PLAIN

By BILL PERKINS

With the American Legion rodeo over, precinct conventions and last week's wet-dry election now history, at first glance you might think that things would be slow-ing down a bit here, but it's just not so. If you don't believe us ask any faculty member at school or any student.

It's true that only eight more days of school remain but every To Be Held Sunday one of those days will be a busy one for teachers and students. Saturday will be a make-up day for classes missed back during the snow storm, and Sunday baccalaureate services are planned for the senior class at the Church

Next week's issue of The News will have a picture and a brief biographical sketch of each graduating senior. Forty students make up the graduating class this year.

Six candidates for governor will be listed on the ballot in the first primary. They are Reuben Senterfitt, Price Daniel, W. Lee O'Daniel, Ralph Yarborough and J. J. Holmes, Holmes, an Austin contractor, told newspapers last week that if he was elected he would strive to make it legal to make bets on horse races in Texas. He said he had a poll taken recently and in the Dallas-Fort Worth area, Houston-Galveston area and Amarillo, 65% of the persons interviewed indi-cated that they believed horse racing should be legal. Whether Holmes places or not, the gov-ernor's election promises to be a horse race this year with W. Lee O'Daniel in the running. Poll takers and political dopesters quit trying to figure the outcome of any race he is in a long time ago.

Speaking of polls and horse races, the advertising manager of The American Weekly claims that the three top television rat-ing poll takers listed Dragnet in three diffeernt ratings during the same week. On one list it was rated number two; on the list of the second rater it placed in the number 12 spot; and in the third rating it was listed as number 14. Guess it depends on who is taking the poll. He says if horses paid off like that there wouldn't be any gamblers, for long.

In Gray county only the office of sheriff will have two candidates this year. Sheriff Rufe Jordan announced earlier and we under-stand that G. H. Kyle, a former Gray County sheriff, has paid his filing fee as a candidate for the office.

Week after next, May 21 thru 26. has been designated as clean-up week in McLean. The city has announced that a truck will pick up all the rubbish and tree limbs placed in the alleys or at the curbs during that time. They Johnson Wins in Texas have asked that nothing that cannot be handled by one man be placed with the rubbish.

Cecil Callahan told us that equipment for McLean's hospital arrived Wednesday and was all uncrated. An open house may be held at the hospital as soon as and as a "favorite son" presi-everything is placed and cleaned, dential nominee. The county to the Republicans." said. That sounds like an exellent idea to us. It is something to be proud of and we believe there would be lots of spec-

BIRTHDAYS

May 13-Mrs. Woody Wilkerson, Jesse Wayne Broome, Ricky tay Williams

May 14-Bill Johnston. May 15—Davey Smith Haynes, Walter Craig Corbin, Josh Cox,

May 16-Clinton Dale Corbin, Betty Dilbeck, Mrs. E. C. Bragg. convention, each precinct had to be polled on each resolution. All resolutions introduced were J. Turner. Dorothea Back. Maye17 - Marie Henley, Barbara apson, Elton Johnston, Mrs. Bill

May 18 Joe B. Taylor, Jr Joe Miller, Troy Don Corbin. May 19 Helen Simmons, Mrs. May Chilton, Jimmy Vineyard, Mrs. Julian Holder.

Funeral services for Mrs. Opa Sechler, mother of Mrs. Cliff Callahan, were held May 4 in St. Caul's Methodist Church at Boise clean attended the services.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

The Mc Lean News

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Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of

Harold McColum, minister of the Church of Christ,

will deliver the baccalaureate sermon. The complete

BACCALAUREATE

CHURCH OF CHRIST

SUNDAY, MAY 13, 1956

8:00 p. m.

Invocation Rev. Marvin Fisher

Scripture Reading Rev. P. H. Nutt

Special Song-"My Anchor Holds" Men's Quartet

Baccalaureate Sermon Minister Harold McColum

Song-"God Be With You" Choir

Benediction Rev. Archie Cooper

CLASS ROLL

HONOR STUDENTS

Class Motto: Today we follow; tomorrow we lead

Class Sponsors: Betty Allsup and Harold Bunch

Martin, Tina McClellan, Billie

Moore, Harl

Shelton, Harvey

Stafford, Jack

Switzer, Glenda

Tate, Gerald

Trout, Freddle

Turner, Jo Ann

Turpen, Butch

Watson, Carl

Watson, Marie

Wells, Morris

Vineyard, Charlie

Williams, Charles

Laura Brown

Jo Ann Turner

The last resolution adopted by

the Gray County Soil Conserv-ation District is interested in

getting a greater return from his

increase the net proft of any unit

is to have a plan of operations. This includes a detailed plan for

Gray County

land use.

Gwen Burnett

James Lee

Wood, Sammie Jane

Stubbs, Bob

Sparlin, Glenn Doyl

Rhea, Owen

Shull, Neal

McLean High School will be held Sunday night, May 13,

at 8 o'clock at the Church of Christ, Superintendent

Freeman Melton, Jr., has announced.

program for the evening is as follows:

Processional

Barker, Becky

Brown, Laura

Bruner, Helen

Burnett, Gwen

Cooper, Tracy

Day, Johnny Erwin, Mollie

Farren, Gene

Hall, Jack

Gossett, Leona

Haslam, Don

Henderson, Bill

Kalka, Johnny

Henderson, Eugene

Kimbrell, Clifford

Owen Rhea

Donna Magee

Leona Gossett

Barbara Carter

Class Flower: Yellow Rose

Principal: Jimmy Payne

Democrats had previously made

entions last Saturday. This

was the trend throughout the state and Sen. Johnson handed Governor Allan Shivers his first

At the county convention in

Pampa Tuesday, Democrats pass-

state convention to vote as a unit for Sen. Johnson. The senator was endorsed as a favorite son candidate and as the leader

of the Texas delegation to the

Because of a small pro-Shivers

Included in the list of resolu-

tions was one calling for the re-turn to the two-thirds rule in nominating Presidential candi-

nominating Presidential candidates. Another resolution called for the right of states to govern themselves and opposed federal control of schools and medicine. Another resolution a dopted Tuesday condemned the crossfiling of candidates and requested the abolition of the law permitting such practices.

faction present at the county

ed several resolutions and in-structed 11 delegates to the 4:00.

defeat in over 20 years.

national convention.

Class Colors: Orchid and Yellow

Class Song: You'll Never Walk Alone

Superintendent: Freeman Melton, Jr.

AND GRAY COUNTY,

their choice at the precinct con- the Democrats specified that "in

Knutson, Harley

Lee, James

Magee, Donna

Carter, Barbara

Boyd, Bob

McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, May 10, 1956.

VILLAGE **Baccalaureate Services**

(More or Less)

Mrs. Pearl Turner was in Amarillo last week-end for a Smith family reunion held at the home of Dolphus Smith. All of Mrs. Turner's children, and all but one of the grandchildren were present for the reunion. Mrs. Turner was accompanied home Sunday by her great-granddaughter, Marian Marie Jeffries.

