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GOSSIP
(More or Less)

Red Bogan of Borger, a resident of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. was reported this week resting well following a heart attack suffered at Wednesday of last week. Bogan's father said he was in serious condition, and would have to remain at the hospital at Borger for at least three weeks.

Several football boys who live in the city limits will be home each afternoon following practice sessions by members of the McLean Lions Club. Boys concerned live in the Webb, and south of Alameda streets. Three Lions will transport the boys for a period of week, and three more, etc. President J. W. Meacham said that any other fans who wish to help out will be welcomed by the club members. If fans do wish to help, they are asked to contact one of the three committee members in charge of the project; the committees are Hickman, Amos, and Freeman.

Under the direction of Mrs. Bob James underwent surgery in Highland General Hospital last week-end. She was reported to be improving.

Donald Ray Patterson of McLean, N. M., 18 years of age, was injured when struck by a car while hunting near McLean Sunday. The bearer of the gun which discharged was Roy Rogers of McLean, who was with Patterson on the hunting trip east of town.

Donald Ray, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Patterson, was struck by the shot on the rear of one leg. He was taken to the hospital in Shamrock, and was reported as recuperating as well as could be expected.

The Patterson family was spending the Labor Day week-end with relatives and friends.

Sammy and Johnny Haynes of McLean finished as the two finalists in the tenth flight of the Top of Texas golf tournament held last week-end in Pampa. It was the first tournament either had ever entered. Sammy ousted Sammy 2-1 in the final match, and was awarded a watch for winning his first. Sammy, as runner-up, received a piece of luggage for his prize.

George W. Terry, owner of Terry's Electric, is in Amarillo this week to attend a four-day refrigeration school. The school is being sponsored by the Southwestern Appliance company, distributor of Philco products. Terry, local Philco dealer, will be in Amarillo each day through Friday at the school.

Boyd Reeves of McLean was in serious condition Wednesday following an attack suffered at Lake McChesnut Monday. It was first believed that Reeves suffered a heart attack, but that diagnosis has been changed, and the exact cause of his illness has not been revealed. He was rushed to Highland General Hospital at Pampa for treatment, and was still in the hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. O'Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cooper of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Crutcher of Lefors visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Coops Saturday evening.

Mrs. Zora Kennedy and son Vernon of Amarillo spent the Labor Day week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor of Lubbock visited with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor and Mrs. Essie Glenn, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rhee returned Tuesday evening from a week-end visit in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Wm. E. Haynes, at Walnut Creek, Calif. Lt. Col. and Mrs. Haynes brought home and will visit with Mrs. and Mrs. Haynes' sister, Mrs. Legon Burris, for two weeks.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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E. J. WILLIAMS FOUND DEAD IN HOME HERE

Ernest Jerome Williams, who had lived alone at his home in southwest McLean for a number of years, was found dead by neighbors Monday afternoon at about 4:30 o'clock. He was 80 years of age.

J. C. Claborn, coroner, stated that Williams may have died the day before he was found.

Funeral arrangements were pending Wednesday morning, awaiting word from a son who is in the U. S. Army.

Williams had lived in McLean for the past 21 years. He was a retired farmer. He was born May 22, 1874.

Survivors include his wife, Annie L. Williams of Detroit, Texas; three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Stringer of DeKalb, Mrs. H. T. Copeland of Falfax, and Mrs. Clyde Williams of Amarillo; four sons, Casey Williams of DeKalb, Russell A. Williams of the U. S. Army, E. J. Williams Jr. of Nashville, Tenn., and John M. Williams of Arlington; one brother, Tom Williams of Rome, Ga.; two sisters, Inez Williams and Kate Williams, both of Rome; and nine grandchildren.

First Pep Rally For Tigers to Be Friday Morning

The first pep rally of the fall semester will be held in the McLean High School auditorium Friday morning at 11:15 o'clock, Superintendent Freeman Melton Jr. said this week.

The rally will be held to boost the McLean Tigers for their opening football game with the Irish at Shamrock Friday night.

Football players, and Coaches Hap Rogers and Clint Williams will be on hand.

Fans of the Tigers are invited to attend the rally, and aid in encouraging the team to victory, Melton said.

SHIVERS RULE OVER DEMO MEET LIKELY

Governor Allan Shivers, victorious in his campaign for an unprecedented third term, is expected to wield a firm control at the coming state Democratic convention, to meet in Mineral Wells September 14.

But the minority group, led by Ralph Yarborough in his campaign for the governorship nomination, is also expected to vent plenty of sound, and possibly some fury. The convention will be a tussle between the conservative Democrats, led by Shivers, and the liberals.

The convention is likely to attract the largest delegation in history. There are 6,186 potential delegates, compared with 1,777 two years ago. Delegate representation from each of Texas 254 counties is based on the vote accorded the party's candidate for governor in the last preceding general election.

The last general election was in 1952, a year in which Shivers appeared on the ballot in both the Democratic and Republican columns.

Under a ruling of the state Democratic executive committee, both Republican and Democratic votes for the governor were counted in determining convention representation.

The chairman of the state committee, George Sandlin, states that Shivers will control 75 per cent of the convention votes; he qualifies that, however, by saying it is just a guess.

The liberals, nevertheless, will be able to use big guns, such as the 790 Harris County delegates which they control, and those from such key places as Galveston, Nueces, and Jefferson counties. In addition, the convention credentials committee will face contests from more than 20 counties, most of which will be sending two delegations to Mineral Wells.

No bolt from the convention, similar to that of two years ago, is expected. The most probable prospect for a convention fight centers around the selection of the new 62-member state executive committee, a powerful group that will be in the saddle in the critical presidential election year of 1956. Committee membership is based on representation from each of Texas' 31 state senatorial districts.

Tigers to Open Grid Season With Shamrock Friday Night

TWO YOUTHS HURT IN CAR CRASH HERE

Two McLean youths suffered slight injuries in McLean's only car accident during the Labor Day week-end.

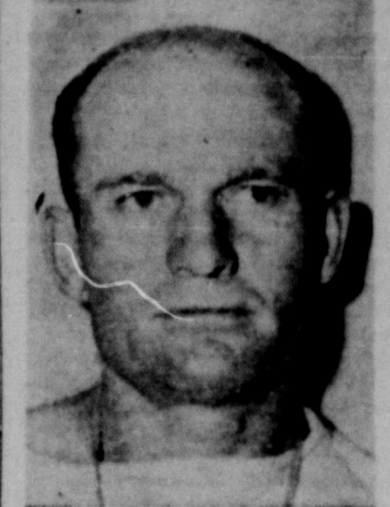
The accident occurred Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the east city limits in the west-bound lane of Highway 66.

A car driven by Amos L. Coffee of Loma Linda, Calif., was in collision with a roadster driven by Jack Stafford of McLean. Stafford and his companion, Joel Wilson, suffered slight injuries, although none of the occupants of the other car was hurt. Coffee was accompanied by his wife and two children.

The roadster, a small vehicle, was knocked about 30 feet from the point of collision and landed on its top. Stafford crawled from under the car after it had turned over. Wilson, the passenger, was hurled from the car when the two vehicles collided.

The front end of the larger car was damaged, and the smaller car was practically demolished.

Stafford, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stafford, and Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson, were taken to the Shamrock hospital for treatment. Wilson required several stitches to close a scalp wound, and Stafford was bruised and shaken up. Neither youth was retained in the hospital.



COACH HAP ROGERS wanting victory

GAME TIME IS 8 O'CLOCK AT IRISH FIELD

It's time to get your vocal chords in tune, you football fans, for the football season of McLean High School opens Friday night.

The Tigers open the season at 8 o'clock, playing the Irish of Shamrock High School on the Shamrock gridiron. Game time for all non-district games will be 8 o'clock, with all district games (beginning October 8 with Gruver) starting at 7:30 o'clock.

Coach Hap Rogers said Tuesday that only two boys are suffering from injuries, and that one of them will likely be ready to play by Friday. James Smith, scabback, has been sidelined with a sore back, but is expected to be ready. Don Haslam, another back, is still out with a broken collar bone (suffered when he fell from a bicycle near his home), and will not be able to play for about another month. The rest of the squad was in good shape.

Rogers said he will probably start the following boys: Ricky Mantooth, Smith or Paul Garvin, Rodney Gunn, and Gerald Tate, in the backfield; Jimmy Farren and Tracy Cooper, at ends; Don Trew and Wayne Woods, tackles; Arthur Vineyard and James Jolly, at guards; and Bob Boyd, at center. He had planned to start Charlie Vineyard in the backfield, and possibly Tate at center, but Vineyard left Monday to work in Kansas and it is not known whether he will return or not.

The Tigers are rated as one of the favorites in District 1-A this season, but Rogers is pessimistic about the team's chances due to the lack of depth in several positions. "It's true," he commented, "that we have a large number of boys out, but the big majority of them are very inexperienced as yet. Several of the boys who transferred in from Alameda may be coming along fine by mid-season, but as yet they have had no experience."

