

VILLAGE



GOSSIP
(More or Less)

The public library is sponsoring a rummage sale beginning this week. To make the sale possible, requests are made for donations of clean, saleable clothing suitable for summer and spring wear, for both children and adults. Clothing should be brought to the library.

The U. S. Navy Recruiting Service has announced that it has opened a U. S. Navy Recruiting Substation at Pampa. The substation is located in the basement of the U. S. Post Office and the office hours will be from 8:30 in the morning to 6 in the evening daily, Monday through Friday, and from 8:30 to noon on Saturdays.

Daryl G. Ford, boilerman first class, U. S. Navy recruiter for the substation, announces that there is no longer any waiting list for enlistment in the regular navy, and enlistment may be completed within a week's time. The navy offers high school graduates special training in the job field of their choice if found physically and mentally qualified. The navy has 62 major job fields from which to choose, and some 1,100 job specialists.

Mrs. Joe Leonard of Albreed was awarded \$60 in merchandise certificates at the Appreciation Day activity in McLean last Saturday afternoon.

Conducting services at the First Baptist Church next Sunday in the absence of the pastor, will be H. R. Bolton, student at Wayland College, Plainview, and an employee of the United Texas Drys. He will preach at the morning service and show pictures at the evening hour.

Firemen quickly controlled a grass fire on a vacant lot immediately north of the Earnest Beck home Sunday night. The fire did little damage, but could have spread to some scrap lumber on the lot.

An overall reduction of about 4.5 per cent, effective May 1, for bodily injury and property damage coverage for Texas drivers has been announced by the casualty division of the Texas Board of Insurance commissioners. The announcement was received this week by local insurance agents.

Most of the rule changes for passenger vehicles were further refinements of classifications. Most important of these was the division of the under-age driver classification into male and female classes. This will permit the female driver under 25 years of age (but who is not the owner of the vehicle or principal operator thereof), to save about 20 per cent of the premium that will be assessed her male counterpart. The penalty of being a male under-age driver has been increased from five per cent to about 15 per cent. Despite the hike in the rate where under-age males are driving, the overall reduction will be about 4.5 per cent.

Charles Crockett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crockett, suffered a broken collar bone Thursday afternoon while practicing vaulting. He was taken to the Groom hospital and was to be kept there for a week or ten days.

The Boy Scouts are collecting scrap iron and selling greeting cards to buy uniforms. If you have any scrap iron or would like to buy cards, contact Jimmie Don Morris.

New quartermaster for the scouts is Jerry Stubblefield; and the new scribe is Danny Douglas.

BIRTHDAYS

- April 17—Mrs. W. J. Hamner, Carl A. Dwyer.
- April 18—Elaine McIlroy, Rocky Allen Bailey, Larry Ledbetter.
- April 19—Chas. Cousins, C. P. Callahan, Eddie Reeves, Mancel Vineyard.
- April 20—Peggy Sharp, Eddie Grigsby, Fred Smith, C. J. Cash, Haskell Smith.
- April 21—Laura Mae Switzer, Carl William Back, Earl Riley, Mrs. Luke Henley.
- April 22—Mrs. Clifford Allison, Terry Don Bidwell, Josh Chilton, Wayne Stafford.
- April 23—Mrs. John W. Dwyer, Boyd Reeves, Kenneth Goodman.

Mrs. Jimmy Shelton took her daughter Pat, and Floella Cubine back to Canyon Monday.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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Salk Polio Vaccine Okay; 80-90 Per Cent Effective

The Salk polio vaccine was officially reported Tuesday morning to be between 80 and 90 per cent effective, according to information compiled from tests made last year.

As a result of this announcement, the license for use of the new vaccine was signed Tuesday afternoon.

And as a result of this, all first and second graders in the United States (whose parents request the service) will be vaccinated free of charge within the next two months.

The machinery to handle the



JAMES JOLLY, all-state guard on the bi-district champion McLean Tiger football team last fall, has been selected to play on the North squad in the annual coaching school all-star game next August 5 at San Antonio. The squad will be coached by Darrell Royal of Mississippi State. Jolly was the only Class A player from District 1 selected, and one of four Class A players named to the first team.

DEADLINE NOW ON INSPECTION

If you wake up Saturday morning and suddenly realize you have forgotten to get your auto inspected according to the state law, be careful where you drive. Highway patrolmen and other law enforcement officers have been ordered to start enforcement of the inspection law Saturday morning, since the deadline for the inspection is midnight, April 15.

There are four inspection stations in McLean, and ten in Pampa, where cars may be inspected. Hollis Bryan of Amarillo, official of the Department of Public Safety, has pointed out.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith Jr. of Dumas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noah Smith and family.

PRESBYTERY TO HAVE MEET HERE APRIL 21

The semi-annual meeting of the Amarillo Presbytery will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in McLean Thursday, April 21, with the local church serving as host to visitors from throughout the region.

The session, to continue throughout the day, will open at 9 o'clock in the morning, and will consist mostly of business of the Presbytery. At noon, the McLean church will serve dinner for the visiting representatives.

Expected are ministers and elders from 18 churches in the Presbytery. Rev. J. Edwin Kerr, local pastor, explained. Ministers and elders are official delegates, although visitors will be welcome at the meeting.

Dr. Lynn Rankin of the First Presbyterian Church of Amarillo is moderator, and will preside at the opening session. The first order of business will be to elect a moderator to serve during the 1955-56 year.

ANNUAL F. F. A. BANQUET TO BE FRIDAY NIGHT

The annual F. F. A. banquet will be held Friday, April 15, in the American Legion Hall. The barbecue style banquet will begin at 7:30 o'clock, with "Cotton John" Smith of Amarillo as the guest speaker.

The program will be as follows: invocation by Morris Wells; meal; opening exercises by the officers; introduction of guests by Secretary Owen Rhea; initiation of greenhands; short talk on supervised farming program by Don Van Huss; address by Smith; and the close by the F. F. A. band.

The band for the banquet will be donated by J. D. Coleman. Other items on the menu are beans, potato chips, bread, tea, apricots, pickles, onions, pie, and ice cream. Some 160 to 165 guests are expected.

Megascopic observations are made with the naked eye. If the TV sets used in cheap bars don't make you blind—the liquor will.

Opens Next Week—

LOCAL CANCER DRIVE

Appointment of Elmo Whaley, cashier of the American National Bank, as chairman of the American Cancer Society's 1955 educational and fund-raising crusade in McLean was announced this week.

