

PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

If present plans are carried out McLean will have the best rodeo in years when the whole town goes western June 7, 8 and 9.

Tentative plans call for a pony express relay race from Shamrock to McLean with members of neighboring roping clubs participating.

This season the local rodeo will be jointly sponsored by the American Legion post, the Lions Club and the McLean Roping Club. With representatives from all of the organizations working together, this year's event promises to top all previous ones.

Representatives from the three sponsoring organizations are: Lions Club, John C. Haynes and C. P. Hamilton; American Legion, Jim Hathaway and Creed Lamb; and Bob Sherrod and Felton Webb for the Roping Club.

This is FHA week throughout the nation. Mayor Ed Lander proclaimed the week to be observed locally but in our report we got our letters mixed up and it came out "FFA." It is really the girls' week and McLean has a very active organization. Monta Kennedy is president of the local FHA and Mrs. Paralee Coleman is the sponsor.

Last week we received a letter from the Registered Aberdeen-Angus Breeders Association in St. Joseph, Mo., stating that George Saunders had purchased 50 pure-bred Aberdeen-Angus cows and NINETEEN BULLS. According to George, the report of the bulls was greatly exaggerated. He only bought three.

REVEILLE



... with the boys

2nd Lt. James Broome Graduates from Army Missile School

Fort Bliss.—Second Lt. James R. Broome, son of Jesse J. Broome of Kellerville, recently was graduated from the Army's Anti-aircraft Artillery and Guided Missile School at Fort Bliss.

He completed the anti-aircraft artillery officers basic course which included training with the radar-controlled Skysweeper gun. The lieutenant is a 1955 graduate of West Texas State College in Canyon.

Sgt. Roy Glenn En Route to Azores

T/Sgt. Roy Glenn, who has been stationed in Washington, is being transferred to Lajes Field in the Azores.

Sgt. Glenn, his wife and son, visited in McLean last week in the homes of her mother and grandparents, Mrs. Lona Jones and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson, and Sgt. Glenn's brother, Bob Glenn.

Mrs. Glenn and son will join Sgt. Glenn at Lajes Field later.

Pvt. Leo D. Rhoten Ends Basic Training

Fort Carson Colo.—Pvt. Leo D. Rhoten, whose wife, Yeur Mae, lives at 912 S. Wells, Pampa, recently completed eight weeks of basic combat training with the 9th Infantry Division at Fort Carson.

Rhoten, son of P. N. Rhoten of Kellerville, attended Pampa High School.

BIRTHDAYS

April 14—Mrs. Granville Boyd.

April 15—Mrs. Pearl Johnson, E. L. Sitter, John McClellan.

April 16—Ted Glass, Adella Vineyard, Millard Windom.

April 17—Cheryl Grimsley, Carl A. Dwyer, Mrs. W. J. Hanner.

April 18—Elaine McIlroy, Larry Ledbetter, Rocky Allen Bailey.

April 19—C. P. Callahan, Chas. Cousins, Eddie Reeves, Mancel Vineyard.

April 20—Haskell Smith, Peggy Sharp, Fred Smith, Eddie Ray Grigsby.

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FERN GRIMSLEY IS WINNER OF LIONS BEAUTY CONTEST

Fern Grimsley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Grimsley of McLean, was chosen winner of the 1957 Lions Club beauty contest which was held in the school auditorium Tuesday night. Miss Grimsley will represent the McLean club in the district contest to be held in Lubbock early in May. She was sponsored in the local contest by Cooper's Foods. She won second in the contest last year.

Runner-up in the contest was Darla Jane Hill, who was sponsored by Cicero Smith Lumber Co.

Third place winner was Dor-

othy Pak... sponsored by Puckett's and Market.

Lion Jack Dyer was in charge of arrangements for the annual event this year and Lion Larry Fuller served as master of ceremonies.

Gayle Mullanax, pianist, played background music throughout the program and while votes were being counted. Gayle, a senior at McLean High School, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mullanax.

Lion President George Saunders announced the winners and presented awards to them.

BETTY DICKINSON TO BE IN COTTON BALL AT TEXAS A&M

Betty Dickinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dickinson, has been chosen as a Cotton Duchess at the 23rd annual Cotton Ball and Pageant Friday night at Texas A. & M. College in College Station. Betty will attend a tea Friday afternoon given for the Cotton Duchesses. The Cotton Queen will be chosen at the pageant Friday night.

The Aggies enter their girl-

friends' pictures in application form and the duchesses are chosen from the applications and pictures. Curtis Joe Van Zandt of Wheeler entered Betty's picture and she was chosen as duchess for the Wheeler-Collingsworth County Hometown Club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Van Zandt of Wheeler and Betty will leave Friday morning for College Station.

BAPTIST REVIVAL TO BEGIN APRIL 19 AT LOCAL CHURCH

Rev. Jesse R. Leonard, pastor of the First Baptist Church in McLean, has announced that a revival will begin at the church April 19 and continue through April 28. Services will be held at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. daily.

Rev. Jesse Leonard will be the evangelist for the meeting and his brother, Rev. Dinzel Leonard, will direct the singing.

The program announced by Rev. Leonard is as follows:

April 21: Children's night. An effort will be made to have at least 150 children present. A surprise is promised for every child after church.

April 22: W. M. U. night. Goal, 150 ladies.

April 23: A chance for the men to beat the ladies. Supper at 6:30.

April 24: Everyone is urged to bring their Bibles; 250 Bibles are wanted in church on Wednesday night. The oldest Bible in McLean will be found.

April 25: All young people be present for fellowship after the services.

April 26: Family night. Special recognition for the largest family, youngest married couple, and couple with youngest baby in church.

April 27: Wanted—everybody in church who wants to fight the devil.

April 28: Goal—275 in Sunday School with everyone to remain for church. Training Union goal of 150.

Rev. Leonard extends an invitation to everyone to attend the services during the revival.

Plans Being Made Here TO HELP FIGHT CANCER

Plans are being readied this week for the annual Cancer Crusade drive to be held in McLean during April, according to Larry Fuller who is in charge of raising funds here this year.

Charles Cousins, a member of the board of directors of the Gray County Cancer Society, is assisting Fuller with the plans.

It was pointed out that cancer had taken more lives in the McLean area in the last 12 months than all other diseases combined and that the purpose of the local drive is to save human lives.

Cousins attended a directors meeting in Pampa Wednesday morning and he reported that almost \$3,000 had been raised there in the door-to-door canvass Tuesday night.

Fuller said that team captains would be appointed this week to assist with the drive here.