According to all reports, the Shamrock Irish, under the direction of Coach Scott McCall, are the weakest team in District (Continued on back page)

LEGION MEET AT AMARILLO

Members of the American Legion from posts in the 18th congressional district will meet at Amarillo Sunday afternoon, September 12, at the American Legion Home to outline plans and policies for the 1955 American Legion year with the new state commander of the American Legion, E. L. "Stonewall" Jackson of Cisco. Commander Jackson will be accompanied by G. Ward Moody of Austin, state adjutant.

Paul Spillman of Wellington, 18th district commander, will preside. Membership plans for posts in the district will be discussed. The American Legion's official membership year will begin with a statewide "L" Day Crusade, October 20.

This will be in charge of Culp Krueger of El Campo, state membership chairman.

OBSERVANCE OF FIRE WEEK PLANNED HERE

The McLean Lions Club will again work with the public schools in the annual Fire Prevention Week program, it was decided at the regular meeting of the club.

A committee of Boyd Meador, J. C. Claborn, and Lester Dysart was named by President J. W. Meacham to make all arrangements for the observance.

Under the plan used in previous years, the Lions Club has given awards to first, second, and third place winners in each elementary school room for the best fire prevention posters. The awards are usually made in an assembly program for the children, and Meador stated that that plan will likely be used again this year.

In addition, the three top winners in each room are taken for rides on the McLean fire trucks. Meador, who is chief of the fire department, also said the fire truck rides would be given again.

Fire Prevention Week will be observed throughout the United States October 3-9. Observances vary, of course, with the communities concerned; but, wherever it is held, citizens are reminded of the cost of fires each year. In McLean, for example, the children's posters will be displayed in business windows throughout the town as a reminder to the general citizenry.

During the week, the local fire department will put on some type of fire-fighting demonstration, Meador stated. Details of the demonstration are not yet complete, but it will likely be similar to demonstrations held in the past.

DONLEY FAIR PLANS MADE

Plans for the Donley County Fair are coming along fine, says County Agent H. M. Breedlove.

The fair this year will be held in the McMurtry Building in Clarendon September 17 and 18. Most of the setting up of the exhibits will be done on the 16th so they will be ready for the opening day. All agricultural exhibits from the communities in the county will be set up on the 16th and will be judged on the 17th at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The three schools in the county will have home economics exhibits, and Miss Ruth Richerson will have charge of them. They will be set up on the 16th and judged on the 17th. All poultry should be in on the 16th, and will be judged on the 17th. The flower show entries will close at 10 o'clock on the morning of the 17th, and entries for the cake department will close at the same time. The merchants displays should be set up on the 16th and ready for the 17th.

The horse show, which is now approved by the American Quarterhorse Association, will be held on the morning of the 18th at 10 o'clock at the rodeo grounds, and Breedlove says that entries will be taken right up to time for the showing. The races will be held at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of the 18th at the rodeo grounds, and are under the supervision of the outdoor entertainment association.

All swine and sheep in the boys livestock department will be on display both days of the show and will be judged on the morning of the 18th. Breedlove says that next week the fair building will be cleaned and preparations will be made for space and setting up of display tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson and son Gene in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and children of Pampa visited Sunday with Mrs. O. K. Lee and family and Mrs. Frank Golightly and family.

DATE IS SET TO OPEN CAR INSPECTIONS

Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety, has announced that the public safety commission has officially set the dates for the new inspection period for autos under the provision of the state's motor vehicle inspection act.

Texas motorists must secure the annual inspection of their cars between September 15, 1954, and April 15, 1955, according to the commission order.

At the same time George Busby, chief of the DPS motor vehicle inspection division, said that the inspectors from his office have filed 106 cases against car owners who failed to have their cars checked during the current inspection period. These, he said, are in addition to those cases filed by members of the Texas Highway Patrol and by various local police departments throughout the state.

Unable to give an estimation of the actual number of violations for which arrests have been made during the 1953-54 period, Busby said that he "believed the figure to be comparatively low" due to the fact that frequent spot checks indicate that Texans have conformed with the law "almost 100 per cent."

A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market.—Charles Lamb.

BIRTHDAYS

- Sept. 12—Peb Everett, Sondra Graham, Mrs. W. W. Shaddid, Mrs. Bonnie Chilton.
- Sept. 13—Mrs. F. H. Bourland.
- Sept. 14—Jimmy Allison, C. L. Wood, Clifford Allison, Natalie Herndon.
- Sept. 15—C. G. Nicholson, Joe Horne, Kenneth Gibson, Christa Carol Rodgers, Frank Moore.
- Sept. 16—Norman Wayne Nelson.
- Sept. 17—Mrs. J. R. Glass, Marvin Grigsby.
- Sept. 18—Mrs. Bunia Kunkel, Mrs. Lady Bryant, J. J. Rallsback, Ronnie Wayne Melroy, Clarence Voyles, Billie Jack Prock.

McLean Legion Post Is Reorganized

A determined group of about 25 veterans met at the American Legion Hall last Wednesday night, quickly decided to rejuvenate the organization of the Floyd-Corbin-Florey Post, and elected officers to replace those who had resigned.

Bill Kingston, first vice commander, was named as post commander to succeed O. L. Barr, who resigned recently when he moved to Amarillo. Barr was present at the meeting and presided throughout the session.

Other officers of the post are Felton Webb, first vice commander; J. R. Glass, second vice commander; Lester Dysart, third vice commander; Trull Johnson, adjutant; Edwin Curry, finance officer; J. W. Meacham, chaplain; Lester Campbell, service officer; and E. J. Windom Jr., sergeant-at-arms.

A motion was made to the effect that the building would not be sold, and the motion passed unanimously. Consider-

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck and family spent the week-end in Dumas with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Wright and family of Philadelphia, Pa., visited Thursday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman and family. Mrs. Wright is a niece of Mr. Goodman.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Todd of Los Angeles, Calif., visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and sons.

able discussion was held concerning the gaining of more interest by veterans, and the group present pledged full support to maintain a strong Legion post.

Named to a membership committee were Dysart, as chairman, and Campbell, Glass, L. N. Cunningham, Troy Corbin, H. A. Ningham, and Byrd Jones. Several new members were signed up at the meeting, and each man present pledged himself to attempt to enlist at least two new members.

Meetings of the post will be held each first and third Mondays at 7:30 o'clock.

"We are in need of the help and support of all veterans, in and out of the post, who participated in World Wars I and II, and in the Korean war," Kingston said. "We are hoping that each of you veterans will seek out a member of the membership committee and pay your dues for the year 1955. Dues are now \$5 per year."

"There has also been a rumor to the effect that the hall was not available for various types of community activities. That rumor is false. Naturally, in order for the post to maintain the building, we must charge rent for these activities, but we feel that the rental charge is quite reasonable. Members of the house committee, who have charge of the renting of the building for these activities, are J. W. Meacham, Elwin Curry, and Luke Henley, and they should be contacted when the building is needed for some activity.

"The Legion is also in need of a couple who would live at the hall and serve as caretakers. The quarters, plus utility bills, are furnished free to the caretakers. If you happen to know of some couple who would be interested in such a proposition, I would appreciate your letting me know about it," Kingston said.

THAT'S A FACT

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About 80 People Attend Meeting Of Alanreed P-TA

Between 75 and 80 people turned out last Friday for the first fall meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association in Alanreed. The meeting was held in the Alanreed gym.

The group showed much interest in the work to be done by the P-T. A. this year. Mrs. F. E. Hambright, reporter, said, and officers are looking forward to a good year of activities.

A good program was held, followed by a social hour. The climax was reached when a delicious angel food cake with blue icing, and yellow punch were served. The P-T. A. colors are blue and yellow. The decorations were in blue, white, and gold.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cooper Plan Observance 50th Anniversary

An open house celebrating the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper will be held in their home Saturday afternoon, September 11, from 2 to 6 o'clock.

Friends of the couple are invited to visit them during these hours.

Mrs. Billy C. Eudey Is Given Shower In J. Willis Home

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Billy Charles Eudey was given in the home of Mrs. Joe Willis August 26.

Misses Clea Sue Hensley, and Arlene and Marlene Gudgel registered the guests and served refreshments.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Guy C. Saunders, George Saunders, Cleo Hensley, Charles Hall, Leon Crockett, Sherman Crockett, John Dwyer, Joe Willis, John Gudgel, Eva Cobb, J. H. Nicholson, Clyde Willis, Morris Shelton, Milton Carpenter, Elton Johnston, J. L. Andrews, Ernest Godfrey, Pelt Everett, Boyd Meador, Bob Massey, Bernice Pyatt, George Bailey, Charlie Morgan, Emory Crockett, E. J. Windom, Ola Henderson, R. T. Dickinson.