Whaley hopes that the local campaign, although scheduled nationally for the month of April,

Everett Is Regional Winner Of Comeback Farmer Honor

12,668 PLATES FOR VEHICLES SOLD IN GRAY

A total of 12,668 vehicle license plates were sold through the office of Jack Back, Gray County tax assessor-collector, prior to the deadline of April 1.

Of the tags sold, slightly less than three-fourths of them were for passenger cars. In the report made of the sale of the tags during the two months before April 1, Back said that 9,421 were for passenger cars.

Commercial vehicles accounted for another 1,849 licenses, and 703 plates were sold for farm vehicles, Back said. The passenger, commercial, and farm types were the three largest categories.

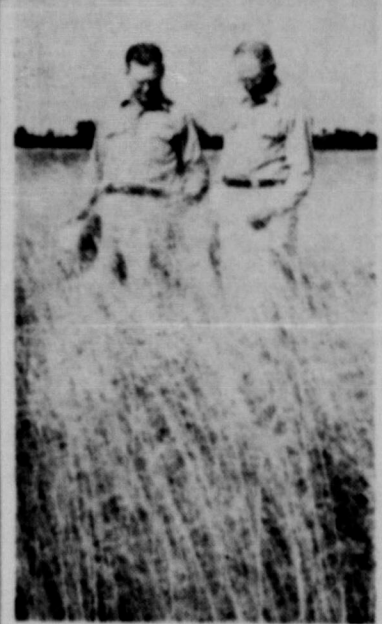
The last week in March—actually March 30 through April 2—proved to be by far the heaviest in sales. During that period, Back and his deputies sold 3,018 passenger tags, 733 for commercial use, and 240 for farm vehicles.

Mrs. Dyer's Auto Glass Shattered By Unknown Cause

Remember when you were hearing about auto windshields suddenly popping and practically shattering?

The shattering procedure has again come along, this time right here in McLean. Sunday afternoon, Mrs. S. J. Dyer parked her car in front of her home; thirty minutes later she went outside of her house and heard something popping. The back window—not the windshield—was cracking throughout. The cracking continued for about an hour before the glass was entirely ruined.

What caused it, nobody seems to know. Although the day was warm, the heat was not believed to have caused the damage, since Mrs. Dyer had a window of the car rolled down.



THESE MEN, Quentin Williams of Pampa and Peb Everett of McLean, have both been honored by being named as regional winners in the "Save the Soil and Save Texas" contests. The men have worked together in seeding of grasses for a number of years; the above picture was made a few years ago as the two examined some of the grass on the Everett place.

Q. WILLIAMS NAMED BEST NON-FARMER

Peb Everett, who has been able to "bring back" a worn-out plot of ground to a productive state, has been chosen as the best comeback farmer in the Panhandle region, one of five regions in the "Save the Soil and Save Texas" contest program.

Everett is the second local farmer to win this regional award. James Clett won the same award about three years ago and was honored at the regional banquet in Lubbock.

Quentin Williams of Pampa, known to most residents of the McLean area, was named as the best non-farmer conservationist. Williams, formerly with the Soil Conservation Service, is now in the real estate business in Pampa. He has worked closely with Everett for a number of years in grass development.

Everett will receive a cash award of \$100 when the regional awards program is held in Pampa May 5. Williams will receive a plaque for his award.

Everett's farm is one mile east and north of McLean. In addition to his work as a barber in McLean, he has managed to bring 120 acres of land, graded as "extremely poor and eroded," to a condition of "excellent" within a period of a few years. Listed as practices he has applied in this progress are seeding pasture, improving the range, and proper use of both; planting of cover crops; getting utmost usage of watering facilities (he now has an irrigation well on the place); and improving wildlife conditions on his farm.

In nominating Everett, the Soil Conservation District supervisors said: "From a farm that all the neighbors said was 'too poor to sprout peas,' to a farm with a gross income of \$120 per acre average and a good possibility of doubling that figure is Everett's accomplishment. We think he is the farmer in Texas who has done the most outstanding job in restoring worn-out land."

Williams, in earning his award, was active last year as head of the Pampa C. of C. agriculture committee. He was also rural-urban chairman of the Rotary Club. His work included organization of an irrigation clinic and a two-day agricultural and livestock achievement event. He has also spoken on conservation before a number of civic clubs.

The "Save the Soil and Save Texas" contests were originated a few years ago by the Fort Worth Press. The contests grew in interest so rapidly that they have extended throughout the state, and a number of other large firms have joined in the sponsorship. County awards are made, then regional awards, and finally state awards.

Solder is an alloy of lead and tin.

200 ATTEND FATHER-SON FETE OF LIONS

Nearly two hundred fathers and sons gathered at the American Legion Hall last Friday night for the second annual Father-Son banquet, sponsored by the McLean Lions Club.

Cal Farley of Amarillo, founder of Boys Ranch, kept the crowd highly interested as he related incident after incident concerning the ranch, and the activities of the boys. Farley talked for about an hour, and could have gone on longer and longer, since he demonstrated to the audience that he is completely "wrapped up" in the operation of the ranch.

Musical entertainment was furnished by a group of girls who are students in Clarendon Junior College.

A barbecue dinner, with emphasis on the fact that those attending got all they wanted to eat, was served cafeteria style. The beef was donated by J. L. and F. J. Hess, and was prepared by Amos Page and C. P. Hamilton.

The banquet was the second to be sponsored by the Lions Club. The first was held about one and one-half years ago, when Sammy Baugh, famed football player, was guest speaker.

Mrs. Don Hajas and son of Fort Worth spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Tindall of Kellerville.

Legion Rodeo—

SEVEN EVENTS IN SHOW

Seven events will be featured in each of the four performances of the annual American Legion rodeo in McLean, to be held Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, May 6, 7, and 8.

