fruits and tender, young vegetables—the pick of the crop—the season's best buys. Come here, too, for jars and rings, paraffin and pectin, vinegar and spices—for everything you'll need to do things up RIGHT!

Prices Good Fri., Sat., Aug. 8, 9, 1952

We Reserve Right to Limit Quantities

- Shurfine No. 2 can
Cherries 5 for \$1.00
- Libby's **SPINACH** No. 2 can 15c
- Hunt's **PEAS** 303 can 15c
- Hunt's All Green Tip **ASPARAGUS** No. 1 can 29c
- Pioneer **Vanilla Wafers** 10 oz. pkg. 15c
- Quality Meats **Cudahy Gold Coin BACON** 1 lb 45c
- Longhorn Winconsin **CHEESE** 1 lb 49c
- Farm-Fresh Produce **Golden Bantam CORN** 5 ears 25c
- Fancy Bell **PEPPERS** 1 lb 19c
- U. S. No. 1 White **POTATOES** 1 lb 6c

- BISQUICK** Large pkg. 45c
- Walker's Austex **BEEF STEW** 29c
- Campfire **VIENNA SAUSAGE** 3 for 19c
- Proctor and Gamble **CHEER** large box 27c
- Canning Dept.**
- SURE JELL** 2 for 19c
- Hunt's **VINEGAR** quart 19c
- CERTO** bottle 21c

Political Announcements

The News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries:

For County Judge:

J. B. MAGUIRE JR.
BRUCE L. PARKER

For Commissioner, Precinct 4:

O. L. TIBBETS
GLENN JOLLY

Nothing to Hide! OUR GAS
which we sell as regular or Ethyl
IS NOT DRIP

We can show you the refinery invoice on any gas which we sell as regular or Ethyl, giving the certified octane test. We do have drip gas in one tank, and it is labeled as such and is not colored.

Save by Buying High Octane Gas for—
21c gal, reg.
22½c gal., Ethyl
18c gal., Drip

Let Us Charge Your Battery—Requires Only One Hour's Time
Complete Line of Motor Oils

WOOD SERVICE STATION
Formerly Watt's Station Carl L. Wood, Owner

It's Bonus Time ALL THE TIME WHEN YOU USE PATTERSON-SARGENT HOUSE PAINT

BPS HOUSE PAINT

*Extra Years Of Beauty and Protection At No Extra Cost

Dress up your home exterior now with famed, long-lasting BPS House Paint. Tough and durable, it provides maximum protection against wear and weather . . . stays clean and fresh-looking for years! For top results, use BPS House Paint.

CICERO SMITH Lumber Co.

Quality

You Can--

... because you like home-canned foods—and it saves you money. An easy way to save is thru collecting Gunn Bros. Stamps, which may be redeemed for many valuable premiums.

Available with Gunn Bros. Stamps

Remember—Every Gunn Bros. Thrift Stamp You Fail to Collect Is a Definite Loss to You

John COOPER'S FOOD MARKET
THE BIGGEST LITTLE STORE IN THE PANHANDLE
McLEAN, TEXAS
PHONE 35

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1912

Premium Corn

Last year at the Dallas fair, the McLean country captured the first prize for the best single ear of corn in competing against the entire state, and if present indications count for anything she may easily do the same thing this year.

There is an exhibition at the American State Bank an ear of corn grown by T. H. Morton south of town that is a beauty. George Ballenger, in passing the Morton place, noticed this ear of corn that attracted his attention and he went in and pulled it and brought it to town for exhibition. The ear measures nine and three-quarter inches in circumference at the big end, and has 16 rows

of grain averaging about 50 grains to the row, more than 800 grains on one ear.

It is claimed by those who have inspected the different crops that there will be any quantity of excellent show corn grown, and it is likely the local fair will offer some attractive premiums on this product.

Benefit Recital

We are requested to announce that Miss Lola Lacy of Clarendon will give a recital at the tabernacle on next Wednesday evening, the net proceeds of which will be set aside to help build up a fund with which to purchase a hearse for the city. It has not been announced what the entrance fee will be, but a small fee will be charged at the door.

