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(More or Less)

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis were... Sunday in Phillips with... son Kenneth, who was in... last Monday in a fall at... Phillips plant. Kenneth and... fellow worker were painting a... 30 feet high, when the guide... broke with them, causing... to fall to the ground. Kenneth hit the ground first, making his right leg and sustaining painful body bruises. The... worker was able to return to work the next morning.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the... Holiness Church will... fresh home-made pies for... every Thursday afternoon. A. C. Kersey said this week... desiring pies are asked to... their orders the first of... week, designating the kind... pie desired. All pies will be... to the homes of the... Pecan pies are 75 cents... and others are 65 cents.

Bobby Kramer, son of Mr. and... E. H. Kramer is making... on the football team of... handle A. and M. at Good... Okla., this year. Kramer, outstanding end for McLean... School a few years ago, is... an end position on the... at Goodwell. In a game... Saturday, he snagged a pass... about 50 yards for one... touchdowns made by his...

Fun Nite for teen-agers will be... Friday night at the American... Hall, sponsors of the... said this week. The enter... will begin following the... Memphis football game.

Eight young people of the... Methodist Church were... Bible Sunday morning... comprising the group giving... best programs for the Meth... Youth Fellowship meetings... June. Those receiving Bibles... Gail and June... Floella Cubine, Vir... Beck, Dortha Chase, Bethie... Jerry Russell, and... Mantooh. The awards... given by the pastor, Rev. W. Parmenter.

Public installation ceremonies... new officers of the Rainbow... will be held in McLean Sat... night in the Masonic Hall... program opens at 7:30 o'clock... the public is invited.

BIRTHDAYS

October 5—Mrs. T. H. Andrews, C. J. Magee, Mrs. R. O. Birmingham, Eva Jo Day, Gary Tolson, Charlie Bogan, Mrs. Lillian Cunningham.

October 6—Mrs. Farris Hess, Sue Pettit, Colleen Crockett, Ernest Switzer, Mrs. Buster Bennett, Mrs. Roger Powers, Mrs. D. Nolan.

October 7—Mrs. James Massay, Marie Combs, Mollie Darlene, N. A. Barker, Mrs. Jack... r...

October 8—Bobbie Jean Turner, Richardson, Joy Richardson, W. Simmons, Mrs. Kenneth... r...

October 9—Jerry Smith, Dickie... Noah Smith, Mrs. C. E. ... John Griffith, J. Frank... well.

October 10—Mrs. F. E. Stewart, W. Burrows, Mrs. Ernest... Robert Lewis McDonald, ... Patterson, Larry Cunningham, Don Emmett Cooke.

October 11—Mrs. E. L. Peirce, ... Jesse Coleman.

Times Changing—... Rock Island Goes... Modern, All Diesel

Signs of the times. The spout on the Rock Island... tank was removed Tues... leaving no method for... steam engines in the... E. J. Lander, local... said.

The reason? The Rock... at least the Rock Island... which go through Mc... is now completely powe... by diesel engines, and the... into history.

Removal of the spout leaves... with no train-watering... for the first time since... Lander said it has been... two or three weeks since... engine passed... through here.

The new is slowly replacing... old.

Tigers Play Cyclone Here Friday Night

A powerful team of pridron... from Memphis will blow... into McLean Friday to meet the... Tigers on Duncan Field in a non-conference game beginning at 8 o'clock.

The Cyclone team has won three games in as many starts this

Junior Tigers Play Wheeler Here Tonight

The McLean junior high Tiger... grid team had the honor of... scoring the first McLean touch... down of the year last Thursday... on Duncan Field, but wound up... in a 7-7 tie with a similar team... from White Deer.

The junior high boys will meet... the Wheeler youngsters here to... night at 7:30 o'clock on Duncan... Field. The Wheeler game will... be a conference game.

Last week's game with White... Deer was a non-conference af... fair, since White Deer is in the... other half of the district.

District 1-A, as far as the... junior teams are concerned, has... been divided into two halves... Comprising one half are teams... from Wheeler, Canadian, Lefors, and McLean. The other half is... made up of White Deer, Pan... handle, Skellytown, and Claren... don.

A winner will be determined in... each half of the district, and then... the two teams will play for the... district title. McLean took the... district title during the 1951... season.

McLean Auto Being Moved New Location

The McLean Auto Supply was... being moved this week from its... former location in the Hibler... Truck and Implement building to... the building first door north of... Mertel's Store.

Ed Henley, who has been associ... ated in the past with the auto... parts store, has been named as... manager of the firm in its new... location, and will be in charge... in the future, Guy Hibler, who... has managed the business in the... past, said.

The new location is the build... ing on North Main Street form... erly occupied by the Recreation... Club.

"We will continue to handle... first-line auto parts and acces... sories," Henley said, "and invite... you to visit with us at any time... We have also moved our drum... grinding equipment, and are set... up to take of such work for... you."

McLean, Wheeler Play to 13-13 Deadlock

In Brief:

	McL.	Wh.
First Downs	11	9
Yds. Gain. Rush	127	137
Yds. Lost Rush	15	2
Yds. Gain. Pass.	68	121
Net Yds. Gain.	180	256
Pass. Compl.	8 of 15	3 of 6
Pass. Incep. by	1	1
Pen. Recd.	6 for 30	8 for 50
Oppon. Fum. Rec.	4	4
Punts	4	1
Punt Aver.	31	34

Scoring: McLean 13 (Wayne... Smith 6, Rodney Gunn 1, Eddie... Reeves 6), Wheeler 13 (Buddy... Toon 6, Clarence Whittenberg 1, Elmer Clements 6).

The McLean Tigers, faced with... a first-quarter scoring spree by... their opponents, came back in... the second half to score 13 points... for themselves and hold the... Wheeler Mustangs in check to tie... up the game last Friday night... at Wheeler 13-13.

The first quarter all belonged... to the Mustangs. The Class B... school got things underway on... the third play from scrimmage... and made a pass good for 69

yards and a touchdown. Then... before the Tigers could recover... from that telling blow, the Wheel... er lads ran over another marker... But the Tigers didn't give up... almost scored before the half... ended, and then came back to... score twice in the second half... The local lads also did well on... their passing, making eight of the... 15 attempts good. The Mustangs... completed three of six, but one... was good for 69 yards and an... other 44. The 44-yard pass came... in the last seconds of the game... and put the Wheeler team down... to the 1-yard line. However, time... ran out before another play could... be run.

Eddie Reeves, whose injured... leg has hampered his running... thus far, showed up extremely... well, particularly in the second... half. Wayne Smith, another back... who has been injured, shared the... running honors with Reeves and... Ricky Mantooh. Reeves scored... one McLean touchdown and Smith... the other.

On the line, the stand-out again... was James Jolly, who continues to... improve as the season progresses... Jack Hupp also showed up well

against the Mustangs. The... scoring was as follows: McLean... opened the game by kicking off... to Wheeler, with Ronde... Richerson returning to the... 28. On the third play, Rich... erson, playing the man under... the T formation, shot a jump pass... over center to Buddy Toon, who... raced 60 yards and over the goal... The play covered 69 yards, Cl... arence Whittenberg went through... right guard for the extra.

Still in the first quarter, the... Mustangs returned a punt to the... McLean 46. Five running plays... racked up two first downs and... placed the ball on the 19. Elmer... Clements circled left end to score... and Harold Lee's attempt to run... the extra point failed. The score... was 13-0.