Purpose of the fund drive is for research, education and service to cancer patients. It is estimated that 150,000 persons were saved from dying last year by early detection and treatment of cancer. If the present trend is not curbed, one out of every four persons will die of cancer, according to statistics compiled by cancer crusade members.

IN VETERANS HOSPITAL

G. F. Vineyard is in the Veterans Hospital in Amarillo following a heart attack which he suffered last week.

Mrs. Vineyard and Charlie and Donna visited him Tuesday and reported that he was getting along fine.

Call 47 for classified ads.

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

Mrs. Odessa Gunn was awarded \$40 in merchandise certificates at the Appreciation Day activity last Saturday.

The choir of the McLean Methodist Church will render an Easter program on Palm Sunday, April 14, at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is cordially invited.

The McLean FHA chapter will have a bake sale at the McLean Hardware Saturday, April 13.

Two McLean Seniors Are Candidates for College Scholarships

Roy Hancock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clevy Hancock, and Pat Wiggins, daughter of Mrs. Frank Wiggins, have been chosen as scholarship candidates to take the scholastic aptitude test of the College Entrance Examination Board on May 18 in Amarillo.

The awards are given each year by the Phillips Petroleum Co. to children of their employees who pass the necessary tests. Applications are taken from several states and 60 boys and 30 girls are selected as candidates for scholarship awards.

Each student awarded a scholarship who maintains adequate personal scholastic standards and otherwise complies with the rules and regulations under which the fund is administered, will receive, as a gift, \$500 annually during each of four years of college attendance at an accredited institution of higher learning.

PUBLIC SERVICE CO. JOINS IN ATOMIC ENERGY RESEARCH

Formation of Texas Atomic Energy Research Foundation by Southwestern Public Service Co. and ten other electric light and power companies in Texas was announced Wednesday by J. E. Cunningham, president of the Southwestern Public Service Co. and corporation papers have been filed with the Secretary of State.

The purpose of the non-profit foundation is to engage in research in the atomic energy field as applied to the generation of electric power. The program will not include an atomic power generating plant at this time. It will be directed toward the fundamental methods involved rather than toward the early use of atomic energy in steam-electric plants of the participating companies.

The eleven electric utilities which form the foundation will jointly carry on their research and development work in the nuclear field in a program designed to assure for Texas the benefits which develop from this new source of energy," Mr. Cunningham said.

The various companies, acting as a group, can be more effective in this respect since many projects in nuclear research require expenditures which might be burdensome on a single company. The program of the foundation is long range since the natural gas now used by utilities in the southwest is a particularly good fuel and will be competitive with nuclear energy for many years. The appraisal of problems of this nature will require a high priority in the program of the foundation.

The foundation does not plan to request any government funds to support its nuclear research program. It hopes, however, to work closely with the Atomic Energy Commission in any program it undertakes.

Atomic energy power plants now differ from present day power plants only in the substitution of this new energy as a heat source for the boilers which make steam to spin our turbo-generators. Development of this

Hickman Brown Gets Trophy From Rexall

Hickman Brown, owner of Brown's Rexall Drug in McLean, is one of the nation's first Rexall druggists to receive the new Mortar and Pestle trophy, presented by the Rexall Drug Co. as an annual award to outstanding member druggists.

The award is an authentic replica of a 16th century bronze mortar and pestle cast at Davenport, The Netherlands, in 1590.

The historical mortar and pestle still an important implement in the druggist's profession, is an ancient symbol of pharmacy. Its use for pulverizing medicinal herbs is recorded in the histories of ancient Egyptians, Hebrews of Biblical times and the Roman era.

The popularity of the mortar and pestle, both as an apothecary's implement and as a tool for grinding kitchen herbs, was at its height in the 16th century in Europe. Many of these mortars found their way into the new American colonies. Today they are coveted as antique treasures for their historical significance and beauty of craftsmanship, and are difficult to locate except in the collections of connoisseurs. A few small collections are owned by pharmacists.

Mr. Brown's Mortar and Pestle trophy, mounted on a black walnut pedestal with a plaque inscribed with his name and store, will be on display at the prescription department.

The Rexall Drug Company is continuing its search for these valued antiques, and exact replicas will be awarded annually to Rexall druggists who meet exceptionally high standards of professional ideals, ethical practice and community service.

I will utter what I believe today, if it should contradict all I said yesterday.—Wendell Phillips

McLEAN STUDENTS WIN MANY HONORS AT CANADIAN MEET

\$826.90 Contributed To Red Cross Fund As Local Drive Ends

A total of \$826.90 was contributed to the 1957 Red Cross fund drive as the campaign closed last week. Drive Chairman Boyd Meador has announced.

McLean Chapter Chairman Cliff H. Day and Fund Drive Chairman Meador have expressed their appreciation to local contributors who made the drive so successful.

After last Thursday's appeal an additional \$51 was contributed. Those persons making contributions in the final days of the drive are listed below. Some of these persons had made generous contributions earlier in the drive.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer B. Sitter \$5, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clett \$2, Mr. and Mrs. Irven Alderson \$1, John B. Ebe \$5, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hess \$10, Bunia Kunkel \$1, Buren Kunkel \$1, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bruce \$5, Ruby Bidwell \$1, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Dwyer \$5, Marie Foundations \$15.

McLean students placed in several phases of the District 15-B literary events contest held in Canadian Saturday.

Winners from McLean High School were: high school number sense, 4th place, O. K. Lee; high school spelling, 2nd place, Molly Miller; and Gayle Mullanax; junior girls' declamation, 3rd place, Kay Rhoten; junior boys' declamation, 1st place, Don Dorsey; Sue girls' declamation, 3rd place, Evans; senior boys' poetry, 1st place, Lester Ater; poetry reading, 1st place, Elizabeth Boston; poetry reading, 4th place, James Carter; ready writing, 4th place, Sue Evans.

Winners from grade school were: 5th and 6th grade spelling, 4th place, Paul Pierce and Linda Gull; ready writing, 1st place, Peggy Sharp; ready writing, 4th place, Linda McCurley; elementary boys' declamation, Douglas Crockett; girls' declamation, Margie Rallsback; memory, 1st place, McLean team of 5; story telling, 1st place, Aaron Nutt.

McLEAN FHA GIRLS OBSERVE WEEK WITH MANY ACTIVITIES

The McLean Future Homemakers of America chapter started the National FHA week by attending church at the Methodist church Sunday, April 7.

