

PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

The McLean News is under new management this week. I am sure that some of our readers may be a little bit curious as to what we plan to do, and the answer is very simple.

We want to get out a newspaper that McLean can be proud to claim, and we want to do all we can to help build a better town each year.

To the best of our abilities here at The News, we are going to support what is good for McLean, and we are going to oppose what is bad. We may not always recognize what is good or bad, and we may not always have the same idea that you do, but we hope we can be friends just the same.

First, let me say that when it comes to writing, I have a pretty big pair of shoes to fill. Lester Campbell, who has been filling this space for about nine years now, has few equals when it comes to turning a phrase. No changes are planned in The News personnel. Miss Eunice Stratton will continue as shop foreman and Miss Peggy Duncan will continue to report local news and society.

In closing, let me say this. We have no axes to grind, and all we want to do is give you a good newspaper. We want your news, your encouragement, your advertising—but most of all we want your good will. The News will maintain its office supply department and also continue to offer complete job printing service.

We have already been introduced to many friendly folks here and as time goes by we hope to meet everyone. That is one thing we have always enjoyed in publishing a weekly newspaper—getting to know personally all of the people that we live with and write about.

Sense and Nonsense:
Quite a bit of the world's trouble is produced by those who don't produce anything else.

Sign on the back of a truck:
"Please don't hug me, I'm going steady."

It takes a lot of time to get experience, and once you have it you ought to go on using it.

A man owes it to himself to become successful. Once successful, he owes it to the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

A wedding is a ceremony at which a man loses complete control of himself.

No opportunity is ever lost. The other fellow takes those you miss.

"The thing most brides would like is a cook book with a happy ending."—Robert Q. Lewis.

SCENES
Elmo Whaley by our way selling light bulbs for the Lions Club . . . Larry Fuller busy reading electric meters . . . J. C. Claborn, Justice of the Peace, walking the red light from Brown's Drug to the bank . . . Pete Fulbright tending to city business . . . Odell Mantooth talking football, past, present and future . . . C. P. Callahan out of the hospital and working in the rain . . . Lots of strangers enjoying the facilities of McLean City Park . . . Our wife going the wrong way on a one-way street . . . the Lester Campbells looking forward to a well-earned vacation . . . Pat Durham being helpful at the Public Service company . . .

BIRTHDAYS

Aug. 7—Emory Crockett, R. L. Appling.
Aug. 8—Mrs. E. J. Lander, Barbara Dwight, Arthur Vineyard, Mrs. J. L. Hess, Mrs. Mike Murff, Mrs. Charles Patton, Mrs. Jeannie Chapman.
Aug. 9—Mrs. J. C. Claborn, Mrs. G. W. Bailey, Marsha Kay Basham.
Aug. 10—Jim Back.
Aug. 11—Linda Fay Smith.
Aug. 12—Billy Orrick, Becky Orrick, G. W. Baker Jr., Mrs. Doyle Brown, Sue Hugg, Vernon King, R. D. Patterson.
Aug. 13—J. B. Hembre.

Davy Crockett may not have shot an Indian, killed a bear, or saved the Alamo—but in 1955 he sure did wipe the spacemen off the map.

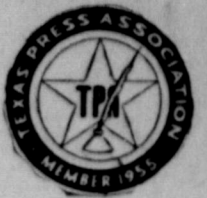
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Polio Inoculation Set For 1 P.M. Today

McLean youngsters who were given their first round of Salk polio vaccine April 20 will receive their second free inoculation at the local elementary school today at one p. m., according to Larry Fuller, member of the board of directors of the Gray County chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Ninety-nine first and second graders from McLean and Alanreed received the first round of shots in April. Dr. Joe Suderman of McLean has agreed to give the shots today. He will be assisted by Mrs. Jo Burrows, Freeman Melton Jr., Larry Fuller, Mrs. Betty Ailsop, Mrs. S. A. Cousins, Mrs. W. W. Boyd, and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton.

The shots have already been given to the students of the Lefors and Pampa schools. Those to be given here today are for last year's first and second grade students of the McLean and Alanreed schools.

FUNERAL HELD IN McLEAN FOR R. F. SANDERS

Funeral services for Robert Franklin (Bob) Sanders, 78, were held Tuesday, August 2, at 3 p. m. at the Church of Christ in McLean. Minister Harold McColum officiated at the services.

Robert Franklin Sanders was born in Tennessee May 20, 1877, and died in a Groom hospital Monday, August 1, 1955. He had been in poor health for several months and had been confined to the hospital after a fall several days ago. He had lived in the McLean area for 51 years, and had been engaged in farming.

Sanders was united in marriage with Miss Dora Short of Lefors July 11, 1908. He had been a member of the Church of Christ for 40 years.

Survivors include his widow, two sons, Billy Sanders of Perryton and Jack Sanders of Midland; five sisters, Mrs. Ella Throver, Gould Okla., Lydia Overby, Van Alstyne, Bethel Back, Carter, Okla., Gracie Breeze, Carter, and Annie Israel, O'Donnell.

Two brothers also survive, George Sanders of Van Alstyne, and Gray Sanders of Riverdale, Calif.

Nephews of the deceased served as pallbearers. Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery. Funeral services were under the direction of Claborn Funeral Home.

Hospital Bonds Pass Saturday

Box Location	BONDS		TAXES	
	For	Against	For	Against
1 Lefors	24	16	23	16
2 Baker	24	58	32	48
3 Grandview	19	24	16	27
4 Alanreed	11	13	9	16
5 McLean	103	10	56	45
6 Laketon	3	15	2	16
7 Farrington	0	7	0	7
8 Hopkins	0	9	0	9
9 W. Wilson	77	49	86	39
10 Courthouse	182	147	246	89
11 Kingsmill	9	3	6	6
12 Odd Fellows Hall	26	63	53	36
13 Phillips Camp	2	0	1	1
14 H. Mann	17	63	40	40
15 Carpenters Union	23	12	24	9
16 Tom Rose	37	36	42	30
17 McLean	110	12	64	50
18 Webb	3	0	0	3
Absentee	16	5	13	6
	686	542	713	493

McLEAN VOTE OKAYS ISSUE FOR COUNTY

McLean's two voting boxes tabulated the deciding votes that passed the bond issue of \$350,000 to enlarge the Highland General Hospital in Pampa and to construct a smaller hospital in McLean, in Gray county's election last Saturday. Final tabulation of the county's 18 boxes (including the absentee votes) showed that 686 persons voted for the hospital bond issue and 542 voted against.

Of the 236 McLean citizens who exercised their voting rights Saturday, 213 voted for and 22 persons voted against the bond issue. Had it not been for the property taxpaying voters of McLean the issue would have been defeated, 520 to 473.

On the same ballot 713 voted for the increasing of ad valorem taxes to finance the buying of right-of-way for an underpass on Hobart street in Pampa and 493 voted against the issue.

Of the \$350,000 hospital bond issue, \$300,000 will be used to build 40 more rooms onto Highland General, the county-owned hospital in Pampa. The other \$50,000 will be used to construct a smaller hospital here. It is believed that about an eight-bed hospital can be built and equipped here for \$50,000. Texas law requires that the branch hospital here be under the supervision of the county hospital board, the same as Highland General. However, the board may, if it wishes, lease out the building, or operate it in any way the board sees fit.

It is believed here that once the building is constructed, there will be little difficulty in obtaining a doctor to live here and operate the hospital.

