# **PLAIN**

Jack Douglas of the Gray County Soil Conservation Service sent us the following advertisement that appeared in a recent issue of one of their publications. It brings a good message and we are reprinting it here:

FOR SALE

1 East Texas Farm (Top Half Washed to the Gulf of Mexico—Minerals Gone with

Top Soil.)
All Fields Suitable to Wash. 37 Gullies, 4 feet to 9 feet deep

(due to grow larger).

1 Empty House, doors and windows missing, lean-to, 2 rooms and a path.

1 Leaning Barn, to be moved

n account of lack of storage for

50 Bales of Mixed Grasses, mostly tickle grass.

72 Bales of Poorjoe, Rosin
Weeds and Goat Weeds.

4 Mineral Deficient Cows. They

are gentle, used to being tailed up in the winter. Guaranteed to have ricketts and no calves. % mile of fence with plenty beling wire for repairs. 1 Sow and 2 Pigs; would eat

17 Hens, used to roosting in Acres of Overcut Timber

een burned recently.
Other articles too worthless to Reason for Selling: Owner go-

ing to work for a West Texas CONSERVATION FARMER who has taken care of his soil.

Join hands with your Gray
County Soil Conservation District.

Conservation does not cost . . . .

### Hungarian Relief **Fund Surpasses** Quota in McLean

The following McLean residents nd business men made it possible for the town to exceed its part of the national quota for the Hungarian relief fund set up by the American Red Cross.

McLean's part of the quota was \$85, and the latest tally showed that more than \$125 had been raised, Drive Chairman Boyd Meador said this week. Those other festivities sponsored by the making donations are listed be- | citizens of Austin are very much

Bank \$5; J. M. Hathaway \$2; W. H. Brown, Jr., \$2; O. G. Stokery 1; Mrs. Nida Rippy Green \$5; uthwestern Public Service Co. 55; Jimmie Morris \$1; Ed Lander Pete Fulbright \$1; City of McLean \$5; Cooper's Foods \$5; W. C. Simpson \$1; Boyd Meador Insurance Agency \$5.

Mrs. Alice Short Smith \$15;

A. Cousins \$1; Methodist iders S. S. class \$15; Puckett's ood Store \$5; Era A. Kibler \$5; WSCS \$25; Miro Pakan \$1; Mrs. Boyett's class \$1; box at bank \$1.94; B. E. Glass \$5; C. H. Day \$2; total \$125.94.

## Mrs. Northcutt Wins Electric Train At Brown's Saturday

Mrs. Chester Northcutt was the nner of the 24-piece complete onel electric train set given vay by Brown's Rexall Drug re in McLean last Saturday. s part of its Gifts Galore Christ-

The winning ticket, drawn by Mayor Ed Lander, gave Mrs. Northcutt the award just in time for Christmas and culminated the two-weeks promotion at the drug

## BIRTHDAYS

Dec. 30-Delma Butrum, Judy

Dec. 31-Mrs. Lavada Cash, Lydia Ann Smith. Jan. 1—Glenda Smith, Betty m, Mrs. W. H. Floyd, Mrs.

Jan. 2—Clyde Allen Windon, Louise Dwight, Opal Patterson, Velma Pearl Baker.

Jan. 3—Pat Miller, Evelyn imbrell, Bobby Gilbreath, Allen

nwater, Joe Cooper.
an. 5—Mrs. John B. Rice, Mrs. Ab
Langham, Opal Watson, Jim
ans, Teresa Don Humphreys.
Springs.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

# The McLean News



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McLean, Gray County, Texas, Thursday, December 27, 1956.

No. 52.

VILLAGE



Clyde Brown was awarded \$21 in merchandise certificates at the Appreciation Day activity Satur-

Saturday evening, December 29, at 7:00 o'clock in the McLean Methodist Church. A reception will be held in the church parlor immediately following the wedding. Friends of the couple are invited to attend both wedding and reception.

### Plans Are Announced For Inauguration Of Governor Daniel

Governor-Elect Price Daniel has announced that Dr. Billy Graham, world-renowned evangel-ist, will be the main speaker at a dedicatory prayer breakfast preceding the inauguration in Austin on January 15.

