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Have you figured out all the answers to last week's trivia questions?

Here they are: Sgt. Preston's dog was Yukon King. The four sisters in Little Women were Amy, Beth, Jo, and Meg. Joe Palooka's friend was Humphrey Pennyworth. Roosevelt's two dogs were Fala and Medworth; John L. Sullivan's nickname was Boston Strong Boy; and the theme song of Tommy Dorsey's orchestra was "I'm Getting Sentimental Over You."

Did you ever stop to think that maybe Mary was irritated at having a little lamb follow her everywhere whe went in that famous nursery rhyme? I'm convinced that there were times that Mary wished the wolf would get that troublesome hunk of mutton, because I have a little "lamb" who follows me everywhere in the person of Lane's Andrew Pepper (Andy, for short), a twoyear-old Beagle who thinks he is my shadow.

He follows me every day to the News office, and patiently sleeps in his little cubbyhole until he hears my little girl come in from school, and then it is her turn to play "Mary Had a Little Lamb.

And he has followed her to school on occasion much to her embarrasement!

Poor Andy is a patient dog, and he has never really understood that I don't want him to come to work every day to protect me. We have tried tying him up (he promptly chewed through the rope), fencing him in (of course, he dug under the fence), and trying to throw him off the track by coming to work a different way (that didn't work either, because as soon as I had completed my circuitous drive around town, and came to the News office, he was patiently waiting for me at the door.)

So I have given up...defeated by a persistent Beagle. I am resigned to driving down the street with this little black and tan dog baying at my tires or allowing him to ride in the front seat of the car with me.

And the first one of you who sings "Mary had a little lamb. little lamb...." has had it! ###

I'm superstitious about one thing in life. It has never failed that if I allow my perspective on life to get a little out of line, and begin to worry about financial problems or other mundane things, something happens to erk me up and make me realize what is really important in life.

Last week as I was returning from Pampa with the week's edition of The McLean News, I was driving on the two-lane stretch in Pampa between the Miami highway and the Lefors highway, when I noticed an approaching car veering into my lane. There was no other traffic on the road, and I could tell that the car was travelling at a high rate of speed. I hesitated for a few seconds because I did not want to swerve into the wrong lane, but the driver of the approaching car

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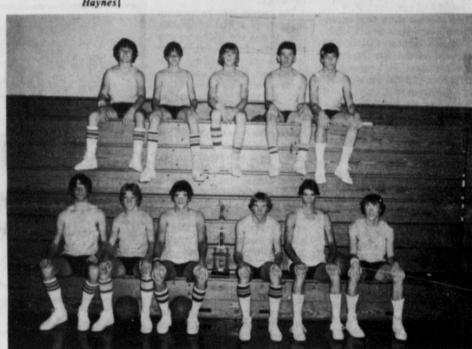


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No precipitation during period.



THE McLEAN TIGERETTES pose with their second-place trophy from the Samnorwood tournament last weekend. [Photo by Linda



THE TIGERS WON the consolation trophy in the Samnorwood tournament last weekend, their second consolation trophy in as many weeks. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

at the home of Dorman

The board approved the

All employees of the school

The board discussed the

The kitchen at McLean

Hospital will be closed tem-

porarily, according to Barbara

Trew, administrative director.

A tentative date of Jan. 1 has

According to Mrs. Trew.

Hospital Corporation of Amer-

ica owners of the facility, have

decided to close the kitchen on

a trial basis as an economic

been set for the closing.

district will receive a \$100

bonus for Christmas.

sponsorship of a Pee Wee Bas-

ketball tournament for later in

Thomas.

School Board Discusses Routine Business Monday

Tigers, Tigerettes Bring Home Two Trophies

The Tigers and Tigerettes of McLean High school brought home two trophies from the Samnorwood tournament last weekend with the Tigers taking the consolation bracket, and

the Tigerettes winning second.
The Tigers played Allison on
Thursday, and although Allison
had beaten the Tigers handily on the previous Tuesday night, the Allison team had their hands full with the hot-handed Tigers in the opening game of the tournament.

McLean jumped out to an early lead, doubling the Allison score in the first quarter by scoring 12 points to Allison's 6. Allison came back in the second quarter scoring 19 points and the first half ended with Allison carrying a one-point advantage 25-24. In the third quarter the Tigers again took the lead and ended that period ahead 38-36, but Allison finished the game two points ahead 50-48 to knock the Tigers out of contention for first place in the tourney. Randy Suggs scored 20 points and Brad Melton scored 10 for

the Tigers. The Tigers did not play on Friday, and came into the game for consolation on Saturday with two starters missing. Suggs was attending an FBLA meeting in Austin, and Melton was participating in try-outs for All-Area band in Canyon.

The Tigers faced Briscoe in the tough match for consolation and managed to stay within shooting distance of their rivals throughout the game. The first quarter ended with McLean behind three points, but Mc-Lean took up the slack and went behind one point, 31-30.

Briscoe again took the lead in the third quarter, ending that period of play 42-40, but the figers scored 15 points in the final stanza to win the consolation trophy 55-53. Shooting high point for the Tigers was Tim Killham with 22 points, and James Matheny scored 16

ley, June Suggs, Joe Magee,

man; and superintendent Carl

Dwyer, business manager Shir-

ley Johnson, and high school

moved from the hospital, ac-

principal Ron Cummings.

Jim Allison, and Tony Smither

action was taken.

The Tigerettes defeated their first two opponents in the tournament without much trouble but lost a hard-fought battle in the final game of the tournament against the host Samnor-

In Thursday's game the Tigerettes jumped to an early lead over Briscoe scoring 16 points in the first quarter. The first half of play ended with the McLean quintet ahead 27-23. However, in the third quarter the Tigerettes scored 16 points to Briscoe's 4 points and were never in danger again. The game ended with McLean 57 and Briscoe 33 with Jill Trew scoring 13 points and Nora Gately scoring 10 points for the Tigerettes.

In the game on Friday, the Tigerettes faced Mobeetie whom they had beaten earlier

close through the first half, but Mobeetie managed to take the lead only once in the half and the period ended with McLean ahead 27-24. Mobeetie threatened again in the third quarter but McLean managed to pull ahead ending the quarter ahead 39-30. The game ended with the Tigerettes winning 54-43. Jill Trew and Sally Haynes shared high-point honors with 16 points each, and Joy Rhine and Nora Gately each scored 10

Saturday night's thrilling championship game between McLean and Samnorwood found the host team slow getting started despite an easy victory over Allison the day before. The Tigerettes got in early foul trouble but managed to lead Samnorwood 10-5 at the

a fast-paced final quarter, with sophomores Missy Billingsley and Leslie Skipper, and senior Ann Skipper helping keep the Tigerettes in contention. With 40 seconds left on the clock and McLean behind one pint, Nora Gately was given a one-and-one opportunity at the free throw line, but the shot wouldn't fall, and the Tigerettes fouled with 20 seconds left. Samnorwood's Sally Kincannon sank both free shots,

end ot the first quarter and 18-13 at the end of the first half.

Samnorwood regained its

poise during halftime and came

back to score 17 points to the

Tigerettes 8 points in the third quarter. With starters Joy Rhine, and Jill Trew fouling out

in the fourth quarter, and

starter Nora Gately carrying

four fouls, the Tigerette re-serves came on the floor to play

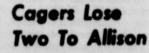
with Samnorwood on top.

Judy Trew scored 14 points. Joy Rhine, 9 and Jill Trew, 8 in the game.

and the championship trophy

slipped from the Tigerettes

grasp as the game ended 38-35



The McLean Tigers and Tigerettes travelled to Allison Dec. 4 and lost two games to the host team. In the first match-up of the evening, the Tigerettes led the Allison girls through the first half of play, going into the dressing room a half time with a 22-18 score.

Allison tied the game in the third quarter, and the final buzzer sounded with the score locked at 39 for each team. McLean scored 2 points in the extra period, but Allison took advantage of fouls and scored 5 to win the game 44-41. Jill Trew scored 16 points to lead the Tigerettes, with twin sister Judy Trew following closely

with 14. In the second game of the evening. Allison jumped out to an early lead, and the Tigers were never quite able to recover. Half-time score was 34 to 20 with Allison on top. The game ended with Allison scoring a total of 43 points to 31 points for the Tigers. Randy Suggs scored 10 points to take high-point honors and Brad Melton scored 7 points for the



band hall was discussed, but no first-chair trombone in the All-Area band last Saturday. He will

Attending the meeting were compete for All-State honors in January. [Photo by Linda Haynes] board members Lloyd Hunt, Darryel Herndon, Joe Billings-

Brad Melton, senior member of the Pride of the Tigers High School band, added another honor to a long string of kudos in his musical career Saturday, when he was chosen first chair trombone in the All Area band.

Melton, the son of Mr. and Mrs. N.N. Melton, will compete for the All-State band in Lub-

first alternate, but will not be

able to compete for the all-

cording to Mrs. Trew. The kitchen will remain in tact bock Jan. 19. during the trial period. Melton and senior Trudy The length of the trial period Stewart competed in the allhas not been decided, Mrs. area tryouts in Canyon Satur-Trew said. The dietary departday. Miss Stewart was chosen ment at McLean Hospital has

been losing money, but if the new procedure proves unwork-See HOSPITAL Page 2

Melton Named To All-Area Band state band. Director of the Tiger band is

Miss Debbie Reipma. Firemen Extinguish Announces Visit

Truck Blaze The McLean Volunteer

Fire Department was called out Saturday at 1 a.m. to help extinguish a fire on a truck near the Windi Inn in Alanreed. According to fire chief Jim

McDonald, two tires blew out on the truck as it left the construction part of Interstate 40 and caused the blaze. The truck from B & J Trucking out of Indiana sustained minor dam-

Santa Claus

Santa Claus has informed The McLean News that he plans to visit the downtown area of McLean this Saturday at 2:30 p.m. following the weekly Chamber of Commerce draw-

Santa said that he is bringing sacks of candy, nuts, and fruit for the children, and will listen to each child's request for Christmas gifts.

All area children are invited to come to McLean to visit with

The Decade Of The Seventies: A TIME OF CHANGE IN McLEAN

By Linda Haynes McLean News Editor

"DECADE: a period of time covering ten years." The 1980's are just days away from arriving in McLean, and as the Seventies breathes out its last gasp in the town, the staff at The McLean News decided to look back at what changes have occurred in our town in ten short years.

The McLean school board

met in regular session Monday

evening to discuss several

In addition to approving the

minutes, the checks, financial

statements, the tax assessors

report, and the cafeteria report,

the board discussed bids on re-

roofing the school buildings.

The school received insurance

payments of \$7968 for hail

damage, so the board decided

to take bids in accordance to the

insurance specifications of

The board discussed the di-

Joe Blavlock was reassigned

Board members discussed

The Christmas faculty party

was set for Dec. 19 at 4:15 p.m.

purchasing an outside freezer.

rectors of the Wheeler County

as head cook of the cafeteria.

Appraisal District board.

out took no action.

items of business.

damages.

The Seventies was a period of change for McLean just as it was for the country. In looking back at the issues of The McLean News from 1970 I found that the old cliche "The only thing permanent about life is change" seems to be the theme of that decade.

When 1970 dawned in Mc-Lean the City was gearing up for two of the bitterest and most hotly-contested elections many years. A \$450,000 bond election to build a new high school had been called and the county commissioners race with six candidates was getting into

The papers of that year are filled with stories and advertisements about the bond election which eventually was defeated.

In the county commissioner's race, six candidates John Dwyer, Ted Simmons, Joe Billingsley, Truitt Johnson, Red Faston, and Hershel McCarty had filed for the post. Dwyer eventually won the run-off election and was elected county commissioner in the November election. He held office for less than a month when he died, and his wife Mary was appointed to fill his office

In 1970 McLean got its first foreign exchange student: Yarra Baretta of Sao Paulo, Brazil, who stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riley.

Rhonda Davis was elected Miss McLean, and Dennis Duniven was chosen Most Valuable Player of the Tiger football team. Butch Lands was named to the All-District basketball

school's policy on use of school

facilities, set Dec. 18 as the

date for the school audit, and

approved a budget amendment.

contract for 1980 with Troy

Sloane of Spearman as indus-

A letter from the state De-

partment of Health regarding

the asbestos in the ceiling of the

move. "We have two full time

employees and one part time

employee which have to be paid

whether we have any patients

the Thomas Nursing Center

during the trial period and

brought to the hospital in

No equipment will be re-

Meals will be catered from

or not," Mrs. Trew said.

special containers.

trial tax contractor.

McLean Hospital Kitchen Will Close Soon

The board also approved the

In a hotly-contested school board race, Dick Everett, Bob Sherrod, and Howard Gipson unseated the incumbents to take three places on the board. W.W. Boyd, Joe D. Smith, and Glen Curry were elected to the city council.