Ministerial Alliance Has Meeting, Elects Officers

The Ministerial Alliance met Monday, August 1, 1955, in the First Baptist Church with the following members present: Buell Wells, Archie Cooper, J. Edwin Kerr, and Marvin Fisher. Rev. Kerr led the opening prayer.

The following new officials were elected to serve: Rev. Kerr, president; Rev. Miller, vice president; and Rev. Fisher, secretary and treasurer.

A very fine fellowship was enjoyed by the group following the election of officers. No further business was brought before the house. The next meeting will probably be in September, subject to the call of the president.

Dr. Wells led the closing prayer and the meeting was adjourned. Marvin Fisher, Sec.-Treas.

CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and sympathy of neighbors and friends in our time of sorrow will always remain with us as a precious memory. Our sincere thanks and gratitude for all those comforting acts.

Mrs. R. F. Sanders
Jack Sanders
Mr. and Mrs. Billy B. Sanders
Mrs. Alice Short Smith

Most talked about woman is she who leaves the meeting first.



James Jolly, outstanding guard for the bi-district McLean Tiger champions during the 1954 season, will play in the all-star game on the north team at the Texas Coaching School in San Antonio this week.

Meeting Starts Sunday At Local Church of Christ

A week-long Gospel meeting and Vacation Bible School will begin Sunday, August 7, at the McLean Church of Christ, according to Harold McColum, local minister. The meeting will continue through Sunday, August 14. E. M. Borden Jr. of Hamlin will be the speaker for the meeting.

The Vacation Bible School will begin each morning at nine o'clock and the Gospel meeting will start at eight o'clock each evening.

A welcome has been extended to all to attend the Church of Christ during the next week. Plain, positive preaching and sound gospel teaching with direct messages from the Bible are to be presented at the Vacation Bible School and Gospel Meeting at the local Church of Christ August 7 through 14.



E. M. BORDEN, JR.
Speaker

NEW OFFICERS INSTALLED BY LEGION

New officers were installed at the last meeting of the Floyd-Corbin-Florey Post 315, American Legion, in McLean.

New officers elected were: Paul Kennedy, post commander. George Terry, 1st vice commander. Bill Kingston, 2nd vice commander.

Harlon Pool, adjutant. Elwin Curry, finance officer. J. W. Meacham, chaplain. J. C. Claborn, service officer. Jesse E. Smith, child welfare officer.

Louis McDonald, master of arms. Cards that have been sent out in the past to members were discontinued. Four members were appointed to call 10 members each, and this will be all the notice of meetings given in the future.

Dr. and Mrs. Buell Wells and daughter, Lequita, made a vacation trip last week to Arkansas.

Virginia Beck, who is attending WTSC at Canyon, visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck, Tuesday.



JAMES SMITH, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd B. Smith, has been awarded a football scholarship to Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. He was notified of the scholarship last week by Coach Sammy Baugh. Smith, a 1955 graduate of McLean High School, was one of the state's highest-scoring backs during the 1954 grid season. He played in the fullback slot for the past two seasons with the Tigers.

COUNTY FAIR PLANS MADE AT CLARENDON

Dates for the Donley County Fair have been set by the board of directors for September 15 and 17, just preceding the Amarillo fair, which will be held September 19 through 24. H. M. Breedlove, secretary and manager of the fair, called the board together in a meeting on August 1.

The departments of the fair this year will consist of community agriculture exhibits, home economics department, boys swine show, poultry show, flower show, sheep show, home-made cake department, horse show, and the merchants and machinery department. All committees will be appointed at a later date for the different departments.

Breedlove stated that groups that want to start to work now on their exhibits can follow last year's catalog until the new catalogs are published. The work on the new catalog for the 1955 county fair is expected to start in the next few weeks. The catalog committee will consist of John Gillham, Jack Ballew, Bobby Lee, Doyle Messer, and H. M. Breedlove.

The board appointed a barn committee to handle the use of the barn. This committee is composed of Jack Ballew, Homer Estlack, and J. H. Brandon.

The fair, which will be held in the new fair building on the rodeo grounds in Clarendon, will open the morning of September 16 at 8 o'clock and close at 9 on the evening of September 17.

Everyone is urged to start work on exhibits. For information, any member of the board may be contacted. The 1955 catalog is expected to be published not later than the first of September.

Wouldn't it be wonderful if someone invented a lawn that sheds once a week?

Business Discussed At Tuesday Meet Of McLean Lions

The McLean Lions Club met for its first August meeting at noon Tuesday at the McLean Methodist Church. The fine meal was prepared and served by the ladies of the Methodist church.

Since this was the first meeting after new officers were installed, no program was presented and the time allotted for the program was used as a business meeting.

Lion W. C. Simpson, chairman of the attendance committee, explained the new "Buddy system" that is to be inaugurated for the club and will be used to encourage better attendance. It was explained that one Lion will be responsible for another Lion, informing him of meetings, and explaining his absence if his buddy is not present.

Lion Laroy Sutton gave a report on the light bulb sales and stated that 195 sacks of bulbs had been sold, leaving only five sacks. It was reported that proceeds from the sale were sufficient to complete the summer recreation program that the club had undertaken.

Lion Secretary J. C. Claborn gave a report of the directors meeting held last week.

International Counsellor Boyd Meador gave a report on the Kerrville Camp for Crippled Children and told of the fine work that is being accomplished by the Lions supported camp.

Two new members were accepted into the club, Dr. Joe Suderman and Bill Perkins.

Mrs. T. A. Landers has gone to Albany, Ga., for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. N. Serra.

She was accompanied by another daughter, Mrs. Perry Carruth, and children of Elsa.

Carla Crisp went to Lockney this week to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crisp and daughter Pat.

Of Collingsworth County

Farm Tour Planned For August 10th

Farmers of the McLean area are urged to accept an invitation of the Gray County Soil Conservation District to make a tour of the Salt Fork Conservation District in Collingsworth County, according to Homer Abbott, chairman of the board of supervisors, and Jim Strawn of the Gray County Soil Conservation Service of Pampa. The tour, which will be made by private automobiles, will leave from the McLean City Hall at 9 a. m., Wednesday, August 10.

The noon meal will be eaten in Wellington and the tour is expected to be completed by about 3 o'clock.

Highlights of the trip will be the viewing of blue panic grass in sandy land, tight and mixed soil, guar plantings and cotton following gear of last year. Water spreading systems using diversion terraces and standard terraces will be inspected.

Alfalfa seeding and fertilizer trials, control of shinnery by spraying, mung beans interplanted in feed crops for soil building, as well as anhydrous ammonia applied to irrigated cotton, also will be seen.

The time for departure again is McLean City Hall at nine a. m., Wednesday, August 10. All interested farmers in this area are urged to attend.

McLean Library To Celebrate 15th Anniversary

August 9 will be the 15th anniversary of the McLean Public Library.

To celebrate the occasion, the high school classes of '43 and '44 are meeting here for a reunion.

An open house from 10 o'clock in the morning until 5 o'clock in the afternoon will be held at the library.

The public is cordially invited to visit the library during these hours. Mrs. Lady Bryant, librarian, said "Bring your family and friends," Mrs. Bryant added.

James W. Rogers To Receive Masters Degree

Canyon (Special)—James W. (Hap) Rogers of McLean is among more than 230 who are candidates for degrees August 19 at summer commencement at West Texas State College. He is a candidate for the Master of Education degree.

The summer exercises will be held at 8 p. m. in Buffalo Stadium, according to Dean Walter H. Juniper. Dr. M. C. Cunningham, president of Fort Hays, Kans. State College, will be the speaker.

