

# PLAIN TALK

By BILL PERKINS

E. L. Sitter, Boyd Meador and Ed Lander, members of the building committee of the new Leavelle Memorial Library, have announced that dedication and opening of the new library will take place some time near the middle of May. In the meantime, the grounds will be planted in grass and some shrubbery set out. At the dedication the beautiful new building will be officially turned over to the City of McLean.

Middle age is the period of life when you will do anything to get better, except give up what's hurting you.

A telegram from Congressman Walter Rogers informs us that the Department of Agriculture refused to change the expiration date for grazing of soil bank crops from April 15 to May 15. He said that despite numerous requests to the Department of Agriculture based upon argument that this same area has undergone six years of drought plus the recent blizzards, the department failed to grant the extension.

We have never seen so few empty houses in McLean in the almost two years that we have lived here. Almost daily newcomers inquire at the News office and check the classified ads to try to locate a place to live. Several houses have been moved into town in the last six months and some new houses have been constructed and are now in the process of being built. Still the demand for houses is exceeding the supply and some families who would prefer to live in McLean for several reasons have been forced to locate in neighboring towns because of lack of facilities here. Right now the shortage of rent houses is no little problem in McLean.

There's nothing like an old-fashioned, home-cooked meal—not in most homes, at least.

Marie Foundations now has a working staff of 35 and additional employees are being added at the rate of about one a day. Owner Calvin Fraser is in town this week and he said that he hopes to have at least 90 persons working at the local plant within another six months.

Another gas well was brought in on the W. J. Hanner place just east of the Derby Drive-In Theatre Tuesday morning. A reported million and a half cubic feet per day was announced at the Hanner well, while work was continuing on the well located on the M. H. Patterson place south of town.

## REVEILLE



... with the boys

William R. Heasley, Jr., fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Heasley of McLean, who served on the deck landing ship USS LST-1000, participated in the largest amphibious operation to be held in the Far East since World War II. The powerful armada of 60,000 men and 75 ships took part in the "Beacon Hill" operation from March 14 to April 1.

## VILLAGE



## GOSSIP

(More or Less)

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

Teen Town will be held Friday night at the American Legion.

The Kellerville school play will be held Tuesday night under the direction of Mrs. Price.

Call 67 for classified ads.

LOCAL AND HOME NEWS

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## REVIVAL TO BEGIN FRIDAY AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The revival at the First Baptist Church will begin Friday, April 19, at 7:00. Rev. Jesse Leonard, evangelist and pastor of the church, has announced.

Those wishing to attend the senior play Friday night are reminded that the meeting will be dismissed in time for them to do so.

Rev. Dinzel Leonard of Flomot, a brother of the local pastor, will direct the singing during the revival which will continue through April 28. Services will be held at 9:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day next week.

Friday night, April 26, will be family night during the revival and special recognition will be given the largest family present, the youngest married couple, and also the couple with the youngest baby in church. Rev. Leonard said that a Bible will be presented to those recognized in the three classifications. The Bibles are on display at The McLean News office and may be seen until the night that the presentation is made.

On Sunday, April 28, the church plans to have an old-fashioned dinner following the morning services.



REV. JESSE LEONARD  
... evangelist

## TIME CHANGED FOR SENIOR PLAY MATINEE

The matinee performance of the senior play has been changed to 9:00 o'clock Friday morning due to conflict with Easter parties.

The Easter parties will be held as scheduled.

## SENIOR CLASS PLAY TO BE PRESENTED FRIDAY NIGHT

"The Boarding House Reach" by Donald Payton will be presented by the McLean High School seniors Friday, April 19, at 8:15 in the high school auditorium. Tickets, which are available from any senior, will be 25 cents for students, 50 cents for adults, and 75 cents for reserved seats.

Many hilarious situations arise when Teen-ager Wilbur Maxwell decides to turn his home into a boarding house during his parents' absence. Quite an unusual array of characters arrive and many humorous complications result.

The characters are: Wilbur Maxwell, Fred Smith; Hercules Nelson, Joe Dwyer; Betty Lou Maxwell, Patricia Wiggins; Connie Maxwell, June Dorsey; Bernadine Smith, Mariene Gudgel; John Maxwell, Gayle Mullanax; Janet Maxwell, Betty Dickinson; Aunt Mary, Rosie Lee Smith; Lumpy McGuire, Bob Stubblefield; Nora, Sharon Immel; Herman "Ninety-Volt" Jones, Charles Crockett; Roughhouse Ruby, Martha McCurley; Mr. Potter, Roy Hancock; Lucy Burns, Mauree Miller; Mrs. Mott, Monta Kennedy; and Connolly, Carl Henley.

## 1957 CANCER CRUSADE DRIVE SET FOR McLEAN NEXT WEEK

A drive will be conducted in McLean next week to raise money for the annual Cancer Crusade. Larry Fuller, local drive chairman, said Wednesday. He pointed out that local residents would be contacted for contributions at their home or business establishments.

McLean residents, along with all Americans, are being urged this year to fight cancer with a check and a check-up.

Fuller said that cancer is the number two killer of men, women and children in this country and urged that each individual have a check-up at least once a year. "Go to your doctor for the sake of yourself and your loved ones. An examination may detect cancer before signs appear that are obvious to you. Thus your doctor may discover unsuspected cancer in the skin, in the lungs and many other parts of the body that would not be noticeable. A regular check-up is your best insurance against cancer," Fuller said.

"When you make a contribution the money goes to fight cancer by research and furnishes dollars for education and service. There are 40 million Americans now living whom cancer will strike if present rates continue. With your aid 1,000 scientists are pressing the search from coast to coast.

"Until recently, one out of 100 of those with cancer were saved by surgery, X-ray and medicine. Today one-third are being saved, thanks to research, education and service already made possible by generous Americans. But one-half, literally thousands more persons could be saved through earlier diagnosis and earlier treatment.

"The Cancer Society needs your gift to spread life-saving facts and to ease the pain of needy

cancer patients and to bring comfort to them and their families," Fuller concluded.



At Home—

## NEW BOSS

IN a check Dyer are after born in St. Louis, Mo., in Wellington. He weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces, and has been named Kallie Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Scott of Wellington and Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dyer of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Berger are the parents of a boy born Friday, April 12. The new arrival weighed 7 pounds, 8 ounces, and has been named Kenneth Monroe. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koetting of Groom and Mr. and Mrs. Olen Davis of McLean.