Mrs. Roy Barker was awarded \$34 in merchandise certificates at the Appreciation Day activity Saturday. Other gift awards went to Mrs. S. R. Jones and Cleo

Mrs. H. E. Barrett, former Me-Lean resident, won the Singer sewing contest out of Amarillo center recently. Her winning dress will be entered in the regional contest. Mrs. Barrett is the mother of Mrs. Harold Butrum of McLean.

The McLean Rainbow Girls will hold a bake sale Saturday, May 19, at the McLean Hardware.

Teen Town will be held Friday night immediately followiwng the music recital.

U. S. mail from Memphis to Mc-Lean daily, received as a gift strength and that the remaining the shetland pony with bridle, saddle and martingale, which was examinations given state-wide late given away by the local post of in June from the list of applicants the American Legion.

REVEILLE



. . . with the boys

The Navy department announces the promotion April 16 of Warren Smith son of Riley F. Smith of McLean, to aviation electric-ian's third class, USN, while serving at the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi.

The promotion followed success ful completion of a Navy-wide petty officer examination conducted in February.

Gray County Democrats Tues-day re-affirmed U. S. Senator day (he was 72 Tuesday). An-Lyndon Johnson as their choice other resolution, in effect, read and Mrs. Hal Mounce. He has been stationed in Japan. His brother, Lt. Clyde Mounce, landed for leader of the state delegation Governor Allan Shivers out of in Washington this week after being stationed in Japan several

> the future any Republican at-A/le Bob Howard, son of Mr. tending a Democratic convention in order to gain admittance at and Mrs. Frank Howard of Mcthe door, must be wearing a Lean, has just returned to Bent-Landon, Wilkle or Dewey but- waters Air Force Base in England from French Morocco and North The convention began at 2:00 Africa. Howard, who is with the p. m. and ended shortly before 91st F. B. Squadron, has made 4:00. required flying time.

> > Robert D. Burris of Lackland Air Base in San Antonio stopped in McLean two days to visit his prother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Legon Burris. He was en route to Lowery Air Base at Denver, Colo.

Jim Farren Letters On West Texas **Basketball Squad**

Jim Farren, 6-5 forward for the West Texas State College freshman basketball squad, was among Coach W. A. "Gus" miller an-

themselves and opposed federal control of schools and medicine.

Another resolution a dopted Tuesday condemned the cross-filing of candidates and requested the abolition of the law permitting such practices.

The delegates adopted three other resolutions One was to send congratulations and best wishes to "Elder-Statesman" land use.

The supervisors of the Gray County Soil Conservation District encourage each farmer and rancher to take a new look at his operations. How many small details can be left out or rearranged to reduce the overhead? How many things can be changed to give more efficiency or a larger (Continued on back page) nounced this week.

Farren, who played his first year for WT this year, is expected to be a strong contender for a spot on the varsity team next season. Coach Miller said. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs.

School Calendar Busy Thru May 18

McLean students and faculty will

Wednesday, May 9: Students enjoyed the annual school picnic. Thursday (today): Seniors due back from trip to Galveston.

Friday: Seniors back in classes. Saturday, May 12: Final makeup day. Classes will take up at the regular time Saturday morning and will be dismissed at 2:30. Sunday, May 13: Baccalaureate services at McLean Church of Christ at 8:00 p. m. Everyone is

Monday, May 14: Regular

Tuesday, May 15: Final meeting for the year of Gray-Roberts TSTA will be held at Lefors at 7:30 p. m.

Thursday, May 17: Final exams Eighth grade graduation exercises in high school auditorium.

Friday, May 18: Final exams. Commencement in the Municipal Building at 8:00 p. m.

Texas Highway Patrol Needs More Men.

Captain J. W. Blackwell, commanding officer of the Amarillo District of the Texas Highway Patrol, said today that applications are being received from young Texans who are interested in appointment to the state patrol force.

The patrol captain said that he will be happy to talk to prospective candidates at his office in Amarillo, located at 2200 East Frank Smith, who brings the the last legislature authorized an increase of 200 men in the patrol's

filing between now and June 10. General qualifications for appointment to the Texas Highway patrol, according to Capt. Blackwell include the following: age 21 to 35 years inclusive; high ches; weight in proportion to height; good moral character; perfect physical condition; and excellent character.

Rookie patrolmen are paid during their training and probation-ary period, the captain said, and other job benefits outlined by the captain include: two weeks paid vacation annually; sick leave; state retirement, and federal social security.

Application blanks may be obtained from the district patrol office in Amarillo or by writ-ing to Chief W. J. Elliott, Texas Highway Patrol, Austin.

PRIZES OFFERED IN CHILD PHOTOGRAPH CONTEST

Winston B. Lucas of Irving will be in McLean on Tuesday, May 15, from 10 a. m. to 5:30 p. m. at the McLean News office for the purpose of taking pictures in this vicinity.

In addition to having their pic-

tures printed in this newspaper, the children will be competing for \$18.20 in prizes, which are being offered for the three best photographs made during the day. The photographs will be made absolutely free of charge, and there is no charge for their pub-lication in The McLean News. Proofs will be shown and from these you may select the picture of your child which you would like to appear in this newspaper.

If you wish extra photographs, they may be purchased, but no purchase is necessary in order to have your child's picture printed McLean Votes Dry Saturday in this newspaper, or to compete for the prizes. It is entirely up to you, whether you buy pictures

contest, and every child's photoso that all may appear in The News. However, it is necessary that all pictures be of uniform size, so they must be made by Winston B. Lucas on Tuesday. May 15.

Don't wait until little Mary gets married or baby brother is elect-ed to some political office to see

Dr. James B. Roberts Is have a busy and exciting schedule for the next few days, according to the calendar of events disclosed by Supt. Melton Tues-



DR. JAMES B. ROBERTS . . commencement speaker

Police Civil Defense Organization Meeting Scheduled May 18

Captain J. W. Blackwell of the Texas Highway Patrol announced this week that a meeting for the purpose of organizing the police officers of the 26 Panhandle counties into a Police Civil Defense and Disaster Relief organization has been called for Friday. May 18. This meeting, scheduled from 8:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m, will be held in the classroom of the Amarillo Police Department.

Speakers on the program include Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Department of Public Safety; Inspector C. O. Layne of the Texas Highway Patrol; Sheriff Hugh Anderson of Borger; H. C Winburn of the U. S. Weather Bureau; and other Department of Public Safety

Mayors, county judges, civil school education, or equivalent; defense directors, and members of the district committee of the civil defense and disaster relief district have been invited along with the law enforcement administrators, according to Capt. Blackwell.

Cuboree Set May 12 At Clarendon

Cub Scouts, parents and friends from over the southern district will be gathering in Clarendon on May 12 to participate in a Cuboree. There will be games galore and a barrel of fun for every one when all of these young fellows get together.

The cubs will gather at the rodeo grounds in Clarendon at 2:30 on the afternoon of May 12. Complete instructions will be given at that time for the after-noon's activities. The activities will include wooden turtle race, balloon breaking contest, sled race, wheel barrow race, sack race, tug-o-war, sling shot con-test, father and son three-leg

A wiener roast will follow the activities of the afternoon and placed well in tourament comp the whole program will be fin-ished off with a campfire at which time the Grand Champion which time the Grand Champion
Pack will be announced and the winners of each of the events will be recognized.