Two Vacancies Exist—

THREE TEACHERS HIRED

Three teachers were hired for the 1955-56 school term here at a meeting of the board of the McLean Independent School District Monday evening. Supt. Freeman Melton Jr. said Wednesday. Harold Robinson has been hired as head basketball coach and assistant football coach. Robinson attended West Texas State College at Canyon, where he was an outstanding guard on the first string team. He was a member of the Border Conference Championship ball club of 1955. Robinson will coach both girls and boys basketball in high school. Robinson is married. Miss Billie Brown, who taught

here last year, has been re-hired to teach freshman and sophomore English and speech. She had previously resigned.

Mrs. Lucille Gething, who has taught in the Lefors school for a number of years, has been employed as science teacher here. For the past year Mrs. Gething has lived in Amarillo where she has done substitute teaching in the school system.

Two vacancies still exist here, that of a band director and a business teacher. Supt. Melton stated that these two vacancies would be filled within the next week.

Society

Miss Ledgerwood And Doyle Brown United in Marriage

In a ceremony performed by candlelight at the First Baptist Church in McLean, Miss Marnelle Ledgerwood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ledgerwood of McLean, became the bride of Doyle Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Brown of Lela.

Dr. Buell T. Wells, pastor, read the double-ring service at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, July 30, before a background of greenery, flanked by baskets of yellow gladioli and candelabra bearing lighted tapers.

Proceeding the ceremony, Mrs. W. L. Ledgerwood, organist, and sister-in-law of the bride, played a number of nuptial selections, and accompanied Mrs. Glen Curry as she sang "Through the Years" and "Because." Mrs. Ledgerwood played the traditional wedding marches, and Bob Davis sang "Bless This House" for the benediction.

Candlelighters were Miss Bette Brown of McLean and Miss Jo Ann Stevens of Lubbock. They wore identical frocks of yellow organdy, fashioned with bouffant skirts, and white carnation corsages.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, W. L. Ledgerwood of Dumas, wore a street-length dress of white all-over embroidery over white taffeta. She wore a head circlet of white stephanotis and carried a bouquet of yellow roses with streamers of white stephanotis and ribbon atop a white Bible.

Matron-of-honor was the bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Burnett of Dumas, whose yellow all-over embroidery dress was styled like that of the bride. She wore an identical head circlet, and her corsage was of white carnations.

Kenneth Lunt of Wichita, Kans., served the groom as best man. Ushers were Jim Culberson of Salina, Kans., and Don Ray of Pampa.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Ledgerwood chose a grey dress with black accessories, and the groom's mother wore navy blue with navy accessories. Both wore white carnation corsages.

The bride is a graduate of McLean High School, and has been employed as telephone operator by the Southwestern States Telephone Company. The groom attended school at Shamrock and McMurry College at Abilene. He is a veteran of the Korean conflict, serving with the Marine Corps. He is now employed as a file clerk for the Cessna Aircraft Company at Wichita, Kans.

The couple will make their home at 315 E. Lewis, Wichita, Kans.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stauffer and May Ruth, Mrs. Josie Stewart and Earl of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Stephens, Kenny and Steve Thompson of Kilgore; Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Quarles of Kermit; John Dill of Wichita, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Stephens, Sherron Stephens, Mrs. Ruth Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Scott, Jane Skidmore, and Laura Ray of Shamrock; Ruth Cooper of Tucumcari, N. M.; Mrs. Powell Hinson of Fort Worth; Shielah Stephens of Canyon; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sogoo and Patricia of Dalhart; Mrs. Donnie Ray of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning of Lefors.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Quarles of Amarillo visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman.

Baker Reunion Held Wednesday At Denton Park

The City Park in Denton Wednesday, July 27, 1955, was the scene of the Baker family reunion. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Baker Sr. of McLean were among those in attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Baker left McLean Tuesday and returned home Thursday night.

Other Gray counties present were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christie, Ernie, Ann and Keith, of Pampa.

Members of the Baker family who reside in Denton and were present for the reunion included Mrs. Effie Baker, Misses Mae and Pearl Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Baker and Arthur Maurice; Mrs. Inez Kelly, Randy and Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Baker, Billy Jack and John L.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker, and Maurice Baker.

Residents of Fort Worth in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Anglin, Mrs. Opal Chester, Bobby and Gale; Mrs. Thelma Still, Martha Jane and Cynthia Sue.

Mrs. Margaret Baker and Jody of Irving, and Clay Coberly of California were also present.

Friendship Class Has Basket Lunch In McLean Park

The Friendship Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church had a basket lunch last Thursday night in the City Park.

Those attending were Mrs. R. L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mann.

Mrs. Appling Is Host To Fidelis Class Thursday Morning

Mrs. R. L. Appling was hostess at a brunch at her home last Thursday morning at 9 o'clock for members of the Fidelis Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Wib Fowler and Mrs. Etta Carmichael were assistant hostesses.

The meal, consisting of fried ham, poached eggs, hot rolls, butter, honey, jelly, orange juice, and coffee, was served from quarter tables centered with small vases of flowers.

Guests and members present were Mesdames Oscar Tibbets,

Skillet Circle Meets Thursday With Charles Halls

The Skillet Circle Club met Thursday night, July 28, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Halls.

A picnic supper of fried chicken, salads, ice cream, and cake was brought by each member. A very enjoyable time was had by all those present.

Those present were Mrs. Mina Kalka, Johnnie Kalka, Joe Hagan, Mr. and Mrs. Sam McClellan, Bernard McClellan and son, Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. George Preston, Jerry, Roy, and Glenda Preston, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Cicero Turpen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall, Charlene, Janelle, Donna Lou, and Jim Mac Hall, and one guest, Mrs. Cora

Robert Lee Miller Honored With Swimming Party

Robert Lee Miller was honored with a swimming party on his 13th birthday July 29, given by his mother, Mrs. Lenora Miller.

Refreshments consisting of hamburgers, potato chips, and soda pop were served to Bobby Weaver, Don Cash, James Carter, Gary Graham, Billy Crockett, Johnny Anders, Kenny Willingham, Ronny Smith, Jerry Biggers, Larry Williams, Don Woods, Happy Rogers, Frankie Yearwood, Erston Adams, and the honoree.

Hall of Groom. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Pearl Burr August 11.

Intermediate Class Of Baptist Church Has Swimming Party

The Baptist intermediate girls Sunday School class had a swimming party this week, with Jean Simpson and Gail Day as hostesses. The party was held about 15 miles north of town.

A picnic lunch and ice cream were served. Mrs. Annie Reeves served as life guard for the swimmers.

Those attending were Molly Miller, Barbara Brown, Alma Pool, Billie Smith, Retha Bragg, Lona Maye Herron, Carolyn Babbitt, Jean Simpson, Gail Day, Barbara and Pat Simpson, Mrs.

Jerry Kincaid Is Honored On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Railsback entertained their nephew, Jerry Kincaid of Oklahoma City, on his sixth birthday July 29.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mrs. Alma Turman, Mrs. R. L. Harlan, Kay Greer, Edgar Lee Bailey, and Margie Railsback.

Economy is not a distributive virtue, and consists not in saving but in selection. Parsimony requires no providence, no sagacity, no powers of combination, no comparison, no judgment.—Burke.

Elizabeth Miller, Mrs. Elmer Day, Mrs. Bill Simpson, Mrs. F. E. Stewart, Mrs. Reeves, and the teacher of the class, Mrs. Gibson.