John Argus, a Scotman, was the father of the child, known as John.

Society is a masked ball, where everyone hides his real character, and reveals it by hiding—Emerson.

## L. C. MULLINS FUNERAL HELD HERE MONDAY

Funeral services for L. C. Mullins, 71, were held Monday, April 15, at 2:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church in McLean, with Pastor Jesse Leonard officiating. Mr. Mullins died in Highland General Hospital in Pampa Saturday.

Mr. Mullins was born in Louisiana June 22, 1885, and moved to McLean from Paducah in 1951. He was a Baptist and a member of the Woodmen of the World.

Survivors include his wife, Sarah of McLean; one daughter, Mrs. Mae Henry of McLean; two sons, J. C. of Monte Vista, Colo., and Luther of San Diego, Calif.; seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Palbearers were J. E. Smith, Jeff Treat, Claude Simmons, James Renuax, Charlie Skipper and Oscar Nix.

Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery under the direction of Richerson-Lamb Funeral Home.

## John Scott's Sister, Mrs. C. W. McCool, Dies in Wellington

Funeral services for Mrs. C. W. McCool were held Monday morning at 10:30 in the First Baptist Church in Memphis. Rev. Fern A. Miller officiated. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. McCool, 79, died at 7:00 a. m. Saturday in St. Joseph's Hospital in Wellington. She had lived in Memphis since 1913.

Survivors are two sons, Roger McCool of Compton, Calif., and W. D. McCool of Dumas; two brothers, John Scott of McLean and W. M. Scott of Wellington; three sisters, Mrs. Dick Watson of Memphis, Mrs. Mattie Goodman of Lynnwood, Calif., and Mrs. Della Keithley of Dallas; eight grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

## Cub Scout Workers Report Progress Of Organization

A meeting for all cub scout workers and parents was held Tuesday night at the local grade school. The Parent-Teacher Association is sponsoring cub scouting in McLean. Mrs. Erma Hester has been named chairman of the group in charge of the organization.

Bill Eller, district scout executive, informed the group that he was well pleased with the big turnout of cub scouts in McLean and said that it was the largest turnout that he had ever seen in his scouting experience.

A training session for all workers has been scheduled in Wellington for May 3.

Cubs will register and begin weekly meetings May 6 and May 10. Pack meetings with all leaders are scheduled for May 6 and May 13.

Plans are being made for regular den meetings by the end of the month.

Local cub scout workers are: Institutional representative—Felton Webb.

Committee chairman—J. B. Waldrop.

Committee—Troy Corbin, Johnny Haynes, Clyde Magee, George Saunders.

Cub Master—John D. Richards; assistants, Guy Hester and Sammy Haynes.

Den mothers—Mrs. R. C. Parker, Mrs. Milton Carpenter, Mrs. Jim Hathaway, Mrs. Clyde Magee, Mrs. Ernie Fry, Mrs. Arthur Dwyer, Mrs. Joe Bidwell, Mrs. David Dwight, Mrs. Truitt Johnson and Mrs. Jack Quarles.

Neighbor commission—Larry Fuller.

## TWO WIN AT LUBBOCK

Two McLean High School students placed among the top winners in class B at the regional Interscholastic League Meet held last Friday and Saturday in Lubbock.

In poetry reading, Elizabeth Boston placed first, and Lester Sitter placed second in boys' declamation.

## McLean Schools To Observe Easter Holiday Monday

The McLean schools will observe the Easter holiday on Monday, April 22. Classes will be dismissed Friday afternoon and will be resumed Tuesday morning, April 23.

## MORRIS WELLS SUSTAINS BURNS TUESDAY ON JOB

Morris Wells sustained burns from the waist up at about 12:00 o'clock Tuesday while working for Wells Completion, Inc.

The accident occurred when an engine became overheated and scalded Wells with hot water and steam. He was working with a crew on the El Paso Natural Gas Co. lease near McLean.

A Richerson-Lamb ambulance brought him to the Suderman Clinic for first aid and then took him to Highland General Hospital in Pampa.

He was reported doing fine Wednesday and is to be released from the hospital Friday.

## ACCIDENT IS FATAL TO ANDREW WISDOM

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Capps returned Wednesday from Crowell where they were called because of the death of their nephew, Andrew Wisdom, who was killed in an accident Sunday.

## BIRTHDAYS

April 21—Laura Mae Switzer, Earl Riley, Carl William Back.

April 22—Mrs. Clifford Allison, Terry Don Bidwell, Josh Chilton, Wayne Stafford.

April 23—Mrs. John W. Dwyer, Boyd Reeves, Bert Barker.

April 24—Johnnie R. Back, Jimmy McCarty, Rachel Suderman, Chris Campbell, J. D. Roth.

April 25—Frank Reeves, Mrs. R. T. Moore, Leslie Talbert.

April 26—Linda Nicholas, Jason Baker.

April 27—Mrs. Emory Crockett, Pamela Mann, C. W. Wilson.

## McLEAN LIONS CLUB NAMES AMOS PAGE NEW PRESIDENT



AMOS PAGE  
... Lion boss elect

## Examinations Open For Postmaster At Kellerville

An examination for fourth-class postmaster for the post office at Kellerville, \$2304 a year, will be open for acceptance of applications until May 7, 1957, the U. S. Civil Service Commission announced this week.

Applicants must actually reside within the territory supplied by the above-mentioned post office and must be at least 18 years of age. There is no maximum age limit. However, persons who have passed the age of 70 may be considered only for temporary renewable appointments of one year.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced. Application forms must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C., and must be received or postmarked not later than the closing date.

Amos Page, McLean theatreman, was unanimously elected as president of the McLean Lions Club at the regular meeting Tuesday.

Other officers elected were: first vice president, L. K. Fuller; second vice president, W. C. Simpson, and third vice president, Freeman Melton, Jr.

Elmo Whaley was elected secretary for the coming year and Charles Cousins was named treasurer.

Harold Bunch was chosen Lion tamer for the coming year, and Odell Mantooth was named the new taitwister.

Jim Hathaway and Johnny M. Haynes were named new directors for the coming year.

Lion Ralph Thomas of Pampa was a guest of the club and Rev. Jesse Leonard was a guest of Lion Bill Reeves.

