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## Alfred Obie Bybee Funeral Services Held Thursday

Funeral services for Alfred Obie Bybee, 62, were held Thursday (today), February 24 at 2:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church. Bybee was dead on arrival at the McLean Hospital after suffering heart attack at his home at 2:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Rev. Herman W. Bell, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Hillcrest Cemetery by Lamb Funeral Home.

Born in Hunt County, Texas, Bybee moved to McLean from Childress in 1938. He and Miss Edith Smith were married in Childress on March 5, 1927, and he was the owner and operator of a service station and curio shop in McLean.

His survivors include his wife, Edith; two daughters, Mrs. Letha Kelly of Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Shirley Williams of Midland; one son, Jerry of Redondo Beach, Calif.; 11 grand children; one sister, Mrs. M. C. Stapleton of Pampa; two brothers, Jim Bybee of Greenville and B. M. Bybee of Amarillo.

## Cadet Jimmie Reeves On Honor Roll

A total of 225 cadets of the Virginia Institute were named to the Dean's List at the end of the first semester.

To be eligible for the academic honor, a cadet must have an average of 3.0 (4.0 scale) on all subjects with no grade below 2.0.

Among those named to the honor list is Cadet Jimmie L. Reeves, of Abemathy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves of Abemathy and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves of McLean.

Reeves is a civil engineering major. He is enrolled in the infantry division of the Army Reserve Officers Training Corps program.

## McLean Schools To Have Open House On March 9th

The McLean Public School will have open house on Thursday night, March 9th from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

At 8 p.m., there will be a High School Band Program in the high school auditorium. The public is cordially invited to visit the schools, not only during public school week, but during the school year.

## Historical Society To Meet Sunday

Mrs. Luther Petty, Reporter of The Alanreed-McLean Historical Society will meet Sunday, Feb. 27 at 3 p.m. at the school cafeteria.

A program will be planned. All are invited to come.

## Are You A Clarendon College Ex?

The combined Clarendon College Ex-Student Association met Thursday, February 10, at 6 p.m. in the college cafeteria. Plans were discussed and dates were set for the Annual Reunion of CC Exes. This year the Reunion will be held on April 14, 15, and 16 of 72. We hope that this will be the biggest and best Reunion yet, so make plans now to attend.

This year Honor classes will be: the Class of 1922 which will be the class celebrating their 50th year; the Class of 1928 which was the first class of the present two-year college; and the Class of 1968 which was the first class to be on our present new campus. If you know the address of any of these exes, please, please contact Mrs. Darlene Spier, Clarendon College, Clarendon, Texas.

If you have no previously attended the Clarendon College Reunion, ask someone who has, and you will find out that you have been missing Lots of Fun. Please join us on April 14, 15 and 16.

## Local Woman Files For School Board

Mrs. Leonard E. Bagwell filed this week for election to the McLean School Board.

Mrs. Bagwell stated the following reasons for running for this office:

"She has the interest, time and concern to work for quality education; working for and with parents to help and inform, and I want to bring your view to the board."

"I have the time and interest to learn and research the things I am not well informed on."

"Nothing can compare with the love and interest a mother has for her children. As a mother, I would like to work with concerned parents to help and inform."

"I am interested in our teachers having the support and equipment necessary for teaching our children what they need to learn."

"I have the time and interest to help solve problems."

"Working together, any problem once it is identified, can be solved."

"No school system is any better than the parents who are interested in it - together we can make McLean the finest school system anywhere."

## Program On Herbicides On February 24

A meeting for farmers and ranchers will be held Thursday, February 24, at 6 p.m. in the Country Club. This will be an informative meeting on herbicides to keep weeds out of cotton and alfalfa. A free barbecue will be held following the meeting.

The McLean Gin will be sponsoring this meeting.



Governor Preston Smith recently signed a proclamation declaring February 19-26 FFA Week in Texas. State FFA President Alan Jones left, receives the proclamation as J.A. Marshall, State Advisor, looks on. In making the proclamation, Governor Smith said, "We salute the FFA for a job well done. We are confident that it will continue its service to agriculture in the future as thoroughly as it has in the past."

## Official Memorandum

By Preston Smith, Governor of Texas  
Greetings:

The Future Farmers of American organization continues to play an outstanding role in assuring the future progress and prosperity of our State and Nation.

The importance of agriculture in our State increases as Texas progresses. It is vital to our well-being that we train skilled farmers and ranchers to provide a plentiful supply of food products in years to come and to train those who will provide services to the farmer and process and distribute farm products.

