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Serving McLean and the Area Since 1903

debts and liquidating others.

The Bank of Commerce retains

only the good loan portfolios.

The bank's brief closure seems

to have had little negative effect

on its customers. In fact, accor-

ding to the new president.

deposits showed an increase the

Other officers include Rich-

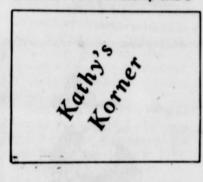
first day of its reopening.

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American National Bank Closes August 16; Re-Opens As Bank Of Commerce

75 years of banking in Mc-Lean came to a sudden close August 16, when the American National Bank was declared insolvent and closed by order of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Although the closing of Mc-Lean's only bank was a surprise to most of it's customers, it has proven no hardship to them. It re-opened just as suddenly, under the new ownership and a



Jim Hathaway stopped by office Monday toting a one-pound tomato grown in his garden. Jim said he wasn't sure the tomato was "braggin' size", but wanted us

new name

The bank was closed by Federal officials shortly after 3 p.m., August 16; it re-opened as the Bank of Commerce the next morning.

The bank was purchased by Gray Co. Bank Shares Inc., a group headed by well-known area banker E.W. Williams, Jr. Williams, who owns interest in several Texas banks, including the National Bank of Commerce

Teachers began staying 45

minutes after school two days

this week as part of the new

state requirements for teachers

According to superintendent

Jim Rutherford, teachers will be available for tutoring from 3:45

p.m. to 4:30 p.m. on Tuesdays

pretations, tutoring will be vol-

"According to the state inter-

and Wednesdays each week.

and schools take effect.

in Pampa, has been named chairmanof the board. Serving as president is J. David Williams, who is also vice-chairman and chief operating officer of Hale County State Bank in Plainview and executive vicepresident and director of Citizens Bank of Lubbock County in Slaton.

According to Jeff Hacker, and FDIC attorney, the FDIC will take over the bank's bad loans, collecting some of the overdue

should be arranged.

ard Kimbrough, senior vicepresident; Lloyd Kurtz, senior vice-president; Roger Mc-

until the 1985-86 school year. include: minimum competency ests before a high school tiplomais awarded; competency

which will not go into effect

for Retired Fireman pension

Motion by Bentley, second by Fabian, vote unanimous, purCracken, Vice-president and cashier; Lavern Back, vicepresident; Gwen Henley, assistant cashier; and Charlotte Malone, assistant cashier.

According to Williams, all old checks with the American National Bank signature will be

honored at the Bank of Commerce.

"Customers may continue using their old checks until they run out of them," explained

Williams. "The bank's number and the customer's number will not change."

August 17

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"We are very excited to be here-and are anxious to serve the community," stated Williams. "We are pleased with the reception and the show of confidence we have received from the citizens of McLean. If anyone has any problems or questions, we want them to feel free to give us a call or come by and see us," he said.

Effect McLean Teachers And Students **Rules** To New State Legislative tests for teachers and adminis-

kindergarten through the fourth trators; voluntary pre-kindergrade, phased in over four garten for educationally disyears; and a requirement that advantaged four-year-olds; a public schools cannot begin classes before Sept. 1. 22-students limit in classes from

the student is failing any class, a parent-teacher conference Other changes in school law,

City Council To Charge Dr. Fabian Rent For Clinic Building The City Council of McLean

cleaning up old buildings, etc. Motion by Fabian, second by Bentley, vote unanimous, to adjust Mrs. Henley's gas bill. due to a leak caused by poor Book workmanship when new system was installed.

rescend action taken at July 10 meeting to purchase an excessive number of law books. And to buy only one more copy of the Texas Municipal League Law

to see it anyway.

Although we now have four or five green tomatoes on our vines, we have yet to eat one from our garden ... so any tomato garden-picked is "braggin' size" to me!

We appreciate Jim bringing in the tomato ... now if he'll just bring in a salt shaker and leave the tomato next time, we'll really be happy!

I vaguely remember when McLean was covered in snow, and we were having to get around town in a four-wheeled drive, we promised that we would not complain when the warmer temperatures hit Mc-Lean.

However, if we have to live through many more of these super hot days, I may have to go back on that promise. Wayne and I seem to handle the cooler, even colder days so much better than these hot days. For some reason, when the temperatures rise, so do our tempers ... and my patience just flies out the window!

We were in Altus last weekend and at 7:30 Friday night, the temperature read 105 degrees!

I went to bed that night and dreamed about being snowedin somewhere in the mountains...where there was no telephone, no roads in and no roads out ...

Of course, I'm sure when I find myself actually stranded in the country next winter I'll be dreaming of the warm sun, and swimming in a pool with a tall pitcher of iced tea by my towel ...

A note of apology to David Haynes. In a story we ran last week, we stated he began work at the American National Bank in 1877. Actually, we don't think he started that early...the bank didn't even open until 1909! untary for failing students this first six weeks," explained Rutherford. "After first sixweeks priod, students who are failing may (not shall) be reguired to attend the free tutoring offered by the schools this year." "However," Rutherford went on to explain, "there will be no transportation to and from school provided for the students

undergoing tutoring." Among other changes teachers, students and parents will be experiencing from the state legislatures new rules will be the shortening of the school year

According to a press release from the Parent-Teacher-Association in Austin, the school year has been dropped from 180 days to 175.

However, students will not be allowed to miss any classes. Only five days of unexcused absenses during a semester will be allowed.

School districts must now have at least one teacher for every 20 students, instead of one for every 25 students per class. More than 175,000 teachers are expected to open classes this fall in Texas.

Announcements in school will be limited to only one per day. Extra- curricular activities will be scheduled for after school hours to preserve the school day as much as possible for academics.

Students will be suspended from extracurricular activities if they have a grade below 70 in any academic class.

Students may not be granted social promotions. They must be promoted only on the basis of academic achievement. A grade average of 70 on a scale of 100 is considered a passing grade.

No student is exempt from taking final examination if any other student in the class is required to take final exam.

At least every six weeks, the schools are required to give parents written notice of studnets' grades in each class. If

Terry with the following mem bers present W.A. Bentley, June Suggs, Dr. H.F. Fabian, Bob Glenn and Stella Lee.

met in regular session August

14,1984 at 7 p.m. the meeting

was called to order by Mayor

Others present were, Lucille Glass, Bryan McPherson, and Mr. amd Mrs. M.L. Fennell.