Miss Lacy is rightly recommended as a reader of especial ability and was induced to come to McLean through the efforts of Mrs. J. T. Bryant. It is believed that the entertainment will be well worth your while to attend and the public is cordially invited.

Meeting Closes

The Baptist church closed a most successful ten-day meeting at the tabernacle Wednesday morning. Rev. J. B. Riddle, who has been doing the preaching, left on the afternoon train. The visible results were 14 conversions and 17 additions to the church.

There was also a keen awakening among the faithful, and a general good spirit prevails throughout the community.

Rev. Riddle, who is a strong, fearless, consecrated preacher, put his best efforts into the ten days of labor here and the church raised for him about \$140. They also raised a small amount for G. E. Hilton of Erick, who assisted with the singing. The stay of Mr. Hilton here during this meeting was enjoyed by many of his old friends and patrons, he having taught in the high school here.

Business Improvements

The Bundy-Hodges Co. have a force of men at work this week erecting a substantial addition to the rear of the store building on Main St. T. A. Cooke is the contractor in charge.

This addition will have a floor space of 20x30 feet and the rear of the present structure will also be refitted, the old partition being taken out and replaced with glass.

It is the intention of the com-

Donley County— SOIL NEWS

Farmers in the Donley County Soil Conservation District need to start making plans now for planting winter cover crops this fall.

Land in cotton this year is the land that will be most likely to blow next spring.

This is especially true in the sandy areas where emergency tillage is not effective.

Adapted winter cover crops are wheat, rye, Austrian winter peas, and hairy vetch.

Seeding one or a mixture of these crops in the cotton middles in late August or September is the best method for getting a cover crop on this land.

The district has two drills especially designed for planting cover crops in cotton middles. These drills may be rented at 25 cents per acre. From all indications, these drills will be in great demand this fall. Farmers desiring to use one of these seeders should leave their names at the soil conservation office.

The district has employed Johnnie Johnson to rebuild these seeders to plant four rows in each middle instead of two. These machines will no doubt be more popular and will be used more as a result of this change.

Is your land going to blow next spring? This will depend to a large extent on what precautions you take this fall.

Planting a winter cover crop is one of the best ways to keep your soil at home during the blowing season next spring. Cover crops are especially important on sandy land in clean tilled crops such as cotton.

A large part of the cotton will no doubt be harvested mechanically this year, leaving very little residues on the surface to hold the soil.

Seeding cover crops is a "must" on thousands of acres of land too sandy for chiseling or other types of emergency tillage to be effective for wind erosion control.

Rye is one of the most dependable cover crops for sandy land. Winter legumes such as Austrian winter peas and hairy vetch are more valuable for soil building; however, more favorable weather conditions are usually necessary for them than for rye.

Probably the best plan is to use a mixture of wheat or rye with Austrian winter peas or hairy vetch. With adverse weather, the small grain will likely make a cover. With favorable weather, the winter legumes will make good growth also.

Some of the benefits of winter

cover crops are as follows:
1. Adds nitrogen to the soil.
2. Increases ability of soil to absorb and hold moisture.
3. Offers protection to the soil against wind and water erosion.
4. Aids in breaking plow pan.
5. Adds organic residues.
6. Aids in preventing crusting.
7. Helps to make better use of commercial fertilizer.

Planting date for winter cover crops is August 15 to October 15. Early planting is usually better in order for plants to make a good growth before cold weather.

All legumes should be inoculated before planting. Most soils in the district are low in phosphorous and the equivalent of 200 pounds of 20% super-phosphate is recommended for best results.

Your district has two drills and two row seeders to rent for seeding winter cover crops.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel were in Clarendon Thursday to attend the funeral of her aunt, Mrs. Will Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Tindall of Shamrock were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Henley and boys of Childress spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Henley, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Henley, and other relatives.

Lee Bonner of Jacksboro, who is spending the summer with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee, spent the week-end in Pampa with his uncle, Fuzzy Bonner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Williams and family of Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Heasley and daughter, and Theo Heasley of Tucumcari, N. M., and Mrs. DeWitt Patty of San Diego, Calif., spent the week-end here with their mother, Mrs. Hattie Heasley, and other relatives.