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COFFEE lb. **87^c**

Kraft Miracle Whip Salad Dressing 33c || TONIGHT, TRY NEW "Tropical Freeze" DESSERT easy to make with whipped CARNATION MILK 3 tall cans 39c

PurAsnow FLOUR 5 lb sack 49c

Kuner's Sweet Pickles 24 oz. jar 47c

ORANGE DRINK HI-C 46 oz. can 27c

Standard TOMATOES 303 size can 11c

Wilson's Choice MEATS Bacon 45c PORK Chops 59c

Southern Gold or Hollandale OLEO pound 20c

Tastegood 2 lb box CHEESE SPREAD 59c

Giant Size TIDE 69c PINTO 4 lb pkg. BEANS 45c

200 size pkg. KLEENEX 15c

JELL-O 2 pkgs. 15c

Supreme COCOANUT CHOC-DROP COOKIES 1 lb pkg. 45c

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The McLean News

SUMMER CLEARANCE

Friday, Saturday and Monday

\$12.98 DRESSES	\$8.98
\$10.98 DRESSES	\$7.98
\$9.98 DRESSES	\$6.98
\$8.98 DRESSES	\$5.98
\$7.98 DRESSES	\$4.98
\$5.98 DRESSES	\$3.98
\$4.98 DRESSES	\$2.98
\$3.98 DRESSES	\$2.50
\$2.98 DRESSES	\$1.98

Boys' summer suits reduced same as dresses

CHILDREN'S SLIPS	\$1.00
SOCKS, reg. 49c value	3 pr. \$1.00
One lot SHOES, values to \$6.50	\$3.98

Many other items reduced at

THE CHILDREN'S SHOP
Delma Butrum

Mrs. Hobby Is Named "Woman of the Year"

Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston, who is possibly Texas' "most honored" native daughter, will receive the first Woman of the Year award of the State Fair of Texas, it has been announced by State Fair President R. L. Thornton.

Mrs. Hobby was selected as the nation's outstanding woman of 1955 by a committee representing 15 large Texas women's organizations.

The annual award is being inaugurated at the 1955 State Fair in recognition of the contributions of women to the growth of America's largest annual exposition, Thornton said.

"The award is not limited to native Texans," Thornton explained, "but in the case of Mrs. Hobby, who was born in Killeen, it makes us all very proud that a Texas woman should be the standout nominee for this first annual award."

The award will be presented in State Fair Auditorium October 19, Women's Day at the fair. Mrs. Hobby will be the principal speaker at the ceremonies, which will be open to the public.

Regional, national and international honors have been showered upon Mrs. Hobby, one of the best known women in the U. S. She has served since April, 1953, as the nation's first secretary of Health, Education and Welfare in the President's Cabinet, a post she recently resigned. She has been the only woman in President Eisenhower's cabinet, and is the second woman ever to hold cabinet rank. During World War II, Mrs. Hobby commanded the Women's Army Corps, with the rank of colonel.

Before being called to Washington in January, 1953, as Federal Security Administrator, Mrs. Hobby was editor and publisher of the Houston Post. She now becomes president of the Houston Post Publishing Company, succeeding her husband, ex-Governor William P. Hobby, who will be chairman of the board.

President Eisenhower has praised her for devoting her talents in the cabinet to benefit the country "most effectively" and for her "calm competence in the face of every kind of difficulty." Senator Price Daniel declared that the nation "owes a debt of gratitude to Mrs. Hobby for the service she has rendered both in war and peace," and House Speaker Sam Rayburn lauded her as a "very capable, fine lady."

Ysleta, near El Paso, was in Mexico when it was founded, but the Rio Grande changed its course, placing the town on the American side.

The rubber plant, or guayule, grows in the western part of Texas.

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

DR. J. M. ORR
Dentist
Announces the Reopening of His
Dental Office
Wellington Clinic Building
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Woman of the Year



Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby of Houston, who served as the nation's first secretary of Health, Education and Welfare in the President's Cabinet, will receive the State Fair of Texas' first "Woman of the Year" award Oct. 19, Women's Day at the 1955 Fair. The award will be presented annually in recognition of constructive achievement of national importance.



You can earn more money in 1955 and still keep your social security checks under the liberalized retirement test, according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo social security district office.

"You can earn as much as \$1200 during 1955, either in wages or in net earnings from a business, without losing any benefit payments. If you make more than \$1200, you will lose a month's payment for each \$80 over \$1200, but you will not lose a check for any month in which you earn less than \$80 in wages or don't operate your business," he added.

"Beginning in 1955, the retirement test will apply to all wages or business earnings, whether subject to social security or not," cautioned Sanderson.

"Placing the retirement test on an annual basis will be particularly helpful to seasonal workers. If, for instance, you were to work each year for the four months of June through September at \$300 a month, you would have your social security benefits suspended for those months under the former restrictions, but under those coming into effect, you would not lose any monthly payments," he concluded.

Sanderson added that Floyd B. Ellington or Nat Houston should be able to answer any questions you may have regarding the retirement test on August 10, at 2 o'clock when he is in McLean at the City Hall.

TELEPHONE DIRECTORY

One listing in the telephone directory may not be enough for your entire family—particularly if some members have different last names. And, one listing may not be enough for your business or office. Make sure your customers and friends can find you quickly, easily in the telephone directory. Call the telephone business office and order extra listings.

Additional listings cost little.

SEASON FOR FAIRS AT HAND IN TEXAS

In many a city and town of Texas today, community leaders are making plans for an important annual event which many folks have been eagerly looking forward to all year. During the next several months it will be fair-time throughout Texas—with county and regional fairs and festivals taking place in every section of the state, the culminating event being the State Fair of Texas in Dallas, October 7-23.

Texas possibly has a bigger percentage of large, widely patronized fairs than any other state. Several of Texas' big regional fairs attract more visitors and have more impressive fairgrounds than state fairs in some other sections of the nation.

The State Fair of Texas is, of course, the largest annual fair in the United States in terms of attendance, with over 25 million visitors from all parts of America and a magnificent fairgrounds with facilities valued at \$35 million.

As with most fairs the country over, Texas events carry a heavy emphasis on livestock and agriculture. Entertainment naturally covers a wide range, from carnival sideshows, rodeos, folk festivals to the Broadway musical comedy "Pajama Game" which will be presented at the State Fair. Competition in making jams and jellies, succulent cakes and pies and other examples of traditional homemaking skills still occupies a big place in the program of most Texas fairs.

Fairs in Texas date back over 100 years. The first fair to be held in the state may well have been one in Corpus Christi in 1852, which featured bullfights, a circus, cockfights and fireworks. During the same decade Dallas County became the first county in the state to organize a fair. The State Fair was founded in 1886.

A good fair regardless of size can be a valuable asset to its community, in the opinion of James H. Stewart, general manager of the State Fair and vice president of the International Association of Fairs and Expositions.

"In addition to providing wholesome and worthwhile recreation and relaxation, fairs serve to stimulate pride in the achievements of the individual, his group and his region," Mr. Stewart said. "They are a stimulus to trade and a unifying medium."

"The various fairs, festivals and livestock shows in Texas have one important thing in common—they are all working to improve our agriculture and livestock industry, to better living conditions generally and to build up our state."

Texas cities which will hold fairs, festivals or similar events during August, September and October—the traditional fair season in Texas—include the following:

Abilene, Alice, Amarillo, Angleton, Baytown, Beaumont, Big Spring, Blanco, Boerne, Bowie, Brenham, Carthage, Center, Centerville, Cleburne, Coltsprng, Corsicana, Crockett, Dalhart, Dallas, Denton, Dublin, Edna, Emory, Fairfield, Floresville, Floydada, Fredericksburg, Gainesville, George West, Georgetown, Gilmer, Goliad, Gorman, Haskell, Hempstead, Henderson, Huntsville, Iowa Park, Johnson City, Junction, Kaufman.