Late in the second quarter, the... Tigers moved the ball downfield... starting from their own 45. Smith... was forced to punt, the ball going... to the 14. On the first play... from scrimmage, Whittenberg... fumbled, McLean recovering on... the 21. Three plays moved the... ball to the 12 as the half ended... Shortly after the second half... opened, Don Crockett recovered

a Mustang fumble by Richerson... on the Wheeler 18. Reeves and... Smith alternated on carrying the... ball to the 4. From there, Smith... hit left guard to score. Rodney... Gunn booted the extra point. Score, 13-7.

Early in the final quarter, the... Tigers took over on the Wheeler... 45. Following one running play... Reeves passed to Smith to move... the ball to the 12. Reeves hit... right tackle to score. Gunn... missed the kick and the score... was even at 13-13.

Later in the fourth period, the... Tigers got down to the 4-yard... line. Mantooh attempted a pass... which was intercepted by Glen... Sanders, who ran downfield to... the McLean 47. After three plays... the Mustangs lost the ball on a... fumble. McLean was unable to... move from there, and the ball... went back to the Wheeler eleven... in the fading seconds. Just be... fore the last second ticked away... Richerson uncorked a 44-yard... pass to Eddie McCracken to... about the 1-yard line. But time... was over before the Mustangs... had a chance to punch the ball... over.

School Classes Dismissed for Cotton Harvest

Classes in the McLean public... schools were dismissed this week... for a five-day period—Monday... through Friday—to allow stud... ents to aid in cotton boll pulling.

Shortage of boll pullers in the... area was cited as the reason for... dismissal of the classes. Local... farmers have been unable to ob... tain much help from transient... boll pullers, due to the better... cotton to be harvested on the... South Plains.

If no further announcement is... made, classes will be resumed... next Monday morning.

During the lull in school ac... tivities, additional work on... the new elementary school build... ing is being done under the... supervision of Buck Chambers... superintendent of construction for... the work contracted by B. F... Horn of Abilene.

Drinking fountains were to be... installed this week, and additional... work on the electrical wiring was... being done by Chambers and his... crew. The work was not com... pleted at the opening of school... when certain electrical materials... failed to arrive on schedule.

About the only school activities... being carried out are the daily... football workouts under Coaches... Don Leach and Wayne Hill. The... high school team is working out... at 3:15 o'clock daily in prepara... tion for the game with the... Memphis Cyclone Friday night... on Duncan Field.

Bonita Bailey, Floella Cubine Enter Contest

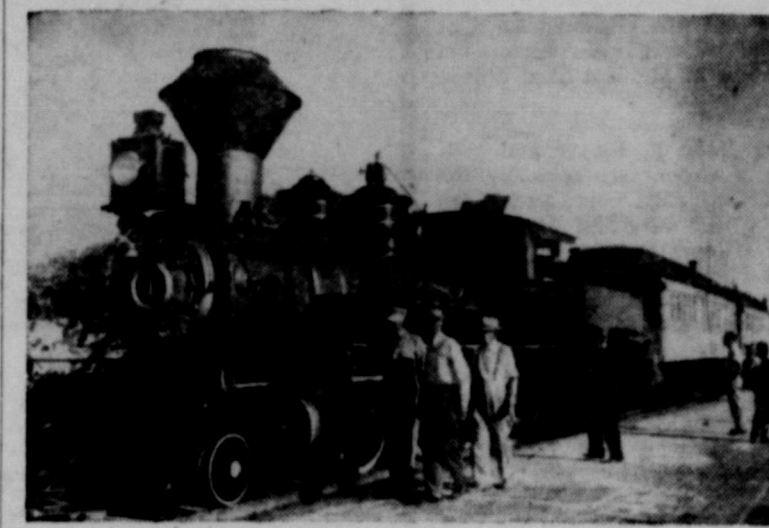
Bonita Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey, and Floella Cubine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine, will be entered in the "Miss Gray County" contest, to be held in connection with the Gray County 50th Birthday Celebration in Pampa October 12, 13, and 14.

Miss Bailey will represent the... McLean Junior Chamber of Com... merce, and Miss Cubine, Lions... Club sweetheart, will represent... the McLean Lions Club.

The contest will be held in the... Pampa junior high school audi... torium at 7 o'clock on the eve... ning of October 13. Winner of... the contest will be given an... expense-paid trip to the State Fair... in Dallas.

The contestants will be judged... on the following basis: 40 per... cent on personal beauty, consid... eration also being given to charm... , personality, and magnetism; 40... per cent on style, consideration... being given to carriage, good... taste, good grooming, appropri... ateness of ensemble and effect; 20... per cent on culture, consideration... being given to education, social... attributes, accomplishments, and... talents.

Free Chest X-Rays to Be Given In McLean on Next Wednesday



A REAL OLD TIMER of the rails—an engine with two cars—that rolled across the flat Panhandle plains during that exciting period 50 years ago, will be in Pampa October 12 as one of the many attractions in the Gray County 50th Birthday Celebration October 12, 13, and 14. The train is being brought to Pampa through the cooperation of Guy Buchanan, vice president and general manager of the Amarillo district of the Santa Fe Railroad.

Machine to Be In Operation at Dysart Building

Final details for the annual visit... next Wednesday, October 8, of... the chest X-ray machine in Mc... Lean were being worked out this... week by S. A. Cousins, McLean... co-chairman of the mass chest... X-ray survey program. The... machine will be in operation at... the Dysart Motor company build... ing on that date from 8:30 o'clock... in the morning until 5:30 o'clock... in the evening.

The machine, a service of the... State Department of Health... Tuberculosis Division, is being... sponsored in Gray County by the... Gray County Tuberculosis Ass... ociation and the Gray County... Medical Association.

Dr. Foster Elder of Pampa is... the general chairman of the... survey. Rusty Ward is the... Pampa co-chairman.

Members of the Progressive... Study Club, of which Mrs. J. C... Claborn is president, will be in... charge of the registration of those... taking the X-rays.

A telephone committee, headed... by Mrs. Velma Betchan, will work... throughout the day, notifying all... townspeople that the machine is... in operation. In addition, the... Lions Club has agreed to man... its public address system during... the day to remind residents of... the machine's presence.

J. Lester Dysart is chairman of... the unloading and loading com... mittee, and Jimmie Don Morris... will be in charge of the necessary... wiring for power for the machine.

Superintendent Paul Kennedy... has agreed to allow all sch... ol students 15 years of age and older... to take time out during the day... to have X-rays made. It is... probable that the students will... be brought to the location in a... group.

Only those people 15 years of... age or older are allowed to take... advantage of the free X-rays... Cousins explained. The machine's... annual visit is financed entirely... through state taxes, it was ex... plained, and is not a charity... operation. It was stressed that... the X-rays are for everyone, and... that everyone should have a chest... X-ray at least once each year.

Those having X-rays made will... not be required to disrobe, and... taking of the X-rays requires a... total of only about two minutes;... most of this two minutes is con... sumed in the registration.

All persons taking the X-rays... will be notified of the outcome... of the service. In the event a... possible case of T. B. or other... chest abnormality is discovered... the person's physician will also... be notified.

To me more dear, congenial to my... heart, One native charm, than all the... gloss of art. —Goldsmith.

When men give up saying what... is charming, they give up think... ing what is charming.—Oscar... Wilde.

The charm of a deed is its do... ing; the charm of a life is its... living; the soul of the thing is... the thought.—Eugene Fitch Ware.

HIGH PLAINS POLL

Mark your preference for President and return to the office of this newspaper.

FOR GOV. ADLAI STEVENSON

FOR GEN. DWIGHT EISENHOWER

You are invited to participate in this High Plains Poll on the presidential candidates. The McLean News, along with other weekly papers in the Panhandle, is cooperating with the Amarillo Daily News in the poll. We will carry weekly compilations on the local situation, as well as compilations on the High Plains area which are rounded up by the Amarillo paper. No need to sign your name, just voice your preference on this ballot, or a ballot similar to it, and bring or mail to the office of The McLean News.

