



Boyer Laycock will receive his doctor of medicine in commencement exercises at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical school in Dallas Monday, June 14.

Laura Mae Switzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer, Kellerville, won second place in the third year school dress competition at the Wheeler County club dress revue.

Candidates for office in Wheeler county are invited to a candidate speaking at Heald Friday night, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Deputy Sheriff Jimmy Shelton suffered painful injuries to his head Monday night while participating in activities of the McLean Roping Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Bon Tedder and his mother, Mrs. T. J. Tedder, visited with relatives in California the past two weeks.

Nearly 800 people registered at the Cicero Smith Lumber company during the remodeling opening at the firm from May 22 to May 29.

The McLean chapter of the Order of Eastern Star will have an open installation Friday night, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Louise Beattie of Amarillo was one of the top prize winners in the recent Shurtine foods contest.

City Marshal J. A. Sparks was able to be downtown again Wednesday following an illness which started shortly after noon last Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Parmenter left McLean Wednesday for Big Spring, where he will serve as pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church.

Rev. H. A. Longino, former Methodist pastor here, moved to McLean Tuesday to make his home.

The McLean News



M. E. FISHER METHODISTS' NEW PASTOR

Rev. Marvin Fisher, who has been serving as pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church in Big Spring, was named as pastor of the McLean Methodist Church for the next year when appointments were read Sunday afternoon at the annual conference of the Northwest Texas area.

Rev. Fisher succeeds Rev. C. W. Parmenter as the local pastor. Rev. Parmenter, who has served here for the past three years during the building program of the local church, is being transferred to the Wesley church in Big Spring.

W. B. Hicks, a former local Methodist pastor, was named to the Pine Street church in Dalhart.

Other appointments in the area include: Lefors, I. T. Huebner; Lela Albert, O. C. Evans; Moebette, Albert W. Cooper; Pampa First, Woodrow Adeock; Pampa Harrah, Raymond Dyess; Pampa St. Paul, Edwin I. Hall; Shamrock, Frank M. Beauchamp; Wheeler, O. A. McElroy; Wheeler circuit, P. E. Yarborough; Groom, T. Marvin McElroy; Clarendon, I. E. Biggs; Lela Lake-Alanreed, Thomas T. Beck.

BIRTHDAYS

June 6—Reo Heasley, F. L. Jones, Emory Smith, Shad George Graham.
June 7—Alta June Watson, Mrs. Charles W. Bailey, Ruby Cook, Mrs. W. L. Litchfield.
June 8—Herbert Butrum.
June 9—Kid McCoy, Bobby Howard, Scott Johnston, Clyde Carpenter, Mrs. Arbie Lankford.
June 10—Mrs. Homer Abbott, C. M. Jones, Frank Hambricht, June 11—Martha Campbell, Leota Adams, Cliff Callahan.
June 12—Betty Pearson, Carey Don Smith, E. J. Windom Jr.

Meeting Sunday To Re-Activate McLean Jaycees

Local men interested in re-activating the Junior Chamber of Commerce in McLean will meet with out-of-town Jaycee leaders in the elementary school cafeteria Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Jack M. Allen of Perryton, regional vice president, and Rufus Rush of Lubbock, national director, will be present. In addition, presidents and state directors from all other clubs in the region have been invited to attend.

"All members and past members, both active and associate, and any prospective members, are urged to attend," Morris said.

WOMEN FORM SEWING CLASS—SIX SESSIONS

Several women met at the homemaking department Tuesday last week to organize an adult sewing class under the direction of Mrs. J. D. Coleman, McLean High School homemaking teacher.

The group, and any others who wish to attend, will meet from 2 to 4 o'clock on the afternoons of June 7, 9, 11, 14, 16, and 18, Mrs. Coleman said.

Each person in the class will make a garment of some kind. Some plan to make suits, some children's garments, and others dresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer and family and John Fenton visited with relatives at Middle Water over the week-end.

SERVICES FOR BILLY E. HALL ARE HELD HERE

Memorial services for Billy Edward Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hall of Amarillo, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the McLean Methodist Church.

Music was provided by a duet and a quartet. Rev. L. P. Fort of Pampa conducted the services. An American Legion military escort was provided, and Dickie Everett played "Taps" to conclude the services.

Survivors include the parents; and two brothers, Carroll Hall, in the U. S. Navy at Norfolk, Va., and Richard Hall, in the U. S. Air Force at El Paso.

Billy Edward Hall was born November 30, 1929, in Amarillo. He attended school in Alanreed and McLean, finishing high school here with the class of 1947.

HEALD PLANS BIBLE SCHOOL

A Vacation Bible School will be held at the Heald Methodist Church beginning Monday, June 7, and continuing through Friday, June 11, it has been announced.

Classes will be held daily from 8:30 o'clock until 11 each morning. Mrs. K. S. Rippy will serve as superintendent. Other teachers include Mrs. Everett Dorsey, in charge of the intermediates; Mrs. Nida Green, juniors; Mrs. Loula Ladd, primary; and Mrs. O. O. Tate, beginners.

Martin Van Buren was the first president born in the USA.

City Park Becoming Popular Again As Warm Weather Attracts Picnickers

INSTALLATION NEW OFFICERS LIONS CLUB JUNE 15

New officers of the McLean Lions Club, to serve for terms of one year each beginning July 1, will be installed in the annual ceremonies Tuesday night, June 15.

To be installed as president is J. W. Meacham, who will succeed Odell Mantoosh as head of the organization. Other new officers are as follows: Hickman Brown, first vice president; George Saunders, second vice president; Amos Page, third vice president; Larry Fuller, secretary; Guy Hibler, treasurer; W. C. Simpson, Lion tamer; C. P. Hamilton, talltwater; and E. J. Lander, Paul Kennedy, Johnnie Back, and Carl Jones, directors.

The first shower during the past week came Wednesday afternoon, when .09 of an inch fell. Sunday, shortly before 3 o'clock, a light sprinkle fell, and then from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock, .17 of an inch fell.

For the past few years, the installation ceremonies have been held in the City Park. However, the Lions voted Tuesday to have the affair in the church building, since the weather might be unfavorable for outside activities on that date.

BURGLAR GETS TIRES, MONEY

Two new tires and \$20 in cash were taken when a burglar, or burglars, entered the Hibler Truck and Implement company building Sunday night.

The building was entered by knocking out a pane in a window in the rear. Apparently the tires were taken out through the large overhead door on the east side, Guy Hibler, owner, said.

The money was taken from a safe in the office. Hibler said that Deputy Sheriff Jimmy Shelton was of the opinion that the looter was apparently well versed on safes, since no damage was done to the safe.



NEW BOSS

CHC and Mrs. Leo McDonald of Camp Lejeune, N. C., are the parents of a girl born May 30. (Continued on back page)

Usual High Scores Mark First Games Of Softball League

The usual high scores of early season marked the opening of the Lions Club summer softball league Tuesday night.

In the opening game, the Kellerville team outlasted Warren Petroleum corporation by a score of 22-17. In the second game, Mead's Bakery of Shamrock downed the Alanreed team 11-2.