La Grange, Levelland, Liberty, Lipscomb, Littlefield, Livingston, Longview, Lubbock, Marshall, McKinney, Mesquite, Mexia, Midland, Naacogochles, Navasota, New Braunfels, Palestine, Pampa, Paris, Pasadena, Pecos, Perryton, Plainview, Richardson, Roby, Rosenberg, San Angelo, Seguin, Seminole, Stanton, Taiska, Temple, Texarkana, Trinity, Tulsa, Tyler, Waco, Wharton, Wheeler.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Thacker spent Sunday in Oklahoma attending a reunion in the Forest Preserve.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hiatt visited in Shamrock Sunday night with their son, Bill Hiatt, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves and sons of Lubbock visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves, during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Rogers and family have gone to San Antonio, where Mr. Rogers is attending a coaching school this week.

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 5 p. m.
Evening preaching 6:00 p. m.
Wednesday Services:
Ladies Bible Study 2 p. m.
Bible classes, all ages, 8 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.
Harold D. McColum, Minister

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.
Prayer changes things for soul and body.—1 Thes. 4:23.
Archle Cooper, Pastor

First Baptist Church
Sunday:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
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.
N. F. M. S. every 3rd Wednesday Come and Get Your Faith Lifted.
L. A. Miller, Pastor

Alanreed Baptist Church
Sunday:
Sunday School 10 a. m.
Morning worship 11 a. m.
Training Union 7 p. m.
Evening worship 8 p. m.
Monday: W. M. S. 2 p. m.
Wednesday:
Prayer meeting 8 p. m.
Come and worship with us. Be among those who say, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."—Psalms 122:1.
R. M. Cole, Pastor

Dr. Joel M. Gooch
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"The Racers"
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Friday, Saturday:

Judy Canova
"Carolina Cannonball"

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

Tyrone Power, Maureen O'Hara
"The Long Gray Line"
in CinemaScope
in Technicolor

Wednesday, Thursday:

Fred Astaire, Leslie Caron, Terry Moore
"Daddy Long Legs"

AVALON

The Avalon Theater downtown will be open Saturday afternoon only, beginning at 2 p. m., and continuing through two showings. The theater will not be open Saturday nights as in the past. The same feature will be shown during the Derby Drive-In for Friday and Saturday.

Saturday Afternoon:

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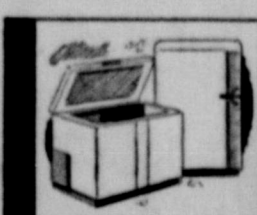
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Editorial

TODAY'S SAFEGUARDS ARE MANY TO PREVENT DEPRESSIONS

For the fellow who thinks back to the '30's and fears the advent of another great depression on this nation, it may be comforting to note just a few of the many safeguards that have been erected to protect this country from any such catastrophe in the future.

In the first place, the public is helping. Folks have a lot of money in banks, and they have billions in government bonds. Records show, too, that they are keeping big sums in bonds—not cashing them right away. There are also big public investments in postal savings, savings and loan institutions and so on. And bank deposits are now guaranteed up to \$10,000 and government bonds are guaranteed in par value and return.

Then the public has big holdings in stocks and bonds. Those, of course, can fluctuate in value and cause severe losses. Particularly is this the case when stock market seems to be held at a high level by demand for stocks rather than the value of those stocks based on their earning power. Artificial values on stocks can collapse and trigger a depression, it was found in 1929. Yet the public investments in sound major business enterprises of the nation furnish at the same time a solid backlog of wealth to be drawn against in time of emergency.

Then there are the wage contracts enforced by big unions in major industry, guaranteeing continued high wages to a large segment of the population, at least as long as those industries can continue to operate. In one way that's bad, because it enforces, through the domination of a big union over the nation as a whole, high wages for its members regardless of the economic condition of the industry and can't pay high prices necessary to meet those high wage contracts. It keeps prices of certain manufactured goods going up despite a tightened general economy. Yet at the same time such high wage contracts act as a deterrent to depression, since they guarantee big incomes to a large segment of workers and so help to maintain the national income and buying power. At the same time those contracts serve to set the wage standards in small industry and keep all wages at reasonably good levels.

And finally there are many government safeguards—minimum wage laws, unemployment insurance, the bank deposit insurance already mentioned, and most of all, the old age pensions. Those things insure a continued flow of income to the people to an extent at least and will prevent any complete cutting off of public buying power. Those benefits have been added to in many cases by industry and union programs of pension and insurance.

Nobody who went through the depression of the '30's wants ever to see another, for besides being so frightening and so damaging, it was so unnecessary. Today's safeguards are not going to prevent some recession, but they should halt anything worse. For after all, it won't be necessary to prime the pump again when it's fixed so that there will always be some flow from the well—it can't go dry as it once did.

In France a dog won a damage suit against a policeman who falsely accused it of stealing rabbits. We hope that our dog misses the story, or one of these days she will come running up with a subpoena in her mouth instead of our slippers.

Scientists at the General Electric laboratories have actually made diamonds. No, mother, they weren't playing bridge during working hours.

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FIRST MONDAY
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The only attraction offered the visitors so far as we can learn was an exhibition with the rifle by Prof. "Never Miss." That gentleman tossed up marbles from the middle-man down to the pee-wee class, and nary a one hit the ground alive—some shooting!

It's up to the citizens of McLean to afford the people who gather here the first Monday some wholesome attraction, and unless we do we cannot expect the crowds to continue to come here on that day. Let's get together and make the next first Monday the biggest and best we have ever had.

OUR PRESIDENT
The most impressive thing in the United States during the last few weeks has been the weight and power of our public opinion gathering to back the President in his conduct of the nation's foreign affairs. Without any sensation or noise, the whole mind of our people has set into resolution. The protests of those who are not of us in this matter are like the squeaks of some field mouse sounding across a glacier. There have been many opinions held in this country regarding the war and much free expression of these opinions, but now that diversity of feeling is over and done with. The situation concerns not only our rights, but also the part we hope the United States is to play in establishing justice as the basis for conducting relations between nations and enlarging freedom for mankind. When the sober depths of realization are sounded, that is what our country means to us, and it has been



A small boy was on the witness stand in an important lawsuit. The prosecuting attorney cross-examined him, then delivered, he thought, a crushing blow to the testimony.

"Your father has been telling you how to testify, hasn't he?"

"Yes," the lad answered. "Now," said the lawyer triumphantly, "just tell us how your father told you to testify."

"Well," the boy said modestly, "father told me the lawyers would try to tangle me in my testimony, but if I would be careful to tell the truth, I would have no trouble repeating exactly the same thing every time."

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BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of McLean, Texas:

SECTION I. That the City of McLean, Texas, hereby grants unto and vests in Southwestern Public Service Company, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of New Mexico, hereinafter called the "Company," its legal representatives, successors, lessees and assigns, a franchise with the right to operate its electric plant, systems and works now installed and in operation in the City of McLean, Texas, and the authority, license, power and privilege to maintain, construct, build, equip, conduct or otherwise establish and operate in said City, works or systems and plants to manufacture, use, store, sell, distribute, convey or otherwise establish, conduct, serve, supply and furnish the inhabitants of the City of McLean, Texas, and others, to said City, whenever they may desire to contract therefor, with electricity for light, heat, power and other useful services, and elements and materials for same, and the said Company is hereby granted passage, right of way, and the right to continue the use and occupancy, and to occupy and use in any lawful way during the life of this franchise every and all streets, avenues, alleys, highways, sidewalks, bridges, and other structures and places and public grounds of said City, both above and beneath the streets, avenues, alleys, highways, sidewalks, bridges, and other structures and places and public grounds of said City now exist or may be hereafter extended, for every and any such service, use, effect and lawful purpose as herein mentioned.