Lion Boyd Meador officially inducted four new members into the club. The new members welcomed into the club were Dale Parvin, Bill Reeves, J. F. Doggett and Don Alexander.

Lion Hickman Brown, chairman of the nominating committee, conducted the election, and the member to be named Lion of the Year was voted on by secret ballot. Lion Ralph Thomas will keep the votes and the winner will be announced during ladies night at a later date.

Lion Larry Fuller announced that arrangements for a light bulb sale had been made and the club members will have the sale next Monday afternoon at 5:00.

Lion John C. Haynes announced that all committees charged with the responsibility of putting on the rodeo this year are functioning and that progress is being made. The Lions are jointly sponsoring the rodeo this year with the American Legion and the McLean Roping Club.

Lion Boss George Saunders reminded the club that the district convention will be held in Lubbock May 2, 3 and 4, and urged early registration for those who plan to attend.

## Dairi-O Drive-In Grand Opening Set Saturday

The "Dairi-O," new soft ice cream drive-in, will have its grand opening in McLean Saturday from 11:00 a. m. to 11:00 p. m.

The Dairi-O, which will be open seven days a week, is owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Ted Simmons and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Simmons and is located between the divided highways just west of Andrews Equipment Co.

Although the official opening is set for Saturday, soft ice cream, malts and milk shakes, as well as hamburgers, sandwiches and hot dogs are already being served daily at the Dairi-O.

Minnesota boasts the greatest water area of any state.



BILLY R. DAVIS, a Gray County native, has been named as the best conservation rancher in the area for 1957 by the Gray County Soil Conservation District. He manages and operates 25,658 acres of land near Pampa, owning about half of the land and leasing the rest. Davis also finds time to be very active in numerous civic affairs.

# Society

## Merry Melodies Music Club Has Meeting Friday

The Merry Melodies Music Club met Friday, April 12, for their last meeting of the year. Repertoire players were Dora Faye Cunningham, Wayne Morris, Peggy Sharp and Flo Nell Crockett. They each played several numbers and Linda Grimsley and Flo Nell Crockett sang "The Bells of St. Mary's." All other members played a selection each. Janiece Magee read the minutes of the last meeting, and named Mrs. Rodgers' honor rolls as follows:

A+, Dorothy Beasley; A, Janelle Hall, Joyce Beasley, Vicky Bunch, Marilyn Magee, Carol Lawson and Susan Lyons; A-, Wayne Morris, Patricia Jenkins, Norma Page, Pamela Mann, Flo Nell Crockett, Donna Lou Hall, Dora Faye Cunningham, Michal Massay, Teresa Mertel, Jan Bailey, Toni Mertel, Marsha Andrews and Vickie Kunkel; A-, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Sharp and Mrs. Crockett served refreshments to 23 members and 17 guests.

## Juanice Sims and Bill Evans to Be Married April 20

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Sims of Mobeetie are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Juanice, to Bill Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans of McLean. The wedding ceremony will be read Saturday morning, April 20, at 11:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in McLean.

Miss Sims and Mr. Evans are students at Texas Tech in Lubbock. All friends are invited to attend the wedding.

## Charity Circle Meets Monday

The Charity circle of the WSCS met Monday afternoon at 2:30 in the parlor of the McLean Methodist Church.

Mrs. Allie Mae Herron was in charge of the program on missions and the devotional, followed by the Lord's Prayer in unison.

Mrs. Ellen Wilson told of the islands that the WSCS has helped, and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes talked on what has been done for the Navajos.

Mrs. J. E. Kirby conducted the business. The society voted to buy rose plants to finish the rose bed at the church and to give \$15 to the cancer fund.

## Guild Is Making Finance Scrap Books

A group of Wesleyan Service Guild members met Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the McLean Church parlor to make "Budget Finance Scrap Books." The books will have pictures and explanations about church finances.

Those attending were Naomi McCarty, Lois Page, Sue Cubine, Isabel Cousins, Fern Boyd, Maybell Nash and Erma Hester.

## Baptist Circles Meet Tuesday

The Baptist WMS met Tuesday afternoon in circles. No circle meetings will be held next week.

The Helen Carpenter circle met at the church for mission study taught by Mrs. Lonnie Day.

Those attending were Mesdames E. L. Day, Boria Kunkel, George Colebank, Bill Pettit, Homer Abbott, T. A. Langham, Leo Gibson, Arnold Sharp, Jack Ayers, C. L. Pettit, Opal Hugg and Lonnie Day.

Mrs. Abbott served refreshments of sandwiches, Easter cup cakes and iced tea.

The Oleta Snell circle met in the home of Mrs. Raymond Smith for mission study.

The hostess served refreshments to Mesdames Jesse Leonard, L. F. Giesler, Leroy Williams, Oscar Tibbets, Clarence Voyles, Louis McDonald, and two new members, Mrs. Odus Cockburn and Mrs. Glenn Richardson.

The Lena Lair circle met at the home of Mrs. W. C. Simpson. The business session was in charge of the circle chairman, Mrs. Joe Taylor. Prayer was led by Mrs. Fred Browning. Some hand work was done for the Sunbeam band.

Mrs. Morris Brown led the mission study from the book, "Home Missions in USA," on the subject, "Ye Shall Be Witnesses Unto Me." Announcements concerning the revival were made. The closing prayer was led by Mrs. R. L. McDonald.

The hostess served iced tea, ice cream and Easter cup cakes to Mesdames Taylor, Brown, McDonald, Ellis Wyatt, J. M. Stevens, F. E. Stewart, Luther Petty, Bill Boyd, and Arthur Boyd; a visitor, Mrs. Fred Browning of Lefors; and four children, Mona Smith, Lynn Ellen Taylor, Ronny Brown and Larry Boyd.

The Helen McCullough circle met in the church parlor with Mary Howard bringing the program on Japan.

Refreshments of Cokes and cookies were served by Elizabeth Kunkel to Katie Price, Lillie Mae Williams, Onie Vineyard, Annie Reeves, Hazel Smith, Joann Miller, and Mary Howard. Mrs. Miller's twin daughters were also present.

## The Skillet Circle Meets Thursday With Mrs. George Saunders

The Skillet Circle met Thursday, April 11, in the home of Mrs. George F. Saunders.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Louella Hall, Zelida McClellan, Roy McClellan, Ola Saunders, Willie Lamb, Alma Weaver and Pearl Burr.