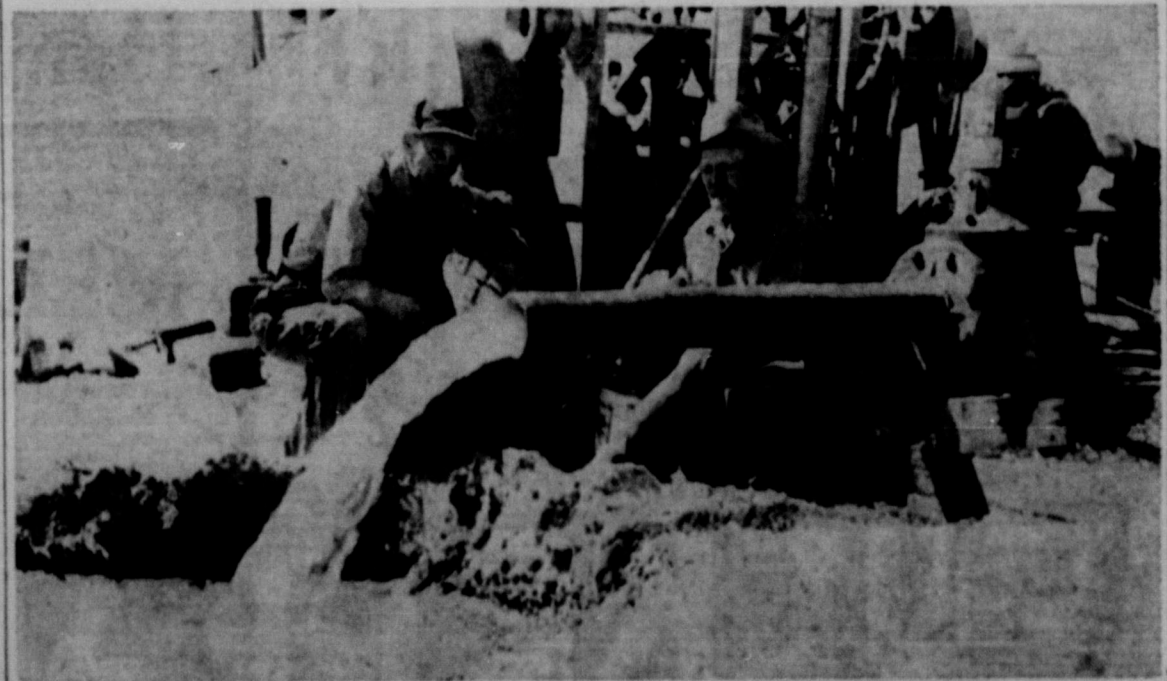
Events will include bareback bronc riding, saddle bronc riding, bull riding, bull dogging, calf roping, ribbon roping, and a girls sponsor contest, Bob Sherrod, chairman of the rodeo committee, has announced.

Entrants in each event will pay \$10, and the purse in each—with the exception of the girls sponsor contest which is a jackpot purse—will be \$200. In addition, a trophy buckle will go to the best all-around cowboy who is entered in three events, including roping and riding. Cowboys will

get two go-rounds, Sherrod said. Four performances are slated—Friday night, Saturday afternoon and night, and Sunday afternoon. The Legion also plans dances at the Legion hall both Friday and Saturday nights.

Furnishing the rodeo stock this year will be Tom Harlan of Kellerville. Jake Mitchell has been employed to work as clown during the show.

A considerable amount of work has already been done on the rodeo grounds. The chutes have been moved closer to the bleachers to allow spectators a better view of all events. The fence which serves as the east boundary of the arena has been moved in much closer also, cutting down the size of the arena, which has, in the past, been too large.



IT LOOKS MIGHTY GOOD, that stream of water pouring from the five-inch pipe on the irrigation well brought in about two weeks ago on the O. L. Tibbets place immediately south of the city limits of McLean. Intently watching the stream of water are L. F. Giesler and Tibbets. The well, drilled by Hershel McCarty, is expected to be able to pump about 460 gallons per minute when it is fully developed. Tibbets is using a Fairbanks-Morse pump and a Chevrolet engine.

—Photo by J. M. Payne

Society

BONNIE TARTAN



A bonnie lad is ready for action in a bonnie Tartan plaid suit. His cotton jacket and walking shorts are crease resistant and treated with Zelan durable water and spot repellent. The treated cotton is easy to keep clean and fresh looking. A young man can pick his favorite Tartan, for the cotton suit is made in the Black Watch, Macdonald, and MacMose plaids.

Liberty HD Club Hears Program on 'Civil Defense'

Mrs. Earl Eustace presented a program on "Civil Defense" at a recent meeting of the Liberty Home Demonstration Club.

The meeting, held in the home of Mrs. Wink Gideon, was attended by the following members: Mesdames J. J. Rallsback, Walter Bailey, Wallace Rainwater, Roy McCracken, O. O. Tate, Olen Davis, Walter Evans, Eustace, and Gideon. Visitors were Misses Lea and Ruby Bidwell, Mesdames Josh Chilton, E. H. Kramer, and Peb Everett.

John Dickinson Named Honoree At Birthday Party

John Dickinson was honored at a party on his 7th birthday Saturday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson.

Birthday cake, punch, and candy were served to Paula Stewart, Larry Williams, Gary Graham, Tommy Wilson, Mike Johnson, Tom Taylor, Margie Pagan, Barbara McCurley, Joe Magee, Linda Evans, Rickie Guill, Betty Dickinson, Mrs. Herbert Guill, and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillips.

Mrs. Joe Gibson underwent surgery Monday at the Worley Hospital in Pampa.

Dr. J. H. Kritzer Talks on Vaccine At P-TA Meeting

At the meeting of the McLean Parent-Teacher Association Wednesday of last week, Dr. J. H. Kritzer explained the Salk vaccine, and Superintendent Freeman Melton Jr. gave details about where it would be given.

Officers to serve during the next school term were elected as follows: president, Mrs. Guy Hester; vice president, Mrs. Vernon Gibson; secretary, Mrs. Bill Day; treasurer, Mrs. George Saunders; reporter, Mrs. Reed Grogan; and parliamentarian, Mrs. Hershel McCarty.

Pioneer Study Club Meets in Home Of Mrs. Williams

Mr. Clinton Williams was hostess to members of the Pioneer Study Club Thursday, April 7.

Mrs. June Woods gave a very interesting review of Murray Banks' book, "How to Get More Out of Life," pointing out that a person should make the most of every situation, and try to be happy.

Members present were Mesdames Woods, Sinclair Armstrong, W. E. Boyan, J. D. Coleman, Vernon Gibson, Guy Hester, Forrest Hupp, Clyde Magee, Freeman Melton, Jimmy Payne, Hap Rogers, June Story, B. L. Webb, Harold McColum, Claud Zevely, and the hostess, Mrs. Williams' mother, Mrs. W. W. Evans of Panhandle, was a guest.

Bernard McClellans Are Given Party On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McClellan were honored with a surprise party on their tenth wedding anniversary in their home Friday, April 9. The party was given by their mothers, Mrs. E. C. West of Kellerville and Mrs. Sam McClellan.