The first city sales tax began in McLean on April 1, and about that time, Doctor Hereford won the Reserve Champion at the Houston Livestock Show. 1970 was filled with its share of tragedies too. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Marion Harkins burned in February, and in April a killer tornado struck Greenbelt Lake and McLean. and five members of one family died at Greenbelt. Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Simpson, their

daughter Pat Day, and Mrs. Simpson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emery Jewell were all killed in that tragic storm The tornado that hit McLean lestroyed the home of Mr. and damaged several other homes. The deaths of several prominent citizens were also reported in those 1970 papers. Several businesses and or-

panizations were active in Mc-Lean that have since disap-The town had a very active

boy scout troop, and an effective and hard-working JayCee club. Businesses which have since closed include Master Cleaners, and Derby Drive In, nmons Chevrolet, Jewel Box Fashions, Greyhound Drug. Kiva Beauty Salon, Billie's Beauty Shop, and Marie Foun-

Twenty-seven seniors grad-ated from McLean High uated from McLean School in 1970 with Linda and Donna Pearson serving as valedictorian and salutatorian of the class.

Lynn Taylor was the 1970 Rodeo Queen. In July a group of McLean students returned from a trip to Europe, and the Alanreed-McLean Museum planned a big The citizens of McLean

banded together to send letters to their congressman in a successful effort to save Mc-Lean Hospital's medicare cer-McLean had several golf

tournaments that year, and the Alanreed-McLean Historical Society was still active.

Nancy Brown was elected Football Queen when fall rolled around, and Tommy Duniven, who went on to play for the Texas Tech Red Raiders and the Houston Oilers, was named player of the week in the Amarillo Globe News.

F. Jake Hess was elected president of the American Hereford Breeders Association late in the year.

Mariza Cost of Brazil was McLean's second foreign exchange student that year. She lived with Mr. and Mrs. Sam

In the time since 1970, Mc-

Lean has had four school super-intendents: Jack Riley, Sam Gayton, Homer Jefferson, and Carl Dwyer. The city has had two mayors: Boyd Meador and Sam Haynes. Each church in McLean has had several pastors. In 1970 D.L. Craddock was pastor of First Baptist Church; Robert Brown was pastor of First Methodist Church; David Fultz was minister of the Church of Christ; Z.A. Myers was pastor of Assembly of God Church; Jerry Tucker of Shamrock was preaching at the Church of the Nazarene; Walter L. Comstock was pastor of the Pentecostal Holiness Church; and although the Presbyterian Church did not have a full time minister, the church was having

services each Sunday. Familiar names and faces fill the Seventies papers, with birth announcements, wedding an-nouncements bringing back memories of happy times. A strain of sadness runs through the papers too as the names of died appear in new stories about the town.

The Seventies brought many tragic events to the citizens of McLean with deaths and accidents, but the greatest tragedy of the Seventies, a left-over from the tumultous Sixties, was the Viet Nam War which was to take the lives of four McLean boys: Val Sharp, John Evans, Gary Back, and Jim McCarty.

Time has healed many wounds of the last decade, but memories of the tragedies will never leave us.

As we look forward at the 1980's, perhaps it is a good thing that none of us has the gift to read the future. Crises are easier to take, if viewed one

temptation to forecast, I will make some predictions for the next decade, and whoever is the

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OPINIONS

VIEWS ARE WRITTEN BY LINDA HAYNES, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED - IF YOU HAVE AN OPINION ON ANY CURRENT SUBJECT WE WELCOME YOUR SIGNED LETTERS.

THESE ARE THE GOOD DAYS!

With the New Year and a thirds of the families relied on new decade approaching it is a good idea to count our blessings. Many of us have fallen prey to believing the misconception that our high rate of inflation and the current economic squeeze has us living in a very rough period.

But consider some of these facts. In the good old days (1875 to be exact) 57 percent of a family's total expenditures went for food, compared to only 25 percent now.

In those halcyon days in 1875 the average worker spent 94 percent of his money on necessities compared to 62 percent today.

In 1875 less than one percent of the families reported any spending on recreational and personal education, but the figure had risen to 17 percent in a 1972 survey.

In the good old days, two-

the earnings of their children for one-third to one-half of the family income. Today child labor has virtually disappeared. In 1875 only one percent of the people owned their own homes, as compared to a whop-

In that same year in the last century, Americans spent 14.5 percent of their income on clothing. Today Americans spend 8.2 percent on clothing.

ping 48 percent today.

So as the Seventies draw to a close and we approach the new decade, let's keep things in perspective. Americans of this generation are the best fed and the best clothed people of any one in the world, now or in the past. We enjoy the highest standard of living in the history of the world, and take for granted luxuries that a king could not purchase in 1875. Look up, and say Thank you.

YES, VIRGINIA....

EDITORS NOTE: The following is the famous editorial written for The New York Sun by Francis P. Church, Sept. 21, 1897. This copy was loaned to us by Mrs. Bonnie Fabian.] IS THERE A SANTA CLAUS?

We take pleasure in answering at once and thus prominently the communication below, expressing at the same time our great gratification that its faithful author is numbered among the friends of THE SUN: DEAR EDITOR-I am 8 years

"Some of my little friends say there is no SANTA CLAUS. Papa says, 'If you see it in THE SUN it's so.

'Please tell me the truth, is there a SANTA CLAUS? 'VIRGINIA O'HANLON,

"115 West Ninety-fifth Street." VIRGINIA, your little friends are wrong. They have been affected by the skepticism of a skeptical age. They do not believe except they see. They think that nothing can be which is not comprehensible by their little minds. All minds, VIR-GINIA, whether they be men's or children's, are little. In this great universe of ours man is a mere insect, an ant, in his in tellect, as compared with the boundless world about him, as measured by the intelligence capable of grasping the whole

of truth and knowledge. Yes, VIRGINIA, there is a SANTA CLAUS. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exist, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no SANTA CLAUS! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would

be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in SANTA CLAUS! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas eve to catch SANTA CLAUS, but even if they did not see SANTA CLAUS coming down, what would that prove Nobody sees SANTA CLAUS, but that is no sign that there is no SANTA CLAUS. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are unseen and

unseeable in the world. You tear apart the baby's rattle and see what makes the noise inside, but there is a veil covering the unseen world which not the strongest man, nor even the united strength of all the strongest men that ever lived, could tear apart. Only faith, fancy, poetry, love, romance, can push aside that curtain and view and picture the supernal beauty and glory beyond. Is it all real? Ah, VIRGINIA, in all this world there is nothing else real and

No SANTA CLAUS! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, VIRGINIA, nay, ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.



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was surveying the fields on his left as he drove and he continued to come at me in my lane. Seconds before we would have collided I swerved into the wrong lane, and it was only then that the driver saw me.

By that time he was almost off the road on my side of the highway, and when he saw me he swerved back toward his lane, and I hit the shoulder of the road. The driver who nearly hit me overcompensated when he saw me and he hit the ditch on the wrong side of the road and drove several hundred yards in the ditch until he was able to bring the car back under control.

I watched him in my rear view mirror to make sure he did not roll the car, but I did not have the presence of mind to get his license number.

I stopped the car and sat and shook for several minutes before I was able to drive, because I was within inches and seconds of a fatal head-on collision.

I had to realize as I continued to drive home that I had very narrowly averted a tragedy that even if I had lived through it, would have changed my life for years to come, and suddenly all the hassles of a weekly deadline, the continued financial struggle of running a weekly paper, even some family problems, seemed relatively unimportant to me. So, regardless of what caused that incident...fate of God or just blind coincidence....I appreciate the

The McLean News will again publish letters to Santa Claus in our Christmas edition. Letters must be in the News Office by Dec. 17 to give us time to send them on to the North Pole. Address your letters to: Santa Claus, McLean News, McLean, Texas 79057 and we will publish your letter and send it on to Santa.

The McLean News will not publish an edition the last week in the year. The News office will be closed from Dec. 20 until Dec. 31. Don't forget. You will not receive a paper Dec. 27.

If you have not been attending any of the basketball games in McLean this season, you have missed a real treat.

Since we have a daughter playing for the Tigerettes, we have attended most of their games, and with the exception of one game against Clarendon, every game has been a real

cliff-hang The Tigerettes have a harddriving offense, and usually manage to make each game an exciting thriller, but Saturday night had a classic moment in

sports. The Tigerettes were one point behind...there was less than one minute left on the score board...the small hot gym at Samnorwood was packed with screaming fans...three of McLean's starters had fouled out...the championship of the tournament was on the line... and a Samnorwood girl fouled Nora Gately!

The coach called a time out, and the McLean girls rallied around Nora, hugging her and giving her words of encouragement.

Play resumed and Nora stepped up to the free throw line... she bounced the ball...wiped her hands on her shorts... looked at the basket...the noise increased to a deafening level... the ball went up, up...hit the rim...rolled around and around and fell out! Play resumed, but the Tigerettes were not able to score, and the game ended with Samnorwood in possession of the championship trophy.

I'm sure as long as the McLean sophomore lives, she will never forget that exciting moment in her life, and even though the shot was not good, she handled the pressure with a surprising amount of calmness.

Moments like that are one of the reasons I am a sports fan, and one of the reasons that I believe in competition for high school students. It is possible that Nora will never again be placed in such a terrifying position, but the fact that she didn't faint (as I would have) but managed to get the shot off is an indication that whatever pressure life hands her, she will be able to handle them....and that's what sports are all about!

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close we came.

The 1980 census will show a population gain for McLean and town will continue to grow each year of the decade until the population will reach 1800 by 1990.

natural gas and oil will be discovered close to McLean causing a boom in the economy. Sometime in the Eighties Mc-Lean will get a movie house, a dry good store, another grocery store, a dry cleaners, and several other new businesses.

McLean Hospital will be expanded into a complete emergency receiving center, and McLean will have four doctors. .McLean High School will win the state football championship two years in a row

McLean High School girls track team will sweep honors at the state meet. Interstate 40 still will not have

bypassed McLean! Church attendance will be dramatically increased over the Seventies. .The City of McLean will still have a problem with dogs!

.The Thomas Nursing Center will be expanded to care for 100 The McLean Senior Citizens Club will have a building of its

.The City of McLean will have a community center with an indoor swimming pool, meeting rooms, and recreation areas for the town's teenagers.

And, finally, there will be hundreds of wonderful people (and a few old soreheads) who think McLean is the greatest place in the world to live.

editor of The McLean News in 1990 can look back and see how I predict that:

. A large unexploited reserve of

How the years roll by! We like California, moved here in Aug. 1941, but McLean is still home to us. So much I'd like to write. Let's hear more about the old timers. Brings such memories. Our dear father still lives on North Main in McLean..W.S. Kunkel. Say

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kunkel Sr. P.S. Many will remember me as Beulah Kite Hunter.

Last Week's editorial opinion regarding President Carter and his handling of the Iranian situation were [sic] grievously in error. Jimmy Carter got us into this mess and now refuses to take action to get us out. Using the pretext of his human rights movement as justification, Carter pressured the Shah into releasing Communist re-volutionaries who had been legally tried in court and legally imprisoned for their subversive activities. By threatening to refuse aid and weapon sales, the Carter administration denanded and recieved [sic] from the Shah incredible concessions designed to help strengthen his enemies. Carter was not content with merely undermining the Shah's strongly anti-Com-

Deaths

OSCAR LEE TIBBETS Oscar Lee Tibbets, 86, died Sunday.

Services were in First Baptist Church in McLean Tuesday. The Rev. Buell Wells, pastor, officiated. Tibbets was born in Mon-

tague County and moved to Alanreed in 1918. He moved to McLean in 1974. He married Viola Goodnight in Wellington in 1916. She died in 1964.

He was a farmer and a rancher. He had served two terms as Grav County commissioners of Precinct 4. Survivors include a daughter.

Mrs. Mildred Giesler of Mc-Lean; a son. Judson Tibbets of Albuquerque, N.M.; two sisters, Mrs. Willie Williams and Mrs. Gladys Smulcer, both of McLean; a brother Marvin Tibbets of Lefors; seven grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

ANDY GOODWIN

Andy Goodwin, a former resident of McLean, died at Locust Grove, Okla. Sept. 22 after a long illness.

Funeral services were held at Locust Grove, and graveside services were at Afton, Tx. He is survived by his wife Sarah and one son and one

While he lived in McLean, he worked for an oil company and retired before he left.

CARL LOSSON Carl Losson, 80 who helped incorporate the City of Kress in 1953 and became its first mayor, died recently in Swisher Memorial Hospital in Tulia. He was serving as a city commissioner at the time of his death.

A former resident of McLean,

he was the uncle of Mrs. Floyd Tate of McLean.

Mr. Losson and a twin sister. Carey, were born Oct. 1, 1899 in Indian Territory, Okla., the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. William R. Losson. Histwin died in 1900. He was one of 14 children.

He was employed by Smith Brothers Gin Co. in McLean before moving to Kress in 1928 to overhaul Smith Brothers Gin plant, the first in the Kress

Losson went into the service station business in Kress in He married the former Ona Davenport Aug. 1, 1933 in

Kress In 1944 he went into the retail butane business, Carl Losson's Inc. of which he was still an owner at the time of his death. He built a Fina station and Losson's Restaurant in 1961.

Mr. Losson passed a petition calling for the incorporation of Kress in 1953 and he was elected the first mayor. One of the organizers of the Kress Lions Club in 1949, he

was its first secretary and a charter member. He was a member of First Baptist Church in Kress and had been in charge of the Kress Cemetery, selling lots there for

nany years. He was a member of the Tulia and Plainview Masonic lodges and Khiva Shrine Temple in Amarillo.