**NEWS FROM
KELLERVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Tinkler and girls made a business trip to Oklahoma City over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bruton visited their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Bruton, Lee and Jerry, at White Deer Sunday.

She and Mrs. O. L. Hutchens of Fort Sill, Okla., visited his sister, Mrs. Jack Boyd and family, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Corbin and boys have moved to McLean.

The Lazy Daisy Club met last Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. S. Marshall. Refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mesdames H. A. D' Spain, O. L. Thompson, J. W. Gregory, Clarence Drum, Joe Harris, Brent Chapman, and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. E. C. West October 10.

S. H. Rhodes took the 7th grade of the Kellerville school to Palo Duro Park last Friday. Accompanying the group were Mrs. Ollie McPherson, Mrs. R. H. Rountree, and Mrs. R. K. Gossett. They also visited the museum at Canyon.

The Sunbeams of the Kellerville Baptist Church had their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon, with the counselor, Mrs. Jack Boyd, and co-counselor, Mrs. Pete Evans, in charge. Twenty-one were present. Wednesday night, eight were promoted from Sunbeams to G. A.'s and R. A.'s.

R. K. Gossett went to Oklahoma City Saturday for a check-up at McBride's Clinic.

Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and children of McLean visited Mrs. Vioma Faren Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham and son Gary Joe were Amarillo visitors Friday and attended the ice show and fair.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Moryan of McAlester, Okla., are guests this week in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. P. Dickinson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Carpenter spent the week-end in Lubbock with Dr. and Mrs. Charles Finley and family and Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Dalton and children spent Sunday in Alarced with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson of Borger were Sunday visitors here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentley and son Mike were Amarillo visitors Saturday and attended the fair and the ice show.

Mrs. Houston Belew of Tucumcari, N. M., spent the week-end here with her daughter, Mrs. Shannon Barker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins were Sunday visitors in Clarendon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Baley.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Boyd of Dumas were Friday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Boyd.

Mrs. John E. Dwyer and children of Groom are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hess. John Dwyer, agriculture teacher at Groom, has taken a group of boys to Waterloo, Iowa, to the national dairy cattle judging.

Mr. and Mrs. Drew Word spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Purcell and family, at Tucumcari, N. M.

Mrs. C. V. Bragg and baby of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sims and son of Shamrock, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Crowell of Groom, Mrs. Marie Henley of Liberal, Kans., and Van Brawley of Perryton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brawley.

Faris Hess left Monday to attend the fair at Lubbock.

Mrs. Laura Stratton returned to her home at Natalia last Wednesday after a visit here in the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank P. Wilson.

Mrs. Mattie Wilson and Andy Wilson of Borger were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Johnson and son Mike.

Mrs. T. N. Holloway and Mrs. Callie Haynes left last week for Dallas, where Mrs. Holloway is receiving treatment at Baylor Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Tedder and son Roger, and Dan Brock of Borger spent the week-end here with his mother, Mrs. T. J. Tedder.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg, accompanied by C. V. Bragg of Fort Worth, spent the week-end at Granite, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Waldrop attended the fair in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sargent are visiting her sister, Mrs. Cohen Gallegly and family, in Okla. N. M., this week.

Bill Carpenter of Perryton visited over the week-end in the homes of Mrs. D. C. Carpenter and Mrs. Odessa Gunn. Mrs. Bill Carpenter and son Billy, who had been visiting here the past week, returned home with him.

In Memory of Our Dear Mother Who Left Us 17 Years Ago September 27:
"O Mother, we miss you and long for you ever,
Your absence brings me a sigh;
But this is the comfort that stays with us ever,
We will come to you by and by,
In Heaven where partings come never,
Bright jewels bedecking her brow
She's living with loved ones forever,
A beautiful angel now,
The Family of Mrs. L. A. Haynes.

Crabtree, who moved to McLean in the early 100's. Dr. Orr was a dentist in McLean 40 years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George Terry and daughter Ann were Sunday visitors in Shamrock with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Campbell, and in Wellington with Mrs. Nettie Terry.

Mrs. Alma Weaver and Mrs. L. O. Beck are visiting in Graham with Mrs. Florence Rankey and Mrs. Clarence Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and family of Skellytown were Monday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Finis Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson and children, Betty and John, were visitors in Shamrock Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Dyer Jr. and family of Sidney, Mont., were in McLean over the week-end to attend the funeral of their nephew, Alvis James Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore and son of Clarendon were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson and family.

George Colebank underwent surgery at Baylor Hospital in Dallas last week. He is rapidly improving and is due to return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Plum and children were in Big Spring last week to attend the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Doyle Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Johnston spent last week with their daughter, Mrs. R. L. Latimer, at Wichita, Kans. Mrs. Latimer accompanied them home for a visit.

Billy Kid and Patricia McCoy of Amarillo spent last week here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham and children and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Watkins of Clovis, N. M., spent Sunday in McLean and in Shamrock visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cross of Post spent the week-end here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson and Mrs. Beulah Goldston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Havens and daughter Jeanne, and Shirley Allison and Sue Glass attended the fair in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Doney and children spent the week-end in Pampa with her brother, Wendell Love and family.

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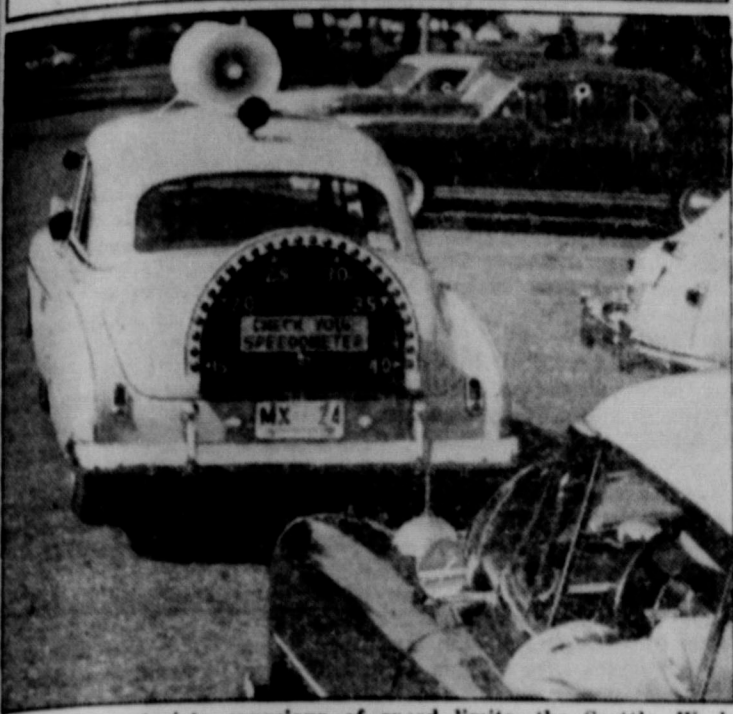
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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Dumas were Sunday visitors here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Fuqua were business visitors in Pampa Saturday.

Donley County—SOIL NEWS

The district still has plenty of rye seed left for sale to farmers and ranchers for cover crops. Frank White at the Clarendon Hatchery is handling this seed for the district. The seed is selling at \$2.85 per bushel.

With the moisture this week, a number of farmers have decided to go ahead and plant their winter cover crops. They are of the opinion that the benefits of a good cover are worth the risk even though there is little deep moisture in the soil at this time.

Rye is no doubt the safest crop to plant under the adverse moisture conditions that we have now. This crop will stand more dry weather, cold weather, insects, sand blowing, and other punishment than any other winter cover crop adapted to this area.