Mesdames J. L. McClellan, Leo Gibson, Sam McClellan, J. H. McCarty, Odessa Gunn, Clyde Magee, Mary Lou Simpson, J. A. Brawley, Jim Simpson, J. A. Wheeler, W. C. Simpson, O. V. Smulcer, O. L. Tibbets, J. C. Willis, Jo Burrows, Walter Bailey, Hal Mounce, Odell Mantooth, Wallace Grimsley, Ernest Watson, Johnny Vineyard, Jim Back, June Woods, Clifford Allison, A. L. Conatser.

Mesdames Frank Simpson, A. R. Clawson, Sophia Hutchison, Farris Hess, Rish Phillips, Roy Barker, C. P. Callahan, Ruth Lowary, Pete Fulbright, Richard Back, J. D. Coleman, W. W. Snadid, Raymond Guyton, Lizzie Miller, C. A. Myatt, E. J. Lander, Bob Black, George Preston, John Moore, Jess Ledbetter, Wright Wise; Misses Marnelle Ledgerwood and LaRue Pettit; and Bill Pettit.

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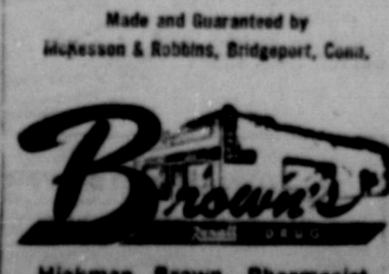
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Birthday Party Given in Honor Of Elwin Curry

A birthday party honoring Elwin Curry was given in his home Sunday, September 5.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson of Richmond, Calif., Lawrence Curry and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Baker of Vernon, Bobby Curry of Electra, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Ewing and grandsons, Tom and Mike, of Elk City, Okla., Mrs. M. D. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Curry, and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Bell of Panhandle visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson Sunday.

Eastern Star Has Regular Session At Masonic Hall

The McLean Chapter 239, Order of Eastern Star, met in regular session September 2 in the Masonic Hall.

The business session was conducted by Mrs. Johnnie Rodgers, worthy matron, and Barney Clayton, worthy patron.

Refreshments were served by the men in the dining hall, and a social hour was enjoyed by those present.

The next stated meeting will be the 50th anniversary program October 7. All members are urged to attend.

Liberty H. D. Club To Have Display At Shamrock Fair

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Earl Eustace Tuesday, September 7.

The club members voted to sponsor a display of basket weaving at the Shamrock fair September 16 and 17.

Those enjoying the book review given by Mrs. C. E. Cooke were Mesdames Roy McCracken, J. J. Railsback, Walter Bailey, Wink Gleason, Wallace Rainwater, Karl Adams, O. O. Tate, Olen Davis, Henry Roth, Joe Coleman, Larry Sutton, Frank Wilson, Ellen Wilson, Lollie Stratton, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Olen Davis

September 21. There will be a demonstration by the agent on broiling steak.

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting Is Held In Church Parlor

The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday in the parlor of the church for the first meeting of the fall.

Mrs. T. E. Crisp was leader of the following spiritual life program: hymns, "More About Jesus"; devotional and prayer, Mrs. C. O. Goodman; "A Touch of Perfection," Mrs. Crisp; "Along the Way," Mrs. B. E. Glass; "Stop Fussing," Mrs. Fiddell Stubbs; "Our Beliefs," Mrs. Kid McCoy; prayer, Mrs. Mattie Graham; poem, "My God and I," Mrs. Bill Stubbs.

Present were Mesdames J. E. Kerr, J. R. Glass, B. E. Glass, Fiddell Stubbs, Bill Stubbs, Graham, McCoy, and Crisp.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Heard and children and Mrs. Calvin Hurrell and children of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McLean and family visited with Mrs. C. Trent and other relatives at Childress over the weekend.

J. B. Kibler of Oklahoma City and Mrs. Will Herring and grand daughter of Slicktown visited with Mrs. J. W. Kibler Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Patterson and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Patterson in Amarillo Sunday.

It's VALUE-PICKIN' Time

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Vows Exchanged By Marie Grogan, Robert Eastham

Miss Marie Ann Grogan of Amarillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Grogan of McLean, became the bride of Robert O. Eastham, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Eastham of Amarillo, in a double-ring ceremony August 28 at the chapel of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo.

The double-ring ceremony was officiated by Dr. Carl E. Batz. As a prelude, Mrs. B. F. Davis, sister of the bridegroom, played "Serenade" and accompanied Miss Eleanor Wallace as she sang "Always" and "Because." The traditional wedding marches were used.

An all-pink color scheme was carried out in the decorations. A floor vase of gladioli and roses formed the center of the nuptial area, with a background of jade palms. Side arrangements of candelabra bearing cathedral tapers completed the decor. The bridal aisle was marked with tapers in candelabra and garlands of fern tied in satin bows.

The bride, given in marriage

AUDREY'S LEOPARD LOOK



Audrey Hepburn, brilliant young actress, steals the scene in an eye-catching corduroy leopard lounge. Her one-piece lounge suit is of washable, leopard-printed cotton corduroy. The talented theatrical star and her smart fashions are spotlighted in Seventeen magazine's recent salute to "Young Theater."

ried a Victorian bouquet of amaryllis and frenched carnations. Her bandeau of matching taffeta was decorated with sweetheart roses. Miss Betty Fain, bridesmaid, wore a gown and carried a bouquet similar to that of the honor attendant.

Claud Fox Jr. was best man, and B. F. Davis was groomsmen. Ushers were F. L. Eastham and Bill Huff.

Mrs. Grogan wore a beige lace dress complemented with beige and bronze accessories, and a corsage of talisman roses. Mrs. Eastham was attired in a light blue taffeta dress with navy accessories, and a corsage of premiere roses.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church fellowship hall. The serving table was centered with a crystal bowl of carnations and white roses, flanked by crystal candelabra. Miss Bonnie Prock of Denver presided at the punch bowl. The tiered cake was served by Mrs. Martha Wallace, and Mrs. Russell Mitchell secured names for the guest book.

Mrs. Eastham was graduated from Samnorwood High School and attended Amarillo College, where she was a member of Sigma Phi Chi and Beta Sigma Phi sororities.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Amarillo High School and attended Amarillo College. He is employed by the Pioneer Natural Gas company.

After a wedding trip, the young people are making their home at 3106B 11th in Amarillo.



MRS. JOHN DEE COLEMAN

Sandra Burden, John Dee Coleman United in Marriage

The home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Burden of Shamrock was the scene on August 26 of the marriage of their daughter, Sandra, to John Dee Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman of McLean.

Rev. Frank Beauchamp, pastor

of the First Methodist Church of Shamrock, read the double-ring ceremony before an altar arranged before the fireplace. Tall white baskets of white mums and pompons, and floor candelabra bearing lighted candles completed the setting.

Miss Mary Kay Holmes played a prelude of nuptial music, and accompanied Miss Joan Beauchamp as she sang "Because." "The Bridal Chorus" from the

opera "Lohengrin" was played for the processional.

Ushers and candlelighters were Bill Burden, brother of the bride, and Mario Coleman, brother of the groom.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a bridal gown of white lace and tulle styled with molded bodice of lace, round neckline, and cap sleeves edged with tiny ruffles of tulle. The full gathered skirt of tulle was finished with airy tulle ruffles and bands of lace, forming a busie effect. She wore lace mitts edged with tulle ruffles, and carried a bouquet of white sweetheart roses showered with white satin ribbon. Her veil of bridal illusion was edged with scallops and held in place by a shirred band trimmed with pearls.

The bride carried out the tradition of something old, new, borrowed, and blue, and a coin in her shoe. For something old and borrowed, she wore the wedding band of her grandmother. Mrs. J. S. Swafford of Corpus Christi, and carried a lace handkerchief belonging to the groom's mother.

Miss Peggy Doty of Wichita Falls, formerly of Shamrock, was maid of honor. She wore a dress of orchid colored tulle over taffeta, fashioned with a fitted bodice, short sleeves, low neck, and full bouffant skirt.

Bridesmaid was the bride's college roommate, Miss Gwyn Wheeler of Dallas. Her dress of buttercup yellow tulle was designed along identical lines as the dress worn by the maid of honor. Both attendants wore matching half hats and carried colonial bouquets of pompons and rosebuds in shades of orchid and yellow.

J. D. Coleman of McLean was his son's best man.

The bride's mother chose a dress of plum colored silk, and the bridegroom's mother wore a gold and black printed dress with a black jacket. Both wore

corsages of yellow roses.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony. The bride's table was centered with an arrangement of yellow roses and yellow candles. A bowl of orchid Fuji mums graced the buffet.

Miss Julia Beth Holmes presided at the punch bowl, and the double-ring wedding cake was served by Mrs. Eugene Collinsworth.

Miss Jo Ann Parrish and Miss Annette Whittle alternated at the bride's book. Assisting in the dining room were Mrs. George Close, Mrs. Myrtle Austin of Kellerville, Mrs. R. Stuart Tisdal, and Mrs. Tommy O'Gorman.

The bride is a graduate of Shamrock High School, and attended the University of Texas, Del Mar Junior College at Corpus Christi, and North Texas State College in Denton, where she was a senior student with a major in home economics.