Surviving are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Talmadege (Moonyeen) Todd of Kress and Mrs. Dale (Paralea) Scouten of Oklahoma City, Okla; one sister, Faye Lee of Ontario, Calif.; two brothers, Dale Losson of Gardenia Calif. and Travis Losson of Upland, Calif.; and five grandchildren.

Connally Group Names County Residents

Twent - two prominent Gray County residents have been named to the John Connally for President Steering Committee as announced by State Organization Director Jim

The local group is part of a massive statewide delegation of more than 2,700 citizens who have voiced their approval of Governor Connally's effort.

"We are extremely proud that these outstanding Texans have joined the growing list of persons nationwide who recog-nize the leadership qualities of John Connally, and the need for that leadership in the White House at this time," Campbell

The committee includes F. J. Hess of McLean, Texas, and J.W. Campbell, Mrs. W.R. Campbell, Jerry Bond, W.R. Chafin, Tom F. Coffee, George Cree, Bill B. David, David Fatheree, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Fatheree, Bill Gething, J.W. Gordon, Jr., Malcolm Hinkle, Dr. Earl C. Hoffer, The Honorable Carl Kennedy, Rex Mc-

Anelly, Mr. and Mrs. E.R. Sidwell, Glenn Tarpley, and Dr. J.B. Veale of Pampa, Texas.

"The true genius is a mind of large general powers, ac-cidentally determined to some particular direction." Samuel Johnson

Letters To

Dear Friends:

We are old timers from McLean and have enjoyed our paper very much, as its the only way we hear from so many of our friends and relatives, as I'm

Read the Distaff...Good. Down Memory Lane, Wow!

there was fear in many newspapers that the military in Iran. a pro U.S. group, might stage a coup. Now, incredible as this may sound, the Carter gang dispatched the deputy commander of NATO to Tehran to tell the generals not to stage a coup. United States diplomacy would guide Iran through troubled waters, the generals were told. So the generals, obedient to a fault, did nothing to halt Hello for us. the tide of Khomeini Thank you.

A few hours after Khomeini and his clique took over, they assembled the generals we had warned off, took them to a roof, and shot them. Then their bodies were hung on meat hooks in downtown Tehran, as a warning. Carter killed those men as surely as if he had commanded the firing squad. He forced them to surrender to people who murdered them. Now, what I want to know is this: How on earth can Jimmy Carter look himself in the mirror each morning and not

the fetters of Communism.

reported on last March 4:

Columnist Ben Stein of the

'After the Shah left Iran,

Los Angeles Hearld-Examiner

see bodies hanging from meat hooks?" There is a consederable [sic] amount of evidence that indicates Khomeini is under Communist dicipline [sic]. There certainly is no question about Soviet control of the PLO. Yassar Arafat, the arrogant leader of this slimy terrorist army of women and child killers, meets at least once a week with Soviet leaders to recieve [sic] instructions. High ranking PLO officers have defended their close ties with the Kremlin and boasted of the training they recieved [sic] in

The current hostage situation suggests of a PLO opperation [sic]. It was the PLO who was responsible for many airline hijackings and the holding of the passangers hostage until their demands were met. The PLO is well practiced in the art of holding hostages for ransom.

The PLO has served as an intermediary between Khomeimi and Moscow. The Soviets even assisted in the training of Khomeini's new secret police, the nucleus of which is a special PLO unit, hand picked by the KGB.

As early as April 17 of this year, Arafat promised that a holy war was on the way and he made it clear that many ferent blows against the US had been planned for the near future. Witness: our embassy in Iran, in Pakistan, in Libya, and the terrorist attack against unarmed US servicemen in

Pureto Rico [sic]. Khomeini has stated on more than one occasion that he intends to purge Iran of all Western influence and establish ties with Communism. He has publicly proclaimed that Communists will participate in his government.

His own Brother is a long time member of the Communist

A book written by Khomeini calls for the total annihilation of all Western nations, as does the Soviet doctrine. Many of the "students" that

are holding the hostages are middleaged and some of them speak Russian. Involving the UN will not remedy the situation in Iran.

The UN has never condemned the Communist tyrants for assaulting religious freedom, destroying the sanctity of the family, abrogating property rights, abolishing free elec-tions, or murdering millions of The UN did condemn the

United States for maintaining military bases in Guam, and for importing minerals from anti-Communist Rhodesia. The US has only one vote in

the General Assembly while the USSR has three (USSR, Byelorussia, and the Ukraine.) The money contributed by American taxpayers has been

used to supress freedom and

glorify tyrants. The UN has expelled Free China from its membership and welcomed in their place the Communist tyrants who have urdered untold millions of

innocent people.

Two groups affliated with the PLO (the Special Unit on Palestinian Rights and the Committee on the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People) have been receiving funds from the

Remember too, the



The Editor munist government, but insispeace keeping" force that ted on pushing the Iranians into invaded Katanga, bombed hos-

> women. Remember the United Nations "police action" in Korea

pitals, destroyed churches,

slaughtered unarmed civilians,

and raped and murdered

that led this nation to disaster. Why would anyone think that the UN would suddenly break all precedent on which it has operated since its foundation and support the United States?

One must consider that Carter pushed the Panama Canal give-away" and pressured Congress into ratifying his treaty, despite public opinion against it, that gave control of our canal to a Communist

President Carter illegally broke the treaty with the Free Chinese while he courts the

Communist Chinese. Carter is pushing the Salt II treaty which, in the words of Senator Tower, "would codify American military inferiority. And now Iran. The dominoes

are falling. What was that about a "born again" Christian?

It is a shame that our President does not have the will to follow Thedore Roosevelt's example of Americanism, when in 1904 one American citizen. Ion Perdicaris and his stepson were abducted from their villa near Tangier by one Ahmed ibn-Muhammed Raisuli, Roosevelt sent the Marines and a message. The dispatch read simply, "perdicaris alive or Rasuli dead."

Some will say that a military action in Iran will provoke the Russians. Bunk! The Soviets have never confronted an enemy. They will not risk a humiliating defeat. They will provoke Chinese into fighting Chinese, Koreans into fighting Koreans and Americans. Vietnamese into fighting Vietnamese and Americans, Africans into fighting Africans, and Iran-

ians into fighting Americans. Why has Jimmy Carter betrayed Iran and the Constitution he is sworn to uphold? Perhaps to involve the US in another disasterous foreign war fought in the tradition of Korea and Vietnam which would succeed in destroying the remaining free nations in the Middle East. Perhaps to demonstrate to the world that the United States is in fact a "paper tiger." Perhaps to use the loss of Iranian oil as an excuse to impose gasoline rationing and place restrictions on the use of auto-

mobiles If the Shah is yeilded [sic] up to the Communist Iranians, no anti-Communist leader any where in the world will be safe. If Carter allows the hostages in Iran to be tried for espionage, no American citizen will be safe

Every day that our President procrastinates, the Iranian Communist's hope of victory is

increased. The foreign policy that Carter and his advisors hold to would have once been called treason,

but now it is called diplomacy. I realize that many will flatly refuse to believe the preceeding facts. I realize that some may even be offended. But facts are facts and anyone who is willing to take the time can confirm every thing in this letter.

Veritas vincit. Sincerely Yours,

Tommy Gipson

EDITORS REPLY: "Ne Jupiter quidem omnibu

placet."
"Credat Judaeus Apella."

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Holcomb, Vernon Will Exchange Vows

Miss Maria June Holcomb will become the bride of Mr. Danny Vernon December 29 at the Leedey Church of Christ.

The future bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Holcomb and the granddaughter of Mrs. Annie Ferrell of Leedey. Marla attends Oklahoma Christian College where she will complete her education in Elementary Ed. December 14. Marla is a member of the Delta Tau Omega Social Club.

Parents of the future groom are Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Vernon of McLean Texas. Mr. and Mrs. L.H. Hartman of Savre and Mrs. Catherine Vernon of Denver City, Texas are the future grooms grandparents. Danny attended Oklama Christian College and Oklahoma State University where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in General Agri-

All friends and relatives are invited to the 3 p.m. ceremony.

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Choir Will Present Cantata

The choir of First United Methodist Church in McLean will present the Christmas cantata "King of Kings" by John W. Peterson Wednesday night at 7 p. m. in the sanctuary of the church.

The cantata is directed by Mrs. Bonnie Fabian. Organist is Mrs. Joyce Haynes, and pianist is Beth Smitherman. Soloists are Barbara Trew, Bonnie Brass, Ida Hess, and Sam Haynes.

A visit from Santa Claus for the children of the church will immediately follow the presentation of the cantata. Gifts will be exchanged and refreshments served in the church's Fellowship Hall.

Rural Homeowners May Be Eligible For FMHA Loans

Rural homeowners in Gray County who need to upgrade their homes may be eligible for financing from the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA). Robert A. Keown, FmHA County Supervisor, said that in addition to financing the purchase of homes, the Agency also has funds available to families who already own homes that need insulation/

weatherization improvements. FmHA will offer loans for energy conservation improvements to all rural families of low or moderate incomes who cannot obtain adequate commercial credit and are otherwise eligible for FmHA loan assis-

Mary Martha Class Has Christmas Party

By Lucille Cullison

Mrs. Lilly Mae Williams was hostess for the Christmas party and meeting of the Mary Martha Sunday School class of First Baptist Church in the church Fellowship Hall Dec. 8 at 2:30

The party decorations were in the Christmas motif. The serving table was laid with a Christmas cloth and centered with a Santa Claus and Mama Claus and the birthday cakes. Another table was covered with a red cloth and centered with a lighted miniature Christmas tree and Christmas gifts.

The opening prayer was of-fered by Dood Turner. Loree Barker presided over the meeting.

The devotional was brought by Dood Turner on the Christ-

mas story and "The Christmas Heart.

the Christmas games. Jessie Watson received the prize in

Christmas gifts were exchanged among the members

The birthday girls were Essie Howard and Bonnie Bidwell. Refreshments of birthday cake, nuts, chocolate mints, spiced tea and coffee were served to Loree Barker, Bea Lester, Bonnie Bidwell, Lucille Cullison, Essie Howard, Dood Turner, Nora Moore, Clara Maude Hupp, Jessie Watson, Gladys Smith, Levie Smith, Mary Lou Throckmorton, Velma Willia and the hostess, Lilly

Mae Williams

Texas Health Department Will Conduct Vaccination Clinic

4-H CORNER

The Texas Department of Health Resources will conduct a shot clinic at the McLean Elementary School in the kindergarten room Dec. 17.

Elementary principal Dorman Thomas urged the parents of all pre-schoolers to bring their children for the free clinic Elementary students who

need shots will also receive their innoculations that day, according to Thomas. Kindergarten students are required to have the following

immunizations: Polio: at least three doses of vaccine and one of these doses

must have been received on, o after, the fourth birthday.

DPT: minimum of three doses of vaccine. At least one of these doses must have been received on or after the fourth birthday.

Measles: one dose of vaccine. The dose of vaccine must have been received on or after the first birthday.

Mumps: one dose of vaccine. In lieu of vaccine, a physician's written statement of mumps illness will be accepted. Rubella: one dose of vaccine.

4-H'ERS INTRODUCED TO VET SCIENCE:

A love for animals and an interest in animal health attract thousands of young people each year to the national 4-H veterinary science program.

Local veterinarians, working with volunteer 4-H leaders, introduced boys and girls 9-19 to various aspects of animal health, disease prevention, immunology and career options in veterinary science.

4-H members learn there are some 38,000 veterinarians in the United States whose training in the biological sciences and medicine qualifies them for a number of careers directly or indirectly related to animal health. About 75% of American veterinarians work in private practice as animal doctors. Others are employed in drug research, disease research and control, public health or teaching. Rural youth often join the 4-H veterinary science program to complement their 4-H projects in poultry or livestock. City and suburban youngsters, whether or not they have animals of their own, also find the program educational and fun. 4-H'ers learn-by-doing to use good management and sanitation practices in caring for birds and animals. They get involved in such community service activities as assisting with a neighborhood rabies clinic or helping establish a local library

on animal care and health. Outstanding 4-H members in the veterinary science program are recognized annually in numerous ways: four medals of honor per county; a \$50 U.S. Savings Bond for one 4-H'er in each state; expense-paid trips to National 4-H Congress in Chicago for 24 sectional winners; and six \$1,000 scholarships nationally.

Winners are chosen by the Extension Service and awards are arranged by the National 4-H Council

Youth interested in more information about the 4-H veterinary science program may contact the County Extension Office, 669-7429, or come by the Courthouse Annex Pampa.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion or national origin.

Community Calendar:

Dec. 13...PSA meeting, elementary cafeteria, 7 p.m.; junior high B team tournament at Estelline; McLean Masonic Lodge meeting, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 14...Firemen's steak dinner, 7 p.m., elementary cafeteria; Estelline Junior High B team tournament; Gray County Commissioners meeting, 9:30 a.m. County Courthouse, Pampa; Tigers and Tigerettes at Mobeetie, 5 p.m.

Dec. 15...Junior High B team tournament at Estelline; Chamber of

Commerce drawing, 2 p.m.; Santa Claus in downtown, 2:30 p.m.; Young at Heart party, 6:30 p.m., senior citizens building.

Dec. 17...Shot clinic in kindergarten room at elementary school Dec. 18...All-School Christmas Program, 7 p.m.