Dr. Graham, a long-time friend of the new Texas governor, also will attend the inaugural ceremony at high noon.

Daniel himself asked that spir-

itual emphasis be added to his inaugural day schedule. He said: 'It is fitting that we open a new chapter in our state government by re-dedicating ourselves to those principles upon which Texas and our nation were founded, and I am happy that Billy Graham can be with us on this occasion.
"The parade, ceremonies and

appreciated and enjoyed by each new governor and his friends, but I am happy that this year we shall add emphasis on the importance of the moral and religious principles which are so necessary for proper guidance in the affairs of men and government."

The breakfast at the Driskill Hotel, starting at 8 a. m., will be sponsored by Christian Lead-ership, U. S. A., a non-denominational organization which sponsors the annual President's prayer breakfast in Washington, as well as weekly prayer groups for leaders of government, busi-ness, industry and labor. Daniel is national president of the

group.

Members of the legislature and other state officials will be invited to attend the breakfast. Zollie Steakley. Austin attorne who has been designated by Daniel as secretary of state, is chair-man of the local arrangements

ommittee. The sponsoring organization originated the weekly prayer breakfast groups attended many years by members of the United States Senate each Wednesday morning and by members of the House of Representatives each Thursday morning while

Congress is in session. There are now several hundred of such groups meeting through-out the United States and in most of the nations of the world. Their international association is headed by Senator Frank Carlson of Kansas as president and H. R. H. Princess Wilhelmina of the Neth-

erlands as honorary president.

Dr. Abraham Vereide of Washington, D. C., founder and diector of the organization, will attend the Austin meeting.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Railsback during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. George Railsback and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Railsback of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Tartain of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Cothan, Linda and David of Andrews; Mrs. Abbit Ezard of Lefors; and Mrs. Hattie Hatfield of Sipe

## FEED PROGRAM IS EXTENDED

for Farmers Home Administra-tion, this week advised James D. Gouldy, county supervisor, of the extension of the emergency feed program in Gray County.

Under this extension, farmers and ranchers may now file appli-cations through February 15, 1957, for a supply of feed grain neces-The wedding of Miss Barbara sary to carry their basic livestock Carter and Don Trew will be held through March 15, 1957.

McKay also advised that the emergency roughage program will be extended. However, there will be a delay in accepting applications for roughage until some time in earl; January since financial aspects of the program are being worked out in Wash-

## Mrs. Guyton Is Injured in Wreck Saturday Morning

Mrs. Raymond Guyton received slight injuries Saturday morning when the '51 Chevrolet she was driving was involved in a collis-ion with a '48 truck driven by a Quail man.

The accident occurred on Highway 66 about two-tenths of a mile east of McLean at about 10:30 a. m. Investigating officers reported that the truck changed lanes as Mrs. Guyton attempted to pass it.

Mrs. Guyton received bruises and a twisted ankle as a result of the accident.

Damage to the Guyton car was estimated at \$250 and it was reported that the truck was not damaged.

Texas Farm Bureau members will join with members from all over the nation during the next session of Congress in attempting to amend soil bank legislation to carry out Farm Bureau policies.

Many specific Farm Bureau recommendations are included in the Agricultural Act of 1956. However, at Miami Beach, Fla., December 13, delegates to the American Farm Bureau convention approved the following recommendations "in order that the soil bank may make a maximum contribution to the solution of our surplus problem":

(1) Maximum possible should be made of Commodity Credit Corporation stocks for payments in kind under the acreage reserve program. Certificates entitling producers to payments in grains other than rice should be interchangeable.

(2) No acreage placed in the soil bank under either the acreage reserve or the conservation should be harvested or grazed under any circumstances.

(3) Farmers placing land in either the acreage reserve or conservation reserve should be required to maintain the acreage of other land on the farm that normally is idle or devoted to uses that exclude it from the soil bank base.

(4) Producers desiring price supports should be required to place cropland in the soil bank in amounts determined by apply-ing a percentage factor to their acreage of price supported crops.
This recommedation is not intended to require a reduction of acreage devoted to alloted crops.
Producers would be free to meet this requirement either by plac-ing such amounts of their alloted acreage as they desire, in the would be earned.