In the junior high school division the McLean girls team won first place and the boys team took second place honors.

Arrangements for the Cuborce are being made by Clyde Price, Jr., of Clarendon and a corps of men that he has recruited.

Dr. James B. Roberts, head of the department of education and chairman of the professional and vocational division of West Texas State College, Canyon, will deliver the commencement address for the graduating class of Mc-Lean High School on May 18.

The speaker came to West Texas
State College in 1948 from Rohrer,
Hibler, and Replogle of Dallas,
where he had been employed for
two years. During the war, he
was employed by the training
section of Douglas Aircraft. He
was also an administrator at was also an administrator at Nocona public schools.

Dr. Roberts received his B. A. and M. A. degrees from North Texas State College, and the doctorate was awarded him in 1943 by George Peabody College for

A member of the graduate council at West Texas State College, Dr. Roberts is also a member of TSTA, NEA, TASA, and Phi Delta Kappa, and was formerly a member of the American Association of School Administrators.

McLean P-TA Holds Final Meeting For Year May 2

The McLean P.-T. A. held its regular and final meeting for the school year May 2.

The mothers who will have children in the first grade next year

were special guests.

After the business session, Mrs. Leslie Talbert's expression students presented the program. Those giving readings were Hickman Brown, III, Norma Page, Kelly McClellan, Linda Talbert and Linda Sue Smith.

Ruth Magee introduced the pro-

gram. Claud Zevely conducted the in-stallation ceremony for the new officers for 1956-57. Those installed were Zelda McClellan president; Inell Zevely, vice president; Leota Tally, secretary. Ruth Talbert, treasurer; Ruth Capps, reporter; Collene Mertel, parlia-

Erma Hester, retiring president, expressed her appreciation to all those who had worked with her and in the interest of the P-TA. She presented her retiring officers, Genella Wilkerson, Pat Barker, LaVerne Saunders, Margaret Grogan and Naomi McCarty, with organdy party aprons, and Claud Zevely a tie

Immediately following the meeting, the retiring executive committee held a reception honoring the special guests and the newly installed officers. Punch, cookies and mints were served.

McLean Softballers Win Honors Saturday In Canadian Tourney

Softball teams of both McLean high school and junior high school etition at Canadian last Saturday Coach Hap Rogers reported.

McLean high school girls also won first place in their division and the high school boys won third place honors.

McLean's two voting precincts camp. The remaining 12 precincts voted "dry" Saturday in the pro- voted to continue legal sales. hibition election but county-wide hibition election but county-wide voters choose to retain the legal sale of alcoholic beverages by a vote of 4,567 for to 3,647 against. In McLean's precinct 5, 55 persons voted for the legal sale and 166 voted against. Precinct 17 vote was 63 for the legal sale and 160 against.

Altogether, six voting precincts were dry voted to discontinue legal sales by a margin of 22 votes.

The other Panhandle county votine dry Saturday was Oldham

and 160 against.

Altogether, six voting precincts were carried by the drys. Those other than the two McLean boxes were Precinct 4 in Alanreed, Precinct 5 in Laketon, Precinct 1 in cinct 6 in Laketon, Precinct 1 in cinct 6 in Laketon, Precinct 1 in control of the county was less than the the county was l

No change will result in Gray

of May 23. T/Sgt. Bill Neal, Pampa re-

the fall school term when the Pioneer Study Club bridegroom plans to enter the Has Final Meeting Has Final Meeting For Year, May 3

> The Pioneer Study Club had its last meeting for the year on Mrs. Joe Simpson May 3 at the home of Mrs. Mary S. S. Class Hostess

The program was given by Mrs. Mary Emma Woods, who gave "Never Underestimate the Power of a Woman." It was the life met Tuesday with Mrs. Joe Simpof "Nila," a Russian woman.

A guest, Mrs. Juanita Griffith, cruiter, explained that the buddy and the following members were plan permits a group of boys to present: Mesdames Sinclair Armenlist together and have assur- strong, Vera Back, Loree Brown, ance of remaining as a group at Paralee Coleman, Margaret Coleleast through basic training. Sgt. man, Lucille Gething. Erma Neal invites anyone interested in Hester, Clara Hupp, Lois Jones, this program to write him at Rosemary Melton, Evelyn Stub-Pampa or call collect at No. blefield, Ruth Whaley, Inell Zevely, Vashti McColum, J. Edwin 1

son for its monthly luncheon.

Mann and Mike Simpson.

Turtles do not have teeth.

Woods and Mary Webb.

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Kerr. Ruth Magee, Mary Emma Sunday School Class Has Luncheon

The Dorcas Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met with Mrs. Wallace Rainwater Monday, May 7, for the regular The Friendship Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church monthly luncheon and business board, announces a benefit coffee

Members attending were Mes-Those present were Mesdames dames Homer Abbott, Raymond Onie Vineyard, Bennie Smith, Smith, Louis Day, Bill Boyd, Genella Wilkerson, Lillie Mae Pearl Johnson, George Moss, Lona Williams, Neva Mann, Irene Wil-Jones, Jeff Railsback, A. J. Goodliams, Clarice Voyles, Margaret win, Safrona Cash, Leo Gibson, Wells, Mildred Glesler, and Bobble Versie Grigsby and the hostess. Versie Grigsby and the hostess. Simpson; and two children, Johnnie Visitors were Mrs. Thelma Stewart of Spearman, Mrs. Lawrence Flaharity of Borger, Wallace Rainwater and J. B Rainwater

Coffee and Book Review to Benefit Shamrock Library

Mrs. Sol Blonstein, president of the Shamrock Public Library for the library, to be given Sat-urday morning at the Shamrock Country Club at 9:30 o'clock.

Mrs. George L. Stanley will review The Very Young Mrs. Poe," by Cothburn O'Neal, a novel based on the life of young Virginia Clemm, the child-bride of Edgar Allan Poe.

The public is cordially invited



MRS. JOHN OWEN RHEA

Rose Arline Grigsby and John Owen Rhea Are Married in Friday Evening Rites

John Owen Rhea in a double- a waltz length dress of white lace ring ceremony Friday, May 4, at and tulle. The dress was fashthe First Baptist Church of Mc- ioned with high neck and three-

Lean.

Dr. Buell T. Wells. The altar tions was flanked by baskets of yellow selections and accompanied Soloist was at the guest book. Jo Ann Turner.

corsage of yellow roses.