Children present were Debra McClellan and Judy Saunders.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Pearl Burr May 9.

The minimum hourly wage was raised by law to 75 cents in 1947.

## Senate Passes Johnson Drought Relief Proposal

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson's deferred grazing bill, a major drought relief proposal aimed at preventing excessive grazing of drought-damaged pastures, passed the Senate this week. A similar bill in the House of Representatives was modified to conform with the Senate's version and sent to the White House for Presidential signature.

"This is very important legislation," said Johnson, "and absolutely essential for an effective program. It not only directly benefits the farmers and

ranchers in the drought sections, but also provides much-needed safeguards for our precious soil."

Senator Johnson indicated that if stock were permitted to graze the land—much of it already ground and trampled into a fine powder—permanent pasture damage could result. "Soon the land would become barren and sterile, fit for nothing except melancholy lectures on how we lacked wisdom," he said.

The bill provides payments for deferred grazing, at rates equal to the fair rental value of the land. Payments would be made on a sliding scale, with the highest rate of \$3,000 for any individual for any year. "Fair rental value" would be determined on the basis of normal grazing ca-

party of the land during periods of adverse precipitation.

"We were tired," Senator Johnson said, "with the endless of other things, but this was a matter for decades to come. The direct impact will be felt in the great Southwest, but the beneficial effects will be shared by the whole nation and by generations ahead."

## Rat Control Program Is Important Part of Spring Clean-Up

Thomas continued, "Cleaning up an atmosphere of cleanliness will help rid a farm of countless rodent-infested dangers such as disease, fire and building deterioration."

"Get rid of the rats on your place with an anticoagulant rat bait, and cleanliness will discourage reinfestation," Thomas said. The bait may be obtained during the rat control campaign from Price Barber Shop in McLean or from the secretary in the county agent's office in Pampa.

"Proclaim liberty throughout all the land," is inscribed on the Liberty Bell in Philadelphia.

Thomas said that the history of human civilization is scarcely anything more than the history of human error.

Voltaire.

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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 23rd 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. 11,962.

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 the 1st day of April, 1957.

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

**HELEN SPRINKLE**, Clerk of said District Court, Gray County, Texas  
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**Henry Fonda and Vera Miles Star in 'The Wrong Man'**

Wednesday and Thursday at the Derby Drive-In Theatre, film fans will be treated to what is said to be a very special film from Alfred Hitchcock and Warner Bros., "The Wrong Man." They will also delight to a very talented and beautiful actress, Vera Miles, who stars opposite Henry Fonda in the film.

Her first real break came when Director John Ford was looking for an actress to play a young pioneer woman in "The Searchers," starring John Wayne. He saw her in one of the "Medic" series on TV and signed her the next day.

Break number two came when Alfred Hitchcock saw her in a Ford Theatre TV drama. He not only cast her in the starring role opposite Henry Fonda in "The Wrong Man" for Warner Bros., but also signed her to a personal five-year contract.

Because television has brought her such good luck, Vera has clauses in her film contract reserving the right to continue appearing on TV whenever she is not busy on a feature production.

"The Wrong Man" is said to be Alfred Hitchcock's most exciting film. The master of screen mayhem has for the first time turned to real life for his story, filmed at the actual locales. New York City suburbs, clubs, apartments and offices were the sites of Hitchcock's crew and cameras for several weeks.

rights to benefits," added Sanderson.

He further stated that the vast majority of the more than nine million people now receiving monthly social security payments had no trouble getting their checks started. It was thus not necessary to pay them retroactively for more than a month or so unless they had delayed filing their claims for many months past their initial eligibility.

"We have always suggested that the nearest social security office be notified when a possible claimant reaches the age of 65, or when a person insured under social security dies," Sanderson concluded.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks to our neighbors and friends, also the McLean First Baptist Church, for the beautiful flowers sent at the death of our father, James F. Toier. Your kind thoughtfulness to us in our hour of sorrow is more deeply appreciated than words can express. May God bless each of you.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Barbee

**CARD OF THANKS**

We are sincerely grateful to friends and neighbors for their many kind acts of sympathy during our sad bereavement. Our appreciation cannot be adequately expressed.  
John and Grace Scott

The pioneer of something new under the sun is never hit; he cannot be; the opinions of people fly too high or too low.—Mary Baker Eddy.



But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, long suffering, gentleness, goodness, faith.—(Galatians 5, 22.)

Why should anyone deliberately choose hatred, turmoil, misery, when the Lord Jesus—ever eager and ready to show us the way to all that is joyous and good in life—stands waiting at the door of our souls for us to ask Him to enter?

# REVIVAL

**First Baptist Church  
McLean, Texas**

You are invited to come to Christ's Church for services led by the Leonard brothers

**April 19-28**

9:30 A. M. -- 7:30 P. M.

**Rev. Jesse R. Leonard, Evangelist  
Rev. Dinzel Leonard, Singer**

## BIBLE TALK

(1 Pet. 4:11)

The Lord's church is described in the Lord's book—the Bible. Let us study briefly, this description. The church has a head—Christ. "He is the head of the body, the church." (Eph. 1) It has a foundation—Christ. "Other foundation can no man lay than that which is laid, Jesus Christ." (1 Cor. 3:11) It was established in Jerusalem on the first Pentecost after the ascension of Christ. (Isa. 2:2-4) (Mk. 9:1) (Lk. 24:47) (Ac. 1:8) (Ac. 2) A church beginning at any other time or place could not be the church of the Lord. In its organization the N. T. church had a plurality of bishops and deacons in each congregation and all members were called saints. (Phil. 1:1) In worship, the N. T. church did these five (5) things: They sang with the spirit and understanding making melody in their hearts to God. (Col. 3:16) (Eph. 5:19) They prayed to God through the name of Jesus Christ. (Ac. 2:42) (Col. 3:17) They gave of their means as God prospered them. (Ac. 2:42) (1 Cor. 16:2) They taught the word of God to all. (Ac. 2:42) And they came together on the first day of the week to eat the Lord's Supper. (1 Cor. 11) (Ac. 20:7) It is well to observe here that man, in HIS WISDOM has seen fit to add to and take from these simple items of worship as set forth in the N. T., but God has not and forbids man so doing. (Rev. 22) "God is a spirit and they that worship Him must worship Him in spirit and in truth." (Jno. 4:24) To worship God in truth is to worship Him according to His word, for His word is truth. (Jno. 17:17) Today people calling themselves Christians pray to God in the name of Mary. They make music with mechanical instruments. They eat the Lord's Supper quarterly, semi-annually. They use human methods to teach the people. They have rummage sales, raffles, bazaars and other means of collecting money for the Lord. But the church of the Lord did not and does not so prostitute God's sacred will. Direct questions to P. O. Box 153.