The meeting was opened with an invocation by Mayor Terry.

Motion by Bentley, second by Suggs, all present voting in favor of motion to remove subject of Commercial Gas Rates from agenda with no further action.

Discussion concerning rent for Clinic Building was held. Upon motion by Suggs, second by Bentley, to have contract of \$50 per month rent and maintenance of equipment, etc. up to a certain amount. Contract to be between City of McLean and Dr. H.F. Fabian.

Vote unanimous with Dr. H.F. Fabian abstaining.

Motion by Bentley, second by Fabian, all voting in favor of motion. Night watchman to be instructed that he will not be authorized to go outside the City limits for any reason while on duty.

Discussion was held concerning annexation of McPhersor and other property west of McLean into City Limits. Coun cil will have to study all require ments.

Motion by Fabian, second by Suggs, all voting in favor of motion, to reappiont Mrs Catherine Weaver and Cares Don Smith to Housing Authority Board. Terms ending 1916.

Motion by Fabian, second by Suggs, appoint of Mrs. Bonnie Fabian to fill out unspired term of Mrs. Johnnie Allson on the Library Board. Vie unanimous. Councilman Fabian abstaining.

Motion by Fabian, seond by Bentley, vote unanimce, not renew notary bond at the time.

Motion by Suggs, soond by Fabian, all present vting in favor of motion, o use \$1,000.00 Revenue Saring fund money as matchig funds

chase new IBM Typewriter for use at City Hall, at a cost of \$798. This to be paid for from Revenue Sharing Fund.

Discussion was held concerning several other items. Fencing

Motion by Bentley, second by Faoian, vote unanimous, to

ground water storage tank,

Motion by Fabian, second by Suggs, vote unanimous, meeting was adjourned at 9 p.m.

Pentecostal Church Holds Revival This Week

The Pentecostal Holiness Church began a revival Wednesday night with Rev. J.B. Tiner of Manford, Okla. Rev. Tiner built and pastored a church in Manford and is owner of Manford Music Store.

Well, the republicans are

having their thurn at making a

spectacle of themselves this

week in Dallas. The Democrats

always manage to make things

hot squabbling among them-

selves over evry thing that

comes up, but about the only

thing besides the weather that

was hot in Big D were the

delegates who had to stand in

long lines in extremely hot

weather to be security-checked

for admission to the convention.

I disagreed with many in my

appraisal of the Democratic Convention keynote speech, as I

thought it, at best, was only

average. But the republicans, in

an obvious effort to placate the

stressed relationship with wo-

men across the country, had

Treasurer Katherine Ortega de-

liver the keynote address which

I thought was the worst I ever

The convention floor looked

like a convention of morticians

as far as their enthusiasm was

concerned, and "Let's Make A

Deal" as far as they were

Of course, it is difficult to

whip up enthusiasm when the

nominees and the platform are

set in cement before the thing

heard.

dressed.

Rev. Tiner is accompanied by his wife and the couple sings together.

Services will begin each week day evening at 7:30 p.m. and on Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Services will close Sunday night

The church is located at 603 N. Commerce and the public is

August 26

invited to attend. Rev. Tiner is the brother of Mrs. Iva McClain.

Whittler's Bench

By Sam Hanna

starts, but the speakers used to be able to inspire and motivate the convention audiences into wild, almost uncontrollable exhibitions of support.

I think many of the younger people of our nation have never heard a really gifted orater the likes of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Winston Churchill, or even Frank Clements of Tennessee who was also a keynote speaker many years ago. If a great speaker ever comes along on the political scene again, I will certainly support him no matter what his political persuasion. because even if his promises never come true, (as none of them do now) at least I will have been inspired and entertained when he made them.

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The four teams leading in the standings in major league baseball at this time (Mon.) are the Minnesota Twins, Detriot Tigers, San Diego Padres and Chicago Cubs. I wonder what the odds might have been at the start of the season if you had picked Minnesota and Chicago to be in the World Series. Of course, they are not there yet, but at this point it is a definite possibility.

Don't ask what happened to the two teams I chose to be there. The Yankees have too many high paid players and a less-than-stable owner, and the Cardinals don't have any power hitters. Don't know why I didn't notice that before the season began.

I hope by the time you read this we will have had another good rain, as these 90+ days have really dried the country out, and one more good soaking would put us in pretty good shape for fall.

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Date	High	Low
8-14-84	92	67
8-15-84	94	63
8-16-84	93	66
8-17-84	91	68
8-18-84	98	69
8-19-84	96	67
8-20-84	98	69
no precip	. during p	boired



LOSE MARBLES

I just got a letter from a lady who calls herself a "family resource management specialist". From what I can figure out this means she tells us peons how to spend our money. In fact, this particular specialist specializes in an even more specialized specialty than just the spending of money. This special specialist's specialty is spending your Christmas money.

Boy, I was glad to hear from her. There I sat, worrying about how I could afford clothes for the school year when all along I should have been thinking ahead to December and Christmas presents. What a fool I've been. Lucky for me this lady wrote me in time.

I knew right away she meant business when she wrote, "If you don't read on, you'll only have yourself to blame when Christmas catches you unprepared this year."

Miss Specialist suggests, "Make a list-now-of all the people you'll give gifts to. This list probably won't change much by Christmas." Who is she kidding? I don't know whether I'll still be married, whether I'll be speaking to my children, whether the cats will still like me, whether my ship will come in, or whether my brother will kick me out of the family. It's risky for me to count too far ahead of time. In fact, Christmas Eve is about as close as I can get without risking much.

Next she says, "Start your shopping tasks now. Think how much easier it is to shop now rather than later in stores crowded with people who didn't plan

ahead. Besides, by starting now, you can spread your purchases over several months instead of over

Former McLean

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don Paige of Big Springs are announcing the engagment and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gayla to Greg Stovall, formerly of McLean.

Stovall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Clay Gable, formerly of McLean.

The couple will exchange vows at 7 p.m. August 31 in San Springs Baptist Church.

The bride-elect graduated from Big Springs High School and Howard Junior College in Big Springs.

