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GIVES TO FUND: Gov. John Connally is shown here giving A. Maloney and Dr. Harry Ransom a check for the John F. Kennedy Memorial Lectures Fund. Maloney, a banker from Austin, is chairman of the fund's board of trustees and Dr. Ransom, chancellor of the University

of Texas, is an ex-officio member of the board, along with Gov. Connally. The John F. Kennedy Memorial Lectures Fund will provide a continuing series of lectures and academic programs on Latin-American culture at the Catholic Student Center of the University of Texas.

Airman Gary Back Falls From Airplane Over Tennessee

Search parties were hunting through the rugged Smokey Mountains in Tennessee Wednesday for a 21-year-old McLean airman who plunged from an airplane to almost certain death Tuesday.

Airman 2/c Gary D. Back, son of Mrs. Marjorie Back of McLean, was sucked from a big C-130 Air Force transport flying at 19,000 feet.

He was not wearing a parachute at the time, and there is little chance he survived the plunge to earth.

Mrs. Back was informed of the accident in a telegram from the Air Force at about noon Tuesday.

According to information received here, Gary and another airman, S/Sgt. Jose Gallegos, were attending to duties in the propeller-driven plane when a door suddenly



A/2C GARY D. BACK

gave way.

Gary was sucked through the doorway. Gallegos saved himself by hanging onto a chain connected inside the aircraft.

Gallegos said that his feet were outside the plane, and it took him about two minutes to pull himself back inside.

A portion of the plane's side was ripped away, and knocked the propeller from one of the engines. The airplane made a crash landing at McGhee-Tyson Air Force Base, Tenn., but none of the remaining seven men aboard were injured.

Some equipment sucked from the craft and pieces torn from its side were found later near Gatlinburg, Tenn., giving rise to hopes that the airman's body would be found.

Young Back, a 1961 graduate of McLean High School, was serving a four-year enlistment in the Air Force. He entered the service in July, 1961.

A mechanic on the C-130, Gary received basic training at San Antonio and attended aircraft maintenance school at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls.

During his less than three years in the Air Force, Gary had seen much of the world as a crew member aboard the C-130. He had been to the Philippines, Spain, Turkey, Greece and Italy.

The giant C-130 is capable of carrying 86 fully equipped soldiers.

In a 20-minute telephone conversation with his mother last Saturday, Gary said that a flight to

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2ND JUBILEE SET SATURDAY

More New Talent To Be Introduced

Another "barrel of talent" will be rolled out here Saturday night for the second "Derby Town Jubilee."

The show, which received a tremendous response the first time it was staged Feb. 22, will be held this time in the high school auditorium, starting at 8 p.m.

Donald Cunningham, manager of the affair, said the large crowd at the first jubilee made it necessary to move to the school auditorium from the American Legion Hall.

Many people had to be turned away from the first show. Cunningham said that if the crowds continue to grow even more space will be needed for future jubilees.

For Second Time Welch Named To All-State Team

The McLean Tigers' Derrith Welch for the second consecutive year has been named to the Class A All-State Basketball Team.

Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Welch, was selected by the Texas Sports Writers Association for the first time. He is the only Panhandle cager on the team.

FBLA EXHIBIT WINS AGAIN

Takes State Title For Fourth Year

For the fourth year in a row McLean's Future Business Leaders of America chapter took first place with its exhibit at the annual Texas FBLA convention in Denton last weekend.

The local parliamentary team placed second for the third consecutive year, and the chapter also won a participation award, ranking as one of the top five chapters in Texas.

The convention was held on the campus of North Texas State University Friday and Saturday.

By winning the state contest, the McLean chapter's exhibit qualified for entry in national competition June 14-16 in Washington, D. C.

Williams Heads Committee

The exhibit committee is headed by Larry Williams. Other members are Linda Tindall, E. B. Durham and Joan Flowers.

Williams and Mrs. Mary Tom Riley, chapter sponsor, will take the exhibit to Washington. Mrs. Riley is a member of the national convention committee and will serve as FBLA sponsor for another year.

Jakey Hess of McLean was ranked among the top six finalists at Denton in the public speaking contest.

The McLean parliamentary team was runner-up to Breckenridge for the third time. Breckenridge has won this title eight years and has been national champion six times.

5 CANDIDATES AT ALANREED

School Election Draws Big Field

Five persons have filed as candidates for the Alanreed board of education. Three are incumbents seeking re-election.

Asking re-election are Robert Bruce, Red Easton and Wayne Morris.

Other candidates are Horace Bullock and Sonny Bryant.

The election to choose three trustees will be held on Saturday, April 4, with voting in the school business office from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.

In a meeting Monday, the Alanreed board of education named Marvin Hill as election judge. Mrs. Mae Norman, Mrs. Cecil Carter and Mrs. Bert McKee will serve as clerks.

The board also named a board of equalization for this year, consisting of Marvin Hill, Alvis Mor-

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Funeral Services Held in Mobeetie For Mrs. Hathaway

Mrs. Clara Dolison Hathaway, mother of Jim Hathaway of McLean, died at 7:30 p.m. last Friday in Highland General Hospital, Pampa.

She was 92.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the Mobeetie Church of Christ, with Elmer McLaughlin, minister, officiating. He was assisted by Jay Channell, minister of the McLean Church of Christ.

Interment was in Mobeetie Cemetery under the direction of Lamb Funeral Home.

Mrs. Hathaway had been hospitalized since Jan. 15, when she broke her hip.

Born on Aug. 18, 1871, in Marshall, Mo., she moved to Mobeetie from Lehigh, Okla., in December 1905.