Social security payments can be paid retroactively for only one year before the formal application is filed. If entitlement exists in the earlier months, according to John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo district office.

"There are some rare occasions," he went on, "when a person claims benefits, fails to prove entitlement for a number of months, then succeeds and gets back payments for more than a year from the time he furnished the last bit of evidence on which his eligibility depended."

"Ordinarily, such occasions are few and far between, as a social security office is usually able to help most people gather, in about three weeks or so, any evidence needed to prove their



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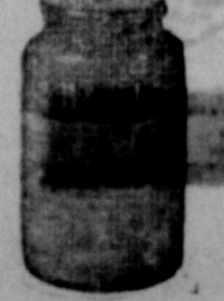
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WHOLESALE TAX DISCRIMINATION

The legislatures of three Western states—Nevada, California and Idaho—have urged Congress to repeal the wartime imposed excise taxes on transportation.

The Nevada resolution stated: "It should be a principle of federal taxation to levy taxes in such a manner as to prevent them from falling as an unequal burden on citizens residing in different areas of the country."

The House Committee on Small Business reports that the tax on freight discriminates against these businesses. The reason is that the small business, generally speaking, relies on the common carriers, while big manufacturers can avoid the impact of the tax by operating their own private transport systems to deliver their finished goods to the market.

These are but two of a long list of arguments that can be brought against these taxes. They tax a necessity, not a luxury. They tax the flow of commerce, not goods. They pyramid the cost of living by adding to the transportation costs at the successive stages of manufacturing, market and distribution.

INCENTIVE IS THE ANSWER

At more or less regular intervals, questions are raised as to the propriety of the depletion allowance which has long been given oil producers. This allowance, amounting to 27 1/2%, is a credit against income taxes.

That credit, however, is not given just to make the producers happy, or to do them a favor. It is given—and has been approved by Congress after Congress for many years—because of certain incontrovertible facts.

One fact is that oil wells wear out. They become exhausted and must be replaced. In other words, even the best of them are steadily declining assets.

Another fact is that finding new wells to replace the old—and to keep our oil reserves at necessary levels in a time of enormous consumption—is about as risky a matter as one can imagine. Of every nine wildcat wells drilled, eight turn out to be dry and therefore worthless. And the average cost of each wildcat well is a handsome \$12,000.

Only one out of 44 wildcat wells finds new reserves equivalent to the national demand for four hours. Only one out of 991 produces the equivalent of a week's production. A quarter of all the productive wells fail to return the cost of drilling.

In the light of this, what will spur men to take the risks and go hunting for oil? The answer is as simple as it is obvious—financial incentive. Hence the depletion allowance. Without it, we'd be asking for an oil shortage.

YOUR BATTLE

Courageous men in Congress are fighting your battle for budget and tax reduction. Newly elected Senator Lausche opposed a \$5 million federal appropriation for Pan-American games to be held in Cleveland in 1959, saying: "The federal budget must be cut. I cannot support for Ohio something that I would oppose in another state."

There has been a prairie fire of protest mail from men and women in all walks of life, demanding heavy cuts in the budget followed by tax reduction. But, pressures for spending, by minority groups, seeking hand-outs from the treasury, are terrific.

The people themselves will have to curb their own demands for public spending if they ever hope to reduce the burden of crushing taxation.

40 Years Ago— IT HAPPENED HERE

Taken from the Files of The McLean News, 1917

School Board Organizes The school trustees met in evening at the Citizens State Bank and the new board was organized with the following officers: W. T. Wilson, president; Clay E. Thompson, secretary; American National Bank, treasurer.

The matter of selecting the teachers for the next term was taken up and the following were elected: Frank P. Wilson, superintendent; Miss Billingslea, principal; Misses Grace Hamilton, Minnie Foster and Katie Robinson, grades.

Several of these teachers were on the staff last year and all of the new ones come highly recommended both as to accomplishments and ability as instructors. Prof. Wilson, who is a brother of W. W. Wilson, principal last year, is a university graduate and has had post graduate work at the Chicago University.

A pink carnation, the class flower, was pinned on each senior. Miss Mabel Watkins, assisted by Misses Lettie Bogan, Alma Anderson and Sallie Lou Haynes kept the guests entertained with a program consisting of games, contests, musical numbers etc.

One or two places are yet to be filled and this matter will be taken up at a later meeting of the board. Senior Class Receives Honors On Thursday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Noel, in honor of their son, James, entertained the 1917 graduating class with a sumptuous six o'clock dinner.

For an hour the class was entertained with musical numbers, special stunts and merry conversation, and all too soon were reminded that with pleasure come responsibilities, also, as they were rushed off to the auditorium to practice their play.

Those to vote Mr. and Mrs. Noel as charming host and hostess were Misses Maude Wilson, Verda Deen, Grace Whatley, Alma Evans, Thelma Rogers, Blanche Mayfield, Mary Henry, Bessie and Bettie Lee Christian; Messrs. Robert Robinson, Boyd Reeves and James Noel. Other guests were Misses Ethel McCurdy and Lettie Bogan, Mr. and Mrs. Boyett and Mr. and Mrs. Clay E. Thompson.

On Thursday evening the senior class was again honored with an elaborate reception given by Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Morse at their beautiful home in the west part of town.

After the delicious refreshments consisting of sandwiches, pickles, olives, fruit salad, ice cream and cake, the guests had their hostess good-night, each expressing an enjoyable evening. Those present other than the seniors were Messrs. Ernest Jordan, Hughes Quattlebaum, Guy O'Dell and DeWitt Burks; Misses Lettie Bogan, Frances Noel and Lorene Stanfield; and Mr. and Mrs. Noel.

Perhaps the largest and most elaborate entertainment ever tendered any class of McLean High School was the reception given in their honor on Saturday evening at the school building by the junior class and post graduates.