The couple was presented with many lovely gifts. Games of progressive 42 were enjoyed, and delicious refreshments of cake, sandwiches, gelatine, and tea were served by the hostesses.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Kennedy and Miss June West of Pampa, Mrs. Don Taylor of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, Mr. and Mrs. George Saunders and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam McClellan.

Mrs. Lela Sherrod Hostess to Meet Of Alanreed WMS

The Alanreed Baptist W. M. S. met April 11 in the home of Mrs. Lela Sherrod for a royal service program.

After the meeting was called to order by Mrs. Sherrod, president, Mrs. Lena Carter gave the opening prayer.

Mrs. Alice Cole, program chairman, brought the devotional from John 3:14 and John 4:7-27, and introduced the program topic of

"Hong Kong and Her Subjects." "Historian," was given by Mrs. Sherrod; "Mrs. Average Tourist Speaks," Mrs. Inez Gibson; "Mrs. Anderson's Report," Mrs. Alma Glass; "Report of Baptist Work," Mrs. B. W. Moreman and Mrs. Carter; "Report on Women's Work," Mrs. Myrtle Ball; and the closing prayer by Mrs. Sherrod. Refreshments were served to eight members and one child.

Mrs. E. V. Fulton and children of Lefors visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peirce Sunday. Thursday visitors in the Peirce home were Misses Ruby and Lea Bidwell of Kellerville.

Pat Shelton of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shelton. Mrs. Shelton and daughters attended church in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nicholson and children of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson Wednesday evening of last week.

Kenneth Gibson of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson.

Dr. John E. Kerr and his wife, Dr. Charlotte Kerr, of Chicago, Ill. visited this week in the home of his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Edwin Kerr.

Debra Denise McClellan is spending this week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Holland, in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Vineyard and son of Canyon spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom and other relatives.

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Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stafford and Janice Stafford of Pampa spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stafford.

Mrs. Walter Bailey visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billy D. Rice in Groom Sunday.

Mrs. Joe Webb underwent surgery in Highland General Hospital in Pampa Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Tinkler of Kellerville visited with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stafford Monday.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Pearl Turner during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Smith and children of Sudan, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Messer and daughter of Hereford, and Mrs. Hazel Smith and son of Amarillo.

Eula Mae and Wayne Scates

of Bethany, Okla., spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scates. Sunday visitors in the Scates home were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Davis of the Lone Mound community.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Powell and Mrs. Maud Powell spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson and family in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Turner and daughter of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Sharp and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves and sons of Dumas visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, last week.

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SPEAKING OF CARDS

ABOUT CANASTA

Although Canasta was first introduced into the United States as early as 1946, it reached its peak of popularity in 1950 when it was played by more than fifteen million Americans. Since that time, interest in the new rummy game from Argentina has continued to be strong and, according to the most recent nationwide survey, Canasta is still the country's favorite card game topping such staples as Contract Bridge, Pinochle, Poker and Gin Rummy. What the newcomer, Calypso, will do to its prestige will be known in the next few months.

Among the chief reasons for Canasta's remaining at the top of the list are the countless variations developed on the original theme. These include such familiar games as Samba, Bolivia, Chile and Uruguay and some lesser-known versions with the fascinating titles of

Italian Canasta and Cut-Throat Canasta. Latest addition to the rapidly-growing list is Louisiana Purchase Set-Back Canasta currently popular in New Orleans.

Countless other versions, too numerous to mention here, have been developed but have yet to attain any widespread popularity.

In response to hundreds of requests from Canasta fans, a pocket-sized 16-page leaflet has been published which contains the official rules for playing Samba, Chile, Uruguay, Bolivia, Italian Canasta and Cut-Throat Canasta. The leaflet describes all of these Canasta variations in a few minutes merely by pointing out how each game differs from the basic game of Canasta.

In addition, for those die-hard Canasta addicts who won't consider playing any other version, the new leaflet also contains the Official Canasta Rules, a condensation of the International Code, Laws of Canasta, compiled and promulgated by the National Canasta Laws Commissions of the United States and Argentina.

A free copy of this handy leaflet may be obtained by sending a stamped, self-addressed envelope to Playing Cards, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York 17, N. Y.

Mrs. M. L. Johnson and Mrs. J. A. Brawley attended a birthday party honoring their nephew and grandson, Bascom Sims, at Shamrock Friday.

Miss Jewell Cousins of Borger spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck and other relatives.

Van Brawley of Perryton visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brawley, and other relatives here Sunday.

Marvin Tindall of Shamrock visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hickman Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cash and son Don visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bowman in Oklahoma City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Loyd and family of Friona spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooper, and C. O'Kelly of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cooper Sunday.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. E. D. Langley May 12.

Woman's Missionary Notes

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church met Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour, with 14 members present. Devotional services were led by Mrs. Sitter, followed by the regular business meeting. Next Tuesday closes our study of "The Child in the Midst." "The Acts of the Apostles," a Bible study, will begin the third Tuesday in May. We extend an invitation to everyone to take this work with us as we will strive to get all the information we possibly can out of the study. Anyone wanting a book will please see or phone Mrs. Boyett.

The Junior Missionary Society met Sunday with 37 members present, seven new members being enrolled. Sixteen mite boxes were distributed. A program was carried out, each child responding promptly with his part. We have three new members on the baby roll.

Personal

E. C. Bragg spent the week-end fishing at Granite, Okla.

Floella Cubine of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ercy Cubine.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Harvey of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bragg over the week-end.

Freddie Smith of Lubbock and Warren Smith of Norman, Okla., spent the week-end with their father, Riley Smith and family.

Virginia Beck of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase and daughter Dortha, accompanied by Bud Williams of WTSC, Canyon, and Mrs. J. H. Bradley, visited with relatives in Wellington Sunday.

Vic Vet says

TWO DEADLINES TO GET GI LOANS NOW PREVAIL FOR WORLD WAR II VETS. THE DEADLINE IS JULY 25, 1957 FOR KOREA VETS. THE DEADLINE IS JANUARY 31, 1965



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Mrs. Tom Heiner and family of Borger visited with Mrs. Arthur Dwyer Monday.

David Grigsby of NTSC, Denton, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grigsby.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bogan and family of Lubbock spent the week-end with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bogan.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Meier of Amarillo visited Sunday afternoon in the Stratton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Denny Roan and Dennis Bryant of Pampa visited with Mrs. Lady Bryant Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson spent Sunday visiting in Clarendon and Hedley with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jack McClellan and Mrs. J. C. McClellan returned home Sunday from a two-weeks visit at South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and family of Skellytown visited with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter of Alanreed, and Mrs. O. K. Lee and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Murff and daughter Allison Diane of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison and son Jimmy. Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Murff of Brice visited in the Allison home Sunday.