The FFA is composed of students who are studying vocational agriculture in the public schools to prepare for careers in the various phases of agriculture and agribusiness. In studying the science of agriculture, these Future Farmers are striving to continuously improve this great industry for the welfare of all citizens.

Texas now has almost 1000 active FFA chapters with over 50,000 active members and more than a quarter of a million former members. During the past 42 years, the Texas Association, FFA, has performed valuable services to our State developing leadership, encouraging cooperation, promoting good citizenship, teaching sound agricultural techniques and inspiring patriotism among its members. Much has been done also in involving members in civic and community service projects aimed at improving their local communities.

THEREFORE, I, as Governor of Texas, do hereby designate the week of February 19-26, 1972, as FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA WEEK in Texas.

## Earnest Beck, J. P. Attends School

Earnest Beck, Justice of Peace attended a three day school in Lubbock on Feb. 14, 15, and 16, finishing his required 40 hours of school.

Some of the subjects that were studied at the school were Driver Improvement School, Constables Responsibility to the Court, Peace Bonds, Criminal Traffic Law, Game Laws, Forfeiture of Misdemeanor and Felony Bonds and Discussion of Bond Setting, Rules of Evidence, License and Weight, Attorney General's Opinions, Mechanics of Trial Procedures, Truancy Laws and Contempt of Court, Inquest and Critique and Graduation.

There will be schools held in Lubbock, Arlington, Longview, College Station and San Antonio for any J.P. that still haven't finished their required 40 hours of school.

A 90-ton blue whale develops about 10 horsepower when swimming at five miles per hour.

## FBLA To Have Talent Show Saturday

The members of the FBLA met together Monday night. The talent show to be held this coming Saturday night was discussed and plans made.

The talent show will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. Talent of all kind will be on hand to entertain you.

There will be a practice of those to be in the show at 6:30 p.m. Thursday and everyone is to come to the auditorium at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday to set up and get ready for the show.

Tickets may be purchased from any FBLA member.  
By Donna Wilson Reporter

## City & School Filing Deadline Draws Near

This week two more men filed at the city hall for the openings of city aldermen. They were Jim Joe McDonald and Wilson Boyd, which makes a total of three who have filed. Glenn Curry and Wilson Boyd

## FFA - 4-H Clubs To Have Stock Show Saturday, Feb. 26

Local Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club members will present a McLean Jr. Livestock Show Saturday morning at the ag bam just south of town.

The public is invited to attend this show.

Purpose of the show in McLean is to give local and area residents a opportunity to see the livestock projects that these boys and girls have been working on this year. They will be shown in Pampa at the Gray County Stock Show next month.

McLean and Alanreed merchants help support the show by donating the prize money.

## Elementary School To Have Parent Night March 2

On Thursday, March 2, at 7:30 p.m., the parents of children in grades two through eight are invited to attend a meeting in the Grade School Cafeteria in regards to the testing program. This meeting will be presented to cover the test results of the 1971-72 standardized testing program.

Also at this meeting the parents will see their children's teacher and make an appointment with the teacher to go over the test results of their own children.

Parents Should Know When The Teacher Has A Conference Period And Make An Appointment At This Time To Discuss Any Matters Pertaining To Their Children At This Time:

Below is the list of grade school teachers and the time they will be open for a conference period.

Mrs. Kennedy, 1st grade - 3:15 p.m. to 3:55 p.m.  
Mrs. Bryant, 2nd grade - 3:15 p.m. to 3:55 p.m.  
Mrs. Harman, 3rd grade - 3:15 to 3:55 p.m.  
Mrs. Skipper, 4th grade - 2:05 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.  
Mrs. Lowder, 5th grade - 1:05 p.m. to 1:55 p.m.  
Mrs. Langford, 6th grade - 1:05 p.m. to 1:55 p.m.  
Mrs. Weaver, Jr. High - 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.  
Mrs. Judy, Jr. High - 11:25 a.m. to 12:10 p.m.  
Mr. Judy, Jr. High P.E. - 9:30 a.m. to 10:20 a.m.  
Mr. Jansa, Band, 1:00 p.m. to 1:55 p.m.

Visiting Corinne Trimble this week was her son Norman Trimble of Ashland, Kentucky, her granddaughter, Lynn Trimble and Jim Hamner, both of Stephenville.

are running for re-election.

Only a few days remain until the deadline, which is March 1, for those wanting to file for school board and city alderman position.

## DOWN MEMORY LANE

10 YEARS AGO

The McLean Order of the Eastern Star will sponsor a tacos dinner, Saturday, February 25, in the school cafeteria.