The bridegroom is a graduate of McLean High School, and is a junior student at Texas A. and M. College, with a major in veterinary medicine. He will continue his college work.

Following a trip to New Orleans, La., the couple is at home at 4310A College Main in Bryan.

A dead person may vote, legally, if he mails an absentee ballot and then dies before election day.

George Washington's first employer was Lord Halifax, whose lands he surveyed.

Water occupies more space at 50 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit, than at 50 degrees above.

High heels were originated by Louise XIV, who wore them because he was so short.

Henry Purcell, English composer, is buried beneath the organ in Westminster Abbey.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF THE ESTATE OF ADDIE L. COBB, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Addie L. Cobb, Deceased, were granted to us, the undersigned, on the 30th day of August, 1954, by the County Court of Gray County, Texas.

All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to us within the time prescribed by law. Our address is c/o Mrs. R. L. Appling, Box 742, McLean, Texas.

JESSE J. COBB, JOHN W. COBB and MRS. R. L. APPLING, Independent Executors of the Estate of Addie L. Cobb, Deceased. 35-4c

by her father, wore a satin gown fashioned with a wide decollete edged in hand-run Alecon lace. The tightly molded bodice was complemented by elbow-length sleeves, and the full-flared princess skirt extended to waltz length. She wore a small pill-box hat of satin framed by a circle of illusion, and carried a white Bible topped with gardenias and Elfe roses showered with satin streamers tied with sweetheart-roses.

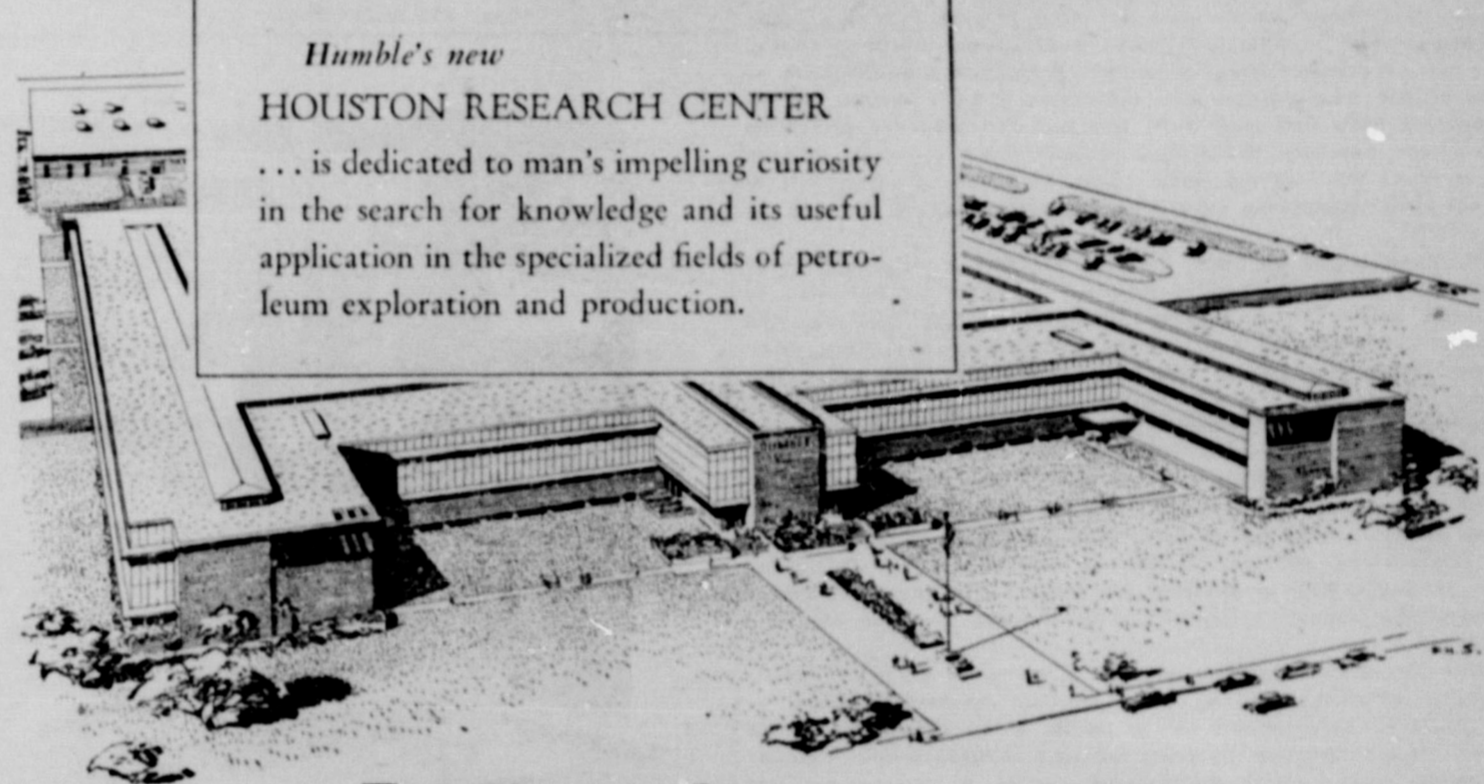
Miss Sheryl Grogan, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor. She was attired in a ballerina-length gown of taffeta and car-

What we have in us of the image of God is the love of truth and justice.—Demosthenes.

Every violation of truth is a stab at the health of human society.—Emerson.

President Thomas Jefferson compiled a Bible for his own use.

Happiness is not the end of life; character is.—H. W. Beecher.



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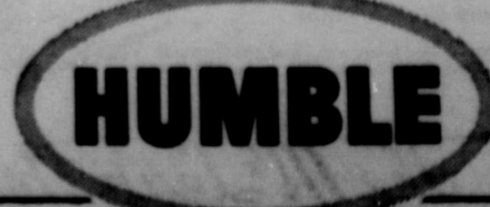
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Editorial

ACADEMIC FREEDOM?

WHAT SHOULD BE the attitude of university administrations and the teaching fraternity as a group toward communist teachers? That has long been a big question in this country, and endless words have been written in an attempt to answer it. An impressive contribution to that literature has now been made by Dr. Frank Munk, Professor of Political Science at Reed College, in an article printed in the Portland Oregonian. Reed is a small institution in point of numbers but it has a national reputation. Dr. Munk's discussion is made more significant by the fact that three members of the Reed faculty, cited for alleged Communist party membership, refused to testify before a Velde committee hearing on constitutional grounds, and one of them has since been suspended by the trustees.

Dr. Munk has more than a theoretical knowledge of dictatorship—a Czechoslovakian by birth, he has lived under both Nazism and Communism. He stands solidly for academic freedom, which means, among other things, the freedom to take an unpopular position. He believes that the congressional investigations are justly subject to criticism. But he also says: "Is it not true, though, that many intellectuals are only playing into the hands of congressional investigators by their deliberate blindness to the existence of conspiratorial Communist groups on the campuses of some of our best colleges and universities? . . . Would the investigators have had their field day had the academic profession been more sensitive to infiltration and more cognizant of the threat from the extreme left? Does liberalism always have to be one-eyed—seeing the enemy on the right but not the one on the left?"

Dr. Munk points out that the real question is what degree of academic freedom is possible—whether it should be unlimited or not—and asks: "Does academic freedom protect teachers who espouse and propagate Communism, Fascism, or any other totalitarian ideology—of which this century probably will see a few more?"

He clearly thinks the answer here is No, and he quotes with evident approval from the Harvard University report on Communism professors, which said, in part: "We think membership in the Communist party by a faculty member today, with its usual concomitant of secret domination by the party, goes beyond the realm of his political beliefs and associations. It cuts to the core of his ability to perform his duties with independence of thought and judgment. . . . It is beyond the scope of academic freedom."

Then Dr. Munk explains why the Communist party is fundamentally different from all other political movements extant in this country. Its members act as agents of an unfriendly foreign power. It provides the apparatus for an underground conspiratorial movement which would destroy our system of government and replace it with a dictatorship—a dictatorship which Dr. Munk describes as that "of the oligarchy ruling the Communist party." On top of that, Communists feel no obligation to the truth, which in itself, in his words, is a denial of "the very foundation of academic freedom."

Dr. Munk goes into considerable detail and summons much factual and historical evidence in making his case against Communist teachers, and it is a powerful case indeed. Finally, he believes the solution lies with the teaching fraternity. To quote him once more, "Ultimately academic freedom will only survive if it will be equilibrated by academic responsibility to the profession itself and to the larger community."

Then there was the man who had a self-winding, water-proof, shock-proof, unbreakable, anti-magnetic watch. And he lost it.

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Tom Thumb (Charles Sherwood Stratton) was born in 1838 at Bridgeport, Conn., and died in 1883.

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LES TALK

By LESTER

There once was a man who was down to his last dime. Things looked pretty bad, so he decided to commit suicide. As he walked along the water front trying to get up the nerve, he noticed a man selling nuts.