DR. BUELL T. WELLS . . . resigns pastorate

## Dr. Buell T. Wells Resigns as Pastor Of Baptist Church

Dr. Buell T. Wells, pastor of the First Baptist Church almost seven years, tendered his resignation to the church following the Sunday morning service.

Dr. Wells has accepted a call to the B. H. Carroll Memorial Baptist Church in Fort Worth, and is to begin his work there January 13.

Dr. Wells came to the McLean church the first of April, 1950, from Bowling Green, Ky., where he had been serving as district field worker with the Southern Baptist Home Mission Board and Kentucky State Board of

Dr. Wells will be in McLean for two more Sundays, after which he and Mrs. Wells and their daughter, Lequita, will move to Fort Worth. They have a son Morris, who is a student at Way-land College in Plainview.

### **Tigerettes Defeat** Samnorwood Sextet: **Eagles Beat Tigers**

In a basketball game played o'clock. Building, the McLean Tigerettes won over the Samnorwood Eaglettes by a score of 70 to 61. Scoring honors for the McLean forwards were: Laura Mae Switzer 41, Marlene Gudgel, 19 and Geraldine McPherson 10.

The McLean Tigers the same evening lost to Samnorwood, 48 to 67. High point men for Me-Lean were Joe Howard with 15, Merie Hill 11, and David Woods

The next encounter for the local teams will be January 3, 4 and 5. when they enter the Lefors tourn-

## 34 Sewing Club Has Christmas Party Friday

The '34 Sewing Club met Friday. December 21, in the ho Mrs. Madge Page for a Christmas party. The house was gaily decorated in the traditional theme.

"The Hope of Christmas" was read by Mrs. C. M. Carpenter. Mrs. W. J. Foster told a Christmas story. Gifts were exchanged. The afternoon was spent in

playing games and visiting. Lovely refreshments were sery ed to Mesdames Carpenter, Foster, Martha Aldridge, Ella Cubine, C. H. Day, Byrd Guill, Allie Mae Herron, J. E. Kirby, Alice Wilson, Ellen Wilson, Noble Touchstone, Callie Haynes, C. S. Rice, A. Stanfield, Amos Thacker, and the hostess.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Baker Christmas Day were their children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Baker of Wichita, Kans.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Christie and children. Ernest Christie and children. Ernest Christie and Keith, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Baker. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Baker and children. Perky. Bob and Linda, all of Pampa; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilhite and son, Joel of Dallas.

donors. may we express our sindents over this corner in this corner in this community indeed a happy occasion with your many expressions of kindness toward us. Thank you very, very much!

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino doubt be honored, but through necessity rather than choice. In 1953 it was publicly indicated that dinner jackets or tuxedos were not formal dress in the occasion with your many expressions of kindness toward us. Thank you very, very much!

Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Longino definitely frowned upon. Black

## McLean Hospital And Clinic to Close After Next Monday

The McLean Hospital and Clinic will be closed after December 31, 1956, Dr. Norma Shultz announced Wednesday.

Dr. Shultz stated that she

intends to move from McLean in the near future and that after next Monday she would no longer operate the clinic.

### Student Recognition Service Set Sunday At Methodist Church

The Methodist college student will be recognized in a special service at the McLean Methodis Church Sunday afternoon at 5:0

The MYF will direct the pro gram, with Jimmy Allison, Floells Cubine, Lester Sitter, Betty Dick inson and Monta Kennedy par

The following students will be recognized: Floella Cubine, June Stubblefield, Virginia Beck, Barbara Carter, Bonita Bailey, Donna Magee, James Jolly, Rodney Gunn, Bob Black, Rickey Mantooth, James Dale Andrews, David Wilson, B. W. Duncan, Neal Shull and Gale Plummer.

"We want to recognize our seniors of '57 also: Monta Ken-nedy, Betty Dickinson, Joel Wil-son and Bob Stubblefield," Jack Riley, pastor, said. "We welcome others who are home from college to be in the service also," the pastor concluded.