Friday night's games will be Kellerville vs. Mead's in the opener, and Holloway vs. Muddhens in the second game.

RAIN IN AREA IS .26 OF INCH IN PAST WEEK

An additional .26 of an inch in moisture fell during the past week to give the month of May a total of 5.36 inches in McLean.

The first shower during the past week came Wednesday afternoon, when .09 of an inch fell. Sunday, shortly before 3 o'clock, a light sprinkle fell, and then from 5:30 to 6:30 o'clock, .17 of an inch fell.

Tuesday afternoon, more rain threatened as heavy clouds gathered over the area, but no moisture fell and the clouds had about dispersed when darkness came.

Spring planting in the area is well underway, since farmers are now able to get into their fields. The seasoning brought by the spring rains is the best that farmers have had at this time of year in several years.

Grasslands in the area are in excellent shape. Cattlemen, who have been forced to feed their stock for "too many months," are jubilant over prospects of showing a profit for a change.

About 400 Attend—MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

Approximately 400 people gathered at the new entrance to Hillcrest Cemetery Sunday afternoon for the Memorial Day program and the unveiling of the new plaque dedicated to those who have given their lives for this nation.

The weather was unfavorable, but the crowd was larger than the sponsoring organizations, the Hillcrest Cemetery Association and the American Legion, anticipated in view of the weather.

The plaque was then unveiled by Dickie and Petie Everett, and a wreath was placed in front of the plaque. The visiting quartet then sang "The Lord's Prayer." A Legion firing squad of W. C. Simpson, S. A. Cousins, Jack Humphreys, George Terry, Lester Campbell, Luke Henley, Buddy Sutton, Chock Smith, H. Elliott, and Dick Gifford, sang "God of Our Fathers."

NEW TABLES, SWINGS ADDED TO FACILITIES

Spring and summer weather has brought on the usual heavy use of the City Park in McLean, and the city council is once more spending considerable money and time to make the park more accommodating to the public.

More and more family groups can be seen using the park facilities each day—not only in the evenings, but during the noon hour as well. Tourist groups may be found in the area at almost any hour of the day, and particularly during the noon hour. Many tourists have been going to the park and resting during the warmer daylight hours.

One big improvement to the facilities in the park is the addition of picnic tables. The tables were built by Kenneth Hambricht, at his cabinet shop, by order of the city council. Six tables, of rugged redwood construction, were ordered, and four were in use early this week.

Still another new addition will be that of more playground equipment. Hal Mounce of the 66 Welding Shop is constructing two swing sets for the city, Smith said. The equipment will be made principally of pipe, and will be much larger than similar swing sets found at private homes.

During the past few weeks, Ples Rhea has been employed by the city to trim park trees, and generally clean up the grounds. Rhea has also been installing new wire on the tennis court grounds.

"The City Park is for the use of every citizen who cares to use its facilities," members of the council said. "We are proud of our fine park, and we hope that all of you are also proud of it. Some vandalism occurs in the park, but we have found no solution to prevent all such damage. Your cooperation in helping us with this problem will be appreciated."

Cliff Martindale of Amarillo spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cobb and family of Tucson, Ariz., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling and other relatives. Mrs. Appling's sister, Mrs. Effie Meroney of Tatum, N. M., visited in the Appling home last week.

1933 Class Reunion Features Visiting

When old friends and acquaintances get together for the first time in 21 years, you can depend on lots of visiting and enjoyment. And that's what happened when the first reunion of the McLean High School graduating class of 1933 was held in the American Legion Hall in McLean Sunday afternoon.

Each class member and teacher introduced himself and his family—and that's about all the program there was. Except for the visiting.

A refreshment course of sandwiches, iced pops, and cookies was served late in the afternoon. On display were pictures, graduation programs, and other items to recall pleasant school days. A large bouquet of cut flowers, a gift of Mrs. Jim Back, graced the registration table.

Former teachers attending included Mrs. E. F. Kennedy and children of Estelline. Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Rush and children of Ranger, Mrs. Jim Back of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Powers of Lubbock, and Miss Jewell Cousins of Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Donal McCracken, Pansie Pickett Riddlespur and children, and Allison Cash of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Kent Carpenter, Diana, Bryant, and Mayola, of Lubbock; Millard Windom of Clarendon; Leona Wood Dunn of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Deen West, Donna, Bill, and Bob, of Kermit; Kelly G. Newman and Kelly Carl of Plainview.

And Annie Pugh Miller, D. L. Miller, Joe and Mauree; Louise Johnson and Mike; Lavern Pettit Carter, Mary Ann and Barbara; Mr. and Mrs. Clois Hanner and children; Mr. and Mrs. Rush Turner and children; Marjorie Wood Back, Anita and Moleta; Avalee Back Crockett, Sherman Crockett, Joe, Flo Nell, and Billy; Ruth Hess Magee, Donna Ruth, Janice, Marilyn, and Joe; Lois Hinton Hughes, Harry Hughes Travis Stokes, and Woody Wilkerson.

Other guests included Clyde H. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy and the children of Brady McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Neville Back, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Neill and Doris, and Mrs. Willie Harris. Johnnie F. Mertel, Mrs. Jesse Coleman, John S. Mertel, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Turner and daughter of Pampa.

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An interesting print in Gro-Mill's chevron pattern is used for a Jeanne Durrell dress by Kohlen, Ligon, Folz of Dallas. The halter top ties with a bow of contrasting color. The flared skirt is a full circle. For cover-up there is a bolero with rolled collar and short sleeves in the contrasting color. White, pink, aqua with black. Sizes 8-14. Retail about \$23.00. Style #386.

Society

Mrs. Bob Turner Is Given Shower In Ledbetter Home

A come-and-go bridal shower honoring Mrs. Bob Turner, the former Nadine Lee, was given in the home of Mrs. Jess Ledbetter Thursday, May 20.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mesdames W. M. Rhodes, Lady Bryant, H. E. Barrett, Betty Dalton, E. J. Wisdom, Oscar Tibbets, Edgar Lee, C. G. Nicholson, Earnest Beck, Kate Everett, Pearl Burr, Sue Howell, Leo Gibson, Billie Sue Moore, Carl Baker, A. H. Moreman, Pearl Turner, Rex Heasley, M. G. Mullanax, Jack McClellan, George Preston.

Mesdames Sherman Crockett, Odessa Gunn, Frank Harlan, J. L. Andrews, Charles Bailey, R. L. Appling, Emory Crockett, Dale Johnston, Archie Farron, Felix Jones, Grace Glenn, Getta Shaw, Gay Grider, Cleo Heasley, Amos Page, Gladys Smuleer, W. W. Edwards, George Yearwood, John Dwyer, Wheeler Carter, Bob Fish, H. L. Chase.

Mesdames Edwin Howard, W. T. Eldridge, Velma Betchan, B. F. Williams, Elizabeth Miller, D. L. Miller, Charlie Morgan, R. T. Dickinson, Robbie Wilson, C. P. Callahan, Bill Bailey, Lona Jones, Frank Goughly, A. E. Stafford, Jim Stevens, Glenn Jolly, Dorothy Fitzgerald, E. L. Price, Hack McCurley, B. E. Caudill, Jesse Roberts, Clifford Allison, Pete Fulbright.