A pink carnation, the class flower, was pinned on each senior. Miss Mabel Watkins, assisted by Misses Lettie Bogan, Alma Anderson and Sallie Lou Haynes kept the guests entertained with a program consisting of games, contests, musical numbers etc.

Miss Haynes read an interesting and witty class prophecy from the pen of Miss Janie Cousins.

Pink and green brick ice cream and cake were served as refreshments.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

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TELEPHONE TALK

by George Newberry, Manager

MOTHER'S DAY CUSTOM

Telephones will be ringing all over the country Sunday, May 12, when the annual custom of Mother's Day Long Distance calling is observed once again.

Nowadays, it seems almost every family has at least one "branch" separated from the rest by hundreds or even thousands of miles. A call home on Mother's Day is always a special event—even though reunions by Long Distance may be pretty frequent throughout the rest of the year, too.

If you're planning a call on Mother's Day this year, don't forget the money-saving way to do it: call station-to-station. Rates are approximately 1/3 lower than on person-to-person calls.

And as usual,—to save time, call by number. Your Long Distance calls will go through twice as fast if you can give the operator the out-of-town number you're calling.

GIVE HER A TELEPHONE

While I'm on the subject, I'd like to offer another Mother's Day suggestion.

Additional telephones make useful gifts. They're decorative, too, when you select one of the eight available colors.

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This is a "Public Works" project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the

proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman, or mechanic employed on this project.

Legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the office of Chas. W. Smith, District Engineer, Amarillo, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

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Starring Victor Mature in the violent, man-vs-beast type role in which he has become big box office, "The Sharkfighters" tells the dramatic, suspenseful story of the U. S. Navy's fight in 1942 to save World War II fliers shot down in shark-infested waters. Snappily blonde Karen Steele, whose dramatic acting scored in "Marty," is co-starred in the Cine-Scope Technicolor film.

"The Sharkfighters," to be at the Derby Drive-In Theatre Friday and Saturday, also introduces in a starring role handsome, talented Broadway Actor James C. Gleason, and boasts a strong supporting cast which includes Phil Coolidge, Rafael Campos and Claude Adkins.

**CHURCH CALENDAR**

(Churches of this area are invited to run their activity calendars weekly in this column.)

**McLean Methodist Church**  
Each Sunday:  
Church School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 10:55 a. m.  
Vespers 5:00 p. m.  
MY Fellowship 6:00 p. m.  
A cordial invitation is extended to the public, to attend any or all the services. Make plans to attend every Sunday.  
Jack Riley, Pastor

**First Presbyterian Church**  
Bible School 10 a. m.  
Worship 11 a. m.  
Westminster Fellowship 6 p. m.  
Evening worship 7 p. m.  
Nursery for children  
Ladies Auxiliary 2:30 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 fellowship; to serve the community, the nation, and a needy world; this is the mission of our church.  
You are invited to all services.

**Church of Christ**  
Sunday Services:  
Bible School 10 a. m.  
Preaching 10:50 a. m.  
Communion 11:45 a. m.  
Young People's Classes 6:00 p. m.  
Evening preaching 7:00 p. m.  
Wednesday Services:  
Ladies Bible Study 2 p. m.  
Bible classes, all ages, 7:30 p. m.  
We welcome your attendance, investigation, and support. You need the church and the church needs you. "We preach only Christ and Him crucified."—1 Cor. 2:2. "We speak the truth in love."—Eph. 4:15. You are

**Personal**

Johnny and Danny Bayless of Borger visited Thursday and Friday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott. They returned home with their parents Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Shipman and children and Mrs. Emily Smith of LeFors visited Sunday in the Boyd B. Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Smith and daughter of Dumas and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Horton and son of Pampa visited in the J. N. Smith home over the weekend.

Mrs. Thurl Collie and sons of Dumas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duncan, several days last week.

Mrs. W. M. Rhodes, Miss Dora Watt and Mrs. Frank Golightly were in Pampa Monday.

Mrs. Frank Simpson was in Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. France of Webb City, Mo., visited their daughter and granddaughter, Mrs. Harold Butrum, and family over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, Sr., vacationed in Mineral Wells last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeves attended the postmasters convention in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams visited in Borger Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oglesby, and in Pampa with Mrs. Jimmy Don Lamb.

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J. F. Doggett, Minister

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Sunday Services:  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m.  
Evening worship 6:30 p. m.  
Wednesday:  
Mid-week prayer service 7:00 p. m.  
Missionary service each 2nd Wednesday  
Come and Get Your Faith Lifted.  
W. E. Bond, Pastor

**First Baptist Church**  
Sunday:  
Sunday School 10 a. m.  
Worship service 11 a. m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Evening worship 8:00 p. m.  
Tuesday:  
W. M. U. meetings  
Wednesday:  
Sunday School teachers and officers meet at 7:15 p. m.  
Prayer meeting and Bible study at 8:00 p. m., followed by choir practice.  
Jesse Leonard, Pastor

**Pentecostal Holiness Church**  
Sunday Services:  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11 a. m.  
Youth meeting 6:30 p. m.  
Evening worship 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week service Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Woman's Auxiliary meets on Thursday, 1 p. m.  
Prayer changes things for soul and body.—1 Thes. 5:23.  
Leon Bird, Pastor

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

Mrs. Loula Randies and son, Claude, of Turpin, Okla., visited Friday night in the home of their nephew and cousin, D. L. Miller, and family.

John Regal of Oklahoma University at Norman visited his grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Sparks. He was en route to Amarillo to visit his parents for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page and daughter, Iris Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cooper and son, Marvin Lee, of Pampa visited Mr. and Mrs. Amos Page Sunday.

Jack Rhodes of Hereford visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Rhodes, Saturday.

Linda Lowe was admitted to Highland General Hospital in Pampa Saturday.

Mrs. Madge Page and her grandson, David Dean Cooper of Pampa, left Friday morning for California. They will visit relatives there and David will fly to Japan Thursday. He is in the Air Force and will be stationed in Japan two years.