Mrs. John Scott and Mrs. Lucille Parker and daughter Rosemary made a business trip to Phillips Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts are vacationing in Oklahoma this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones visited Sunday afternoon in Clarendon with her mother, Mrs. J. R. Ayers.

Sondra Graham is visiting in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bailey and son Hank of Fort Worth spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. Bill Bailey and daughter Bonita, and Mrs. Josh Chilton were Amarillo visitors Monday.

Mrs. Jane Simpson was in LeFors Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back were visitors in Elk City, Okla., Saturday with Dr. and Mrs. William Featherston.

Mr. and Mrs. Laroy Sutton and family visited in Groom Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks and son are visiting this week in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. James Harder and son.

Mrs. Kate Everett is spending a two-weeks vacation in Brownfield and Grand Prairie with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams of Elk City, Okla., spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bizzell and boys. Gary and Gail went home with them for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and family were Shamrock visitors Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel made a business trip to Shamrock Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Beck and Mrs. T. W. Beck and daughter Ann of Wellington were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Beck.

Mrs. Dorothy Smith of Amarillo spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Sue Van Huse, and other relatives.

Mrs. Wib Fowler and daughter Marjorie were Amarillo visitors Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and children of Pampa spent the week-end here in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. O. K. Lee and Mrs. Frank Golithly.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and boys spent Sunday afternoon in Shamrock with his mother, Mrs. M. J. Williams.

Bethie Mantooth and Dortha Chase returned Sunday from a week's visit with Ann Cooper at Tucumcari, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall and daughter Linda visited Saturday with his brother, A. W. Tindall, who is a patient at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Giesler and family returned home Sunday after a week's vacation in Colorado.

Mrs. J. A. Crockett of Roswell, N. M. is here visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crockett.

Mrs. J. J. Phipps and children, Margaret and Jerry Frank, of Hollydale, Calif., and Mrs. Dean Grigsby and son Burt of Borger spent last week here with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith and son Kenny, and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Smith spent the week-end in Spur with Mr. and Mrs. Burr Rogers.

Dr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy and daughter Sandra of Lawton, Okla., spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy. They all visited Saturday night in Amarillo in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brady McCoy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Will G. Hiett and daughter Marsha Ann of Lone Mountain were Sunday visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hiett.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble made a business trip to Oklahoma City over the week-end.

Mrs. Ruth Cyndale and son, Kenneth Wood, made a business trip to Lamesa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Faris Hess and family made a business trip to Oklahoma City over the week-end.

Mrs. Granville Boyd and daughter Donna Joyce spent the week-end in Oklahoma City with Mrs. L. O. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis and Mrs. Ted Simmons were visitors Saturday in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brock.

Walter Cash of Pampa spent Wednesday afternoon of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Rish Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Chase and family spent the week-end in Mobeetie with Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Trout. Dwayne Trout returned home with them to spend a week.



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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cooper and children of Pampa were Sunday guests in the home of her mother, Mrs. Madge Page.

Miss Sadie Smith, Lawrence Bailey United in Marriage

Miss Sadie Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Smith of McLean, and Lawrence E. Bailey, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gutierrez of Columbus, N. M., were united in marriage July 26 in Mesquite, N. M.

The vows were read at 11:30 o'clock in the presence of several friends.

Mrs. Bailey attended schools in McLean, and at the time of her marriage was employed at the Greyhound bus station in Shamrock.

Mr. Bailey attended school in McLean and Shamrock, and is now in the armed forces.

Betrothal Revealed For Marie Sawyer And Vernie Immel

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marie Sawyer, to Vernie Immel, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Immel of Higgins. The date of the wedding has not been set.

Bread Discussed At Regular Meet Of Local H. D. Club

The McLean Home Demonstration Club members met Wednesday, July 23, at the American Legion Hall with Mrs. Clyde Brown as hostess.

Mrs. Bob Sherrod presided at the short business meeting, in the absence of the club president.