The prospective groom is a 1981 graduate of McLean High School and a 1984 graduate of Howard College.

The couple will be making their home in Wilderado where Stovall is employed by Durrett Cattle Co.

They both plan to attend WTSU in the fall.

for the blind will be held in late

September with the Lion's build

ing open for sales and a house-

to-house sale to be conducted

sometime during the campaign.

tournament scramble will be

A Lion's sponsored golf

Lions Club Meets Monday Night

The McLean Lions Club met in regular session Monday night at 6:30 in the Lion's Hall. President Tony Smitherman presided over the meeting after a delicious meal prepared by Laverne Brooks, and projects such as the up-coming "Bikea-Thon" sponsored by the club, and the Teacher Appreciation meeting to be held in September were discussed.

The annual Lions broom sale of four-t

Kellerville Reunion Slated Aug. 21

Senator Bill Sarpalius

Plans are being made for the annual Kellerville reunion, scheduled for August 26 in the Civic Center in Lefors.

The meeting is scheduled to begin at 11 a.m., and will end at 5 p.m. A covered dish luncheon is scheduled for 1 p.m. held August 26 at the local course at 1:30 p.m. All golfers in the area are invited to attend and participate in the best ball of four-type tournament. On Slated Aug. 21

Everyone is asked to bring a dish and is invited to attend the reunion, according to Raymond Gossett of Lefors. Gossett also

urges those who are not able to attend the luncheon to come in the afternoon for a visiting.

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Resident, To Exchange Vows

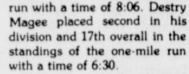


Magee Wins First Place In Run

Five McLeanites travelled to Perryton to participate in the Wheatheart 10K and two-mile fun run last weekend.

Johnny Haynes, participating in the 10-K, placed fifth in the 50-and-over division with a time of 47:56.

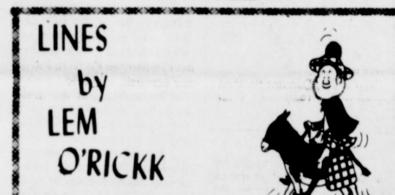
Mindy Magee placed first in her division of the one-mile fun



Placing second in her division with a time of 7:05 was Kay Magee. Misty agee, with a time of 7:44 placed fifth in her



The banjo is the US' only true native musical instrument.



extending the budget at the end of the year.

I don't know about, Miss Specialist, but I like shopping whenever the stores are crowded with the other filthy swine who forgot to shop early. I like being surly, bumping into people, and clawing my way to the cash register. It's the only time of the year I can be rude and nasty without having to explain myself. As for spreading my purchases over several months, I do. It's just that I've spread last year's Christmas purchases payments over this years months. Where were you when they invented charge cards, Miss Specialist? I could have used your advise then. Ah you were out shopping for next year's Christmas present, I'll bet.

Here's another dandy hint. Miss S. suggest. "If you always have a Christmas party, have one now instead. Most people will ahve more time to enjoy an off-season party, and you won't be nearly so rushed." My dear Miss S., have you ever tasted eggnog in August? Disgusting. Have you ever put on your lovely red wool party dress when the temperature is 104 in the shade? Sweltering. Have you ever tried to but icicles for a Christmas tree during s back-to-school-sale? Dangerous. Miss S, have you ever seen a doctor about your condition? Desperate.

And here is the best idea Miss Specialist came up with-"Another advantage of planning early," she says, "is you might be able to give of yourself. For example...you might give three months of Sunday breakfasts in bed." Who are you kidding Miss S.? If I manage to stay married for, let's say 40 years, have children at home for 20 of these 40, I will have cooked approximately 25,550 breakfasts for other people. Do you honestly think I'm going to jump up every Sunday morning for three months to cook breakfast and serve it to someone who is lying in bed and is not sick? You've gone a bit far this time, Snookums. Maybe you better keep your letters to yourself from now on.

On the other hand, you do have me in my regular Christmas shopping mood. Just thinking about serving breakfast for three months to some lunkhead in bed has put me in a surly, rude, and sadistic state of mind. I think I'll go out, buy a couple of early Christmas gifts, knock a few salespersons' heads together, and snarl at store owners.

I just hope that Miss S is working part time at the gift shop during her summer vacation. That would really give me the Christmas spirit.

Golf Scramble Slated For Sunday

The McLean Lions Club will host a scramble for men and women at 1:30 Sunday arternoon at the McLean Gofl Course All men and women who

sport clubs are invited to participate in the scramble.

There will be a \$5 entry fee for the tournament and prizes will be awarded.

Casper Smith and Doval Bill-

ingsley played in a golf tournement last weekend in Pampa on the PAMCEL Golf Course. They won the fourth flight with a score of 82-80 and won a set of golf clubs.

life at all.

AUSTIN – The education reform legislation of this Summer will have an impact on administrators of schools around the state. One of the new items for

administrators will be testing based on administrative skills, knowledge in subject areas, and other matters that the State Board of Education considers appropriate.

Examinations will include ability to read and write with sufficient skills and understanding to perform satisfactorily as a professional administrator. The test will be developed in consultation with administrators.

Other administration changes include the replace ment in January, 1985 of the current 27-member elected board. The new board will be composed of 15 members, appointed by the Governor from a list of nominees compiled by the Legislative Education Board, including the Lieu tenant Governor and the Speaker of the House o

Alcohol abuse cost Texas \$14,939.712 today, Senator Bill Sarpalius announced recently.

"Add that to the same number yesterday and the same number, on the average, for every day in the year," he said, "and you have more than \$5 billion."

The Texas Commission on Alcoholism extraploted the figure of \$5,453,480,000 from the data collected previously on alcohol abuse costs in Texas and from a new study by the Research Triangle Institute of North Carolina showing the cost of alcohol abuse to the nation in 1983 as more than \$116 billion.

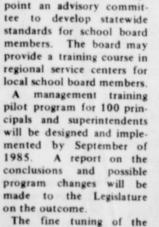
"For an idea of what a figure like this means, just realize that the entire budget for the state of Texas is \$30.9 billion for the 1984-85 biennium," Sarpalius said.