Former School Teacher

Before her marriage to the late Albert Hathaway on Aug. 3, 1903, Mrs. Hathaway taught school in

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Savings Bond Sales Off to Slow Start

January savings bond sales in Gray County totaled only \$14,906, reaching only 2.3 per cent of the goal for 1964.

George B. Cree Jr. of Pampa, county bond committee chairman, said the goal this year is \$630,000.

Volleyball Tourney

McLean Junior and Senior High girls volleyball teams will enter the district tournament at Wellington next Tuesday.

Lloyd Hunt is coach of the teams.

Watershed Plan Of Work Is Launched

The 1964 plan of work for the McClellan Creek watershed program was launched last week at a special meeting in the courthouse annex at Pampa.

A representative of the State Soil Conservation Board, Aubrey Dalrymple, met with officials of the Gray County and McClellan Creek Soil Conservation Districts to discuss plans for the vital project.

Reports were made by each program chairman on his progress in promoting the watershed. Dalrymple suggested where emphasis should be placed to increase planning priority.

Application for the McClellan Creek watershed program was submitted to the State Conservation Board in 1961. But because of the large number of similar projects throughout the state—and the limited amount of funds available—

the local work must wait its turn.

A priority list has been prepared by the board, and planning parties work on the projects as listed.

Included in the McClellan Creek program are several dams, as well as improvements at Lake McClellan, to prevent further damage from flooding.

Attending the meeting in Pampa last week were:

R. J. Sailor, David Armstrong, George Curvey and Wright McGee, of the McClellan Soil Conservation District (Carson County); Milton Carpenter, Curtis Schaffer, James Cliett and W. C. Epperson, of the Gray County SCD; Billy Davis, chairman of the McClellan Creek watershed steering committee; L. Duane Bartee, Arneal Scott and Jack Gray, of the Soil Conservation Service; and Foster Whaley, Gray County Agricultural agent.

12 Teams to Enter First Local Relays

The first McLean Relays will be staged here Saturday, with tracksters from 12 schools competing for the trophies and ribbons.

Preliminaries, planned in all events except the mile run, start at 9:30 a.m. on the new track just completed east of Duncan Football Stadium.

FILING ENDS ON SATURDAY

M. M. (Joe) Burroughs filed this week for re-election to his position on the McLean city commission—the third incumbent to do so.

Creed Lamb and Jack Shelton, the other two aldermen whose current terms expire this spring, had filed earlier.

The filing deadline for the city commission expires at noon Saturday.

The deadline for candidates to enter the McLean board of education race came Wednesday afternoon, with still three aspirants for the two seats to be filled.

George Orrick is the only incumbent seeking re-election. J. B. Roach did not choose to run again.

A. L. Fuller and Jay Thompson are the other candidates for school trustee.

The school election is scheduled for Saturday, April 4, and the city election will be the following Tuesday, April 7.

Hess Is Director Of Hereford Club

F. Jake Hess of McLean has been elected to a one-year term as a director of the Houston Hereford Club.

Election of new leaders of the organization highlighted the club's annual business session held during the Houston Livestock Show.

Elevated to the office of president was R. T. Herrin of Houston.

Charter Banquet Is Planned by Jaycees

The newly organized McLean Junior Chamber of Commerce adopted its constitution and bylaws Tuesday night, and began making plans for a charter banquet on April 2.

Bob Stubblefield, temporary chairman of the organization, said installation of officers is set at the banquet.

Next meeting of the Jaycees will be at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the grade school cafeteria. Stubblefield invited all young men interested in joining to attend the meeting.

The Jaycees voted Tuesday night to sell tickets for a drawing for \$50 worth of groceries. The winner will be announced at the charter banquet.

Tickets will be 50 cents each for the drawing.

Just Between Us

Moving is usually such a chore, but much of the unpleasantness of the Sheltons' latest shift (our third in 3 1/2 years) from one part of town to another was made more bearable.

The assistance of our friends and new neighbors made it almost (but not quite) enjoyable at times.

We've only been a part of it for a couple of days now, but in our minds at least this is one great neighborhood. We hope the others will let us stay.

Perhaps before the junk is all cleared away, they'll wish they hadn't permitted us to come in.

-Jbu-

Since Sunday is the only full day we can stay away from work, this was the day the move had to come.

Our thanks to the George Colebanks for the coffee break, to the Flea Simpsons for supper, to Bill Simpson for moving the trailer, to Norris Cunningham and son for moving all that stuff—and to someone for the extra delicious bean pie.

We had our ideas, but nothing more than the pie to sink our teeth into, about which neighbor baked the pie and sat it on the porch for us to find.

Anyway, thanks.

-Jbu-

From cards on the bulletin board of High School Principal Bob Green's office:

"I don't mind going to school . . . I just don't like the principal of the thing."

And "Are you here to help solve my problems . . . or are you one of them?"

Meetings Ahead For Commission, Board

Regular monthly meetings of the McLean city commission and board of education are scheduled next week.

The school board will meet at 7 p.m. in the high school home economics room, and the commission is to meet at 7 p.m. the following night at city hall.

FACTORY FACTS

MARIE FOUNDATIONS REPORT	
Number of Employees	280
Production—Bras	2,255 dozen
Girdles	1,012 dozen

POLITICAL CALENDAR

Gray County Sheriff:	Rufe Jordan L. J. Flaherty
County Assessor-Collector:	Jack Back
State Representative:	Grainger McIlhany
County Attorney:	Don Cain
Constable, Precinct 5:	J. D. Fish

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for the food, flowers, visits, cards and words of sympathy during our loved one's stay in the hospital and at the time of her passing. God bless each of you.

The family of Clara (Granny) Hathaway

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Mrs. J. B. Pettit returned home Monday from Clarendon, where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ruby Blackman, for several days.

