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LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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Final Grid Ratings Give Local Team Third Spot Rank

The McLean Tigers finished in the third spot, one which they have held for a number of weeks, in the weekly rankings of Panhandle teams by Eddie Mullens of the Amarillo Daily News. Topping the list were the Hale Center and Paducah teams, the pair of high-scoring eleven which have alternated in the first and second slot for most of the season. Mullen's top ten teams in the Class A field are as follows: 1. Hale Center Owls; 2. Paducah Dragons; 3. McLean Tigers; 4. Dimmitt Bobcats; 5. Crosbyton Chiefs; 6. Lefors Pirates; 7. Canadian Wildcats; 8. Clarendon Broncs; 9. Springlake Wolverines; and 10. Amherst Bulldogs.

DROUTH AID FORMS ARRIVE IN PMA OFFICE

Farmers and ranchers interested in the drouth relief program recently approved for Gray and other area counties may obtain full details and application forms for hay and feed under the program at the P. M. A. office in Pampa. The announcement of the arrival of the forms was made by Miss Evelyn Mason, secretary, Saturday. James Gouldy, with the FHA office in Clarendon, through which all the applications will be handled, was in Pampa Monday afternoon. He discussed the program with several interested people at that time. Gray County was among the counties which Governor Allan Shivers asked Secretary of Agriculture Benson to designate as a drouth disaster area. Such designation gave farmers and ranchers in the area an opportunity to apply for hay and feed at a reduced cost, either in the product itself or in transportation costs.

MAIL EARLY FOR YULETIDE, BACK URGES

Postmaster Johnnie R. Back has announced a three-point program designed to insure delivery of all Christmas cards and gift packages by December 25. "I've found," he explained, "it's not enough to slap up posters all over town saying 'Shop Early, Mail Early.' That's the main idea, of course, but I'd like to be more specific." Specifically, then, the postmaster first urged business firms to mail their regular correspondence before 4 o'clock throughout the Christmas season. They can help even more, he added, by withholding all circular and catalogue mail until after the critical period, December 15-25. "This will allow elbow room at the post office to process the tremendous volume of holiday mail we'll be handling. I'm quite sure it will exceed the all-time record set here in 1953," the postmaster warned. Point 2, consequently, requires the public's cooperation. Begin by checking your Christmas card list this week. Each address should include the full name, street and number, city, zone, and state. After this, visit the post office to order the stamps you'll need. Lay in a supply of heavy wrapping paper and strong cord as well. Then there will still be a week left for leisurely Christmas shopping—one New Year's resolution you can keep! Finally, the post office itself has moved into high gear. So just do your part, and remember all gift packages should be mailed by December 5, all Christmas cards at least a week before Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall and daughter spent the week-end in Meridian visiting with their mothers and grandmothers. Mrs. Alma Tindall and Mrs. Viola Eason. Mrs. Eason returned home with the Tindalls for a visit.

McLean, Dimmitt in Bi-District Game At Canyon's Buffalo Stadium Today

Tentative Line-Up— TWO NEWCOMERS TO DISTRICT

Tentative line-up of teams in District 1, Class A, for next year (the 1955-56 season) includes two newcomers to the district. They are the Wellington Skyrockets and the Stinnett Rattlers. In Wellington, Coach Maxey McKnight announced that he had been notified by a telegram from Dr. Rhea Williams of the Texas Interscholastic League that the school was to be placed in Class A next year. The basis for determining the classification of a school is on its enrollment, and the Wellington high school has fallen below that of Class AA requirements. Schools may be voted into a higher classification, upon unanimous vote of the other schools in a district of higher classification, but apparently the Wellington school will not seek this change. Stinnett, in Class B for the past few years, is already slated to come into District 1-A next year. The Stinnett school's enrollment is such as to require it to move up a notch. However, it is likely that the district will lose Gruver, in Class A only this year, due to a drop in enrollment; and reports are that Gruver will not ask to be voted into Class A. Wellington was in the same district as McLean for many years, when both were in what was known as the old Class A. However, when the league divided the schools into five classes, Wellington went to AA and McLean to A. During the past three or four years the Tigers have not met the Rebels on the gridiron. Wellington has been playing in Class AA with Childress, Burk Burnett, Electra, Quanah, and Seymour. If the changes are made definitely, District 1-A will then include Wellington, Stinnett, Memphis, Clarendon, McLean, Lefors, White Deer, Panhandle, and Canadian. This will mean, with a ten-game schedule, that eight of the ten will be district contests.

CHILD PHOTO CONTEST TO BE DECEMBER 1

A child photograph contest will be held in connection with the visit of Winston B. Lucas, photographer of Irving, to McLean Wednesday of next week. Lucas will take pictures of all children from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 in the afternoon on that date. His studio will be in the office of the McLean News. In addition to having their pictures printed in this newspaper at a later date, the children will be competing for \$18.20 in photo prizes. The prizes are being offered for the three best photographs made during the day, and will be judged by Lucas and his associates at Irving. All photographs will be made absolutely free of charge, and there will be no charge for their publication in the McLean News. Proofs will be shown, and from these, the parents may select the picture they wish in the paper; if desired, extra photos may be purchased, but no purchase is necessary in order to have the child's picture in the paper or to compete for the prizes. There will be no age limit in the contest. Should extra photos be desired, Lucas has promised delivery on them by Christmas if the patrons wish this quick service.

FACTS OF GAME

Opponents: McLean Tigers, District 1-A, vs. Dimmitt Bobcats, District 2-A. Time and Place: Thursday, November 25, 2:30 p. m., Buffalo Stadium, Canyon. Admission: \$1.25 for adults, 75c for students. No seats will be reserved, but tickets will be sold in advance in McLean and Dimmitt. Seating capacity of stadium: About 8,000. Seating arrangements: McLean fans on west side; Dimmitt fans on east side. Officials at game: Ed Haley of Springlake, Oscar Hinger of Canyon, Hoss Bledsoe of Canyon, Jiggs Hudson of Hereford.

BOBCATS HAVE WON 8, LOST 2 IN '54 SEASON

The McLean Tigers will square off against the Dimmitt Bobcats in the Districts 1-A and 2-A bi-district football contest this afternoon (Thursday, November 25) at 2:30 o'clock in Buffalo Stadium, Canyon. The time, place, and other arrangements for the game were made in a meeting of McLean and Dimmitt school officials at Canyon last Saturday morning. The offer to play in Canyon, as a neutral field, as made by officials of the Canyon Chamber of Commerce and West Texas State College. The use of the field is being furnished free. In addition, the host city is furnishing the ticket sellers and takers, the tickets, and various other services. Tickets will be \$1.25 for adults and 75 cents for students. No seats will be reserved, but will be on a first come, first served basis. The stadium seats about 8,000 people. Superintendent Freeman Melton Jr. said, and the west side will be for McLean fans, the east side for Dimmitt fans. Accompanying the team will be both the band and the pep squad, Melton said.