Without discipline, there's no he

Katherine Hepburn

Representatives. The State Board of Education will return to a full elected body by 1989. The State Board will ap-

Reports



role of administrators will have an impact on the quality of education in Texas in the future. If you want to know more

about the education changes made by the Legislature, please write me, Senator Bill Sarpalius, P.O. Box 12068, Austin, Texas 78711.

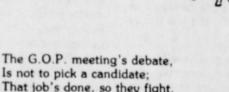
He noted that in FY'84 Texas is last of all 50 states in per capita funds for alcohol and drug abuse at \$1.60, according to a report by the National Association of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors.

National alcohol abuse costs were estimated at \$89.526 billion in 1980. Texas costs for 1981 were figured at \$4.5 billion. Ross Newby, TCA exe-

curve director, says the state's nearly-a-billion-dollar in crease is a conservative estimate, as it does not take into account the state's rapid population growth.

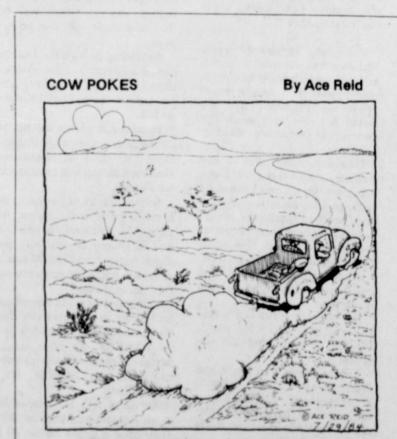
The largest single cost figure is for reduced productivity, more than \$65 billion nationally. Other costs include mortality, treatment and support, lost environment, motor vehicle cranes, crime and social welfareprograms.

Pating is all we know of headn and all we need of hell. Emily Dickenson



To see who'll have the right;

To run for Pres. in '88!



"I'll say I run this ranch, I run to the feed store, run to the windmill shop, and run to the bank to renew my overdue notes!"

BROUGHT TO YOU BY BANK OF COMMERCE McLean, Texas Page 3-August 23, 1984-THE McLEAN NEWS

Thompson, Simpson To Wed



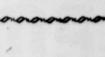
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thompson of McLean are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Nancy Anne, to Curtis James Simpson.

Simpson is the son of Frank Simpson and Jane Herndon, both of McLean.

The couple will exchange vows September 22 in the First

Baptist Church of McLean. The bride-elect graduated in May with an Associates Degree from Clarendon College. The prospective groom grad-

uated December, 1982 with a Bachelor's Degree in agriculture economy. He is presently employed at Simpson Insurance Agency in McLean.



10 Years Ago. E.M. Bailey, Ed.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Enright of McLean announce the arrival of their new grandson born Friday August 16. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Judkins of Amarillo. Mrs. Judkins is the former Jackie Enright. The baby weighed 6 pounds 15 ounces and was named Zane Grant. 111

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tibbets of Lefors visited in the T.E. Crisp home last weekend.

111 Heald News...Visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Phillips during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Durward Herndon of Dumas and Mrs. Nancy Stezler of Shamrock.

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ported for McLean High School

Tiger football workouts by Wed-

nesday afternoon. Coach Fred

Hedgecoke, beginning his first

year at the Tiger helm, praised

the desire of the gridsters

Wednesday, but said that much

conditioning will be required

before they are ready for action.

Helping the new coach, who

came from Panhandle, are Bob

Schneider, assistant coach, and

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Derral Davis, head football

coach at McLean High School

for the past four years, has been

named assistant coach at Spear-

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Rain was far too welcome

even to slow activities at the

Panhandle area Texas Junior

Hereford Association Field Day

last Saturday at the Doctor

Hereford Ranch here. Some 600

persons from all over the Pan-

handle were on hand for the

event, hosted by Mr. and Mrs.

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T-Sgt. Harold E. Richardson,

son of Mr. and Mrs. T.G.

Richardson of McLean, has

arrived for duty with an Air

Force Communications Service

(AFCS) unit at Clark Air Base in

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Law of

Amarillo are the parents of a

girl born Tuesday, August 24.

She weighed 7 pounds, 13

ounces, and has been named

Farris Hess of McLean.

the Phillipines.

30 Years Ago ...

Lester Cambell, Ed.

man.

Jim Goss, junior high coach.

20 Years Ago ...

Jack Shelton, Ed. Thirty-three youths had re-

Mike Gray, Former MHS Coach, Receives Okla. State Award

Former McLean coach Mike Gray, who has coached girls track at Duncan High School IN Duncan, Okla., for the past seven seasons, reached the ultimate in state-wide acclaim recently when he was named Girls Track Coach of the Year by the Oklahoma Track Coaches Association. The announsement came in conjunction with the annual All-State games, which recently concluded in Tulsa.

"It was totally unexpected," Gray told The Duncan Banner "I just wasn't thinking about it. You really don't think about something like that. But it's something that is a great honor. It always is when your peers select you."

Gray's Lady Demons finished second in the 1984 State Meet and they were also second the year before as well as in 1981. Another season, Duncan finished fourth.

Gray, a native of Miami,

letes with a lot of ability. I learned a lot from them," Gray told the Banner.

In a side note to The McLean News, Gray added, "I owe this all to that group of Freshman who made me love track (Sally, Jamie, Jill, Ann, Joy, etc., etc., etc.,) I love them all and always will be indebted to them for that. Thanks again, McLean," exclaimed Gray.

After two years at McLean, Gray moved to Duncan, where he was also at one time a varsity assistant for girls basketball. But track is undeniably his first love. It has been for about the past 10 years.

"Because of all the success and all the good girls I've had, I never again had the desire to go into baseball," he said.

When speaking of the great amount of success he's had, Gray never goes very long without mentioning the girls he's coached. And he doesn't just speak of them in a purely athletic sense; it's the type of young ladies he's had that means as much to him as their athletic ability. "As far as I'm concerned, this award is really a team honor more than an individual one." he said. "I think of all the good kids I've had that have made all this worthwhile."

esmeyer Brothers of Jericho. 111 Mrs. Earnest Beck of Mc-Lean was awarded \$42.00 in Appreciation Day certificates in downtown McLean last Sat-

urday. 111 Mr. and Mrs. Bud Scribner and family of Mobeetie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hauck and family Friday.

111 10 Years Ago ... T.A. Landers, Ed.