The McLean High School Future Farmers of American will hold their annual parent-son banquet Friday night, and one of the nation's top soil and water leaders, Red Males, is to be the principal speaker.

Faris Hess filed for re-election to the board of education Tuesday, becoming first incumbent school official to announce for a new term.

Leslie Daisey was appointed to the board of education, Monday night.

Preliminary plans for the annual McLean 66 Round-up Rodeo and Horse Show are to be made next Tuesday, at a meeting of the association which stages the event each year.

A.C. Huff celebrated his 98th birthday on February 8, in the home of Tom Waters. Huff was guest of honor, Thursday night, at this supper. After the meal, hymns were sung, then Mr. Huff was presented a gift.

On Sunday, Feb. 4, Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Carpenter were honored with an open house at their home, in observance of their 50th Wedding anniversary by their children.

Mrs. Leo Bow is visiting in Oklahoma with Mrs. H.W. Smith.

20 YEARS AGO

Raymond Daisey, rancher whose place is about seven miles north of Alanreed, has lost 13 head of cattle to an unusual disease and a sudden one at that. But the disease is definitely not the dreaded anthrax.

Rev. Wm. R. Lawrence, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Dalhart and former pastor of the local Baptist Church, is to leave his home Friday and re-enter the military service as a

chaplain.

The McLean girls' basketball team will meet Panhandle here in the first of a two-out-of-three series Friday night. These girls have been victorious in their half of District 1-A games.

Sue Glass, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass, will represent McLean at the district FFA Sweatheart Contest to be held in Canadian Saturday. Sue was chosen last fall as the McLean FFA Sweatheart.

Mrs. Lucille Parker and daughter Rosemary of Phillips spent the weekend with her parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Clawson spent the weekend in Dimmitt with relatives.

30 YEARS - NOT AVAILABLE

40 YEARS AGO  
Supt. G.C. Boswell was re-employed for next years term of school by the trustees in a recent meeting. Boswell, supt. for the past two years, has been given credit for much of the progress made in the school system.

The city marshal was instructed to secure the dog license tags and see that the provisions of the city ordinance regarding unlicensed dogs was strictly enforced.

A feature of the annual Baby Beef Show Saturday, will be a few snappy numbers played by the McLean Band. The band will be playing during the judging on main street.

Dr. G.L. Taylor of Pampa, regular foot specialist will make special regular trips to McLean every Monday and Tuesday, with his office being at the Hindman Hotel.

50 YEARS AGO

The Methodists have a paper hanger busy this week redecorating the interior of the church building, which will add a great deal to the appearance.

An up-to-date bakery is to be opened in the Red Cross building in a few days by G.B. Tadlock of Shamrock. Equipment has been shipped already and is expected withing the next few days.

A business men's luncheon was held at the Hindman hotel at five o'clock last week, at which Frank R. Jamison, business manager from the Amarillo Daily Tribune was guest of honor.

60 YEAR AGO

At the regular meeting of the city council, which occurred on Friday afternoon of last week, there was considerable business of importance transacted, including the construction of 350 feet of hitching racks on first street just off of Main Street.

The Wichita Falls Motor Co. recently sold 150 one and two ton trucks to a big sales company. This automobile factory at Wichita Falls is a year old and is just beginning to turn out its products.

G.H. Simmons was held up by 2 masked men, while on his way home. Thinking it a joke, Simmons went around the two men, only to look back and see two of his friends, Kit Cooper and Roy Rice unmask and laugh.

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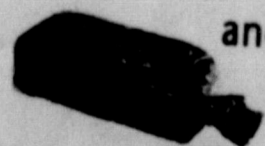
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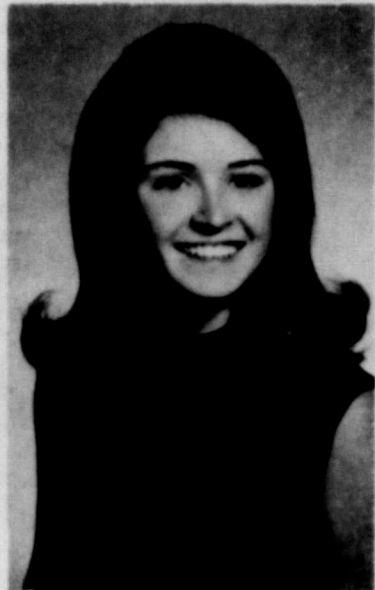
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**Jenny Lee Everett  
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Miss Jenny Lee Everett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Everett of McLean, and Ronald Stephen Sims, son of Mrs. Opal Sims of 3021 Mockingbird Lane in Amarillo will be married May 20. The Bride-elect and prospective bridegroom are students at West Texas State University.