BOYD MEADOR GIVEN HONORS AT LIONS MEET

Boyd Meador, continuous member of the McLean Lions Club longer than any other present member, was honored Tuesday night when the club held a ladies night dinner in the Fellowship Hall of the McLean Methodist Church. Meador, a past governor of District 2T-1, Lions International, and present international counselor, was awarded a life membership by the club; and in addition, was given a 25-year perfect attendance pin. The two awards were the highlight of the dinner, at which Governor Jim Ed Waller of Plainview was the principal speaker. Members of Waller's cabinet attended the meeting, and each paid tribute to the work in Lionism which Meador has done. Attending were representatives from Pampa, Plainview, Childress, and Amarillo. In his address, Governor Waller stressed the importance of Lionism, both in serving the communities where Lions Clubs are organized, and on a larger scale. He pointed out that it does not "cost to belong to a Lions Club but pays instead" in the satisfaction of knowing that some good work has been done. In concluding his remarks, Governor Waller pointed out that Meador has had perfect attendance at club meetings since he first joined the local club soon after its organization in 1929; he then presented Meador with (Continued on back page)

The Bobcats are the surprise team of District 2-A. At the beginning of the season, they were not expected to be in the running for the district title, but are now believed to be one of the most improved teams in the state. The Dimmitt eleven has a very good record of eight victories and only two losses. The first loss was to Abernathy, runner-up in Class AA, District 4; the second loss was to Hale Center, high-scoring Class A champion of District 3-A. Coach at Dimmitt is Leo Fields. McLean and Dimmitt have played no common foe this season, and consequently there are no comparative scores to base any predictions on. Coach Hap Rogers expects the Tigers to be in good shape for the contest, unless something should happen in practice this week. Last week against Memphis, Troy Smith did not play due to an injury; Ricky Mantooth was suffering from a bruised knee as well as a sore finger on his passing right hand; and Don Haslam turned an ankle in last week's practice and was not up (Continued on back page)

Tigers, Cyclone Battle to 13-13 Tie

Mc Mem. 4 3 13 11 313 157 10 17 84 64 303 204 4 of 11 3 of 7 0 1 1 2 3 6 31 33 McLean 13 (James 12, Don Haslam 1); Memphis 13 (Don Davis 6, Jimmy 6, Carroll Gardenhire 1). McLean awarded game on offense count of 12 first downs to Memphis. The Cyclone opened the scoring only seconds after the game started. Memphis kicked off to McLean, with the ball being carried out to the 20. Two plays later, Mantooth fumbled and Carroll Gardenhire recovered for the Cyclone on the McLean 5. Four plays later, Don Davis went through left guard from the one to score. Jimmy Jenkins' plunge for the point failed. The Tigers came right back. Starting from their own 31, the Tigers moved up 15 yards on a roughness penalty to the 48. From there Mantooth took a pitcheout and circled right end to the 19. Four plays later, James Smith went around right end from the 11 to score. Don Haslam missed the kick, and the score was tied 6-6. There were no more threats until late in the second quarter. The Tigers drove from their own 19 down to the Clarendon 19, but time ran out before a score could be made. In the third quarter, the Cyclone drove down to the McLean 18, but finally lost the ball on downs on the 24. Two plays later, Mantooth tossed a screen pass to James Smith, who made a beautiful 76 yard run to score. Haslam kicked the point to put the Tigers in front 13-6. The Cyclone took the kick-off and returned to the 28. A sus-

taind drive downfield moved the ball to the McLean 14 as the third quarter ended. Three plays later, Jimmy Davis plunged thru right guard from the four to score. Gardenhire's plunge for the point was good, and the score was tied at 13-13. The teams exchanged punts. Then Mantooth recovered Butch Adcock's fumble on the McLean 47. The Tigers started moving downfield again, getting to the 17 before the game ended.

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HOW THEY FARED

Table with columns: Team, W, L, T. Lists performance of various teams like McLean, Memphis, Lefors, etc.



THE DISTRICT 1-A champion McLean Tigers will meet the Dimmitt Bobcats in the bi-district game. The above picture was made early in the season, and several boys on the "A" squad are not shown. Left to right, bottom row, are Joe Don Biggers, manager, Troy Smith, Wayne Woods, Ricky Mantooth, Rodney Gunn, James Smith, Paul Garvin, and Bob Stubbfield, manager; center row, Assistant Coach Clint Williams, Eugene Worsham, Don Haslam, Johnny Kalka, Tracy Cooper, Jimmy Farren, Butch Turpen, Don Trew, James Jolly, and Coach Hap Rogers; and back row, Jerry Preston, Don Broome, Gerald Tate, Harl Moore, Bob Boyd, Rex Immel, Arthur Vineyard, and Mickey Allen.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Smith and family of Shamrock visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Anders Sunday.

James Cliett visited with Janice Stafford in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collie and son of Shamrock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Collie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis spent the week-end in Wichita Falls visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lamb of Shamrock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams Sunday.

Mrs. Thelma Brady and son of Tulsa, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Butrum.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. John Turner of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson Sunday afternoon.

Homer Abbott was in Pampa Wednesday of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Critchlow of Amarillo spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. M. M. Newman.

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Ford and children of Borger visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck and family Sunday.

CHURCH CALENDAR

(Churches of this area are invited to run their activity calendars weekly in this column.)

McLean Methodist Church
Each Sunday:
Church School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
Evening Fellowships 7:00 p. m.
Children, Youth, Adults
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend any or all the services. Make plans to attend every Sunday.
Marvin E. Fisher, Pastor

First Presbyterian Church
Bible School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.
Youth groups at 5:30 and 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
A cordial invitation is extended to the friends in town and the community to attend any and all services. "The Spirit and the Bride say come—whosoever will let him take of the water of life freely."
J. Edwin Kerr, Pastor

Church of Christ
Sunday Services:
Bible School 10 a. m.
Preaching 10:50 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.
Young People's Classes 6 p. m.
Evening Preaching 7 p. m.
Wednesday Services:
Ladies Bible Study 2 p. m.
Bible Classes, all ages 7:30 p. m.
We welcome your attendance, investigation, and support. You need the church and the church needs you. "We preach only Christ and Him crucified."—1 Cor. 2:2. "We speak the truth in love."—Eph. 4:15. You are never a stranger but once you come.
Harold D. McColum, Minister

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Mrs. Lester Dysart and Mrs. R. T. Dickinson were in Shamrock Saturday on business.