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank everyone for the cards and other acts of kindness shown me while I was in the hospital. Your thoughtfulness was much appreciated.  
Mrs. T. B. Windom

**CARD OF THANKS**  
I wish to thank this method of thanking everyone for the cards, flowers and other kind acts while I was in the hospital. Your kind deeds were greatly appreciated.  
Mrs. Claude Hinton

**CARD OF THANKS**  
We wish to thank this means to thank all the nice people of McLean for the beautiful flowers, food and all their kindness at the passing of our beloved husband and father. May God's richest blessings be with you.  
Mrs. Sarah Mullins  
Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Henry  
Charlene Henry  
Lonnie Henry  
Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Mullins  
Mr. Luther Mullins  
Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Gady  
Christa Gady

Mrs. Luther Petty attended the Training Union revival at the Shamrock Baptist Church Monday night.

Copra is the dried meat of coconuts from which oil has been extracted.

Wayne Woods of Texas A&M College at College Station visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Woods, the latter part of this week.

Kentucky, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Virginia are commonwealths.

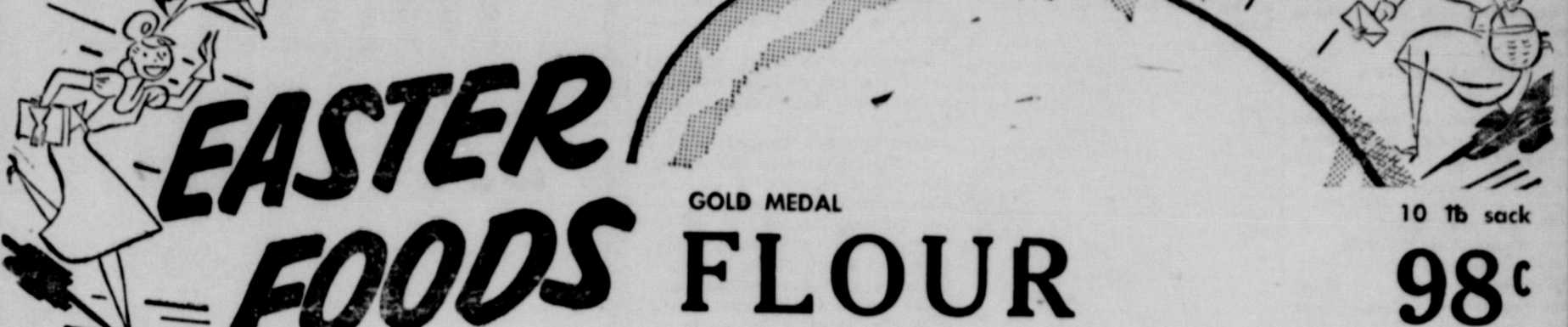
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**Garden-Fresh VEGETABLES**  
Green Beans 1 lb 25c  
Green Onions 2 bunches 15c  
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SUNSHINE HI HO CRACKERS 1 lb pkg. 33c

WHITE KARO pint jar 25c

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## SIX PERSONS DIE IN MARCH ACCIDENTS

Six persons were killed and 46 were injured in rural accidents investigated in March in the 26-county area served by the Amarillo district of the Texas Highway Patrol.

These accidents accounted for some \$84,450.00 in property damage during the same period.

Most of the accidents occurred on state and federal highways but at least 14 of them were reported from towns under 2,500 population.

Speeding was named as the number one causative factor of March accidents.

March totals added with January and February statistics show that during the first three months of this year 29 persons have been killed, 147 were injured and a total of \$229,613.00 in property damage was reported.

In carrying out their basic duties of law enforcement, the 37 patrolmen serving the 26-county area investigated 126 traffic accidents during March. Some 769 traffic arrests were made, of which 459 were for speeding.

Patrolmen issued 1911 hazard warnings.

## Football Players Being Nominated For Greenbelt Game

Coach Jack Riley has received an invitation to nominate a line man and a back from among the seniors on last fall's McLean High School team to appear in the ninth annual Greenbelt Bowl game. This all-star game will be held in Childress on Friday, August 16, and will feature the top players from many high schools in West Texas and Oklahoma.

Coaches for the game have not been named yet but they will be of the same high calibre that has made past Greenbelt Bowl games a high point in the athletic experience of the boys participating in the game. The coaches, when they are selected, will have the difficult task of selecting the 48 boys who will make up the two all-star squads to appear in the game. Many of the boys who have participated in this game have received athletic scholarships as a direct result of their performance in this game.

Charlie Vineyard, who will be long remembered for his football achievements at McLean High School, starred in last summer's Greenbelt Bowl game.

FDR held his first "Fireside Chat" in 1933.

Jade is a green material found in talc, or magnesium silicate.



By Vern Sanford  
Texas Press Association

### Adjournment Time

"Sine die" is the magic phrase around the Capitol nowadays. It's the phrase traditionally applied to the final adjournment time agreed on by both houses of the Legislature.

Only three weeks remain of the 120 days recommended in the Constitution for sessions. After that (May 7) lawmakers' pay stops.

Sentiment appears strong for a sine die resolution set on or very near that deadline. It's been a rough session, say many members. Investigations, bribery charges, counter-charges and threat of more have frayed nerves, provoked hot words, deep rifts.

They've made it harder to plough through the usual hundreds of measures requiring study, debate and some sort of agreement. Many are still backed up in discouraging stacks.

Even so, say members, they hope to shove through the "musts" and go home on time. But likely differences of opinion on what constitutes "musts" promise even more tension and temper for the final weeks.

**Teacher Raise**  
One of the biggest issues still gathering steam in the Legislature is the teacher pay raise. Despite strong backing, the drive has been beset with stumbling blocks.

Public school teachers want a \$399-a-year boost. Total cost for the biennium is variously estimated from \$45,000,000 to \$70,000,000.

Sponsors have become increasingly impatient of delays. Bill was stymied by House rule which prohibits consideration of any other spending bill until the general appropriations bill is finally approved. This is in conference committee.

Then the attorney general ruled the teachers' bill was not an appropriation bill. This seemingly opened the door to quicker action. But budget-watchers intervened. They said passage of the teacher bill first would leave the treasury \$20,000,000 short of enough to cover the general appropriation bill.

This focused attention on Rep. Tom Joseph's "just in case it's needed" tax bill. It would tax dedicated gas reserves, produce an estimated \$35,000,000 in two years. Gov. Price Daniel had recommended a levy of this sort should more revenue be needed.

But this one, by some slip, was introduced without an enacting clause. Joseph sought the necessary two-thirds House vote to permit a correction. Vote was 68-to-66 against.