Miss Helen Dunlap, county agent, gave a demonstration on quick loaf breads and baked range bread which could be used as a dessert, toast, or for sandwiches. There are four types of quick breads, Miss Dunlap said. They are: pour batter as used for waffles; drop batter as used for cookies and muffins; soft dough for biscuits; and a stiff dough used in beaten biscuits or sodas.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Bob Sherrod, J. C. Claborn, Lester Campbell, Jess Kemp, John B. Rice, Claude Powell, and J. H. Kritzer, Miss Dunlap, and Jimmy and Ellen Kay Kritzer.

A picnic was enjoyed recently when the club members and their families met at the City Park.

Attending were Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kritzer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horne and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and Chris, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dysart, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Powell and family, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brown and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Beasley and family, Janice Page, Mr. and Mrs. J. Windom Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nash, and Mr.

Mrs. Lady Bryant spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Connell and son at Bowers Camp near Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Ritter and daughters left Saturday for Lubbock to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Grigsby and son Ronnie of Dumas spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. H. W. Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Smith and family and Donald Patterson spent the week-end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Moore.

Mrs. Lester Dysart and son, Gale Plummer, returned home Friday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Williams, at Pauls Valley, Okla. Gale returned to Pauls Valley Tuesday.

Cecil Dyer and son Jimmie of Amarillo spent Sunday night with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer.

Charles Woodrume of Bell Flower, Calif., has been visiting here with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Mildred Grigsby and Mrs. Jo Ann Avery of Pampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Grigsby and son Burt of Borger visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fields of Houston spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shaw.

Misses Ruby and Lea Bidwell, accompanied by Mrs. Zoe Coester of Wichita, Kans., and Mrs. Fern Bilderback of Amarillo, visited friends and relatives in Hedley Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCabe and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bidwell and son, Misses Ruby and Lea Bidwell, Mrs. Zoe Coester, and Mrs. Fern Bilderback visited Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bidwell at Mobeetie.

Raymond Smith of Abilene spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John Anders and family were Sunday visitors in Shamrock with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and family returned Thursday after a three-weeks vacation at Yellowstone National Park and in Seattle, Wash. They also visited her sisters, Mrs. Virgil McEachen and family, at Mabton, Wash., and Mrs. Bay Belle Oliver and family, at Umatilla, Oreg.

CARD OF THANKS

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed.

Smith Haynes, Mrs. Loula Ladd and Family, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Haynes and Family.

ATTEND REUNION

Relatives of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Neill held their annual family reunion Sunday at Elwood Park in Amarillo. About 100 attended. Those from McLean attending included Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. John Biggers, John Sublett, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob James.

and Mrs. Jess Kemp.

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Mrs. A. H. Smith returned home Sunday after a visit in Davis, Okla., with her sister, Mrs. John Mosley, and her brother, George Pierce.

Mrs. Jack Stewart of Cincinnati, Ohio, was a Sunday visitor in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Matthews and Mr. and Mrs. Nep Trew.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Shaw and Mrs. Earl Eustace were Shamrock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stokely and Mrs. Sarah Woody, accompanied by Nova Jones of Shamrock, spent Thursday and Friday in Oklahoma City with Mrs. George Shutton and family. Mrs. Woody remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Malone and children, Brenda and Jerry Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woodruff and children, Billie Faye, Linda, and Sandra, of Wolf City, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Walker of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Frith and son Jackie Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cruse and son Joe Dale, of Borger were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Ciddiens.

Mrs. Vernon King and children left Thursday for a visit in Halbrook, Neb., where Mr. King is working.

Mrs. Zoe Coester of Wichita, Kans., and Mrs. Fern Bilderback of Amarillo spent last week in the home of Guy, Ruby, and Lea Bidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and son Gary Joe spent the week-end in Amarillo with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bruner and son of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stevens and family of Pampa spent the week-end here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bruner.

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Funeral Held In Pampa for Roy H. Sewell

Funeral rites for Roy H. Sewell, Pampa cattleman and rancher who was well known to many residents of the McLean area, were held Friday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Pampa. Officiating were Rev. Tom Johnson and J. P. Crenshaw. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery in Pampa, with Masonic graveside rites.