W. M. Mace of Lelia Lake visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McDroy and family Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Willis and daughter of Dumas spent last week visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis in McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Mugg Castleberry in Alanreed.

J. F. Davenport of Deertrail, Colo., is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. T. E. Crisp and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Harvey of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg Friday.

Mrs. S. J. Dyer and Mrs. Laroy Sutton were in Pampa Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergal Smith and

daughter Lana of Dumas spent the week-end with Mrs. Smith's parents, and Mrs. Joe Willis.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Burrows of Pauls Valley, Okla., spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and daughters.

Claude Swafford of Burbank, Calif., and M. B. Swafford of Farmersville, Calif., visited with their cousin, Mrs. Bill McAllister, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale visited with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Martindale, in Wellington Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McCabe and Mrs. Jim Stevens were in Pampa Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Nickerson of Fort Worth spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. T. E. Crisp and family.

E. C. Bragg and daughter were in Pampa Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. W. Kibler was in Shamrock Wednesday of last week on business.

W. R. Cooper was in Pampa Saturday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale

visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bart Martindale in Dozier Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister attended the golden wedding celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Ed Swafford in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kramer of Goodwell, Okla., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kramer.

The following attended the Robert Shaw Choral and Concert Ensemble in Pampa Saturday: Mrs. Willie Boyett, Betty Ruth Dickinson, Jo Ann Stevens, Mauree Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and Karen, Mrs. Amos Page

and Janice, Mrs. Bill Miro Palan and Dorothy, Ruth, and M. H. Patterson, and Mrs. Travis Stokes and

Mr. and Mrs. Kester and son Dale, and Mr. Wardlow of Borger spent week-end with Mr. and R. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest were in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. W. Kermit spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. family.

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NATURAL GAS GROUP MEET IN AMARILLO

On water treating will be the feature of the Amarillo meeting of the Natural Gas Association of America, held for Friday, December 3, at the Herring Hotel, Amarillo. This group includes Paul G. Bird, Wright Co., Chicago; Dan Continental Products Co., E. P. Pardee, D. Wichita, Kans.; W. H. & L. D. Betz, Amarillo; and Joy G. W. H. & L. D. Betz, Amarillo. Moderator of the meeting will be H. G. Boatright, Petroleum Co., Bartlesville. Technical discussions on the day program include: "Operation and Maintenance of Storage Wells" by W. H. Plozman, Goulds Inc., Tulsa; "Operation of Storage Wells" by L. Ekins, Phillips Petroleum Co., Phillips; and "This is Up Safety" by E. R. Cities Service Oil Co., Amarillo. The address of the afternoon session is "Significance of FPC to the Producer" by E. Seaman, Shamrock Oil Co., Amarillo. The meeting will be opened by President Frank M. Perry, Cities Service Oil Co., Bartlesville. Program chairman Ervin Gowen, Phillips Petroleum Co., Phillips, indicates that the activities will be in the line of S. C. Walker, West-Gris, Inc., Amarillo, and H. Harts, Warren Petroleum Co., Tulsa. The former heads the committee of the Natural Gas Supply Men's Association for the Social Hour, and the latter will be toastmaster at the dinner and entertainment. The members of the program committee are G. L. Craddock,

Prehistoric Skull Shown In Smithsonian Exhibit



Washington, D. C.—A 1500-year-old Peruvian skull on which the original surgical dressing of finely woven cotton gauze is held in place by strands of wool, is part of an exhibit showing the evolution of bandages, presented to the National Museum by Johnson & Johnson, the firm which pioneered and developed the manufacturing of sterile surgical dressings and its availability for medical use throughout the world. The display features the type of lint dressings actually used in the Civil War, as well as the first type of wet dressings created, and then takes the viewer all the way through the evolution of bandaging up to the modern sterile bandages presently used in hospitals and homes throughout the world. Presentation to Dr. A. Remington Kellogg, Director of U. S. National Museum, was made by Dr. William H. Lycan, Johnson & Johnson Vice President in Charge of Research.

Skelly Oil Co., Skellytown; L. H. Davies, Cities Service Oil Co., Pampa; Leon Eaton, Panhandle Eastern Pipe Line Co., Stinnett; Marvin Hindman, Warren Petroleum Corp., McLean; Otto Praeger Jr., Colorado Interstate Gas Co., Amarillo; and G. L. Wherry, The Shamrock Oil and Gas Corp., Amarillo.

CICERO SMITH TO HAVE SALE

In keeping with modern merchandising trends, Carl Jones, manager of the Cicero Smith store here, has announced that an annual Christmas Savings Sales event has become a part of the store's normal operating policy.

This year, the sale will begin Saturday, November 27, and will continue through December 24.

"Since adding so much beautiful, practical houseware merchandise to our stock," Jones said, "we have learned that it is good business to reduce our inventory often, so that fresh merchandise can be added. In order to do that, many firms have frequent sales which increase a store's expense substantially; as a result, the greatest possible savings cannot be passed along to the consumer.

"Therefore, we've decided to hold our big sale just once a year, and make reductions of 10 per cent to 40 per cent on all items in the store. These items include supplies, millwork, and small appliances such as toasters and coffeemakers. "We also feel that by holding our sale just before Christmas, it will give our customers the advantage of low prices on gifts for everyone in the family. It will help make shopping easier, faster, and better—and much more economical—for the people of McLean. However, the supply of many articles is definitely limited, and I suggest that shopping be done as soon as possible, in order to make the greatest savings. "Our store has been colorfully decorated for this once-a-year Christmas Savings Sale, and all merchandise is plainly marked for ease and convenience."

Goldfish originated in China.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Prater and daughter Linda of Borger visited Thursday of last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eastace and daughter Othella spent the week-end in Hereford visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fuller attended the Lions district governor's cabinet meeting in Lubbock over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Smotherman of Sundown spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Finis Dalton and family.

Mrs. R. T. Dickinson and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield were in Amarillo Tuesday of last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Duncan and daughter Peggy were in Dumas Sunday visiting with their daughters and sisters, Mrs. R. T. Collier and Mrs. Frank Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glass and family of Denver, Colo., are visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins and daughter of Borger are visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yake.

Mrs. Sherman White of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Lloyd Saturday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pilkington of Krebs and Mrs. Johnny McCauley and daughters, Peggy, Pat, and Pamela, of McAlester, Okla. They were en route to San Francisco, Calif., from where Mrs. McCauley and daughters will go to Hualalal, Hawaii, to join S. Sgt. McCauley, who has just been transferred to Hawaii from Korea. Mrs. McCauley and Mrs. Dickinson are sisters.

Bobby Greer of Muleshoe visited with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer, Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Gunkel of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Doug Clawson and family Saturday. The Clawsons returned home with the Gunkels to spend the week-end.