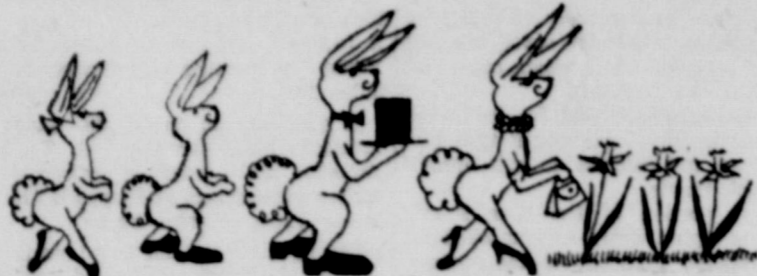
Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Jones attended the Trinity Baptist Church in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Carter are in Houston visiting with their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Carter.

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man and Cecil Carter.

Textbooks Approved
A report by the sample textbook committee was approved by the board Monday.

Approved were vocal music for grades one through three; supplementary readers for fourth through sixth; arithmetic, seventh and eighth; geography, seventh and eighth; drafting, seventh and eighth, and Spanish, seventh and eighth.

Supt. George Smith said that even though a Spanish textbook was adopted the course probably will not be taught next year.

Smith issued an invitation to everyone to attend the "Public Schools Week" open house at Al-anreed School from 7 to 9 p.m. Friday.

Refreshments will be served in the school cafeteria by the P-TO during the event.

School on St. Pat's Day
The superintendent said that school will not be dismissed for St. Patrick's Day on March 17.

However, parents may pick up their children on that day, if they desire, anytime after 2:30 p.m.

The foundation for the new Al-anreed school building was poured last week, and Jones Construction Co. currently is making the fill for the structure.

Smith plans to attend the Texas Elementary Principals and Supervisors in Fort Worth April 8-10.

Speakers on the convention program include:

Attorney General Waggoner Carr; Dr. W. O. Milligan, of Texas Christian; Mrs. Winthrop Rockefeller of Morrilton, Ark.; Caesar Romero, motion picture and television star, and Bennett Cerf, noted writer.

Banquet Saturday

The annual McLean Tiger Band banquet will be held at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the school cafeteria.

Mr. and Mrs. Miro Pakan visited in the Edgar Brinson home at DeLeon, Texas, Saturday. On their return trip they stopped in Abilene for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Barney Fulbright, former residents of McLean.

Rev. Thomas Tells Lions Club About Life as Missionary

Rev. David Thomas, pastor of the McLean Presbyterian Church, showed color slides and discussed his life as a missionary Tuesday as guest speaker at the Lions Club's luncheon meeting.

Rev. Thomas and his wife served as missionaries in China for some 30 years before their retirement in the early 50's.

During the luncheon, Lions President Johnny Haynes announced that the club will sell light bulbs as a fund-raising project.

Jay Thompson is chairman of the sale committee. No date has been set for the house-to-house sale in the city.

Nominating Committee

Haynes appointed Jim Hathaway as chairman of the nominating committee to select club officers for the next year.

All past presidents of the organization will serve with Hathaway on the committee, which is to report the new slate of officers at the next Lions luncheon on March 17.

Ernie McCracken, McLean High School senior, was introduced as the Lion's Cub of the Month for March.

Milo Production To Be Meeting Topic

Increased production of milo will be the principal subject Monday night at a meeting in the Agriculture Building in Pampa.

Gray County Agent Foster Whaley said Wednesday that all producers are invited to attend the session, starting at 7:30 p.m.

Billy Gunter, Extension Service agronomist, and Dave Sherrill, irrigation specialist, both of Lubbock, will discuss "How to Grow 9,000 Pounds of Milo per Acre."

For the dryland farmers, Whaley said he would cover this information: What are the best adapted varieties of hybrid milo for dryland production? Best cultural practices? Rate of planting? Row width? Date of planting? as well as other phases of dryland production.

Also due for discussion are the important changes in the 1964 feed grain program and its effect on farmers.

The county field crops committee is sponsoring the Monday meeting. Members of the committee are Robert Sailor, Jack Villines, Keith Davis, Amos Harris, C. W. Osborne, Jimmy McCracken, J. D. Skaggs, Lawrence Kurtz and John Spearman.

David Lincycumb On Aircraft Carrier

USS BENNINGTON — (Special) — David K. Lincycumb, Navy seaman apprentice and son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lincycumb, 403 East Fourth, McLean, is serving aboard the anti-submarine warfare aircraft carrier USS Bennington which departed Feb. 19 for a six-month Western Pacific cruise.

The carrier is the hub of an anti-submarine "Hunter-Killer" group which is composed of surface, sub-surface and air units working together as a combined force to find and destroy enemy submarines.

Bennington will visit Hawaii for training exercises before departure for Japan and the Far East as part of the Seventh Fleet. The carrier is scheduled to return to her home port in early August.

Help With WT Band Here Appreciated

Jim Boyd, McLean High School band director, has expressed his thanks to residents who provided housing and food for the West Texas State University Symphonic Band here for a concert Wednesday night.

Special thanks were given to Mrs. Spencer Sitter and Mrs. Doug Groves and their committees for making arrangements for housing and food.

Mrs. C. C. Mead of Pampa visited in the home of her father, T. A. Landers, Monday night.

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MANY CONTRIBUTE TO MAKE LIVESTOCK SHOW A SUCCESS

A host of business people and individuals contributed to the prize money for the first McLean Livestock Show held on Feb. 22.

In order that they may receive recognition, The McLean News is publishing the names of all contributors this week.

Nelson Christie, high school vocational teacher, and 4-H Club leaders here expressed their appreciation to all who helped make the show a success.