Sewell, 59 years of age, died Wednesday of last week of a heart attack.
 An ardent rodeo fan and a past director of the Top o' Texas Rodeo Association, Sewell was to serve as starter this year for the Kid Pony Show, which was held Tuesday night.
 He was born March 24, 1893, in Mangum, Okla., and moved from Mangum to Wheeler County in 1900. He had lived in Pampa since October, 1924. He married Miss Ruth Chisum in 1925, and they made their home four and one-half miles east of Pampa on the Miami highway.
 Sewell was a past worshipful master of the Masonic Lodge at Mobeetie, a veteran of World War I, and a member of the American Legion.
 Survivors include his wife; two sisters, Mrs. R. B. Kinard of McLean and Mrs. R. E. Webster of Long Beach, Calif.; and three brothers, Leonard of San Fernando, Calif., Robert of Huntsville, Ark., Harry of Orosi, Calif., and Paul of Los Angeles, Calif.

Gossip—
 (Continued from page 1)
 Knox City, where they spent the night with Mrs. Cubine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Bridges, Wednesday morning Floella planned to board a chartered bus at Benjamin to travel with a group of young folks to Mount Sequoia, at Fayetteville, Ark. Mount Sequoia is a camp for sub-district, district, and conference news officers of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. Floella plans to be at camp until after August 16.

Donley County—SOIL NEWS

A good number of farmers have already made application to use the Donley County district's row seeders for planting cover crops in their cotton middles.
 The greatest interest in cover crops has come from a group of farmers north of Hedley. These include W. M. Snelson, H. L. Morgan, Bud Dorman, V. C. Waddell, and Herschel Kennmore.
 These men planted cover crops last year and have become sold on their value. They are planning to seed most all of their cotton land to rye, peas, vetch, or a mixture of these crops.
 Rye is the most dependable for a cover crop, while austrian winter peas and hairy vetch are better soil builders.
 The average amount of nitrogen fixed per acre by one of these winter legumes is approximately equal to the amount of nitrogen in 240 pounds of ammonium nitrate fertilizer. At the present price of this fertilizer the cost would be about \$10 per acre, not including the cost of application.
 A group of farmers near Ash-tola also plan to seed cover crops. Some of these are Kermit Evans, Leo Wallace, Burk DeBord, and Rayburn Smith.
 Evans used the district row seeder last fall and planted a mixture of rye and austrian winter peas. Evans was more than pleased with his results. He stated this land, being highly susceptible to blowing, did not blow at all this spring because of the good winter cover crop on the land. His cotton following the cover crops looks very pretty at this time.
 Some of the other farmers planning to seed cover crops are Harry Skaggs, Tige Hill, Bonnie Moor-ing, Albert Sanders, F. M. Fred-ric, Guy Sibley, H. L. Riley, Oscar Wilkinson, Edwin Eanes, Grover Moss, Marvin Jones, Doyle Messer, and A. B. Bynum.
 Many more farmers in the district should make plans now for seeding winter cover crops.

Mrs. Luther Petty and daughter, Mrs. Zora Kennedy, and her son Vernon, returned Monday from a two-weeks vacation trip to Missouri, Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, and Texas points. Among relatives they visited were Francis Petty at Denver, Colo., and Harold Petty and family at Moberly, Mo.
 W. W. Edwards made a business trip to Wellington Tuesday.

NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tindall, Peggy and Phyllis, are vacationing in Yellowstone Park and in Colorado.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Burns and children of Skellytown spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller.
 Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kiser and boys of Amarillo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Kiser.
 Mrs. Elmer Immel, who was ill last week, is better and able to be out this week.
 Miss Delpha Lauderdale, who has been visiting in the Jack Boyd home, returned to her home at Pecos Sunday.
 Christine Hunt is visiting friends at Chillicothe this week.
 S/Sgt. and Mrs. Earl C. Boyd of Fort Worth visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd, over the week-end. Bobby Boyd went to Fort Worth with them Sunday afternoon for a visit.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Boyd and Bobby, and S/Sgt. and Mrs. Earl Boyd visited their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Anna Hutchins, Saturday at Pampa.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Morris visited with friends at Pampa

over the week-end.
 Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wood and daughter of Tulsa, Okla., visited Mrs. Vioma B. Farren and the Archie Farren family last week.
 Mrs. O. L. Derrick and son of Pampa are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ray Gossett and family.