JUST A FEW WORDS

Won't call his name, but one repairman came in and said some people ought to be ashamed for not caring for their car battery better. He got a Southland, which will require this man in question to give less care to the battery, for the customer, and we know he'll be satisfied.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cousins visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baley, in Clarendon Sunday afternoon.

Gayle Mullanax and Paul Garvin were in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine were in Amarillo Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Meacham and family visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham, in Turkey Sunday.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burrows during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Burrows of Pauls Valley, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Beria Burrows of DeKalb, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Burrows and sons, Billy and John, of Ventura, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Walker of Clovis, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Burrows, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Mertel and daughters, Toni and Teresa.

Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood, Mrs. W. L. Hinton, and Miss Marnelle Ledgerwood were in Shamrock on business Wednesday of last week.

Pat Patterson and Mrs. Jerrel Patterson made a business trip to Amarillo Monday.

Dorthea Chase of WTSC Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase.



J. E. Cunningham, president, A. R. Watson, executive vice president and Travis Aaron, safety supervisor (l to r) happily accept gift of 3,000,000 man hours, without a lost time accident, from Southwestern Public Service Company employees with longest safety records. They represent the almost 2,000 Public Service men and women who have built up the impressive safety record made previously by only one other company in the electric business. Continuing left to right, they are: Claude C. Bell, Roswell, 27 years; Ganess (Curly) Sanders, Clovis, 35 years; Ernest Allen Fowler, Amarillo, 35 years; Ervin O. Hopson, Toxhoma, 27 years; and W. S. (Mike) Jones, Lubbock, 32 years.

Mrs. D. C. Carpenter visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke and family in Hart Sunday.

Mrs. H. D. Butrum and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Butrum in Letors Sunday.

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Editorial

SUCKERS

"OPERATION SUCKER is rolling down from Canada's largest city at high speed," writes G. Keith Funston, president of the New York Stock Exchange, in the November issue of The Exchange Magazine. "Despite laws, international agreements, warnings from stock exchanges, and regulatory officials here and in Canada, despite the good advice of thousands of legitimate brokers here and in Canada, despite persuasion and horrible examples—in the face of all this, the United States is being flooded with high-pressure sales literature and telephone calls from a few so-called brokerage firms and investment advisory services, mostly in Montreal. . . Unfortunately their sensational sales patter is all too successful. I'm almost tempted to believe that a large number of people take a morbid pleasure in burying their savings in moose pastures."

Mr. Funston makes it clear that he has no complaint against Americans putting their money into legitimate Canadian enterprises. And he isn't against intelligent speculation—in fact, he is all for it, because of the important part it plays in putting a nation's resources to work. What he is talking about is stocks, usually very low-priced per share, for which ridiculous claims are made—and which, inevitably, are worth exactly nothing nine hundred and ninety-nine times out of a thousand.

The get-rich-quick boys have plenty of nerve. Mr. Funston tells of receiving sales literature describing profits ranging up to 10,000 per cent and more. In one classic instance, purveyors of such sucker-bait actually went into the office of a legitimate American brokerage firm, mingled with its clients, and managed to persuade one of them to place an order, through the firm, for the worthless security they were touting. The firm, of course, refused to accept it.

There aren't many of these chiseling salesmen—probably less than 200. But, as Mr. Funston says, there are enough to tar "the brokerage industry of two nations with their swindles." Recently the problem has cropped up this side of the Canadian border, due to uranium strikes in the west. The salesmen are experts in cashing in on human foolishness and cupidity. They have various effective techniques, of which the option ruse is a favorite. They offer the sucker an option to buy shares at a price which, they say, is well below that at which it will be offered to the general public. The catch is that the stock is worthless.

Both Canadian and American authorities are trying to stamp out this graft. But all the laws in the world can't succeed without the help of a public which, in Mr. Funston's words, "will join forces with the decent elements of the securities industry." He urges that before anyone does business with a high-pressure securities salesman he check on his credentials. This can be done, without cost, by getting in touch with such organizations as the New York Stock Exchange, regional stock exchanges, the National Association of Securities Dealers, the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington, state securities administrators, and local better business bureaus.

To quote him again: "Don't let the few termites of the securities industry undermine your financial security. "Don't fall for the glib lies and fancy phrases of salesmen who are out to take you for every cent you've saved. "It's your money—protect it."

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TALK

By LESTER

This week the Tigers meet the Dimmitt Bobcats in the bi-district game. It will likely be a tough battle, but I'll take the Tigers to win. I sincerely believe we can beat Dimmitt, although I know very little about the Bobcats' record as this is being written. And I also believe that if we beat Dimmitt, we will win over Hale Center or Sundown, whichever of those teams is victorious in the bi-district match.

There wasn't much enthusiasm about town prior to the McLean-Memphis game. And look what happened. We got fied, and could have been defeated. So between the time you read this and the time of the Dimmitt game, get a little pep.

We've gotta win.

The Lions members did an excellent job in the sale of household articles last Thursday. The Lions worked in teams and covered the entire town. Understand that more than \$500 worth of brooms, mops, etc., were sold in the one afternoon of work. Nearly every person contacted by the salesman was very cooperative and quite willing to help out. The articles were made by Mind people in Texas in various shops. The caravan moves about the state and will probably return here next year. It seems to be a worthy cause, and does give these unfortunate people who cannot see a chance to make their own livelihood. Congratulations to the Lions for their fine work.

Heard Mr. Winburn, the Amarillo weather man, remark on his weather news the other day that for the first time in his 15 years of residence in the Panhandle, he is having to rake leaves. Ordinarily, he said, the leaves manage to blow away, but this year they just fell and

Color Invades Oil Fields



Salesgirl thinks hard hat is pretty as well as useful.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.—Not to be outdone in the department of eye-catching headgear, men who work in the oil fields of the U. S. are now adding color to the place they work. Instead of the familiar aluminum hard-hats, the oil men are wearing gold, bronze, blue, grey or green safety hats. This is not entirely a vanity measure, but one of safety. Developed by the E. D. Bullard Co., here, the colored hats allow a different color for each type of job, thus making job identification immediate. The color process used on the hard hats was the result of more than a year's research in finding the proper dyes which would be "fade-proof." As a further test, the company exposed the hats for 1000 hours in the blistering Arizona sun.

stayed put. As I write this, the leaves are all over our yard. Seems like they just fell right straight down. Maybe I will get them raked up, or some of them anyway, before this issue of the paper comes out. But even if I do, some other person's leaves will no doubt find their way to our yard.

It could be that the trees just had more leaves this year than in the past. I don't know. But I do know they are thick and plentiful. And I sure dread getting them all gathered.

McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1954

The McLean News

Too bad, isn't it, that leaves cannot be good for feeding cattle or doing something with that would be beneficial. Some people say they make good fertilizer for yards; but it doesn't look like we're going to get enough rain this fall to hold them down long enough to rot.

Kids learn pretty young about a lot of things these days. Daughter Chris is already wondering about the true existence of Santa Claus. Not long ago, she asked her mother, "There really isn't any Santa Claus, is there?" Martha replied, "There's a Santa Claus, just as long as you believe there is." That answer didn't exactly satisfy Chris, but it stopped the questioning. Temporarily at least.

One trouble with the Santa Claus idea these days is that a child sees so many different ones each Christmas, the child isn't sure just what is going on. We have been using the Santa helper line of reasoning, but it doesn't work too well with Chris. We keep telling her that the helpers are those who wear the masks, but the real Santa doesn't. But, somehow, or other, this doesn't ring true to Chris.

I imagine this will be the last year she will even consider believing in Santa. For I've noticed that most children lose that Santa idea when they start to school.

In past years, I've heard some people express the opinion that telling a child there is a Santa is like telling the child a lie. In the true sense of the word, you are telling a lie. But to me it is such a good falsehood that it is worth it. I shall always cherish my dim memories of that time when I knew there was a Santa Claus. And, sincerely, I don't believe that my belief in Santa ever warped my mind. Something else did, I suppose, but not that.

All of this is leading up to

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one thing. And that one thing is this: please have your children write their LETTERS TO SANTA right away and get them to the News office. We would appreciate the teachers in the lower grades in school having the youngsters write theirs there, and then the letters can be turned in to us in a group. We will publish the letters in our annual



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Edward Everett of Maine, the principal address at the cation of the cemetery at Gensburg, Pa., speaking for hours. President Lincoln, was present for the ceremony spoke for two minutes.

The happiness of your life depends upon the quality of thoughts, therefore guard accordingly.—Marcus Antoninus

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Thursday:

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Friday, Saturday:

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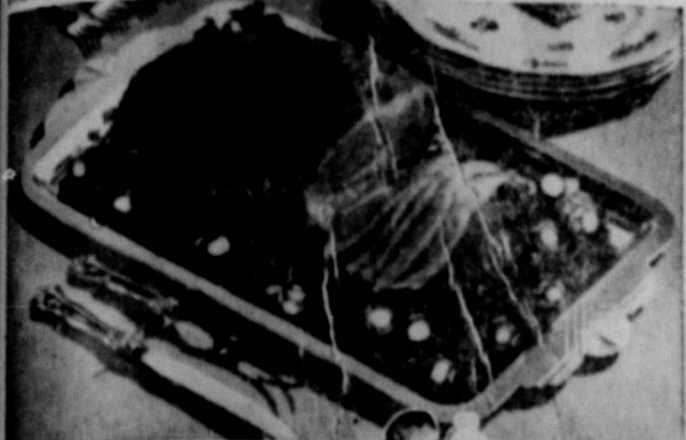
Chevrolet is first in sales in all these weight capacities—1/2 ton, 3/4-1 ton, 1 1/2-2 tons!

COOKE CHEVROLET COMPANY

McLEAN, TEXAS

Hams With A History

TO VIRGINIANS, a ham by any other name than Smithfield Ham does not taste as sweet. Residents of the little community from which the ham gets its name have preserved the ancient skill of curing pork cut from carcasses of peanut-fed hogs. Gourmets prize the ultimate product as a distinct delicacy.



PERSISTENCE on peanut-fed is indispensable. It imparts "different" taste. In cure, hams are dry-salted, then returned to original cellar spot, but in new position.



SMOKING, with oak, hickory and apple logs (and only these) begins after ham has been covered with black pepper. Then hams are hung in aging room. Process takes the best part of a year.

CURING, SMOKING and aging makes a delicious ham and one of which the community is understandably proud. Major processor of product is P. D. Gwaltney, Jr., & Co., 150-year-old Smithfield enterprise. Its International trucks move the ham to consumers residing in cities along the Eastern seaboard.



Patterson, Holt, Erwin, Minnis Massay, Boyett, Fast, Rowe, Wilson, LeFors, Watkins, M. Hodges, Clyde Cash, Veatch, Coffey, Richardson, and Miss McCurdy.

On Wednesday of this week at the noon hour a number of invited guests assembled at the hospitable home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Watkins in honor of her mother, Mrs. Hodges, who will leave soon for her home at Parsons, Kans.

There were more than a score of guests ranged around the banquet board where Mrs. Watkins' well known skill in culinary accomplishments was plainly manifested. The arrangement of the menu, as well as the preparation of the many delicious dishes that graced the board, could not have been improved upon, this fact being thoroughly established by the manner in which the guests accomplished its destruction.

After the conclusion of the repast, the assembled friends adjourned to the reception room and the afternoon was most enjoyably spent in conversation and a comparison of a wonderful display of fancy work brought by each guest. Those who attended this splendid affair were Mesdames Hodges, Fast, Patterson, Donnell, Uptam, Paschall, Wilson, Collier, J. L. Crabtree, LeFors, D. N. Massay, Langley, Erwin, Boyett, Richardson, and Miss McCurdy.

After the close of the regular meeting hours of the Eastern Star on Thursday afternoon of last week, the ladies were requested to repair to the home of Mrs. Emma LeFors. Quite a few surprises and jokes as to what the invitation meant were indulged while on the way to this hospitable home. However, their curiosity was soon dispelled, for they found a lovely two-course luncheon had been prepared by the hostess. A pleasant time was spent in merry conversation and expressions of warm appreciation of the affair.

Other than members of the Eastern Star, present were Mesdames Holt, Caldwell, and Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dougherty entertained a crowd of young-