Contributors include:
Cooper's Market, Bob Massey, Master Cleaners, S. A. Cousins

BACK

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Turkey was planned this week.

The youth's grandfather, Carl Wood, told The McLean News that Gary had seemed concerned about the C-130 his crew was recently assigned to.

Wood said the crew members had thought they were to receive a new aircraft to replace one which was in use. But instead they were assigned to the older plane.

Wood is familiar with the area where the accident occurred. He grew up in the Smokey Mountains in North Carolina, and made a trip back to the area in the summer of 1962.

Gary's last letter to his mother arrived this morning. It had been written Monday.

In the letter the youth wrote about the possibility of going on leave after returning from Turkey.

"I don't know if I can take a leave when I get back or not," he wrote. "I sure hope so."

"I would like to get away for a while. Maybe it would settle my nerves. I don't know why, but I sure have been nervous lately. I got some pills but they don't seem to help much."

"I guess I'll get over it pretty soon."

In addition to his mother and grandfather, Gary is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Anita Day, McLean, and Mrs. Jimmy Skinner, Wichita Falls; one brother, Larry Back, Amarillo, and grandmother, Mrs. Mattie Back, McLean.

His father was the late Ansel Back.

Vick-Nicholson Marriage March 15

The engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Vivian Vick to Mike Nicholson is being announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Vick of Shamrock.

Nicholson's parents are Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Nicholson of McLean. Wedding vows will be said in the Missionary Baptist Church at Fifth and Texas Streets in Shamrock on March 15 at 2:30 p.m.

Friends of the couple are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Roy McCracken returned home from Highland General Hospital in Pampa Sunday.

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And O. R. Blankenship, Packer's Food Store, Dr. Hereford Ranch, Claude Powell, Pruitt Johnson, Jim Shelton, Triangle Ranch, Bill Bailey, Kate's Cafe, Joe's Barber Shop, Mullanax Men's Store, Les Gibson.

And Bob Sherrill, Charles Cousins, N. L. Welch, Smokey Peak, Peb Everett, American National Bank, Bill Pettit, Pinky Ledgerwood, Olen Davis, Greyhound Drug Store, Consumers Supply, Glen Curry.

And F. E. Stewart, McLean News, J. B. Roach, Roy Sherrill, Elmer Chevrolet, Joe Willis, R. L. Everett, Gray County Precinct No. 1 Employees, Bill Simpson, Bob Reeves, Jess Kemp, Ed Howard, Leamon Andrews.

And J. R. Glass Oil Co., Dairy Mart, Jerry Henley, Parsons Drug Store, Marzel's, McLean Hardware, Crawford Furniture, Hindman Hotel, Jane Simpson Insurance Agency, Johnnie Mertel Boat Shop, Mertel Store, Motor Inn Auto Supply, Stewart's 66 Service Station, El Paso Natural Gas Co., Dux Motel.

Important Meeting Of Legion Monday

A regular meeting of the McLean American Legion Post will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Legion Hall.

Harlon Pool Sr., an officer of the Legion, urged all eligible members to attend the meeting if they are interested in keeping the post open.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Norman of Canyon visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Grigsby over the weekend.

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NEWS ITEMS FROM ALANREED

By MRS. CECIL CARTER

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Finley were in Pampa last Thursday. They had taken their daughter to the doctor. George Smith was in Memphis last Wednesday and Thursday evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hamilton attended the funeral of a friend in Langum, Okla. While there they visited his mother, sister and cousin.

Carol Bullock was home on leave before leaving for seven months on duty.

Glad to see Raymond Baker, Larry Phillips and Jay Ben McMillen back on the go after a wound with the measles.

Visiting in the Al Cooke home last week were her niece, husband and baby daughter from Altus, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cox of Pampa visited in the H. A. Bullock and S. B. McGees home last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCurley visited in Alanreed last Sunday at the H. A. Bullock home.

Mrs. Voyne Griffith visited her parents, the S. B. McGees, last Sunday.

Mrs. Thema Phillips of Amarillo visited the Marvin Halls, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Voyne Griffin of Pampa visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Averitt of Amarillo visited the O. W. Stapps over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Carter and family of Skellytown visited the Cecil Carters Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Carter of Pampa visited the First Baptist Church here Sunday and also with the Warner Phillips.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter visited Sunday in McLean with the F. L. Daltons.

Pat Vineyard of Canyon was home over the weekend. Baptismal services were held in the First Baptist Church Sunday night for Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Stephanie, with Howard Jones Jr. officiating.

Visitors at the First Baptist Church Sunday were Mrs. Jimmy Cokerham and children of Albuquerque, N. M., who were visiting here with the George McCrackens.

Mrs. Lopez Hauek was absent from teaching duties Wednesday of last week, due to a death in the family.

J. C. Oakley of Pampa spent Tuesday night and Wednesday with his mother, recuperating from his recent injury.

Bill Crisp of Lockney visited Wednesday of last week with the Cecil Carters.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter were in Pampa on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John I. Herndon of near Altus, Okla., visited with the Cecil Carters, en route to Cactus to see their son, Gary, and family.

A. H. Moreman was in Pampa on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrel Burdine were in Pampa on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moreman and Mrs. J. J. Palmer were in Amarillo Friday.

(Written for Last Week) Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stapp visited in Amarillo Sunday with the Paul Averitts and Mr. Stapp's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Dalton and family of McLean visited with the Cecil Carters Sunday.

Accompanying Mrs. James Tarr to church Sunday were Mrs. Mayburn Trout and Mrs. Cicero Turpin of the RO Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith and Stephanie were accepted as candidates for baptism and membership in the First Baptist Church Sunday.