**Suttle - Middleton  
Exchange Vows In  
Lubbock Church**

Patricia Suttle and Sam Middleton exchanged vows Friday, February 11th, at the First Christian Church in Lubbock, Texas. Vows were read by Rev. Guy Neal.

The Bride is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson, McLean. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Fiser Middleton of Lubbock.

The bride, given in marriage by her uncle, wore a formal floor length wedding gown of chiffon over bridal taffeta designed with high neckline, empire waist, full free flowing skirt and long bell sleeves. The neckline and sleeves were enhanced with a pleated band. The bodice was complimented with a dior bow. Her veil of imported illusion fell from a bow of Angel Sking peau de soi unhanced with Alencon lace and seed pearls, and she carried a bouquet of white and yellow baby mums on a white bible.

Mrs. Roberta Shriver, sister of the bride, was Matron of Honor. Serving as best man was Billy Wiley. Ushers were Bobby Wiley and Robert Johnston.

A reception following the ceremony was held in the home of the groom's parents. Serving were the groom's sister, Miss Elizabeth Middleton, and Miss Janet Saunders. Miss Brenda Bentley registered guests.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock following a short wedding trip to Ruidoso, New Mexico.

**Nursing School At  
Groom Now  
Taking Applications**

The John V. London School of Vocational Nursing will accept applications for nursing students for a new class to start April 3, 1972. Applications will be accepted until March 24, 1972. Any one interested in becoming an LVN contact Mrs. Linda Britten, School Instructor, at Groom Memorial Hospital, Groom, Texas 79039.



Donald Walberg of Pampa looks over weeping lovegrass that was planted in May, 1970, and cut for hay in the fall of 1970. The seeding was accomplished with assistance from the Great Plains Conservation Program. Walberg is the Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District's outstanding conservation farmer for 1972 and will be entered in the Texas Conservation Awards Program.

### Farmer Believes In Conservation Methods

Donald Walberg of Pampa has long been recognized as a leader in the "Conservation Way" of farming and has been named outstanding conservation farmer for the Gray County Soil and Water Conservation District.

He will serve as the district's entry in the Texas Conservation Awards Program with the winner to be announced in May.

Donald has a 240 acre farm east of Laketon. He had worked at trying to solve his soil and water conservation problems for several years. Then in February, 1970, he entered into contract with the Soil Conservation Service's Great Plains Conservation Program.

The soils on the farm were sandy and sandy loams which were causing him tremendous wind erosion problems and the returns from the farm were very low. The land was not economically feasible to farm.

Under the Great Plains Conservation Program, Walberg seeded the land to weeping lovegrass

He constructed two livestock water storage facilities, layed underground pipeline from his well to the facilities, and built crossfences so he could better manage his livestock grazing. "All of this work is just the beginning. The management that follows is the key to any successful conservation program," says Walberg.

A cow-calf type of operation is the basic enterprise, but Donald makes good use of excess forage, when available, by buying additional stocker animals or by baling it for hay.

Donald also rents other farm land in Gray County and is in the process of carrying out good conservation farming techniques on this land. He is eager to try new conservation practices that will help him in his farming operations. He is presently trying minimum tillage farming operations as a method to increase his net income and better conserve his soil and water resources.

Donald and his wife, Joyce, have three daughter, Doni is a student at Hardin Simmons University, Zindi is in the 6th grade and Quinn is in the 2nd grade in the Pampa Public Schools.

### Methodist WMS Have Bible Study Program

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in regular session Tuesday morning, February 22, with 16 members present. Following a business session, Mrs. Mary Dwyer had charge of the program, which was a continuation of a study on characters in Bible times.

Various members took part in an interesting devotional entitled "A Bible Picnic." Mrs. Jakey Hess gave a beautiful introduction in song to the Bible character, Honnob.

The next meeting will be March 14, when Mrs. Bob Black will give a review of the life of the woman known as "The Shunammite."

### McLean Lodge To Have Banquet For Teachers

The teachers and administration of the McLean, Alanreed and Lefors School System will be honored guests at a banquet on Monday, Feb. 28, at the McLean Masonic Lodge Hall.

This is an annual affair that the Lodge have each year just before Public School Week.

### BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blaylock of 716 E. Boneta, Amarillo are the proud parents of a baby boy born on Feb. 15, weighing six pounds seven ounces.