Having only a dime, he decided to spend it before he took the fatal leap. He bought three English walnuts. He ate the first two and had started on the third which he noticed a small critter getting along so well gave him new hope. He decided not to jump into the sea, and he vowed to make a new man of himself.

He kept the worm; and after

a few years, he became a very rich and famous man in the automobile industry. Every evening when he got home he would take this little worm and talk to it like a child. He built a home for it and gave it the name of Motor. In short, Motor was his inspiration.

After several successful years, he came home one evening to find Motor gone. Being greatly alarmed, he spent his entire wealth trying to find Motor. Finally, after having no success, he wound up down at the water front again with only a dime in his pocket. Seeing the same nut vendor, he rallied a last ray of hope. He again bought three English walnuts. His hands were shaky as he opened the first. No Motor. As he opened the second nut, his heart beat wildly. Still no Motor. Just as he was about to open the third, outboard

The Wall Street Journal points out that details were extremely important to editors a half a century ago. After considerable research, the Journal came up with the following story—noting that economics were often mingled with social affairs:

"Miss Jennie Jones and Bob Henry were married at the Jones mansion last night.

"The bride is the daughter of Constable Jones, who has made a good officer and will doubtless be re-elected this spring.

"He offers a fine horse for sale in another column of this issue.

"The groom runs a grocery on Main st., and is a steady patron of our advertising columns. He has a good line of bargains in his ad this week.

"All summer he paid two cents more for butter than any other store in town. They were married by the Rev. Josiah Butterworth, who last week called at this office and gave us a nice order for printing.

"He is also going in business, and will write fire insurance. So say the business cards we recently printed for him.

"Jennie and Bob left on the 10 o'clock train for Milwaukee to visit with the bride's uncle, who, we understand, has lots of money and cancer."

My heartiest personal congratulations to the 25 or so veterans who attended the highly important American Legion meeting Wednesday night of last week. My heartiest congratulations to all of them for not even considering disbanding and eventually disposing of the building.

The vote, incidentally, was unanimous NOT to dispose of the property or disband.

My deepest sympathy to all the other veterans who should be interested in an organization to which only they can belong. My deepest sympathy to all of them, young and old soreheads alike, who did not attend the im-

portant meeting. There were some, of course, with quite valid reasons for not attending, and they sent word to the effect that they will help all they can and hope to attend future meetings.

It wasn't a question of money this time. The Legion doesn't have any to speak of, but they owe very little, too. It was, and still is, a question of interest in the organization on the part of the many veterans of the McLean area.

For the past year or so, I have been serving as service officer of the Legion post. The service officer, in case you didn't know, is the person to whom eligible veterans look when applying for various types of compensation, such as disability compensation, pensions, and the like.

I have found, during my brief experience in this job that quite a number of those wanting the Legion to help them are not active in the Legion organization—in many cases, not even active enough to pay their annual dues. I do all I can to help them, however, just as if they were active Legionnaires; but, frankly, I don't think they deserve help from the Legion.

to participate, refuse to even help members in the Legion are helping matters one iota. You should be ashamed not to want to do your part. But it's doubtful that you are. Many of you feel that the Legion does things of which you do not approve and therefore you will not belong. Had it ever occurred to you that those things might not have been carried out if your voice be heard? The post is entirely too much criticized from without, inside of from within. It is much easier, someone once said, to be critical than to be correct.

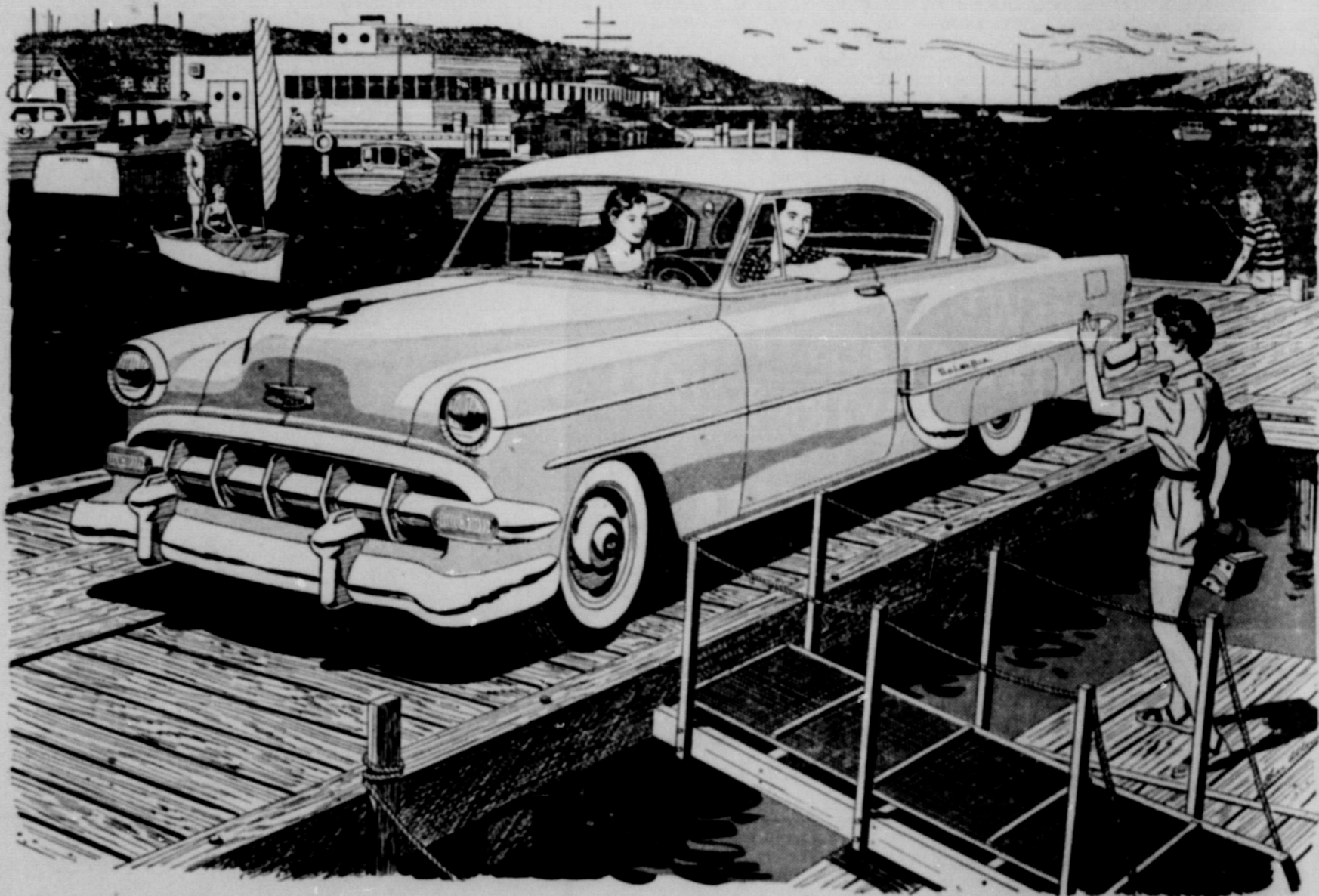
Well . . . why don't you sign up, Mr. Veteran, and do your part towards improving the organization? It's up to you, not to the present members of the post.

Nothing is more dangerous to a bachelor than a jealous band—or a single girl.

I know the Bible is inspiring because it finds me at greater depths of my being than any other book.—Samuel Taylor Coleridge.

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Editor's Note: This is the last in a series of articles from Town Journal, by Donald S. Stroetzel, Legion member, concerning the location of new industries in small communities in McLean.

Two men in inconspicuous suits got off an airliner in West Coast city, one not long ago, and stepped into a drive-it-Chevrolet. Two hours they pulled into a gas station in a town of 4,500 population. The driver, leaning out the window, struck up a conversation with the pump attend-

Remember Grandma's Watermelon Pickles?



From Nancy Haven's Beet Sugar Kitchen comes this recipe for pretty-pick sweet watermelon pickles, definitely fancy but with a good old-fashioned flavor. Easy to make too!

PINK WATERMELON PICKLES

Peel green skin from thick watermelon rind; cut rind into fancy shapes with small cookie cutters or sharp knife.

4 quarts cut-up watermelon rind
1/2 cup salt
1 quart cold water

Syrup:
2 (8 oz.) jars maraschino cherries
2 1/2 cups white vinegar
5 cups beet or cane sugar
2 teaspoons whole cloves
2 (3-inch) sticks cinnamon

Soak prepared watermelon rind in brine solution of salt and water in crock for 2 hours; drain.
Place rind in preserving kettle and add warm water to cover. Cook gently until tender, about 8 minutes; drain.
Combine pink syrup from cherries with vinegar; stir in beet or cane sugar. Add spices, tied in a

either in town or within easy driving distance." Rental housing. "Construction workers will want a place to live while building the plant. And some of our supervisors will want to rent—not buy. We move 'em around the country."