W.T. Wilson, Mrs. Vera Beall and son, Bobby, visited Pvt. D.A. Beall at a Temple hospital last week. 111

Miss Jo Ann Grigsby and her grandmother, Mrs. T.A. Landers, were hostesses Tuesday afternoon at the latter's home. honoring Miss Kathleen Huber on her birthday. A large cake topped with 11 candles was served with several sending gifts. Among those present were: Betty Stolle, Laveta Jo Gunn, Marsalee Windom, Dorothy Ruth Grigsby, Wyanett Caldwell, Jan Black, Peggy Allen, LaWanda and Darlene Shadid, Jackie Bentley, Charles Wendell Bailey, and Mrs. I.W. Huber. 111

Lt. Col. Baird, commanding officer, and First Lieutenant Ludwig of the P.W. camp were guests at the Lions Club lunchion Tuesday. Both officers were lavish in their praise of the good treatment afforded the army in McLean, but deplored the lack of housing.

111 A.J. Dauer of White Deer. ather of Mrs. H.W. Brooks of McLean, was injured Monday noon when a truck crashed into his car. He was taken to a Pampa hospital for treatment. 111

50 Years Ago ... T.A. Landers, Ed. The Smith Bros. No. 2 Harlan

was brought in Tuesday morn-

ing for an estimated 2,000

barrel flow of oil. This is the

fourth good producer to be

brought in by the Smith Bros.

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Mrs. J.W. Kibler had the

misfortune to break a bone in

one arm on Wednesday of last

week, while changing a water

hose in the yard. In dragging

the hose across the yard, she

accidently fell and broke her

arm. Last reports indicate that

the injured arm is healing

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Refining Co.

nicely.

DOWN MEMORY LANE Compiled By Sam Manna

J.S. McLaughlin and Monty Montegomery have opened a new Crysler-Plymouth automobile agency at the D'Spain Garage and have several of the latest models on display. ttt

A rain estimated at from 1 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches fell here last night, breaking one of the longest dry spells ever experienced at McLean. The last rain fell about the middle of June, and this section has had the hottest weather since, in the history of the Panhandle. 50 Years Ago ..

T.A. Landers, Ed.

J.A. Meador of Clarendon has bought the Riley Scott hamburger stand and will continue the business at the same place.

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Mr. and Mrs. B.R. Waldrop and daughter of Carter, Oklahoma, were in McLean last week looking for a location for an undertaking establishment and variety store. Waldrop is impressed with the desirability of our town and says he will put an up-to-date hearse and everything that goes with a modern undertaking business, should he secure a location here.

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Jim Chilton was accidently shot Saturday morning with a blank cartridge from a pistol in the hands of Carl Hefner, promoter of the McLean rodeo. Mr. Hefner was in the Citizens Bank making a deposit, and while counting the money, Mr. Chilten came in the bank and started joking about the money. Mr. Hefner told him if he did not quit he would shoot him. and loading his pistol which had been used at the rodeo grounds for signal work, with blank cartridges, fired twice at the marble desk of the bank window the first shot glancing and striking Mr. Chilton in one arm, causing a painful wound. the whole affair was purely an accident and carried on in a joking way. The injured man's arm is not doing as well as it might, but it is thought that barring complications, the arm will not be out of use long.

111 News from Gracev ... A.L. Lee and family, Bailey Lakey and family, Mrs. B.D. Fondren and son, Ernette, and Mrs. M.H. Kinard went to Alanreed last Thursday to see Mrs. Gracey, who lived here several years ago.

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70 Years Ago.

A.G. Richardson, Ed. Watermelon shipping is now the order of the day and hundreds of wagons loaded with this delicious product have been pouring in from every direction. The market opened the first of the week and while the price is not up to standard, it is believed a better figure will be realized a little later when the south Texas crop has been exhausted. 111

The Ladies Guild of the Episcopal church met at the home of Mrs. D. Holland in the Rush Addition Thursday afternoon of last week. The meeting was informal in nature and as there was no business of moment to be transacted, the ladies spent a very pleasant social hour. During the afternoon refreshments were served and a delicious salad course luncheon was enjoyed. The out-of-town guests were Mesdames S.O. Cook of Dallas and W.H. Pitts of Fort Worth.

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Adv... Take one of our Morning Glory washing machines home with you. If it don't do the act, bring it back...Overton Hardware Co. 111

Adv...Do you need a pair of spectacles? I can sell you either a pair of speck or nose glasses (gold allow rims) for 50c a pair ... Wolfe Drug Store.

BRIDAL SELECTIONS FOR

NANCY THOMPSON



Lean recently sold two purebred

Aberdeen Angus bulls to Herm-

Okla., starred in baseball at Blanchard High School before playing for Oklahoma Baptist University in Shawnee.

After graduating from OBU. he took a job at McLean High School. As it turned out, Mc-Lean had no baseball team, so he took over the girls track program.

'They had a real good crew of girl tracksters there," said Gray. "They were good ath-

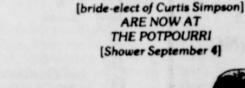
Gray and his wife, Nancy and two daughters lived in McLean in 1976 and 1977.

Tanya Gene Grandparents are Mr. and

Mrs. L.J. Burdine of Kellerville and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Biggers of McLean.

George F. Saunders of Mc-

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3 Square Bakers 3 Rectangular Bakers	\$14.95 each \$18.95 each	\$11.21 each \$14.21 each		
Heritage	\$11.95 each	M.M.asch		
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The Potpourri				

David Haynes Leads Tournament

Davey Haynes was leading the Lions Ladder Tournament for the second week in a row when the standings were recorded

The standings as of press time in the tournament were :

1. Davey Haynes 2. Bob Glass 3. Sam D. Haynes 4. Wayne Carter 5. Tim Killham 6. Dooyal Billingsley 7. Casper Smith 8. Johnny Haynes 9. Stacy Howard 10. Alvin Danner 11. Doug Guthrie 12. Buck Lee 13. Sam A. Haynes 14. E.J. Windom, Jr. 15. Thacker Haynes 16. Bill Terry 17. Bill Hambright 18 Howard Williams 19. Joe Ray Riley 20 Chuck Pierce and 21

Tony Smitherman Tournament chairman John-

ny Haynes stressed the impor-

tance of players answering chal-

lenges within three days after

the challenge has been made.