Pat Vineyard of Canyon was home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter visited in McLean Sunday with the Ed Peirces.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cokerham and family of Albuquerque, N. M., visited the George McCrackens here this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Carter spent Wednesday night in Bradshaw with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Carter. They also visited in the Milburn Shaffer and Virgil James homes at Winters.

Mike Farley of Oklahoma City spent the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Earthman.

Rusty and Merle Wayne Simmons of Mobeetie visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Simmons over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Carter and daughters of Pampa visited Sunday with the Cecil Carters.

Mr. and Mrs. Durrell Herndon of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Standish, Sunday.

Supt. George Smith has accepted a three-year contract from the school. We are happy about not losing this family.

The Alanreed boys B team won their final game against Wheeler. Eddie Finley, with 14 points, was high scorer.

Finis Dalton of McLean spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Carter.

J. B. Webb of Groom was here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Rogers visited with the Cecil Carters Monday.

Mrs. H. A. Bullock was on the sick list last week. There are also several cases of measles around.

Miss Hall Marries Charles Honeycutt

Mrs. Louella Burr announces the marriage of her daughter, Janelle Hall, to Charles E. Honeycutt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Honeycutt of Shamrock, on Feb. 20.

The double-ring ceremony took place in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Caskey in Pampa at 6:30 p.m.

Vows were read by Mr. Caskey, minister of the Mary Ellen and Harvester Church of Christ in Pampa.

Attendants for the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce of Pampa.

Mrs. Pierce, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Caskey were hostesses at a reception for the wedding party following the ceremony.

Mrs. C. A. Myatt Sr. took her son, C. A. Jr., to Amarillo Thursday to catch a plane to Washington, D. C. After attending to some business there a few days, he flew to his home in Orleans, France.

Mrs. R. O. Cunningham returned home last week from an extended visit with her children, and then left last Thursday for a visit at Abilene.

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Fourteen accidents on rural highways were investigated in Gray County during the month of January, injuring seven persons.

Property damage from the mishaps was estimated at \$4,725, according to Sgt. J. W. Wilson, Highway Patrol supervisor for this area.

The sergeant reminded motorists that Texas along with every other state in the nation many years ago, enacted a safety responsibility law to meet problems created by irresponsible operators of vehicles on the streets and highways.

The law is intended to encourage all motorists to become financially responsible and to promote highway safety by identifying those drivers and owners of motor vehicles who will not assume their moral and legal obligations to society.

More stringent provisions of this law—requiring drivers and owners to be able to pay for damage to others in traffic accidents—became effective on Jan. 1.

In any accident in which damage amounts to at least \$25 the operator of every motor vehicle is required to report the accident in writing to the Texas Department of Public Safety.

If the mishap involved death, injury or damage to one person's property of at least \$100, the accident then comes under the Safety Responsibility Act, and its requirements must be met.

The Department of Public Safety is required by the new law to suspend the driver licenses and all motor vehicle registration plates of both the operator and owner of vehicles involved in such accidents, unless one or more of the following requirements is met:

1. Liability insurance coverage in minimum amounts of \$10,000 for one injury or death, \$20,000 total injury and death and \$5,000 property damage.
2. A release signed by the damaged parties.
3. Signed installment agreement for damages.
4. Operator and owner found not to be liable in a court of jurisdiction.
5. Operator and owner posting cash or bond security in amounts sufficient to cover liability incurred.

'Heritage Week' Is Theme of Program At P-TA Meeting

The McLean P-TA met Wednesday, Feb. 19, in the high school auditorium for the annual "American Heritage Week" program.

Mrs. Jim Back, assisted by Mrs. Wanda Waldrop, was in charge of the program.

American Heritage Week is sponsored each year by the Little Tiger's Growl, grade school newspaper.

Theme for the program was "Hootennany."

The audience was entertained by the following celebrities: "Jack Linkletter" Dalton, emcee; Susie Seaney, welcome address; the sixth grade sang "Shortenin' Bread," under the direction of "Dinah Shore" Green; "Minnie Pearl" Kingston and "Jimmy Dean" Rodwine sang "America for Me;" the seventh grade chorus under the direction of "Kate Smith" Waldrop sang "Study With Me;" "Down Under" done by "Jo Ann Castle" Nall; Tom Dooley by "Wanda Jackson" Kelly; "The Tweety Birds," under the direction of "Judy Garland" Morris, presented "There's a Hole in the Bucket" and "Sleeping at the Foot of the Bed;" "Paul" Windom and "Mary" Hutson of the team of Peter, Paul and Mary sang "There's a Tavern in the Town" together and then Mary sang "Holy, Holy, Holy" and Paul sang "Stormy Weather."

Also, "Joe the Bartender" Hester and "Crazy Goochman" Fuller sang "She Swallowed a Fly;" "Bob Wills" Lincycorn on the guitar played "Peppermint Twist" and "Bodiddly;" "Martha Washington" Fry and "George Washington" Glass danced the minuet; the eighth grade girls sang "Skip to My Lou" and then everyone sang "She'll Be Comin' Round the Mountain," under the direction of "Kate Smith" Waldrop.

Following the program the meeting was adjourned.

Refreshments were served in the grade school cafeteria by the seventh grade mothers.

- BIRTHDAYS**
- March 8—Lester Bailey, Joe Bidwell, Mrs. Guy Beasley, Della Barker, Terri Ouzis, Patricia Suttle, Mrs. Bill Kingston Jr.
 - March 9—Melvin Simpson, Mary Frances Hill
 - March 10—Jesa Kemp
 - March 11—Barbara Richards, Stanley Simpson, Dennis Wayne Jones, Butch Carter
 - March 12—Teresa Ann Mounce
 - March 13—Mrs. C. E. Matthews, Mrs. Fidel Stubbs, Edward Simpson, Mrs. Raymond McReynolds
 - March 14—Cliff Lee, Danny Lee

McLEAN LIBRARY NEWS

Library Hours
Tuesday through Friday—8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. (closed 1 p.m. to 2 p.m. for lunch)
Saturday—1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

There were 240 books checked out of the Lovett Memorial Library last week, Mrs. Lavern Carter, librarian, reports.