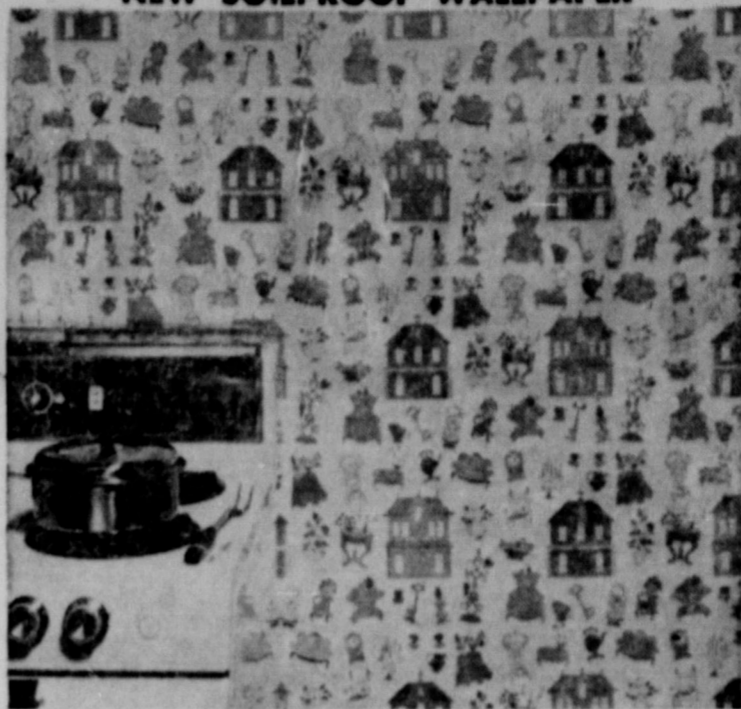
The 1954 amendments to the Social Security law will bring federal old-age and survivors insurance to most farm families beginning in January, 1955, declares John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security district office. These amendments, signed into law by the President on September 1, extend social security coverage to all farm operators who earn as much as \$400 in profits in 1955 and later years and to all farm employees whose cash earnings amount to as much as \$100 paid by the same employer farmer in 1955 and following years.

Any farm operator or farm employee who does not now have a social security card should apply for one immediately. Application forms are available at most post offices. The social security number will identify a person's earnings which will be used when figuring the social security payments to which he will be entitled when he reaches age 65 and files a claim or the amounts payable to his family when he dies.

Farm operators and farm workers are urged to drop a postal card immediately to the Social Security office at Amarillo, and request a leaflet on social security for farm families. This leaflet will explain in understandable language what farmers and their families should know about their social security, and what they should do now and in the future to protect their rights.

At Saturday night of last week, All enjoyed a feast of popcorn and at a late hour refreshments of cake and chocolate were served. All reported a fine time.

NEW SOILPROOF WALLPAPER



You can rejuvenate your home and give it a brand new face-lifting from top to bottom with one of the new soilproof wall coverings. Called "Home Sweet Home" this latest design in Glendura soilproof wallpaper will lend itself to either a modern or colonial kitchen and dinette and is available in a white, grey or silver background.

From a practical and economical viewpoint soilproof paper is a boon to any busy housewife as it is completely washable. Ugly, tenacious stains like lipstick and medicine, greasy fingerprints and other types of soil can be whisked off in short order with a damp cloth and a good soap or detergent.

Glendura is guaranteed for three years not to fade, streak or run or be replaced free of charge and is obtainable at any dealer carrying the Imperial line.

Women first achieved suffrage in the state of Wyoming.

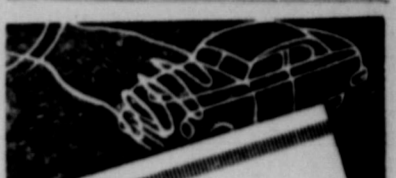
Rhode Island was the first state in the Union to build its own airport.

The first Bible printed in America was printed in the Indian language.

Texas leads all states in railway mileage with a total of 16,473 miles.

President Grover Cleveland vetoed more than 300 bills, for an all-time record.

Garner up pleasant thoughts in your mind, for pleasant thoughts make pleasant lives.—John Wilkins.



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Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

From the Files of the McLean News, 1914

Events in Society
On Monday afternoon of this week a number of members of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society responded to an invitation bidding them spend the afternoon at the home of their president, Mrs. E. D. Langley, and "have a good time." Those who have enjoyed a sojourn under this hospitable roof were not loathe to avail themselves of another opportunity to visit with Mother Langley, and about 2:30 they began to gather. The hours intervening until five were most enjoyably spent at 42 and other games, and so unheeded sped the time that all were surprised when the hostess announced the fact that dinner awaited them in the dining room.

And such a dinner! The most delicious surprise was added as a crowning feature of an afternoon of enjoyment and was given in honor of the hostess' birthday anniversary, although there was no specific announcement as to just what period in medieval history this important event occurred, the anniversary of which these assembled friends were celebrating. It has truly been said that you are as young as you feel, and hence there were no further questions when Mother

Langley announced that she was "between 16 and 60." The following splendidly appointed menu was served: turkey, dressing, cranberry sauce, giblet gravy, mashed potatoes, butter, bread, cucumber pickles, olives, hot slaw, iced fruit, coffee, and chocolate.

The dining room was beautifully decorated, as was also the hall and reception room, with exquisite Marchneil, American beauty, and LaFrance roses, the product of the hostess' flower garden, and their radiant beauty and delicious fragrance blending with the golden autumn sunlight that filtered through the vine covered shutters lent an enchantment to the surroundings and brought to the guests a realization that here nature and genius walked hand in hand.

It was indeed a pleasurable occasion and the many expressions of delight and appreciation proved so. Mother Langley has probably been here more years than she will admit, but as hers has been a life of love and service, unselfishly devoted to the alleviating of others' sorrows and sufferings, years have not counted against her, and the sincere wish of all is that her past may be but a day compared with her future.

Those present were Mesdames

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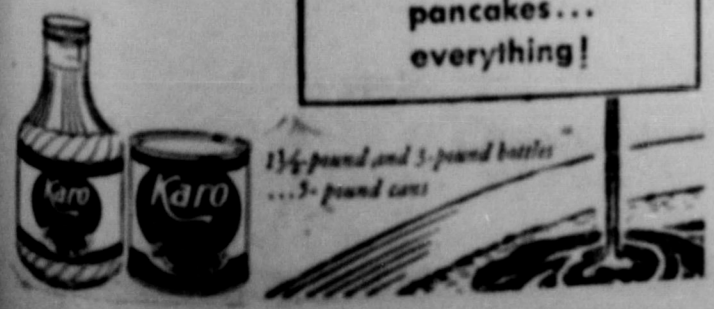
"I especially like my oven, it's so easy to use. The light and the window plus even cooking makes baking real fun. Baking is so simple, just put in the bread and turn on the switch."



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Coffee Candy Pudding for Dieters



Hey, hold that coffee pot! Especially if it holds a little leftover coffee, — and especially if you are looking for a brand new dessert recipe that is low in calories and high in flavor.

Today's recipe for Coffee Candy Pudding with Mocha Sauce contains a low, low 28 calories for each big generous serving. This recipe is due to Sucaryl, the new non-caloric sweetener that can be used without losing sweetness or becoming bitter. Sucaryl saves you one hundred calories for each serving in this recipe! If made with sugar, each serving would contain almost five times as many calories as when made with Sucaryl.