There is still ample time for planting rye, but the sooner it is planted the better the chances for a cover for the needed protection next spring.

Ray Holland, district cooperator, northeast of Lela Lake, is a great believer in rye as a soil improving crop as well as a cover crop.

Ray planted about 25 acres to rye in the fall of 1950. He allowed the crop to mature in the summer of 1951, but did not harvest the seed. Instead he disced the crop under and got an excellent stand and growth of volunteer rye.

He left this crop on the land until the next spring (1952) and turned it under as a green manure some time in April, or about the time it began to boot.

Ray then planted this land to cotton and grain sorghums and has noticed the difference in the growth compared to adjoining crops.

According to Ray, he got a much better stand and the crops grew off faster and had a better color on the rye land. Also, the crops have stood the drought better and will surely make a great difference in yield. The improvement in the grain sorghums is so obvious, that the difference can be observed from his house about one quarter mile from the field.

It is needless to say that Ray is going to plant a large acreage of rye for cover this fall.

Giotto, the artist, once painted a perfect circle with a single brush stroke to demonstrate his skill.

40 Years Ago—IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1912

Indian Relics

A most interesting collection of Indian relics is the one owned by Oscar Mathis of this city. While there is only a handful of trinkets of various kinds, interest attaches to them by reason of the fact that they were found in a grave where had been buried a warrior of the early days.

About ten years ago Mr. Mathis, in company of several other young men, was passing the head of the draw north of Alanreed and discovered the human skull that had been washed up. Further investigation revealed the grave and they dug it up, disclosing a great quantity of beads, some trinkets of silver, and the remains of a saddle, a gun, and a rude sword.

The beads, which were doubtless of yankee manufacture, are strung on some kind of thread that remains intact, although all the other clothing and leather was decayed. On the bone of the arm was found about eighty brass rings, these having almost covered the arm. Among the silver pieces was an ornament that likely had been used as a tip for a bow.

Mr. Mathis and his companions divided the spoils between them and had kept them in a tin box ever since, occasionally showing them to friends. Although he had never made a thorough investigation of Indian traditions, etc., he says he has heard that the brass rings on the arm denoted the number of men killed by the warrior. If that was the case, this big Indian must have been heap had.

None of the bones of the skeleton were preserved. The boys set the skull up and threw rocks at it, but didn't take the trouble to save it and it has doubtless entirely decayed.

Dr. C. E. Donnell reports the following births since September 1: 1, R. H. Biggers, a boy; 10, A. C. Stanley, a boy; 11, W. L. Haynes, a girl; 13, C. C. Israel, a girl; 21, C. A. Cash, a girl; 22, T. W. Landers, a girl; 23, J. B. Lavender, a boy; 25, Jesse

Menu Magic



GRILLED TOMATOES

Next time you are having pan broiled pork chops for dinner, plan to serve grilled tomatoes as an extra-special delicacy to accompany the chops. If you have never served grilled tomatoes, your family will find them a new taste treat. You will hear requests for frequent repeat performances!

Grilled Tomatoes

4 to 6 tomatoes
1/4 to 1/2 cup bread crumbs - salt

parsley, for garnish
4 tablespoons margarine
Select medium-sized tomatoes. Wash. Remove any unedible portion around the stem end of the tomato. Slice in half or cut a slice from the top if tomatoes are small. Sprinkle with salt to season. Mix the bread crumbs and margarine. Top the tomatoes with bread crumbs. Cook in the oven or under the broiler 10 to 15 minutes or until tender and the crumbs well browned.

Additional seasoning may be used. Onion juice or finely minced onion over the top is tasty, or a bit of celery salt or celery seed mixed with the bread crumbs adds to the flavor.

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

Mann, a boy.

Mothers Buy a Piano
At a joint meeting of the citizens with a committee from the Mothers Club last Tuesday morning, it was decided to purchase a piano to be used at the school house during school months and at the tabernacle the rest of the time. This action was thought necessary in view of the trouble heretofore experienced in getting the instrument for use of enter-

tainment and also for the meetings in the tabernacle.

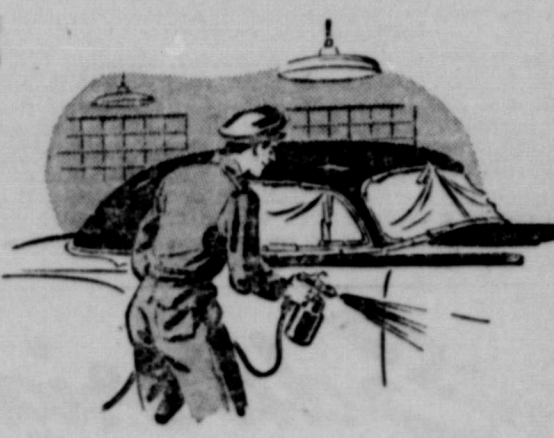
The instrument was purchased from the Bundy-Hodges Co. and it is said by different authorities in such matters to be a very fine instrument. The manufacturer made a discount of 75 dollars and Mr. Bundy gave them the benefit of his entire commission on the sale, making it cost \$245.50, to be paid for at the rate of ten dollars per month.

While the Mothers Club has taken the initiative in the matter of buy in the piano, they

expect they entire citizenship to help pay for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back spent the week-end in Dumas with Oran and Dorothea Back. Mr. Back attended a postmasters meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Solon R. Featherston of Wichita Falls spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back. Mrs. Back accompanied them to Pampa Saturday for a business visit with Dick Hughes.



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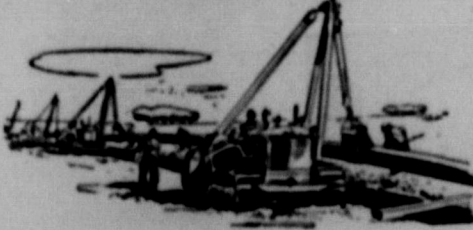
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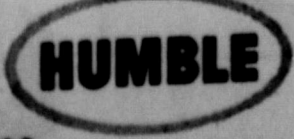
It's a good thing, this competition, a healthy thing. It is the life of the oil business; it keeps the industry vigorous, progressive, enterprising.

But its chief benefit is to you and other Americans. Competition within the oil industry discovers and develops a natural resource necessary not only to modern living but to national defense. It supplies you and the country with continuously improved petroleum products; today, two gallons of gasoline do work that required three in 1925, but the gasoline costs no more than it did then.



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Friday, Saturday:

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Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

Spencer Tracy, Katherine Hepburn
"Pat and Mike"

Wednesday, Thursday:

Van Heflin, Patricia Neal
"Washington Story"

Derby Drive-In

Thursday:

Peter Lawford, Janet Leigh, Lewis Stone
"Just This Once"

Friday, Saturday:

Glenn Ford, Ruth Romann
"Young Man With Ideas"

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

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Wednesday, Thursday:

Ann Blythe, Edmund Gwenn
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ABOUT VOTING

VOTING IS A MOST IMPORTANT part of the democratic form of government, and nearly every type of publication at one time or another points out that importance to its readers. Here are some excerpts from an article in a druggist publication which we believe worth reprinting:

November 4 is a date of great importance . . . it is the date of the national election.

It is usual for people in business to denounce politics and activities of politicians. Retailers often growl about government regulations. Loud is the outcry against overloads of taxes and the drift toward economic upheaval. Yet many of the people in business stay away from the polls and most of them decline to take an active interest in politics.