New books received are Jingle Bell Jack, a Ding Dong School Book by Frances R. Horwick (Miss Frances), The Prince and the Pauper by Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain), Four Days, The Historical Death of President Kennedy compiled by United Press International and American Heritage Magazine and Four Outstanding Selections from the Reader's Digest Condensed Books which include To Kill a Mockingbird by Harper Lee, Seven Days in May by Fletcher Knebel and Charles W. Bailey II, The Shoes of the Fisherman by Morris L. West and To Catch an Angel by Robert Russell.

Mrs. Jim Back donated the book Crusades and Crinolines by Isabel Ross, in which a great wealth of information has been accumulated by the author about the life of Ellen Cutis and William Jennings Demorest and the busy fashionable world in which they lived.

She re-creates New York City from the Civil War days to the Golden nineties. The social and political events, the business life and the vice and scandals of a vibrant city are depicted in this book.

When Jesus Came by Handel H. Brown was given in memory of Mrs. Sybil Seaney by the second and third year junior Sunday School classes of the Methodist Church.

The author brings to the nativity story a devout and wonderfully fresh approach. Stripped of traditional clichés and sentimentality, the events and characters of the Christmas drama come alive in sharp relief against the background of their own times.

A new Easter Ideals Magazine has also been added to the library.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Back have given the book, The Pilgrim Prince by Gladys H. Barr, in memory of Mrs. Callie Jordan, mother of Mrs. W. H. Floyd. The book is about the fascinating life of Paul Bunyan.

Administrative Staff Enlarged at CJC

CLARENDON—(Special) — Clarendon Junior College has recently enlarged its administrative staff by employing Mrs. Jean Moore as student personnel supervisor.

"It is our hope that by increasing our staff we will be able to more adequately meet the needs of college-bound students in the surrounding area high schools," stated Dean Weldon Day.

"Mrs. Moore will be visiting in various high schools and communities from time to time and will be available for conferences, questions and explanations concerning Clarendon Junior College, its facilities, courses of study, costs, accreditations and other pertinent information," the dean explained.

Mrs. Moore is a graduate of Clarendon Junior College and is a candidate for the bachelor of science degree in secondary education from West Texas State University in May of this year.

Mrs. Petty Hosts Busy Bee Members

The Busy Bee Quilting Club held its weekly meeting last Thursday, with Mrs. Lather Petty as hostess.

Guests for the pot-luck dinner served at noon were Howard Hardin, Roy McCracken and Lather Petty.

Members present were Mesdames Ross Collie, Raymond Smith, Irene Ledbetter, Johnny Biggers, Henry Roth, Bill Pettit, Edgar Smith, Ola Henderson, Joe Willis, Oba Kunkel and Petty; also one guest, Mrs. E. H. Patton.

Those joining the group during the afternoon were Mesdames Robert Wright, Frank Hambricht, Hershel Smith and Joe D. Smith.

Mrs. Jesse Roberts and Mrs. Irene Ledbetter left Friday afternoon for a visit in Mineral Wells with Mrs. Ledbetter's daughter, Mrs. Roberts went on to Dallas to visit her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Street.

Mrs. Hershel Smith and Mrs. J. E. Smith left on Monday of last week for a visit in California with relatives. Mrs. Joe Willis accompanied them as far as Phoenix, Ariz.

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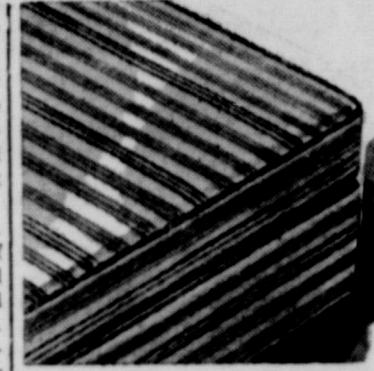
NEW: W. J. Chilton, 1326 Seventh St., San Fernando, Calif.; Jack James, Box 154, Clarendon; Mrs. Paul M. Bruce, Lefors Rt., Alanreed; Mrs. Christine DuVall, 2116 N. Russell, Pampa; F. B. Landers, Rt. 1, Box 261, Silverton, Ore.; Maggie Wade, 1119 Belbard Ave., Grand Junction, Colo.; Mrs. Dick Carpenter, McLean; Linda James, 411 Ohio N.W., Huron, S. D.

RENEWAL: W. J. Foster, F. E. Hambricht, Mrs. Nep Trew, G. E. Pugh, Lawrence Watson, Mrs. C. M. Eudey, Miro Palkan, Joe Bidwell, Mrs. Jessie Hill, Walter Rogers, Mrs. F. J. Hess, Lovett Memorial Library, R. B. Kinard, M. D. McCabe, J. Edwin Kerr, E. L. Watson, Mrs. J. J. Palmer, Earl Stubblefield, J. O. Clark, Avalon Theatre, Jack Lisman, Tom White, Mrs. W. E. Green, Tom Harlan, Mrs. J. A. Wheeler, Lillie Pickett, Mrs. Willie Boyett, J. M. Payne, Fred Thompson, Allen Wilson, Charlie Skipper, Lucille Martin, Mrs. Lizzie Miller, J. Boyd Smith, Wynne's Press Clipping Bureau, L. L. Rogers, J. S. Morse, Mrs. Ellen Wilson, L. H. Earthman, R. T. Wood, S. A. Cousins, P. L. Ledgerwood, N. A. Barker, W. D. Maxwell, J. L. Andrews, L. M. Watson Jr.