FREE PAINT DEMONSTRATION

at our store

FRIDAY, APRIL 15

J. D. Williams of Fort Worth, representing BPS, will be in our store all day Friday to demonstrate the latest in paints, as well as to demonstrate the latest painting methods. He will advise you on any paint problems you may have as well as demonstrating the newest in these paints and their application.

Also to be here is Marvin Sherrad of Amarillo, representing the Republic Steel Kitchens. If you are planning on remodeling your kitchen, be sure to talk with Mr. Sherrad.

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Attends Wedding Dinner

J. B. Paschall has been spending a few days at Letors and returned Tuesday with the news of a splendid wedding dinner at which he was an invited guest Sunday. The dinner was given

in honor of the marriage of Miss Ola Langham to Mr. Ernest Skinner of Velasco, and was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Langham. The ceremony was performed by Judge Siler Faulkner. The young people left yesterday for their home at Velasco, where the groom is engaged in business.

The best wishes of hosts of admiring friends go with them.

Smith-Roach

As a culmination of a courtship of more than two years standing, Miss Nellie Smith and Mr. Charlie Roach were married Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston. Rev. J. T. Howell performed the ceremony in the presence of the most intimate friends of the bride, including Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bodine, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, and Mrs. Howell and children. After the ceremony, refreshments of cream and cake were served.

Mrs. Roach, as Miss Nellie Smith, was one of McLean's loveliest girls. She has lived here a number of years and has won for herself an enviable reputation for her excellent qualities as a sterling young woman. Among her other accomplishments she has maintained herself through the four years of high school, having been a member of the graduating class this year. Mr. Roach is a prosperous young farmer; is a member of the Masonic Lodge, and in every way is considered one of our most promising young men.

The young people were the recipients of many useful and pretty gifts, together with the good wishes of scores of friends who wish them a long life of happiness.

With Mrs. Patterson

Mrs. W. R. Patterson made a charming hostess Wednesday afternoon at her pretty home in the west part of town, when she entertained the members of the Needlecraft Club, together with about a dozen invited guests. A handsome collection of pot plants, for which Mrs. Patterson is famous, made a beautiful decoration for the reception rooms. After a couple of hours spent in merry conversation and fashioning many delicate designs of fancy work, the hostess served a delicious two-course luncheon.



Wilbur, out shopping with his mother, pointed to a set of false teeth in a shop window and said, "If I had to wear false teeth, that's the kind I'd like."

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Editorial

HOW THEY FEEL

THE AMERICAN PRESS, a magazine for home town newspapers, has completed what it terms "the most thorough survey ever made" of the attitude of country and suburban newspaper editors on subjects facing Congress. A total of 1,050 of these editors answered questions on major legislative issues asked by the magazine. The purpose, it says, is "to help make the voice of rural America more articulate in Washington."

In its March issue, The American Press prints the results of its survey. A brief partial summary follows. The figures do not add up to 100 per cent, for the reason that "No answer" percentages, and answers reflecting the views of only very small numbers of editors, are not included here.

Corporation Taxes: 70.4 per cent favor the President's request that reductions be postponed, while 24.9 per cent are against postponement.

Excise Taxes: These taxes fall on liquor, tobacco, gasoline, and automobiles, and in every case the editors favor their continuance, by varying but always substantial margins.

Trade Agreements: 74.7 per cent are for the extension of the Reciprocal Trade Agreements Act, with additional authority to the President to lower tariffs 5 per cent a year, while 16.8 per cent are against extension, 2.3 per cent are for continuance without lowering, and 3 per cent are undecided.

Foreign Aid: This is a close one, with 42.2 per cent favoring continuance, 38.1 per cent discontinuance, and 11 per cent limitation or reduction.

Farm Program: The Administration is strongly supported, with 67.7 per cent of the editors approving flexible supports as against 18.4 per cent for rigid 90 per cent supports, and 7.8 per cent for no supports at all.

Health Reinsurance: The Nays have it here—51.1 per cent to 39.9 per cent, with 5.9 per cent undecided.

Public Housing: The President wants Congressional authorization to build 35,000 more public housing units in each of the next two fiscal years—54.6 per cent of the editors approve that program, with 39.1 per cent against it, and 2.8 per cent undecided.

Taft-Hartley: The question here concerns the unions' attempt to have the Taft-Hartley law changed in order to take away from states the power to pass right-to-work laws. Editorial sentiment is overwhelming—a mere 10.6 per cent for the change, and 86.1 per cent against it.

Minimum Wage: The majority, 53.5 per cent, approve the President's proposal to increase it to 90 cents an hour, while 37.9 per cent favor keeping it at the present level of 75 cents. Only 4.1 per cent approve the proposal, made by some labor leaders, to raise it to \$1.25.

Stock Market Investigations: Asked if such an investigation was needed, 39.2 per cent said Yes, an even 50 per cent No, while 7.7 per cent was undecided.

Fair Trade Laws: These laws, under which manufacturers can set retail prices of their products, are exceedingly unpopular with the editors responding. Only 17.3 per cent approved them, with 76.8 per cent disapproving, and 3.9 per cent undecided.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christie and family of Pampa spent the week-end in the home of Mrs. Christie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Baker.

Mrs. Lester Dysart and son, Gale Plummer, were week-end visitors in Paula Valley, Okla. Mrs. Dysart remained for a visit of two weeks.

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BY FRANKLIN J. MEINE
Editor, American Peoples Encyclopedia

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ORPHANAGE

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LES TALK
By LESTER

Many of you know Frank Smith, the young gentleman from Memphis who brings the mail over to McLean each morning from Memphis. Frank formerly taught school at Kellerville; his dad had the McLean-Memphis mail route for years before his death, and when the older Frank died, the younger one took over.

During his high school days, young Frank was a very good athlete, participating in the Memphis High School sports. He was an outstanding football player. In college, he played football, too.

In other words, Frank is a lover of sports.

And he also likes boys, and believes in boys, and feels that he is obligated to help boys all that he can.

As a result of this feeling, Frank has started an organization in Memphis known as the

Memphis Boys Club. It has been going for a number of months now, and is growing and growing. It is growing so well, and it is being accepted so well by the boys in that community, that the Scout leaders (a few of them) are feeling the competition and are trying to fight Frank's work to a certain degree.