## Formal Dance Set For Teen Town **Tomorrow Night**

A formal dance is planned for the next meeting of Teen Town which will be held at the American Legion Hall Friday night, December 28, beginning at 8

furnished by the Mello Aires

Admission price has been set at \$1.00 per couple or \$1.00 each for stags. The admission price was set in order to encourage more couples to attend, it was an-

## Massay Home Scene Family Gathering

The home of Mrs. T. A. Massay was the scene of a very festive Mr. and Mrs. Jack W. Bohannon

of Gainesville, Fla., made tire trip to McLean to join guests from Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson N. Reedy, and others for a nice visit. Mrs. Bohannon is the former Juanita Massay, and Mrs. Reedy is the former Thelma

From Hollywood, Calif., came Mr. and Mrs. David W. Fouts and their baby son, Davy, en route to the former Carolyn Bohannon.

Also at the holiday gathering were Mr. and Mrs. James Massay and their children, Michal, David and Paul, of McLean.

### Longinos Thank Friends for Christmas Gift

On Thursday of last week a few of our friends, acting in behalf of themselves and many others, installed a 21-inch televis ion set in our home. You caught us totally by surprise and since we do not have a list of the donors, may we express our sin

WORK TO BEGIN SOON:

## El Paso Natural Gas Deal Okayed

El Paso Natural Gas Company is scheduled to begin soon the colaying of 78 miles of 18-inch gas pipe line from the four corner area of Gray. Wheeler, Collingsworth and Donley counties to connect with compasy facilities at Dumas.

The go-ahead for the pipe line was given Thursday following Federal Power Commission approval of El Paso's purchase of 78 gas wells and approximately 125,000 acres of leases in the area from Harrington, Marsh & Wagner and Murmanill Corporation of Dallas for \$35,000,000, second largest gas transaction in the history of the Panhandle field.

Representatives of the companies involved met in Dallas and signed the contract Thursday morning following the FPC action, which was on a split decision.

Anticipating FPC approval of the deal, El Paso already has 50 carloads of pipe on the ground at Shamrock. The company will also build an 81,000 horsepower compressor station in the McLean-Alanreed area.

Futher plans call for El Paso to drill an additional 326 gas wells on the acreage during the next four years.

## Congressman Rogers Reports-

Take Me Out to the Ball (Inaugural, That is)

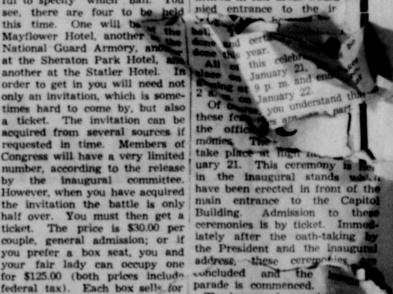
ful to specify "which" ball. You attired in full dress would by see, there are four to be held this time. One will be Mayflower Hotel, another National Guard Armory, and at the Sheraton Park Hotel, an another at the Statler Hotel. In the sheraton is the sheraton Park Hotel, and another at the Statler Hotel. In the sheraton Park Hotel, and another at the Statler Hotel. In the sheraton Park Hotel, and another at the Statler Hotel. order to get in you will need not only an invitation, which is sometimes hard to come by, but also a ticket. The invitation can be these requested in time. Members of Congress will have a very limited number, according to the release the inaugural committee. However, when you have acquired the invitation the battle is only half over. You must then get a ticket. The price is \$30.00 per couple, general admission; or if you prefer a box seat, you and your fair lady can occupy one for \$125.00 (both prices include

\$500.00 and it will bear four

couples. The insugaral committee has assured everyone that the Presi-dent and Mrs. Eisenhower and Vice President and Mrs. Nixon will attend each function. So, if you will go to one of the balls when it begins, and stay put, you will be certain to be in attendance some tmie during the evening with both the President and Vice President. The committee has also assured that cabinet members, members of the Supreme Court, ambassadors of foreign nations, governors and members of the 85th Congress will be invited in equal numbers to each location. Also, that identical programs, decorations and entertainment are planned at each function. I don't suppose there would be any objection if a person wanted to attend all four functions and thereby reduce the cost to \$7.50 per function. However, with Washington traffic what it is, you would probably spend more time between the different locations than you did attending the