Monday night a Mother and Daughter banquet was held in the grade school cafeteria. Sue Evans and Molly Miller gave talks on FHA, and the second and third year homemaking girls modeled the dresses they had just finished in class. Othella Eustace was narrator for the fashion show and Darlene Potter provided background music.

Those attending the banquet were Mrs. Edgar Smith and Glenda, Mrs. P. H. Nutt and Helen, Mrs. Carl Baker and Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burnett and Sandra, Mrs. Onie Vineyard and Adella, Mrs. Gene Herron and Lona Mae, Mrs. W. B. Clayton and DeAnn, Mrs. E. L. Day and Gail, Mrs. Clevy Hancock and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stubbs and Kay, Mrs. Henry Potter and Darlene.

Mrs. J. L. Shields and Nancy, Mrs. Carl Allsup and Carolyn Post, Mrs. Ruth Turner and Bobby Jean, Mrs. Jessie Smith and Billie, Mrs. Lopez Hauck and Delores, Mrs. R. L. Brown and Barbara and Ada Lou, Mrs. C. B. Simpson and Jean, Mrs. Everett Dorsey and Hazel Goughly, Mrs. Miro Pakan and Dorothy, Mrs. Earl Eustace and Othella.

Mrs. R. N. Rhoten and Kay, Mrs. Betty Allsup and Rosie Lee Smith, Mrs. Glibreath and Norma, Mrs. Walter Evans and Mrs. Cecil Carter and Almeda, Mrs. Wayne Pratt and Vaughn, Mrs. John Dwyer and Jon, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bunch, Mrs. Jack Dyer, and State Honorary Members, Mrs. Cleo Heasley and Mrs. Earl Stuebfield.

The FHA gave an assembly program Tuesday which consisted of a devotional, "The Gift of Love," by Charlene Hall, Darla Hill, Delores Hauck, Sandra Baker, Sandra Burnett, Darlene Potter, Nancy Shields and Fern Grimsley. The girls modeled their dresses again for the student body. Linda Grimsley was narrator and Monta Kennedy pianist. Hazel Goughly discussed the advantages of working in a factory; Elizabeth Boston told about the job of a beautician; and Rosie Lee Smith discussed the qualifications of a secretary.

The FHA sponsored a "No Gripe" day Wednesday, and Thursday is to be "Be Kind to Teacher" day. Friday the freshmen girls will hold a party.

The girls will hold a party Saturday from 10 to 12 at the McLean Hardware. They may made will be used to send three girls to the State Future Homemakers of America convention at Dallas April 26, 27.

Congressman Rogers Reports TO THE PEOPLE

Presidential Speed

Many columnists and commentators have been having a Roman holiday with the news that the President's car went 70 miles per hour between Washington and Gettysburg. The news correspondents' car, which usually tries to keep the presidential vehicle in view, was halted by Maryland state police and told to drive within the speed limit. These instructions brought a reaction from several correspondents on the theory that the law is the law and the President has no more right to violate it than they do. The truth is that neither had the right to violate the law. Two wrongs do not make a right. Under the law as written, anyone driving over the legal speed limit has violated the law. However, it would seem from all of the clamor that grew out of the presidential 70 mph that the President was driving the car, and was the only person who had ever driven over 70 mph. It appeared for a while that this tremendous event of events would sweep everything else off the front page, including the Middle East crisis and the Texas senatorial election. It would have been much simpler to issue a traffic

ticket to the President for a technical violation and thereby dispose of the entire matter. However, if everyone around the President who drove a few miles over the speed limit received a ticket, the printing presses would be working 24 hours a day.

I am afraid the President is being needed—a practice I hope will not be continued. The best way for the President to stop it is to stop it. Those fines in good grace and not become nettled by questions about helicopters, speed limits and plans to step aside for the Vice President. This will be difficult, because the office of the President of the United States is probably the toughest job in the world. It should not be made tougher.

Summerfield Ultimatum

His Honor, the Postmaster General of the United States of America, appointed by the President, has served notice on the duly elected members of the Congress of the United States that he has spent all of the money given to him and needs a mere 47 million dollars with which to finish the fiscal year which ends on June 30. He has further indicated that he expects to get it. (Continued on back page)

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase and grandson, Drew Jolly, visited in Wheelock, Okla., Sunday.

Mrs. F. H. King of Mangum, Okla., visited Mr. and Mrs. Emory Crockett and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harris King over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty McDonald and children of Pampa visited relatives in McLean Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hap Rogers and family of Tulsa visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Butrum Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evans of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans and Mrs. A. A. Nicholas, over the weekend.

Mrs. Claude Hinton is a patient at Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

Mrs. R. J. Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Phipps of Vernon, Mrs. J. L. Brock and daughter, Betty, of Chillicothe, Mrs. Press Goffey and son, Lanny, of Bor-Tump, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mr. and Mrs. George Humphreys

Mr. and Mrs. Cor. Meyers had as guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. John Cochran of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meyers of Ardmore, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Meyers and son, Craig, and little Johnny Organ of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer and Mrs. Laura Switzer visited in Oklahoma City Friday and Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Suderman and girls had as guests Friday of last week her sister, Mrs. Robert Loewen of Norwalk, Calif., Mrs. Loewen's father-in-law, Herman Loewen, and a close friend of theirs, Mrs. Jake Penner. Mrs. Loewen was en route to Okeneo, Okla., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Dout. Mr. Loewen and Mrs. Penner live in Okeneo but had been spending the winter in California.

J. N. Smith made a business trip to Wichita Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Smokey Price visited his mother, Mrs. R. L. Price, in Altus, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett of Amarillo visited their daughter, Mrs. Harold Butrum, and family Sunday.

Mrs. Vigna Franks and Mrs. Corinne Trimble were in Oklahoma City Sunday.

Amos Page was in Oklahoma City the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Murff and daughters of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison and Jim Friday and Saturday.

Sheriff Rufe Jordan of Pampa was in McLean Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton visited his mother in Mangum, Okla., Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. John Cooper of Tucumcari, N. M., visited Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank. Her daughter, Ann, returned home with her after visiting her grandparents about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Gibson of Dodge City, Kan., visited Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson over the weekend.

Mrs. Jim Wheeler was admitted to Highland General Hospital in Pampa Sunday.

Mrs. J. N. Smith is in Hospital, Okla., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fulliam, who are ill.

Mrs. T. A. Massay has returned to her home in McLean after a two weeks visit in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. Wilson N. Reedy.

Boyd Meador was in Pampa Tuesday.

Mrs. Madge Page and granddaughter, Jill Page, visited in Wheeler Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Petty of Vernon visited Wednesday night of last week in the home of his brother, Luther Petty.