Ushers were Alton Carpenter and yellow tapers. Charles Williams, who also served

REDUCE

OFFICE

FATIGUE

COLE "Posturo" CHAIRS

Nuptial vows were repeated by Given in marriage by her Miss Rose Arline Grigsby and father, the bride was attired in quarter length sleeves of Chantilly The bride is the daughter of lace, and the skirt was yards Mr. and Mrs. Arlie L. Grigsby and yards of gathered tulle over and the groom's parents are Mr. taffeta. Her veil was shoulder and Mrs. Pies N. Rhea, both of length and she carried a white Bible topped with yellow roses The nuptial vows were read by and streamers of yellow carna-

Following the ceremony, the gladioli, greenery and candelabra. wedding party was honored with Miss Becky Barker, planist, a reception in the church parlor. played a prelude of traditional Emme Grigsby, the bride's sister,

Mrs. Roger Roach of Bushland, Attending the bride as maid- sister of the groom, and Mrs. of-honor, Miss Betty Lou Pearson Virgil Reagor of Lubbock, the wore a waltz length dress of aqua bride's aunt, presided at the lace over taffeta. She had a bride's table. The table was laid with a lace cloth and featured Best man was Tracy Cooper. the wedding cake, flanked by

> The couple will be at home at 616 N. Sommerville, Pampa, until



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RAMONA

GRAPE NECTAR

24 oz. bottle 23c

HUNT'S

PEACHES

No. 21/2 can 29C

LANE'S

MELLORINE

½ gallon 49c



2 cans 49c

Star Kist or Del Monte Chunk Style

TUNA Z cans DDC

Pork&Beans 25c

Dill Pickles

21c

Chopped Beef 31c

Del Monte

14 oz. bottle

Catsup

21c

GARDEN CLUB

PRESERVES

Grape Jam Red Plum

3 * \$1.00

WILSON'S GOLDEN BRAND

OLEOMARGARINE 5 m. \$1.00

GARDEN FRESH

Grapefruit

Sunkist 2 to 25c **Oranges**

Lettuce head 15c

Yellow Bermuda

Onions ₱ 7c

Velveeta Cheese



Bacon

First Cuts

» 33c

Pork Chops • 39c

Sturgeon Bay

Cherries

19c

SPECIALS GOOD FRI., SAT., MAY 11, 12, 1956



rubber seat, covered with latest Febri-

Increases efficiency by eliminating fatigue. You can adjust it 4-ways ... to fit your body. Madded form

rial. Will not stain, crack or peel. Brushed gluminum frame. Solid base equipped with kick plates and

The Mc Lean News

Children's **Photo Contest**



Prizes totaling \$18.20

1st-\$9.50 Large **Bronze Portrait**

2nd-\$4.75 Sepia **Tone Portrait**

3rd-\$3.95 Portrait

PICTURES OF EVERY CHILD PHOTOGRAPHED WILL BE PUBLISHED

The McLean News

EASY TO ENTER-Simply have your child's photograph taken by WINSTON B. LUCAS, PHOTOGRAPHER, at NO COST to you. They will show proofs from which you may the pose you wish entered in the contest and your child is automatically entered; and at this time you may order photographs for gifts or keepsakes if you wish-but this is entirely up to you. WINSTON B. LUCAS, of Irving, an expert child photographer, will be here to take pictures. the necessary equipment to take nice portraits for this exciting event. There is no age limit to this contesteven the tiniest tots enjoy being photographed by our

This is a Local Contest

(CHILDREN MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY PARENT OR GUARDIAN)

ONE DAY ONLY

Tuesday, May 15

10 a. m.-5:30 p. m.

The McLean News

ONE TIME OR ANOTHER

SERVICES OF

A GOOD PRINTER

Printing Means Many Things

It may mean an announcement or invitation, postcard, letter-

head, statement, printed envelopes, business card, stationery,

mailing piece, house organ, bulletin, booklet, year book, catalog,

The world over, printing is known as a creative art. At this

office your printing will be handled by people who will take

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The McLean News

folder, program, or publication.

a personal interest in it.

To Different People



Texas is buzzing with activity! Although political squabbles take the headlines, the state's general prosperity affects the average Texan's life more sig-

In almost all areas-industry, construction, retailing and employment—the graphs are pointing up, up and up. General business activity hit a new record high-4 per cent above 1955 and 5 per cent above the first quarter

of last year. national comparisons. Estimates of gross national production show a 3 per cent rise for the first Labor Law at Stake quarter of 1956. Texas' rise was

per cent. Retail sales in Texas were up per cent over the first quarter of 1955. Department stores led

with 5 to 10 per cent increases. Texas' increase in industrial activity is regarded as the most significant factor in the overall picture. Business research experts believe that Texas will receive more than its proportionate share of the \$34,000,000,000 which industrty is expected to spend nationwide on new plants this

Contractors are confident they are headed for a record year. April construction totaled \$88,-000,000-an increase of \$21,000,000 over April of '55.

Employment followed the general upward trend. This, despite drought-crippled farm activity. Latest figures show 2,248,200 wage earners in March. That is 115,-000 more than for March of last year.

Politics Is Boiling

In bitter precinct battles, Gov Allan Shivers lost the first skirmish of his long political career Sen, Lyndon Johnson led all the way in the rural areas. He also won in San Antonio, Houston, Fort Worth and Austin. Of the metropolitan centers, Dallas alone went for Shivers.

Just as the rural vote cost Ralph Yarborough the governorship in 1954 so did the small towns defeat Shivers in 1956. In the final aanalysis, it was the country boy's vote that was the

Farmers Get New Hope

Farmers over wide areas Texas are full of optimism. Longawaited rains, the heaviest in years, fell in North, Central and East Texas.

However, even where it rained,

have not been wiped out. But to for such a tax, but voters turned many farmers the wonderful rains down the proposals.
that finally came made them look Huge Road Program forward to a good year.

Sanford Cleared by Court A decision with far-reaching effect on political advertising expenditures has been handed down by the Court of Criminal Appeals.

The decision was made in connection with an application of Vernon T. Sanford, Texas Press Association manager, for relief from two indictments returned against him by a McLennan County Grand Jury. Indictments charged he had violated the Texas Election Code by spending more than \$25 for political advertising in behalf of Ben Ramsey for lieutenant governor in 1954.

Sanford and his TPA board of directors contended that any law which limits an individual to a bill \$25 expenditure prohibits freedom Highway Patrolmen Sought of expression and therefore is unconstitutional

In reviewing the matter, the court found that two laws on the same subject were in direct conflict. Each limited advertising to widely different amounts and set different penalties. Therefore, both were declared invalid.

Result: Charges against Sanford were dismissed and Texas now has no applicable law regarding political advertising expenditures by an individual.

Atty. Gen. John Ben Shepperd was forced into the role of appachensive speciator in the fight to save Texas' right-to-work law. He asked, but was refused, U. S. Supreme Court permission to be heard. He did, however, lend noral support and advice as

Nebraska's attorney argued in the high court for his state's law. Nebraska, like Texas and 16 other states, has an anti-closed shop law which unions contend is in conflict with the National Railway Act.

Reason for Shepperd's apprehension is the general belief that Nebraska's case is weaker than the Texas case, which is still tied up in state court. Vehic'e Tax Voided

Special local automobile taxes to finance big city freeway projects are unconstitutional. ruled the Texas Supreme Court in a case involving Harris County's auto registraation tax.

Such taxes must be levied by general laws, said the court.

Dallas County made two tries

A whopping \$150,000,000 road program for 1957-58 is planned by the State Highway Commis

creased federal funds is behind the ambitious project. Since house passage, approval of the new federal aid bill is regarded as virtually certain.

About half of the 2,161 miles of highway designated for construction work will be of the 'super highway" type-four, six and eight lanes.