His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Blaylock of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Hulsey of Shamrock. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mrs. L.M. Blaylock and Mrs. Essie Glenn.

Weekend visitors of Mrs. Luther Petty were some of her children and grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Kennedy and Tina of Amarillo. All attended revival services at the First Baptist Church. The date was of Mr Petty's death one year before being Feb. 20 p.m., 1971.

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## Fifth Grade News

By Rachel Glenn, Reporter  
The fifth grade class is making a bulletin board on President Nixon's trip to China. They are getting articles from the newspapers.  
The class did very well in spelling this week. Twenty-five made one hundred and all the rest made above ninety.  
The most courteous for this week was Kathleen Gately.

## Nola Crisp Receives Tops Fruit Basket

By Lucille Cullison, Reporter  
The Derby Town Tops Club met in the home of Cheryl Smith on Monday at 6:30 p.m. for their regular meeting.  
Cheryl Smith, co-leader weighed in the members and recorded the weight chart.  
Marilyn Mounce, leader presided over the meeting and marked the Heart Contest Chart with red hearts for those losing weight and black hearts for those gaining weight. The members then stood and repeated the Tops Pledge.

Deloris Bailey, Treasurer called the roll with members answering with their weight loss or gain and took care of the club finances.

Nola Crisp received the Fruit Basket for the most weight loss and is the weekly queen.

The Tops Club members will have a "Bake Sale," on Wednesday, March 1st, to be held in Puckett's Grocery Store. Hours 11 a.m. till noon and 4 p.m. till food is sold.

Members remember your Secret Pals and ones gaining weight remember to bring a gift for the Treasurer Chest.

Members present were Marilyn Mounce, Cheryl Smith, Deloris Bailey, Nola Crisp, Pearl Dickinson, Ann Burton, Viola Glass, Mary Lou Glass, Muriel Moore, Louise Clawson, Lucille Cullison and Sue Marsh.

The welcome mat is always out to any new members.

## Shamrock Church To Have Youth Meeting

A "Youth Happening" will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 25-27 at the Eleventh Street Baptist Church in Shamrock. The services will begin each evening at 7:30 p.m.

A team from Hardin-Simmons will be there to lead the services. On Saturday night there will be a special service. All youth of this area are invited.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Visiting Hours  
2-4 p.m. - 7-8:30 p.m.  
No Morning Visiting Hours  
Please observe visiting hours

ADMITTED  
Dorothy Coleman  
Mary Boyd  
Charles Cousins  
Wayne McIlroy  
Vera Wilkinson  
Mike Farkas  
Albert Brown  
Hugh Grogan  
Herb Guill  
Ora Mae Holloway  
B.J. Shaw  
Effie Phillips  
Bonnie Immel

DISMISSED  
Effie Phillips  
Vivie Burch  
Bonnie Immel  
Charles Cousins  
B.J. Shaw

## Highlights and Sidelights

### From Your State Capitol

By **BILL BOYKIN**  
Texas Press Association

Insurance again made headline news on three fronts here. President Nixon's Phase 2 inflation controls, the State Insurance Board said, will mean lower premium rates for hundreds of thousands of Texas homeowners.

Lawmakers threatened to "put the state in the insurance business" unless rates are reduced for a new catastrophe pool designed to protect hurricane and other disaster-prone areas.

An American Insurance Association executive offered to "guarantee" that no-fault auto insurance in Texas would bring a minimum cut of 25% in bodily injury and property damage coverage rates.

New homeowners' insurance rates are expected to be issued May 1, effective June 1. A federal price commission order of a 37.5% cut in the Board's "trend factor" (aimed at keeping rates up with normal inflation) may mean a reduction of 2.1% in the Central Inland Territory. Usual rating formulas would have meant an increase of 5.9% there.

While most fire and extended coverage rates will go up, the rise will be lower than expected to new federal limits.

The State Insurance Board proposes to cut catastrophe pool rates for non-beach property about a third. Insurance companies strongly resisted. Legislators at a rate hearing retorted that the state may have to get into the insurance business.

Under the pool, authorized last year by the legislature, insurance companies are required to join in providing coverage for areas of the coast which cannot buy policies in the regular market.

The State Board of Insurance is studying the effects of various no-fault insurance plans which provide compensation from a driver's own policy regardless of whether he was at fault in an accident.

**MORE TIME SOUGHT** -- Texas is seeking more time to avoid loss of \$24 million in highway funds.

Gov. Preston Smith has asked U.S. Secretary of Transportation John Volpe to extend the deadline for adopting prohibitions against additional erection of billboards adjacent to interstate and primary highways. A transportation department hearing officer proposed a May 31 deadline for the state act. Smith asked until September 1, start of the new fiscal year.