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Nineteenth District Parents and Teachers To Meet in Gruver

The second annual conference of the 19th District of the Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held at Gruver Saturday, April 13. The Gruver High School auditorium will be the site of the conference sessions. Registration will begin at 8:30 a. m.

Mrs. Frank Ogle, 19th district president, will preside at all sessions.

Mrs. C. D. Beard of Vernon, state representative, will present the state and national Parent-Teacher program during the morning session. Mrs. Beard is a state vice president of the Texas Congress.

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Mrs. Marine McCall of Waco will speak during the afternoon. She is chairman of the state education for family living.

Students from Frank Phillips Junior College will form a panel to discuss the conference theme, "Opportunity with Responsibility for Every Youth."

Representatives and visitors from 54 local units, five city and councils from a 15 county area are expected to attend this conference.

What I admire in Columbus is not his having discovered a world, but his having the courage to search for it on the faith of an opinion.—Turgot.

Delaware, the first state to join the union, ratified the Constitution on December 7, 1787.

Public opinion is, with multitudes, a second conscience; with some, the only one.—W. R. Alger.



"In journalism as in other things, Monday's masterpiece wraps Tuesday's fish."

P. T. Barnum sponsored Jenny Lind in her American debut.

My Neighbors



"So, after paying my income tax, I didn't have enough left to buy a swimming suit!"

My Neighbors



"Good morning, Poetry-in-Motion! How come you're wearing your lipstick on your eyebrows?"



TELEPHONE TALK

by George Newberry, Manager

HAVE YOU NOTICED?

Except for times when Mom has to let out a cuff or a seam, parents seldom realize how fast their children grow.

I guess that's because it's hard to notice much change from one day to the next.

With telephone service, it's the same way. Growth and improvement go steadily on and on—almost unnoticed.

One big reason for this is that you can't always see changes and improvements in telephone service.

Today, for instance, we may begin using some new rubber compound to keep circuits better protected from rain or ice. Next month maybe it will be something to help us spot cable troubles more quickly. Next year, perhaps a new way of making your telephone voice sound more natural.

Improvements like these, made behind the scenes, come along month after month, year after year. They're just part of our efforts to make your telephone service more convenient and dependable—and as low in cost as possible.

PROGRAMS FOR YOUR GROUP

Watching a movie at a Pampa meeting the other day reminded me to tell you about the free-loan motion pictures we keep in our telephone film library.

Altogether I guess we have about 100 different 16 mm. films. All are sound films—many are in color. Some are short ones—just eight or ten minutes. Others run 20 or 30 minutes, even up to an hour. Any of these films would add entertainment to your club program or other group meetings.

School teachers also find telephone films useful as classroom visual aids.

Anytime you'd like to borrow a film from us, just call the telephone business office. If possible, try to give us a few weeks notice so we can make sure it's available the day you need it.

Also, if you'd like to call and give us your name and address, I'd be glad to send you a free catalog that lists and describes the film and other program materials we have.

JUST TO SAY HELLO

Not so many years ago, placing a Long Distance call was a pretty big event. One you saved for important news—like telling the folks back home about a new baby.

It's not like that any more. Nowadays, Long Distance calls often start off with, "We just thought we'd call to say hello."

I think this modern custom—calling just to chat—keeps growing in popularity because there's something exciting about spanning the miles to hear familiar voices. And, of course, there's nothing like a telephone call when you really want to get all the news.

Calling Long Distance regularly costs a lot less than you'd think, especially when you place calls station-to-station. That way you make three calls for the price of two person-to-person calls. And you can also get extra savings by taking advantage of the special low rates every evening after 6 p. m. and all day Sunday.

Call by number. It's twice as fast.

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Coffee reg. or drip 69c
1 lb can

Shurfine cut, All Green 300 can
ASPARAGUS 2 for 49c

Shurfine Halves 303 can
APRICOTS 2 for 49c

Shurfine 46 oz.
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 27c

Shurfine 24 oz.
APPLE BUTTER 27c

Shurfine Early Harvest 300 can
PEAS 2 for 39c

Hunt's 14 oz.
CATSUP 2 for 45c

Red Streak
WORK GLOVES 2 for 65c

Sunshine Cookies
HYDROX 12 oz. 33c

Garden Fresh VEGETABLES

Ark. Fancy
Radishes bunch 5c

Texas
Green Onions 2 bunches 15c

Sunkist
Lemons dozen 29c

Finest Quality MEATS

Virginia Reel Brand
Sausage 2 lb bag \$1.09

That Deep South Spicy Flavor—Extra Lean

Corn King
Bacon 1 lb 49c

\$2,000 GIVEN AWAY EACH WEEK FOR 10 WEEKS

A public drawing will be held each Thursday at 3:00 p. m. at the Panhandle Associated Grocers Warehouse, 620 North Fairfield. Contest week ends each Saturday night. Five tickets will be drawn to determine the weekly winners, after which all other tickets for that week will be destroyed. Weekly winners will be publicly announced and notified individually.

Bath Soap bath size
LUX 2 for 19c

Bath Soap Colored
LUX 4 reg. size 39c



For your pleasure and your health

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John COOPER'S FOOD MARKET

THE BIGGEST LITTLE STORE IN THE PANHANDLE

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**'Trapeze' Portrays
Life With Circus
Coming to Derby**

Magnificence, splendor, spectacle in the wondrous world of circus life are the elements that make up Hecht and Lancaster's latest motion picture, "Trapeze," to be at the Derby Drive-In Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Topped by a star-studded cast with Burt Lancaster, Gina Lollobrigida and Tony Curtis in the leading roles, "Trapeze" features the most exciting and awe-inspiring aerialist shots ever filmed.

Directed by the noted Carol Reed, James R. Webb's screenplay is a story rife with romance and suspense. As this story of a woman's attempt to break up a successful aerialist act unfolds, Reed, in a masterpiece of direction, keeps circus life and thrills on an even keel with the heart-rending love theme. The three leading players are superb, and the shapely Gina proves once and for all that she is also a fine dramatic actress. A host of other excellent performances are turned in by such players as Katy Jurado, Thomas Gomez, John Paley and Minor Watson.

Robert Krasker's photography for "Trapeze" is without equal. The breath-taking shots of the aerialist feats are without peer in the history of motion pictures. "Trapeze" is truly a thrilling experience.