Dec. 19...Christmas Cantata "The King of Kings" at Methodist

Church, 7 p.m.

Dec. 20...Tigers and Tigerettes vs. Lakeview in McLean, 6:30 p.m.

Dec. 21...School dismisses for the Christmas holidays at 2:30 p.m.

"Difficult indeed is it for those to emerge from obscurity whose noble qualities are cramped by narrow means

COMMUNITY CORNER

Bea Lester was in charge of Firemen Will Have Steak Supper Saturday

The members of the Mc Lean Volunteer Fire Department will meet Saturday night at 7 p.m. in the McLean Elementary cafeteria for election of officers.

The steak dinner will be catered by the school cooks. Entertainment will be provided by a local singing group.

Lions Host Ladies At Covered-Dish At Dinner Saturday

The McLean Lions Club met for a ladies night supper Saturday night at the McLean Elementary Cafeteria. The Lions Club bought ham, and members brought dishes for the meal.

Marshall Cooper, a representative of Girls Town, spoke to the group.

Members of the club brought gifts of toilet articles for the girls at Girlstown.

FBLA Goes Caroling

The McLean Hand School Future Business Leaders of America met Monday night at 6:30 p.m. in the Church of Christ Annex. The group went Christmas carolling after the

The club donated canned goods, which were given to a needy family in McLean.

The group returned to the annex for refreshments and an exchange of gifts.

PSA Meeting Tonight

The Planning and Service Area group will meet tonight (Thursday) at 7:30 p.m. in the Elementary Cafeteria in Mc-Lean. The group is composed of representatives of Briscoe, Collingsworth, Donley, Gray, Hall, and Wheeler Counties.

The McLean City Council will host the meeting for the group which works in conjunction with the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission.

The meeting is for the purpose of discussing a new membership concept for the PRPC.

McLean Lodge #889 will

meet Thursday night for their regular monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the Lodge hall.

members by those who attended the annual Grand Lodge Meeting at Waco. A petition for membership

will be voted on by the members and a new petition for membership will be read. All Lodge members are cor-dially invited to attend.

Young-At-Heart Sets Party Saturday

citizens club will have its an-

bring a salad and a comic gift. Mrs. Eula Morrow, spokesman for the club, stressed that all senior citizens are urged to

Club Will Sponsor



LEE ANN TATE, sixth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tate, won a blue ribbon in the main dish category at the District 4-H contest and was chosen in the top four contestants. The contest was at Bonham Junior High in Amarillo last Saturday.

Chamber Forms New Committee

The McLean Chamber of Commerce met Dec. 4 at the McLean Elementary cafeteria for its regular December meeting. Jim Allison, president, discussed the progress of the Chamber - sponsored weekly

drawing. Mary Dwyer suggested that the Chamber consider a beautification project for the downtown area. Allison appointed Mrs. Dwyer chairman of a committee to investigate possibilities of improving the appear-

ance of the downtown area. Linda Haynes reported to the group on the progress of a pub-licity brochure for the city. Leta Mae Hess presented a

report on ideas for a Welcome

she is chairing. The Chamber will not meet as a group except on special occasions in the future, Allison said. The board of directors for the Chamber will meet once each month, with called meet-

Newcomers committee which

ings for the entire membership when necessary. Allison urged members to encourage all who are interested in McLean's progress to join the organization. He also said that if anyone has any ideas on helping promote the city that that person should contact any

member of the board of directors or come to any meeting of the board.

Several names were drawn of

Participants must sign up in

ople who were not present.

participating businesses each week to be eligible for the

drawing.

Another drawing for five gift

certificates will be this Saturday

at 2 p.m., and Saturday, Dec. 22, a drawing will be held for four gift certificates and \$100 in

ducted at the school in the

kindergarten room Dec. 17 by

Health Resources for children

pound and three-pound bags,

and can be purchased at Par-sons Rexall Drug and the

Supplies are limited, according to Lions spokesman David

American national Bank

\$3.50 per pound.

the Texas Department

who need vaccinations

Five Win Gift Certificates

Five more lucky residents received gift certificates at the Chamber of Commerce drawing in McLean Saturday afternoon. Avalee Crocket won a gift certificate from Terry's Elec-

tric; Martha Aldridge won a gift certificate from Pucketts: Archie Clawson won a gift certificate from the McLean Variety; Charlotte Hefley won a gift certificate from A & S T Shirt Shop, and Buster Day won a gift certificate from Corrines

Kindergarten Students Will Register Lodge To Meet Tonight At McLean Schools, Jan. 4 Registration of kindergar-

ten students at McLean Elementary will be Friday, Jan. 4 9:30 a.m. and classes will begin Thursday, Jan. 10, ac-

cording to McLean Elementary

The Young At Heart senior nual Christmas party Dec. 15 at 6:30 p.m. in the senior citizens center. Each person is asked to

Bridge Tea Dec. 20

The Beta Sigma Phi Chap-ter of Memphis is sponsoring a Bridge Tea Dec. 20 from 1 to 5

Anyone interested in attending may call Pat Ferguson at 259-3724 or Cessie Terry

Lions To Sell Pecans principal Dorman Thomas. Kindergarten students for the 1979-80 session must be at The McLean Lions Club is again selling Irish Acres pe-cans, as a fund-raising project. The pecans are available in one-

least five years of age and under 6 years of age as of Sept. 1, 1979, according to Thomas. To enter kindergarten, a student will be required to have a

record of his immunization signed by a doctor, Thomas The immunization record must include a record of the

birth certificate and a written

following vaccinations: Polio: at least three doses of vaccine and one of those doses must have been received on or after the fourth birthday.

DPT: minimum of three doses of vaccine. At least one of those doses must have been received on or after the fourth

Measles: one dose of vaccine. The dose of vaccine must have been received on or after the first birthday.

Mumps: one dose of vaccine or a statement from a doctor that the child has had the

Rubella: one dose of vaccine. A free clinic will be con-

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Two From McLean Attend Meeting

Randy Suggs, state vice-president of the Future Business Leaders of America and his advisor Mrs. Lanee R. Warrick attended the state officers meeting in Phlugerville Saturday.

Plans were made for the state FBLA convention which will be in Dallas March 6, 7, and 8.

Music Department To Present Program

The music department of McLean Elementary School and the Pride of the Tigers band will present a program of Christmas music at the high school auditorium Tuesday night beginn-

ng at 7 p.m.
The elementary students under the direction of Mrs. Bobbie Stalls and Mrs. Evelyn Sanders will present a musical play featuring children from grades one through four. The high school band will

lay several selections of Christmas music.

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Community Profile



MRS. RUTH MAGEE

disapproval of requests, and

the governing board usually

takes the committee's recom-

The eleven-member review

committee heard a presentation

last week by Hospital Corpor-

ation of America, concerning

the proposed new hospital in

Pampa. Mrs. Magee said that

the committee will probably

make their recommendations in

regard to the Pampa hospital on

In addition to issuing cer-

tificates of need for health facilities, the PHSA also re-

views all grants pertaining to

health care in the Panhandle,

and effectively has the final

vote on the approval or dis-

every aspect of health care,

including disease prevention,

health education, the treatment

of chronic and degenerative

conditions, maternal and infant

health, mental health, and drug

and alcohol abuse," Mrs. Ma-

The PHSA was created as

mandated by the National

Health Planning and Resources

Development Act of 1974. The

agency itself is made up of a six

member paid staff, a volunteer

governing body, and the mem-

The governing body and

members of the group are

chosen from the Panhandle

sumers" and "providers" and

"Metropolitan" and "nonmet-

ropolitan" classifications. The

'providers' are doctors, nur-

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ses, and others who are profes-

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Bill

The Agency is involved in

approval of these grants.

mendation.

By Linda Haynes

From valedictorian of her graduating class at McLean High School in 1933 to president of the Texas Hereford Breeders Auxiliary to the first female member of the McLean City Council and vice president of the powerful Panhandle Health Systems Agency gov-erning body, Ruth Magee has led a life full of unexpected challenges and exciting chan-

Mrs. Magee, who is the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J.L. Hess, pioneer residents of McLean, has long been interested in serving others. She has been a member of the Eastern Star, the Pioneer Study Club, and when her children were in school she was president of the PTA and active in school affairs.

In 1969 she served as presi-dent of the Texas Hereford Breeders Auxiliary and traveled around the state promoting the interests of the beef industry.

Following the death of her husband Clyde in 1975, Mrs. Magee continued with her work in the McLean First United Methodist Church where she is a life-long member. Active in the United Methodist Women, she represents that group as the Pampa delegate to the Northwest Texas Conference. and, as chairman of the committee one year and a member travelled extensively in the United States to attend meet-

In 1977 she ran for a place on the McLean City Council, and began a new experience in the realm of politics. The council meets once a month, and occassionally more often on called meetings, Mrs. Magee

She describes her experiences on the council as "very

fulfilling. In 1977, following the resignation of Sam Haynes from the Panhandle Healths Systems Agency board of directors, he placed Mrs. Magee's name in nomination for the group, and she was selected to serve on the

"The PHSA is a very mis-understood group," Mrs. Ma-gee said. "Before I became a member I did not know what the group did." Mrs. Magee explained that the PHSA, an organizational division of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission, is responsible for the health planning and promotion of health resources de-

velopment for the Panhandle. Mrs. Magee is a member of the review committee of that group. The review committee is responsible, among other things, for hearing presentations by groups who are interested in establishing health care facilities in the Panhandle. 'The Review Committee recommends either approval or



care; the consumers are simply people from the area who, though not medical professionals, are interested in area health care. Some of the members are from "metropolitan" areas (i.e. Amarillo), and others are from "nonmetropolitan" areas, (such as McLean).

Mrs. Magee explained that one purpose of the Health Systems Agency was to get citizens involved in the governing process, rather than a large number of bureaucrats.

The paid staff of the Agency functions in an advisory capacity, but the major decisions are made by the members of the group, who are doctors, lawyers, nurses, housewives, and other members of the com-

Mrs. Magee said that when she attended her first meeting of the group and realized that she was surrounded by doctors, lawyers, administrators and other professionals, she asked them "What can I contribute to this group?" Their answer 'Common sense' was enough to ease her feelings of inferiority, she said.

Being a member of the PHSA has been an education in itself," she said. "The problems are so varied, and the people so interesting, that I feel strong sense of responsi-

Though she receives some travel expense reimbursement, she receives no pay for the lengthy twice-a-month meetings in Amarillo.

Part of Mrs. Magee's concern for health care in the Panhandle stems from her strong ties to this area where she was born and has lived all her life, and her strong sense of family. She is the mother of four children: three daughters, all teachers, Mrs. Donna Smith of Amarillo, Mrs. Janiece Zimmerman of Kalamazoo, Mich., and Mrs. Marilyn Money of El Paso; and one son, Joe, who is a rancher and lives in the McLean

Mrs. Magee also has two sisters Mrs. Mary Dwyer and Mrs. Margaret Coleman, and one brother, F. Jake Hess, who all live in McLean. "Perhaps that is the most unusual aspect of my life," she laughed when she was interviewed. "We all still live in the same town, and we all still like each other!"

Besides keeping busy with family responsibilities and her various activities with her church, the city council, and the PHSA, Mrs. Magee has recently discovered the joy of travelling. In April of this year, she went on an extended tour of China, and in October, she went to Hawaii.

What lies ahead for this busy mother, politician, and church worker?

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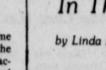
firmly. She plans to travel some more, continue her work in the church and with her other activities, and hopefully find

Other than a planned trip to Washington, D.C. in the near

art work.

future, her plans for the future are very general, but it is very likely that whatever they are, they will include something that will be interesting, challenging, and at the same time, a service to other people.

some time to do some creative



Christmas is only days away now and it is time to begin thinking of luscious salads and desserts for the holidays. Try these two recipes for a touch of color and variety.

1 (151/4 ounce) can crushed (3 oz.) pkg. lemon jello

heavenly frosted salad





MRS. AVALEE CROCKETT inspects the gift certificate which she won in the drawing Saturday afternoon in McLean. [Photo by Lisa

"All great truths begin as

George Bernard Shaw

In The Kitchen

by Linda Haynes



(3 oz.) pkg. lime jello cups boiling water 2 bananas, peeled and chopped 1 cup chopped pecans 2 tablespoons flour 1/4 cup sugar

1 egg, well beaten 1 (1.5 oz.) envelope whipped topping mix 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese,

softened Drain pineapple, reserving

1/2 cup juice; set aside.

Combine jello in a large bowl; add 2 cups boiling water, stir until dissolved. Stir in 1½ cups cool water. Add bananas, pineapple and pecans; pour into a 13x9x2 inch baking pan. Chill until firm.

Combine flour and sugar in a medium saucepan, mixing well; stir in egg and reserved pineapple juice. Cook over medium heat, stirring constantly until mixture is smooth and thick-

Prepare whipped topping mix according to package directions; add cheese, and beat until smooth. Add to cooked mixture; spread over gelatin mixture.

APPLE PUDDING CAKE 1/2 c. butter or margarine 1 c. sugar 11/2 c. grated peeled apples 2 c. flour 1 tsp. baking soda 1 tsp. ground cinnamon

tsp. ground allspice 1 tsp. salt 1 c. walnuts, chopped 1 c. raisins 1 tblsp. butter

1/2 c. sugar

Grated peel and juice of 1 Cream ½ c. butter and 1 c. sugar until light and fluffy. Blend in grated apples.