The governor noted a special session of the legislature must be called to enact appropriations for the fiscal year beginning Sept. 1.

The session may be timed before May 31, Smith said, but

a later date would be "preferable."

Lt. Gov. Ben Barnes said the potential penalty of \$24 million for lack of billboard act demands that Smith call an immediate special session of the legislature.

**AG OPINIONS** - Atty. Gen. Crawford Martin held the state cannot pay the cost of primary elections without legislative authorization and appropriation, but he went back to a Dallas federal court for guidance.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded:

The Legislative Property Tax Committee can employ attorneys and purchase or rent a law library for its codification research.

Texas State Technical Institute has no authority to grant becalareate or bachelor degrees in technical education or technology at its James Connelly campus in Waco.

**FEED LOT RULE REWRITE ORDERED** - Texas Water Quality Board staff members have been ordered to rewrite a proposed regulation which would permit WQB Executive Director Hugh Hantis to issue or deny feed lot permits.

Both ecologists and cattle and poultry raisers opposed allowing Yantis such authority without requirement of notice or public hearing. Cattle and poultry industry spokesmen expressed doubt they could comply and opposed defining agricultural wastes as "ecological contaminants."

#### SHORT SNORTS


State Securities Commission Parks and Wildlife Commission is expected to review the Mustang Island purchase controversy at a Friday meeting.

Sen. John G. Tower designated as his re-election campaign manager Mrs. Nola Smith of Austin, first Texas woman to

run a statewide campaign. Guidelines for implementing a new quarter system for schools were reviewed here (Austin) last week.

A record turnover in both House and Senate is seen.

April 2-8 is Environmental Education Week.



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## WANTED

WORK WANTED - yard work, tree and edge trimming, light hauling and painting. Phone 779-2196 or see me at Bob Massey Apt. #3, Roy Cullison, Jr. 8-1p

### CARD OF THANKS

Thanks for all the visits, gifts, flowers, cards and prayers while I was in the hospital. Mrs. T.W. Burch

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks and gratitude to my dear friends, relatives and ministers for their prayers, lovely flowers, cards, phone calls and other acts of kindness to me during my stay in the hospital at Pampa and since my return home. My special thanks to Rev. and Mrs. Herman Bell of the First Baptist Church and members of the Mary Martha Sunday School Class of the Baptist Church, for their prayers, visits and kindness to me during my illness. May God Bless each of you with his richest blessings. Mrs. Margaret (W.E.) Kennedy

REWARD: \$100.00 for information leading to arrest and conviction of party or parties who on Tuesday evening of this week filled my home with smoke & fumes. Ruby Cook 8-1p

## Fishing Guide Now Available

Up-to-date information on the Laws affecting the Texas fisherman are now available from license deputies across the state, according to Texas Parks and Wildlife Department officials.

Regulations for commercial fishing, shrimping, netting and other commercial activities related to fish are included in another publication, the "Texas Commercial Fishing Guide," now being prepared.

## Gray County ASCS News

By Evelyn Mason

**SET-ASIDE PROGRAM - Wheat**  
 After the minimum set-aside on wheat, the producer now has the option to set aside up to 75% of the wheat allotment at the rate of 94¢ per bushel times the yield on the farm. The additional set-aside must be land now planted in wheat and it must be equal Quality wheat to the rest of your wheat this year. The additional wheat set-aside must be designated at the time you sign up in the program and must be left on the land standing until April 1 so it can be inspected to determine if it is equal quality.

### MEASUREMENT SERVICE

If you have any question on the quality of the wheat being acceptable for set-aside acres, you may request measurement service by March 1 and have it checked in the field before you sign up. The cost of the measurement service is \$10.00 plus \$3.00 for additional plots. **FEED GRAIN SET-ASIDE PROGRAM**

After the minimum set-aside on feed grain, a producer has two options under the feed grain program for setting aside additional acres. Option A - You can set-aside 10% more corn and grain sorghum and 20% more barley base. You can then offer to set-aside an additional 5% or 10% more corn and grain sorghum base and the Secretary of Agriculture will announce in mid-March if the extra 5% or 10% will be accepted. There is no limit on how many acres of grain sorghum or corn that you harvest under this option -- except you must be sure to have the required number of set-aside acres. Option B - Under this plan, you can set-aside an additional 10% of corn and grain sorghum base and no extra barley. You can offer an additional 5% of the corn-grain sorghum base and the Secretary will announce in mid-March if this additional will be accepted. Under this plan, you receive a higher payment rate than option A, but you also have a permitted acres of corn-grain sorghum. The permitted acres would be your 1971 planted acres minus double the additional set-aside acres. **SET-ASIDE ACREAGE REQUIREMENTS**