SECTION II. The said Company is hereby authorized, licensed and empowered to do any and all things necessary and proper to be done and performed in executing the powers and utilizing the privileges herein mentioned and granted by this franchise, provided the same do not conflict with any sewer lines now existing, and that all work done in said streets, alleys, highways or other grounds of said City by said Company, shall be done with the utmost diligence and least inconvenience to the public or individuals, and said Company shall, within a reasonable time, restore such streets, alleys, and public grounds excavated by it to their original condition as nearly as possible, and said work shall be done subject to the approval and supervision of the said City or such person as it may designate, provided in laying all conduits, wires or other such structures, and in the repairing of the same the City shall be held harmless for all damages on account of all excavations for conduits or other structures, and the said Company shall assume all liability or risk of damage to persons or property which may arise from the construction or operation of any or all of said plant or works, and shall save the City of McLean, its officers and agents, harmless from any and all liability that may arise or be incurred from the erection, construction or operation of the same.

SECTION III. The Southwestern Public Service Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, for and in consideration of the granting of this franchise, and as rentals for the occupation and use of the streets, highways, sidewalks, alleys, parks and other public places in the City of McLean, Texas, shall pay each quarter to the City of McLean, Texas, a total aggregate sum of Two Percent (2%) of the gross receipts of the Company, its successors, lessees and assigns, for electric service used within the city limits of the City of McLean, Texas such gross receipts to consist of the total amount billed users of electricity for light, heat and power within the corporate limits of the City of McLean, Texas, under the Company's lighting and power rates, in existence at the time of payment, excepting therefrom the gross receipts for electric service furnished the City of McLean, Texas, and all Municipal, County and State Agencies and Institutions, Public Schools and Federal Government Agencies and Institutions, and except electric service furnished under special contracts with large users and consumers thereof commonly known as "Industrial Consumers." Payments shall be made on or before thirty (30) days after the end of the calendar quarters ending on March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, of any year, during all the time this provision shall remain in force and effect. For the purpose of determining said revenue, the books

of said Company shall at all times be subject to inspection by duly authorized City officials. Such payments shall be in lieu of any and all other franchise, license, privilege, pole, wire or instrument, occupation, excise or revenue taxes and all other exactions (except general ad valorem property taxes and special assignments for local improvements) upon the business, revenue, property, poles, wires, instruments, conduits, pipes, fixtures or other appurtenances of the Company, and all other property or equipment of the Company, or any part thereof, in said City during the term of this franchise; provided, that anything to the contrary herein notwithstanding, said payment shall continue only so long as said Company is not prohibited from making the same by any lawful authority having jurisdiction in the premises, and so long as the City does not charge, levy or collect, or attempt to charge, levy or collect other franchise, license, privilege, occupation, excise or revenue taxes or other exactions heretofore mentioned, and if any lawful authority having jurisdiction in the premises hereafter prohibits said payment or the City does levy, charge, or collect, or attempt to levy, charge or collect such other franchise, license, privilege, occupation, excise or revenue taxes or other exaction or charges, the obligation to make such payments hereinabove provided for shall forthwith cease.

SECTION IV. Within sixty (60) days from the date of the passage of this ordinance, the Southwestern Public Service Company shall file with the City Secretary of the City of McLean, Texas, its written acceptance of the terms and provisions of this ordinance and from the filing thereof this ordinance and such acceptance shall be deemed to be a contract between such City and said Company.

SECTION V. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of thirty (30) years from and after its passage, approval and publication, according to the laws of the State of Texas.

SECTION VI. Ordinance No. 32 1/2 of the City of McLean, Texas, passed and approved on the 24th day of February, 1927; Ordinance No. 78, passed and approved on the 14th day of October, 1940; and Ordinance No. 88, passed and approved on the 19th day of February, 1951, are hereby in all things repealed.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS, THE 18th day of July, 1955.

E. J. LANDER, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF McLEAN, TEXAS.
ATTEST: D. A. DAVIS, CITY SECRETARY (SEAL)

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Armstrong and son Larry of Panhandle visited Sunday with Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Back and family of Dumas visited this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Turbush of Groom visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kunkel over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker of Pampa visited Sunday in the T. A. Langham home. Mrs. Langham visited in Pampa this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrod of Alameda visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Tibbets.

Janie and Robert Martindale visited a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Neal Skinner of Shamrock.

Bob Massey and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Jack Massey went to Colorado over the week-end.

Mrs. Clyde Magee and family were in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. Bill Carpenter and boys of Wichita, Kans., are spending two weeks here with her mother, Mrs. Odessa Gunn, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Mounce visited in Pampa this week.

Mrs. Johnnie Biggers and Mrs. Bob Law were in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Kunkel were in Clarendon Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale and family visited Sunday in Shamrock with Mr. and Mrs. Buck Martindale.

Mrs. Hal Mounce and son Jerry visited in Childress Thursday afternoon with her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. E. Langham.

Jerry Forsdick of Lubbock is spending two weeks with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Clawson.

Mrs. Glenn White of Shamrock visited with her sister, Mrs. Charlie Carpenter, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brawley, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brawley and family, Mrs. Marie Henley, and Mrs. Luther Johnson, accompanied by Mrs. Wesley Sims of Shamrock, attended the funeral of Mr. Young at Hollis, Okla., Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke and Mrs. W. E. Bogan were in Borger this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke and Mr. and Mrs. Creed Bogan.

Mrs. C. S. Rice, Mrs. Legon Burris, and H. V. Rice were in Pampa Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Edwards of Hobbs, N. M., and Bob Black Jr. of Denton spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black.

Mrs. Eunice Timmons, Miss Adra Lamons and Miss Rita Lamons of Amarillo visited Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alderson of Clarendon visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty and grandson, Vernon Kennedy, attended the Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges picnic at the park in Shamrock Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Shurley of California are visiting with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. A. A. Armstrong of Panhandle is spending this week with Mrs. Sinclair Armstrong.

Joe Bob Barnhill of Turkey spent the week-end in the Raymond Glass home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Smith and son, Carey Don; David C. Eckert and Jimmy Rice left Thursday for a vacation trip to Colorado.

Mrs. Harry Harlan has returned from Comanche, where she visited relatives.

Marjorie Goodman went to Amarillo this week to visit her sister, Mrs. Milton Skipper.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Mullins and Carla of Pampa visited with his sister, Mrs. John Gudgel, and family Sunday.

Othelia Eustace returned home Monday after spending two weeks in Hereford in the home of her sister, Mrs. Floyd Walton.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hester and sons have returned from a vacation which they spent at Dallas, Fort Worth, and Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ayers and children and Red Hunt spent the week-end at Tulla visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Meacham and family spent Sunday in Turkey visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ollie Meacham.

Visitors in the J. N. Smith home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith Jr. of Dumas, Mrs. Homer Smith and daughter, Laura, Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Phillips and children, and Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Horton of Amarillo.

Mrs. J. H. Bradley and Rolena Chase have been visiting in Fort Worth for the past two weeks.

James Jolly left Saturday for San Antonio, where he will play football.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Neil Price visited in Friona Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Burns from Oklahoma City is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Amos Thacker, this week.