Dress will be formal, meaning white tie and a long-tailed coat. Dinner jackets or tuxedos will, no doubt be honored, but through

Anyone making the above re- the President had so decreed. It quest in 1957 should be very care- was rumored that anyone not



The inaugural commi District of Columbia he parade seats all along t These may be purchas of these seats are known ferred" seats and will range in price from \$7 \$18.75 per seat. However not necessary for one (Continued on back



Mr. and Mrs. Bill M









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## 40 Years Ago-

Taken From the Files of

Real estate transfers have been nusually active during the past few weeks and the number and importance of deals closed and in the process of closing attest to the fact that prosperity is aparent in this splendid section of the Panhandle in spite of the fact of a short crop during the past season. Among the numerous deals that are reported, we chron-

icle the following: W. H. Bates & Son to mex Chapman of Lipscomb, transferring the well known Bates Ranch | consisting of near 10,000 acres. It is understood the consideration is more than \$50,000 for the land alone, as the cattle are retained by Mr. Bates.

D. J. Rowden to J. O. Quattlebaum of Chillicothe, conveying a half section of land known as the Rowden place west of town. This is a well improved farm home and the consideration is between 6 and 7 thousand dollars.

D. W. Turner to W. E. Sweatt of Memphis, transferring a quarter section east of town. This is Advertisements also a splendidly improved farm make his home. The considera- and it's simply fine. Bellinger. tion was not made public.

L. O. Floyd to L. E. Beck of of-we have your number. Me-Lakeview, conveying a half sec- Lean Shoe Store. Hudgins place, northwest of town. farms and ranches. Get it while Mr. Beck intends moving there to you can. Jeff Earp.

in and Patsy Pickett of California.

California.

California.

James D James D Mexico Mil Well spent of McLean.

Mr and Mrs. T. A. Langham. rs. W. L. Brown, and Mr. and rs. G. F. Baker ate Christmas

er Sunday in the home of and Mrs. Ervin Baker in

e Pat Shelton of WTSC in

Mr. and Mrs. June Woods.

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nan of Texas A. & ollege Station visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. ring he Christmas

and Mrs. Guy Hibler and er. Suzanne, of Bartlesville, visited last week with her McLean with Mr. and G. Stokely.

Mrs. Lucille Gaines of Tulsa, da., visietd last week with her lighter and family, Mr. and Mrs. lie Everett and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Longino of Denver, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Longino and three boys of Tyler visited Rev. and Mrs.

A Longino during the Chris-

week.

ts, Mr. and

chased the A. B. Fortner place J. H. Hudgins to Sam Kunkel, conveying his home place in Mc Lean, the consideration being

J. A. Ashby, representing the Lindley heirs, has sold to Atrhur Erwin the vacant lot just south of the Erwin Drug Co., the consideration being private.

W. R. Stokes to J. T. Litchfield of Wellington, conveying his half section of land east of town. This farm is well improved and will be occupied by Mr. Litchfield as

T. D. Cocks to J. M. Noel, two sections of ranch land northwest of town, the consideration not being made public.

Mrs. Minnie Shook also sold to J. M. Noel her town house just north of the Noel home, consisting of a quarter block of land and a three-room house.

M. V. Vermillion to J. N. Sublett, conveying the Vermillion farm east of town, consisting of a quarter section. This place is improved and Mr. Sublett will occupy it as a home in the future.

Hey, there!! Come a-running and it is understood Mr. Sweatt with your bucket. . I have that contemplates moving on it to barrel of absolutely pure honey, More boots than you ever heard

tion of land known as the Howard Plenty of money to loan on

Almost at your own price-

Walser to A. L. Nelson of Christmas oranges, apples and oranges, apples and carrier on display at Bellinger's.

You will want to wear shoes walter and is a spiendid for the whole family. McLean Mr. Nelson is a son of Shoe Store.

> James Dale Andrews of New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Simpson

and sons spent Christmas in Pampa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty at-tended the wedding of their daugh-ter, Mrs. Zora Kennedy, to Calvin L. Pickett in Amarillo Saturday

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turday night and Kellerville; and Mr. and Mrs.

ere Mr. and Mrs. Calvin W. N. Starnes and sons, who are

Vernon Kennedy and moving to Pennsylvania from

ne Woods of Texas A. & lege in College Station is g the holidays with his GAS-TOONS

Gunn, and other relatives.