"Once a challenge is issued, the

top player has three days to play

the challenger or forfeit the

match," explained Haynes. "If

the top player does not meet the challenger within dthe three days the challenger has the

right to exchange places on the

ladder with the challenged play-

The Ladder tournament will

come to a conclusion with a

scramble tournament in late

er," he said.

September.

CONGRATULATIONS TO

JANET THOMAS

[bride-elect of

Joel McCarty]

HAS MADE BRIDAL

SELECTIONS AT

THE POTPOURRI

corded Tuesday afternoon.

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McLean Briefs

Christopher Hauck celebrated his third birthday August 12 in Odessa. Everyone was at his granparent's (John and Frances Price.)

A Dallas Cowboy's cake and punch were served to John, Jackie, and Shawn Price of Austin; Debbie, Jay, Amy, Courtney, Emily and Brian Hargis; Billie and Cora Price; John and Frances Price; and Don, Cynthia, Bonnie, Christopher and Amanda Hauck of McLean.

Alvin Danner and Buck Lee played in a golf tournament last weekend in Pampa on the PAMCEL Golf Course. they won the third flight and won a set of golf clubs. Their score was 78-73. Kristina Carter celebrated her sixth birthday Saturday afternoon with a party in the home of her great-grandmother Lahoma Raines, in Altus, Okla.

She also had a party in the home of her aunt, Lynna Crockett, Sunday night. present at the second party were Lynna, Kye, Kelicrockett, Elmer and Ruth Ware, Steve, Tammy, Casey, and Brodey Carter, and Wayne, Kathy, Kristina, and Charlie Carter.

After the party, the birthday girl went to her "Granny Honey's" and Papa's home and opened more presents. Celebrating with Kristina there were Sam, Linda, and Dollie Haynes.

Returning recently from Ojo Caliente, New Mexico were L.L. Rodgers and E.J. Windom, Sr. ttt

Five-generations gathered last weekend in the home of Lahoma Raines in Altus, Oklahoma. Among those making up the five-generation picture were great-great-grandmother Myrtle Baucum, great-grandmother Lahoma Raines, grandfather Ted Raines, father Scott Raines, mother Kathy Carter, and children Kristina and Charlie Carter and-Sasha and Brandon Raines. Also present for the weekend

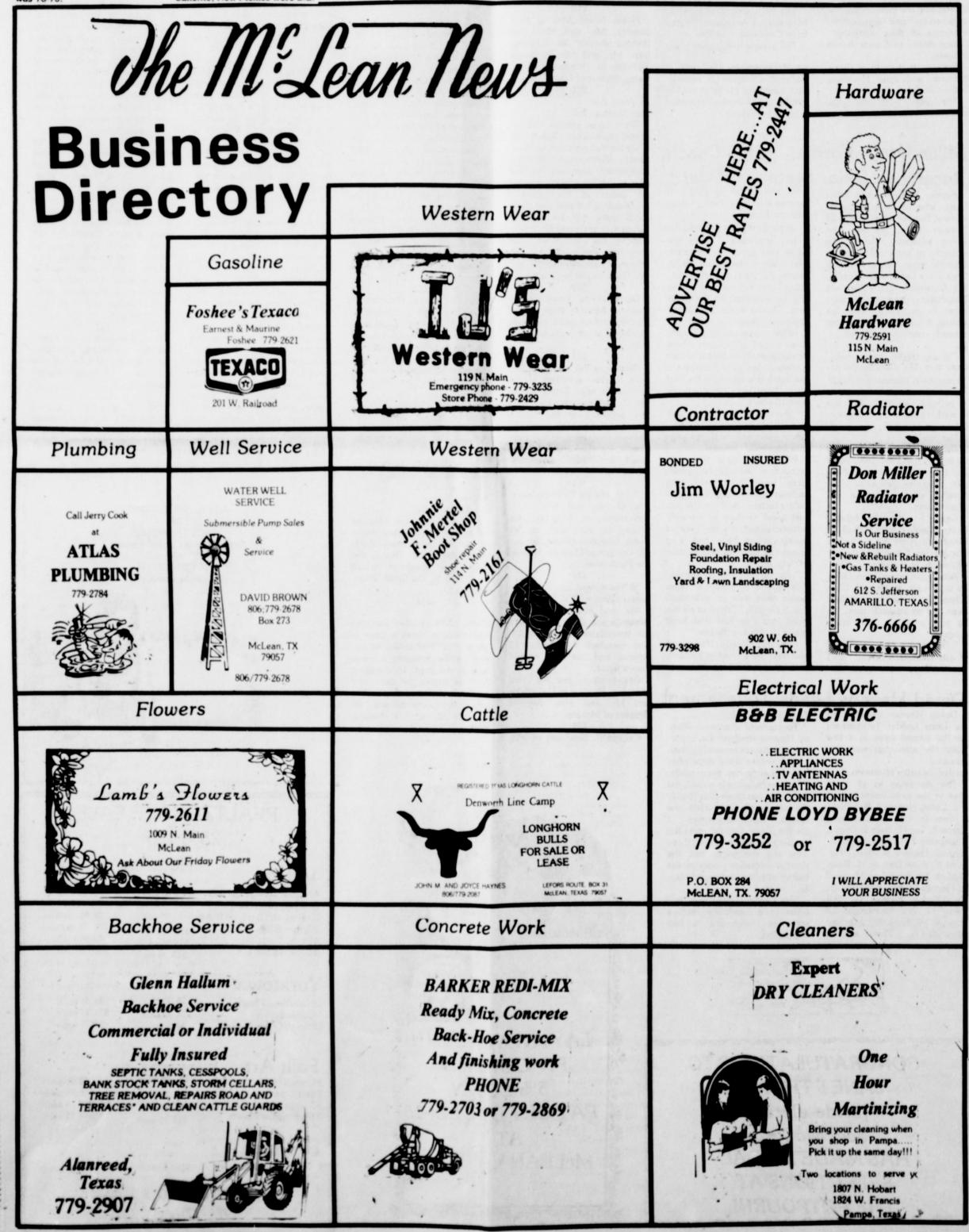
and the observance of Lahoma's 70th birthday were Evelyn Raines and Sally Haynes, of Lubbock, and Lynn Raines of Oklahoma City, Okla. Let thy maid servant be

faithful, strong, and homely. Benjamin Franklin



A whip makes a cracking sound because its tip moves faster than the speed of sound.