Shiress Ann Cable of Letors is spending this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Duncan.

Those attending the Cooper's Markets annual picnic at Ceta Glen near Canyon Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson, Joe Webb, Maxie Lisman, and Pat Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis went to Wichita Falls Saturday, returning Sunday. They were accompanied home by their son, Melvin, who returned to his home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace went fishing recently at Creed, Colo.

T. E. Crisp and daughter, Mrs. Bobbie Crisp, are in Fort Worth this week.



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Puerto Rico	Yams	tb 12c
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For Sale—Solid walnut organ—hear its tone. Cliff H. Day. 1c

For Sale—340 seats from McLean High School auditorium, reasonably priced. Contact Freeman Melton, Jr., Supt. McLean Independent School District. 31-2c

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MISCELLANEOUS

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dorsey have bought the Kelly Service Station. They would appreciate your patronage. 1p

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

PIANO TUNING—Organ and player piano tuning and repair. New and used pianos for sale. Write or call John M. Branham, 101 S. Faulkner, Phone 4-5882, Pampa. 19-tfc

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White-faced heifer, weighing 275 lbs, strayed from Leamon Andrews. 29-4p

FOR RENT

For Rent—Five-room house with all modern conveniences; floor furnace, and garage. Call 76J in McLean or 7F13 in Alanreed. 1p

No. 1870
ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE DURHAM, Deceased
 O. A. Davis, INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF GRAY COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that letters of Testamentary upon the estate of Josephine Durham, deceased, were granted to me, the undersigned, on the 11th day of July, 1955, by the County Court of Gray County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to me within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address is Box 213, Pampa, Texas.
 SS/ O. A. DAVIS
 Executor of the estate of Josephine Durham, deceased
 28-4c

We live too much in platoons; we march by sections; we do not live in our individuality enough; we are slaves to fashion in mind and heart, if not to our passions and appetites.—Edwin Hubbell Chapin.

He who thinks for himself, and seldom imitates, is a free man.—Friedrich G. Klopstock.

Cars are headed for the beaches these days, bumper to bumper, and when they arrive the crowd is so great the people sit the same way.

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

Mrs. I. D. Shaw was awarded \$19 in merchandise certificates at the weekly Appreciation Day activity in McLean Saturday.

The Heald and Gracey reunion has been called off for this year.

Activities of the Lions Club sponsored summer recreation program are at a standstill this week while Coach Hap Rogers is attending the Texas Coaching School in San Antonio. Rogers has been supervising the program since it started in June. The program will be resumed next Monday, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Moador are planning a trip to Kerrville this week end where they will visit the Lions Club Camp for Crippled Children. Boyd is a member of the board of directors for the Kerrville camp.

In a meeting Monday, the Gray County Commissioners Court canvassed the results of the bond and tax election held last Saturday. After a few minor changes, the group passed on the results. The purchase of a four-wheel drive loader for precinct 3 was approved and it was voted to accept bids on the machine until August 20. The budget for 1956 was also discussed.

Mrs. Luther Petty left Wednesday night for Amarillo to join a group of women going to Glorieta Assembly W. M. U. conference week of Baptist churches. She will then go to Plainview for a T. U. workshop the 12th and 13th. There she will visit her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Francis. At Amarillo she will visit her daughter, Mrs. Zora Kennedy.

Members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Kerr, and guests from Shamrock and Pampa enjoyed a picnic and ice cream supper at the City Park Tuesday evening at 7:30. The outing was so enjoyable that it was suggested that the group plan for another picnic before summer is over.

RETAIL SALES SHOW GAIN OVER 1954

Texas' 1955 retail economy is booming along at a pace above the national average and well above 1954, considered a good business year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

That includes farm-product sales. Eleven of 12 Texas crop-reporting districts bettered the first half of 1954 by 7 to 34 per cent.

Texas retail sales in the first six months of 1955 were up 12 per cent over the comparable 1954 period. The national increase ranged from 8 to 10 per cent.

Record business in June and early July was reported across the nation. Sales of new and used automobiles slowed from earlier weeks but still held well above last year. Food sales kept a moderate lead over 1954 except in resort areas, which were doing an all-time record business in many lines.

House furnishings sold well above last year with sudden strong demand for air conditioners, heavy appliances and outdoor equipment and supplies.

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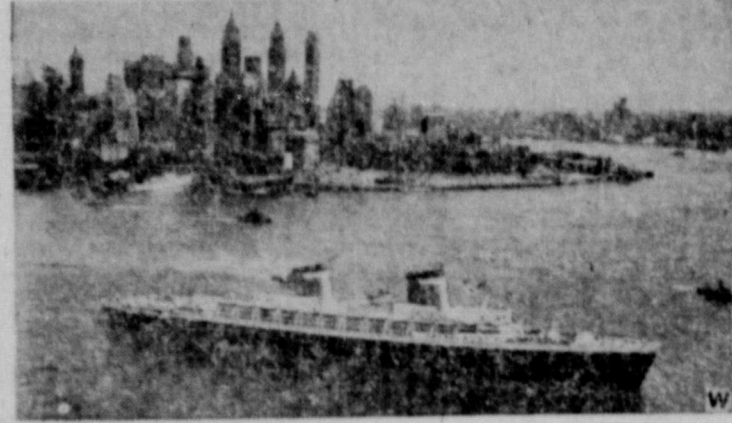
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STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS
 from The Bible
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Superliner United States Carried Over 200,000 Passengers In Three Years



Three years ago (July 14, 1952) the Superliner United States, flagship of the United States Lines, completed her maiden voyage and established a new eastbound and westbound transatlantic speed record. Her eastbound crossing was made in 3 days, 10 hours and 40 minutes at an average of 35.5 knots, approximately 41 land miles per hour. On her return crossing to New York she set a new westbound record of 3 days, 12 hours and 12 minutes. It was the first time in almost 100 years that an American flag vessel won the coveted Blue Riband of the Atlantic.

Since the United States entered service July 3rd, 1952, she has carried a total of 207,807 passengers. In her third year of operation from July 6, 1954 to July 5, 1955 she carried a total of 68,455 passengers, an average of 3,112 for each round trip. She has crossed the Atlantic 134

times and has traveled 427,752 nautical miles between light vessels, a distance equivalent to approximately 17 times around the world. Throughout this entire distance she has maintained an average speed of 30.63 knots which is about 35 land miles per hour.

While primarily a passenger vessel, the United States also carried 27,527 tons of high class cargo and 3,338 automobiles of passengers aboard. She also carried over 750,000 sacks of mail.

During her three years of service the vessel's shafts have never been stopped or slowed down at sea due to machinery derangement. The ship's tremendous air conditioning system which services all state rooms, public rooms, crew's quarters and all working areas and is in use on every voyage throughout the year, has functioned perfectly for three years without interruption.

Mrs. Roland West Named Honoree At Bridal Shower

A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Roland West, the former Dixie Hampton, was held in the home of Mrs. J. N. Smith Friday, July 29, in the form of a come-and-go ten, with the calling hours from 3 to 5.

Acting as co-hostesses with Mrs. Smith were Mrs. Carl Baker and Mrs. Wheeler Carter.

A corsage of red carnations was presented to the honoree by the hostesses. Appointments of roses and daisies were used throughout the house. Miss Glenda Switzer received the guests at the register, while Miss Becky Barker presided at the lace-covered refreshment table.