Don Crockett of Tyler Junior College is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Crockett.

Bob Stubbs of Texas Tech in be worked out, Dana Williams of Lubbock spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill State Teachers Association, said. The program also corrects cer-

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Andrews and family spent Christmas in Tucumcari, N. M., visiting rela-

## Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Gunn of State Teachers Head El Paso spent the Christmas holi-day with his mother, Mrs. Odessa Says Increased Salary Possible

The proposed salary increase for Texas public school teachers is an emergency measure to provide teachers for Texas children until more lasting provisions can

A complete citizens study of teacher salaries and school building needs will be made between now and the convening of the 56th legislature in 1959, he ex-

Mrs. W. F. Harrell of Ballinger Although the immediate request provide solutions to these current visited her sisters, Mrs. Rish calls for an increase in the state pressing problems," William's Phillips and Mrs. Milton Carminimum pay of \$399, the instance. penter, during the Christmas creased annual increments will provide most Texas teachers with creasing at the rate of more than declared

## The III Sean News McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1936

at present. This represents an additional \$180 increase for those

The program also corrects certain inequities in salaries of

From the conferences of citizens studying salary and building needs will come "realistic recommendations which should provide solutions to these current

"Texas school population is in-

The plan calls for salary raises will be in our classrooms. Texas classrooms and to permit more of \$90 per year for the first five will need by that time 4,000 ad-years of service, compared to \$54 ditional teachers to teach the new desirable young college graduatchildren and to replace thousands es," he added. of experienced teachers who leave

the classrooms each year. This situation creates a serious emerg- fessional sport until 1926. ency which I believe the legis-lature will put among its top problems to be solved at the session convening in January.

"This salary increase request is modest indeed in the light of the increasing cost of living and of the salary increases which have been granted to employees in the various trades and industries of the state and nation," Williams

a \$579 pay raise, Williams point- 100,000 per year." he said. "By "It will serve as an emergency ed out." 1960 an additional 350,000 children measure to keep teachers in

Tennis did not become a pro-

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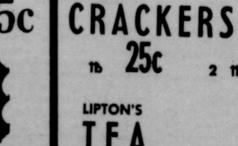
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## Zora P. Kennedy. Calvin Pickett United in Marriage

In a double-ring ceremony Sat-urday, December 22, Zora P. Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Petty of McLean, and Calvin L. Pickett of Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pickett of Amarillo, were united in mar-

at the South Lawn Baptist Church in Amarillo by Rev. Cordell Bales,

Nora Loveland of Abilene was matron-of-honor for her twin sister. Keith Pickett, brother of the groom, was best man.

Keith Brown, church organist, played traditional wedding music. The bride is a graduate of McLean High School and attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. She is employed by the Texas Highway Department in Amarillo.

The groom is a graduate of Amarillo High School and is em-ployed at the Ponca Wholesale Mercantile Company in Amarillo.

The couple is at home at 1003

W. 48th in Amarillo.

## CHURCH

to run their activity cal-

10:55 a. m. 5:00 p. m 6:00 p. m.

he public, to attend any or the assrvices. Make plans to ad every Sunday. Jack Riley, Paster

First Presbyterian Church Bible School 10 a. 10 a. m. Fellowship 6 p. m.

Ladies Auxiliary 2:20 Tuesday
The Mission of Our Church:
To provide the public worship of
God; to preach the redeeming
love of Christ; to comfort the
sorrowing and help the needy;
to create the spirit of Christian ip; to serve the comthe nation, and a needy this is the mission of

You are invited to all services

Church of Christ

10 a. m. 10:50 a. m. 11:45 a. m. Evening preaching 7:00 p. m.

ses, all ages, 7:30 p.m. and support. You sreh and the church "We apeak the truth Eph. 4:15. You are

F. Doggett, Minister

11 a. m 6:30 p. m.

Get Your Faith

T. Wells, Pastor

11 a. m.