Most of us like to have a sigh of relief after April 15 and forget all about this tax business until the next April 14. But it doesn't pay. You can't forget this tax

business. Just about everything you do affects the amount of tax you pay. If you have an old tax return bag or an account book, it will pay you to keep a record during the year. You need a good record of all the little extra money you made during the year. Keeping a record of the deductions you may have on your tax return throughout the year will save you money next April 14. Pay all deductible items on your income tax by check or get a receipt. The law requires you to have a record, on everything you put in your tax return.

**No Time Limit on
Vets Land Program**

AUSTIN—There is no deadline for participation in the Veterans Land Program, Commissioner Earl Rudder said Friday.

"As long as a man is a Texas veteran and money is available to operate the program, Rudder added, "he may participate. Of course, a veteran may use the program only one time."

Commissioner Rudder said that his statement was prompted by numerous inquiries that the Veterans Land Program had received concerning a time limit.

**TRACTOR'S NOTICE OF
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CONSTRUCTION**

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Editorial

U. S. SAVINGS BONDS

Every so often someone rises up to protest the federal government's promotion of U. S. Savings Bonds. The citizen could earn more interest on common stocks or municipals, it is said. Or inflation overcomes the increments at maturity; and the government ought to issue purchasing power bonds to play square with the people.

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If every American were born with a built-in instinct of thrift; if all persons found easy access to comprehensive and honest financial counseling; if every man were endowed with a little "mad money" that he could afford to lose while breeding it with opportunity—that would be one thing. But such is not the case. So the people, the masses of the people, need inducements to simple and sure savings—bonds paid for by withholding, for example. And Uncle Sam, who would like to see a cash basis but can't be, needs the money even though the taxpayers have to pay for it, even and including interest to themselves.

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Trustee Election

The election Saturday for the purpose of electing three trustees to take the places of John W. Kibler, J. H. Bodine and J. M. Noel resulted in the casting of about 50 votes and the election of J. R. Gracey, D. B. Veatch and J. D. Skidmore.

All of these gentlemen are competent and capable of conducting the affairs of the school to the best interest of the district and we congratulate the voters upon their selection.

Dry Spell is Broken

After a protracted dry spell that reaches back farther than the most efficient local prognosticator will dare to "allow," we are pleased to announce a generous rain the first of this week that has put a broad and pleasing smile on the countenance of all nature. Land that had been prepared for the spring planting has received a soaking that will suffice to give the 1917 crops a running start.

Yancy Bates Dies Suddenly

As we go to press this morning the sad news is handed about of the sudden and deplorable death of our friend, J. Y. Bates, who succumbed to an attack of heart failure at a quarter to three this morning. He had been in bed with an attack of grip for several days but his condition was not thought serious. Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Coffey's Store Burglarized

The dry goods store of T. J. Coffey was burglarized Wednesday night and thieves, who entered by unlocking the front door, escaped with nine pairs of shoes, eight suits of clothes, two leather grips, and other wearing apparel.

The robbery was not discovered until noon yesterday (Thursday), so cleverly had the robbers covered their tracks, but Deputy Sheriff John Kibler was notified at once and by 8 o'clock had corralled a couple of transients at Rockledge who were dressed in clothes fitting the description of those

taken, and also had in a new handbag two pairs of shoes that had evidently been taken from the boxes that were left empty on the shelves. They gave the names of May and Davis. Their examining trial will be held today.

Personals

J. S. Earp has recently closed a sale of his home place near Heald to J. O. Clark. The tract contains 320 acres of land.

A. Stanfield is having some improvements made on his ranch section near Alanreed, including the digging and equipping of a well.

McLean has escaped an epidemic of measles so far, just a few cases reported at intervals over town.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan and family made an overland trip to the south plains last week, visiting at the home of the former's uncle, W. E. McLaughlin, at Ralls.

Grading on the various roads in this precinct has already begun and Commissioner Ashby states that as fast as funds are available the roads will be improved.

Both lumber yards report very flattering conditions and an outlook for a big business this season.

The elevator at Groom was de-

stroyed by fire Wednesday night. Mrs. A. R. Gull, High School Miss Lilly, left Friday night of last week for Mineral Wells.

'Run for the Sun' To Show at Derby Friday and Saturday

A fascinating manhunt through a steaming tropical jungle is the exciting story of "Run for the Sun," a United Artists release in Superscope and Technicolor to be at the Derby Drive-In Theatre Friday and Saturday. It stars the handsome Richard Widmark, pretty, petite Jane Greer, whose recent absence from the screen is deemed more regrettable after seeing her performance in this film, and the fine British star, Trevor Howard.

Richard Widmark plays a dis-solute writer living in Mexico, whom Jane Greer, as a national picture magazine reporter, is sent to interview. On their way to Mexico City, their private plane crashes in the jungle and they find themselves the unwelcome guests of a couple of Nazis in hiding. What follows makes for

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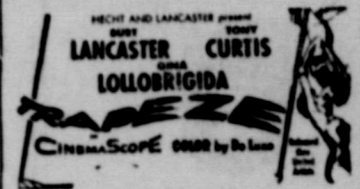
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Pioneer Study Club Meets Here Thursday With Mrs. Parvin

The Pioneer Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Dale Parvin Thursday, April 4, for the regular meeting.

Mrs. Freeman Melton, Jr. gave the program for the meeting based on the life of Jacqueline Cochran, the well-known aviatrix and business woman. Mrs. Melton was also in charge of the business session.

New club officers for the ensuing year were elected. They are Ruth Whaley, president; Erma Hester, vice president; Loree Brown, secretary; Betty Allsup, reporter; and Betty Gunch, parliamentarian.

Refreshments consisting of iced tea and assorted sandwiches were served with olives and pickles. Easter egg candy in miniature nests was also featured.

Those attending were Mesdames J. F. Doggett, J. O. Coleman, J. D. Coleman, Freeman Melton, Jim Hathaway, Creed Lamb, June Woods, Jim Back, Forrest Hupp, Evan Sitter, Harold Bunch, Sinclair Armstrong, Guy Hester, W. E. Bogan, Tommy Hale, Dale Parvin, and Betty Allsup; Miss Billie Brown, and a guest, Mrs. Cecil Cardwell of Shamrock.

The next meeting will be April 25 in the home of Mrs. Evan Sitter.

Baptist Circles Meet Tuesday

The Baptist WMS met Tuesday afternoon in circles.

The Oleta Snell circle met in the home of Mrs. Louis McDonald for Bible study given by Mrs. Creed Lamb.

Those attending were Mesdames Tibbets, Nicholson, Voyles, Raymond Smith, Giesler, Leonard, Williams, Lamb, Brown, the hostess, and a visitor, Mrs. H. D. Hale of Groom.

The Helen McCullough circle met in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Day.