State Highway Engineer D. C. Greer said plans were released early so projects could be placed under contract quickly after final congressional action on the aid

Careers as state highway patrol-

men now are open for men between 21 and 35 years of age. A 200-man increase in the patrol was authorized by the last legislature. State-wide examinations of candidates to bring the seld in June

Applicants must have lived in Texas for a year, have a high be in perfect physical condition. a change of venue.

one man to handle.

NOTICE

Clean-up week will be May 21st through

May 26th. Please get all your tree trimmings and

other rubbish at alley or on curb line for trucks.

The city will not pick up anything too large for

Let's clean up and have a nice appearing city.

CITY OF McLEAN

erford, Okla., spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Rodgers, and family. Mrs. Barnett friends. and Mrs. Rodgers and children went to Pampa every day to visit their mother and grandmother, Mrs. Callie Haynes, who underwent surgery last week in High-land General Hospital.

Mrs. C. S. Rice and Mrs. Legon Burris were in Pampa Wednesday

Sheriff Rufe Jordan of Pampa was in McLean Saturday.

Application forms may be obtained at any district office or by writing W. J. Elliott, chief of

Brady Land Dealer B. R. Shef-

the Texas Highway Patrol, Austin. Sheffield Trial Moved

field won the first round in his corps up to full strength will be fight against the veterans land sale charges against him. Dist. Judge Charles O. Betts agreed that Sheffield could not get a fair school education or equivalent and trial in Travis County and granted

Nicholson, Sunday.

burg, Mont., visited here over

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hale and

son, Nathan, have moved from

the Denworth community to the Phillips lease 17 miles southeast of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Nicholson

and children of Pampa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H.

aged to get across the Red border was being questioned and searched by the police in

his new country.
"What's this?" the police asked him when they found a bottle of pills.

"Oh, that's a cure for for headaches," the Russian

"And what's this for?" they asked as they found another bottle of pills. "That's a cure for tooth-

They came to a picture of Molotov and demanded: "But what's this?"

"That," said the Russian, is a cure for homesickness."

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1,062 EYES

There are 531 members of Congress and they meet every year. "But every fourth year," Economic Intelligence observes, "a transformation takes place. All eyes—1062—turn toward November. Subjects for debate are determined, not by their bearing on the national interest, but by their capacity to get and hold votes."

The public should keep this election-year transformation in mind—especially when one side attempts to persuade us that the other side is made up of nefarious characters intent on selling the nation down the river to greedy special interests.

CHEAPER BY THE MILE!

In the back of everyone's mind there is the desire to visit some special place of interest. And while the place varies with the individual, there is one thing all travelers have in common today—the modern automobile, with the freedom of movement it provides.

Still another factor makes traveling by car enticing. A study of American Automobile Association figures on the cost of car operation shows that the more an auto is driven the cheaper it gets by the mile! The reason for this is that certain costs of auto operation, such as depreciation, insurance and license fees, remain virtually the same if a car is driven one mile or thousands of miles. These fees account for nearly fifty per cent of the price of operating a car.

AAA figures reveal that the cost per mile of operation of an auto for each person in a family of three is 5.2 cents if the car is driven 5,000 miles a year. But if the car mileage is increased to 15,000 miles a year, the cost per mile for each member of the family is more than cut in half—to 2.5 cents a mile.

So here is another good reason for taking that trip to that special place of interest.

FROM THE SAME TREE

A short time ago a 10-year-old California boy won the \$100,000 jackpot on a TV quiz program.

This was a remarkable feat. What makes it still more remarkable is that the questions involved had to do with the stock market. They were tough questions, too—it's a safe bet that not one adult in many thousands could have answered them correctly. As a fitting climax to the victory, the president of the New York Stock Exchange presented the young wizard with \$2500 worth of stock of his own choosing, plus a monthly investment plan of \$40 a month for five years.

There is a further significance in this. It is certainly not possible that many youngsters will become ranking authorities on all the procedures and complexities involved in corporation finance. But it is eminently desirable that great numbers of the adults-of-tomorrow learn the basic principles of finance in a free enterprise system—and learn, too, what stock exchanges do and why they are necessary. There are now something like 7.5 million shareholders in American corporate enterprise. It is estimated that, if our businesses are to grow as they should and in the manner they should, this number must be multiplied many times. And that means that tens of millions more people must gain the necessary knowledge and interest.

Under political democracy, everyone has the right to vote. Under economic democracy, everyone has the right to invest in a business and become a partner. The two are branches of the same sturdy tree.

YOUR GOOD HEALTH!

A child born in this country in 1900 had a life expectancy of less than 50 years. A child born today will live, on the average, for about 70 years.

This means that life expectancy has increased by some 40 per cent in a little more than a century. That is a development of almost incredible magnitude. What has made such unprecedented progress possible?

Obviously, it wasn't just magical good luck. It was the result of many factors. And one of those factors—possibly the over-riding one—is found in medical progress.

Disease after disease has been conqured. Infant mortality has been reduced and reduced. Frontiers of medical knowledge have been pushed back and back. Our medical schools produce more and more physicians—and better prepared physicians. The standards of



bate are determined, not by their bearing on the hospital care have been constantly raised. In every national interest, but by their capacity to get and hold phase and facet of the healing arts there has been out-votes."

All this, let us not forget, has been accomplished under a system of free medicine. Here the doctor is not an employee of the state. Here the patient is not a pawn, to be shuttled about according to a rule book, as he is under socialized medicine. Here the stress is on the value and freedom and independence of the individual.

We live longer lives and healthier lives than our forefathers did. Each day some new contribution is made to the vast body of medical knowledge. Thus do free men achieve in an atmosphere of freedom.

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McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1956

17 HAPPENED HERE

Taken From the Files of The McLean News, 1916

The McLean News, 1916

One of the most enjoyable social affairs of the season was the reception tendered their friends by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Holt on Thursday evening of last week, complimentary to their guest, Miss Isabelle Davidson of Chicago. The reception rooms were tastefully and beautifully decorated, the color scheme being yellow and white, with huge bouquets of yellow roses. As the guests arrived, they were allowed to refresh themselves at a punch

Progressive forty-two furnished the principal feature of amusement of the evening, augmented by a Victrola concert in which the voices of the world's most famous singers mingled with the merry chatter of the players. High score in the forty-two finals was awarded to Mrs. J. L. Crabtree, and the "booby" went to Mrs. Luther McCombs. The honoree was presented with a handsome piece of hand painted china. Delicious ice cream and cake were served during the evening. Forty guests were present.