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The McLean News cannot verify the financial potential of these advertisements. Readers are advised to approach any "business opportunity" with reasonable caution.

For Sale

FOR SALE: 1980 GMC truck. Call 779-8801. 31-tfc

FOR SALE: SEVERAL Varieties of good summer apples. Hommel's Orchard, 3 miles south of Alanreed. 779-3139. 31-2c

MARRIAGE PLANS IN your future? The McLean News has a beautiful, reasonable line of wedding invitations, announcements, thank you notes, personal stationery, engraved napkins, and much, much more. Come in and see our Regency book

FOR SALE:Dishwasher, Gas Stoves, and Sewing machine Cabinet. Call 779-2655.

34-1c. HOUSE FOR SALE: Low down payment, low interest...pay rest out like rent.

779-2864 or 779-3205. 34-2p.

Help Wanted

HELP WANTED: Need responsible person, able to work with people. Good pay and enjoyable work. Apply at Groom KOA, I-40 and 70 South. Call 248-5631, for appiontment.

30-tfc. L.V.N. C.M.A. Nurse's Assistant applications are now being taken. Thomas Nursing Center, Inc.,779-2469. Contact Nell Schuster, RN., Director of Nursing. 31-2c.

HELP WANTED. Apply at Dairy Queen. 33-2c

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STARTING NEW PIANO and accordian classes. Beginners, intermediate and advanced. Contact Betty Littlefield, 779-2682. 31-4c

FOR RENT IDA HESS, BROKER MAIN

FOR RENT: HOUSE with five rooms with bath. 779-2768. 32-1p

TRAILER SPACES FOR rent. Call 779. 2209 21-tfc

Bids should be submitted to the McLean Independent School **District Business Off** ice, P.O. Box K, Mc-Lean, Texas 79057, no later than 5 p.m. September 10, 1984. 33-2c

Real Estate

For Sale

2 bedroom home on 3 acres. Priced to sell at 20,000. Alareed.

Beautiful 2200 sq. ft. home on five lots. 600 sq. ft. family room. Wood -burner. \$44.500.

Needs TLC. 3 bedroom brick home For sale \$35,000. 719 N. Waldron.

Need a church? We have one that's ready for occupancy! Parsonage also available. 409 N. Gray

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Instead of the usual ho

dogs and hamburgers, ex-

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tables or casseroles. There are endless variations when

barbecuing and all you need

is one secret ingredient-

imagination!

eals which

isn't these days?

When it comes to afterschool snacks, there can be much beyond milk and cookies. Children want snacks to be quick and good. Parents want snacks to be easy to prepare as well as nutritious: low 779.264 in fat, salt and sugar. MCLEAN, TEXAS Lucy DeVine, nutrition consultant for IGA food stores,

home.

make at home.

uggests these palate-pleas-

A variety of delicious, nutritious snacks can be easy to

ing, healthful snacks as delicious after school surprises: Popcorn (dry-popped), dusted with chili powder, onion powder, or Parmesan cheese. A brief dusting of nonstick aerosol spray keeps it in place on the popcorn.

Apples baked in low-cal

soft drinks. Try baking in ginger-ale

Airman Laura N. Cook, daughter of Linda L. and Erie C. Watts of McLean, has been assigned to Sheppard Air Force Base, Texas, after completing Air Force basic training. During the six weeks at

Lackland Air Force Base, Texas the airman studied the Air Force Mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

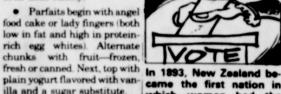
In addition, airman who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman will now receive specialization instruction in the medical services field.

She is a 1984 graduate of Tascosa High School, Amarillo, Texas

 Fruit, whole or in chunks • Banana Magic - Peel threaded on toothpicks or ripe (or over ripe) bananas, skewers. Select wrap tightly in foil or plastic grapes, melon and pineapple. wrap, and freeze overnight until rock-hard. Then carefully Taco Chips, homemade. using tortillas from the superbreak or cut into one-inch market. Cut in quarters and chunks and process in the food bake on a lightly greased sheet processor for a minute or so Those brown bits will turn · Spicy Bean Dip-for into silky almond-colored "ice those taco chips or carrot cream.

• "Mini-Pizzas" can be easy to make at home wit pita loaf split horizontally an



plain yogurt flavored with vanilla and a sugar substitute. women had kidney or pinto beans from IGA with chili, onion and gar-

lic powder, and add a few drop of bottled hot sauce and a dash of vinegar Nursing Center News

broil until bubbly

wooden

until crisp.

sticks. You can blend canned

toasted on one side. Spread the

other side with a dollop of

A special welcome to Joe be snapped and peas to be Bidwell who has returned to our shelled from our garden. Those participating were Drucie Dy-Sunday Brother Z.A. Myers

wer, Troy Hinton, Ealr Tolleson

Residents enjoying the evening were Nellie Burns, Lola Graham Earl Tolleson, Joe Cooke, Troy Hinton, Leon Burch, Buck Hen-

spaghetti sauce, (buy it or make your own). Sprinkle wit low-fat mozzarella cheese a · Parfaits begin with angel food cake or lady fingers (both low in fat and high in proteinrich egg whites). Alternate chunks with fruit-frozen

OWN A BEAUTIFUL Children's Shop. Offering the latest in fashions. Health Tex, Izod, Levi, Lee, Jordache, Chic, Buster Brown, and many more. Furniture and accessories by Gerber and Nod-A-Way. \$14,900. includes beginning inventory-training fixtures and grand opening promotions. Prestige Fashions. 501-329-8327

34-1p. FOR SALE: MODEL94 30-30 Winchester rifle \$140. 12 gauge shotgun. 2 new 54"ceiling fans. Phone 779-3283. 34-tfc. FOR SALE:'69 GMC Truck V-6 two ton. \$1400. 319 N. Claren-

34-tfc. FOR SALE: 6 H.P. Craftsman Rototiller. 4 months old. \$300. Phone 779-3283. 34-tfc

don.