Mrs. George Colebank was in charge of Bible study for the meeting.

Mrs. Day served iced tea and cookies to the following members: Mesdames Homer Abbott, Bunia Kunkel, T. A. Langham, George Colebank, Joe Suderman, Bill Pettit, C. L. Pettit, R. L. McDonald, Leo Gibson, Joe Graham, E. L. Day, and Pearl Turner; and a visitor, Mrs. Ada Sullivan.

The Lena Lair circle met in the home of Mrs. F. E. Stewart. Reports were heard from committees and plans were made for the revival. Prayer partners were chosen for 9:30 in the mornings.

Cards were sent to a sick person and to Mrs. Curry for her birthday which is April 15.

Present were Mesdames Bill Boyd, Frank Simpson, Arthur Boyd, W. C. Simpson, Luther Petty, Joe Taylor, J. M. Stevens, E. E. Wyatt and Stewart; two visitors, Mrs. J. I. Martindale and Gene Thompson; and two children, Lynn Ellen Taylor and Larry Boyd.

Next week's meeting will be in

the home of Mrs. W. C. Simpson.

READING CLUB MEETS

The reading club of the WMS met Monday in the home of Mrs. Oscar Tibbets with six members present: Mesdames E. L. Price, Leroy Williams, Clarence Voyles, Luther Petty, E. E. Wyatt and the hostess.

Comments were made on books that had been read and books were exchanged. It was decided not to hold regular meetings but exchange books among the 14 members.

The hostess served coffee, punch and cookies.

WCS Faith Circle Meets Tuesday

The Faith circle of the WCS met in the McLean Methodist Church parlor Tuesday morning at 9:30.

Mary Mertel gave the devotional from Timothy 2:15.

Ida Mae Dickinson served refreshments to Mary Eustace, Leona Sitter, Evelyn Stubblefield, Ella Longino, Ruth Ellen Riley, Mary Mertel, Glynnis Jenkins and Ruth Magee.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: LILLIAN MEINHARDT, GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 20th day of May, A. D. 1957, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable 31st District Court of Gray County, at the Court House in Pampa, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 1st day of April, 1957.

The file number of said suit being No. 11,982.

The names of the parties in said suit are: William J. Meinhardt, as Plaintiff, and Lillian Meinhardt as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: (A Suit for Divorce.)

Issued this 1st day of April, 1957.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Pampa, Texas, this 1st day of April, A. D., 1957.

HELEN SPRINKLE, Clerk 31st District Court, Gray (SEAL) County, Texas 14-4c



Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.—(Ephesians 6, 11.)

Temptations to evil surround us daily; we may succumb although knowing the results will make us suffer. Some of us are steel-willed enough to resist—but any one of us can, with God's help, fight valiantly, win gloriously, for then we will not be fighting alone.

Methodist WCS Charity Circle Meets Tuesday

The Charity circle of the WCS met in regular session Tuesday in the chapel of the McLean Methodist Church. Mrs. J. E. Kirby presided over the business session and named a nominating committee to select officers for the coming year.

It was voted to give two life memberships.

After a song, Mrs. Cliff Day led in prayer. Mrs. H. A. Longino was leader of the study, "Missions USA." "Patriotism" was given by Mrs. Ruth Ellen Riley, assisted by Mrs. J. L. Andrews. Mrs. Longino closed the series of

studies with an inspiring talk on our duty and God and country, stressing loyalty and devotion.

As a resulting action from the study it was voted to add a book to the library, to give to the MYF recreation fund, and also to missions.

The Charity and Faith circles will have a joint meeting April 23.

Happy Harmony Makers Meet Friday

The Happy Harmony Makers met in regular session Friday, April 5, in the chapel of the McLean Methodist Church.

The president, Helen Farren, called the meeting to order and the secretary, Elaine McIlroy, read the minutes of the previous meeting.

Each pupil played one or more

numbers. Repertoire players were Christa Carol Rodgers and Helen Farren.

Those on the A+ honor roll were Troy Corbin, Linda Evans, LaVon Watson, Janice Barker and Marilyn McIlroy.

A honor roll: Janice Page, Mary Ann Carter, Gary Hester, Jimmy Hester, Keith Morris, Hazel Go-lightly, Elaine McIlroy, Linda Guill, Christa Carol Rodgers and Helen Farren.

A—: Nona Ruth Beck. The hostesses, Mrs. Frank Rodgers and Mrs. Archie Farren, served delicious refreshments.

Wesleyan Service Guild Meets Tuesday

The Wesleyan Service Guild met Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the McLean Methodist Church

parlor.

The devotional, "Portrait of a Mother," from Proverbs 31, was given by Mrs. W. E. Bogan. The program was given by Mrs. H. A. Longino on "Our Mission to Families Through the Church and Home." Ruth Ellen Riley gave "Our Mission to Families Through the Community," and "Mary or Martha Mothers" was given by Isabel Cousins. Role playing and a psychoanalysis skit were also given.

Those attending were Fern Boyd, Sue Cubine, Tressie Mantooth, Lois Page, Loree Brown, Ruth Magee, Naomi McCarty, Erma Hester, Ruth Ellen Riley, Isabel Cousins, Rev. Jack Riley, Mrs. Bogan and Mrs. Longino.

The way of the world is to make laws, but follow customs—Montaigne.

Embroidery Club Has Meeting

The Centennial Embroidery Club met in the home of Mrs. Clayton Peabody Friday, March 22.

The president, Mrs. Boyd Reeves, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. W. E. Bogan was in charge of a quiz game which everyone present enjoyed.

Mrs. Peabody served delicious refreshments of dessert and coffee to the following members: Mesdames Reeves, Bogan, C. M. Carpenter, C. E. Coats, Byrd Guill, J. E. Kirby, T. A. Massay, Cort Meyers, R. L. McDonald, M. H. Patterson, Amos Thacker and Leroy Williams.

The next meeting of the club will be Friday, April 12, in the home of Mrs. Patterson.