Sift togehter dry ingredients and stir into apple mixture.
Stir in nuts and raisins. Spread batter in a lightly greased and floured 13x9x2" pan. Bake 40 minutes at 350

Combine 1 tblsp. butter, 1/2 c. sugar, orange peel and juice; bring to a boil over moderate heat. Reduce heat and simmer until sugar is dissolved. Pour hot topping over cake when it comes out of the oven. This cake is best when eaten faintly warm with ice cream or whipped

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the number of six.

STEVEN DAVID PARKINSON Born Sunday, Nov. 25, 1979 at 6:37 a.m. Weight-6 lbs. and 7 oz. 19 inches Parents are John and Jane Parkinson of Denver, Coloredo Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John V. Bible of

McLean, Tx. and Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Parkinson of Amarillo, Tx.

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Cubs, Cubettes Play Games With Skellytown, Shamrock

The McLean Junior High hosted Skellytown for three games Monday night, with the Skellytown teams taking home three victories.

In the first game of the evening, McLean's seventh grade Cubs lost to Skellytown 16-12. The Cubs were only able to score two points in the first half of play with Skellytown scoring 10. The Cubs came back in the second half of play to score 10 points to Skellytown's 6, but the effort was too late.

Grant Mann scored 4 points, and Sam Houdyshell, Dusty Bomar, and Tim Hembre each scored 2 points.

In the second game, the

Cubettes easily outscored the Skellytown visitors 35-19. The McLean quintet scored Skellytown 10-3 in the first quarter, from that point on, it was all McLean's game. The first half

ended with McLean ahead 24-9. The final score was 35-19. Maria Eck scored 8 points, Candi Carpenter scored 6, Sharla Todd, 5; and Jana Harris, 4. The eighth grade Cubs

played a slow first half against Skellytown with the half ending 10-5 in favor of the visitors. The Cubs began hitting the basket in the second half and came to within three points of Skellytown, but the game ended with

Skellytown ahead 19-16. Ricky Vasquez scored points, Robert Swaner 5, and Kevin McDowell 3.

Dec. 6 the Cubs and Cubettes travelled to Shamrock where the girls beat the Irish Lassies 28-23. The Cubettes jumped to an early lead, ending the first half with a score of 16-7 for McLean. Shamrock caught fire in the second half and came close to edging the McLean visitors, but the game ended

with McLean on top 28-23.
Scoring for the Cubettes were Maria Eck and Candi Carpenter with 8 points, Sharla Todd with

6, and Jana Harris with 4. The Cubs fought a low scoring battle with the Shamrock team with the Cubs scoring only two points, and Shamrock scoring none in the first quarter of play. However, Shamrock began hitting in the second quarter and scored 9 points to McLean's 2. The second half was all Shamrock with the Irish scoring 19 points to McLean's 4 and the game ended with Shamrock on top 28-8.

Scoring for the Cubs, each with 2 points, were Randall Wynn, Scott Stubbs, Robert Swaner, and Ricky Vasquez.

QUOTABLE QUOTES

by Sam Haynes

If there is a God, atheism must seem to him as less of an insult Woodrow Wilson than religion. The maximum achievement of

Goncourt any life is to have done the will The reward of a thing will done of God. Anonymous Ralph Waldo Emerson You have your machinery in re-

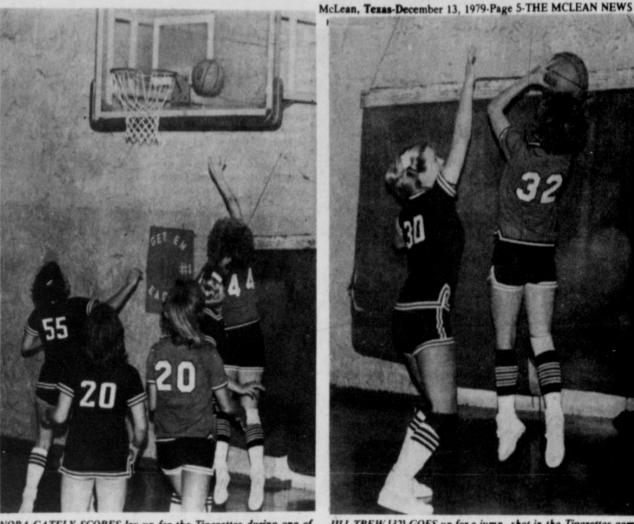
verse when you try to raise yourself by lowering somebody Anonymous

The difference between perseverance and obstinacy is that one often comes from a strong will, and the other from a strong won't.

Greville

NORA GATELY SCORES lay-up for the Tigerettes during one of Haynes

MEMORY



the Samnorwood tournament games last weekend. [Photo by Linda



JILL TREW [32] GOES up for a jump shot in the Tigerettes game against Mobeetie Friday during the Samnorwood tournament. [Photo by Linda Haynes]

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10 YEARS AGO E.M. BAILEY, EDITOR

The wedding of Miss Virginia Beth Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Williams, 605 South Main, and James Morris Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hester of McLean, was solemnized Wednesday, November 26, at 5:00 p.m. in the First United Methodist Church of Shamrock.

The Centennial Culture Club met Friday, December 5, in the home of Marie Baker for the annual Christmas Party, with Clara Colebank and Pearl Bogan as co-hostesses. Pearl Bogan told "The Story of the Christmas Candle," which was very interesting, then everyone sang Christmas Carols, led by Bea Lester, and accompanied at piano by Margaret Chapman. Gifts were exchanged, from the candle decorated table, and there were candles aglow throughout the house. Next meeting, in January, for the annual anniversary luncheon, with Loree Barker with Fidelle Stubbs and Iona Glass as cohostesses. Refreshments were served to Oma Abbott, Bea Lester, Margaret Chapman, Fidelle Stubbs, Loree Barker, Myrt McCoy, Flora Humphreys, Dot McEachern, Iona

20 YEARS AGO CHARLES CULLIN, EDITOR

bank, and Marie Baker.

Glass, Pearl Bogan, Clara Cole-

Floyd Vester Skipper and Lloyd Edward Skipper, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Herman Skipper of McLean, have enlisted in the U.S. Army, it was announced this week by SFC John C. Dillis, army counselor for this area.

What appeared to be a routine investigation here Monday night turned into a wild 110 mph chase and ended with the capture of two airmen who confessed to having part in a jewelry store robbery in OklaFrom the files of The McLean News Bill Ledgerwood and son, Miles, and Mr. Surell of Dumas visited in the P.L. Ledgerwood

home Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Will Masters of Hale Center announce the arrival of a 71/2 pound daughter on Nov. 24. She has been named Toni Allison. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O.O. Tate of McLean and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Masters of Hale Center. Greatgrandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Tate of Binger, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Will Masters of Cloud Chief, Oklahoma.

DOWN

30 YEARS AGO LESTER CAMPBELL, EDITOR Marsalee Windom and John-

ny Vineyard were chosen as the two all-school favorites in balloting by students Monday of

In McLean, or at A&M or anywhere else for that matter, Jack Brooks, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Brooks of McLean, will get along. Jack, now at-tending A.and M. for his first year in college, has been elected president of the freshman class. In McLean High, Jack was president of his junior class and his senior class, lettered in several sports, was named the all-school favorite, and shared in almost every honor awarded to boys in

The Girl's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday afternoon for a Christmas party, under the leadership of Mrs. Guy Pharis. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served. Present were: Nedra Graham, Frankie Tucker, Peggy and Retha Bragg, Alma and Carolyn Pool, and their counselor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Simmons have returned to McLean from Boston, Hanscom Airport, Mass., where Ted has been serving in the army as a

sargeant and received his discharge Dec. 5. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons plan to make their home in Amarillo.

by Sam Haynes

LANE

40 YEARS AGO T.A. LANDERS, EDITOR

Members of the McLean Fire Department honored their chief, J.A. Sparks, at a steak dinner Thursday evening at the Meador Cafe. Mr. Sparks has been chief of the department since its organization. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Chief-J.A. Sparks, Assistant Chief-Boyd Meador, Secretary - treasurer-T.N. Holloway, First Drill Master-W.W. Boyd, Second Drill Master-Chas. Guill, First Captain-C.C. Lander, Second Captain-D.E. Upham. Other members present were J.A. Meador, Cleo Edwards, Ted Morris and A. Cousins. Mr. Cousins is a new member of the department taking the place vacated by Jack Litchfield, who has moved

to Amarillo. The high school students were entertained Friday morning at activity period with a program presented by Roy Rodgers, his dummy, "Dummy Dan," and Alva Woods. Musical numbers were played on a teakettle, a saw, an accordion, and the piano by Mr. Rodgers. Mr. Woods and Mr. Rodgers played several violin and accordion duets. The program was sponsored by the seniors.

Jewell Cousins attended the Rubinoff concert in Amarillo Saturday night.

From the Tiger Post: Its quits with Doris Nell and John Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Phillips of Dumas visited the former's niece, Mrs. Sammie Cubine, and family last week end.

50 YEARS AGO T.A. LANDERS, EDITOR A man tried to get away with S.B. Morse's Cadillac at Shamrock Sunday, driving the car from in front of a Shamrock residence where Mr. and Mrs. Morse were visiting, and making a run with it. Apparently the would-be-thief was drunk or doped, as he ran into four different cars on the road before hitting the ditch himself, where he was captured by Shamrock officers and placed in jail. Some of the cars hit were badly damaged, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt.

At a meeting of the McLean Golf Club held Saturday morning it was decided to incorporate the organization, and the following officers were elected: President, C.S. Doolen; vice president, Johnnie JR. Back; secretary, Donald Beall; directors, C.C. Bogan, F.H. Bourland and M.D. Bentley. The grounds, which have been recently purchased, will fenced, rolled and otherwise improved in the near future.

Letters to Santa Claus: Dear Santa Claus: I want a Buffalo Bill pistol, an air gun and a Tinker Toy set, also some candy, fruit and nuts. Your little friend, Felton Webb.

Business in McLean was interrupted for a few minutes Saturday afternoon when a car belonging to C.A. Cash was reported on fire in the west part town. According to fire officers, very little damage was done to the car, due to the efficient use of sand in extinguishing the fire by those present.

60 YEARS AGO M.L. MOODY, EDITOR Carl Heffner returned the first of the week from Oklahoma.

Mrs. Jack Hodges is reported to have the fever. We hope she will soon recover.

Wagon bows and sheets for

sale....Western Lumber Co. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sullivan Wednesday, Dec. 10, a

On account of the coal shortage, Wright Webster has closed his restaurant.

Mrs. J.W. Ivey of Northfork visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Bogan, Saturday and

You will have to hurry if you get one of our Dandy washboards for 30 cents...Western Lumber Co.

A.G. RICHARDSON, EDITOR Heald School notes: Mr. Traweek gives prizes to the ones who get most head marks in the spelling classes. Mattie Haynes won the tablet in class C. Pearl Ellington in class B, and Virgie

70 YEARS AGO

Derrick and Jewell Havnes won in class A. He also gave a pencil to the one who could work through the primary arithmetic without help. Jewell Haynes won that prize. Luther Harlan visited our school last Wednesday. Miss Fannie Bailey also visited us Tuesday. Mervin Huntsman, who lives

on the old McClain place near McLean, had the misfortune on Wednesday night of last week to get seriously injured about the head and chest. It is not known just how the accident occurred, but is supposed his horse fell with him. At present his injuries are getting along nicely and he is able to be at his work.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayburn Cash are the proud parents of a fine baby girl born the latter part of last week.

The following is a list of those who attained the honor roll, making an average of 90 and over, in the public school at the last examination. Miss Olive Haynes again leads her class, having made the best average in the entire school, 991/4. Eleventh Grade-Ruby Cook, Ruby Rice, Earl Graham and Appie Taylor. Tenth Grade-Mary Grundy, Lucile Horton, Orman Horton and Mamie Rush. Ninth Grade - Olive Haynes, Minnie Foster, Vida Montgomery, Sam Erwin, Sydney Geren, Enad Grundy, Cora Cash, Mabel McMillan and Hulon Collier. Eighth Grade -Reports are not vet out. Sixth and Seventh grades - Wayland Floyd, Ola Koons, Otis Harbert, Mary Erwin, Maud Gareenhire, Myrtly McClain, Beatrice McKnight, Ethel Cash, Wm. Turner, Lillie Guill, Pearl Guill, Susie Beall, Dot Cooke, George Hale and Clyde Haynes. Fourth grade - Mary Henry, Euel Sheets, Bessie Christian, Minnie Crawford, Dolores Dougherty, Minnie Rogers, Dewey Dalrymple, Howard Hext, Buck Gardenhire, Ressie Mann and Bettie Lee Christian



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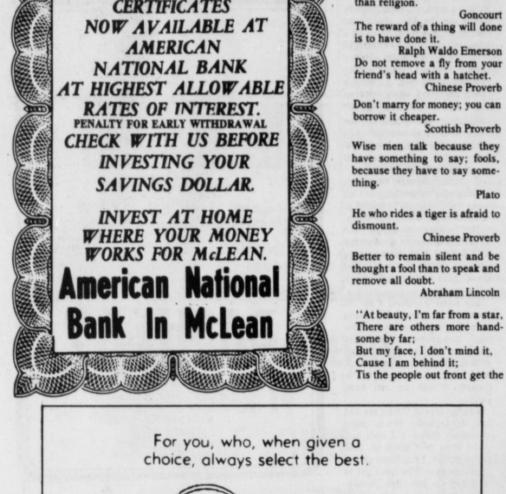


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ARCHIE CLAWSON, who missed a prize last week when his name was drawn at the Saturday drawing, was lucky enough to have his name drawn again this Saturday. [Photo by Lisa Patman]

LEFORS COMMUNITY CALENDAR BIRTHDAYS

Dec 14 - Jimmy Gatlin

Dec 15 - Billy McBee

Dec 16 - Ruthie McMinn, Ruth Connell, Joe Cockran, Ricky Hall Dec 17 - Aaron Cates, Vera Minter, Greg Smith, Howard Archer,

Dec 18 - Betty McDowell, Scott White

Dec 19 - Phonda Sierman **ANNIVERSARIES**

Dec 15 - Mr. and Mrs. Pete Roberts Dec 17 - Mr. and Mrs. C.E. Fenno

Dec 18 - Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carruth, Mrs. and Mrs. Dale Garrett

Dec 19 - Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Comb **EVENTS**

Dec 18 - Fire Meeting

Dec 19 - Why Weight Club

Pirates Lose Games To Panthers

The Lefors Pirates lost all four games Dec. 4 when they hosted the Panhandle Panthers. In the junior varsity girls

game Lisa Moxon scored 6 points for Lefors, but the game ended with Panhandle winning 36-10.