The records show that in the national election of 1948 only 51 per cent of the eligible voters bothered to make the vital trip to the polls, 53.4 per cent in 1940, 49.3 per cent in 1920, 73.5 per cent in 1900, and 78.4 per cent in 1880. Only 20 per cent (national average) of the eligible voters participate in the election of municipal, county, state, and congressional candidates.

It is less than enough just to cast votes for candidates you wish to see elected. You must help them campaign. They may lack the funds needed to cover the cost of literature, posters, radio time, etc. Then they have a serious handicap to overcome. Good men often have lost to mediocre candidates and the reason in many cases was the decisive factor of meager amounts of money for campaign purposes. You perhaps have been enraged on numerous occasions over the attitudes of individual public officials toward business. It may never have occurred to you that the retailers in general account for little in politics (they prefer to be silent observers on the sidelines).

The national election every four years centers the attention of the people on the candidates for president. The candidates for the many other offices are more or less overshadowed. It is of great importance in particular to help make sure that the spotlight is also turned on the candidates for election to the state legislatures and to the congress. It is vital to the independent retailers that the lawmakers are of the mind to recognize the position of small business in relation to liberty and the progress of the nation.



Official Memorandum

BY
ALLAN SHEVERS
Governor of Texas

AUSTIN, TEXAS

GREETINGS

In the light of international events, our cherished right of freedom of the press takes on added importance. For as we consider the pattern of aggression by forces seeking to dominate the world, we find that the gagging of the press is invariably a prelude to the destruction of free government.

We have reason to take pride in the alert and vigorous press that has been built up in our nation under our traditional freedom of thought and expression. We cannot, however, assume that it will always be that way. In our own hemisphere we have witnessed the death of La Prensa, one of the world's great newspapers. Elsewhere, we have seen the perils that beset the men and women of our free press in their pursuit of the truth. We have the example of William N. Oatis, now incarcerated behind the iron curtain in a mockery of justice by oppressors who know that the printing of the truth interferes with their aim to destroy individual rights and freedom.

In view of these and other disturbing events in the world today, it is appropriate that the slogan "Your Newspaper Lights the Way of Freedom" has been selected for the 13th annual observance of National Newspaper Week.

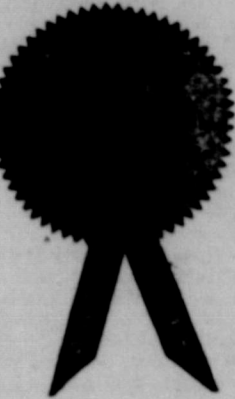
Therefore, I, as Governor of the State of Texas, in cooperation with this program of the free press of our nation, do hereby designate the period October 1 - 8, 1952 as

NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK

in Texas, and urge all the people of our state to take the opportunity during this period to become more familiar with the services and facilities offered by their community newspapers and their contribution to the preservation of our way of life.

In official recognition whereof, I hereby affix my signature this 10th day of October, 1952.

Allan Shevers
Governor of Texas



LES TALK

By LESTER

Speaker: Is there a man in this house who would let his wife be slandered and say nothing? If so, please stand up.

A meek little man stood up. Speaker: Do you honestly mean that you would let your wife be slandered and do nothing about it?

Little man (sitting down): Pardon me, I thought you said slaughtered.

This and other jokes, many of them better than the one above, were handed to me by a lady of McLean following the column full of jokes which I ran a couple of weeks ago. I won't mention her name, but I will thank her for the jokes. Others will follow from time to time.

He: I suppose you dance.
She: Yes, I love to.
He: Fine, that's better than dancing.

We apologize for being misinformed on the routine which would be followed on the concrete work for the highway. We had been told the workers would stop where the old and new highways cross between here and Alameda, and come to the east end to lay some more. But it didn't work out that way. Oh, well, you can just watch and see for yourself what the procedure will be in the future. At any rate, it's getting paved, isn't it?

"I understand that Violet is going to marry that X-ray specialist."
"I wonder what he sees in her?"

Politics is (or is it are?) a mighty peculiar thing. This Nixon deal, for instance. If the Democratic leaders had waited until a short time before election, something might have come of the Nixon expense fund. But the bag was opened too quickly, and now it appears that Nixon will gain, instead of lose, from the affair. You no doubt have seen such things happen before. As a matter of fact, it happened around here, and not too long ago. Yessirree, politics am mighty peculiar.

Coach (to football giant): You're outa condition. Whadya been doin', studying?

Would like to remind you that the chest X-ray machine will be in McLean Wednesday of next week. It will be located in the Dysart Motor company building from 8:30 in the morning until 5:30 in the afternoon.

The X-rays are given free, although they cost you in the long run, since the service is maintained by taxes.

Be sure and get your X-ray.

"My son is going to be a



"I don't think you knew who I was when you met me on the street yesterday, did you?"
"No, who were you?"

Young Mother (Calling down cellar steps, trying to locate youngster fresh out of the bath tub): Are you running around down there without your pants on?
Voice from below: No, ma'am, I'm reading the electric meter.

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mechanic."
"What makes you think so?"
"He has a knack for tinkering with a mss in the motor."

Would also like to remind you that next week is Fire Prevention Week. The main purpose of having a Fire Prevention Week is simply to call the attention of every person to the dangers of fires. Kind of a reminder to be more careful. Fire is one of our most useful energies, but it's bad, awfully bad, when it gets out of control. I guess what we really need is a fire prevention week every week. At least more caution, used in our everyday life, would bring on less fires—and then our fire insurance wouldn't cost so much.

Husband: Maybe we can figure out what the problem is. . . .
Wife: I know what the problem is; it's having too much month left over at the end of the money. . . .

Guess that's enuf for this time. They are pretty good jokes, aren't they? Will try to run some more of them later on.

Mrs. Faye Click and Mrs. Billy Jack Bailey made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bizzell and boys were Sunday visitors in Foss, Okla., with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bizzell.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Carter and family and Mrs. J. B. Pettit were Sunday visitors in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Pettit and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hamilton and daughter Cindy of Borger spent the week-end here with Mr. and Mrs. Custer Lowary, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stokely, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Grogan and children and Gayle Mullanax were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dalton and son Jimmy of Skellytown spent the week-end here with Mrs. Betty Dalton and Mrs. Pearl Burr.

Mrs. Gerald Bizzell made a business trip to Shamrock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and girls were Shamrock visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Patterson and family and Joe Don Biggers were visitors in Amarillo Saturday and attended the fair.

Bill Moore returned home Saturday after working in Colorado for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price and Mrs. Velma Bethan accompanied Mrs. R. L. Price to her home in Hollis, Okla., Sunday and visited other relatives.

Mrs. Irene Wade returned home Saturday after a visit in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Mabry McMahan.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright spent the week-end in Plainview with Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Newman and family.

Misses Nadine and Mabel Ann Lee spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Street at Arnett, Okla.

Mrs. Bill Bailey and daughter Bonita, Mrs. Elton Johnston, and LaJone Chilton were Pampa visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cousins left last Wednesday for a vacation in South Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Cliett and daughter of Pampa spent the week-end here in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Cliett and Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Meacham

and family spent Sunday afternoon in Lefors with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hedrick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooke of Amarillo spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Vita Cooke.

It. and Mrs. Johnnie T. Farmer of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mrs. Pearl Mercer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, accompanied by Mrs. Lucille Parker and daughter Rosemary of Phillips, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Watson and Mrs. C. W. McCool of Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. George Funderberg and children of Lefors were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mullanax.

Mrs. Annie Bowen spent the week-end in Shamrock with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McCabe, and Mrs. Melvin McCabe and son John Robert were Sunday visitors in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Ray McCabe.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Simpson and son of Jackboro spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Willis.