Mesdames Boyd Meador, Raymond Guyton, Bill Cash, Bill Day, V. Grigsby, Lawrence Watson, Paul Kennedy, Jack Bailey, Jim Back, June Woods, Frank Seales, Madge Page, Hal Mounce, Bill Boyd, Bob Black, D. A. Davis, Pearl Johnson, Marie Henley, Claude Simmons, M. D. Curry, J. H. Kritzler, Waneta Reynolds, Clyde Willis, Finis Dalton, Elton Johnston, Charles Williams, Jess Ledbetter, Cicero Turpen, Martha Aldridge, Evelyn Cobb, Ella Ann Jones, J. A. Brawley, Charles Cousins, J. W. Trout, Margaret Shaw, and Bonnie Bolin.

Misses Cleo Pope, Margaret Glass, Eunice Stratton, Dora Watt, Loyce Miller, Marnelle Ledgerwood, Mary Carpenter, and Sally Ledbetter.

Patsy and Billy McCoy of Amarillo are spending this week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kid McCoy, and are attending Bible school at the First Presbyterian Church.

Mrs. Ira Foster of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Crisp Sunday and attended memorial services for Billy Hall.

J. D. Brock returned home Saturday after having spent the past week with relatives in Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Brown and children spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brown, in Vernon.

Two Music Clubs Present Recitals Tuesday Evening

Music students of Mrs. Willie Boyett were presented in recital Tuesday evening, June 1, at the McLean Methodist Church.

Grade school students appearing on the first program were Ruthie and Dorothy Pagan, Don Cash, Karen Day, Judy Glass, Nancy Jean Hess, Christa Carol Rodgers, Ronay Howard, Belva Patterson, Douglas Crockett, Joe Lawrence Howard, Patricia Shaddid, Laura Mae Switzer, Bobby Weaver, Othelia Eustace, Lester Sitter, and Kay Stubbs.

High school students were Pauline Erwin, Maureen Miller, De Ann Clayton, Glenda Switzer, Becky Barker, Betty Dickinson, Monta Jean Kennedy, Cleta Sue

Heasley, Mollie Erwin, Jo Ann Turner, Barbara Neil Wilson, Barbara Ruth Carter, Gayle Mullanax, and Sue Glass. Miss Turner sang "You'll Never Walk Alone," accompanied by Sue Glass.

Certificates and pins for the National Guild playing at Pampa, in April, were presented at the close of the program. Barbara Ruth Carter and Barbara Nell Wilson received honor pins for having played five and six years, respectively, in the national group of 10 numbers each.

Pins were presented to the following students who chose last September to take longer lessons and additional practice: Lester Sitter, Pauline Erwin, Gayle Mullanax, Glenda and Laura Mae Switzer. Names were read for those who will receive pins later in June.

Debra Jean Williams of Phillips spent a few days this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett.

Mrs. Nida Green attended the Northwest Texas Methodist conference in Amarillo Wednesday through Sunday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Sutton of Clinton, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Sutton and family Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hiett and children of Pagan visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale Tuesday.

Mrs. Miro Pagan and daughters attended a dance recital in

Pampa Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stokely visited with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hibler in Wheeler Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rice and children from North Carolina spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rice and other relatives.

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Mrs. J. B. Pettit visited with relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Political Announcements

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

- State Representative: GRAINGER McILHANY
- District Attorney: BILL W. WATERS
- District Clerk: MRS. HELEN SPRINKLE
- County Judge: J. B. MAGUIRE, JR. BRUCE L. PARKER L. P. FORT
- County Sheriff: R. H. (Rufe) JORDAN
- Tax Assessor-Collector: JACK BACK
- County Clerk: CHARLIE THUT
- County Treasurer: OLA GREGORY MRS. SHERMAN WHITE (FRANKIE MAE WHITE)
- County Attorney: DON CAIN
- Justice Peace, Precinct 5: J. C. CLABORN
- Constable, Precinct 5: LUTHER (LUKE) HENLEY J. D. FISH
- Commissioner, Gray County Precinct 4: O. L. TIBBETS
- Commissioner, Donley County Precinct 4: JESS FINLEY H. W. (SHORTY) BURR

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken From the Files of The McLean News, 1914

Installation of Officers

The annual installation for the local Order of Eastern Star was the occasion on last Monday night of a most enjoyable gathering of the members of that fraternity at the Masonic Hall. Mrs. J. L. Crabtree was installing officer and Mrs. Scott Johnston was inducted into the office of worthy matron, with S. E. Boyett as worthy patron.

After the conclusion of the business in hand, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments of ice cream, cake, etc., were served. Mesdames W. C. Foster and W. A. Stubbs acting as leaders, the various drills of the organization were rehearsed. Mrs. S. E. Boyett furnished some splendid instrumental music, and the occasion was keenly enjoyed by all present. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Hall of Shamrock were visitors. Christian-Bodine Friends were agreeably surprised on last Sunday morning to learn of the marriage of Bethel Christian to Miss Anna Lou Bodine, which occurred at the Methodist parsonage on Saturday evening, May 30. Rev. J. T. Howell, pastor of the Methodist church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a few intimate friends. The bridal couple was attended by Sam Hodges and Miss Mildred Bundy. Mr. Christian is the second son of Mrs. A. A. Beall and has lived in McLean since childhood. He is an exemplary young man who enjoys the friendship and esteem of a wide circle of admiring friends. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bodine, who came here from Arlington two years ago. During her residence here she has endeared herself to all who know her. She has been popular in both social and church circles and is an accomplished and sterling young woman.

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Thompson to Citizens Bank

Clay E. Thompson, who has been identified with the American State Bank for the past two years in the capacity of assistant cashier, has purchased the stock of Earl S. Hurst in the Citizens State Bank and accepted a position as cashier of that institution. The young gentleman is a well equipped banker with the experience and knowledge necessary to the filling of the important position with credit, and we predict for the institution a prosperous career under his direction.

Mr. Hurst, who has been identified with the Citizens Bank for several years, contemplates returning to his old home in Georgia where he will engage in business of a similar nature. He has made many friends while in our midst and all of them join with the News in wishing for him and his excellent wife continued prosperity and happiness in their new environs.

There will be no change in the directorate of the American bank for the present. A. G. Richardson will take the place of Mr. Thompson until some further arrangements are made.

Storm Damage

The storms of last Thursday and Friday afternoons, while not having the appearance of cyclones or tornadoes, did considerable damage to property in this vicinity. The toll of the Thursday evening wind was a few barns and sheds, including the long shed on the north side of the C. A. Watkins feed lot, and the barns and sheds of Uncle Sam Kunkel in the Rush addition.