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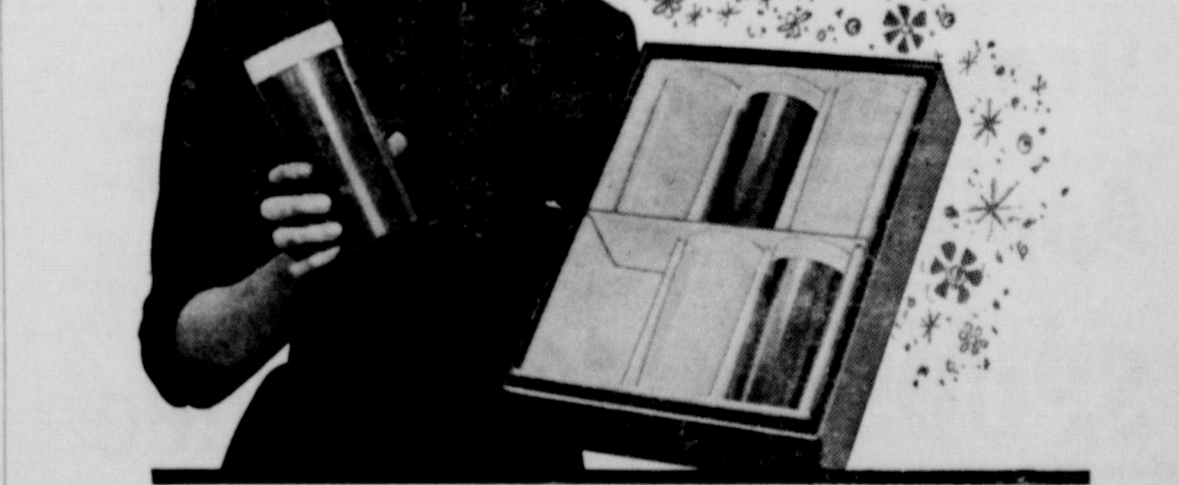
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Alanreed HD Club Meets on March 10

The Alanreed Home Demonstration Club met in regular session Wednesday evening, Feb. 26, with Mrs. Judy Easton as hostess.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Ruby Lilly. Those present were Mesdames Anita Bruce, Lula Crisp, Nita McKee, May Moreman, Joyce Smith, Betty Simmons, Cleo Turpin, Dixie McCracken, Bonnie Faye Tarr, Mabel Worsham, Beth Wynn, Easton and Lilly.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mrs. Lillie Bullock resigned her position as vice president, due to ill health. Mrs. McKee was elected to fill the office.

It was announced that the club was to furnish 26 pies for the Junior Livestock Show in Pampa. Several club members were also to work at the concession stand.

Mrs. McKee brought the program on house plants and insects.

The next meeting will be March 10 in Pampa at the courthouse annex.

The next home meeting will be with Mrs. Lilly on March 25, with Mrs. Wynn in charge of the program on "Health and Safety."

CARD OF THANKS

Thank you to all who were so kind to me while I was in the hospital. All the flowers, cards and visits were appreciated very much.

Mrs. Mary McCracken

Howard Hardin visited his brother, Bill, at Clarendon last week.



YOUNG CITIZENS: Marshall, 5, and Elaine, 10 months, children of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jones.

2 Quilts Completed By Busy Bee Club

Mrs. Oba Kunkel was hostess to the Busy Bee Quilting Club last Thursday, Feb. 27.

Two quilts were finished by the ladies.

Members present were Mesdames Ola Henderson, Irene Lesbetter, Edgar Smith, Ross Collie, Johnny Biggers, Jack McClellan, Joe D. Smith, Bill Pettit, Frank Hambricht, Raymond Smith, Luther Petty and Kunkel.

Guests for the day were Mesdames Ada Simmons, Jim Stevens, Homer Sanders, Ebb Patton and Little Miss Jeree Boyd.

Dinner guests were Joe D. Smith, Oba Kunkel, Gregory Smith and Belinda Hutchison.

NEWS OF CONSERVATION

Robert and Artie Sailor, J. D. and Ray Fish, Harris King, Roland Williams, George F. Jackson, Harry Taylor and Cecil Seaney are some of the people who plan to do range seeding this year.

The moisture conditions are ideal for grass seeding due to the recent moisture. Cost-share assistance is available through the Agricultural Stabilization Conservation and Great Plains Programs.

Leslie Darsey completed a pond and livestock water storage facility on his ranch north of Alanreed.

Monroe Seltz Jr. staked a pond for construction on his farm east of Laketon.

Livestock ponds will aid in better grazing distribution.

Mary Helen Boston recently completed some terraces on her farm east of Laketon.

R. J. Bradley staked some terraces for construction on his farm south of Pampa.

SCD Windbreak Program—The Gray County Soil Conservation District has Ponderosa pine and red cedar trees available for landowners in Gray County.

Those interested in planting evergreen trees for farmstead and feedlot windbreaks can pick them

Mrs. Ola Henderson, Mrs. Charlie Eadey and Mrs. Raymond Smith attended funeral services for Mrs. Ed Dorrell at Erick, Okla., Wednesday of last week. Burial was in the Mayfield Cemetery.

up at Bruce Nursery north of Alanreed. They are potted and ready for planting. The trees should be set out by April 1.

District Program—All landowners in Gray County are encouraged by the Gray County SCD to develop a complete conservation plan on their land.

Representatives of the district will provide assistance in developing and applying conservation plans.

For further information, contact your local SCD supervisor, Milton Carpenter, Curtis Schaffer, Stan Friend, James Cliett and W. P. Epperson, or the Soil Conservation Service.