The productivity of set-aside acreage must be at least equal to the productivity of land on which program crops are normally produced. You cannot set aside 'lakes, small strips, etc. When the program crop is based on an irrigated yield, the set-aside must be on acreage which could be irrigated in the current year in addition to crops actually irrigated with existing irrigation facilities and available water supply. This must be large fields and set-aside cannot be grazed between May 15 and October 15.

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Final Date To Sign Up In The Program Is March 10.

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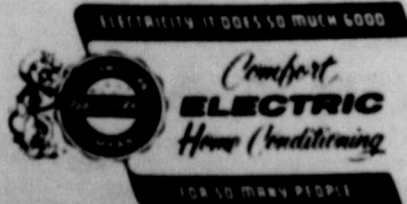
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## News From ALAN REED

By Mrs. P.M. Gibson  
On Sunday, Feb. 20, G.L. Craddock, a layman from First Baptist Church at Pampa preached in our church. Pastor M.B. Smith being away in a weekend revival at Post.

Mrs. Joe Leonard was on the sick list Sunday.

Alanreed Baptist Church dismissed services Sunday night and went to the last night of the revival at First Baptist in McLean.

Mrs. Mozelle Hall and Perry and Mrs. Grace Windom spent the weekend in Lubbock and Idalou.

Diane Gibson and her mother, Mrs. P.M. Gibson, attended a tea sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution. It was a colonial tea and was held in St. Matthews Episcopal Parish House in Pampa at 3 p.m. The center piece on the serving table was a miniature white house, a beautiful yard with cherry trees in full bloom. A book review was given by Mrs. Coffee of Amarillo and the moral of it was some one finding Christ after living a life apart from a supreme being. "Invitation to Joy" was the name of the book.

Visiting Mrs. Ruby Hill is her sister from Big Bend, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. D.E. Elliott. On Sunday they visited their brother, Mr. Glanner of Canyon and Ruby's son, Robert Cecil in Amarillo. On Monday they visited the T.T. Griffins in McLean.

The Alanreed Home Demonstration met on Feb. 16. Jimmie Lou Waincott and her mother, Mrs. Christine Waincott were present. They met in the home of Mary Davis. Others present were Mrs. Frank Crisp, Peggy Gardner, Mrs. Claudia Cook, Mrs. Mae Moreman, Sue Crisp, Anita Bruce, Onie Gibson, Gail and Robbin Rhode. Miss Waincott was in charge of the program and it was "Fads and Facts on foods". Mabel Worsham also visited the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. T.T. Griffin of McLean visited the Art Rhodes Sunday.

P.M. Gibson visited Sunday afternoon at his sisters, Mrs. Bill Baten. Other sisters there were Mrs. Jack Bain of Tyler, and Mrs. W.W. Barclay of Lakeview, Mrs. James Varden and daughter Lunder were at the DAR Tea.

Tarantulas have no sense of hearing.

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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The McLean News has been authorized to present the names of the following candidates for office, subject to the action of the Gray County Primary Election, May 6, 1972.

FOR SHERIFF:

Rufe Jordan, (Re-elect)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER  
PRECINCT 4:

Mrs. Mary Dwyer

Joe Billingsley

Hershel McCarty

FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 5:

J. D. Fish

Vernon Turner

Brad Dalton

W. E. (Jack) Matthews

FOR GRAY CO. TAX ASSESSOR  
& COLLECTOR:

Jack Back

FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE,  
66TH DISTRICT:

REPUBLICAN PRIMARY:

Tom Christian

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY:

Phil Cates

Eddie J. (Ed) Leary

## Mary Martha Class Have Social

By Lucille Cullison, reporter

The Mary Martha Sunday Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Newt Barker for their monthly social and Saturday, Feb. 19th at 2:30 p.m.

The hostess and class president, Mrs. Loree Barker presided over the meeting and class business.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by class teacher, Mrs. Margaret Chapman.

The very inspiring devotional was given by Mrs. Harvey Hudgins, the topic being "Love one another" and she read Bible verses from Matthew 5:46, 47 and 48. After the devotional, Mrs. Kate MacDonald gave a prayer.

Pauline Miller composed and read a lovely poem describing Mrs. Thelma Stevens, a class member.