So the Boys Club must be going over well.

Frank, at first, had some help. For about the first three weeks the club was operating, numerous parents came to the gymnasium to help him in the work. Then the interest of the parents (certainly not the boys) died out, and Frank was left holding the reins, all by himself. Normally, the organizer of such a group would throw up his hands in disgust, and say, "Well, if the parents themselves aren't interested in their own boys, why should I be?" and the organization would fold.

But Frank didn't give up. He is determined. He has had the club sponsor several money-raising programs, and the money has been spent on equipment. At

the present time, he is trying to raise \$550, and he already has \$350 of it; this money will be used to buy a new trampoline for the club.

The activities of the Boys Club are modeled after those of the Maverick Club in Amarillo. Frank goes to Amarillo, learns all he can from the manager of the Maverick Club, and then goes back to Memphis and teaches that to the boys in his club. When he runs out of soap, back he goes to Amarillo and the same procedure is followed.

Understand that Frank is getting no help, either physical, mental, or financial. He is shouldering the entire burden.

The boys meet twice weekly at the present time. However, he is getting so many boys that he believes it won't be long until he may have to divide the boys into more groups so that each

will receive the needed attention.

And now . . . in addition, Frank has taken over the direction of volley ball for women two nights a week. He plans to start volley ball for men twice a week. And he is working on plans for a summer recreational program.

And here is the real prize of it all. FRANK IS NOT RECEIVING ONE THIN DIME OF PAY FOR HIS WORK.

The other day I saw Frank at the drug store. I mentioned the club to him, for I had read a bit about it in the Memphis paper. He relayed most of the above information to me, without any hint of bragging on his part. The tone of his voice was enough to convince me that he is doing all this work for one reason, and one reason only . . . he wants to help boys and to help keep them out of the trouble they might get into if they were

idle. If you know Frank, compliment him on the fine work he is doing in his community. Chances are, the citizens of his own community are already taking these deeds for granted, and seldom pat him on the back. I realize, of course, that the work he is doing in Memphis is not likely to help the boys in our community; but the spirit he has manifested might possibly spread here . . . you can never tell.

Cal Farley started the Maverick Club in Amarillo in about the same fashion. He started Boys Ranch on a small scale, too.

It may be too early to say that Frank Smith is going to be another Cal Farley, but he certainly has started on the right track.

The world is full of well-wishers, but seldom do we find a well-doer like Frank.

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McLean Methodist Church
 Each Sunday:
 Church School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.
 Evening Fellowship 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 . . . come.

Pentecostal Holiness Church
 Sunday Services:
 Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
 Morning Worship 11 a. m.
 Youth meeting 6:30 p. m.
 Evening worship 7:30 p. m.
 Mid-week service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.
 Woman's Auxiliary meets on Thursday, 1 p. m.
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 Worship service 11 a. m.
 Training Union 7 p. m.
 Evening Worship 8 p. m.
 Youth Fellowship following the evening service.
 Tuesday:
 W. M. U. meetings.
 Wednesday:
 Sunday School teachers and officers meet at 7:30 p. m.
 Prayer meeting and Bible study at 8 p. m., followed by choir practice.
 Buell T. Wells, Pastor

Church of the Nazarene
 Sunday Services:
 Sunday School 10 a. m.
 Preaching 11 a. m.
 Evening services 7:30 p. m.
 Wednesday prayer service 7:30 p. m.
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Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan visited with Mrs. Margaret Callahan in Childress Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Alexander of Amarillo visited with his mother, Mrs. J. P. Alexander, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Howard and daughter of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClellan and other relatives Sunday.

Sandra Keys of Abilene spent the week-end visiting with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Woods and son Will of Amarillo visited with Mrs. C. L. Woods and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Rogers and family spent the week-end in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brooks and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Shadid and family in Abilene over the week-end.

Mrs. H. D. Butrum and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Williams and daughter in Borger Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke and family of Plains spent the week-end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke and Mrs. D. C. Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Trimble and family of Borger visited with his mother, Mrs. Corinne Trimble, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ledbetter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Graham in Ashtola Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hedrick and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McFlee of LeFors visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel McCarty and sons visited with relatives in New Boston over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Havens of Electra and Barbara Havens of Wichita Falls spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Havens of Kellerville.

Mrs. W. L. Dunn has returned home after having spent the past three months in Tucson, Ariz.

Mrs. Cleo Davis spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Villandry and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jones visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ayers and daughter in Memphis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott and Mrs. Velma Betchan visited with Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless and son in Borger Sunday.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Collie and son of Shamrock visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Allen in Alanreed, and with other relatives.

Mr. R. E. Clark and family of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore and other relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and family visited in Clarendon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wood and daughter Sammie visited over the week-end with relatives in Henrietta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Caudill and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore made a business trip to Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Nora Loveland of Abilene, and Mrs. Zora Kennedy and son Vernon of Amarillo spent the week-end with their father and grandfather, Luther Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvis Godfrey and family of Pampa, Don Godfrey of Lubbock, and Mrs. Elizabeth Phillips of Shamrock spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Godfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Russell and son Mike of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hibler and daughter Suzanne.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck visited with Charles Crockett in the Groom hospital Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Humphreys and son Jack visited with G. W. Mason in the Shamrock hospital Sunday.

Harry Michael Harlan of Hillsboro spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harlan and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Scribner and daughter of Mobeetie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and family Sunday.

Attending the J. H. Jones family reunion in Amarillo Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Herndon and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Smith and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Delos Hanes and children.

Visitors in the C. E. Hunt home during the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Cagle Hunt and family of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Thompson and family of Morton, and Miss Ozella Hunt of Denver City.

Hershel Nicholson of WTSC, Canyon, spent Thursday night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Smith and son Lee visited in Amarillo Sunday.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham of Pampa spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller and son. The Langhams and Millers went to Vivian, La., to spend the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy

and family of Quail visited with his mother, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, and other relatives, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kramer were called to Oklahoma City Friday morning to be with their daughter, Mrs. Burl Puett, who underwent surgery. The Kramers were accompanied home Sunday by their grandson, Tim Puett.

Mrs. Truitt Johnson and son Mike, and Tommy Wilson were in Wheeler Monday on business.

Bill Wilson and daughter Linda of Borger visited with Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Johnson and family over the week-end.