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"If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God speak." (1 Pet. 4:11) Much speaking on religious subjects is not as the Bible speaks, but is according to the opinions of men. In nothing is this more apparent than in speaking of the church. Very much is said in the N. T. about the church that Jesus built, but NOTHING is said about human denominational churches, except to condemn such divisions. All we can possibly know about the Lord's church is found in the Bible and without the Bible it is impossible to identify the church. Jesus said, "I will build my church." (Matt. 16:18) Did he build it? If so where is it today? He said, "The gates of hell (Hades) shall not prevail against against it." (Matt 16) This being true, it MUST be in existence today. In the days of the apostles the Lord added people to the church. (Ac. 2:47) With my Bible in hand I find there is only one church (Eph. 4:4) and this one church is the body of Christ. (Eph. 1:22-23) (Col. 1:18, 24) My friends, where is that one spiritual body, the church of the Lord, today? It cannot be represented in human denominational churches, because these did not exist for hundreds of years after the Lord built His church. In fact, we are forced to go outside the Bible, to profane history, to find a record of the beginning of denominationalism. If we cannot identify the church today, how can we know whether we are in it or not? Unless we are in it we are not in Christ, for the church is His spiritual body. If we will take the Bible as our ONLY source of information we can identify the church today. In a few articles to follow we shall investigate this important matter and hope you will study with us. If you have questions please direct them to Bible Talk, P. O. Box 155.

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WALTER ROGERS—

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 and that if he doesn't get it, there will be a measurable curtailment of postal activities forthwith and immediately. I must confess that this development in the post office department came as quite a surprise to me, because I had understood from the past advertisements of the post office department that Mr. Summerfield had taken over a mis-managed and inefficient operation and had streamlined it into a modern-day dynamo of efficiency and sound business practices; that he had reduced the post office deficit by closing a great number of 4th class post offices and denying many of the rural people in this country the postal service to which they are entitled. He reorganized many activities of the department so that information concerning certain postal operations cannot be obtained in Washington but must be obtained from regional offices. He repainted all of the trucks and mail boxes in a three-color scheme of red, white and blue. Now we are all most favorable to that color scheme and certainly would not criticize his selection of colors, but some people have been wondering about the additional three-color scheme over a one-color scheme. Some other questions are being asked about who sold the paint.

It might be pointed out that although Mr. Summerfield was the guiding genius who cut out the farmers' mail service, put the post office equipment in patriotic colors, decentralized the information center, and made several other changes that now require an additional 47 million dollars to pay for it, it is only fair to point out that he did have some help. The post office department, in recent years, has paid some fabulous fees to efficiency expert firms to speed up the streamlining of the department. In fact, one of these fees alone would have kept several 4th class post offices in my district open for a number of years.

I had always thought that government departments were the leading experts in creating deficits; therefore, you can appreciate my surprise to find that one government department had to hire outside help in order to accomplish this. But, then, we must remember that this bunch not only created the deficit, but were able to curtail the service. In other words, we now get less for more—quite an accomplishment.

Highlights and Sidelights FROM THE State CAPITOL

By Vern Sanford
Texas Press Association

Travis County Jurors Busy
 Travis County grand jurors are going to be busy. Legislative investigating committees have dumped into their laps bales of testimony about the two biggest news developments of the year.

House ICT panel asked the jury to consider evidence suggesting that (1) Insurance Department employees received payments from ICT and (2) company officials may have violated state law prohibiting political campaign contributions by corporations.

Committee called acceptance of ICT money by Former Insurance Commissioner J. Byron Saunders and Max Wayne Rychlik, son-in-law of Former Chairman Garland Smith, evidence of "a gross breach of public trust." It also recommended the jury look into whether funds made available by ICT to the Texas Federation of Labor were used for political purposes. It pinpointed a legislative campaign contribution as having been charged to the corporation.

All in all, committee report showed some \$50,000 in ICT funds went to persons who were in public office when they received the money. It said "propriety of some of these payments was highly questionable."

Also sent to the grand jury was a "new major development" by the House bribery investigating group. Nature of the development was a closely guarded secret.

Only information disclosed was that "new evidence" had been obtained from a witness who had been under Department of Public Safety questioning. Witness was not a state official or employee, said the district attorney.

New Laws, Studies
 Besides providing grand jury evidence, House ICT committee had three other recommendations. They were: (1) That a law be passed giving the Insurance Commission authority to regulate management contracts, such as one Ben-Jack Cage had with ICT, (2) that the Texas Research League be requested to study commission operation, and (3) that further investigation be made into the tangled history of ICT's financial "deals."

New Senator
 Ralph Yarborough will take office as junior U. S. Senator from Texas on or some time after April 15.

Yarborough was defeated in four previous races—three for governor, one for attorney general. His victory meant that for the first time in years a spokesman for the labor-liberal wing of the Democratic party will go into a major Texas office.

Republican hopes for a two-party Texas plummeted. In the high-man-wins race, Yarborough got approximately 37% of the votes; Conservative Martin Dies, 30%; Republican Thad Hutcheson, 23.8%.

Money Bill Passed
 Legislative blueprint for state spending during the next two years has reached the conference committee stage.

An economy-minded Senate passed the general appropriations bill at a figure some \$2,000,000 less than the House-approved version. Sponsors managed to scotch all efforts to tack on amendments for additional spending. Among items sought were raises for county agents and home demonstration agents, and increases in judges' salaries.

Total of the Senate appropriation



J. B. Green, Jr., Red Cross disaster worker from Paris, Tex., inspects the home of B. P. Boyd near Prestenberg, Ky. The home was one of more than 13,300 destroyed or damaged in floods which ravaged Eastern Kentucky, Virginia and West Virginia last January, where Green was assigned to help provide Red Cross assistance to the flood victims.

Flood waters of the Levisa Fork of the Big Sandy washed the ground from under the foundations of the Boyd house and destroyed its contents. The Red Cross will rebuild the house and provide household furnishings. As always, this assistance is provided as a free gift of the American people, to help the family recover from disaster-caused needs.

tion bill is \$2,084,349,515. Both House and Senate recommendations are some 25 to 27 million dollar less than the comptroller's estimate of income.

Insurance Bills
 A bill to allow "flexible" rates for casualty insurance is given little chance of passage. Senate Insurance Committee refused to vote out the measure which would abolish Texas' system of statewide uniform rates. The proposed bill would set a rate based on each individual's accident record.

A House committee weighed the possibility of Insurance Commission reorganization from the viewpoint of present Chairman John Osorio. Governor Daniel had appeared earlier urging passage of the bill.

Osorio said board reorganization already is under way. He said he felt it could be successfully carried out under present laws.

Real difficulty of the commission, he said, is not top level organization, but need for more examiners. He recommended a 150-man staff, rather than the present 39, and higher pay.

Water Bill Signed
 Governor Daniel signed into law a measure allowing the water board to cancel unused water permits.

Water conservation program leaders had claimed the new rule would solve "75% of Texas' water problems." Some cities had protested it would allow the board to take from them water they needed for future expansion.