FOR SALE: GOOD used trumpet. Excellent condition with case \$100. Call 779-2723 after 5.

34-1c FOR SALE: DUAL range, kingsize bed, sofasleeper. Call 779-2154. 34-2p WE HAVE GRAND

PARENTS' Day Cards at the Potpourri Gift Shop. Grandparents' Day is September 9.

An ambassador is an honest man, sent abroad to lie for his country.

Sir Henry Wotten After the verb "To Love" 'To Help'' is the most beautiful verb in the world.

Bertha von Sutter We all know, from long experience, that progress depends on war.

Taylor Caldwell

ricultural or Energy Loan collections. Canidates must possess loan workout exper ience and excellent communication and negotiating skills. Salary will be based on knowledge, experience and education. These positions are temporary, lasting approximately 90 days.

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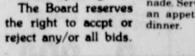
tions Statement,"

MASONIC LODGE **REGULAR MEETING** 7:30 p.m.

Practice Nights

The McLean Independent School Disrtict Board of Trustees is accepting bids on a 1979 GMC 15 passenger van type bus. The bus may be seen at the McLean ISD bus barn. For futher information, contact Jim Rutherford

(779-2447) and desor Frank Sparling.



School Menus

MENUS

FRIDAY, August 24 Chicken Fried Steak, Cream Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Butter and Jelly. MONDAY, August 27

Cheese Burgers, Lettuce/ Tomatoes, Pickles/Onions, Potatoe Chips, Cake

mouth-watering treats but Yardwork are also light on calories. Foods are grilled without the IF YOU NEED YOUR addition of butter or oil and a high heat cooks out food Lawn mowed, please fats. Barbecuing is perfect call 779-2639. for those who are watching 29-2c their waistlines. . . and who

To Give Away

TO GIVE AWAY: Very cute puppies - 7 weeks old. 779-2192 after 4. 31-tfc

Notices

Second Thursday,

To start you on your way to creative cooking, why not First, Third and Fourth surprise the family with Oriental kabobs grilled to per Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. fection. Cut poultry, beef

pork or lamb into thin strips Marinate for 30 minutes in a mixture of soy sauce, pepper and ground ginger. Al ternately thread meat strips with sliced water chestnuts. snow pea pods, mushrooms . and red pepper squares onto long wooden-handled skew-Grill over medium heat.

covered until meat is tender. turning and basting occasionally with leftover marinade. Serve immediately for an appetizing low calorie

of the Assembly of God church was here to conduct services.

onday, residents playing bingo were Earl Tolleson, Alma Fandal, Ruby Bidwell, Ohmer & Gladys Smulcer, Leon Burch, Inez Fields, Bill Shaffer, Lena Cliffton. Troy Hinton. Kittie lessey and Annie Eudey. Our helpers were Mildred Giesler, Ruby Boyd, Bertha Smith, Onie Gibson, Lena Bailey, and Brandy Melton. 111

Tuesday, residents playing dominoes were Drucie Dwyer, P.L. Ledgerwood, Alma Fandal, Inez Fields, Troy Hinton, Odessa Beeman, Lula Sheegog, Annie Eudey, Leon Burch, Earl Tolleson, and Buck Henley. Our helpers were Polly Harrison, Mary Davis and Lena Carter. 111

Wednesday seemed to be a work day. There were beans to P.L. Ledgerwood, Inez Fields, Leon Burch and Alma Fandal. +++

Thursday afternoon was our Birthday Party for the month of Agust. Residents celebrating were Effie Phillips and Odessa Beeman. Corsages were furnished by Creed and Wanda Lamb.

Our entertainment was furnished by Mr. J. Trew, Lois Myers, Ann Morris and Pauline Miller. Cakes were furnished by Ann Pierce and Leta Mae Hess. Ladies serving were Dixie

Mantin, Leta Mae Hess, Oma Trew and Sandy Bowen. In the evening Gib Welch from Borger was here to sing and play his guitar for us.

Friday, Martha Parker was here to show her great movies. ***

Saturday evening Betty Lopez brought in homemade pies.

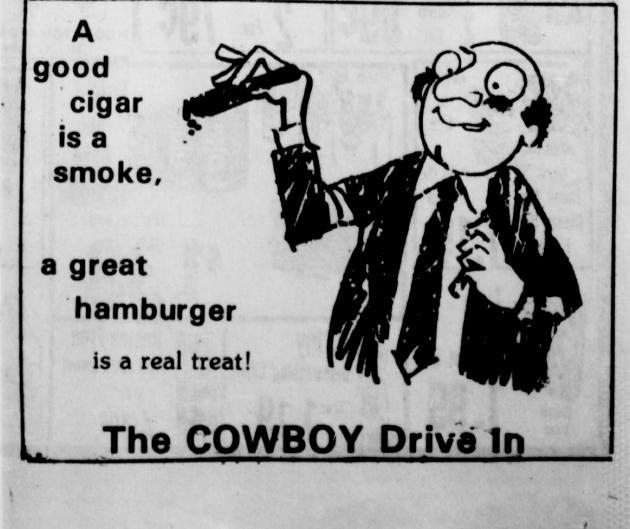
ley, Bob Ford, Gladys Smulcer, Lula Sheegog, Drucie Dywer, Inez Fields, Dorothy Chase, Grace Swallow and Annie Eudey. Staff members Leona Newson, Soledad and Cecilia Bencoma, Bessie Boston, Ozzie Barron and Merle Sherman also enjoyed them.

As your Activity Director, I would like to thank all volunteers who were here during my three week absence and a special thank you to our resident Alma Fandal, who toke daily notes on all activities which made it possible to have r article in the paper.

Betty Lopez. ***

T.N.C. Ladies Aux. will meet this Friday at the Home at 3 p.m.

August 25th at 2:30 p.m. we will have our homamade icecream social



WEDNESDAY, August 29 Meat Loaf, Pinto Beans, Fried Okra, Cornbread and Butter, Melon THURSDAY, August 30

TUESDAY, August 28

Fries, Jello, Cookies

Sloppy Joes, French Fries, Pickles, Fruit Cookies.

Sandwiches, Salad, French

33-tfc.

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