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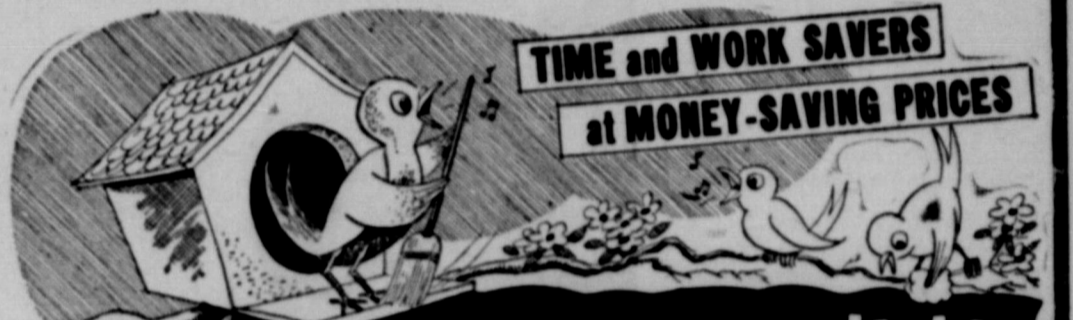
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For Rent—3-room apartment with private bath and garage, at Cobb's Apartments. Mrs. R. L. Appling, Ph. 1621F12. 43-tfc

For Rent—3-room house with bath; furnished. See Mrs. W. E. Kennedy, Phone 218J. 14-2c

For Rent—2-room house. See Mrs. Pearl Turner, Phone 129J. 14-tfc

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WANTED—Feeder pigs and shoats. Amarillo Hog Co., 3 miles east Texaco refinery on 3rd Ave. Phone DR4-0773. 12-tfc

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Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 30W. 13-tfc

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YEAR-ROUNDER



This cotton frock is a year-round asset to feminine wardrobes. Designed by Marjorie of Florida, this level cotton cost dress is done in black with a colorful retro-teen belt picking up matching colors in the print. The National Cotton Council reports that all-season cottons like this are favorites with vacationers.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom and other relatives over the week-end.

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The modified middy look in a two-piece dotted design by Higginbotham-Bailey. The long torso overblouse has just a suggestion of a sailor collar, and an "anchors aweigh" tie in contrasting dots to match the skirt made with unpressed box pleats.

4-H GIRLS WIN IN GRAY SHOW

The McLean 4-H girls won the vegetable demonstration, and were high scorers in the dairy food demonstration, in contests held in Pampa Saturday, April 2. A total of 37 girls competed in the events.

Sue Evans and Nancy Tate of McLean will represent Gray County in the district meeting April 30 in Canyon. They will give the vegetable plate demonstration.

Jeanene Shelton was high scoring individual in the dairy food demonstration with her sambora salad. Peggy Sharp and Ruth Pagan were high scorers in the brownie demonstration in the team division. Next was Hazel Gellightly in a demonstration on pineapple cheese salad.

Another team of girls, Louvera Taylor and Lequita Wells, gave a good demonstration on making Easter bunny salad. Alice Cunningham and Kay Green gave a nice demonstration in making date nut cheese salad.

Girls must be 14 years of age to be eligible to go to the district in dairy foods contests, and 13 years of age for the vegetable demonstration.

Mrs. Jimmy Shelton, Mrs. Arnold Sharp, Mrs. Miro Pagan, Mrs. Walter Evans, and Mrs. O. O. Tate took the girls to Pampa.

Wesleyan Guild Meets at Church; Begins New Study

Georgia Beasley and Zenobia Tindall were hostesses to the Wesleyan Service Guild members April 12 at the McLean Methodist Church.

A new text, "Master Callethe Thee," the first lesson of a series, was the devotional presented by Maybelle Nash. The program, "More Precious Than Rubies," and the closing prayer were by Vernene Day.

Twenty members and one guest, Mrs. Emmet Thompson, were present. The next meeting will be May 10.

Bob Black Jr. of Denton was at home for the Easter holidays. He accompanied his parents to Hobbs, N. M., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Edwards.

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Designed to "go places"—this flower-sprinkled print dress mated to a rib-hugging bolero jacket. The long-torso line bodice of the dress tops a full gathered skirt, and there's a narrow belt for those who like their waistlines outlined. The jacket is cut in rayon hopsacking linen that picks up the predominant color in the floral print—by Marcy Lee.

Mrs. J. C. Payne, aunt of J. M. Payne of McLean, died at her home in Waxahachie early Tuesday morning. Services were tentatively set for Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Payne left Tuesday to attend the services.

Mrs. Bill Simpson and daughters, and Mrs. Gene Herron and daughter made a business trip to Elk City, Okla., Monday.

Chronic Diseases Biggest Problems

State Health Officer Henry A. Holle believes chronic diseases represent one of the biggest problems facing health officials today.

Recent statistics compiled by the Bureau of Vital Statistics, Texas State Department of Health, show:

1. 23% of all deaths among 15-29 year-olds are due to chronic diseases, with malignant neoplasms being the leading chronic disease.

2. "Well over half" the mortality in the 30-44 age group is due to chronic disease, with heart trouble, cancer and vascular lesions being the leaders.

3. "Almost 8 out of 10" deaths in the 45-59 bracket are caused by this disease classification, with the proportion rising to 85 per cent for those 60 to 74 years old.

4. For those 75 and over, chronic diseases cause 84% of the total mortality. The slight decrease in percentage over age 75 is because of the high susceptibility to accidents, pneumonia, and influenza among the aged.

"When chronic disease is mentioned, all too many people think of the problem as being confined to the middle-aged or older," the health chief said, adding that such an idea is not consistent with the facts.

"The term chronic," Dr. Holle explained, "means the opposite of acute. When applied to a disease, chronic means of long duration. That would mean cancer or tuberculosis is chronic, while smallpox or poliomyelitis is acute."

"The significant thing," Dr. Holle indicated, "is that the chronic disease classification causes 23% of all deaths among young people in the 15-29 age bracket."

"Obviously, that makes the teen ages the first age at which the diseases assume a major mortality role."

New Study Series Opened at Meet Of Local WSCS

The Methodist W. S. C. S. met in regular session Tuesday at 2 o'clock for the first lesson of the study on "The City," led by Mrs. H. A. Longino.

After the singing of several hymns, and prayer, the scripture lesson was read from Psalms 122 and 137. The theme for the lesson was "The Lure of the City." A panel consisting of Mesdames Carpenter, Andrews, Hess, and Sparks discussed the following topics: "The City a Fascinating Place," "Problems of the City," "The Segregation of the 11 o'clock Sunday Morning Hour," and "Getting Ahead as Christians." Mrs. Homer Wilson

Weather Variable— .18 of Inch Rain Comes to McLean

The old saying, "If you don't like the weather in the Panhandle, wait ten minutes and it will change," would well apply to the weather of the local area during the past week.