**Ethics Bill Zips Out**  
After weeks of haggling in the House, the code of ethics bill whizzed through the Senate in one day.

It goes to the governor's desk with 29-0 Senate approval.

Bill provides that no legislator, state official or employee shall engage in any outside activity "in substantial conflict with the public interest." Penalty is expulsion or dismissal.

**Narcotics Bill Passed**  
A possible death penalty for dope peddlers seems almost certain to become law.

House and Senate have passed the bill which was recommended by Gov. Daniel. It would permit

juries to assess the death penalty on second conviction for sale of any narcotic drug to a minor.  
**Auto Registration Tax**  
State car taxing system would be over hauled under a measure which won preliminary House approval.

If passed, the constitutional amendment would abolish the property tax on motor vehicles. Legislature would be given authority to increase registration fees by one-third. Revenue would be divided between school districts and city or county.

Meanwhile, the Texas Research League released a study suggesting further revision of the registration laws. License fees based on weight result in inequities, said the League. It proposed a flat fee for all size cars.

**Farm Bill Shelved**  
A bill to replace Commissioner of Agriculture John White's office with a 21-member board went to House sub-committee.

White declared the bill was dead.

Hearing brought prolonged and heated testimony. Proponents of the measure contended lack of state-federal cooperation has resulted in adequate crop inspection.

Opponents declared the 21-member board would be unwieldy and cost the state more in travel expense.

**Segregation Bill Okayed**  
A bill regarded as the cornerstone of a program to maintain school segregation won its second-round House vote.

It would allow local school boards to assign pupils to schools on basis of "qualifications, aptitudes," etc. An amendment also gives the boards authority to exempt a child from compulsory attendance at an integrated school.

**Senate Confirms**  
Joe P. Gibbs will serve on the board of Insurance Commissioners until September 1. Measures now before the Legislature would abolish the present board and substitute a new set-up between now and September.

Senate quickly confirmed Gibbs' appointment and that of Brady Gentry of Tyler to the Highway Commission. Both were made by Gov. Price Daniel.

Also confirmed, after long debate, was the appointment of R. M. Dixon as a member of the State Board of Water Engineers. This appointment kept unbroken the record that none of the recess appointees of Gov. Allan Shivers has been removed from office by Senate rejection. Other Shivers appointees confirmed by the upper house were R. F. Newman of Borger to the Employment Commission, and nine other interim appointments made by the former governor.

**Short Shorts**  
Board of Insurance Commissioners granted a second delay in the show cause hearing on Physicians Life and Accident Ins. Co. because the firm's president, Former Gov. Coke Stevenson, was ill. But hearing will be held April 22, said Comm. Chm. John Osorio, regardless.

What Texas needs is an anti-wire tapping law, said U. S. Sen-elect Ralph Yarborough. He claimed his campaign headquarters telephone lines had had uninvited listeners. . . . Both House and Senate gave final passage to a bill which would allow a farmer to use his pick-up or other vehicle with farm license plates for family and household errands.

## Mrs. Barbee's Father Dies in Dublin

Funeral services for James F. Toler, 83, were held Thursday, April 11, at the Greencreek Baptist Church in Dublin. Rev. Bradford of Dublin officiated.

Mr. Toler was born January 4, 1874, and died suddenly Tuesday night.

Survivors include three sons, T. G., J. T. and Ike of Denver City; three daughters, Mrs. Pearl Morris of Brownwood, Mrs. Nila Dupree of Pettus, and Mrs. Naomi Barbee of McLean; two adopted children, James Ralph of Venezuela, South America, and Louise Chamberlain of Levelland; two sisters and one brother. His wife, a daughter and a son preceded him in death.

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SINGER FRANK SINATRA stars in a western movie like you've never seen before when he plays "Johnny Concho" Sunday, Monday and Tuesday at the Derby Drive-In Theatre.

## Barbecue Supper Planned by Baptists

Tuesday, April 23, the Baptist Brotherhood and their guests will be served a barbecue supper at the church.

Sunday, April 28, an old-fashioned dinner will be held at the church following the morning worship service. Rev. Jesse Leonard, pastor, said: "We will have dinner all day and preaching on the ground." Everyone is invited to attend.

## Drouth Feed Program Extended to May 15

Congressman Walter Rogers has informed The News by telegram that the emergency drouth feed program has been extended thru May 15.

Congressman Rogers' message is as follows: "Department of Agriculture advises today that all counties in 18th congressional district have been approved for participation in emergency drouth

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The McLean High School band will have a bake sale Saturday at the McLean Hardware. The band members will have for sale pastries for the holiday weekend.

Money from the bake sale will be used to buy band awards.

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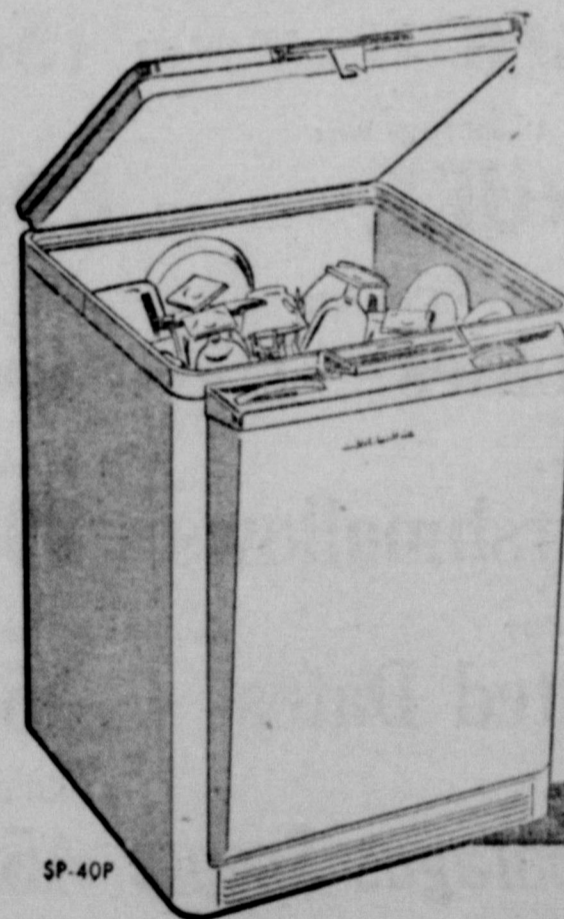
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