Friday afternoon the rain, hail, wind and lightning did considerable more damage. Many crops, especially in the section of country north and west of McLean, were hulled out, while others were either washed up by

the roots or covered up. Lightning struck the barn of I. D. Shaw near Albreed, killing a horse and dog, and slightly burning Mr. Shaw's young son, who was in the barn at the time the lightning struck. The awning in front of the Citizens State Bank was wrecked by the wind and many barns and outhouses were overturned.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Painter and family of Sunray spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase and family.

Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens in Shamrock Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Carpenter and son of Perryton spent the week-end with Mrs. Odessa Gunn and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Funderburg of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mullanax Sunday.

Mrs. Shirley Adjen of Lela Lake, Emma Ayers of Clarendon, Mrs. Adderine Dubose and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bones of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kennedy of Memphis were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dunn of Dallas and Linda Wood of Lancaster spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald visited with Mr. and Mrs. Scotty McDonald and daughter in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and children of Pampa spent the week-end with Mrs. Frank G. Lightly and Mrs. O. K. Lee and families.

Kid McCoy received slight injuries Wednesday of last week when the horse he was riding fell with him. McCoy is reported as doing very well.



During 1953, almost 60,000 men and women retired from their work and began to receive monthly payments under the old-age and survivors insurance system, according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security office.

This increase, Sanderson said, points up two facts: There is a steady increase in the number of aged persons in relation to our total population; and, the number of persons entitled to old-age benefits is rapidly increasing as the program approaches maturity. Thirty-six million people in the United States are now over 50 years old and 13 million are over 65. Four out of each five persons of the 36 million over age 50 are employed in work covered by the present social security program.

The program will protect more and more people as the years pass and social security benefits will be an important factor in the financial status of these workers and their families after the workers' retirement.

Planned retirement—either elected by the worker, or forced by the employer, the worker's health, or other reasons—is much simpler, Sanderson added, if the worker can estimate the amount he and his family will have from the social security program. This estimate can be made, he said, by the use of a free booklet, OASI-30, "How to Estimate Social Security Payments," which can be obtained at any social security office.

Mrs. Corinne Trimble attended market in Oklahoma City over the week-end.

Mrs. Bobbie Crisp and Mrs. T. E. Crisp were in Amarillo Friday of last week on business.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clawson were Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brock and children of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lane and children of Lefors, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brock and children, Pat and Mickey, and Mrs. Woodrow Nelson and children of Dimmitt. Mrs. C. N. Plumlee and son Ardis of Tulla, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Forsdick of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Clawson and children of McLean.

Emel Weigand of Amarillo visited with his aunt, Mrs. M. M. Newman, Sunday.

Dorothea Back of Dumas has come to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back.



Mother: Son, I hope your roommate at school doesn't swear?

Son: Judge for yourself, mother. The other night he stubbed his toe in the dark, and shouted, "Oh, the perversity of inanimate objects."

A young man took his girl friend to the baseball game. Using her feminine prerogative, she was late in getting ready and they did not arrive until the 7th inning. Turning to another fan sitting beside her, the sweet young thing inquired the score.

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City of McLean

Statement of Revenue and Disbursements, General Fund For Fiscal Year April, 1953, to March, 1954

Cash on Hand March 31, 1953	\$ 4,626.55
Sewer Collections	\$ 2,994.40
Garbage Collections	3,350.70
Gas Collections	35,350.50
Water Collections	23,843.97
Penalties	60.48
School District Gym Rental	1,001.00
Franchise Taxes	1,807.27
Rentals and Leases City Property	258.00
Office and Lodge Hall Rent	441.00
Cemetery Lots Sold	305.00
Opening-Closing Graves	415.00
Old Paving Certificates Collected	187.50
Second Hand Pipe Sold	135.23
Grader Work Collections	123.25
Mowing Football Field	74.50
Water Line Extensions	61.25
Tapping Charges	37.50
Grave Set Ups	27.00
Gray County for City Jail Repair	150.00
Other Miscellaneous Collections	60.15
	\$70,683.70
	70,683.70
	\$75,310.25

Disbursements Labor	
Cemetery Labor	\$ 1,344.00
Garbage-Sanitation	3,938.00
Miscellaneous Labor	1,079.40
Gas System Labor	10,451.85
Perk Labor	261.15
Police Department Labor	2,839.00
Street Department Labor	123.50
Water-Sewer Department Labor	4,468.30
Total Labor	\$24,505.20

Other Expenses	
Fire Department Expenses and Equipment	\$ 2,203.18
Police Department Expenses	774.50
Gas and Oil Purchased	850.40
Gas Royalties Paid	557.90
Garbage-Sanitation Expense and Equipment	1,544.00
Gas System Expenses and Material	1,140.07
Insurance on Buildings and Equipment	1,566.44
McLean Library Allowances	1,088.70
Repairs-Painting-Wiring City Hall	2,322.50
Donations Summer Recreation Program	300.00
Other Donations	488.62
Park Improvements and Equipment	502.07
Repairs to City Jail	153.95
Tax Receipts and Envelopes	112.43
Miscellaneous Expenses	221.73
Office Supplies-Advertising	435.23
Gas-Water Utility Books-Envelopes	449.21
Power and Lights	5,909.29
Street Equipment and Supplies	1,136.87
Water System Equipment and Supplies	3,215.18
10% Gas Revenue Transferred to Spl. Fund	3,518.91
4% Interest Paid on Gas Meter Deposits	162.10
Total Expenses	\$28,653.28

Cash on Hand to Balance March 31, 1954	22,151.77
	\$75,310.25

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PUSH—DON'T DRAG

FREQUENTLY WE SEE reports of the percentage of people buying this or that, but infrequently do we realize the larger percentage which represents the group who did not buy.

These percentage figures—representing families who did not buy certain items—are surprisingly large, and indicate that the market is still open for sales when sales are pushed, rather than dragged. For example in 1953:

- 98% of the families in America did not move into new homes or apartments.
- 98% did not buy a food freezer.
- 97% did not buy a room air conditioner.
- 97% did not buy an electric range.
- 94% did not buy a vacuum cleaner.
- 92% did not buy a refrigerator.
- 92% did not buy an electric shaver.
- 92% did not paint their houses.
- 91% did not buy a washing machine.
- 89% did not ride in Pullmans or airplanes.
- 85% did not buy a TV set.
- 76% did not take a real vacation trip.
- 71% did not buy a radio set.

The figures are rather astounding, aren't they? Some of them possibly would apply just to our locality, because these statistics have been compiled on a nationwide scale. For example, the sale of TV sets in the McLean area probably passed the 29% figure, although it may not have.

Another rather amazing thing is that, of all the items listed above, a greater percentage of people bought radio sets than any other one item. This . . . despite the growth of television.

Many sales people apparently feel that they have an excellent sales record for 1953. But the above figures should make them "sit up and take notice." Government figures show that consumer savings were at an all-time high in 1953—we have no definite information on consumer savings thus far in 1954.

Yes, the buyer's market is here; but some salesmen are "not on the ball" as yet. And remember, more advertising makes selling easier.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Coffey and children, Francis, Sally, and Tracy, of McAllen were visitors a few days last week in the home of their grandmother, Mrs. J. P. Alexander.