Coffee Candy Pudding

1 envelope unflavored gelatine 1-3/4 cups hot coffee
1/4 cup cold water (fresh or leftover)
2 teaspoons Sucaryl solution or 1/2 cup bran flakes, crushed
16 Sucaryl tablets, crushed

Soften gelatine in cold water, add Sucaryl and hot coffee; stir until gelatine dissolves. Chill until firm in pan or dish 4 by 8 inches. Cut into 1 inch cubes; roll in crushed bran flakes. Serve with following sauce:

Mocha Sauce

1 cup coffee (fresh, leftover, or made from instant coffee)
1 teaspoon corn starch
4 Sucaryl tablets or 1/2 teaspoon Sucaryl solution
Combine all ingredients; stir over low heat until slightly thickened and clear. Makes 4 servings (8 cubes plus 1/4 cup sauce to each serving).
Each serving contains 28 calories; 2.5 grams protein; no fat; 4.5 grams carbohydrate.
If made with sugar, each serving would contain 128 calories.

SOCIETY



MRS. EDWIN THOMAS

Vows Exchanged By Miss Mellroy And Edwin Thomas

In a double-ring ceremony held Saturday, November 13, in Hollis, Okla., Miss Wilma Jean Mellroy, daughter of Ernest Mellroy of Bonham and Mrs. J. A. Moore of McLean, became the bride of Edwin Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas of Clarendon.

Minister Ralph Swede read the ceremony in the Church of Christ.

The bride was attired in a turquoise faille dress, with black accessories.

Mrs. Thomas is a graduate of McLean High School. The couple is at home in the Hill Apartments in Clarendon.

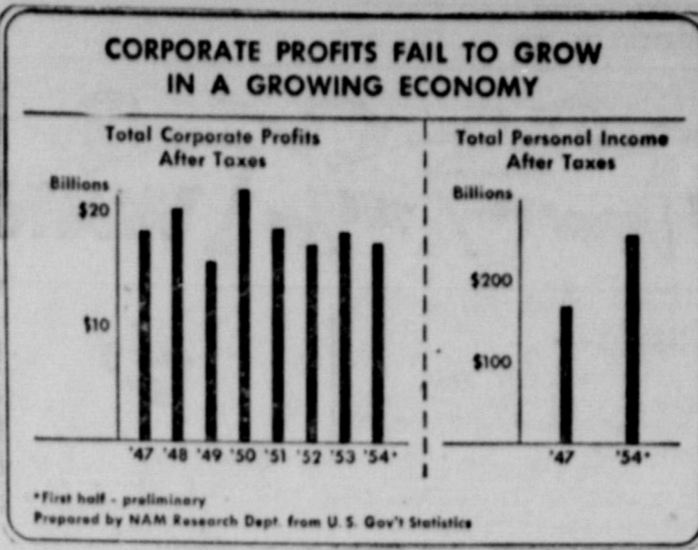
Crowd Attends Alanreed P-TA Friendship Night

The Alanreed P-T. A. reports a good crowd at their friendship night, held Thursday, November 18.

The following program was given: call to order, Mrs. Marvin Hall; prayer, Mrs. Claud Zevely; pledge to the flag, led by Mrs. T. J. Harper; "America," audience; "Citizenship," Mr. Buzzard; "How Justice is Established by Law," Sheriff Rufe Jordan; "How Justice is Established Through the Courts," Don Cain, Gray County attorney-elect; and "Battle Hymn of the Republic," audience.

A salad supper was enjoyed by all following the program. There were about 70 present.

Miss Ozella Hunt of Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson and family, and Mrs. Ollie Greer of Morton spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt.



Net profits of American corporations have shown no tendency to increase since 1947. Although there have been minor fluctuations, the level of profits after taxes was approximately the same (actually slightly lower) in the first half of 1954 as in 1947.

This lack of growth is in striking contrast to the experience in other major sectors of the economy. Total personal incomes, after taxes, increased by 50 per cent between 1947 and 1954. The total value of all the goods and services produced grew by more than 50 per cent in the same interval.

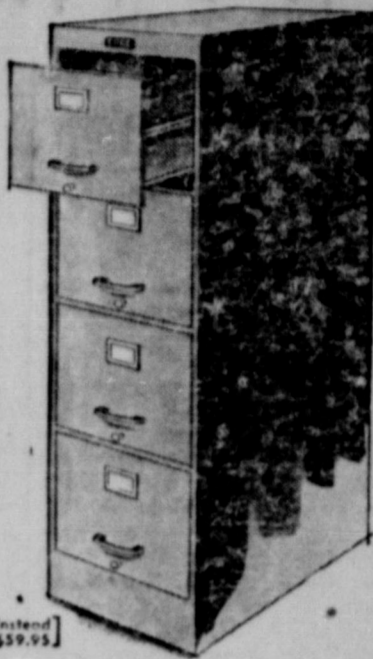
Corporate profits have not even kept pace with the rise in price levels. Between 1947 and 1954, consumer prices increased by 20 per cent and wholesale prices by 15. There was no increase in corporation profits to offset this decline in the purchasing power of the dollar.

Part of the explanation for the failure of profits to grow is the increase in the rate of corporate income taxes since the beginning of the Korean War. Taxes took 49 per cent of profits

in 1954, compared with 38 per cent in 1947. But even when allowance is made for this factor, profits have not increased in proportion to the growth of the economy. Profits before taxes increased by only 17 per cent between 1947 and 1954.

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The McLean News

Mrs. Louella Hall Hostess at Meet of Skillet Club

The Skillet Community Club met in the home of Louella Hall Thursday afternoon, November 18.

Work was continued on the quilt blocks. It was decided not to have another meeting in November, and only one meeting in December.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mina Kalka, Dean McFall, Elva Preston, Ed McClellan, Zaida McClellan, Pearl Burr, Cleo Turpen, Ora Saunders, and Lavern Saunders. Children present were Gary Lynn McFall, Deborah McClellan, Judy Saunders, and Donna Lou Hall.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. George Foley Thursday afternoon, December 9. All members are urged to be present at the meeting to plan the Christmas party.

Henry Cooper of Electra and his daughter, Mrs. Inez Mankins of Kilgore, visited with their brother and uncle, W. R. Cooper and family, Wednesday of last week.

Pioneer Study Club Meets in Home of Mrs. Carl Jones

The Pioneer Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Carl Jones Thursday, November 18.

Mrs. Jim Back presented a very interesting program by giving excerpts from James Keller's book, "Stop, Look, and Live."

Mrs. Vernon Gibson presided at a short business session. The main order of business was making plans for the annual Christmas party December 9.

The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames Back, Gibson, Sinclair, Armstrong, J. D. Coleman, C. R. Griffith, Guy Hester, Forrest Hupp, Clyde Magee, Hap Rogers, Jimmy Payne, Earl Stubblefield, B. L. Webb, Elmo Whaley, June Woods, Harold McColum, Jesse Coleman, and a guest, Mrs. C. P. Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. D'Spain and daughter of Briscoe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Crockett Sunday.