Proponents said Texas now has outstanding permits for more water than is available, but all of it is not being used. Cancellation of unused permits, they said, would allow the water board to reassign water for beneficial use.

Archives-Land Building
 Governor Daniel has given his blessing to a plan for a new building for the State Library and Archives and the General Land Office.

Presently, insurance securities are handled by the Insurance Commission, general securities by the secretary of state's office.

Sen. Jimmy Phillips introduced a bill putting insurance securities under the secretary of state. That's just in case the consolidation bill doesn't pass, he said.

Water Bill Signed
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A bill providing \$2,500,000 for such a building is before the Legislature. Funds would come from a surplus in the drivers license fee fund.

Ad Bill Passed
 House added an industry-matching amendment before passing a Senate measure to allow state advertising.

Proposed constitutional amendment would allow use of state funds for advertising as long as they are matched by private interests.

House sponsors said they hoped the conference committee would eliminate this feature.

Short Snorts
 Time is running out to have cars safety inspected, warns the Department of Public Safety. Deadline is April 15. . . . House passed a bill to regulate egg labeling and license dealers. Senate already has passed, so measure needs only minor adjustments and the governor's signature.

Senate Transportation Committee Chairman Jep Fuller had to break a 5-to-5 tie to allow the committee to vote out a bill to increase truck load limits. Highly controversial measure is backed by truckers, opposed by railroads.

Irked by the Building Commission's failure to air condition their chambers, Legislators have passed a resolution to put in temporary air conditioning.

Mac Mallard. Thanks for the stacks of magazines left by the library door this week. We can always use current magazines—don't destroy them.

SCHOOL LUNCH ROOM MENU

Monday—Beans with wieners, greens, cooked carrots, cole slaw, bread and butter, milk, fresh fruit.

Tuesday—Meat loaf, new potatoes, green beans, green onions, bread and butter, milk, pudding.

Wednesday—Wieners and kraut, beans, beet, lettuce with French dressing, bread and butter, milk, peanut butter squares.

Thursday—Roast pork, gravy, creamed potatoes, English peas, carrot-raisin salad, bread and butter, milk, plums.

Friday—Fillet with sauce, buttered rice, greens carrot sticks, cornbread and butter, milk, pears.

The United States gained the sovereignty of the canal strip at Panama by the Hay-Bunau-Varilla Treaty of November 18, 1903.

During the War of 1812, Stephen Girard, Philadelphia banker, assumed an entire government loan of \$5,000,000.

LIBRARY NEWS

By Lady Bryant, Librarian
 New books: Adult fiction—"A Thing of Beauty," "Jericho's Daughters," "Captain Little Ax." Career books for youth—"Barbara Owen, Girl Reporter," "Ann Foster: Lab Technician, Kay Rogers, Copy Writer. Westerns—A Gunman Rode North, Winchester Wages, Bullets on Bunchgrass, Arizona Justice. Two books by Thornton W. Burgess—Adventures of Mr. Mocker and Adventures of

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NOTICE TO DOG AND CHICKEN OWNERS

The time of year is again here when your neighbors will be planting gardens and improving their property. Ordinance requires that your chickens and dogs be kept up. Please be neighborly and keep them up. If your animals are destroyed, don't blame anyone but yourself. It is a violation of the State law to use air rifles within the city limits.

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FOR RENT
 Apartment for rent—newly decorated; private bath, panel ray heat, air conditioning; couple or working ladies. Mrs. W. C. Shull, Phone 285. 16-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment and bedrooms; bills paid. Phone 108W. 51-tfc

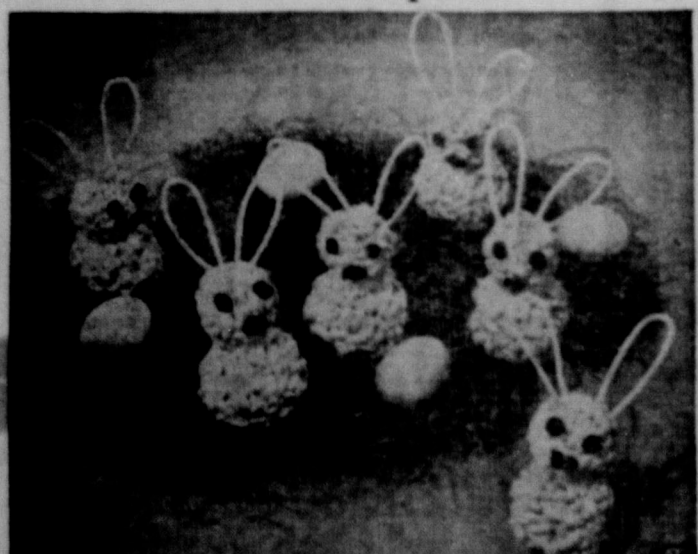
MISCELLANEOUS
 NOTICE—Would the lady who gave me the air rifle and certificate with serial number please call me and I will return same. Jimmy Shelton. 1c

See me for your income tax returns. Paul Kennedy, Phone 147J. 4-tfc

Rid your home of roaches and termites. Work guaranteed. Phone 256J. G. W. Humphreys. 11-9p

Will do saw filing. J. E. Smith, Phone 30W. 1-tfc

Easter Centerpiece



A whole family of puffed rice bunnies perched on your table at Easter time! Watch the children's eyes light up when they catch their first glimpse of the little bunnies with their pipe cleaner ears. Mother will find Funny Bunnies especially charming for they are so easy to make—even the tiny tots in the household can share in the fun. With all hands molding the puffed rice bunnies, each one will have a personality all his own. Tasty as well as nutritious, each Funny Bunny is sure to win the heart of someone at your house this Easter!

Funny Bunnies
 Makes 8 bunnies

Bunnies:
 6 cups puffed rice 1/2 teaspoon vanilla
 1/4 cup butter or margarine 1/4 teaspoon red food coloring
 1/2 pound (about 32) fresh marshmallows 16 pipe cleaners for ears

Heat puffed rice in shallow pan in moderate oven (350°F.) 10 minutes. Pour into greased bowl. Melt butter and marshmallows in top of double boiler over hot water; stir until smooth. Add vanilla and food coloring. Pour over puffed rice, stirring until evenly coated. With greased hands, form eight 2-inch balls and eight 1-inch balls. To assemble and decorate bunnies, fasten small balls (heads) to larger balls (bodies) with thick confectioners' sugar frosting. Use pipe cleaners to form ears, pushing each end of the pipe cleaner firmly into the head. Use raisins, nuts or semi-sweet chocolate pieces for eyes, nose and mouth, fastening on with confectioners' sugar frosting.



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