Howard Williams accompanied members of the F. S. A. chapter to Lake Luger, Okla., over the week-end.

Miss Cleo Pope visited with Mrs. Myrtle Dilli in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Thompson of Lubbock, Mrs. Maude Prefontaine of Ada, Okla., and Rob Hindman of Amarillo visited with Mrs. Willie Boyett and other relatives and friends over the week-end.

Mrs. Ada Sullivan underwent surgery at the Groom hospital Friday morning. She is reported as doing well.

DID YOU KNOW?

Statistics show that the average man has no more than three months' salary in the bank. In other words, without "income insurance," the average man is just three months a way from bankruptcy.

We will be glad to discuss with you the manner in which you may insure the future of your loved ones.

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207 N. Wall Phone 800

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Please Phone for Appointments

DERBY DRIVE-IN

Thursday:

Robert Mitchum, Jean Simmons

"She Couldn't Say No"

Friday, Saturday:

Joan Fontaine, Jack Palance

"Flight to Tangier"
in Technicolor

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

Lucille Ball, Desi Arnaz,
Marjorie Main, Keenan Wynn

"The Long, Long Trailer"
in color

Wednesday, Thursday:

Wendell Corey,
Margaret Lockwood,
Forrest Tucker, Ronald Shiner

"Laughing Annie"
in Technicolor

AVALON

(Open Saturday Only)

Saturday:

"Dark Command"

LES

TALK

By LESTER

Marvin Hindman took me out to, and through, the Warren gasoline plant the other day. First time I had ever been to the plant, and I must say that I enjoyed seeing it. Lots and lots of mighty big machinery in one of these plants. The cost of operation, and the maintenance, must be a tremendous sum.

I was particularly impressed with the cleanliness of the various buildings. Despite that all this machinery is in constant operation, despite the frequent oilings necessary, despite the loose soil on which the plant is constructed, the buildings are kept in extra-ordinarily clean condition.

In addition, much is being done to beautify the grounds at the plant. Marvin says they started the Bermuda grass only a few years ago; yet it is covering the bare spots rapidly. Watering the grass has, of course, grown to be quite a problem. But it is getting to appear like an oasis in an otherwise rough country.

Actually, I don't know of much that we can do to show our appreciation, but the business men of our community should be grateful for the support given us by the many people who work at the Warren plant and other oil-industry plants in that area. I have no idea how great the payroll—in all the plants in the area—is, but it is a most important factor in our economy.

No doubt you already know it, but the Warren plant manufactures gasoline, butane, and propane. Marvin tells me that other products could be made from these three basic products, if a ready market happened to be available for them. The Warren firm sells more gasoline made from natural gas than any other company. In some of the Warren plants about the country, other products are made from the three normally produced in such a gasoline plant.

It is simply amazing how the oil and gas industry has de-

veloped over a relatively short period of years. Think of the many products made from either oil or gas, such as things you wear, parts of your car, parts of your home, etc., etc. The chemicals derived from this basic industry have been developed and re-developed, until now almost anything can be made from what once was crude oil or natural gas. Of course, in each case, the process is long and complicated, and other products may be needed, too; but without the chemicals produced from the minerals, many, many conveniences we now enjoy would not be ours.

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino have moved back to McLean to make their home. Rev. Longino served as pastor of the McLean Methodist Church for six or seven years. Their children received most of their schooling here. So, upon retirement from the ministry, Rev. and Mrs. Longino desired to come back home. They have bought the new house which J. E. Smith just built south of the railroad tracks, and it should be moved to a new location a block west of the Methodist church by the time you read this. We are glad to have you two fine people back home with us again. Your residence in our community will mean much to all of us.

Mrs. Mattie Graham brought in a long letter from Lew Lasswell, an early-day resident of McLean who now lives in Portland, Ore. The letter is quite interesting, and would be especially interesting to those of you who lived here 40 or more years ago. Mr. Lasswell really wanted the letter published in The News, but it is quite lengthy and would take more space than we might have available for it. However, if you would like to, you may come in and read it. He asks for further information concerning some of the old-timers of the local area, and we will be glad to give you his address if you would like to write him.

We're saving the letter. Some day, perhaps we can publish a historical edition of The News, and the information in his letter will be most fitting.



New Power Steering is standard on this 7,800 Ford-built 6-wheeler. GVW 40,000 lbs. Cargo King V-8.



New Power Brakes on this F-100 Pickup, at extra cost. V-8 or Six GVW 4,800 lbs. Deluxe Cab shown (extra cost).



New Cab Forward great! Ford C-900 Big Job. GVW 27,000 lbs. 170-hp. Cargo King V-8.



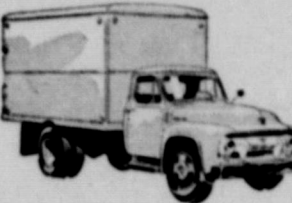
Choice of 3 engines in this new Ford F-600. GVW 28,000 lbs. Deluxe Driverized Cab shown (extra cost).

Now more than ever,
Ford offers the

ONE RIGHT TRUCK FOR YOUR JOB!



Perdomatic Drive at low extra cost on this new F-350 Parcel Delivery chassis. GVW 7,800 lbs.



Outsells all other 1 1/2-tonners! New F-500, GVW 14,000 lbs. 130-hp. V-8 or 115-hp. Six.

Now choose from over 220 Ford Truck models! ONLY FORD gives you gas-saving, Low-Friction, overhead-valve, high-compression, deep-block engines in all models! 3-man Driverized Cabs! Peak payload capacities in every model, thanks to strong, low-weight chassis! SEE YOUR FORD DEALER!

TRIPLE SAVINGS!