In the junior varsity boys game Panhandle winning 36 to

In the junior varsity boys game Panhandle defeated the home team easily, racking up 72 points to Lefors 22. Ricky Kidwell was high point

for Lefors with 9. In varsity action, Panhandle defeated the A team girls 65 to 29, with Linda Eldridge scoring 11 points for Lefors.

In the varsity boys game Panhandle won by a score of 68 to 27 with John Tarbet shooting 8 points for the Pirates. The Pirates hosted Higgins

Tuesday evening and will play in the Shamrock Tournament this weekend.

mas season, there was an old-

fashioned tree-trimming after

the evening service Sunday at

First Baptist Church. The con-

gregation sang Christmas car-

ols, trimmed the tree and

Children's Choir Will Present Program

The children's choir and puppet team will present a Christmas program entitled 'Angels and Lambs, Ladybugs and Fireflys" next Sunday evening at 7 p.m. at First Baptist Church in Lefors. In preparation for the Christ-

enjoyed gingerbread and spiced

Art And Civic Club Has Christmas Party

The Lefors Art and Civic Club had their annual Christmas party at the Civic Center Friday. The Lefors High School Choir sang a selection of Christmas songs and a dinner of turkey and rice, salads,

bread, and desserts was serv-

Following the meal, the group enjoyed a game of crazy bridge. The next meeting of the Art and Civic Club will be Monday, Jan. 7

KKI Hosts Christmas Celebration

The Beta Chi Chapter of Kappa Kappa lota hosted the annual Christmas party for the senior citizens at the Lefors Civic Center Thursday afternoon. Forty-seven attended and enjoyed fun, fellowship, and refreshments. Each guest was given a Santa sack filled with homemade cookies. The next senior citizens party will be hosted by the

Church of Christ Thursday,

Jan. 3 at 2 p.m.

______ AREA THEATRE LISTINGS

Dec. 14-20 Wheeler ROGUE THEATRE-ARABIAN ADVENTURE starring Christopher Lee

Shamrock TEXAS THEATRE-WHEN A STRANGER CALLS starring Charles Dur-

'Highest degree'

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) -Mexico has said "Viva!" to a University of Texas scholar by awarding her one of its rare honors.

President Jose Lopez Portillo has bestowed on Dr. Nettie Lee Benson the Order of the Aztec Eagle, "a distinction of the highest degree" which recognizes services rendered to Mexico or to

humanity by non-Mexicans. Dr. Benson, a scholar of Mexican history, is an internationally known authority on the acquisition of Latin American research materials. For more than 30 years, she directed UT's pre-eminent Latin American collection. helping it to become of the most important libraries on Latin America in the world

ALANREED BRIEFS

Visiting Jewel Warner last week were Mrs. Joyce Smith and friend Mrs. Robinson from Canton, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. W.H. Davis, Polly Harrison and Lena Carter visited in Pampa Thursday.

Linda Wigington and daughters of Dumas visited here last week with her mother and family and the Elmer Daniels.

Curg Hill underwent major surgery in Groom Hopital last

Anita Bruce was in Pampa on Friday.

weekend were James Daniels, Ronnie and Bobby Tidwell. The Allen Motors was closed Tuesday due to the funeral of Mr. Allen's kin, Oscar Tibbets.

On the sick list over the

We have 88 enrolled in the Community Improvement Proect for 1980 and many are already working. Mrs. McKee has been doing some inside painting. Bill Tidwell is slowly getting his house in shape for

SCHOOL MENU

THURSDAY, Dec. 13 Fish Portions, tartar sauce, macaroni and tomatoes, cole slaw, chocolate pudding

FRIDAY, Dec 14 Fried Chicken, gravy, mashed potatoes, green beans, rolls, butter and syrup

MONDAY, Dec. 17 Pork Fritters, mashed potatoes, green beans, hot rolls, butter and syrup

TUESDAY, Dec. 18 Chalupas, tossed slaad, pinto beans, banana pudding

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 19 Turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, fruit salad, hot rolls, butter

> THURSDAY, Dec. 20 Meat loaf, mashed potatoes, English peas, chocolate candy,

> > Answers about Health

Q. How much do con-

sumers spend for non-

and Medicines from the

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A. Total sales

prescription medicines are

about \$4 billion per year

compared to more than

\$9.5 billion for prescription

medicines and nearly \$17

"Don't count on him finding our house. He

couldn't even remember the names of

McLEAN BRIEFS

Mrs. Jim Wheeler and Dick were surprised Tuesday with an early Christmas visit from her nieces Mrs. Larue Potter, Mrs. Mary Bartlett, and Mrs. Agnes Graves of Hollis, Okla. Also present was her daughter Mrs. Marguerite Burgin of Groom.

Ask Jim Allison about the old saying about "He can't tell something or other from a hole in the ground.'

Mrs. Leta Mae Hess and Mrs. Jerry Corbin attended a

luncheon for the hospital auxiliaries of the McLean and Pampa Hospitals in Pampa Tuesday at the Coronado Inn.

The luncheon was hosted by the Coronado Community Hos pital Inc. (formerly Highland General). The president of the two clubs were presented pocket calculators by the company. Mrs. Peggy Hathaway is president of the McLean Hospital Auxiliary.

Each guest was presented with a selection of cheeses by the Cheese Chalet in Pampa.

Chinese at Texas

LINES

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O'RICKK

Khomeini's reign is a-totter,

Things in Iran getting hotter;

His oars both ain't in the water!

The reason now we know,

As events start to show;

AUSTIN, Texas (Spl.) - Six employees of the China Petroleum Corporation are spending a year at The University of Texas to gain additional training in their field.

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Early to bed, early to rise, makes a man healthy, wealthy and wise--- and has caused more divorces than Elizabeth Taylor and bank statements. My husband has a serious character defect. His brain wakes up every morning, the same time as his body. I have a three hour time lag.

BODY: Wake up! It is 7:30

BRAIN: Shut up! I hate you! I have always hated you! BODY: Go ahead. Hate me. Your child has to catch the school bus, What kind of mo-

ther are you?
BRAIN: Why couldn't I be a good mother tonight? Why do I have to start early? BODY: Jack The Ripper's mother slept til noon. Abraham

Hospital Report

DISMISSED SINCE DEC. 4 James Bryant IN HOSPITAL DEC. 11

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Lincoln's mother rose with the sun. Does that tell you any-

BRAIN: Yes. Mrs. Lincoln was a dirty liar. Leave me

You cannot fight centuries of motherhood-guilt-trips. I rise. Instinct guides me to the coffee pot. Leaning on the cabinet, I pretend. I, Scarlett O'Hara stand alone in the cotton fields of Tara, clutching that dry carrot. It is winter. "As God is my witness, I'll never get up early again, me nor none of my " --- I reach the moment of high drama---Scarlett falls to

My husband enters, announces--- 'You are wanted on the phone." He has two rules for living: 1. Do unto others as you would have them do unto you. 2. If anyone calls your wife, she must come to the phone immediately. He would drag me off of a hospital delivery room table to talk on

the phone.
I don't mind but at 7:30 a.m. I'm never sure what I have said. I once promised to be a cub scout den mother for a year and to play the part of an Indian girl

in the P.T.A. play.
7:30 is Good Morning America and Barbara Walters telling (for the fourth time) about the Shah's paisley pajamas. It is a late school bus, a 10 year old unfolding a map of Greenland in your face (Greenland is

bigger than Texas, Did you know? Did you care?) It is the hour of the Great Truths of ladder of enjoyment. 8 A.M. The bus arrives. Bob goes to the post office. They

with a hand poked through waiting for the mail. 8:15 Look around the kitchen. South Chicago is cleaner than that stove.

know him well. His is the box

8:30 He returns, triumphantly hands me the gas, phone and Master Charge bills. I pick up a pen, quickly draw swastikas all over them. He waits. Heavy silence. I get the distinct feeling that he developed a serious heart condition upon opening them and the only thing that will sustain life in him for one more hour is to see me open them and know that I used 100 more cubic feet of gas last

I shuffle through the stack looking for something which looks relatively unthreatening. A letter from Gloria Steinham. -Do I want to supply the information women need in the 80's and get it to them so they can act on it? Send \$5. No! Have them call me collect. I'll

month than Rosalyn Carter.

tell everything. My mind wanders. I am 46 years old. I should be sitting here flipping through a baby blue appointment book (my name on the front in tiny gold letter), planning a gala weekend trip with friends to the theater. I toss my red hair,

Reality sets in. I toss my red hair lethargically. He is going to cut my throat if I spill one more drop of Clairol on that green carpet. I flip through the yellow pages. Who can I get to come out the day after Thanksgiving to install a new toilet. Nobody. Who am I?

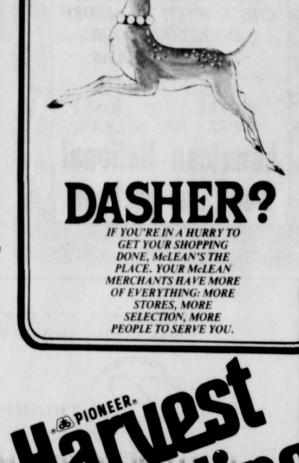
I think of my friend, Vivian Blackwell who said "I worked at the factory for 18 years and every single night when I punched out I had to stop and

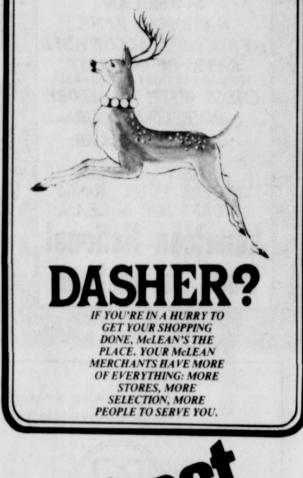
A great man once said (at 4 p.m.) "Anything worth doing is worth doing well." He was the husband of the lady who, at dawn, threw a pound of frozen bacon at the wall uttering the immortal "Anything worth doing is worth doing rotten too." I am a carrot.

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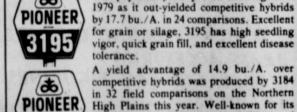


John Maxson reports. **High Plains** Results

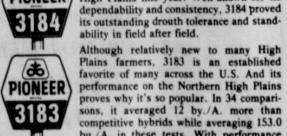
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by Sam Haynes

Green Bay	24	Detroit	21
New York Jets	17		28
Baltimore	20		21
Buffalo	10		24
Cleveland	28		20
Kansas City	17		20
Minnesota	20		2
New Orleans	20		21
Philadelphia	17		21
St. Louis	17		20
San Francisco	24		21
Seattle	24	Oakland	21
Washington	14		24
Denver	24		2(

Last Week: Won 10, Lost 4, Percentage .714 Seasons Percentage .716

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HOMEMAKER NEWS

SEWING HOLIDAY FABRICS: Holiday season is here and sparkle is the fashion. Look for metallic and sequined fabrics everywhere. When sewing with metallic or sequined fabric, select simple patterns without gathers or buttonholes. This fabric has a nap, so buy fabric according. When pinning fabric, insert pins under sequins, not through them. Use tailor tacks for marking

Use shears that are well sharpened because these fabrics will definitely dull blades and may eventually ruin the shears. Make all fitting alterations before stitching. Ripped seams will leave broken metallic disks or a permanent line of stitching holes. Use a fine needle and change often be-

cause of dulling.

As sequins break in a seam, pull off and attach new sequins. For cleaning and pressing, read the recommendations on the end of the fabric bolt. Most fabrics must be dry-cleaned. Press fabric on the wrong side with a dry iron at a low temperature setting. To help prevent flattening, cover the iron-ing board with a terry towel. Always test a scrap of fabric to make sure the steam will not discolor or melt the metallic.