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

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

You are cordially invited to attend the Gray County 50th Birthday Celebration to be held in Pampa on October 12th, 13th, and 14th. The celebration will be opened by a Kick-off Program on Sunday, October 12th, and then the fun begins. There will be, among other events, a style show, street parade, beauty contest, dedication of LeFors Field, Old Timers' barbecue, unveiling and dedication of Gray County Pioneer Memorial, fireworks display, and a dance Monday and Tuesday nights with music by Hal McIntyre. Gray County's 50th Birthday means a great deal to us and we would like for you to consider this your personal invitation to share in the festivities.

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When your child has good light for homework at night, you can be sure that on the schoolday, the answer will be right. Adults need good light, too, and for sewing, reading and all work involving close use of the eyes, be sure the light is right. You have only one pair of eyes — you need only a few pennies of light to keep them right.

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Mrs. R. D. Garst Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

Mrs. Richard Dean Garst of Amarillo, who was Miss Dixie Wardlow before her recent marriage, was named honoree at a miscellaneous shower held Friday afternoon, September 26, at the home of Mrs. Wheeler Cobb. Co-hostess was Mrs. A. R. Lawson.

Dahlias and yellow nasturtiums were featured in decorations in the entertaining rooms. The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of dahlias and yellow nasturtiums.

Present were Mesdames J. H. Biggers, Charles Weaver, C. M. Eudey, M. T. Walker, M. C. Walker, Douglas Clawson, Wib Fowler, Ross Collie, Ernest Watson, Pete Fulbright, T. F. Shropshire, Luther Petty, T. G. Richardson, Floyd Guthrie, Don Knutson, the honoree, the hostesses, and Misses Karen Garst of Amarillo, Marjorie Fowler, Adell Walker, and Hettie Burr.

Sending gifts were Mesdames George Stevenson, Sidney Kunkel, Guy Saunders, H. W. Finley, C. A. Myatt, J. D. Coleman, R. F. Sanders, Alma Weaver, C. J. Cash, John Dwyer, Vernon Gibson, Gladys Smilcer, George Van Hous, Jack West, Cleve Hancock, Sherman Crockett, Cleo Heasley, Paul Mertel, Edwin Howard, Eva Marrs, Merrill Ward, Charlie Morgan, Lena Pettit, Richard Back, George Saunders, Charlie Hall, J. G. Messer, H. W. Brooks, G. F. Baker, Bud Back, Lawrence Watson, Miro Pagan, Elton Johnston, Harold Butrum, Boyd Meador, W. M. Rhodes, Jim Back, C. P. Callahan, C. R. Guyton, Maud Powell, Truitt Johnson, T. C. D'Spain, Chas. E. Cooke, J. C. Claborn, Johnnie Back, C. O. Goodman, Roy Barker, and Rish Phillips.

Mrs. Paul Miller Is Given Shower At Baptist Church

Mrs. Paul Miller was honored with a pink and blue shower Tuesday evening, September 23, in the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Hostesses were Mesdames E. L. Price, Cleo Edwards, Howard Williams, and W. W. Edwards.

Misses Marnelle Ledgerwood, Norma Watson, and Mary Lee Stevens gave a skit, and a reading was given by Mrs. Oalfvdr-a ing was given by Mrs. Howard Williams.

Present and sending gifts were Mesdames Granville Boyd, Lena Bones, F. E. Stewart, Bill Boyd, O. L. Tibbets, Clyde Love, Olen Davis, Joe Taylor, C. P. Callahan, Leroy Williams, Clyde Holloway, Bill Earles, J. D. Coleman, Vernon Wood, Claude Hinton, R. L. Brown, Joe Graham, Edgar Lee, A. J. Goodwin, R. L. Appling, R. L. McDonald, J. W. Burrows, James Massay, T. A. Langham, Clarence Voyles, Buell Wells, Mabel Bizzell, Luke Johnson, Frank Reeves.

Mesdames T. C. Stokes, John Dwyer, Velma Betchan, Homer Abbott, Jack West, Wib Fowler, P. L. Ledgerwood, Johnny Haynes, Ruel Smith, Richard Back, Gene Nicholas, George Talley, W. C. Simpson, Elton Johnston, Joe Willis, Laura Smith, Chas. Cooke, Corinne Trimble, Jimmy Shelton, Trew, J. M. Smith, Edwin Howard, J. S. Morse, John B. Rice, J. Boyd Smith, E. L. Price, Cleo Edwards, Howard Williams, W. W. Edwards, Frank Simpson, Bill Day, and Willie Nicholas; and Misses Ledgerwood, Watson, Stevens, Eunice Stratton, and Marjorie Fowler.

Progressive Club Meeting Held At Crockett Home

Progressive Study Club met Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Crockett.

Attending were Mesdames Marie Wood, Gladys Smith, Leach, Freeman Melton, Gibson, and J. W. Cummings.

Members attending were Mesdames Dorothy Andrews, Odie Pearl Dickinson, Mary Margaret Grogan, Tressa Smith, Liella Stokes, Evelyn Field, one new member, Mrs. Back, and the hostess, Crockett.

T. A. Landers, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Virgil of Amarillo, visited Sun-Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Landers.

Petty spent Friday night Saturday in Amarillo with daughter, Mrs. Zora Kennedy, and son Vernon, and attended the State Fair.

Baptist S. S. Class Meeting Is Held In Wiggins Home

The Willing Workers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday night, September 25, in the home of Mrs. Frank Wiggins for the regular monthly party.

The group was called to order by the president, Mrs. Edna Price. Mrs. Lahoma Herron led the opening prayer. A short business session was held pertaining to the remodeling of the nursery at the church.

The following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Mrs. Fay Wiggins; membership chairman, Mrs. Fern Johns; teacher, Mrs. Edna Taylor; assistant teacher, Mrs. Lahoma Herron; secretary, Mrs. Bonnie Edwards; treasurer, Mrs. Juanita Pharis.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Edna Graham, Odie Claborn, Earline Smith, Rae Simpson, Pat Barker, Mary Joyce Boyd, Edna Price, Edna Taylor, Lahoma Herron, Fern Johns, Louise McDonald, Blanche Giddens, Lydia Smith, and Bonnie Edwards; Misses Marjorie Fowler and Margaret Glass, and a guest, Mrs. Howard Williams.

Textile Painting Demonstrated at H. D. Club Meeting

A Tri Chem demonstration was given Wednesday, September 24, when members and guests of the McLean Home Demonstration Club met for their regular session in the home of Mrs. Lester Campbell.

The demonstration was given by Mrs. E. J. Smith and Mrs. Elizabeth Conner of Borger. During the afternoon two prizes were won by Mrs. Lester Dysart and Mrs. John B. Rice.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Reed Grogan, Lester Dysart, Don Haslam, Jess Kemp, Amos Page, John B. Rice, Guy Beasley, Earl Stubblefield, E. J. Windom Jr., Clyde Brown, J. H. Kritzler, J. C. Claborn, Claude Powell, and R. T. Dickinson. Guests were Mrs. W. M. Rhodes, Mrs. Johnnie Mertel, and Mrs. Bert Rhodes of Devine.

The next meeting will be on October 8, with Mrs. John B. Rice as hostess.

WSCS Lays Plans For District Meet Here on October 7

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met Tuesday afternoon for its regular session. Mrs. Madge Page, president, conducted the business.

The major item of business was making plans for the district and bi-district meeting to be held here October 7. The local society will serve a lunch in the basement of the church for the visiting members.

The program opened with a song, "Faith of Our Fathers"; Mrs. Walter Foster led the opening prayer; Mrs. C. W. Parmenter led the study on "Human Rights." Others on the program were Mesdames J. L. Andrews, Page, Amos Thacker, S. J. Dyer, Leon Fobes, J. A. Sparks, J. E. Kirby, and W. M. Rhodes. The benediction was given by Mrs. J. L. Hess.