Churches and schools. "Are the major denominations represented? Has school construction kept pace with the kid population? A good vocational training department in the high school impresses us. We'll want to work out a cooperative program to train workers."

Recreation. "Is there more than just a pool hall and movie house? We look for community swimming pools, parks, and well-planned recreational programs. If a town has a recreational director, that's a big plus."

Television. "It may seem like a little thing, but some of our people resent moving from a good TV area to one plagued by static and fade-outs." (Some towns have licked this problem with towering community antennae.)

Good newspaper—"always a sign of a progressive, lively town."

Hotel. "Would visiting executives like the rooms? Sometimes our company will build a hotel where none exists, but we prefer not to."

Taxes. "We expect to pay our fair share, but we're wary of towns with high bonded indebtedness. On the other hand, we once rejected a site because taxes were too low—we didn't feel they could support the needed public services."

Welcome mat—does the town really want new industry? "We like a town with a planning board and land zoned for industry—or a local industrial committee aggressively seeking new plants."

Don't be dismayed if your town doesn't measure up right now—maybe it could. Industrial development specialists say most companies take to an organized community-improvement program as a hungry bear to honey. One town we know of (London, Ky., pop. 3,426) has snagged six new industries as the result of a community improvement blitz launched by businessmen and nearby farmers in 1949.

In the first year of the drive, they sparked 115 projects! Some, like the \$63,000 health center, new airport, and a program to stimulate strawberry growing in surrounding Laurel County, will continue to have important social and economic effects. Strawberries are now plentiful enough, for example, to require a new food-processing plant—expected to bring in \$250,000 a year!

Home and gardens. "The man who nurses his lawn would probably nurse a factory machine. Pride is contagious."

Good shopping. "Our people will expect well-stocked stores,

Any town can be "right" for some company and some product. Some "lootloose" industries can locate almost anywhere. A manufacturer of gun sights, for example, would fit in that category. So would many assembly plants. A recent study showed that 30 of 116 new factories came to Colorado merely "because the owners wanted to live in the Rocky Mountains."

Competition between towns for new industries is intense. Texas, Arkansas, Texas, recently offered \$10,000 to "anyone supplying information leading to the establishment of an industry employing 500 or more."

Some towns offer temporary freedom from taxes or free land. Others set up industrial foundations or corporations—capitalized by sale of stock locally—to build the factories themselves.

Thus, the incoming manufacturer pays rent, doesn't have to tie up capital in a building. Sometimes stockholders make out handsomely (one New England foundation paid 6% for 12 years, then sold the plant and distributed a 113% liquidating dividend). On the other hand, Rich Hill, Mo., is still looking for a tenant for its booster-built factory, idle for months now.

Industrial development specialists generally shy away from subsidies; they say imagination and hard work assure factories as well. That was how Lawrence, Kans., for example, got a new fertilizer factory.

"Our feed stores sell a lot of commercial fertilizer," a Lawrence businessman had noted. "Wouldn't it be cheaper to mix it right here in town?" And why not? Chamber of Commerce Manager C. R. (Buzz) Zook found there'd be a saving in transportation cost. He checked the sources of raw materials—they were close enough to make the idea worthwhile. The Kansas Board of Agriculture supplied figures on the area's use of fertilizer.

Out went letters to a dozen fertilizer manufacturers whose names had been furnished by local dealers. Each was told, with facts, how he could cut costs in Lawrence. Within six weeks, one manufacturer started construction—and Lawrence is richer by a \$100,000 a year payroll.

Any other town on a railroad line within 50 to 100 miles could have landed that plant—just by the kind of imagination and research Lawrence used.

No question about it, well-directed salesmanship helps. Town Journal's recent survey of 1,000 mayors of towns proved this dramatically; more than half of the factories reported as new since 1947 had come as "a result of active promotion by local people."

Generally, you can get help from your utility company, railroad, state chamber of commerce, or state department of commerce. You'll want to read



A smart princess cotton is recommended for comfort and style conscious teen agers by Seventeen magazine fashion advisers. This attractive frock is as cool as it is pretty. It is designed by Berk in Bates. Disciplined cotton with white cotton piping at the scooped-out neckline and on the sleeves.

everything you can get on the science (and it is a science) of persuading new factories to come in and encouraging home-grown factories.

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buy in Scenectady, N. Y.," says General Electric's Robert Pfennig.

Similarly, because enterprising chambers of commerce have been known to trace license plates, Pfennig uses a rented car. When he needs to approach a town engineer or local power company official for answers to technical questions, he generally poses as a "representative of an out-of-town realty company."

The Du Pont company's sleuth, F. E. LeVan, is usually a "railroad man." "After all, I've ridden a lot of railroads," he told me with a twinkle.

There are good reasons for this cloak-and-dagger approach. Your town may be only one of many being considered (Du Pont looked at 87 sites before building its multi-million dollar Dacron plant near Kingston, N. C.)

and no company wants to get your hopes up—and then let you down. Also, premature disclosures will tip off competitors and will invite land speculation.

How would your town stand up under a sleuth's scrutiny? Assuming it meets a company's technical needs, would it qualify as a town new people would "like to live in"? The question may be with you soon, if not now—industry, expanding at a \$2 billion-a-month clip, is showing an ever-increasing interest in small-community factory sites.

Here are some of the things manufacturers told us they look at:

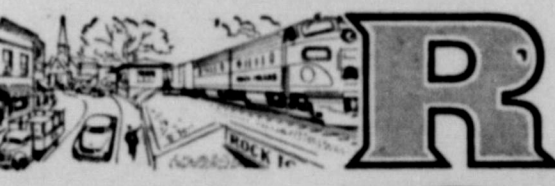
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• Good shopping. "Our people will expect well-stocked stores,

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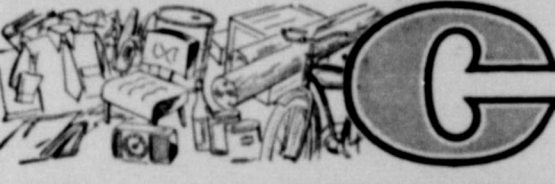
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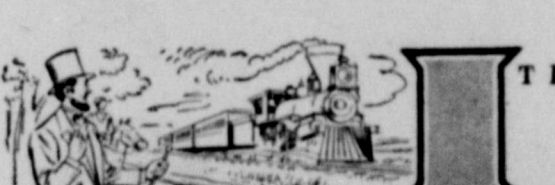
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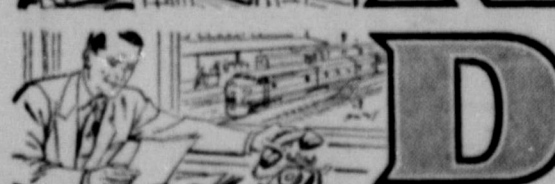
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The gallant MANHATTAN, of the United States Lines, was one of America's most famous passenger ships. This graceful liner, with her sisterships WASHINGTON, were the first American ships built for North Atlantic service in over forty years when they came out in the early 1930s. Their immediate popularity with travelers upturned the entire system of class nomenclature aboard Atlantic liners. The MANHATTAN's red, white and blue smoke stacks and her clean, sweeping lines readily identified her as an American ship. She saw extensive war service, surviving a fierce fire off Halifax. Rebuilt as a troopship she could carry 7,000 men. When peace came, the MANHATTAN was retained by the Navy as a mothball transport. Her peacetime career of only nine years was indeed too short, particularly for such an outstanding example of American shipbuilding, according to the American Merchant Marine Institute, since the Civil War only twelve ships have been built for American passenger service on the North Atlantic route. High construction and operating costs make it virtually impossible for American ship lines to compete. For years this lack of ships in deep-sea service was made up for in large part by a thriving passenger and cargo service along our coasts. Today, this domestic fleet is extinct: New liners for deep-sea operation are necessary.



40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1914

Amusements

At the Electric Theatre this week the Mason Stock company has been playing to large and well pleased audiences in a repertoire of splendid plays. The entire company is composed of talent superior to that usually found in traveling shows of this kind and their work has awakened a responsive chord of appreciation in the show-goers of the vicinity. Special mention is due to the little lady who plays the juvenile roles in a manner that would be a credit to a mature and seasoned actor. Dainty Mabel Mason is only about 12 years of age but her work in the parts she has taken here is faultless and she counts among her admirers all those who have seen her.

Mother's Club Elects Officers

With the opening of the present school term the reconstituting of the Mother's Club was made necessary, in view of the fact that this splendid organization of patriotic women has been of such incalculable value in the advancement of the school interests in general. At a meeting held Friday afternoon the reorganization was completed with the following officers: Mrs. W. B. Upmum, president; Mrs. W. H. Holt, vice president; Mrs. S. E. Boyett, secretary; and Mrs. J. M. Noel, treasurer.