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2. DRIVER-SAVING EASE
3. MONEY-SAVING CAPACITIES

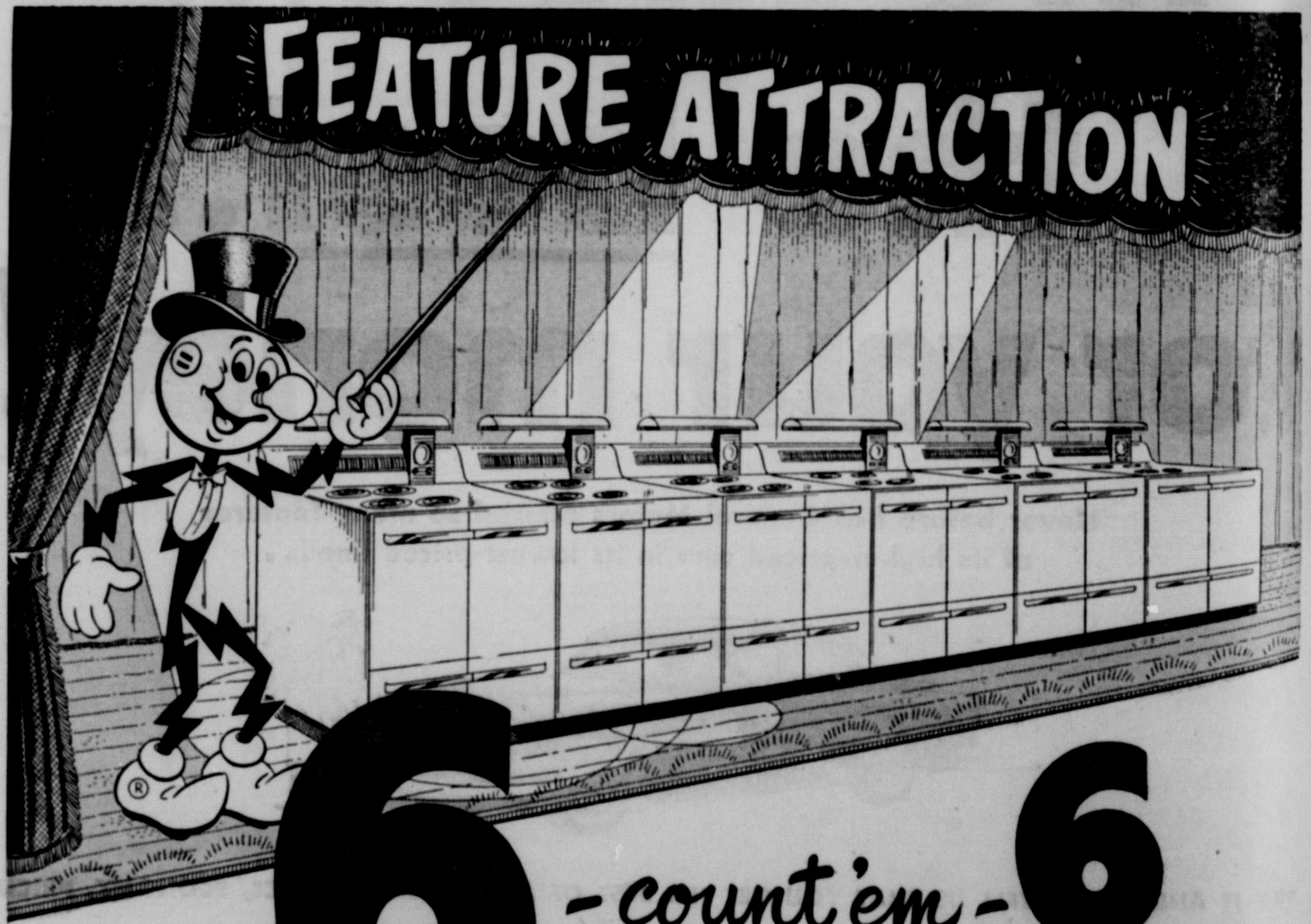
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DYSART MOTOR CO.

Your Friendly Ford Dealer

Vacation Idea . . . Visit the Ford Rotunda & Ford Rouge Plant at Dearborn, Michigan



FEATURE ATTRACTION

6 - count 'em - 6

Electric Ranges, FREE!

And you have a wonderful opportunity to win one of them. Feature Attraction is holding forth now at your Reddy Kilowatt Electric Appliance Dealer. He wants you to come in and have a complete demonstration of his electric range. After you have seen the many features of the electric range in action—features that make it the modern cooking method—you just pick the feature that most appeals to you,

and tell why it does in 25 words or less. That's your entry in Feature Attraction, and your opportunity to win one of the six free ranges.

It's easy to enter Feature Attraction, because it's easy to find outstanding features on an electric range. Electric cooking is easy, too, as you'll discover after you've seen it in action.

Look for the Reddy Kilowatt Dealer sign, and the "It's Feature Attraction Time" window streamer. That's the place to enter the big Feature Attraction Contest.



SOUTHWESTERN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

HERE ARE THE RULES...

Have your Reddy Kilowatt Dealer give you a complete range demonstration. Pick the feature that most appeals to you and tell why it does in 25 words or less on the entry card that he will give you. Leave your entry with the dealer.

Entries will be judged on originality, sincerity, and aptness of thought, and all entries become the property of Southwestern Public Service Company. Your entry must be in by June 12, 1954.

Six ranges will be given away free. If a winner buys a range during the campaign, the purchase price will be returned. Dealers, distributors, SWPSCO employees, and their families, are not eligible for Feature Attraction.



THINGS TO TALK ABOUT

BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
From American Peoples Encyclopedia

THE AVERAGE LENGTH OF THE FLYING FISH IS ABOUT 10 INCHES, AND ITS SPEED OF FLIGHT IS USUALLY FROM 30 TO 50 MILES AN HOUR, LASTING LESS THAN 20 SECONDS.

More than 10 1/2 pounds of peanuts per capita were harvested in the U.S. in one year.

STAMP COLLECTING IS ONE OF THE YOUNGEST OF THE WORLD'S HOBBIES, YET ONE OF THE MOST DEVOTED.



SHARON ANN Worstall, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Worstall, Zanesville, Ohio, is shown in the majorette costume she wore in her dance recital May 21. She is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Roberts of McLean, and the great-granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Roberts of Mobeetie.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clett visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clett and children in Pampa Sunday.

Bill Wilson and daughter Linda of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Johnson and son Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham of

Pampa and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller of Kellerville returned Friday after having spent the past two weeks in Louisiana and Mississippi on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson spent Friday night in Clarendon with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Henson.

Mrs. T. A. Langham was to leave this (Thursday) morning for a two-weeks visit with relatives in Tipton and Stockton, Calif.

The Sage Says:

The poorhouse is the last house on easy street.

ERNEST SAYS:

For a richer fuel for your automobile, next time fill up with good Gulf gasoline at our station.

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Watson's Gulf Service Station
South Lane Highway 66



A Matter of Taste

WHOLE WHEAT flour, stone-ground at a century old New England gristmill in the way of a forgotten age, is prime ingredient in an old-fashioned bread-making recipe used by bakeries of Pepperidge Farm. Process is streamlined version of Grandma's methods.



BECAUSE ever-increasing numbers have developed liking for the bread made as it was in bygone days, plants bake 3,000 loaves hourly. It is sped to food markets by a fleet of International trucks.



SCIENCE and your Health

DON'T KISS A PARROT!

By Science Features

People who get too close to their pet birds run the risk of getting psittacosis, commonly known as parrot fever. The increasing nationwide popularity of parakeets, parrots and love-birds as pets is believed to be the main cause for the rising rate of this relatively obscure disease.

In the first two months of this year 23 cases were reported by the U. S. Public Health Service, about four times the average number that occurred during the same period in 1945.

The symptoms and treatment of parrot fever are almost the same as those of virus pneumonia. This lung infection is accompanied by headaches, sore throat, chills and fever when the disease strikes. Before the introduction of antibiotics one out of every five recorded parrot fever cases resulted in death. Treatment today usually consists of rest in bed with doses of antibiotics. Doctors at the University of Texas Medical Branch reported that treatment with terramycin led to recovery of two psittacosis patients within three days. Sparrows, pigeons and ducks can also carry the disease, and the birds need not be infected themselves in order to spread the virus that causes the fever. People can catch the illness by close association with these feathered friends or by direct contact with them.