An exchange tells us this: "A woman who was a great talebearer happened to hear one neighbor speak slightly of another and immediately carried the words to the second neighbor. claiming that she thought, as a friend, that she ought to let the second neighbor know what the thanking the tale-bearer, the neighbor said: 'It makes no difference to me how many rotten eggs my neighbor has on her premises, but the person who carries the decayed hen fruit to my is my enemy." This is a sermon in an egg shell and properly hits the tale-bearer referred to above, but it also calls to mind some people who wear breeches and mustaches. They are as guilty, and more so, than the woman spoken of above. A long-tongued, meddlesome tale-toter is the meanest being that walks on two



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Friday, Saturday:

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"FEMALE ON THE BEACH"

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday:

Olivia de Havilland, Robert Mitchum, Frank Sinatra, Broderick Crawford, Gloria Graham, Charles Bickford

"NOT. AS A STRANGER"

Wednesday, Thursday:

Danny Kaye, Glynnis Johns

"THE COURT JESTER"

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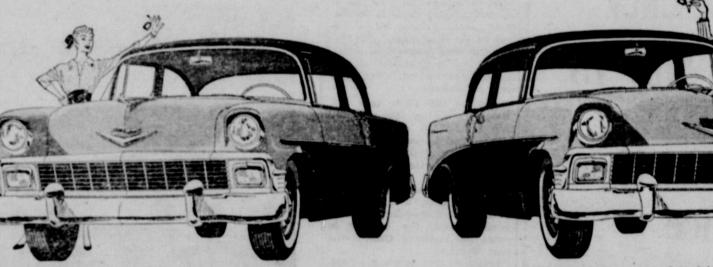
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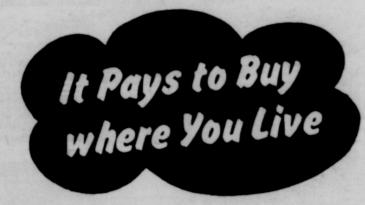
The MORE you trade with your home merchants, the better they can tell what YOU like and need . . . and the better able they will be to offer WHAT YOU WANT WHEN YOU WANT IT.

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MCLEAN, TEXAS

Egg raising has come of age.

Mexicana is the name of the latest variation of Canasta to attain popularity. By this time tomorrow, possibly a half dozen are variations on the basic game Canasta will spring up in various parts of the land. Only Solitaire, with more and the name of the land of the popular game, there's a convenient pocket-sized leaflet which contains the official Canasta rules, a condensation of the International Code, Laws of Canasta as the card game to de-

game to develop the most variants.

Asin Samba, another Canasta and Cut-Throat Canasta, six popular versions of the nation's most-played card game. The leaflet teaches all of these Canasta variation, three decks of cards are used in playing Mexicana. Each player is dealt thirteen cards. When a player makes the initial meld, thirteen cards from the pack on the board may be drawn. If playing partners, only one may make this beneficial draw.

In Mexicana, sevens as well as black threes, are stop-cards on the deck but a canasta of seven sevens as the card of letter to Canasta Variations, c/o Playing Cards, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York 17, N. Y. If you would like additional copies for friends, they are yours merely for the asking. Argentina.

STEALING BUNDLES

One of the most versatile of all ers in each round—with four cards card games is Casino. On the one dealt face up on the table in the first hand, adults find it one of the most deal. Each player in turn may capture purely scientific games in the card a card from the table which matches trepertory. When played expertly, it the denomination of a card he holds requires a high degree of concentrathe denomination of a card he holds in his hand. That is, a seven can be won with a seven, a Jack with a Jack, etc. Building is left out until the child is sufficiently quick at

arithmetic. Captured cards must be placed face up in a stack in front of the player. And here is where the game gets its colorful name. If a player can match the top card of his op-ponent's bundle with a card from his hand, he can capture the entire bundle and add it to his own. The deal is won by the player having the most cards after the stock is depleted. Cards left on the table go

to the player who was the last to Good strategy for the game dictates that you delay captures from the table whenever possible, so as to then proceed to train their powers of observation by matching up the suits. Finally, you can give them practice in reading figures and letters by playing the same as it is designed to the suits.

ters by playing the game as it is de-scribed here. The Casino version for children is Once a child masters Stealing The Casino version for children is called Stealing Bundles. Basically, it Bundles, he is ready for the many other card games for children, in-Although two, three or four may cluding such favorites as Concentra-play the game, it is best for two using a regular pack of 52 cards and Menagerie.

Amharic has been the speech of Ethiopia since 1300 A. D.

nd not a mythical character.

A pirogue is a canoe made from a log or tree.



FROM THE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

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entific." Producers today carefully essary to grade "A" quality. It

manage their chickens determin- has been proven that eggs kept for ing correctly balanced rations, a week at 55 degrees and 85% rel-

taking proper sanitary precau- ative humidity are superior in

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Shower Honors Arline Grigsby

Miss Arline Grigsby, bride-elect of Owen Rhea, was honored at a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening. May 3, at the parlor of the First Baptist Church.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames R. L. Appling, Homer Abbott, Boyd Reeves, Joe Taylor, Raymond Smith, Leo Gib- Christa Carol Rodgers. Betty son. Howard Williams, "Wallace Rainwater, Buell Wells and E.

led to the gifts. Mrs. Gibson presented at recital Friday evenpresided at the guest register, and refreshments of sherbet and Hess and Linda Guill had paid cookies were served to those their fees but were unable to play present.

Among those present and sending gifts were Mesdames Jimmie Landers, A.-L. Grigsby, Everett Archie Farren, Versie Grigsby, C. Claborn, Flossie Thut, Pete Boyett, Miss Ruby Cook, and L. Fulbright, Boyd Meador, J. P. Dickinson, J. M. Noel, Harold-Bunch, H. W. Brooks.

Mesdames K. W. Hambright, Alanreed WMU Jack Lisman, P. F. Cooper, R. S. Carrick, W. K. Wharton, Mildred Grigsby, J. A. Meador, F. E. Stewart, O. G. Stokely, Walter Bailey, Josh Chilton, Edgar Smith, Frank Simpson, J. N. Smith.

Mesdames Oscar Tibbets, L. F. Giesler, John Dwyer, Claude Powell, C. A. Myatt, Bill Holmes, Frank Howard, John Biggers, W. C. Shull, June Woods, Paralee Coleman, J. I. Martindale, I. W. Huber, Ross Collie, Elton Johnston. Clyde Brown.

Mesdames Betty Allsup, Nep. Trew, Virgil Reagor, W. G. Pearson, Clyde Mead, Ellen Wilson, F. P. Wilson, Ray Gossett, K. S. Rippy, Loula Ladd, Nida Rippy Green, C. H. McCurley,

Payne, C. P. Callahan. Mesdames A. E. Stafford, Clyde Willis, Bunia Kunkel. Jack Bailey. Ruth Hindman, S. R. Jones, Hal Mounce, J. J. Railsback, Jack W. Grigsby, Era Kibler, Roger Roach, W. C. Rexrode, Leon Earles, B.

F. Maness, and the hostesses. Misses Pat Durham, Marilyn Mead. Emme Grigsby, De Ann Clayton, Betty Pearson, Eunice Stratton, Becky Barker, Rosie Lee Smith, Monta Kennedy and Betty St. Nicholas was a living person

Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Sadler, Harvey Grigsby, George Thut, and Ed Grigsby.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the many heart-warming kindnesses shown us after the death of our beloved mother.

The Family of Mattie Graham

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average Texas summer tempera-

tures. Eggs deteriorate even more rapidly in hotter weather.