There was a goodly number of interested mothers present, and the enthusiasm for the continued successful activities of the club was manifest. The first work to be undertaken by the club will be furnishing curtains for the school rooms, and with this end in view the ladies are soliciting the donation of a hen from every citizen who will contribute this much to start their work. Other improvements will be undertaken later.

The organization at the Friday meeting also recorded a vote of thanks and appreciation to Mrs. C. E. Donnell, the retiring president, and her co-workers, for the splendid results obtained during the school year of 1913-1914. The other retiring officers

are Mrs. R. B. Hearne, vice president; Mrs. J. W. Kibler, secretary; and Mrs. George Weaver, treasurer.

Open Program Tuesday

The members of the Woman's Home Mission Society of the Methodist church announce that they will have an open program at the church next Tuesday afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend and especially are the ladies of the different church auxiliaries requested to be present.

The principal feature of this program will be a chart lecture by Mrs. J. O. Phillips on the work being accomplished by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Methodist church; other numbers and music will complete the program, after which a social hour will be enjoyed.

Quail in Town

Quite a flurry was caused on the streets Wednesday evening by the visit of a flock of quail. The birds were just starting out in life for themselves and landed in town en route to their new home. They became very much confused at the sight of the tall buildings and were soon scared into captivity. As it is against the law to catch birds in this manner at this season of the year, the names of the participants are withheld and the fact that the birds were immediately set at liberty is chronicled.

Mrs. Lester Dysart and Gale Plummer were week-end visitors in Pauls Valley, Okla., with Mrs. Dysart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Copeer and family of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Mary L. Thompson of San Angelo is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Jim Back and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Williamson and family, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gilbert and son of Spearman visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan Sunday.

YOUR POSTURE IS IMPORTANT

The question, "How do you stand?" is being asked of voters all over Texas. When Dr. Henry A. Holle, state health officer, asks, it has nothing to do with politics but with your own personal health. An honest answer may start you on the road to better health.

Bad posture should be corrected because it may contribute to many physical ailments. When posture is poor, internal organs are shoved out of position, forcing them to operate under stress and strain. Nerves are restricted and remain tense. One part of the body that is out of position forces another part out of line, to compensate for the off-balance. This crowds and shoves the body organs out of place so that none of them can function effectively. For example, drooped shoulders flatten the chest and crowd the lungs and heart. This forces the diaphragm down, and pushes the stomach and other organs out of place.

When the lungs are crowded, the blood stream cannot receive a sufficient supply of oxygen. Without enough oxygen, you may tire easily, have indigestion, and little energy. In fact, your posture may interfere with many body functions. It may cause some of the complaints that distress otherwise healthy men, women, and children. So you can see that your general state of health and your capacity

for happy and effective living are closely tied up with body balance.

It is important for children as well as adults to maintain good posture. Good body balance is a part of good health, just as are good nutrition, cleanliness, exercise, and sufficient rest. As a part of their general education in good health habits, children should be taught good posture. And of course, because children are such imitators, parents and teachers should set them a good example.

In work and play, be aware of your posture. Walk with a springy step. When you sit, sit straight—letting the back of the chair support your lower back. In sitting, standing, and walking, make yourself as straight as you can. Hold your head up, chest up, abdomen in, and your spine in a straight line. This may require effort and concentration at the beginning, but if you become posture conscious, you can make good posture a habit. And, remember, an attractive, alert appearance depends upon it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Neill of Dumas visited with friends and relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chisum and daughter of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butrum and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell and daughter Chris visited Sunday and Monday with Captain

and Mrs. Weldon Jackson family in Lawton, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Elmer and family of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stone and other relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. M. and daughter Mauree spent week-end in Clovis and T. Carl, N. M.

Keroene replaced whale as a means of illumination.



Teacher: And children, I have always told you, one will get into trouble by being frank and earnest. Johnny: I know a fellow who got into trouble by being frank and earnest. Teacher: How? Johnny: By being frank in Chicago and Ernest in New York.

Judge: So you claim to be a defendant hit you with a hammer and forethought.

Defendant: No, sir, you honor. It's no use trying to make me contradict myself. I said he hit me with a hammer.

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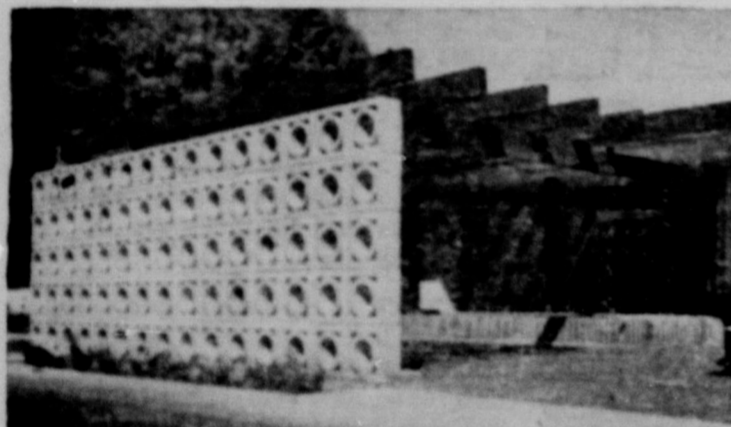
THINGS TO TALK ABOUT

BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia

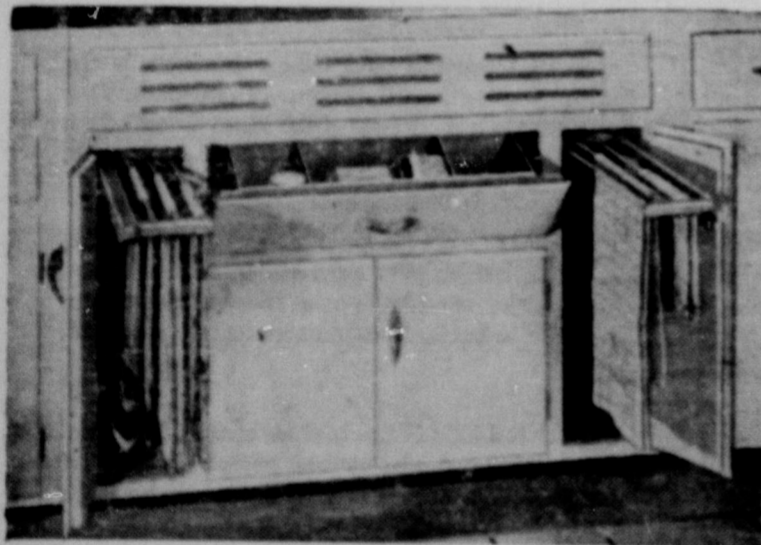
THE ANHANG CANAL COST 567 MILLION DOLLARS TO BUILD ALONG THE GULF COAST LAST YEAR AND MORE THAN 507 MILLION DOLLARS.

Many of antiquity's duck-billed dinosaurs had at least 2,000 closely packed teeth for grinding the swamp vegetation that formed their diet.

THE OSPREY, A BIRD WHICH FEEDS EXCLUSIVELY ON FISH, HAS A REVERSIBLE OUTER TAIL FEATHER WHICH IT CATCHES ALL OF ITS FOOD IN ITS TAIL.



For the home-owner who wants something a little different, here's an idea from American Builder, the light construction industry magazine: Use concrete chimney flue blocks to make a striking-looking wall along a patio. The blocks give a good measure of privacy with out shutting out the breeze, which passes through the open cores of the blocks. American Builder says this is only one of the many uses—conventional and unconventional—for concrete products.



Literally dozens of special-purpose wood kitchen cabinets are made in standard sizes and carried in stock by retail building material dealers. Shown above is a ponderosa pine sink front with a tilt-out metal soap tray at top, center, and a slide-out towel rack at each side. Storage shelves lie behind the doors below the soap tray. The louvers across the top allow air to enter so that towels will dry. Other special-purpose ponderosa pine cabinets include units with shelves, racks, and bins designed for storage of cutlery, linens, pots and pans, fruits and vegetables, spices, trays, bread, and casseroles, toasters, and other equipment of similar size. The cabinet wood can be painted, stained, or given a natural finish.

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Mrs. Bessie Hess Program Leader At WSCS Meeting

The W. S. C. S. of the McLean Methodist Church met in regular session September 7, with Mrs. Bessie Hess as leader of a spiritual life program.

Mrs. Madge Page led the business session, and plans for the year's work were discussed.

Mrs. Cliff Day, program chairman, presented the year books.

Mrs. H. A. Longino, study leader, announced that the first study will be on India, Pakistan, and Ceylon, with Mrs. Hess as leader. This will begin September 21.

A social hour followed during which coffee was served to Mesdames Dyer, Ashby, Bogan, Day, Rhodes, Sparks, Andrews, Carpenter, Kirby, Herron, Foster, Page, Hess, and Longino.

Athlete's Foot Is 3rd Most Common Disease in Summer

The common disease, popularly known as athlete's foot, is said to be the third most common disease seen by skin specialists during the summer, and the fifth most common disorder in winter. It is due to a little mold-like growth or fungus which thrives best where there is moisture and warmth. Therefore, the feet make an ideal place for the growth of this germ.