The following attended or sent gifts: Mesdames Wesley Hornsby, R. L. Smith, Bobby Horton, J. D. Coleman, Archie Cooper, Harold Bunch, Richard Back, Clevy Hancock, O. V. Smulcer, John Dwyer, J. A. Brawley, Arnold Sharp, Jim Back, Minnie Erwin, Ella Cubine, Ernest Godfrey, Corinne Trimble.

Mesdames C. P. Callahan, N. A. Greer, Marnelle Brown, Johnnie Mertel, R. T. Dickinson, H. L. Chase, Jimmy Payne, Hal Mounce, Johnnie Back, James Jolly, Bill Moore, Harlene Smith, Freeman Melton, Lena Pettit, Forrest Switzer, C. H. West.

Mesdames Bill West, C. E. Henley, Buck Henley, Laura Stratton, Marvin Hindman, J. W. Meacham, Odessa Gunn, J. C. Claborn, Sam Bruner, Hickman Brown, A. C. Havens, H. W. West, Jack Quarles, Gene Quarles, W. M. Rhodes, and G. F. Vineyard.

Misses Vergie Smith, Mary Ann Carter, LaRue Pettit, Clea Sue Heasley, Marlene and Arlene Gudgel, Donna Magee, Mavis Medley, Patsy Herndon, Sammie Jane Wood, Bette Brown, Loyce Miller, Peggy Duncan, Becky Barker, Glenda and Laura Mae Switzer, Billie McClellan, Barbara Carter, Phyllis Hancock, Donna and Nancy Meacham, Helen Bruner, Suzie Trout, Joyce, Mary, and Mattie West.

Don and Ronnie Smith, Jack and Bobby Quarles, Troy West, and George Brown.

Nowadays the manufacturers who advertise a "car to fit your purse" must be selling the small, foreign makes.

Judging from what we hear, more people with coughs go to theatres, than to doctors.

to return to their ranch in Gillespie County by September 1, where the senator will rest and relax between now and the opening of the next session of Congress in January.

SEN. JOHNSON ON ROAD TO FULL RECOVERY

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, preparing to leave Bethesda Naval Hospital for two or three weeks rest at his home in Washington before returning to Texas, wants the people of Texas to know he is grateful for all they have done to start him on the road to full recovery from the heart attack he suffered July 2.

Mrs. Johnson, fondly known as Lady Bird to multiplied thousands of Texans, said her husband declared he has a fuller appreciation than ever before of how fortunate he is in his friends.

"During those first difficult hours immediately after he suffered the attack, messages started pouring in," Mrs. Johnson said. "They were encouraging, heart-warming messages of confidence and hope, and they gave Lyndon strength when he needed it most."

Mrs. Johnson estimated that some 3,000 letters, telegrams and "get well" cards have been received by the senator since he was stricken. A great many of them carried the information that their senders were praying for him. They came from people in all walks of life—from the President of the United States and from a 12-year-old boy in East Texas—from farmers and housewives and working men and business executives and members of Sunday School classes.

"Nothing else has helped Lyndon so much as the knowledge that so many people are pulling for him," Mrs. Johnson declared. Senator and Mrs. Johnson hope



At Home — NEW BOSS

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bauer are the parents of a boy born Monday, July 25, in the Groom hospital. He weighed 4 1/2 pounds, and has been named Bryan Shelby. Grandparents are Mrs. S. J. Dyer of McLean and Mrs. A. M. Bauer of New York City.

VA REVISES POLICY ON GI LOANS

Veterans purchasing homes with the aid of GI loans will be required to make a down payment of at least two per cent, and the maximum time for repayment of loans will be set at 25 years.

Robert W. Sisson, manager of the VA regional office, Lubbock, announced this week.

Similarly moderate credit requirements are being placed in effect by the Federal Housing Administration for homes purchased with FHA insured mortgages.

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"He said there might be a few bugs in this car—and there are!"

SPEAKING OF CARDS

CAN HE PLAY BRIDGE?
 That would seem to be the logical, if unusual, question for a big-league baseball scout to ask a young sandlot whiz before signing him up and handing him a fat bonus. For if he answers yes, it's a clue that he may turn out to be another Ted Williams, Ralph Kiner or Duke Snider.

The interesting clue lies in a recent survey of the card playing interests and habits of major league baseball players.

Gin Rummy is the most frequently played card game among ball players (which is not too surprising since it's a favorite with many people who have to travel).

The survey also revealed that 30% of the players enjoy Contract Bridge and a high percentage of these are outstanding stars. Obviously ball-players are not "all brawn" since Contract Bridge is regarded as probably the "brainiest" of card games.

As most of these players have enjoyed the game since their high school and college days, there appears to be a close affinity between a player's prowess on the baseball diamond and his skill at bidding diamonds.

Runner-up to Gin Rummy in popularity among the players was Hearts, followed by Poker and Pinochle. Canasta, top favorite in all national polls, came in only fifth in popularity among the ball players.

Sixty percent of the major league stars who participated in the survey declared that they played cards frequently, while the remainder play occasionally. Among married ball players, 44% play cards frequently with their families and an additional 50% engage in an occasional family game indicating that the players and their wives find cards a wholesome family activity.

Several of the major league clubs indicated clear-cut preferences for specific games. The most popular game among the Milwaukee Braves, for example, is Cribbage which has its greatest following in New England, former home of the National League team. Contract Bridge has a greater popularity among players on eastern clubs than it does with the midwestern players, who would rather play Pinochle. The four-handed Italian games of Besoca and Prishal are popular with members of the Brooklyn Dodgers, along with Pitch, Casino and Crazy Eights. Fan Tan is played often by the Washington Senators, but has little appeal for any other club in either league.

Despite these wide differences in tastes, it appears that ballplayers, like ordinary citizens, have found that the pastebards provide one of the best ways to relax during the long train and plane trips they have to make.

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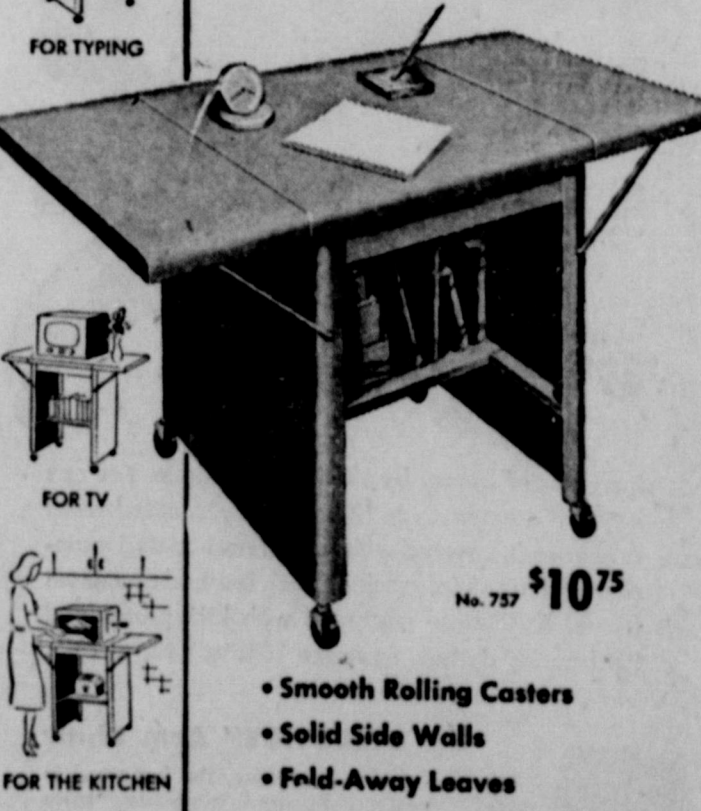


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