What does egg cooling mean to the egg producer? It has several advantages: 1. He gets a higher price per dozen for his quality eggs because the ultimate con-

sumer is willing to pay more for eggs that he knows are quality, 2. He is assured of a constant mar-ket because cooled eggs are a bet-ter edible food product. 3. He needs

to make fewer trips to market, thereby saving on hauling costs and time. 4. Obviously the invest-

ment in egg cooling equipment will more than pay off.

What kind of cooling equipment will do both the cooling and hu-midifying job needed to maintain quality? Tests at the Texas Agri-

cultural Extension Service found that refrigerative equipment must

be used, and that, in general, a twelve case cooler will handle the production from 1,800 laying hens by marketing twice weekly. The cost, expressed in terms of kilo-

watt hours used, is only 11/2 kilowatt hours of electricity per case of eggs cooled. This is indeed

cheap insurance for keeping your market eggs at top quality. Inci-dentally, those who have tried evaporative egg coolers found that

mold to develop on the eggs.

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five to seven days.

Mrs. Boyett's Pupils Play in Pampa

Nine students from Mrs. Willie Boyett's piano classes played in the National Guild of Piano the Teachers audition at Pampa last week. Mrs. A. Ragaini of New York City was the judge. Martina Giesler, Mike Tindall,

Janice Saunders, Sharon Sitter,

Dilbeck, Laura Mae Switzer and Dorthy Pakan played 10 numbers each, and Margie Railsback played Entertainment featured a May six numbers. All won ratings for pole, and the honoree's streamer certificates and pins which will be ing. Lester Sitter, Nancy Jean in the audition because of illness Adults attending from McLean were Mrs. L. F. Giesler, Mrs. O. Morris, Petie Everett, T. A. L. Tibbets, Mrs. Miro Pakan, Mrs. Frank Rodgers, Mrs. Spencer Smith, Rush Turner, Ples Rhea, Sitter, Mrs. George Saunders, Mrs. Forrest Switzer, Mrs. Willie

Meets Monday

D. Tindall.

The Alanreed WMU met at the Saptist church Monday with eight members, the visitor and three children present. Mrs. Alice Cole opened the meeting in the ab sence of the president.

Mrs. Cole brought the devotional and comment from Psalms 37:29-40. The opening prayer was by Mrs. Ada Simmons. Money was in charge of the Bible lesson on the 19th chapter of The meeting was dismissed by Mrs. Glass leading the Lord's Prayer. Quilting was resumed.

Refreshments of iced tea and cookies were served by Opal Stapp to the following: one visitor, Mrs. Sally Palmer; Mesdames Alice Cole, Alma Glass, Ada Simmons, Gail Cole, Inez Gibson, Mildred Simmons, and Bonnie Mooney; and three children, Barbara Gail Cole, Murrell Wayne Simmons and Diane Gib-

Intermediates of

Baptist Church Have Social

The Baptist intermediate 13-14 car-old girls' Sunday School class had a social April 30 at 6 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taylor. Misses Louvera Taylor and Michal Massay were hostesses. Popcorn balls and cool aid were served to class members and 20

Class members attending were Gail Day, Rita Brown, Peggy Sharp, Judy Wyatt, Adella Vineyard, Alice Cunningham, Lequita Wells, Winnie Martindale, Shirley Gudgel, Jeanetta Davis, and the hostesses.

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"for better eggs and better prices, the eggs should be gathered often and cooled immedietely," says Herbert Hunt, because eggs, like milk, are a perishable product," Mr. Hunt coals the production from a flock of 400 heat on his Cloude, Texas form. He uses a twelve case cooler. In the picture Mr. Hunt, left, and Jack Stallings, Universal Mills feed representative, comine cooled eggs.

The ME Lean Nous McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1956

IT MUST BE STOPPED!

Circles of Baptist WMS Meet Tuesday

Mrs. Homer Abbott's circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met in the church parlor Tuesday afternoon for mission study. The book studied was "Sacrifice and Song."

Mrs. A. L. Day served refreshbank, Edna Graham, Mildred Day, T. A. Langham, Safrona Cash, Bunia Kunkel, Leo Gibson, Homer Abbott and Joe Suderman

The Oleta Snell circle met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Joe Simpson for Bible study.

Mrs. R. L. McDonald offered the opening prayer and Mrs. E G. Edwards led the Bible study.

Those present were Mesdames Buell Wells, Leroy Williams, J. L. Mann, Raymond Smith, Clar-

ence Voyles, L. F. Giesler, O. L. Tibbets, McDonald, Edwards and

Mrs J. L. Mann for mission study.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodman | keep your engine running clean, and children, Dennis and Deborah, of Amarillo visited their parents ments to Mesdames George Cole- and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman, and family over the week-end.

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Mr. and Mrs Curtis James and

Sunday.

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Jr., and family.

Stark of Amarillo.

children of Shamrock visited in and son, John, visited Mrs. C. P. the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Callahan in the Shamrock hospital Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Langham and Turkey Sunday and Monday. Martindale Sunday.

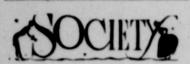
Don Crockett of Tyler Junior Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace and College visited his parents, Mr. daughter, Othelia, spent the weekand Mrs. Emory Crockett, over end in Hereford with their daughthe week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Webster of Amarillo visited his sister, Mrs. Pat Carmichael, and family over children of Borger visited Dora the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Tedder have built a new home five miles out

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rigdon of of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Borger visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott, during the week-end.

Mrs. Hal Mounce visited in Pampa the first of the week.



Music Students To Present Program

Celebrating National Music Week, Mrs. Willie Boyett will present her pupils in a program of music consisting of songs, and trios.

The program will be held at Mrs. Smokey Price. the McLean Methodist Church Friday. Grade school students will play at 7:30 p. m. and high school students at 8:30.

Mrs. Leslie Talbert will present several members of her expression class in the 7:30 program.

The public is cordially invited to attend either or both programs.

WSCS Meets Tuesday Afternoon

The Methodist WSCS met Tuesday afternoon for another program on "To Combine Our Efforts for Lasting Peace." In the absence of Mrs. Marvin Fisher, Mrs. J. L. Hess directed the

program. The program opened with the theme song, with Mrs. O. G. Stokely at the piano. Others having a part on the program were Mesdames Charles Carpenter, J. E. Kirby, Hess, and H. A.

Mrs. Madge Page conducted the business session.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank my friends for your kindness while I was in the gifts and many kindnesses.

Mrs. C. P. Callahan Monday.

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T. R. Langham and son, Jackie, of Gallup, N. M., visited in Mc-

granddaughter, Beverly Harlan, of Saturday afternoon. Skellytown, visited over the weekend in Oklahoma City with Mr and Mrs. J. B. Kibler.

Sunday visitors in the Rush | Luttrell of Wichita, Kans., Mrs. Ansel Luttrell and two sons of son of Skellytown visited Dora Leila Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Bill and Buel Watt over the week-Kelly and son, Mike, of California, and a number of McLean relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rhodes of April 28, in Canyon. Lean last week with Mr. and Mrs. Hereford and Mr. and Mrs. Dusty T. A. Langham. The two families Rhodes of McLean visited with from the McLean clubs were en- ories?