The weather has been warm, cold, dry, and wet. The wet spell, of course, wasn't enough to satisfy the need for moisture, but it did help. Early Sunday morning, .12 of an inch fell, and then Tuesday afternoon another .06 of an inch came. The year's total is now .72 of an inch.

Showers were general throughout the Panhandle, with some places reporting considerably more than fell in McLean. Skies were partially cloudy Wednesday morning, but were expected to clear later in the day.

The temperature dropped to near freezing Tuesday night for the coldest during the week.

Mrs. Don Taylor of Lubbock spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McClellan, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Langham of Gallup, N. M., spent Friday night with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham.

Mrs. Carl Jones underwent surgery Wednesday of last week at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. She is reported as doing as well as could be expected. Mrs. Elmo Whaley and Mrs. Custer Lowary visited with Mrs. Jones Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall and daughter spent the week-end fishing near Archer City.

Week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cunningham were Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Whiteface, Mrs. H. E. Cavenar of Slaton, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cunningham of McLean.

Mrs. T. A. Langham visited last week in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham.

RECENTLY MARRIED

Miss June Bender, granddaughter of Mrs. R. L. Harlan of McLean, and Jerry Hall of Oklahoma City were married recently. Both are attending school in Oklahoma City. The couple spent the week-end here visiting with Mrs. Harlan and other relatives.

gave a very interesting talk on "Cities That Have Been Religious Centers."

The second lesson, "Influences for Good and Evil in Cities," will be held Tuesday, April 19. All women are invited.

THINGS TO TALK ABOUT
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The power of insects is reflected in farm losses. In one year, 2 billion dollars worth of crops were destroyed because of insects and plant diseases. Among the most important insects destructive to man, his crops and his domestic animals are the housefly, thistle, mosquito, grasshopper, reservoir cricket, parasitic cicada, aphid, San Jose scale, soapberry, leafhopper, locust, bug, sugarbeet beetle, plum curculio, alfalfa and clover weevil, diamond-back moth, and tick.

FEED BAG FASHION CONTESTANT

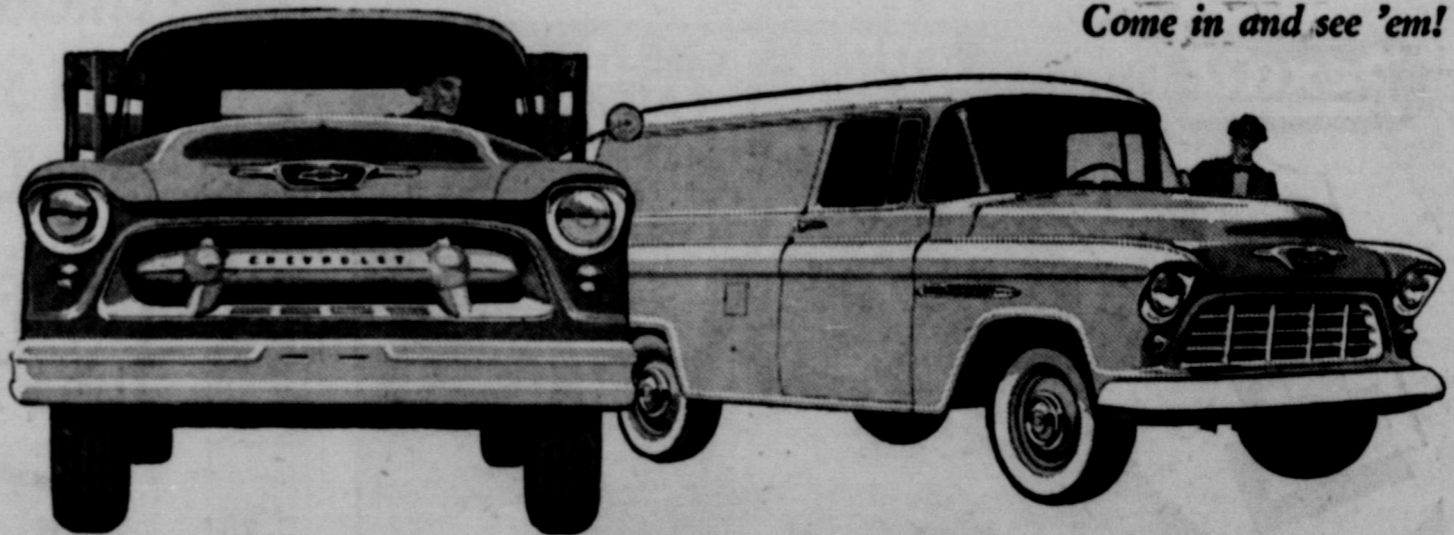


Cotton feed bags in interesting floral print have been chosen for an afternoon fashion by Nell Perkovich, young housewife of Memphis, Tenn. The dress will be part of her entry in the third annual National Cotton Bag Sewing Contest at the Mid-South Fair. Mrs. Perkovich wears a tailored style in red, white and blue plaid, also made from cotton bags. Nationwide bag sewing contests will be staged at 52 state and regional fairs from June to November. Finals will be November 15 in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Light of Ralls and June Stubblefield of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stubblefield. Sunday visitors in the Stubblefield home were Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Light of Pan-

handle, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cline, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Cline Jr. and son of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom made a business trip to Canyon Monday.



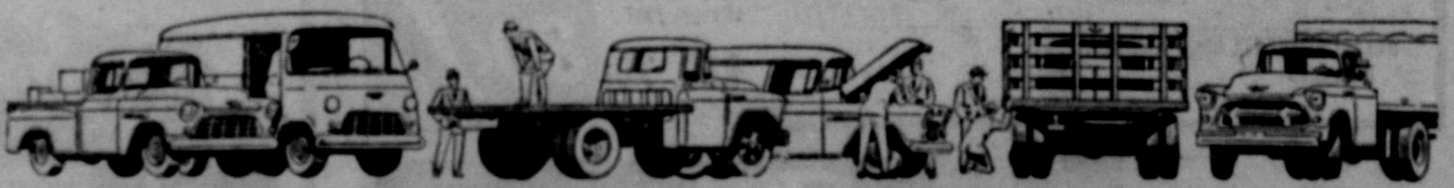
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