A warning was issued recently by the Medical Society of New Jersey against kissing parrots or parakeets or allowing these pets to take food from one's lips. Some kisses, the medical society admitted, are undoubtedly worth running a risk to enjoy. Kissing birds, however, should be left to other birds.

Hamiln Smithdeal of Colorado Springs, Colo., spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Stokely.

Mrs. Jim Williamson and children of Mobeetie visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt, Sunday.

Benny and Wayne Scales are spending this week in Bethany, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Scales and Eula Mae Scales.

Mrs. Naomi Evale of Amarillo and Mrs. Hall of Clarendon visited with Mrs. Jim Simpson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Massay and children visited during the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Reedy in Wichita Falls. David and Paul Massay remained for a longer visit with their aunt and uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker and son Bobby of Pampa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holt Reed and family of Gering, Neb., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clett Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt and children of Idalou spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Archer of Seminole spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Powell and family of Hereford visited with his mother, Mrs. Maud Powell, Monday.

Mrs. Donald Beall of Park City, Utah, is visiting with friends and relatives here.

- HUNT'S TOMATO JUICE 46 oz. 27c
- HUNT'S TOMATO JUICE 300 can, 3 for 27c
- HUNT'S Halves PEACHES 2 1/2 can 27c
- BORDEN Powdered Milk STARLAC 32c
- SUPREME CRACKERS 1 lb box 24c

- DERBY'S PETER PAN PEANUT BUTTER 18 oz. glass 49c
- SHURFINE MILK tall can 2 for 25c
- PILLSBURY PANCAKE MIX 1 1/2 lb box 15c
- SHURFINE HOMINY 303 can 3 for 25c
- STOKELY'S Small Whole GREEN BEANS 303 can 29c
- NABISCO New SWISS CREME COOKIES 34c
- SUNSHINE CHACKERS HI HO 1 lb box 33c

You can't miss our low prices! You see them wherever you look because they're on every shelf . . . on every package. And it stands to reason—the more low prices, the more money you save on your food orders. What's more—you get QUALITY in the bargain because all our foods are top quality foods—flavor-full and nutrition-rich. Yes—you'll eat better . . . save more . . . shopping at this fine food store where every item is low priced every day.

- SNOWDRIFT SHORTENING 3 lb tin 83c
- PURE CANE SUGAR 10 lb 95c

- #### Fruits & Vegetables
- LEMONS Sunkist 360 count dozen 35c
 - CELERY Pascal stalk 10c
 - TOMATOES Pick o' Morn cello bag each 19c
 - ONIONS New Crop Crystal Wax 1 lb 7c

- #### Quality Meats
- CHEESE Wis. Longhorn 1 lb 49c
 - FRESH GROUND BEEF 1 lb 29c

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THE BIGGEST LITTLE STORE IN THE PANHANDLE
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the **Skyliner EXECUTIVE**

SKYLINER Steel Office Furniture represents your wisest investment in office equipment. Skyliner pays big dividends in smart, modern appearance . . . increased working efficiency . . . rugged durability. Heavy gauge steel construction, baked enamel finish means longer life . . . results in lower cost per year of use.

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FOR SALE
 1949 Commodore Hudson Six for sale, \$300.00. See Frank Simpson. 1c

For fertilizer, see S. R. Jones, McLean Gin. 8-tfc

Tar roofing for sale. John Mertel. 17-tfc

FARM SPECIAL
 640 A. flat, medium sandy land near Kellerville. 160 A. planted in sand love, Indian, and blue-stem grasses last winter; about 150 A. in Johnson grass. 2 water wells. \$19.00 acre; \$1,000.00 down. Quentin Williams, Hughes Bldg., Pampa, Texas. 18-tfc

For Sale—Nice tomato plants. J. E. Smith, Phone 129W. 20-3c

For Sale—Maryland Sweet sweet potato plants; tomato, cabbage, and pepper plants. Will Warren, Box 12, Wheeler, Texas. 22-2p

For Sale—Cane seed and maize. Leamon Andrews, Phone 1608F11. 22-2p

FOR RENT
 For Rent—2-bedroom house on pavement. J. M. Payne. 22-tfc

For Rent—Modern house, with 3 rooms and basement. Mrs. Madge Page. 12-tfc

For Rent—2-room apartment at Cobb's Apartments. Mrs. R. L. Appling, Ph. 1621F12. 17-tfc

For Rent—Stockton house, \$20 month. Write Mrs. J. L. Henderson, Box 2529, Amarillo, Texas. 21-2c

MISCELLANEOUS
 Expert local and long distance moving. For more information call Bruce and Sons, Phone 934, Pampa. 1-tfc

REPAIR LOANS
 From \$100.00 to \$2,500.00, with up to 36 months to pay.
 New roof for average house, labor and material, only \$8.60 per month.
 Cicero Smith Lumber Co. Carl Jones, Mgr. 20-tfc

John Mertel Real Estate. Telephone 17. 17-tfc

Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 129W. 13-tfc

Births—
 (Continued from page 1)
 She has been named Kathy. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Phillips of St. Louis, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page of Pampa are the parents of a girl, born Wednesday morning. She weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces, and has been named Iris Lee. Grandparents are Mrs. Madge Page of McLean, and Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Witt of Canadian.

Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Finley spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Sylvia Harbour, in Mangum, Okla.

Mrs. John B. Gull underwent surgery Tuesday of last week at Worley Hospital in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson of Wewoka, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jenkins and family.

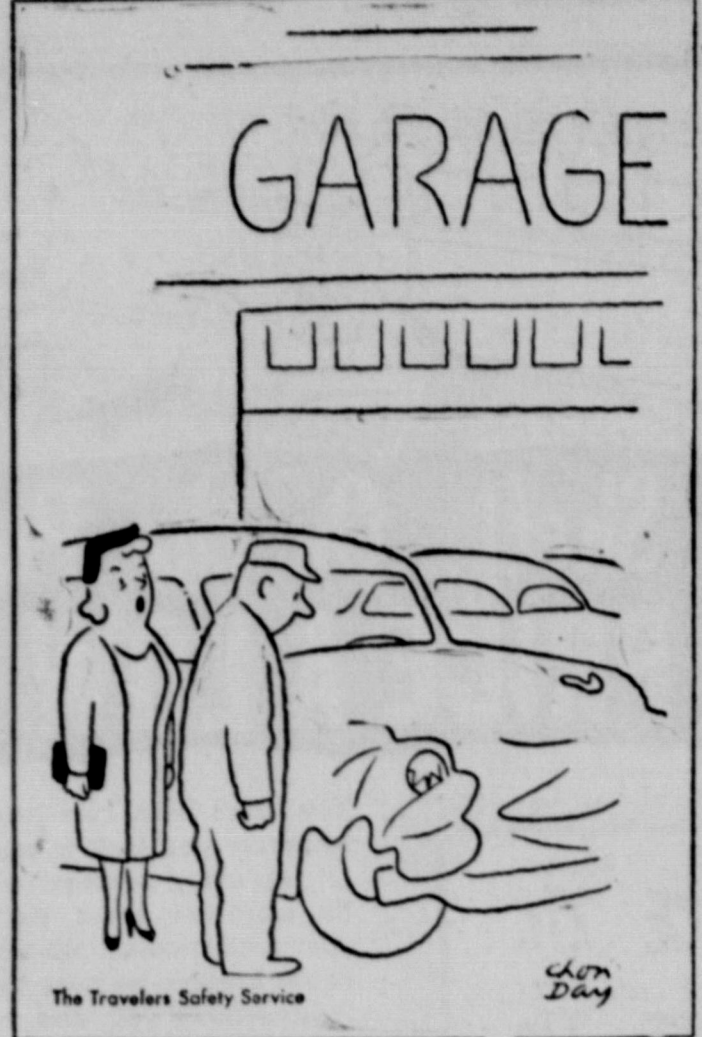
Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Davis of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale and family.