ATTIC VENTILATION: Avoid completely closing off all attic ventilation openings during the heating season. Although rising heat loss and cold air gain mean money lost, covering attic vents - turbine, automatic, eave (or soffit) and gable - may cause problems. Trapped, warm, attic air does

decrease the temperature differential between outside and inside air, resulting in less inthe bottom. same trapped, warm air is generally moist as a result of washing dishes and clothes, cooking, bathing and even

breathing. In homes without moisture vapor barriers in the ceilings, this warm moist interior air rises to the attic space. Also, some homes have range hoods and bathroom fans which are incorrectly vented into the attic space. In the cold attic space, trapped moisture begins to condense from the warm air. This moisture reduces the effectiveness of insulation and can cause wood structure rot. Ventilation is necessary to move the moisture from the

WINDOW GREENHOUSES EXCITING "LIFT" PLANTS, DECOR:

Window greenhouses give a new, exciting "lift" to plants and home decor. They're emerging as one of the most colorful, popular window treatments since traversing draperies. 'Sprouting' in bathrooms, kitchens, dining rooms and utility rooms, the window greenhouse is a cross between a bay window and a miniature greenhouse. They also make an eyecatching focal point for a nondescript living space - if you make sure they feature smallscale plants in colors and containers that blend or harmonize with other elements in the room. Design-wise, most units resemble half a glass box with a

slanting roof. They equipped with adjustable shelves, screened vents and a tray for water and pebbles at

Greenhouse windows are far more than good places to grow plants. They're showcases for healthy, well-groomed plants, and they enhance both the interior and exterior appearance of houses, apartment buildings and mobil homes. New home builders aren't their only customers, either. Remodelers and renovators of older homes are eager clients, too. Because window greenhouses let light into a room from top, front and sides, they create a spacious "outdoor feeling," even in small rooms. All of these decorating advantages make their uses almost limitless and their popularity ever-growing.

In deciding on location for a greenhouse window. Think outside and inside". Outside, select locations where plants won't cook. A poor choice, for example, would probably be the home's west side, if that side is unprotected from the hot afternoon sun. Inside, look at the kitchen, bathroom or utility room as strong possibilities. Location over a sink in the kitchen or utility room is ideal for both the plants and the worker. Additional light helps in doing work at the sink, while extra humidity from the running water will benefit the

When privacy is a factor, the greenhouse can be covered as any other window since it projects from the outside, so don't let that interfere with your

location choices. Decoratively speaking about location, treat a greenhouse window as part of the room's overall design. Its location should balance with the furniture arrangement. Its presence should enhance the total

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TIGER AND TIGERETTE SCHEDULE

Nov. 29, 30, Dec. 1 - Wheeler Tourney

Dec. 6, 7, 8 - Samnorwood Tourney

Dec. 4 - Allison, there

Dec. 11 - Shamrock, there

Dec. 14 - Mobeetle There

Jan. 3, 4, 5 - Claude Tourney

Dec. 20 - Lakeview Here

Jan. 8 - Shamrock Here Jan. 11 - Briscoe There

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Jan. 18 - Claude There

Jan. 22 - Groom Here Jan. 25 - Hedley Here Jan. 29 - Miami

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JR. HIGH SCHEDULE

Dec. 13-15 - Estelline Jr. High Tou

Feb. 11 - Groom, here - 5 p.m.

*Denotes First District Game



MRS. MARTHA ALDRIDGE receives her gift certificate from Linda Ridgway at the Chamber of Commerce sponsored drawing Saturday afternoon. [Photo by Lisa Patman]

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ACTIVITIES

Annie Brown, Ruby Boyd, Bertha Smith, Annie Herndon, and Elizabeth Kunkel, all from Senior Citizens sponsored a Bingo game on Monday Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers

study on Wednesday. Martha Parker showed movies on Thursday afternoon. Rev. and Mrs. Z.A. Myers

and Nita Vick conducted a Bible

and Nita Vick conducted a Sing-a-long on Friday. Rev. Joe Walker held church

VISITORS

services on Sunday.

Maude Nall's visitors were Gladys Smulcer, Enloe Crisp, Lois Myers, Robbyn Griffin, Ruby Tibbets, Martha Parker, and Gwen and Clyde Putman.

Lona Jones visitors were Gladys Smulcer, Marie Immel, Lois Myers, Robbyn Griffin, Ruby Tibbets, Ruth Magee, Mary Dwyer, Sophia Hutchison, Isabel Cousins, and Martha Parker.

Jewell Cousins visitors were Gladys Smulcer, and Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker.

Alma Weaver's visitors were Mary Emma Woods, Anita Hook, and Charles and Cather-

Eva Franke's visitors were Lois and Z.A. Myers, Annie Herndon, Edna Carter, Nita Vick, and Robbyn Griffin.

Lizzie Henry's visitors were Lois Myers, Robbyn Griffin, Ruby Tibbets, Rocky and Angie Bailey, and Isabel Cousins.

Mr. and Mrs. Tolleson's visitors were Lois and Z.A. Myers and Robbin Griffin.

Lula Sheegog's visitors were Marjorie Jones, Willie Lamb, and J.C. Andrews.

Drucie Dwyer's visitors were Gladys Smulcer, Buck Breed-Marjorie Jones, Enloe Crisp. Catherine Weaver, Everett Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Milham, Mary Dwyer, Hartley and Mary Davis, Tina Dwyer, Jean Marie Dwyer, Dwyer, Gladys Smith, Johnny and Joyce Haynes, Kate Mac-

Donald, Barbara Hambright, Archie and Joan Dwyer, Mary Dwyer, Dale and Rose Steel, Ruth Magee, and Lois Myers. Ruth Kemp's visitors were

Marjorie Jones and Nora and O.J. Milham. Pearl Strong's visitors were J.B. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Thomason, Mary Dwyer, and

Ruth Magee.

Willie Lamb and J.C. Andrews have been to visit Buck Ruby Bidwell's visitors were

Marjorie Jones, Mrs. Hartley Davis, Sophia Hutchison, and Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker. Mary Turner's visitors were Joe Turner, Ivan and Willie Turner, Louise and Vernon

Turner, E.L. Watson, Lanzo and Flo Turner, Mary Davis and Sophia Hutchison. Ruby Cook's visitors were Sophia Hutchison, Rev. and

Mrs. Joe Walker, and Lois Flora Humphrey's visitors

were Sophia Hutchison, Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker, and Lois Ben Skidmore's visitors were

Willie Lamb, J.C. Andrews, J.B. Brown, Bertha Smith, and Ed Haynes.

Runt Miller's visitors were Marjorie Jones, Karl and Mauree Moore, and Rev. and Mrs. Joe Walker.

Lummie Pruett's were Gladys Smulcer, Mary Emma Woods, Anita Hook, Barney Lowe, Annie Herndon, Morene and James Chastain, Marjorie Turnage, Rocky Bailey, Jodi Green, and Betty

Mary Treat's visitors were Gladys Smulcer, Anita Hook, Mary Emma Woods, Barney Lowe, Annie Herndon, Marene and James Chastain, Marjorie Turnage, Rocky Bailey, Jodi Green, and Betty Lowe.

Ganell Fort's visitors Dan, Bob and Jeanette Fish, Kay, Mike, and Scott Macartney, and Mary Davis.

Verna Bible's visitors were Wilma Bible, Tom Bible, Ruth Putman, and Lois Myers.

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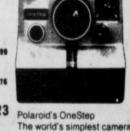
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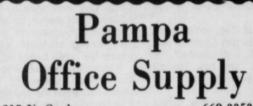






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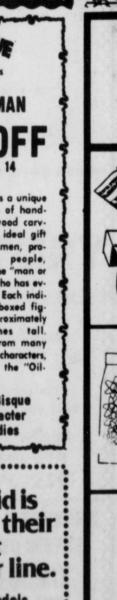
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A LOOK AT THE PAST.....

EARLY-DAY ALANREED

THE ALANREED FOOTBALL TEAM

By Linda Haynes

McLean News Editor

The publication of a picture of an Alanreed Football team in a recent edition of The McLean News has brought us a great deal of information about the sport in Alanreed from Mrs. Buddie Hill, a former resident of Alanreed who now lives in Bentonville, Ark.

According to copies in the Alanreed yearbooks for the years 1935-36, 1936-37, and 1937-38, the first football team to ever represent Alanreed High School "took the field in 1935 to crown themselves with victory.'

The team that year, coached by D.V. Biggers, won six games and lost three. They won games from Hedley, Samnorwood, Pampa Guerillas, (twice), Donsonville, and Pampa Junior High, and lost to Claude, Kelton, and Lakeview.

Players on the team were full back Gilliam; quarter back, Ernest Oakley; half backs, Red Pettit, J.H. Wetsel and Bill Reece; ends Wallace Bolles, Ace Greenwood, Elgin Campbell, Cletis Fish, Rudell Sanders, Roland Gibson, and Red Hill; tackles, Fred Hall, Buddie Hill and Wheeler Snyder; guards, Narville Stapp, Harvey Craig, and L.W. Bryant; and centers, J.R. Bryant and Ray

The next year the Alanreed Longhorns were not quite so lucky in their season as they lost four games and tied two. Scores were Claude 42, Alanreed 0; Samnorwood 47, Alanreed 0; Pampa Junior High 7, Alanreed 0; Pampa Junior High 0, Alanreed 0; Donsonville 13, Alanreed 13; and Kelton 27 and

The players that year were N. Stapp, B. Crisp, R. Reeves, E. Campbell, J. Tibbets, W. Snyder, E.C. Fulton, J.R. Bryant, Bible, B. Hill, A. Snyder, B. Reece, E. Nichols, C. Browning, J. Spradlin, and L. Carter. Faye Pettit was the football

queen for the 1936 team. The coaches name is not In the 1937-38 school year,

the last year that Alanreed participated in 11-man football, the team had "the best football team Alanreed has ever known.

The team, playing under coach Coy Palmer, won five games, lost three, and tied one. The scores were Groom 7, Alanreed 0; Samnorwood 0, Alanreed 7; Kelton 14, Alanreed 12; Dodsonville 6, Alanreed 29; Pampa 1, Alanreed 18; Kelton 6, Alanreed 6 (Alanreed won on penetrations); Samnor-wood 12, Alanreed 28; Dodsonville 6, Alanreed 19; and Pampa Jr. 12, Alanreed 0.

J.R. Bryant was captain, and players were Buddy Hill, Joe Spradlin, Alton Galbrath, Weller Snyder, Neil Hill, E.C. Fulton, Arthur Snyder, L.W. Bryant, Ray Reeves, and Chester Darnell

Substitutes were Jake Bible. Roland Gibson, Adlia Prock, E.R. Reeves, Bob Sherrod, Thomas Terbush, and James

appeared in the October 1937 edition of an area paper, we assume The Pampa News: ALANREED USES HIDE-OUT TO MOP UP ON GUERILLAS

By Archer Fullingim ALANREED, Oct. 22-An intercepted pass and the ancient layout play were used by the Alanreed Longhorns to whip the Pampa Guerillas 18 to 0 here Friday afternoon as a county fair crowd looked on.

Buddy Hill sneaked over to the sidelines, unseen by the Guerillas, caught the ball when it was thrown to him and ran for a touchdown in the third quarter. The Longhorns used a long run to march down the field in the first quarter for the first counter. At times later, the heavy Alanreed line simply opened up holes in the Guerilla line and the bigger backs went through them. However, the Guerillas made a notable goal line stand, and the Longhorns barely edged the ball to the middle of the goal line on the fourth down for the first score.

In the first quarter, A.C. Miller, Pampa back, left the game with an injured ankle, and Walter Work took his place, and Word's end runs and line smashes made you forget Miller. Work was the best ground-gainer of the afternoon for the Guerillas, and will probably put up a battle for a berth in the starting lineup. R.R. Clemmons, Heiskell and Saulsbury also played hustling games both offensively and defensively.

Lester Clemmons, unable to

play in the game because of a boil in the center of his forehead, was replaced at end by Bob Guy Andis, of the Harvester squad, but the Guerilla ends sitting on the bench probably could have done as well as Andis around whose end the first touchdown was made. The Longhorns gained ground repeatedly around that end dur-

STOPPED AT GOAL LINE Both the Guerillas and Longhorns were penalized frequently, and roughing was not only noticeable but flagrant. The Pampans were penalized twice after they reached the Alanreed

ing the afternoon. However,

Andis made several nice tackles

during the game.

two-yard line. Outstanding linesmen for Pampa were Ripple, Giddens, L.G. Bailey, but the prettiest tackle of the afternoon was made by Auids in the Long-horns first touchdown march a few feet from the goal line just as Ray Reeves spurted for the final jump over the marker. A flying tackle around the feet sprawled him. Candler blocked

an Alanreed punt shortly after

the Longhorns blocked a Guer-

illa punt, but Candler didn't seem to be "putting out" as he does when the Guerillas scrimmage are Harvesters.