Helen Ramsey, class chairman led the very enjoyable fun games. They were a "Game of Hearts" and a Lemon Golf game, a good time was had by all present.

Members having birthdays were Lilly Mae Williams, Thelma Stevens and Elizabeth Kunkel. They were presented pretty wash cloths from each class member and a cake from their "Secret Pals."

The pretty lace covered serving table decorations were in the valentine motif. The birthday cakes, nuts, candy mints and punch was served to all present. They were Mesdames, Bea Lester, Essie Burrows, Margaret Chapman, Lucille Cullison, Verne Hudgins, Mary Howard, Pauline Miller, Kate MacDonald, Clara Maude Hupp, Helen Ramsey, Elizabeth Kunkel, Thelma Stevens, Levie Smith, Nora Moore, Jessie Watson, Velma Willis, Ellen Roby, Priscilla Davis, Imogene Glass, Lilly Mae Williams, Juanita Smith, and visitors Oma Abbott, Blanche Hardman, Sarah Johnston, Lucille Enright and the hostess, Loree Barker.

Visitors in the E.M. Bailey home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Bailey and Allen of Berger and Mr. and Mrs. Ben H. Hill of Amarillo.

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## Oklahoma Couple Celebrate Their 70th Anniversary

The J.B. Harris celebrated their 70th Wedding Anniversary, Sunday, February 13, 1972 at 228 S. Tittle St., Mangum, Oklahoma. Those taking dinner were - Mrs. Sarah Johnston (daughter) Stephanville, Texas, Mrs. Edra Johnston Johnson, granddaughter and her son Norman Alan of Graham, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Scott Johnston and Amy, Genelyn and Jeffery Arnold of Louisville, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Hurley McClung (daughter) of Granite, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Scott (grand daughter) their children, Susan and Jay of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Clebem Treodaway (daughter) and sons Donald and David of El Paso, Texas, Mrs. Ira Heard (daughter) Amarillo, her daughter, Mrs. Joe David Nall of Amarillo and her children, Joe, David and Nancy of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howard (daughter) Mr. and Mrs. Paul Miller (grand daughter), Dana, Diann and Delynn, Miss Regina Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Harris E. Howard, Susie, Kim and Craig all of McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin D. Harris (son) of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Calling after lunch were the Harris' nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Clive D. Harris -Willow, Oklahoma, his son Jerome L. Harris and wife, Wanda, their daughter, Quethum Ann and Janet Kaye of Oklahoma City, Mrs. Cora Trendaway and Mrs. Ruby Eagan of Willow, Oklahoma.

Calling from Calla Walla, Wh. was their son, Carl Lewis Harris, and wiring congratulations and flowers were Dr. and Mrs. Carl Harris Jr. of Huntsville and their daughter, Marcia.

In proportion to its size, the whale eats the smallest animals, few larger than a shrimp.



A Service Anniversary dinner was held Tuesday, February 14 for employees and their wives at the Coronado Inn, Pampa, Texas. From left to right - K.C. Purgason, Area Manager, Tulsa, Oklahoma presented the awards to A.S. Sharp 25 years, J.F. Bryant 25 years, A.J. Woods 35 years, W.G. Wilkerson 25 years, H.A. Yates, Superintendent.

## SCHOOL MENU

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25

Corn Dogs  
French Fried Potatoes  
Pork and Beans  
Cheese Chunks  
Milk Cake

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 28

Bar-B-Que on a Bun  
Cooked Carrots  
Potato Chips  
Milk  
Peaches

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 29

Minit Steaks  
Green Beans  
Whole Kernel Corn  
Hot Rolls Butter  
Milk Honey

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1

Beans  
Combread Butter  
Mixed Greens Onions  
Milk Apricots

THURSDAY, MARCH 2

Turkey  
Scalloped Potatoes  
Buttered Beets  
Bread Butter  
Milk Pudding

FRIDAY, MARCH 3

Fish  
Tartar Sauce  
Honey Cole Slaw  
Milk Bread  
Ice Cream

## BIRTHDAYS

February 24

Neal Shull  
James Curtis Reeves  
Lynn Allison Callahan

February 25

None

February 26

Clyde Willis  
Mrs. J. Stevens  
Richard Hall

Mrs. Edgar Bailey  
Drucilla Ann Dwyer  
Beverly Word  
Delynn Miller  
Diann Miller

February 27

Mrs. Forrest Switzer  
Mrs. Howard Williams  
James Lloyd Todd  
Joe Graham  
Susan Simmons

February 28

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