Lewis West of Hereford spent a few days last week with his daughter, Mrs. J. C. Claborn and family. Jobey Claborn accompanied his grandfather home for a visit.

Mrs. M. D. Bishop and son Don of Salamanca, Mexico, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page this week. Mrs. Page and Mrs. Bishop are sisters.

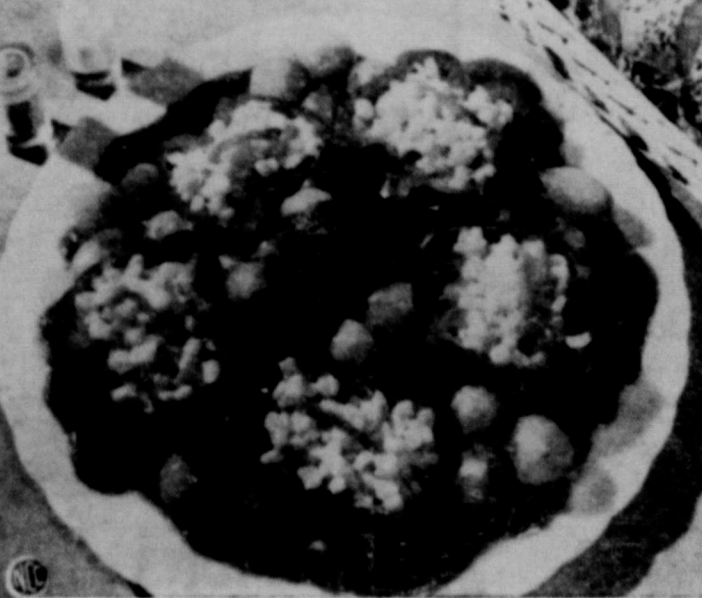
In 1911 the first American aviation pilot's license was issued to Glenn Curtiss.

The Passing Scene by Chon Day



"There must be something wrong with it. It keeps hitting things."

VEGETABLE BAKE MAKES TASTY COMBINATION



Whether you're an advocate of garden-fresh vegetables or frozen foods, you should include a wide variety of green and yellow vegetables in your meal planning. Vitamin-rich vegetables supply elements that are necessary to good health and growth. Serve them in tempting, appetizing combinations like this delightful vegetable bake.

1 1/2 pounds of green beans or 1 package French-cut frozen beans
 2 cups of small white onions
 3 large green peppers
 1 package frozen kernel corn
 2 1/2 cups canned tomatoes
 1 teaspoon salt
 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 2 teaspoons Worcestershire
 1/2 cup margarine

If fresh beans are used, cut lengthwise into strips and cook 16 minutes in 3/4 cup boiling water with one teaspoon salt. If frozen beans are used, add 1/2 cup boiling water and 1/2 teaspoon salt and bring to a boil. Drain. Peel onions and cook in boiling salted water until almost tender, about five minutes. Cut peppers in halves lengthwise and remove seeds. Cook corn two minutes in 1/2 cup boiling water with 1/2 teaspoon salt. Fill peppers with corn. Arrange filled peppers in large well-margarined baking dish or on deep oven-proof platter. Put drained onions between peppers. Arrange beans around edge of dish. Combine tomatoes, salt, pepper, and Worcestershire sauce. Pour over beans. Dot all vegetables generously with margarine. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Cover and bake in a moderately hot oven (400° F.) 30 minutes. Serve hot with crisp corn sticks.

Getting Sun Tan? Watch Dose Size

The therapeutic value of a sun tan probably isn't worth the trouble and risk it takes to get one.

That's the word from the State Health Department. They say a tan is nothing more than a manifestation of a skin injury.

But these same health officials are first to admit that a sensible bask in the sun makes a fine mental pick-me-up. Overdoing it the first week of sunny weather is the thing that leads to trouble.

Sunshine in large doses can kill you. More than one "sunshine sucker" has succumbed to a hot sun when he wasn't accustomed to it. Even at best, over-exposure can mean two or three miserable days and sleepless nights when a mere shirt is torture.

Some people are physically unable to tan. Known medically as "helio-phobes," they could spend the entire summer in the sun and all they'd get would be blisters on the blisters. The reason is that their skin lacks the pigment necessary to produce the tan tint, and each new exposure means a new burn.

McLEAN LIONS CLUB
 1st and 3rd Tuesdays
 12:05 p. m.
 McLean Methodist Church
 Visitors Welcome

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kennedy spent the week-end in Amarillo in the home of her brother, Floyd Simpson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Martin of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Heasley.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Appling were in Amarillo Monday to attend the graduation exercises of their granddaughter, Anita Gayle Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peirce were in Lefors on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn W. Farmer and daughter of Waco attended the graduation exercises here

last Friday night and spent the week-end with Mrs. Farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan McPherson. Ona Gail McPherson accompanied them home to spend this week. Mr. Farmer is a student at Baylor University.

Mrs. E. V. Fulton and children of Lefors visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peirce Sunday afternoon. Saturday afternoon visitors in the Peirce home were Mrs. June King and daughter Janet of Anadarko, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jones of Grand Prairie spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McDonald.

Dr. and Mrs. Buell Wells and daughter Lequita are attending the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention in St. Louis this week.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
 BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
 Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia

At one time the word "evangelist" referred to writers of the Gospels. In more recent times, a preacher skilled in converting sinners or in leading revival meetings has been called an evangelist.

IN NORTH CAROLINA, EVAPORATION IS 10 TIMES AS RAPID IN JULY AS IN JANUARY. IN FLORIDA THE RATE OF EVAPORATION IS ONLY TWICE THAT IN JANUARY.

STAGE COACHES WERE USED AS EARLY AS THE 15th CENTURY BY KINGS AND NOBLES, BUT THE "FOR-HIRE" VARIETY DID NOT APPEAR UNTIL 1625, WHEN A FEW OF THEM COULD BE FOUND IN LONDON.

Ann and Frances Winsett returned to their home at Roswell, N. M., Wednesday after having spent the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Carpenter.

GOOD YEAR TIRES Now! For the first time!

NYLON SALE

on safer, stronger... new 1954

3-T NYLON CORD Super-Cushion

by **GOOD YEAR**

at the lowest prices ever offered!

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