## Andrews and Nashs Give Christmas Party Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Andrews and Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Nash entertained Saturday night with a drop-in party at the Andrews home. The house was beautifully decorated with Christmas arrangements in every room.

Refreshments of lime punch and cookies were served by Misses Marsha Andrews, Penny Rogers and Nancy Meacham.

### Mrs. Page Honored On Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page honored his mother, Mrs. Madge Page. with a birthday dinner Sunday,

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cooper and three sons, Marvin Lee and Earl Page of Pampa and David of Harlingen. and Janice, James and Jill Page

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Day of Me-Lean and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Day and daughter, Karen, of Perryton were Sunday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. David McGahey

Harl Moore of WTSC. Canyon, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore.

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

## AVALON

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Friday, Saturday:

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"THE SEARCHERS"

VistaVision

Wednesday, Thursday:

"D DAY—THE 6TH OF JUNE"

In CinemaScope

Robert Taylor, Dana Wynter Richard Todd, Edmund O'Brien



you?" asked the farmer driving up to the tree where his hired man had taken shelter

from an electrical storm.
"Well," stammered the hired man, still excited, "I don't know, but my pipe wasn't lit before."

to the map during a current events class to locate India. He found it with no trouble and then informed the class, It's right here on the 25-yard line." A fifth-grade boy was sent

When you make your resolutions remember to include our Chevron service station. Visit us regularly in 1957.

Chevron Gas Station ODELL MANTOOTH Trucile Cooper of Oklahoma City visited with relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. Elmo Whaley Sunday were her mother, Mrs. Crazer, her

sisters, Miss Pat Crazer of Washington, D. C., Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCool of Dumas, Mr. and

Mrs. O. W. Appleby of Pampa. Debbie and Barry Farreil of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Farreil

Tibbits and children and Mr. and

Mrs. A. G. Kesterson and of two

Mrs. R.-A. Wood and family of Amarillo visited during the holi-days with her mother Mrs. J. A.

during the Chrismas holidays.

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children of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Lee, Jr., and daughter, Carla, of Dallas visited Mrs. Lee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank, during the hoi-

Mr. and Mrs. George Orrick and children visited relatives in Pempa

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Brown of Lubbock were here during the Christmas holidays visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Ledg-

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke and family of Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooke and family of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke and fam-ily of Phillips visited their par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cooke,

The ME Lean News ... McLEAN, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1956

County Agent Thomas Stresses Importance Of Tax Management

Income tax management is or ranch business, says County Agent Ralph Thomas. There is a wide variation in farmers' annual income because of changes in production, prices and costs. This normally increases the income tax they have to pay unless

taxes the past year, Thomas con-Bob Way of Amarillo visited tinued but he can start now and Mrs. J. A. Sparks during the do something about his 1957 Christmas holidays. taxes. Complete records are or by dropping him a card and

penses at any time to determine his buying and selling for the remainder of the year. Simple ery important part of the farm records are all that are neces-

Thomas said that he has a supply of 1956 farmers' tax guides which have complete information on income and self-employment taxes. This booklet has illustrations showing how each form should be filled out, and shows There is not much he can do how deductions of various kinds about the management of his can be made. Tohmas said these booklets may be had free of charge either by visiting the county agent's office in Pampa,

one will be sent through the mail.

The fireman who steers the rear end of a hook and ladder truck is called a tiller man.

Mrs. Norris Cunningham has been appointed

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10 fb bag **SPUDS** 49c

Central American

₱ 15c Bananas

**Potatoes** 123c

Lettuce 15c

Lux 2 10 25c

Regular size 31c Breeze

63c Rinso Blue

DOG 2 cans 27C FOOD

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## McLEAN LAUNDRY will be closed

Monday and Tuesday



New State Appointments

First appointment of Incoming Governor Price Daniel is that of new secretary of state. Chosen for the job was Zollie Steakley, 48-year-old Austin and Sweetwater

Steakley will succeed Tom Reavely in the \$15,000-a-year Term of office runs concurrently with the governor's. Duties are many. Included are granting of corporate charters, approving securities issues, handl-

Gerald Mann and Grover Sellers. has been in private practice in Austin for the past 10 years. He said he will sever all connections with his law firm before taking

Scores of other pending appointments promise to spice Texas news through the holidays and into the new year. In some cases, the issue is, not only who will be appointed, but who will do the appointing. After he is inaugurated, Daniel will have some 200 posts to fill. Incoming Attorney General Will Wilson can appoint 43 assistants.