Eighteen members and one visitor were present.

Jimmy Stevens Is Given Party On 5th Birthday

Jimmy Stevens was entertained with a birthday party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stevens, Saturday, September 27. Jimmy was five years old.

Games were played and refreshments were served to Val Sharp, Robert McCabe, Judy Smith, Kelly Ray Voyles, Martina Giesler, Priscilla, Lucinda, and Sharon Smart.

Mrs. J. A. Sparks was a Shamrock visitor Wednesday.

McLean Lions Club Tuesday, 12:05

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GELERY HEARTS 25c	Hunt's PEARS can 23c	Kraft DINNER 2 for 27c
Long Green Slicers CUCUMBERS lb 10c	Hunt's Solid Pack TOMATOES 2 for 35c	Lipton's TEA 1/4 lb 29c
Yellow ONIONS lb 7c	Quality Meats	Humpy Dumpty SALMON can 42c
	U. S. GOOD BEEF CHUCK ROAST lb 59c	All Flavors JELL-O 2 for 15c
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Mr. and Mrs. Pete Henley and Carla.

Little Donna Joyce Boyd spent last week in Amarillo with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McMahan.

Announcing-- A New Business

The cleaning plant, formerly known as Bentley Cleaners, has been bought and re-opened by Mr. and Mrs. Don Clemmons, recently of Jacksboro.

We are opening for business Friday morning, and invite your patronage. We will endeavor to give you the best cleaning and pressing you can get, and sincerely hope that you will give us a trial.

Within the next two or three weeks, we hope to open a Photograph Studio in the same building, enabling you to enjoy this service also without going out of town.

Come by and meet us, will you? You will always be welcome in our shop.

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For Sale—New 5-room house with bath; block east, block north of Baptist church. Price \$5,500. See Lyman Pierce or Rev. E. F. Robinson, 411 Commerce. 1p

For Sale—'48 model Ford tractor with terracing machine, slip, breaking plow. See Cleve Kennedy, 3 miles northwest of McLean. 40-3p

For Sale—Costume jewelry, 1/2 price, starting Friday, October 3. Graves Jewelry. 1c

For Sale—Good used water closet and lavatory at Callahan Plumbing Co. Phone 184. 1c

NOTICE

We will allow as much as \$50.00 on old treadle sewing machines trade-in on any new electric sewing machine. Monthly payments as low as \$7.00 per month. See Juanita Skelton at Graves Jewelry. 1c

For Sale—The Pentecostal Holiness Ladies Auxiliary has fresh home baked pies for sale every Thursday afternoon. Would like to have you as a regular customer. Place your order the first of the week for the kind of pie you want delivered at your door. All kinds 65c, except pecan, 75c. Call Mrs. A. C. Kersey, Phone 280J. 40-tfc

For Sale—One antique bedroom suite, \$100.00; and a 6-piece dinette suite, \$35.00. Hanner Boarding House, Phone 94J. 1c

For Sale—Balboa rye seed, clear of Johnson grass or any weed seed, \$3.00 a bushel. George R. Reneau. 39-2c

For Sale—Allis-Chalmers combine. June Woods. 1c

LOST

Lost—Girl's brown plaid coat, size 6, in Avalon Theater Friday night. If found, return to Mrs. Jim Simpson, or Phone 220. 1c

FOR RENT

For Rent—2-bedroom house on pavement J. M. Payne. 32-tfc

Storage space for rent. Phone 17 or see John Mertel. 32-tfc

For Rent—Modern four-room house with bath. J. D. Davenport. 38-tfc

For Rent—Small house with bath; also 3-room apartment with bath. Mrs. T. H. Andrews, Phone 98. 1p

MISCELLANEOUS

From \$3,000.00 to one million dollars to lend on Texas and Oklahoma farms and ranches at 4 1/2%. Good service and quick action. Vera Back Agency, Phone 87. 40-13c Don't throw it away if it's worth fixing. Let Cliff Day repair it—all kinds of furniture at Bill Day's Furniture. 39-tfc

LOANS

to build new homes or repair old ones. Phone 200, W. C. Shull. 39-3c Expert local and long distance moving. For more information, call Bruce and Sons, Phone 934, Pampa. 1-tfc See John Mertel for real estate or Phone 17. 29-tfc To give away to shut-in—a king bird. See Ruby Cook. 1c

COTTON BAG CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS



The National Cotton Council reports a money-saving way to make Christmas stockings for Santa Claus to fill, by using cotton feed bags! Use hose for the pattern. Lay pattern on printed or plain cotton bag material, double thickness. Allow extra room for toys, cut any desired length. Sew around and turn. Cut cuff to fit top of stocking. Sew with right side to inside of stocking so that seam will be underneath the cuff. Write child's name on cuff; place band of cotton on top and stitch. Add a Christmas bell and a loop for hanging the stocking.

GROWING PAINS In Gray County

By FOSTER WHALEY

A total of 214 bales of cotton has been ginned locally. The gin was having press trouble, but was able to be in operation before the day was out. The fact that the local school has dismissed for the purpose of picking cotton created a bigger rush on the gin.

Talking to Laverne Goldston, Jess Finley, and other Alanreed and McLean farmers, the yield of cotton is somewhat better than had been anticipated earlier. Goldston will make about one-fourth and one-half bale per acre. Other farmers were talking one-half bale per acre.

Cottonseed meal and cake are still hard to get, and available through the local gin only to customers who sell their seed to the gin.

Today I had several people inquiring about whether Gray County has been put on the list of disaster counties by the State Agriculture Mobilization Committee. The Gray County committee made application about two weeks ago, but to date no word has been received from headquarters. As soon as word is received from proper authority, the information will be made known by a county-wide news letter, and through the press.

Mrs. Jim Back and Mrs. E. J. Window were Pampa visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lilla Neely of Wichita, Kans., is spending this week with Mrs. J. W. Kibler.

H. D. Hale underwent surgery at Highland General Hospital in Pampa last week.

For sand, gravel, and top soil; or general hauling, call or see C. L. (Tex) Gentry, Phone 248J, McLean. 40-5p

WANTED

Wanted—Clean cotton rag, suitable for cleaning purposes. No buttons, please. News Office. If you want anything made out of wood, big or small, see Cliff Day at Bill Day Furniture. 39-tfc

Wanted—Christian men! A Christian man will stand against all forms of gambling in our school carnivals this year, plus all forms of dancing for young people. J. B. Brown. 1p

Business man desires room in pleasant home. Inquire at The McLean News. 1p

WANT HOME OF YOUR OWN?

G. I. Loan? FHA Loan? We have made arrangements for QUICK, NO-DELAY financing and building of new homes in McLean through the well-known Dick Hughes of Pampa, one of the Panhandle's largest home-building contractors. SEE—Right Now—VERA BACK AGENCY

Donley County—SOIL NEWS

The Amarillo Conservation Experiment Station has announced its 1952 annual Field Day for Tuesday, October 7.

This field day is sponsored by the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, Livestock and Agriculture Committee, and the Experiment Station personnel.

The following program is being arranged and it will be of interest to all farm people, including the women.

9-30 a. m. to 12 noon—Discussion of work and presentation of results on wheat and sorghum improvement, soil and water conservation, bindweed and blue-weed control, and improved dry land pastures for beef production.

11-30 a. m. to 1:30 p. m.—Lunch and inspection of exhibits of experimental work.

1-30 to 2:30—Talks on weather prediction by H. C. Winburn, and livestock diseases by Dr. Clyde Morgan.