State Line Fair Set for September

The fifth annual State Line Free Fair will be held in Shamrock September 18, 19, 20, and exhibitors of Gray County are invited to enter in the various contests of the fair.
 The fair is being sponsored again by the Shamrock Chamber of Commerce. Pat Ryan, manager, said, and it is being designed to reflect the agricultural and industrial developments of the state line area, as well as its resources and possibilities.
 Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis were Sunday visitors in Panhandle with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Davis and family.
 Only about eight per cent of polio cases are now fatal.
 A U. S. Senator's term of office is six years. A U. S. Representative's term of office is two years.

HEP HOSTESS



Yep, a hostess who's hep wears voguish black and white cotton for entertaining, the National Cotton Council says. Here is a cool number by Ciro in black and white sequin checked cotton by Hope Skillman. The dress gets air-cooled shoulder slots to give it a halter neck and covered up look, too!

Announcing New Office in McLean

We have opened our state office in McLean, and will be happy to serve you in any way in which you may be in need of good, reliable insurance protection.
 Our former local agent, Mrs. Hazel Smith, has moved out of McLean, and for that reason we have no local agent here at the present time. However, our office will be open each Saturday and Monday to care for any insurance needs you may have. As soon as we obtain the full-time services of a licensed local agent, the office will be open each day.
 In the meantime, we invite you to come to our office either on a Saturday or a Monday, next door to the City Barber Shop, and let us go over with you any insurance problems you may have.

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A Request for Your Consideration

Duties of the office of county judge will prevent me from seeing each of you personally again before the second Democratic primary, but I do sincerely solicit your help and vote in that primary.
 I am especially anxious to seek the aid of those people who supported Mr. Harly in the first primary, and wish to ask for their vote in the run-off primary.
 My record of public office, as county attorney and now as county judge, is before you, and I sincerely hope that it has met with your approval.

Your support will be appreciated.

Bruce L. Parker
 Candidate for Re-Election, Gray County Judge

Dove Season To Open Here September 1

The executive secretary of the Texas Game and Fish Commission has been notified of U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service approval of recommended mourning dove hunting regulations for Texas.
 He also was advised by telegram that the fall waterfowl regulations for Texas will be approved probably on August 8.
 The federal agency has final authority over dove and waterfowl regulations, since doves, ducks, and geese are migratory.
 It approved a 40-day mourning dove hunting season for North Texas beginning September 1, and a 40-day season for South Texas beginning October 1. Shooting will be restricted to afternoons, beginning at 12 o'clock noon and ending at sunset. The limits are 10 birds per day and 10 in possession.
 The Washington agency also approved the whitewing season, recommended by the commission, for September 12, 14, and 16, shooting to begin at 4 p. m. and last until sunset. The limit is the same as for mourning doves.
 Both mourning dove and whitewing dove regulations are identical with 1951 except that the south zone mourning dove opening date was changed from November 15 to October 1, and the whitewing dates were altered to provide for a week-end hunting period beginning on a Friday and

extending through a Tuesday.
 The executive secretary said all indications were that regulations will be announced much earlier than last year. He has been designated to attend a national flyway conference on August 5 which will be a part in final decision.
 The Game and Fish Commission has recommended Texas zoning for waterfowl, with a proposed north zone season beginning October 31 and a proposed south zone season beginning November 21. On the theory that longer season than the 1951 season may be allowed, the zoning request falls, the commission asked that state waterfowl hunting begin October 31.
 Texas had a 50-day waterfowl season last year, beginning November 9 and ending December 28.
 Miss Jessie Corbin of Denver, Colo., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Corbin.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ford of Guyton, Okla., spent week with their uncle, L. B. Petty.
 Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. M. D. Curry were Jewel Rimmer and daughter of Wheeler; Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Coon, Jackie Coon, and P. C. Curry, of Cheyenne, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. William Ford and daughter Judy, of Redland, Okla. Mrs. Curry recently received treatment for a throat ailment. She is much improved.

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