But some 70 vacancies in state agencies, college boards and judicial posts will occur before Governor Shivers leaves office January 15. He can make these appointments or leave them to his successor. Custom varies. In a few past instances, sharp controversy has arisen between outgoing and incoming executives as to who should make these "twilight appointments.

Other appointments already an-

To the Insurance Commission John Osorio, 35--year-old Austin attorney and executive secretary to the governor, by Gov. Shivers. Osorio will replace Byron Saunders, who leaves January 1 to take a Dallas insurance job. Osorio's new job pays \$15,000 a year; term runs until February, If he inherits Saunders assignment on the commission, he will have supervision of the life

pointed by Will Wilson.

Ludium will head the gas
and water section. De Guerin assistant. Rotsch will be special trial assistant, and Chandler will chairman of the opinion com

## ROGERS ---

view the parade to purchase There are many vantage points from which a good view

Anyone desiring to attend the inauguration and to see practically every member of the officia family, as well as the Senate and House of Representatives, and the governors of most of the states, should begin now to make arrange ments to obtain such tickets as they might desire. Incoome Tax

The Treasury Department has inounced that the "Farmers' Tax Guide" is now available and can be obtained at all internal revenue offices and at the offices of county agricultural agents.

It has also announced a 112-page publication styled "Your Federal This is for use of Income Tax." individuals and contains much helpful information.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Bond left Friday afternoon for Kingston, Okla., in response to a message Bernice Bird, who was involved in an auto accident. Funeral services for Mrs. Bird were to be held in Liberty, Texas.

Mrs. Scotty Rockwell and daughter. Delores. Mrs. Gene Turner and daughter, Vivian Sue of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Curtis and son of Lefors; and Mrs. M. C. Burdine visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peirce Christmas Day.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dwyer of Groom spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Faris Hess.

Andy Nelson of Dimmitt visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peirce Monday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. Lloyd Hunt and children of Idalou spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and

## **DUVAL COUNTY, USA"**

This is the first in a series of ten articles by New York newspaper reporters Frederick Hodgson and Franz Rosenwald, who recently spent several weeks in Duval Co. and South Texas, gathering facts for this series.

STORY NO. I

## Ballots, Bullets, Beatings, Booty: That's The Story of Duval County

By--FREDERICK HODGSON

NUEVO LAREDO, MEX.--We,
Franz Rosenwald and I, have just
been looking over the parking lot
where a dark, baby-faced pistolero, Alfredo Cervantes, abandoned his big green automobile,
Texas license EL2340, a few
hours after he'd killed young
Jacob Floyd in Alice, Texas, 86
miles away.

To non-Texans looking in, to
observers such as Franz Rosenwald and myself, the political
situation in Duval County is utterly fantastic—and frightening.

That it can happen here, in
America, the home of the free,
brings one's thinking up with a
jolt.

Dictatorship developed in Duval
because the right set of political
irrumataness systed. And with

Hitler's Germany, or red, white and blue as in Parr's Duval, follow the same pattern—ballots, beatings, bullets and booty. The ballots are phony but the others are real. All four figure in the story of Duval County, Texas.

With one of the killers, a professional murderer, a hired pistolero.

And we'll tell the story in terms of real, live people, the people who, like the men of the Alamo, of San Jacinto, of Goliad, are brown shirts, and who doesn't like story of Duval County, Texas.

Back in April of this year Rosenwald and I called John Ber Shepperd long distance from New York and talked about a book know, not because of what's hap-pened there but to prevent a re-occurrence anywhere in the coun-

doned his big green automobile. Texas license ELE340, a few bings one's thinking up with a brigge one that the brigge of the thinking up with a brigge one that the brigge of the thinking up with a brigge of the proper of the thinking up with a brigge of the thinking up with a brigge of the proper of the thinking up with a brigge of the proper of the thinking up with a brigge of the and the thinking up with a brigge of the thinkin



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