Mrs. Era A. Kibler, accompaniter of Pampa visited Mr. and contest. Rosic Lee Smith and 19c a pound! ied by Mrs. W. F. Harlan and Mrs. Amos Page and children Glenda Smith entered the vege- That's the dialogue in one of

flocks or herds.

Mrs. T. A. Massay has returned | contest. Turner home were Mr. and Mrs. home after a six weeks visit with Ralph Lattimer and Raymond relatives in Florida and Georgia.

4-H Club News Report

The District 4-H elimination contests were held Saturday, Happy Days!

In this contest, eight students table foods demonstration contest, the sequences in Paul Gregory's Nancy Tate entered the dairy "The Night of the Hunter," which Gregarious anima's live in foods demonstration contest, and stars Robert Mitchum, Shelly

were: the pantomiming band, 3rd in "Share the Fun"; the vegetable | West Virginia. demonstration team, 4th; the dairy foods team, 4th; and the on tonight (Thursday) at the public speaking contestant, 2nd. Derby Drive-In Theatre,

Does this bring back fond mem-

went to Childress Friday to visit relatives and friends in Spur and tered. Jerry Stubblefield, Orphus | Lillian Gish argues with a store Tate, Jerry Kunkel and Bob keeper about the price of coffee Weaver of the grade school boys - which is quite normal but she Mrs. Graham Reeves and daugh- club entered the "Share the Fun" complains that it's too high at

Sue Evans the public speaking Winters and Miss Gish, directed

by Charles Laughton for United Places earned in the contests Artists release.

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Roy Byrd of Canyon was the speaker at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harlan, Sr., of 'Alanreed and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Smith of McLean attended the Shriner convention in Amarillo Monday.

ter and sister, Mrs. Floyd Walton,

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson and

Week-end visitors in the home

of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Fuller were Mr. and Mrs. Coke Harlowe

Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Don

and Buel Watt over the week-

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase, Mrs. J. H. Bradley and little Drew Jolly visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Barber in Amarillo Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor piano and accordion solos, duets of Friona spent Sunday in McLean visiting in the home of Mr. and

> James Fulbright of Abilene preached at the McLean Church of Christ Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Greer spent last week in Littlefield visiting their son Mackie Greer, and

Mrs. Clifford Allison visited in Amarillo Thursday. Mrs. Mike Murff and daughters returned ome with her to attend the rodeo.

Misses Betty Hess and Bonita Bailey visited Bonita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Garland of Clarendon visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Beck Saturday night.

Dale Glass of Canyon visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Glass, over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Moore

and children of Amarillo visited in the J. I. Martindale home Wednesday.

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For Sale—My home in McLean. R. L. Appling. Box 742, Phone 1621F12. 9-tfc

For Sale-Ford tractor with equipment; 1952 International pick-up; 8-foot trailer; John Deere fertilizer distributor. C. E. Hunt.

For Sale-Fryers, fresh eggs, and print feed sacks. Phone 1600F3. Mrs. Roy McCracken.

For Sale-Little H John Deere tractor, fully equipped; 11 ft. deepfreeze. R. L. Appling. 19-tfc

For Sale-The house we are now living in. See George Terry. Carpets in living room, 1 bedroom and hall.

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Graperfruit was so named because it sometimes grows in

The first execution for witchcraft in the U.S. took place in

Laboratory tests show that women are more sensitive to touch

POLITICAL

The McLean News is authorized to armounce the following candidates for the office under which there is appear such appears to the control of their names appear, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held July 28, 1956.

For Representative (87th Dist): GRAINGER McILHANY (Re-Election)

Constable, Precinct 5: J. D. FISH (Re-Election)

For Sheriff of Gray County: R. H. (Rufe) JORDAN (Re-election

JOE H. GREEN County Attorney: DON CAIN (Re-Election)

Tax Assessor-Collector: JACK BACK (Re-Election)

News of Soil

Let us illustrate, on one of the farms S. D. Winegart operates. He asked for technical help from the district to run level contour lines. The lines were run and last spring when the spring rains came, the run-off on other farms was quite severe while Mr. Winegert retained almost all of the rainfall on his contour listed land. The result of this operation made it possible for him to harvest about 2,000 pounds of grain, this 4862 in Pampa. being above average production last fall. This contour farming is part of Mr. Winegert's complete conservation plan.

Emphasis should be placed on the fact that it is not the technician's job to write the conservation plan and give it to the operator. The plan must be the plan of the farmer himself, tailormade to his own needs, with the technicians helping him to work it out. A conservation plan, to be fully useful and serve its purpose, must be adaptable to meet the present needs of the owner and his land. One of the kaffir and maize, from certified date. Frequent reviews and alterations may be necessary.

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The hundreds of richly costum-

ed extras, Star Danny Kaye, and Rathbone, Angela Lansbury and Cecil Parker, cavort about the premises of a great castle—re-produced down to the last intrirate, ornate detail—and in the forests and towns of the turbu-

Crown Prince Kaye portrays a a plot to unseat the king, is never more than a jump ahead of the headsman. A Paramount film.

Air Force Buddy Flight Planned

cruiting detachment in Amarillo, announced this week that plans are under way to enlist a buddy flight from the Panhandle area, with a tentative enlistment date of May 23.

cruiter, explained that the buddy tenant. plan permits a group of boys to enlist together and have assurance of remaining as a group at taking place in a lavish Cali-least through basic training. Sgt. fornia beach house, and Joseph Neal invites anyone Interested in Pevney's direction keeps romance this program to write him at and suspense at a high peak Pampa or call collect at No. throughout "Female on

'Female on the Beach' Is Fiery Film, Has Excellent Cast

Joan Crawford, Jeff Chandler and Jan Sterling will sizzle across the screen at the Derby Drive-In Theatre Friday and Saturday in a fiery, suspenseful film from Universal-International, titled 'Female on the Beach.'

The well-woven plot concerns a young, wealthy widow who falls prey to the amorous advances of a handsome young beachcomber who makes lonesome, wealthy widows a profitable hobby. The presentation of this story pulls no punches, and the film emerges as perhaps the most entertaingly

Joan Crawford, as the young widow, is more glamorous and exciting than ever, if this is possible. Her performance is highkey perfection, whether she is Co-stars Glynnis Johns, Basil the calm, sophisticated woman who has control of every emotion, or the frightened, hysterical fe-male on the beach who believes that she is marked for murder. Jeff Chandler, the beachcomber, turns in what amounts to almost two completely separate performances, both of them excellent. In court entertainer who, involved in the one, he is the brash, handsome young man whose business it is to charm lonely women out of their hearts and their fortunes.

Crawford. Jan Sterling is tops as a small Capt. Chester W. Sorenson, town real-estate woman who is commander of the Air Force re- also in love with the redoubtable

and in the other he is the strong. quiet- and honest-lover of Miss

Cecil Kellaway and Natalie Schafer are outstanding in the roles of Chandler's accomplices, as is Judith Evelyn as one of Chandler's ill-fated widows, and T/Sgt. Bill Neal, Pampa re- Charles Drake as a police lieu-

Production by Albert Zugsmith is lush, with most of the action

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