"To have athlete's foot, the infection must be gotten either directly from someone else," states Dr. Henry A. Holle, state health officer. "The most common places to contract the infection are around shower rooms, baths or bath houses, locker rooms, and other public places where persons go barefoot. And it is probable that at least one-half of all adults suffer from the infection at some time."

The following measures have been suggested for preventing and avoiding recurrent attacks of athlete's foot:

1. After bathing dry carefully and thoroughly the spaces between the toes.
2. Liberally apply a plain, unperfumed talcum to those areas and sprinkle it freely in socks, stockings, and shoes.
3. Wear properly fitting hose that are absorbent but not too coarse.
4. Wear shoes that are not too tight, nor too large. They should fit the foot comfortably.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Trout and son of Pampa visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Nachlinger and family of Pampa visited with her mother, Mrs. Martha Aldridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard have moved to Canyon, where he will enter college.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Patterson and family of Roswell, N. M., spent the week-end here visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace and daughter Othelia spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton Jr. in Hereford and Canyon. Mrs. Walton returned to her home after visiting here for a week with her parents and sister.

Mrs. Velma Betchan is vacationing in Arkansas and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sewell of Texline visited with Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Guill, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Mertel attended a beauty clinic in Amarillo Sunday.

Kenneth Carter of Pampa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Townsend of Phoenix, Ariz., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seales Thursday and Friday of last week.

Mrs. Carl Pettit Jr. of Dumas is spending this week with her mother, Mrs. Tom Cobb.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tibbets and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Giesler and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rankin in Dozier Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Burton and daughter of Maud, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Mullanax Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jones of Dumas spent the week-end with Sue and Byrd Jones and Mrs. Lillie Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Pettit of Pampa spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. B. Pettit, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Grigsby and sons of Dumas visited with his mother, Mrs. V. Grigsby, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg and daughters and Linden Ray Immel spent the week-end fishing at Lake Pauline and Lage Luger.



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 1/2 teaspoon soda
 1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
 1/2 teaspoon salt
 1 cup margarine
 1 cup brown sugar
 1 egg
 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
 1/2 cup chopped peanuts

Sift together flour, soda, cream of tartar, and salt. Cream margarine until fluffy. Gradually add brown sugar, creaming until smooth. Add egg and vanilla extract. Beat well. Mix in flour, a fourth at a time. Fold in peanuts. Shape into rolls and wrap in waxed paper. Chill until very firm. Slice 1/8-inch thick and bake on ungreased baking sheets in moderately hot oven (400° F.) 8 to 10 minutes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ledgerwood and family of Dumas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Vick McPherson and sons of Graham are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston, and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham of Ferris were recent visitors in McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Guill visited with Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson in Amarillo Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Smith spent a few days this week in Vigo Park.

Bonnie Trout of Canyon visited with her mother, Mrs. Susie Trout, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman and children, Dennis and Deborah, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jagger of Los Angeles, Calif., visited one day last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman and family.

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For Rent—A modern 2-bedroom house. One block west of Pampa Highway. See O. B. Tugwell. 36-2p

Tigers—

(Continued from page 1)
 1. Class AA. Most writers have picked the Irish to wind up last in that district, but the same writers hedge by saying the Irish may be the dark horse of the district.

The Irish boast seven returning lettermen, all of whom are linemen but one. The lettermen include Carroll Copeland, Jesse King, Donald Settle, James Colingworth, Jimmy Anderson, Allen Dodgen, and Archie Hardin. Settle, a 180-pound junior, is expected to be an outstanding Class AA player this season.

McCall, however, has a large number of boys out, and many of them are fairly large in size. The Shamrock B team and the junior high team of last season were both good teams when they met similar teams from McLean. A number of these boys are expected to give the Irish a much better team than the school is believed to have.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Johnston of Stephenville are visiting with friends and relatives here this week.

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Powers' summary of growing public opinion is as follows: "If we are determined to reduce traffic slaughter, we should be as tough in dealing with the situation as we would be in resisting an invasion or any other agent of destruction. 38,000 deaths, more than a million injured people, and an economic loss of nearly \$4 billion every year is a crime of the worst order."

"Mealy-mouthed measures never won a war and in terms of death and destruction, traffic accidents are the costliest conflict in our history. "Driver education in our schools, group meetings and discussions, traffic safety organizations, public appeals through press, radio and television, all serve a useful purpose. "But until we drive home the real seriousness of the accident problem by direct disciplinary measures, we have little hope of reducing accidents to any great extent."

"These disciplinary measures should include revocation of licenses by habitually thoughtless and incompetent drivers, ridding our streets and thoroughfares of unsafe vehicles, refusal to issue licenses to the mentally and physically unfit, and application of our best thought to the engineering of safety into our existing and new thoroughfares. "It all boils down to a tough policy on the part of authorities at all levels of traffic administration and regulation. "Until this tough policy goes into action, we are just begging the question of how to reduce accidents."

Russia and Japan held a peace parley at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1905.

BANDING BATS, CHECK RABIES

A system of banding bats as a means of checking their winter migrations is being planned by laboratory personnel as the State Department of Health continues its studies of rabies in Texas' bat population.

"Banding bats will help us to answer the question of whether they go into Mexico's vampire bat haunts during winter migrations," Laboratory Director J.

V. Irons said. Vampire bats, native to most parts of Mexico, are notorious carriers of rabies. Meanwhile, State Health Officer Henry A. Holle revealed a \$10,000 National Institute of Health research grant had been made to the state health agency to aid in financing the study, payment contingent on receipt of funds by the institute. To date, 700 of Texas' furry little night flying insect eaters have been examined for evidence of infection by virologists at the department's Bureau of Laboratories. Six "positive" strains have been found. The study was initiated last

year after a Florida boy was bitten in an unprovoked attack by a bat subsequently proved rabid. Four similar attacks have since occurred in Texas.

Two attacks occurred in Austin, one in San Antonio, and one in Houston. The most recent case involved an 18-year-old Austin girl who was bitten while swimming in a neighborhood swimming pool.

All four attacks were "provoked," investigators said.

Most bats examined in the Texas study have come from four caves in limestone regions of Central Texas: Nye Cave near Bandera, Bracken Cave near San Antonio, Uvalde's Frio Cave, and Devil's Sinkhole in Edwards County.

Nye and Bracken, according to entomologists, have the largest bat populations in the United States. Bracken is estimated to harbor 20,000,000.

Mexican free-tailed bats are the state's most prevalent species, entomologists say. Free-

tails have few natural enemies. Dr. Irons said the Bureau of Laboratories, as part of its study, will examine any submitted by the public.

His suggestion for handling them is to avoid contact, and includes any one that is approached in daytime.

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot adequately express my deep appreciation for the many lovely gifts, cards, flowers I received during recent stay in the hospital since I have been home. God bless each of you. Mrs. Clyde

A laugh to be joyous, flow from a joyous heart, without kindness there can be no true joy.—Carlyle

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Johnny Sagner of . . . severely injured . . . Monday of . . . Sagner pulled . . . to pass a ca . . . McCreary was pulled . . . the passing ca . . . the rack, and then b . . . road in front of . . . Sagner's left . . . with a pi . . . and a . . . half in . . . Surgery was . . . Sagner, and his cont . . . as fair. . . .

Mrs. J. A. Spa . . . this week . . . Nort . . . She was . . . her daughter, . . . and daughter . . . who had . . . night with Mrs . . .

Mrs. Ruel Smil . . . surgery at a . . . Hospital in Pa . . . She is repo . . . as well . . .

Funeral services . . . Williams, 1 . . . Friday morning . . . with 1 . . . pastor of t . . . Church, offic . . . ment was in Hillc . . . of the Cl . . .

Williams, retired . . . lived alone i . . . lane for severa . . . dead by n . . . ay, September 6 . . .

Work has been . . . remodeling o . . . the Vega Back . . . entire interior wi . . . with walls and ce . . . with green. New . . . stilled on the floo . . . In addition, practi . . . firm's office furni . . . finished in a ligh . . . It a more mode . . . the exterior of . . . low awning has . . . extends to the . . . office of the just . . .

The Brown Der . . . won championship . . . recent softball to . . . at Wheeler . . . Club. . .

The local team . . . ran rally in the . . . the final game w . . . Garage team fr . . . via the tourne . . . score was 7-6. . .

In the Septem . . . the News it s . . . stated that Dorro . . . of third in th . . . contest of the 4- . . . achievement da . . . Pampa August . . . (Continued)

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A well-balan . . . Lean Tigers ce . . . ed, out-played . . . one of the wes . . . tory of the . . . last Friday . . . score in the . . . played on the . . . McLean 45, S . . . To give an . . . ed the 69 . . . McLean grou . . . to only 57 . . . the Tigers . . . and the Irish . . . Tigers were . . . put, while . . . every quarter . . . Shamrock's . . . in the . . . Whitaker sou . . . off from the . . .