The other Longhorn touchdown was made by Red Pettit in the fourth quarter as a result of an intercepted pass. The Guer-illas attempted 11 passes with Doyle Aulds doing the flinging, and completed three. Two were intercepted. The Pampa boys also made seven first downs to four for Alanreed. The Guerillas attempted 11 passes with Doyle Aulds doing the flinging. and completed three. Two were intercepted. The Pampa boys also made seven first downs to four for Alanreed. The Guerillas repeatedly threw the Long-horns for losses and first downs piled up, but a scoring punch was missing. Alanreed at-tempted five passes and completed none, but intercepted

The lineups: Alanreed-ends, Spradlin and Hill; tackles, Snyder and Gil-breath; guards, Fulton and Hill; center, Bible; quarter, Reeves; backs, Bryant and Prock; full-

back, Pettit. Pampa-ends, Clemmons and Andis; tackles, Giddens and L.O. Bailey; guards, Ripple and C. Bailey; center, Candler; quarter, Andis; backs, Miller ind Saulsbury; fullback, Heis-

Pampa subs included Work, Montgomery.



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According to the annual, 'light and inexperienced with only four letter men back from the previous year, the Longhorns played ball to the best of their ability; but they were always outclassed and outweighed. All through the season their sportsmanship was

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Wheeler Mustangs Take Championship

The Wheeler Mustangs cruised into the state Class B championship football game for the third straight year with a 27-7 decision Saturday over

Valley View. The Mustangs, District 1-B titlists for the last time since they will be moving up a class next year, spotted Valley View a 7-0 lead but closed their

unanswered points. The contest at Vernon was knotted at halftime 7-7, but Wheeler dominated the second

endzone after that, scoring 27

The Mustangs will play High Island for the state championship at 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Cleburne. Both Wheeler and High Island boast 13-0 season

High Island is located on the Gulf Coast, near Galveston, so the title game will match teams

from vastly different settings. Wheeler will be seeking its 45th win in its last 46 games and its second state crown in three years. Union Hill stopped the Mustangs 14-7 in last year's championship game, ending Wheeler's winning streak at 31 victories.

The Panhandle team is ranked No. 1 among Texas Class B outifts by the Harris Rating System.

Last Saturday, Bobby Cope threw a 20-yard pass to Alan Kassen and kicked the extra point to give Valley View a surprising lead in the first But Benny Baker scored from a yard out in the second period to enable the Mustangs to tie the score.

Rich Brown connected with Russell Gaines for a 52-yard touchdown pass in the third stanza to give Wheeler the lead, and two Mustang scores in the fourth quarter iced the game. Willie Valencia tallied on 4-yard run, and Paul Bentley ******************** scored on a 4-yard throw from

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Wheeler gained 340 yards to 179 for Valley View.

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Loose Marbles by Lisa Patman

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This is the time of year when the post office is deluged with letters to that jolly old fellow Santa Claus. Lots of time and effort go into these, especially for parents as they carefully tell little Junior how to spell Race Track Set, Bongo Drums, Submachine Gun, and Puppy. Usually they tell the kid

that all of it is C-L-O-T-H-E-S. I think my first letter began with a simple request for a Tiny Tears doll, and the rest progressed through the years to a succession of petticoats with 30 yards of net, a wrist watch with real diamonds, and a new boy-

In college I asked old St. Nick for cigarettes and a flashy convertible, neither of which I got. If I remember correctly my stocking contained a sensible pair of gloves and a reliable Timex (no diamonds).

Then I got married and Santa forgot where I lived. Oh, I had figured out by that time that Santa didn't live at the North Pole, that he was usually someone who lived in the same place I did, but I had always relied on the fact that he would come through somehow. I guess that was when I learned my first lesson on husbands and gift giving. Never tell your spouse that there's nothing you need for Christmas, because that's exactly what you'll get. Since then I have made detailed lists each and every holiday, and that list is packed not only with the things I want, but with everything I might possibly want sometime in the next few decades. This way if I am disappointed by a lack of generosity on Old Dad's part at least I'll have the satisfaction of releasing my hostilities through

violence, when I bean him with the Yule log. This year my list is more

idealistic than usual, and there-

fore harder to fulfill. But I'll keep on wishing, and, since my list contains items that are somewhat universally desired by wives and mothers, I won't fuss if you clip this letter and hand it to your own Santa. Dear Santa,

Please, if you decide to give me something to wear, made it go all the way around my posterior without a struggle, but make the size read a dainty '8", even if you have to cut out the label that reads "Queen-Size Fashions-Extra Large".

Please bring me a set of carkeys and a telephone, both of which deliver a slight electric shock whenever they are handled by teenagers.

If it's not too much trouble Santa, I'd really like a Sunday afternoon in the fall when there would not be a single sports event shown on television. It would be all right with me if you gave Howard Cosell's mouth a rest that day (In fact, it would be all right with me if you gave Howard Cosell back to his wife, although she might not be really thrilled about it.)

I think, Santa, that I could use the sense God gave a flea (at least my family says I don't

If I have to spend the rest of my life eating salads while the rest of the world is enjoying hot fudge sundaes, let my salad at

If you must send me a puppy please send one that knows I'm not his mother. Just give me any old pooch who will disregard me completely.

A really thoughtful gift would be some birth control pills for the dirty clothes--they're still multiplying at an alarming rate.

And last, Dear Old St. Nick, I'd love a new foot---one that won't fit in my mouth. I'm really tired of this steady diet of

Love, Marbles



NOTES by Sam Haynes

GEORGE BURNS, THE THIRD TIME AROUND

By George Burns
"The Third Time Around" will emerge as an indispensible volume for people truly inter-ested in the golden days of

Hollywood entertainment. George Burns, in this intimate account of his performing days with Gracie Ailen and

after, furnishes hitherto un-

known vignettes of show business personalities and occa-sions, which are extremely entertaining as well as unusual. Exerpts from the comments made by famous entertainers at the Dean Martin Roast of George Burns are included in

the book and will furnish many

a chuckle for readers. Many famous humorous comments by Burns are included in the book, such as "I enjoy being old. For one thing, I'm still here. I like being older than I was yesterday. And I'm looking forward to being older tomorrow than I am today When you're young, if you're lucky, you get older. When you're middle aged, if you're lucky you'll get to be old. But when you're old, you're in a holding pattern-that's it. It's sort of a reward for being young

all that time..." Many accounts of Burn's recent emergence as a top box office star with such movies as "Oh God", are included in the excellent writing, and any com-edy fan will laugh from cover to

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SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16 9:00 a.m. Outdoor Oklahoma 9:30 a.m. Untamed World-Antarctica

10:00 a.m. Cousteau Odyssey: The Nile, Pt. I 11:00 a.m. Cousteau Odyssey: The Nile, Pt II

12:00 noon Washington Week in Review 12:30 p.m. Wall Street Week 1:00 p.m. The Mad Trapper 2:30 p.m. Evening at Symphony

Berlioz, Sir Michael Tippett 4:00 p.m. Arts Encounter-Oklahoma Theatre Center 4:30 p.m. Oklahoma Gardening 5:00 p.m. Candid Campus 5:30 p.m. Consumer Survival

6:00 p.m. Firing Line 7:00 p.m. The Nobel Prize 8:00 p.m. Masterpiece Theatre The Duchess of Duke StreetZ II 9:00 p.m. Camera Three-Telluride Film Festival 9:30 p.m. Arts Encounter-Oklahoma Collegium Musicum 10:00 p.m. Sneak Previews 10:30 p.m. Mother Teresa of Calcutta-1979 Nobel Peace

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17 7:15 a.m. A.M. Weather 7:30 a.m. Yoga for Health 8:00 a.m. Sesame Street 9:00 a.m. Electric Company 9:30 a.m. Classics of World

Prize winner.

Literature 10:00 a.m. Thinkabout 10:15 a.m. Measuremetrics 10:30 a.m. Images & Things 10:50 a.m. Readalong

11:00 a.m. Life Around Us 11:30 a.m. Vision On 12:00 noon Zarabnada 12:30 p.m. Search for Science 12:45 p.m. The Write Channel

1:00 p.m. Animals & Such 1:15 p.m. Time to Draw 1:30 p.m. I Can Read 1:45 p.m. Song Bag 2:00 p.m. All About You 2:15 p.m. Thinkabout 2:30 p.m. Vision On

3:00 p.m. Sesame Street

4:00 p.m. Mister Rogers' Neighborhood 4:30 p.m. Electric Company 5:00 p.m. Zoom 5:30 p.m. Over Easy-Eddie Albert 6:00 p.m. MacNeil/Lehrer Re-

6:30 p.m. Oklahoma Report 7:00 p.m. William Faulkner: A Life on Paper 9:00 p.m. Masterpiece Theatre 10:00 p.m. Dick Cavett Show 10:30 p.m. Hank Thompson

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18 7:15 a.m. A.M. Weather 7:30 a.m. Yoga for Health 8:00 a.m. Sesame Street 9:00 a.m. Electric Company

9:30 a.m. Footsteps 10:00 a.m. Numbers Game II 10:30 a.m. Universe and I

10:50 a.m. Readalong 11:00 a.m. Humanities 11:30 a.m. Vision On 12:00 noon Technology of Today's Schools

12:15 p.m. Heart of Teaching 12:30 p.m. Camera & Song 1:00 p.m. Why? 1:15 p.m. Ripples 1:30 p.m. Our Living Language

1:45 p.m. Let's All Sing 2:00 p.m. Roomnastics 2:15 p.m. Chamber Music 2:30 p.m. Vision On 3:00 p.m. Sesame Street 4:00 p.m. Mister Neighborhood Rogers

4:30 p.m. Electric Company

5:00 p.m. Zoom

5:30 p.m. Over Easy 6:00 p.m. MacNeil/Lehrer Re-5:30 p.m. Oklahoma Report 7:00 p.m. Nova-Blindness: Five Points of View 8:30 p.m. From Our House to Your House: Christmas with

Gov. and Mrs. George Nigh 9:00 p.m. Soundstage-Joan Armatrading 10:00 p.m. Dick Cavett Show 10:30 p.m. Hank Thompson Show

WEDNESDAY, DEC 19 7:15 a.m. A.M. Westher

7:30 a.m. Yoga for Health 8:00 a.m. Sesame Street 9:00 a.m. Electric Company 9:30 a.m. Percussion Noel

10:00 a.m. Christmas Festival of Harps 10:15 a.m. Math Relationships 10:30 a.m. Matter of Fact

10:50 a.m. Readalong 11:00 a.m. America 11:30 a.m. Vision On 12:00 noon Ascent of Man 1:00 p.m. Self, Inc.

She Loves Me 9:00 p.m. A Child's Christmas 10:00 p.m. Dick Cavett Show 10:30 p.m. Hank Thompson

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20 7:15 a.m. A.M. Weather 7:30 a.m. Yoga for Health 8:00 a.m. Sesame Street 9:00 a.m. Electric Company

9:30 a.m. The Humanities

1:15 p.m. Easy Drawing 1:30 p.m. Project Self Discovery 1:45 p.m. Sing Along With Me 2:00 p.m. Careert Awareness •2:15 p.m. Thinkabout 2:30 p.m. Vision On

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Literature 11:30 a.m. Vision On 12:00 noon Integration of Children With Special Needs 12:30 p.m. Heart of Teachin 12:45 p.m. Technology of Today's Schools

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4:30 p.m. Electric Company 5:00 p.m. Zoom 5:30 p.m. Over Easy 6:00 p.m. MacNeil/Lehrer Re-

6:30 p.m. Oklahoma Report 7:00 Evening at Symphony Mozart, Wagner 8:30 p.m. Scrooge-A Christmas

10:00 p.m. Dick Cavett Show 10:30 p.m. Hank Thompson

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21 7:15 a.m. A.M. Weather 7:30 a.m. Yoga for Health 8:00 a.m. Sesame Street 9:00 a.m. Electric Company 9:30 a.m. Rainbow's End 10:00 a.m. What's In The News 10:15 a.m. Measure Up 10:30 a.m. Zebra Wings 10:50 a.m. Readalong 11:00 a.m. Man Builds/Man Destroys 11:30 a.m. Vision On

12:00 noon Under The Blue Umbrella 12:15 p.m. Ascent of Man 1:15 p.m. Ripples 1:30 p.m. Finding Our Way

1:45 p.m. Singing Down the Road 2:00 p.m. Measuremetrics

2:15 p.m. Bread & Butterflies 2:30 p.m. Vision On 3:00 Sesame Street 4:00 p.m. Mister Neighborhood 4:30 p.m. Electric Company

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22 8:00 a.m. Once Upon A Classic The Boy With Two Heads 9:00 a.m. Feelings-Anger 9:30 a.m. Movie-Try and Get

11:30 a.m. Crockett's Victory Garden 12:00 noon Oklahoma Gar-12:30 p.m. Farm Digest

2:30 p.m. Christmas Festival of 3:00 p.m. Charlie Chaplin: The 3:30 p.m. Sneak Previews 4:00 p.m. Soccer Made in Germany 5:00 p.m. Dancing Disco-The Triple Hustle 5:30 p.m. Another Voice 6:00 p.m. Untamed World Parklands 6:30 p.m. Outdoor Oklahoma 7:00 p.m. Nova-Blindness: Five Points of View 8:30 p.m. Julie Andrews Christmas Special 9:00 p.m. Doctor Who-The Ark in Space 10:00 p.m. Monty Python's Flying Circus

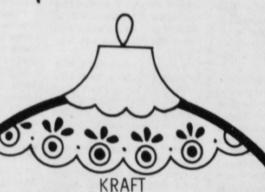


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