2-30 to 4—Tour of dry land pastures: King Ranch bluestem, side-oats grama, switchgrass, Indian grass, crested wheat grass, Madrid clover, and others.

Visits to other work by interested groups.

Supervisor Election Don't forget the supervisor's election in Zone 4 to be held in Hedley Tuesday night, October 7.

Zone 4 is that part of the district bounded by the Salt Fork of the Red River on the north, the Donley County line on the east, Highway 287 on the south, and the Clarendon-Jericho Highway on the west.

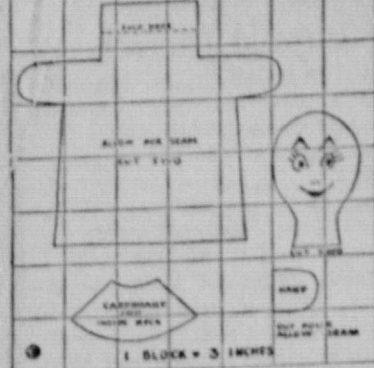
All persons 21 years of age holding title to farm or ranch land lying within Zone 4, and who live in the Donley County Soil Conservation District are qualified and urged to vote.

HAVE BREAKFAST The intermediate girls and boys of the McLean Methodist Church were entertained with a breakfast Sunday morning, September 28, at the home of Mrs. Willie Boyett.

Those attending were James Jolly, Rodney Gunn, Neal Shall, Donna Magee, Barbara Carter, Sue Chase, Monta Kennedy, Bob Stubblefield, Kay Russell, and Mrs. Boyett.

POLLY, THE HAND PUPPET

Instructions for Making



Bring Christmas joy to the youngsters with this zany hand puppet named Polly, says the National Cotton Council. Polly is easy to make, she costs you little or nothing, because she is made from colorful cotton feed bags!

Using diagram, cut two pieces each of the head and dress. Use white or flesh-colored material for head. Sew up head, and stuff tightly. Form cardboard insert into cone shape, tape securely, and insert into head. Turn neck edge inside cardboard cone and tack fast. Sketch face with pen and ink, paint or embroidery. Rough cheeks. Using coarse cord for hair, sew in loops. Then cut loops for bushy look. Fold dress neck as shown and stitch. Attach hands (four pieces) to each piece. Sew up sides of dress pieces. Sew in the gathering thread to pull tight at neck. Put head in place. Pull gathering thread tight, and tie. Sew to neck. Tack tape around neck, and tie bow.

FARM SCIENCE AT BAT IN THE COTTON FIELD



Now that cotton picking time is here; let's have a look at a cotton field evolution. The familiar scene at the left is being replaced by the one on the right, as more workers leave the farms each year. Thanks to agricultural science, the mechanical picker now can do the work of 40 men. More cotton was harvested mechanically last year than ever before; a new high in mechanical harvesting is predicted this year, the National Cotton Council reveals.



At Home

NEW BOSS

Rev. and Mrs. Herman L. Petty of Roscoe are the parents of a girl, born September 24. She weighed 7 pounds, 5 ounces, and has been named Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty of McLean.

Dr. and Mrs. Harold Meador of Amarillo are the parents of a girl, born August 30. She weighed 3 pounds, 4 ounces, and has been named Linda Jean. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meador of McLean.

Mrs. Amos Page and children left Tuesday for a week's visit with relatives in Austin.

Mrs. Clarence Voyles and boys and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson and boys made a business trip to Shamrock Tuesday.

Legion Zone Meet Planned

Clifford Johnson, commander of Zone 6 of the American Legion, has called a meeting of all posts and units for Tuesday, October 7, at the American Legion Hall in Shamrock. The towns comprising Zone 6 are Hedley, Clarendon, Claude, Groom, McLean, Shamrock, Wellington, Wheeler, and Mobeetie.

Shamrock's DeShazo-George Post 68 is host for the occasion, and will provide the entertainment for the evening. The meeting is called for 8 o'clock. Mike McCully, 18th district commander of the American Legion, will attend and report on the meeting of the state executive meeting which he attended in Austin on September 27 and 28.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere gratitude for the many acts of kindness, the words of sympathy, and the beautiful floral offerings extended to us at the untimely death of our loved one. May God bless each of you in our prayer.

Mrs. C. L. Woods Family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bates of Okla., spent the weekend here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Price of Tulsa, Calif., and Mrs. R. L. Price of Hollis, Okla., spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price.

McLean Selected As Meeting Site For Postmasters

Postmasters of the 18th congressional district will hold their next quarterly meeting in McLean. Postmaster Johnnie R. Back said Monday.

The postmasters were invited to hold their next meeting here by Sammy Haynes, president of the McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce. Haynes' invitation was extended by Postmaster Back when Back attended a similar meeting in Dumas last Saturday.

The meeting will be held some time in January. The postmasters usually start their business session at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon (on a Saturday), and conclude the meeting with a banquet at about 7 o'clock. The Jaycees will serve as hosts at the banquet.

Mrs. Frank Rodgers and daughter Christa Carol made a business trip to Pampa Friday.

Mrs. E. J. Window Jr. and Mrs. Shelton Nash visited Monday in Wellington with Mrs. Nash's mother, Mrs. J. A. Dickenson.

Mrs. J. W. Chapman of Forrest, La., is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. B. Lee.

Mrs. Walter Bailey and daughter Dora Mae made a business trip to Shamrock Monday.

Mrs. T. E. Crisp and Mrs. Raymond Glass and children, Johnnie and Judy, attended the fair in Amarillo Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and family of Goodnight, Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rice and daughter Cynthia of Groom, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bailey and son Rocky of Kellerville were Sunday visitors in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hinton and daughter Donna Faye spent Sunday in Clarendon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Woods. Donna Faye remained with her grandparents for a week.

W. L. Haynes and daughter, Mrs. Robert Barnett of Weatherford, Okla., were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rodgers and family.

Mrs. R. D. Dunham left Thursday for her home in Lamesa after a visit here in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Wiggins and family.

Mrs. J. W. Burks of Memphis and Mrs. Lonnie Burks of Shamrock visited friends in McLean Tuesday.

Mrs. Ruel Smith of McLean, Mrs. Ralph Caldwell of Borger, and Mrs. Durwood Riddle of Plainview left Sunday to be with their mother, Mrs. T. N. Holloway, who is in Baylor Hospital in Dallas.

COTTON QUIZ

WHY IS COTTON A FATIGUE REDUCER?



BECAUSE CLINICAL TESTS SHOW THAT WORKERS SLOWED DOWN BY FATIGUE, RECEIVE A PHYSICAL 'LIFT' FROM A GOOD FACE WASHING AND A BRISK RUB WITH A FRESH COTTON TOWEL!

REVEILLE



with the boys S/Sgt. Kenneth Gibson has returned from Guam and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson.

Mrs. W. F. Harlan and granddaughter, Beverly Harlan, Skellytown spent the weekend with Mrs. Harlan's mother, Mrs. J. W. Kibler.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Window were business visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Hanner attended a banquet in Pampa Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nash and Mrs. E. J. Window Jr. attended the football game between the Murry College and West Texas State College in Amarillo Saturday night.

STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION, etc., required by the Acts of Congress of August 1912, and March 3, 1911.

of The McLean News, published weekly at McLean, Texas, October 1, 1952.

STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF GRAY, ss. Before me, a notary public and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Lester H. Campbell, who has been duly sworn according to law, and deposes and says that he is the publisher of The McLean News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1911, embodied in section 537, Page Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse side of this form to wit:

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Lester H. Campbell, Publisher. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st day of October, 1952. Eunice Stratton, Notary Public. My commission expires June 1, 1953.

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