Bobby Hiett of Vinson, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer Tuesday of last week.

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REVEILLE

 with the boys
 Pfc. Cliff Callahan of Camp Chaffee, Ark., is spending a 10-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan of McLean, and his wife and daughter and Mrs. Opal Sechler of Boise City, Okla. Following his leave, Callahan will return to Camp Chaffee for eight weeks of clerk and typing training.

Gossip—
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 a pair of men's socks. This makes a cute and likable gift for any small child.
 J. A. Brawley was awarded \$47 in merchandise certificates at the weekly Appreciation Day activities in McLean last Saturday afternoon.
 Bob Kramer, a senior from McLean, is among the 31 awarded letters in football at Panhandle A. and M. College at Goodwell, Okla. for the past season, according to Oscar Williams, head football coach.
 The Panhandle Aggies closed the season with a 6-3 record and their second consecutive undisputed championship in the New Mexico Collegiate Conference. They scored a total of 193 points while allowing their opponents 166. Aggie wins included New Mexico Military Institute 21-7; Highlands University 13-0; Adams State College 32-18; New Mexico Western 27-0; Arizona State College (Flagstaff) 21-14; and St. Mary's of the Plains (Dodge City, Kans.) 40-6. The Aggies dropped tilts to Nebraska State (Peru), Camp Carson, and Southwestern State of Weatherford, Okla.

Bobcats—
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 to par. However, these injuries are expected to be much improved this week, and the squad should be in good shape.
 The winner of the game will advance into the regional game with the winner of the bi-district 3-A, 4-A contest. These two district champs are Hale Center, in District 3-A, and Sundown, in District 4-A. Both won their districts last year, with Sundown emerging as the victor in the bi-district game.
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 Mr. and Mrs. Don Light of Ralls, June Stubblefield of WT SC, Canyon, Bryan Mrs. O. Z. Light of Panhandle, C. T. Cline, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cline Jr. of Amarillo were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield.
 Earl Stubblefield returned Sunday after having spent a week in South Texas hunting deer and turkey. He was accompanied on the trip by his brother, Dwight Stubblefield of Amarillo.
 Mrs. Alice Smith is visiting in Corpus Christi with Mrs. John F. Lynch.
 Mrs. George Angelopoulos and son left last Friday for their home in Springfield, Mass., after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bailey.
 Watson of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Ellis of Corpus Christi.

At Home—
NEW BOSS
 Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks of Lubbock are the parents of a boy born October 30. He weighed 7 pounds, and has been named Joe Shannon. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shadd of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Brooks of Skellytown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foshee of Pampa are the parents of a girl born November 18. She weighed 7 pounds, 7 ounces, and has been named Patricia Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crockett of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Foshee of Alameda.
 A P-T-A meeting will be held Wednesday, December 1, at 4 o'clock at the grade school cafeteria.
 Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong will give the "Life of a Boy" and Mrs. J. H. Kritzier the "Life of a Girl." They will be assisted by children.

McLean 4-H Club Elects Officers
 The McLean 4-H Club boys met Thursday of last week to elect officers.
 Elected were the following: president, Pee-Wee Tate; vice president, Bobby Weaver; secretary, Jerry Stubblefield; and reporter, David Crockett.
 Jack Back, Jerry Stubblefield, Bobby Weaver, and Pee-Wee Tate were elected to serve on a party committee. This committee decided to plan a Christmas party.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey spent last week in Lubbock visiting with their son Don, and with Mrs. J. C. Bumpass and Mrs. T. R. Bumpass, both sisters of Mrs. Godfrey.

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Meador—
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 his 21-year chevron.
 Guy Hibler, long-time member of the local club, made the presentation of the life membership to Meador. He explained that Meador has served in nearly every office in the club, as zone chairman, as district governor, and as a member of the board of directors of the crippled children's camp at Kerrville.
 President J. W. Meacham presided at the meeting, opening in the form of a regular Lions Club meeting. Larry Fuller of McLean, zone chairman, introduced the guests. Program Chairman Freeman Melton Jr. was in charge of the entertainment program, during which a quartet of Bill Day, Bill Reeves, Joe Coleman, and George Saunders sang several numbers.

LIBRARY NEWS
 By Lady Bryant, Librarian
 The highlights of National Book Week at the public library last week were the project of the first grade class in naming a doll to be added to the collection started in 1953, and the review of the book, "This My Brother," by Leona Andrews.
 There is a large donation of used copies of popular magazines each month. You who do not subscribe for these magazines may get them when you drop in the library for a book.
BIRTHDAYS
 Nov. 28—Thacker Haynes, C. A. Myatt, Arthur Erwin, Mrs. Ted Glass, Earl Johnson.
 Nov. 29—Larry Williams, E. B. Durham, Mrs. Versie Grigsby, P. L. Ledgerwood, Mrs. Mildred Grigsby.
 Nov. 30—Mrs. Cleo Heasley, Mrs. Hal Mounce, E. M. Gossett, Donna Lynette Bowen, Mrs. R. D. Patterson.
 Dec. 1—Dutch Dorsey.
 Dec. 2—Rhonda Gaye Stewart, Mrs. Walter Bailey, Morris Wells, Mrs. J. R. Clark.
 Dec. 3—Mrs. Luddy Sutton, J. S. Morse, Jerry Irene Sims.
 Dec. 4—Mrs. Lucy Smith, Paul Massey, Jimmy Kritzier, Eddie Allsup, Edgar Lee.



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Doreas S. S. Class Has Thanksgiving Dinner at Church
 Members of the Doreas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church held their annual Thanksgiving dinner Tuesday night in the church Fellowship Hall for members and their families. Mrs. Morris Shelton, Mrs. J. B. Caudill, and Mrs. E. C. Lisman were hostesses for the occasion.
 Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Shelton and family, Mr. and Mrs. Caudill, Mr. and Mrs. Lisman and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Raliback and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hill Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. John Biggers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hale and son.
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Ladies Auxiliary Enjoys Program On Thanksgiving
 The Presbyterian Ladies Auxiliary met Tuesday in the parlor for a special Thanksgiving program.
 The program was as follows: devotional, Mrs. John B. "Count Your Blessings," Jess Kemp; "Thanksgiving Thanks Living," Mrs. E. J. dom; "Does Your Family Grace?" Mrs. Travis St. Thanksgiving Story, Mrs. Griffith; prayer, Mrs. C. Powell, Bill Stubbs, Cort Me Windom, Fidelity Stubbs, Ker O. Goodman, H. E. Franks, mond Glass, and Griffith. esses for the occasion were Powell and Mrs. Bill Stubbs.

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