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Mrs. V. B. Reagor of Lubbock and Mrs. Winnie Huber of Amarillo visited in the T. A. Landers home Sunday.



"What makes you think women are dangerous?" a friend asked the prospective bridegroom.

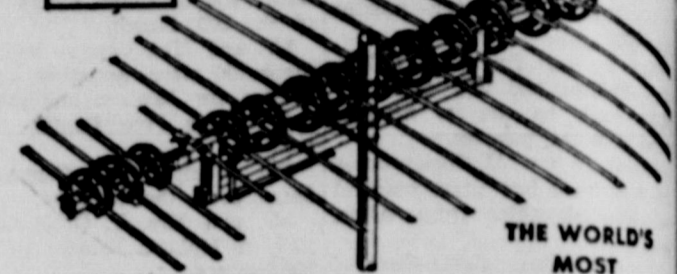
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California Sunkist Oranges	15c
Red Delicious Apples	39c
U. S. No. 1 Idaho Russets SPUDS	59c

MELLORINE

Northern Tissue	4 roll pack	35c
Gold Medal Flour	5 lb sack	49c
	25 lb sack	\$1.98
Hills Brothers Coffee	lb	75c

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Fresh Ground BEEF	lb	43c
Wilson's Corn King HAM	3 lb can	\$2.29
Kraft Cheese Spread VELVEETA	2 lbs.	79c
Minute Maid New ORANGE	Frozen 6 oz. can	5 FOR \$1

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Imperial Pure Cane 10 lb sack

Schilling VANILLA EXTRACT	4 oz. bottle	79c
Diamond PAPER PLATES	40 count	69c
Colgate Deodorant FLORIENT		59c

Ajax LAUNDRY DETERGENT	Giant size	89c
Liquid AJAX	Giant size	\$1.04
VEL	Giant size	69c
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Sunshine Marshmallows	1 lb pkg.	25c

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IRRIGATION

A lot of farmers are in the process of developing irrigation on their farms. This has been brought about partially by dry weather last year. However, most farmers realize this takes a lot of the gambling out of farming. They are more convinced than ever it will pay big dividends. Where natural gas can be obtained for power, I believe people in this area have a good opportunity to irrigate cotton, alfalfa or grass crops. There are a lot of places where gas can be bought cheap. We have an irrigation specialist available who has been very helpful to a number of farmers. If we can help you, let us know.

MEAT IMPORTS

I have a recent publication on the meat import situation that can give you a very unbiased viewpoint on the above topic. It is a red hot issue. Should you care for a copy, yell at me when I'm in McLean and I'll be glad to give you a copy.

MEETING

Monday night, March 9, at 7:30 is the date that has been set for a meeting in the agricultural building at Pampa. This meeting is on growing grain sorghums, both dry land and irrigated. Billy Suter, agronomist of Lubbock, will cover growing irrigated sorghums. Dave Sherrill, irrigation specialist of Lubbock, will assist on irrigated practices. I will cover dryland sorghum production. We will try to give you the latest on varieties, row spacing, planting rate, planting date and many other tips. If you are a milo farmer, I believe you will profit by attending.

PAN TECH BULL SALE

Thursday, March 12, has been set by Pan Tech Farms as the day for their annual tested bull sale.

They have just completed new facilities for their research work. The Kilgore foundation donated a half million dollars to develop this ultra modern beef cattle feeding research center. I am not sure of the time, but believe activities will get underway with an educational program at 10 a.m. Bull sale will start at 1 p.m. March 12. 4-H PROJECT TO SHOW AT SAN ANGELO

Jakey Hess will show the prize steer which he showed at McLean and Pampa at San Angelo this Friday at 9 a.m. We heard some very high compliments paid by men we consider experts on beef cattle on the calf that Jakey showed. One fellow, whose judgment we respect very highly, a registered Hereford breeder and quite a show judge himself, said, "That calf is a model the American Hereford Association should have."

Mrs. Ollie Meacham of Turkey spent Sunday with her son and family, the J. W. Meachams.

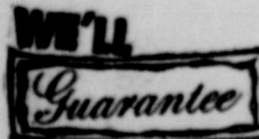
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Shurfine	3 lb can	59c
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Shurfine	2 FOR	79c
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Shurfine Sliced or Halves	4 FOR	\$1
PEACHES	No. 2 1/2 can	
Frozen	5 for	\$1
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Broccoli Spear		
Frozen Baby	5 for	\$1
10 oz. pkg.		
Lima Beans		
Frozen Whole Baby	5 for	\$1
10 oz. pkg.		
OKRA		
Frozen Mixed	5 for	\$1
10 oz. pkg.		
Vegetables		
PEANUT	18 oz.	49c
Butter		
Early Harvest	5 for	\$1
303 can		
PEAS		
Strawberry	2 for	89c
18 oz.		
Preserves		
Tomato	4 for	\$1
46 oz. can		
JUICE		
Shurfine	5 FOR	\$1
Vienna Sausage	4 oz. can	
Waffle Syrup	2 FOR	79c
32 oz.		
Cheese Spread	2 lb box	69c
Assorted Flavors Low Calorie		
CANNED POP	6 for	49c
Shurfine	9 for	\$1
Pork and Beans	300 can	
Shurfine	6 for	\$1
Catsup	14 oz. bottle	
Vacuum Pack	7 for	\$1
Yellow Whole Kernel		
Corn	12 oz. can	
Energy Pwd.	47 oz.	49c
Detergent		
Shurfine	10 lbs.	69c
FLOUR		
Kosher or Plain Dill	48 oz.	49c
Pickles		
Salad	quart	39c
Dressing		
Shurfine	7 for	\$1
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